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keep us in mind. Our drugs, sundries, toilet and stationery departments are complete.

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Free Delivery
Oldest—Biggest—Best.

MARY PICKFORD WINNER IN SUIT

NEW YORK, March 2.—Mary Pickford will not have to pay Cora Wilkening any part of the \$108,000 which the latter claims due her as commission for getting the salary of the film star raised to \$10,000 per week. This was the verdict returned last night by the federal grand jury who heard the case and it was unsealed before Judge Mack this morning.

Counsel for Mrs. Wilkening has announced an appeal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stephens returned home Wednesday at noon from Winters, where they went Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lynn. They went up in their car, but returned on the train on account of the skiddy condition of the roads.

A small want ad in The Daily Ledger often saves you money.

NOW IS THE TIME—

to do away with the old oil lamp and avail yourself of the modern conveniences of Electricity.

If your house is not already wired, get an estimate now. It will not cost as much, perhaps, as you think.

And if your house is already wired, be sure that you have the latest lighting fixtures and equipment.

And then there are the other labor-saving conveniences such as Electric Washing Machines and Irons, Cooking Utensils, Vacuum Cleaners, Sewing Machines—all of the willing servants in the house that work so efficiently and so cheaply.

Ballinger Electric Co.
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Bonnie-B Hair Net

Guaranteed to wear THREE TIMES LONGER than any other hair net.

Get a Bonnie-B today and see what an improvement it makes in your hair. What a luster it adds. Only the finest human hair, thoroughly sterilized, is used in making these dainty Bonnie-B Nets.

WEEKS DRUG STORE
Phones 12 and 13

MAKING POLITICS OF HANGING

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 2.—Alleging that the hanging of Harvey Church in Chicago tomorrow will be a public spectacle for which invitations have been issued, Attorney Frank Tyrrell, of Chicago, appeared here today as an "American citizen" to lay before Governor Small another plea for clemency for the condemned man.

The hanging of Church, Tyrrell said, had become a political issue in Cook county.

Church was convicted and given the death penalty recently for the murder of two automobile salesmen who went to his home to deliver him a car which Church had contracted to buy. It was alleged that he killed the auto men for the purpose of obtaining possession of the car.

Mrs. Stuart L. Williams, who was carried to the Halley & Love sanitarium when she became ill with the flu a few days ago, is reported to be recovering.

Jazz music, it is said, is being relegated to the rear. The biggest crowd will now try to get behind.

RIO GRAND CROP IS NOT DAMAGED

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Mar. 2.—Citrus fruit in the truck growing region of the lower Rio Grande valley has escaped the predicted serious freeze and damage last night, according to reports from points between Mission and Brownsville today.

The minimum temperature ranged from thirty-one at Mission to thirty-two at Brownsville, but the mercury did not stand at the freezing point long enough to cause serious damage. The temperature is rapidly rising today.

Much Damage Here by Freeze

Tonight fair, not so cold; Friday fair and rising temperature.

The temperature dropped to nine degrees above zero this morning, the coldest for the present blizzard as well as the lowest for the winter. This was one degree lower than Wednesday morning, according to the government weather bureau.

As the temperature rises, and the country begins to thaw out, reports come in of damage resulting from the severe freeze. Local plumbers are swamped with work, one plumber stating that he had received at least one hundred calls. Not only did water pipes connected with the city water system break, but water systems in the country, where proper cut offs had not been provided, went to the bad.

While only meagre reports from the livestock industry have come in, one sheepman Thursday predicted that loss among sheep would be heavy.

SETTLES TRADE WITH COLUMBIA

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The ratification of the treaty between the United States and Columbia, whereby the American government pays Columbia \$25,000,000 as compensation for the loss in Panama, was exchanged yesterday at Bogota, according to advices received today by the Columbian legation.

The End of a Perfect Day



BIG ICE GORGE BLOCKS RIVER

DIXON, Ill., March 2.—At fifteen this morning the great gorge of ice East of the dam on North Big Island, which was not broken up in the freshet last week, started to move out slowly and is adding its weight to the mass of ice already lodged against the wagon bridge. The Dixon-Oregon road is under water for more than a mile.

WORK OFFICIALLY NAMED P. M. GEN.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Dr. Hubert Work, first assistant postmaster general, succeeded Will H. Hays as head of the post-office department, it was learned definitely today. Dr. Work, whose home is in Pueblo, Colorado, will take over the portfolio Saturday when the resignation of Hays becomes effective.

DENVER, March 2.—Dr. Work, who has been appointed postmaster general, will be the second Colorado man to hold a cabinet place. Henry Teller was a member of the cabinet under President Arthur, holding the position of Secretary of the Interior. Dr. Work is the first member of the medical profession to hold a cabinet office.

PUBLIC DEBT SHOWS GAIN FURTHER DELAY IN DAMAGE SUIT

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The treasury department announced today that the public debt increased more than twenty million dollars during the month of February.

What's the use to pay your good money for a pet parrot when there are plenty of people who talk after you.

If ticket takers were placed at church doors, there are some men who would be caught trying to beat their way in.

After all, the spendthrift is of some use in the world. He helps to feed other people's families.

THREE KILLED IN EGYPT RIOTS

LONDON, March 2.—Three persons were killed and twenty-four injured, some seriously hurt, in disturbances today at Tanta, Egypt, according to a Central News dispatch received here from Cairo. Native soldiers quelled the disturbances.

Ledger want ads work for you.

LADY GETS SEAT IN HOUSE LORDS

LONDON, Mar. 2.—A petition for Lady Rhondda to sit in the House of Lords was granted today by the committee on privileges of the House of Lords. If she takes her seat Lady Rhondda will be the first woman to sit in the upper house of the British parliament, as Lady Astor was a member of the lower chamber.

Lady Rhondda is the daughter of the late Viscount Rhondda, war time food controller for the United Kingdom, who died in 1918. His only child was Lady Rhondda.

ORIENT MAY BE FORCED TO QUIT

According to information sent out from Wichita, Kansas, headquarters of the K. C. M. & O. Railway, that road faces bankruptcy and complete suspension. With an operating loss of \$105,000 during the month of January, the greatest monthly deficit yet recorded, and the cash resources of the road all but exhausted, the road faces complete suspension by July 1st, unless some relief measure is provided.

A De Bernardi, vice president and general manager of the system, declared that July is the extreme limit the funds may be expected to last. He further stated that the Orient loss in 1921 amounted to \$1,200,000.

WACO, MARCH 2.—SIX MORE PROSPECTIVE JURORS WERE ADDED TO THE PANEL IN THE CASE OF MRS. LUEZ CROW AGAINST SHERIFF BUCHANAN. FOUR MORE ARE NECESSARY FOR THE ATTORNEYS TO EXERCISE PREEMPTORY CHALLENGES. THE PLAINTIFF ANNOUNCED READY FOR TRIAL TODAY. THE DEFENSE ASKED FOR ANOTHER DAY'S DELAY.

E. F. Krebs came in Wednesday at noon from California, where he has been for several weeks visiting relatives. He left sunny California and found Ballinger in the grip of real winter weather when he arrived here.

CHICAGO, Mar. 1.—Attempts to suppress by law the teaching and doctrine of evolution and other scientific theories in public schools, was vigorously opposed here today by speakers in addressing the annual meeting of the National Education Association.

COMMITTEE SUBMITS ANOTHER BONUS OFFER

CAN STAND 41 DAYS OF WALK OUT

CHICAGO, Mar. 1.—There will be no immediate suffering if coal operators and miners fail to reach an agreement and a strike is called April 1st by the United Mine Workers of America, according to figures compiled by the United States Geological Survey and Bureau of Census.

The survey, as of January 1, 1922, showed 41 days supply of bituminous coal on hand. Production has slightly exceeded consumption since January 1st, according to operators' figures, and they indicate the country will have something more than a forty day supply by April 1.

The government figures show the distribution to the principal industries and dealers. Artificial gas plants had the biggest supply of all January 1st, with enough coal on hand to keep them running 89 days. Retail dealers were at the foot of the list with a 33 day supply.

Mrs. Cleve Burk, of Madisonville, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Kunze.

Mrs. Robert Louis Williams is in the Halley & Love sanitarium recovering from a minor operation and will be ready to return home when the bad weather breaks.

Ledger want ads work for you

WASHINGTON, March 2.—A unanimous agreement to eliminate the cash feature from the soldiers bonus bill, except in the case of men whose adjusted service pay will not exceed fifty dollars, was reported today by the special sub-committee of the Republican members of the House ways and means committee.

In lieu of cash for other service men it was agreed to add a new provision to the bill under which the men accepting the adjusted certificates could borrow immediately on such certificates from banks a sum equal to fifty per cent of the total amount of the certificate.

Adjusted service pay will be computed under the new agreement at the rate of one dollar per day for domestic service and one dollar and twenty-five cents for service on foreign fields.

SUSPECT MAY BE O'COONER

OSKALOOSA, Iowa, March 2.—Local police are today holding a man who they say may be the much wanted Chicago murderer, Tommy O'Connor. The man was taken from a train here last night and suits the description of the man wanted in Chicago.

Ladies' Suits of Tweed

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Beautiful new ready-to-wear arriving almost daily. Always the latest at moderate prices.

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CONDEMNING THE MOVIES

There is reason in all things. And often there is much unreasonableness in some things. A noted New York preacher denounces the entire movie world because of the exposure of the unclean lives led by some of the too highly paid stars. We might with equal justice condemn and denounce the ministry, the medical or legal professions, or almost any other profession or calling in life because of the few black sheep which they contain. But the world knows that all people are not bad. There are unquestionably many decent and self-respecting film actors and actresses. Then there are some few who are so drug sodden and morally filthy no speed limit is able to curb their ruinous pace. It is the latter class which has brought the inclination of some to discredit the whole movie profession. There is a law which forbids a person to advocate the spirit of boycott, and perhaps it is a good law. But we know of no restriction against decency-loving people making a public announcement of the fact that they will no longer patronize a picture theatre in which an actor or actress appears on the screen who is known to be of the depraved class so much under the condemnation at the present time. As we see it this is about the only effective method that can be adopted for fumigating the movie industry. Raging in our homes and then shoving our money through the ticket window will accomplish nothing.

GRAY HAIR BECOMES DARK AND BEAUTIFUL

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients, at very little cost. Everybody uses this preparation now, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger.

Last Feeling of Satisfaction. Postmaster Chance told the Klwanis club last week how he took an examination to get his first promotion in government service. He entered as a messenger, one day he happened to look into a room and saw about thirty people heading over tables. "What are they doing?" he asked. "They are taking an examination for promotion," he was told. "Isn't you want to try?" If they were trying to play a joke on M. O. Chance of Illinois he called their bluff. He went in, took the examination and later was told that he was the only one promoted. "I tell you, I felt pretty proud," declared Postmaster Chance, recalling the time, "until they told me that the others had taken the examination for promotion to \$1,000 and that I had been the only one to take the examination for promotion to \$1,000."—Washington Star.

We should not expect food prices to take too big a drop. They are breakable. The fellow with money to burn makes a quick fire, but soon runs out of fuel, and peters out. Cholerae will keep your chickens healthy. Buy it at Jeanes & Co. 28-1f d&w-eod

TEXAS

My home! Is there another land That such rich beauties shows As thou, when Spring with lavish hand His garment o'er thee throws? Thy prairies wide sweet incense yield Of flowers wondrous fair; The virgin bloom in Eden's field Had not such beauty rare. Thy crystal streams and sunny vales, They make the sad heart light; Sweet songs resound in all thy tales Of birds with plumage bright. Oh, Texas! There's no land like thou, Wherever I may roam, My life's best thoughts to thee I vow, To thee, my native home.

When Eve, wrought by the hands of God, First greeted Adam's eye, Where'er her light step pressed the sod Sprang flowers of gorgeous dye. Thy daughters, Texas, are as fair As Eve in Paradise: Where'er they go, joy from its lair In ecstasy will rise. They spread the glories of the skies, And happiness and love; The hearts will leap and bright grow eyes With light from realms above.

Thy sons are worthy of their sires Who died on freedom's field; They, too, aglow with kindred fires, The trusty steel with wield, Whene'er a haughty foe should dare To threaten our fair land. To dangers they their bosom bare And with a valiant hand, They'll stem the tide of foeman's flood And raise the victor's cry, Or like their sires, will spill their blood With smiling face and die.

In Columbia's diadem That crowns her noble brow, The brightest and the purest gem— Oh, Texas, that art thou. There is no land where'er we go, Beneath the azure dome, Which can us greater glories show Than thou, my own sweet home. Thy blooming vales with pleasing beam, With storied wonders throng; They are the poets' favorite theme, The subject of their song: Oh, Texas! There's no land like thou, Wherever I may roam, My life's best thoughts to thee I vow, To thee, my native home.

—L. B. LOHMANN.
 (From "Poems of the Plains.")

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. It is pleasant to take. Children take it willingly.

BRIEF NEWS FROM OTHER PLACES
 Eight candidates are in the race for sheriff and tax collector at Big Spring, Howard county. The second arrest growing out of the finding of a big liquor still in Northern Taylor county, was made Sunday afternoon. Up to Monday night the baseball committee at Sweetwater reported that \$260 had been contributed to the support of the club, and the committee stated they would have to have a lot more to make the game go.

Brownwood is in the midst of a big revival. The noted Methodist evangelist Culpepper is in charge at the Christian tabernacle, and according to reports Brownwood is being stirred as never before in spiritual matters.

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WINGATE SCHOOL NEWS

Since last report many things of interest have happened in and around our prosperous little village. School is progressing very satisfactorily and is taking on new lift as spring approaches with its new games and varied interests. We are busy preparing for the county meet which is to be held in Ballinger the 24th and 25th of March. Our debating team which went against Hilton last week was defeated but we are proud of the experience our boys got and expect them to tighten up and get stronger. Should you happen around some time during declamation period you could be your own judge as to the interest being taken in this line of work. We are planning to have a representative in every contest at the county meet, including Senior boys and girls and Junior boys and girls. Glenn Justice won first prize in an essay writing contest, the prize being two dozen little chickens given by Mr. Ridgway of the Nessley Creamery Co., Ft. Worth. Jesse Burns, second prize; a setting of eggs given by our county agent, Mr. D. F. Eaton. Zelda Wilson won third and was also given a setting of Mr. Eaton's fine White Leghorn eggs. The essays were on the lectures given by Mr. French, Mr. Ridgway, Mr. Eaton and Mr. Bugg on the 22nd of January, in the auditorium of the school building. In addition to the new bank building which is nearing completion, Mr. T. O. Roland is erecting a fire-proof building to be used as a general merchandise store. Thus the old buildings, which burned some time ago are being replaced by new fire-proof buildings.

FLORIDA BECOMES A SOUTH SEA ISLAND
 George Fitzmaurice transferred a bit of the South Sea islands to the coast of Florida for his latest Paramount production "Idols of Clay," which local screen admirers will have the pleasure of viewing at the Maeroy Theatre tomorrow, Friday. Mr. Fitzmaurice and his company, which included Mae Murray and David Powell as the featured players, made their headquarters at Fort Lauderdale, some thirty miles North of Miami, where they used a wide stretch of beach. Here they erected a number of huts in the true fashion of South Sea Islanders. The fisheries, coconut groves, and tropical vegetation needed for the general atmosphere were all ideally located. "Idols of Clay," casts Mae Murray as the unsophisticated daughter of a South Sea recluse and pearl smuggler, who in time reaches the heights of London society and in the end is rescued just in time from a horrible existence in a Chinese den in the Limehouse slums. David Powell has the role of a young English sculptor who has lost all faith in women and his art, but regains both through the devotion of the girl from the South Seas. Tomorrow is "family" day at the Maeroy, fifty cents admission and your family, no matter how large.

PIERY, ITCHY ECZEMA HEALED RIGHT UP BY APPLYING SULPHUR
 Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema, right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth. It seldom fails to relieve the torment and disfigurement. Sufferers from skin trouble should get a little jar of Mentho-Sulphur from any good drugist and use it like a cold cream.

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 Always bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Nothing So Good for a Cough or Cold.

"Everyone who has used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy speaks well of it," writes Edward P. Miller, Abbottstown, Pa. People who once use this preparation are seldom satisfied with any other. It is excellent to allay a cough or break up a cold.

There is only one thing tight above criticism, any moer than a the trouble it fastens upon other people

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 We take care of batteries—all makes. We recharge and repair batteries. But that isn't all. We're a clearing house for battery information! If you want to know what happens when water in the battery runs low—when the charge goes down—when a short circuit occurs, we'll tell you. More than that we'll tell you the few simple things you need to know to side-step battery trouble. Come in! Ask questions—no matter whether yours is a Willard Battery or not. We're glad to be of any service we can.

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 The Best Companies
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 Your business solicited
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 For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: F. W. BROWN RIGG
 R. J. DEENS
 B. M. SMITH
 For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN
 For Tax Assessor: M. D. CHASTAIN
 For County Clerk: W. A. FORGEY
 For County Treasurer: MRS. R. P. KIRK
 For District Clerk: GEORGIA SINGLETARY
 For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMER
 For Sheriff: J. P. FLYNT
 For County Superintendent of Public Instruction: JOHN J. BUGG

COMING TO VISIT RURAL SCHOOLS

County Superintendent Bugg announces that State Supervisor of Rural Schools, Guy McBride, is due to arrive in Ballinger on March 9th, and will begin immediately an inspection of the forty-two rural schools in the county which have applied for state aid. It will require about two weeks to make the inspection and Mr. Bugg will accompany Mr. McBride on the rounds. The inspection is being made for the purpose of granting state aid, and upon Mr. McBride's recommendations the \$13,750 which has been set aside for the rural schools of this county will be distributed. The money will be pro-

rated to the schools according to their needs and in keeping with the requirements laid down by the state board of education. It is very important that the teachers and trustees of the various schools get busy at once and be ready to receive the inspector, and have everything in shape to show that they have complied with the requirements.

NEURALGIA
 or headache—rub the forehead—melt and inhale the vapors
VICKS VAPORUB
 Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

W. B. Page is at home from a two months stay on the road for a wholesale house, and is spending several days with his family. Use Ledger Classifieds.

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The First National Bank
 Of Ballinger

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 Feb. 9th 1922

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans & Discounts \$344,582.85	Capital Stock ... \$100,000.00
Liberty Bonds ... 23,700.00	Surplus & Profits ... 52,060.46
Banking House and Land ... 30,001.00	Bills Payable ... None
Depositors Guaranty Fund ... 6,059.20	Discounts ... None
Assmt. Dep. Guaranty Fund ... 3,354.86	Deposits ... 472,340.59
Cotton Accept. ... 20,197.13	
Available Cash ... 206,506.01	
Total ... \$624,401.05	Total ... \$624,401.05

We invite your attention to the above statement and solicit your account. No depositor has ever lost a dollar in a Guaranty Fund Bank in Texas.

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 H. Giesecke, President
 J. F. Currie, Vice-President
 R. R. Russell, Vice-President
 E. D. Walker, Active V. Pres.
 J. L. Chastain, Cashier.

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BRING PLEASANT SURPRISES**



COATS for spring have brought with them some delightful surprises. They have made their appearance in the new colors and mixtures in a very wide range of styles, and these styles are very smart. They are designed with an eye always looking in the direction of utility, even when the colors are something entirely new in the realms of coats. But the most astonishing thing of all is that they may lay claim to being inexpensive—as coats go.

All the time-honored, informal, wool fabrics are here, but in new colors and soft weaves. There is a goodly company made up of wool jersey, in plain and checked weaves, tweeds, home-spuns and soft Scotch wools in shawl patterns. They are consorting with more modern coatings that have flourished for the past few seasons and will continue to flourish no one knows how long.

There are many cape-like styles in the spring showings which are classed as coats only because some clever designer has known how to gracefully in-

roduce a pair of sleeves and a cape. A coat belonging to this group is shown at the left of the picture. It is a handsome affair, following faithfully the dictates of the mode in length, lines and decoration. This last is an effective embroidery of brat and silk on the sleeves and back of the garment.

Whatever the need of its wearer, she will find a friend in the smart coat at the right, with its popular scarf collar, finished with wool fringe and tassels. It is a spirited model and carries off well the metallic girde that serves to hold it in place and, incidentally, to give it a telling finish.

Speaking of girdles, they are worth considering, for they spice up too-simple frocks and coats, redeeming them in some cases, from being commonplace.

Julia Bottomley
RIGHT BY WESTERN NEWSPAPER UNION

Try Ledger Want Ads for Results.

SOCIETY

Dallas People Marry in Ballinger

Mrs. Lorinne Banard, of Dallas, who had been visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. R. Lusk, became the bride of Mr. George Clifford Jones, Monday evening at six o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harwell. Dr. Alvin Swindell performing the ring ceremony. Only the immediate family was present.

The bride wore a handsome brown velvet dress with accessories to harmonize.

Mrs. Banard had been here for a few weeks and had intended remaining until summer and her marriage came as quite a surprise to her many friends in Ballinger.

Mr. Jones is with the Dallas Bank & Trust Company, of Dallas.

After the ceremony the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lusk, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harwell and Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGregor, went to the Central Hotel, where the groom was host to a six o'clock dinner. Tuesday at noon Mrs. Harwell gave a four course luncheon for Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

They departed Tuesday afternoon for Dallas, where they will make their home.

Fortnightly Frolics Bridge Club Entertained

The members of the Fortnightly Frolics Bridge Club and several invited guests enjoyed a most delightful hospitality on Thursday evening of last week when Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Karmory entertained with a patriotic party in honor of George Washington.

Beautiful cut flowers, ferns and blooming plants lent an artistic touch to the gaming rooms. A tri-color plan of red, white and blue, combined with the immortal hatchet and cherry tree motif reverted back to the days of the Revolutionary War and all the guests entered most heartily into the spirit of the occasion.

A red, white and blue beruffled horn with flag adornment marked each guest's place, accompanied by most appropriate score cards bearing emblematic designs of the hatchet and the cherry tree.

Highest scores were made by Mrs. Leslie Baker and Mr. Alex McGregor.

Most attractive bon-bon receptacles simulating cherry trees

graced the center of each table. Delectable refreshments of nut frappe garnished with whipped cream and cherries, coffee and toasted almonds, were greatly enjoyed by Messrs. and Meses. Frank Pearce, John Guion, Alex McGregor, Erwin George, Stuart Williams, Sim Cottelle, Estes Lynn, W. R. Bogle, Leslie Baker, Harry Gardner, Mrs. Harry Thomson, and Miss Virginia Mills.

Dancing and Bridge Party

On Friday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gardner were at home to the members of the Terpsichorean and Bridge Club. Several merry games of auction bridge were enjoyed by some of the members while others enjoyed dancing.

A most pleasant and sociable evening was spent with Mr. and Mrs. Gardner by Messrs. and Meses. J. J. Beck, W. A. Holt, Henry Jones, Chas. Boyd, Wm. Hill, S. B. Raby, Miss Mae McElroy, Dr. Singletary, Joe Beck Jr., and Burns Holt.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND
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Citation on Appointment of Temporary Administrator

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Rannels County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Rannels County, a copy of the following notice:

To all persons interested in the Estate of Chas. S. Miller, deceased, notice is hereby given that J. M. Simmons was by the County Court of Rannels County, Texas, on the 21st day of February A. D., 1922, duly appointed Temporary Administrator of said estate, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in May, 1922, A. D., the same being the 1st day of May, 1922, at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, Texas, at which time all persons interested in

said estate may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Ballinger, Texas, this the 23rd day of February, A. D., 1922.
(Seal) W. A. FORGEY,
Clerk, County Court, Rannels County, Texas.
d-23-2

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over over 30 years, has borne the signature of 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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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 Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY

RABBIT DRIVE NEAR TOWN NEXT WEEK

A big rabbit drive is scheduled for next Wednesday and Thursday in the territory North of Ballinger. The hunters are requested to meet at the W. T. Routh place Wednesday morning and the first drive will be made up Elm Creek on the East side, and the second day's drive will be outlined then. Rabbits are said to be plentiful along the creek, and many scalps will be gathered, if the people turn out as they should.

Baby Chick Fountain Free E. A. Jeanes & Co.

M. F. Treadwell, of San Angelo, had business in Ballinger first of the week.

NOTICE

The Civic League will have a candy sale Saturday, March 4th, in front of the Macroy Theatre. 1-31d

One Born Every Fourth Minute

A lady who had a family of three children didn't want any more because she had heard that every fourth child born in the world was a Chinaman.

As ludicrous, perhaps, as an old misconception some skeptical folks used to have about advertising.

There was a time, when some advertisements had to be taken with a grain of salt. A few misguided advertisers thought they could sell their goods better by misrepresenting them. These advertisers have long since gone out of business or mended their ways. Hard experience taught that untruthful advertising didn't pay.

Other advertisers proved that the only way to advertise successfully, make regular customers, and build up good will was to tell the absolute truth about their goods in their advertisements.

You can depend on the merchant or manufacturer who advertises. The concern that tells you frankly what it is doing is a good concern with which to do business. The store that advertises is a progressive store that has something really worth while to say to you. And companies that advertise their products or their service have confidence in them.

Read the advertisements!

SUCCEEDS WHERE DOCTORS FAIL

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Often Does That.—Read Mrs. Miner's Testimony



Churubusco, N. Y.—"I was under the doctor's care for over five years for backache and had no relief from his medicine. One day a neighbor told me about your Vegetable Compound and I took it. It helped me so much that I wish to advise all women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles and backache. It is a great help in carrying a child, as I have noticed a difference when I didn't take it. I thank you for this medicine and if I ever come to this point again I do not want to be without the Vegetable Compound. I give you permission to publish this letter so that all women can take my advice."—Mrs. FRED MINER, Box 102, Churubusco, N. Y.

It's the same story over again. Women suffer from ailments for years. They try doctors and different medicines, but feel no better. Finally they take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and you can see its value in the case of Mrs. Miner.

That's the truth of the matter. If you are suffering from any of the troubles women have, you ought to try this medicine. It can be taken in safety by young or old, as it contains no harmful drugs.

MILES HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

We haven't had any interesting news lately, but join the other schools again, using The Ballinger Daily Ledger as a booster for our school.

Our boys have been practicing on the track field, but have been hindered the past two weeks by the cold weather. The declaimers and spellers are at work too. We are planning our "High School Athletic Day," Saturday, March 18th, unless prevented by the weather.

The Senior play, "Brac, the Poor House Girl," was staged at Winters Friday night, Feb. 24. We were assisted by Supt. Watts and others in our plans and the Winters people gave us a hearty welcome.

After the first act the audience was favored with a musical trio; J. B. Moreland, Lloyd Baker and Louell Ward, accompanied by Jeffie Lee Brooks at the piano and Herman Hubby with violin. After the second act the audience was favored with a reading by Mrs. J. C. Coleman. Throughout the play the audience was entertained by the humor of Bob, Brae and Sage, and the interesting plot of the story.

If you wish to see the best play of the season, watch for the date of "Brac, the Poor House Girl."—REPORTER.

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 pepsin but strengthen the stomach and enable it to digest the food naturally.

Cholerine will keep your chickens healthy. Buy it at Jeanes & Co. 28-tf d&w-eod

Daily Ledger Want Ads

WANTED—Salesman to absolutely beat all competition, selling staple article. Repeat orders insured, \$100.00 and expenses. Manufacturer, 110 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Illinois. Id.*

WANTED—To hear from owner having farm or unimproved land for sale. John J. Black, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. 1-3td.*

WANTED—White girl to cook and keep house for family of three. Apply Ledger office. 1-2td.*

FOR SALE—or rent—Singer Sewing Machine. Phone 78 or 470. C. B. Armstrong. 20-tfd

FOR RENT—Light house-keeping rooms. 400 Broadway. Phone 480. 20-tfd

MISS MUSKRAT TO VISIT CHINA

LAWRENCE, Kans., March 2.—Ruth Muskrat, a Cherokee Indian girl from Oklahoma who is a student at the University of Kansas here, will visit China this spring as a delegate to the World Student Christian Federation Conference at Peking, April 4.

The hope of the conference, Miss Muskrat explained recently is to get students of the various parts of the world in vital touch with each other and, among other things, solve the problems confronting Chinese students who have become imbued with Occidental ideas.

Miss Muskrat, who is 17, has done Y. W. C. A. work in New Mexico and worked among her people in religious and educational work.

"The primary need of my people," Miss Muskrat declared, "is trained native leadership—Indians, themselves, who understand the peculiarities of the tribe and can work with them."

"Indian women are more capable in most respects than the men. They know better how to barter—they are shrewder. This is an outgrowth of the time when women raised the crops. The men go in more for social activities. If I have a party, I can always count on the men attending. But if I want to put on a financial drive I appeal to the women."

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

TO DEDICATE NEW BAPTIST CHURCH

The New Prospect Baptist church building, which was recently erected in the Ray School House community, eight miles Northwest of Miles, will be dedicated next Monday, March 6th. This will also be the occasion of the meeting of the Runnels County Baptist Workers' Conference at that place, at which time a program will be given occupying most of the day. The dedication sermon will be delivered by Dr. W. F. Fry, professor of the Bible in Simmons College.

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When you open one of our bundles and inspect the garments we have cleaned—you'll be pleased. Whether it's a man's suit, a lady's waist, or a child's dress, each piece receives expert care in every stage of the handling, so that there can be only one result—good work.

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SOUTHSIDE TAILORING COMPANY

Only complete cleaning plant in Runnels County. Work called for and delivered promptly. Phone 63 Free Delivery

'WET' AND 'DRY' FIGHT IN POLAND

WARSAW, Poland, March 2.—The "wets" and "drys" are having a hot conflict over proposals to restrict the use of intoxicants in Poland. The movement for more rigid control over the use of liquor is becoming more active. Newspapers are full of discussions of the question and there are numerous lectures on alcoholism while moving pictures are shown to promote the reform movement.

The example of America is continuously cited with heated arguments as to whether prohibition is effective in that country.

The "drys" advocate a regulation cutting down the number of places where liquor is sold by restricting them to one for every 2,500 of population. Another proposal would abolish all places where liquor alone is sold, but grant permits to cafes and restaurants.

A steady dry movement has been going on for some time in the national parliament and the debates there lately have been made more heated by enforcement of an ordinance establishing a dry Sunday in Warsaw.

Poland has just put a tax of 20 per cent on all retail liquor stocks. Polish law makes a liquor dealer assume the responsibility for drunkenness by providing that when an intoxicated person is arrested, the proprietor of the place in which he purchased his intoxicants must go along with him to jail.

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