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They are Hats that you will be proud to wear and your Easter costume will look its best if complemented with one of our Gage Hats.

Every woman wants distinction and becomingness in her hats without too much cost. Our Gage Hats give you that feeling of confidence in your attire which is so satisfying.

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Only three more days until Easter so make the most of them

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ORGANIZING FOR DRIVE ON BOOTLEGGERS

FT. WORTH, March 23.—E. A. Turner, district prohibition enforcement officer, today received order to immediately mobilize his forces and prepare for a clean up in this territory, indicating that a wholesale drive would be made against all bootleggers and whiskey runners in this territory following the killing of three enforcement officers during the last two weeks.

Officer Turner today stated that he thought that the liquor runners operating in the El Paso territory had been maintaining agents in Fort Worth and Dallas, and new plans are being devised for breaking up the traffic being carried on across the border.

ABILENE, March 23.—Arch Wood, one of the prohibition officers killed by bootleggers and liquor runners near El Paso yesterday, was born in this city 35 years ago. He was formerly in the drug business here and later owned a drug store at Ovale. He has many friends in this county who will attend the funeral when the remains are brought here for burial.

RENEWING TERMS WITH RUSSIANS

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The state department indicated today that an early consideration would be given to the relationship existing between the United States and the soviet of Russia. A formal announcement of any change in the relationship of the two countries, or in ruling on the Wilson administration may not be made for some time, but it was made clear that it was already certain that a modification of these rulings are either under consideration or have been made.

This decision has been reached through an independent appeal from the soviet government to President Harding and the American government for resumption of trade relations. The appeal reached the state department today from the White House.

In the event of an agreement with the United States and soviet Russia it was indicated that no technical bars would be placed against the entry into the United States of a delegation which the Moscow wireless from London said the soviet proposed to send here to negotiate the trade agreement.

NO BILL FOUND AGAINST BAILEY

C. A. Bailey was released from jail here Tuesday afternoon following the adjournment of the grand jury when the announcement was made that no bill had been returned against the man.

Bailey was arrested here about one month ago and placed in jail charged with violation of the Dean act. His arrest came following a visit to his room in a local hotel where the officers confiscated six quarts of liquor.

When first arrested Bailey's bond was fixed at \$500, but for some cause he never made bond, and remained in jail until Tuesday of this week. It is reported that evidence against the man was insufficient to warrant the finding of a bill.

The other bootlegging cases which were filed here since the last term of the grand jury were turned into the Federal court. Local officers raided several stills in the county and these cases were turned over to the Federal authorities.

Mrs. Emma Nash and son, Billie, arrived Wednesday from Ranger, and Mrs. Nash is here to look after her property, and spend a few days with relatives.

GERMANY TO FLATLY REFUSE ALL PAYMENT

PARIS, March 23.—Germany refuses to pay one billion marks due this date and also disputes the reparations commissions' figures showing a balance of twelve billion marks which will be due on May first, in reply today to the recent ultimatum of the allied commission.

The German reply maintains that twenty billion marks which the peace treaty provided to be handed over by Germany by the first of May had been more than paid.

The note from Germany asks that a joint commission of experts be created to fix the value of German deliveries, but declares that in any event it will be impossible for Germany to pay twelve billion gold marks by the first day of May.

CHARGES FILED AGAINST WIFE

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Mar. 23.—The definite charge that Mrs. Anna Stillman, wife of Jas. A. Stillman, president of the National City Bank of New York city, was the mother of a child by his Indian guide, was made in the state Supreme Court here today by counsel for Mr. Stillman during the preliminary arguments in the divorce suit brought by Stillman for a divorce.

The case is one of the most sensational ever filed in New York courts, due to the prominence of the plaintiff in social and financial circles, and due to the prominence of the defendant in the case. When Stillman filed suit for divorce he offered his resignation as president of the bank but the board of directors refused to accept the resignation.

Watch your children for symptoms of worms. They undermine the health and breed sickness. Use White's Cream Vermifuge. It expels worms and restores health and vigor. Price, 35c. Sold by all druggists.

FRENCH AGAINST GERMAN CONTROL

OPPEN, Upper Silesia, March 23.—Indications today in official quarters point to the probability that the French section of the inter-allied commission is seeking to convince the council of ambassadors to Paris that Poland won virtually the entire industrial section of Upper Silesia despite the majority shown for Germany in the plebiscite. This leads to the belief that the allies will give Poland the rich mining districts of Upper Silesia, notwithstanding the claim that Germany won the territory in the plebiscite last Sunday.



Coats, Suits and Dresses Tempting Values

Selecting a new wardrobe piece by piece is not nearly so satisfactory as choosing all the essentials at one time. Through careful merchandising this Store is able to present such excellent values in outer apparel that those of the most modest incomes will have no difficulty in following the latter course.

Taffeta Dresses \$15.00 and up.
Suits \$25.00 and up
Wraps \$15.00 and up.

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EIGHT KILLED IN IRISH AMBUSH

DUBLIN, Ireland, March 23.—Official announcement made here today that the state police inspector and eight men had been ambushed near Dingle, Tuesday. A fight between the police and ambushers ensued and lasted three hours, ending disastrously to the ambushers, eight of whom were killed and twenty wounded. The report says

that three policemen were slightly wounded.

CORK, Ireland, March 23.—Six civilians were killed today in the Blaney district, Cork county, when battle ensued as result of the Crown forces being attacked from a farm house, and heavily fired upon by the ambushers. The military forces were conducting a search for men wanted when they were attacked from the farm house.

JURY AND WITNESSES CALLED FOR "DIVORCE"

Jury drawn for the trial of the sensational divorce case to be tried before the Hon. Judge Oran Curlywig:

1. Miss Wardlawetta McCamey Gunczew;
2. Miss Marcia Gressett Moviemad;
3. Mrs. Drury Hathaway Cutt;
4. Miss Maxwelline Bea Rushing;
5. Miss Cecelia Conscience Dickinson;
6. Mrs. Garland D. Crepit;
7. Miss Earline Osteenia Frivol;
8. Mr. Garrett Jeremiah Daugherty;
9. Mr. Paul Ballew Jeanes;
10. Mrs. Jarvis Vermieilli Rhodes;
11. Mr. Oscar Schotta Bird;
12. Mrs. Alberta Sledge Hammer;
13. Miss Herbertina

Prest-on Data; 14. Miss Wadine Guion Lovelorn; 15. Miss Edwina Georgette Swindle.

The following witnesses have been summoned for the trial of the divorce suit of Mrs. Cookie Brodella Conn-Flynt Glover vs. Thomas Osborne Glover:

1. Mrs. Herbertina Earnestine Flynt;
2. Miss Fragrance Oranella Flipp;
3. Master Tommy Kirk Flynt;
4. Miss Sylvia Guttrre;
5. Mr. John Timm Tung;
6. Mr. Percy Reginald Archibald Dudeling;
7. Mr. Isaac Issacher Abraham;
8. Mrs. Heliotrope Artificial Flower (colored).

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Waterproof, Self-leveling Chinese Oil.

Anyone can apply it without laps or brush marks.

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Easter Flowers

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and Pot Plants

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They are a "flash" in value and style that you wont equal for months to come.

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A BIG PRICE FOR IMMORALITY.

Clara Smith Hamon, legally freed of the murder of Jake Hamon, joined the church last Sunday and was baptised. Monday she signed a contract to go on the stage for a moving picture company, receiving \$25,000 cash and fifty per cent of the profits to be hereafter made by the company from the lease of the films in which Clara will star.

The woman says whatever she does in the way of entertaining the public will be the sole motive in view of teaching a moral lesson for young girls, and she hopes to be able to send out a warning to her sex to never be caught treading the "primrose path."

Clara's motive may be as pure as the driven snow, but we do not think much of her plan. In the first place, she permitted a premium to be placed on immorality when she accepted the role of a heroine and accepted such a fabulous price for her services.

This new star will not appear in films put out by the older and standardized film corporations. Realizing the danger in the proposition the older companies went on record on the question, and the company with which the new "star" will appear was organized in Oklahoma.

A little heaven may leave the whole lump, but it will take a bigger lump than Clara to leave the evil which might now exist in the motion picture world.

BITES-STINGS

Apply wet baking soda or ordinary ammonia, followed by—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

BOY SCOUTS CALLED TO MEET THURSDAY NIGHT

A meeting of all boys interested in the formation of a troop of Boy Scouts will be held in the offices of the Young Men's Business League Thursday night.

The League plans to foster the Scout movement hereafter, and to build up a strong, active troop in Ballinger.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO. Props., Toledo, O. All druggists 75c
Hall's Family Pills for constipation

SNOW AND RAINS

BENEFIT RANGE
FT. WORTH, March 23.—The first reports from inspectors on the ranges, of the Texas and the Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association received this week show that the livestock range, in the Southwest greatly improved the past week by the rains and snow. Rains fell over the Southwestern part of the territory and snow fell in the Northwest and the Panhandle.

For rapid healing there is nothing like Liquid Borozone. It mends torn flesh, heals cuts, burns or sores so quickly no time is lost from work. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

INSURGENTS OF W. O. W. WIN

The "insurgent" group of the W. O. W. are in the saddle in Texas, according to an injunction suit which was decided in their favor at Houston last Saturday, when Judge Ashe overruled a plea in abatement asked by the attorneys for the "loyal" group against injunction proceedings restraining the certification of the election of the officers of the head camp and Texas delegates to the Sovereign camp.

The suit is the outgrowth of a split in the Woodmen convention at Houston recently when the alleged ballot box fraud was attempted, and when the "insurgents" charged that the "loyalists" were trying to elect their forces by fraud, and caught them shifting ballot boxes. The "loyalists" bolted the convention and held a separate meeting at which they elected officers and delegates and the "insurgents" took charge of what they declared was the regularly organized convention and also elected officers and delegates, and according to the ruling of the court last Saturday the "insurgents" of Texas are in the saddle and when the matter is finally settled the "insurgent" delegates will no doubt be seated in the head camp convention to be held in New York in July.

The split in the Woodmen lodge is due to the effort of the head camp to enforce what the "insurgents" declare is exorbitant rates, and which are prohibitive for the older members of the order who have been paying their dues regularly for twenty years or more.

An effort on the part of the Woodmen throughout the country has been made to send a delegation to the head camp convention who would oust the present head camp board and elect a new board, and this precipitated a fight on the part of the head camp officers, who succeeded in maintaining a good following of the "loyalists," and the fight is on for control of the head camp convention by the two factions.

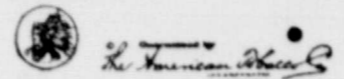
Found a Cure for Indigestion.
"I use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for indigestion and find they suit my case better than any dyspepsia remedy I have ever tried and I have used many different medicines. I am nearly fifty one years of age and have suffered a great deal from indigestion. I can eat almost anything I want to, now," writes George W. Emory, Rock Mills, Ala. These tablets contain no poison but strengthen the stomach and enable it to digest the food naturally.

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Do you know why it's toasted

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The "myriads of green bugs" which are overrunning Oklahoma may be nothing more than scraps of gilt-edged oil stock certificates blowing about.—Indianapolis News.

Keep the bowels active and the digestion good if you would enjoy health. A dose of Prickly Ash Bitters whenever disorders appear will keep a man on the active list. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

Our idea of the line of demarcation between girlhood and womanhood is when she begins to look funny when she runs.—Ohio State Journal.

GOOD HEALTH HINTS

Oklahoma Farmer Gives Sound Advice on Avoiding Sickness.—Used Black-Draught 30 Years.

Cameron, Okla.—"I have used Theodor's Black-Draught for about thirty years, and certainly ought to know by this time what a good medicine it is," says Mr. T. L. Bostler, a well-known farmer of this place. Mr. Bostler has passed his three-score-and-tenth year, but declares his health still is good, "and I can say Black-Draught did its part."

"Where there is a lot of malaria, a liver medicine is a necessity, and I have never found one better than Black-Draught," continues the Oklahoma man. "It is one that I know to be reliable. I sure use it for the liver, stomach, constipation, indigestion, and it has done me a world of good. We use it for the family, and it gives satisfaction."

"Most trouble, or sickness, comes from the liver, and if taken in time can be avoided. That is why I use Black-Draught as I do. I am much pleased with results obtained."

Theodor's Black-Draught is purely vegetable. It acts on the bowels, gently stimulating the liver, and helps increase the normal flow of bile into the intestines. It assists in the digestion of food, and relieves constipation in a prompt and natural way.

Ask your druggist for a package to day. Insist on Theodor's. NO. 12

TEXAS TICK LAW IS UPHOLD BY COURT

AUSTIN, March 23.—The tick eradication law passed by the Thirty-Sixth Legislature was held to be constitutional today by the Court of Criminal Appeals in the decision of three cases. The cases are those of W. B. Walker, Jack Lee and W. C. Smallwood, all of Gregg county. The defendants were fined twenty-five dollars in the lower court for violation of the law and the cases were appealed.

STOP THAT ITCH

There is an epidemic of itch among the school children. Use the reliable Blue Star Eczema Remedy which is sold on a guarantee to cure or prevent your child from taking it, if applied twice a week. Will not stain clothes, and has a pleasant odor. Sold on a guarantee by John A. Weeks. 6mo-d&w.

THEATRES OPPOSING CLARA'S FILM DEBUT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The allied amusement industries of California, composed of the representative of the motion picture theatres, went on record today as opposing the appearance of films to be produced showing Clara Smith Hamon. This action came following the announcement that Clara Hamon had signed a contract with an Oklahoma company to appear in the pictures.

If you belch up a bitter-tasting liquid, suffer from heartburn and sour stomach, you need the tonic properties of Herbine. It is a purifying and strengthening medicine for the stomach, liver and bowels. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

Do you remember the old-fashioned workman who used to come down town on Saturday night and boast about how much work he could do in a day?—Golden (Colo.) Republican.

An item in the agricultural appropriation bill provides \$20,000 for "study of the behavior of fruit in transportation." For chaperones, maybe, for the coaches.—Detroit News.



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Floyd J. Carr, Proprietor
We Call We Deliver.

"PEP" COMMITTEE WORKING FEAST

A "Pep" committee from the Young Men's Business League will spend part of Wednesday in completing arrangements and selling tickets for the Retail Merchants dinner to be held on next Tuesday night.

Following the dinner, officers and directors are to be elected,

and the plans and purposes of the organization discussed. Ways and means will also be devised for stimulating local trade conditions thru the medium of special merchandising weeks, contests, shows, etc.

Plants for Sale

Bermuda onions \$125 per thousand; twenty thousand lots \$1.00; one hundred thousand lots 75c. All prices f. o. b. Pearsall, Texas. Send cash with order. Ferguson Bros. Pearsall, Texas. 15-14td

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Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment. Never attempt to relieve your baby with a remedy that you would use for yourself.

What is CASTORIA

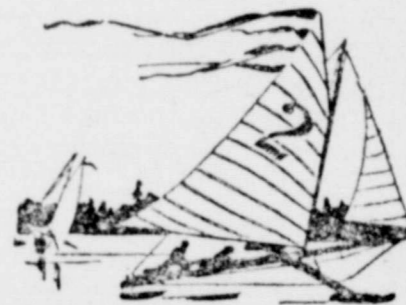
Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Comfort—The Mother's Friend.

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Our manager is now in Dallas purchasing equipment and pictures for the moving picture theatre.

We will be in a position to furnish the amusement loving people of Ballinger and vicinity with the best that the market affords in moving pictures.

Our confectionery will be equipped in the most up to date style and our sanitary fountain will assure our patrons of the best to be had in pure, clean, wholesome drinks and confections.

Fo-To-Sho Theatre & Confectionery Co.
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To look one's best and feel one's best is to enjoy an inside bath each morning. To flush from the system the previous day's waste, sour fermentations and poisonous toxins that is absorbed into the blood. Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken each day leave in the alimentary organs a certain amount of indigestible material which if not eliminated, form toxins and poisons which are then sucked into the blood through the very ducts which are intended to suck in only nourishment to sustain the body.

If you want to see the glow of healthy bloom in your cheeks, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, you are told to drink every morning upon arising, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless means of washing the waste material and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Girls and women with sallow skins, liver spots, pimples or pallid complexion, also those who wake up with a coated tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, others who are bothered with headaches, bilious spells, acid stomach or constipation should begin this phosphated hot water drinking and are assured of very pronounced results in one or two weeks.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, purifies and freshens the skin on the outside, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the inside organs. We must always remember that internal sanitation is vastly more important than outside cleanliness, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do.

Women who desire to enhance the beauty of their complexion should just try this for a week and notice results.

GOOD EATS AT DEMONSTRATION

Mrs. G. N. Westerfeldt and Miss Bess Dixon are spending this week in Ballinger demonstrating "Mazola," the pure oil from golden corn. The two ladies arrived in Ballinger Monday and arranged for a four days demonstration here, at which times the public will be served with good things to eat in which Mazola plays a big part in the preparation.

The first demonstration was given Tuesday at the store of E. A. Jeanes & Co. Wednesday the ladies spent the day in a free demonstration at Higginbotham Bros. & Co. Thursday will be demonstration day at Currie Mercantile Co. and Friday the ladies will be at the store of U. E. Hartman.

The ladies of the city are invited to attend all the demonstrations.

Rapid heart throbbing does not necessarily mean heart disease; generally it is caused by a disordered stomach. Prove it for yourself by taking Prickly Ash Bitters; if the stomach is at fault the heart symptoms will quickly disappear. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

W. T. Potter, of Santa Anna, is here a day or two, looking after his poultry business.

RAT DISEASE KILLS RODENTS

A rat campaign was put over in the county some few weeks ago, and several thousand rats killed in the rural districts of the county. For some cause the city rat killers did not get on the job, and rats in Ballinger were permitted to go free and live high, with the exception of perhaps a few single efforts on the part of individuals to rid their premises of the pests.

It is said that where rats are permitted to live high and become so numerous that disease often breaks out and they die by the wholesale. That seems to be what is taking place in Ballinger today. Different parties claim that dead rats around their premises are thicker than live rats were ever dreamed to be, and it is believed that a plague is killing the rats.

In some cases poison has started the rats to dying, and it is possible that this has caused the spread of the disease which is getting in its work.

As up to this time the citizens of Ballinger have shown an indifference in the move and refused to join in a united rat

killing campaign, perhaps natural causes will now do what they should have done for themselves many moons ago.

Excellent Remedy for Constipation

It would be hard to find a better remedy for constipation than Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy to take and mild and gentle in effect. Give them a trial when you have need.

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Take no other. Buy of your
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BRAND BRAND PILLS, for 50
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SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

"Womanless Wedding" Divorce Case will be tried before a jury at the Carnegie Library, Thursday night, March 24th. The biggest laugh you ever had. 21-3td



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If you appreciate the beautiful in Neckwear, come in and see this wonderful display.

Cleaning and Pressing.
Stone & Thorp
The Men's Store

RAILROAD LABOR HEARING FINISHED

CHICAGO, March 23.—Cross examination of the high railroad officials by the labor union representatives before the Railway Labor Board was completed today when W. A. Atterbury finished the third day's testimony. Today's hearing found Atterbury unshaken and maintaining his opposition to any railroad rules laid down by the unions which were national in scope.

Cold settled in the muscles, of the neck, arms or shoulder makes every movement painful. Use Ballard's Snow Liniment. It relieves the pain and relaxes the muscles. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

METHODIST REVIVAL WELL ATTENDED

The services at the Methodist church were well attended last evening and we trust were profitable to all present. We had another good service this morning. Congregations are growing in number and we trust in interest.

Services at 10:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. You have a cordial invitation to attend all the services. It is not against the law for men to attend the day services. Come and let's have a great service this evening.
C. E. SIMPSON, Pastor.

Some of the recently uncovered cars look pretty pale and sickly, like the grass one sees on raising an old board sidewalk.—Kansas City Star.

The Pneumonia Month

March is a typical pneumonia month and usually gives a high rate of mortality for the disease. After a long and hard winter, the system loses much of its resistance and people grow careless. When every cold, no matter how slight, is given prompt and intelligent attention, there is much less danger of pneumonia. It should be borne in mind that pneumonia is a germ disease and breeds in the throat. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is an expectorant and cleans out the germ laden mucus and not only cures a cold but prevents its resulting in pneumonia. Children take it willingly.

One thing can be said for golf; it doesn't need any high arbiters at \$42,500 a year, to keep it honest.—El Paso Herald.

Irregular bowel movements should be corrected, as they lead to chronic constipation. Take a dose of Prickly Ash Bitters at bedtime and you will get its beneficial effects after breakfast next morning. It empties the stomach and bowels and makes a man feel fit for the day's work. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks special agent.



Look for the Name

"Willard" on a battery identifies it as the product of the pioneer in starting and lighting batteries.

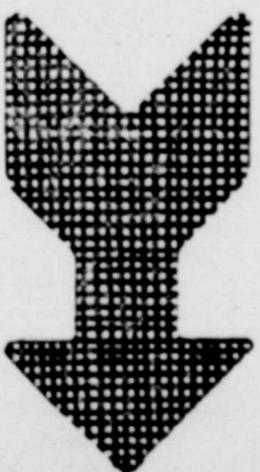
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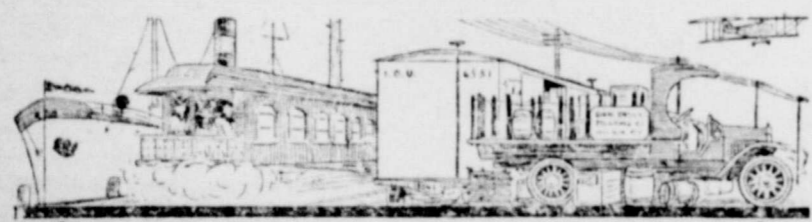
Ask about the Willard Threaded Rubber Battery and how you can recognize it.

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Sheriff Kemp, of Wharton county, is here to get Oscar Vernon, a negro wanted in Wharton on a felony charge. The negro was arrested by Sheriff Flynt several days ago and placed in jail and the Wharton county officer notified.

This is the third trip the Wharton county officer has made here after negro prisoners wanted in his county since Christmas. The negroes were brought here to pick cotton last fall, and the charges filed against them for different crimes after they left.

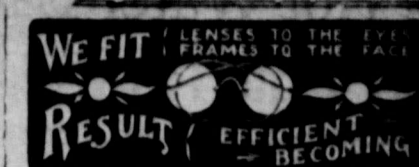
Mr. Kemp did not hurry back home on this trip, but remained over to spend a day or two in a good time and watching the local courts grind.

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MAN FREED ON ARSON CHARGE

After deliberating about one hour and a half, the jury in the Walter Alexander arson case brought in a verdict of "not guilty," a few minutes before ten o'clock Tuesday night. Judge Woodward had retired to his room at the hotel, but responded to a phone call and went to the court house to hear the verdict and release the jury for the night.

Alexander was on trial thru-out Tuesday. Only one witness was examined, and when the state failed in its effort to get before the jury the written confession of the defendant, the case was brought to a sudden close. Only one hour and a half was consumed by the attorneys in arguing the case before the jury, but much time was lost in arguing motions before the court, and the case did not get to the jury until about seven o'clock and the jury went to supper before balloting on the verdict.

Alexander is still in jail, as he is charged jointly with Syl Roberts and John Hughes with assault and attempt to murder, the case being that in which the Billups home was burned and shots fired at Billups as he fled from the burning building, according to the testimony offered.

Alexander made a confession before the grand jury a few days after the fire, in which it is alleged that he made a detailed statement of the burning of the building and attack made on Billups, but when the case was on trial the court ruled out the confession, holding that Alexander was under arrest at the time he made the confession, and that the confession was not in keeping with the statutory requirements.

The case of John Hughes was called for trial Wednesday morning, and counsel for defense asked time to prepare motion for continuance and court recessed until Wednesday afternoon. During the forenoon, defendants in the cases returned by the grand jury were brought into court and most of them waiving everything, indicated that they would plead guilty, and these cases will be disposed of at the present term of court.

When court convened Wednesday afternoon motion for continuance in the John Hughes case was granted, and the case, as well as that of Syl Roberts, goes over to the next term of court. It was reported that Roberts' mother was seriously ill.

The grand jury adjourned at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon, after returning eight indictments, seven of which were felonies.

Sam Briley, of the Winters country, was here Wednesday.

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