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Friday night continues the adventures of Pearl White in "The Perils of Pauline." The serial will be shown in addition to the regular program.

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The foot and mouth disease which the federal bureau of animal industry and the State sanitary boards are bending every energy to stamp out in Michigan, Illinois, Pennsylvania and Indiana is a malady comparative unknown in America. There have been, however, spasmodic outbreaks in the past 50 years, principally in the Eastern states. The authorities go to considerable length to wipe out the disease in the quickest possible time.

The disease is first heralded by a champing of the jaws of the animals. Soon after, the lips become red and swollen, the tongue swells and breaks out with sores and the animal drools from the mouth. At the same time the sores appear above the hoofs of the animal.

The disease is not necessarily a fatal one, but the results are, as it is thought best to kill all affected animals, because there is no cure and because the disease is so contagious the strongest methods to stamp it out are necessary.

The contagion is carried in the wind as much as hog cholera is spread, and its dissemination is so rapid that only the most vigorous means are effective. This means, to kill and burn all affected animals, to disinfect the premises and barns. If it is an old barn, burning it is recommended. If it is newer, a solution of corrosive sublimate sprayed over it inside and out is made.

So much is the disease feared that the government takes very vigorous measures to prevent its spread. The government has a fund for paying 1-2 the value of the animals condemned and the States usually pay the other half. In 1908 the government spent \$300,000 in this way in Pennsylvania, Maryland, New York and Michigan. Now it has broken out in two of these states.

The disease is not new. Its first appearance in the United States was in 1870. Next it gave some trouble in 1884. In 1890 it recurred again and in 1902 and 1908 other outbreaks were quelled for the time being.

It is usually referred to as a cattle disease, although it affects hogs and sheep, but not so virulently.

The stock quarantine is no joke to the people in the affected districts. Children cannot go to school, highway traffic is stopped, dogs tied up or killed and shipment of all stuff from affected farms stopped. Deputy sheriffs guard the highways to enforce the quarantine. The carcasses are burned or buried deep, cut open and covered with quick lime and then earth. Infected animals are not dragged to the pits, but led there, so they may not scatter germs more than necessary. —Daily Livestock Reporter.

NORTON NOTES.

A light rain fell over the Norton community Friday night and Saturday. The farmers are beginning to sow fall oats.

Rev. Jas. Thomas filled his regular appointment Sunday and Sunday night at the Methodist church, which were his last before going to conference. We hope that Rev. Thomas and wife may be sent back to our town again next year.

Mrs. M. L. Patterson, Misses Vera Patterson and Mildred Herring also Herman Herring of Ballinger, attended services at Norton Sunday.

Mr. Geo. McCamy and Miss Vera Mackey went to San Angelo last week to visit relatives and attend the fair.

Miss Katie Cameron of Ballinger, was the guest of Miss Dale Williams last week.

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Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years

The Kind You Have Always Bought
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dooze left Wednesday afternoon for Ft. Worth and Dallas, the latter place Mr. Dooze goes on business and Mrs. Dooze will visit her brother, Talmage Stacy at Ft. Worth during their stay in that section.

Judge C. O. Harris came over from San Angelo Wednesday afternoon in his auto to look after legal business in our city for a few hours.

Automobile wrecked better read ad on first page and carry your car to Ballinger Auto Co. 46t

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 40 years known to be safe. Always reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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Suite 207 Mays Building.
San Angelo, Texas.
X-RAY AND ELECTRO-THERAPEUTICS
Cancers, Tumors, Skin Diseases, Stomach Troubles, Facial Blemishes, Female Diseases, Pelegra, Paralysis, Etc., Treated Scientifically.
Rooms for Out of Town Patients.

MINNESOTA PAINTS
Two Best SINCE 1870
MINNESOTA LINSEED OIL

Wm. Cameron Lumber Co.

IT IS EXPENSIVE TO KEEP A COW IN TOWN

To say nothing of the work and worry. Try the more satisfactory way and let us supply you. Phone your orders for pure Ice Cream to 301.

SILVER MOON DAIRY
R. F. GREEN, Proprietor.

...GENERAL...
Electric Irons
\$3.50

Always ready for service and are best at all season of the year. Can be attached to any light socket, no extra heat and no smut. They seldom need repairs but when they do we will repair them free of charge when sent to our office.

The cost of the Iron is only \$3.50 and the cost of the current to use them is not much.
Phone 15 for one today.

The Ballinger Cotton Oil Co.

NOTICE

Now is the time to make your application for land loans. I loan money on land in Runnels County at 8 per cent. interest and extend Vendors Lien Notes bearing 8 per cent. interest, and charge no commission for placing your loans. For further information write or call at my office.

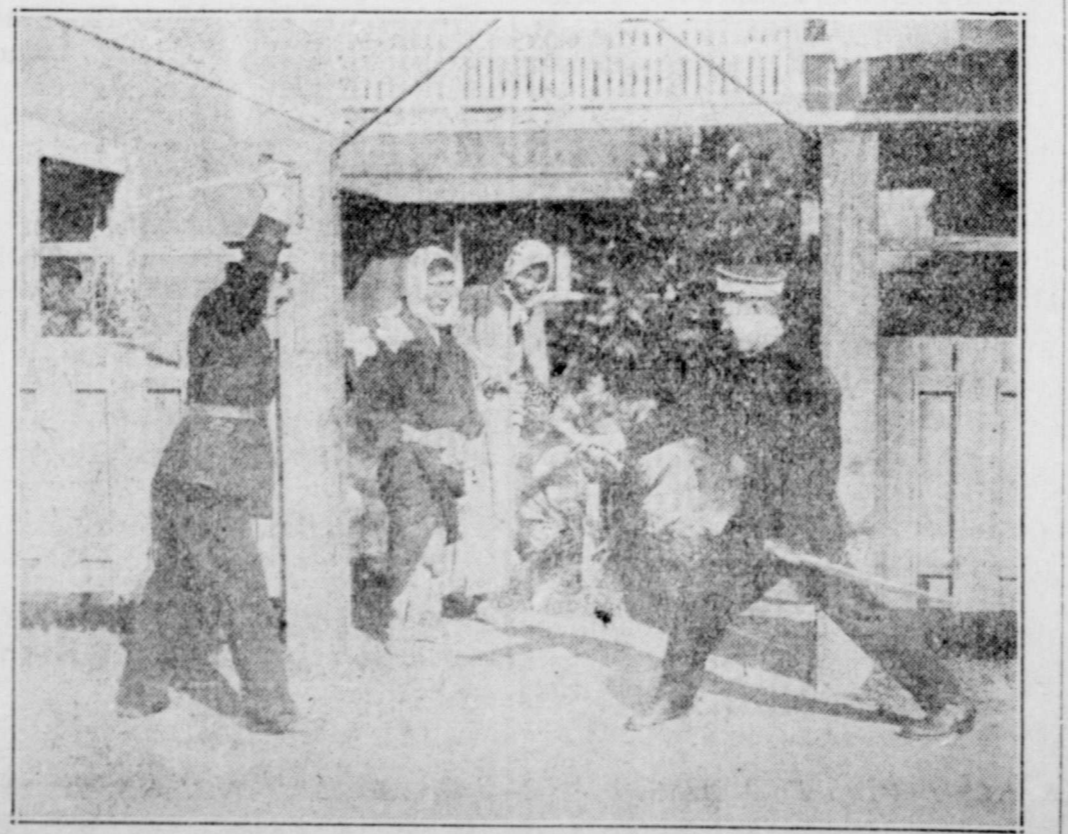
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THE FORD MOTOR CO.

Roadster \$479.00
Touring Cars \$529.00
F. O. B. Ballinger

When the Ford needs repairing, Bring it to the Ford home, and talk to our expert Ford mechanics

Harwell Motor Co. Ballinger Texas



"The Blue Mouse" a 6 reel comedy sensation at The Princess Theatre Tonight.

It Makes a Difference Who Does Your Work.

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

The City Barber Shop
H. O. Rhodes, Proprietor.

GO TO--
Security Title Company
for your abstract work.

SEE--
Ghas. S. Miller
for eight per cent money choice land loans.

Most People Who Eat-- Are Particular What They Eat.

We cater to such people—we buy to please them, and we DO please them.

We have a store full of the most eatable of eats, and every purchase you make impels you to make another, and still others.

L. B. Stubbs Phones 94 & 363
The Home of GOOD Eats.

HOT DRINKS

Artistically served over our fountain in the winter time by men who know how. Try us—

E. F. ELDER and SON

New Meat Market

—At the Globber Old Stand—

We have just renovated and put in first class shape the old Globber Market and now open for business. The very best meats the market affords. Call and see us. Your patronage will be appreciated. Will be known as "THE CASH MARKET"

Phone **Frank Chapman** Phone
126 **126**
Hutchings Ave. Manager Ballinger, Texas

MANY A SQUARE MEAL IS SPOILED IN THE MAKING.

Inferior flour, poor potatoes, any kind of foodstuffs that are a little "off" may spoil an otherwise perfect repast. Some grocers make it a point of honor to never sell an article that is "off." They build up a reputation from which they are inseparable. It is an invaluable asset in business. **We Are Of That Class** You know it. Others ought to, for their own sakes.

MILLER MERCANTILE CO.
TWO PHONES 66 AND 77

THE JACKSON DAIRY

WILL JACKSON, Proprietor.
Will deliver milk to any part of the city
Good Milk, Good Service, Prompt Deliveries.
A Share of Your Patronage Solicited.
Will Jackson
Telephone-Rural 5903

Big Crops Demand More Room.

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.

BALLINGER LUMBER CO.

W. B. WOOD AND SON

Will Buy Your
COTTON SEED
and pay the best prices.

Before selling see them in the city.

American railways run their passenger equipment from 60 to 100 miles with periodical stops for lubrication. They expend annually large sums for expert mechanics to do nothing but make inspection and recommendation. Can the inexperience afford to undertake what the high salaried ones are doing? Drive in and receive a thorough inspection at a nominal cost and derive the full pleasure of motoring.

LEACH AUTO WORKS
All Work Directly Under the Manager.

DON'T FORGET

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

BIG COMEDY FOR PRINCESS "THE BLUE MOUSE"

Madge Lessing, that premiere comedienne in her original title role in the "Blue Mouse" is the attraction at the Princess Theatre tomorrow night. "The Blue Mouse" was originally played on the legitimate stage in all the larger cities of the United States and Europe and was an unqualified success in every particular. Madge Lessing wishing to perpetuate her name as the title role in the comedy decided to give it to the world in the form of motion pictures. Critics declare it to be even better than the original comedy production—much unnecessary business having been eradicated and made into six reels of laughter. The former Broadway east of artists appear in this picture and enormous expense was necessary to produce this bundle of wit humor and amusement. A slight advance has been made in the admission price of this feature but it is worth paying for, and will save you a dentist's bill or remove corns while you laugh.

Friday night, "The Perils of Pauline" will be shown, and continues Pauline on her journey to see the world. The "Perils" will be shown in addition to the regular program.

RED CROSS NURSES

What the Women are Doing.

The women of the Red Cross are nursing, cheering and comforting the wounded or dying. The women of Europe not only wrap bandages and scrape lint, but they tend the farms, dig coal, carry burdens and do the work of the men now under arms. Every male fighter, however brawny and heroic, was born of woman; the high courage and hardihood that are a nation's strength are inherited from the mother.

Young mothers who preserve the charms of face and figure in spite of an increasing family and the care of growing children are always to be envied. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription gives the strength and health upon which happy motherhood depends. It practically does away with the pains of maternity. It enables the mother to nourish the infant life depending upon her, and enjoy the hourly happiness of watching the development of a perfectly healthy child.

Thousands of women who are now blessed with robust health cannot understand why thousands of other women continue to worry and suffer from ailments peculiar to women when they can obtain for a trifling sum Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which will surely and quickly banish all pain, distress and misery and restore the womanly function to perfect health.

IMPORTANT SPECIAL OFFER TO READERS OF THIS PAPER

Any person desiring a copy of The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser before the edition is exhausted should send this notice together with 20 cents in stamps to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and a copy will be sent by return mail, all charges prepaid.

GOOD PROGRAM AT QUEEN THEATRE

The program for the Queen Theatre published in Wednesday's Daily Ledger was just one day too fast. The mistake occurred in handing in the wrong copy to the printers. The same program appears in today's paper, but is not the program that was shown last night. While the wrong program was announced for last night's show it did not disappoint those who attended the Queen, for the program put out was a good one and pleased a large crowd.

Remember the program announced for tonight is a new one and different from that shown last night. The show starts early and continues until all who come have been entertained at the price that is always the same—10 cents.

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

GOV. SPRY BEFORE GOVERNORS TALKS ON STATE CONTROL OF RESOURCES

By United Press.
MADISON, Wis., Nov. 12.—Gov. William Spry of Utah, speaking before the governors' conference here today, declared himself unalterably opposed to federal control over public lands and resources of the west and in favor of letting each state handle its own conservation policy. His subject was "State Control of National Resources."

Gov. Spry declared he was not raising the old cry of "States' rights." His objection of federal handling of the conservation problem was that it operated for the benefit of the older eastern states to the detriment of the newer western states. Particularly he criticized the first conservation congress called by Colonel Roosevelt when he was in the White House, as having developed "into a spectacular, wordy, exploitation of alleged facts regarding the exhaustion of our natural resources."

"State executives," he said, "departed from this first conservation congress with the understanding that the several states would have influence, if not voice in shaping a new and wider policy of public land administration. Subsequent developments have proven, however, that the forces behind this movement had no such idea. The deliberations and conclusions of succeeding conferences have been more and more dominated by government officials and bureaucrats. In the meantime, the continued cry of resource famine has made its impression on congress, as reflected in the measures extending the powers of the president, in land, mineral, timber, oil and power withdrawal; and the presidents on ill-advised recommendations, based on hasty field examinations, have exercised their authority in extensive withdrawals that are more seriously retarding development in the very sections of the country that stand most in need of the vestment of the public domain in the hands of the home builder, and those who are willing to develop it, on the liberal terms."

"It is objection to this new policy of resource administration the outgrowth of the conservation movement that has been termed a renewal of the old 'states' rights' question—a characterization of our protest decidedly unfair and calculated to prejudice our position in the minds of many who would look with disfavor on the revival of that disagreeable controversy. As to our view on the subject. With the fact firmly established that states are admitted into the union on terms of equality, consider that the nation has operated for many years under a liberal policy in the disposal of its lands; that the liberal land system has been fundamentally responsible for the growth, development and wealth of the great centers of the East; that as empire within an empire, the great empire of the West is retarded on the threshold of an era of development; that from all indications, will eclipse the wonderful growth of the east; that the sale of agricultural land was primarily responsible for the increase in population in the east; that the development of the mineral and coal resources added to the wealth of the east, that the use of all the bounteous gifts of nature made the east what it is today."

The Magic Washing Stick

I am perfectly delighted with the Magic Washing Stick. It makes the clothes so pretty and white and it saves time and labor. I would give it for nothing I have ever used. I can recommend it highly as a labor saver as you don't have to rub the clothes at all" writes Mrs. M. A. Graham, Dustin, Okla. Guaranteed to contain no lye, acid, alkali or any injurious ingredient. A truly wonderful article. Three Magic Washing Sticks for 25c. Sold by grocers and druggists or sent by mail. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

For Sale.

Seed wheat, oats and barley go to Missouri Milling Co., Ballinger, 28-dwtf

It Always Helps
says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Gardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Gardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Gardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill.
I wish every suffering woman would give
GARDUI
The Woman's Tonic
a-trial. I still use Gardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."
Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Gardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Gardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.
Get a Bottle Today!

EXPERT ENTERTAINERS AT CARNEGIE LIBRARY TONIGHT

The second attraction of the lecture course which is scheduled to appear at the Carnegie Library under the auspices of the reading rooms of that institution, will be heard tonight. The organization is the Dickson Musical Entertainers. The personnel of the company is a mother and her three sons, Mrs. Maude Wells Dickson, pianist and manager; Maurice Dickson, clarinet and vocal soloist; John Dickson, cello; and Ross Dickson, violin.

According to the Shakespeare Ladies and those co-operating with this club, the Dicksons Musical Entertainers is one of the several organizations sent out by the famous Rice Bureau of Nashville, Tenn. The name itself is supposed to be a sufficient guarantee of its merit. A rather large bonus was put up by the local club which brought the entertainers to Ballinger and in order to make a small amount for the library, it will be necessary that a large crowd attend. Consequently the members of the Shakespeare Club and others are urging today the entire citizenship of the city to attend the attraction. The price for admittance is only 50 cents.

The Dicksons Entertainers arrived on the noon train from the east today and will positively appear at the Library tonight. The impression had generally gone out during the day that the entertainers would not be here, but the feeling of uneasiness was set at rest upon their arrival at noon.

Declare War on Colds

A crusade of education which aims "that common colds may be come uncommon within the next generation" has been begun by prominent New York physicians. Here is a list of the "don'ts" which the doctors say will prevent the annual visitation of the cold:

- "Don't sit in a draughty car."
- "Don't sleep in hot rooms."
- "Don't avoid the fresh air."
- "Don't stuff yourself at meal time. Overeating reduces your resistance."

To which we would add—when you take cold get rid of it as quickly as possible. To accomplish that you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy most excellent. Sold by all dealers.

W. J. Yates of Ebony, Texas, came in Wednesday on a visit to his cousin Hugh Griffin and family for a week or so.

Automobile troubles, read top of first page d6t

For SORE or WEAK EYES, use Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water. Don't hurt. Feels Good. d6-1-14-6m

Life Is Constant War For Existence.

Nations Prepare for War in Time of Peace.

Individuals should safeguard against NEED in time of LARGE HARVESTS.

Save the fruits of your labor, by storing your unsaleable products under shelter.

Deposit Your Surplus Cash in the Bank Which is Your Best Friend in Times of Need.

Ballinger State Bank & Trust Company

"We take care of our customers"

Don't Spend All You Make!

TO be successful, you must economize and there's no better way than to open a bank account and add to it as often as convenient. We solicit your account and can assure you of courteous treatment. This is one of the leading financial institutions of this County and its relations

with its patrons in the past have been both pleasant and profitable, and it will endeavor to conduct its business along these lines in the future.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

"FATHERS AND MOTHERS BANK"

The Housewife's Dream
NO SMOKE, NO DIRT



Hang up the dust pan and the turkey wing—their day is past.

Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater

allows no smoke or gas to escape into the room.

It scatters no soot or ashes. It can't. It's made that way. That is one of its virtues. It has many more. Come in and let us demonstrate them. After that no other stove will suit you.

Burns soft coal, hard coal or wood.
See the name "Cole's" on the feed door of each stove. None genuine without it.



Higginbotham-Currie-Williams Company



Gus Blockhans of Rockdaye, who had been looking after rents on his farms near Ballinger the past week or ten days, left for home Thursday afternoon.

G. A. Buchanan, of the Pumphrey country, was among the business visitors in Ballinger between trains Thursday via Winters.

In damp chilly weather there is always a large demand for Ballard's Snow Liniment because many people who know by experience its great relieving power in rheumatic aches and pains, prepare to apply it at the first twinge. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Caskey and baby left Thursday afternoon for their home at Winters and were accompanied by Misses Lula Starkey and Willie Lankford who will visit them a few days.

\$200 REWARD
for best motion picture plots by amateurs. Not a school. Particulars for stamp. Photoplay Bureau, Fulton, Mo. d2t pd

C. A. Landers of San Angelo, an experienced meat cutter, has

accepted a position with the Cash Market at the Guber old stand, and began upon his duties first of the week.

Regulate the bowels when they fail to move properly. Herbine is an admirable bowel regulator. It helps the liver and stomach and restores a fine feeling of strength and buoyancy. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Clint Penn came in from the Thompson ranch in Schleicher county, Wednesday afternoon to visit home folks and Ballinger friends a week or two.

R. L. Maddox says he has a client who will sell 3,000 acres of land in this section on long time and take the first payment in cotton at 10 cents per pound middling basis. This is a good chance to get a home with your surplus cotton.

For Sale.
Seed wheat, oats and barley go to Missouri Milling Co., Ballinger. 28-dwtf

Almost fifty per cent reduction on all my ready to wear hats and millinery. Mrs. W. A. Breedlove, at Wilke's store. d3tw1t

**THE OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF
The First National Bank**

are keeping abreast of the times without deviating from sound Banking principles, are constantly adding to the value of the service they render to their customers. It is a matter of pride with us to make this Bank every year a more desirable depository for business men and women.

...THE...
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Member of Federal Reserve System.

**TO COUNT VOTES
IN PONY CONTEST**



The merchants giving votes in the Pony Contest have announced that the first count of the votes will be made on November 24th, and the standing of the candidates announced in this paper. All the children working in the contest should deposit their votes so they can make a good showing when the first count is made.

The merchants also state that an effort will be made to get the pony here by the time the first count is made, and they feel sure that they can promise that the pony and cart will be here by December first, which is twenty-five days before the contest closes.

Remember the contest closes on Christmas eve—Dec. 24th, and that the pony and cart will be awarded to the boy or girl having the largest number of votes when the final count is made. The boys and girls have just a little more than one month to secure votes, and the one that works the hardest, and gets their friends to call for votes when trading at the places giving tickets, will be the one that will be the winner, and will have a handsome \$400. pony, cart and harness.

The merchants have an ad in this issue of the Ledger. They are offering to help you win the pony. The merchants who are giving tickets and who are running an ad this week telling you how to win this nice prize are: Ostertag Furniture Co., Walker Drug Co., L. B. Stubbs, J. H. Wilke, Princess Theatre, Ballinger Printing Co., Bank Barber Shop, Leach Auto Works.

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. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Send for circulars free.

Take Hall's Family Pills for
Notice.
I have bought out M. Rosenwasser's Fruit and Confectionery stand and will treat every one as Mr. Rosenwasser has done in the past. N. PASSUR. 11-2td 1tw.

G. W. Wilson of the Pony creek country, was in the city supplying Wednesday and storing away the rent cotton received from Preston Dunn on his farm, and says Mr. Dunn has gathered 25 bales off 22 1-2 acres and will get two or three more bales off this land and Mr. Wilson says he has 70 acres more on the place that is turning out equally as well, while all his crop is good, without irrigation too.

GO TO—Ballinger Saddlery Mfg. Co., successors to T. S. Lankford for Saddles, Harness, etc. Complete line of Saddlery goods, and accessories. Shoe work and general repairing our specialty. E. J. CATHEY, Mgr. 12-1mon d&w.

**WOMAN REFUSES
OPERATION**

Tells How She Was Saved by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Logansport, Ind. — "My baby was over a year old and I bloated till I was a burden to myself. I suffered from female trouble so I could not stand on my feet and I felt like millions of needles were pricking me all over. At last my doctor told me that all that would save me was an operation, but this I refused. I told my husband to get me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I would try it before I would submit to any operation. He did so and I improved right along. I am now doing all my work and feeling fine.

"I hope other suffering women will try your Compound. I will recommend it to all I know." — Mrs. DANIEL D. B. DAVIS, 110 Franklin St., Logansport, Ind.

Since we guarantee that all testimonials which we publish are genuine, is it not fair to suppose that if Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has the virtue to help these women it will help any other woman who is suffering in a like manner?

If you are ill do not drag along until an operation is necessary, but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Pony Contest

Please remember that the first vote in the Pony Contest is to be on Nov. 24th, and please don't forget I am still in the race and all the votes my friends will give me will be appreciated. I certainly will be glad to get the pony and will take good care of him.

Your little friend,
BURTON REESE.
12-1td1tw

MUST RAISE OUR OWN LIVESTOCK

There is the opportunity of a lifetime awaiting the American raiser of livestock who can now show the world that it is within the power of American breeders to produce livestock which will measure up to the standard of the fancy importations which have carried off our blue ribbons and won our sweepstakes in contests where foreign and domestic livestock were entered in competition. For several months there have been no importations; Europe's cattle must remain in Europe to feed a hungry and warring nation and after the war has exacted its toll, the cream of Europe's prize winners will have been sacrificed to the God of War and a new era will be forced on the American breeder.

We have always looked across the Atlantic for ultimate perfection in our fancy livestock, but the time has come when the raiser of fine stock must stand upon his feet and develop his own champions.

**Bad Headaches
Now Avoidable**

It is not necessary now to let headache wear itself out. You can avoid it. Just step in any good drug store and ask at the fountain for Hicks' Capudine, which is so successful in relieving headache because it gets at the cause, whether from cold, heat, cramp or nervousness. It is liquid and pleasant to take. Don't ever suffer from headache when this remedy stops it so easily. Have the druggist wrap up a bottle for you to take home—10c, 25c and 50c sizes.

**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

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

**HISTORIC RECORD COM-
PILED BY THE Y. M. B. L.**

The Young Men's Business League have indorsed the compiling of suitable subject matter to be embodied in the special feature moving picture of Ballinger and Runnels county.

As this valuable film will become the property of the Y. M. B. L. at no expense to them, it is the earnest desire and intention of the directors and membership to take such interest and authorship in the arrangement of the difficult divisions of the film to make a credible showing for the benefit of the city and county, therefore, all are earnestly solicited and cordially invited to co-operate and support in making this project a great success and also one that we will all be proud of—by information desired in regard to the matter. Please refer to Ed Boler Secretary of the Y. M. B. L.

Tonight
Tonight, if you feel dull or stupid, or bilious and constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you will feel all right tomorrow. For Sale by all dealers.

O. B. Corbett, who had been looking after business affairs and visiting relatives and friends in Ballinger, returned to Teague Thursday.

Rub a sore throat with BALLARD'S Snow Liniment. One or two applications will cure it completely. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters advertised November 7, 1914.

- Anderson, Mrs. Ida,
- Cagle, Dec. F.
- Callim, Jim
- Carroll, D. M.
- Carroll, E. A.
- Clayton, Mrs. H. M.
- Cox, Cyalton
- Gardenhine, Jake
- Gregg, Mrs. Carrie
- Hatcher, Ervin V.
- Howe, Elwood
- Jenkins, R.
- Johns, Clyde,
- Johnson, Mrs. Cassie,
- Johnston, Giles,
- Kilgrove, Eugene,
- Manson, Carl Edward
- Meeks, W. P.
- Morris, Luke
- Nelson, J. A.
- Nichols, Dearsa
- Patton, Samuel I.
- Scott, Elmer
- Storey, Theodo
- Strawn, Alvin
- Stone, Joe
- Thomas, Malvin
- Tramel, Willie,
- Tramel, Bill
- Walker, Mrs. Leslie
- Wesson, W. W.
- Witcher, Hugh

When calling for the above letters please say "Advertised" and give the date of this list. After two weeks these letters will be sent to the dead-letter-office.
James J. Erwin P. M.

A Night of Terror

Few nights are more terrible than that of a mother looking on her child choking and gasping for breath during an attack of croup, and nothing in the house to relieve it. Many mothers have passed nights of terror in this situation. A little forethought will enable you to avoid this. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Keep it at hand. For sale by all dealers.

CITY MEAT MARKET

We always handle the very best meats of all kinds that the market affords, and your orders promptly attended to at all hours. We will buy your stock and hides from you at top prices, when you have anything to sell. We guarantee first-class meats and we handle the same in a sanitary way. Your orders appreciated. City Meat Market, Telephone 185 STANLEY CAMERON, Prop dwtf.

FOR SALE—Empty 50 gallon barrels. \$1.00 per barrel. N. Passur. 11-dtf

- FIRE INSURANCE •
- The Best Companies •
- PROMPT SERVICE •
- Your business solicited. •
- Miss Maggie Sharp. •
- Upstairs in old Fidelity •
- Credit Co.'s Office. Phone •
- 215. See Me. •

**PRINCESS
THEATRE**
Tonight

Picture Program

**"The
Blue Mouse"**

6 Part Special
Big Comedy Scream
with Madge Lessing

Children 10c
Adults 20c

**BIG CONSIGNMENT OF
COTTON TO ENGLAND**

Special to The Daily Ledger:
TEXAS CITY, Nov. 12.—One of the largest cotton cargoes to be shipped to Liverpool this season left here yesterday enroute to that port. The product was on board the steamer "Inkum" and consisted of 15,400 bales of Texas grown staple, valued at approximately \$525,000. A new stimulus has been added to the cotton markets over the State through the heavy purchases of the product by England and other European nations, which has had a universal effect on the prices of cotton.

Cause of Insomnia
The most common cause of insomnia is disorders of the stomach and constipation. Chamberlain's Tablets correct these disorders and enable you to sleep. For sale by all dealers.

Millinery at Half-Price
I am closing out my stock of hats and millinery goods at about one-half price. Mrs. W. A. Breedlove, at Wilke's store. d3tw1t

Wanted
851 turkeys at once. Highest price paid.
R. P. CONN,
14w 1td The Globe.

WANTED TO RENT—Three or four room house, close in at about two or three dollars per month. Will take it permanently and keep it in good repair. Phone or see me at Roark's Tailor Shop. R. McCown. 11-3tdpd

J. L. Atwell of Miles, had business in Ballinger between trains Thursday.

QUEEN THEATRE
TONIGHT

TODAY'S PROGRAM

(Nestor) "The Half Breed" with Wm. Clifford and Marie Walecamp. Sherman Bainbridge, under the direction of Henry McKae. This a beautiful story, full of romance and adventure.

(Universal Ike) in the "Dear Hunter" off for big game with Louise Clamm and Ray Gallagher.

(Crystal) "East Lynne in Bugville" an unexpected climax. A Burlesque with Pearl White.

Benefit for Foot Ball Team Friday 13th.

**Admission
10 CENTS**