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PRICE FIVE CENTS

SEAPLANE NC-4 FLIES 4000 MILES ACROSS THE OCEAN; LANDS IN ENGLAND

London, May 31.—The U. S. N. Seaplane NC-4 left Ferrol, Spain, at 2:27 this morning and arrived at Plymouth, England, at 9:26 a. m. New York time.

This completes the flight from New York to England, a distance of over four thousand miles, an average speed of about seventy-five miles per hour.

Out of the four seaplanes which started on the overseas flight the NC-4 was the only one to complete the trip, the other planes having to abandon the flight on account of trouble.

MAY DAY PICNIC

Never in the history of Ballinger was there a jollier, more congenial crowd than that gathered at the pump station, Thursday, May 29th, for an all around good time. There were about fifty present and every one seemed to do his best to make all enjoy themselves. Boating, Kodaking and other simple amusements were the topics of the day. Last mentioned but not least appreciated was the table bountifully spread with most every kind of West Texas food that the ladies were able to prepare. We feel that all honor is due to the ladies who meet from time to time in the ladies midweek prayer meeting. J. C. Cook came in on the home run with the refreshments that it takes to complete a reception like this. "Good bye's" and "Come again" were heard over the ground.

A VISITOR

"Here, Use My Fountain Pen"

How often you hear someone say this—Why not have a non-leakable fountain pen of your own?

We are exclusive agents for

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CONKLIN PENS

These Pens are the product of the best materials and workmanship obtainable. They are made to write, not to sell.

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Each guaranteed to satisfy you or your money back.

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—let us demonstrate them to you.

—the Pathe plays all makes of records.

Cast Thy Bread Upon the Waters



MUSICAL RECITAL ENTERTAINS MANY

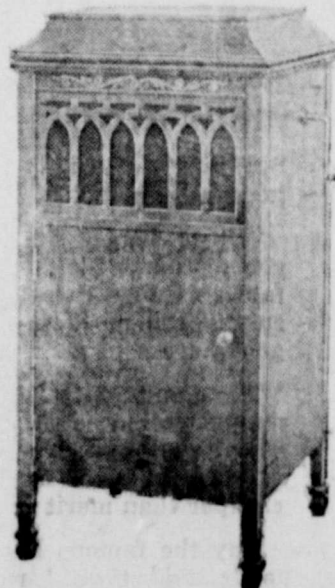
The thirty-odd pupils of the music class of Mrs. Peyton Orgain rendered a program at the Carnegie Library Friday evening that made the annual recital for this splendid teacher one of the most successful ever held in this city.

Mrs. Orgain has been teaching in Ballinger for quite a number of years, and the class presented this year was the largest in the history of her work here. The selections rendered were every one good, and the pupils performed perfectly in carrying out one of the best programs ever arranged for the music lovers of this city.

For this occasion the footlights of the stage were banked with ferns, sweet peas, etc. and the pupils dressed in white and pink presented a scene which was a delight to the parents and friends of the beautiful little ladies who make up the large class of Mrs. Orgain.

The class was assisted in its recital by some of the local musicians, and a chorus by a bunch of sweet little girls added greatly to the program.

Each number on the program deserves special mention, but when there were thirty odd numbers space forbids. Suffice to say that the music rendered on this occasion by the large class of Mrs. Orgain demonstrated thoroughly Mrs. Orgain's ability as a teacher and was the successful close of a successful year's work for her class.



T. S. Lankford

Furniture and Undertaking

The Pathe plays all makes of Record

Drives Car Ninety Miles Per Hour—Is Dead Now

RIG COMING FOR RUSSELL NO. 3

In a letter to R. P. Kirk the contractors for sinking the third Russell well state that the rig for the well is on the cars and headed towards Ballinger. The rig is coming from Oklahoma, and the contractor report that heavy rains in that country had delayed the work in shipping the material and rig, but that all was now loaded.

This contract was closed by a man by the name of Lacy, and the consideration is only two thousand acres, which is the smallest acreage so far made in this county. The contractors are beating their time, and judging from the letter received by Mr. Kirk, who closed the deal, the well will be put down in a hurry.

The rig timbers for the Mustang well which is about half way between Ballinger and the Russell field, are going out, and the derrick will go up at once. This well will not be located on the Vanderanter land, as was at first reported, but will be on the Spreen land near the line of the Spreen Herring gate.

TO RAISE FUND FOR MEMORIAL

Galveston, May 31.—At the meeting of the Board of Regents of the University of Texas held here today a resolution was adopted endorsing the plan of the Ex-Students' Association to raise a million dollar loan fund as a memorial to the killed and wounded soldiers who were formerly students in the University of Texas. The Board also extended an invitation to all former students to return to the University on June 6 and 7 in order to celebrate the victory reunion in honor of men and women of that institution who were in war service.

SELLS FIVE LOTS

J. W. Powell closed the deal Friday in which he sold five lots in the J. T. Reed addition near the Nicholson home, for a consideration of \$300.00 to F. D. Smith of Eastland, who is buying them as an investment.

M. C. Shetty came in Saturday from Brady and is visiting his parents and children.

Indianapolis, May 31.—Arthur Thurman, driving his own car, Thurman Special, was killed while making the forty-fifth lap on a five hundred mile motor race here this afternoon.

Thurman was driving at a speed of ninety miles per hour when the accident occurred, his car turned over. Mollinary, Thurman's mechanic, received a fractured skull, and may die. Thurman lived in Washington, D. C. He came here to enter the races.

SEVEN CARS WOOL MOVE FROM ANGELO

(San Angelo Standard)
A total of 175,000 pounds of long and short wool has been sold in San Angelo by the wool growers' central storage company at record prices of forty-seven cents for the six months' clip and fifty-four cents for the year old staple. The sale is believed to be the earliest of any importance in Texas this spring.

C. D. Stokes of Lampasas bought 115,000 pounds of long wool for Winslow & Co., of Boston. The maximum price was fifty-four cents, but this was also about the average, it is understood. H. M. Cummins of Boston purchased 60,000 pounds of short wool for Adams & Leland of Boston, paying an average of forty-seven cents. The money that West Texas sheepmen will receive from the two transactions will aggregate about \$90,300.

The wool will go by train to Galveston and thence east by boat. Two carloads left San Angelo Thursday, one having previously been shipped. Three additional carloads lots will follow Friday, and the seventh will leave within a few days. Twenty five thousand pounds of wool are loaded to the car.

So far the Wool Growers' Central Storage Co., has received about 375,000 pounds of long and short wool. With 175,000 pounds disposed of, about 200,000 pounds remain. Shearing is progressing steadily and the wool bags at the local wool houses are piling higher every day. Shearing will be completed within twenty days, Robert Massie, president of the Wool Growers, stated Thursday morning.

The company this season expects to handle about 2,000,000 pounds of wool. One hundred and eighty thousand pounds of mohair have been received but have not yet been sold.

Germans May Sign Treaty In Berlin, Says the Allies

AUSTRIANS WILL GET PEACE TERMS MONDAY AT NOON

Paris, May 31.—The peace treaty will be presented to the Austrian government at St. Hermain at noon Monday, it was announced here this afternoon, following a secret plenary session of the peace conference, which adjourned at five o'clock this afternoon.

RUSSELL NO. 1 READY TO SHOOT

It is expected that the charge of explosives will be touched off in Russell No. 1 oil well some time Monday. The drillers are bailing out oil, and reported Friday that the well was ready to be shot. The expert has been notified to come with his nitro, and he is due to arrive here either today or Sunday, coming through the country.

Parties who are interested in the acreage in the vicinity of the Russell well have been notified, and many visitors will no doubt be here. There is considerable speculation as to just what will be the result of shooting the well.

Some of the oil experts who have kept a close watch on the well since the first showing of oil was found at a depth of 2390, stand pat and say the well is a good one, and expect good results from the shooting. Others are inclined to knock the well, and say that it has done its best, and only shows that oil is some where in that section, but will not be developed to a paying basis until the drill goes down at the proper place. Nobody knows where the proper place is.

If the definite announcement is made that the well will be shot at a certain time, many people will be present.

PROPOSITION PUT SQUARELY UP TO HUNS; MUST SIGN

London, May 31.—Although the time given the Germans in which to accept the peace terms has expired there has been no agreement reached, and counter propositions are being discussed by the peace conference. The French are opposed to admitting Germany in the League of Nations and the refusal of Germany to deliver the Kaiser are problems which must be settled.

According to the South Wales Daily News, in reporting a speech made at Amiens by Lloyd George last Sunday, the Germans must sign the treaty at Versailles, or they will be made to sign at Berlin. The News quotes George as saying:

"We say to the Germans: Gentle men you must sign. If you don't do so at Versailles, you shall do so in Berlin. We are not going to give way."

EMPLOYS SECRETARY CHAMBER COMMERCE

The Chamber of Commerce has collected the first quarter dues from most of those subscribing to the support of the organization and are taking steps to get all the benefit possible for the money invested.

A contract has been closed for a page advertisement in a special edition to be issued by the Fort Worth Record at an early date. This special edition will be known as the North and West Texas Development Edition, and should give Ballinger some good advertising.

The directors of the C. of C. have also employed a secretary in the person of Mr. Keating, now with the Fort Worth Record, and it is expected that he will be here by July first.

WE THANK YOU

—for the business you have given us during May and very cordially solicit your trade for June.

—we want every transaction at this store to be satisfactory.

—its a pleasure to show you.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Ballinger's Greatest Store

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A. W. Sledge, Editor

RETURNING SOLDIERS AND THEIR OLD JOBS

The Arrow Head, a newspaper published in France by the Thirty-sixth Division, and a copy of which was sent to The Ledger by one of our good friends in that Division, points out to the boys that all may not be easy sailing with them when they return home and admonishes them not to look to their old boss for a pension. The article referred to is entitled "Making Good."

"Back home business is going on as usual. Prices are a little higher, competition a little keener and efficiency a little more necessary."

"Your old boss is up against a question that means dollars and cents to him. Your successor has held down your old job for a year. If he wasn't efficient he would not have held it down."

"Of course, your old job is waiting for you. That was the last thing the boss told you. But here's the problem facing the boss. Business is slack, jobs are more or less scarce. All are filled at percent and some 200,000 joggles ex-soldiers are ready to grab the first vacancy. Can he afford to fire an efficient man, just when he has him trained right, for one who has been out of practice for over a year?"

"As skilled employes ex-soldiers have proved to be goldbricks. Four or five hours of drilling, a little K. P. a little guard, a little fatigue each day doesn't count as training for the factory, farm or store. And it isn't fair to the old man to lay around the house for six months, either. Nor is bayonet fighting, bomb throwing or or ability to stand under shell fire sufficient recommendation against the competition of all the rest of the A. E. F."

"Of course, your boss will give you the job back if he told you that he would. But if he doesn't make a profit on your labor you can't expect him to keep you on the pension list, can you? And if you get fired from your first job and find the second one hard to land are you going to sit around and beef about the slacker, and pull old gag about the 'gratitude shown a soldier who fought for democracy and was patriot when his country called etc."

"Sure you're handicapped. Blame it on the army if you want to. The fact that you are handicapped in the commercial war still exists. But does that make any difference? Can't the men of the 36th fight against a handicap? Have Texans and Oklahomans quit fighting?"

"Prove it."
Locally speaking the soldiers, or most of them who have returned have gone a notch higher and are now filling better positions than the ones filled before they went to the front. This is perhaps due to the fact that the men return home more efficient and deserving of better places in civil life.

The soldier who has lost in ef-

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*



There are more than 3,000,000 Ford cars in daily operation in the United States. This is a little better than one-half of all the motor cars used in America. The Ford car is every man's necessity. No matter what his business may be, it solves the problem of cheapest transportation. We solicit your orders now, because production is limited, and we must make it the rule to supply first orders first. Touring Car, \$525; Runabout \$500; Coupe, \$650; Sedan, \$775; Truck Chassis \$550. These prices f. o. b. Detroit.

Harwell Motor Co.

iciency by serving his country cannot expect to hold his job against the efficient man of the day. Competition is too strong in every line, and the employer must get all for his money that the employee is able to produce.

Gratitude will control to a great extent, but gratitude must be rewarded by faithful and efficient service, and with few exceptions we believe the soldiers who have experienced one or more years of warfare will "Make Good."

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the Mucous Surface of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO. Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Ward wants to feed the hungry folks at his cafe on Eighth Street dtf.

Mrs. R. W. Dunn and baby returned to Artisea, New Mexico, Saturday afternoon, after a visit to Mrs. Dunn's parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Routh, Miss Edna Ruth and Nettie Routh Sledge accompanied Mrs. Dunn for a visit.

HOW RHEUMATISM BEGINS

The excruciating agonies of rheumatism are usually the result of failure of the kidneys to expel poisons from the system. If the irritation of these uric acid crystals is allowed to continue, incurable bladder or kidney disease may result. Attend to it at once. Don't resort to temporary relief. The sick kidneys must be restored to health by the use of some sterling remedy which will prevent a return of the disease.

Get some GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. They have brought back the joys of life to countless thousands of sufferers from rheumatism, lame back, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel and other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs.

They will attack the poisons at once, clear out the kidneys and urinary tract and the soothing healing oils and herbs will restore the inflamed tissues and organs to normal health.

All others are imitations. Ask for GOLD MEDAL and be sure the name GOLD MEDAL is on the box. Three sizes, at all good druggists.

Well, We Had To Prove It.

—but that's easy

If you are doubtful let us figure yours.

Ballinger Lumber Comp'y

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.

It pays to use the best binder twine. Get the "Peerless," pure white sisal.

HALL HARDWARE CO d&wf

Mrs. Dan Moser underwent a successful operation at the Halley & Love sanitarium Saturday morning, and at a late hour was getting along as well as could be expected.

About Rheumatism

People are learning that is only a waste of time and money to take medicine internally for chronic and muscular rheumatism, and about ninety-nine out of a hundred cases are one or the other of their varieties. All that is really necessary to afford relief is to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely. Try it. It cost but 35 cents per bottle. Large size 60 cents.

FRANCE WANTS TEXAS COTTON

(Abilene Reporter)

Mareel Simenel and E. Leonard of the cotton firm of Simenel & Co., of Harve France are in Abilene the guests of George Finberg, prominent cotton exporter. These gentlemen are visiting a number of the larger cotton interests in the country and closing arrangements for the buying of American cotton during the coming season. Coming direct to Fort Worth from France they came on to Abilene and from here will visit the cotton belt and likely the oil fields.

Mareel Simenel has been released from the French army only three weeks ago. When the war broke out he was in America and left immediately for France where he enlisted as a pilot aviator and served during the four years of war with many thrilling experiences and narrow escapes. He was severely gassed from which he recovered and then had his plane shot down which smashed and resulted in Simenel being knocked unconscious.

When the American Marines relieved the French at Chateau Thierry and made their brilliant

stand which stemmed the German advance, Simenel was on duty at this time and helped pour a deadly machine gun fire into the German ranks from the air.

"Prewar years France imported a million bales of cotton this year we will import a million and one half bales and by odd the largest percent of this will come from

America. This unusual demand in France for cotton but also from its increased territory over pre-war days. Our intimate association with the men of America in France has greatly increased our knowledge of America and its systems not only socially but from business view point" said Mr. Simenel.

"I wish it was possible for everyone who suffers from constipation to know about Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is pleasant to the taste, does not gripe, and the result is sure." (From a letter to Dr. Caldwell written by Mr. R. A. Laney, Alexandria, La.)

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, pleasant to the taste, gentle in action and positive in its effect. It relieves constipation quickly, without griping or strain, and is a standard family remedy.

DR. CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin

The Perfect Laxative

Sold by Druggists Everywhere
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that our dairy products are the embodiment of purity. Perfect freshness is guaranteed to you on butter, eggs, cream and milk. Buy our dairy products and compare them with the thoroughly unsatisfactory cold storage variety. We charge no more for the best that the market affords.

JACKSON DAIRY

READ

—those recipes for summer drinks in the last issue of the Womans Home Companion.

THEN

—phone us for the fixin's.

L. B. STUBBS, Grocer

Phones 93 and 94

Holland's Magazine

Speaking Editorially in t June number gives the following good advice to the customer:

"Steer clear of the smooth-tongued salesman who offers you too much for your money. This is no age of fables and fables. Unless there is profit there is rascality. For a given investment there is an established value. Standard goods are sold on honor.

The standard trademark is an insurance policy issued for the protection of the ultimate consumer. It is your safeguard against deception in the form of substitution. Insist on recognized brands at recognized prices. Nothing is cheaper than merit in the end."

Buy the famous Ferndell grand of canned and bottled goods, and the old reliable Chase & Sanborn teas and coffee, and you are under the protection emphasized in Hollands

PHONES 66 AND 67

H. & H. Merc. Co.

TONIGHT... QUEEN ...TONIGHT

EDDIE POLO
in "Lure of the Circus"

Jack Ford's Big Western Drama
"The Fighting Brothers"

LKO Comedy Feature
"Charlie, the Little Daredevil"

featuring Charlie from the Orient and Helen Lynch

QUEEN

The Conduct of This Bank

has been marked by adherence to sound banking principles and its deserved reputation for conservatism and strength has won for it the confidence of the public.

A Practical Bank

The management of this Bank is thoroughly familiar with the banking needs and requirements of its territory and has ample resources and facilities to meet the needs and requirements of its customers.

An Independent Bank

This Bank is not controlled by any special interests and its resources are available to its depositors to the extent of their needs, consistent with sound banking, and its policy is to promote the welfare and prosperity of its patrons and community.

—County Depository



THESE PRICES ARE GOOD FOR ONE WEEK!!!

No merchant in Ballinger or West Texas handles better qualities or values, gives fuller weights and better values. We buy in big lots. We save money on our purchases by buying in large deals. We only have space to list a certain amount of prices. A large stock.

Extra standard corn a can . . . 15c	Koo Koo syrup cane & corn 90c	10 bars P & G Soap best soap 75c
Ped dozen . . . \$1.65	White Star syrup . . . 85c	20 bars Clean-easy soap . . \$1.00
No. 1 1-2 can tomatoes, 10c per can or per dozen . . . \$1.10	Blue Ribbon syrup per gal. . 75c	3 lb. bucket Maxwell house coffee . . \$1.30
No. 3 size blackberries, 2 cans 35c	Gal. Lassies syrup . . . 75c	Saytas Peaberry coffee extra fine . . . 40c
No. 3 size can pears, 2 cans . . 35c	Blue rose rice best in world per pound . . . 10c	3 lbs. Club Lake coffee . . \$1.10
No. 2 can peaches, 2 cans . . 35c	3 lbs. New Potatoes . . . 25c	3 lb. bucket Good coffee . . 95c
No. 2 can tomatoes, 2 cans . . 25c	3 lbs. White Crystal Onions . 25c	3 lb. bucket Crisco . . . 95c
No. 3 can yellow cling table peaches . . . 25c	15 lbs. Blackeye Peas . . \$1.00	6 lb. bucket Crisco . . . \$1.80
No. 3 California Apricots . . . 20c	12 lbs. Pinto Beans . . . \$1.00	5 lb bucket Flake White lard for . . . \$1.50
2 cans Chum Salmon . . . 25c	13 lbs. Pink Beans . . . \$1.00	4 lb bucket lard . . . \$1.20
3 cans Sardines . . . 25c	Small soup beans per lb. . . 9c	Gallon Cooking Oil . . . \$1.75
Can English peas . . . 15c	Butter beans per lb. . . 11c	Gallon Peanut Oil . . . \$1.90
Milk Hominy . . . 15c	Calumet Baking Powd . . 25c	3 lb. sack table salt . . . 10c
No. 3 Standard Hominy 2 cans 25c	K. C. Baking Powd . . . 22c	Salt Pork Bacon per lb . . 30c
No. 3 Hominy, 2 cans . . . 25c	We handle Forbes Brand Flavoring, Spices and Peppers best in the world. Largest size Vanilla extract per bottle . . . 20c	Extra choice salt pork bacon #2 1-2 to . . . 35c
Standard can Kraut . . . 10c	Lemon flavoring large size . . 20c	Second grade breakfast bacon sugar cured 36c to . . . 42c
Van Camps Evaporated Milk, per can . . . 7c	3 Cans Black Pepper 2 oz. . 25c	Brooms . . . 35c
2 cans Red Boy Sockeye Salmon for . . . 55c	3 cans Allspice, 2 oz. . . 25c	Extra Good Brooms 75c to 85c
Gallon can apricots put up in syrup finest made per gal. 75c	3 cans Cinnamon, 2 oz. . 25c	Extra choice Brooms . . . 95c
Gallon Apples California . . . 55c	3 cans Ginger, 2 oz. . . 25c	3 cans Giant Lye . . . 30c
Large size red sweet peppers Primitos, 2 cans . . . 35c	3 cans Mustard, 2 oz. . . 25c	8 lb bucket Armstrong lard \$2.25
Libby's Pork and Beans large size . . . 15c	1-2 lb. Black Pepper . . . 25c	3 lamp chimneys . . . 25c
Libby's can dill pickles 2 cans 45c	Full pound Black Pepper . . 45c	3 lamp burners . . . 25c
Burt Olney catsup, 2 bottles large size . . . 65c	1-2 gal. fruit jars Kerr Mason self sealing per dozen . . \$1.15	Largest size can sweet Potatoes 25c or 2 for . . . 45c
2 doz. barrel pickles large . . 25c	4 packages Ivory Starch . . 25c	Glass Peanut Butter . . . 25c
Large gal. bottle pickles straight or mixer per gallon . . \$1.15	3 pkgs. Fautless Starch . . 28c	Quart Peanut Butter . . . 55c
Large quart sour or sweet pickles . . . 35c	Quart Bluing best made . . 20c	Bulk Peanut Butter per lb. . 25c
Can pine apple sliced 2 cans 35c	10c bottle bluing add water, makes full quart fine bluing. . . 28c	16 oz. jar Peanut Butter . . 35c
No. 2 Del Monte grated pine apples 2 cans . . . 55c	Large size Armour Oat meal 28c	3 pkgs. Soda . . . 25c
Gal. Barrel very best quality per gallon . . . 35c	Purity Oatmeal large size . . 28c	Gallon nigger in de cane patch syrup . . . \$1.35
7 lbs. Potatoes . . . 25c	Post Toasties, family size . . 20c	Gal. King Komus syrup . . \$1.15
3 pkgs. Spaghetti . . . 25c	Cream Wheat large size 2 for 45c	Gal. Bere Rabbit syrup . . \$1.15
	Grape Nuts . . . 15c	Gal. White Karo syrup . . 85c
	Barrel Ginger Snaps . . . 35c	Gal. red Karo syrup . . . 80c
	3 pkgs. Golden Rod Macaroni best made . . . 25c	Gal. Mary Jane syrup . . . 80c
	20 bars White Laundry Soap \$1.00	Chili Powder Forbes full 4 oz 25c

We want your trade. Here is the price and quality—weights also guaranteed. Phone 34.

Gustavus Grocery Company

For Weak Stomach

As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet to your age and occupation and to keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

W. S. Harmon went to Miles Saturday, where he had business in the interest of the I. O. O. F.

Miss Verda Farris came in Saturday and is visiting friends while en route home from West Texas, where she has been teaching school.

Dizziness, vertigo, (blind staggers) sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. HERBINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Sold by Weeks Drug Store.

Mrs. H. Vandervanter returned home Saturday at noon from a visit to friends at Santa Anna.

MARTIN'S EGG PRODUCER—starts baby chicks right and makes hens lay more eggs. Your money back if not satisfied. Ask your drug gist.

The band will play soon and Ward will serve a special dinner Sunday. 1d

Mrs. Mary E. Martin, of Lampasas, passed through Ballinger Friday en route to her home after a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. M. Skaggs, at Winters.

Surgeons agree that in case of cuts, burns, bruises and wounds, the first treatment is most important. When an efficient antiseptic is applied promptly 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. Sold by Weeks Drug Store.

H. S. Perkins, a former citizen of this city, is here from Mississippi on a visit to friends and relatives and to recuperate.

Martin's Screw Worm Killer kills worms, keeps off flies, heals wounds. 6 oz. bottle 35c. Your money back if not satisfied. Ask your druggist.

"PEERLESS." Pure White Sisal Binder Twine. The best by test. HALL HARDWARE CO d&wtf

An Enemy of Womanhood

The complexion, digestion and almost the complete personality of woman are dependent upon health. Womens ills are her great enemy, as they cause bad complexion, dark circles under the eyes, headache, backache, nervousness, sleeplessness, dragging-down pains and the blues, and often totally unfit for a companion. The great American remedy for such conditions is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which has been restoring three generations of ailing women to health, and may be relied upon with perfect confidence.

County superintendent J. C. Griffin of Coleman has been made a member of the faculty of the District Summer Normal to be conducted from June 30 to August 21 in Ballinger. —Coleman Democrat.

Be there with the big crowd Sunday at Ward's special Sunday dinner. 1d

FRUIT JARS—Have several dozen air tight clamp top half gallon jars for sale. You only need to buy new rubbers. Get et yours before they are gone. \$1.25 per dozen. WEEKS 28 ddtw

If it is obtainable, Ward will have it in his Sunday menu. Go there with your family. 1d

W. J. Smith and M. T. Hensley, of the Wingate country, left for Galveston Friday afternoon where they go to attend the commencement of the State Medical college in which their sons graduate this year.

J. A. Tyree, of the Valley creek country and J. W. Bigby of the Valley creek country were among the business visitors in Ballinger Saturday.

Used 40 Years

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Sold Everywhere

W. D. Bond Jr. of the Wingate country, who taught in the Public school of Cleburne the past year, was looking after business affairs in Ballinger Saturday.

Something extra good for your Sunday dinner at Ward's Cafe 1d

W. L. Hambright, of the Winters country, was in the city Saturday getting parts for his harvesting machinery, and says the hail did his crop considerable damage but thinks he will get 12 or 15 bushels of wheat per acre off of 100 acres of land.

Plenty of Peerless, pure white binder twine. "The best by test" HALL HARDWARE CO d&wtf

A. P. Serratt and family are at home from a two weeks visit to relatives at Lometa.

Ward's Cafe invites comparison of its Sunday dinner with those who charge more money. 1d

MOTHERS
Reduce your doctor's bills by keeping always on hand—
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WITH THE CHURCHES

First Presbyterian Church
Sunday school 10 o'clock.
Preaching at the morning and evening hour by the pastor.
You are cordially invited to worship with us.
H. P. Bates.

Methodist Church
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Communion Meditation "The River Veil" followed by the sacrament of the Lords supper at 11 a. m.
Preaching at 9 p. m. Subject: "Power."
You are invited to attend these services and to take some part in them.
J. B. Curry, Pastor.

Baptist Church
Tomorrow is rally day at the Sunday school. We urge every man, woman, and child not in some other school to be on hand at 9:45. Give yourself a religious favor tomorrow. Mr. Ward of the Ballinger Band will assist in the music.
The pastor will preach morning and evening. The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the evening service.
Alvin Swindell,

All Saints Church
Holy communion and sermon 11 a. m.
All are cordially invited.
W. T. Allen, D. D.
Priest in Charge.

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Miss Melva Walker returned home from Covington, Saturday, after completing her school work there.

Miss Hattie Miller returned home Saturday at noon from San Saba where she has been teaching.

Suggestion for a Camping Trip
Buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy before leaving home. As a rule it cannot be obtained when on a hunting, fishing or prospecting trip. Neither can it be obtained while on board the cars or steamships and at such times and places it is most likely to be needed. The safe way is to have it with you.

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chamberlain's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. They are good with the Female. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, 25¢ PER DOZEN TO \$1.00 PER DOZEN. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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Everyone should do all he can to provide for his family and in order to do this he must keep his physical system in the best condition possible. No one can reasonably hope to do much when he is half sick a good share of the time. If you are constipated, bilious or troubled with indigestion get a package of Chamberlain's Tablets and follow the plain printed directions, and you will soon be feeling alright and able to do a day's work.

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SALVATION ARMY WANTS \$13,000,000

American Public Asked to Support Home Service Work.

Confident in its ability, proud of its record in both war and peace, and conscious of the enlarged field where its service is urgently needed, The Salvation Army will ask the American people for \$13,000,000 during the week of May 19-25, for its Home Service work.

With the \$13,000,000 no beautiful edifices will be built, nor any pipe organs be purchased, but an Army, doubly efficient in time and workers, will enter the trenches of poverty, vice and immorality. With new vigor will the work of transforming human wastage into hopeful productive effort go on. For "a man may be down, but he's never out."

To countless Americans this organization, which has done noble relief work among the poor for fifty years, was practically unknown until our doughboys began to sing its praises.

Founded by the late General William Booth in London, in 1865, The Salvation Army was first known as the Christian Mission, the present name being adopted in 1877. The Army works for the salvation of mankind from all forms of moral, spiritual and temporal distress. Its government is military in form and in its tactics militant and aggressive. It is a religious body, existing in two phases: the evangelistic and social relief.

The religious and philanthropic work of The Army is in many and varied forms; its doors are open to every human being that may need help; no condition—creedal, ethical, racial—are made. Beyond feeding the hungry, housing the homeless, clothing the ragged, healing the sick, cleansing the unclean, finding work for the unemployed, comfort for the dreary and hope for the hopeless, The Salvation Army maintains Slum Settlements from which radiate neighborhood relief (the workers care for babies, wash, scrub, teach, advise and champion the cause of the weak in every way); Rescue Homes for fallen women (and 85 per cent of the women passing through the Homes are entrusted); Maternity Hospitals, Industrial Homes, providing temporary employment and shelter, giving vocational education, Workingmen's Hotels, Children's Homes for orphaned and neglected children, Young Women's Boarding Homes, Fresh Air Camps and Missing Friends Bureau.

Other forms of activity include Free Employment Bureaus, work among prisoners and the families of prisoners, the distribution of free ice, coal, wood, clothing, medicines and cash. The war work done by The Army needs no description here.

The organization girdles the globe from east to west and from north to south. Its officers are men and women possessed of a passion to help and save others; their lives are dedicated to this most noble purpose, and they receive no profit for their labors.

This, briefly, is the background. Public indifference toward its work has changed into widespread popularity and warm-hearted enthusiasm. It is the attitude of the public, not the work of The Army, that has changed.

It is the new order of things that has caused the commanding officers of The Army to take a great forward step. They realize the work must be placed on a solid financial foundation. Just about half of the time of the workers has been devoted to the collection of funds. Collecting money by tamborine methods is now regarded as wastage of the time and energies of the workers which can better be spent in social service work.

IT DELIVERED THE GOODS

(Editorial in New York Sun)

Few war organizations have escaped criticism of some sort, but there is, so far, one shining exception, and that is the Salvation Army. Every soldier and every civilian who have been brought into contact with its workers sing their praises with enthusiasm. Wherever they have been they have "delivered the goods"—they have proved 100 per cent efficient as moral and material helpers.

We are inclined to think that a study of their methods might be of mere service to more pretentious moral instrumentalities. They are not silk-stocking folk, as a rule, and many of them are sadly unpolished, but they work mainly, it seems for love of God and man, and personal experience has taught them how to deal with humankind. There are black sheep and weak brothers among them, as among others, but in this great war ordeal, at any rate, there does not seem to be a single blot on their record.

SECRETARY BAKER PRAISES WORK OF SALVATION ARMY

When Secretary of War Newton D. Baker arrived in San Francisco on March 18th he was met by Captain R. McCann and Lieutenant I. Loney, of The Salvation Army. "Nothing that I can say is too good for The Salvation Army," said Secretary Baker. "I understand that you are about to institute a Home Service Campaign for funds. I wish you the best of luck. The people will respond to your appeal once they know what you did for the soldiers overseas. Your home service has suffered because of the war, and I wish you Godspeed in your work to raise the funds you require!"

Daily Health Talks

GOING BACK TO NATURE.

BY DR. W. LUCAS.

People get sick because they go away from Nature, and the only way to get well is to go back. Something grows out of the ground in the form of vegetation to cure almost every ill. Some of these vegetable growths are understood by man, and some are not. Animals, it would seem, know what to do when they are sick better than men and women. Observers have noted that a sick horse, dog or cat will stop eating food and seek out some vegetable growth in the field or yard, which, when found and eaten, often restores appetite and health. Haven't you seen these animals do this very thing yourself?

Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., long since found the herbs and roots provided by Nature to overcome constipation, and he had these vegetables collected and made up of Mayapple, leaves of Aloe, root of Jalap, into little sugar-coated pills, that he called Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. You must understand that when your intestines are stopped up, poisons and decayed matter are imprisoned in your system, and these are carried by the blood throughout your body. Thus does your head ache, you get dizzy, you can't sleep, your skin may break out, your appetite declines, you get tired and despondent. As a matter of fact, you may get sick all over. Don't you see how useless all this suffering is? All that is often needed is a few of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which he has placed in all drug stores for your convenience and health. Try them by all means. They are probably the very thing you need right now.

W. A. Francis, the local director of the Methodist Centenary Campaign, reports that this church has gone over the top in raising its appropriation.

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF RUNNELS.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable County Court of Runnels County on the case of Reichert Manufacturing Company vs Charles Eisenhuth et al No 1171, and to me as sheriff directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales, on Wednesday June 11th 1919, on Lot number two in block number two in Flowers addition to the town of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, the following described personal property, to-wit: One complete metal Silo form, used in the erection of silo's 16, 8 & 20 feet in diameter to gether with all necessary parts belonging to same. Also one complete Columbus Concrete Mixer, together with all its necessary parts, levied on as the property of Charles Eisenhuth, to satisfy a judgment amounting to five hundred and fifty seven dollars (\$557.00) in favor of E. O. Wood, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this 30th day of May A. D. 1919.

J. D. Perkins, Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas. 430 6

Daily Ledger Want Ads

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C. R. Smith, one of the prominent farmers on the Colorado river seven miles down the river, was transacting business in Ballinger Saturday and has about 200 acres in crops that he says are beginning to look fine since the recent rains and warm weather.

Sallow complexion is due to a torpid liver. HERBINE purifies and strengthens the liver and bowels and restores the rosy bloom of health to the cheek. Sold by Weeks Drug Store.

Miss Annie B. Mapes, of Pony, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kelly, of the Kelly Heights.

Barbed wire cuts, ragged wounds, collar and harness galls, heal up quickly when BALLARDS SNOW LINIMENT is applied. It is both healing and antiseptic. Sold by Weeks Drug Store.

R. P. Conn and family left Friday morning for South Texas on an auto trip and visit to relatives.

KILL THE BLUE BUGS satisfied. Ask your druggist, by feeding Martin's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer to your chickens. Your money back if not absolutely 1 30td

J. L. Chastain is at home from a trip to Wichita Falls and other places in north Texas.

GLAD TO TESTIFY

Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly. . . Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then. . . it would last. . . two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful.

My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three. . . I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui.

I am married now and have 3 children. . . I have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others."

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