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TWO SHUT OUTS FOR BRADY BOYS

Brady failed to score against the Ballinger Bear Cats in two games played. The Bear Cats went to Brady Tuesday after closing out the Brady team here Monday, and left the Bronchos with another goose egg.

Ellis was on the mound at the Brady lot Tuesday, and while the locals did not go to Brady with their strongest aggregation the line-up was too strong to make the game interesting. The Bear Cats piled up ten runs, while the Brady boys could not find their way around the diamond. Miller, Penn and Seogins did not go to Brady.

It was the tenth game of the season for the locals, and they continue to occupy the thousand per cent place.

Coleman is here today with what they claim to be a strong team, and will remain over for a second game tomorrow.

"Don't Ever Marry" take the advice, (if you can), at Maeroy Theatre, Friday. 17-3td

Commencement Gifts

Graduation time is almost here, and with it the gift puzzle.

Gifts that express the thoughtfulness of the giver are those that embody usefulness and taste—the kind that the graduate can derive real benefit from in the months and years to come.

Our stock of useful and pleasing remembrances is now on display.

WEEKS

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BRIEF REPORT FROM R. M. A.

The State Convention of the Retail Merchants' Association of Texas at Brownwood will close today. The convention is being attended by retail merchants from all parts of Texas. Representatives are present from practically every city of any size in the state. Cross Plains sent a delegation of about fifty, as did Rising Star. Cisco was present with its jazz band, and about 100 delegates asking for the 1922 convention. About thirty or forty Ft. Worth representatives were in attendance, and a strong bid will be made to carry the convention to that city next year.

Tuesday was devoted to group sessions; the association secretaries holding their annual convention school, and group meetings of all the various classifications being held in various parts of the city. The visitors were entertained with an auto ride to the Hot Well pavillion, where supper was served. The Cisco and Brownwood bands provided music for dancing. The Spring Music Festival is also in progress during the convention.

The convention will close today with a strong program of talks, selection of the 1922 meeting place and more entertainment.

Ballinger was represented by S. L. Williams and Miss Lucy Stephenson, the new Secretary of the local R. M. A. Miss Stephenson is the new Secretary of the local R. M. A., succeeding Miss Eleanor Kirk, who has resigned to accept a position with the Creasy Rotary Filer Co.

FORMER CABINET MEMBER DEAD

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 18.—Franklin K. Lane, former Secretary of Interior during the Wilson administration, died in a local hospital here today. His death was due to an attack of angina pectoris.

Mr. Lane underwent an operation here on May 6th for gall stones and appendicitis and was said to be recovering when heart attacks developed, and which caused his death.

KAISER'S SON HIT BY COURT

BERLIN, May 18.—Eitel Friedrich, the second son of former Kaiser Wilhelm, was today found guilty of illegally exporting capital to Holland through the firm of Philipsohn, Grasser & Co. In consideration of the fact that Friedrich did not act from a dishonest motive he was fined only five thousand marks.

Chihuahua City, Mexico, May 18.—Rise in the price of foreign silver has prevented some of the mines in Northern Mexico from closing down, according to mining men in this section. Mine operators said that they expected the price to reach a level where all the mines that have shut down may resume operations.

JUSTICE WHITE NEAR DEATH

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Physicians today attending Edward Douglas White, chief justice of the United States Supreme Court, announced today that the patient had not rallied from a sinking spell of yesterday, and his recovery is not expected. Death may come at any time, according to the physicians.

Possible Summer White House and Its Mistress



President Warren G. Harding may spend part of his summer in the beautiful Shinnecock Hills, Long Island. Dr. Albert H. Ely, who accompanied Mr. Harding on the trip to Florida just before the inauguration and acted as his physician while in the South, has asked the President to accept the use of his beautiful home at Southampton, L. I., as a summer residence. The Ely country home is one of the show houses of the fashionable resort, and is within one mile of one of the most attractive golf links in the country. Beyond Shinnecock bay is a beautiful view of the ocean, easily visible from the Ely home. The place was built last year. The illustration shows the Ely home and its mistress, Mrs. Albert H. Ely.

EX-CONVICT ON STAND AGAIN

ABILENE, May 18.—W. S. Scrivner, the chief witness for the State, and who was pardoned in order that he might testify against the defendant in the Rowan murder case here, was recalled today.

The pardons granted by Gov. Neff to the witness were introduced in court, District Attorney Cunningham asked him if he accepted them. Scrivner said, "I do."

Attorney Jed Adams, counsel for defense, objected to the pardons because they were not delivered in what he claimed "the proper way." This objection was overruled, and the witness re-examined. He covered the same ground as he did in yesterday's testimony up to the time his testimony was temporarily withdrawn. The court has ruled that the testimony of the pardoned convict is admissible.

If you want to paint your home with a strictly high grade paint get the Horse Shoe Paint from J. K. Hutton. 18-2d-1w

SHIP OWNERS FOR OPEN SHOP

NEW YORK, May 18.—The executive wage committee of the American Steamship Owners' Association today adopted a resolution setting forth that hereafter the organization would enter into no signed agreements with any seagoing labor unions. The steamship owners went on record for "open shops" and declared that no contracts would be made with unions.

LAWYER HELD FOR CONTEMPT

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Harry Weinberger, counsel for Grover Cleveland Bergdoll in court martial proceedings, was ordered before the bar of the House of Representatives today for contempt after refusing to testify before the investigating committee regarding fees paid him by Bergdoll's mother.

RAILWAY LABOR BOARD FORECAST GENERAL CUT

NO PAY FOR PROHI AGENTS

WASHINGTON, May 18.—About seven hundred prohibition enforcement officers and agents of the United States have been laid off temporarily on account of a lack of funds to pay salaries, it was announced today, at prohibition enforcement headquarters here.

AMERICANS TO KEEP HANDS OFF

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Poland's request for American support in the settlement and the disposition of Upper Silesia, evoked a formal answer from Secretary Hughes today. Mr. Hughes stated in his reply that American representatives abroad would take no part in the discussion of the Silesian question before the allied supreme council.

LAREDO—Laredo is becoming a favorite spot for week enders from distant points. The bullfights in Nuevo Laredo, the liquor that is forbidden on the American side, but obtainable in any quantity across the river and the strange sights in the Mexican town draw Sunday visitors, who come in hundreds.

NEFF'S MOTHER WORSE TODAY

AUSTIN, May 18.—The condition of Mrs. Isabella E. Neff, the aged mother of Governor Neff, is considered to be worse today, according to information from the executive mansion. The end is believed to be near, it was stated and the governor and other relatives are remaining close at her bedside.

PRYOR REFUSES TO RESIGN

HUNTSVILLE, May 18.—W. G. Pryor, a member of the State Prison Commission, announced today that he would not resign in compliance with the governor's request. Mr. Pryor stated he was preparing a formal answer to Mr. Neff.

Gov. Neff addressed a letter to Mr. Pryor yesterday, asking for his resignation, and stating that the penitentiary would be under better control and the state's interest best served if he would quit the board, and charged that Pryor was not in sympathy with the administration, or with the governor personally or politically.

COUNCIL MUST SETTLE SILESIAN TROUBLE

LONDON, May 18.—Lloyd George issued a statement today reiterating the attitude of the British towards the Upper Silesian question as expressed by him in a recent speech before the House of Commons. He disclaimed responsibility for the distorted reports by French news papers. In the course of his statement he said, "the fate of Upper Silesia must be decided by the Supreme Council and not by Korfanty."

I have a complete supply of Feed, including a well balanced Chicken Feed. J. K. Hutton. 18-2d-1w

Mrs. W. B. Halley left Tuesday afternoon for Temple, where she will visit relatives.

MEXICAN HEAD GETS WARNING

MEXICO CITY, May 18.—"Beware the fate of Francisco Madero, who failed to heed the solicitations to change his policy, and for which failure he fell," was the warning sent to President Obregon last night by the liberal constitutionalist members of the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate. The warning was contained in a memorial drafted at a caucus of the liberal constitutionalists.

Advertise in The Ledger regularly and see your profits grow.

CHICAGO, May 18.—A general reduction of wages of unskilled labor on railroads, effective July first, which was forecasted by the Railroad Labor Board last night, will be made the basis of a reduction extending to all classes of railroad labor, it is understood today.

Of the scores of railroads whose applications for wage cuts are pending before the board, only the Chicago Great Western, and the Chicago & Alton, and a few others have asked that the reductions be extended to all classes of employees.

Provision made by the board for filling other wage reduction appeals up to June 6th, and those to be decided to take effect on July first, were announced today.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC FOR NAZARENE CHURCH

The Sunday school of the Nazarene church will hold its annual picnic tomorrow, the weather being favorable. All the members of the church and Sunday school are requested to meet at the church promptly at eight o'clock and the crowd will go together to the picnic grounds near the city.

LOCAL SCHOOLS CLOSED TODAY

School troubles for the local kiddies are over for the present at least. The Ballinger schools dismissed for the term after a forenoon session Wednesday.

The last day was devoted to checking in books, and a general rounding up of the year of successful work. The pupils will return to school at a given time Friday for the purpose of receiving their promotion cards, or report cards, showing the result of the year's work.

In the meantime the Senior Class will be a busy body arranging for the commencement exercises to be given at the Carnegie Library Friday night when about thirty-four diplomas will be handed out and the sweet girl graduates given an opportunity to appear on the stage.

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FELIX JONES, CONVICT HERO.

Felix Jones, who is well known throughout West Texas, played the part of a hero when the convicts in the state penitentiary mutinied a few days ago and more than forty escaped from the prison. Jones formerly lived at Abilene, and frequently visited Ballinger. He was sent to the pen for twenty-five years from El Paso county, where he was convicted for murder. Jones is operating a barber shop in the penitentiary. He saw the convicts rush the turnkey and turning to the guard he yelled "look out Mr. Evans, they will get you." Evans was shot, and by doing what he did Jones made himself liable to be killed.

JONES SHOULD PAY THE FREIGHT

A Washington news dispatch says Congress is about to take up the budget system, while another Washington report says "revision in taxes suggested." We predict that the budget will be large enough and the revision made to fit the budget, and Jones will continue to pay the freight.—Ballinger Daily Ledger.

Of course Jones will pay the freight. There is no one else to pay it. Jones lives under the protection and assurance of a beneficent government, and ought to be willing to pay for what he gets—and Jones gets more in the way of enlightened and honest government in proportion to what it costs him than a citizen of any other country in the world. Our practice of relying on our government, in which any man has the same voting strength as any other, is habitual, but not praiseworthy. If Jones had to live in a country where taxes are really high, or where political freedom is something that may be given or taken away by a hereditary monarch or a small group of corrupt or ignorant oligarchs—if Jones were to move to a country where anarchy was his neighbor and rapacity his tax collector, he would swim the ocean to come back to blessed America. It is strange, when we stop to think about it, what a fascination criticism of our government has for so many people. These critics, like the "irreconcilable" Senators, Messrs. Borah and Johnson, are as quick to condemn one party as another. All they are interested in is condemnation. Betterment may be left to constructive individuals, but for the critics in private life and the Borahs and Johnsons of public life condemnation is the order of the day, the savor of their lives, the only business they know.—State Press, in Dallas News.

"Don't Ever Marry" take the advice, (if you can), at Maeroy Theatre, Friday. 17-3td

\$100 Reward, \$100

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

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CHRISTIAN IN ACTION



George B. Christian, Jr., secretary to the President, in action on the White House tennis courts after a long day's work. The courts have been completely remodeled and Mr. Christian is getting ready to meet the President in a game in the near future.

CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mexico—J. B. Stewart, American consul here, declared that American shippers have learned how to pack goods for shipment to Mexican merchants. Mr. Stewart made a survey of shipments into his territory and has written letters to merchants and found that goods have been received here recently in good condition.

GALVESTON—Imports thru ports of the Galveston district during February were valued at \$1,373,552, according to figures at the local customs house. Of this amount \$661,888 was classed as dutiable, with \$711,664 on the free list. The figures show a gain of approximately \$100,000 over those of January.

GALVESTON—The release of Maurice Archdeacon by the Boston Braves to the Rochester club of the International league, caused surprise to Galveston fans. Archdeacon, while in training here, was thought to have won a safe berth with Mitchell's team.

EL PASO—Labor men have organized the El Paso Labor Temple Association for building a three story labor temple. The initial cost being \$150,000. Labor men, besides contributing money, will be asked to give at least one day's work to building the temple.

BROWNWOOD—Brown county farmers are pooling their cotton. The pool contains about 200 bales, which will be sold soon, the county Farm Bureau announced.

Rubber Stamps.—The Ballinger Printing Co.

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Maybe its ONE-ELEVEN. Just buy a package and find out.

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DENISON—Deposits in the thrift bank of a Denison school have increased since January 21 from \$18.50 to \$18,560.02, teachers of the school announced.

LAREDO—Upon receipt of the news that an oil "strike" had been made about 50 miles from Laredo, the county commissioners have decided to grade and clear the road leading to the field and to make it passable for traffic.

An attack of heartburn or indigestion calls for a dose of Herbine. It relieves the distress instantly and forces the fermented food into the bowels. You feel better at once. Price, 60c. Sold by all druggists.

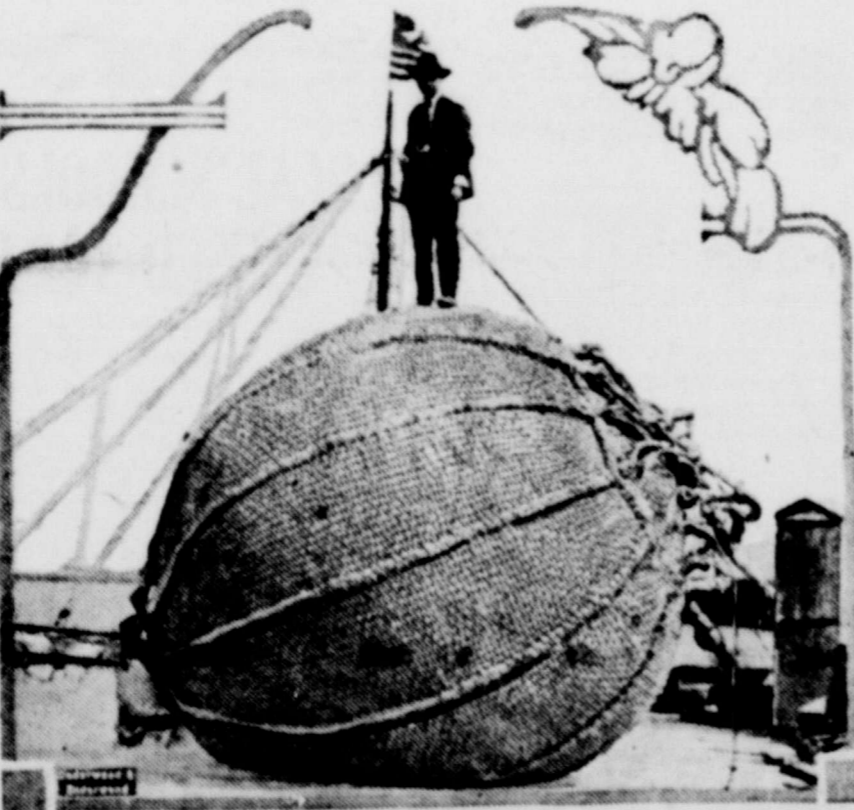
FT. WORTH—The grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias will meet here May 9 to 12. The members, of whom several hundred are expected at the convention, will visit the Pythian home at Weatherford, Texas.

ROBERT LEE—The Women's Missionary Society of the Bronte Baptist church, has originated a plan by which to raise money for a special fund, to be used for papering the church. All eggs laid on Sunday by hens belonging to members of the church are contributed to the fund. The eggs are marketed and the proceeds turned over to the missionary society.

When your breath is bad, appetite poor, and you feel "blue" and discouraged, you need Herbine. One or two doses will set you right. It is a great system purifier. Price, 60c. Sold by all druggists.

MORAN—Moran, thru its chamber of commerce, is seeking rats to replace those that have died recently. Nearly all of the Moran rats, used in exterminating rats, have died and more are needed, the chamber announced.

Pontoon Devised to Float the Isis



Bearing a cargo of up-to-date salvaging apparatus, the S. S. Blue Point has gone to the coast of Florida. There an attempt will be made by the Saliger Ship Salvaging corporation to raise the wreck of Spaulding's famous yacht, Isis, from the bed of the ocean. This is one of the pontoons devised for the job.

COTTON POOL SALE HERE NEXT FRIDAY

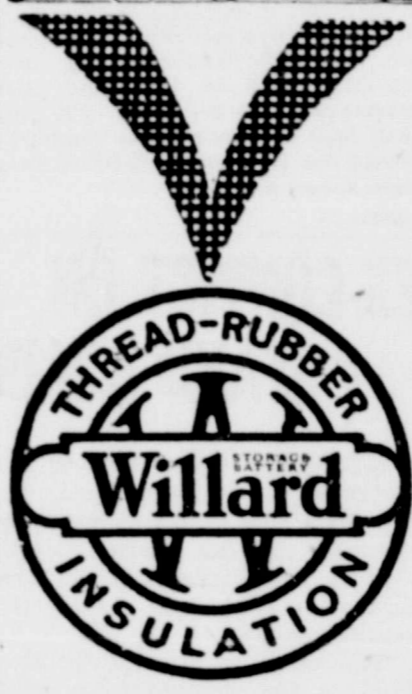
Four hundred bales of cotton will be placed on the market here Friday. The cotton is being classed by an expert classer and the entire lot will be thrown on the market and sold under the pool system being tried out throughout the country by the Farm Bureau. Visiting buyers will probably be here to compete with local buyers in bidding on the cotton.

When an energetic hard working man feels unduly tired, half sick, "blue" and discouraged he thinks he is getting lazy. It isn't laziness, the trouble is in the stomach and bowels; they are disordered. To restore energy, vim and activity the right remedy is Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a man's remedy for regulating the system. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

Dr. Jone B. Johnson, of Eastland, brother of Mrs. P. E. Truly was here Wednesday for a short visit, after spending a few days fishing on the Concho. Dr. Johnson spent quite a while in Ballinger in his younger days and is well acquainted with the old timers. He is on a trade for the Massey ranch on the Concho, and if the trade is finally consummated will visit Ballinger more often in the future. This was his first visit here since 1908.

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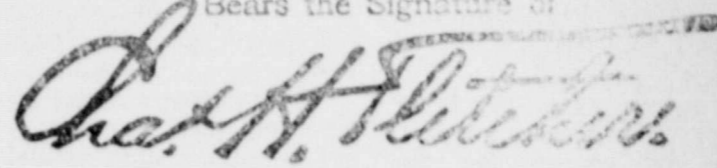
The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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STATEMENT of Condition

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April 28, 1921
RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$517,290.49
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Stock and Bonds	1,745.60
Stock, Federal Intl. Banking Co., Amount Subscription \$4,500.00	1,575.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	4,500.00
Banking House, F. and F.	28,400.00
Real Estate	17,500.00
Acceptance ()	46,966.43
Cash and Exchange	168,125.51
	\$ 812,603.03

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	83,457.64
Circulation	24,500.00
Deposits	604,645.39
	\$ 812,603.03

No State, County or Municipal Deposits in Above Statement.

The above statement is correct.

R. G. Erwin, Cashier

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Hot Water Each Morning Puts Roses in Your Cheeks



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 before it 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 tri-

EARLY WEDDING CEREMONY HERE

Dr. Alvin Swindell was called from his peaceful slumber at four o'clock Wednesday morning to say the words which made W. A. Nance and Miss Ruth Allen man and wife. Mr. Nance and Miss Allen called at the home of the Baptist pastor on Broadway and Dr. Swindell spoke the words which sent them on their way rejoicing.

The plans had been arranged, and as soon as the ceremony was performed Mr. and Mrs. Nance left for Dallas, making the trip through the country in their auto. They will spend a few days in Dallas, and visiting other points, after which they will be at home here.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Allen, and was born and raised in Rannels county. During the last few months she has been employed here, working in the County Clerk's office, and more recently for the Piggly Wiggly. She will make Mr. Nance a good wife.

Mr. Nance is numbered among the most successful business men of the city. He has been engaged in the garage business here for several years, and is at present at the head of the Nance-Stroble Auto Electric Co.

Lumbago

This is a rheumatism of the muscles of the back. It comes on suddenly and is quite painful. Every movement aggravates the disease. Go to bed, keep quiet and have Chamberlain's Liniment applied and a quick recovery may be expected. Mrs. F. J. Dann, Brockport, N. Y., writes: "I can honestly say that Chamberlain's Liniment cured me of lumbago a year ago last summer. When I began using it, I was flat on my back in bed and could not turn to the left or right. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment in the house and this was applied to my back. It promptly drove away the pains and aches."

MANY ODD FELLOWS OFF TO MILES PICNIC

Quite a number of local Odd Fellows left early Wednesday morning for Miles, where they went to attend the annual picnic of the Odd Fellow Lodge. The occasion had been well advertised and Odd Fellows from surrounding towns were expected to meet on the Concho near Miles for a great fraternal gathering and picnic outing.

Fo-To-Sho Theatre

Where the Best Pictures are Shown
TODAY
CORINNE GRIFFITH
in
"IT ISN'T BEING DONE THIS SEASON."
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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 Oklahoman. "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 troubles, 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."

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BAPTISTS MOVING CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The roof is being removed from the old First Christian church building on Tenth Street, and the building being put in shape for going on skids and moving to a lot in the Southern part of the city for the African M. E. church. The Baptist people, who recently became owners of the building in a trade with the Christian congregation, have sold the building to the colored folks, and it is necessary to remove the roof so the building can be moved under the high and telephone cables. It will cost five or six hundred dollars to move the building and place it in shape again.

A bad sprain heals slowly if not treated with a remedy that has the power to penetrate the flesh. Ballard's Snow Liniment is especially adapted for such ailments. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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Call Deliver

C. W. Evans was in the city Tuesday from his farm North of the city, and reported that he had just sold 150 acres of land to E. A. Werner, his neighbor, for \$20 per acre. The price looks a little low, but the land had no improvements on it.

EL PASO—Cattle raisers near El Paso have shipped 30,000 head of cattle to pastures in East Texas and Oklahoma during the past month, according to Bell Lee, inspector of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association.

A torpid liver is a heavy handicap to a working man. It robs him of strength, energy and mental alertness. To remove the burden the proper remedy is Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a fine liver, stomach and bowel medicine. Price \$1.35 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

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For cane seed, Sudan seed, and maize seed, see J. K. Hutton. 18-2nd St

ALL PRICES MET

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YOUNG FARMER DIES SUDDENLY

The announcement of the death of A. D. (Cap) Barnett came as a surprise and brought expressions of grief from many here early Wednesday morning. Mr. Barnett died at his home near Bronte at 7:30 Tuesday night.

Mr. Barnett was about thirty years old, and was well known in Rannels county. He had only been ill a few days, and many of his closest acquaintances and friends did not know that he was sick.

A carbuncle, or rising, formed on the neck of deceased a few days ago, and blood poison set in which caused the spine to become infected, or brought on meningitis, and death followed quickly despite the efforts of physicians to prolong the young farmer's life.

Cap Barnett was born in Rannels county. His father was a pioneer citizen of this county and the Barnett school community has been the young man's home for most of his life. He spent the fall in Ballinger buying cotton, and had been more or less associated with the town in a business way, this being his trading point for his entire lifetime.

Deceased leaves a wife and four children. Mrs. Barnett was formerly Miss Rayburn, sister of Hal Rayburn, manager of the local Piggly Wiggly; a mother, Mrs. M. D. L. Barnett; two brothers, R. M. and L. E. H.; and one sister, Mrs. Chas. Bennett, all of the Valley Creek country.

The remains will be brought to Ballinger and the funeral conducted here Thursday morning, and interment made in Evergreen cemetery at eleven o'clock.

Mrs. Mosia Loika died at the home of her son, R. D. South of Ballinger, Tuesday night at 8:35, following an illness extending over a period of about six months, three months of which time Mrs. Loika was confined to her bed.

This pioneer lady would have been 74 years old had she lived until the second day of next June. She was born in Austria-Hungary and came to the United States forty-five years ago. Sixteen years ago the family moved to this county and settled South of Miles. Three years after locating here Mrs. Loika lost her husband, and a few months ago she lost a son, A. J. Loika.

Deceased is survived by seven children, two daughters, Mrs. Joe Schwartz, of Schulenburg; Mrs. J. E. Richter, of Yoakum; and two daughters, Mrs. Mary Freesta and Miss Aurelia Loika, who were with their mother at the time of her death; and three

sons, L. F., R. D. and C. E., all of this county.

The remains will be brought to Ballinger Thursday and the funeral services held at the Catholic church at two o'clock, following which interment will be made in Evergreen cemetery. Relatives will arrive here from South Texas Thursday to attend the funeral.

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FISH FRY GIVEN FORDSON MEN

The Fordson demonstration here under the direction of the special representatives from the Ford Motor Co., for the Harwell Motor Co., Wednesday, attracted farmers from Miles, Winters, Rowena, Talpa, and other communities in the county. Quite a number gathered on the Johnson farm North of town to witness the working of the Fordson.

The recent rain left the ground a little too wet for the Fordson to do its best, and the demonstration was not carried out as originally planned, but it was thoroughly demonstrated in the afternoon that the Fordson would do all claimed for it, and then some.

W. S. Erskine, W. H. Kendall, W. C. Proctor, and L. F. Duffel were here in charge of the demonstration, and the Paint Rock dealer, Curtis Norman, was also here. The demonstrators were at Paint Rock Tuesday where they presented the Fordson.

R. L. Harwell, head of the Harwell Motor Co., staged a fish fry for those here to attend the demonstration, and dishpans filled with brisk brown catfish, pickles, bread, coffee, etc., held the attention of the crowd for more than an hour. The spread was put on at the foot of Eighth Street on the river. Mike Boyd was supervisor of the frying pans, and those who know Mike's art for cooking fish know that it was a fit feast of fish.

The Fordson folks also enjoyed a fish fry at Paint Rock Tuesday, and they go from Ballinger to Brady, where Friday they will give a demonstration and it is reported a fatted calf barbecue will constitute the menu for the occasion at that place.

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"IT ISN'T BEING DONE THIS SEASON" AT THE FO TO SHO THEATRE TODAY, TONIGHT

Gathered at the picturesque estate of Alfred Herter, where Mrs. Enrico Caruso, summer tenant, suffered the loss of \$400,000 worth of jewels by robbery, Corinne Griffith and her supporting company had some strange and interesting experiences.

The site was selected by Vitagraph scouts because of the Oriental scenes and setting on the estate. These served admirably as locations for scenes in "It Isn't Being Done This Season," a new Corinne Griffith, which is being shown at the Fo-to-sho Theatre today and tonight, in which much of the action takes place on the estate of a wealthy Turk in Smyrna. Some of the scenes were taken in the room where the \$400,000 jewelry robbery was committed.

While the Oriental atmosphere achieved by the artist owner of the place was exactly what Geo. L. Sargent, who directed the production, was looking for, it was found necessary, however, to construct an artificial lake. This was done and part of the action filmed before dark on the day of its completion. Next morning when the production force started out to work again the lake was gone. Some one suggested that the robbers who got Mrs. Caruso's jewels had come back and stolen the lake. It was discovered, however, that the water had made its own escape. A new lake was provided and the production went on.

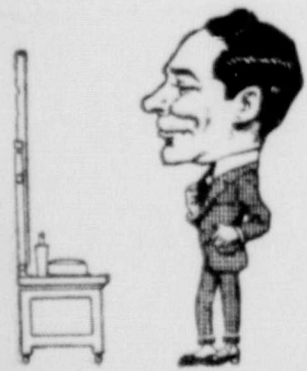
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C. W. Northington returned from Del Rio Tuesday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Northington and Mrs. Westbrook. He made the trip thru the country in a car and says the roads were bad in some places on account of the rains.

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MATT MOORE HAS LEAD IN "DON'T EVER MARRY"

Matt Moore, who easily holds the title as champion ex-brother-in-law of noted motion picture actresses plays the leading role in Marshall Neilan's latest production, "Don't Ever Marry." If Mr. Moore's three brothers had followed this injunction, Matt, himself, would not now be the ex-brother-in-law of Mary Pickford, Alice Joyce and Grace Cunard.

The picture is a comedy, produced with the same consummate master-craftsmanship which Mr. Neilan always shows in the pictures he directs. It will be the feature attraction at the Maeroy Theatre on Friday, matinee and night.

Wesley "Freckles" Barry, the boy star, who was last seen in "Go and Get It," another Marshall Neilan special, is also a member of the cast in "Don't Ever Marry." Wesley is soon to be released here in a production of which he is the featured star, the title of which is "Dinky."

In addition to the special feature Friday, the Maeroy will offer a varied program of short length pictures, including the Ford Educational Weekly, and the Literary Digest's "Topics of the Day."

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H. K. Reid, J. W. Copeland, Lee Johnson, and C. R. Hightower, of Winters, were here Tuesday en route to San Angelo to attend Federal court as jurors.

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COUNTRY KIDS TURNED LOOSE

The San Angelo Standard tells the following:

In coming thru Ballinger yesterday, Harvey Andrew needed gas (for his car) and stopped in a filling station located similarly to the 600 Tire Station here. The Ballinger Police Force was standing in front of the station and when he saw that Mr. Andrew did not drive to the end of the block and turn, placed the car, driver and according to reports, all surrounding country under arrest. Frank Miller, a member of the party, got out of the car, pried a slier off the telephone post and made ready for a wordy battle. He derided the action of Ballinger's policeman as vehemently as he boasts city property. He portrayed a mental vista of untold trouble, both legal and physical, which would follow if the arrest was further considered. Mr. Police Force being thus abashed called the city attorney.

"Where are those guys from," the attorney asked. "San Angelo," Mr. Police Force replied. "Well, you can't expect country folks to know city ways," he said, "turn 'em loose."

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