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Preacher Says Jim Is Very Ignorant; Few Hear Him

DALLAS, July 2.—At the forenoon session of the Submission and Ball rally, Rev. Robert Shuller of Austin declared that James E. Ferguson, candidate for governor against Tom Ball, couldn't pass a second grade examination in Texas history and could make only forty-five in an English examination.

Cullen Thomas referred to "the existing vacancy in the governor's chair" and vigorously criticized Ferguson.

The state wide attendance is smaller than was expected.

HOLINESS REVIVAL HOLDS INDEFINITELY

The revival in progress at the Nazarene church, which was due to close last Sunday night, on account of the Evangelist and his wife being engaged at other places was continued until Wednesday night, and at all services since Sunday, it has been decided to continue the meeting indefinitely. Rev. Wells was engaged to go to Brown county with the big tent and conduct a meeting, beginning this week, but on account of the interest manifested he secured a postponement of the Brown county meeting and has arranged for other help to come here and help carry on the Ballinger meeting indefinitely.

"We have had thirteen conversions this week," said Rev. Wells, "and we can't afford to close down a meeting where such great work is being done. I never saw such interest in a meeting. Our people are doing a work that must not be stopped now."

Miss Maud Young and R. M. Gaulling, who were here to attend the Gregory-Tibbs wedding, returning to their home at Itasca, Wednesday afternoon.

Woman May Have Fired Shot

NEW YORK, July 2.—A woman fired the shot which killed Mrs. Bailey is the theory of the police based upon evidence of the affidavit of Joseph Colden who saw the woman near the door of Carmen's office a few minutes before the shot was fired mysteriously through the window.

Doctor and Mrs. Carmen will be interrogated tomorrow when an inquiry will be held. The wife will be forced to tell her movements on the fatal night and her use in copying a dictograph report in order that she might trap her husband.

YOU CAN'T FISH IN PRIVATE WATER

A report was recently sent out from Austin to the effect that fishing could not be prevented by law in any stream or lake, even though it was the private property. The Attorney General is out with a statement correcting this report, and he says that the recent dispatch sent out from Austin with reference to the rights of the public to fish in privately owned lakes was wholly without foundation and was due to a misinterpretation of a ruling sent out by the state game warden.

The free-for-all fishing applies to public streams, which has been the law all the time. We publish this for the benefit of those who might be misled by the report and get into trouble by trespassing on private fishing ground.

CARRANZA FURNISHES COAL TO PACIFY VILLA

EL PASO, July 2.—General Carranza notified Villa to-day, that he could have all the coal needed from Coahuila fields for operating his railroads. Whether this will affect the conference or not isn't known, but indicates

Carranza's willingness to yield and prevent open break between he and Villa.

Rafael Musequess, rebel consul, denies the report that Carranza is preparing to flee into the United States if Villa makes hostile move.

RECEIVERS NAMED FOR BIG RAILROAD

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 2.—Receivers were appointed today for the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad. Application was made by the Bankers' Trust Company, of New York.

A default of interest is alleged by the company. It was also charged that the railroad's outstanding obligations are four and a half million dollars without any means to pay the same.

The disastrous floods of 1913 were recited in the petition as being responsible for the present condition.

Weather Forecast.
Tonight and Friday generally cloudy.

MAY GO TO INVESTIGATE

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Consul Miller at Tampico wired today that he may with others go to the Panaca oil fields to investigate reported outbreaks against Americans and British citizens there.

WANTED.—German girl to do house-work for family of three. Phone or apply at The Fair, Ballinger. 3-3td

Miss Ada Kirk returned to her home at Abilene Wednesday. She was here to attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Katie Belle Gregory, and visiting relatives.

400 JAPANESE CAUSE A PROTEST

LANSING, July 2.—Four hundred Japanese coming to California to establish a vegetable farming colony at Ger county, Michigan, aroused Secretary Brown of the board of agriculture. He declared this colonization a menace and that he would seek anti-alien land legislation. Labor organizations oppose the Japs coming.

BIG LINER GROUNDS.

PORT McNICHAL, July 2.—One of the Canadian Pacific lake liners with a hundred passengers aboard grounded last night. She was pulled off with the assistance of her sister ship Alberta.

KAISER WILL NOT ATTEND FUNERAL

BERLIN, Germany, July 2.—Kaiser Wilhelm will not attend the funeral of Archduke Ferdinand in Vienna, was the official announcement here today.

It is rumored on the streets of Berlin that the discovery of an anarchist plot makes Kaiser Wilhelm's fear that his life will be taken is the official reason for the announcement of the Kaiser's indisposition.

Admits Plot of Death of Ferdinand.

TRENTON, N. J., July 2.—An Austria-Hungarian, who recently returned here from Petersburg, N. J., is under arrest. He admitted that the anarchists plotted the death of Archduke Ferdinand of Austria.

FAVORABLE REPORT

WASHINGTON, July 2.—A favorable report that Adolph C. Miller serve for ten years, as federal reserve board was ordered by the senate banking committee today.

J. Hood, of Winters, passed through Ballinger Wednesday en route to Belton in response to a telegram stating that his brother was very low.

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Robber Is Killed By Officers

LA GRANDE, Oregon, July 2.—One robber was killed and Deputy Sheriff McDuffee slightly wounded in a revolver duel with three highwaymen, who were passengers on the train. After locking the trainmen in the baggage car, they went through the Pullman car robbing the passengers. McDuffee was awakened. He shot and killed the nearest robber. The amount of the loot is not known.

The robbers fled horseback into the mountains.

BUSINESS DISCUSSED BY MORGAN AND PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, July 1.—J. P. Morgan came to the white house today. It was frankly admitted that while Morgan came primarily to pay his respects to the president, general business conditions were discussed.

Next week other big business men will see the president, it was announced.

Ever since President Wilson was inaugurated he has been criticised and has been inaccessible to bus-

ness men. The old precedent will be changed. It was explained, that in the past the president denied himself to a majority of those seeking conferences because he was working out the administration program.

Morgan sought a conference with President Wilson for today.

Henry Ford will visit the president next week. It was stated that he was invited to discuss business conditions with the president.

Ferguson Sets Forth Claims to Five Hundred People

Huerta Gets New Lease On Life

VERA CRUZ, July 2.—The report that Huerta had left Mexico City for Ztime is unlikely said refugees arriving here to-day. Refugees from Mexico City said that the break between Villa and Carranza would give Huerta a new lease on life and that he had possibly abandoned all preparations to depart from Mexico, despite the fact that conditions there are the worst, and blow up must come soon.

READY MARKET FOR NEW MACHINE

The Creasy Filer Co., are meeting with splendid success, finding a ready market for the new gin saw filer that is being manufactured in Ballinger. Two machines were shipped out Saturday and five Tuesday, and from now on until the ginning season this company will be making shipments almost daily, and as soon as the value of the new machine becomes generally known among the ginner of the cotton belt, it will no doubt be necessary to enlarge the plant to handle the business.

This is the new invention of R. B. Creasey. After perfecting the machine Mr. Creasey contracted with a manufacturing plant to have the various parts made, except the wood work, and he established a wood working and assembling plant at Ballinger and the machines are assembled here and made ready for shipping. Mr. Creasey has many friends throughout the gin and oil mills circles of the Southwest who will be glad to learn of his splendid success.

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Five hundred people, mostly farmers, heard the first speech during the present campaign of a candidate for governor. James E. Ferguson of Temple, an aspirant of the highest office of the state, addressed that number citizens of Rannels county at the court house Wednesday afternoon.

After the speaking, even the most prejudiced advocate of Mr. Ferguson's opponent admitted that the candidate set forth his claims for the office of governor in the most logical manner of any candidate heard here in recent years.

Mr. Ferguson arrived in Ballinger Tuesday night from Coleman where he addressed a crowd of voters the night previous to his speech here. Early Wednesday morning he with a number of Ballinger citizens went to Winters where he addressed a crowd of 200 before noon. Returning here at high noon, Mr. Ferguson with a party of friends lunched at the Central Hotel. A number of San Angelo people were here to hear the address of the candidate.

Recalling the days when Jim Ferguson worked as a bridge laborer on Elm creek, in the construction of the Santa Fe bridge over that stream, Judge Jno. I. Guion of this city introduced Mr. Ferguson, as "the only genuine farmer running for any office in the state of Texas." A loud and long applause greeted the statement, especially the part that he was "the only genuine farmer running for office." In his short introduction, Judge Guion stated that Mr. Ferguson has worked himself up to his present position by true and successful efforts, that he began as a common laborer and when he saw the dark-haired young man working on the bridge years ago, little did he dream that that same young man would some day be "the next governor of Texas."

Mr. Ferguson paid his compliments to those present, giving particular attention to the presence of the ladies and children. He told of his reaching the decision last fall to run for the office of governor, how he made the decision with the help of no one individual how he started on several oc-

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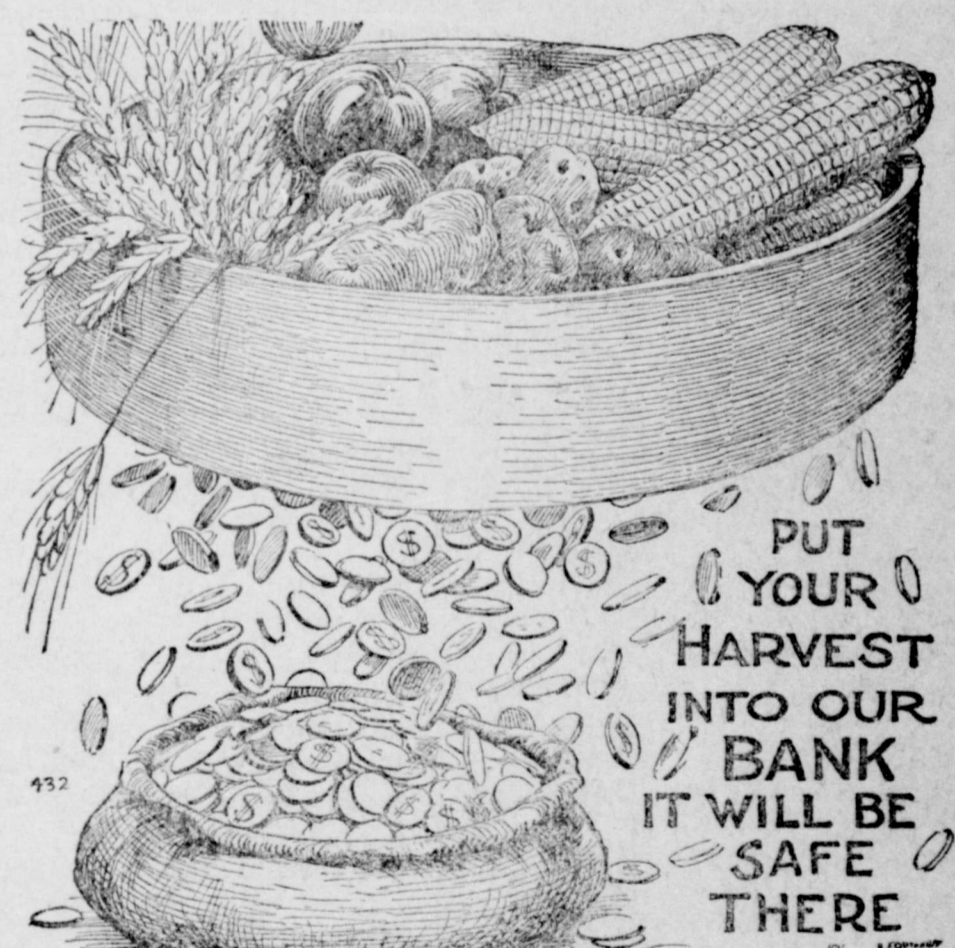
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LITTLE STORIES OF THE LONE STAR STATE

A prisoners' plot to drug the Mexican guards failed and ended in the suicide of unhappy Captain Phillip Dimit, gallant defender of Texas and the man to unfurl the first "Lone Star" banner on the heights of La Bahia.

Dimit was engaged with some workmen on the 4th of July, 1841, in erecting a place of business on Corpus Christi Bay, about fifteen miles below the present town of Corpus Christi, when the place was visited by Captain Sanchez with a party of fifteen Mexican cavalrymen, who took Dimit and his men prisoners and after plundering the establishment, took the prisoners to Matamoros.

The Texans planned to escape. They procured a quantity of mesal well drugged with morphine and gave it to the guard. The Mexican guards were well helped to the liquor and in the night the signal was given to make the attack.

By some accident, however, the morphine proved to be inefficient and the mesal served to keep the guard awake and stimulated their courage. There were only nineteen Texans and a guard ten times their number.

Fearing Chaffind could carry out his threat, Dimit, not wishing to be shot like a felon, took a large dose of morphine which he had with him. Having taken the opiate he wrote a letter to his wife, making a disposition of his property.

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Glancing back over the experiences of the last few years, W. G. Enloe, near Comanche, Okla., concludes that the wise thing for farmers of the whole Southwest country to do is to build silos, put in less corn, and increase the acreage of forage feed products, which are sorer under droughty conditions. Taking last year's experience especially as an example, Mr. Enloe in an interview with a market writer tells how he saved himself from a heavy loss by planting forage feed at a time when all other feed products had failed, filling two silos with it, and carrying his stock thru, instead of sacrificing it.

"Now that we are raising better stock, and must provide feed for it, instead of depending on an open range, we must adopt some sure method of producing this feed," said Mr. Enloe. "Along this line I had a little experience last year, that proved to me the folly of attempting to raise corn, to the exclusion of other feed crops. Late in June I planted 200 acres in feterita, our new forage feed product. But one light rain fell on it, and yet I raised enough on that 200 acres, with some ribbon cane mixed with it, to fill two silos of 250 tons capacity each. This saved me. Had it not been for this cheap feed, I would have been compelled to dispose of my cattle and other stock at a great sacrifice. There was no corn raised in that whole country. Those who depended upon corn and hay found they could not get through. This necessitated a sacrifice.

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For Commissioner Precinct No. FEB McWILLIAMS.
For County Superintendent: E. L. HAGAN, W. W. WOOTEN.
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At the appointed hour, from behind the bank of greenery, there floated the word's of the song, "I Love You Truly," rendered by Mrs. Brown in the charming manner in which she always sings. At the close of this Miss Eula Logsdon struck the opening note of Mendelssohn's wedding march. Little Edna Hall passed up the left aisle, Aubrey Brown the right, and opened the gate, taking their stand just behind them. There was a sudden hush, while we listened the soft footfalls of the bride and groom, Miss Lyda Patton and Mr. Hayden Miles, while they slowly passed up the right aisle and took their stand under the arch. They were met by Rev. A. C. Aston, who repeated the very beautiful and impressive Methodist ceremony and in few moments they were pronounced "husband and wife."—Andrews County Times.

Haden Miles is the son of Frank Miles, one of the pioneer settlers of Runnels county. He was born in Runnels county and lived here up to the time his father moved west. Mrs. J. D. Norwood of Ballinger is his sister, and he has many friends here who remember him most kindly.

Mrs. E. L. Rasbury and daughter, Miss Bertha will leave Thursday for Las Vegas, New Mexico, where they will join Mr. Rasbury and Edgar and spend several weeks.

Causes of Stomach Troubles
Sedentary habits, lack of outdoor exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, over eating, partaking of food and drink not suited to your age and occupation. Correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Tablets, and you will soon be well again. For sale by all dealers.

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ECLIPSE Lawn Mowers. Something new and good, no trouble to adjust. Hall Hardware Company. 25-tfd

J. A. Zak, one of the prosperous citizens of the Spring Hill community, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Monday.

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 condition, corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Price 25c and 50c the bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

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Mrs. Larkin Hayley returned to her home at Bronte Wednesday after visiting Mrs. T. M. Osteen and other friends for a few days.

The Best Medicine in the World. "My little girl had dysentery very bad. I thought she would die. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured her, and I can truthfully say that I think it is the best medicine in the world," writes Mrs. William Orvis, Clare, Mich. For sale by all dealers.

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INDIANS HOLD BIG CELEBRATION

By Dallas Press.
FORT COLLINS, July 2.—Fort Collins is celebrating her fiftieth birthday today. It isn't the exact anniversary, for the town was founded in May of 1864. But at that time of the year, the dry farmers and the lamb feeders are too busy to take the necessary lay-off for a celebration. So it was decided to set the date for July 2. Today, tomorrow, and Saturday, Fort Collins will be thronged with thousands of visitors from all over the Rocky Mountain territory.

Today when the main events of the celebration take place, there will be a big parade of pioneers. A few of the founders of the town still survive, and they will ride in the parade, dressed in garments like those they wore when they first set up their sod shanties and started to break the prairie soil. Ox teams, drawing canvas-roofed prairie schooners, will be the conveyances for the pioneers and their families. Indians will take part in the parade. Every day of the three, there will be wild west sports. Performances by a wild west show will be part of the program, and there will be contests, open to all comers, bucking horses, roping steers, and other feats of the range. Cowpony races with men, and women jockeys will be held every day.

Worms interfere with the growth of children. They become thin, pale and sickly. Get rid of these parasites at once if you would have healthy, happy, cheerful children. White's Cream Vermifuge destroys worms and benefits the whole system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dalls County, of the 2nd day of June 1914, by H. H. Williams, Clerk of said Court for the sum of two thousand and four hundred fifty nine and 7/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of the Murray Gin Co., in a certain cause in said Court, No. 15072-C and styled The Murray Gin Co. vs. W. P. Hearrell and W. L. McCauley placed in my hands for service, I, J. P. Flynt as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of June 1914, levy on certain real estate and personal property situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

1, No. 10x15 Erie City Iron Works Class "E" engine, complete with steam and exhaust pipe and foundation Bolts. 1, No. 101-2x545x15 Erie City Iron Works standard tubular boiler, complete with 3/4 front, smoke stack and all fittings and fixtures. 1, No. 11-2, 4x21-2x4 Gardner duplex boiler feed pump. 1, No. 2 Murray open pannd feed water heater, complete with connection. 3, 70 Saw Murray single gins, 3, 70 saw iron seed aprons, 3, 70 saw Murray cleaning feeders, complete with all connection. 1, 210 saw Murray double drum condenser, complete with 2, 26 inch Dust flues, caps and bases, 1, 3 gin Murray iron lint flue. 3, 70 saw Murray iron Elevator sections, complete with all connection. 20, Feet 11 1/2 inch iron pipe, 2, 11 1/2 inch iron elbows, 1, valve trip and connection. 1, 11 1/2 inch Telescope elbow, 1, 11 1/2x6 inch Telescope with cord, weight and pulleys. 1, 35 inch ABC double fan with 35 inch fan connection. 3, 13 1/2 inch iron elbows, 10 feet 13 1/2 inch iron pipe. 23 feet, 6 inch conveyor boxed with drive end and seed plug. 1, 8 inch double seed elbow, 5, 8 inch wood elbows, 2 transitions 8x8 1-2 inches. 40 feet 8 inch wood pipe 20 feet 8 1-2 inch iron pipe, 1 8 1-2 inch iron elbow. 1 Murray double box friction screw press, complete with steam packer and all pipe fittings. Wood pit Pulleys: 1, 30x12 with key; 3, 26x6; 3, 28x4; 1, 40x8; 2, 30x6. Iron Pulleys: 1, 6x4; 1, 6x6; 1, 4x2 47 1-2 ft., 12 inch 5 ply rubber belt. 138 1-2 ft. 6 in. light double leather belt. 85 ft. 4 in. light double leather belt. 33 1-2 ft. 7 in. light

HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Patron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing all my work."

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Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "How to Treat Women," sent in plain wrapper. 1-cd

Gregory-Tibbs.

At nine o'clock Tuesday evening at the Ninth Street Baptist Church the marriage of Miss Katie Belle Gregory and Mr. Charlie Tibbs was solemnized in the presence of a large gathering of interested relatives and friends. The church was attractively decorated and the altar was banked in ferns, palms and stands of white daisies. The impressive ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. W. Bion Adkins. Before the ceremony Mrs. Harry Thomson sweetly sung "Perfect Day" and "How I Love You." The wedding music was rendered by Mrs. Troy Simpson who played Mendelssohn's wedding march. During the ceremony "Melody of Love" was softly played. The bridal party was led by the ushers Messrs. Roy Sharp and John Thurman. The brides maides were: Misses Maud Young of Itasca, Ada Kirk of Abilene, Ada Allen, Bertha Rasbury, Ruth Grundy and Marguarite Gregory. The matrons of honor were Mesdames Carlos Dunn and Hardgrave of San Angelo. Little Miss Virginia Griggs was ring bearer and Master Herbert Sledge and Margaret Kirk sprinkled flowers before the bride. The bride entered with her maid of honor Miss Mamie Gregory, sister of the bride. The groom entered with his best man, Mr. Robert Gaulding of Itasca. The bride was beautiful in her exquisite gown of white charmese finished with silver lace and seed pearls. Her tulle veil fell to the hem of her skirt and was caught to a Juliet cap with clusters of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of brides roses and lillies of the valley fringed with maiden hair fern. The brides maides wore attractive costumes of white crepe over pink combined with lace and carried pink carnations. The matrons of honor wore handsome gowns of blue chiffon and lace and carried pink carnations. After the ceremony a reception was held at the brides home for the bridal party. Mr. and Mrs. Tibbs left on the midnight train for Itasca where they will make their home. Many handsome presents were received. Among the out-of-town guests were: Mrs. R. E. Truly of Milford and Mrs. Haden Routh of Andrews. The bridal party have been extensively entertained during the past week. Mrs. Douglass had a luncheon, Miss Rasbury a dinner and a dinner was given them Tuesday at the Central Hotel by the groom and best man.

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double leather belt. 16 ft. 4 in. single leather belt. 32 ft. 6 in. single leather belt. 26 1-2 ft. 1 in. single leather belt. 10 ft. 3 in. single leather belt. 42 ft. 23-16 steel shaft coupled with one 23-16 flange face epig. 7, 19 inch adjustable post brackets with 23-16 boxes. 2, 23-16 set collars.

Which said machinery was at the time of the execution of said mortgage, in the cars at Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, but is now located at Maverick in Runnels County, Texas.

Also: All that certain tract lot or parcel of land (together with all buildings and machinery thereon, and which may hereafter be placed thereon), is situated, lying and being in Runnels County, Texas, and is bounded and described as follows, viz:

Two or more acres of land at Maverick, Runnels County, Texas, known as the Glenn and McAuley Gin Lot, out of survey No. 312, Cert. No. 2731-2832, Patented to Samuel A. Maverick, Assignee May 10th, 1856, patent No. 95, Vol. 13, beginning at a stake on East Bank of Oak Creek at a point where the established Ballinger and Robert Lee Public Road strikes said creek bank; thence N. 30 E. with the meanderings of said creek bank 150 varas to a stake for N. W. corner; Thence 50 varas to a stake for its N. E. corner; Thence W. 125 varas to the place of beginning. See Deed Vol. 35, Page 406, Deed Records, Runnels County for further description.

Levied upon as the property of W. P. Hearrell and W. L. McCauley and that on the first Tuesday in July 1914, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the town of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale. I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, of cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. P. Hearrell and W. L. McCauley.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in The Banner-Ledger, a news paper published in Ballinger, Runnels County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of June 1914.

J. P. FLYNT, Sheriff Runnels County, Texas.

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Ferguson Sets Forth Claims to 500 People

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casions to call for the aid of his best friends, and how finally he decided the question alone. He stated that the matter was not one for his friends to decide but one for himself to determine. His friends were not in a position to decide whether Ferguson should expend \$25,000 in an effort to land himself in the governor's chair. After he had reached the decision to make the race, little attention was paid him and his race by "the men of politics" until his candidacy began growing by leaps and bounds and the citizens over the country began giving him their support and influence.

"This is a day of issues," said Mr. Ferguson. "When I announced, I was told by the political leaders that I would not have a chance to reach the governor's office because I was unknown. Col. R. M. Johnson in the presence

of Clarence Ousley approached me in the lobby of a hotel in Houston and asked me to withdraw from the race. Col. Johnson told me that I didn't have a ghost of a chance in reaching the chair of governor because it takes a man whose name is a household word in every family home to be successful in a governor's campaign. It does not matter who a man may be in this campaign, but it does matter what he stands for. The platform which I am advocating is one that appeals to the farmers and other citizens of the state of Texas and I am going to force Tom Ball back to his job with the corporations by a 75,000 majority in the primaries of this month."

Mr. Ferguson stated that enough money is lost each year in the running of the penitentiaries of the state to build and furnish 200 rural high school in the country.

"They tell you, these high-brows, that the back-to-the-farm movement is the only solution to the problem of the present day of the withdrawal of the backbone of the country," said Mr. Ferguson. "Let me tell you that it is all a fake. The people will never return to the country as long as the cities establish and maintain better schools than the country. What farmer is there who takes pleasure in sending his children to a shack on a hill, called a school house when he knows that in the city he can educate his children in a fitting manner?"

"At this point in this talk, let me state that if I am elected governor of Texas, I will place the penitentiary in the hands of practical farmers to be chosen by myself with the aid of the knowledge which I have of that industry. Tom Ball said when he announced that he would put the penitentiaries in the hands of Judge Ramsey and thereby place it on a paying basis. What in the world would a supreme judge know about farming in the Brazos bottoms? That is the reason the penitentiaries have been running on a losing basis—because they are in the hands of such men as Ramsey. When I announced Ben Cabell was one of my strongest supporters, but when I made the declaration in my Blam speech that I would place the penitentiaries in the hands of farmers, he seceded over to the Ball crowd as fast as he could go."

Mr. Ferguson declared that he believes in safe guarding the criminals of the state first and reforming them afterward. He believes that a criminal should be ostracised from society and if he shows good qualities after he lands in the penitentiary then attempt to reform him.

Mr. Ferguson paid his respects to Thomas H. Ball, his opponent and Mr. Ball's candidacy.

"Mr. Ball tells his crowds over the state that my land tenant plank is socialistic," the speaker said. "He says that it couldn't be enforced. Let me give you prohibitionists a little of your own medicine. My land plank like every other law can be enforced. The idea of Tom Ball, who says he is a prohibitionist, saying that a law can't be enforced. My land plank is not socialistic. Let me tell you what Tom Ball is advocating. He believes in passing a law whereby a man's land would be condemned and sold and his property confiscated. Tom Ball believes in paying a man for his property when it is desired, and the socialist candidate for governor believes in taking it for nothing. There is the only difference. Which in your opinion, mine or his, is the most socialistic?"

Where a man furnishes the tenant with teams and implements, Mr. Ferguson said that he proposes to have passed a law in Texas that would keep the land owner from demanding more than fifty per cent of the income from the crops of the year. In cases where the owner gives nothing towards the marketing of the crop, Mr. Ferguson proposes to allow the renter two-thirds of the amount of money realized from the several crops.

Mr. Ferguson for a short length of time explained his position on the prohibition question and what he would do should he be elected. He also paid his respects to Tom Ball with particular reference to Mr. Ball's membership in the Houston Club, an organization which dispenses liquor and permits the playing of cards on any day of the week.

"It is useless for me to try to convince you that I am right and that you are wrong. It is likewise useless for you to try to convince me that I am wrong and that you are right. I am an antiprohibi-

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A. H. Wigle, Agt. Ballinger, Texas.

tionist and have always been. The question has been up sufficiently long for all of us to be acquainted with it and know just where we stand.

"If I am elected governor of Texas, which I will undoubtedly, I will veto all legislation on the liquor question as soon as it hits my desk. We have had enough agitation on the prohibition question. The only way in which we can force it to die in this state and not jump up in every campaign is to veto all measures concerning it."

The speaker paid attention for a few minutes to Mr. Ball's record. He told his audience that Tom Ball left the United States congress to take up a job with the railroads, and that he got the job because he favored the railroads previously in opposition and defiance to Governor Hogg. His stand against the democratic governor in the convention gained him the support of the railroads and later landed him his \$20,000 a year job with the concerns, he said. The prohibitionists think they are running a real pro for office, but in reality they are not, said the speaker. With reference to Mr. Ball's membership in the Houston Club, the speaker said that he did not blame Mr. Ball or any other citizen for being a member of that organization. But he did blame Ball for running on a prohibition ticket when he is a member of a club which is dispensing liquor at all hours of the day and night of any day of the week. He said that no sincere prohibitionist would be a member of the club because the presence of his name on the membership roster would be sufficient proof that he sanctions the sale of liquor. The speaker read state ments from papers, showing that Rev. Knickerbocker of Waco in a sermon in his Methodist church in that city, disapproved of his members participating in the affairs of the social clubs of the cities, and "Knickerbocker is now the owner of a big block of stock of the concern which is publishing the Waco Morning News, an organ supporting the candidacy of Tom Ball, the club member."

After the speaking Mr. Ferguson was congratulated by a number of his friends. Many farmers who had come to the city to hear the speaker gathered around him at the termination of the address, singing praises of the soundness of Mr. Ferguson's platform. A number of ladies were present, a majority of them being residents of the city, although a few were in the audience from the country. Several farmers gathered

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ed here from distances as far away as Hatchel and Miles.

Mr. Ferguson left on the afternoon Santa Fe for Mineral Wells where he will address an audience Thursday afternoon. A number of his friends saw him off at the station.

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When you elected me as your tax collector I promised you the best service that was within my power to give. Up to this good hour I have tried to fulfill my promise and I believe that I have made good. In order to complete my term in office with the same faithful service I have rendered up to this good hour, I can not get out and see each voter personally and I am taking this opportunity to let my friends and the voters know that I place my duties in office and my duty to the people above my personal ambition.

It would afford me a great deal of pleasure to call on every voter in this county and express to him my appreciation for what he has done for me in the past and to solicit his support for the coming election, but I can not leave my office to make a canvass of the county. I feel that a great majority of the voters of this county know me well enough to know that I will not neglect the duties of my office in order to advance my personal interest. If I had time I would call on each voter in person but as I have not been able to make satisfactory arrangements to leave my office, I am addressing you and assure you that it is not through indifference that I have failed to see you, but that the duties of my office have kept me out of the field. If one of you should have business at my office, desiring to pay some back taxes, or look up the taxes on property or some other business connected with the tax collector's office, and should make the trip to town for that purpose and after reaching here find me out of town, I could not very well expect you to vote for me.

I trust that you will not get the idea that I am not appreciative of your support because I have not called on you in person. I will see as many of my friends between now and July 25th, as I can see without neglecting the duties of my office, but in case I do not see you, I sincerely ask that you take my record in office for what it is worth, and re-elect me for another term.

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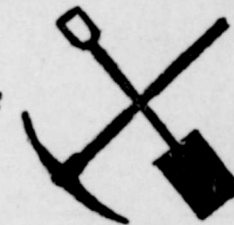
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