

BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

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PRICE FIVE CENTS.

RUSHING TERMS FOR GERMANY

Paris, March 12.—The peace conference is expected to have preliminary peace terms with Germany ready this week. This announcement comes following greatly increased speed of the supreme war council in agreeing on terms to be submitted to Germany.

REMAINS SHIPPED TO ALABAMA

The remains of Tolbert A. Randolph were shipped to his home in Alabama, over the A. & S. Wednesday afternoon, accompanied by his son, Raymond Randolph.

Mr. Randolph died at Wingate, Tuesday after a lingering illness with tuberculosis. He came to this country for his health about three years ago, bringing his family with him. After living here awhile, Mr. Randolph moved back to Alabama, and a few months ago he returned here, accompanied by his son, leaving his family in Alabama.

He was forty-three years old, and is survived by a wife and several children.

Mrs. Harvey Hines

C. R. Crews was called to Winters Tuesday to embalm the body of Mrs. Harvey Hines, who died at that place Tuesday night. The remains will be carried to Paint Rock for burial. Mrs. Hines formerly lived near Ballinger.

Sarah Maxine Tunnell

Sarah Maxine, aged eight years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Tunnell, of the Hatchel country, died Monday. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, and the remains interred in the Runnels Cemetery. The heart broken parents have the sympathy of their friends in their sorrow.

J. W. Mery, of Stamford, came in Wednesday at noon, and is here for a visit to his brother-in-law, L. H. Hamilton, and nephew P. H. Hamilton.

PRESIDENT AT BREST TOMORROW

Aboard the George Washington, March 12.—President Wilson is nearing the French landing. The George Washington is due to arrive at Brest tomorrow. Mr. Wilson announced that his plans called for his return to the United States the latter part of May.

DECORATING CLUB ROOMS

The Club Rooms are being decorated and made ready for the C. of C. Banquet Friday night. The committees are at work perfecting all plans for the banquet, and it promises to be one of the most successful business men's banquets ever held in this city. Get your tickets.

THE RECORD PRICE

Twenty thousand dollars per acre for your old poor land—the land that you have threatened to move off and leave for the past several years because it would not even grow peanuts, sounds like fiction—but it is true. That is the price F. W. Evans of Joplin, Mo., paid per acre for two and a half acres just west of the Burk Burnett townsite. This is the record price paid for acreage in Texas, and it is possible that there will be thousands of acres in this great state sell for a like price with 190 counties in Texas under active development at this time.—Petroleum News.

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is the time to start your
spring tonic, take

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For sale only at

WEEKS

THOSE WHO WILL ATTEND BANQUET

It was naturally expected that some would renig, pull back and decline to attend the banquet to be given Friday night by the Chamber of Commerce. Some offer reasonable excuses, while some adhere to their old policy of being "agin" everything.

The committee is suffering no uneasiness about having more tickets than they can sell. However, the arrangements committee announces that only two hundred can be provided for, and when that number of tickets are sold, the lid will be on.

The program committees have perfected an interesting program, and those who do not attend the banquet will miss something worth while. There will be at least three out-of-town speakers on the program, and the musical program will be a treat.

Up to noon today the following parties had purchased tickets, and you can see what is left out of the two hundred tickets. If you expect to buy a ticket you will have to see a member of the committee at once. E. Shepperd, R. T. Williams, John Weeks, Estes Lynn or most any man with the best interest of Ballinger at heart, will direct you how to make a deal for a ticket.

Paul Trimmer 2, H. Giesecke 2, H. M. Josey 2, G. G. Carlisle 2, A. K. Doss 1, D. Reeder 2, Scott H. Maek 2, Geo. Hoban 2, Dr. W. W. Fowler 1, E. V. Bateman 1, C. J. Lynn 2, J. R. Lusk 2, Rev. H. P. Bates 1, E. A. Trail 2, J. Y. Pearce 2, W. F. Setzler 2, S. H. Carringer 2, U. P. Melton 1, Carl Guin 4, T. S. Lankford 1, Abe Lankford 1, Mrs. E. K. Smith 1, J. E. Brewer 2, E. Shepperd 2, C. S. Miller 1, Q. V. Miller 1, Cad Williams 1, A. W. Sledge 2, W. C. Penn 2, R. T. Williams 2, Judge Woodward 1, Walter Early 1, J. P. Pogue 1, T. F. Bridwell 2, R. L. Moore 1, C. C. Gilliam 2, D. P. Holliday 2, Leo Hardin 2, Aug. McWilliams 1, V. Weinberg 1, Claude Wineth 1, Will Doose 2, Dan Moser 1, M. C. Smith 4, C. P. Shepherd 2, Jno. I. Guion 2, R. E. George 2, H. C. Gardner 3, Will Dunlap 2, F. W. Hunter 2, John A. Weeks 2, J. W. Powell 2, David Gregory 2, Ed. Day 1, J. W. Blasdel 2, C. A. Doose 4, Thad Thomson 2, Bob Kirk 2, O. Pearson 2, Will Schlyer 1, O. L. Parish 2, W. C. McCarver 2, A. J. Thorp 1, J. Whit Patterson 1, R. G. Erwin 1, Harry Lynn 1, W. R. Bogle 1, Celeste McMinn 1, D. M. Baker 1, J. L. Chastain 2, M. McGregor 2, J. McGregor 2, A. McGregor 2, Estes Lynn 2, L. M. Castor 2, . . . Saunders 2, R. L. Harwell 2, E. D. Walker 2, Don A. Sweat 1, Orchestra 8, D. F. Eaton 2, Robt. Lewis Williams 2, C. L. Baker 2, J. A. Williams 2, Sim Cottelle 3, Albert Aufferbach 2, J. A. Reese 1, J. J. Erwin 2, H. O. Rhodes 1, Leo Hardin 1, L. B. Stubbs 2, Sam Baker 1, R. J. Wheeler 1, J. J. Yearby 2, C. W. Northington 1, J. K. Hutton 1, Miss Anna Jean Sharp 1, R. A. Nicholson 6.

SERIOUSLY ILL ON HIS 80th BIRTHDAY

The news coming from his home today says that Uncle Dick Tillery is not getting along well, and his condition is serious. Uncle Dick has been ill several weeks. He is eighty years old today, March 12th.

We are glad to note that Mrs. R. Q. Fitzgerald, who was operated on at the Halley & Love Sanitarium last Saturday, is getting along nicely. Mr. Fitzgerald, who is working at San Angelo, and who came down to be with his wife has returned to his work at San Angelo.

SPARTACAN FIGHTING IS SPREADING

Basel, March 12.—Dispatches coming here today from Berlin relate the establishment of martial law in West Prussia, following advances of the Spartacan forces from the east. It is possible that the Spartacans are receiving aid from the east from the Russian bolshevik forces.

Fighting was resumed in Berlin yesterday, government troops capturing the suburbs of Lichtenberg. The Spartacans are still entrenched in other parts of the city.

DETECTIVE RUNNING DOWN BANK ROBBERS

W. A. Boyd, special detective for the State Bankers Association, returned here Wednesday, and is continuing his work on the bank robbery case. Mr. Boyd spent several days in Abilene, and at towns along the T. & P. Of course he declines to give out for publication anything he might have found to connect the men being held here with the bank robbery at Winters.

The grand jury is working on the case, and many witnesses have been brought here to tell what they know about the case, and to see whether they could identify the men being held. It was stated upon good authority Wednesday that at least two of the men had been identified as being in the party of bandits when the battle between the robbers and the officers took place at Buffalo Gap.

It was rumored here that O. C. Wells, an escaped convict, who is known to officers throughout this part of the state was seen in this section of the country a few days before the robbery, but this was proven to be false Tuesday, when a telegram from the sheriff of Bosque county stated that Wells was in jail at Meridian, Texas, pending trial for burglary in that county.

The dead man who has been positively identified as E. A. Enman, an ex-convict, and a man with a bad criminal record, has not been buried. His remains are being held pending the grand jury investigation. The authorities stated that the remains would be buried in a day or two.

The man brought here from Abilene Monday, and who was reported to be John R. McFadden, has not been identified as McFadden, and he declines to answer to that name. He states that his name is Walter Harris, but declines to say where he is from, or give out any information. He told the officers that he would talk at the proper time, prove an alibi and tell them something that would surprise them. This is the man who was arrested at a farm house while he was asleep with two automatic pistols under his pillow on the morning following the battle with the officers. He has been identified as one of the men who was in the bandit party and participated in the shooting.

"Are two yeggs still at large?" asks the Abilene Reporter, in giving an account of what is purported to be the movements of Newton and Jackson on the night of the robbery. The Reporter quotes the Taylor county sheriff as expressing the opinion that Newton and Jackson had nothing to do with

PREDICTS BIG IRISH REVOLUTION

New York, March 12.—In a copyright interview granted to the United Press reporters near Dublin, Ireland, where Edward Devalera, the fugitive president of the Sinn Fein party of Ireland, is in hiding following his escape from Lincoln, England jail early in February, Devalera predicted that a bloody Irish revolution will take place if the peace conference does not grant the right of self government to Ireland. The Sinn Feiners are only waiting the action of the conference to recognize their independence.

the robbery.

The Reporter says:

"This developed when it was unearthed on pretty fair evidence that neither Jack Johnson nor 'Skinny' Newton, arrested near Estaka a day or two following the bank robbery, were principals in the robbery, they procuring fairly good information that they were not at Winters on the night of the robbery. It is believed that they will be able to prove alibis. Sheriff John Band received information that the men claim they were in Abilene and Merkel on the night of the alleged robbery, and that they took supper in a local restaurant and played 'games' on the creek near the Abilene and Southern railway roundhouse. One of the men appended a note giving the purported movements of the two men for a period which proceeded and followed the time when the bank was robbed at Winters. The statement gives information on which if true, will be able to solve their movements, if the persons who saw them can testify that they were in their places of business. The men claim they were hobnobbing their way during the night and talked with railroad man on the Texas and Pacific train and gave him a chew of tobacco. They believe they can find this railroad man and prove that they were on his train when the alleged Winters robbery was committed. Developments following the street battle at Buffalo Gap tend to prove that two other men and not the two mentioned assisted Enman in the robbery, and that some of their actions were seen after the robbery.

"The big Hudson Super Six car is being held by Sheriff Perkins at Ballinger. Sheriff Band declares that the only large car stolen anywhere in the country that he has any notice of was at Addison, N. M. Much of the casing of the car was stolen after the car was abandoned by the yeggs. The agent at Tye on the Texas and Pacific is said to have stated that he saw a light delivery truck which contained some large casings. Previous to this time, it was stated, a party met the light truck near the place where the car was stashed a party net the light truck stopped and one of the men stopped.

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Willard Battery Service, the best in the world, complete stock of batteries.

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"My sedentary habits have necessitated the use of an occasional laxative. I have tried many but found nothing better than Chamberlain's Tablets," writes George F. Daniels, Hardwick, Vt. Mr. Daniels is proprietor of the Hardwick Inn, one of the model hotels of New England.

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FOR PROMPT RELIEF FROM Grip, Sore Throat, Cold and all Inflammation and Congestion, Cream of Mustard gives instant relief and comfort to the sufferer.

It is far superior to mustard plasters or any liniment on the market. It relieves congestion, inflammation and pain almost instantly. It takes the place of plasters or liniments for colds, pains and aches.

It has produced wonderful results with thousands afflicted with sore throat, tonsillitis, stiff neck, neuralgia, congestion, rheumatism, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, colds in the chest, bronchitis, croup, headache, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints and chilblains.

Every household should have a jar of Cream of Mustard in the medicine chest for emergency. Ask your druggist: 25c and 50c jars, hospital size, \$2.50.

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HER DAUGHTER WAS SAVED FROM OPERATION

Mrs. Wells of Petersburg Tells How.

Petersburg, Va.—"For two years my daughter suffered from a weakness and pains in her right side; at times she was so bad she could not do any work. For two years she was attended by the best physicians here, and both agreed that she would have to be operated on. I suggested Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and at first she refused to take it, but finally consented. From the very beginning it helped her, and now she is entirely well, and telling everybody how much good it has done her."—Mrs. W. D. WELLS, 226 North Adams Street, Petersburg, Va.

If every girl who suffers as Miss Wells did, or from irregularities, painful periods, backache, headache, dragging down pains, inflammation or ulceration would only give this famous root and herb remedy a trial they would soon find relief from such suffering.

For special advice women are asked to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of forty years' experience is at your service.

ALL SOLDIERS ARE GIVEN HONOR HERE

Trees in honor of twenty-three soldiers, one memorial tree and one tree in honor of Chas Noyes, who was killed by his horse falling on him, has been planted in the local park. M. C. Falls states that every name furnished him has been placed upon the trees, and if there are any soldiers who have been overlooked, they will be honored if some will furnish the name, as there are those who wish to furnish the trees.

The Ledger published the names of the soldiers and the names of the parties giving trees a few days ago. Since that date the following named soldiers have had a tree planted for them:

Arthur Straach—J. N. Harris, Mert M. Galloway—J. McGreg-

or. John W. Allen—H. M. Josey, D. L. Petty—S. V. Parish.

Why Colds are Dangerous

You are often told to "beware of a cold," but why? We will tell you: Every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases. People who contract pneumonia first take cold. The longer a cold hangs on, the greater the danger, especially from the germ diseases, as a cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the germ of consumption, diphtheria, scarlet fever and whooping cough. The quicker you get rid of your cold, the less the danger of contracting one of these diseases. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation as a cure for colds and can be depended upon. It is pleasant to take.

BENJAMIN F. ALLEN DIED WEDNESDAY

Benjamin F. Allen, age 48 years, 6 months and one day, died at five a. m. Wednesday, March 12th. The funeral services were conducted from the family residence on Sealy Avenue, by Rev. J. B. Curry, at 4:30 Wednesday afternoon. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

The death of Mr. Allen did not come as surprise to his friends, and acquaintances. He has been lingering at death's door for many weeks and had been in poor health for many months, suffering with tuberculosis.

Deceased came to this county many years ago, and was engaged in the house moving business here for several years, and served as constable of this precinct for one term. He was an active member of the W. O. W. Lodge, taking much interest in the work of the order when his health would permit of it.

Mr. Allen is survived by a wife and several children, having one son in the navy. These have the sympathy of their friends.

HEARD IN BALLINGER

How Bad Backs Have Been Made Strong—Kidney Ills Corrected

All over Ballinger you hear it. Doan's Kidney Pills are keeping up the good work. Ballinger people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again. You can believe the testimony of your own townspeople. They tell it for the benefit of you who are suffering. If your back aches, if you feel lame, sore and miserable, if the kidneys act too frequently, or passages are painful scanty and off color, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that helped so many of your friends and neighbors. Follow this Ballinger citizen's advice and give Doan's a chance to do the same for you.

D. C. Claypool, contractor, 500 13th St., Ballinger, says: "My kidneys were out of order and I had soreness and dull pains across the small of my back. I used Doan's Kidney Pills which I got from the Walker Drug Co. and they soon strengthened my back."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Claypool had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their untiring efforts to alleviate the suffering of our dear Boy during his illness, and for the letters and words of sympathy and encouragement at his death.

We thank our friends for the beautiful floral offerings, they were beautiful indeed.

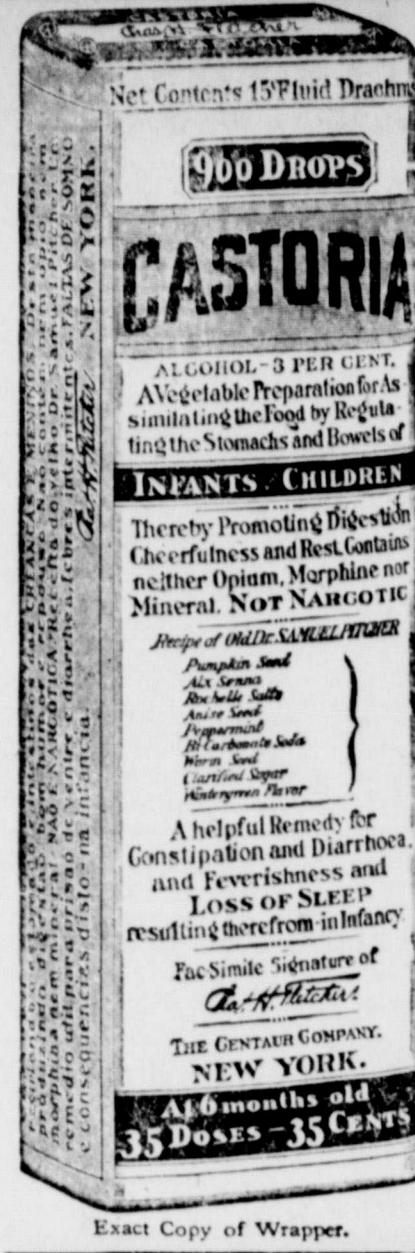
We wish to thank all who aided us in any way, and especially do we thank Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Snell for their kindness, such kindness God alone can reward.

May the good Lord ever bless you all, and may we all clasp hands with Boy on that beautiful shore, is the prayer of a heart-broken family.

Edgar Jayroe and family.
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SURGEONS agree that in cases of cuts, burns, bruises and wounds, the first treatment is most important. When an efficient antiseptic is promptly applied, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the Ideal Antiseptic and Healing Agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. For sale by Weeks Drug Store.

Chas. Giesecke, of San Antonio, arrived Wednesday on a visit to his brother H. Giesecke and friends. We are glad to note Mr. Giesecke greatly improved in health.



CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria

Always Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher In Use For Over

Thirty Years **CASTORIA**

M. H. Witt left for Fort Worth, Tuesday, where he went to mix with the stockmen at the Fat Stock Show.

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Phone your orders for meat early to 101 and we will deliver to your grocer promptly.
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DRUGGISTS! VICK'S VAPORUB SHORTAGE OVERCOME AT LAST

The Deal Scheduled for Last November, Which Was Postponed on Account of the Influenza Epidemic, Is Now Re-instated—Good During the Month of March.

OVER ONE MILLION JARS OF VAPORUB PRODUCED EACH WEEK

It is with pride that we announce to the drug trade that the shortage of Vick's Vaporub which has lasted since last October, is now overcome. Since January 1st, we have been running our laboratory twenty-three and a half hours out of every twenty-four. Last week we shipped the last of our back orders, and retail druggists, therefore, are no longer requested to order in small quantities only.

NOVEMBER DEAL RE-INSTATED

This deal, which we had expected to put on last November and which had to be postponed on account of the shortage of Vaporub, is re-instated for the month of March. This allows a discount of 10 per cent on shipments from jobbers' stock of quantities of from 1 to 4 gross. 5 per cent of this discount is allowed by the jobber and 5 per cent by us.

We advise the retail druggist to place their orders immediately, so that the jobbers will be able to get prompt shipment to them.

Thanks of the Public Due the Drug Trade During the Influenza Epidemic.

The thanks of the American public are certainly due the entire drug trade—retail, wholesale and manufacturing—for what they accomplished during the recent influenza epidemic. The war caused a shortage of physicians—nurses were almost impossible to obtain—the demand on the drug trade was unexpected and overwhelming, and to this demand they responded nobly. Retail druggists kept open day and night where they dropped behind the prescription counter. Wholesale druggists called their salesmen off the road to help fill orders—hundreds wired us to ship Vick's Vaporub by the quickest route, regardless of expense.

A Tremendous Job to Increase Our Production



In this emergency we have tried to do our part. We scoured the country for raw materials—our Traffic Manager spent his days riding freight cars—we shopped raw materials in earloads lots by express and pleaded with manufacturers to increase their deliveries to us.

But it was a slow process. Some of our raw materials are produced only in Japan—supplies in this country were low and shipments required three months to come from the Far East. Then we had to recruit and train skilled labor. We brought our salesmen into the factory and trained them as foremen. We invented new machinery and managed to install it on Christmas Day, so as not to interfere with our daily production.

143 JARS OF VAPORUB EVERY MINUTE DAY AND NIGHT

By January 1st we had everything ready to put on our night shift, and since then our laboratory has been running day and night. To feed our automatic machines, which drop out one hundred and forty-three jars of Vaporub a minute or one million and eighty thousand weekly, has required a force of 500 people. Our Cafe Department, created for the benefit of these workers, served 7000 meals during the month of January alone.

13 MILLION JARS VAPORUB DISTRIBUTED SINCE OCTOBER

An idea of the work we have accomplished this fall may be given by our production figures—13,038,976 jars of Vaporub manufactured and distributed since last October—one jar for every two families in the entire United States.

During the influenza epidemic, Vick's Vaporub was used as an external application in connection with the physicians' treatment and thousands of people unable to obtain a doctor, relied on Vick's almost exclusively.

Laterally millions of families all over the country, from California to Maine, and from the Great Lakes to the Gulf, have found Vick's Vaporub the ideal home remedy for croup and cold troubles.

and co-operate with the National Sanitary Live Stock Board in eradicating this country of the tick. The bill just passed comes as an amendment to the livestock sanitary law in Texas.

FOR FEEBLE OLD PEOPLE

John Devitt recommends Vinol to create Strength and Vitality

Marlton, N. J.,—“I am 69 years of age and after a severe sickness, was in a weak, run down condition. Vinol has built me up and made me strong, so now I feel real well again, and I can recommend it to others for such conditions.”

—John M. Devitt.
The reason Vinol was so successful in Mr. Devitt's case is because it contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones and glycerophosphates the very elements needed to build up a weakened, run down system, make rich, red blood and create strength. It is perfectly wonderful what it does for old people.

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co., City Drug Store and druggist everywhere.

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State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

((Seal)) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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T. L. Acree, Local Manager

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That the telephone in the farm residence, city residence and business establishment costs less than any of the other conveniences at hand.

Isn't it logical to assume that without the telephone today, the high cost of living would tend to be still higher.

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Check it up, Mr. Merchant, and see if you have enough telephone doors for your patrons to enter [your establishment] without having to be told you're busy.

We are ready to serve you on short notice. Telephone or write our manager who will be glad to answer questions and help you to determine your telephone needs.

West Texas Telephone Co.
C. C. BRITTON, Local Mgr.

NO MORE TICK ELECTIONS NECESSARY

The legislature has passed a law authorizing commissioners courts to make appropriations to carry on tick eradication work, and this law is now up to Gov. Hobby to sign, and it will become effective. The governor is expected to sign

the bill. Brown county was in the act of voting on tick eradication, and the county judge of that county has called off the election which was scheduled for March 15th. Hereafter it will not be necessary to vote out the ticks, but it will be the duty of the commissioners court to make the appropriation

Spring Insurance

If you were sure that your neighbors house was going to burn and you knew that he didn't have it insured, would you not try and get him to take out some? The same conditions exist if his house is standing unpainted. Time and the elements are just as surely consuming his home as if it were on fire. Not so quickly but much more surely. You may miss a fire, but you cannot escape the ravages of the sun and the elements. Safety is not the only feature of the insurance that we sell. The pleasure of looking at your neatly painted home is worth the money it cost.

Call and talk to us about your Spring Painting. Lets dress Ballinger and Vicinity up in a new Spring suit, in preparation for the big boom.

Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc.

NEW PREACHER HERE

Rev. J. S. Stockard, of Cisco, is here in the interest of the work of the local Christian church. Rev. Stockard will meet with the Christian congregation tonight, and may accept a call to the local field. The Christian church has been without a pastor for quite a while and they are now on the look out for a man to serve them.

DISTRICT COURT TAKES RECESS

The Civil docket for the present term of court was disposed of Wednesday, with the exception of perhaps a few minor non-jury cases in which their is no contest, and Judge Woodward announced a recess. The petit jury for the week was dismissed Tuesday, no cases being tried. Judge Woodward will probably return home, as he received a message that his wife was sick. The Elms murder case will be called next Wednesday, but the regular petit jury for criminal week will answer roll call at one-thirty Monday.

Has Had Stomach Trouble for Seven Years

Theodore Sanford of Fenmore, Mich., has had stomach trouble for seven years and could not eat vegetables or fruit without pain in the stomach and restless nights. By taking Chamberlain's Tablets he is now able to eat vegetables or fruit without causing pain or sleeplessness. If troubled with indigestion or constipation give these tablets a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial.

Take HERBINE for indigestion. It relieves the pain in a few minutes and forces the fermented matter which causes the misery into the bowels where it is expelled. For sale by Weeks Drug Store.

QUEEN

Tonight

THOS. H. INCE
Presents

Enid Bennett

In

"Partners Three"

A Paramount Production

Daily Ledger Want Ads

LOST—Goldrim eye glasses in black case. Return to Ledger office. 1td pd.

EGGS—Large Buff Orpington eggs, 75c per setting at Hartman's Store or at my home on Valley Creek. J. A. Patterson 1d&w pd

S. C. White Leghorn Eggs from 250 to 270 egg laying strain. \$2.00 per setting, \$8.00 per 100 carefully selected. Mrs. D. F. Eaton. d&w tf.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red Eggs, from Guion Stephens strain. \$1.50 for 15. Carl Guin. dtf

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, cures weak and lame back, rheumatism, and 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 \$1.25. One small bottle is two month's treatment, and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggist.

A pain in the side or back that catches you when you straighten up calls for a rubbing application of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It relaxes the contracted muscles and permits ordinary bodily motion without suffering or inconvenience. Sold by Weeks Drug Store.



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SENPAINE, the great discovery for ASTHMA, HAY FEVER, BRONCHITIS and CATARRH, has produced wonderful results with thousands of the most stubborn cases.

If you have experimented with other treatments and have failed do not be discouraged, but try at our expense this truly meritorious remedy.

Send right now for a free trial before you forget it. Address

WOODWORTH COMPANY,
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For head or throat
Catarrh try the
vapor treatment—

VICK'S VAPORUB
"YOUR BODYGUARD" - 30¢, 60¢, \$1.20

Spring Time is Dress-Up Time



Don't wait until Easter is here and then be disappointed because your new suit did not arrive.

All the Newest Styles, the Latest Weaves, Colors and Patterns are yours to choose from.

The prices are sensible—No extra charge for large sizes, Fancy styles, Chamois pockets, arm shields, reinforcing at points of wear or any convenience you may desire.

We did not place this ad here for you to look at and pass up—it's here to get results.

Dundee Woolen Mills

Hardin and Weinberg

Next Door to Weeks

Telephone 56

STATEMENT of Condition

...THE...

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER March 4, 1919

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$373,061.62
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Liberty Loan Bonds	30,000.00
Banking House, F. and F.	25,000.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,900.00
War Savings and Thrift Stamps	716.37
Acceptances (cotton)	3,883.85
Cash and Exchange	88,718.55
	\$551,780.39

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	68,425.36
Circulation	25,000.00
Dividends unpaid	30.00
Bills Payable	32,000.00
Deposits	326,325.03
	\$551,780.39

The above statement is correct.

R. G. Erwin, Cashier

We desire to thank our many friends and customers for all business entrusted to us, making it possible for us to render this most satisfactory statement.

DETECTIVE RUNNING DOWN BANK ROBBERS

(Continued from first page.)

ped out with his Winchester rifle and told the local party that "he had better pass that car down in the road awfully fast, as there were yeggs in it." The local party believes that the two men in the light truck were the yeggs escaping with the easings.

Complaints have been filed against both "Skinny" Newton and Jack Johnson in the local court on charges of gambling made in a statement as to their movements. If the Runnels county grand jury fails to indict them they will be brought here and tried at the regular term of court. As to Harris, who was arrested in the mountain hut, officers believe he knows more than he will divulge. The fact that he was arrested while asleep with two large revolvers cocked for action and alleged misleading statements he made to officer John Bond and others with reference to having lost his way and left his car at a stranger's whose purported name he gave, and the further fact that from his persons were removed wirecutters, many rounds of ammunition and other incriminating articles, will go a long ways, officers believe, towards establishing his complicity with A. Enman in the robbery of the Winters State Bank.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for
Chichester's Diamond Brand
Pills in red and gold wrapper.
They are made with Blue Biotin.
Take no other. Buy of your
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SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE



CLEAN-UP NOTICE

Beginning Monday, March the 17th, the city will start wagon to cleaning streets and allies of the city. This wagon will haul all cans bottles, etc., that are piled in the ally. No dirt, manure or brush etc hauled.

Remember the wagon starts Monday, March the 17th, and after he has cleaned your alley he will not

come back for any trash without you pay for same.

J. R. Lusk,
City Secretary. 10 4d

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Saving a little each week is a grind at first, but as the fire of the diamond flashes after it has been ground, so will a BANK ACCOUNT brighten your aspect of life.

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