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# Water Proof Tent

# STANDING ROOM LAST NIGHT To MANVILLE BROS. TENT SHOW TO-NIGHT "My Little Pardner" Western-Comedy-Drama

Auspices American Legion

### Community Exhibits Will Feature Fall Fair Prizes

County Fair association met in gathered before they are dam-Ballinger Tuesday morning and aged by the weather. They should ficially stated today that the ernment yesterday is not regardset committees to working out be large, with the same number Premiers of the German Federatthe details for the greatest fair of locks in each boli. ine exhibit ed States at a conference with ever held in West Texas. Indi- must be uniform in size, color, Chancellor Stressman, have uncations coming from over the ne- number of looks and quality of animously agreed to abandon tire county, point to the fact that lint. The quality and length of their passive resistance program the association will receive co-op- lint may be determined by exam- in the Rhur, but at the same time eration from all points and with ination of other bells on the stalk. it is stated that the German leada prosperous year in the agricul- The bolls should be mounted in ers express their determination to tural line that part of the fair a shallow paste board box with firmly safe guard the unity of the promises to be far above the ordin lid. Ordinarly a shirt box that country.

this year to community exhibits box of this king adds much to Poincare's next move in view of Germany to meet the cost of holdand eash prizes that will make it the attractiveness of the exhibit Germany's economic surrender ing out against the occupation of interesting to the various com- and will insure the sample to will be to ask the interallied repa- the Rhur, has created a situation munities will be offered for these reach destination in good shape. ration commission to deal with which may bring about a settleattractions. It is hoped that Twenty bolls will be accepted as the new situation, it was indicat- ment of the Rhur occupation. every community in the county an exhibit. will arrange exhibits and compete for the prizes offered. In formation will be given on the ment withdraws its resistance oraddition the usual cash prizes will preparation of exhibits of var-ders, directions will be sent to have agreed up be offered for individual exhibitous kinds and it would be wise to General DeGoutte to make the withdrawal of

four general heads: agricultural, will find that it will be a big help poultry, textile and live stock. In to you in making an attractive the agricultural department will be handled all the community exhibits, the individual and farm exhibits and the home economy products such as canned articles, butter eggs, honey and the various e " things from the home. 'e will take care of the 1. paintings, and all articles made by the women. Live stock will cover all that is usually shown at a fair and the poultry department will cover a general have been lost today when a deep poultry and turkey display. Cash prizes will be given on articles shown in all departments.

to the agricultural and from time to the agricultural and from time ing made to get the bodies to time will be published articles from the pit. on how to get your exhibits, how to pack etc. These will be helpful to you and are the advice of the farm demonstrator taken DATE SET FOR from a list of suggestions sent out by the A. & M. College.

Grain Sarghum Heads Grain sorghum heads should be allowed to mature on the stalks. Heads of uniform length, circumsetting of seed, branches and ma- open in the New York Yankee's turity should be selected. Kaf- stadium on October 10th. This fer, Milo, and Hegari will be the was decided today at a meeting of main heads shown. At least three baseball officials at which Comtimes as many heads should be se- missioner Landis was present. lected as intended to show heads The contest will in all probability should have stem left three inches be between the Giants and the long and hung by the stems to Yankees, with slight chance of in Arizona of two men and two Swiss balloon Helvita, in the dry, at least one week prior to the Cincinnatti Reds being pitted women in connection with the dis- James Gordon Bennett cup race, October 9th. shipping. After curing the cor- against the Yankees. rect number should be selected for exhibits. Each head should cotton seed or other packing material that will insure delivery without shattering. Ten heads TO BE SUBMITTED will be the number of an exhibit Cotton Stalks

Stalks for exhibits should be selected when the greatest number of bolls are mature. Stalks number of oil mail fraud cases ona is believed to be that of the The French balloon Picardy selected should be uniform in will be presented to the federal missing man, and two men and landed in Hanover, Belgica, and branches, size, color, shape of grand jury in the Western Dis- two women are being held in con- the Belgian balloon landed in Cen stalk, size and shape of bolls and trict of Arkansas when it conven- nection with his death. conform to type of the variety. es on November 12th at Texar-The stalks should be cut near the kana, according to H. L. Arter- GALVESTON - A movement surface of the ground and all berry special assistant U. S. at- for the establishment of a federal CLINE, Tex. August Cline, leaves clipped from the end of torney general. Arterberry has marine hospital in Galveston will founder of this little town in the stem attached to stalk. The been in Arkansas for a week in- be inaugurated with the conven- Uvalde county, died here recentstalk should be cured by hanging vestigating the activities of oil ing of Congress in December, ly. The town's founder was 90 by the top in a dry shady place. promoters and operators in the Congressman Clay Stone Briggs years old when he died. He was

separatel so that it will reach destination without damage. In CORPUS CHRISTI-Cotton gin hospital, at a cost of \$400,000. no instance should stalks be tied receipts in Neuces county this in bundles or bunched in any man year are over 83,000 bales, which ner to destroy the original shape. is 10,000 bales more than the the Texas Chamber of Commerce Cats and Pelicans play for the Three statks make an exhibit.

Cotton Bolls Bolls to be shown should be ning activities somewhat.

The directors of the Runnels gathered before they are dam-

ean be obtained at any dry goods Special attention will be paid store will occomodate 50 bolls, A

At a later date additional in-The fair will be divided into you are ready to use it and you visible" as possible.

# IN MINE FLOOD

(By Associated Press)

GLASGOW, England, Sept. 25. pit in the James Nimmo company's colliery near Falkirk was Special attention will be given been started and efforts are beflooded. The rescue work has

# WORLD SERIES

(By Associated Press)

# be wrapped separate in paper and packed tight in a box of hulls, OIL FRAUD CASES

(By Associated Press)

county's previous high mark. shows that the annual output of Dixie title. They left for the Rains recently have halted gin- Texas industries amounts to a Panther play ground Monday af-

(By Associated Press) BERLIN, Sept. 25 .- It was of-

file this information away until Ruhr occupation as nearly "in-

The action of the German gov- Rhur is impossible.

# OCCUPATION TO BE "INVISIBLE" GOVERNOR WALTON STARTS PAPER TO "TELL PEOPLE THE TRUTH"

ed here as finally clearing the situation in the Ruhr.

Resistance will be considered ended when Berlin withdraws all orders given functionarys of the people of the Ruhr to resist the his impeachment, Governor Jack French occupation authorities.

disorders are responsible for the

(By Associated Press) OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 25 .-Striking back at W. D. McBee, leader of the movement seeking

Walton today ordered all work on a million dollar highway project in Stephens county suspended. McBee represents Stephens county in the legislature.

In a letter to the highway commission of Oklahoma, Gov. Wal ton charges that McBee is "affiliated with the cement trust," and he orders the commissioners to cease all road work in Stephens county pending further investi-

the executive to the press and said this has not been enforced, liberal accounts of testimouy taken by the militay courts in Oklanoma City and Tuisa.

The paper contains only matte which had been previously made public, which the governor alleged had been suppressed or distorted by the local newspapers. Aldrich Blake, executive coun sellor, is named as editor of the new paper, and the publication vill be issued daily the pres ent and devoted to ... interest of Ku Klux Klan in Oklahoma

The trial of N. C. Jewett, grand Oklahoma, charged with rioting, at the request of S. P. Freeling. ormer state attorney general, and now counsellor for Jewett. Freeling told the court that it would be impossible for him to be present next week, when the county attorney's offic wished to try the case. As the case now stands Jewett's trial is set for

Ledger want ads pay.

# PEASANTS STORM RUSSIAN CENTER (By Associated Press)

LONDON, Sept. 25 .- A Reuter Dispatch from Riga says that it is rumormed there that masses insurrectionary peasants are su rounding Moscow and Petrogac There is much disturbance among the insurrentionaries, but no confirmation of the rumor has been

HOUSTON - Airplane stunt flying probably will be banned in Houston in the near future. As a the city commission is planning Gov. Walton's would prevent landing a plane in 'teir the people the city limits except at specified the truth," appeared on the points and require city license eets here today. The first ed- numbers. It was discovered pages, regular size, previous ordinance prohibit. stunt flying over the city but it is

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### ference, size, shape and color of NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The FOUR HELD FOR SWISS BALLOON glumes, color of grain, uniform 1923 world base ball series will LEADS IN RACE DEATH OF MAN

Along the Concrete

(By Associated Press)

Dallas and Wichita Falls, may re- near the Danish frontier, accordnix, Arizona, according to John 330 miles.

known in Wichita Falls and Dal- ce of Groningen. Two of the aerlas. He disappeared in June onauts were injured when the Es-1921 and has not been heard from pheria came in contact with a live FORT WORTH, Sept. 25 .- A since. A skeleton found in Ariz- wire.

Each stalk should be crated Eldorado and Smackover fields. has announced. It is proposed to a pioneer in this section. introduce a bill for erection of the

billion dollars.

(By Associated Press)

DALLAS, Sept. 25 .- The arrest BRUSSELS, Sept. 25. - The appearance of John J. Knight, of landed in Northern Schleswig sult in the establishment of the ing to word received here today. identity of a skeleton found in a So far this leads the distance covdesert sixty miles north of Phoe- ered by other balloons by about

McNab, brother-in-law of Knight. The Spanish balloon Espheria Knight was an oil man and well landed in Woldendrop, Providen-

> tral Sweden, according to advices from Stockholm.

J. R. Lusk, H. C. Gardner, A. L. Dunn and James Skinner are in DALLAS-Data assembled by Fort Worth watching the Panther

## GolfClubs

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#### NORTH NO PLACE FOR NEGROES

Two thousand negroes left Johnstown, Penn., in two days according to press reports, and many of them are headed for the land of Dixie.

The Northern people are not familiar with the ways of the Southern darky, and many negroes who drifted North at the call for help from various lines of industry in the North, have to the full the mighty deeds performed been told to "go home."

A little disturbance in Johnstown caused the mayor of that city to issue a proclamation ordering all negroes who have resided in that city for a period of less than seven years to hit the road within seven days. It all minder of the valorous deeds percame about over a quarrel between a negro and his wife.

"We have been sitting on a bomb in this city," said the mayor, "and it almost exploded when two of our policemen were killed and four others so badly wounded that one of them has since died.' The mayor said that the " old at Nicholas Vechte's old stone house hasn't he?" negro residents are all right, but the new comers are bad people.' In some of the Eastern cotton the garmed over the labor situation was so account of the negroes quit-

working the farms and going North. Auf a few more Northern mayors Bricfollow the Johnstown mayor's ex- and covered when the land was chulample, and aided by the winter filled in. serv which is rapidly approaching com maybe the South will regain some ter of its loss in colored population.

#### The Ideal Purgative

As a purgative, Chamberlain's Strong enough for the most ro- troops fought under a flag of their by cross-bearings. The value of such bust, mild enough for children. own. They cause an agreeable movement of the bowels without any of that terrible griping. They are easy and pleasant to take and for them. agreeable in effect.

Miss Helen Brewer returned t Georgetown Monday afternoon, of the British to work out an elabora where she will attend school, af | strategical plan, which bad for it ter spending a short vacation at object the crushing of the America home. Miss Brewer spent last army at one blow and the breaking of term in the Southwestern Uni all resistance. versity and remained for the lit was the first time the Americans summer term.

# Let Me Save You Money

All work guaranteed. SMITH'S SHOE SHOP. AND THE REAL PROPERTY AND THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO I

David Coulter left Monday af. Brooklyn Heights Forum, which has ternoon for Waxahachie to resume his studies in Trinity Uni-

#### A Pronounced Success

attended the use of Chamberlain's onles. The other would symbolize the Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in 48 states. the relief and cure of bowel complaints, both for children and Hard Shelled Beetles adults, has brought it into almost universal use, so that it is practi cally without a rival and as every one who has used it knows, it is without an equal.



### Boys Wear Out Shoes

quickly. Mothers say they don't know what they would do if they could not have the shoes repaired by us at a fraction of the cost of new shoes. We are experts in the are of making old shoes new. Bring us your old shoes and see for how little they can be made useful again.

and Harness Shop

# BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER BATTLE SCENE

#### Place Where Americans First Fought Under Own Flag to Be Museum Site.

New York .- After years and years of indifference and neglect something has been done at last to set aside as a park and national shrine Brooklyn's most historic ground-the site of the Battle of Long Island.

The board of estimate has voted to acquire the buildings on the block where the chief engagement of the Battle of Long Island was fought.

Here General Stirling, August 27, 1776, with less than 500 men, held back 20,000 British and charged them five separate times, preventing the British from closing the iron ring, so that the Americans might escape across the marshes to the refuge of the inner line of fortifications on Brooklyn Heights. And, if the present generation does not know it, Washington's officers realized by General Stirling and his Marylanders that day and called General Stir ling "as brave a man as ever lived."

Near 148th Anniversary. Now the first step has been taken to clear the ground for a memorial park in which shall rise dignified colums which shall stand forever a reformed there on that day.

It is an appropriate time for ac tion, for in another year one hundred and forty-eight years will have passed since the Marylanders stood against the best troops Europe ever sent to married daughter critically. these shores and fought them to a standstill, although outnumbered twenty to one. And while they held them the shattered remnants of the Continentals escaped across the marsh lines in the very nick of time.

The stones of that house, which possessed the added distinction of being stand?" battle, are still buried under the he doesn't ask me to marry him?" ground, historians say, and the house may be restored. It was built in 1669 case just tell him I want to see him."

All these years Brooklyn has never marked the spot. Maryland has, how-

America was that of Long Island. It cured with two or more stations, the are the exact thing required. was the first battle in which American exact position of the vessel is found

It was the first time American troops weather is obvious. met the flower of the British army in open field fighting and proved a match

The largest British army that ever came to the shores, approximately 25, 000 men, took part in the battle.

Hessians under De Heister. No Shaft Marks Spot.

The bones of some of the best mer Get your old shoes out of the of Maryland lie under the groundcloset. I can make them good. men who saved a nation-but no shaft rises, no green park is there.

The plan for the restoration of the Vechte house contemplates its use as a museum for historical objects. The been urging the establishment of th park, has a plan to put a stadium and playground there and erect two digni fled memorial shafts. One of thes shafts would be faced with white Rut land, Vt., marble, and built in 13 sec The uniform success that has tions to represent the 13 original co

## Devour Live Chickens

Wheeling, W. Va.-An army of beetles of a variety unknown to this city has taken possession of the mil-Hon dollar fruit orchards hereabouts and, unless checked, will destroy the

been sent to the state agriculturis for classification and a recipe for ex

the foliage and green fruit, but are li green, ersenate of lead and boiling water have no effect on them.

Last of Indian Tribe Dead. Eugene, Ore .- Jeff Harney, last fullblooded male member of the Siuslaw tribe of Indians, is dead at his home near Florence, Ore. He was said to be one hundred and twenty-five years

#### Toad Takes 5 Days to Hop 75 Miles

Frederick C. Sidney took a homing toad, with a metal tag on its leg, to Winchendon, Mass., and liberated it. Sidney lives at Wakefield, 75 miles distant. Five days later the toad arrived back in Wakefield. The metal tag, still on its leg, proved

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its identity.

### WOMAN SO ILL TO BE SHRINE COULD NOT STAND

#### Says Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her Well and Strong

Glens Falls, N. Y.—"For over two months I was so sick I was not able to stand on my feet, and my husband did my housework. The doctor said an oper-ation might be nec-essary. I read testiessary. I read testi-monial letters about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound and began to take it. Before I had finished taking the first bottle I saw

what good it was do-I am now well and strong, doing all my work for a family of four, all my washing and my sewing, which I think is remarkable, as I had not dared to run my sewing machine, but had done all my sewing by hand. I truly feel that were it not for your medicine
I would not be here today as my case
seemed very serious."—Mrs. GEORGE
W. BURCHELL, Glens Falls. N. Y.

#### Free upon Request

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent you free, upon request. Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts. This book contains valuable information that every woman should have.

#### Wanted It Settled.

The old man regarded his last un-

"Let me see, Alice," he reflected, "young Smythe has been calling on you regularly for six or eight months,

"Yes, father," simpered Alice. "Well," continued her parent, "if he asks you to marry him when he comes tenight tell him to see me. Under-

Washington's headquarters before the "Yes," giggled Alice. "But suppose "H'm!" reflected -papa. "In that

#### Does Away With Ocean Peril. The latest in wireless direction find-

ers has been installed on the steamever, a bronze tablet which bears testi. ship Mauretania. With this device it mony to the heroisms of the sons of is possible to ascertain in a few seconds a ship's bearing toward any one The first national battle fought in land wireless station. If touch is sea direction finder in thick or hazy

# VETERAN TELEGRAPHERS

Veteran telegraphers all over the southwest have taken up the suggestion of George W. Foster of Dallas, for an "old timers" contest and reunion at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 13-28 with the utmost enthusiasm. It is proposed to hold the reunion on Press Day, Monday, Oct. 15, and indications are many pioneer masters of the Morse code will be on hand. P. Cain, a dispatcher with the L. R. & N. rattroad at Greenville, has issued a sweeping challenge to all comers, for a contest provides for the car leaving at sending and receiving, without the use of any "new-fangler" arranged day at 8:15, and arriving at Balments, such as sending machines or typewriters. Dr. C. W. Bynham of linger at 11:15. Returning the Dallas, a practicing physician, says Mr. Cain, and several other "vets". trip to Ballinger the ear will come have expressed the same opinion.
H. J. Pettingill, a high official of the by Marie and Norton. Returning the early '70's, has written Mr. Foster expressing his keen interest in the proposed reunion, and H. A. on the return trip the proposed reunion, and H. A. Mohr, general manager Western Un-Telegraphers' and Historical Association, has declared his keen interest and proffered his aid in making be permitted to carry parcels and the reunion a full success.

#### JUDGES FOR STATE FAIR POULTRY SHOW

Judges who will preside at the State Fair Poultry show, Dallas, Oct.

13-28 this year, have been announced as follows: Chas. V. Keeler, Indiana; James A. Tucker, Michigan; Charles Smith, Oklahoma, and J. C. Johnston, Iowa. All are veteran American Poultry

he biggest shows 'n the country. Judging at the State Fair poultry show will begin promptly at 9 a. m., Monday, Oct. 15. Entries close on up to October 16th and the ser- service which this car will furnish Superintendent Walter Burton of

the poultry department has returned from a visit to various big poultry shows in the east, and declares that a number of the prominent breeders will show at the State Fair.

#### LOW STATE FAIR RATE ANNOUNCED BY T. & P.

Announcement has been made by the Texas and Pacific Railway of a special round trip ate to the State cities. Fair of Texas at Dallas, to apply. Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 13-14, Oct. 20-21 and Oct. 27-28, of 75 per apply from all stations on the Texas and Pacific lines, from Marshall on Sunday night following the dates better and quicker service.

### PLAN FAIR REUNION SCHEDULE FOR STAR ROUTE

The post office department has announced a schedule for the new Star mail route between Ballinger and Bronte, via Norton, Maverick and Marie, and at the same time have posted notices calling

The schedule for the new route car leaves Ballinger at 12:30 and Bell Telephone Co. at St. Louis, who to Bronte from Ballinger in the was a telegrapher in Boston back in afternoon the car will go by Noron the return trip.

The notices for bids provides ion, and president of the Old Time that parties bidding must submit \$2,600 bond. The contractor will passengers and it will also be his

route. Association men, accredited by the an indirect way around by Bronte Santa association, and have officiated at It is a big improvement and a place.

> shipped from the Rockaway or- ene every morning, making a chard near Fort Davis this sea- round trip in the forenoon and son, according to owners. None afternoon. of the apples will be sold retail. It has not been definitely anbut will be shipped in large quan- nounced whether the motor car tities to Eastern and Northern will carry express or not, but it

HOUSTON - Patrons of the of the regular season rate, to Houston postoffice now have a difficulty in finding seating room service which few other offices for public school pupils has been the east to Big Spring on the west, have. Postmaster Roy Nichols reported from some Wichita Tickets will be sold for trains has installed a private branch county towns. Schools opened leaving all stations on Oct. 13, Oct. telephone exchange in the office last week with an estimated en20, and Oct. 27. They will be good returning, on train leaving Dallas as a means of giving the patrons rollment of 16,000, breaking all former records.

### WOMEN! DYE ANY GARMENT OR DRAPERY

Kimonos Draperies Waists Ginghams Skirts Dresses Sweaters Stockings



Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded thing new, even if she has never dyed before. Drug stores sell all colors.

# CAR ENROUTE

It was reported here on reliduty to serve patrons along the able authority Tuesday that the Abilene & Southern motor car This new route will give the service would be installed between patrons between Ballinger and Ballinger and Abilene at an early Bronte and the town of Norton date. According to the report a double mail service, and direct the car has been shipped from from Ballinger, while under the Chicago and will be delivered to present routing they only get the A. & S. at Ballinger by the mail once each day, and that in Santa Fe, being shipped over the an indirect way around by Bronte Santa Fe from Chicago to this

change which the people will No definite schedule has been welcome. Bids will be received announced for the new passenger vice will start on November 1st. between Ballinger and Abilene, but the tentative schedule provid-ALPINE, Tex .- Approximately es for two trips each day, and the 15,000 bushels of apples will be car will be operated out of Abil-

will probably earry mail.

WICHITA FALLS-Reports of former records.

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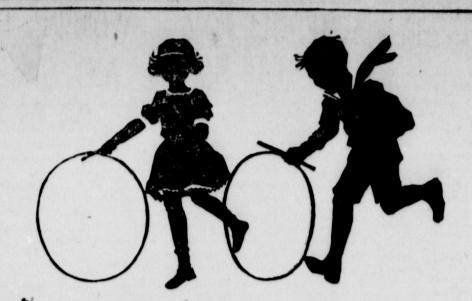
Information is the basis for intelligent purchasing. And the right way to get the greatest amount of necessary information is to read advertisements.

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#### MIDDLE WEST FARMS LEAD | MAEROY THEATRE TONIGHT | icitation, dividing the town up in IN USE OF TELEPHONES

is close to the top of the list. 80 those who were forced to face it, percent of the farms of Iowa several hundred yards back. have telephones in their homes. In Illinois, Kansas and Nebraska We have installed a new dry between 70 and 80 percent of the room and boiler with extractor farms are equipped with tele-dry eleaning plant, and we are

nesota have from 60 to 70 percent shine. We will appreciate a share and Vermont Massachesetts, Con of your patronage. Phone 273. necticut, Wisconsin, South Dakota and Oregon have from 50 to 4-23td 60 percent of the farms equipped with telephones.

Rural telephone development is smallest in South Carolina, where only one farm in 18 has telephone The fair finance committee are connection.

Farmers of Illinois and other partment participated in the film ed with taking care of the prem middle western states have more ing of the big fire scene in "The iums and the general expenses of telephone service than those who Hero," the Gasnier production the fair. The names of the exthan any other state, but Illinois drove all but Gaston Glass and best effort of its erazenship.

now prepared to handle your Ohio, Indiana, Missou, and Min cleaning on short notice rain or ARMSTRONG & PAPE.

FAIR FINANCE COM. MITTEE IS BUSY

formulating their plans for sol-

Charter No. 12415
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE Reserve District No. 11 FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Norton, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Sept. 14th, Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in head of the sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in head of the sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in head of the sold with the so in b and c)\_\_\_\_\_\$6,237.75 Total Loans
OTHER BONDS, STOCKS, SECURITIES, ETC.
Banking House \$5,056.36; Furniture and Fix. \$1,342.43
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank 750.00 6,398.79 1,313.16 Cash in vault and amount due from national banks\_ 34,797.65 Miscellaneous cash items\_\_\_\_\_\$13.78
Other assets, if any\_\_\_\_\_ 194.30 TOTAL LIABILITIES \$ 25,000.00 Capital stock paid in\_\_\_\_\_ Undivided profits \$157.19
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid.

DEMAND DEPOSITS (Other than bank deposits) SUBJECT TO RESERVE (deposits payable within 30 days)
Individual deposits subject to check
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve, items, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 \$24,548.24

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF RUNNELS, ss: I, T. J. McCaughan, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Sept. 1923.

(SEAL)

CORRECT—Attest: E. M. Setser, W. W. Mitchell, A. J. Thorp. Direct-

sections and thus minimize the live in the rural districts of other showing at the Macroy Theatre pected contributors have been states, according to a recent re- for the last time tonight. The gone over carefully and an a- York, declared to be a strong "dark port of the United States Depart- two story structure that was burn | mount suggested for each contri- horse" candidate for the Democratic ed to the ground for the picture bution. If the full quota is rais- presidential nomination, will The value of telephonic com- was surrounded by a cordon of ed it will be necessary that each centage of farms with telephones have occurred sixee the heat ty will be proud of it will take the gan.

A small want ad in The Daily

munication to the farmer is fore- firemen who prevented a spread accept the amount suggested; address at the Fair on Oct. 20. He ibly proved by this report which of the flames to adjoining studio when the committee calls. If we is one of the most prominent medishows that Iowa has a higher per- structures which might readily are to have a fair that this coun- cal men in the country, and an Ledger often saves von money

MAKE RODEO GRADE AT STATE FAIR MEET Producer Tom L. Burnett Tells Cowboys the Going Will Be Rough at Dallas.

MUST BE GOOD TO

His penchant the production of the Burnett, millionaire Texan and owner of the Triangle Ranch, who will produce the State Fair Rodeo at Dallas, as the feature attraction for each afternoon of the second week of the Fair, Oct. 27-28, has sent forth a dictum

"None but the best need apply," he has said. "The going will be rough, and only the most expert can expect to survive."

Every ranch owner in the west has had the call from Burnett, to send as the representative of his particular domain, his crack roper, bull-

doger or rider.

Burnett is fully posted in every branch of cowboy sports and the requirements he lays down for his rodeo productions are of the most stringent character. For that rea-son it is asserted that the State Fair contest in calf roping, broncho busting, trick riding, fancy roping, steer bull-dogging, wild horse races, wild steer riding and the like, will be of the most thrilling nature. The prizes, it is said, will be sufficiently attractive to bring to Dallas the greatest assemblage of expert talent ever assembled in the southwest. Burnett's following among western cattlemen is the largest of any rodeo producer in the country.

Already the word has gone forth to the Burnett scouts throughout the west, to gather the most untamable, human hating, outlaw bucking herses, the wildest long-horned Mexican steers and the tricklest Brahmas to be found, with the fleetest of calves from the open ranges, for use in the State Fair contests. With the assembling of the many score trained cow-ponies, and with 200 or more expert riders, it is declared the melting pot at Dallas will seethe with spectacular interest.

SEN. ROYAL S. COPELAND of New York



Senator Royal S. Copeland of Nev the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 13-28. Dr. Copeland will deliver an alumnus of the University of Michi-

District No. 11

Charter No. 12408. REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

RESOURCES a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances
of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (excepting those shown in b and c) \$261,529.55 Total Loans Overdafts, secured \$\_\_\_\_\_; unecured, \$2,630 U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES OWNED: All other United States Government securities cluding premiums, if any)\_\_\_\_\_2,094.00

at Rowenz in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Sept. 14th

OTHER BONDS, STOCKS, SECURITIES, ETC. 1,840.00
Banking house \$6,280.00; Furniture and Fix. \$4,034.79
Real estate owned other than banking house 14,980.42 Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank Cash in vault and amount due from national banks Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9 and 10 Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 \_\_\_\_\_55,799.70 Other assets, if any \_\_\_\_\_ 5,248.64 TOTAL LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in \_\_\_\_\_\_ Surplus fund Undivided profits \$4,007.85 Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid 2,001.95 2,005.90 Cashier's checks outstanding
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25
DEMAND DEPOSITS (other than bank deposits)
SUBJECT TO RESERVE (deposits payable within 30 1,100.74

TIME DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO RESERVE (Payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and 

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF RUNNELS, 88: I, Fred Kiechle, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Sept. 1923.

(SEAL)

W. A. Halamicek, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest: C. R. Roesler, P.P. Ewald, H. B. Halfmann, Directors.

\$265,000 LAND DEAL IN LYNN COUNTY

known today by the filing of most widly known ranches on the deeds from E. B. McKillip of Mr. Moore has plans under way Oklahoma conveying to W. Me- for the immediate opening of Carty Moore of Dallas, 12,000 these lands, which are among the acres of land lying six to twelve best undeveloped agricultural biggest rodeos in the country, Tom miles west of O'Donnell, Lynn lands on the South Plains, to setcounty, Texas.

The two tracts aggregating 17440 1924, on his own account.

acres, are said to have envolved a consideration of \$265,000,00.

The sale of the McKillip and One of the largest land trans | Herd lands to Mr. Moore will ctions of recent years was made mark the passing of one of the South Plains, as it is understood tlement, subdividing into sections Mr. Moore has also recently and quarter sections and improvbought of H. B. Herd of Fort ing. It is said Mr. Moore will Worth, 5,440 acres lying between himself prepare for the planting the McKillip land and O'Donnell. of some 3000 acres in cotton in

### The Sign of the Guaranty Fund Is A Symbol of Safety to the Depositor

It is stated upon good authority that the banks of the United States have total deposits of only about one-half the money in circulation. The other half is presumed to be hidden away in the family sock, buried in the back yards, hidden in the attic or concealed in private or lock boxes in vaults.

If this hidden treasure were put into circulation through banks it would work wonders for our country, and would fin-

ance many meritorious enterprises.

It may be that a large part of this private money is not in banks because the owners have not sufficient confidence in

The Guaranty Fund Banks of Texas have the very best means of creating this confidence.

The very fact that since the Guaranty Fund Law has been in operation, not a single dollar of non-interest bearing or unsecured deposits has been lost by depositors in the State Banks

Avail yourself of this protection by depositing your money

# FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK

A GUARANTY FUND BANK

### Reliable Ice Service

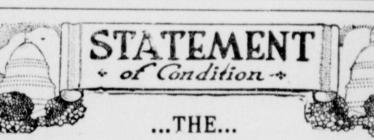
Pure Distilled Water Ice Day and Night, every day in the year.

Good Ice that Lasts.

Courteous employees and Good Ser-

Platform Ice, 30 cents per hund 1,000-pound Coupon Books deliv 40 cents per hundred.

BALLINGER LIGHT, POWER & ICE CO. Phone 312



### FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER

Sept. 14th, 1923

RESOURCES:

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		30,546.13
ies, et	c.	6,525.00
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		162,237.74
	\$	772,584.07
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	LIAD	ILLI	IES:		
Capital Stock					\$100,000.00
Surplus and U	ndivi	ded !	Profits	,	60,547.40
Circulation					24,700.00
Rediscounts					NONE
Bills Payable					NONE
Deposits .					587,336.67
				\$	772,584.07

We Carry No State, County or Municipal Interestbearing Deposits.

We desire to thank our many friends and customers for all business entrusted us, making it possible for our bank to render this most setisfactory statement.

# STATE FAIR OF TEXAS

Dallas, Oct. 13-28 T RACING T RODEO Oct. 2128 HORSE SHOW OCT. 22-23

COLISEUM MAGNIFICENT 20 Big Circus Acts 30 acres of farm machinery exhibits

manufacturers' "action" displays Texas' talents tangibly testified Live Stock, Agriculture, Industry in ablest array

A Good Thing-DON'T MISS IT.

BE THERE!

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a ing the questions of newcomers and trial package containing Cham- thinking up funny character stories to berlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial by thousands lemme ask you, how is "flu" and whooping coughs, and a-p'tu-feller to get to sleep in the tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion. gassy pains that erowd the heart, \$125,000,000 in compensation during biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, industrial commissioner, has been paid wounds, piles, and skin affections; to injured workmen, and to depend these valued family medicines for ents of workers killed in industrial only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

Several of the best known and most popular players of the the nine-year period, the report added, sereen are seen at the Fo-To-Sho numbered more than 2,500,000, an Theatre for the last time tonight in "The Self-Made Wife," a Universal all-star photoplay of pov- an average of 1,300 a year. erty and happiness and wealth and sorrow. The cast includes Ethel Grey Terry, Craufurd Kent Virginia Ainsworth, Phillips Smal ley and Dorothy Cummings. The play is a screen adaption of the -Saturday Evening Post story by Elizabeth Alexander. Jock Dillon dirrected the filming of the

No Substitute Offered

Say what you will about drug- cash. gists offering something "just as because it pays a better profit, the fact still stands that ninety nine out of a hundred drug- turn to A. H. Van Pelt. 25-2td gists recommend Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, when the best medicine for diarr- Manville Bros. Show. Finder re hoen is asked for, and do so be- turn to Mrs. Ira Hargis. 1td\* cause they know from what their customers say of it, that it can be depended upon.

Read the ads and profit

#### **Practice Shoe** Thrift

Practice real Shoe Thrift by having your shoes repaired. When we repair shoes they not only give you a far greater de-gree of service, but the comfort they give is preserved.

We use only the very best grades of leather and rubber heels in repairing Men's Wo-men's and Children's Shoes. Our charges are very reason able. We can double the life of your shoes. Don't throw away a pair of shoes until we have passed judgment upon

We can repair shoes while you wait, but we prefer to have more time in order that we may give you better workman-ship.

Be Thrifty-have 'em re-

Sudden Service Shoe Shop

### NEW TAX ROLLS VANILA EXTRACT SHOW INCREASE CAUSE OF CRIME

n property values and poll taxes. morning. \$387,080, the valuations for the or 15 bottles of vanilla extracts, present year being \$11,673,350,00 known as Konova and Texco, and as compared with \$11,286,270.00 that his mind was a blank from a for 1922. Personal property time prior to the shooting until gains amount to \$93,000 and the he came to himself in the Ballinremainder of the net gain in val- ger jail, and was told that he had uations is credited to real estate, shot Chas. Stuart. the board of equalization having Robbins declared that he had

1922. Figuring the overs and be sold daily in Ballinger. unders, if all poss assessed were Robbins went to trial here Monpaid the county would have a day afternoon, and the case is exvoting strength of considerably pected to go to the jury some more than 7,000. Next year prom- time Tuesday afternoon. The deises to be a warm political year, fense is seeking to prove that and it is expected that a new Stuart and Robbins were good record will be set for poll tax friends, had been friends for

His Objection.

"What a glorious region!" rhapsod ically ejaculated a tourist. "How magnificent the hills, how wonderful the West? That thousands upon thousands of people will visit you, and-"

"That's all right, podner," interject ed Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge I'm kept awake so much now answer tell 'em that when they get to coming daytime a-tall?"-Kansas City Star.

Cost of Accidents.

the past nine years in New York state. accidents since workmen's compensation law has been in operation in New FO-TO-SHO THEATRE TONITE York state. The money was distributed to more than 400,000 claimants, Industrial accidents in the state during average of about 300,000 a year. The number of deaths reported was 12,480,

# Want Ads

WANT ADS 25c up to 12 words, over that 2e per word first insertion. Ic per word each additional insertion. All want ads are

FOR SALE - Johnson grass hay. J. N. Wylie, Phone 624. 24-6td-2tw-\*

FOR SALE-Jersey cow, and Shetland Pony and Saddle. See Mrs. Will Stuart or phone 536. 24-tfd-tfw

FOR RENT-Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, one block South of Court House Phone 480.

WANTED-To Rent, five or six room house. Must have electrie lights. Phone 290. E. D. Messer.

FOR RENT-Two unfurnished rooms. Phone 343. Mrs. R. E.

WANTED-Rags. Bring us your Rags and spend the money for school supplies. Ballinger Printing Co.

FOR RENT-Light housekeeping rooms furnished, with any number of bed rooms. Phone 179.

HELP WANTED-If you need skilled or unskilled labor, use a Ledger want ad. They bring the buyer and seller together. dtf-

FOUND-Lost and found articles recovered thru The Ledger "wants" column. The Ledger goes into nearly every Ballinger

commissioners court for approval responsible for the crime, accord- Paint Rock for trial. and then back to Tax Collector ing to the defendant Robbins, who took the stand in his own be-The rolls show a healthy gain half about ten o'clock Tuesday

'he net gain in property valu- Robbins testified that he took ations over last year amount to part in the drinking of some 12

raised some, and some having not drunk anythink but the exbeen rendered higher due to im- tracts, and in direct question pro pounded by the attorney for the The poll tax renders show a defense he said that the extracts gain of 345, the poll assessed this were intoxicating and made him year being 6,969 against 6,624 for drunk. These extracts are said to

many years, and never had a eross word, and that the shoot-

ise) counts.

ever lost a dollar.

**Performance Counts** 

The real test of any system is how it per-

That is why this bank, as a member of the

The Guaranty Fund has MADE GOOD a-

gainst ANY LOSS every non-interest deposit

in any Guaranty Bank, since the plan was

put in use. No unsecured depositor has

It cost more than ten million dollars, but

This bank, as a Guaranty Fund Bank is

eager to extend you this protection. Let us

BALLINGER STATE BANK

AND TRUST CO.

Guaranty Fund Bank

ABSOLUTE security for depositors is worth

Guaranty Fund system of Texas, is PROUD

of the record of State banking in Texas.

forms under fire. Performance (not prom-

coming irresponsible from drink-

The state introduced testimony will soon be ready to go to the ed with assault to murder, were was brought to Ballinger from bumps, eczema,

"COLD IN THE HEAD"

reatment consisting of an Ointment, to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts putckly through the Blood on the Mucus Surfaces, building up the System and making you less liable to "colds."

Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo. O.

DALLAS-Cotton shipments by exceeded by 20 per cent ship- 25c size. All dealers have it. ments of the same period last year, according to statistics compiled at Southern Pacific railroad offices. A heavier movement is expected during the next thirty days, it was said.

HARLINGEN, Tex .- The police band of the City of Mexico will play here as a feature of the annual Rio Grande Valley Fair, it has been announced by officers of the association. The fair will be held in December. Official permission for the musical organing was the result of Robbins be- ization to come here has been re-

NEARLY TWO MILLION

in an effort to prove that Robbins is big. That many times during commerce for Houston business and Stuart had engaged in a quar the year people go to their near- men. A special train carrying the rel, and that Robbins was heard est store and ask for Black and excursionists will leave here Octoto make threats a short time be- White Ointment, because they ber 6th, returning October 21st. Tax Assessor M. D. Chastain is putting the finishes and touches tles of which were exhibited in took place at Millersview on derful preparation to keep their bor republic will be visited. to the tax rolls for 1923, and they the trial of Claud Robbins, charg- Christmas Eve, 1921, and the case skin free from pimples, blotches, breaking out," etc.

You won't know what real Black and White Ointment and is reported. feel the thrills girls, women and men experience when they see! their ugly skin clearing up, feel- lter left Monday afternoon for

Texas railroads to state points eral packages. The 50c size con- ing school and normal. during the last thirty days have tains three times as much as the

HOUSTON-An extensive trade excursion into Mexico is being Sounds like a big figure, and it planned by the local chamber of

SAN ANGELO-Handling of probably 20,000 turkeys for marketing is the goal set by the happiness and fun is until you Western Farm Bureau Poultry make yourself presentable, so to Producers Association, recently speak, to the people who want to organized here. Already 12,000 associate only with those who are turkeys have been pledged for good to look at. Begin using marketing by the organization, it

Misses Elizabeth and Prue Couing smoothe and looking lovely. Denton, where they go to enter It is economically priced, in lib- the North Texas teachers train-

Read Ledger "wants" column

# FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

"Where the Best Pictures are Shown"

TODAY

Carl Laemmle presents

**Ethel Grey Terry** 

# "A Self Made Wife"

See the sensational picturization of a great drama of married life-a drama that grips-stirs to the very depths.

> Lewis Sargent in "Whiskers" A Universal Comedy

Admission 10c and 25c

### WE ARE DOING OUR BEST

to give mama a rest.

The kiddies like our cakes and cookies in the school lunch.

Telephone 25

Ballinger Steam Bakery

When your engine is not running properly lacks power or will not start as it shouldbring it in and let us look it over.

WHERE THE TROUBLE STARTS

We get right into it and find the start or the cause of the trouble, and then fix it in a thorough manner.

The ultimate cost to you is much less, and your satisfaction greater.

CAMERON'S GARAGE



#### For the Men

New line of Belts in leather and the famous Marathon rubber Belt. Many new Ties in Silks and Crepes.

Also big line of Cuff Links, Shaving Creme, Handkerchiefs and many other useful articles.

THE GLOBE A.S. Love

# TODAY MAEROY THEATRE TODAY!

SHOWING THE PICK O' THE PICTURES

B. P. Shulberg Presents

# "THE HERO"

With Gaston Glass, Barbara La Marr, John Sainpolis, David Butler, Doris Pawn, Frankie Lee and others.

A Gasnier Production

Also

# "The Zero Hero"

A Pathe comedy.

Admission . . . 10c and 25c