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WIFE MURDERER KILLS SELF WITH BAILING WIRE

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—Dr. Thomas Young, dentist, on trial for the murder of his wife, being charged with killing her and burying the body in a cistern, killed himself in the county jail here today. His body was found in his cell where he strangled himself to death with a piece of wire.

The wire used by Young with which to commit suicide was probably smuggled in to him, the county jailer said. The dentist had twisted the wire about his neck and then turned it tightly with a stick until it cut off circulation and produced death in a short time.

The assistant county jailer visited Young's cell at 6:00 o'clock this morning and roused him with instructions to prepare himself for court. An hour later the doctor was found dead. The suicide ends the trial of Young on the murder charge.

THREE HURT IN \$350,000 BLAZE

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—Three firemen were injured and damage amounting to \$350,000 was caused when fire today destroyed the plant of the Texas Refining Company here. The firemen were injured when an explosion blew out the wall of the building, and the flames burned them.

The fire broke out in the linter room of the plant which manufactures cooking oil and artificial lard and other cotton seed oil derivatives.

MEXICO READY TO PAY DEBT

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, August 27.—Mexico will begin paying her \$500,000,000 national debt, owed chiefly to the United States, about September 1st, according to A. N. Elias, consul general for Mexico at New York, who passed through here today. Mexico discharged her domestic debts on August 13th when 20,000,000 pesos were paid to private institutions of that country, Elias said.

HICKS RUBBER CO. SIGN IS COMPLETED

H. L. Selle, sign painter of Waco, has just completed a huge \$700 signboard, erected on the Ballinger-Coleman road near Benoit, for the Hicks Rubber Co. This board is 22 feet high and 41 feet long. It is thought to be the largest sign on the highways in the state of Texas. The Selle Co. has a contract with the Hicks Rubber Co. for forty of these signs to be erected in various places over the state. The painters are on their way to Abilene to paint two such signs already erected in Abilene.

John Num, of Abilene, was here Wednesday, and went out to Old Runnels to visit before going back to Abilene.

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U. S. PRESENTS BILL TO GREECE

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Aug. 27.—A dispatch to the London Daily Telegraph says that the United States recently presented to Greece demands for a settlement of that country's debt to the United States government.

The Greek government, though recognizing the American claim, will declare its inability to pay the debt at this time. It was said that the budget of the Greek government is already being overburdened on account of the urgent obligations in connection with the settlement of the refugee situation.

MAKING FIGHT TO MOVE TRIAL

(By Associated Press)
DENTON, Tex., August 27.—The taking of testimony in support of the motion of W. A. Martin for a change of venue from Denton county started today. Martin is charged with the killing of Deputy Sheriff R. B. Parsons.

The defense summoned ninety-seven witnesses in an effort to substantiate its contention that Martin's interest requires that the case be transferred to another county for trial. The state called twenty-five witnesses, who it is planned, will be used in an effort to rebut the evidence presented by the defense.

Noble Prentice, of Fort Worth, is here visiting friends.

Prof. and Mrs. J. M. Skinner and daughter, Miss Ruth, are at home from Electra and Childress, where they had been for the past two or three weeks. Mr. Skinner had a minor operation while away, but is now about his usual self and doing fine.

ANOTHER DROP IN CRUDE OIL

(By Associated Press)
TULSA, Okla., Aug. 27.—The Prairie Oil & Gas Company today cut the price on mid-continent crude twenty-five cents per barrel, making the new schedule effective today.

The reduction brings the top price of mid-continent crude oil down to \$2.43 for 44 gravity crude, and \$1.15 per barrel for low grade gravity ranging from 28 to 28.90.

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MORE CHARGES BANK ROBBERY

(By Associated Press)
DENTON, Tex., August 27.—Complaints charging Robert Story, of Denton, and Jack Hawthorn, one of the four men arrested in a raid Monday on the Yancy Story ranch, were filed today. The men are charged with being accomplices in the

robbery of the state bank at Krum on June 9th of this year.

The complaints were filed by Ranger Captain Tom Hickman, who led the raid on the Story ranch, and who has been conducting an investigation since the arrest of Yancy Story and a man by the name of Stiff and the finding of a large quantity of loot on the Yancy place.

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OPPOSES SITE FOR BIG DAM

(By Associated Press)
AMARILLO, Aug. 27.—The objection of New Mexico irrigation commissioners to building a dam on the South Canadian River near Logan, New Mexico, was only disquieting complication as the water commissioners of Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico went into conference today. The site near Logan was one of five selected by the engineers of the war department as a site to build a dam for controlling the flood waters.

The New Mexico commissioners told the Associated Press that they would never agree to the placing of a dam at Logan.

D. E. Caudle was in from the Hatchel country Thursday morning, coming to town to lay in a supply of poison for cotton worms. Mr. Caudle says that worms were very numerous in his cotton fields and were working on the cotton in a manner which calls for quick action in combatting them. There is considerable complaint of the army worm in cotton fields where the crop is the best, but the farmers believe they can control the situation if the wet weather is not prolonged.

(By Associated Press)
LAREDO, Tex., Aug. 27.—As the result of a pitched battle between American officers and Mexican smugglers this morning near the Tordilla Ranch, 18 miles Northwest of here, and near the Rio Grande, one smuggler was killed and another shot through the leg and is a prisoner in the Webb county jail. Another runner lost his ear which was severed in a fusillade between the customs officers and the smugglers. An officer picked up the Mexican's ear on the prairie after the fighting had ceased.

The officers encountered the band of smugglers and in attempting to stop them the smugglers opened fire and a battle followed.

DROUTH APPEARS TO BE BROKEN

Following rain of more than an inch Wednesday, showers were again falling Thursday afternoon. The Thursday rains came from the Southwest, and during the last two days it has been raining in all directions from Ballinger. Several showers fell Wednesday night.

While no general report of the rain has been compiled, reports from different points indicate that the rain has been general over Central West Texas, and North Texas. Late crops will be greatly benefitted and a fall and winter range produced for livestock.

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The contract has been let for a new poultry building at the Abilene fair grounds. That reminds us of the fact that entries in the poultry department of the Runnels County Fair here is open to the world, and the exhibitor who brings in the best birds, regardless of where they are from, gets first money. Premium awards are confined to Runnels, Concho, Coke and Coleman in all other departments.

CITIZENS RAISE \$35.50 FOR SICK YOUTH

Citizens of the Mud Creek community, at a recent meeting at the church there took a collection to be used to aid a boy, 11 years old, who is suffering with tuberculosis. Hubert Sutton is an orphan boy living in the community and with a developed case of the dreaded disease the people of the community rallied to his assistance and following the collection placed \$35.50 with G. C. Arent, who was appointed to get the boy into the sanitarium at Carlisbad if possible. Mr. Arent has already started the ball to rolling and expects to have the youth there under the care of the best doctors within a short time.

Young Sutton appreciates the interest and help and asked The Ledger to thank the good people of the Mud Creek community for what they are doing for him.

Dr. R. K. Rives, formerly pastor of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, of Ballinger, delivered the commencement sermon for the close of the Daniel Baker College summer school at Brownwood Tuesday night. Eleven students of the summer school received diplomas.

MOTHERS OF DAUGHTERS

Will Profit by Reading Mrs. Quigg's Letter Telling How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her Daughter



Royersford, Pa.—"My daughter was sickly from the time she was 13 years old, and when she was 15 she was irregular and also had severe head aches and pains in her sides and back. She was this way about six months before I began giving her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound regularly, although she had tried it before. It helped her very much. She is not bothered by headaches, backaches, or cramping any more, and has not missed but one day. We recommend it to other mothers with girls who have these troubles."—Mrs. Quigg, 219 Main St., Royersford, Pa.

Another Mother's Letter
Roxbury, Mass.—"At the age of 16 my daughter was all run down, nervous, with poor blood. These troubles made her weak and unfit to work. She tried several medicines, but they did her no good. Finally I induced her to take the Vegetable Compound, too, and she has gained in health and strength and is now working steadily. I have told these facts to many mothers, and I hope this letter will reach many more."—Mrs. HUDSON, 282 Eustis Street, Roxbury, Mass.

CRIMM REVIVAL STILL INDOORS

The revival services are continuing at the Baptist church pending setting of the weather. All services will be held in the church until the weather breaks, when it is expected the services will be held at the tabernacle on Seventh Street. Rev. Crimm says that he drove all the way to Ballinger in the rain. Some time ago he held a revival in New Mexico where it had not rained in over a year. It began raining as soon as he began the revival.

The services Wednesday night were well attended, the main auditorium of the church being filled with people interested in the success of the meeting. The choir leader "drafted" singers from the audience and is making good headway towards organizing a choir. The music promises to be a big feature of the revival.

The morning services are also being well attended. Evangelist Crimm spoke on prayer at the 10-00 o'clock service Thursday morning. The evangelist reached Ballinger with a "bum" throat, but his physique indicates that he is able to throw off most any kind of minor ailment, and the preacher promises to give the devil his dues during the campaign here. You are invited to hear him.

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Former Ballinger Boy Writes for Saturday Evening Post

Ballinger was prominently mentioned in the Saturday Evening Post of August 22nd, under the head of "Who's Who—and Why?" a sketch of serious and frivolous facts about the great and near great—writers for the Post.

A brief autobiography of C. E. Seoggin, a former Ballinger boy, is included among the sketches. Seoggin is a nephew of Mrs. Asa Cordill, Mrs. Jas. E. Brewer and Chas. Grant, of this city. For a number of years his mother lived in Ballinger and Seoggin attended the Ballinger schools. Seoggin was born in Mexico while his father was a missionary for the Methodist church. The older citizens of Ballinger who knew the lad when he lived in Ballinger will read the brief story of his life, as told by himself in the Saturday Evening Post:

"There seems to be some difference of opinion as to whether writers are born or made. I quote: 'Republica Mexicana, Estado de Sinaloa. En el puerto de Mazatlan... comparecio el Ciudadano Jefferson Davis Seoggin... y presento un nino vivo.' This, from the official document, should forestall any controversy in my case. I was born. But it took me thirty years to find out what for.

"My father was a Methodist preacher, which, I am told, explains something or other. When I was six months old I rolled off a high bench in a cobbled patio, alighting head first, bringing on some seventeen hours' argument between my mother and the authorities as to whether I was ready for final disposition. My mother won. This, I am told, throws more light on the subject.

"My father died on my sixth birthday, leaving the usual estate of Methodist preachers; whereupon my mother, with no business training whatever, with nothin in fact but her needle and her valiant heart, turned to and earned a living for three young children and herself—herself last—until we were able to do for ourselves. When you next start

counting the able citizens who are preachers' sons, please remember that they got at least half their stuff from preachers' wives.

"I went to school in Henrietta, Ballinger, Denton and Austin, Texas. I sold candy on the street; worked in a drug store, in an ice factory, on an ice wagon and as collector for the ice company; put in my spare time, my last two years in high school, as cub for a sign painter; this last accomplishment helped me half-way through the University of Texas. I meant to be an electrical engineer. But half an E. E. degree doesn't go far. So I went back to Mexico and dragged a chain on railroad location, kept time for a construction camp, was foreman of another, where the nearest white man was six miles East and a mile and a half straight down; I was then twenty-one years old.

"Believe me, I leave much unsaid. When railroad construction stopped—there were financial stringencies besides my own—I got a job on the construction of the Necaxa dam, the biggest in the world of its kind. I was on it when it broke, toward the end of a graveyard shift in May, 1909. I sold machinery for three years.

"In 1912, being tired of running around, I took a job as traveling salesman for a saw manufacturer in the States, covering Georgia, Florida and Cuba; I was being trained for the Latin trade exclusively, but they forgot about and left me there seven years; the eighth, they suddenly remembered and sent me on a year's trip to look over the Latin territory.

"But in the meantime I had acquired a wife and a daughter. In Mexico I had a pal, and he came from Muncie, Indiana. He used to get letters from a girl there. I envied him. I married her. I liked the novel sensation of putting my feet under my own table. On a trip to Cuba I chanced to be on the train and boat with Mary Roberts Rinehart. I should put that in italics; but I won't. It's not her fault. She knew not what

she did. She can't help being human and kindly; she was born that way.

"Of course, writers have to be human, more human than other people. But it was a shock to me—an eye-opener. She talked as if I, even I, might write. . . . I tried. I wrote Jerry Remembers Something. A magazine refused it. I dropped it in a drawer of my desk and forgot it. My daughter, then at the paper-tear in gage, discovered it. Collecting the fragments, I read a paragraph and found myself grinning. Said I to myself, 'Why, it's actually funny!' So I rewrote it, and The Saturday Evening Post bought it for as much as I could earn in two months selling saws.

"That was a fluke, of course. I tried again and again. Editors, I found, were human too. I'd found the thing I always yearned to do, without ever dreaming that I actually could. So I quit work and went to writing stories.

"I work harder than I ever did in my life; I mean, it takes all the faculties, all the energy I've got. But the reward is great. There's the money, of course; there has to be; my daughter is growing up. There are interesting associations in the craft. There's the freedom to live where I like, which happens to be Muncie, Indiana. My wife has life-long friends here. I have no lifelong friends anywhere—how could I have, with a life scattered all over the map?—but hers have come to be more or less mine.

"People say to me, 'But of course, you've got a lot to write about, living all over as you have!' I only wish I could write what I see right here in Muncie, Indiana, an American town. I see what people who've had homes all their lives can't see. And some day the way to write it will come to me."

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MOTHERS WANT KINDERGARTEN

Ballinger should have a kindergarten school. So say several mothers who are eager for such an institution to be organized here. It is called to mind that a few years ago this city maintained one of the most successful schools for little tots to be found anywhere in the country.

It is possible that kindergarten work can be revived here, and with that end in view The Ledger has been requested to announce that a meeting will be held at the Carnegie Library Saturday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock to discuss the proposition. All mothers who are interested are urged to attend this meeting.

It will require some twenty-five or thirty pupils to support a good kindergarten, and if this number can be enrolled, and the tuition guaranteed, a good instructor can be employed and brought here.

The ages of kindergarten pupils, as fixed by the National Kindergarten Association, are from four to six years. The mothers interested in the move declare that there are more than that number of children in Ballinger whose parents are financially able to enroll them, and who should do so. The school board is not in a position to handle the kindergarten work in connection with the public schools, it is said.

All those interested in organizing a school for the little tots, are requested to meet at the library at 4:00 p. m. Saturday.

All work ordered now charged as of September 1st if requested. Give us your orders for Bill Heads and Statements now and avoid the rush. Ballinger Printing Co., Phone 27. 2td

E. E. Stark and family came in from Corsicana this week and are visiting in Ballinger. Mr. Stark was formerly a city mail carrier in Ballinger.

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Society

Informal Dance

On Saturday evening the boys of the younger social set sponsored a most pleasurable dance at the beautiful Geo. Holman home on Eighth Street. Music was furnished by the Hi-Brown Jazzopators of Brownwood and refreshing punch was served throughout the evening.

Besides Miss Shepherd's guests those included were: Miss Mildred Jones, of Brady; Messrs. J. L. McWhirter, Gordon Thomson, Roy Mack, Robert Bruce, Wilbert Lankford, Tom Penn, Herbert Sledge, Mildred Cone, C. A. Doose Jr., Cleo Reese, Oscar Zappe, Rollin Reese, Harold Stubbs and Atwell Layton.

Swimming Party

Honoring her house guests, Misses Irene Risser and Lydia Russell of Bonham, Miss Evelyn Shepherd was hostess on Saturday afternoon at a delightful swim party at Second Rannels Crossing on Elm Creek.

After the swim a delicious cafeteria supper was served at the home of the hostess' mother, Mrs. C. P. Shepherd on Eighth Street, to the following:

Misses Russell and Risser of Bonham, Evelyn Shepherd, Mildred Butler, Mabel Brewer, Margaret Cordill, Frances Holman, Nettie Routh Sledge, May Garlington, Ruth Holliday and Dorothy Chaney.

Miss Chaney Hostess

On Tuesday evening of last week the Chaney home on Fourth Street was the scene of a gay affair when Miss Dorothy was hostess to a large number of her friends.

Dancing to victrola music furnished diversion throughout the evening hours and fruit punch was served.

In this most pleasurable affair Miss Chaney included: Misses Irene Risser and Lydia Russell, of Bonham; Evelyn Shepherd, Nettie Routh Sledge, Maxine Russell, Ruth Holliday, Margaret Cordill, Verda Nell Trail, Frances Holman, May Garlington, Mabel Brewer, Henrietta Guion, and Mildred Jones, of Brady; Messrs. Maurice Gressett, Weldon Watson, Robert Bruce, Tom Penn, Russell Thomson, J. L. McWhirter, Harold Stubbs, Wilbert Lankford, Gordon Thomson, Rollin Reese, Donnell Macune, Burns Holt, Atwell Layton, Herbert Sledge, Robert Kirk, Neil McAlpine, Oscar Schott,

John I. Guion, Clarence McCarter, Oscar Zappe, Burton Reese, C. A. Doose Jr., J. P. Rhumann, James Trail, Jo Bryce Wilmeth and Cleo Reese Smith.

BETHEL NEWS

The Methodist meeting closed here Sunday night.

The Bethel Choral Club met Sunday afternoon. All enjoyed some good singing under the leadership of Professor Daniel.

Gene Richardson and family were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Harvey.

Miss Josie Roberson was painfully hurt Thursday morning while hauling a barrel of water. The team became unmanageable, turning the wagon over. Miss Roberson was caught beneath the bed of the wagon where she was rescued by the family and near neighbors. She received numerous cuts and bruises, none of which proved to be serious.

Misses Vera Shelburne, Leora McShan and Alta Richardson; Messrs. Delbert Davenport, Paul Richardson and Dollie Nichols visited Miss Josie Roberson Saturday afternoon.

Rev. W. W. Killam went to Miles Sunday to fill the appointment of Rev. Tracy at the Methodist church, while Rev. Tracy assisted Rev. Cole in the meeting here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Leonard and family and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cotten and family visited relatives at Paint Rock Sunday.

—REPORTER—

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12,000 Sing in Chorus

(By Associated Press)
DRESDEN, Aug. 26.—A reunion of male choral societies of Saxony recently brought together 25,000 singers, including guests from all parts of Germany. A feature of the first concert was a program by a male chorus of 12,000 voices.

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

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, this the 19th day of August, A. D. 1925.

(Seal):
GEORGIA SINGLETARY,
Clerk, County Court, Rannels County.

20-27-3-104

RED BALL STAGE LINE

My personal ears leave Ballinger for Winters and Abilene at 7:30 a. m., 8:45 a. m., 4:40 p. m. Leaves for San Angelo 9:00 a. m. 6:15 p. m. and 7:15 p. m.

Red Ball Stage Line
W. H. Avery.
18-12td

Notice

Complaint by the watermelon growers of South Ballinger, has come to us that depredations have already been made on certain watermelon patches and considerable damage done, and that the names of the boys who committed these offenses are known, but will be withheld and that no criminal action will be taken, but that if another attempt is made all violators will be prosecuted to the limit.

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LAST DAY

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"Range Vultures"

Action and Thrills Galore

and "THE PACEMAKERS"

Tomorrow

PETE MORRISON

Bucking the West

and 2 reel

LARRY SEMON

Comedy

10c ADMISSION 25c

and if the evidence is produced on any future violations of this kind the law will be applied to its fullest extent irrespective of who the violators may be.

R. E. McWILLIAMS, Sheriff
C. P. SHEPHERD, Co. Atty.
27-3td

Movies

Wild Night Life of Paris Film Thrill at the Queen

No detail is spared in depicting wild night life at the Dead Duck Cafe in the Thomas H. Ince Corporation's smashing First National offering which is closing a two-day engagement at the Queen Theatre tonight.

Besides this world-famed Montmartre resort, another cafe, a law Apache dive, is shown in full blast. There are also close-ups in a notorious casino of Paris—another triumphant touch of rich and accurate atmosphere in this rousing and unusual picture.

The cast includes Jacqueline Logan, Mary Astor, Clive Brooks, Buster Collier, Belle Bennett and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Routh and Mrs. George Vaughn left Thursday morning for O'Donnel, where they will visit Mrs. Routh's mother, Mrs. R. H. Schooler, and family, for a few days.

A New Mexico man was killed last week for trying to stop a fight between two other men. It does not pay to meddle in the other fellow's affairs.

PAINS ALL OVER

Lady Says She Took Cardui and Never Saw Such Improvement—Was So Weak Couldn't Stand.

Weathersby, Miss.—Mrs. James M. Hall, of this place, writes that she was "getting weaker all the time" when Cardui, the woman's tonic, was first brought to her attention. After she had taken Cardui a while, she writes that she "never did see such an improvement."

"I suffered all the time and had pains all over," says Mrs. Hall. "I was so weak I could not stand. My skin was cold and flabby. I did not have any color. I had always been a very active woman—used to outdoor exercise, walking and going where I pleased, and to get down, not able to get myself a drink, was indeed a hardship."

"Nothing seemed to help me, till I began on Cardui. The first bottle seemed to strengthen me, and I sent for five more. By the time I had taken these, I was on my feet, going around, doing my work, gained in health and strength."

"I took two more bottles, and I am well and strong. Can work my garden. I haven't had any more sickness."

Ask your druggist. NC-165



Labor Day Xcursion

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\$10.10 ROUND TRIP

Tickets on sale September 5 and 6 Limited to leave Galveston, Monday, Sept. 7th Sleepers, Chair Cars and Harvey Meals all the way In order that we can provide ample sleeping car accommodation patrons are asked to make their reservations early For detail information and reservations, call on or phone your Santa Fe Agent.

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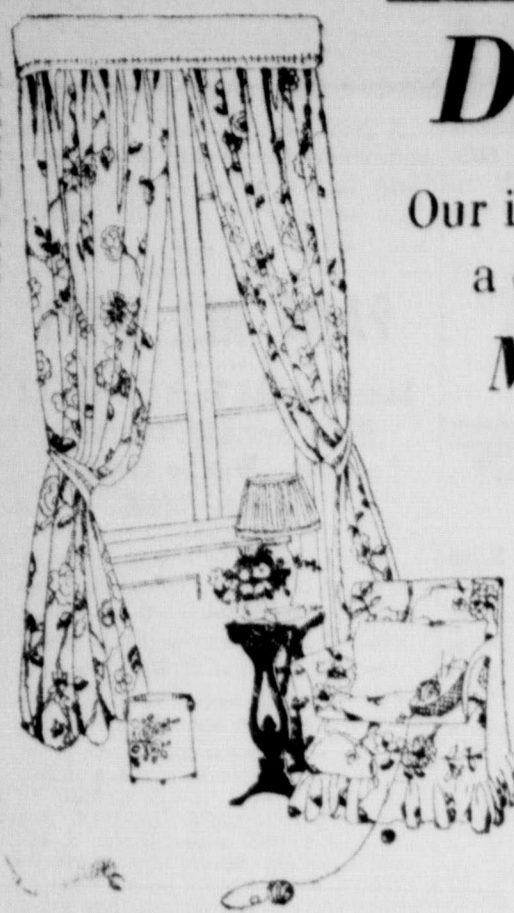
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Pictures and Vaudeville

Fred Thompson and Silver King in

"WILD BULL'S LIAR"



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Monday, August 31st
 For the Week

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Day Phone 82 **KING-HOLT** Night Phone 372

FEW BUSINESS CHANGES SLATED

Notwithstanding that extension of business lines in Ballinger is being slightly cramped on account of a lack of space in which to set up business, several changes among the older lines are reported, and there are rumors of new business enterprises in the air.

It is known that parties here are prospecting for locations in which to engage in the grocery business, and it is expected that at least one new grocery store will open here as soon as suitable quarters can be obtained.

A new business will occupy the building now occupied by the Maeroy Theatre, but John A. Weeks, owner of the building, stated Thursday that he was not ready to announce who the building would be leased to. The Maeroy Theatre will move to the building owned by the proprietors of the theatre on Eighth Street, and which is now occupied by the Ballinger Electric Co. G. P. Teague, of the electric shop, has not definitely decided where he will move his business to. He has two places in view.

A new barber shop will open for business in Ballinger within a few days. A man by the name of Josey has purchased the fixtures and equipment for a four-chair shop, and will occupy the space now leased by the Evans cafe and confectionery in the Masonic building. The Evans cafe will move one door further South and occupy the space now occupied by the Safety First Barber Shop. The Safety First Barber Shop, owned by Mr. Jenkins, will move to the Jeanes Company building, where a nice



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space has been cut off on the South corner of the Jeanes building.

A deal has just been closed in which Floyd Carr purchases the interest of Leo Hardin in the Hardin & Carr tailor shop and gents furnishings business located on Eighth Street. Mr. Hardin will remain with the firm for a time, but expects to retire and engage in some other line of work a little later on. Mr. Carr stated that he had purchased the interest of Mr. Hardin for his brother, Carl Carr, of Dallas. The Dallas man will arrive here about the middle of September. The firm name of Hardin & Carr will not be changed for the present.

Nicholson Brothers, LeRoy and Morris, will take charge of the Harwell Motor Co. filling station on the first of September. Morris Nicholson will have the management of the station. R. L. Harwell will not handle oil and gas in connection with his Ford business and he has leased the filling station.

Heal Those Sore Gums

If you suffer from Sore Gums, Bleeding Gums, Loose Teeth, Foul Breath, or from Pyorrhea in even its worst form, we will sell you a bottle of Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy and guarantee it to please you or return money. This is different from any other treatment, and results are certain.

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NOTICE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYERS

We are thinking of having a week's practice of our football squad since school is beginning later than other schools over our section.

Our coach, Ivan P. Oliver, will be here the last of this week and will have charge of this training camp. Our assistant coach, Robt. M. Payne, can not be here till just before the school opens but he then will help Mr. Oliver in all the athletics.

All boys that want to go on this camp will please meet Mr. Pace and me at the high school building at three o'clock Friday. Those boys who made as many as three credits last term of school will be eligible, others will not, so do not ask to be allowed to join the squad.

Sincerely,
 W. A. CAIN.

Mrs. Jo Wilmeth and son, James returned from San Angelo Thursday. After a day or two they will continue their journey to their home in Fort Worth. Jo Bryce Wilmeth, who has been here playing in an orchestra is returning home with them and will enter T. C. U. for the coming term.

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Ballinger, Texas

THREE DOCTORS TO FACE TRIAL

Dr. Andrus, of Miles, Craig, of Winters; and Nettie Montgomery, of Ballinger, are scheduled to go to trial in the county court here Tuesday, September 1st on charges of practicing medicine without a license. The cases are docketed in the order named. Dr. Andrus' case being the first on the docket, and which it is expected will be tried first.

A jury of eighteen men, constituting the regular venire for

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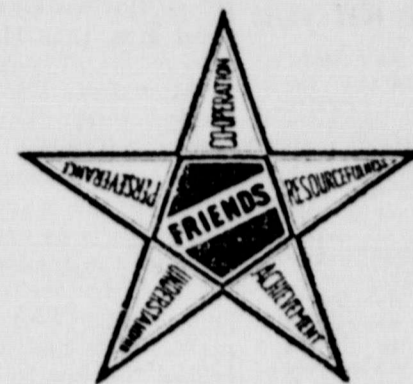
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Start a Thrift Account at this Bank.

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Most housewives are giving some thought to the fall house-cleaning. Many articles you need, such as floor wax, floor polish, furniture polish, interior paint, varnish and enamel can be purchased here.

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Official Testing Station—get your lights tested before Sept. 1.

Lense for all make cars. Don't pay new prices for Tires, but see us, Kelly Springfield, Diamond, Lee, Dayton and Miller Tires and Tubes.

Storage batteries, U. S. L. and Prest-O-Lite in rubber case only \$13.00. We recharge and battery for 90c.

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