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State Educational Dep't. Grants Additional Units To Ballinger High School of '25

"Ballinger Daily Ledger,
Ballinger, Texas.
Dear Gentlemen:

"I am sure it will be of interest to the public to know that we secured five and one half units of credits that we applied for at the close of school. There are some students that are intending to go away to college this fall that do not have the required fifteen units of entrance, this information will be glad news to them.

"In the first place we applied for the fourth unit of English the school having only three units in this department. The material had to be sent from all four grades of the High School. The fourth unit in English is understood to be very difficult to secure, there being a very small per cent of the schools of the state that hold it. We secured this unit with favorable comment. Both the teachers and students deserve much credit for the obtaining of this unit.

"We only offer two units of Spanish and secured full credit for both units. We feel proud that we were able to obtain these credits, for many children had rather take the Spanish than the Latin, but would not do this for we already had four full units in Latin. This makes us six credits in foreign language. We shall offer the third unit in Spanish next year if there are a sufficient number of students applying for it. We have a Latin course that cannot be excelled and hope to build up as good a course in Spanish. Miss Peeler is now in the University of Mexico, at Mexico City, taking Spanish that she may teach the work even more efficiently than before.

"Last fall we added Bookkeeping, Typewriting, Shorthand, Advanced Arithmetic, Economics, and increased the American History and Civics to a full unit as it had been before only a half unit in each. This Commercial work consisting of Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typewriting, and Advanced Arithmetic were all granted. In other words we only lost 1-2 units out of seven for which we applied. Of course we were sorry that we were not able to secure the 1-2 unit in Economics, American History, and Civics but I guess we should be satisfied. We did some good work in these subjects but those in authority thought that we were just a little below standard and will offer some suggestions as to how to improve same next year.

"I would like to thank any and all, students, patrons, and teachers, who were in the least way helpful to the school and to the school administration in our last session, and father, I shall appreciate the continuance of your assistance for a better school for another year. A school is a growing institution and when it ceases to grow and improve, it must of necessity go backward. Let everyone do what we can to make our schools for our children second to none in the country. Yours and mine deserve the best, as well as, or, as much as any children in this big state. With the new building, the new and modern equipment, and with the cooperation of all, we can have a school

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GREAT RUM ARMADA IS LOADING UP

(By Associated Press)
BUFFALO, N. Y., July 7.—The Buffalo Evening News today in a special news story stated that the largest rum armada ever seen in Lake Ontario is mobilized and loading at Port Colborne, Ontario, for a dash to the dry frontiers of the United States.

MAN KILLS WIFE, CHILD, SELF, AND INJURES OTHERS

(By Associated Press)
MINNEAPOLIS, July 7.—Attacking members of his own family with a large knife while they were sleeping, Ernest Franzen killed his wife and one of their children today. Franzen sent the other four children into the street in their night clothes, injured and screaming for help, and then killed himself.

RED OFFICERS ARE EXECUTED

(By Associated Press)
MOSCOW, July 7.—Former General Belavin and Ivanoff and Red Army magistrates Vlassoff and Sholekoff were executed here today.

The first two army officers were sentenced to death after a trial at Kiev, where they were found guilty of espionage for Poland. The magistrates were found guilty of granting immunity to criminals and accepting bribes.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Moody left Tuesday for Dallas and Fort Worth on a week's visit.

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ONE KILLED IN WINDSTORM

(By Associated Press)
EL PASO, July 7.—One man was killed and two buildings blown down, with considerable damage done to farm outhouses when a windstorm struck Cantillo, Texas, late yesterday.

LANG IDEN BRINGS SHERIFF BONDS

"What are you doing here, and where have you been," was the greeting Lang Iden received from Sheriff Earl McWilliams Monday morning when Iden walked into the sheriff's office with two bonds made out and signed.

"These d— fellows wouldn't make these bonds for me, so I had to get out and get them myself," was the reply. And the one-time resident of the Runnels county jail presented two bonds duly signed.

I den, together with Perry Todd and Walter Mesocke escaped jail about midnight Friday, June 26th, by removing a portion of the stone wall of the old jail which had been weakened by removing steel to be used in the construction of the new county bastille. None of the prisoners had been heard from until Iden voluntarily walked in and gave himself up, and he is now at liberty on bail.

Those signing Iden's bond on the burglary and theft charge were J. A. Iden and E. W. Rainwater. On the bond in which he was charged with selling intoxicating liquor were the names of A. P. Serratt, J. C. Dameron and Joe Spoons. The bond was for \$1,000 in each case. Iden was out on \$500 bond on charges of carrying a pistol, before he was arrested on the other two above charges.

DAVIDSON WILL MAKE HARD RACE

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, July 7.—Lynch Davidson, of Houston, who is here today on business, said this afternoon that he intends to make a hard race for the governorship of Texas at the next election.

Mr. Davidson also said the announced intention of T. Whit Davidson, of Marshall, not to participate in the forthcoming gubernatorial race had clarified the situation.

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WANTS GENERAL TAX REDUCTION

(By Associated Press)
SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., July 7.—President Coolidge feels that the next reduction in national taxes should be made on income levies all along the line.

While favoring leaving the actual preparation of the tax revision bill in the hands of the House Ways and Means Committee and Treasury officials the president hopes that it will provide for a general relief, and at the same time make possible the greatest amount of returns in revenue. To accomplish this end he thinks the maximum surtax should be cut to at least twenty-five per cent.

DALLAS MAN TAKES POISON

(By Associated Press)
EL PASO, July 7.—Faced with arrest on a charge of passing spurious checks, Van Williams, 45 years old, ended his life here today by swallowing a quantity of poison. Williams was a prominent attorney of Dallas.

"RABBIT" WILL MANAGE CUBS

NEW YORK, July 7.—Walter "Rabbit" Maranville, shortstop, today succeeded William Killefer as manager of the Chicago Cubs, National Baseball League, President William Veeck announced.

NOMINATED HEAD OF SOUTHERN PUBLISHERS

(By Associated Press)
ASHVILLE, North Carolina, July 7.—Walter Johnson, managing editor of the Chattanooga News was today nominated for president of the Southern Newspaper Publishers Association, to serve during the ensuing year. A report naming Johnson to this post was brought in by the nominating committee.

Johnson had been secretary and treasurer of the association for many years.

John Heck, of Wilmett was a business visitor to Ballinger Monday.

FIND PRECIOUS STOLEN OBJECTS

(By Associated Press)
ROME, July 7.—Police of this city today returned to the Vatican precious objects stolen Friday night when thieves entered the treasury of Saint Peters.

The stolen articles were recovered after the arrest of a former shoemaker, who is said to have been responsible for the formation of the plot. The actual robbery is announced to have been done by two painters who had worked in St. Peters.

HI-JACKERS TERRORIZE DISTRICT

(By Associated Press)
SALINAS, Calif., July 7.—Land forces, cavalrymen and citizens from adjacent towns to Moss Landing near here joined hands today to run down a crew of hi-jackers who killed a member of a posse last night.

The hi-jackers also injured two peace officers, and drove county and state police to cover by fire from a machine gun.

At sea, coast guard vessels were warned to guard against attempts on the part of the hi-jackers to use the sea as an avenue to escape.

H. H. Rader, a merchant of Salinas, and member of the engaging posse, was shot through the heart in the gun battle. Two major encounters in the dark were reported with the hi-jackers assuming the offensive in both battles.

Kirk Gregory, who was operated on for appendicitis Tuesday morning, had a very serious case it was stated Tuesday afternoon, but was doing as well as could be expected at last reports. Kirk was on the operating table two hours.

This was the first meeting of the directorate since the election of the executive board in January.

The executive board consists of the officers of the association and four members of the board of directors as follows: Will S. McCarter, president; J. D. Good, vice-president; R. G. Erwin, secretary; R. W. Bruce, treasurer; E. Shepperd, W. A. Halameick, Bert E. Low and W. R. Hinton.

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WITH THE BOYS IN CAMP AT AUSTIN

Camp Mabry,
July 5, 1925.
Well this is Sunday and things
have been running pretty lively
for the last few minutes. The
boys of Company C decided they
needed a little fun to pass the
time away, so we each one just
got through running the gauntlet.
Company Clerk Turner, resisted
so we just doubled the dose for
him. We are now waiting for
three others that have run off to
escape their dose, namely: Castor,
Ferry and Branch. Sargent
Clark also made the run, but did
it with a smile.
Tomorrow's sun will look down
upon different activities than it
has for the past two days; as to-
morrow is the day we start to the
steady grind of drilling and the
many other duties that go with
camp life.
Some of you folks at home no
doubt would let a sympathetic
smile pass your countenance to
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and visiting Mr. and Mrs. David
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left Sunday for their home.

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will be finished by 5:00 p. m. at
Partlett's Studio 26-147

MILES NEWS EVENTS

MILES, July 3.—Dr. A. S.
Love of Ballinger was in Miles on
Thursday accompanied from here
by Dr. J. H. Herndon, he went
on to San Angelo to see Royal
Ray Holmes of this place who is
in a sanitarium at San Angelo as
result of an automobile accident
Sunday.
W. W. Farmer attended to busi-
ness in San Angelo on Wednes-
day.
Dr. Crowder was a visitor to
Miles from Ballinger on Thurs-
day afternoon.

Mrs. Lee Clarke and son, T. W.
visited Leroy Clarke in San An-
gelo on Thursday afternoon.

E. E. Adams, groceryman of
this place received a message on
Thursday stating the sudden
death of his grandmother, Mrs.
Sarah Adams, age 95 at Libert
Hill, Texas.

Alfred Wendland was a visitor
to San Angelo on Wednesday.

Clyde Harville was a business
visitor to Miles from Ballinger on
Wednesday.

Sam Farmer, Sr., Miss Myrtle
Bauman, Mrs. C. L. Andrus and
Mrs. J. O. Pinkston were among
visitors to Ballinger on Wednes-
day.

Mrs. Russel Grimes was called
to Rowena on Tuesday to be with
her mother, Mrs. Patterson, who
is ill.

F. M. Smith attended to busi-
ness in San Angelo on Wednesday.
Russel Grimes visited friends in
San Angelo on Wednesday.

Eno and Walter Savage of
Gainesville are guests of their
sister, Mrs. J. I. Hancock.
Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hancock and
son, Jesse Leroy, Eno and Walter
Savage were in San Angelo on
Thursday evening.

Among Miles people going to
San Angelo on Tuesday were B.
W. Forehand, Frank Eckert,
Amos and Henry James.

J. A. Freeman and C. B. Conn,
were here from Ballinger on last
Friday.

J. C. Cook of Ballinger attend-
ed to business in Miles on Tues-
day.

George Black and son of Cam-
eron visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe
N. Luce here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Huby Clarke and daughter
Louise of Miles, Mrs. A. E. Wood-
ward and children of Temple
were visitors to San Angelo on
Monday.

Mrs. V. P. Hall has returned to

Slaton after visiting Mr. and Mrs.
B. F. Moore.

Mrs. J. C. Kincaid, who has been
visiting her daughter, Mrs. John
Moore and son, Carl Kincaid of
this place has returned to her
home at Florence, Texas.

O. B. Patty was a visitor to
Miles from San Angelo on Wed-
nesday.

L. E. Bair of Ballinger was here
on Thursday.

J. W. Lumpkin and son, W. D.
have returned from Temple where
they visited Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins.
Mrs. Vera Maddera and daugh-
ter, Virginia of Temple are guests
of the formers parents, Mr. and
Mrs. J. W. Lumpkin.

West Miller of Houston visited
Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Luce in this
city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boone and son
were visitors in Miles from Chris-
tival Thursday.

Mrs. J. P. Brooks and children
have moved to Ballinger where
Mrs. Brooks will take charge of
the Stocks Hotel, owned by her
mother, Mrs. T. J. Stocks, who
has been making her home in
this city with her daughter since
the death of Mr. Stocks sometime
ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ratliff and
baby were in Ballinger on Mon-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Thomas were
in Ballinger, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Luce and
daughter, Miss Eloise were shop-
ping in San Angelo on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Angell and
daughter, Mary Jo of Cameron,
visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Luce
Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lopie Gannaway
and baby and D. C. Gannaway of

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Marvin Coughran of California
and Finley Coughran of Dudley,
Texas left Wednesday for Dudley
after visiting their sister, Mrs. H.
C. Baughman here for several
days. Miss Myrtle Bauman ac-
companied them to Dudley where
she will spend a few days.

William B. Tyler entertained
the Young Men's Sunday School
Class of the Baptist church on
Tuesday evening at the Crescent
Drug Store.

The parlor was attractively
arranged. Beautiful flowers pre-
sented to the class by Mrs. W. W.
Jackson adorned the table.

After the business session de-
licious drinks and sundaes were
served to the thirty members, the
teacher, C. R. Tidwell, the Super-
intendent, L. B. Elamand and the
Pastor Rev. Verner E. Stokes.



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Mrs. J. A. Waide had a partial
reunion of her family at her
home on last Friday. Among
those present were: Mrs. L. M.
Davidson and little daughter of
San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Dick
Trail of Brady, and Mr. and Mrs.
Monroe Norman and family of
Holiday, Texas. Concho Herald.

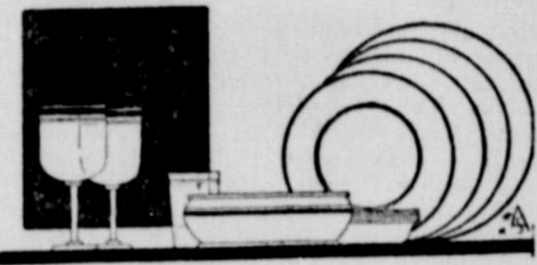
Misses Rena and Relda Freeman
of Mercedes, and who are taking
a summer course at Daniel Baker
College Brownwood, were here
the latter part of last week visit-
ing Mrs. David Taylor on the
Wood-Wright ranch. The Misses
Freeman returned to Brownwood
Sunday.

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PIONEER TEXAN PAYS OLD HOME A VISIT

Rip Van Winkle after his long sleep trudged thru the changed streets of his native village, grown to a prosperous town, and couldly recognized his old home. The grass and weeds which had grown in the streets were cut and the ramshackled house had given place to pretty residences.

Fifty years ago, W. K. Lilly, pioneer Texan, then a cow-puncher, and now a resident of Ballinger, who with his family, is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. E. O. Allen, came to Denton on a prospecting trip. He had left his home where he was reared, just south of Fort Worth in Tarrant County, and made his way thru Denton, on to Gainesville and thence west in search of a new home. At that time Denton was a very insignificant town—and as such does Lilly recall it.

And returning to Denton on the visit to his daughter during the past week his trip is not unlike that of the famous sleeper referred to in the first paragraph of this story. Like Van Winkle's home town, Denton has taken on phenomenal growth since he last saw the place, Lilly said.

"I was surprised to see that Denton was not only a good town but a city of considerable size," he said. "When I was last here about 50 years ago, Denton probably contained 1,500 people and there apparently would never be much of a town in this locality. The streets were almost no streets—overgrown with grass and weeds and the sand was so deep that a wagon would occasionally get stuck and have to be shoveled out."

Lilly was born in Arkansas, but he learned in two years what some "Arkansawyers" never have learned—that it was foolish to waste one's life in Arkansas when Texas was just across the line. So he came to Texas with his father's family, traveling in the conventional (in those days) ox wagon. And he has remained in Texas during the 73 years which have elapsed since that time. The family settled near Fort Worth and Lilly remained in that section, engaged with his father in the cattle business, until the prospecting trip which took him to Denton 50 years ago.

"I grew up in Tarrant County and I panned cattle there and in adjoining counties until I moved west," he said. "I can remember when Birdville was the county seat of Tarrant County and I remember that a man was killed near my home when the election, which changed the county seat to Fort Worth, was held. I recall quite well the old fort that used to stand on the river and in those days its use was not past."

"Things were pretty wild in those times," he continued. "The Indians gave some trouble—over towards Decatur—until well after the Civil War and there was a certain lawless element which caused some trouble. All of this country, then, was unfenced and when I came to Denton County on my prospecting trip I thought the land was practically worthless. It could have been bought for \$2.50 an acre but I was looking for range land and not farm land. I did not want to get into a territory that was littered with a lot of woods such as covered a large part of the land in this area."

And now much of the land that

HAIL DAMAGES OLD RUNNELS CROPS

Hail reported in the old Runnels section of the county Friday night, did considerable damage to crops. George Holliday, who had previously lost 100 acres in a hail storm, had 30 acres wiped out Friday night.

The 30 acre patch of cotton was a part of the 100 acres lost in the previous storm, that had been replanted and was in exceedingly good shape, and would have made a fine yield. Other farmers in the neighborhood are reported to have lost some cotton.

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CHRISTIAN MEETING

The 8th Street Church of Christ will conduct a protracted meeting at the tabernacle the first two weeks in August, beginning Friday, July 31st.

Elmer L. Nichols, Christian Evangelist of Fort Worth, will do the preaching. You are invited to attend.

Quite a number of Ballinger people went to Abilene on the 4th to attend the speed classic, including whom were Harold Stubbs, Cicero Smith, Otwell Layton, J. L. McWhirter, Clarence McCarver Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Thomas, and Harvey Holloway.

Lilly refused to buy at \$2.50 an acre could not be bought for 40 times as much and some of it has brought as high as \$150.00 per acre.

"Conditions in everything have changed. We do not raise cattle as we once did. Farming is not done as it was once and towns do not stay the same size as they were 50 years ago—by the way, Denton now is one of the nicest small cities I have ever visited," he said. —Denton Record.

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BRADY BOOSTERS TO COME HERE

Brady boosters, representing the Chamber of Commerce of that city will be in Ballinger on July 10th, according to announcement published in the Brady Standard. The boosters of the McCullough county metropolis were scheduled to leave Tuesday, July 7th, returning after a four day trip for the purpose of advertising the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association which is to be held in Brady on July 28th, 29th and 30th.

The trippers will go south the first day, taking inner at Fredericksburg, and spending the night in San Antonio. Uvalde will be the stop for dinner on the second day and the trippers will spend the night in Eagle Pass. Del Rio and Sonora will be the towns visited on the third day. With Eldorado Christoval and San Angelo for dinner, Ballinger and Paint Rock in the afternoon of the fourth day.

There will probably be two hundred Brady citizens in the parade to be staged here, and will be accompanied by Brady's "Liza Jane" Band. A concert will be played in Ballinger.

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L. K. Gowdy is at home after a business trip to Oklahoma and North Texas.

Society

Announcement Party.

At a party of beautiful appointments, Mrs. C. P. Shepherd was hostess on Friday afternoon, announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her niece, Miss Malvina Skinner to Mr. George McCulley of Brownwood on Thursday, July 23rd.

In rooms to which an added touch of attractiveness had been given with a floral odorno of shasta daisies, guests found their places at the six tables arranged for playing Bridge by means of dainty place cards. The yellow and white motif, employed by the hostess was repeated in the delicious refreshment plate served at the conclusion of the games and in the individual guests favors of bags of rice.

When the guests had all found places each was given a crossword puzzle to solve and in this unique and clever way the engagement was announced.

Mrs. Shepherd was assisted by her daughter, Miss Evelyn in making the afternoon one of unusual pleasure for Misses Malvina and Louis Ruth Skinner, Mrs. J. M. Skinner, David Taylor, Cecil Thorp, Larent Webb, Homer Carsey, R. W. Earnshaw, K. V. Northington, Troy Simpson, Oscar Williams, of Winters, Clinton Penn, Ross Murcheson, Williams King, of Brownwood, Elbert Clappett of Cisco, A. B. Lankford of Abilene, Misses Elizabeth and Ellen Jones of Brownwood, Katharine Penn, Helen Brewer, Alda Ward, Felda Cathey, Olga Zappe, Anna Jean Sharp, Naomi McWilliams and Lillian McKinney.



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Not only in brilliant style, but in wearing qualities and value, these smart looking and long wearing new Summer Oxfords are setting the pace. Especially interesting are the "Balloon" type Oxfords in shades of tan.

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The telephone is one absolute necessity in modern business. It is necessary in modern society. No community can get along without telephone service.


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There is not and can not be any difference at all between the interests of this industry and the interests of the people who depend upon telephone service.

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Can You Solve This?
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The above letters when properly arranged spell the name of a late president. Everyone sending in the correct solution will be awarded a beautiful lot, size 20x100 feet. Free and clear of all encumbrances, in a section now open for colonization in New Jersey. If you correctly solve the puzzle there will be a small charge of \$4.00 for the cost of drawing up legal papers and making transfers to you. Answer puzzle and mail today. This offer expires July 31st.

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Antonio Moreno and Patsy Ruth Miller in "Her Husband's Secret"

At the Queen Theatre Tonight

FIVE TEACHERS ELECTED HERE

The board of trustees of the Ballinger Independent School District held an important meeting last Friday evening, and transacted much business. At this meeting a number of new teachers were elected to positions in high school, a colored school teacher was elected, and a resignation was accepted.

Prof. H. C. Kennedy, of Commerce, was elected to teach manual training; Miss Sibyl Ingram, to teach the commercial course, and R. M. Pogue, of Waco, and Miss Helen Brewer, of Ballinger, were elected to high school places.

For the negro school, H. W. Calaway, of Abilene, was elected.

Miss Myrtle Bridwell, who taught bookkeeping, Latin and history at the last term of the local high school, and who was re-elected this year to teach mathematics, has resigned to accept a place in the Austin schools.

At present there are two vacancies in the Junior High School and one vacancy in the High School. Another meeting will be held this week, in which applications may be passed on, it was stated, although this part of the program may be deferred until the return of Supt. W. A. Cain, who is in Austin in summer school work. At the next meeting, however, the purchase of additional equipment for the school will come up for consideration.

BALLINGER BAPTISTS TO ENCAMPMENT

A number of local Baptists will attend the Christoval Baptist Encampment, which opened at that place Monday. Some will camp on the grounds proper, while others will make it go back and forth from Ballinger to Christoval. A number of prominent Baptists will take part in the religious gathering, and fine programs are being planned for each day.

The following Ballinger people will leave for the encampment Tuesday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Street and family, Mrs. N. J. Morgan and daughter, Mrs. Patterson, and Rev. Alvin Swindell and family.

"ACHED & ACHED"

Lady Says Her Back "Hurt Night and Day"—Least Noise Upset Her. Better After Taking Cardui.

Winfield, Texas.—"My back hurt night and day," says Mrs. C. L. Eason, of R. F. D. 1, this place. "I ached and ached until I could hardly go. I felt weak and did not feel like doing anything. My work was a great burden to me. I just hated to do up the dishes, even. I was no-account and extremely nervous."

"My mother had taken Cardui and she thought it would do me good, so she told me to take it. My husband got me a bottle and I began on it. I began to improve at once. It was such a help that I continued it until after the baby's birth."

"I took eight bottles and I can certainly say that it helped me. It is a fine tonic. It built me up and seemed to strengthen me. I grew less nervous and began to sleep better."

"I can certainly recommend Cardui to expectant mothers, for to me it was a wonderful help. In every way I felt better after taking it and I think it is a splendid medicine."

Cardui is purely vegetable, and contains no harmful drugs. For sale everywhere. NC-142



BARBERS PLAY HARWELL TODAY

By mutual agreement the baseball game between the Barbers of the city and the Harwell Motor Co., team will go only seven innings. The game will be called at six o'clock and it was not thought that there would be sufficient time to finish the game before darkness if a full nine-inning game was played.

Below will be found the line-up of the opposing teams, and it will be noted that Manager McMillan has made some changes in his organization from the previous game with oil dealers although the line-up given here is not final and official. Manager Steve Hale says the "road line" will not get off as easy with the "chin scrappers" as they did with the "grassers."

Harwell's team, known now as "Bob's Cats" are as follows: Willard McMillan, c; Chas. Forbes, p; Clarence Wilson, 1b; Ray McAlister, 2d; Alfonso Gray, 3b; Scout Gressett, ss; Joe Huffman, rf; O. K. Morgan, cf; Gerald Black, lf. Utility men—Bud Gray, p; Bill Coleman and Troy Stewart.

The Squirrel Hunters line-up is as follows: Rufus Thomas, cf; Harvey Hayes, rf; Ed. Meadows, 2b; Jo Bauman, lf; Red Woodson, 1b; Jenkins, 3b; Jake Dannelly, ss; Red Campbell, c; Steve Hale, p.

Utility men—Sam Malone and Millsap. One of the best games of the city league schedule is also due tomorrow when the hardware men of this city take on the lumber dealers. Other amateur baseball games will be played this week, and gate receipts will all go to the benefit of the Ballinger Baseball Association. Over a hundred men were working out at Fair Park Monday afternoon and some of the old arms are being straightened out, and former star baseball players are getting in shape.

Burton Reese, Hesterwood Clayton and Paul Jeanes were among those attending the races at Abilene on the Fourth.



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—Unfurnished rooms, modern conveniences, close in. See W. C. Coleman at Harwell Motor Co. 2-6d*

High grade enlargements made from your choice kodak negatives. Bartlett Studio, W. P. Martin, Prop. 28-1td

FOR SALE—Right new home on 8th Street, opposite new Baptist church. Also the adjoining property, consisting of a new 5 room residence, with all modern conveniences, garage, etc. Terms. Might consider trade. Fred Mitchell, phone 230, Ballinger, Texas. d&w if

FOR SALE—Canary Birds, singer. Phone 326, Mrs. R. B. Twitty 7-2d*

FOR RENT—New modern apartment with all conveniences. Phone 1213 7-3d

CHILD HURT BY AUTO

Little Miss Ethel Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hull, is still suffering from concussion received Friday evening when she was struck by an automobile driven down Eighth Street at a fairly rapid rate. The little girl was crossing the street to a confectionary shop to obtain a nickel's worth of ice cream when a car driven by an unknown person hit her and carried her several yards on the running board. Ethel, who is four years old, was rushed to the sanitarium, and received an X-ray examination, which disclosed several bruises but it is not thought she was injured internally. The child still clung to the nickel when rescued by her mother.

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE CLUB MEMBERS

In order to be fair to the old club members and at the same time give prospective members a chance to compete for prizes in livestock, poultry, field crops, etc., this notice is issued to the effect that no boy or girl shall be allowed to enter exhibits as a club member or compete for club prizes during the county fair, unless he or she has signed a regular membership card or made application for membership before July 15th, 1925.

Therefore if you want to enjoy the privileges of a club member in competing for club prizes during the fair get your application for membership in to the County Agent before July 15th.

C. W. LEHMBERG,
County Agent, Runnels Co., d&w1t

WONDERFUL MESSAGE AT THE NAZARENE REVIVAL

A revival meeting is now in progress at the Church of the Nazarene on Ninth Street. Good crowds are attending the meeting and some splendid work is being done.

Evangelist R. M. Hoeker is bringing some wonderful messages. Miss Rhodes and Miss Cox are blessing the people with their sweet singing.

The morning services begin at 10:00 a. m. The evening services begin promptly at 8:30 o'clock and are held on the lawn. The crowds are growing, so come early and get a chair.

"REPORTER"

THE OWL CAFE

Under new management—serving everything good to eat, including all regular dishes, hamburgers, short orders, etc. A call will be appreciated. We also serve cold drinks of all kinds.

Located between Ludwig Bros. and Santa Fe Depot on 7th street. F. C. JENKINS, Prop. 7-6d 1w.

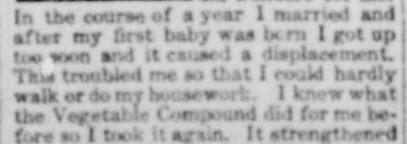
Mrs. Cunningham, who operates a florist shop in Amarillo, was visiting old friends in Ballinger Monday, and reviewing scenes of her childhood. Mrs. Cunningham was formerly Miss Carrie Holmesley, whose father was Dr. Holmesley of Ballinger.

NOTICE
Wanted at once 500 or 600 feet of 3 or 4 inch pipe. Must be a bargain. Report at Ledger office. 7-1d*

AILMENTS OF YOUNG GIRLS

Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound School Teacher's Experience

Evanston, Wyoming.—"A few years ago I had troubles every month such as girls often have, and would suffer awfully every time. I was teaching school and it made it hard for me as I had to go to bed for two or three days. One day my mother suggested that I take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and it did wonders for me. In the course of a year I married and after my first baby was born I got up too soon and it caused a displacement. This troubled me so that I could hardly walk or do my housework. I knew what the Vegetable Compound did for me before so I took it again. It strengthened me and now I have five little kiddies. The eldest is six, the baby is five months old and I have twin boys three years old and a boy of five years. I do all my own housework, washing and ironing, and I never felt better in my life. I owe my health to your wonderful medicine and I recommend it to all my friends."—Mrs. VERRINA CARPENTER, 127 2nd Avenue, Evanston, Wyoming.



Personals

Tom Penn, Gordon Thomson, Herbert Sledge, Maurice Gressett, C. W. Northington, Bernie Ward and Roy Mack were visitors to San Angelo Friday evening and Saturday.

Misses Elizabeth and Ellen Jones, of Brownwood, who had been here several days visiting Misses Mal and Ruth Skinner, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Clumpitt, of Cisco, were visiting Mrs. Clumpitt's mother, Mrs. R. A. Nicholson and other relatives on the Fourth. Mr. Clumpitt left Sunday for home, while Mrs. Clumpitt will remain for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dannelly and family spent the Fourth in Stephenville, visiting relatives.

C. C. Haley and family went to Christoval for the Fourth on an outing.

Mrs. Chas. Northington is visiting friends in Fort Worth.

J. P. Flynt, who is now associated with Magnolia Provision Co., of Houston, having recently accepted a position with that concern, left Monday morning for Goldthwaite to be gone a week on business.

Roy Reeder left Monday afternoon for Dallas where he will be gone for several days on business and visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Drews.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Simpson and baby are away on their annual vacation, leaving Saturday morning. They will visit Mr. Simpson's brother at Breckenridge, will stay awhile in Fort Worth, and will visit Mrs. Simpson's relatives in Abilene, being gone a week or two.

Mrs. R. A. Dickinson and son, Cecil, visited Mrs. A. E. Cusenberry, a sister-in-law of Mrs. Dickinson at Sonora last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dickinson visited in Christoval, Eldorado and Senora Saturday.

QUEEN Theatre

SEE THE BEST FORGET THE REST

LAST DAY TO SEE—PATSY RUTH MILLER, ANTONIO MORENO and RUTH CLIFFORD IN

Her Husband's Secret



The man who made "The Sea Hawk" and "The Black Oxen" now gives a strong drama that shows what makes or breaks a happy home.

Lower Floor, Adults 30c
Children 10c Balcony 20c

Tomorrow
Thos. H. Ince's
"IDLE Tongues"

G. S. Neely, of Winters, representing Winters directors at the board meeting held here Monday afternoon. Bert Fletcher, of the Maverick country, had business in Ballinger Monday afternoon, and attended the fair directors meeting.

MAEROY THEATRE

TODAY

Richard Hatton and Neva Gerber in

"WESTERN FATE"

A Tense Drama of the Old West

Also Bobby Dunn in

"NO DANGER"

A Two Reel Mirthquake Comedy

ADMISSION 10c and 25c

Condensed Statement of Financial Condition of

Ballinger State Bank

June 30th, 1925

Resources

Loans and Discounts	\$214,382.59
Bonds and Stocks	1,290.00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	26,288.55
Other Real Estate	38,036.81
Interest and Assessment Guaranty Fund	14,784.18
Cash and Exchange	69,553.96
	\$364,336.09

Liabilities

Capital	\$ 40,000.00
Surplus and Profits	7,936.72
Deposits	316,399.37
	\$364,336.09

STATEMENT of Condition

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER
April 6, 1925

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	371,170.92
Bankers Acceptances	100,915.94
Overdrafts	132.99
U. S. Bonds	28,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	4,700.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	26,255.00
Real Estate	24,500.00
Cash and Exchange	248,646.88
	\$804,321.73

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	62,909.04
Reserved for Taxes	2,542.17
Circulation	25,000.00
Dividends Unpaid	5,000.00
Deposits	608,870.52
	\$804,321.73

We Carry No State, County or Municipal Interest-bearing Deposits.

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