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J. O. Woodward Sick. Special Judge Named

After a forenoon of recess, on account of illness of Judge J. O. Woodward, district court convened at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Judge F. L. Snodgrass presiding. Judge Snodgrass sounded the appearance docket, issued a few orders and took up the Green case, and the court went to trial with this case.

A case of some local interest, involving the Fo-to-sho Theatre, was set for hearing Thursday morning. This is a suit in which H. T. Hodge, of Abilene, is seeking to force S. A. B. Hamilton to carry out a contract of sale which Hodge alleges Hamilton entered into for the sale of the Fo-to-sho to Hodge.

Judge J. O. Woodward returned to his home at Coleman Tuesday morning ill, and Judge F. L. Snodgrass, of Coleman, arrived on the noon train to preside in the absence of Judge Woodward. Judge Snodgrass was elected as special judge for the week at a meeting of the local bar association held Tuesday morning, when it was announced that Judge Woodward was ill and not able to hold court. Judge Snodgrass was notified by phone that he had been elected and accepted the temporary judgeship.

Judge Woodward was quite ill Monday night in his room at a local hotel. He has been suffering with a severe cold for more than a month, and was sick when he convened court here Monday afternoon, but thought that perhaps his trouble would wear away. He came to the court house for a few minutes Tuesday morning, but returned to the hotel and later went to his home in Coleman.

Court recessed Tuesday morning pending the arrival of Judge Snodgrass. At 1:30 p. m. the case of Hattie Green vs. T. F. Green, a suit for partition of property, was taken up. This case was set for this hour by Judge Woodward Monday, and is a suit in which Dallas parties are interested. Parties to the suit arrived here from Dallas Monday morning. Frank G. Harmon, of Dallas; A. K. Doss, Parish & Crager, are attorneys in the suit.

George Murray and wife, of Breckenridge, are visiting relatives here. Mr. Murray is a Runnels county boy, and he says that he is thinking about coming back home. Conditions in Breckenridge are a little dull at this time.

WEATHER STOPS WORLD FLYERS

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The hop to Omaha, the next stage of the flight for the round-the-world flyers, was postponed until tomorrow. Lieut. Smith, who is in command of the squadron, decided that the weather conditions were too inclement to continue the flight today.

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TABOR CASES SET FOR OCTOBER 2

The four murder cases growing out of the killing of Crawford A. Tabor last December, have been set for trial during the third week of district court, and the defendants will be arraigned before the bar to answer to the murder charges Monday, October 2nd.

The court ordered a special venire of 144 men from which to select the jury, and Sheriff J. P. Flynt is busy summoning the veniremen. These cases will bring to Ballinger more than fifty witnesses, in addition to persons who are either directly or indirectly interested in the case.

The John Smith murder case is set for next Monday, Sept. 22nd., and a special venire of 108 men are being summoned for this case. John Smith, negro, is charged with the murder of F. J. Kuhn at Rowena in August of last year.

In addition to the John Smith case, other criminal cases will be called next week. In case Judge J. O. Woodward does not recover sufficiently from his present illness to return to the bench by next Monday, the bar will meet and elect a special judge for the week. The remainder of this week will be devoted to trial of civil cases, both jury and non-jury.

MARINE DISASTERS FOR 1923 GIVEN BY LLOYDS

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Sept. 16.—A statistical return of world shipping losses during the year 1923, issued by Lloyd's Register of Shipping, shows that the casualties during the year numbered 466, of which 324, representing a total of 494,364 gross tons, were steamers and motorships and 142 sailers, representing 82,208 tons.

In the steamer and motorship section 175 are recorded as wrecked, 38 foundered, 36 collided, 31 missing, 29 burnt, ten abandoned, and five lost.

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FAMOUS CAKE BAKER DEAD

(By Associated Press)
NASHVILLE, Sept. 16.—Mrs. Betty Lyles Wilson, age 64, and Domestic Science expert who was known during the administrations of Presidents McKinley, Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson as "the president's cake maker," died last night following eighteen months illness. Mrs. Wilson was among the first women to produce cake with intricate icing designs.

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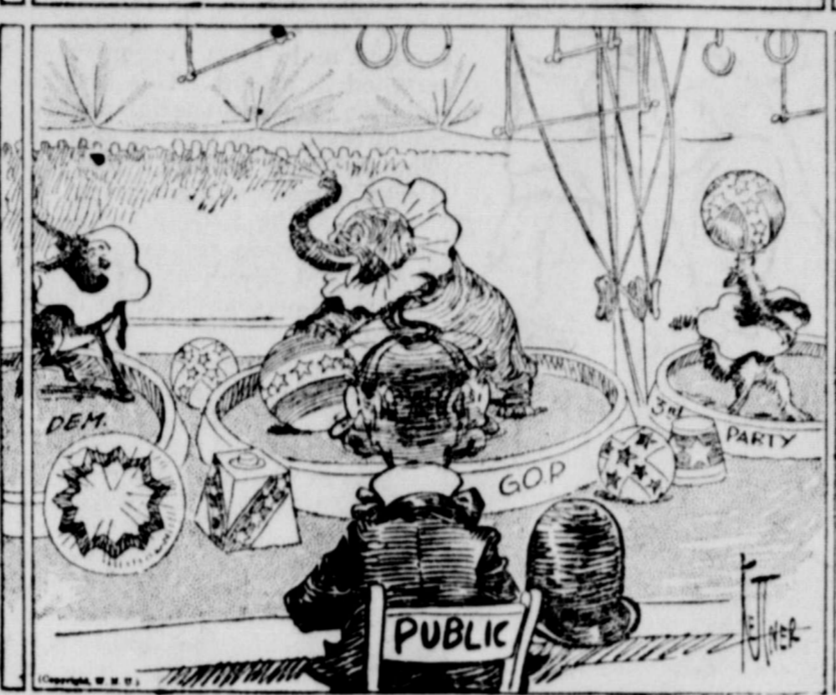
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In all branches of the livestock division prices have been raised and made to cover both registered and grade stock. Heretofore prizes have been paid on registered stock only, but the committee considered that graded stock in Runnels county was almost as important as registered and are offering half as much as for registered stock shown in all departments. In the swine department, premiums were raised from the \$3.00 first prize on registered hogs to \$10.00 for first prize.

Aside from raising the prizes in the different departments, many new entries have been added that will make good exhibitions and will attract the interest of those who come to visit the fair. The department of curios, antiques and relics offers some good prize money and is a new department—one that should prove very interesting too. This department is not limited to just the items listed in the catalog but any article displayed that is worthy will receive a ribbon and cash in accordance with the score. Pot plants in the floral department will be a feature which will attract the

REPUBLICANS TO GOV. DAVIDSON WAGE CAMPAIGN

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—Austin was the center of interest for republicans today by reason of several scheduled political events. The chief point of interest is the conference of republican leaders with George Butte, candidate for governor. Closely connected with this is a meeting of the board of regents of the University of Texas to consider Butte's resignation as dean of the law school. As soon as the board has acted Butte said he would make a formal announcement of his plans.

Republican party leaders here said they were planning the most vigorous campaign ever attempted in Texas.

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—The resignation of Dr. George C. Butte as dean of the law school of the University of Texas, was accepted today by the board of regents.

The board of regents immediately elected Prof. Ira Hildebrand, who has been professor in the school many years, to succeed Dr. Butte.

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WOMAN ROUTS BANK ROBBERS; ONE DEAD

MAN KILLED IN FIST FIGHT

(By Associated Press)
WEATHERFORD, Tex., Sept. 16.—Parry Kincaid, age 48, of Ft. Worth, died in a hospital here today from injuries received in a fist fight last Saturday. Jim Crawford, a local jeweler, has been placed under arrest and released on \$2,000 bond to answer to a charge of murder. The men had a dispute over a business deal, the officers said.

MAN'S BODY IS FOUND IN ROAD

(By Associated Press)
WICHITA FALLS, Sept. 16.—Mystery surrounds the slaying of a man believed to be J. B. Watson, whose body was found stretched across a narrow lane off the Burkburnett road near here today by a farmer.

The man was shot twice under the right arm, but no marks could be found to indicate a struggle. The only clue to identity was a laundry claim check found in the man's clothing made out to J. B. Watson. The slain man's pistol was at his side but no cartridges had been fired.

RENEW ATTACK IN CHINESE WAR

(By Associated Press)
SHANGHAI, Sept. 16.—The Kiangsu army today opened a renewed and determined offensive near Lioino on the Yangtze River West of here in an effort to reach the Woosung fort, according to reports issued by the Lungwa headquarters of the Chekiang army.

Simultaneously attacks were launched by Kiangsu forces at Kiating and along the railway. Bombardments are progressing along the entire line and the casualties continue to mount.

The battle lines are apparently unchanged by the renewed fighting.

PERSHING MAY HEAD LEGION

(By Associated Press)
ST. PAUL, Sept. 16.—The annual parade of the American Legion featured the second day's program of the annual convention today.

A move has been started at the convention to elect General John J. Pershing as national commander of the Legion. The Legionnaires are boosting him and it is reported that they are trying to ascertain the general's attitude towards the move.

Charles Daves, republican vice-presidential candidate, attended the session today, and marched in the parade with the "buddies."

MAN SHOTS SELF WHILE CLEANING GUN

A receipt was received at Ballinger about 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon stating that a man at that place had accidentally shot himself while cleaning his gun. The report did not give the name of the man. Dr. A. S. Love was called to render surgical aid and Sheriff Flynt accompanied the surgeon to make an investigation, and they had not returned from the scene of the shooting when the Ledger went to press.

(By Associated Press)
TULSA, Okla., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Mary Carlinghouse, cashier of the Vera State Bank at Vera, Oklahoma, a small village in Washington county, and a posse of citizens, today frustrated an attempt made by two men to rob the bank.

One of the bandits was killed and the other wounded and later captured by the posse who went to the woman's rescue when she stood the bandits off.

Acid Pumps Made of Porcelain

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, Sept. 16.—Suction pumps of porcelain for handling powerful acids have been built by the state porcelain manufactory here, and are declared to be superior to metal pumps affected by acid erosion. The new pumps will be used by chemical works and laboratories where acids are handled.

RUNNELS SHEEP PRIZE WINNERS

Runnels county sheep took all prizes at the San Saba county fair and the inhabitants of that county think that Runnels county is really the country of fine sheep it is. Three of our sheepmen took their stock to San Saba for exhibition, those showing being Deo Oliver, Edgar Jayroe and Will Hale. The premium list for sheep amounted to \$168.50 and the Runnels county men got it all but \$5. One man from Ohio won two second places where the Runnels county men had no entries.

The Runnels growers sold quite a number of their sheep on display and Mr. Oliver sold all he had there and shipped two rams since returning home. Mr. Oliver and Mr. Jayroe were showing the Rambouillet breed and Mr. Hale the Delaine. This was a new feature for the San Saba fair and the premiums were listed in their catalog at a very low rate but after arriving there the directors of the fair increased the premiums and invited the men to return there next year saying that they would make it interesting next time.

There are no better sheep in the world than right here at home and when the Runnels County Fair opens it will be worth your while to visit this department as there will be many entries and some of the best and prettiest animals that will be on exhibition in any fair in Texas this year.

Mr. Hale was transacting business in Ballinger Tuesday and said he would be busy for the next six weeks "making" fairs. He will go to Brownwood the last of this month and will also make San Angelo and Abilene before coming home to our fair.

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The question of hotel facilities is one which the city will have to contend with during the fair.

The reason some people do not have more liberty is because they abuse what they have.

Crime is about the most expensive thing this county has to contend with. If you don't believe this, watch court proceedings, etc.

If husbands and wives would quit killing each other, murder in this country would be reduced about fifty per cent.

"We have pretty good dry weather roads, but when it rains we are 'blowed up,'" said a man Monday who has devoted some time to working for good roads in this county. Fortunately we live in a dry country.

In 1912 the per capita tax of Texas amounted to \$21.07. In 1924 we are told that it will amount to \$75. It is high time we were looking for a Moses to lead us out of the wilderness of extravagance.

Motor over to Abilene one day during the fair, or two days, if you can get away, and you will get an inspiration which will make you a better booster for the Rannels County Fair. The Abilene show starts next Monday and closes Saturday night.

There are 15,500,000,000 postage stamps and 1,250,000,000 postal cards sold in the United States every year, and we are living in an age when most of the courting is carried on by auto and telephone.

Co-operative marketing may solve some of the farmers' troubles, but they should keep an eye on the overhead expenses of such organizations. It is said that in the past ten years the farmers have paid in membership fees nearly \$25,000,000 for organization.

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tion expenses, salaries, commissions, office rent, etc. After spending that amount of money experimenting, they are entitled to some good results.

PRAYER IN POLITICS

In the recent political fracas Felix D. Robertson frequently closed his speaking with prayer. Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson also stated from time to time that she was praying that the Ferguson name might be vindicated, and since the election she has publicly declared that she was praying for divine guidance in her political career. In tendering his resignation as law dean of the State University, Dr. Butte states that he accepted the republican nomination for governor after he had gone to his stateroom on the ship while sailing the high seas en route home from Europe, and on bended knees asked for divine guidance.

We do not question the sincerity of any of the gubernatorial aspirants, or their faith in an all-wise God, while at this time, with Texas making political history, and there is a state of political dissatisfaction, we believe that all things will work out for the best.

However, faith without works will not accomplish much, and while the candidates are devoting much time to prayer, the people must do some voting. No one knows just what will develop in Texas politics between now and the general election.

After all has been said and done, the final result rests in the hands of the sovereign voters of Texas, who should not leave all the praying to the candidates. It is time to sidetrack prejudice, look the matter squarely in the face, consider what step would be for the best interests of Texas as a whole and vote accordingly, letting your conscience be your guide, provided you have not permitted prejudice to dwarf your conscience.

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STUDY OF OUR RURAL SCHOOLS

The rural schools of Rannels county scored another big mark in the educational world through a one hundred page bulletin just issued by the University of Texas. The bulletin is entitled "A Study of Rural Schools in Rannels county, Texas," and the entire hundred page bulletin is devoted to Rannels county schools.

The bulletin was prepared by J. L. Tennant, research specialist in rural education, and E. E. Davis, professor of education of Stephen F. Austin State Teachers' College, and printed by the University of Texas free of cost to Rannels county. A large number of the bulletins were printed for distribution, and County Superintendent J. J. Bugg received an initial shipment Monday.

Mr. Bugg was feeling good over the work made in the study, and he had a "crow" coming as the Rannels schools made a good showing when compared with other schools in older and more thickly settled counties.

The study is the most comprehensive ever made of the rural schools of this county, and in fact is the first study made, Rannels county being selected as one of the typical counties in Texas from which to make the survey. The other counties surveyed by the committee were Smith, Williamson, Karnes and Wichita.

The financial survey shows that of the five counties named above in four the wealth per pupil is less than the average for the state. The average wealth per school child for the state is \$2,663, while the wealth of Rannels county is \$1,857 per child; Smith, \$617; Karnes, \$1,953; Wichita, \$8,627; and Williamson, \$2,458.

The bulletin elaborates not only on the financial conditions of the rural schools of Rannels county, but on grounds, buildings, equipment, trustees, communities and schools, the teachers, the pupils, etc., and is illustrated with cuts of rural school buildings in Rannels county and a map of the county showing locations of each school and the date it was established.

The bulletin is a part of the program for survey and educational

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study of the rural schools of the state, five typical counties being selected from which to base the survey.

In their work the authors of the bulletin had the assistance of the county superintendent's office and of the office of the Young Men's Business League. The bulletins will go into the hands of educators throughout the state and out of the state, and while Rannels does not hold first place in point of comparison with all the counties, it ranks higher than any other county of similar age, and the study will be a good boost for the schools. It can be used by the school authorities of this county as a study for improving the school conditions.

ANOTHER NEW HOME PLANNED

W. G. Dunlap, one of the pioneer citizens of this city, and who has lived on Hutchings Avenue for thirty-five years, plans construction of a modern home on Marrell Avenue within the near future.

Mr. Dunlap has negotiated a deal, and the deal is being closed, in which he purchases seventy feet off the lot of the old Francis home facing Murrell and between the home of Ira Sims and Fred Mitchell. The lot was purchased from Mrs. Tom Ward.

Mr. Dunlap says he will begin at an early date the construction of a new home on the lot just purchased, and stated that he would occupy the new house. His rock home on Hutchings Avenue, Mr. Dunlap stated, is for sale.

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 A record of fifty years service must convince women of the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

WILL GIVE P-T PARTY SEPT. 19

The Parent-Teachers Association will be at home to the faculty, board of trustees and patrons of the school on Friday evening of this week. The entertainment will be given at the American Legion Club rooms at 8:00 o'clock, and the entertainment and program committee is busy.

All patrons of the school and those interested in its success are invited and most urgently requested to attend. This is an invitation, and no special or personal invitations will be sent out. The public is invited, and the Parent-Teachers Association has requested The Ledger to advertise the meeting and assure every patron and friend of the school that their presence will be appreciated.

This entertainment is for the patrons, faculty, board of trustees and friends of the school, and at some future date the association expects to plan and carry out an entertainment for the students of the school.

The committees in charge of the entertainment for Friday night of this week will leave nothing undone to make the occasion a pleasant one for those who attend, and the attendance should be large. Your presence will inspire interest in the schools and encourage the teachers, trustees and members of the association.

You are urged to be present at eight o'clock Friday.

Robert Bruce returned to Austin Monday afternoon to resume his work in the University of Texas.

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JEWISH WEDDING AT WINTERS SUNDAY

Miss Malvin Gottlieb and Alexander Krauss were united in matrimony at Winters Sunday evening, a rabbi from Fort Worth coming out and performing the ceremony.

The groom is a nephew of A. Krauss and the bride is a niece of Mrs. A. Krauss, of Winters, and both are "new-comers" to the United States. The groom has been in America a little more than a year, having come to this country from Hungary, and the bride has only been in the United States about nine months, coming from some European country, and both have been living in Winters since their arrival in this country, with the exception of a short time spent in New York after landing.

Dr. B. Kahn and family, of Ballinger, went up to Winters to participate in the wedding ceremony. Dr. and Mrs. Kahn giving away the groom and Mr. and Mrs. Krauss giving away the bride. Dr. B. Kahn acted as best man. There were about forty guests present at the wedding which took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Krauss.

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SATURDAY CROWD COMES ON MONDAY

The streets were crowded with people Monday, and merchants declared that it was the best Monday they had experienced in many months. Road conditions kept the crowd away Saturday, and with traffic conditions improved Monday, and the cotton fields too wet to permit pickers to return to work, many people came to town to transact business, do some trading and attend court. All lines of business boomed for the day.

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Sports

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Sonora Eleven Here Saturday

The Ballinger Hi School football eleven will formally open the season here Saturday when they tackle the strong Sonora Hi eleven.

The game promises to be a hard-fought one as the two teams are said to be evenly matched. The locals lost to Sonora last year on the latter's home grounds and they are determined to even the count next Saturday. Coach Oliver is putting the boys thru hard scrimmage this week, and they are gradually rounding into form. Realizing that a victory in their first game will encourage the locals and spur them on to greater achievements, Coach Oliver is striving hard to have them in top form.

The game is to be played at Fair Park. The whistle will blow promptly at 4:00 p. m. Up and at 'em!

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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 trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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TO GIVE BANQUET FOR FIRE COMPANY

E. C. Moor, of the City Cafe, will be host to the Ballinger Volunteer Fire Company members Wednesday evening. Covers will be laid for the fire fighters, and after a business session at the city hall the boys will repair to the City Cafe for a feast.

The local fire fighters recently saved the cafe from destruction by fire. A portion of the second story of the building occupied by the restaurant was burned out, and had not it been for the efficient work of the fire boys the cafe and all the other contents of the building would have gone up in smoke. It is as a token of appreciation that the firemen are to be the guests at a banquet prepared by Mr. Moor.

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HATCHEL GIN TO GET GOOD RUN

D. E. Averitt, manager of the Hatchel gin, was in the city Monday, and reported that he turned out forty-three bales of cotton, and was getting a good start when the rain stopped picking. The Hatchel gin did not start until last week, the crop in that community being later in opening than in other localities in the county, due to the better rain which fell in that section in July. The crops are said to be better around Hatchel than elsewhere in the county.

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Theo. Barris left last week for College Station, where he will enter A. & M. College.

FAIR JOBS OPEN FOR A FEW LABORERS

E. Shepperd, president of the Runnels County Fair Association, stated Tuesday that the committee could use a few laborers at the fair grounds. Work of getting the grounds in shape and bringing all the plans for the fair to a final finish is being pushed as rapidly as possible. "We only want hands who are willing to work and do it right," said the fair president.

A large part of the rising generation only gets up to sit down.

Even if marriages are made in heaven they must be kept at home.

Women will be men's equals before long, when the men start threatening to scratch or scream.

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Manville Bros. big tent theatre will set up in Ballinger for a run of all next week showing here under the auspices of the American Legion. The Manville show is a regular Ballinger show having made this town each year for the past several years and has always presented a good clean program, pleasing to the people and well attended. The show this year is under the same management, but is new in every respect. Mr. Manville, who was here Tuesday arranging for the opening Monday stated that only man who was with them last year is still on the job. "We are carrying twice as much scenery, actors, musicians and specialty people as we have ever brought here before," said Mr. Manville.

The tent will be at the same place, just at the end of the pavement on Hutchings Avenue and there will be plenty of parking space for your car.

The opening play for Monday night, Sept. 22nd, will be "One Girl's Experience," a comedy, drama with that "different" touch. It is described as a play with tender sentiment and good comedy mingled with heart drama that enthralls everyone.

The big feature with the company this year is the Famous Spanish Troubadors, eight of them presenting a big volume of novelty entertainment. All plays are new and will please and will be shown at prices that everyone can afford. Don't miss the opening night.

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NORMA TALMADGE PICTURE CLOSES RUN HERE TONIGHT

Though Norma Talmadge, as Mary Turner, in "Within the Law," the First National picture which closes tonight at the Maeroy Theatre, is seen as a clever breach-of-promise artist who always keeps "within the law," she has a habit of befriending girls who want to be honest.

This is because Mary herself had served an undeserved prison term for theft of which she was innocent, and it is because of this habit of hers that she is eventually cleared of the stigma of the past and the bars to her happiness are lifted.

When Helen Morris, a shop-lifter who wants to start on the right road calls on Mary and sees that she is the girl whom she has wronged, she is so overcome that she confesses the theft that sent Mary to prison. Nevertheless, Mary insists on helping Helen.

And it is this magnanimous action that reacts to the advantage of Mary.

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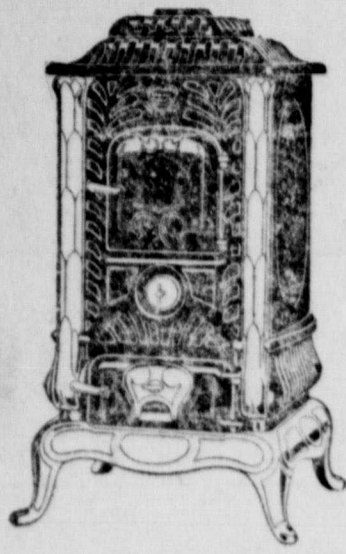
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You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the Stockholders to be held in the City of Miles, County of Runnels, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company on the 30th day of September 1924, between the hours of 2:00 o'clock p. m. and 8:00 o'clock p. m., to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage on all of its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired, to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in series so much of such bonds as may be necessary, not exceeding one million dollars, to be used in paying or exchange for the present indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition, construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, and for other lawful corporate purposes; each series of bonds to be issued to mature at such time and provide for the payment of such lawful rate of interest, to be tax free or not tax free, to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board; and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said proposed meeting.

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Among the visiting attorneys who joined those here attending court Tuesday were Judge C. O. Harris, Lee Upton and J. F. Sutton, of San Angelo.

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MILES NEWS NOTES

Special to The Ledger:
MILES, Sept. 15.—Misses Beulah Tracy and Norene Beaver left Monday morning for Abilene where they will attend McMurry College.

Berry Chapman, Nealy Talbott, and Earnest Coleman have gone to Stephenville where they will attend John Tarleton College.

H. V. Robinson has returned to his home at Jewett after visiting Miss Thelma Mitchell.

Joe Olive spent the week-end with relatives at Sweetwater.

J. W. Lumpkin and Amos J. Davis have returned home from San Saba where they spent several days.

Mrs. S. D. Farmer returned Sunday from Ballinger, where she had been at the bedside of her daughter, Miss Edna, who underwent an operation for appendicitis Saturday.

Doc Lewis of Brady is guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fletcher here.

R. J. Rountree of Talpa was here Saturday.

L. W. Wiley, of Dequoin, Ill., who had been visiting J. A. Pettis and family here, left Friday for Ft. Worth. Mrs. Wiley and baby remained here for a longer visit with her parents.

Miss Mattie Lee Miller has returned from San Angelo, where she visited friends.

B. A. Boykin and son, Willard, visited relatives in Robert Lee Monday.

Misses Mary Bess and Thresa Mae Herndon left Monday morning for Brownwood, where they will attend Howard Payne College.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ward left Monday morning for their home at Cisco, after being delayed here for the past two days on account of the rain. They visited relatives in San Angelo.

J. C. McDonald and son, Neal, were visitors to San Angelo Monday.

Roy Scott, of Mereta, had business here Monday.

Frank Howard was a business visitor here from Ballinger Monday.

Miss Rosa Dunman and nephew, Jesse Riley Dunman, of Paint Rock, were here Monday en route to Austin, where the boy will be placed in school.

Albert Graves left Monday for Austin with his little daughter, Lurene, whom he will place in the school for the deaf and dumb.

BETHEL PEOPLE IN FAIR RALLY

The citizens of the Bethel community are one hundred per cent behind the Runnels County Fair, and are supporting it to the full limit of their citizenship. The citizens met at the Bethel school house Monday night and appointed the various committees to represent that community in preparing a community exhibit, and to see that the Bethel section was well represented at the fair.

Prof. H. G. Secrest called the meeting to order, and introduced County Agent C. W. Lehmburg and Secretary J. D. Motley, who assisted the citizens in perfecting their committees, and in arranging for the fair. Five or six committees were appointed, as follows:

Agricultural committee—G. H. Dierschke, J. S. Greenhill, Lem Harvey

Ladies' department—Mrs. W. A. Hall, Mrs. H. G. Secrest and Mrs. Lem Harvey

Poultry committee—E. Koenig, W. M. Deavenport, J. C. Simmons

Livestock committee—W. H. Wilde, Marston Cotten and A. J. Nichols

School exhibit—H. G. Secrest, Miss Ella Jamison, Mrs. H. G. Secrest and Mrs. W. A. Hall

Boys and girls committee—Paul Killam, Mildred White and Kempner Shelburne.

The committees will meet at the school house at Bethel next Monday night to carry on their work and outline plans for coming to the fair one hundred per cent

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Mrs. R. E. Truly and children; Everett Bartlett and little sister, Virginia; and aunt, Miss Kirkpatrick, of Santa Anna, have returned from a week spent in Dallas.

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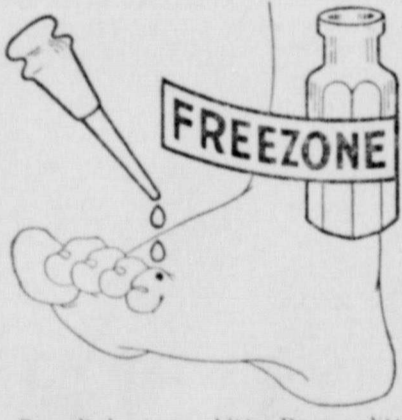
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