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ANGLO AD MAN SPEAKS AT MEET

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, May 14.—The convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World was brought to a close here today with the business session where the committee and other reports were made.
The name of the new candidate for president of the association, C. K. Woldridge, of New York, was announced and ratified by the convention. Next year's convention will be held in Philadelphia.
After the close of the convention here today scores of delegates will visit other Texas cities.

HOUSTON, May 14.—The newspaper equipment in most small towns is better than the work produced with this equipment, Roy McKinney, advertising manager of Baker-Hemphill Co., San Angelo, told a meeting of the Associated Retail Advertisers at the world advertising convention here today, advising merchants to make the best of the opportunities offered in their local newspapers.
Mr. McKinney said it would be found that the type used in most small town composing rooms are the same as used by the metropolitan papers.
"In almost every small town newspaper," he said, "the type afford a make-up for the small town merchant that will put his advertising in the big town class."
"If types were used with as much thought and as much precision as is given the handling of the merchandise, advertisements would immediately attract large sales. It isn't so much the type, as it is how you use it. There are seldom found in a good advertisement more than five sizes of type. These may be had in 90 per cent of the small town newspaper composing rooms in faces which make them easy to read, and lend to the advertisement's artistic and appealing force.
"If the type you want is not found in the composing room of your paper, you can usually buy the different fonts of type, and in many cases the publisher will buy them for you.
"The use of type is to the merchant just what his fixtures are to his store. Give just as much thought to the selection of them as you do your fixtures. They reflect good taste and high standards to the public before they get to see the inside of the store.
"You spend a great deal of time and money training salespeople, so that your volume will increase. Put just as much pep and selling force into your daily advertisements, and they will sell twice as hard."
H. H. Greiling, representing the Servel electrical refrigerating company, of Chicago, has been here this week doing some work for the West Texas Utilities Company.

THE WEATHER—

Tonight and Friday partly cloudy.



ELECTRICAL REPAIRS

Don't throw your broken iron away—let us repair it, or any other electric appliance that may need the services of an expert electrician. Have that fan cleaned now before summer weather hits.

Everett Electric Co.
Phone 197

TRAIN WRECK KILLS THREE

(By Associated Press)
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 14.—Three persons were killed and several passengers were injured when Pennsylvania Railroad passenger train No. 6 crashed into a derail at the DuPont siding, near Martinsville, Illinois, this morning.
The train was running at the rate of fifty miles per hour when it crashed into the derail.
Both engines of the double-header and three express cars were overturned.
Those killed were Dan Walsh and George Muench, engineers; and William Zimmerman, fireman.

MANY TEACHERS OFF TO EUROPE

(By Associated Press)
BRYAN, May 14.—Several hundred Texas school teachers are planning a summer trip to Europe to attend the convention of the World Federation of Education in Edinburgh, Scotland, from July 20 to July 28, according to Leonard Power, principal of the Bryan high school, who will be one of the leaders of the party.
Many of the teachers will travel in organized groups, visiting France, Switzerland, Germany, Holland, Belgium and then England and Scotland.
The Texas delegation plan to leave New Orleans on June 14th.

RECITAL PROGRAMS TO PLEASE MANY

The joint recital given by the pupils of Miss Barkley, piano, and Miss Henson, expression, this afternoon; and another class of Miss Barkley's tonight, will no doubt bring out large crowds. The programs promise to be most interesting, and those who attend will not only encourage those taking part in the program, but will have the privilege of enjoying afternoon and evening in music and readings. The program tonight begins at 8:15 in the auditorium of the Baptist church.

May stayed in the air 38 hours with a balloon. Some have been up 38 years without any balloon.

Government boasts a surplus may permit another income tax cut, but who paid this surplus.

Man with three wives and 21 children has been sent to Sing Sing. The rest will do him good.

A man with tight shoes is more foolish than a woman with tight shoes because he should know better.

Hurry and get your Texas Paper before it's all gone—only 500 packages left. Ballinger Printing Co.

Be wise and advertise.

KLEENEX

A Sanitary Cold and Cleansing Cream Remover

A package of Kleenex contains hundreds of sheets of light fluffy, clear cream removers.

No greasy towel or rags. It is cheaper than laundry.

A MONTH'S SUPPLY
25c

**J. Y. Pearce
Drug Co.**

The Rexall Store

Phone 38 Free Delivery

RUM ROW ESTABLISHED OFF CALIFORNIA COAST PORTS

MORE RAILWAY FOR THE VALLEY

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, May 14.—At a luncheon here today, L. W. Baldwin, president of the Missouri Pacific system, announced that his road had obtained the option and bonds of the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf Railroad, and said that his company was ready to build any extension into the Rio Grande valley that is economically necessary.

BUENOS AIRES WRESTLES WITH TRAFFIC PROBLEMS

(By Associated Press)
BUENOS AIRES, May 14.—The city authorities of Buenos Aires, whose population is approaching the 2,000,000 mark, are faced with a transportation and traffic problem that is ever growing more serious. The city possesses over 520 miles of surface and subway lines, the former carrying 600,000,000 passengers annually and the subways 60,000,000, but these are insufficient to handle the daily passenger movement without overcrowding, delay and congestion.

Additional subways linking up distant separated railway terminals with motorbus feeder lines are the necessary solution of the problem, transportation authorities say, but although the company operating the present subway presented a proposition to the city some three years ago to construct a new one, inability to agree on terms has so far prevented its being started.

Many motorbuses have been in operation during the last year, but have eased the transportation facilities of the city only to a slight extent. Indeed, traffic congestion is increased largely by their use, together with the increasing numbers of automobiles.

Streets in the business section of the city are restricted to one way traffic, but even so vehicles in them move at a snail's pace during the busy hours.

MESSAGES FROM FIRE FIGHTERS

The Ledger is in receipt of a telegram from Ballinger's delegation of fire fighters attending the state convention at Cisco. The message was signed "Cherry and Doose," and said, "Parker of San Angelo, elected fourth vice-president. Next convention at Harlingen."

A postal card signed "Cherry" was received by Earl Morley, and the card said, "town wide open—going to Ranger—chicken supper, etc."

The convention is due to close this afternoon and the fire boys will return home tonight and tomorrow.

WEST TEXAS ADDS TO COTTON YIELD

(By Associated Press)
COLLEGE STATION, Texas, May 14.—Seven million dollars has been added to the wealth of the state annually through increased cotton production in four Northwest counties alone, according to A. B. Connor, vice-director of the experiment station at Agricultural and Mechanical College here.

West Texas, he relates, produced 827,000 bales of cotton in 1923. It is estimated that final reports will show 1,000,000 bales produced in this region in 1924.
"The most rapid development in cotton production," he said, "has taken place in Northwest Texas where extensive areas of fertile soil are available. When one seeks the cause of this sudden activity, it is realized that we have unexpectedly discovered that cotton is well adapted to the region. Back of this is the fact that cotton has been found to possess an unusual ability to resist or evade drought, and hence produces well under conditions of limited rainfall."
"Twenty years ago this section was occupied very largely by cattlemen, and its potential value as a cotton producing region was not even suspected," Mr. Connor said. "Large holdings were yielding comparatively low returns, and hence the lands were rated at a low money value. Today the section is being rapidly settled by farmers, and the lands have increased rapidly in money values."
"The cotton producing region of the United States is having a readjustment, largely because of the boll weevil, Mr. Connor said. The boll weevil has cut short production in the more humid regions and the result has been a material increase in the cost of production which has forced production into regions where cotton can be grown at a lower cost.

"This readjustment seems to rest very largely on the performance of this new region as a cotton producing territory," he said. "The review of cotton production in West Texas for a period of 25 years will impress anyone with the steady increase in annual production of this crop."

Many Entertainments in Vienna (By Associated Press)
VIENNA, May 14.—Denying that Vienna is dead socially, Herr Breitner, city councillor, declares there were 7,129 entertainments in the city between January 1 and March 20. All paid amusement taxes despite the economic crisis through which Austria is passing.

San Pedro, Calif., May 14.—Rum runners, hi-jackers, and dry law enforcement officers are waging a triangular war here today for the control of San Pedro harbor.
The police and Federal prohibition agents admitted that they were having little or no success in stemming the flow of illicit liquor from the rum fleet of five schooners said to be lying off the coast between here and San Diego, but declared that they had evidence to show that the hi-jackers were making it hot for the contraband smugglers.
Between \$10,000 and \$20,000 worth of whiskey is being landed for the bootleg trade in or near the San Pedro harbor every day, the officers estimated.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Twelve of the sixteen liquor-laden vessels that had been anchored on "rum row" have been put seaward from Halifax, Nova Scotia, revenue officers reported today.
Two schooners and two steamships are the only liquor ships left on the row, it was reported by the authorities here.

QUEEN THEATRE

Friday and Saturday
Pictures and Vaudeville

Argentine "3"

DIFFERENT MUSIC
DIFFERENT DANCING

No advance in price for this treat.

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, May 14.—The price of liquor is going up in New York, and is going down in California. The reason given is the dry blockade on liquor ships on the Atlantic coast. In effect "rum row" has been moved to the Pacific coast.

It is said that many ships unable to do business on the Eastern coast have sailed for the Pacific coast, where customers are reported to be bringing loads of booze ashore regularly and without difficulty. Some estimates place the value of whiskey and other fancy liquors landed in and around San Diego within the last forty-eight hours at more than \$200,000.00.

COTTON USED DURING APRIL

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 14.—Cotton consumed during April aggregated 597,104 bales of lint and 59,136 bales of linters as compared with 478,583 bales of lint and 42,080 bales of linters during April of last year, the Census Bureau announced today.

\$300 BOND FOR CHIROPRACTORS

Bond in the sum of \$300 in each case was allowed in the chiropractor cases filed in the county court here Wednesday. In addition to the three complaints filed Wednesday against Dr. Fred Crowder, Dr. C. L. Andrus and Dr. A. S. Anderson, a complaint was filed against Dr. J. A. Craig, of Winters, Thursday, and he was arrested and placed under \$300 bond. All the bonds were made returnable Monday, when county court convenes here.
The chiropractors are charged with practicing in violation of the law, it being alleged that they are practicing medicine without license. The cases will be heard in county court before a jury. The defendants are preparing to contest the cases, having employed counsel.

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Movies Divert Air Passengers

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, May 14.—In the future airplane passengers who become bored while flying may be able to take in a movie during the voyage. One of the large Paris-London air expresses was recently equipped with a motion picture projector and, during a trial flight, a film was flashed on a screen inside the cabin, with 12 passengers as spectators.

Base Ball

Opening Game

Tomorrow

Friday, May 15th

San Angelo Bronchos

vs.

Ballinger

Fair Park 4:30

LET'S GO!





SALE
Of Ladies'
Beautiful
Ready-to-Wear

Special lot of Flannel Dresses \$29.75 and \$16.75 values
Jollification prices
\$16.75 and \$11.75

1 lot Satinface Cantons, Crepe and Bengaline Dresses
values \$18.50 to \$37.50 Jollification prices
\$12.75 \$18.75 \$24.75

Big assortment of Broadcloths, Voiles and Printed
Crepes, Jollification prices
\$7.50 \$12.75 \$15.00 \$32.50

New Millinery

Our Jollification prices and big, bright, new stock will surely make your visit to this section a real pleasure—a worth while visit.

Lot No. 1, \$5.00, and \$6.00 Hats go at
\$1.95

Lot No. 2, special good numbers at
\$2.95

Others at \$5.00 to \$7.50 and up to
\$15.00



Hosiery

Extra special Jollification prices on Children's Socks, 1 lot dandy values for **19c**

1 lot values up to 65c go at **39c**

Ladies' Silk Hose, fine Jollification at **83c**

Gordon H-300 dandy quality, regular price \$2.50, Jollification price **\$1.45**

All \$3.50 Hose go at **\$1.95**

\$2.25 Chiffon Hose **\$1.95**

House Dresses

The greatest value ever in House Dresses at **\$1.95**

Take a look at our House Dress Section—it's full of bargains. Some good ones cheap for the children too.

Ladies' Shoes

1 Lot Ladies' high heel Dress Slippers, values \$7.50 to \$10.00, Jollification special at, the pair

\$1.00

These are not new shoes, but they are great values.

Big lot high top Shoes at, a pair
50c

Some Jollification on these!

Do you have Foot Troubles? We help you to overcome them with Dr. Scholl's Foot Appliances.

Higginbotham
GREAT JOLLIFICATION

Celebrating the More to
With which Our Country

Beginning Friday

We are so thankful for this wonderful opportunity to make you feel even better. In doing so this JOLLIFICATION SALE making prices that will cut your cost on a saving event that will make you rejoice. Read

Toilet Articles

Jollification prices on Soaps.

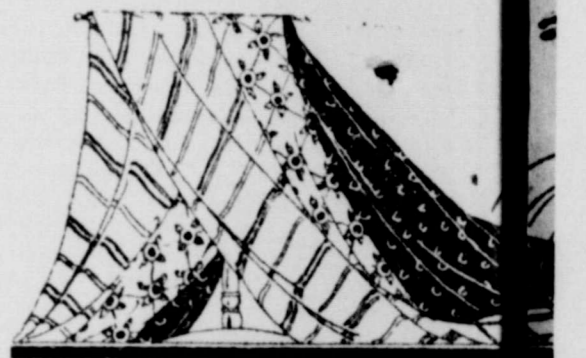
- Palm Olive Soap, 4 bars for ... **25c**
- Creme Oil Soap, 4 cakes for ... **25c**
- Jergen's King Cocoa, 4 cakes **25c**
- Ivory Guest Soap, 6 bars for **25c**
- Glycerine Tar Soap, 4 cakes ... **25c**
- Pummo Soap, 7 bars for **25c**
- Jergen's Talcum, 25c quality **19c**
- Woodbury's Shaving Cream **25c**
- Woodbury's Shaving Stick **25c**
- Jergen's Lotion **40c**
- Harriett Hubbard Ayres Almond Honey Cucumber Cream, **75c** value for **45c**

Wash Blouses

Hand-Made Wash Blouses, special values at \$1.65 and **\$2.95**
Real Bargains. Just the thing to wear with that "Winnie Winkle" Skirt.

Pencil Tablets

Seven 5c Pencil Tablets for ... **25c**



Piece Goods

- 1 lot Ginghams and Percaloes, Jollification prices, yard **12c**
- 1 assortment Ginghams, Jollification price **10c**
- 1 lot of 35c Ginghams, extra special Jollification price **2c**
- Big lot 50c Ginghams, as long as they last at **3c**
- Serpentine Crepe, 35c quality, good line colors, Jollification price, yard **3c**
- 50c grade Everfast Suiting, Jollification price **3c**
- Buckskin Cheviot, Jollification price, the yard **10c**
- Cowboy Cheviot, Jollification price the yard **10c**
- We are overstocked on Draperies. You'll see them to appreciate the values. Jollification price on every piece. They run upwards from **10c**
- Good heavy unbleached Domestic, Jollification price **10c**
- Good standard Bleached Domestic, Jollification special, good quality, at **10c**
- 9-4 wide Bleached Sheeting, Jollification price, yard **10c**
- 10-4 wide Bleached Sheeting, Jollification price, yard **10c**

Remember Jollification

Higginbotham

BALLINGER,

Ballin



If they love cake and hot bread at home . .

SURPRISE THEM! Give them muffins, or biscuits, or pastry that will seem to melt in their mouths before they can get a real bite. You can! All you have to do is to use Mrs. Tucker's Shortening in preparing them.

Mrs. Tucker's Shortening is a pure, wholesome, vegetable shortening. It is made exclusively of choice cottonseed-oil. When you use it, whether in making cakes or in frying foods, it imparts a wonderful richness like that of butter. But it is never heavy or greasy. And it goes much further than ordinary shortenings.

Mrs. Tucker's comes to you in an air-tight container that assures you absolutely pure and fresh shortening. It is easy to open, and convenient while you are using it. Once empty, it is useful in the house as a bucket or dinner pail. Interstate Cotton Oil Refining Company, Sherman, Texas.

Mrs. Tucker's Shortening
America's finest cooking fat

OPENING GAME HERE TOMORROW

"Play Ball!" will be yelled in front of the grandstand at Fair Park tomorrow afternoon at exactly 4:30 for the first time this year and will officially open the baseball season in Ballinger for 1925.

The San Angelo Bronchos will be the opposition and having already played several games this year they are bringing a good ball nine to Ballinger for this initial game on the local lot. All the proceeds of Friday's game will go to the Ballinger team and will be applied to the new uniforms, and the Ballinger fans are urged to come to this game and start the season off with plenty of pep and it is hoped by the management that enough money will be derived from this game to pay for the uniforms.

Thursday morning Manager Wooden was not sure just what the line-up would be but said "I will have plenty of good ball players tomorrow and if San Angelo wins they will have a run for their money. We will have twelve men in uniform and we will fight hard all the way."

The manager has had from 20 to 40 men coming out for the past two weeks and some good work has been done, however tomorrow will be the first time for the entire team to be on the field together. It has been hard for the management to pick men for the places out of so many players and tomorrow will be the first indication as to who will be regulars on the team.

SORE THROAT
Gargle with warm salt water—then apply over throat—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

SEPARATE MEET ARMS QUESTION

(By Associated Press)
GENEVA, May 14.—The American delegation to the League of Nations assembly and the international conference for the control of traffic in arms and munitions today officially filed an amendment to divorce the arms convention from the League of Nations. The presentation of the American amendment, although expected in many quarters, caused something of a sensation.

Movies

Anna Q. Nilsson Has Vamp Role in Latest First National

Not the mechanics of movie-making but the inwardness of a screen vampire's heart is laid bare on the screen of the Queen Theatre when "Inez from Hollywood," a First National picture, opened yesterday.

As if weren't enough to get a view of Hollywood's mysteries, the role of the reigning "vamp" is played by the alluring Anna Q. Nilsson. Although Anna Q. has never been associated with siren roles, she has made of Inez a most human and appealing character.

Lewis S. Stone is co-featured in the role of Stewart Cuyler, a rich man who "makes a play" for the vampire, but is finally ensnared in the meshes of true love for her younger sister, Fay, thereby giving rise to a situation which the author has solved in a striking manner.

Pretty Mary Astor appears as Fay, and Laurance Wheat, remembered from his many pictures with Thomas Meighan, as Inez's business manager, Sutz Edwards, Rose Dione, Harry Depp, Ray Hallor and E. H. Calvert are also in the cast.

The production is beautifully mounted and contains innumerable dramatic thrills. It is based on a magazine story by Adela Rogers St. Johns, a former newspaper woman.

Alfred E. Green, director of "In Hollywood with Potash and Perlmutter," also directed this "Hollywood" story, and Arthur Edson, famous for his photography of "The Lost World," was at the camera. J. G. Hawks wrote the screen continuity.

Popular Star in Stirring Western at the Maeroy

When the tumult and the shouting dies and the captains and kings make hasty exits, to paraphrase Mr. Kipling, there still stands one Western star who "tops 'em all" or rather two stars. They are Fred Thomson and Silver King. And their current engagement at the Maeroy Theatre proves conclusively that they are two of the most popular luminaries on the silver sheet.

"That Devil Quemado," which closes tonight at the Maeroy—a part played with finesse, dash and distinction by the indomitable Fred, is one of the best pictures he has ever had. Gloria Hope has the leading feminine role, in this production, directed by Del Andrews.

For a well-rounded production, with everything of entertainment value from laughs to tears, this proves a good offering.

Dresser Classic on Screen for Last Showing at Fo-to-sho Tonight
J. Stuart Blackton's fine photo-

play, "On the Banks of the Wabash," based on the famous song by Paul Dresser, actually uses the words of the song so popular throughout the country a few years ago, as the basis of its plot. It has its locale in a small town on the banks of the Indiana river. Its characters are mostly the plain village type found in the Hoosier State, although there are a few scenes in a large city.

The cast to portray the unusual characters was selected with extreme care and includes Mary Carr, Burr McIntosh, Madge Evans, Mary MacLaren, James Morrison and others of note. "On the Banks of the Wabash" will be shown for the last time at the Fo-to-sho Theatre tonight, ending a two-day run.

Be wise and advertise.

WELL ONE DAY IN BED THREE

That Was the Life of Mrs. Hollister Until she Began Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Wyandotte, Michigan. — "After my baby was born I did not do my own work for six months and could hardly take care of my own baby. I always had a pain in my right side and it was so bad I was getting round shoulders. I would feel well one day and then feel so bad for three or four days that I would be in bed. One Sunday my mother came to see how I was, and she said a friend told her to tell me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. So the next day I got a bottle and before it was half taken I got relief. After I was well again I went to the doctor and he asked me how I was getting along. I told him I was taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and he said it did not hurt anyone to take it. I am always recommending the Vegetable Compound to others and I always have a bottle of it on hand." — Mrs. HENRY HOLLISTER, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 7, Wyandotte, Mich.



Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a dependable medicine for all women. For sale by druggists everywhere.

KING-HOLT

UNDERTAKING DEPARTMENT

Licensed Embalmers
E. E. KING
and
J. A. OSTERTAG

AMBULANCE SERVICE

Funeral Director
E. E. King

Day 82 Phones Night 372

Ballinger, Texas



THE NEW COLLAR-ATTACHED Summer Shirts

They've just arrived—these fine SHIRTS with the long pointed collars. Offered in all the popular materials and in a variety of colors and patterns that makes selection easy.

Drop in today and see them, we will be glad to have you come and look at these beautiful shirts.

CLEANING — PRESSING — REPAIRING

We give Quick Service, But Take Time to Do it Right

Thorp and Cohen, Tailor Shop

Phone 63 We Deliver

A CRY IN THE NIGHT, gripping pains in the vitals, cramps, weakening diarrhoea—whether child or adult, immediate comfort and ease in **CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC and DIARRHOEA REMEDY**
Keep it always in your home.

TOO MUCH OIL FOR PIPE LINE

A solid trainload of oil from the Reagan county field passed thru Ballinger early Thursday morning, which is a common occurrence here since the production in that field has begun to increase. The

Humble Co.'s pipe line is carrying approximately 20,000 barrels of oil per day, but the production is already so large that the single line of pipe cannot take care of it, and the railroads are operating oil trains.

The report has been current for some time that another pipe line company was contemplating construction of a line into the Big

Lake area, or that the Humble Co. would add another pipe line to its present string.

Haverhill, Mass., girls wear bells on their rolled stockings. It isn't necessary here.

H. C. CONNER
General Blacksmith and Repair Work
Horseshoeing a specialty. All work guaranteed. Shop located on Strong Ave., Ballinger

QUEEN THEATRE

Telephone 167

SPECIAL ORCHESTRA MUSIC TODAY — AND LAST TIME TO SEE—



With
Anna Q. Nilsson
Lewis Stone
Mary Astor



The real story of Hollywood—back stage stuff—vampires, villains, ingenues, heroes, sheores—prominent personalities and Inez herself, the vampiest vamp of them all.

Also

Almanac and Pathe Review
—REGULAR ADMISSION—

TOMORROW AND SATURDAY

Pictures and Vaudeville

ARGENTINE TRIO

Different Music

Different Dancing



TAKE CARE OF YOUR HAIR!

Many men wonder why their hair becomes gray prematurely, why it falls out, why it is coarse, and why it is so oily.

Our shampoos have aided many men who may be classified in the above. They will remove all grease and oil; they will cleanse the hair, permitting natural growth they will preserve the natural lustre and prevent premature baldness.

THOMAS'

BARBER SHOP

8th Street

MAEROY THEATRE

TODAY



The horseman of the Hills—The Buccaneer of Hearts—Kidnapper of beautiful women—A Romeo, Lothario and Lovhinvar combined—sweeping down from the mountains on his great white charger—swinging under balconies—seizing damsels and swirling them to the front of his saddle!

Action! Romance! Adventure! Speed! Every second of the time!

ALSO

"STILL GOING STRONG"
A Specialty Comedy

10c ADMISSION 25c

WHATEVER YOUR BANKING NEEDS

You will find "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER" equipped to handle them.

It places at the command of its customers every banking service within the scope of THE NATIONAL BANK ACT and its extensive affiliations broaden materially its capabilities of usefulness.

The First National Bank

Of Ballinger
SINCE 1886

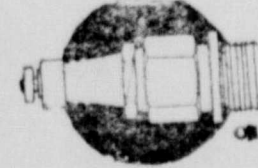
If It Is—

Accessories



YOU NEED

We Have Them



CAMERON'S GARAGE

BALLINGER,

TEXAS

Ballinger Daily Ledger

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It was generally predicted, and naturally to be expected, that Dr. Butte would land an easy berth in the republican administration, but for all that the republicans have not erred, as Dr. Butte is one of the ablest lawyers in his profession and is thoroughly qualified for the Porto Rico attorney generalship to which Mr. Coolidge has assigned him.

Trinity county voted 6 to 1 for a \$1,500,000 road bond issue on May 9th, which was on Saturday. On the Monday following the state highway commission announced that \$800,000 in state aid had been granted to that county, making a total of \$2,300,000 for road building in Trinity county. Such spirit will pull any county out of the mud.

Farmers of this county are making themselves conspicuous in Ballinger by their absence, and it is a mighty good indication that conditions are in tip top shape. It is the choice time of the planting season, and the farmers are making the time count.

The Knights of Pythias of Texas have put up \$77,000 to build another dormitory for girls at the K. P. orphan home at Weatherford. A class of beautiful girls, the first to graduate from the eleventh grade, will receive their diplomas from the K. P. school at the close of the present session. There is no work more worthy than raising and educating orphan children to be useful citizens, and it is a work everyone should contribute to supporting regardless of church or lodge affiliation.

This is "Better Home Week" in Texas. An organization which was formed in 1922 to promote better homes in America, is ap-

EAT TOO FAST

South Carolinian Took Black-Draught For Indigestion, and Says He Could Soon Eat Anything.

Ballentine, S. C.—Mr. W. B. Bouknight, of this place, gave the following account of his use of Theford's Black-Draught.
"Just after I married I had indigestion. Working out, I got in the habit of eating fast, for which I soon paid by having a tight, bloated feeling after meals. This made me very uncomfortable. I would feel stupid and drowsy, didn't feel like working. I was told it was indigestion. Some one recommended Black-Draught and I took it after meals. I soon could eat anything any time.

"I use it for colds and biliousness and it will knock out a cold and carry away the bile better and quicker than any liver medicine I have ever found."

Eating too fast, too much, or faulty chewing of your food, often causes discomfort after meals. A pinch of Black-Draught, washed down with a swallow of water, will help to bring prompt relief. Bloating, sensations, eructations, bad breath and other common symptoms of indigestion have disappeared after Black-Draught has been taken for several days. NO-164



pealing to various organizations to join in observing the week set aside for improving home conditions. The American home is the foundation of civilization, and be it ever so humble there is no place like home. Home ties are the ties that bind the tightest, and there is something sadly lacking in the home which does not form such ties.

"COLD IN THE HEAD"
is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Those subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "run down" condition. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a treatment consisting of an ointment to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the Blood on the Mucous 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.

PLAY AND WORK

Baseball games, in which the gallery becomes the players, are becoming a reality in San Angelo, with numerous business establishments perfecting team organizations. Employees are entering into the idea with enthusiasm and they're being made more enthusiastic with the enjoyment they get out of participation in the contests being played almost daily.

It is very doubtful if any one could get 75¢ worth of physical good out of witnessing any ball game, but immeasurable good comes from actual participation. Exercise is an antidote to the ills that flesh is heir to and it means increased physical efficiency in performing daily duties as well as

A SURPRISE

People are surprised at the quick action of simple buckthorn bark, magnesium sulph. c. p. glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adlerika. This removes stomach GAS in ten minutes and brings out a surprising amount of old poisonous matter you never thought was in your system.

No matter what you have tried for stomach trouble or constipation Adlerika is so wonderful in its QUICK action that you will be astonished. This excellent intestinal evacuant stops that full, bloated feeling and makes you enjoy eating. Don't waste time with pills or tablets but get REAL Adlerika action today! J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

Ed O'Kelly is at home from Lubbock, Littlefield and other places on the plains. He says that some sections of the plains country are still shy no rain, only light rains falling in some places.

We make old Mirrors new. If your mirror is scratched up we make it over as good as new. See us at Hamilton & Blair Second-Hand Store by depot. 1-134

Coolidge, president, hugged a girl. She was only two years old.

FINAL MEETING ON PLANT DEAL

What was expected to be the final joint meeting of the City Commission and advisory committee, with representatives of the West Texas Utilities Company, was scheduled to convene at 1:00 o'clock Thursday, when the deal in which the city is selling its municipal light plant to the utilities company for \$85,000 was due to be finally consummated and a transfer of the property made to the purchasers.

Price Campbell, general superintendent and assistant manager; R. M. Wolfe, secretary-treasurer; and Judge Hickman, attorney for the West Texas Utilities Company were due to be here for the meeting. It was announced that the utilities company's bond, securing the city against the payment of the \$85,000 city bonds, together with \$20,000 in cash was ready to be delivered to the city, and in turn the city would transfer the title of the city's electrical properties to the utilities company. With this done the city retires from the electrical business.

The meeting Thursday was also expected to serve as a regular meeting of the City Commission, the commission going into an executive session after the joint session, to attend to the regular routine work and any special business which might come before the commission.

INTEREST UNABATED

Church of Christ, Ninth St., Services 8:30 p. m.

Another large congregation assembled last night to hear Evangelist J. N. Cowan discourse on "The One Faith." People from different communities over the county as well as town people are attending the meeting, and one very appreciative mark of interest is, the same faces are seen in the audience every night. Brother Cowan is delivering a series of sermons on the "seven ones," and it is very interesting to see him develop the different planks in the "Christian's platform."

He showed clearly last night the one faith to be the faith that Christ was the "author and finisher of," called "the faith of Christ." "The faith once delivered to the saints." That before this faith came we were kept under the law which was a schoolmaster to bring us to Christ, but since that faith has come we are no longer under the schoolmaster. The faith of Christ did not mean the belief of Christ for the reason that Christ did not believe anything, but had perfect knowledge of all things, but the system of doctrine authorized and fin-

ished by Him. The Gospel is the faith of Christ, and we must believe this Gospel to be saved. "He that believeth not shall be damned." The world shall be united upon this faith because it is essential to salvation, but the peculiar beliefs of denominations were not essential. The true ground of union must be found upon the required faith of Christ, and not upon denominational creeds. Brother Cowan is strong in argument, kind in his manner of presentation, and his wide experience as an evangelist qualifies him for driving the truth home to the hearts of his hearers.

Subject tonight: "The One Baptism."

"REPORTER"

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harwell went to Midland Thursday morning. They went to accompany Mrs. Chas. Gibbs, of Midland, home. Mrs. Gibbs had been the guest of Mrs. Harwell for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Harwell will spend the week-end at Midland, returning home Sunday.

C. Black, of Marie, was here Wednesday to accompany his son back to Marie, after spending three weeks in the Halley & Love sanitarium.

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Wallace Bread

We have Wallace Bread fresh for those who wish to reduce.

Sweet Milk and Cream

We sell milk from the Kemp Dairy and its fine. Let Piggly Wiggly be your milk man.

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Yeast

for those who use it

It is guaranteed to be always fresh.

Meats

You select the kind of meat you want, because you can see it at Piggly Wiggly.



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There are several things to be considered in selecting your bank—

- 1st. Strength—financial strength.
- 2nd. The care with which the bank is managed.
- 3rd. The courtesy and spirit of accommodation displayed by the officers and employees.
- 4th. The banking experience of its officer.
- 5th. The ability of the bank to properly and promptly handle all your business.

To those wishing desirable banking relations, we offer our services, promising courteous treatment and careful attention to all business intrusted to our care.



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Ledger want ads pay.

The Texas Qualified Druggist League Says:



"If we expect the druggist to be ready with his skill and with pure, fresh drugs when we need him, then it is only right that we should cooperate with him when we need any of the merchandise he sells."

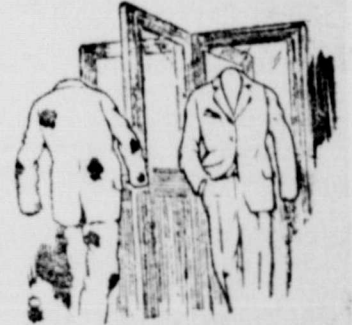
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Read the League's Message in Farm and Ranch and Holland's Magazine.

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THEY GO IN OLD—BUT COME OUT NEW—
A new suit for your old one—that's the WEINBERG way of DRY CLEANING. Removes dirt, grease, in fact all spots and adds life to the garments.

Our wagon calls for and delivers all work.

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We Have Everything You Need for the Trip

Rods, Reels, Mimow Seines and Buckets, Canvass Trunks for Bedding, Folding Canvass Water Buckets, Folding Camp Cooks, Folding Frying Pan, Lines, Hooks and Everything else needed on the fishing or outing trip.

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A. S. Love & Co.

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ntry Has Just Been Blessed

Friday, May 15th 

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cause everybody to be happy. This is a great money
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Table Linen, Etc

| TABLE LINEN | |
|--|--------|
| 65c values, Jollification price | 49c |
| the yard | 79c |
| 90c values, Jollification price | \$1.09 |
| the yard | \$1.59 |
| \$1.35 values, Jollification price | \$2.99 |
| the yard | 79c |
| \$2.00 values, Jollification price | 45c |
| the yard | 99c |
| \$3.75 values, Jollification price | 89c |
| the yard | \$1.69 |
| Georgette Crepe, special lot \$1.75 to \$2.00 grade, extra special, 10 pieces only, Jollification prices, yard | \$2.65 |
| All 65c Tissue Gingham on sale at, the yard | \$1.49 |
| Jollification prices on Voiles at 59c, 69c, 89c and | \$1.96 |
| Printed Silk Crepe Prints, pretty patterns, priced at | \$2.75 |
| Dandy good Crepe de Chine, special at, the yard | |
| Printed Crepes, \$3.00 quality, bright new patterns on sale at | |
| Jollification Prices on Silk Sport Stripes | |
| \$1.75 grade on sale at | \$1.49 |
| \$2.50 grade on sale at | \$1.96 |
| \$3.25 grade on sale at | \$2.75 |

Hardware

We are now using the space formerly used for Groceries. This gives us plenty of room.

New things in Glassware, Chinaware, from the cheap quality to the best Haviland and Aluminum ware of all kinds.

Get the habit, trade here, and save money.

Pyrex Ware, big assortment, the very nicest ware for cooking that you can get. Big Jollification reduction 1-4 Off

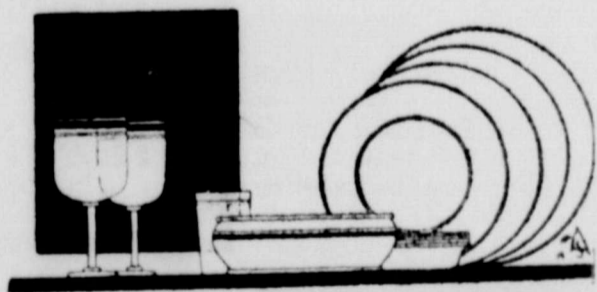
Better get several pices at this price.

Ray O' Lamps, special while they last at \$3.50

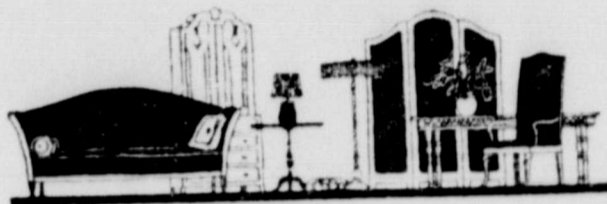
Copper Tea Kettle, 8-quart size, \$2.50 values, while they last, special at \$1.50

1 gallon Brown Jugs for cold or hot liquids, special at \$3.75

Get one while you can.



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Our Furniture and Rug stock is now probably at its best. The stock is new, complete and a splendid selection and assortment of Living Room Suites, Bed Room Furniture, Dining Room Suites, Odd Pieces of all kind, Chairs, Rockers, Tables, Mattresses, Bed Springs, Sewing Machines, Etc.

All are to be sold at Jollification prices and we will be glad to show you.



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Shoes for Everyone—all kinds, all prices, all styles, all leathers, and satin. Jollification prices will make this Department "hum." Get yours early.

1 lot of about 300 pairs Straps and Oxfords, values about \$6.00 to \$10.00, Jollification price, for your choice \$2.95

Watch our Shoe Window, special Jollification for \$1.48

Wonderful values in Straps, Kid, Satins and Patents go at \$4.45

\$7.50, \$8.00 and \$8.50, new styles in straps and pumps go at \$6.45

1 lot of Men's Oxfords, Bostonian & Goding values \$7.50 to \$10.00 for \$5.95

Edwin Clapp calfskin Oxfords, new styles \$11.95

Jollification prices on Trunks, Bags and Suitcases. Take a look.



Jollification for Men and Boys

Going to need a New Suit? Come in and take a look. Our Men's and Boys' Suits are on Central Jollification Street. The prices are low enough to please everyone. You'll like them so well you'll want it to rain again. 1 lot Boys' knee length Underwear 35c

Dandy good Men's athletic Union Suits, great Jollification at 93c
Munson Union Suits \$2.00 grade for \$1.45

Men's balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 75c values, to go at 53c
Men's Blue Bell Overalls \$1.35

Special lot Men's Dress Shirts, values up to \$2.50, your choice, a real Jollification at \$1.00

These are odd lots and are real values.

Sale Prices are for Cash Only

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's Greatest Store

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DONORS FOR SLOGAN SIGN

"Ballinger Welcomes You," will soon be illuminated by a large electric sign suspended from two poles at the intersection of Eighth Street and Ittshings Avenue. With several contributors to the fund yet to come in with their part of the expense, the money with which to purchase the sign is well in sight, and the order has been placed for the sign. It is expected that the job will be completed and the current turned on by Ballinger's birthday on June 29th.

The sign is to be six feet high and twenty-five feet long, supplied with 224 bulbs and motor controlled. The design is one with which the citizens will be pleased, and it will add greatly to the civic spirit of Ballinger, and serve to welcome strangers to this city at all hours of the day and night. As was stated in Wednesday's Ledger, only one business man declined to contribute to the fund raised with which to purchase the sign. The committee is short only a small amount, and those who have not been solicited, and who wish to have a hand in the purchase of the sign, can get in by volunteering at once. Following are the names of those who have already subscribed to the fund:

- West Texas Utilities Co., \$50.00
- F. & M. Bank, \$50.00
- First National Bank, \$50.00
- Higginbotham Brothers & Co., \$25.00
- G. A. Ladwig, \$25.00
- Ballinger Auto Co., \$10.00
- Sykes Overland Co., \$10.00
- Oran Dean, \$10.00
- Hyatt-Nichols Co., \$5.00
- Q. V. Miller, \$5.00
- Ward Service Station, \$5.00
- J. S. Jones, \$7.50
- C. J. Lynn & Son, \$5.00
- City Cafe, \$10.00
- Piggly Wiggly, \$7.50
- L. B. Stubbs, \$7.50
- W. E. Howard, \$5.00
- Jeans Company, \$5.00
- E. J. Carroll, \$2.50
- Cameron Garage, \$2.50
- A. K. Doss, \$5.00
- Asa Cordill, \$5.00
- Parish & Crager, \$5.00
- L. R. Tigner, \$5.00
- E. A. Jeans, \$5.00
- Clayton Oakland Co., \$5.00
- Wm. Cameron Co., \$25.00
- Harber Grocery Co., \$5.00
- Rufus Thomas Barber Shop, \$2.50
- John N. Castor, \$2.50
- Postoffice Grocery, \$5.00
- Palace Confectionery, \$2.50

Lower Prices

The following substantial reductions are announced in the prices of Graham Brothers Trucks, effective May 15th:

1 Ton Chassis—
\$1175 to \$1095

1½ Ton Chassis—
\$1375 to \$1280

f. o. b. Detroit
(other chassis prices reduced proportionately)

In the first quarter of 1925 Graham Brothers built and sold more 1½ ton trucks than any other manufacturer in the world.

In the 1 ton and 1½ ton fields combined they were second.

Large production and large sales permit low prices!

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Ballinger's Greatest Store

GRAHAM BROTHERS TRUCKS

SOLD BY DODGE BROTHERS DEALERS EVERYWHERE



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 RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 185. 12-31d

DEWBERRIES—Now 60 cents. First come, first served. Phone 523. W. R. White. 17-4d-1w*

FOR SALE—Fresh young Jersey cows. W. W. Embry. 9-6td-1tw

DEWBERRIES—Fresh and ready for market. Phone 523. W. R. White. 8-8td-1tw

- American Cafe \$2.50
- The Fair \$5.00
- Hopper's Cafe \$5.00
- Stroble Market \$5.00
- H. Giesecke \$10.00
- E. Shepperd \$10.00
- Ballinger State Bank \$25.00
- D. Reeder Dry Goods Co. \$25.00
- Hall Hardware Co. \$25.00
- Harwell Motor Co. \$25.00
- The Hub \$20.00
- Ballinger Printing Co. \$25.00
- Central Hotel \$25.00
- A. S. Love & Co. \$25.00
- Wm. Dooze Jr. \$10.00
- Dr. B. Kahn \$10.00
- Van Pelt, Kirk & Mack \$10.00
- King-Holt Co. \$10.00
- McCarver & Lynn \$15.00
- Thorp & Cohen \$10.00
- H. H. Hardin \$10.00
- Hicks Rubber Co. \$10.00
- Maeroy Theatre \$5.00
- Ballinger Electric Co. \$15.00
- Hardin & Carr \$5.00

- R. E. Caldeleugh \$5.00
- Ballinger Lumber Co. \$25.00
- M. G. Justice Motor Co. \$10.00
- Weeks Drug Store \$25.00
- Currie Mercantile Co. \$10.00
- Strain Drug Co. \$5.00
- H. H. Carsey \$5.00
- DeMerville Sheet Metal and Radiator Works \$5.00
- J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. \$10.00
- E. J. Cathey \$2.50
- U. E. Hartman \$2.50
- J. G. Dickinson \$5.00
- R. B. Creasy \$5.00
- Ballinger Oil Mill Co. \$25.00
- Potter Produce Co. \$5.00
- W. A. Nance \$5.00
- Ladwig Bros. \$5.00
- R. F. Lane \$5.00
- C. P. Herschfelt \$2.50
- City Drug Store \$2.50
- D. E. Moody \$2.50
- West Texas Telephone Company \$10.00

Sam Williams, a Rannels county

boy who went wrong and located in East Texas, came in Thursday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Williams. Mr. Williams was attending the Grand Lodge convention of the Knights of Pythias at Brownwood, and took advantage of the opportunity to run out and spend a few hours with home folks and in his old home town. He is now engaged in the hardware business at Marshall.

All films received by 9:00 a. m. will be finished by 5:00 p. m. at Partlett's Studio. 26-tdf

Miss Azie Chaillette, of Brownwood, and Mrs. John Costley, of Waco, came in from San Angelo Thursday for a visit to Mrs. J. A. Freeman. They had been visiting in San Angelo for the past month.

The news from London is terrible today. They sent a cross-word puzzle by wireless photography.

Lynn, Mass., earthquake failed to disturb the Harvard seismograph. Big colleges are too snobbish.

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30x3 casings at \$4.75
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