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NEFF TO DEFEND HIS VETO OF A. & M. BILL

AUSTIN, April 4.—Gov. Neff today said that he would give out a statement later today regarding the move to divide Texas which was inaugurated by citizens of West Texas at Sweetwater Saturday. The governor's statement will defend his veto of the educational measures which caused the state division agitation.

Mr. Neff stated that he had expressed himself as favoring the redistricting bill mentioned in the move to divide Texas, and

which the citizens complained did not pass alleging that West Texas was getting "taxation without representation." He said that this bill never reached him, was killed in the Senate and he was not given an opportunity to sign it.

Reports reaching here today indicate that West Texas is resenting with much criticism the governor's action in vetoing the West Texas A. & M. bill, and will join in a campaign to seek a square deal from the administration. The move launched at Sweetwater last Saturday to divide Texas and create a new state is meeting with popularity in many sections throughout the state.



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GREEK PRINCE DIES IN BATTLE

LONDON, April 4.—Prince Andreas of Greece, a brother of King Constantine, died of wounds received while fighting near Brusa, says a Constantinople dispatch received here today. The Turks also assert that General Vlachopoulos, who commanded the Greek attack against the Turkish nationalists on the Brusa front, has been killed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 4.—The Greek army operating against Eski Sheh has been driven behind the Brusa line following the defeat of the Turkish nationalists, according to information from authoritative sources reaching here today.

What are the wages of Sinn Fein?—Columbia Record.

President Harding Receives the Diplomatic Corps



His excellency the Right Hon. Sir Auckland Geddes, K.C. B., ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary (center, seated), with his staff just before leaving the British embassy for the White House. Insert, Ambassador Geddes.

GOVERNMENT WOULD AID SOUTH IN CROP EXPORT

Democratic Vice President Spends Afternoon in City

Thomas R. Marshall, former Vice-President of the United States, accompanied by his wife, spent four hours in Ballinger Monday. Mr. Marshall arrived here on the A. & S. from Abilene where he filled an engagement Saturday, and left here on the Santa Fe for Coleman where he was billed to speak Monday evening.

Mr. Marshall is touring the South as a lecturer for a lyceum bureau, and he is being greeted by large crowds wherever he goes. Had it been known that he was coming thru Ballinger no doubt an engagement could have been made for him here at a very reasonable figure.

Mr. Marshall is a very affable, humorous and interesting person, and Mrs. Marshall is a charming lady indeed. "My wife has been stuck on Texas for three years," said Mr. Marshall, "but one of those Texas northerners struck her the other day at Sherman and brought her temperature about Texas down a few degrees." Mrs. Marshall is accompanying her husband on his Southern tour.

"Four years from now the Democrats can elect a president and go fishing," declared Mr. Marshall when interviewed by a reporter. Continuing he said, "I hope that I am more of a patriot than a Democrat, if such a thing is possible, I wish great things for the present administration. I thought long before this that there would be a readjustment of the parties in the United States. Unfortunately we've nothing in common. For eight years I was in Washington, and during that time the Republicans were never able to vote a solid ticket. Really at heart they are Democrats."

"The Republicans got together to get in office. They are not going to last. I am not a bit discouraged about the Democratic party. The Republicans never can get together for any purpose except to put us out of office. The Republican party will split again in two years' time. They are already split over the Columbian treaty."

While Mr. Marshall is filling engagements for a lyceum bureau and making non-partisan lectures, he finds time to talk politics when off the platform, and he stands up for the acts of the last administration.

"I have no apology to make for having believed and entered into the peace treaty and league of nations," said the ex-vice-president. "I am a Democrat. I am an old fashioned dyed-in-the-wool, Jeffersonian Democrat. As



THOMAS R. MARSHALL

I stood by the president of the United States, I hope I am more of a patriot than I am a Democrat, however.

"I am not a reformer. I have very little use for reformers. I doubt whether reforms ever accomplished anything. What we need is regeneration."

Mr. Marshall believes that it is wrong for parents to work, and strive and save that their children may have an easy time. He says the children should have to work and learn to save.

In speaking of making the world safe for democracy, the prominent visitor said that this country has no room for classes, and that we are not going to get anywhere unless the people who can't make a living in eight hours work ten hours, and if they can't make a living in ten hours work twelve hours, and, said the former vice-president, "brace up your back bone and stamp out every bit of classism in America."

"We are an English speaking people," said Mr. Marshall, "and the best thing that can happen for America is to have everybody speak English. In Indiana at the last election I saw the direction for voting at the polls printed in five different languages. I couldn't understand any of them but the English instructions, but I have a sneaking idea that all four of the others said to vote the Republican ticket."

"I think it is best to teach the immigrants we already have to speak English before we let any

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WASHINGTON, April 4.—Administration officials and Southern bankers in a conference here today endorsed the use of the combined financial resources of the South to make possible the exportation of agricultural products.

A committee of representative Southern bankers arrived here early today to prepare a program of government aid for financing export of cotton and other Southern agricultural products. The representatives went into conference with the director of the war finance corporation.

It was said that the most important proposal would be the discussion of the shipment involving one million bales of cotton to Germany and Belgium. It is understood that the finance corporation is ready to extend aid on adequate securities for the movement of the agricultural commodities of the South.

Philadelphia judge had to tell a juror to listen and not talk. No, it was a man.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

'LITTLE ENTENTE' READY TO FIGHT

LONDON, April 4.—A confirmation of the reports that the "Little Entente" had threatened a military measure against Hungary, if former Emperor Charles does not leave that country before next Thursday, is given today in advices to Reuters Ltd. The advices state that an ultimatum to this effect has been sent to Hungary by Czechoslovakia, Roumania and Jugo-Slavia.

VIENNA, April 4.—The Austrian government has notified the Hungarian government that unless an early hour is set for the certain departure of former Emperor Charles from Hungary, that the Austrian government will cancel orders for his safe conduct from the country. This notification has evoked the promise from Hungary that the ex-emperor will leave that country within forty-eight hours from Sunday night.

TRUCK OF GAS TANKS EXPLODE

What might have been a disastrous fire occurred shortly after noon Monday when the Talbott oil truck driven by Owen Dorsey caught fire at the filling station of the Harwell Motor Co. Mr. Dorsey was delivering a load of gasoline to the Harwell garage, and had emptied five barrels of gas and was emptying the sixth barrel when the fire was discovered. The underground tank at the filling station was hurriedly closed and by that time the truck was enveloped in flames, and those nearby retreated to safety. An explosion sent a large oil barrel rolling across the avenue.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. There was no one smoking around the truck at the time, and no fire near. The engine to the motor of the truck had been cut off. The flames flashed up almost instantly and before any effort could be made to check them. The fire company appeared on the scene in double quick time and with the chemical apparatus soon had the flames extinguished. Before the fire truck arrived the flames had leaped from the burning truck to the electric light pole nearby.

NEGRO LEADER IS AT WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, April 4.—James Johnson, a New York negro, and secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of the Colored People, has appealed to President Harding for an investigation of the negro peonage charges in Jasper county, Georgia. Johnson urges that Mr. Harding instruct the department of justice to make an investigation of the alleged negro peonage in Georgia.

Farmers are under arrest in Jasper county in connection with the recent finding of eleven bodies of negroes who were killed, "to shut their mouths" regarding peonage, it is stated. It is alleged that the negroes were treated like slaves before they were murdered to keep down talk.

FOREIGNERS TO EXPLOIT RUSSIAN PROPERTIES

PARIS, April 4.—The Russian soviet government is taking steps for the passage of measures to allow foreign owners of manufacturing in Russia to exploit their properties under a regime similar to that established for the mines, according to a wireless from Moscow, sent out by the government.

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All women in Ballinger who are qualified voters, can vote in the city election tomorrow.

There is just as much effort being made to restore King Alcohol in America as there is to restore Emperor Charles in Hungary. Both will fail.

"Short skirts," says a Paris dispatch, "are on their last legs." It does not take a very close observer to notice that the legs are built to last, however.

One drawback about giving the Republicans all the rope they want is that they will not only hang themselves, but hamstring the whole blamed country.

Many of the problems of the world could be solved today if Europe would quit pulling off so many raw deals and use more of America's raw material.

We may be pretty well satisfied with home life in America, but Austria is making a strong appeal for the friendship of the world by threatening to hang all the profiteers.

It is rumored that a "dark horse" might appear in the city election tomorrow. A dark horse is a dangerous animal and should be put to death by the voters turning out and voting a straight ticket tomorrow. It is no time for underhanded politics in Ballinger.

A Farmer Cured of Rheumatism
"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment, and told him to use it freely," says C. P. Rayder, Patten Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.'"

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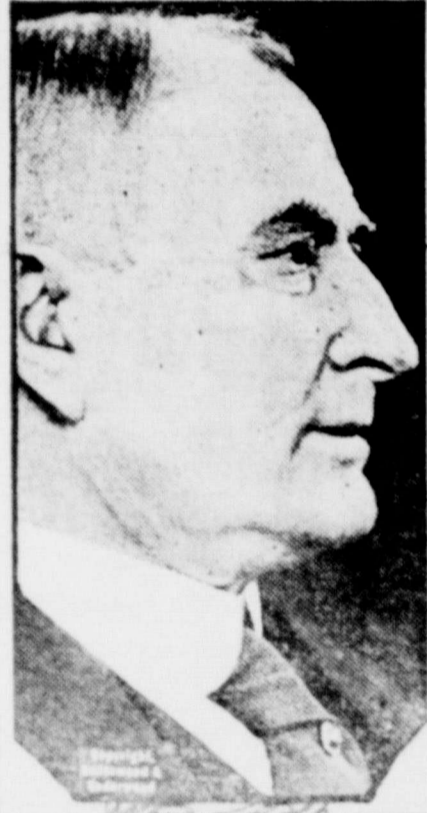
WASHINGTON, April 4.—Hope that negotiations might be opened between Germany and the allied representatives for a new schedule of reparations was expressed in a memorandum transmitted to Berlin by the State Department today, it was officially announced. The memorandum was sent to Loring Dressel, the American high commissioner, for his communication to German officials.

CHURCH OF CHRIST WILL CONDUCT JULY MEETING

The Ninth Street Church of Christ will begin a protracted meeting at their tabernacle on Wednesday night before the 1st Sunday in July, to continue till the 2nd Sunday in July. R. F. Duckworth, evangelist, will do the preaching.

Read the ads and profit.

SAMUEL D. NICHOLSON



Samuel D. Nicholson, new Republican senator from Colorado. He lives at Leadville.

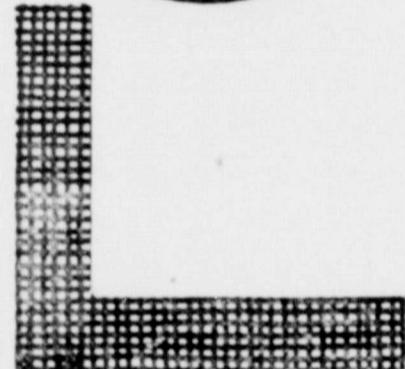
ROWAN MAY ESCAPE TRIAL

DALLAS, April 4.—Albert Rowan, convicted and given 25 years in the Federal penitentiary some time ago for the Dallas Jackson street postoffice robbery, and who was also indicted for the murder of the postal clerk, may escape a murder trial in the state courts, it was announced today.

Gov. Neff has indicated that he will not pardon Scrivner in a telephone conversation with the local district attorney today. Scrivner is an escaped convict, and it was his confession in the postoffice robbery case which convicted Rowan, the master mind in the robbery, and the district attorney had requested the governor to pardon Scrivner in order that he might testify in the murder trial against Rowan.

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It has got so that Germany thinks nothing of refusing to pay a billion marks.—Springfield Republican.



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PRICE OF REDEMPTION AT THE MAEROY TONIGHT

Bert Lytell, the popular young Metro screen star, will be the attraction at the Maeroy Theatre tonight, in "The Price of Redemption," a picturization of L. A. R. Wylie's famous novel, "The Temple of Dawn." Mr. Lytell's new vehicle is said to surpass all of his previous pictures in that it shows the wreck of a strong man and his redemption thru the love of a little child.

The San Angelo Spanish orchestra will furnish the music at the Maeroy tonight, and for the remainder of the week. Local theatre-goers are passing very favorable comments on the quality of the music, and many are even going for the sole purpose of hearing the good music.

It is announced by the Maeroy management that the big Norma Talmadge special, which had been advertised for tomorrow (Tuesday, April 5th), will be screened on Friday, April 15th, confusion having arisen in the booking dates by the Dallas exchange. This is said to be the most wonderful production Miss Talmadge has yet presented.

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ed, and the announcement of the showing has created considerable interest among local film enthusiasts.

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John DeYoung came in from Wharton Sunday to join his wife who has been her for a day or two visiting her mother, Mrs. W. H. Weeks, and brother John A. Weeks.

Miss Zelma Hood, of San Angelo, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Miss Ella Hood, teacher in the local school.

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Mrs. A. W. Sledge most delightfully entertained the Christian Endeavor Society Friday night. This was a "Tacky Party," and although Webster does not define the word 'tacky' all who attended this party went away with a complete definition.

The games which were conducted by Mrs. C. R. Stephens and Miss Tama Key Coulter were quite in keeping with the occasion. After a formal "dress parade" the judges selected Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Coekrell as the "tackiest," the prize being a large box containing two carpet tacks.

The evening was most pleasantly devoted to playing different kinds of games, and was a merry crowd which enjoyed the

fun. The refreshments were served in two courses. The first consisted of a large dinner plate upon which was one lonely animal cookie. The second was ice cream and cake which came in good time to refresh the aching throats of the twenty seven laughers.

At a late hour the "tacky" bunch concluded the party by singing the national C. E. hymn and repeating the Mizpah benediction.

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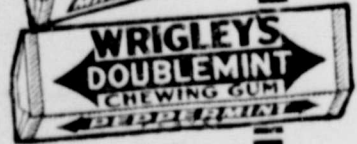


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NO OPPOSITION TO CITY TICKET

The voters of Ballinger will go to the polls tomorrow and reelect present mayor and board of city commissioners, thus endorsing the two year's work under the commission form of city government.

The ticket to be voted on is without opposition, or at least any expressed opposition, and only the names of C. S. Guin, for mayor; and R. T. Williams and C. A. Doose, for commissioners, will appear on the ticket.

While there is no opposition, interest should not lag in the election, and the voters should turn out and show by a large vote that they endorse the present administration's work, thereby encouraging them to push forward with the work which they have been doing and will continue to do to pull Ballinger out of the ditch.

When the city commission form of government was adopted the city was badly involved financially, and notwithstanding that conditions have been unsettled, the present board has made wonderful progress towards placing the city on a firm financial basis, and if plans which the board have outlined are carried out, at the end of another two year term, a much better showing will be made.

The fact that the name of the old board appears on the ticket without opposition, is an evidence of the harmony and spirit of co-operation which prevails here at this time, and which means success in any progressive move the commission puts on foot.

The friends of R. A. Nicholson solicited him to permit his name to be used for election as one of the commissioners, and a petition was presented to the mayor asking that Mr. Nicholson's name be placed on the ticket. Mr. Nicholson declined to stand as an opposition candidate and refused to let his name go on the ticket.

In the re-election of the old board the citizens will continue in office the mayor and two commissioners who have worked so faithfully for the municipal light plant proposition, and who are in a better position to complete the job than a new board would be. Commissioners Williams and Doose are both in favor of issuing the light plant and water works bonds. They favored the building of the municipal light plant by the issuance of warrants, and when the warrant plans were held by the filing of an injunction suit, they immediately took the necessary steps to continue the work for the building of the city plant by giving the voters an opportunity to vote bonds, which after all, is declared to be the best plan.

The voters should turn out strong tomorrow, and make the re-election of the old board unanimous, and then one week from tomorrow they should return to the polls and make the bond issues vote unanimous and do everything possible to cooperate with the commission in the advancement of everything for the best interests of the city.

With such harmony and spirit of co-operation we can accomplish much during the next two years.

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LIGHT VOTE IN SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION

No opposition was responsible for little interest in the local school trustee election Saturday. Only thirty-six votes were polled out of a voting strength of possibly six or seven hundred votes in the Ballinger Independent district. T. S. Lankford, H. M. Leach and W. E. Bartlett will compose the new members on the board.

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"BROKEN BLOSSOMS" IS HIGHLY LAUDED

(Reviewed by Percy Hammond in Chicago Tribune)

"Never in the annals of theatrical doxology have such hosannas been raised as those which recently have been sounded for Mr. Griffith's picture at the Illinois (Theatre), 'Broken Blossoms.' Dignified writers for the daily press have stood upon their heads and sung; they have later assumed other less wanton postures, but still they have uttered in print the wild notes of the savage suddenly come upon a work of art. Let us, if we can, be calm about 'Broken Blossoms.'"

"It is a good picture. It tells with the frenetic candor of the camera the tale of a child of the London slums who, beaten by her pugilistic father, falls into the chaste arms of a dreamy, romantic Chinaman. It is a poetic photograph of one of those Limehouse nights observed by Mr. Burke, a London reporter. * * *

"In case you have good taste in acting you will enjoy Miss Gish in 'Broken Blossoms.' If there was ever upon the stage a better picture of absolutely untheatrical terror, which is a difficult emotion of the drama, then it is when Miss Gish hides in the closet against the brute who is breaking down the door. It is a tragic picture, 'Broken Blossoms,' but they get \$4 for it in New York and \$3 for it in Chicago."

"Broken Blossoms" is exhibited at the Fo-to-sho Theatre tonight only. Tuesday, Mae Marsh in "The Little Fraid Lady."

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You must keep well if you wish to be happy. When constipated take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They cause a gentle movement of the bowels.

PROMINENT COLLEGE PRESIDENT IN CITY

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more of them come over here. A remedy I think would be good would be to make all immigrants go to work on a farm over here and make them stay five years before they can take out their first papers. I had to wait twenty-one years for mine. They ought to be made to wait five."

Shortly after arriving in Ballinger Mr. and Mrs. Marshall retired to their room at the Central Hotel where they registered, and left instructions to be called at 3:40—just a few minutes before train time, and very few called at the hotel to see them. Quite a bunch of admirers were at the station to see them leave.

After a long winter the system becomes filled with impurities caused by dry, strong diet. In hot weather these impurities cause sickness. Get rid of them now by taking Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a remedy that men use for purifying the blood, liver and bowels and putting the body in shape for summer work. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

MINE STRIKE UP IN BRITISH HOUSE

LONDON, April 4.—Regulations to meet the emergency brought about by the coal miners strike were discussed in both house of the British parliament today. Prime Minister Lloyd George is expected to appear before the house of commons to endorse the announcement made Saturday by the chancellor of exchequer that the government would refuse to yield to a point of subsidizing the miners wages.

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TEA AND LINEN SHOWER

The public is cordially invited to attend the Linen Shower and Tea to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams tomorrow afternoon from three to six-thirty under the auspices of the Civic League. All those who wish to contribute to the shower to be given the Halley & Love sanitarium are requested to bring sheets, pillow cases, towels, etc. No charges for the entertainment and all are cordially invited.

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All women in Ballinger who are qualified voters, can vote in the city election tomorrow.

There is just as much effort being made to restore King Alcohol in America as there is to restore Emperor Charles in Hungary. Both will fail.

"Short skirts," says a Paris dispatch, "are on their last legs." It does not take a very close observer to notice that the legs are built to last, however.

One drawback about giving the Republicans all the rope they want is that they will not only hang themselves, but hamstring the whole blamed country.

Many of the problems of the world could be solved today if Europe would quit pulling off so many raw deals and use more of America's raw material.

We may be pretty well satisfied with home life in America, but Austria is making a strong appeal for the friendship of the world by threatening to hang all the profiteers.

It is rumored that a "dark horse" might appear in the city election tomorrow. A dark horse is a dangerous animal and should be put to death by the voters turning out and voting a straight ticket tomorrow. It is no time for underhanded politics in Ballinger.

A Farmer Cured of Rheumatism
"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment, and told him to use it freely," says C. F. Rayder, Patten Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked in to the store straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me."

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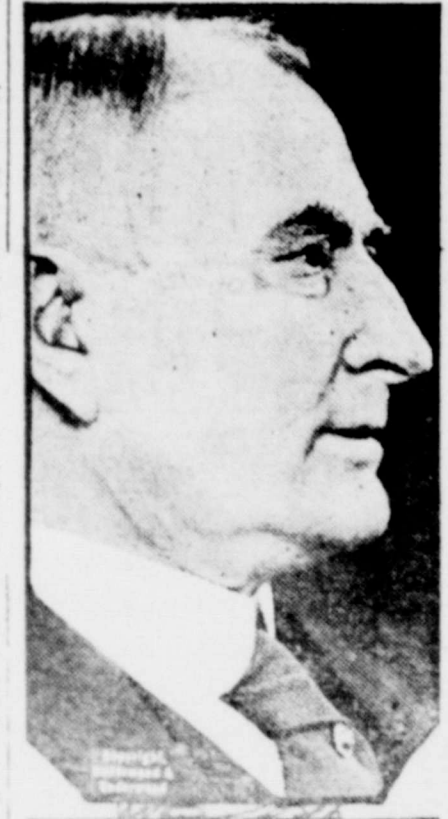
WASHINGTON, April 4.—Hope that negotiations might be opened between Germany and the allied representatives for a new schedule of reparations was expressed in a memorandum transmitted to Berlin by the State Department today, it was officially announced. The memorandum was sent to Loring Dressel, the American high commissioner, for his communication to German officials.

CHURCH OF CHRIST WILL CONDUCT JULY MEETING

The Ninth Street Church of Christ will begin a protracted meeting at their tabernacle on Wednesday night before the 1st Sunday in July, to continue till the 2nd Sunday in July. R. F. Duckworth, evangelist, will do the preaching.

Read the ads and profit.

SAMUEL D. NICHOLSON



Samuel D. Nicholson, new Republican senator from Colorado. He lives in Leadville.

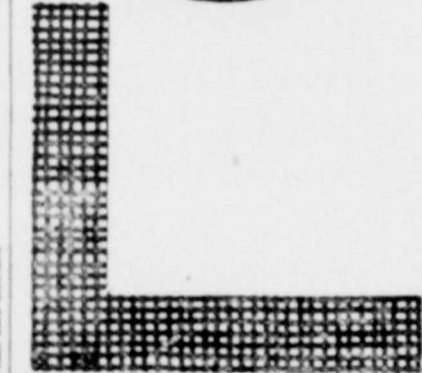
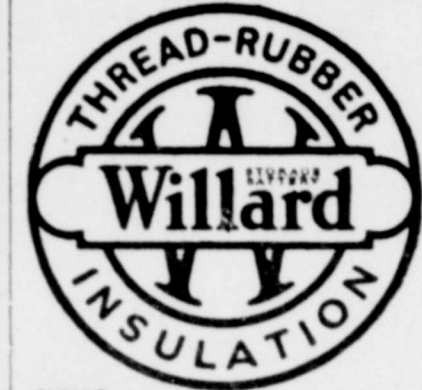
ROWAN MAY ESCAPE TRIAL

DALLAS, April 4.—Albert Rowan, convicted and given 25 years in the Federal penitentiary some time ago for the Dallas Jackson street postoffice robbery, and who was also indicted for the murder of the postal clerk, may escape a murder trial in the state courts, it was announced today.

Gov. Neff has indicated that he will not pardon Scrivner in a telephone conversation with the local district attorney today. Scrivner is an escaped convict, and it was his confession in the postoffice robbery case which convicted Rowan, the mastermind in the robbery, and the district attorney had requested the governor to pardon Scrivner in order that he might testify in the murder trial against Rowan.

A "system regulator" is a medicine that purifies and strengthens the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. Prickly Ash Bitters is one of the best of these. It drives out unhealthy conditions, promotes activity of body and brain, restores good appetite, sound sleep and cheerful spirits. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

It has got so that Germany thinks nothing of refusing to pay a billion marks.—Springfield Republican.



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"PRICE OF REDEMPTION" AT THE MAEROY TONIGHT

Bert Lytell, the popular young Metro screen star, will be the attraction at the Maeroy Theatre tonight, in "The Price of Redemption," a picturization of I. A. R. Wylie's famous novel, "The Temple of Dawn." Mr. Lytell's new vehicle is said to surpass all of his previous pictures in that it shows the wreck of a strong man and his redemption thru the love of a little child.

The San Angelo Spanish orchestra will furnish the music at the Maeroy tonight, and for the remainder of the week. Local theatre-goers are passing very favorable comments on the quality of the music, and many are even going for the sole purpose of hearing the good music.

It is announced by the Maeroy management that the big Norma Talmadge special, which had been advertised for tomorrow (Tuesday, April 5th), will be screened on Friday, April 15th, confusion having arisen in the booking dates by the Dallas exchange. This is said to be the most wonderful production Miss Talmadge has yet presented.

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ed, and the announcement of the showing has created considerable interest among local film enthusiasts.

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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.

Boiled down, the question is whether we shall scrap our own battleships or the other fellow's.

A torpid liver needs an overhauling with Herbine. Its benefits are immediately apparent. Energy takes the place of laziness, appetite returns, and the hour of rest brings with it sound, refreshing sleep. Price, 60c. Sold by all druggists.

John DeYoung came in from Wharton Sunday to join his wife who has been her for a day or two visiting her mother. Mrs. W. H. Weeks, and brother John A. Weeks.

Miss Zelma Hood, of San Angelo, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Miss Ella Hood, teacher in the local school.

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C. E. SOCIAL

Mrs. A. W. Sledge most delightfully entertained the Christian Endeavor Society Friday night. This was a "Tacky Party," and although Webster does not define the word "tacky" all who attended this party went away with a complete definition. The games which were conducted by Mrs. C. R. Stephens and Miss Tama Key Coulter were quite in keeping with the occasion. After a formal "dress parade" the judges selected Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cookrell as the "tackiest," the prize being a large box containing two carpet tacks.

The evening was most pleasantly devoted to playing different kinds of games, and was a merry crowd which enjoyed the

fun. The refreshments were served in two courses. The first consisted of a large dinner plate upon which was one lonely animal cookie. The second was ice cream and cake which came in good time to refresh the aching throats of the twenty seven laughers.

At a late hour the "tacky" bunch concluded the party by singing the national C. E. hymn and repeating the Mizpah benediction.

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Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment to joints that ache. It relieves bone ache, muscle ache, and neuralgic pain. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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NO OPPOSITION TO CITY TICKET

The voters of Ballinger will go to the polls tomorrow and re-elect present mayor and board of city commissioners, thus endorsing the two year's work under the commission form of city government.

The ticket to be voted on is without opposition, or at least any expressed opposition, and only the names of C. S. Guin, for mayor; and R. T. Williams and C. A. Doose, for commissioners, will appear on the ticket.

While there is no opposition, interest should not lag in the election, and the voters should turn out and show by a large vote that they endorse the present administration's work, thereby encouraging them to push forward with the work which they have been doing and will continue to do to pull Ballinger out of the ditch.

When the city commission form of government was adopted the city was badly involved financially, and notwithstanding that conditions have been unsettled, the present board has made wonderful progress towards placing the city on a firm financial basis, and if plans which the board have outlined are carried out, at the end of another two year term, a much better showing will be made.

The fact that the name of the old board appears on the ticket without opposition, is an evidence of the harmony and spirit of co-operation which prevails here at this time, and which means success in any progressive move the commission puts on foot.

The friends of R. A. Nicholson solicited him to permit his name to be used for election as one of the commissioners, and a petition was presented to the mayor asking that Mr. Nicholson's name be placed on the ticket. Mr. Nicholson declined to stand as an opposition candidate and refused to let his name go on the ticket.

In the reelection of the old board the citizens will continue in office the mayor and two commissioners who have worked so faithfully for the municipal light plant proposition, and who are in a better position to complete the job than a new board would be. Commissioners Williams and Doose are both in favor of issuing the light plant and water works bonds. They favored the building of the municipal light plant by the issuance of warrants, and when the warrant plans were held by the filing of an injunction suit, they immediately took the necessary steps to continue the work for the building of the city plant by giving the voters an opportunity to vote bonds, which after all, is declared to be the best plan.

The voters should turn out strong tomorrow, and make the reelection of the old board unanimous, and then one week from tomorrow they should return to the polls and make the bond issues vote unanimous and do everything possible to co-operate with the commission in the advancement of everything for the best interests of the city.

With such harmony and spirit of co-operation we can accomplish much during the next two years.

Children who have worms are pale, sickly and peevish. A dose or two of White's Cream Vermifuge will clear them out and restore rosy cheeks and cheerful spirits. Price 35c. Sold by all druggists.

LIGHT VOTE IN SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION

No opposition was responsible for little interest in the local school trustee election Saturday. Only thirty-six votes were polled out of a voting strength of possibly six or seven hundred votes in the Ballinger Independent district. T. S. Lankford, H. M. Leach and W. E. Bartlett will compose the new members on the board.

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"BROKEN BLOSSOMS" IS HIGHLY LAUDED

(Reviewed by Percy Hammond in Chicago Tribune)

"Never in the annals of theatrical doxology have such hosannas been raised as those which recently have been sounded for Mr. Griffith's picture at the Illinois (Theatre), 'Broken Blossoms.' Dignified writers for the daily press have stood upon their heads and sung; they have later assumed other less wanton postures, but still they have uttered in print the wild notes of the savage suddenly come upon a work of art. Let us, if we can, be calm about 'Broken Blossoms.'"

"It is a good picture. It tells with the frenetic candor of the camera the tale of a child of the London slums who, beaten by her pugilistic father, falls into the chaste arms of a dreamy, romantic Chinaman. It is a poetic photograph of one of those Lamphouse nights observed by Mr. Burke, a London reporter. * * * 'In case you have good taste in acting you will enjoy Miss Gish in 'Broken Blossoms.' If there was ever upon the stage a better picture of absolutely untheatrical terror, which is a difficult emotion of the drama, then it is when Miss Gish hides in the closet against the brute who is breaking down the door. It is a tragic picture, 'Broken Blossoms,' but they get \$4 for it in New York and \$3 for it in Chicago."

"Broken Blossoms" is exhibited at the Fo-tosho Theatre tonight only. Tuesday, Mae Marsh in "The Little Fraid Lady."

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You must keep well if you wish to be happy. When constipated take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They cause a gentle movement of the bowels.

PROMINENT COLLEGE PRESIDENT IN CITY

Dr. Boaz, president of the Southern Methodist University, visited Ballinger Sunday and preached at the Methodist church to a large congregation Sunday.

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Democratic Vice-President Spends Afternoon in City

(Continued from First Page.)

more of them come over here. A remedy I think would be good would be to make all immigrants go to work on a farm over here and make them stay five years before they can take out their first papers. I had to wait twenty-one years for mine. They ought to be made to wait five."

Shortly after arriving in Ballinger Mr. and Mrs. Marshall retired to their room at the Central Hotel where they registered, and left instructions to be called at 3:40—just a few minutes before train time, and very few called at the hotel to see them. Quite a bunch of admirers were at the station to see them leave.

After a long winter the system becomes filled with impurities caused by dry, strong diet. In hot weather these impurities cause sickness. Get rid of them now by taking Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a remedy that men use for purifying the blood, liver and bowels and putting the body in shape for summer work. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

MINE STRIKE UP IN BRITISH HOUSE

LONDON, April 4.—Regulations to meet the emergency brought about by the coal miners strike were discussed in both house of the British parliament today. Prime Minister Lloyd George is expected to appear before the house of commons to endorse the announcement made Saturday by the chancellor of exchequer that the government would refuse to yield to a point of subsidizing the miners wages.

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TEA AND LINEN SHOWER

The public is cordially invited to attend the Linen Shower and Tea to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams tomorrow afternoon from three to six-thirty under the auspices of the Civic League. All those who wish to contribute to the shower to be given the Halley & Love sanitarium are requested to bring sheets, pillow cases, towels, etc. No charges for the entertainment and all are cordially invited.

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WARNING IS ISSUED TO ALL GAMBLERS

The owners of the Nicholusk Park and the Bear Cat baseball club held a conference Saturday morning and adopted some rules for the coming season. One of the important rules outlaws all gambling in the park. Gamblers who wish to stake their money on any team playing in the park will have to do their betting outside the park. There is not going to be any gambling in the park according to announcement made following the conference, and the ladies can attend the games with the assurance that perfect order will be maintained.

When it was suggested that the rule also forbid profanity, it was stated that no gentlemen will "cuss" in the presence of ladies. It is against the law to bet on baseball, as is evidenced by court records yet fresh from last season, but we judge from the announcement made that if the gamblers will not respect the laws they will be made to respect the rules adopted for the great national sport in Nicholusk Park.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

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The women of ancient Rome, it is asserted, used more paint and powder than the women of today. Well, paint and powder may have been cheaper in their day.—Springfield Union.

REVIVAL BEGINS AT CHRISTIAN

A full house was present to hear Rev. A. N. Glover preach at the Christian Church Sunday night. The attendance at the eleven o'clock service was also good.

A revival began at this church Sunday, and will continue thru-out the week. Rev. Glover will do the preaching, and a good choir will be in charge of the music.

Preaching from the book of Jonah, Rev. Glover verified in a most forceful manner the strong belief that this book was inspired history, and that the experience of Jonah was the experience of all who tried to run away from the presence of God, or who attempted to seek the path of ease and shirk the duties placed upon them by God.

Rev. Glover stated that those who wished to take the experience of Jonah on his journey to Ninevah as a parable, and who would not believe that the whale swallowed Jonah, could find in it as a parable a lesson as great as any parable teaching in the Bible.

The preacher showed how Jonah repented of his sin, and when his soul was faint, and out of his prayer declared "That they observe lying vanities forsake their own mercy." Rev. Glover illustrated how Jonah tried to shirk his duties and in so doing observed lying vanities and forsook his own mercy, and how many today do as Jonah did.

It was an attentive audience who listened to the able message appealing for an obedience to God.

Services will be held at 7:45 each evening, and the preacher announced that his sermon for Wednesday evening would be "The New Birth."

Preventative Medicine

The tendency of medical science is toward preventative measures. It is easier and better to prevent than to cure. Pneumonia, one of the most dangerous diseases that medical men have to contend with, often follows a cold or attack of the grip. The cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the pneumonia germ. The longer the cold hangs on, the greater the danger. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the first indication of a cold appears so as to get rid of it with the least possible delay. It is folly to risk an attack of pneumonia when this remedy may be obtained for a trifle.

Elmer Haynes and Elam Elliott, of Rogers-Higdon Co., visited Brownwood Sunday.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills for Head and Stomach troubles. Sold by all druggists. Everywhere.

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HERE IN INTEREST OF THE CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

John Loebel, representing the Department of Agriculture of the Czecho-Slovak republic, arrived in Ballinger Friday at noon, and spent two or three days in this country in the interest of his government.

Mr. Loebel carried credentials bearing the signature, of high officials of his government and the seal of the Czecho-Slovak republic, showing that he is an authorized representative of his government, and that his mission to the United States is to study agricultural and livestock growing and the marketing systems of this country. He has been in America seven months and has been in Texas one month. Runnels county is the only county in this part of the state he will visit, and he will visit only other West Texas county, Lubbock.

Mr. Loebel stated that he was sent to this county by the Texas Department of Agriculture, after making it known that he could only visit the best agricultural counties in Texas. He is compiling information which he will carry back to his country with him and will aid his government in adopting the most successful methods practiced here in livestock and agricultural industries and in marketing systems.

The Czecho-Slovak went to this country with Farm Agent Eaton Saturday morning and conferred with other citizens in the county. He expressed himself as being well pleased with the way the American people had been treating him and thinks this a great country.

New York has another laugh on Chicago. A windy city gunman fired ten shots at his victim and missed him every time.—Norfolk (Neb.) News.

STILLMAN MUST PAY ALIMONY

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 4.—Justice Morschauser, of the Supreme Court here today signed an order directing the payment of alimony amounting to \$7,500 per month, and counsel fees amounting to \$35,000 and \$12,500 expenses, in divorce proceedings brought by James Stillman, New York city banker, against Mrs. Anne Stillman, he made within thirty days and that in the meanwhile the referee hearings in the case be stayed.

Stillman recently filed suit for divorce alleging that his wife was the mother of a boy baby by an Indian guide. After hearing the evidence the court granted Mrs. Stillman alimony in the above amount.

The mild cathartic action of Herbine is well liked by ladies. It purifies the system without griping or sickening the stomach. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

33 KILLED IN MEXICAN WRECK

EAGLE PASS, Tex., April 4.—Thirty-three persons were killed in a collision between a freight and passenger train on the Mexican National railroad near Villa Garcia, between Parradon and Monterey, according to reports received here today. The time of the collision is not given in the reports. Victor Villareal, a candidate for mayor of the city of Piedras Negras, was the only body identified when the report was sent here.

ORDER PLACED FOR KIRK MEMORIAL PLATE

Friends of R. P. Kirk, deceased, have placed the order for the bronze memorial plate to be placed on the new Colorado bridge in honor of Mr. Kirk. The plate will bear an appropriate inscription, and will be placed on the first post of the new bridge, a place on the bridge having been provided for that purpose by order of the commissioners court.

When it was suggested a short time ago that the new bridge be dedicated to "Bob" Kirk, who devoted so much of his life and work to the public interest of the county, and who was serving as county commissioner when the move for the new bridge was put on foot, and who was so eager to see the project completed during his life time, the suggestion was immediately acted upon, and funds necessary to purchase the memorial plate

were volunteered. The memorial plate will soon be here and will be used in dedicating the bridge with proper ceremonies.

Indigestion and Constipation

"Prior to using Chamberlain's Tablets, I suffered dreadfully from indigestion. Nothing I ate agreed with me and I lost flesh and ran down in health. Chamberlain's Tablets strengthened my digestion and cured me of constipation," writes Mrs. Geo. Stroup, Solvay, N. Y.

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Ford or Chevrolet	\$23.85	\$29.83
Overland and Brisco	\$25.00	\$30.81
Hudson, Buick, National		
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