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UGLY TRAGEDY IN BROWN COUNTY

At 10:45 o'clock Saturday night Toll G. Beckham, postmaster at Zephyr, shot and killed George Horton in the yard at the Beckham home in Zephyr. Immediately following the shooting Beckham surrendered to Constable R. D. Shumate of Zephyr. Sheriff Hugh Davis and District Attorney Walter U. Early, accompanied by Mrs. Horton and baby, left for Zephyr at midnight to investigate the shooting. Beckham will be brought to Brownwood today to be held pending examining trial.

At one o'clock this morning a Bulletin reporter talked with Mr. Beckham over long distance telephone. Beckham was with Constable Shumate awaiting the arrival of the Sheriff and District Attorney. He gave substantially the following story of the shooting:

"I came upon the man and my daughter in my yard. I was expecting someone to be there, and carried a 20-gauge shot gun in my hand. Yes, I was looking for someone, but didn't know who the man was. As I came upon them it was dark and I couldn't see what they were doing. I spoke to the man, and said 'You had better leave here quick if you don't want to get hurt.'"

"The man started toward me, and I raised my gun. Just as I fired he turned to run. The load of shot struck him in the back. Another man was with him, who I understand was a man named McDuff, a brother-in-law of the dead man. He ran away when I fired. I don't know which of my daughters was with the man. I have two daughters, Opal and Mildred. I never saw Horton before the shooting, and did not know who he was. But I knew somebody was there and I was looking for whoever it was."—Brownwood Bulletin.

OLD SOLDIERS' MEET FOR SERVICE AT WINTERS

Quite a number from Ballinger attended the special decoration services held at Winters Sunday. The services were held at the new Baptist church, all the various churches of the city joining in the union service, and Rev. Jeff Davis delivered the sermon. The memorial or decoration part of the program was carried out in a most impressive way, the flowers being deposited in an urn. The speaker paid a beautiful tribute to those who sacrificed their life for a cause they considered right.

Every part of the county was represented at the special service, and while there were many ex-Confederates present, it was very noticeable that the number at such gatherings are gradually decreasing and only a few years and the last one will have passed on to join his regiment.

P. E. Truly returned home Saturday afternoon from a short business trip to Winters.

RAILROAD BUILDER IS DEAD

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 29.—James J. Hill, the multimillionaire and railroad builder and owner, died here this afternoon after an operation. Mr. Hill owned more railroad interest than any other man in America. He was seventy-eight years old.

Rev. Atwood, of San Angelo, who preached in our city Sunday night at the First Presbyterian church, left Monday morning for Brownwood.

GREEKS TO RESIST INVASION

LONDON, May 29.—Official dispatches received here today say that the Greeks resisted the invasion of the Bulgarians, brisk fighting continuing for some time between the Greeks and Bulgarians at several points before Bulgarians, numbering more than twenty-five thousand, occupied Fort Rupel, Dragotina, Spatovo, and smaller places.

The British war party is taking advantage of the incident and using it as a cause why the Greeks should join the allies.

London, May 28.—At the French headquarters in the Balkans it was announced today that the Bulgarians had occupied the Greek forts of Rupel, Dragotina and Spatovo and were advancing from Demir-Hissar toward Kavala. This information was received here today in a dispatch from Athens.

SIDE WALK FOR EIGHTH STREET

Local Agent Wigle received notice Monday that the expenditure of the money necessary to fill in side walk on the Santa Fe property on Eighth Street had been approved, and the division engineer had received orders to proceed with the work. This will connect up the side walk on Eighth street from the city's property across the Santa Fe right-of-way to the Central Hotel corner. It is not known whether the order calls for a side walk on both sides of the street or not, but it is presumed that such is the case.

H. C. Seriggins returned home Saturday afternoon from a short business trip to Benoit.

MAKING HALL WHITE FOR DEMOCRATS

ST. LOUIS, May 30.—The Coliseum today took on an appearance of preparedness for the Democratic convention here June 14th. The entire interior has been enameled white and other special decorations have been completed.

All now needed is the bunting, which will not be hung until just before the temporary chairman drops his gavel for the first business of the conclave.

For the purpose of ventilation and improved light a great portion of the roof has been removed and a series of glass sashes installed.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

A large crowd greeted Elder I. M. Ussery, the strong evangelist, in the forceful and splendid sermon which he delivered Sunday evening at the tabernacle near the rink, entitled "Heaven's Telephone Call." He brought to mind many things which we as citizens and Christians need to know and study. The need of workers in the Vineyard of the Lord was clearly brought out and impressed the great numbers of hearers, present, last night.

The song service under the direction of James Head, who has been connected with, the Trio Music Company of Waco, for the past eighteen years, is fine.

Come out, bring your friends and help make this the meeting that will have everlasting good for yourself and town.

Subject for tonight, "The Sins that Make God Sick." Come and be profited.

Services every morning at 10:00 o'clock. You will hear a grand lesson in God's word at every one of these services. Be present and get your share of the good.

GREAT DEMAND FOR COTTON CHOPPERS

The demand for cotton choppers is equal to the demand for cotton pickers when we make a bumper cotton crop. The arrival of a half dozen negroes at Rowena a day or two ago was almost responsible for a falling out between men who claimed the first right to them. Phone messages received at The Ledger office Monday called for cotton choppers for that section of the county. The next two or three weeks will be mighty busy times in the cotton patch and the man who wants to hit the ball can get a job at so much per day and board.

John H. Webb, of the Pony creek country and G. W. Houston, of the Tennyson country, were among the visitors in Ballinger Saturday and reports their respective sections in good shape. While here Mr. Houston renewed with the Banner-Ledger.

NEGRO ARRESTED FOR FEDERAL THEFT

SAN ANGELO, May 29.—Since the federal law, like the state law, is not a respecter of persons, and is easily overstepped when long and nimble fingers clutch a piece of interstate commerce with the intent to appropriate it to one's own uses and purposes, William Sanders, a negro, who used to enjoy wearing a blue suit with buttons of brass when he was a porter on a Santa Fe passenger train plying between San Angelo and Temple, is now languishing in the Tom Green county jail with a charge starting him in the face.

Sanders was arrested by Deputy United States Marshal Baylor Crawford of Brownwood, charged with purloining a hand bag traveling from San Francisco to Goth. am under check. It being an interstate shipment Sanders has to answer to the federal authorities, and Uncle Sam's no easy guy to "get by."

HUGHES PRESIDENTIAL BOOM IS LAUNCHED

CHICAGO, May 29.—The Hughes presidential boom opened here today when Frank Hitchcock, ex-chairman Republican committee, arrived. Mr. Hitchcock gave out a statement in which he says he is confident that Mr. Hughes will accept the nomination.

WE DENY THE RUMOR

It was rumored here last night that Ballinger had been visited by a terrific cyclone, but information by telephone stated that the rumor was false. There was a severe electrical storm at Ballinger, but no damage was done, according to telephone reports late last night. —Brownwood Bulletin.

Just a little illustration of what a false rumor can do. There was no storm, electrical display, or anything to frighten the natives in the least. It was one of those cloudy afternoons that cause the farmers to feel his pocket book growing by leaps and bounds.

A SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTI- TUTE AT THE METHODIST

The Sunday School Institute at the Methodist Church this afternoon will continue tonight beginning at 8:15. Dr. Emmit Hightower, Field Secretary of the Southwest Division will speak on "Efficiency in the Sunday School." Miss Peterson, Primary Expert from Dallas will speak on the Elementary Division. All the Sunday School workers of the city are most cordially invited. A good program is assured.

MAKING MONEY DIVERSIFYING

Rev. E. R. Stanford returned home from Goldsboro Sunday night where he had been for the past week conducting a revival. He says he had a very successful meeting, notwithstanding that it was a mighty busy time with the farmers and that rain interfered with the meeting twice during the week.

"The people are making money selling cream, eggs and other such produce in the Goldsboro country," said Rev. E. R. Stanford, and cream separators are doing a great deal towards keeping down the high cost of living.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

The Woodmen and families are requested to attend the W. C. memorial services Tuesday evening, May 30th, at the W. O. W. Hall.

MRS. CHESTER CHERRY, Guardian.
MRS. W. T. WARD, Clerk.

E. L. Resbury returned home Sunday from an extended business trip to points in South Texas.

1864 AND 1916 PRICES COMPARED

The American people may think that the prices now asked for various commodities are higher than warranted, but they hardly hold a candle to the prices during the Civil War.

On August 27, 1864, H. B. Claffin & Co. issued a price list, "for this day only," and customers were reminded, "you will see as above that goods continue to advance."

The price of American prints today, 7c, does not seem high in comparison with the 45c a yard asked in 1864.

A bleached cotton that brought 70c a yard can be had now for 9 1/4c. The many different cloths today are cheap when compared with the prices of Civil War time. In 1864 people paid 48 1/2c per yard for gingham, 45c for apron checks, 75c for cotton flannel, and other dry goods in proportion.

TO REPEAT WITHDRAWAL REQUEST

Special to The Daily Ledger: COLUMBUS, May 29.—Although no date has been set nor arrangements made for the conference between Gen. Pershing and Gen. Gaviara, the Carranza representative of Chihuahua, it is believed that Gen. Gaviara will speak for Carranza in pointed terms, suggesting that the big Carranza forces now in Chihuahua are capable of controlling the bandit situation and will again ask that the American troops be withdrawn.

INFANTRY ORDERED TO HARLINGEN

SAN ANTONIO, May 29.—The Texas border was given another detachment of troops this morning when orders were issued for the moving of the Third Texas infantry to Brownsville. The troops began entraining at once and will be put on border duty with headquarters at Harlingen. GREEKS.

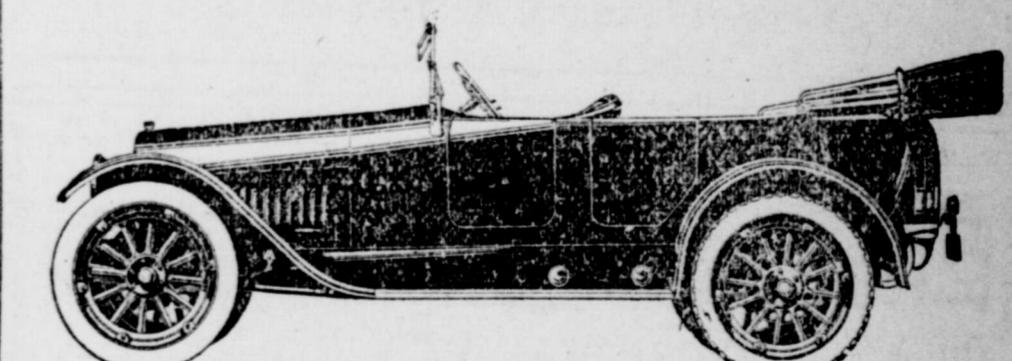
TOM GREEN HAS 29 CRIMINAL CASES.

There will be twenty-nine criminal cases on the docket subject to trial when the Tom Green district court begins its third week's session on Monday morning. Two cases have been set for trial during June and special venues have been ordered in each. These are the murder cases against Chris Pistol, set for June 19; and Espedron Alvarado, set for June 26. The date for the W. E. Lowe murder case has not yet been decided on.—San Angelo Standard.

GOOD RAINS IN WEST PART COUNTY.

Reports from the Norton country say that showers in that part of the county Saturday afternoon were plentiful for the present. In some places an inch of rain fell and crops greatly benefited.

W. A. Nance 393 NIGHT PHONES Henry Jones 556



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P. SHEPHERD, Business Mgr.

Cotton farmers crying for cotton choppers. Do you want to work?

It does not rain on the just and the unjust everytime it thunders.

The pros and antis both claim glory in the final result of the San Antonio pow wow. Where's the glory?

The tick law protects the cattlemen of this county against foreign ticks. Its against the law to bring cattle here from an open range without first giving them three dippings. Its a good law.

We predict that about all the parties will gain out of the second primary injunction in Tarrant county will be a little cheap notoriety. The candidates who expects to be nominated on the first ballot must plan to get a majority of all votes polled. There is no other way to escape the second test.

The program for the farmers short course to be held at the South Ward School house in South Ballinger on July 19, 20, and 21 has been received by The Ledger and will be published in due time. The program is a dandy one and every farmer who can should arrange to get the benefit of this summer school. It's free, the Business League paying all the local

expenses, while a team of instructors will come here from the extension department of the A. & M. College.

In the beginning the farmers considered the autos as an intruder upon the rights of the country man, and an enemy to all except the wealthy. Farmers today are deriving more benefit from the auto than any class of people and autos have paved the way for good roads. Many counties would be traveling rough roads today if the universal use of autos had not created a demand for better roads. What the last five years has brought about in road building is just a starter.

BETTER CREDIT FOR TEXAS FARMERS.

Farmers clubs and individual farmers interested in obtaining cheaper farm credit are invited to correspond with the Director of Extension of the Agricultural and Mechanical College. This service contemplates assisting farmers in a limited number of communities in organizing rural credit unions similar to the one at Red Springs in Smith County. It is planned to have a representative of the Extension Service visit clubs and groups of farmers interested in this subject during the summer and fall and prepare the way for organization in time to negotiate credit contracts for next year's operations, or earlier for special purposes. Address Clarence Ousley, Director of Extension, College Station, Texas.

The best reason for buying an Overland is what Overland owners say. Ask an Overland user. Phone 33.

THE UNWRITTEN CHICKEN LAW.

Considerable pressure has been brought to bear on the city council from time to time and efforts made to get that body to pass a chicken ordinance—a city law requiring people to keep their chickens confined on their own premises. So far the council has never had the "nerve" to pass on the matter, and it is perhaps best that the ordinance has not passed, for it would have found a place with many other of our city laws, and served only as a joke and no attempt made to enforce it.

We are now informed by the highest authority in the land on such matters, that this chicken question can be handled by carrying out the unwritten chicken law. In other words there is no law whereby any man can be punished for putting to death all chickens that trespass upon his premises and appropriate them for his own use. When you find a chicken making itself at home in your flower bed, don't hesitate, or debate what is the best thing to do. You should become the sole owner of such chicken immediately. Of course your neighbor will miss the chicken but he will charge it up to the rats, and become a rat enemy, and while you are protecting your garden and flower beds your neighbor will be busy swatting the rats, and everybody will be benefited except the chickens and the rats. There are a number of home beautifiers in this city, and families who find the garden a great way to keep down the high cost of living who have adopted the un-

Mr. and Mrs. Broad, of Brady, motored over to Ballinger Saturday and were the guests of her sister, Mrs. T. F. Wiley and family over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Corder, of the Valley creek country, were shopping in Ballinger Saturday afternoon.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. McGee's Baby Elixir is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c, and 50c per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

Rev. R. R. Rives returned home Saturday afternoon from a week's visit to his father at Henderson, Texas, and we are glad to learn his father was much better when he left his bedside. Mrs. Rives and two children joined him at Winters en route home after a short visit to Dr. Rives and family at that place.

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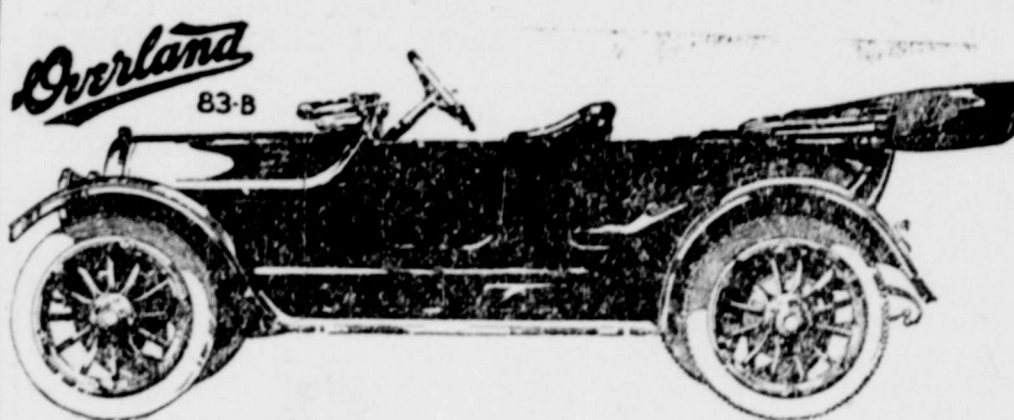
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Ernest and B. F. Marshall, of Maverick, J. L. Miller, of Winters, Jeff Riggs of the Wingate country, George Maddox of the Valley creek country and Jake Stubbfield, of Norton, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Monday.

Whooping Cough.

One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. S. W. McClinton, Blandon Springs, Ala., writes, "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as most any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got him well. Obtainable everywhere."

Watch the Fords Go By.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sharp, of Abilene, who had been visiting their relatives and friends in Ballinger and looking after business affairs, left for home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Jarrett are rejoicing over the arrival of a sweet little baby girl, born to them Monday, May 22nd, and we are glad to report mother and baby doing nicely.

How's This?

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Mrs. Emma Nash and little Miss Myrtle Sue and Eric Emma Norwood, left Saturday afternoon for Santa Anna to visit Mrs. Frank Miles and family.

Rev. W. T. Allan left Saturday afternoon to fill his regular appointment at the Episcopal church in Coleman over Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Jurick and little son left Saturday afternoon for Coleman to visit relatives and friends a few days.

Prof. H. G. Seerest left Saturday afternoon for Santa Anna on a short business trip.

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"I have been a sufferer from stomach trouble for a number of years, and although I have used a great number of remedies recommended for this complaint, Chamberlain's Tablets is the first medicine that has given me positive and lasting relief," writes Mrs. Anna Kadin, Spencerport, N. Y. "Chamberlain's Tablets have done wonders for me and I value them very highly." Obtainable everywhere.

Mrs. Florence Duke, of Lancaster, who had been visiting relatives and friends in our city and county the past few weeks, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas, of the Valley creek country, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elkins, of the Mud creek country, were shopping in Ballinger Saturday.

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.
J. O. WOODWARD.

Representative 11th District:
WALACE E. HAWKINS.
M. LESTER CHAMBERS

For County Clerk:
W. C. McCARVER.
C. C. COCKRELL.
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. L. BROWN

For Tax Collector:
W. T. PADGETT.
MIKE C. BOYD.
M. D. CHASTAIN

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.
L. S. BIRD.
JNO. C. WELLS

For Commissioner Pre. No. 1:
E. C. MOOR.
R. P. KIRK.
R. W. (Bob) GILLIAM.

S. A. Mackie and Knox Howlett, of the West Texas Telephone Co., left Saturday afternoon to visit home folks at Brownwood over Sunday.

W. J. Young of the Crews country, motored over to Ballinger Saturday to look after business affairs a few hours, and reports Mrs. Young improving in health since a severe illness of several weeks. He renewed with the Banner-Ledger for another year, while in the city.

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Society Happenings for Past Week

By Mrs. Carlos Dunn Telephone No. 374

A Request.

The society editor wishes to request the ladies who entertain to kindly apprise her of any entertainment given as soon as possible thereafter so that the write-up may appear at the right time. We have in this issue the reports of three affairs that should have appeared last week, but for some reason the reporter failed to hear of them until it was too late.

Don't consider this from a standpoint of modesty (we know there are very few people who want to publish their affairs) but rather think of it as a matter of accommodation to the newspaper people who want to publish the "news while it is news."

There was a mistake which we wish to correct—it occurred in the write-up of the soiree given at the home of Mrs. Giesecke on last Thursday. The report was given that Mrs. Geo. Holman was one of the hostesses when it should have been Mrs. A. C. Homann.

Delightful Evening With Mr. and Mrs. Giesecke.

On Thursday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. H. Giesecke were at home to a number of their friends to play forty-two.

The handsome and elegantly appointed Giesecke home was already in gala attire from the decoration of the afternoon before when a shower had been tendered Miss Van Pelt. Good luck emblems of horseshoes, four leaf clover and the dainty little love birds, interspersed with greenery, were arranged so tastefully and wittily that they gave each guest happy anticipations of the games, imparting a feeling of probable good fortune that added a zest to the playing.

Miss Van Pelt poured punch to refresh the guests as they arrived; score cards were passed and partners were matched for the twenty tables.

Quite such a number of Ballinger's married ladies and gentlemen have not been together before in quite a while for a series of games and the pleasure and excitement of the players can well be pictured. They were loathe to near the last game called and it was a late hour when they took their departure.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following ladies and gentlemen: Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Halley, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Douglass, Messrs and Mesdames Sam Baker, Estes Lynn, Jno. Weeks, Will Dunlap, U. P. Melton, D. P. Moser, Jr., H. W. Lynn, M. Kleberg, J. Y. Pearce, E. L. McElaine, H. Gardner, A. C. Homann, Geo. Vaughn, C. R. Stephens, J. F. Currie, Conda Wylie, C. P. Shepherd; Mesdames Townsend, Ransom, Long and Clemons; Misses Eddie Storm and Alva Van Pelt and Dr. Blaisdell and Mr. Pyburn.

Tacky Party.

On Thursday evening of last week Miss Corine Eskridge gave a tacky party to the members and a few friends of the Sunday School class of Miss Evans who left a few days later for her home, after a successful year's work in the Ballinger schools. Miss Evans is also the popular teacher of a large class of young people in the Ninth Street Baptist church and the members of this class regret to see her leave even for her summer vacation. The occasion mentioned was one of unreserved amusement and genuine fun. The many comical costumes and unlooked for combinations made some of the guests almost unrecognized and called forth peal after peal of laughter. The house itself was attired to suit the occasion, with gaily colored wall pictures, mottoes and things of the older days propriety to the younger generation. Miss Ethel Bair and Oscar Williams received the prizes for being the tackiest lady and gentleman, respectively.

Refreshments consisted of prime punch and salt crackers. A "tacky" party cannot be equaled for absolute abandonment of the conventions and free-for-all fun and this was no exception. All wish Miss Eskridge may entertain so again.

Enjoyable Slumber Party.

Miss Georgie Singletary invited nine of her girl friends to enjoy the night with her last Friday in a slumber party. Miss Evans, who was leaving soon for her summer vacation, was the honoree of the occasion.

A slumber party seems almost to be mis-named for sleep forms so slight a part, or time, of the pleasurable hours when a number of girls are in company. On the evening in question all kinds of merriment and mischief contrivable only by a crowd of happy young ladies, held sway until a late hour.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, and in the "wee sma' hours" the ladies were awakened by some of Ballinger's gallant young men.

The young ladies who enjoyed this happy occasion were: Misses Evans, Lucille Powell, Margaret Fitch, Ethel Bair, Mamie Gregory, Josie Golden, Corine Eskridge, Grace Dewitt and Georgie Singletary.

Sewing Club Meets.

Miss Abby Snell extended the hospitality of her home to the members of the J. U. G. Club Thursday afternoon, this being their regular weekly meeting day. No idling is allowed in this little club and soon after their arrival needles and thread begin to fly and the hours of the gathering are soon passed happily and profitably.

Marshmallow pudding and angel cake were served to refresh the guests when fancy work had been put aside.

The members, Misses Willie and Ludie Lankford, Pauline Hardin, and Abby Snell, Mmes. Hobart Nicholson and Ike Lane, and Miss Lois Allison as visitor, were the guests at this very pleasant session.

Pleasant Club Meeting.

The Linger Longer Club held a very pleasant meeting with Mrs. Andy Gustavus as hostess on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Gustavus' pretty rooms were made more attractive by the use of our native field flowers in several different varieties. These flowers produce beautiful effects and add beauty to any surrounding.

As a happy beginning to the afternoon's diversion the guests drank delicious punch, which was served by Miss Mamie Gregory.

After partners were matched a number of highly interesting games were played. Mrs. Douglass making high score for the day. Seven tables of players enjoyed the progressions from table to table, there being several guests outside the club membership.

A salad course of chicken salad, potato chips, olives, sandwiches and iced tea, was served to the following ladies: Mesdames Jno. Currie, B. C. Kirk, U. P. Melton, B. S. Long, W. A. Gustavus, Will Chastain, J. W. Powell, Ed Walker, R. B. Creasy, J. R. Lusk, Chas. Ferguson, H. H. Williams, Jno. Hopkinson, Jno. Weeks, Geo. Vaughn, W. E. Allen, J. G. Douglass, R. L. Harwell, S. P. Hathaway, J. K. Hutton, F. C. Miller, Jno. Lovelace, E. C. Baskin, P. Townsend, A. W. Sledge, Morris, Orgain, M. N. Gustavus and Misses Eddie Storm, Mamie Gregory and Gera Gaines.

Music Class Gives Recital.

As a fit ending for her year's teaching Mrs. Peyton Orgain presented her pupils in a class recital on last Friday evening.

For a number of years Mrs. Orgain has enjoyed an appreciative and ever-growing patronage and during the past winter her class was made up of thirty young people. This entertainment marked the close of the winter and spring term of her teaching which will be resumed about July 1st.

The parents and friends of their instructor's home on the evening mentioned and listened with these ambitious pupils gathered at pleasure and gratification as the program was rendered almost perfectly. Each number was heartily applauded and evidenced the fact that little folks and big had put careful study and earnest practice on their respective pieces.

During the evening the guests enjoyed refreshments of ice cream and cake and all voted Mrs. Orgain a royal entertainer as well as an able teacher.

A Beautiful Affair.

Incident to the O. E. S. School of Instruction and as a courtesy to the visiting ladies, especially those who hold offices of high honor in the order, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Halley tendered a reception in the rooms of the Ballinger Club Monday evening. Two hundred or more invitations were issued and most of the number availed themselves of the opportunity to enjoy such a rare occasion.

A reception committee composed of officers and members of the local O. E. S. Chapter greeted the guests in the hall of the club. This room was daintily and tastefully decorated with lavender thistle blooms from our own fair vales. After meeting the local representatives here, the guests were ushered into the reading room in which the host and hostess in receiving line with Mrs. Parker, Worthy Matron of the local chapter and the honor guests, who are all state officers, as follows: Miss Cora Posey, of Indian Creek, Grand Matron; Mrs. Nina M. Dowdy, of Hondo, Deputy Grand Matron; Mrs. Wilkins, Asst. Dep. Grand Matron; Mrs. Findlater, of San Angelo, Past Grand Matron; Miss Hollingsworth of Coleman and Mrs. Bizart, of Bangs, Grand Representatives of Oregon and Mississippi, respectively. Dr. and Mrs. Halley each also being state officers, this was a rather distinguished line to greet the numerous guests.

Mrs. Halley is Grand Rep. of Colorado and Dr. Halley is Grand Sentinel of Texas, this being the only appointive office within the power of the Grand Matron. The room in which the host and hostess received was resplendent in decorations of red and brown field daisies arranged in elaborate profusion in large baskets.

Another apartment set aside for the punch bowl and a get-acquainted nook was perfectly beautiful in its own decorations, peculiar to the Eastern Star Order. The table for the punch bowl, which was presided over by Misses Bailey and Toulme, was a bower of green and made a very attractive picture. In the center of the room was a circular table laid with an elegant elumy cloth in the center of which reposed a beautiful handpainted jardeneire, containing a large bouquet of red and white carnations. Suspended from the light above to the edge of this table were streamers of meline in the blue, yellow, white, green and red, of O. E. S. lore, each held in place by a small brass basket of flowers corresponding in color to the meline it held.

The whole suite of rooms were so touched up with a bit of elegant linen, potted plants and cut flowers as to present a very cozy homelike appearance, which added much to the comfort of the guests.

The Ballinger band stationed in the dance hall, furnished music during the evening and to its strains a number of ladies of the Ballinger chapter gave a beautiful march drill which included some intricate figures, one of them being a star. After witnessing this, the guests were served to delicious ice cream and white cake.

This proved to be one of the most brilliant affairs within the memory of Ballinger's social events and the many visitors proclaim Dr. and Mrs. Halley gracious and hospitable entertainers and all felt enriched for having come in contact with the grand officers visiting our city.

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Watch the Fords Go By.

T. E. Brown of Brownwood, who had been visiting his sons, Pink and Rad Brown and their families, returned home Monday morning.

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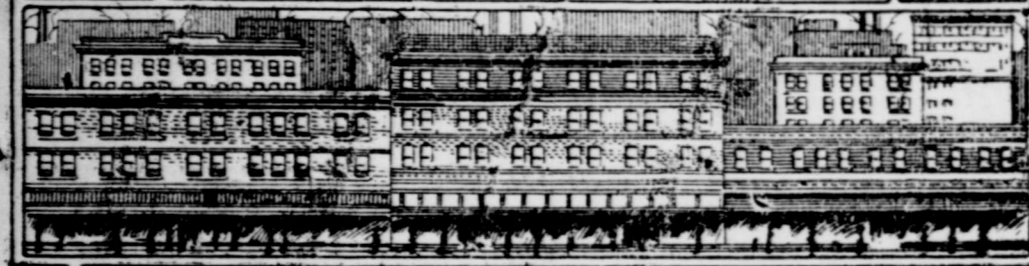
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The left-hand one with the new Russian blouse has the deep yoke and soft, full sleeve, both features much in demand this season. And in the right-hand dress tucks and frills conspire to give you more slender and youthful lines than ever.

And for the making of these frocks nothing can excel the newest and daintiest of the Summer materials such as all the varieties of the voiles and organdies, also marquisette, dimity and batiste, linen, lawn, and striped materials.

Party Dresses

Today's express left for us a wonderful collection of cool and inviting party dresses. Beautiful white and dainty colors. These are a pick-up by our New York buyer and have been marked appealing. They are great values at

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Of course Ballinger will bring her band and when they get here they will find Winters band on the

job, some thrilling speeches will be made and a good time all around will be had by all parties. —Winters Enterprise.

Barbed wire cuts, ragged wounds, collar and harness galls heal up quickly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is applied. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Walker Drug Co.

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MORTUARY.

Mrs. H. C. Brunson

Mrs. Brunson, wife of H. C. Brunson, of the Dry Ridge neighborhood, died at her home Monday morning, May 29th at 3:35 and funeral services were conducted by Rev. T. C. Jester at their residence at 4 o'clock p. m. and the remains were tenderly laid to rest in the Ballinger cemetery. She was a devoted and loving wife and mother and a consistent member of the Baptist church and besides her husband and two grown children, a son and daughter, she leaves a large circle of friends and acquaintances, who join The Ledger in sincere condolence and sympathy in this sad hour of bereavement.

Fr. Block Dead

Mr. Fr. Block, one of the prominent and highly esteemed citizens of the Olin country, died at San Angelo Sunday and the remains were shipped to Rowena en route to his home near Olin and the remains were tenderly laid to rest in the cemetery Monday afternoon. The large concourse of people who attended the funeral fully attested the high esteem in which he was held by our entire citizenship. The Ledger joins a host of friends all over this section in condolence and sympathy for the sad relatives left to mourn his death.

A Symbol of Health.

The Pythagorians of Ancient Greece ate simple food, practiced temperance and purity. As a badge they used the five pointed star which they regarded as a symbol of health. A red pointed star appears on each package of Chamberlain's Tablets and still fulfills its ancient mission as a symbol of health. If you are troubled with indigestion, biliousness or constipation, get a package of these tablets from your druggist. You will be surprised at the quick relief which they afford. Obtainable everywhere.

WARNING TO DOG OWNERS.

Every owner of a dog in the City of Ballinger, after June 1st, 1916, must pay city secretary \$1 license and place on dog metal or leather collar with number of license on said collar.

City marshal shall take up every dog found running at large in said city, without said collar and impound same and kill same after three days posted notice, unless owner pays marshal \$1.00 and cost of care.

All owners of dogs running at large not muzzled with wire, so it can't bite or hurt people shall pay a fine not more than \$10.

J. W. POWELL, Mayor.
24-5td

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Dog muzzles and dog collars, made to order. See the "Busy Shop" H. L. WENDORF, Prop. dwtf

J. W. Norman of Paint Rock, came in Saturday to accompany his aunt, Mrs. Alice Fultz, who was enroute to her home at Houston, after a pleasant visit to her nephew.

Rheumatic Pain Stopped.

The drawing of muscles, the soreness, stiffness and agonizing pain of rheumatism quickly yield to Sloan's Liniment. It stimulates circulation to the painful part. Just apply as directed to the sore spots. In a short time the pain gives way to a tingling sensation of comfort and warmth. Here's proof—"I have had wonderful relief since I used your Liniment on my knee. To think one application gave me relief. Sorry I haven't space to tell you the story. Thanking you for what your remedy has done for me." James S. Ferguson, Philadelphia, Penn. Sloan's Liniment kills pain. 25c at Druggists.

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Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from a disordered liver. Take Hay's Liver Health if you've a dark brown taste, that dull, tired feeling, if you feel dizzy and head-achy and upset generally. You'll find quick, sure and pleasant results from it. Be sure to ask for Hay's Liver Health, at any druggist's, to prove to yourself what it means to keep feeling fine all the time. City Drug Store.

BETHEL TEACHERS ELECTED.

The trustees of Bethel High School have elected for the ensuing year the following teachers:

Principal, Mr. C. A. Womack, Miss Keva Kraig, Miss Nan Crouch and Miss Pearl Porterfield.

We consider ourselves fortunate in securing this faculty. Mr. Womack is well known in our county as a teacher of ability and success. The three ladies have proven their ability during the past year.

J. W. Bigby,
W. J. Davis,
P. B. Reynolds,
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Sudden changes, high winds, shifting seasons cause colds and grippe, and these spring colds are likely to turn into a chronic summer cough. In such cases take a treatment of Dr. King's New Discovery, a pleasant Laxative Tar Syrup. It soothes the cough, checks the cold and helps break up an attack of grippe. It's already prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. Tested and tried for over 40 years.

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Mrs. L. C. Jackson, of Miles who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thos. A. Rape and family, left for home Monday at noon.

Mr. Lindrose, who is the auto representative of Higginbotham, Currie, Williams Co., left Monday morning for Coleman in the interest of his company.

The best reason for buying an Overland is what Overland owners say. Ask an Overland user. Phone 33-1fd

E. F. Edwards and W. O. Cryer, of Winters, were looking after business affairs in Ballinger Monday.

Miss Carrie Ruth Vanderventer left Monday morning for Santa Anna to visit relatives and friends a few days.

Rheumatism

If you are troubled with chronic or muscular rheumatism give Chamberlain's Liniment a trial. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. Obtainable everywhere.

Mrs. H. A. Newby, of Brownwood, came in Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Simpson and family and will go on to Winters to attend the Ladies' Missionary meeting of the M. E. church, which convenes in that city next Thursday.

Watch the Fords Go By.

SHERIFF SEE SNAKES WHILE MAKING ARREST

For many months a gang of organized Mexicans has been making raids on cattle just outside of the city limits. The cattle, as a rule, only one at a time being taken, are slaughtered for meat. The Sheriff's Department has been making every effort to run down the thieves.

About 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon the phone in the Sheriff's rang violently. A negro phoned that a Mexican with freshly slaughtered beef, in two sacks slung across his shoulders, was out on the South Loop crossing a field. Chief Deputy Sheriff J. W. Galbreath and Deputy Sheriffs Alphonso Newton and Antonio Diaz rushed out in an automobile.

In the heat of the day, perspiration pouring from his face, Chief Deputy Galbreath crawled thru several wire fences, walked a mile or so and finally came up behind the Mexicans. "Throw up your hands," commanded the officer, leveling a huge baby cannon.

The Mexican threw up his hands "Gime that sack", again commanded Galbreath. Very willingly the Mexican did so.

"What you got in that sack?" inquired Galbreath. As he jerked the sack, there was a squirming and then a buzzing as if a nest of bees had been disturbed.

The officer let out a yell and threw the sack six yards away. It was filled with live rattlers. Each snake able and guaranteed to deal death with a flick of his fangs.

"Me catch um snakes, for two years," the Mexican proudly informed Galbreath. It is of record that the officer "waited not on the manner of his going" and that several farmers have bills against Sheriff for wire fences torn down while on the way back. —San Antonio Express.

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The young ladies of Ballinger are giving a Leap Year Dance at the Club Rooms Monday, May 29th. All members are cordially invited to attend.

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than Ballard's Snow Liment. In cuts, wounds, sprains, burns, scalds and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Mrs. S. A. Matthis and two children of Hatchel, passed through Ballinger Saturday en route to San Angelo to visit her daughter Mrs. Monroe Voglesang a few days.

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Tomorrow, "Mignonette" Bills Wife, and Universal Animated Weekly.

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