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Demonstrations Delay Balloting on G. O. P. Presidential Candidates

Wilson Named Royal Family and Wm. G. McAdoo is Crown Prince

Candidate for Governor On American Ticket is Speaker

Ballinger had its first speech Thursday in behalf of the American Party. It was made by ex-State Senator T. H. McGregor, of Austin, who is the nominee for

Governor for this party for the State of Texas, and from the size of the crowd and the applause he has quite a strong following in Ballinger and Runnels county. He spoke in the District Court room of the court house. The lower floor was comfortably filled and the gallery partly filled. Besides many Ballinger voters and those residing in and immediately around Ballinger, Rowena and Olin were well represented and all parts of the county had some voters present.

Senator McGregor is a forceful speaker, rather deliberate, a good reasoner, and if you accept his premises, he drives you to his conclusions. He is a man who has made quite an enviable record as a member of both houses of the Texas Legislature, and those who do not agree with him politically admit that he is a man who commands respect of his fellows.

Judge T. T. Crosson, local attorney, introduced the speaker in a forceful manner, giving reasons why he was forced to quit the Democratic Party, among which were that the Texas Democrats had abandoned the great principles of "state rights" and had invoked the majority rule without constitutional authority, and the endorsement of Governor Hobby by the last State meeting of the Democratic convention. He announced clearly and unequivocally that he was out of the Democratic Party and that he was a "weaned calf." He stated that it was a pleasure to see a man of McGregor's type have the courage to run for Governor and defy the powers that be in the Democratic party.

When Senator McGregor stepped on the platform he was met with a warm welcome by practically all of the 200 voters present. Mr. McGregor began his address by rehearsing the principles laid down in the Declaration of Independence and paying tribute to Jefferson, Jackson, Sam Houston and Jim Hogg, and giving the history of how the Democratic party had drifted from the old landmarks.

He stressed individual liberty of the people, saying that the tendency of all legislation both state

and National was to curtail those liberties.

The main part of his address was directed to the extravagance of the State Administration, condemning the manner of the functioning of the State government thru its many branches. He left the impression that the government could be as simply and as economically administered now as in the days of Jefferson. He cited the various appropriations during the last session of the Texas Legislature, showing, as he said, "enormous sums that were appropriated for the various departments, which was a waste of the people's money." He said that there were 25 boards and commissions now in Texas undertaking to administer the functions of government which was entirely too many. He claimed that all or practically all of the administration of the laws of the State of Texas could be handled at Austin, the capital, and the amount of travelling by the state officials was entirely unnecessary and a waste of money.

The speaker stated that he was against the State Highway Department, and said that it ought to be abolished and each county receive the auto tax and disburse the same. He was against the Pure Food and Drug Department and said it ought to be abolished also. He cited large appropriations for these departments that he said was a great waste. He said that Texas was expending annually the enormous sum of \$1,000,000 for the travelling expenses of its officers. He condemned the furnishing of automobiles by the State for its various officers.

The ex-Senator said that although he was running for Governor under the name of the American Party, that he was a better Democrat than any of the men who are now running under the name of the Democratic Party.

He stated the "State House Gag" was for R. E. Thomason for Governor because they could control him.

Mr. McGregor condemned the high taxes that the people were now paying in Texas and said if he was elected Governor that he would reduce them from 25 to 50 per cent. He said that there were collected in taxes last year the sum of \$21,000,000.00 and that the State only needed \$17,000,000.00 for all of its needs and that each and every tax payer paid 25 per

G. O. P. Bulletins

By Associated Press

CHICAGO, 2:15 p. m.—Charles Wheeler of California, concluded his speech nominating Senator Johnson at 1:16 o'clock this afternoon, when another big demonstration started, with Johnson supporters seemingly determined to make the noise last as long as the demonstrations for General Wood and Governor Lowden.

CHICAGO, 2:32 p. m.—The Johnson demonstration was quieted after thirty minutes when Representative Schall, blind Congressman from Minnesota, began the seconding of Johnson's nomination.

Schall was led to the platform by his little boy. He was given an outburst of applause.

At 2:15 Congressman Gillett started the nomination speech for Governor Calvin C. Coolidge of Massachusetts, a "dark horse."

CHICAGO, 2:56 p. m.—Gov. Coolidge's demonstration was brief.

Former Senator Butler then placed the name of Judge Pritchard of North Carolina before the convention.

At this time however, with the oratorical fireworks over for the three leading candidates, the delegates became restless and kept up a continual hum of talk.

CHICAGO, 3:40 p. m.—Ogden Mills nominated Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, but could hardly be heard for the noise in the hall.

Miss Lena Belle Doss, came in Thursday from Ft. Worth and is stopping at her brother's home on Broadway. On Monday, June 14th, she will be married to Mr. Homer Kennedy, a prominent insurance man of Ft. Worth.

April exports decreased \$135,000,000 while imports fell off \$30,000,000 as compared with the trade figures for March, announced the United States Department of Commerce.

Missouri's farm products including the value of unsold livestock, in 1919 amounted to \$1,378,440,400, reports say.

CHICAGO, June 11.—At three o'clock restlessness at the Republican national convention was becoming pronounced today.

Many delegates urged a recess or adjournment at this hour. When Ogden Mills placed the name of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia University, New York, before the convention he could hardly be heard for the uproar. Others wanted to adjourn after the second ballot had been taken.

(Associated Press Dispatch) CHICAGO, June 11.—Nominated by Governor Allen of Kansas, and seconded by Frank Knott of New Hampshire, and Mrs. Douglas Robinson of New York, the candidacy of General Leonard Wood was formally placed before the Republican national convention today.

At the conclusion of the nominating speech, thousands of many colored turkey feathers were turned loose from the ceiling and floated down over the delegates.

A procession led by Minnesota delegates started down the coliseum hall with women among the marchers part of the time.

Convention managers saw in this Wood demonstration prospects for a long session. They guessed that the supporters of other favorite candidates would try to outdo the Wood people, with delayed balloting as a result.

The Wood demonstration to try to stampede the convention lasted forty minutes, and was only quieted when Chairman Lodge threatened to clear the galleries.

CHICAGO, June 11.—National committeeman Rodenberg of Illinois today placed in nomination the name of Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, for nominee of the Republican party for president.

When the roll call of delegates by states was commenced today, the Arkansas delegation yielded to the Illinois delegation for the nomination of Gov. Lowden.

CHICAGO, June 11.—By 12:40 o'clock this afternoon the three most mentioned candidates for President on the Republican ticket, Leonard Wood, Frank O. Lowden and Hiram Johnson, had been presented to the Republican National convention.

The demonstration following the conclusion of the nominating address by Committeeman Rodenberg for Gov. Lowden lasted forty-two minutes.

Lowden's presentation was followed by Charles S. Wheeler of

California, placing the name of Hiram W. Johnson before the convention. Wheeler got cheers when he referred to President Wilson and the administration, as "the royal family," and Wm. G. McAdoo as "the crown prince." However the cheers were turned to jeers and guffaws as he referred to Senator Johnson as having "inadequate" campaign funds.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Animosities in the platform battle were swept away by delegates to the Republican national convention, who gathered in the great coliseum hall early today to name a presidential candidate.

The man who would receive the highest party honors was still "on the lap of the Gods" this morning. General Wood, Senator Johnson, and Governor Lowden, the leading candidates for the nomination, all expressed confidence as to the final outcome, but the balance of the power is with the five hundred uninstructed delegates.

Chairman Lodge of the convention said he did not expect the balloting to be reached on a vice-president before Saturday.

100 JOIN IN MOVE FOR OPEN SHOP

GALVESTON, June 11.—An "open shop" association of one hundred Galveston business men was organized here last night.

The new non-union organization telegraphed the lieutenant-governor and Speaker Thomason, giving their approval to the action of Governor Hobby in sending the state militia to this city.

Ships are being loaded in the Galveston harbor today and the situation is quiet.

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OPEN AIR CONCERT TONIGHT AT 8:30

The Court House lawn will be lit up tonight and the music makers will be there to make the occasion merry with melody. The band has been out of town for the past few weeks on Friday nights and a trip to Norton was postponed this week in order to give the home folks a concert.

The concert will start promptly at 8:30 and if you want a place to park your car you had better be on time.

Following is a program that will be played tonight:

- March, "Noisy Bill"—Loosey
- Waltz, "Kittiwake"—Meyers
- Overture, "Pretziosa"—Skaggs
- March, "Lakesonian"—Lake
- Waltz, "Magic Melody"—Romberg
- Rag, "I Used to Call Her Baby"—Hess
- Smear, "Sally Trombone"—Filmore
- March, "Dress Parade"—Chambers.

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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
O. L. PARISH
- For Treasurer:**
MRS. R. P. KIRK
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:**
R. J. DEENS
M. B. WARDLAW
- For District Clerk:**
(Miss) GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:**
J. P. BOOTHIE
- For Representative 111 District:**
C. R. STEPHENS
- For State Senator 26th District:**
J. H. BAUGH

Fight disease, flies and mosquitos, by cutting the weeds.

A clean-up campaign is needed badly in Ballinger and the first place to start is in some of our weed patches.

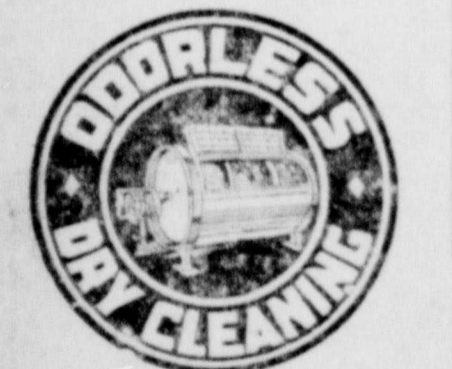
We can boast of some of the prettiest lawns and yards of any town in Texas this year. Co-operation in this work will make our town known widely for its cleanliness and beauty.

West Texas is calling for help to work the cotton crop that is started. If the help can be obtained and the insects let it alone, the crop raised in Runnels county will deserve the name "bumper."

The colored folks are putting one over on the whites this year and staging a big celebration on June 19th. Ballinger has not celebrated its birthday for six or seven years.

A snake four feet long was killed on one of Ballinger's streets Wednesday. As long as weeds grow wild along the sidewalks most any varmint is likely to live there. Beautify your place by getting rid of the weeds and make it so hot for your neighbor that he will cut his.

This part of the state will not



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want for something to do this summer or some place to go. Paint Rock is having a big barbecue July 3rd. Sonora is having a big Rodeo Show July 6, 7 and 8th. Ozona is putting on a big affair as well as Brady, Sweetwater, and San Saba, besides the numerous political picnics that are being held all over the country.

Baseball in all West Texas seems to be thriving this year and more people are becoming fans than the West has ever had before. Pleasure follows prosperity and it speaks well for any town that is supporting a good baseball team and other organizations for the benefit of its citizens. Ballinger has one of the best teams in West Texas this year as well as a band to furnish music for all occasions.

So many people travel nowadays by auto instead of on the train that a local reporter on a newspaper has a hard time trying to find out who is visiting away from home or who has some kind-folks coming in to see them. We make the best effort we can to get all the news, but no one can meet all the cars and trains, so if you are going on a trip or have some one visiting you, call us on the phone and give us the particulars. We will appreciate it and you will be helping us by doing so. Any other news of any nature we will also be glad to receive.

Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy

Every family should keep this preparation at hand ready for instant use when needed. Severe attacks of colic and cholera morbus often prove fatal before medicine can be procured or a physician summoned. The uniform success that has attended the use of this remedy and the prompt cures which it has effected have made it a staple article of trade.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and help during the sickness and death of our late husband and father, M. C. Sheffy, deceased. May God's richest blessings rest and abide with you in our wish and prayer.

Mrs. M. C. Sheffy,
C. R. Sheffy,
A. D. Sheffy.

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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Mr. W. H. Lynn of Winters was here Friday at noon to meet Mrs. Lynn, who came in on the west bound Santa Fe.

Geo. Kirk came in Friday at noon from Waco where he has been attending Baylor University the past year. George will be a valuable man to the local ball team, having played third base for the Baylor team this spring.

Fleischmann's Yeast. Currie Mercantile Co. 10-3rd

E. A. Jones who is now in California visiting his five sons, writes to Ballinger that he is leaving El Centro in the Imperial Valley because of the excessive heat. He will visit other parts of that state before returning home.

Mrs. I. N. Polk of Cleburne, formerly Miss Alberta Hays, of Ballinger, is here on a visit to her uncle, H. G. Hays, and Miss Jennie Bennett.

R. W. Bence, wife and son, will leave in a few days for Alabama to visit the "old home" of Mr. Bruce. They will be gone about a month, and will spend some days at Eureka Springs, Ark., before returning.

Use Ledger Classifieds.

FORMER BALLINGER MAN TO BE FLAG DAY ORATOR.

Herbert O'Bannon, one of the trustees of San Angelo Lodge No. 998, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, was unanimously selected by the local Elk membership at the Wednesday night meeting to deliver the Flag Day oration on Sunday, June 13th. It is planned to hold this annual service this year in the Elk club rooms for the membership only. Mr. O'Bannon is to deliver an address of about thirty minutes on patriotism and the flag.

Besides the selection of Mr. O'Bannon as orator for the Flag Day services a number of candidates were voted into membership. It was decided that these would be initiated on the 17th. Several applications were also received. The trustees reported that it was deemed best not to have either a baseball team or a country club at the present time.

The report of the trustees was accepted and it was voted that for the present these matters be passed. Plans for the annual Fourth of July American were furthered. The Elks promise to make this event this year greater than ever before.

Owing to missing train connections District Deputy Stiles was unable to reach San Angelo Wednesday night in time for the meeting. It is expected that he will not now make an official visit to the local Elks until some time in July.—San Angelo Standard.

It is reported that congress recently appropriated four billions of dollars for the government's expense for the next fiscal year. This is said to be about four times the annual expense before the war.

The agricultural bill which was recently signed by President Wilson carries total appropriations amounting to \$31,000,000 for the fiscal year, beginning July 1.

Our normal carry-over of spring wheat is usually estimated at about seventy five million bushels. However, the 1918 carry-over of spring wheat was only about twenty eight million bushels.

The United States department of agriculture announced the condition of the cotton crop on May 25 to be 62.4 per cent normal, and that this was the lowest mark in its record of fifty years.

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MOTHER APPEALS FOR AID TO FIND BABY

MORRISTOWN, Pa., June 11.—Mothers of children throughout the country were appealed to today by the mother of thirteen months' old Blakeley Coughlin, who was kidnapped in Pennsylvania nine days ago, to help find her baby.

Little Blakeley was thought to have been located in Dallas, but the police of that city decided the Dallas infant was not Blakeley Coughlin.

Don't expect to get through a hot summer of hard work without a sick spell, if you start with your system full of impurities. To avoid a break-down in the busy season begin now taking Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy for men. It will purify the blood, liver and bowels and put the system in healthy condition. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

FIREMEN'S MASCOT "WAMPAS" IS DEAD

DALLAS, June 10.—"Wampas," who rode the trucks and stood watch with Dallas firemen of Station No. 5 for ten years, is dead. And the firemen held services over their shepherd dog mascot who was buried with honors near a local cemetery.

R. F. Erwin Regarding His Troubles

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NEEDLE WORKERS MEET.
After an omission of two weeks on account of the protracted meeting, the Needle Workers' Club met with Mrs. Charles Moore on Wednesday. The afternoon was spent in making artificial flowers and baskets. As many people do not have cultivated flowers, it is a delight to see these beautiful creations of woman; for, some one has said, "Flowers are the thoughts of God; the more we use of them, the more we have of them." After delicious ice cream and cake was served, the clubbers dispersed to meet with Mrs. W. A. Tally next.
Reporter.

UNIVERSITY INSTRUCTOR TO TAKE SUMMER COURSE
AUSTIN, June 10.—Miss Florence Stulken, instructor in the School of Business Administration of the University of Texas, will attend the summer normal session of the Gregg business school in Fleischmann's Yeast. Currie Mercantile Co. 10-3rd
Chas. Bailey, who has been attending school at T. C. U., returned to Ballinger Thursday to spend the summer.
Bernie Ward and sister of Dallas are visiting friends and relatives in Ballinger.

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Calotabs are not sold in bulk. Get an original package, sealed. Price, thirty-five cents.—(adv.)

Royal Arch Masons, Attention
Regular meeting of Ballinger Chapter No. 184 tonight, Friday, June 11th at 8:00 p. m. Election of officers. All members urgently requested to be present.

By order of H. P.
(Attest) J. McGregor, Sec.

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Noel Penn and Mrs. W. C. Penn returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomsan in Schleicher county today. They made the trip in Mr. Penn's car, and brought home Miss Dorothy, who was there visiting.

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Steve Francis of Midland, is here visiting his son, W. A. Francis. Mr. Francis is one of the old pioneer citizens of Runnels county. He was manager for many years of the Dr. Younger ranch near Maverick and left this county some fifteen years ago to go further west.

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MONEY FOR GUARDS IS PASSED ON

AUSTIN, June 11.—A bill appropriating one hundred thousand dollars to defray the expenses of the Texas National guard at Galveston was passed by the House today. The bill received the required majority necessary to make the money immediately available.

AUSTIN, June 11.—A resolution proposing the appointment of a committee of three "to inquire into the condition of affairs that led the Governor to send troops to Galveston" will be offered in the House by Representatives Malone of Tarrant county, Brady and Beason of Galveston, they announced today.

A similar resolution to this one was defeated in the upper Legislature.

AUSTIN, June 11.—The Federal Horticultural Board renewed its threat today to withdraw Federal aid and enforce the quarantine law if a satisfactory pink boll worm bill is not passed by the special session of the Legislature.

Now is the Time to Get Rid of Your Rheumatism.

If you are troubled with chronic or muscular rheumatism buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and massage the effected parts twice a day with it. You are certain to be very much benefited by it if not actually cured. Try it.

L. A. Kimbrough and son Forster, of Lordsburg, N. M., who have been visiting H. S. Yeager and family, left Wednesday afternoon for their home.

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MISSIONARY WORKER AT NAZARENE CHURCH.

Miss Lula Williams, of Bowie, Texas, is here to do the preaching at the Nazarene church for a few days. She will begin her services tonight and continue over Sunday. Her subject tonight will be along the line of the needs of missionaries in Japan and a general description of her twelve years work there as a missionary.

Miss Williams is a strong evangelistic preacher and will have a message that will be of interest to everyone. Twelve years in a foreign land is an education within itself and her experiences there, together with a strong appeal that she brings makes her very interesting and you will miss a wonderful blessing if you don't attend. Miss Williams has been here before and is not a total stranger to the Ballinger people.

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When you know the cause of a disease a cure may often be effected. This is particularly true of headache. Headache often results from constipation or a disordered condition of the stomach which may be corrected by taking a dose or two of Chamberlain's Tablets. Try it. These tablets are easy to take and mild and gently in effect.

The state chemist of the experiment station, A. & M. College of Texas, has announced that fertilizer sales in Texas from September 1, 1919, to June 1, 1920, were estimated at 56,700 tons. The sales during the year 1918 were 46,000 tons.

HANDSOME STAR SEEN IN AN UNUSUAL ROLE

Earle Williams, Vitagraph star, surprised many of his professional friends recently on the occasion of his appearance in the role of a rough, uncouth character. Mr. Williams previously has been regarded as distinctly a drawing room gentleman type, though at times he has had more vigorous roles.

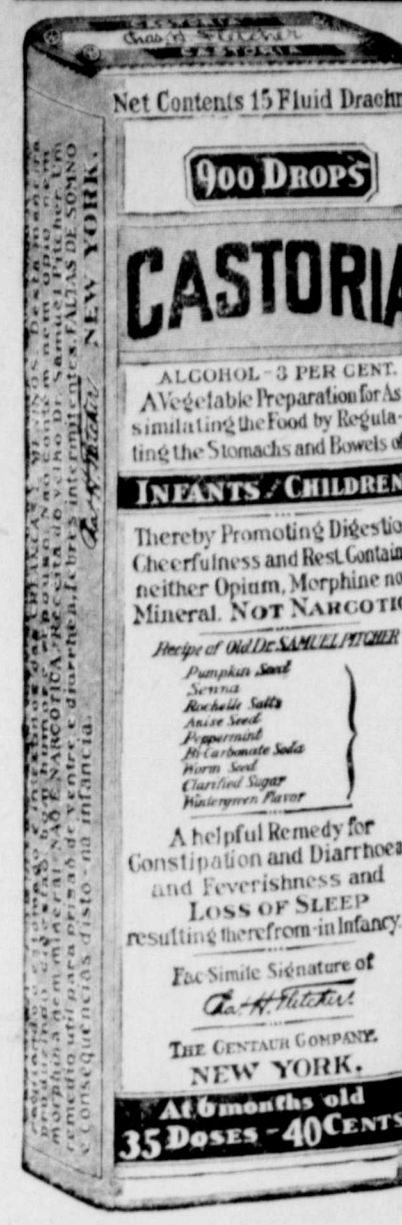
In "The Wolf," his latest picture, which will be shown at the Maero Theatre today and tonight, Mr. Williams is cast as Jules Beaubien, a rugged French-Canadian trapper. He plays the part with a realism and fidelity to type that is said to have amazed the film authorities.

"The Wolf" is an adaptation of the famous stage play by Eugene Walter. It tells a story of the great northwest. Its scenes are laid in the picturesque surroundings of Lake Tahoe, Cal.

This is the first of series of Vitagraph super-productions to be exhibited at the Maero, one of which will be seen there every two weeks on Fridays. Besides specials featuring Earle Williams, Alice Joyce, Antonio Moreno, and other famous screen favorites will come here in this booking.

When food gives you distress you need a dose of Prickly Ash Bitters to relieve the stomach and help digestion. It is a man's remedy for the liver and bowels. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks special agent.

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See Dare Devil Get Out of Straight Jacket in Midair



MONDAY, JUNE 14

Dare Devil Will Perform in Front of the Maeroy Theatre



Tied by his feet and hanging head downward from the roof of the Maeroy Theatre Ralph Miller, mid-air dare-devil, will permit himself to be lowered half-way to the ground Monday at 1 and at 7 o'clock, and while in that position will endeavor to free himself from a straight jacket, such as is used to subdue extremely insane people or the unruly criminal.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, on May 22, 1920, God removed from our midst one of our most faithful and efficient members, Mrs. E. C. Moor, one who was ever ready to extend a helping hand to those in need, or for the advancement of God's cause. Hers was a beautiful life, inspiring and uplifting to others, a true and loyal Christian, indeed.

She was ready to go—we were not ready to give her up, but must submit to God's will. Therefore, be it resolved, that we, the Woman's Missionary Society of the Ballinger Baptist church, extend to the bereaved husband, our sincere sympathy in this, the saddest hour of his life, when he has been called upon to give up a loving, devoted wife and help-mate.

Resolved, further, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, and a copy sent to the husband, with the assurance of our prayers for the comfort, that God alone can give.

Mrs. L. E. Bair,
Mrs. A. S. Love,
Mrs. R. E. Lane,
Committee.

Biliousness is a condition that breeds disease in the vital organs and ought to be corrected promptly. Prickly Ash Bitters is a man's remedy. It vitalizes the blood, drives out impurities in the bowels, makes you feel bright strong and hearty. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

WAR DECLARED ON GOMPERS AT MEET

MONTREAL, Canada, June 11.—The conservative wing of the American Federation of Labor in convention here today was threatened by the "progressive" element, headed by James Dancan of Seattle, who yesterday overthrew two major reports of the organization committee, and prepared a second time to contest Samuel Gompers' reign of power.

The progressives seek the release of all political prisoners by the United States government and the recognition of the Russian soviet government.

Conservative leaders predict that the return of Mr. Gompers will restore the conservatives to power.

MONTREAL, June 11.—In a message received here today from Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, the Republican party's labor plank was severely condemned by the labor leader.

NOTICE—DANCE

There will be a dance at Rowena at the Ed Lehr Hall Saturday night, June 12th. Music by the San Angelo "Jazz" Band. Good order will be maintained. Ladies and gentlemen are invited.

ED LEHR
10-24

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MAEROY THEATRE TONIGHT

TODAY

Earl Williams in "THE WOLF"

Candidate for Governor on American Ticket is Speaker

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cent too much taxes and that it ought to be refunded.

He said the Highway Department was now paying its Chief Engineer the magnificent sum of \$10,000.00 per year and condemned this bitterly as an extravagant waste.

The speaker condemned the present method of the State educating its lawyers and doctors free, said they ought to pay for their education like other professions. He said that the State University now had a permanent income of \$280,000.00 per year, and that he favored only giving it only the \$500,000.00 regular appropriation annually to run its affairs, whether it was enough to meet its needs or not.

A news item appearing in the Ft. Worth Record was cited by the speaker, stating that not one-third the voters of Williamson county were going into the primary and by quoting this left the impression that they were going to vote the American party ticket in November.

At the close of his speech, Mr. McGregor was greeted by a large number of voters and was promised their support.

From all indications, Mr. McGregor is going to get a pretty good vote in Runnels county.

Daily Ledger Want Ads

FOR SALE—One brand new, Ford roadster for sale. See Sam Behringer. 11-3d.*

FOR SALE—One slightly used 5 passenger Ford touring car. See Sam Behringer. 11-3d.*

LOST—A lever jack, on 14th or 15th street. Finder please return to Ledger office. S. A. Matthews, Hatchel, Texas. 11-3:d

FOUND—Side curtains for auto mobile. Owner can get same by paying for this notice at The Ledger office. dtf

FOR SALE—7 room modern residence well located, close in, a bargain. C. W. Northington. 7-df-1tw.

FOR SALE—four room house in good condition. Lot not for sale. See Straley at Ledger office. da

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Austrian Cabinet Resigns
VIENNA, June 11.—The Austrian cabinet, headed by Karl Renner, Chancellor, which has been holding office most of the time since the armistice was signed, resigned today.

MRS. CATT RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT SUFFRAGISTS

GENEVA, Switzerland, June 11.—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of the American suffragist party was today unanimously re-elected President of the International Woman Suffrage Alliance. Mrs. Catt agreed to accept the office as announced, despite her declaration in a speech yesterday that she felt compelled to retire.

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