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REBELLION SPREADING IN IRELAND

By United Press
LONDON, April 27—All Ireland is under martial law and the situation remains serious. The revolt is spreading to western counties. Rebels are holding important buildings in Dublin. John

Redmond, nationalist; and Edward Carson, unionist, rival leaders, have pledged their co-operation in quelling the rebellion. Street fighting continues in Dublin and fatalities are being added to the large list of already dead.

PICNIC CALLED OFF

We have been requested that the picnic scheduled to be held at Hatchel next Saturday, April 29, had been postponed indefinitely. The Hatchel school postponed the picnic in respect to Superintendent Wooten, deceased.

MURDERER MOVED FOR SAFE KEEPING

Sheriff J. T. Dodson of Abilene, was here Thursday en route home from San Angelo where he had been to place Claud De Armond in jail for safe keeping. De Armond was captured at Coleman after a sensational chase of twenty-four hours, and was caught in just a happen-so way while he was making his get-away from that town. While in Ballinger, Mr. Dodson was the guest of Sheriff Perkins.

According to the story told by the sheriff of the crime for which De Armond is being held, it is about the most cold blooded murder ever committed in this section of the state and feeling at Abilene is so bitter against the man that the officer thought it best not to return the man to that place at present.

De Armond is a single man about twenty-four years old. He shot and killed Chas. Brown, a farmer living about ten miles Southeast of Abilene last Tuesday afternoon, and after killing the farmer made his escape to Coleman, where he was arrested.

It is presumed that De Armond killed Brown because Brown was a state's witness against De Armond's brother in a murder trial, and in which De Armond's brother was sent to the pen for ten years for killing his own brother. De Armond had been living in Grayson County for some time. He appeared in Abilene last Monday afternoon and on Tuesday afternoon he chartered a service car to take him out to where Brown lived. He did not tell the service car man what his mission was, and the service car man says that he did not know what De Armond was going to Brown's for until he witnessed the killing.

Just before getting to the Brown home De Armond ordered the service car driver to stop. Getting out of the car De Armond cut the telephone wire leading to

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WILL MEET AT EL PASO SATURDAY

By United Press
SAN ANTONIO, April 27—Chief of Staff Scott and Gen. Funston will leave this city tonight for El Paso, where they expect to meet Gen. Obregon, minister of war for the de facto government of Mexico, in a conference. It is not known whether the conference will be held in Texas or across the border.

The two army generals go to the conference for the known purpose of discussing co-operation with the Carranza government in establishing peace in Mexico. The troops will not be withdrawn until some terms of co-operation are agreed upon.

Further details of the Saturday battle with the Villistas received from Pershing field head-

quarters today. Dodd's cavalry surprised the Villista bandits, who it is believed, numbered more than three hundred, under four chiefs. The surprise attack caused the bandits to leave much of their loot and Dodd's men captured a quantity of ammunition and many horses. Nineteen wounded Villistas were taken prisoners some of whom will die. Six were killed outright, and two of Dodd's men were killed.

GERMANS DESTROY BRITISH SUBMARINE

BERLIN, April 27.—The British submarine E-22 was destroyed by German destroyers Tuesday. Only two of the sub crew were rescued.

ZEPPELINS CONTINUE RAIDS
LONDON, April 27.—German aircraft raided Margate, eighty miles out from London last night. Bombs were dropped in the city, but no casualties have been reported.

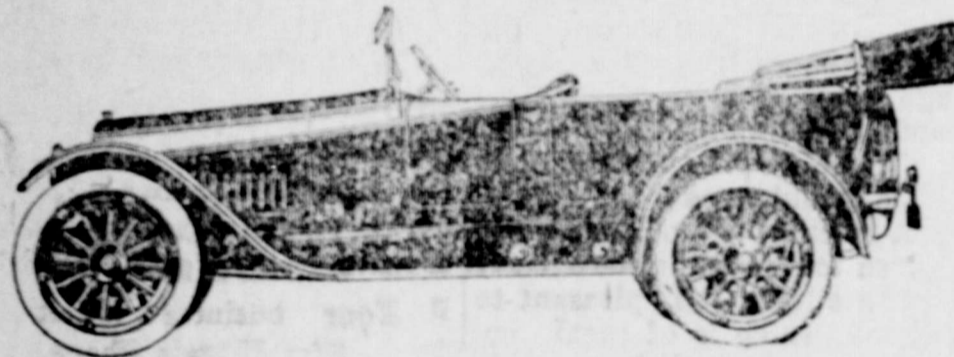
By United Press
BERLIN, April 27.—It is reported here today on excellent authority that the crisis in the German-American controversy has passed and there will be no break. American ambassador Gerard is en route to the front to confer with the Kaiser and is expected to return tomorrow, and will immediately forward reply to America.

The danger point in the relations between the two governments passed Monday with the receipt of a statement from President Wilson showing the attitude to be maintained by the United States.

The German war office has issued new instructions to the submarine commanders warning them not to repeat acts complained of in the American note until the two governments come to an understanding.

SELLING MORE STUDEBAKERS.
R. P. Kirk reports the sale of two Studebakers this week. Thos. Schuhmann, of Rowena, was the last man to take out a Studebaker.

W. A. Nance 393 NIGHT PHONES Henry Jones 556



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Resolutions.

We your committee who have been appointed to draft resolutions of respect on the death of Brother W. G. Cathey beg to submit the following:

Whereas, the Allwise God and Supreme Ruler of the Universe has seen fit in His wisdom to call from our midst on March 22th, 1916, our beloved Brother W. G. Cathey who had been a Mason for about 55 years; whereas our lodge has lost a most faithful member, the church an ardent member, the county in which he lived a staunch law abiding citizen, the wife a devoted husband, the children a kind and loving father,

Be It Further Resolved, that we the members of Wingate Lodge No. 1042 A. F. & A. M. extend to the family our most sincere sympathy in this sad hour of sorrow and tender our assistance as far as possible in solving the problems of life.

Resolved further that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the Minutes of this lodge. A copy sent the family and a copy furnished the Winters Enterprise and Ballinger Banner-Ledger.

Fraternally submitted,
L. D. Ashley,
R. E. Finley,
A. A. Gannaway.

**AUTO EXCURSION
TOMORROW EVENING**

Ballinger boosters will make the trip to Norton tomorrow afternoon, provided it does not rain again before time to make the start. All those who have agreed to furnish cars for the trip and all others who will join in the excursion are requested to be ready to start promptly at six o'clock and meet at the intersection of Eighth Street and Hutchings Ave. in front of the First National Bank in order that the trip may be made together.

Reports from Norton today say that the citizens of that section of the county are planning to receive the visitors. The rain was light in that part of the county, and the roads have dried up and are in good shape for the excursion.

More than twenty members of the band will accompany the crowd and the concert to be given by the band promises to be the best ever given outside of Ballinger.

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**GIBSON'S DAUGHTER
MARRIED TODAY**

NEW YORK, April 27.—Miss Irene L. Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, George B. Post, Jr., will be married in St. Bartholomew's church here today. A reception at the home of the bride's parents, 127 East Seventy-third Street, will follow.

Miss Gibson chose her cousin, Miss Nancy Uerkins, to be her maid of honor, and the other attendants will include the Misses Harriet A. Post, Nathalie Wood, Helen Crocker, Evelyn Preston, Ruth Haggood and Margot Scull, New York society buds.

Mr. Post selected Chalmers Wood Jr., as his best man. His ushers will be his cousin, Bayard Tuckerman, Jr., Q. A. Shaw McKean, both of Boston; Thomas H. Frothingham, C. Snyder Cutting, Grafton H. Payne, Schuyler L. Parsons Jr., Richard Van Nest Gambrell, Oliver W. Bird, Jr., and Langhorne Gibson, all of this city, and C. Dawson Coleman of Philadelphia. Langhorne Gibson is a son of Charles Dana Gibson.

**H. O. RHODES MAKES
PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT.**

To The Citizens of Runnels County:
After making a pretty thorough canvass of this county, and after consulting with many of the people in whom I have the utmost confidence, and after due consideration, I have decided definitely to make the race of Tax Assessor.

Most of you have known for some time that I was considering the advisability of entering the race, as some of the papers in the county made mention of my prospective candidacy. I have received most encouraging promises of support and I appreciate fully the encouragement given me.

I am making the race subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries. I believe in equal rights to all and special privileges to none, and think this rule should be applied especially in the tax assessor's office. If you elect me as your assessor I promise you the best service possible, and assure you that at no time will I give you cause for regretting that you voted for me by failure to do my duty as I see it.

I have been a citizen of this county for eight years. At all times I have done what I could in helping to develop the county and working for the best interest of all. There are several men in the county who have known me all my life, and I am proud to know that these men will endorse me for the position I am seeking.

It is my purpose to meet all the others I can in person, and to form the acquaintances of those whom I have not met. I will appreciate any support you give me in my race, and before pledging yourself I will appreciate it if you will investigate my ability to serve you, and determine for your self whether I am worthy of the trust of the good people of this county.

Yours truly,
H. O. RHODES.

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**POPULAR DEMAND
FOR ROAD DRAGS**
With every rain the demand for road drags increase. People are made to realize the great benefit that would be derived from giving the roads the proper attention following rains, and thereby keeping the road bed free from ruts that are cut when the road bed is soft. Dragging would make the way for travel to pack the road bed and it would dry with a smooth surface instead of drying in ruts and bumps.

FOUND—I have running in my pasture a big red cow, owner can get same by paying for this notice and calling on R. D. Rogers, one mile east of Ballinger. 27-24 11w.

WORRY, DESPONDENCY.

Kidney Disease is suspected by medical men when patients complain of backache or suffer with irregular urination, disturbed, too frequent, scanty or painful passage. The general symptoms are rheumatic pains or neuralgia, headaches, lumbago, irritability, despondency, weakness and general misery. Worry is a frequent cause and sometimes a symptom of kidney disease. Many of your neighbors have testified to immediate relief from these symptoms after using Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets for kidneys and backache. Druggists in town are now supplied.

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R. A. Nicholson returned home Wednesday night from a business trip to Brownsville and other points in that section of the state the past two weeks.

Bad breath, bitter taste, dizziness and a general 'no account' feeling is a sure sign of a torpid liver. Herbine is the medicine needed. It makes the liver active vitalizes the blood, regulates the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy and cheerfulness. Price 50. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

**LIBERAL HELP GIVEN
FOR BAND STAND**

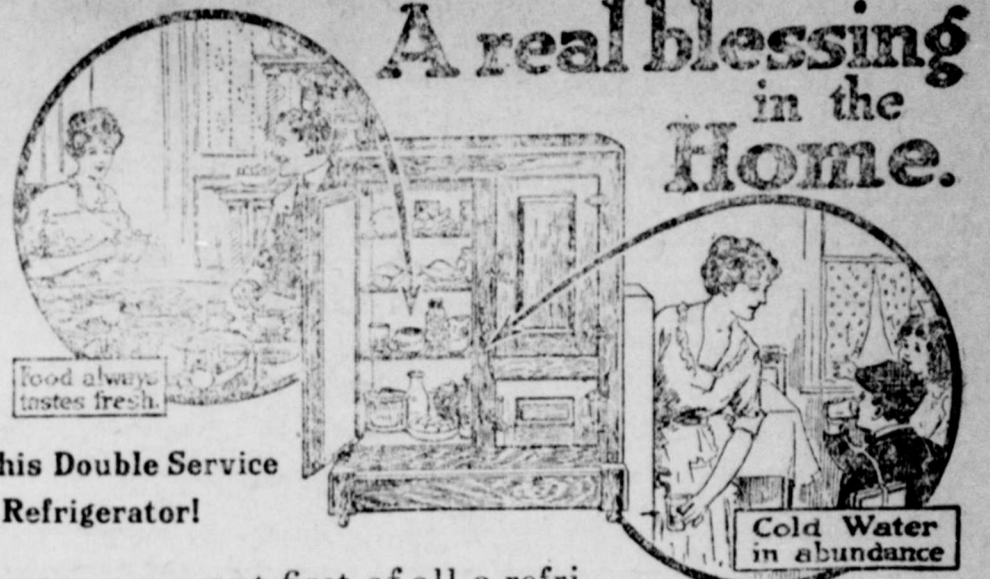
Jno. A. Weeks and L. Cohen have been busy today pushing the subscription list and raising the money with which to build the band stand. At four o'clock this afternoon they reported that while the work of raising the money was incomplete, quite a number having not been called on, they had in sight sufficient funds to justify the statement that the band stand would be built at once, and would be one of the best in Texas. Up to the above hour the following progressive citizens and business men had come down for the amount opposite their names. We are not giving the names of those who declined to give, will leave that up for the work of the committee in making their final report:

- Higginbotham, Currie, Williams Co., \$25.00.
- First National Bank \$25.00.
- Farmers & Merchants \$25.00.
- Ballinger State Bank \$15.00.
- Van Pelt, Kirk & Maek \$12.50.
- F. M. Pearce \$10.00.
- Hall Hardware Co. \$20.00.
- Wm. Cameron & Co., \$10.00.
- L. B. Stubbs 7.50.
- Bellinger Auto Co. \$5.00.
- E. A. Jeanes & Co., \$5.00.
- U. E. Hartman \$2.50.
- O. L. Parish \$2.50.
- W. C. McCarver \$1.00.
- W. T. Padgett \$2.50.
- W. L. Brown \$2.50.
- Mary Phillips \$2.00.
- Ballinger Printing Co., \$10.00.
- C. P. Shepherd \$2.50.
- L. Afferbaeh \$1.00.
- A. J. Zappe \$5.00.
- E. C. Allison & Son \$2.50.
- Ballinger Barber Shop \$2.00.
- Walker Smith Co. \$2.50.
- C. W. Northington \$1.00.
- The Walker Drug Co. \$10.00.
- Queen Theatre \$5.00.
- W. E. Bartlett \$2.50.
- J. T. Carter \$1.00.
- The Ideal Barber Shop \$2.00.
- Paul Sulak \$2.00.
- M. C. Smith \$2.00.
- Jim Freeman 1.00.
- Bank Barber Shop \$2.00.
- Sim Cottle \$1.00.
- J. Hardin \$1.00.
- Dunn & Glenn \$1.00.
- S. A. B. Hamilton \$1.00.
- G. W. Dunlap \$2.50.
- S. W. Dunn \$1.00.
- Asa Cordill \$1.00.
- H. M. Josey \$1.00.
- Total to date \$235.00.

The committee will be out tomorrow to complete the work and will make their final report, giving the names of all those who contributed to the band stand fund and the report will be published in this paper.

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Don't miss seeing the
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**COMMISSIONERS' COURT
MEETS TOMORROW.**

The commissioners have been called to meet in a special session Friday afternoon for the purpose of passing on final report of Tax Collector Padgett. It is probable that other business will come before the court and the question of appointing a man to succeed Superintendent Wooten is slated for early action. County Judge Kleberg stated today that it was very necessary to have some one in the office at this particular time as the rural school term was rapidly drawing to a close and there was much work to be attended to, and work that could not be neglected or postponed.

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**COUNTY COURT CON-
VENES MONDAY.**

The May term of county court convenes Monday. A two weeks jury has been called for this term and it is expected that a general clean up of the docket will take place. This is the first jury drawn for county court for the past year, and several cases have been pending on the docket.

Farmers and others who live at a distance from a drug store should keep in the house a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It may be needed at any time for cuts, wounds, sores, sprains or rheumatism. It is a powerful healing and penetrating remedy. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

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Then a reckless look crossed his face. He called up once more the old smile. "Not a thing," he insisted. "Nothing whatever. It's a little cold outside tonight. Perhaps," he added with a restless laugh, his eyes wandering over the gay faces all about, "someone's walking over my grave."

"Oh," exclaimed his friend. "Are you superstitious?" "No," returned Seagrue, almost fiercely, "only tired of the world and everything in it. Where is Helen?" "She's in the library," said his companion. "You're awful late. Let's go and find her."

She would have led him into the library. He stopped on the threshold and refused to enter. He saw, as in a vision, what others—now that the room was filled with laughing men and women—did not see. He saw midnight within it and his own accomplices in a death grapple with an old man. He saw that old man laid out a few moments later on a couch, a doctor bending anxiously over him to detect a heart beat. And he saw the surgeon's face as he looked up and gravely said: "General Holmes is dead!"

Despite his reckless bravado, a shudder gripped him for an instant again. He shook it off and braced himself with angry resentment. "No," he said brusquely, "I won't go in there—too much of a crowd for me. I'll try the reception room." Turning, he encountered Rhinelander. The two men greeted each other briefly.

Rhinelander spoke with kindness to his nephew. He tried to tell him that he wanted him to do differently. He assured him that neither he nor Helen cherished any lasting resentment for what had gone before and now that they two were the winners, they meant to be generous to the losers and to him in especial.

"I am willing," declared Rhinelander, "and I think that Helen will stand with me in it, to give you an interest in the mine—it is big enough to make a dozen millionaires. Make a man of yourself, Earl, that's all we ask. We'll do the rest."

Seagrue regarded him with an expression so terrible that it shocked Rhinelander, but what was passing through Seagrue's mind, he could not tell. "Tomorrow," Seagrue muttered, like one hardly in possession of his senses, "not tonight—I'll talk to you tomorrow. Where's Helen?"

"She left here this moment for the conservatory with George Storm!"

Seagrue took a step forward, as if to go to her. Then he stopped and turned away. Someone took Rhinelander's attention and he lost sight of his nephew, but the woman who had first spoken to Seagrue afterward related what she saw. Seagrue looked once more toward the library. He directed his steps toward it. On the threshold he halted abruptly again, as if rudely checked by an unseen hand. He looked about as if he saw and heard what others did not see and hear. Then, shaking himself loose from the seeming clutch of invisible fingers, he took a determined step, strode into the library as one who accepts a challenge, walked defiantly through the room and out of the French doors he himself had opened on a midnight to a murderer.

He disappeared from sight in the shrubbery of the garden and walked some distance before he encountered those whom he had gone out to meet. Even the two hiding men saw the emotion under which he was laboring. He told them what he had seen, told them of Storm's escape, the thwarting of his plans, and with oaths gave them orders as to what to do and how to do it. He trembled with furious emphasis as he spoke on. "And when the coast is clear," he exclaimed, at last, "I'll drop my handkerchief." Turning on his heel, he left them. The two murderers looked uncertainly at each other. Something of his uneasiness communicated itself to them.

In the conservatory, Helen and Storm were conversing with guests. The guests left the room as Seagrue came in and he returned, somewhat stiffly, the greeting of Helen and Storm. Storm, resolved now to be generous with his enemy, stepped to the punch bowl and filling glasses, crossed the conservatory with them to serve Helen and Seagrue. In the garden Ward and Adams, watching intently saw his silhouetted figure on the low eared curtain.

And so.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

Mrs. Nathan Passur and baby left Thursday for San Antonio to visit relatives a few weeks.

WILL ORGANIZE BOY SCOUT BEIGADE

All boys eligible to become scouts are requested to meet Saturday 3 p. m. at the Young Men's Business League. The ages are from 12 to 18. The purpose of the meeting is to instruct the boys in Scout Croft, and to take a hike into the country. Rev. E. R. Stanford will meet with the boys and give instruction and explain what it means to become a scout and A. E. Burges will teach the boys how to drill. These two will go with the boys on the hike. The boys will prepare their own supper on the creek and return home early in the evening.

Insomnia.

Indigestion nearly always disturbs the sleep more or less, and is often the cause of insomnia. Eat a light supper with little if any meat, and no milk; also take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper, and see if you do not rest much better. Obtainable everywhere.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our appreciations, and thanks to our friends for their love and kindness to us during the illness of our husband and father.

We are grateful for the sympathy and aid rendered by the teachers and pupils of the county and for the beautiful floral offerings.

May the blessings of our Heavenly Father rest upon each one who assisted in any way to make our burden lighter.

Mrs. W. W. Wooten and children.

Rev. Bowman and wife, of Talpa, returned home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Bowman had been in the Bailey & Love Sanitarium for several weeks past and the many friends of the family will be glad to learn she is greatly improved in health and able to return home.

TO SPEAK AT BALLINGER.

Hon. Pat Neff, of Waco, one of the most prominent men in public life in Texas, will speak at the Carnegie Library in Ballinger next Saturday night. The lecture will be in the interest of the Modern Woodmen, and will be free. Every one is invited to hear this man.

MODERN WOODMEN.

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HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

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

Catron, 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."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of continuous success, and should surely help you. Your druggist has sold Cardui for years. He knows what it will do. Ask him. He will recommend it. Begin taking Cardui today.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book. 10c. Treatment for Weak. 25c in plain wrapper. 50c.

LOUISE LOVELY IN "TANGLED HEARTS" AT QUEEN.

Friday night at the Queen the Blue Birds present a five act feature called "Tangled Hearts." In this unique picture play Miss Louise Lovely makes her initial appearance as star. Some actors have been born stars, others achieve stardom, and some have a stellar pathway built to order for them. Jos. DeGrasse who directed this feature determined to make his own star out of Miss Lovely, and every critic who has seen the feature believes he has done so.

"Tangled Hearts" is really a charming love story well presented and will command the attention of audiences to the very end. Lon Chaney and other Universal supports aid Miss Lovely in the picturization, and some of the leading parts are deserving of as much mention as the main role.

A prudent mother is always on the watch for symptoms of worms in her children. Pale ness, lack of interest in play, and peevishness is the signal for White's Cream Vermifuge. A few doses of this excellent remedy puts an end to the worms and the child soon acts naturally. Price 25c. Per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Will Street left Thursday morning for Talpa to look after stock business between trains.

"HIS OWN LITTLE SISTER"

The Murphy's were somewhat disfigured, but remained in the ring Wednesday night and played to a full house at the Princess Theatre, where they made special arrangement with the manager of the house to put on their show. Those who saw the play pronounced it the best given, and some who had not visited the Murphy's show since it came to our city, were surprised and said they were going again.

C. J. Carey, manager for Murphy's Comedians, stated today that everything was in tip top shape at the big tent after the splendid rain and his company would play at the tent tonight, presenting "His Own Little Sister." One trip to see Murphy's Comedians will cause you to come again.

Spring.

Spring is looked upon by many as the most delightful season of the year but this cannot be said of the rheumatic. The cold and damp weather brings on rheumatic pains which are anything but pleasant. They can be relieved, however, by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Obtainable everywhere.

LADIES' TAKE CAPUDINE
FOR ACHE AND PAINS
RELIEVES THE NERVOUSNESS ALSO
IT'S LIQUID—NOT NARCOTIC

TAX COLLECTOR PADGETT IN NEW HOME.

W. T. Padgett has purchased the place formerly known as the Giesecke place, on Eleventh street near the home of J. McGregor. Mr. Padgett and family have moved into their new home, and Mr. Ross who has been occupying the Giesecke place has moved to the Glascock place further out on Eleventh street.

Watch the Fords Go By.

Ballinger and Winters Service Line

Makes four trips each way. Call for and deliver passengers any where in Ballinger or Winters.

Price: 75c One Way.

Leave Ballinger at—7:00 a. m. 9:30 a. m. 1:30 p. m. 4:00 p. m.
Leave Winters at—8:30 a. m. 11:30 a. m. 2:30 p. m. 5:30 p. m.
Phone Ballinger 135 Phone Winters 92
Good cars and careful drivers.

W. E. BROOKS

JUSTICE COURT TOMORROW.

Justice court will convene Friday to try a number of cases. Among the cases on docket to be called tomorrow is the thirteen crap shooting cases filed early this week.

Why Constipation Injures.

The bowels are the natural sewerage system of the body. When they become obstructed by constipation a part of the poisonous matter which they should carry off is absorbed into the system, making you feel dull and stupid, and interfering with the digestion and assimilation of food. This condition is quickly relieved by Chamberlain's Tablets. Obtainable everywhere.

Ivan Hamilton, one of the Winters merchants, was visiting his parents and looking after business affairs in Ballinger a few hours Thursday.

We would like to meet every Overland owner in the county. Come to see us. O'Kelly & Walton.

FOR

Cleaning, Pressing and Dyeing

PHONE 97

SCOTCH WOOLEN MILLS

Hutchins Avenue

Ballinger, Texas

Effective January 10th, 1916

To all Patrons of The Leach Auto Works

I intend to keep employd a very limited amount of workmen and by so doing, conduct a Quality Service Station only. Can take care of any high-class tenchical job requiring kil land painstaking care.

Owing to the shop requiring all of my time and the extra cost of collections, I am discontinuing the monthly account system. Please govern yourself accordingly.

Yours Truly

H. M. LEACH

It Is Economy to Buy the Best

You can't afford to eat inferior groceries. It's poor economy to buy cheap groceries. We carry the best and we can convince you that the best is the cheapest. No substitutes, but the standard line at our store.

MILLER MERCANTILE CO.
TWO PHONES 66 AND 77

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

All Copy for Political Announcements must be accompanied by Cash.

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 22nd:

For District Judge of the 35th Judicial District:

JOHN W. GOODWIN.

Representative 11th District:

WALACE E. HAWKINS.

For County Clerk:

W. C. McCARVER.

C. C. COCKRELL.

H. G. SECREST.

A. L. SPANN.

For Tax Assessor:

C. C. SCHUCHARD.

T. H. CURRY.

JOE TURNER.

WILLIE STEPHENS.

H. O. RHODES.

For County Attorney:

C. P. SHEPHERD.

SAMUEL C. HARRIS.

For County Treasurer:

W. E. BROWN.

For Tax Collector:

W. T. PADGETT.

MIKE C. BOYD.

M. D. CHASTAIN.

JOHN BALLEW.

For Sheriff:

J. D. PERKINS.

E. F. (Earl) EDWARDS.

For County Judge:

O. L. PARISH.

C. H. WILLINGHAM.

For District Clerk:

(Miss) MARY PHILLIPS.

For County Superintendent of Schools:

E. L. HAGAN.

For Commissioner Pre. No. 1:

E. C. MOOR.

R. P. KIRK.

R. W. (Bob) GILLIAM.

Prosperity is Made Double Sure

if you have good banking connections. It is our aim now, as it has been in the past, to make our customer's banking connections worth while. And with this aim in view we invite you to call and discuss this matter with us, as we feel we can be helpful to you.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK
BALLINGER, TEXAS
THE BANK THAT HELPS YOU DO THINGS.

My money is gone!! I was not a careful man after all

Are you going to hide your money in a hole in the ground or in your house and always be worried fearing that you may be watched by a robber?
No.
It is the robber's business to learn who keeps money hidden, and he will kill you, if he must, to steal.
Be a careful man.
Make Our Bank Your Bank
...THE...
FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER
MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

HENRY B. WALTHALL IN AN ESSANAY FEATURE TONIGHT

"Blind Justice" a multiple reel special feature issued by Essanay gives Henry B. Walthall just the right vehicle to display his numerous talents. The leading man in the serial "The Strange Case of Mary Page" will be seen at the Princess Theatre tonight.
Henry B. Walthall is known as the world's greatest emotional actor, and every part he has before the camera shows careful attention to the minor details, and the stronger moments are easily carried off by this master of the silent drama.
A new brand of comedy for the General film program—Vim—is said to be all the name im-

plies, introduces tonight to Ballinger audiences Burns and Stull.

For Your Child's Cough.
If your child has a cold, nose runs or coughs much get a small bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Its pleasant Pine-Tar-Honey syrup, just what children like and just the medicine to soothe the cough and check the cold. After taking, children stop fretting, sleep good and are soon entirely well. Insist on Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. 25c at your druggist.
Dr. Warner had business at Miles between trains Wednesday.
Prof. Wells of Miles, returned home Wednesday night, remaining over to the show that night.
Watch the Fords Go By.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Ford service for Ford owners is worth while Fifty-one Ford branches; over 8,500 agents all through the country; each with a complete stock of Ford parts and supplies on hand. No delays, no holding up for days to get parts, but prompt, reliable service at a low, fixed cost. NOW! Runabout \$590; Touring-Car \$440; Town Car \$640; Sedan \$740. All prices f. o. b. Detroit. On sale at

Harwell Motor Co.
Ballinger, Texas

BANK
Easter Greetings

SOUND FINANCE

is the best thing we have to greet you with. We are a bank of conservative liberality. Your account we want, and guarantee to do everything for you consistent with sound financial principles.

The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.
Ballinger, Texas

Murderer Moved for Safe Keeping

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Abilene and then directed the driver to take him to the Brown home. Learning that Brown was in the field at work, he directed the auto driver to take him to the field where Brown was found planting cotton. Getting out of the car De Armond walked over to where Brown was riding on the planter and as Brown realized that he was about to be murdered and tried to get away, De Armond shot the man in the back, shooting him several times, and after Brown had fallen De Armond beat his brains out with his gun. Returning to the car he directed the driver to take him back to Abilene. The auto driver kept mum, and did not report the murder, until the officers connected him with the crime, and arrested him. De Armond said the service car driver did not have anything to do with the murder, and did not know what he was carrying De Armond to the Brown home for, but the service car man kept the murder a secret until the officer found out by an investigation how De Armond got to Brown's.

After returning to Abilene, De Armond chartered another car to take him to a point about 20 miles south of Abilene, where he left the driver to wait for him to step into a house and see a party, stating that he would not be gone over fifteen minutes. After waiting for about half an hour it developed that De Armond did not go into the house where he pretended that he was going, but slipped out, and later stealing a horse and saddle, made his way to Coleman, where he sold the horse and later was arrested by a brother from whom the horse was stolen recognizing the horse and making some inquiry had the man arrested.

After being placed under arrest the service car driver told the whole story, and said he was afraid to tell it was the reason he did not report the murder to the officers. When arrested, De Armond talked about the crime in a cold-blooded way, saying that he had to run the . . . b . . . over a three hundred acre field before he could kill him, saying that after shooting him he had to finish the job with a rock, talking and joking about the crime as though it was a small matter, saying that he did mightily poor shooting, missed the . . . b . . . when he was only three feet from him.

Brown was a married man and left a wife and five children, all small. He was a law abiding and peaceable citizen, according to a statement made by Sheriff Dodson.

Dangers of Draft.

Drafts feel best when we are hot and perspiring, just when they are most dangerous and the result is Neuralgia, Stiff Neck, Sore Muscles or sometimes an attack of Rheumatism. In such cases apply Sloan's Liniment. It stimulates circulation to the sore and painful part. The blood flows freely and in a short time the stiffness and pain leaves. Those suffering from Neuralgia or Neuralgic Headache will find one or two applications of Sloan's Liniment will give grateful relief. The agonizing pain gives way to a tingling sensation of comfort and warmth and quiet rest and sleep is possible. Good for Neuritis too. Price 25c. at your druggist.

Pink Abernathy, a former Ballinger citizen, now a prominent stock man of the Garden City country, was visiting relatives and looking after business affairs in Ballinger Wednesday.

We would like to meet every Overland owner in the county. Come to see us. O'Kelly & Walton.

Mrs. M. E. Kleberg of Galveston is in the city on a visit to her son Judge M. Kleberg and wife.

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy If You Know What "Liver Health" will do for You.

The secret of keeping young is to feel young—to do this you must watch your liver and bowels—there's no need of having a sallow complexion—dark rings under your eyes—pimples—a bilious look in your face—full eyes with no sparkle.
Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver. A physician in New Jersey has perfected a compound to avoid using dangerous-poisonous calomel to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.
Hay's Liver Health, substitute for calomel gentle in its action, yet always effective; brings about that exuberance of spirit, that natural buoyance which should be enjoyed by everyone, by toning up the liver and clearing the system of impurities.
Be sure to ask for Hay's Liver Health, in the brown package for 50c. at your druggist. Prove to yourself what it means to keep feeling fine all the time. City Drug Store.

SUCCESSFUL EASTER FOR EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Rt. Rev. E. A. Temple, D. D., Bishop of Northern Texas, visited All Saints Church at Ballinger, Easter morning and the Church of the Holy Spirit at Coleman at night. At both places he delivered excellent sermons, the churches were beautifully decorated, and the music would have done credit to a much larger place.

At Coleman, Rev. W. T. Allan, Priest in Charge of both places, baptized two heads of families and presented four for confirmation, all being heads of families.

The Bishop expressed himself as highly gratified at the excellent spiritual and temporal condition of both places. He appointed the following committees to look after the temporal affairs of the two missions, at the request of the Priest in Charge, For Ballinger, Messrs. H. A. Cady, Godfrey Massey, M. F. Treadwell, John Hopkinson, U. P. Melton. For Coleman, Messrs. J. E. Boog-Scott, R. H. Boog-Scott, J. H. Babbington, H. D. Ayres, and Ernest W. Klapper.
The Bishop requested Rev. Allan to deliver an address on Foreign missions at the convocation, which meets at San Angelo, May 14th.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co. Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

SLOW RAIN MAKES GOOD SEASON

A slow rain, falling steady almost all of Wednesday afternoon, will prove of great benefit to the farmers in bringing up a good stand of various crops that had been planted. The rain was not particularly needed, but is very acceptable. The rain was general over this county and amounts to about a half inch.

For the stomach and bowel disorders of babies McGee's Baby Elixir is a remedy of genuine merit. It acts quickly, is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Edwin Day, the ginman, returned home Thursday at noon from Dallas, where he attended the recent meeting of the state ginners' association and visited other points before returning home.

A food expert says that one dish of ice cream is equal in food value to four dozen oysters. Order a gallon from the Ballinger Bottling Works and see how good you feel. J. C. Cook 24-6td

We would like to meet every Overland owner in the county. Come to see us. O'Kelly & Walton.

Tonight
At the Big
Tent Theatre

"His Own Little Sister"

New Music and Vaudeville between Every Act

Auspices of Ballinger Concert Band

A Dollar Show at Bargain Prices:

Children - - - 15c
Adults - - - - 25c

One Matinee Only Saturday
at 3:00 P. M.
TEN CENTS TO ALL

A. H. Wigle returned home Thursday from Dallas, where he accompanied Mrs. Wigle en route to Missouri and other places, where she will spend several weeks on her summer vacation.

To have a fine healthy complexion—the liver must be active, the bowels regular and the blood pure. All this is brought about by using Herbine. It thoroughly scours the liver, stomach and bowels, puts the body in fine condition and restores that clear, pink and white complexion so much desired by ladies. Price 50c. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones, of Sweetwater, who had been visiting his father Jarvis Jones and family the past few days returned home Thursday at noon.

Take Po-Do-Lax in Spring

In winter our blood gets thick, our pores close, we feel tired and dull when hot days come. What we need is a spring liver tonic, something to rid our system of winter's accumulated waste. Po-Do-Lax will do it. It stimulates the bile, empties the bowels. The organs become more active and in a little while you feel like new. Don't neglect cleaning out your system. Take Po-Do-Lax and you will feel fine. 50c at your druggist.

J. L. Miller, one of the pioneer stockmen of Winters, passed thru Ballinger Thursday en route home from a business trip east.

Watch the Fords Go By.

ATEXAS WONDER

THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2325 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

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Let us help you do it. We carry a big stock of screen doors.

All sizes and at prices you can pay. Screen your house and cheat the doctor out of a patient.

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Cash must accompany copy except where party has regular open account with us.
Call Telephone No. 27.

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WANTED—experienced farmer, by the month, Phone 6003. T. J. Bryan, Ballinger, Texas. 26-2td-11w-pd.

WANTED TO LEASE One section grass land or wanted pasturage. Kyle Dickinson, Wingo, Texas. 24-6td 2twpd

AUTO TOPS WANTED at Wendorf's, where they will be repaired and made new.

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—or rent, 4 room house close in. J. S. Colline. 27-1f-d.

FOR SALE—Columbus phaeton, see Sam Baker. dtf.

FOR SALE—or rent, good four room residence, apply to A. J. Zappe. 26-3td.

JERSEY COW—Nice three gallon cow, best quality, with heifer calf, \$80. Dr. Thos. E. Mangum. 25-3td

FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—two nice office rooms, upstairs at Zappe's. 26-3td.

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL STAND—at our stables, two Registered Jersey bulls, at \$2.50 with return privileges. Will call and get your cow. Phone 414. Street & Middleton. 14-1mo-d.

Feed and Groceries.
Fresh car of feed for hogs, horses and cattle. I have put in for Scroggins & Son to sell and deliver this feed, at prices to move it. He will be able also to sell you groceries as cheap as any house in the city.
I. N. ROARK,
Phone 52.
On 7th Street by Ballinger State Bank 27-2td

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Indical Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take a other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for THE CHICHESTER DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, 14 32 West 12th Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

E. E. Hecktar and mother, of Coleman County, who had been at the Halley & Love sanitarium, where the young man had a successful operation performed for a tumor on his neck, left for home Thursday morning.

Watch the Fords Go By.

QUEEN THEATRE
TONIGHT

TODAY'S PROGRAM

"GRAFT" — "The Powder Trust and the War." Featured by Jane Novak, Richard Stanton and Glen White. Ella Hall, Robert Leonard, Marc Robbins, Kingsley Benedict and Betty Schade in

"The Winning of Miss Constance" A delightful three-reel drama produced by Robert Leonard under the Gold Seal brand.

Also Universal Animated Weekly.

Admission 10 CENTS