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Would Not Favor Big Labor Lobby

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, June 22.—If labor uses the big interests' lobby methods, President Wilson will be critical of it as he is now of the opinion that big business interests are attempting to stop anti-trust legislation.
This was the reply of President Wilson today to reported criticisms of manufacturers who believe that the president failed to act against labor lobby while he undertook to force a throng of measurers against big interests.

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License and Free Marriage Proposed by Evangelist to Young Spooning Couple

"A marriage license would be a valuable asset to a young couple sitting in the congregation. If the young man will proceed to the county clerk's office and purchase the document, and return here I will marry the couple free of all costs and discontinue my sermon for the morning."
Thus spoke one of the evangelists conducting a revival at one of the Ballinger churches Sunday morning while he was in the midst of his sermon.
The young lady blushed and the

\$8.71 per Week is Wage for Girls

By United Press.
BOSTON, June 22.—Agreement between the state employer and the employe before the Minimum Wage Commission for the Brush Industry, set the wage for girls at \$8.71 per week.
It was found during the investigation that one-fifth of the girls received less than \$4 per week; two thirds less than \$6.00.

Weather Forecast.
Showers tonight and Tuesday.

WANTED—Clean white rags at The Ledger office.

U. S. Stands Pat on Alien Land Law

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, June 22.—The United States stands pat in its position with the California alien land law controversy with Japan, said President Wilson today.
The President stated that the controversy was opened at Japan's instance and that he now sees no reason for a change in his belief that California's law violates none of Japan's treaty rights.

Federals Still Hold Two Cities

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, June 22.—Admiral Howard reported to the navy department today that Mazatlan and Guaymas were still held by Gen. Huerta, despite every effort of the rebels to take the cities. The rebels have suspended operations temporarily because of scarcity of ammunitions.
Mazanillo is isolated and besieged but is still held by the federals. Most all other small towns on the west coast have been abandoned to the rebels.

Teddy Will Not Run for Any Office

By United Press.
BOSTON, June 22.—The Boston Globe's correspondent aboard the Inerator today wirelessly that Colonel Theodore Roosevelt confirmed the statement that he would not run for senator or governor of New York this fall.
The colonel steadfastly refused to comment on his running for office in 1916.

Reinstate 300,000 Woodmen

By United Press.
TOLEDO, Ohio, June 22.—Immediate reinstatement of 300,000 Modern Woodmen of America who withdrew with the repeal of the Indianapolis rates, was forecasted today by the repeal of Chicago rates and the renewal of the Indianapolis.

Insurgents who fought a losing battle for economy today before leaving for their homes at the close of the meetings, asserted that court proceedings had been brought.

CHARBON DISEASE AMONG CATTLE

By United Press.
AUSTIN, Tex., June 22.—Charbon disease is again appearing among cattle in various counties of Texas, state health officer Ralph Steiner announced today, warning cattlemen to be alert. Vaccination of the healthy stock early, isolation of the charbon infected animals and burning the carcasses of charbon victims is the only known means of controlling this disease, he stated.

ASSAULT ON ZACATECAS DELAYED ABOUT 10 DAYS

Message Will End Mediation

By United Press.
NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., June 22.—Gen. Carranza's reply to the invitation to participate in mediation will hasten the termination of the conferences.
The chief of the constitutionalists refused to participate in the conferences under any agreement that would bind him to discuss the appointment of a provisional president of Mexico or yield to any one or deal in international affairs.

Pictures Made of Strikers

By United Press.
PITTSBURG, June 22.—The Westinghouse strikers stationed a movie machine at the entrance of the plant today, and made photographic records of each man who entered the plant.
It was stated that this was done to prevent desertion from the ranks of the strikers.

DEPOSITORS QUESTIONED.

By United Press.
CHICAGO, June 22.—A dozen depositors of the Lorimer banks were questioned today by State Attorneys Bless and Case, preparatory to a grand jury inquiry.

By United Press.
TORREON, Mex., June 22.—A general assault on Zacatecas which was reported to have begun, has been delayed a week or ten days, according to dispatches direct from Gen. Villa at Canitas, which is directly north of Zacatecas. Gen. Villa stated that he found the roads south impassible for heavy artillery.
He leads an army of 25,000 men.

50 Bodies Removed from Mine

By United Press.
HILLCREST, Canada, June 22.—Fifty bodies were removed today from the Hillcrest coal mine which was torn by an explosion last week, entombing nearly 200 miners, bringing the total number of the dead brought up to 148. Eight have not been accounted for.

In the graveyard on the mountain side, eighty men are digging graves. The cemetery will be filled when all the victims of Friday's disaster are buried.

ROTARIANS OPEN SESSIONS.

By United Press.
HOUSTON, Tex., June 22.—With Governor Colquitt and the mayor of Houston to welcome them, the delegates to the International Rotary Convention opened their business sessions today in the City Auditorium.

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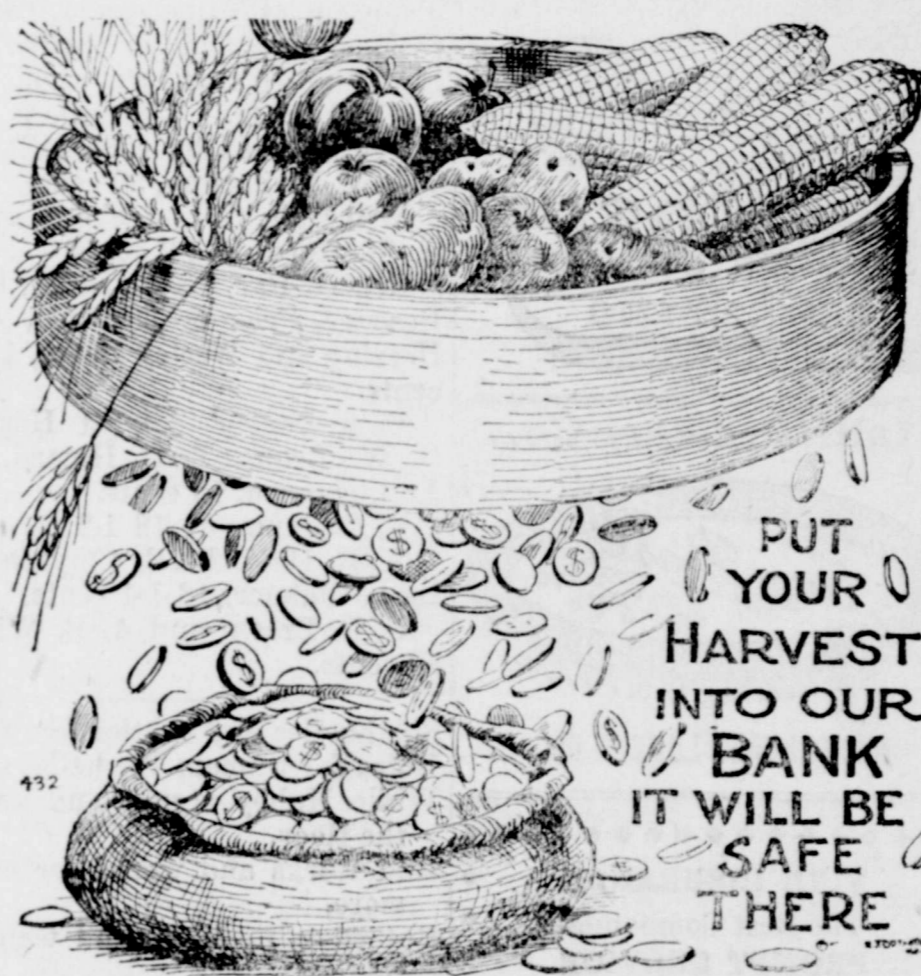
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LITTLE STORIES OF THE LONE STAR STATE

By United Press
There were monopolies in Texas back in the days of 1828 just as there are monopolies today. The Constitutional Congress of the State of Coahuila and Texas granted Leon E. Alemy the exclusive right for six years of boring artesian wells. John L. Woodbury and John Cameron were given a monopoly for twenty-three years of working the iron and coal mines in the state. John Davis Bradburn and Stephens Staples obtained a similar contract for fifteen years for navigating the Rio Grande with steam and horse power.

There is every reason to believe that some of these concessions

were granted for money. Such was the condition of the public funds in the spring of 1828 that on the 17th of April of that year the state suspended some of her constitutional officers for want of funds to pay them. The establishment of the state treasury was also suspended for a like reason.

The colonists in Texas were pretty much exempt from taxation at that time, and the Mexicans seldom paid any. Texas felt in common with the other Mexican states the low pulse of the early years of Mexican independence. However, immigrants were flocking into Texas whereas the other Mexican states expelled their most useful citizens, the aristocratic Spaniards for whom the native Mexican Indian felt a deep hatred. There is no record that the monopolies created by the state to replenish ever so slightly its treasury became so powerful or so obnoxious as some monopolies existing today.

A HUMAN INTEREST STORY.
(Bronte Enterprise.)

Bronte mother, does your daughter take late "joy rides" at night in auto? Does she ride with boys you do not permit to call on her at home? Do you in fact know who she is with night after night? Now listen: A good man, although reliable, tells the writer that only a few nights ago he saw a strapping great big boy sitting in a girl's lap and maybe on the next run she was sitting in his lap. Another equally reliable citizen tells of seeing a car out at two in the morning, and this was a "joy ride" pure and simple. There were two pretty and charming girls in this car, and to say the least, it was very indiscrete and improper for them to be out at that hour of the night. There is sorrow and mourning in these "joy rides," we very much fear, for some Bronte home—some Bronte mother, if a stop is not put to these late rides.

Still Killing.

It still keeps on killing pain, does Hunt's Lightning Oil. For year sit has been used with wonderful success for rheumatism, neuralgia, cuts, burns and other hurts. All druggists sell it in 25c and 50c bottles.

TALPA WOOL SELLS AT 20

The holdings of the Talpa Wool Growers Association have been sold to S. D. Rainier of Llano representing Fansworth, Stephenson & Company of Boston. Approximately one hundred thousand pounds were sold. The prices given out at Talpa range from 18 to 20 cents. This is about four cents higher than the wool sold for last year. The sellers and prices received by each follow:

- A. V. Livingston, 20 cents.
- Will Hale, O. L. Jackson, and J. A. Stanford, 19 1-2 cents.
- George Rae, N. R. Hines, C. F. Reasner, Price & Trammel, A. C. Herring and Wesley Reese, 19 1-4 cents.
- Dick Pauley, August Herring, C. W. Evans, T. L. Hinard, and J. A. Duncan, 19 cents.
- L. C. Jamason, 18 1-2 cents.
- S. P. Hale, F. E. Clayton and Leroy Palmer, 18 1-4 cents.
- C. E. Brown and A. B. Wilson, 18 cents.

She hustles and bustles like a bee, Votes for women, Tee-he-he, While Hubby scrubs and sweeps the floor.

And works and works for every more, But when he kicks and wants to flee, She gives him Rocky Mountain Tea.—The Walker Drug Co.

Miss Evelyn Routh came in from Fort Worth Monday morning and will spend a month with her parents, W. T. Routh and family.

SOCIETY

Phone All Society News to No. 246
Miss Louise Doss Editor

Auction Bridge Party.

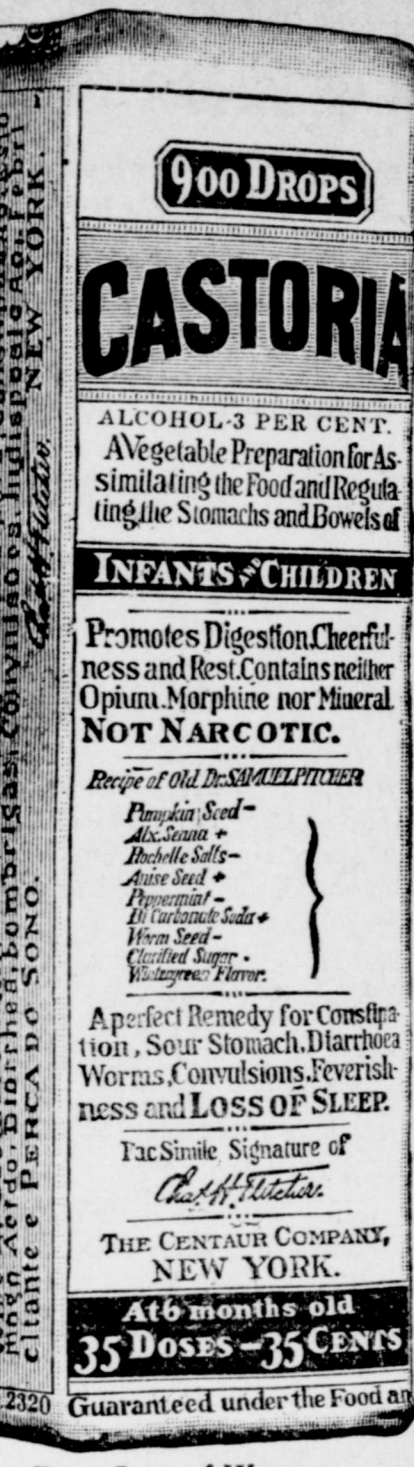
Mrs. John Hopkinson entertained with an informal bridge party Wednesday afternoon at her home on Eleventh Street to complement her visitor, Mrs. Bennett of Belton. The home was prettily decorated with sweet peas and ferns. Auction bridge was played at three tables which were arranged in the hall and parlor. An elegant salad course was served on the card tables to the following guests: Mesdames Bennett of Belton, John A. Weeks, George Pearce, George Vaughn, Harry Thompson, U. P. Melton, George Holman, Paul Trimmer, Misses Sue Sharp, Nell Alexander Maggie Sharp and Alice Morgan.

Mrs. Moser Hostess.

Mrs. Dan Moser was the hostess of a most enjoyable "42" party at her home Thursday afternoon on Fifth Street. The reception rooms were most beautifully decorated with a profusion of nasturtiums, daisies, roses and gladiolas. Progressive "42" was the main feature of entertainment. After the game an elegant two course menu was served on the card tables. Those present were: Mesdames Frank Miller, Charlie Miller, C. R. Crews, Ed Walker, J. K. Hutton, Scott Mack, Harry Thompson, Garland Parks, Hathaway, Robert Bruce, Townsend, J. W. Francis, C. P. Shepherd, Elmer Shepherd, Isaac Vancil, Holt Smith, John Weeks, Bob Griggs, Trimmer, J. G. Douglass, Bob Lusk, Kirk, George Vaughn, M. C. Smith, Creasy, Geisecke, Sharp, Gunther, Helms, Edwin Day, Jno Hopkinson, John Currie, Oscar Pearson, Morgan Jones, Raby, Preston Hunt of Texarkana, Whit Patterson, Edgar Rasbury, Bennett of Belton, J. Y. Pearce, Hagan, George Pearce and Miss Alice Morgan.

Sunday School Class Entertained

Mrs. M. C. Smith delightfully entertained her Sunday school class Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock. The house was prettily decorated with flowers and ferns.



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For Infants and Children.

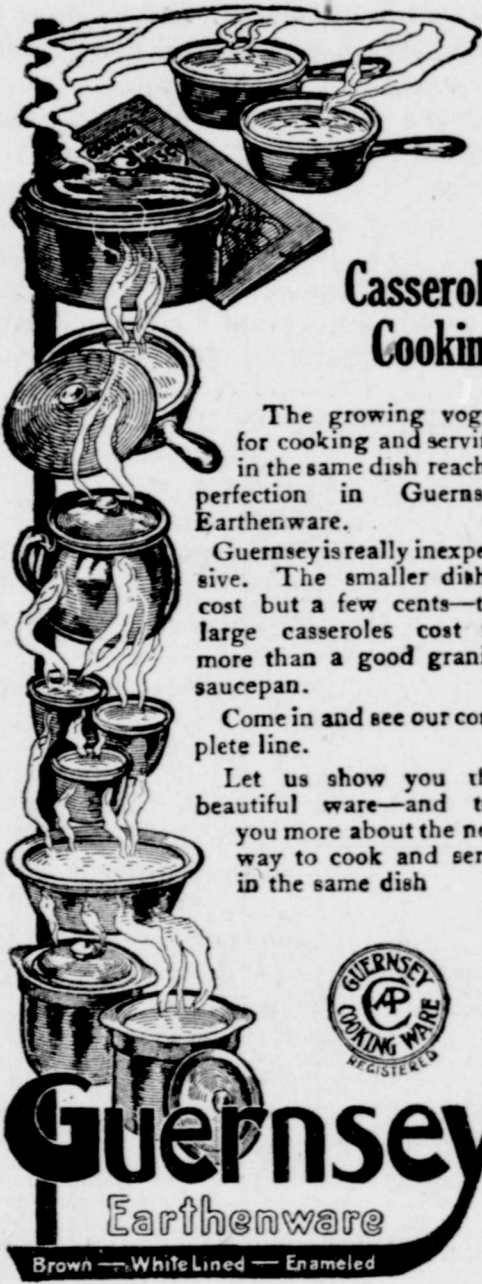
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Progressive "42" was played at four tables, Miss Margaret Futeh winning high score, the prize being an immense bouquet of daisies. During the game mints were served. Late in the afternoon an ice course was served. Those present belonging to Mrs. Smith's class were: Misses Velma Walker, Margaret Trail, Juliet Miller, Margaret Futeh, Cleda and Holda Codgell.

Lucky Thirteen Club.

Miss Katie Belle Gregory was the charming hostess Saturday afternoon of the Lucky Thirteen Club. A very pleasant hour was spent in sewing on the lawn, which it was delightfully cool. Later in the afternoon an ice course was served. The members present were: Misses Ada Allen, Lois Crews, Lena Belle Doss, Lucy Minor Crofford, Winnie Trail, Mamie Gregory, and Louise Doss. Those visiting were: Miss Gladys Oliver of Winters, Miss Hester Padgett, Mesdames Truly of Milford and Frank Maddox of Lubbock.

Club Entertained.

Mrs. S. P. Hathaway entertained the married ladies "42" Club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Seventh Street. Many delightful games of "42" were played at four tables. After the game an ice course was served. Besides the club members several invited guests were present.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the daytime you can change it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. Herbine cures all disorders produced by an inactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

SEVENTY-FIVE WANT TO YANK TEETH

By United Press
DALLAS, June 22.—Seventy-five candidates for licenses to practice dentistry in Texas will be examined at the Central High School building this week. The State Board of Dental Examiners held its annual meeting here today.

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J. L. Elkins of the New Home community, J. N. Mason and C. C. Thomas of the Valley creek country, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Saturday afternoon.

Shake Off Your Rheumatism

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. Try a twenty-five cent bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and see how quickly your rheumatic pains disappear. Sold by all dealers.

CANDIDATES

This paper is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held in July:

- For Sheriff: JOHN D. PERKINS, J. A. DEMOVILLE, MARSHALL SIMPSON
- For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD, WILL L. STUART, C. C. SCHUCHARD, SAM H. McPHERSON, R. L. (Bob) SHAFFER.
- For County Judge: 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: E. L. HAGAN, W. W. WOOTEN.
- For Constable Precinct No. 1: CHARLIE EISENHUTH, B. F. ALLEN.
- For Congressman-at-Large: R. B. HUMPHREY. (of Throckmorton, Texas.)

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Minnesota Paints with a reputation of forty years of success. Ground and mixed, in the only oil that will make good paint—pure linseed oil. Minnesota Linseed Oil, in which **Minnesota Paints** are ground, is made in our own mills from Northwestern flax-seed, the best that can be had.

We make "A Special Paint for Every Paintable Surface". The cost per can has nothing to do with the cost of paint. Figure how much surface a gallon will cover and protect satisfactorily. **Minnesota Paints** on this basis, are the cheapest paints on the market.

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Figure with us for building material to enlarge and improve your home or your barn. There is a difference in lumber as well as in price. Come to our yard and let us show you.

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KING GEORGE IS NOW BIRTHDAYING

By United Press.

LONDON, June 22.—King George is officially celebrating his 49th birthday today, although as a matter of fact he is already nineteen days into his fiftieth year. The actual anniversary, June, found the King too busy to receive the congratulations of the rulers and people of the world, so another date had to be set so that he could accept felicitations in proper style. Today the telegraph and postal systems were kept busy conveying the congratulations and acknowledgements.

Flags were flown on all government buildings, and salutes were fired at the naval and military stations, while British warships the world over decked themselves out in rainbow fashion.

There were many military parades, the most important being the brilliant ceremony known as "Trooping the Color" which was performed on the House Guards Parade, St. James' Park, in the presence of the King, Queen and all the members of the royal family at present in London.

King George, wearing the uniform of colonel-in-chief of the Grenadier Guards, rode from Buckingham Palace attended by Prince Arthur of Connaught, Prince Christian, the Duke of Teck and Prince Alexander, and a brilliant cavalcade of high army officers and the foreign military attaches.

Queen Mary, with her daughter and the younger prince drove to the parade ground with a cavalry escort, and took up positions in the royal box just above the saluting base.

Great crowds assembled for this popular ceremony, and their majesties were heartily cheered during their progress to and from the Palace. In view of suffragette attempts to get at the King, extra precautions were taken today, the spectators being kept several hundred feet behind the closely packed lines of troops lining the route, and detectives in plain clothes swarmed everywhere.

On the Horse Guards Parade the troops were drawn up in a hollow square, with drums and colors facing the saluting base. Having inspected the lines the King and his staff saluted Queen Mary and took up their positions under the royal standard. The colors of the Scots Guards were "trooped" (marched along the lines) with stately ceremony, and afterwards the whole of the troops marched past the King, in slow and quick time. The royal party returned to the Palace and demonstrations of popular enthusiasm.

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

Mrs. Louis Martin and two children, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. J. Carpenter and family and friends, left Saturday afternoon to join Mr. Martin at Humble, Texas, where they will make their future home.

J. S. Flanagan, and Frank Mountz and son Will, of the Valley creek country, were among the visitors in Ballinger Saturday. Will Mountz is now making home at Dallas and is in this section on a short visit to relatives.

When the baby is suffering the double affliction of hot weather and bowel disorders, the remedy needed is McGee's Baby Elixir. It reduces the feverish conditions, condition, correct the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

THRASHERS BEGIN WORK OVER COUNTY

The click of the binder was replaced in many places over the county today by the humming of the thrasher. Reports received at The Ledger office were to the effect that harvesters started operations in nearly every section of the county. At least fifty thrashers started operations today. The work will continue for several days on the places where they are in use today. As soon as the grain crops are finished at the present places, the thrashers will move to other places to relieve the farmers who are not lucky enough to own their own machinery. By next week, it is believed, most of the 1914 harvesting will have been completed.

Don't Use Calomel.

Those who know always use Simmon's Liver Purifier, because it is just as thorough, but does not gripe or sicken nor cause injury. In yellow tin boxes only. Price 25c. Tried once, used always.

E. C. James, of the Maverick country was in the city Saturday on business and to be with his daughter at the sanitarium a few hours and we are glad to report the young lady convalescing very nicely at present.

Hicks' CAPUDINE

The Liquid Remedy being used with very satisfactory results for

Headache

QUICK RESULTS TRY IT

W. E. Brooks, who is with the Harwell Auto Co., of our city, reports the sale of two Ford autos last Saturday to Dr. J. L. Allred and Mr. White, the grocery merchant of Winters.

Cools the stomach, washes out the bowels, drives out impurities, helps the liver; its Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Take it once a week, during warm weather and see how happy and contented you'll be. 36c. Tea or Tablets. The Walker Drug Co.

J. T. Brown, of Winters, came over Saturday afternoon in his auto to join Mrs. Brown, who was here on a visit to their son, County Treasurer W. L. Brown.

Causes Further Talk.

Because so many people are telling their experience with Hunt's Lightning Oil for headaches, rheumatism, neuralgia, etc., that 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 your druggist.

"NO FISHING" SIGN NO LONGER USED

By United Press.

AUSTIN, June 22.—The "no fishing" sign has been banished in Texas.

Fishermen have shown an unusual interest in the recent ruling of the attorney general's department that all bodies of water in Texas, whether created by artificial means or of natural formation, are free to everybody for fishing purposes, even where such lakes or ponds are surrounded by privately-owned lands. In the latter case the fishermen must be given access to the water and egress with the necessity of a permit.

Under this ruling the several private fishing preserves in Texas are thrown open to the public. There are a number of clubs which have heretofore claimed exclusive right to certain lakes and ponds in the matter of exercising the fishing privilege on their respective properties.

If a body of water is more than thirty feet wide any person can fish in it.

Take Plenty of Time to Eat

There is a saying that "rapid eating is slow suicide." If you have formed the habit of eating too rapidly you are most likely suffering from indigestion or constipation, which will result eventually in serious illness unless corrected. Digestion begins in the mouth. Food should be thoroughly masticated and insalivated. Then when you have a fullness of the stomach or feel dull and stupid after eating, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many severe cases of stomach trouble and constipation have been cured by the use of these tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Sold by all dealers.

Mrs. J. H. Butts and children, who had been visiting relatives and friends at Teague, Texas, the past few weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Jeanes returned home Saturday afternoon from a visit to friends at San Angelo.

MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

Women should understand that melancholy, commonly called the "Blues", is in nine times out of ten a pure symptom of some organic derangement which should have attention. For nearly forty years, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for such conditions, as proved by many testimonials which we are constantly publishing from women who have been restored to health by its use.

NOTICE To the Eating Public.

I have renovated and have in a sanitary condition the Globber Market. My specialties are Government Inspected Meats of the best quality and **Butter Nut Bread, the best what is.** PHONE 126 For Prompt Delivery. Ike Honig, Proprietor

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Should have the proper thought to insure both health and economy.

You Get this Here


Buy your potatoes, onion sets and all kinds of garden seed from us.

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K C Baking Powder is guaranteed absolutely pure and wholesome.

There is no Rochelle salts, no harmful residue left in the food that is leavened with K C.

Even the most delicate can eat hot breads raised with K C without distress. Try K C Baking Powder breads if yeast-raised bread does not agree with you.



Algerita Editors Having Real Newspaper Experience

The editors of the Algerita, the high school journal, are having experiences these days. They are forced to look after finances just as many newspaper editors of the smaller cities have to.

The editors of the Algerita issued a rattling good annual number. Several hundred copies of the edition were printed on the solicitation of the pupils of the school and friends. Each who urged that a large number be printed, promised to take at least one copy of the big number and the editors of the Algerita thought they would get a ready sale for their big product. But they were doomed to disappointment.

Many pupils who promised to take at least one copy of the annual number threw the editors

and business managers overboard and now the staff has quite a number of Algeritas on hand that have not been placed. The cost of printing and having cuts made and other incidentals are worrying the staff of the Algerita, for they know not from whence the cash is coming to settle the bills. They have raised quite a bit from the sale of advertising space and the several copies of the edition sold, but there is still a big gap. Unless some good friend of the school comes to the rescue with a nice proposition, the editors of the high school journal will continue to toss in their little bunks each night and arise each morning with droopy eyelids which were kept open the full night.

Adopted Son Gets \$100,000

DALLAS, June 22.—The hundred thousand dollar estate of W. A. Skinner and Mrs. Sallie Skinner, who were frozen to death on Pike's Peak in 1912, was awarded their adopted son, Frank today.

Judgement had been entered for him in a suit by his natural heirs.

Stings or bits of insects that are followed by swelling, pain or itching should be treated promptly, as they are poisonous. Ballard's Snow Liniment counteracts the poisons. It is both antiseptic and healing. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

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Adults 20c
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WHITE CITY

"GOOD SHOWS ALWAYS"

Lion Didn't Mean Harm in Killing

CHICAGO, June 22.—Miss Adie Castillo, owner of five lions that killed a party and devoured her fiancé, Emerson Dietrich, age 25 years, was in a state collapse when the inquest today opened.

Teddy Cub who led the attack on Dietrich will not be killed, Miss Castillo said.

"Teddy did not mean any harm. He is only a cub and thought he was playing," stated the lion's owner.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Every family without exception should keep this preparation at hand during the hot weather of the summer months. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is worth many times its cost when needed and is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. It has no superior for the purposes for which it is intended. Buy it now. For sale by all dealers.

TRIAL OF FORMER SHERIFF.

SHERMAN, Tex., June 22.—The trial of former sheriff Lee McAfee was to open here today on the charge of assault to murder on Sheriff Lee Simmons.

Skin Diseases Cured.

Hunt's Cure is the name of the remedy which is absolutely guaranteed to cure all forms of skin disease of the purchase price promptly refunded. Wonderful results are obtained by its use, curing cases that did not yield to other treatment. Ask your druggist. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

Ed O'Kelly returned Sunday night from a business visit to Central and North Central Texas. He is another one of those who sized up the crop situation and finds that Rannels and this section of the county is ahead of the places he visited.

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LARGE CROWDS

ATTEND REVIVALS

Ballinger is being served very well, thank you, spiritually.

Two revivals are in full progress in the city, and a large attendance have been reported at each of them. Both have open air services and this undoubtedly draws out large congregations.

At the Ninth Street Baptist tabernacle which was erected one day last week, reports are that exceedingly large attendance has been enjoyed at each of the services which began last week. Rev. Finney continues to hold the interest of the people attending. He is being ably assisted by Choir leader Miller, who has made a distinct "hit" in directing the choir of the church.

Evangelist Finney announced that he would preach tonight on "Hell with fire in it." Everybody is cordially invited to attend. The open air method of conducting the services makes it comfortable.

The meeting of the Nazarene church, which is being conducted under a large tent, was well attended at all services Sunday. Rev. Irick and his wife are in charge of this series of meetings.

Both revivals will continue for some time. The Nazarene meeting will close on the 28th, while that of the Ninth Street Baptist will last indefinitely, no date yet having been decided upon for the closing.

Can't Keep it Secret.

The splendid work of Chamberlain's Tablets is daily becoming more widely known. No such grand remedy for stomach and liver troubles has ever been known. For sale by all dealers.

Jack McGaughy of Brownwood, who represents the McCormick Harvester Co., and had been in our city the past few days, left for home Saturday afternoon. Mr. McGaughy closed a deal before he left for \$1500 worth of machinery for the H. Giesecke farms southeast of the city.

A bad taste in the mouth comes from a disordered stomach, and back of that is usually a torpid liver.—A condition which invites disease. Herbine is the remedy needed. It corrects the stomach and makes the liver active and regular. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

TO OUR PATRONS.

We are now proprietors of the City Meat Market and want to sell you meat. We handle the best grades and give all orders prompt attention. Phone 185

CITY MEAT MARKET

Roy Hull and Stanley Cameron Proprietors.

It Makes a Difference

Who Does Your Work.

A good shave, a neat hair cut, adds a great deal to a man's feeling and appearance. We give you satisfaction along this line.

The City Barber Shop

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When Tired

And Thirsty

Drop in at my store and get an ice cold soda. Candies, cakes, nuts and all kinds of confections.

M. Rosenwasser

Our Loaves Biggest and Best!

Kneading the Dough With Omer.

For I remember stopping down the row
To watch a baker thumping his wet dough,
And with its all obliterated tongue
It murmur'd, "Gently, brother, gently, slow!"

The dough for our bread is well thumped. We are merciless.

Our bread is made of richest and best materials and contains lots of shortening. The loaves are not blown like a bag of wind.

Let us end your bread problem. You can phone.



Buy Our Bread Regularly!

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BALL SPEAKING

HERE SATURDAY

Dallas, Texas, June 19, 1914.
Mr. A. W. Sledge,
Ballinger, Texas.

My Dear Sir:—We have Ballinger on our list for speaking Saturday, the 27th. Will advise you within a day or two whom you may expect.

Yours very truly,
JASPER COLLINS,
Chairman, Speakers Bureau.

Up to the present there has been very little "stirring" in politics around Ballinger, but we learn up on good authority that some aggressive campaigning will be done here during the next thirty days by both the Ball and Ferguson forces. The two committees have not overlooked Ballinger, but have been keeping an eye on the entire political field, and sending their speakers where there was the greatest demand.

The name of the speaker to appear here for Col. Ball will be announced as soon as received.

For SORE or WEAK EYES, use Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water. Don't hurt. Feels Good. 16-1-14-6m

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

by local applications, 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 and 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.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

ANOTHER BANK

CLOSES ITS DOORS

By United Press.
CHICAGO, June 22.—The Frenwood Trust and Savings Bank, a small private institution, unconnected with the Lorimer string of banks, closed its doors today.

It is stated that a failure of the bank to realize on certain collateral held as security for loans caused the suspension.

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 other. 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. T. H. Groves and daughter, of Cameron, who had been visiting her sister Mrs. Taylor at Carlsbad the past few weeks came in Saturday afternoon and will visit her nephew Will Dunlap and family a few days before going home.

"THE OLD RELIABLE"
PLANTEN'S
C & C OR BLACK
CAPSULES
REMEDY FOR MEN.
AT YOUR DRUGGIST.

HAVE YOU BEEN ENTERTAINED RECENTLY.

By your friends with ice cream refreshments?
It is more than likely you were eating Ballinger Bottling Works Ice-Cream. We give you service as well as the best ice cream in Ballinger.

We are always waiting for your order, and we want to put you down on our list of satisfied customers. You don't know what you are missing until you give us a trial order. Our business is making ice cream and Soda Water. Delivered any time you want it. Ring 482.
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Cold Drinks, Fruits, Cigars and Confections of the Very Best Kind.

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