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500 CHINAMEN TAKEN IN N. Y. CHINATOWN

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—All-night activities by federal authorities in their round-up of suspected undesirable in Chinatown, which netted a total of 500 Chinese, resulted today in 134 being sent to prison to await removal to Ellis Island for deportation. Dozens of suspects were found with white women, and the white women said that they were the men's wives.

The round-up was unprecedented in its extent and came within a few hours after the leaders of the On Leong and Hip Sing tongs had signed a peace treaty calling for a truce in the tongs' warfare which has caused the deaths of dozens of tongmen within the last few weeks.

The federal authorities have announced their determination of weeding out every Chinese who remains in this city in violation of the Exclusion Act.

AIR PROBERS TO HAVE FREE HAND

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—President Coolidge will give his aircraft investigating board a free hand as to witnesses to be summoned and course of procedure to be followed.

Acceptances have not been received from all nine of the men asked to serve on the board, but Mr. Coolidge is confident that all those appointed will accept.

RED RIVER RISE IS FALLING FAST

(By Associated Press)
WICHITA FALLS, Sept. 15.—Red River is reported to be falling today following one of the highest rises in recent years which has swept great gaps in wagon and railroad bridges and in gas pipe lines.

A large part of the wagon bridge South of Devol, Oklahoma was swept away and more than 300 yards of the Burk Burnett wagon bridge was washed out. Thirty bents of the Wichita Valley Railroad bridge North of Byers is gone today and a section of the Lone Star Gas Company's pipe line North of Byers was also swept away.

FARMER FOUND; HEAD MISSING

(By Associated Press)
SEALY, Tex., Sept. 15.—Max Ludwig, age 52, a well-to-do farmer of this section, was found dead beside the Santa Fe railroad tracks at Peters, six miles North of here, today. Ludwig's head had been severed from his body and it is supposed that he was walking to Sealy when struck by the train.

Ledger want ads pay.

COMPRESS MAKES RUN FOR SEASON

The Ballinger compress made its initial run for the 1925 season Monday and pressed out about 800 bales of 1925 cotton. Most of the cotton was Runnels county cotton and was concentrated here by the Farm Bureau and local shippers, about fifty per cent of the cotton being handled for the Farm Bureau and about fifty per cent for the shippers.

A Ledger man visited the press during the day and found Manager W. B. Woody with his new crew well organized and everything running like clock work. Mr. Woody has as his block foreman and bookkeeper this year, Joe Washman, who comes from Brenham. J. F. McMillan, who has been with the press for many years, is the chief engineer.

Mr. Woody stated that he was experiencing no trouble in getting hands this fall. He began work with thirty-eight negroes and did not have to advance railroad fare to get them here, as has been necessary in the past. The short crop in Central Texas left experienced compress hands idle, and others have wired or written seeking work.

Mr. Woody, the present manager, came on the job in July last year, and had charge of the local press through the 1924 season. He had Bailey Mack with him as first man last season. Mr. Mack recently went to Frederick, Oklahoma to be with the press at that place which is in charge of Mr. Sparkman, whom Mr. Woody succeeded at Ballinger. The Frederick press is a new one and it is making its first run this season.

The Ballinger press turned out about 53,000 bales last year, which was about what the gin receipts of the county amounted. Prospects are good that the press will do equally as well this year.

CONNALLY IS NOT GUILTY

The case of the State of Texas vs. Ralph Connally, charged with embezzlement, was called in the district court at Abilene Monday and resulted in an instructed verdict in favor of Connally. The charges grew out of charges made by G. O. Creswell, who was interested with Connally in the Winters Motor Co. until about one year ago. A case is still on the docket in Runnels county against Connally charging a false entry, and will probably be disposed of at the next term of district court here.

The state was represented by District Attorney Milburn Long and W. J. Cunningham. Judges J. F. Cunningham, A. K. Doss, Walter Woodward and R. W. Haynie represented the defense, and these same lawyers will represent Mr. Connally when the case comes to trial here.

Jno. A. Weeks, R. L. Harwell and Jim Flynt were used as witnesses in the case at Abilene Monday.

BIBLE CLASSES AT ALL CHURCHES

All those who wish to begin Bible study are expected to enroll Wednesday morning at 8:45. Teachers will be at the respective churches to take charge of the pupils and organize the classes. We understand that all the churches of the city have perfected plans for carrying on the work. The hour of class meeting has been fixed at 8:45 to 9:30, and there will be no classes in the public schools during this period, an opportunity being given for the pupils to go to the church of their choice and take up the study of the Bible. It is expected that many will avail themselves of the opportunity.

Be wise and advertise.

FRENCH MINISTER GRANTED POWER

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Sept. 15.—The French cabinet today heard Finance Minister Caillaux outline his intentions concerning his debt funding mission to Washington. They then voted unanimously to give him full power to negotiate.

Mr. and Mrs. Zurecher, of Houston, who had been visiting Mrs. Zurecher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilke, left for California Tuesday morning where they will make their home. They are making the trip in an auto, having sold all their belongings at Houston except what they were carrying in their car to their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Wilke and daughter, Mrs. Chester Cherry, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Zurecher as far as Del Rio where they will visit their son and brother, Henry Wilke.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger

THREE DEAD IN AUTO ACCIDENT

(By Associated Press)
PAULS VALLEY, Okla., Sept. 15.—G. A. Johnson, age 60, a farmer, and his wife were killed instantly and their five-year-old grandson was drowned when an automobile driven by Johnson rolled down an embankment at the end of a small bridge across Panther Creek near here last night.

Rev. R. B. Twitty went to Brownwood Monday afternoon, to take part in the house opening of Daniel Baker College. Rev. Twitty is also on the program at a reception to be given the football team of Daniel Baker Tuesday night. Rev. Twitty has been called to the pastorate of the Coggin Avenue Presbyterian Church in Brownwood, and he received a phone message inviting him to come down and take part in the school program being put on by Daniel Baker.

DEMAND RESIGNATION OF JUDGE AND COM.

ANGELO FAIR BOOSTERS HERE

Led by their DeMolay Band, about 100 citizens of San Angelo spent an hour in Ballinger Tuesday morning. The caravan of autos, about twenty in number, parked a little ahead of time near the Ballinger Auto Company on Hutchings Avenue and the line of march was formed, and after the parade through the business district the crowd assembled around the bandstand on the court house lawn for the speech making.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce was in session when the visitors arrived, this being the regular meeting date for the C. of C. board. It had been planned to adjourn and the directors were to compose a reception committee to go out and meet the visitors, but they arrived ahead of time. However, the directors of the Chamber of Commerce arrived on the scene in time to lead the march through the streets.

E. E. King, president of the local chamber of commerce, introduced Judge A. K. Doss, who in a brief address welcomed the San Angelo delegation to Ballinger. "The land of cotton greets the land of cattle," said Judge Doss, "and I wish we could effect a union of the golden Colorado and the limpid Concho." Judge Doss stated that it was a pleasure to have our neighbors visit us, and insisted that they make themselves at home.

J. E. Young, acting as pilot for the visitors, introduced Mayor W. D. Holcomb, who responded to the address of welcome. Others speaking were Dor Brown, county agent of Tom Green county; Judge Alfred Crager of this city, and Judge E. V. Spence, of San Angelo. The San Angelo speakers told of the big plans being made for the All West Texas Exposition, and advertising matter was distributed in the city telling about the big fair program.

Secretary Motley, of the local chamber of commerce, asked the visitors not to rush off when the speaking was over, as refreshments were ready to be served to them, and the crowd mixed and mingled with local citizens while the drinking was going on. After spending about an hour here the boosters left for Winters, and will complete the last day of their trip by touring over the Northern part of the county.

Phillip Walker left for Kerrville Monday afternoon, where he goes to enter school for the ensuing term, enrolling in the Schreiner Institute.

Walter Boswell, of Paint Rock, was looking after business in Ballinger Monday.

(By Associated Press)
MADISONVILLE, Tex., Sept. 15.—County Judge Ferguson of Madison county and the entire commissioners court have been given until Saturday to resign by a group of farmers and business men from all over the county.

The ultimatum was issued following a mass meeting here yesterday which was attended by about 500 citizens. The action came as a climax to a quarrel caused by the recent action of the commissioners court in contracting with a Dallas firm for the collection of delinquent taxes in the county.

According to general understanding the commissioners agreed to pay the firm \$7,500 and a percentage on all delinquent taxes collected.

PLEASED WITH PROGRESS MADE

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Sept. 15.—France is preparing for fresh operations on a large scale against the Rifian rebels in Morocco, Premier Poincaré told newspaper men after today's cabinet meeting. He is very much satisfied with the progress being made and hopes that all objectives will be gained during October.

NOT CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—Lee Satterwhite, of Panhandle, Speaker of the House of Representatives in the 39th legislature, will not be a candidate for governor in 1926, he said here today.

SOME DEMAND FOR ROUND BALE PRESS

Edwin Day, who is operating the first round bale cotton press at Ballinger, had pressed 60 round bales and 34 square bales up to Monday afternoon, which shows that about fifty per cent of his customers are asking for round bales and the other half is taking square bales. It requires two round bales to make one square bale, in weight.

LISTENING IN
Calls for new batteries.
A dark room dreams of pretty lighting fixtures.
Dirty clothes cry for a Mola washing machine.
Wrinkled garments beg for a Simplex iron.
They're down at—
EVERETT ELECTRIC CO.
115 S. 8th St. Phone 197

Headquarters for All School Boys and Girls

Ready For School

Make sure your child can keep pace with the rest by giving him the advantage of the proper—

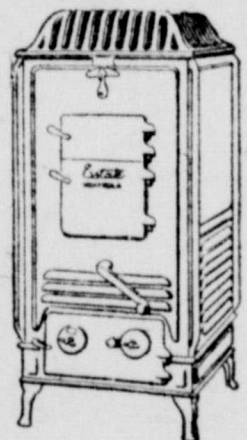
School Supplies

Fountain Pens \$1.00 and up. Erasers, Pencils, Tablets,

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

Rulers, Laboratory Books and Fillers

Going...
Going...
but not
quite gone!



FREE COAL!
August 29th to September 19th

Free Coal Offer Closes Saturday

A ton of coal, free—
Furnace comfort this winter, but without the expense of a furnace—
And both yours, provided you act quickly!
Membership in our Heatrola Club closes Saturday, September 19th. Two dollars enrolls you—secures for you the free ton of coal, while easy payments make you the owner of an Estate Heatrola, the wonderful new heating plant, that keeps the whole house cozy in the coldest weather.
Don't let this opportunity slip by. Call or telephone, and let us submit full details.

Estate
HEATROLA
HALL HARDWARE CO.

THE WINCHESTER STORE

769 Pupils are Present on First Day of School

With many children held out of school on account of the harvest work on the farm 769 pupils were enrolled the first day of the 1925-26 term of the Ballinger schools. This number will be rapidly increased within a few weeks, and it is expected that the enrollment will exceed that of last term when a total of 1101 were enrolled.

The enrollment for the first day of school was divided as follows:

High school 242
Junior high 220
Central Ward 264
South Ward 34
Mexican school 9.

The Junior Highs are being housed in West Ward, where they will be cared for until the new high school building is completed when the transfer will place them in the old high school building and the high school pupils in the new high school building.

The negro school will not open until next Monday, and like the Mexican school, the enrollment will be light until the cotton-picking rush is over. Last year 37 Mexican children were enrolled and 84 negroes, and both of these schools are also expected to exceed the enrollment of last term.

Notice

We are now located in our new home in the Hardin & Carr Tailor Shop, next to Moody Music Store.

Where we will have an unusually complete line of Electrical and Radio Supplies.

Ballinger Electric Co.
Phone 7 8th Street

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HOME-BREW

San Angelo residents consume more than \$8,400 worth of home-brew during the course of a month. This is based upon a conservative estimate of the number of bottle caps sold by the hardware and grocery dealers of the city, who place their sales at an average of 33,600 caps for the last month. This is an average of two caps to the person in the city. Some of these caps, of course, are sold to the non-residents of the city, but all of the figures are retail figures. The home-brew is valued at twenty-five cents a bottle, is the estimate.

Fifteen thousand beer bottles have been sold in the city during the last three months, too, the dealers say. One man in particular, who no longer resides in this section, put in an order for a carload of bottles. This order was never filled as the store with which he was dealing failed to receive the deposit that they required on the order before he left the country.—San Angelo Standard.

And the officers tell us that it is a violation of the prohibition law to make home-brew.

GETTING THE NEWS

It takes news to make a newspaper, and the fellow who shuts up like a clam when a reporter is out scouting for news is not a friend to the newspaper man.

Some people request the editor not to mention certain items of news which are of general interest, and the newspaper man complies with the request when that same party is out peddling the information around to his friends. After it becomes generally known, and is no longer news, the newspaper man is expected to give a lengthy write-up and a lot of free publicity.

Newspapers are the best advertisements a city can put out. Other cities and other people judge a town by the kind of a newspaper it has. If some people appreciated more fully the value of the home paper they would help to furnish the news instead of suppressing it.

We don't expect anyone to give us information about matters unimportant. We do not print everything we know, and do not expect to do so until we get ready to leave town, as until we get a man like Crim to do our fighting, but there are entirely too many good news items suppressed.

Modern society cannot get along without newspapers any more than it can without schools and churches, but the kind of a paper every town maintains depends largely on the individual who must help furnish the news.

Thomas Jefferson once said that if he had to have government with newspapers or news-

papers without government, he would take the newspapers because through them he felt that the state could be run with at least fair success.

If you are a friend to the newspaper man, or if you want the newspaper man to be a friend to you, put him next to a news story, or tell the paper about the comings and goings of yourself and your kin folks. Do that and you will help to give the town a better paper. Don't be a "clam."

Posted

My place on both sides of Elm Creek between the two dams is posted. Fair warning to keep out.
15-19td J. H. WILKE

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 Loto's Pyorrhea Remedy and guarantee it to please you or return money. This is different from any other treatment, and results are certain.

Sold by Strain Drug Co.

TO HEAR REPORT OF MISSIONARY DELEGATE

All members of the Woman's Missionary Society are urged to be present at the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 16th, at 4:30 o'clock, to hear the report of our delegate, Miss Zadie Royalty, who has just returned from the district meeting.

We also cordially invite any others who wish to attend, whether members of the society or not.

Mrs. J. M. Skinner, Pres.

WOLF HOUNDS ARE SHIPPED HOME

Six hounds shipped here by Rev. B. B. Crim to take part in wolf hunts while the evangelist was engaged in a revival here, were shipped back to Marshall, Texas, home of the evangelist, Monday afternoon. Rev. Crim left for McKinney to hold a meeting Monday morning and directed that his dogs be shipped back home. The six hounds were valued at \$600, according to the express tags on the crate.

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 Theodor's Black-Draught: "Just after I married I had indigestion. Working out, I got in the habit of eating fast for which I was paid by having a fish, broiled after meals. This made me very uncomfortable. I would feel stout 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 influenza and it will knock out a cold and ease away the influenza and quicker than any liver medicine I have ever found."

Eating too fast, too much, or fruiting 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. 30314



Say "Bayer" - Insist!

For Colds Headache
Pain Lumbago
Neuralgia Rheumatism

Safe - Accept only a Bayer package

which contains proven directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing Co., manufacturer of Salicylic Acid.

Albino Baby Alarms Savage Tribe in Which it Was Born

(By Associated Press)
SEATTLE, Sept. 14.—Curtis King, a Memphis manufacturer, in Seattle this summer, returning from the Far East, told of an albino child that had been born to parents of the Moie race, a savage tribe wearing brass rings on ankles and wrists and whose ears are pierced with strange ornaments. King said he travelled hundreds of miles out of his way to the settlement of Djiring, French Indo-China, to take pictures of the youngster.

When the baby was born the parents and the rest of the jungle community were so amazed that they feared some evil was descending upon them, King related. The child is now four years old.

Ledger want ads pay.

NEW FIRM WILL HANDLE POULTRY

The Ballinger Egg & Poultry Company is the style of a new firm which will operate the Jenness Company cold storage and poultry packing plant this season. The firm is composed of Ballinger, Abilene and San Angelo capital with strong backing. Arthur Doose will be the local manager.

The new firm has leased the Jenness Co. cold storage plant and poultry pens, and have constructed an office on Broadway at the rear of the lot occupied by the Magnolia filling station, and will conduct the business from this office.

In addition to handling all kinds of poultry and eggs the firm will buy wool, hides, furs, pecans, cream, etc., and will maintain houses in a number of towns, including Abilene, Winters, Santa Anna, Coleman and San Angelo, with buyers at the smaller places.

Turkeys will be concentrated at the Ballinger plant, slaughtered, dressed and packed for shipment to the Eastern markets. Mr. Doose stated Tuesday that the firm would make an announcement in a few days, or as soon as the line-up for the local plant had been perfected.

Cardboard, Typewriter Paper, Carbon Paper, Note Book Paper, Construction Paper, Envelopes, Tags, etc. Ballinger Printing Co.

Mrs. E. W. McLaurin went to San Angelo Tuesday to visit relatives while Rev. McLaurin is in San Saba attending Presbytery.

A. C. Homan, of San Antonio, is in Ballinger on business. Mr. Homan reports that the rain which was reported good in San Antonio last week, was only partial, some places getting only light rain.

Thomas Hall, of Temple, is here looking after his farming interest.

It's a good thing we don't see ourselves as others see us. Chances are we would drop dead.

THE FUNCTION
that the funeral director performs is a delicate one—a service hard to render, yet absolutely necessary. He must be thoughtful and considerate, systematic and thorough—a silent but competent manager. We offer reasonable rates, and are able to render the best service that modern equipment and professional experience can furnish. We make an especial feature of service to clubs, churches, and similar institutions.

E. E. KING and J. A. OSTERTAG
Funeral Directors
King-Holt Furniture & Undertaking Co.

The Two Main Things Are
SERVICE
---AND---
QUALITY
MERCHANDISE.

You Get Both When You Come to Us.

CAMERON'S GARAGE
BALLINGER, TEXAS

AUTOMOBILE THIEVES

With the coming rush season, one may expect more or less loss of property from thieves. Automobiles not worth insuring, generally is not worth stealing. The cost is very small to carry this protection. Come in and let us give you rates.

E. Shepperd & Co.
Agents

MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

Legally Registered Pharmacist

With the coming of cooler weather comes the desire for candy. We are agents for Johnston's Candies. This candy is always fresh because we receive shipments twice a week or oftener.

Weeks Drug Store
Phones 12 and 13
MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE
Read the League's Message in Farm and Ranch and Holland's Magazine.

FOR THE BEST
CLEANING and PRESSING
ONE DAY SERVICE
Phone 146
WE WILL APPRECIATE A SHARE OF YOUR PATRONAGE
THE CITY TAILORS
D. H. Hill J. L. Clark

The Farmers and Merchant's State Bank transacting a banking business along sound and constructive lines; and soliciting the accounts of forward looking firms and individuals. :: :: :: ::

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BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS
STRICTLY A BANKING INSTITUTION

SICK 3 YEARS WITHOUT RELIEF

Finally Found Health by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Columbia, S. C.—"Your medicine has done me so much good that I feel like I owe my life to it. For three years I was sick and was treated by physicians, but they didn't seem to help me any. Then I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got strong enough to do my housework, where before I was hardly able to be up. I have also taken the Vegetable Compound during the Change of Life and it has hit me in good health. I recommend it as the best medicine for women in the Change of Life and you can use these facts as a testimonial."



Mrs. S. A. HOLLEY, R. F. D. No. 4, Columbin, South Carolina.

Why suffer for years with backache, nervousness, painful times and other ailments common to women from early life to middle age, when Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will bring relief? Take it when annoying symptoms first appear and avoid years of suffering.

In a recent country-wide canvass of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound over 200,000 responses were received, and 98 out of every 100 reported they were benefited by its use.

Sheriff's Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels:

Whereas, on the 7th day of October, A. D. 1924, in a certain cause, numbered 92 on the docket of the District Court of said county, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and L. J. Clark is defendant, the said State of Texas recovered judgment in the amount of Forty-Four and 82/100 dollars for taxes, penalties and costs with interest computed there at the rate of six per cent per annum, together with the foreclosure of plaintiff's delinquent tax lien upon the property hereinafter described as the property of the defendant, because of the non-payment of the taxes due thereon;

And whereas, on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1925, by virtue of the said judgment and the mandates thereof, the Clerk of the District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale, commanding me as Sheriff of said County to seize, levy upon and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property as the property of the above defendant to satisfy the said judgment.

Wherefore, by virtue of the said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof, I did on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1925, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant, the following property, to-wit:

Lot No. 1, Block No. 44, Boykin 1st Addition to the town of Miles, Runnels County, Texas.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of October, A. D. 1925, the same being the 6th day of said month, proceed to sell

FO-TO-SHO

Under New Management

LAST DAY TO SEE—



Argentine Love

AN ALLAN DWAN PRODUCTION

An enthralling romance-thriller of the Argentine, by Vicente Blaseo Ibanez.

Also International News

10c ADMISSION 25c

said property at the Court House door of said county, in the city of Ballinger, between the hours of 2 o'clock p. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title and interest of the above defendant, in and to the above described property; subject, however, to the rights of the defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided for by law, and subject to the further rights of the defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole. And in event there are no bidders, said property will at said sale be bid off to the State.

R. E. McWILLIAMS, Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas, Ballinger, Texas, Sept. 5th, A. D. 1925. S-15-d

FOR OVER 40 YEARS

HALE'S CATARRH MEDICINE has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh. It consists of an Ointment which quickly Relieves, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus reducing the inflammation.

HALE'S CATARRH MEDICINE as a Blood Purifier gives wonderful results. All druggists. P. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Last Day's Showing of Ibanza Story at Fo-to-sho, Featuring Bebe Daniels

The Vicente Blaseo Ibanza story, "Argentine Love," produced for Paramount by Allan Dwan with Bebe Daniels and Ricardo Cortez featured, was shown for the first time at the Fo-to-sho Theatre yesterday, and where it closes its run tonight.

Bebe's role is that of a Spanish girl loved by two men, one a wealthy Argentine land-owner, the other an American engineer. Her folks, of course, are after her to marry the Spaniard while Consuelo (Miss Daniels) has her heart set on the young American—and she lands him!

There's a fight, of course, a killing, justice and a happy ending—for everyone, that is, save Cortez, playing Juan Martin.

You'll enjoy "Argentine Love" as you've never enjoyed a picture before in your life.

Nazimova at Queen Tomorrow in "My Son," a First National Special Picture

The role of a Portuguese mother, who loves three men, calls for

QUEEN Theatre

LAST CHANCE TO SEE—

Her husband—shot down in another woman's apartment. Why had he gone outside his home for love? Was he to blame or had she failed as a wife? See this picture of a love triangle that is being discussed everywhere.

B. P. Schulberg Presents A GASNIER Production The BREATH OF SCANDAL

By Edwin Dulmer - Scenario by Ed. Dyer - Story by Ed. Dyer - Cast: BEBE DANIELS - LOU TELLEGGI - JIMMY HANCOCK - JONAS QUINN - MARY HAYES - JACK HANCOCK - JACK HANCOCK



Released Pictures

ALSO—COMEDY

TOMORROW

Nazimova

in

"MY SON"

with Jack Pickford and Hobart Bosworth

COLOR IT NEW WITH "DIAMOND DYES"

Just Dip to Tint or Boil to Dye

Each 15-cent package contains directions so simple any woman can tint soft, delicate shades or dye rich, permanent colors in lingerie, silks, ribbons, sweaters, dresses, coats, stockings, coverings, hangings—everything!



Buy Diamond Dyes—no other kind—and tell your druggist whether the material you wish to color is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton or mixed goods.

great acting ability and when Edwin Carewe engaged Nazimova for the part in his production of "My Son," First National officials gravely nodded their approval of the director's choice.

Martha Stanley wrote the stage play "My Son," and New York theatres acclaimed it as a masterpiece for more than seven months.

Audiences at the Queen Theatre tomorrow and Thursday will have an opportunity to see "My Son," and to judge the value of Madame Nazimova's histrionic attainment. Besides the great Russian actress, the cast of this First National production has such celebrities as Hobart Bosworth, Charlie Murray, Mary Akin, Constance Bennett and Jack Pickford.

MRS. MEHARG SERIOUSLY ILL

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—Mrs. Emma Grigsby Meharg, Secretary of State of Texas, was removed from her residence to a hospital today where she will undergo an operation. Her condition is reported to be critical.



We Fit All

Tall Men, Short Men, Stout Men, Thin Men, all can be suited and satisfied in Clothes Tailored to Measure by M. Born & Company.

That's why BORN makes more clothes to measure than any other tailoring organization in the world.

PATRONIZE YOUR LOCAL DEALER

JUST ARRIVING

New fall and winter samples and goods are arriving daily. You will find our stock of high-class men's furnishings complete in every detail for your fall and winter needs.

Thorp & Cohen

H. T. HODGE BUYS HAMILTON SHOWS

A deal was closed Monday afternoon between S. A. B. Hamilton of Ballinger, and H. T. Hodge of Abilene, in which Mr. Hodge becomes the owner of the Fo-to-sho and Paramount theatres. This gives Mr. Hodge and associates the proprietorship of four moving picture houses in Ballinger and he will continue to operate two of these houses. Mr. Hodge paid Mr. Hamilton \$12,900 for the building in which the Fo-to-sho is now located and the equipment in both the Paramount and Fo-to-sho theatres.

Mr. Hodge stated that his plans were not definite at present, but that after tonight (Tuesday), the Maeroy and Queen would be in operation and that in about two weeks when the Maeroy vacates the building in which it is now operating, either the Fo-to-sho or the Paramount would be opened. He was not certain Tuesday as to which one of these theatres would be opened, but one will be remodelled and renovated during the next two weeks and will be ready for occupancy when the Maeroy closes down on Hutchings Avenue.

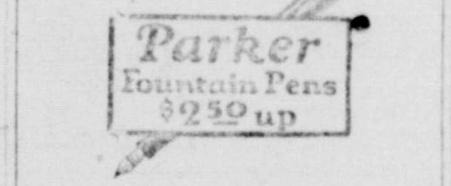
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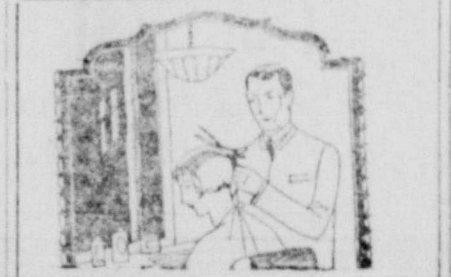
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Mr. Hodge stated that during next spring or summer this house would be made into a real up-to-date theatre, with stage and balcony and a seating capacity of more than 500. Either the building now occupied by the Fo-to-sho or the Paramount will be for rent within the next few days, it was also said. Mr. Hodge owns the Fo-to-sho building and has a lease on the other.

Mr. Hodge will have quite a lot of equipment for sale which includes about 800 opera chairs, 100 folding chairs, screens, projectors, pianos and other equipment which will be sold at bargain prices.

A different type of pictures will run at each of the two theatres, one showing Westerns and serial films, while the other will present new features that will be the best that money can buy. Prices of admission to the houses here will remain the same, with no advance except on some of the largest and finest special attractions of 1925, including Cecil DeMille's "The Ten Commandments," and the new Harold Bell Wright novel in film version, "The Son of His

Father," and one or two other super-productions. Mr. Hodge announced that as he now had the pick of the best films of the best companies, he would show only the best from First National, Paramount, United Artists, Metro-Goldwyn, Wm. Fox and others of the A-1 class.

Mr. Hodge stated that he appreciated the patronage given his theatres in Ballinger and that in the future he would strive to give the public the best to be obtained in motion pictures, and would try to merit a continued patronage from the people of this section.

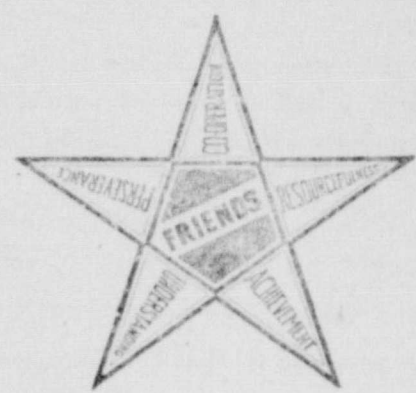
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C. OF C. DISCUSSES HIGHWAY WORK

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday morning in regular meeting to transact the business pending before that organization.

It was decided by the board to send a representative to Austin next Monday to meet with the Texas Highway Commission and ask that the highway from Ballinger to Sweetwater be designated so that the road may be put in shape and opened up to a travel that is now having 40 go many miles out of the way.

The good roads committee was instructed to work with Commissioner Deems in building some cement crossings on the road leading to Ballinger from the New Home community. One crossing in particular on this road has reached the point where it is impossible to cross it in bad weather and many bales of cotton will go to other places unless something is done at once about this crossing.

The chamber backed the idea of placing Runnels county exhibits at the neighboring fairs and instructed the secretary to do what work was necessary in putting in the best possible exhibit at Abilene next week. Mr. Motley will assist County Agent C. W. Lehmburg in arranging the booth for the West Texas Fair in time for the opening next Monday morning.

Advertising matter will be distributed to the housewives of Ballinger and they will be asked to place cards on their front screens which will inform peddlers and order takers for merchandise that they are not wanted, that Ballinger merchants carry good stocks and that Ballinger citizens trade at home.

The chamber also adopted a plan for the educational campaign in regard to parking automobiles on the streets of Ballinger. The city commission has agreed not to pass the two-hour parking law for at least thirty days and if some plan has been put into effect to regulate the traffic by then the ordinance will not be passed. Within the next day or two petitions will be circulated asking Ballinger people not to park their cars on the streets on busy days and leave the streets clear for cars from the rural districts. It is thought that this will lessen the number of cars on the streets until there will be enough room for the out-of-town cars to park without doubling up.

Rev. E. W. McLaurin and P. McGregor went to San Saba Tuesday to attend Presbytery of the Brownwood Presbytery U. S.

Canadian Horses Rounded up to Provide Meat in Europe

(By Associated Press)
REGINA, Sask., Sept. 15.—A syndicate was in the Western Canada market this summer for 50,000 horses to be shipped to Belgium, France and other European countries for human consumption. George Pootmans of this city headed the syndicate.

Pootmans said he would buy all types and sizes or even crippled horses just so they had no organic diseases. Great numbers of wild horses roaming the ranges in the Southern part of Saskatchewan were to be captured and used. Pootmans declared that he would have to purchase the bulk of his 50,000 order at a rate of \$3 a head to make the venture successful.

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James Trail, Cecil Dickinson, Burton Reese and Fred Atwell left Monday afternoon for College Station where they will enter A. & M. College for the ensuing year. These boys are all graduates of the Ballinger high school.

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FOR SALE—75 folding chairs and about 800 opera chairs at bargain prices. See or address W. D. Seales, Ballinger, Texas.

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The amusement and program committees of the Runnels County Fair Association in checking up on the entertainment for the coming four days find that there will be plenty of joy for everybody. However, there is much yet to be done, and these committees will be busy from now until the closing day of the fair putting over the biggest program of entertainment ever presented in four days before in Ballinger. Other citizens will be drafted on special committees to help with the work and it is hoped that in the near future a complete program will be ready for each day.

The amusement committee in reviewing the different events for the 1925 fair find that they will have to have morning programs in order to give everything a place on the program. Last year all the amusements were presented in the afternoons and nights, but it is very probable that programs will be proffered each morning, afternoon and night during the coming fair, or at least three morning programs will be presented.

The committees will get together again within the next day or two and additional committees will be named to help put the big program over. It is now planned to have a big parade of some nature each afternoon at 1:00 o'clock and a special parade committee will be appointed to work same up and see to all the details. It is hoped that the formal opening and decorated car parade this year will be much larger and more magnificent than heretofore and a special committee will give all their time until the fair opens to this part of the program. They will call on every business house, lodge, organization, school class, and other institutions in Ballinger in the hope of lining them up for a car in this parade. Comical cars will be allowed this year as heretofore.

Communities coming to the

fair will be allowed to parade at any time to accommodate their own programs and it is hoped that many communities over the county and in adjoining counties will make an effort to contribute something to the program in the way of a parade or demonstration.

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