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The day may be hot, or you may be in a crowd; but you will be entirely free from the odor of perspiration and all other body odors if you use any of these. It is a necessity with ladies who know.

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## POLISH TROOPS CAPTURE KIEV

By Associated Press  
LONDON, May 8.—Polish and Ukrainian troops captured Kiev Thursday night, according to official statements at Moscow, received by wireless here today.

The statement says the troops withdrew to the left bank of the Dnieper river in face of superior enemy forces Northwest and Southwest of Kiev.

## HIGHWAY COMMISSION ISSUES STATEMENT.

By Associated Press  
AUSTIN, May 8.—During the last nine months the state highway department has received from the war department 850 motor trucks for use in building state highways, valued at \$2,500,000. Of this number 636 have been put into use, according to a statement by the commission. An additional allotment of 250 trucks has been made for delivery in the near future, and it is expected that still more can be obtained thereafter.

The highway commission has applied for a large amount of other road building material and equipment, which must be purchased at a cost of 20 per cent of its value, and which will be sold to the counties at a cost of 30 per cent of its value. The difference in price, according to the commission, is to cover freight and loading charges.

The Senate might be worse. It didn't kill America's two big leagues.

Doubtless John Bull ponders over the Irish question and wishes he could think of a dignified way to turn loose.

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For ANY battery trouble of ANY make, this station we believe, offers the best service obtainable.

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Cheerful service for all makes—at moderate cost.

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# MEXICO CITY REPORTED TAKEN; CARRANZA OUT

## MAN SERVING TIME IN PEN TO BE CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT OF SOCIALISTS

NEW YORK, May 8.—It appears that Eugene V. Debs, now serving a term in the federal penitentiary for violating the espionage act, will be the unanimous choice of the Socialist party to head the ticket for president in the present campaign.

The Socialist party of America opened their campaign here today for the purpose of nominating a party leader and it is the opinion of the leaders who are here today that Debs will be the unanimous choice of the convention.

There are two hundred Social-

ist delegates in the assembly here today, which is the first national political convention of the year. The formulation of a party platform and the nomination of candidates will begin next week.

Morris Hilquit was made temporary chairman of the convention, and in the opening session a bitter attack was made on the Wilson administration and on President Wilson personally, and the speakers in the convention predicted that the Socialist party would poll over two million votes in the presidential campaign.

## BRITISH STEAL MARCH ON WORLD TRADE

By Associated Press  
PARIS, May 8.—French merchants working in the field across the Rhine, say that Great Britain has stolen a wide march on France and the United States in the resumption of business relations with Germany.

French merchants here today said that German manufacturers in a majority of cases declare that they are tied up with long time contracts with British customers.

## REPUBLICANS GETTING READY FOR CONVENTION

CHICAGO, May 8.—The Republican national committee will meet here next Monday and Tuesday, to plan arrangements for their national convention. Members of the committee were notified today to meet Monday.

## Case Affirmed and Baker Placed Under Restraint

The court of criminal appeals affirmed the case of the State of Texas vs. W. H. Baker, convicted and given two years sentence for the killing of Jim Rogers at Winters in 1918. The court decision was announced at Austin last Wednesday, and the news reached Mr. Baker Friday.

Since killing Rogers, Mr. Baker has not been the same man he was before the tragedy, and worrying over the trouble has broken down his health. He was brought to Ballinger Saturday morning by Sheriff Perkins and placed in jail.

According to information received by Mr. Perkins, Baker was on the streets of Winters making threats against certain men of that town, who testified against him in the trial of the case, and whom he considered his enemies.

Sheriff Perkins went to Winters and found Mr. Baker armed, on the streets, a pistol being found in his pocket. He was placed under restraint and brought to Ballinger both for his own good and the good of those whom he was threatening to kill.

Baker shot Rogers on the streets of Winters, killing him instantly, after a quarrel between

## RULES FOR STRIKERS TO BE MADE PUBLIC

By Associated Press  
CHICAGO, May 8.—The demand that John Grunau, head of the Chicago yardmen's association, inform the striking switchmen how they can get their seniority rights restored, was made public today in a letter sent to Grunau by R. S. Murphy, publicity chairman of the association.

## BIG STRIKE SET FOR MONDAY IN PARIS.

PARIS, May 8.—A general strike order, effective Monday morning on all Paris subways and the metropolitan traction lines, was sent out today.

Congress can start a war, but can't stop it.

Use Ledger Classifieds.

GENERAL CARRANZA,  
CONSTITUTIONALIST.



President of Mexican Republic, who is reported to have left Mexico City for Vera Cruz after rebels had taken the capital.

## GERMANS MAY NOT ATTEND MEETING

BERLIN, May 8.—Germany's delegates to the Spa conference will refuse to attend that meeting if they are not assured that they will be given a hearing, said Dr. Zirth, minister of finance, speaking at Dresden, yesterday, according to Berlin newspapers this morning.

The Germans declare that they will be prepared to lay the true state of affairs before the allied representatives and be able to demonstrate that the economic condition of the European continent depends upon that of Germany.

## COLEMAN MAN TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

(Coleman Democrat-Voice)  
John W. Wells, familiarly known as Jack Wells and a prominent citizen of Coleman for a number of years, shot and killed himself Tuesday about 1:30 o'clock at his former home on South Commercial Avenue. A .45 Colt was the weapon used and the bullet passed through the heart, causing instant death. His health and resultant despondency caused the self-destruction.

Mr. Wells had recently moved with his family to San Antonio and a few weeks ago returned here to look after business affairs. Mrs. Wells arrived about a week ago to be with her husband and they had rooms engaged in the city, the Wells property on South Commercial Avenue being tenanted by Mr. and Mrs. T. W. McCauley. The tragedy occurred in the presence of Mrs. McCauley and just after Mr. McCauley had stepped from the room.

Deceased was forty-two years of age and was born in Alexandria, Louisiana, which was the birthplace of his father and mother. He had been a worthy citizen of Coleman for fifteen years or longer and bore the esteem of all his acquaintances and business associates. Deceased is survived by his wife and two children, Frances Wells and Courtney Wells. The remains were conveyed to San Antonio for interment.

When a good band fails to draw a crowd for a candidate it shows that the people are not interested in politics, or the candidate.

EL PASO, May 8.—Revolutionary forces under General Benj. Hill, have taken Mexico City, according to unconfirmed reports received here today from Chihuahua City. The reports were given out by revolutionary leaders here.

Other messages received from Chihuahua said "it has been confirmed that President Carranza has left the capital for Vera Cruz."

EL PASO, May 8.—Three state capitals in Mexico fell into the hands of revolutionists thru the revolt of Carranza troops, revolutionary agents here announced today.

Saltillo, capital of Coahuila, revolted yesterday, revolutionist advices received here today declare, and other defections are reported from several strongly fortified towns in that state, where large garrisons of Carranza troops joined the revolution.

The Carranza troops at Las Vacas, opposite Del Rio, Texas, have revolted, according to local revolutionists, and the coal mines in Northern Coahuila are reported to be controlled by anti-Carranza troops.

"Piedras Negras, across the Rio Grande from Eagle Pass, will City.



## Leap Year Proposals

are now in order, so when she makes the plea, be on the alert—fitted out in one of our New Spring Suits.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Candidates for Public Offices.**  
The following candidates have announced for nomination for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held on Saturday, July 31, 1920:

- For Tax Collector:**  
W. L. BROWN
- For County Superintendent:**  
JOHN J. BUGG
- For Tax Assessor:**  
J. R. HOLLOWAY  
M. D. CHASTAIN  
W. A. TALLY  
J. N. KEY
- For County Clerk:**  
W. R. PUCKETT  
W. A. FORGEY
- For Sheriff:**  
J. P. (JIM) FLYNT
- For County Judge:**  
J. W. POWELL
- For Treasurer:**  
MRS. R. P. KIRK
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:**  
R. J. DEENS
- For District Clerk:**  
(Miss) GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:**  
J. P. BOOTHE

Honor thy mother tomorrow—  
Mothers' Day.

The newspaper men hold their annual meet in Houston June 10, 11 and 12.

Press reports say that hunger may force Carranza to give up his capital soon. Hunger is a deadly weapon in war, and it is one weapon most commonly used in Mexico.

We are all in favor of good roads and better schools. This is one issue all the candidates seem to be agreed on. With such a unanimous agreement, we should make rapid progress in both.

**CHICHESTER'S PILLS**  
THE BRILLIANT BRAND  
Medicine that cures Constipation, Biliousness, Headache, Indigestion, Stomach Troubles, Irritability, Nervousness, and all ailments of the bowels. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Sold by druggists everywhere.

**Presbyterian Church, 8th Street.**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m., subject, "Power and Influence of Woman."  
No service Sunday night on account of High School sermon at Methodist church.  
Come to Mothers' Day service, bring a friend, and wear a flower in honor of your mother.  
There will be special music for Mothers' Day.  
The church society for women will meet with Mrs. Rufus Allen in the country, and the ladies will leave town in autos at two o'clock.  
R. T. PHILLIPS, Minister.

**A TEXAS WONDER**  
for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, weak and lame back, rheumatism, and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder. If not sold by your druggist, by mail \$1.25 small bottle, often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

**Women's Mission Study.**  
Women's Mission Study will meet May 10th.  
Subject, China.  
Leader, Mrs. Edwin Day.  
1st.—Comparison of China with India.  
2nd.—Religion and Life.  
3rd.—Women of China.  
4th.—How Christianity brings healing.  
5th.—Three Life Saving Stations.  
"Send us More Missionaries, especially Doctors."—Li Hung Chang.  
"The women's societies in China are rapidly spreading. Women come for miles to attend them. The Chinese women give one-tenth to support the work."—Bulletin Missionary News.  
"The Master is here and calleth Thee."—John XI.

Oil wells cause booms and make money for those who get a finger in them, or who own the land, but in the absence of oil wells, good crops keep the wolf away.

**BAND WILL GIVE CONCERT SUNDAY**

The Ballinger Concert Band will appear in another concert Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. The concert, as others heretofore have been, will be given on the court house lawn if the weather is permissible. In case of bad weather, Mr. Wood of the Maeroy Theatre has been kind enough to let the band use the stage of his house for the concert.

The concert Sunday will be the second one to be given under the direction of Utley Gunter, who recently took charge of the band. Mr. Gunter has only been here for a few weeks, but he has shown that he is a capable teacher and director, as well as a performer on band and orchestra instruments, and is rapidly gaining favor with the public, as well as with the band members. About a dozen beginners have already bought instruments and are taking lessons from Mr. Gunter, and will soon be able to join the band. Lessons are free to any one wishing to get into the band, and offers a good opportunity for parents to start their children in music.

There has been some talk about the charges that the band has been making for playing political speakings, and as there seems to be some misunderstanding with regard to what the band charges for, the following statement was given our today by the band members:

"Our policy is to charge a reasonable amount for any occasion that is to the interests of any party or faction, which does not represent the people of Ballinger as a whole. Any entertainment or occasion that is for Ballinger as a whole will be absolutely free, and the band is willing to play at any time it is called upon.  
"We do not feel that any party or faction has any more right to ask that the band give its services free than a store would have if they were putting on a sale. We wish to thank those who made the existence of the band possible by their subscriptions, and we earnestly hope that they will look at this matter in a fair light, and we assure them that they will always find the band ready and willing to do anything for Ballinger, or the people as a whole."

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, pain, and diarrhoea. Meade's Baby Elixir is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Sold by John A. Weeks.

**Methodist Church**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. Subject: "The Power of Music and the Welfare of the Child."

Tomorrow is Mothers' Day. Attend church and Sunday school, and wear a flower in her honor.  
There will be a special program at the 11:00 o'clock service. Special music, a 5 minute address—"Mother" by Hon. C. P. Shepherd.  
Let the mothers attend the service conducted in their honor.  
At the evening hour, Dr. Alvin Swindell will preach the commencement sermon for the graduating class of our high school.  
J. B. CURRY, Pastor.

Biliousness is a disorder involving the stomach, liver and bowels. It opens the door for disease. Prickly Ash Bitters is the right remedy. It drives out bile and impurities and makes a man feel bright, vigorous and cheerful. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

An ad a day keeps the wolf—!

**VERIBEST BREAD**  
"It's all the name implies," and its sale is worth something to you.  
**LANKFORD STEAM BAKERY.**  
Ballinger, Texas.  
Maker of Good Bread for 15 Years.

**Notice of Annual Exhibit of Estate.**

STATE OF TEXAS,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Runnels County, a copy of the following notice:  
The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Maggie Shaffer, deceased, J. W. Powell, administrator of said estate, has filed in the county court, Runnels County, Texas, an Annual Exhibit of said Estate for the year ending on the 1st day of April, 1920, which will be heard by our said County Court on the first Monday in May, 1920, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House of said County, in Ballinger, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said Exhibit, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 17th day of April, 1920.

**No. 14 OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.**

at Ballinger, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of May, 1920, published in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper printed and published at Ballinger, State of Texas on the 8th day of May, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$215,145.42
Loans, real estate	26,296.16
Overdrafts	15,775.17
Bonds and Stocks	30,794.00
Real estate (banking house)	20,000.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	2,150.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,000.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	40,633.42
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	2,006.15
Cash Items	1,014.59
Currency	2,200.00
Specie	341.53
Interest and Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	4,525.22
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	10,209.50
OTHER RESOURCES:	
Interest Earned, but not Collected	1,071.07
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$387,062.23</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus Fund	44,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	4,851.83
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	1,895.72
Individual Deposits, subject to check	272,094.48
Time Certificates of Deposit	22,334.35
Bills Payable and Redemptions	14,000.00
Other Liabilities:	
Dividends Unpaid	150.00
Interest Collected, but not Earned	837.85
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$387,062.23</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss  
We, Feb McWilliams as President and Chas. S. Miller, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Feb McWilliams, President,  
Chas. S. Miller, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of May, A. D., 1920.  
Sam Baker,  
Notary Public Runnels County, Texas

**CORRECT—ATTEST:**  
J. A. Reese, C. P. Shepherd, E. A. Werner, Directors.

**I'm Telling You Right**  
Some of my friends are complaining about it being dry, but like it from me, I've been here long enough to know that this is the best country on earth. Let's see the good side of it: Our banks are full of money and we are all prosperous. I've even made some money and several new friends, repairing shoes, and I have the best equipped shop in West Texas for shoe repairing too.  
**Goy Drennan**  
Opposite Santa Fe Station

**Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR**  
Imitation "Ford" parts are being sold by many mail-order houses and garages to unsuspecting Ford owners as "Ford" parts. But they are not Genuine Ford parts, made by the Ford Motor Company. They are made by concern who have no connection whatsoever with the Ford Motor Company. These imitation parts are not even made from the same grade of steel, or under the same formulas used by the Ford Company. They are counterfeit parts. Tests have shown them to break when the genuine Ford parts didn't even bend and they generally are from thirty-five to one hundred per cent lower in quality.  
The Authorized Ford Dealer is your protection. As such, we handle nothing but the Genuine Ford parts. They are made from the famous Ford Vanadium Steel an death part—according to its use—is heat-treated in the way that will give it the longest wearing qualities.  
**Harwell Motor Company**

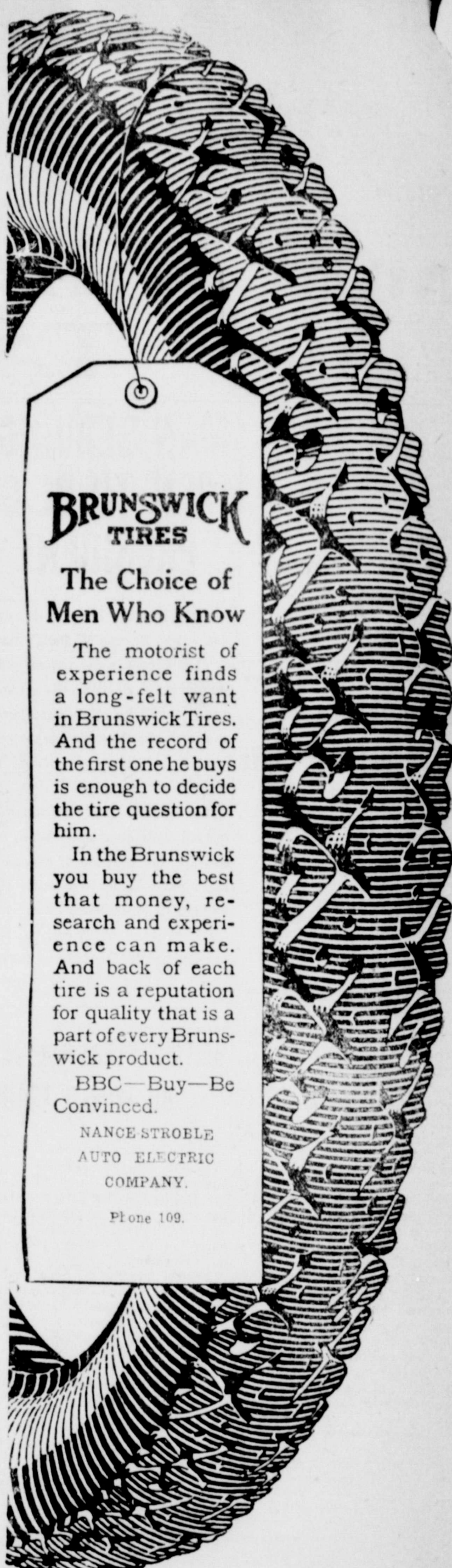
ger, this, the 17th day of April, 1920.  
(Seal) W. C. McCARVER,  
Clerk, County Court, Runnels County, Texas. 19-3rd

**STANDS ON HIS OWN MERITS.**

The Ledger is not espousing the cause of any candidate for governor, but we were impressed very forcibly with the fact that Hon. Al M. Neff, who spoke here Thursday morning, made no reference whatever, directly or indirectly, to any of his opponents. He did not mention their names, and spoke as though he didn't know that any one else was running for governor. His address was absolutely free from personalities or abuse. He seems to be running for governor on his own merits and not on the demerits of some one else. He spoke for nearly two hours and those who went to hear him give the other fellow a "skinning" failed to hear what they went for. That is clean politics and is all in favor of Neff.

The fellow who drives through town with the muffler to his ear disturbing the peace, does not find any more music in the nuisance than you do. He is just advertising himself. It is undesirable advertising ton.

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**BRUNSWICK TIRES**

**The Choice of Men Who Know**

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AUTO ELECTRIC  
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what premium you deposit. All you pay is the COST. You will get credit for the difference a expiration of your policy—Can you use the difference?  
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**SURPRISE YOUR WIFE**  
by ordering us to transform your old bathroom into a handsomely equipped, modern sanitary lavatory and toilet. Your reward will come in her delight and also in the sure elimination of the risk of illness always attending an unsanitary bathroom.  
**D. J. BREWER**  
The Plumber. Phone 83

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and Eruptions  
Bad Blood**

Do not have impure or impoverished blood should be careful to take a temperance remedy made of roots and barks, such as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is and has been for nearly 50 years. Ingredients printed on wrapper.

The first day you start to take this reliable medicine, impure germs and accumulations begin to separate in the blood and are then expelled through the eliminative organs.

In place of the impurities, the arteries and veins gradually get fresh vitalized blood and the action of this good blood on the skin means that pimples, boils, carbuncles, eczema, rash, acne and many skin blemishes will disappear. Then you must remember that when the blood is right, the liver, stomach, bowels and kidneys become healthy, active and vigorous and you will have no more trouble with indigestion, backache, headache.

Get Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to-day at any medicine dealers, in tablet or liquid form, or send 10c. for trial package to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.—"Dr. Pierce's proprietary medicines have been entirely satisfactory to me in the truest sense of the word. I consider them as being very high-class remedies and the safest that I know of on the market. Myself and family have used them as a tonic after La Grippe, with good results. During the last score of years when we needed a tonic we have used the 'Golden Medical Discovery' always with satisfactory results, also the 'Pleasant Pellets.' My thanks to Dr. Pierce prompts me to write my truthful sentiments."—O. R. WILSON, 802 Koberlin Street.

**WILL SHOW COTTON MOVING PICTURE**

Two reels of motion pictures, showing the cotton industry from start to finish, will be shown at the Maeroy Theatre Wednesday night, according to J. A. Huddleston, who represents the American Cotton Association.

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Corner of 8th and Bonsall sts.  
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m., by Elder R. C. Bell of Abilene.

Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the services with us.

At that, a resolution declaring the war at an end will be nearer the truth than a declaration of peace.

**CAMPAIGNING ON  
OPPRNETS DEMERITS**

About fifty men followed the Ballinger band to the band stand Friday afternoon, where Judge R. N. Grisham, candidate for congress began his speech. After speaking fifteen or twenty minutes, the wind began to blow, making the weather unfavorable for outdoor speaking, and Judge Grisham invited the crowd to go to the court room with him. About two dozen of those present followed him to the court room, where he concluded his speech.

Mr. Grisham spent about twenty minutes outlining the platform upon which he was making the race for congress, stating what he hoped to put through, if elected, and spent about one hour in attacking Congressman Blanton.

He said that Blanton had charged that Gompers, head of the labor unions, was spending money to defeat the present congressman and elect him. "Fortune has smiled on me," said the speaker, "during the last few years, and I do not need any help in financing my campaign. If I did I had rather have labor union money than money from the manufacturers of Massachusetts, where Blanton has been making speeches."

Judge Grisham told how Congressman Blanton had blocked legislation by what he said was "rule or ruin" tactics, and charged the congressman from this district with tying up congress for one entire day and with defeating forty-nine bills that day. "all because Blanton was mad because he could not have his way," said the speaker.

The speaker charged that Blanton had sent about 150,000 copies of the "Congressional Record" carrying speeches supposed to have been delivered in congress by Blanton, but which were never delivered.

"Your congressman has attacked every department and made false charges against every department at Washington, from the president down," said Grisham, "and has consumed more time in congress than any other one man. Blanton has spoken on every question and every bill brought before congress. He has 100 roll calls to his credit, and has wasted \$411,000 of the people's money."

The speaker said that Blanton posed as a great representative of the prohibition cause, and yet he was not present when the nation-

al amendment for prohibition was voted on, and said that Blanton's explanation that he had paired with another congressman on that question was false.

At the conclusion of Judge Grisham's address, a man was heard to remark, "well, he at least gives our congressman credit for having some power in congress, but charging that he could block congress and defeat 49 bills in one day, and could be heard on every measure brought before congress."

**COUNTY CONVENTION  
INDORSES BAUGH**

A number of counties in the 26th Senatorial District, in holding their Democratic conventions last Tuesday, passed resolutions indorsing Judge J. H. Baugh for the state senate.

Judge Baugh has received letters from friends in the counties taking such action, together with

papers of those counties published the resolutions.

The two voting precincts in Ballinger unanimously indorsed Judge Baugh, and Judge Baugh would have received the indorsement of the county convention had not other issues been injected into the convention and action taken confining the work of the convention to National issues only.

It will be interesting to the friends of Judge Baugh to know that he was the only candidate

indorsed for state office by any convention in this district.

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 John A. Weeks.

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**Lankford Furniture and Undertaking Co.**

Undertaking Supplies  
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**Soil, Feed, Stock**

are the factors which engross the farmer's attention.

No less important than these should be—

**Safety, Service, Satisfaction**

in the financial institution with which he does business.

These are found in abundant measure in this institution.

You can depend upon receiving a friendly greeting with our doors.

"Member Federal Reserve System"

RELIABILITY ACCOMMODATION  
**The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.**  
STRENGTH SERVICE

**Clothes are an Investment**

WHEN you buy them be sure they meet with your ideas of style and quality. You are entitled to an answer to the requirements your sound judgment dictates.

**Campus Togs**

Clothes for Younger Men

offer an investment that will save you money in the long run. Our wide range of models is convincing proof.

*Huber & Bros. Co.*

**CONSTIPATION**

**And Sour Stomach Caused This Lady Much Suffering. Black-Draught Relieved.**

Meadorsville, Ky.—Mrs. Pearl Patrick, of this place, writes: "I was very constipated. I had sour stomach and was so uncomfortable. I went to the doctor. He gave me some pills. They weakened me and seemed to tear up my digestion. They would gripe me and afterwards it seemed I was more constipated than before."

I heard of Black-Draught and decided to try it. I found it just what I needed. It was an easy laxative, and not bad to swallow. My digestion soon improved. I got well of the sour stomach, my bowels soon seemed normal, no more griping, and I would take a dose now and then, and was in good shape.

I cannot say too much for Black-Draught for it is the finest laxative one can use."

Theodor's Black-Draught has for many years been found of great value in the treatment of stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy to take, gentle and reliable in its action, leaving no bad after-effects, it has won the praise of thousands of people who have used it.

**High School Graduates**



LILLIAN MCKINNEY

Valedictorian  
Entered 1919—Basket ball 1919—  
Class Prophetess 1920—Tennis



SIBYL PARKER

Salutatorian  
Entered 1916—Distinguished in  
all subjects of curriculum.

**Thirty-six Graduates to Hear Commencement Sermon**

Seats will be reserved for thirty-six young ladies and gentlemen, graduates of the Ballinger High School, at a union service of all the churches of the city at the Methodist church Sunday evening at eight o'clock.

Dr. Alvin Swindell will deliver the baccalaureate sermon, and special music will be rendered on the occasion.

This service is always looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure and anxiety of the patrons and pupils of the school, and is usually largely attended.

Due to the large number of graduates the commencement ser-

VICES will no doubt attract a large audience this year.

The coming week will close the 1919-20 term of the Ballinger school, and the largest class in the history of the school will complete their high school work. The large class of useful young men and women should inspire the patrons of the school to more loyal support of the school board and the faculty in every effort to make the schools more efficient. It must be done.

Following are the names of those who will go out into the world giving the Ballinger High School credit for their high school

education, and we trust that they will reflect credit on the school in whatever avocation in life they may be found in years to come:

Lillian McKinney, Sibyl Parker, Thelma Bigby, Josephine Burris, Ernest Ruffington, Chas W. Branch, Mahotah Chastain, Corra Brandon, Kate Cookrell, Myrtle Chumley, Roy Clappitt, Elbert Clappitt, Anna Currie, Ila Walker, Minnie Daniel, Nell Futeh, Rupert Clayton, Keith Harrison, LaVina Eskridge, Della Harding, Helen Hays, Louis Hensley, John R. Latham, Eleanor Kirk, Beatrice Nance, Henry Leach, Ruth Nicholson, Margaret Raby, Roy Mack, Hammond O'Kelly, Oscar Zappe, Eva Webb, Hubert Zappe, Clarence Smith, Ina Todd, and Prule Coulter.

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**BULLETS PUTS STOP TO WOULD BE ELOPERS**

A young man by the name of Yancy was here early Saturday morning to confer with the officers concerning what he charged was an attempt to take his life by an unknown party while he was attempting to elope with the 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wells, of the Northwestern part of the county.

According to Yancy's story he and the young lady had planned to elope, and by pre-arranged plan he was to get the young lady and they were to go at once and seek the services of one authorized to perform the marriage ceremony.

When he was in the act of carrying out the pre-arranged program, by meeting the young lady at the appointed time and place, some one fired on him from ambush, firing seven shots from a pistol.

Yancy informed the officers that he put the whip to his horse and got away, and declared that he would get the young lady later.

The young man did not recognize his assailant but says he knows that the party was not the father of the young lady he was to elope with.

Officers are investigating the case.

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War Savings and Thrift Stamps	500.74
Banking House, F. and F.	23,900.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,900.00
Acceptance (cotton)	159,480.27
Cash and Exchange	248,056.23
	\$1,172,713.87

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	87,401.39
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## LEAVE FOR WASHINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. E. Shepperd and Mrs. A. S. Love and nephew, Clarence Preston, left Friday afternoon for Washington, D. C., where they will attend the Southern Baptist convention. Dr. Alvin Swindell will leave Monday morning to attend the convention. Mr. and Mrs. Shepperd will leave their children with Mrs. Shepperd's sister in Oklahoma.

A torpid liver is a heavy handicap to a working man. It robs him of strength, energy and alertness. To remove the burden the proper remedy is Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a fine liver, stomach and bowel medicine. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

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## Notice of Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels: Whereas, Will C. Grant, then of Dallas, Texas, did, on the 11th day of August, 1915, execute, acknowledge and deliver to F. H. Blankenship, of Dallas County Texas, as trustee, a certain deed of trust, in which said deed of trust the said Will C. Grant did name and appoint the said F. H. Blankenship trustee, and convey the and described therein for the purpose of securing the payment of one certain promissory note of even date with said deed of trust for the principal sum of Seven Hundred Fifty (\$750.00) Dollars, executed by the said Will C. Grant, payable to the order of the said Will C. Grant at the office of the American National Exchange Bank, Dallas, Texas, due one year after its date, bearing interest from and after maturity at the rate of 10 percent per annum and providing for 10 per cent additional upon principal and interest then due as attorneys' fees if sued on or placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, as more fully appears from the reading of said deed of trust, of record in Vol. 15 at page 379, deed of trust records of said Runnels county, Texas.

And Whereas, the said American National Exchange Bank, Dallas, Texas, is now the legal owner and holder of said note, it is now long since past due and unpaid, and said Bank has requested the said F. H. Blankenship, trustee as aforesaid, to execute the trust which request has been denied and refused by the said F. H. Blankenship. And Whereas, the said American National Exchange Bank, under the powers granted by said deed of trust, has appointed a substitute trustee, to-wit, R. G. Erwin of Ballinger, Runnels county Texas, by appointment in writing dated April 20th, 1920, of record in the office of the county clerk of Runnels County, Texas.

And Whereas, the said American National Exchange Bank, has requested the said R. G. Erwin, substitute trustee, to execute the trust under the provisions of said deed of trust and the powers and authority granted therein and thereby. And Whereas, said note has

been placed in the hands of Doss & Baugh, attorneys, for collection, whereby said attorneys fees provided in said note have matured.

And Whereas, the said R. G. Erwin has accepted said appointment, and will proceed to enforce said trust and execute same under the powers of said deed, and has mailed a notice of sale to the said Will C. Grant.

And Whereas, the said American National Exchange Bank, by reason of endorsement of said note in blank, and by reason of a written assignment of the lien on realty, securing said note, which said transfer is of record in Volume 93 at page 437, deed records of Runnels county, Texas, is now the legal owner of the lien on realty securing said note.

Now Therefore, R. G. Erwin, substitute trustee as aforesaid, will offer for sale, between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the first Tuesday in June, 1920, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the court house door in the city of Ballinger, in Runnels county, Texas, the following described property:

Situated in Runnels county, in the State of Texas, and being all of Lots 5 and 6 in Block No. 21, original town of Ballinger, according to the map or plan of said town of record in the office of the county clerk of said county, together with all the rights, members and appurtenances there to in anywise belonging, which said land was sold in satisfaction of the debt of said American National Exchange Bank, amounting in principal, interest and attorneys fees to \$1125.00.

Witness my hand, this the 27th day of April, A. D. 1920.

R. G. ERWIN, Substitute Trustee. d-27-4-11

## INSANE ASYLUM IS FULL; GIRL'S REFORMATORY ALSO

By Associated Press  
AUSTIN, May 8.—No more patients can be accommodated at the North Texas Hospital for the Insane at Terrell, according to Chairman S. B. Cowell of the state board of control, who has just returned from a trip of inspection of the institution.

Chairman Cowell also visited the Girls' Training School at Gainesville, and reports that this school is filled to capacity with 58 inmates, and a long list of applicants for admission is on file. A new dormitory now under construction will help relieve the crowded condition, Mr. Cowell declared.

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At 8 p. m., the congregation will attend the baccalaureate service at the Methodist church.  
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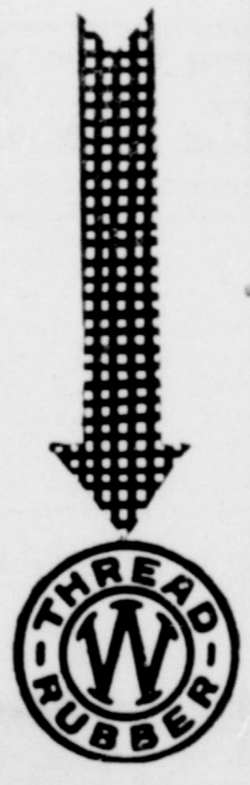
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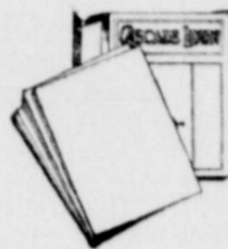
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Klenzo Tar Shampoo Soap, 30c two for	31c
Charmona Toilet Water, several odors, \$1.00 two for	\$1.01
Aspirin Tablets, 100 to the bottle, \$1.00 two for	\$1.01
Aspirin Tablets, 12 to the box, 25c two for	26c
Rexall Rubbing Oil, 40c two for	41c
Rexall Cream of Almonds, 50c two for	51c
Rexall Baby Talcum, 30c two for	31c
Rexall Foot Powder, 35c two for	36c
Rexall Toilet Cream, 35c two for	36c
Rexall Tooth Powder, 50c two for	51c
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Cascade Linen, pound paper. 60c, two for 61c.



Two Quart Maximum Fountain Syringe, guaranteed for two years. \$3.00, two for \$3.01.



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### BODY OF YOUNG MAN RECOVERED

The body of Will Shepherd, nephew of C. P. Shepherd and Prof. J. M. Skinner, was recovered from Lake Worth, near Ft. Worth, after a twenty hour search by divers, Thursday morning.

A message was received here Thursday morning giving an account of the tragic drowning of the young man, and later the Ft. Worth Star-Telegram gave the following account of the tragedy:

Will B. Shepherd, 21, student of Texas Christian University, leaped to his death Wednesday afternoon at Lake Worth from a motor boat after the gasoline in the tank had caught fire. Seven other students in the boat were rescued.

Shepherd could not swim. As soon as he plunged into the water he struggled briefly and then within sight of several girl and boy students he went under for the last time.

Texas Christian University classes had gone to the lake in a body for the annual May Day picnic, which was postponed from last Saturday because of a baseball game.

Practically all of the picnickers were in bathing or on the water in boats when news of Shepherd's death was received.

With the other students Shepherd had left the docks near the Nine-Mile Bridge. The gasoline was ignited after the boat had gone about 500 feet west of the Nine-Mile Bridge, and about 200 feet from the shore.

It was about twenty minutes before life savers at the bathing beach, almost a third of a mile from the scene of the drowning, were notified of the accident. They rushed to the scene, taking the Lake Worth pulmotor. The life savers worked until after dark, diving and dragging the lake, endeavoring to rescue the body. A lung-motor from Spelman's Undertaking Company was also rushed to the lake with the hope that life might be restored had the body been recovered immediately.

Shepherd was a junior at the university, having spent three years there. He was prominent in athletics.

He was the son of Dr. F. D. Shepherd of Burkburnett, formerly of Henrietta.

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#### Needle Workers

The Needle Workers Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Chester Cherry as hostess. Although the atmosphere was languid, the spirit of the club was that of gratitude for what we have, and for the privilege of enjoying it. And after delicious refreshments were served to the workers and visitors, they went their way to meet with Mrs. Herring next week.

Reporter.

### Daily Ledger Want Ads

FOR SALE—Good milk cow and Mebane cotton seed. Phone 7503. Ed Page. 8-3rd.\*

WANTED—House keeper of middle age. Address Box 51. 8-3rd.\*

FOR RENT—100 acres and good small house eight miles West Paint Rock. Also few good Jersey cows for sale. E. W. Brownrig. 8-3rd.\*

LOST—1 Spitz dog on Ballinger-Wingate road. Answers to name of Peg. Reward for information. Roy Lowe, Stocks Hotel. 8-3rd

LOST—Brown horse, 14 1/2 hands high, brand bar over 8, slick mouth. E. W. Compton, Winters, Tex. 7-6td.\*

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#### BRIEFS FROM OUR STATE CAPITAL

AUSTIN, May 8.—Governor Hobby in proclaiming tomorrow Mothers' Day acted in accordance with the custom established by the Act of Congress of 1914 which authorizes the president to set aside the second Sunday in May as a national holiday for the observance of a day in honor of mothers. Miss Anna Jarvis, of Philadelphia, Pa., is credited with the authorship of the idea and the day was first observed in 1910.

AUSTIN, May 8.—Examinations for appointment to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis will be given under the auspices of the United States Civil Service Commission on June 22, in the following congressional districts: Third, eighth, eleventh, thirteenth, fifteenth and seventeenth.

AUSTIN, May 8.—Many requests are being received for information as to the scope of the present ruling of the Internal Revenue Bureau that husband and wife may divide certain classes of community income for tax purposes and file separate reports, according to A. S. Walker, internal revenue collector in Texas.

Mr. Walker had requested the commissioner of internal revenue at Washington for detailed information covering every phase of the recent ruling, including the tax payer's right to recover taxes paid under the former method.

There is no occasion for persons who believe themselves en-

itled to refunds of taxes heretofore paid to act hastily in preparing and filing their claims, Mr. Walker declared today. "The five year period of limitation will apply to such claims and there will be ample time to prepare them when complete regulations have been issued."

AUSTIN, May 8.—Applications for the George Peabody scholarship in Johns Hopkins University for the study of advanced educational work, should be made immediately, Miss Annie Webb (Blanton), state superintendent of public instruction, announces.

Students in all Southern states are open to compete in the examinations. The scholarship has an income of \$275 per year. The incumbent must pay tuition and laboratory fees and is eligible for reappointment. Applications should be sent to President Good, now, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.

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Eastern Star. Meeting Monday evening, May 10th at 8 p. m. There will be election of officers. Members urged to be present, visitors cordially invited. Mrs. Virginia Douglass, W. M. W. H. Schleyer, Secy.

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E. A. Jones of the Norton county, who left here for Denison a few days ago, to leave his children with his sister, while seeking health under treatment of specialists, is seriously ill at Denison, and there are no hopes for his recovery, according to a letter received from Denison by The Ledger. The letter stated that Mr. Jones was now suffering with heart trouble and a complication of other troubles.

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