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DAUGHERTY EXPECTED TO RESIGN HIS OFFICE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—An offer by Attorney General Daugherty to retire to private life when the Senate completes its investigation of his official acts is believed in some administration circles to be imminent. Under certain plans he would step out of the cabinet regardless of the outcome of the Senate inquiry, and it is believed that he will announce that intention to the nation in advance. The attorney general conferred today with President Coolidge, but made no statement following the conference.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Telegrams sent to Edward McLean, publisher of the Washington Post, A. B. Fall and others at Palm Beach, relevant to the oil inquiry, were read into the record today of the oil investigating committee.

The first message read into the record was from John Major, an employe of McLean at Washington, and was addressed to McLean at Palm Beach. The message suggested a leased wire from the Washington Post to McLean's cottage in Florida, so McLean could have "easy and quick access to the White House."

Another message read was also from Major to McLean and it said Major "had a talk with Smithers at the White House." Smithers is chief telegrapher at the White House.

William Buckstein, another employe of McLean at Washington, wired McLean at Palm Beach that Smithers would like the job operating the special wire.

"Palmer and Zevely told me tonight that under no circumstances should you send a message to the committee," said another message to McLean from Major. Palmer and Zevely are lawyers in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Senator Root, republican of Utah, and former chairman of the oil committee of the Senate, disclosed publicly today that he was advised in advance that E. L. Doheny was coming to Washington to testify about his \$100,000 loan to former Secretary Albert Fall.

Senator Root said that he received such information from J. W. Zevely, personal counsel for Harry Sinclair, who was at New Orleans with Mr. Fall at the time the information was dispatched to him.

Joe Stocks, of San Angelo, was here Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stocks.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Northington returned home Tuesday at noon from Fort Worth, where they had been to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, C. W. Reed.

27 Convicts Escape From State Prison

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Feb. 27.—Six of the twenty-seven Mexican convicts who escaped last night from the state prison farm at Blue Ridge, 18 miles from here, were again in custody of the state prison officers today. Posses of state, city and county officers are searching for the remainder of the missing prisoners.

Four of those recaptured are under arrest here and two are in custody at Blue Ridge. The officers believe that all those who escaped will be rounded up and returned to the prison camp before the close of the day. Two of those who made a get-away were serving life terms.

The prisoners made their escape by tunneling under the West stockade of the farm after having sawed a hole through the floor of their building. After getting out the prisoners dashed for the woods a quarter of a mile distant, and made good their get-away.

The alarm was sounded by a lone guard who summoned the officers in charge of the prison farm. The authorities at Houston were immediately telephoned of the delivery and joined in the search for the prisoners.

T. V. Bowden returned to his home at Brownwood Tuesday afternoon. He had been here at the bedside of his niece, Miss Nettie Bowden, who is in the Halley & Love sanitarium recovering from an operation.

DEFEAT CAUSES CABINET RESIGN

(By Associated Press)
BRUSSELS, Feb. 27.—The Belgian cabinet, headed by Premier Theunis, resigned today as a result of its defeat in the chamber of deputies over the Franco-Belgian economic convention.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 27.—The Belgian government was defeated in the chamber of deputies today by a vote of 95 to 79 on the Franco-Belgian convention.

LUMBER MAN IS VICTIM OF NEGRO

(By Associated Press)
LUFKIN, Tex., Feb. 27.—Officers continued their search today for the slayer of Andy Hulser, manager of a lumber company commissary near here.

Hulser was fatally shot last night by a negro when the negro attempted to rob the commissary. The black was armed and when Hulser resisted his attempts to rob the warehouse the negro shot him. One negro suspect is being held.

Dr. A. D. Porter, presiding elder for the Brownwood district of the Methodist church, passed thru the city Tuesday en route to his home. He had been to Norton to attend quarterly conference, and got caught in the snowstorm.

A. H. Lewin, of Miles, had business in Ballinger Tuesday.

Special \$5 For that Old Kodak

The chance you have been waiting for—sell us your old KODAK no matter what condition it is in.

For this week only we will give you from \$3.00 to \$5.00 for any old Kodak you have, on the purchase of any Kodak we have in display window.

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This week's reductions on Dresses, Suits and Coats will save you one-fourth and more—here you will find a wide range of styles, the newest materials and colors, and the frequent new arrivals assure you of getting the new things as they develop.

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Women will appreciate these novel new silks in Crepe de Leen, Changeable Taffetas, Roshanara Crepe, new Printed Crepes, Colored Pongee in the new shades, Satin Cantons, Radium Silks, Wash Satin and Crepe de Chine in most all wanted colors, modestly priced at, the yard, \$1.25 to \$4.50

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HANDKERCHIEFS AT 10c. Sheer quality Linweave—some pure linen, neatly hemstitched—all attractively embroidered in white or colors, regular 20c and 25c values at 10c

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 The Associated Press is exclusively
 entitled to the use for republication of
 all news dispatches credited to it or not
 otherwise credited in this paper and
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California claims a grand-
 mother only thirty years old. She
 has bobbed hair and of course is
 pretty.

Snow causes roofs to fall in at
 Miles. Just another unusual
 news item for the papers to tell
 about.

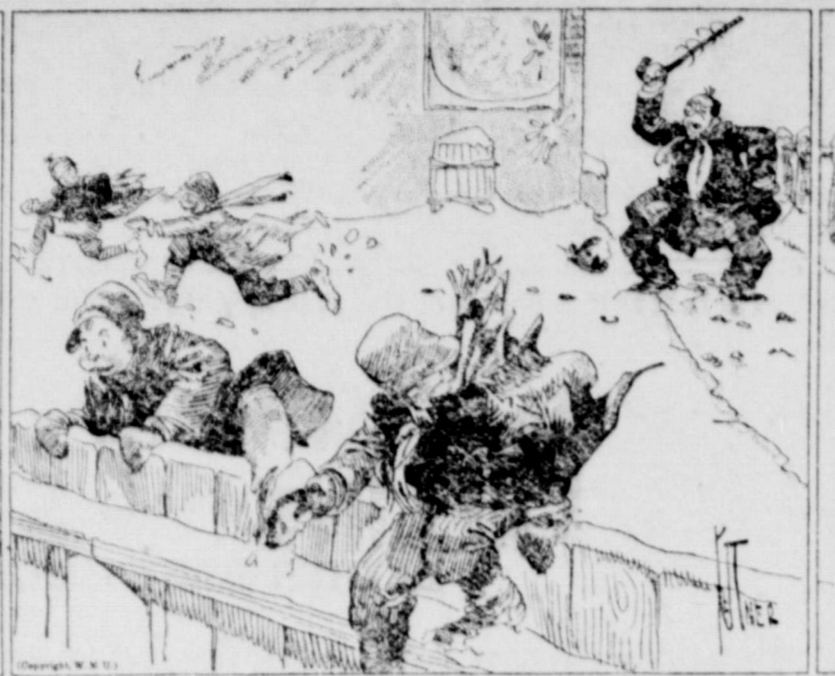
Of course we may have a few
 grasshoppers, worms and other
 pests to damage the crops. But
 how could we handle the harvest,
 if the crop was 100 per cent per-
 fect?

Not being satisfied with taxing
 a man for what he works for and
 earns by the sweat of his brow,
 congress is about to pass a bill
 to take part of what comes to him
 as a free gift. However, why
 should we complain; the percent-
 age of gift tax payers will be
 very small.

Citation by Publication
 THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 To the Sheriff or any Constable
 of Runnels County—Greeting;

You are hereby commanded to
 summon Dave Jackson, Russell
 Hubbard, T. G. Robertson, Dou-
 glas Brown, F. A. Lawless and
 Mrs. F. A. Lawless by mak-
 ing publication of this cita-
 tion once in each week for four
 successive weeks previous to the
 return day hereof, in some news-
 paper published in your county,
 if there be a newspaper published
 therein, but if not, then in any
 newspaper published in the 35th
 Judicial District; but if there be
 no newspaper published in said
 Judicial District, then in a news-
 paper published in the nearest
 district to said 35th Judicial Dis-
 trict, to appear at the next reg-
 ular term of the District
 Court of Runnels County, to be
 held at the Court House
 thereof, in Ballinger, on the
 5th Monday in March, A. D. 1924,
 the same being the 31st day
 of March, A. D. 1924, then
 and there to answer a peti-
 tion filed in said Court on the
 13th day of February, A. D. 1924,
 in a suit numbered on the docket
 of said Court No. 3137, wherein
 J. W. Smith, trustee for Susie
 Smith Perry, Esther Smith Barn-
 hart and Cleora Smith and Gene-
 rick Smith are Plaintiffs, and
 O. H. Judkins, T. P. Russell, J.
 L. Borroum, Mattie E. Russell,
 Sarah Jane Russell, Maxin Rus-
 sell, Nell Russell, Dave Jackson,
 Russell Hubbard, Mrs. F. A.
 Lawless, F. A. Lawless, Mrs.
 Florence McConnell, T. G. Rob-
 ertson, Corinne Judkins, Emma
 Dill Russell Spencer, C. F. Spen-
 cer, Douglas Brown, Jennie Rus-
 sell McTaggart and E. H. Mc-
 Taggart are Defendants, and
 that on the 1st day of January,
 A. D. 1924, plaintiffs were and
 now are lawfully seized and pos-
 sessed of the tracts of land hereinaf-
 ter described situated in the
 County of Runnels in the State
 of Texas, holding the same in
 fee simple; that on the day and
 year last aforesaid defendants
 entered upon said premises and
 ejected plaintiff therefrom, and

Events in the Lives of Little Men



unlawfully withhold from plain-
 tiffs the possession thereof to
 their damage in the sum of Fifty
 Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars;
 that the premises on entered
 upon and unlawfully withheld
 by defendants from plaintiffs are
 bounded and described as fol-
 lows, to-wit:

First Tract: Section No. One
 (1), Georgetown Railway Com-
 pany Survey, Abstract 613.

Second Tract: Section No. Thirty-
 Five (35) H. & G. N. Rail-
 way Company Survey, Abstract
 No. 288.

Third Tract: Section No. Thirty-
 Seven (37) H. & G. N. Rail-
 way Company Survey, Abstract
 No. 289.

Plaintiffs further say that they
 have held peaceable continuous
 and adverse possession under
 title and color of title from and
 under the State of Texas of the
 lands and tenements above de-
 scribed for more than three years
 before the filing of this petition.
 Plaintiffs say that they own
 and have been claiming the land
 hereinabove described under a
 deed and deeds duly registered
 and have held and had peaceable,
 continuous and adverse posses-
 sion of said lands and tenements
 above described cultivating, us-
 ing and enjoying the same, and
 paying all taxes due thereon for
 a period of more than five years
 next preceding the filing of this
 petition.

Plaintiffs say that they have a
 good and perfect right and title
 to the land hereinabove described
 and they had and held peaceably
 the lands herein claimed and ad-
 verse possession of the same, cul-
 tivating, using and enjoying the
 same for a period of more than
 ten years before the commence-
 ment of this suit.

Plaintiffs further say that they
 and those whose estate they hold
 have had and held peaceable, con-
 tinuous and adverse possession of
 the lands above described, cul-
 tivating, using and enjoying the
 same for a period of ten years be-
 fore the commencement of this
 suit, taken and held under a
 written memorandum of title
 specifying the boundary of said
 tract and duly recorded in the
 office of the County Clerk of
 Runnels County, Texas.

Wherefore, plaintiffs ask that
 defendants be cited as the law
 directs and that upon hearing
 hereof they have judgment for
 the title and possession of said
 premises and a writ of restitution
 and for costs of suit, and for gen-
 eral and special relief as in duty
 bound they will ever pray.

Herein fail not, but have you
 before said Court, at its afore-
 said next regular term, this writ
 with your return thereon, show-
 ing how you have executed the
 same.

Given under my hand and the
 Seal of said Court, at office in
 Ballinger, this the 13th day of
 February, A. D. 1924.

(Seal)
 GEORGIA SINGLETARY,
 Clerk, District Court, Runnels
 County.
 d 27-5-12-19

Mrs. J. C. McDonald returned
 to her home at Miles Tuesday at
 noon. She came here with her
 son who was hurt by jumping
 from a fence while playing in the
 snow at Miles Monday afternoon.
 An X-ray examination failed to
 disclose any broken bones, but
 the boy's lower limbs are paralyzed,
 and he was reported to show
 no improvement Wednesday.

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS
 New shipment of best make
 typewriter ribbons in black rec-
 ord just received. Underwood,
 Royal, Remington, Woodstock, L.
 C. Smith, Oliver, etc.

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EAT NO SWEETS IF YOU ARE RHEUMATIC
 Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to
 Take Salts to Get Rid of
 Toxic Acid.

Rheumatism is no respecter of
 age, sex, color or rank. If not the
 most dangerous of human afflic-
 tions it is one of the most pain-
 ful. Those subject to rheuma-
 tism should eat no sweets for a
 while, dress as warmly as pos-
 sible, avoid any undue exposure
 and above all, drink lots of pure
 water.

Rheumatism is caused by uric
 acid or body waste matter, and
 is often generated in the bowels
 and absorbed into the blood. It is
 the function of the kidneys to
 filter this poison from the
 blood and cast it out in the urine;
 the pores of the skin are also a
 means of freeing the blood of
 this impurity. In damp and
 chilly, cold weather the skin
 pores are closed, thus forcing the
 kidneys to do double work; they
 become weak and sluggish and
 fail to eliminate this toxic acid,
 which keeps accumulating and
 circulating through the system,
 eventually settling in the joints
 and muscles, causing stiffness,
 soreness and pain, called rheu-
 matism.

At the first twinge of rheuma-
 tism get from any pharmacy
 about four ounces of Jad Salts;
 put a tablespoonful in a glass of
 water and drink before break-
 fast each morning for a week.
 This is helpful to neutralize acidity,
 remove waste and stimulate
 the kidneys, thus helping to rid
 the blood of these rheumatic poi-
 sons.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is
 made from the acid of grapes and
 lemon juice, combined with lithia,
 and is used with excellent re-
 sults by thousands of folks who
 are subject to rheumatism.

WILL LOSE JOB TO PLAY POLITICS

The State Highway Depart-
 ment has sounded a warning to
 all persons employed or connect-
 ed with the highway department
 in any way. The penalty for
 dabbling in politics is the loss of
 the job. Following is the text of
 the warning sent out by the high-
 way department:

"All persons employed by or
 connected with the State High-
 way Department are warned not
 to take a partisan part in any
 political campaign for any public
 office, state or local. Evidence
 that any person so connected
 with the highway department has
 taken or is taking a partisan part
 in any state or local political
 campaign will be a sufficient re-
 ason for discharge.

"The Highway Department is
 not a political organization. Its
 purpose is to serve the people,
 and the highway commission
 earnestly desires that this organ-
 ization be removed from politics
 as far as possible in order that its
 work can progress without han-
 dicap."

COAL
 Car coal on Abilene & Southern
 track, \$8 per ton. Bogess
 Brothers, Phone 33 or 395.
 25-3rd.*

OIL FIELD NOTES
 Senator Reed says that McAdoo
 is the highest priced driller in
 the field.

His doctors have advised Sec-
 retary Fall to suspend drilling for
 a while, and to confer only with
 his closest scouts. The secretary
 is said to be suffering with oil
 on the brain.

No new wells will be spudded

in on Teapot Dome until Geolo-
 gist Walsh completes his survey,
 and title to the leases have been
 perfected.

The president's private secre-
 tary advised ex-Secretary Fall to
 be square in his oil dealings, and
 to tell the truth, he says. Going
 on the theory perhaps, that hon-
 esty is the best policy.

It is rumored that Harry Sin-
 clair closed contracts to supply
 large cargoes of Teapot Dome
 crude while in Europe. The con-
 tracts have not been approved by
 ex-Secretary of Navy Denby.

Present Attorney General
 Dagherty states that he sold
 his stock in the Sinclair oil com-
 pany at a loss of \$28 per share.
 Other cabinet members are said
 to have been more successful.

Editor McLean, of the Wash-
 ington Post, issued checks aggre-
 gating \$100,000 to ex-Secretary
 Albert Fall. The former secre-
 tary returned the checks. He
 had already made the deal, 'tis
 said.

ONE KILLED BY SCAFFOLD FALL

(By Associated Press)
 DALLAS, Feb. 27.—C. B. Daw-
 son, laborer, was instantly killed
 and Mrs. Henry Exall and her
 young daughter were seriously
 injured today when a scaffold on
 a building which was being torn
 down here fell. Another man
 was also injured.

Mrs. Emma Nash and son Billie
 returned home Tuesday night
 from South Texas, where they
 went to attend the funeral of
 Mrs. Nash's uncle, Henry Faries,
 who died at Houston last week
 and was buried at Flatonia. Mrs.
 Nash found one of the children of
 her son, Joe Nash, seriously ill at
 San Antonio and remained over
 to be with him a few days.

Americans are a joy riding peo-
 ple. 92 per cent of the auto-
 mobiles in the world are made in
 the United States, and the Ameri-
 can people keep 99 per cent of
 them for their own use.

Of every thousand boys and
 girls who enter high school, 561
 leave before the end of the fourth
 year.

WRIGLEYS
 after every meal
 Cleanses mouth and
 teeth and aids digestion.
 Relieves that over-
 eaten feeling and acid
 mouth.
 Its 1-a-s-t-i-u-g flavor
 satisfies the craving for
 sweets.
 Wrigley's is double
 value in the benefit and
 pleasure it provides.
 Sealed in its Parity
 Package.

The flavor lasts

- ANNOUNCEMENTS

 For Constable Precinct No. 1:
 H. S. (Happy) STRAIN
 For County Superintendent:
 ROBERT E. WHITE
 For Tax Collector:
 W. L. BROWN
 For Tax Assessor:
 HENRY TODD
 MIKE C-BOYD
 For Sheriff:
 J. P. FLYNT
 R. E. McWILLIAMS
 For County Judge:
 PAUL TRIMMER
 For County Treasurer:
 MRS. JENNIE KIRK
 For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:
 R. J. DEENS
 WILLARD L. McMILLAN
 For County Clerk:
 W. A. FORGEY
 For District Clerk:
 Miss—
 GEORGIA SINGLETARY
 For Commissioner Prec. No. 3:
 J. D. SMITH
 For State Senate (25th Dist.):
 WALTER C. WOODWARD
 (of Coleman)
 For Representative, (92nd Dist.):
 O. R. SIMS
 (of Concho County)

THE WEATHER—
 Tonight generally fair and
 slightly warmer. Thursday in-
 creasing cloudiness followed
 probably by rain.

The government weather gauge
 maintained at the home of E. M.
 Eubank registered 22 degrees
 above zero Wednesday morning,
 and 16 degrees Tuesday morn-
 ing. Many amateur weather
 prognosticators had Wednesday
 morning down as the coldest pe-
 riod of the blizzard which is grad-
 ually disappearing.

The snow lingers longer than
 was at first expected, and the
 second freeze-up Tuesday night
 did not thaw out as fast as the
 melting process Tuesday. The
 temperature did not rise as rapid-
 ly Wednesday morning, and it
 was late in the day before snow
 and ice began to melt.

Miss Sadye Kincaid returned
 to her home at Sonora Tuesday,
 after a visit to Miss Mildred Hol-
 liday.

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 Our Promise of the
 Future

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- 30x3 Casings with two Red Tubes\$7.45
- 30x3 1-2 Casings with two Red Tubes\$8.45
- 32x4 1-2 Casings with two Red Tubes\$19.05
- 33x4 1-2 Federal Blue Pennant Cords, 2 Tubes \$29.90
- 33x5 with two Red Tubes\$31.10

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Genuine Ford Parts.
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- Giving the closest price consistent with good business
- Giving Prompt, Efficient Delivery Service

—all this and more enables us to state that our store is grow-
 ing in popularity daily.

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 Manufacture of Our Ice

IT'S PURE IT'S CLEAN

Always ready for you day and night, year in
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"Reliability and Good Service"
 is our motto.

Platform Ice, 30 cents per hundred.
 1,000-pound Coupon Books delivered
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Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians over twenty-three years for colds and gripe misery. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost only few cents at any drugstore. Each package contains proven directions for colds and tells how to prepare an Aspirin gargle for sore throats and tonsillitis.

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HARDING MAN OF PLAIN PEOPLE

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27. — "Warren G. Harding belonged to the aristocracy of the plain people of this country," Secretary Hughes said today in delivering an eulogy of the late president at a joint session of the Senate and House which formed official memorial exercises for President Harding.

"He was equipped for his task by inheritance and training which were completely and typically American," said the secretary of state, "and he was neither helped nor hampered by exceptional environment. He suffered neither from poverty nor from riches. His endowment was a keen mind and a strong body."

When a senator boards an elevator in the capitol it must not be stopped for other passengers until the senator gets off.



TOM MIX HERE IN
A NEW COMEDY

effectiveness of the offering.
GOING OUT TONIGHT?

Ingenious plot complications give "Mile-a-Minute" Romeo, the Wm. Fox production that opens this afternoon for two day engagement at the Maeroy Theatre unusual charm for a Tom Mix picture. By which we mean, in addition to the breathless action and expected number of thrills, Tom-Mix offers in this recent motion picture a story of considerable interest.

One of the uncommon situations presented is the Machiavellian scheme of exterminating two rivals by contriving to get them to fly at each other's throat. The crafty lover informs both rivals separately that each has insulted the other. A fight ensues in which the rivals learn they have been the dupe of the third rival.

Lucky Bill, played admirably by Tom Mix, is one of the dupes. Having wounded the other dupe in the "framed" fight he offers to compensate by helping the latter elope with the girl. He is double-crossed innumerable times and finally forgets his diffidence so far as to attempt to get the girl for himself.

In no previous production, perhaps, does Tom Mix display his horsemanship so skillfully. Betty Jewel is a satisfactory leading lady, and the support is generally good. Lambert Hillyer, and Tony the horse with almost human intelligence, contribute to the ef-

You can usually tell when a girl or boy is looking forward to an evening of real fun, or whether they feel that they have simply been invited to "fill in," as they get ready to go to a party or dance.

The ones who have nothing to worry them about the way they look are so much more noticeable by the shrinking and backwardness of the ones who are afraid to mingle in the fun because they know how unattractive they must look on account of their pimply, blotchy or rough, eczemic skin. Their one friend is the wonderful Black and White Ointment, if they will just use it faithfully, because it will get rid of all those ugly bumps and make their skin soft, smooth and lovely. It is economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.

STORY OF SEA AT
FOTOSHO TODAY

Anyone who has ever felt the sting of salt spray, or thrilled to the feel of a rolling deck, will become absolutely homesick for a fling on the ocean wave if he sees "Stormswept," the big sea drama showing today and tomorrow on the screen of the Fo-to-sho Theatre.

For the viewer will be carried

away from his seat straight into the thundering, flashing, angry heart of a storm at sea.

With Wallace and Noah Beery sharing stellar honors, and with Arline Pretty and Virginia Brown Faire the centers of love interest, H. H. Van Loan has developed a drama of compelling power, and Director Robert Thornby has brought the story to the screen in all of its power to thrill and absorb.

For instance, the fight scene between Wallace and Noah on top of the dizzily buffeted mast is one of the most grippingly realistic episodes ever filmed. It causes one to wonder that players would take such risks.

But never for a moment does the drama of the situation leave you—never is the spectacular, big as it is, allowed to overshadow the dramatic. The result is one of the best sea dramas ever screened.

CREAM WILL CLEAR
A STUFFED-UP HEAD

Instantly Opens Every Air Passage—Clears Throat Too

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed because of nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing and healing swollen, inflamed membranes and you get instant relief.

Try this. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Your clogged nostrils open right up; your head is clear; no more hawking or snuffling. Count fifty. All the stuffiness, dryness, struggling for breath is gone. You feel fine.

MANY ANIMALS IN BIG PARADE

The High School Carnival parade which will be staged on the down town streets at 4:00 o'clock Friday afternoon will be the opening feature of the big carnival about which there is so much talk.

The parade will be featured by the appearance of wild and ferocious animals, animals which have only been in captivity a short time. Elephants, giraffes, man eating lions, etc., will appear in the parade in charge of their trainers, together with many monkeys of various ages.

The parade will probably be led by the Ballinger Junior Band, one of the best known musical organizations in West Texas, consisting of some forty-odd pieces. Special traffic officers will be on the streets to handle the traffic and keep the streets from becoming congested and make room for the long procession to double back on the main thoroughfares of the down town district.

The carnival proper begins at 6:00 o'clock. All side shows, concessions, and the general line of

"graft games" which are a part of carnival aggregations, will be running in full blast by 6:00 o'clock, and will continue as long as the throngs linger to keep the fun going—probably midnight.

During the early hours of the evening, probably about 8:00 o'clock, the directors of the carnival will stage a grand pageant, accompanied by the crowning of the queen and featuring in song and dance some seventy-five Ballinger beauties. Every carnival fan in Ballinger and surrounding territory will want to be in the auditorium of the library when the pageant is presented.

Among what promise to be the most popular side-shows at the carnival will be "The Trip to the Spirit Wells," "Dance of the Seven Veils," and other well-known carnival attractions.

BILIOUSNESS
sick headache, sour stomach, constipation, easily avoided.
An active liver without calomel.
CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
Never sicken or gripe—only 25c

Mrs. Conda Wylie left for Sherman Tuesday afternoon to visit her daughter, Miss Maurine, who is attending school at Kidd-Key.

IT SNOWED—

Better look our stock of WEAR-U-WELL Rubber Shoes and Boots over

We sell all footwear at almost wholesale price.

Our shoe repairing is "A Bear for Wear," and a waterproof shoe is good health insurance. And this is good weather to have those old tires made ready for the nice Spring motoring weather.

Call 146, and our delivery car will be at your service.

Sudden Service Shoe Shop

"Where Service Counts We Win"

FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

"Where the Best Pictures are Shown"

TODAY

"STORMSWEPT"



SEE the
Classic of
the SEA.

An ocean of thrills! A river of romance! A lake of suspense!
A mighty cataract of emotions!

Harry Tighe in "EASTER BONNETS"
A Tuxedo Comedy

Admission . . . 10c and 25c

TODAY MAEROY THEATRE TODAY

SHOWING THE PICK O' THE PICTURES

TWO DAYS—BEGINNING TODAY

A Might Whirl of Action

William Fox
presents

Tom Mix in Mile-A-Minute Romeo

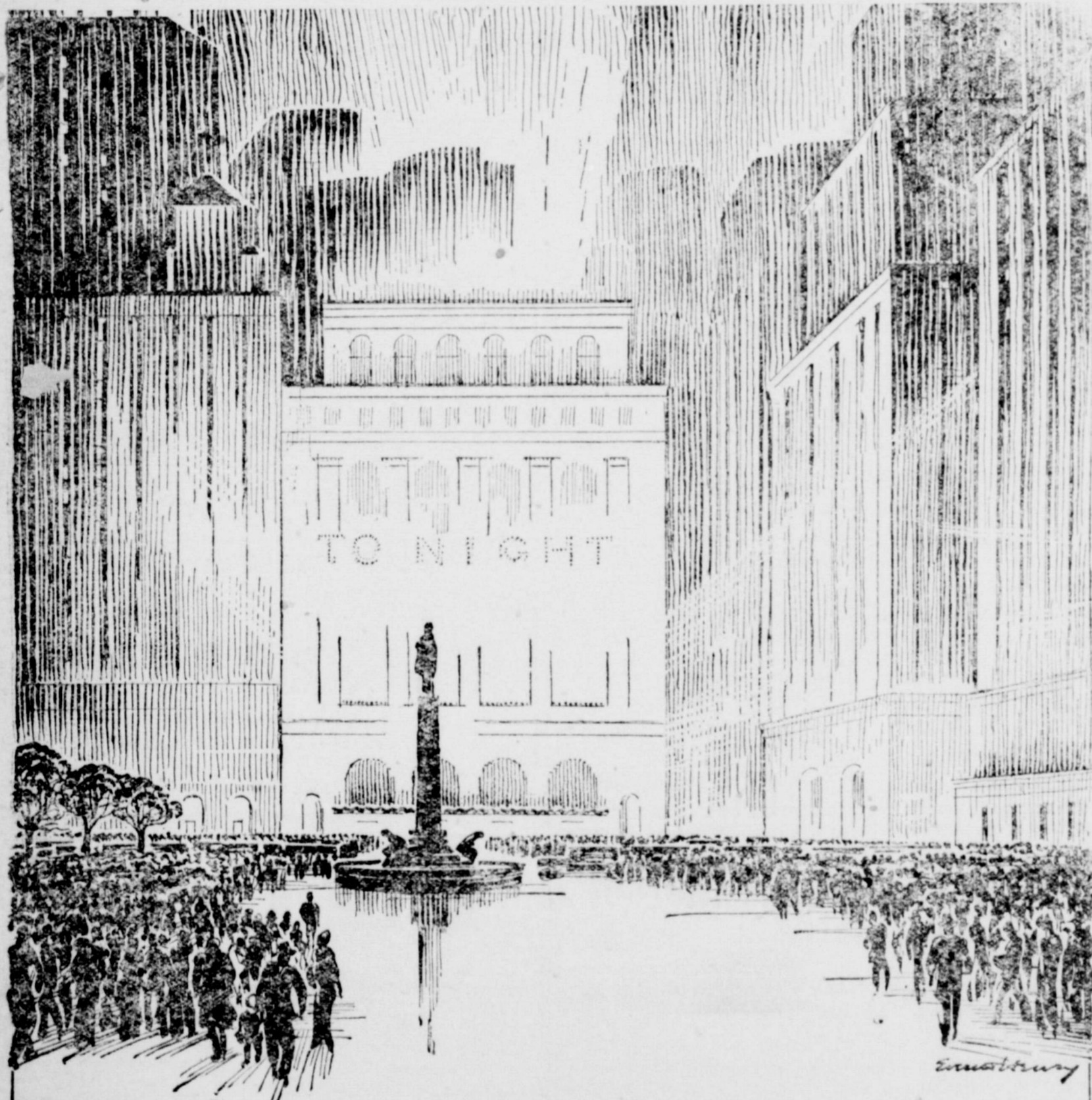
With Tony, the Wonder Horse.

Adapted from the "The Gun Gentleman" by Max Brand.

ALSO

Round 10 of H.C. Witwers famous stories in Colliers
"Fighting Blood"

Admission 10c and 25c



Such popularity must be deserved

OVER the footlights or over the counter, it's the same story—the big public can't be fooled.

If a play or a product makes good, it's because it is good! Chesterfield's swift rise was no

accident. Smokers were ready for a better cigarette.

Chesterfield grew and continues to grow, on its taste alone—and after all, taste is the smoker's own best proof of tobacco quality.

Chesterfield

CIGARETTES

They Satisfy—millions!

SMOTHERING SPELLS

Lady Says She Suffered from a Burning Sensation, Headache, Dizziness, Until She Took Black-Draught.

Signal, Miss.—“For a year or longer I had indigestion, and had it bad,” says Mrs. E. S. Holman, of this place. “Everything I ate hurt me. I would have burning in my stomach and smothering spells, and after meals feel right dizzy. My head would begin to ache, and I would want to lie down, but felt I couldn't for I would smother.”

“Unless one has had such trouble, they don't know what it is. I was talking to a neighbor one day and told her how I had been affected. She told me it was indigestion and to try Black-Draught, which I did. I took a few large doses and then a pinch after meals, and for fully four months now I haven't had indigestion. I eat whatever I please and when I please, but keep up the Black-Draught—just an occasional dose.”

When you have a feeling of discomfort after meals, try the suggestion above. Thousands of people have found that Black-Draught promotes relief in indigestion by stimulating the liver and stomach to perform their normal functions.

Insist on Theodor's, the only genuine. Sold everywhere. NC-102

Miss Brewer in Lead for Queen

The first count in the campaign to elect a queen for the carnival to be given at the Carnegie Library Friday evening was made at noon Wednesday. Nominations were not posted until late Tuesday, and while the contest was hardly started, much interest was shown in the first balloting. The following report shows the standing of the candidates on the first count:

- Seniors—Miss Dorothy Penn, 231
- Juniors—Miss Mabel Brewer, 814
- Sophomores—Miss Ethel Clark, 32
- Freshmen—Miss Ruth Holliday, 64.

The standing of the candidates may be misleading as to the real results of the contest, as it is charged that votes are being held back. The final count will be declared at 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon. One cent entitles you to one vote, and all the cents put together will help to make a big fund for a worthy cause. Vote early, vote regularly and vote late. There is no limit to the number of votes any one person can cast, and the only restriction as to voting qualification is the one cent piece.

Card of Thanks
We take this method of thanking our friends and associates for the many favors and acts of kindness shown us following the death of our father, George Hull. There were so many who aided us in our hour of sorrow that we cannot specially mention any certain persons, but wish to thank one and all.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hull, Stanley Hull. 1d

The June brides are checking over their prospect lists and making their final selection for a husband.

Daily Ledger Want Ads

WANT ADS 25c up to 12 words, over that 2c per word first insertion. 1c per word each additional insertion. All want ads are cash.

FOR SALE—or Trade. Cow and young calf. Harry Lynn. 27-3td

WANTED—Am in market for small farm in vicinity of Ballinger. The price must be right for cash. C. E. Sillix, Box 416, Ranger, Texas. 27-1d-2w.*

LOST—Ford mud chain on West Broadway or Eighth street. Return to A. K. Doss. 1td

FOR SALE—Stock of hardware and residence in town of Seagraves, and land eight miles out. Stock invoices \$2500. Land \$8 bonus, \$5 to state. Write T. W. Hague, Seagraves, Texas. 27-3td-3w.*

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte Eggs, \$1.00 for 15 or \$4.50 per 100. Phone 6903, Mrs. W. F. McShan 16-8d-8w.*

NEWS FLASHES

Three bandits broke into a warehouse at New York Monday night and got away with \$30,000 worth of furs. They bound and gagged the watchman.

The business and professional women's club of Brownwood held a banquet at the Southern Hotel in that city Tuesday night and carried out an interesting program.

Albert Hall and wife have returned from an El Paso hospital to their ranch in New Mexico greatly improved in health. The doctors have advised Mr. Hall not to read the newspapers and to see only his closest friends.

Miss Louise Richardson, age 70, matron at the women's state prison in Indiana, was found murdered in her room at the prison Tuesday. A woman prisoner is missing and the officers are searching for her. Miss Richardson was beaten over the head with a blunt weapon of some kind.

Dr. C. M. Morin, age 74, convicted at San Antonio for violation of the anti-narcotic law and sent to the federal pen at Leavenworth, Kansas, last June, died in prison Tuesday night.

C. R. White, of Brady, sold to Fred J. Brown, of Longford, Kansas, 2,400 three-year-old steers for a total consideration of \$135,000. Brown has purchased 5,700 head of cattle in this section of the state since last fall, paying around \$300,000 for the lot.

Ed Shelton, age 29, is in jail at Texarkana, charged with murdering his wife, age 23. Shelton claimed that his wife was ill and he went to town and got her some medicine. She took the medicine and retired and a few hours later was found dead. The family includes three small children.

The Colorado, Texas, fair committee announces that fifty acres of land will be purchased and permanent fair quarters provided for carrying on the annual showing of livestock and other exhibitions in Mitchell county.

The state promises to go on a cash basis by March 15th. The deficiency of \$4,000,000 was cut to \$3,750,000 this week, and will rapidly decline until the entire amount is wiped out by the receipt of revenues from various sources.

J. J. Bedford, of Winters, passed thru the city Tuesday afternoon, en route to Brownwood on business.

Beauty

A Gleamy Mass of Hair

35c "Danderine" does Wonders for Any Girl's Hair



Girls! Try this! When combing and dressing your hair, just moisten your hair brush with a little "Danderine" and brush it through your hair. The effect is startling! You can do your hair up immediately and it will appear twice as thick and heavy—a mass of gleamy hair, sparkling with life and possessing that incomparable softness, freshness and luxuriance.

While beautifying the hair "Danderine" is also toning and stimulating each single hair to grow thick, long and strong. Hair stops falling out and dandruff disappears. Get a bottle of delightful, refreshing "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter and just see how healthy and youthful your hair becomes.

SULPHUR SAFE TO HEAL SKIN

For unsightly skin eruptions, rash or blotches on face, neck, arms or body, you do not have to wait for relief from torture or embarrassment, declares a noted skin specialist. Apply a little Mentho-Sulphur and improvement shows next day.

Because of its germ destroying properties, nothing has ever been found to take the place of this sulphur preparation. The moment you apply it healing begins. Only those who have had unsightly skin troubles can know the delight this Mentho-Sulphur brings. Even fiery, itching eczema is dried right up.

Get a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

NO FUTURE CHANGES IN STATE HIGHWAYS

The State Highway Commission at its February meeting decided that no future changes or new designations would be made in the designated system of State highways. The present system as now designated has been approved by the federal government and the construction of many of the various highways now designated as State highways is well under way, so as to make it impractical and unsatisfactory to change designations from their present locations. The Commission advises citizens of this state not to go to the expense of coming to Austin to urge changes in the present designations or to have new designations made. Every effort will be made to complete the present system of highways as rapidly as possible and to keep this system in serviceable condition for the traveling public.

Miss Lucy Stephenson, of Fort Worth, who has been visiting her parents at Tennyson, was in the city first of the week.

4000 ACRES LAND PUT INTO FARMS

Special to The Ledger:

BRADSHAW, Tex., Feb. 27.—Prospects for crops in the Bradshaw territory are unusually bright. A deep bottom season is in the ground, and most all farms have been flat-broken this year.

All small grain is up and looking good. Grass is springing up in all pastures, adding materially to stock feeding and grazing.

Not only all old land has been prepared for crops another year, but some large bodies of ranch land are being put into farms. The Maltby League, a ranch containing over 4,000 acres, only two miles North of Bradshaw, heretofore hardly touched by a plow, is being broken up by tractors. It is reported Mr. Cartwright, the owner, intends to build, this fall, dwellings sufficient to handle his former ranch in farming.

Pride is being taken by nearly all the farmers in ordering the very best of planting seed, not only of cotton, but all other farm and garden seed.

Another item worthy of attention is the fact the farmers are not depending on crops alone.

IN San Antonio Gunter Hotel

OLD-DOC BIRDSON'S



The man with the hoe beats the man with the hokum.

There's nothing that "beats" our High Class

SHOE REPAIR SERVICE

Furthermore, you can place dependence in anything we tell you—if we say your shoes can be repaired to last longer, you can take our word with the privilege of using it as a guarantee.

Our work is so expert that we want only one trial to thoroughly convince you that we work in a very superior way.

Our results last—in other words we do Satisfactory Work.

Coy Drennan

HOSIERY

in Many Colors



Don't fail to see our line of Ladies' Hosiery and Underwear.

New line of Baby Silk Hosiery

Glad to serve you at any time. Come in and give us a trial.

THE IVORY

A. S. Love & Co.

A New Tire on the Market

but we are unable to figure out its name, as its first appearance in the paper showed it under the name of One Lot of Tires, but with two tubes. We notice it not only changed its price but the only name appearing with it is KING TUT, with all the relics coming out of King Tut's tomb, it is possible that we have here some tires, that have come as relics. We wonder.

We sell nothing that we are not proud of the name, and all our tires are A-1 firsts, and carry a Standard Guarantee.

We Sell Federal, Fisk, Brunswick and Lee Tires—

Brunswick Tires	and give a tube free, and we sell
30x3	\$6.00 at the old price, no changes in
30x3 1/2	8.00 prices, to pay for the tube.
30x3 3/4 Cord	9.50

Our tubes are of a quality that one is enough for any tire and we give one FREE with any tire.

Anything electrical—NO FIX—NO PAY.

M. G. Justice Motor Co.

Phone 169

TONSILITIS

Apply thickly over throat—cover with hot flannel—



The poultry and hog industry will be increased this year fully fifty per cent over that of last year, and many of the raisers are stocking their pens with purebred poultry and hogs.

The Bank of Bradshaw has unusual large deposits for this time of the year, and reports the financial condition of the farmers of this vicinity as being excellent.

The lumber yard reports good business and big sales of all kinds of building materials throughout January and February. The

farm implement dealers report their sales of farm machinery almost double those of last year.

H. C. Wooley, for the past year or more operator for the Western Union Telegraph Co. in Ballinger, left for Taylor Tuesday afternoon, where he goes with a promotion in the Western Union service.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS

is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over Forty Years. Sold by all druggists. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

SHIRT SALE!

Commencing Friday, Feb. 22nd And Ending March 1st

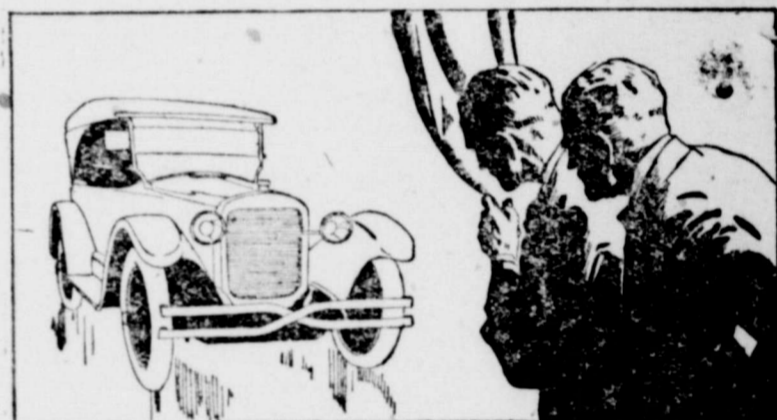
- One lot Shirts, regular price \$2.00, on sale at **\$1.00**
- One lot Shirts, regular price \$1.50, on sale at **\$1.00**
- One lot Shirts, regular price \$1.00, on sale, two for **\$1.00**
- One lot Khaki Pants, while they last for **\$1.00**

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Send your clothes to a master cleaner—only complete cleaning plant in Runnels County.

Thorp & Wardlaw

"The Men's Store." Telephone 63



When you bring your car here to have it washed, you may do so with the expectation of being satisfied or there will be no charge. An expert is in charge of this particular work, using an entirely new and different method of cleaning, both inside and outside, upholstering in sedans and coupes cleaned by vacuum cleaners. Also gas and oils, and storage. Plenty parking space, will call and deliver your car.

WARD SERVICE STATION

Phone 666. 8th Street, South of Postoffice.

Big Offer

For one week only, we will give a four piece set of Community, Twenty Year, Par Plate Silver for \$1.00 on the following conditions.

Van Camp Labels and \$1

Send us 18 Van Camp Trade Marks and one dollar and receive the silver.

The wrappers from any Van Camp product are good on this offer.

See our special Van Camp window.

JEANES COMPANY

Telephones 318 and 357