



# BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER



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## MRS. COLLIER SEEKS RETRIAL, GETS 10 YRS.

(By Associated Press) WICHITA FALLS, May 30.—A motion for a new trial was filed here today by attorneys for Mrs. Frank Collier, who was found guilty of the murder of Buster Robertson, her son-in-law. The jury returned a verdict against Mrs. Collier last night and fixed the penalty at ten years in the penitentiary. She was tried at Haskell on a change of venue from Wichita Falls. The hearing is set for this afternoon.

### VOTES \$36,000 FOR NEW RURAL SCHOOL BUILDING

The Wingate community is a progressive community, and has done the unusual thing for a rural community. A bond issue election was recently held in that school district and bonds in the sum of \$36,000 voted for a new school building. The bonds have been sold at a premium of \$1500 and work on the new structure will be pushed as rapidly as possible. Wingate is in the heart of a fine country, thickly settled, and nothing but the best school will satisfy the people of that community. The school closed last week with six graduates, and had an enrollment of 230 pupils with a faculty of seven teachers.

Ledger want ads pay.

## HORNSBY PILOT FOR CARDINALS

(By Associated Press) ST. LOUIS, May 30.—Rogers Hornsby, National League batting champion, has been appointed manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, succeeding Branch Rickey, who was made vice-president. The president of the club, Sam Breadon, announced today that Hornsby had been appointed as club manager, and the change in the line-up becomes effective tomorrow.

### HEAR "The Flapper Wife"

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## AUTO RACER CLIPS OFF 103 MILES HOUR

(By Associated Press) INDIANAPOLIS, May 30.—With a roar, twenty-two of the world's greatest race drivers shot away at 10:00 o'clock this morning in a start of a 500 mile automobile race over the speedway here.

The attendance at the race when the drivers took off was given at 125,000.

At the half way mark Peter DePalma, nephew of the famous Ralph DePalma, was leading after a neck and neck race with Dave Lewis, Earl Cooper and Ralph Hepburn.

The time made for the first 250 miles was two hours, twenty-four minutes and fifty-nine seconds, or an average of a little more than 103 miles per hour.

## RAIN FOR MAY 4.50 INCHES

Following a wet week, the heavens opened up in good old fashioned style Saturday forenoon and between 8:00 o'clock and noon more than one inch of rain fell in Ballinger. It is believed that the rain was general over the county.

The rain Saturday brings the total precipitation for May up to 4.50 inches, and the country is soaking wet. The season is sufficient for all needs at present and farmers are longing for a little sunshine and weed killing weather.

The rain Saturday morning came in heavy downpour and the streets were flooded. It will be several days before farmers can get in the fields, should the rain quit at this time. A demand for farm hands to fight weeds will follow the goods rains of the past week.

## HEART TROUBLE KILLS AVIATOR

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 30.—Lieutenant Dew Veeder, age 30, was found unconscious in the cockpit of his plane after making a perfect landing here yesterday, ending a flight from Norfolk, Virginia, with Richard Barthelmess, a motion picture actor. Veeder died while being removed from his seat, and physicians said death was due to heart trouble.

Miss Mae Garlington returned Friday night from Coleman, where she had been visiting relatives.

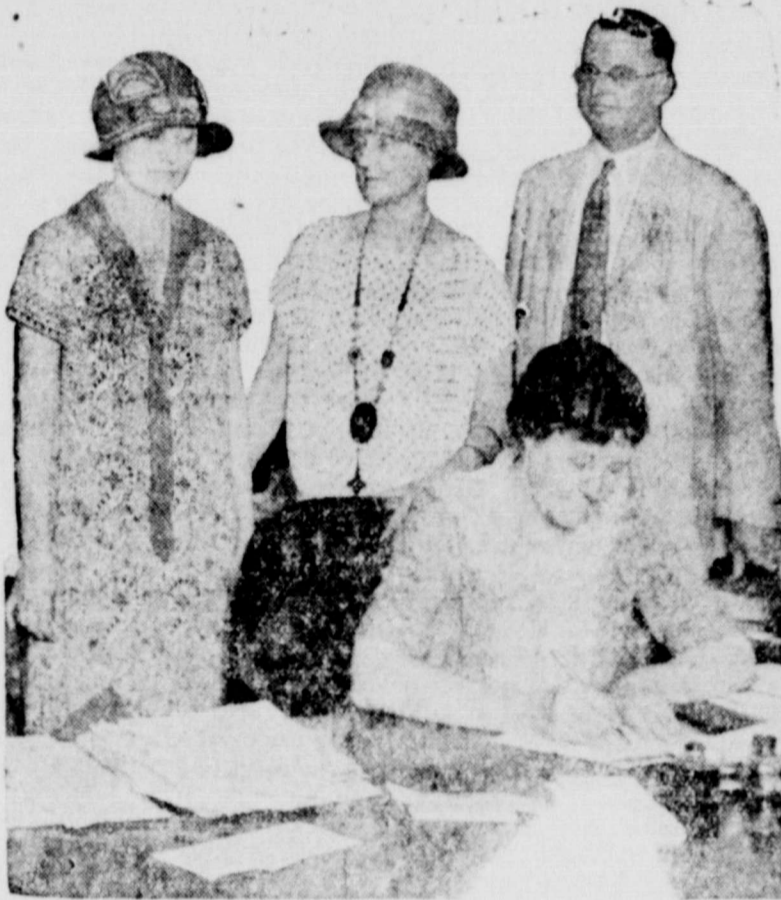
Russian children are starving. The Moscow doesn't give enough milk.

## STRIKE CLOSES MEXICAN PORT

(By Associated Press) MEXICO CITY, May 30.—Dispatches received here today said that the port of Progreso, Yucatan, had been closed because of the stevedores' strike.

The stevedores went on a strike for higher wages, and threats of trouble have caused the authorities to close the port until the strike can be settled.

## GOVERNOR SIGNING PROCLAMATION FOR ENDOWMENT FUND DRIVE



Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, signing proclamation, and standing, left to right, Miss Ada May Maddox, state secretary of the American Legion Auxiliary; Mrs. W. E. Hudson, national executive woman and past state president of the Auxiliary; and Mark McGee, state commander of the Legion.

Naming Sunday, May 31, as American Legion Endowment Sunday, and calling upon the citizens of Texas to aid in the raising of this state's \$225,000 quota of the national Legion endowment fund for disabled veterans and orphans, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson has issued a proclamation fixing June 1 to 6, inclusive, as a period of intensive campaigning to put this state over the top.

In her proclamation signed last week, the Governor said: "The tragedy of the world's greatest war stalks today through the lives of those innocent victims of the heaviest sacrifice, the orphans and widows of heroes who met death on battlefield, or who lingered on in a living death until the suffering of disease and wounds finally laid a merciful hand to draw the curtain of eternity about them."

"Thousands there are today who lie helpless with the spectre of death waiting at the left of the sick-bed, while on the right hand is the shadow of a wife, or homeless baby, in mute appeal for the chance of happiness denied them because of a task well done for home and country."

"Today thousands of orphans of the World War are in need of homes. As years progress other thousands of children will look back and know their fathers kept the faith, but that the greatest fell upon them—the burden of loneliness and poverty on tender shoulders."

## MEXICAN TREATY COOLIDGE PAYS PROMISES GOOD TRIBUTE TO DEAD

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, May 30.—Assistant Secretary Andrews of the treasury department was back at his desk today, and says that he sees in the recently negotiated treaty with Mexico important aids to Mexican stability and American law enforcement.

Secretary Andrews feels certain that the new treaty will serve to promote better understanding between the two nations and that it will cement a feeling of cordiality and friendship.

Canadian immigration may be restricted. This is bad. How will they get the empty bottles back?

Workmen at Rutgers University found a golf ball 100 years old, but the golfer had gone.

The United States may win this rum war, but it won't collect reparations.

Hate to be a joy killer, but we doubt if there ever was a gardener who planted fried potatoes.

People who work for nothing except money always are underpaid.

## BUSINESS DISTRICT OF OVALO SWEEP BY FIRE

### RIO GRANDE FLOOD WARNING IS SENT OUT

(By Associated Press) SAN ANTONIO, May 30.—Warnings to the residents within the flood district of the Rio Grande River between Laredo and Brownsville have been issued as a result of a heavy and continued rise in that river brought on by the heavy rains in Southwest and West Texas. Two persons have been drowned at Eagle Pass and the flood is causing damage at a number of points along the river. The international bridges at Eagle Pass and Del Rio have been washed out.

J. W. Clampitt returned Friday from Ranger, where he spent several days.

## NEGROES TAKEN TO DEATH CELL

(By Associated Press) DALLAS, May 30.—Frank and Lorenzo Noel, negroes, under death sentences after conviction by a jury in a one-hour trial here this week on charges of assaulting Mrs. Mary Steer, after killing her escort, Ryan Adkins, were taken to the Huntsville penitentiary today where they will be placed in the death cell to await execution in the electric chair.

The two negroes are sentenced to go to the electric chair and be put to death for the crimes for which they were convicted on Sunday, June 28th. The negroes were taken to Huntsville by automobile, being accompanied by guards.

A. O. Bartlett and family will leave Sunday for Brownwood, where Mr. Bartlett will be with the Santa Fe Railroad for a month or more.

## SIX KILLED IN RACE RIOTING

(By Associated Press) SHANGHAI, China, May 30.—Six persons were killed, many wounded and numerous arrests were made when anti-Japanese riots occurred here today. The riots followed the arrest of leaders of a students' procession which was distributing anti-Japanese propaganda.

The police fired into the crowd in order to check the demonstration.

James A. Wear and family left Saturday for a week's visit with Mr. Wear's parents in Ft. Worth, making the trip in their car. They were accompanied by Mrs. Wear's mother, Mrs. J. W. Powell, who will spend a week with Judge Powell's brother and sister in Dallas.

## AGREEMENT ON SECURITY PACT

(By Associated Press) PARIS, May 30.—The French and British governments have reached accord on all essential points concerning the Western European security pact as was proposed by Germany. This information was given out here through official circles today.

According to information received in Ballinger early Saturday from Ovalo, that town was practically wiped off the map by fire Friday night.

The message stated that seven brick business houses and one empty house were destroyed, the business section of the town being destroyed.

Included in the loss was the Masonic Hall, the bank, one dry goods store, one grocery store, one grain store, one drug store, one confectionery, one cafe, one barber shop, and a business house which was not occupied.

The origin of the fire was not known, and it was beyond control when discovered. The losses were partially covered by insurance.

Ovalo is only three miles from Tuscola at the junction of the A. & S. and Santa Fe railroads, and the loss will be keenly felt by the Ovalo people.

### POSTAL RATES IN 1816 GIVEN

For the sake of comparison, and to give those who stick a two cent postage stamp on a letter addressed to some friend or relative in Kalamazoo, Michigan, or Long Beach, on the Pacific, we have resurrected the postage rates which were in effect in 1816.

On April 9, 1816, the American congress passed a law fixing the following postage rates: Letter of one sheet, thirty miles, 6 cents; 80 miles, 10 cents; 150 miles, 12 1/2 cents; 400 miles, 18 1/2 cents; any greater distance, 25 cents. Letters of two sheets, double these rates; letters of three sheets triple these rates.

The mail was carried exclusively at that time in stage coaches and in sulkeys and on horseback. The fastest mail route today is through the air.

## 3 DIE WHEN TRAIN HITS AUTOMOBILE

(By Associated Press) MURPHYSBORO, Ill., May 30.—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Giles and Mrs. Chester Kleisle were killed and Chester Kleisle was probably fatally injured today when their automobile was demolished by a passenger train near here, according to information received here this afternoon.

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While the court was busy at Dallas Thursday sending two negroes to the electric chair for assaulting a white woman, a negro attacked a white woman as she was walking along the sidewalk. Another white woman was accosted by a negro while sitting on her porch. It seems that the law against such crime does not prohibit.

"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.

\$60,000 Taken from Merchants

At least \$60,000 or maybe more round silver dollars. Somebody's hard earned money was stolen from Winters during the past year. Did the sheriff or constable do anything about it? No, they didn't do a thing, because they couldn't. This money was stolen from Winters merchants by mail-order houses, and it will never be returned. It's gone forever. Money which would have gone to improve our town, and which would have made Winters a better place to live. No use worrying about what happened last year—start thinking about what is going to happen this year and keep that \$60,000 at home where it belongs.—Winters Enterprise.

What is true of Winters is true of every other town. Money sent away from home never comes back to help pay taxes, build roads, and keep the schools going. It does not help keep up the home band, pay the preacher, provide for charity and help to make the home town a place you would like to call home. Before you kiss your money good-bye and send it away for the necessities and luxuries of life, call on your home merchant, get his prices and see the goods (something you can't do when you order by mail), make a fair comparison and then use your own judgment.

When did the paperhangers start making patterns for bathing suits?

Sarnath Ghosh, a Hindu, left \$5,000 so two artists' models could buy some clothes. Good Ghosh!

Hotel men held a convention in Boston. Hope they were forced to sleep four or five in a bed.

ATE 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. NC-164



WINTERS TO BE PUT ON GAS LINE

(Winters Enterprise)

Natural gas for Winters seems to be assured. The committees of the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday completed a canvass of the town, and the necessary 350 users secured. Committees of the Chamber of Commerce and the City Commission are working on the franchise and all necessary contracts are expected to be signed within a short time.

Flannigan, Morton & Falls, of Rising Star have made the city of Winters a proposition to put natural gas into Winters by fall if the city will guarantee them 350 users of gas, and give them a twenty-year franchise. They propose to lay a six-inch pipe line from Cross Cut to Winters, with a twelve-inch belt line around the town, to be used as storage in emergency cases. Work is to start from Cross Cut and Winters simultaneously, and the gas flowing into the town within five months after work starts. The cost of such line is estimated at \$250,000.

The company proposes a \$2.00 minimum rate, with 75 cents per thousand cubic feet of gas over two thousand. This rate, according to the promoters, is directly in line with the rate charged in other Texas towns and cities. The commercial rate, it is understood, will be in line with that used elsewhere.

No confident were the officers of the gas company that Winters wanted natural gas, and would comply with their requests, that they have already made arrangements to purchase the pipe for the line, it is understood. Preliminary plans will be worked out within the next week, and work started to secure the right of way into Winters, according to those in authority.

FIRE BOYS GET TWO CHECKS

R. I. Harwell presented the fire company with a \$50 check Saturday as a little token of appreciation for the good work done in

confining the fire to the building adjoining the Harwell Motor Company building Friday night when the Dean tire shop and the Weinberg tailor shop was destroyed by fire. Mr. Harwell's property was in danger, and if it had not been for the good work of the fire boys in confining the fire to the building where it originated, he would have suffered damage.

C. A. Doose also presented the fire company with a check for \$25, showing his appreciation for the good work done by the fire fighters. The two business concerns destroyed by fire were in a building owned by Mr. Doose, and the loss on the building was kept down to where it will be covered by insurance carried by Mr. Doose.

REMAINS ARRIVE HERE FOR FUNERAL

The remains of Mrs. Irene Guion Gregg arrived in Ballinger over the Santa Fe at noon Saturday. They were accompanied by the two sons of the deceased, Guion Gregg, and his wife, and Will Gregg.

The funeral party was met at the train by a number of friends and the remains of Mrs. Gregg were carried from the train to the First Presbyterian church, and at 2:00 o'clock the funeral services were held at that place by Rev. E. W. McLaurin.

The body was laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Gregg died in Fort Worth Thursday evening. She was making her home with her son in that city. A nephew, John Guion, and niece, Mrs. E. A. Giesecke, reside in Ballinger, and the deceased was well known here, having formerly lived here during the life time of her brother, Judge John I. Guion.

Woman mayor of Holloway, O., has quit. Wants to stay at home. Men should ask equal rights.

British soap trusts made \$27,000,000 last year. They cleaned up.

Looks count. That's why autos cost more than bathtubs.

TELLS HOW TO GET BEST RESULT

(By Associated Press)

MARLIN, Tex., May 29.—In performing a service of any kind there must be considered the various ways and means of doing it to get the best results. T. J. Burdette of Hillsboro, said in addressing the convention of Texas Commercial Executives in session here today. "To my mind the best way to help the farmer is to place within his reach a means whereby he can help himself and if he is a man who honestly desires to better his condition, he will avail himself of the opportunity as soon as he finds out that the service is honestly offered. I further believe that no better way of rendering service to the farmer can be found than thru the Extension Department of A. & M. College, the county agent and their specialists whose services are always available."

It was not until Hill county did without a county agent that his value was fully appreciated, Mr. Burdette said, and it was only after careful observations were made of the losses to the county established without the aid of the county commissioners court appropriations. "The service under present conditions has been a revelation to a great many people. We find that close co-operation with the service brings about a better understanding between organizations in town and the rural communities. The farmers are learning that we have a real service that is beneficial," he said.

"In maintaining relations with A. & M. College and its extension department, we have available any or all of their corps of specialists on any subject that relates to the operation of the farm, which we consider a very vital adjunct to any commercial organization," Mr. Burdette continued. He related improvements being made in many branches of farming, including terracing of farms, tree surgery, fertilizing and improvement in poultry raising. "We find that it is necessary to

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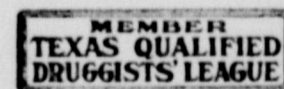


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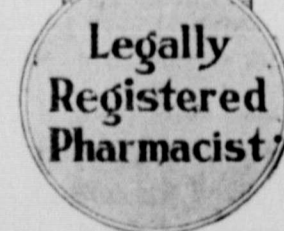
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Thirty-five thousand babies were made fatherless by the World War. Five thousand orphans have no blood relatives.

The American Legion's \$5,000,000 Endowment Fund will take care of these orphans, give them a home, an education and happiness as well as assist in helping the disabled.

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Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m.  
Young People's Society at 7:00 p. m.  
Evening services at 8:00 p. m.  
Ladies Missionary Society Monday afternoon at 3:00 p. m.  
Prayer service Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.  
Everyone is invited to attend.  
WILLIS FRENCH, Pastor.

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(Strong Avenue and 6th Street)  
Preaching every Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock.  
Sunday services at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Prayer service Thursday at 8:00 p. m.  
Young people's meeting 7:00 p. m. Sunday.  
Everybody welcomed to attend any and all services at our church.  
W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor.

**8th Street Presbyterian Church**  
Sunday Services:  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m., morning worship.  
6:45 p. m., C. E. Society.  
Weekday Services:  
3:00 p. m. Missionary Society (Monday).  
8:00 p. m., mid-week service (Wednesday).  
8:00 p. m., choir rehearsal (Thursday).  
R. B. TWITTY, Pastor.

**First Christian Church**  
(Cor. Broadway and Murrell)  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Communion service 10:50 a. m.  
Sermon by the pastor at 11:00 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m.  
Prayer service 8:00 p. m., Wednesday.  
W. EDWIN MOORE, Pastor.

**Methodist Church**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service 11:00 a. m.  
Text, Matt. 5:6  
6:00 p. m., Junior League.  
7:30 p. m., Senior League.  
8:30 p. m., evening service.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock.  
The stewards and trustees will discuss plans for the revival meeting after prayer meeting. Let all the stewards and trustees be present.  
E. W. BRIDGES, Pastor.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
9:45 a. m., Sunday school  
11:00 a. m., morning services.  
4:30 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor.  
7:00 p. m., Senior Christian Endeavor.  
8:00 p. m., evening services.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us.  
E. W. M. LAURIN, Pastor.

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Communion service 11:00 a. m.  
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A hearty welcome for you at every service.  
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## DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Miss Opal Isham, of Handley, Texas, arrived on the noon train Friday to supervise the Daily Vacation Bible School which is to begin at the First Presbyterian church Monday morning. Miss Isham comes with excellent training, having just finished a year in a training school.  
The purpose of the Daily Vacation Bible School is to provide a wholesome vacation for the children of a community, at the same time giving instruction along religious lines. The week embraces Bible, Bible stories, music, sand-work and games. Nothing of a sectarian character is taught.  
The school will last two weeks. Sessions will be held from 9:00 to 11:30 every morning in the week except Saturday and Sunday.  
Children from 3 to 14 or 15 are invited to attend.  
Visitors will be welcome at any time.

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

Those in autos consider themselves above pedestrians. Which is why they sometimes are.

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### "For Those Who Gave the Most"

"My Daddy did his bit for you, will you do yours for me?"

This is today's message from the Orphans of the World War.

Ballinger's quota will be raised in the Legion's Endowment Fund Drive, June 3rd.

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## ATTENDED FUNERAL AT ABILENE

E. E. Saddler, 64, retired farmer who for more than thirty years has been a citizen of this section, died at a local hospital at 5:00 o'clock Thursday morning, and will be buried Thursday in a local cemetery. Funeral services will be held from the First Baptist church at 5:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon with the Rev. Sam Mafone and Dr. M. A. Jenkins, conducting the services.

Mr. Saddler came to Taylor county from Hays county in 1890 and settled at Caps. In 1920 he moved to Abilene and had made his home here since that time. He became a member of the Baptist church when he was 19 years old. He was a member of the W. O. W.—Abilene Reporter.

Mr. Saddler was a brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory and two daughters, Mrs. R. E. Truly and Mrs. L. R. Tigner, attended the funeral, returning home Friday evening.

## WINTERS ITEMS

Special to The Ledger: WINTERS, May 29.—Our old friend Oscar Jolly is again hobnobbing among his many friends here. He reports his new home, Lubbock, as moving forward.

The bountiful rains make Winters people the happiest folks you ever saw. The farmers were ready, seed was planted by the hundreds of acres and now the moisture is just right to push the plants out and up.

The public school closed yesterday with a very successful record for the year. The closing exercises were held in the Methodist church, with Dr. J. C. Hardy of Baylor Female College as orator of the evening. His theme was "Democracy and Education." It was a wonderfully inspiring message. The program by the graduates was well rendered. There were twenty-eight graduates as follows:

Louella Adams, Emily Bailey, Emma Baldwin, Ruth Baldwin, E. F. Edwards, Essie Flynt, J. F. Flynt, Charlie Graham, Glee Ingram, Historian; Lottie Ingram, Musician; Ivy Jordan, George Key, Alfred Lamote, Valedictorian; Truby Mosley, Baily McCaughr, Bobby Godwin, Willie Perry, Salutatorian; Irene Perry, Virginia Pierce, Juanita Pentacost, Louise Poe, George Poe, Clifford Rhoden, Ruby Nell Roberts, Jewel King, Oral Toney, Ruby Wimberly, Brazzie Wright.

The prize winners are: Peace Pin—Miss Louise Poe, an essay on peace. \$5.00 in gold—Miss Viola Tutt; an essay. Cup—Miss Glee Ingram, individual development. Gold football—Mr. Childers, coach work.

The prizes were from the National Peace Association; next from the First National Bank; the next from Jackson & Holcomb, druggists; and the last from the athletic association of the school.

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## LOSS \$6000 IN MIDNIGHT FIRE

Fire about midnight Friday night destroyed the Dean Tire Station and the Weinberg Tailor Shop, located in the Doose building, adjoining the Harwell Motor Company on Hutchings Avenue.

The alarm was turned in at 11:30 when the building was discovered to be aflame by persons who were nearby when the fire broke out.

Oran Dean, proprietor of the tire shop, and two or three other men were sitting in an auto across the street when they heard an explosion, and saw fire following the blast, spreading all over the front of the building occupied by the two business concerns with a thin partition wall separating them, before the fire company could reach the scene of the blaze.

Judging from the way the fire spread, the firemen stated that it was indicated that the fire started about the center of the building and in that section of the building occupied by the tire shop. The fixtures and stock of tires were practically destroyed.

Spreading to the tailor shop side of the building the fire destroyed or damaged most of the contents of that business, and the plate glass front of the building gave way under the heat, and the building was damaged by smoke and water.

The total loss is estimated at around \$6,000, the loss on the building probably amounting to \$1,000. Dean claims to have had a stock valued at about \$1500, with \$800 insurance on stock and fixtures. Weinberg's loss on stock and fixtures was estimated about between \$3,500 and \$4,000 with \$1,750 insurance. A shipment of goods arrived the day before the fire.

## NO REVIVAL SERVICES TONIGHT

The revival which began at the Eighth Street Presbyterian church Wednesday night has been in progress with Rev. R. B. Twitty doing the preaching, and it was announced Friday night that no services would be held Saturday.

Dr. R. L. Irving, who was due here to lead the revival, has been mud and water bound between Ft. Davis and San Angelo since Monday. He reached San Angelo Friday evening and came to Ballinger Saturday. He will take charge of the revival Sunday morning with the eleven o'clock service, and the meeting will continue throughout next week. A five or six inch rain throughout the Big Lake country tied up traffic and delayed Dr. Irving's arrival.

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