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ENGINE CREW IS HURT IN CRASH

(By Associated Press) HOUSTON, Sept. 23.—C. D. Potts, engineer, of Smithville, sustained a broken leg, and Joe Yancy, fireman, also of Smithville, suffered bruises in a collision of a Southbound freight train and the "Katy Flyer" this morning.

In taking the siding the caboose of the freight train failed to clear the main line and a heavy fog prevented the engineer and fireman from seeing the train until it was too late to avoid the crash.

PAY FINES FOR STEALING COTTON

According to reports received here from Norton, and also from Winters, two young men plead guilty to stealing cotton from cotton wagons in the fields of Henry Moreland and Henry Pruitt, near Norton.

The men were arrested when they appeared at a gin in Winters with remnant cotton and tried to sell it to the gin. The gin owner became suspicious and detained the youths until he could make an investigation, and the arrests followed.

According to the reports the men claimed that they had been picking cotton for a farmer near Norton and accepted their pay in seed cotton. The amount stolen was less than \$50 in each case, and the charges filed against the parties were punishable by fines.

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy to cloudy. Cooler Thursday.

M. C. McBride, of Eola, was looking after business in Ballinger Wednesday.

COTTON DOWN \$9 A BALE

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—The cotton market here broke from six to seven dollars a bale today after the government report on crop estimate and condition had been announced.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 23.—Cotton prices dropped nearly nine dollars a bale here today after the government report had been issued.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The total cotton production this year, according to an estimate forecast from the condition reports on September 16th, is indicated at 13,931,000 bales. The Department of Agriculture made the announcement today.

Last year's crop was 13,627,936 bales. The condition of the crop on September 16th of this year was given in at 53.80 per cent normal, indicating a yield of 143.50 pounds per acre.

The number of bales ginned from the present crop prior to September 16th was 4,275,928 running bales, counting round bales as half bales. The census bureau announced that up to the same date last year 2,665,793 running bales were ginned.

The condition of the crop in Texas for this year on September 16th was placed at 42 per cent normal, and the estimated yield fixed at 3,875,000 bales.

COTTONWORKERS IN INDIA STRIKE

(By Associated Press) BOMBAY, India, Sept. 23.—The cotton strike which began here September 5th has grown rapidly until it now involves 135,000 operatives.

The strikers have received a cablegram purporting to come from the Soviet Textile Workers Union of Moscow, expressing a fraternal solidarity and intimating that 10,000 rubles had been forwarded to Bombay to assist the strikers in their tie-up.

OFFERS REWARD FOR U.S. FLYERS

(By Associated Press) QUEZZAN, French Morocco, Sept. 23.—Abd el Krim, Rifian chief, is reported to have offered rewards totalling \$5,000 for every member of the Sherifian Squadron, composed of American volunteer aviators.

The rebel chief, it is said, will give a \$5,000 reward for the aviators, dead or alive.

LOCOMOTIVE PULLS 76 OIL TANKERS

Perhaps the longest train of empty tank cars ever pulled through Ballinger passed thru about 8:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, when a train of seventy-six tank cars blocked the crossings at Eighth Street and Broadway, tying up traffic for a few minutes.

The cars were en route to the Big Lake oil district, and will be used in transporting crude oil from that field to refineries, and to exporting points.

Oil trains Eastbound are made up of an average of about forty cars, and two trains are being operated daily.

Sheriff and Two Thieves Killed in Gun Battle at Megargel, Texas



COURT HEARING \$150,000 SUIT

The Wood-Wright case went to trial in district court here Tuesday, and it will require practically all the first week of court to dispose of the case. It required an hour and a half to read the pleadings, after the jury had been selected to pass on the law and facts in the case.

This is a suit growing out of the settlement of the estate of W. C. Wright, deceased, and about \$150,000 worth of real estate and personal property is involved in the suit. E. O. Wood is plaintiff, and Mrs. M. E. Wright and daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Taylor, and husband, David Taylor, are defendants.

The Wood-Wright ranch, located on the Crews road North of Ballinger, is a portion of the property involved in the suit. When Mr. Wright died it developed that the title to the property was in his name, while Mr. Wood claims an interest in the property, alleging that he furnished part of the purchase money, and the ranch had always been operated under a partnership name. It is for the purpose of recovering a portion of the estate that Wood has instituted suit.

C. C. Vaughn, of Mount Vernon, brother-in-law of Wright, has come into the suit, also claiming an interest in the property, and thirty-five heirs of Wright have been made parties to the suit as a result of the interpretation of Wright's will.

Eight attorneys have been employed in the case, Judge D. K. Scott, of Cisco; Judge Walter C. Woodward, of Coleman; and Judge A. K. Doss, of Ballinger, represent the plaintiff, Wood. Judge J. A. Ward, former district judge, of Mount Pleasant; Judge Morris Wilkinson, of Mount Vernon, represent C. C. Vaughn; Judge John Beavers, of Willsboro; and Judges Parish & Crager, of Ballinger, represent Mrs. Wright and the other defendants.

There was a delay in the case Wednesday morning on account of the illness of Judge Beavers. G. W. Fry, general manager of the West Texas Utilities Company, was here from Abilene Tuesday en route to Brady on business. Mr. Fry was accompanied by T. E. Powell, banker of Baird, and the gentlemen spent a few hours in Ballinger conferring with employes of the utilities company.

DALLAS MAN GIVEN DEATH SENTENCE

(By Associated Press) DALLAS, Sept. 23.—The death sentence was assessed against J. S. Daily by a jury which returned the verdict here today. Daily was charged with robbery by firearms. It was alleged that Daily robbed and wounded Allen Penniman on the night of August 19th.

The jury was out all night, returning a verdict this morning.

Miss Eula Key, county home demonstrator, is in Abilene this week assisting in the judging at the Abilene fair.

FATAL FLIGHT OF SHENANDOAH ILL ADVISED

(By Associated Press) LAKEHURST, N. J., Sept. 23.—The Shenandoah was ordered on her fatal flight September 2nd despite the recommendations of Lieut. Commander Lansdowne that the trip be deferred until the second week of September. This was shown by official documents read into the record today at the naval court of inquiry by Captain Steele, commandant of the Lakehurst air station.

The postponement was recommended by Lieut. Lansdowne because preparations at Scott Field, Illinois, had not been completed for the reception of the Shenandoah, the document read before the investigating committee today stated.

ITALIAN PRINCESS WEDS PRINCE OF HESSE

(By Associated Press) RACONIG, Italy, Sept. 23.—Princess Mafalda, the youthful second daughter of the ruling house of Italy, today became the bride of Phillip, Prince of Hesse. The wedding was simple and attended by members of royal families from many countries.

ARRIVES IN U.S. TO SETTLE DEBT

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Expressing confidence that the French debt to the United States can be settled upon a basis of peace and righteousness, French Finance Minister Joseph Caillaux arrived on the steamship Paris today as head of the French government mission.

The mission will meet in Washington tomorrow and open negotiations with the American debt commission.

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(By Associated Press) WICHITA FALLS, Sept. 23.—A gun battle between two officers and a trio of alleged thieves was staged last night near Megargel, Archer county, and resulted in the death of Sheriff Harrison Ikard of Archer City, Charles Crabtree and Frank Looney, the last two named men being members of the robber gang.

The third member of the gang surrendered this morning and is being held in jail at Archer City. Deputy Sheriff R. M. Unsford, who participated in the battle with the robbers, escaped injury.

An automobile and twenty-seven cases of cigarettes were confiscated by the officers, after the robbers had been killed, and the third man left the scene and later surrendered.

PLAYING BASEBALL ON ELECTRIC BOARD

The Ballinger Electric Company has its electric scoreboard in operation for the benefit of the fans who are interested in the Dixie Series between the Fort Worth Panthers and the Atlanta Crackers. The first two games of the series are being played at Atlanta. The two teams will play at Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday. The games are being received here over radio play by play.

The World Series will also be picked up here and worked out on the electric scoreboard.

Judge C. O. Harris was over from San Angelo on business Wednesday.

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The Livestock Sanitary Commission should speed up and get the quarantine question settled before the turkey season opens.

A motorist at Washington was fined \$35 for "just missing" President Coolidge. Probably the president hasn't practiced dodging like most of us.

Farmers bidding against each other have boosted the price of cotton picking. Bad business and is expensive.

Brown county values her watermelon crop at \$10,000. It is these little things raised on the farm that help keep the grocery bill down, and help to keep the price of cotton up.

Henry Ford has launched a war against the modern dance. If reports are true thousands of Fords are being used for petting parties, and Uncle Henry should not furnish joy wagons for such an evil purpose.

Enrollments in schools and colleges throughout the country are setting a new record. The time is here when a boy or girl running around on the streets during school time is a curiosity. The present generation realizes the importance of an education.

Col. Mitchell has been relieved of duty in the air service. The colonel no doubt expected to be "canned" when he said things about his boss. It does not pay to talk about your superiors unless you first select a soft place to fall. However, we think Col. Mitchell was right in this instance.

The automobile show at the Abilene fair is one of the big attractions. Unfortunately we have no building here in which to make an auto display this year, but we are growing and these things will be added attractions. Only two years old, but the Runnels County Fair is conceded to be the best county fair in West Texas.

AN ORDINANCE

Prohibiting the marketing of cotton, watermelons, or other produce on certain streets within the corporate limits of the city of Ballinger, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas:

SECTION I.

It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person or persons or any officer, agent, servant, or employee of any corporation to sell, or offer for sale, barter, or trade, on the following portions of streets within the corporate limits of the city of Ballinger,

Texas, to-wit:
On Hutchings Avenue, between 5th Street and 10th Street; and on 8th Street between Strong Avenue and Park Avenue; and on 7th Street between Strong Avenue and the G. C. & S. F. right of way; and on Broadway between Hutchings Avenue and the G. C. & S. F. right of way; and on Railroad Avenue between Broadway Street and 8th Street; any cotton, watermelons, or other produce, including meat of any kind, patent medicines, notions, novelties or other merchandise.

SECTION II.

Any person or persons, or officers, agent, servant or employee of any corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than one dollar nor more than twenty-five dollars.

SECTION III.

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed insofar as they affect the operation of this ordinance.

SECTION IV.

The fact that the streets above named are now badly congested by reason of traffic, and the fact that the selling and marketing of the commodities mentioned is a continual source of trash, filth, and rubbish, obnoxious to the senses and dangerous to the public health, creates an emergency, and the rule requiring the reading of an ordinance more than once is hereby expressly suspended and this ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage approval and publication.

Passed and approved this 8th day of September, 1925.

(Seal)
S. B. RABY, Mayor.
Attest:
J. R. LUSK,
City Secretary.
d-9-16-25

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REV. R. B. TWITTY CLOSING WORK HERE

Rev. R. B. Twitty is closing his pastoral work for the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church of this city, and is planning to move to Brownwood about the first of October, where he becomes pastor of the Presbyterian Church U. S. A. in that city.

Rev. Twitty has served the Ballinger church for two years, and he is the third pastor which the Ballinger church has furnished to Brownwood. Rev. G. W. Fender moved from Ballinger to Brownwood, and Rev. R. R. Rives moved from this city to Brownwood, and after five or six years is leaving the Brownwood pastorate.

Rev. Twitty and family made many friends in Ballinger who will regret to see them move away, but fortunately for the Presbyterians he remains in the Presbytery and was recently elected stated clerk of the Presbytery at the Norton meeting.

County Agent C. W. Lehmborg returned home Wednesday from Abilene, where he attended the West Texas Fair. Mr. Lehmborg

was rejoicing over Runnels county winning second place in the agricultural exhibit against seventeen other counties.

SEEKING AID FOR THE KINDERGARTEN

The Kindergarten Association of Ballinger will make an effort to finance the kindergarten work in this city and maintain a teacher, making the kindergarten a permanent institution in this city. The association expects to obtain permanent quarters in the school when the new school building has been completed, but the room will have to be furnished with private money, the school board having no authority to appropriate money for kindergarten work.

The mothers who are interested contemplate giving a series of entertainments, and canvassing the city for funds with which to equip the room and carry on the work. Eleven pupils have been enrolled in the kindergarten, and this number is not sufficient to support the institution without supplemental aid.

A trained teacher is in charge of the work, and it is hoped that

a thriving kindergarten can be built up and made a permanent part of our local school system.

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My place on both sides of Elm Creek between the two dams is posted. Fair warning to keep out.

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Society

Mrs. Penn Hostess

Mrs. Clint Penn entertained with a delightful party last Saturday afternoon, when she was hostess to the members of her forty-two club and additional friends at her home on Fourth Street.

The guests found their places at the tables arranged by means of dainty Japanese place cards, and for some time the games held high interest.

The beauty of the attractively furnished interior of the home was enhanced by the addition of varied summer flowers in profusion throughout the game rooms, the dining room being especially lovely with its adornment of pink roses.

A refreshment plate consisting of chicken salad, hot rolls, cheese balls, olives, and caramel nut cake with iced tea was passed.

The entire guest list included: Meses. Leslie Baker, Floyd Carr, Homer Carsey, C. W. Cheatham, Sim Cottelle, J. R. Lusk, R. W. Earnshaw, AlexMcGregor, Louis Tigner, Harry Lynn, Troy Simpson, Dan Moser, Oscar Williams of Winters, R. W. Bruce, R. T. Williams, John Currie, C. P. Shepherd, A. J. Thorp, Cecil Thorp, Whit Patterson, W. B. Halley, Paul Trimmier, Garland Parks, U. E. Hartman, K. V. Northington, A. R. Jones, Claud Stone, A. K. Doss, Henry Jones, Misses Mildred Herring, Winnie Trail and Anna Jean Sharp.

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Theatres

Great Cast Supports Dorothy Mackaill in "Chickie"

Those who see Dorothy Mackaill in the title role of "Chickie," which opened this afternoon at the Queen Theatre, where it will be shown for two days, will agree that she has done the best work of her screen career in this adaptation of Elenore Meherin's sensational newspaper serial of the same title.

Miss Mackaill is surrounded by a type of cast that is rarely seen in one picture. Included are John Bowers, Hobart Bosworth, Myrtle Stedman, Gladys Brockwell, Olive Tell, Paul Nicholson, Lora Souderson and Louise Mackintosh.

It is a story that brings tears and laughter. The picture is teeming with thrilling dramatic situations, suspense, comedy, pathos and excellent acting.

Miss Mackaill as the typist leaves nothing to be desired. John Bowers as the young lawyer gives a remarkable portrayal of the character. Hobart Bosworth rises to great dramatic heights, particularly in one great scene where he tries to kill the young lawyer for his attentions to his daughter. Gladys Brockwell as Chickie's mother, Paul Nicholson as the millionaire and others make up the cast.

It is an excellent picture, with an excellent cast, beautifully staged and well directed. The direction was by John Francis Dillon under Earl Hudson's supervision.

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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 1239 on the docket of the District Court of said county, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and H. A. Wooton, is defendant, the said State of Texas recovered judgment in the amount of Sixty-Four and 76-100 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

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described as the property of the defendants, because of the non-payment of the taxes due thereon:

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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:

Lots Nos. 6 and 7 in Block No. 5, Powell Addition to the town of Ballinger, 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 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. 9-16-25-d

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Swatting flies is better exercise than cussing the government and helps things along more.

C. M. Doyle, formerly in the grocery business in Ballinger, is here from Lubbock on business. Mr. Doyle went to Lubbock last year and purchased land near that city, building a home on the land. He says that crops are fairly good on the Plains, but worms are working on the cotton. Cotton has not begun to open in Lubbock county, says Mr. Doyle.

Dr. and Mrs. B. Kahn, who have been visiting in San Antonio and other points in the Southwest, are due to return home Thursday.

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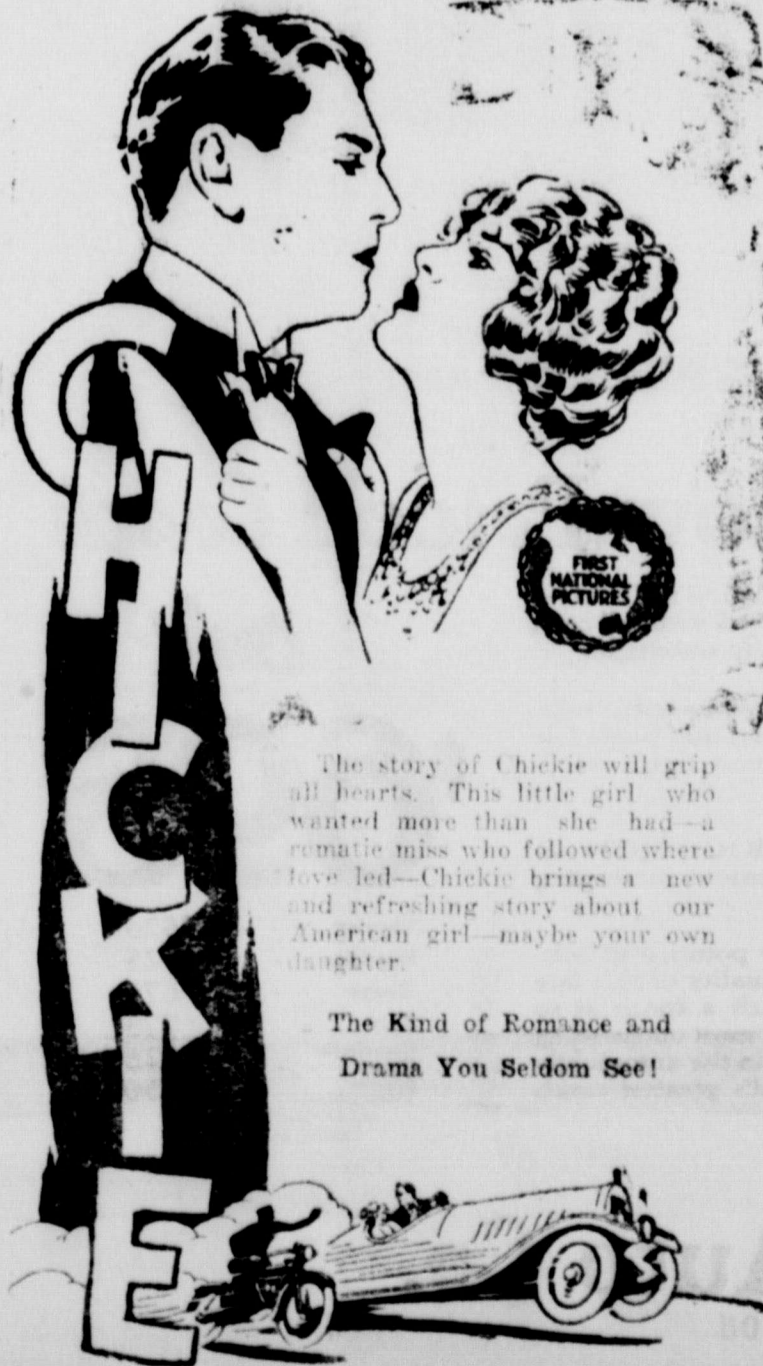
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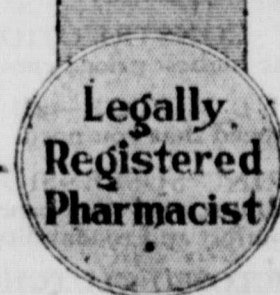
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My place on both sides of Creek above second dam, is posted. Fair warning to keep out.
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HASKEL DEFEATS WINTERS. ABILENE DEFEATS ANGELO

Two football games were features of the West Texas Fair at Abilene Tuesday. Haskel high school and Winters high school played in the forenoon, Haskel winning by a score of 44 to 0, and Abilene high and San Angelo high went on the gridiron in the afternoon, Abilene defeating San Angelo by a score of 19 to 0.

Two football games are scheduled for the Runnels County Fair in Ballinger. Ballinger will en-

tain the Santa Anna eleven, and Winters high is coming here to meet an out-of-town team which has not been definitely chosen.

Sample Sale

and Bazaar, Saturday, Sept. 26, at Piggly Wiggly. Held by Mrs. Douglass' Sunday school class. 22-4td-1tw

HANDS STRIKE AND GO TO COTTON PATCH

The demand for cotton pickers and the better money offered for that class of work has caused a strike among the laborers of Ballinger in almost all lines of work, even including washwomen, cooks and house servants. This condition will probably prevail until the cotton picking rush is over, and then there will be a surplus of hands.

From \$2 to \$2.50 and \$3 are the prevailing prices for common labor in Ballinger, and with cotton picking running at \$1 and \$1.25 a good picker can make four and five dollars per day.

Additional cotton pickers are arriving daily and the rush will be over within less than a month.

Don't miss the Sample Sale and Bazaar at Piggly Wiggly Saturday by Mrs. Douglass' Sunday school class. 22-4td-1tw

Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Freeman were here from Brady on business and visiting friends Wednesday. Mr. Freeman's Ballinger friends will be glad to know he is doing well in the electrical supply business at Brady.

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Many beautiful, useful samples on sale by Mrs. Douglass' Sunday school class Saturday at Piggly Wiggly. 22-4td-1tw

COURT IS LENIENT WITH COTTON FARMERS

"Your honor, I have a bunch of cotton pickers, and no one to look after them except my wife," was one of the common excuses offered by veniemen when court convened here Monday morning, and farmers were begging off from jury service.

"I'm going to let you go sir," replied the judge. "I think you should save your crop."

Sickness in the family was another one of the common excuses offered, and a number of veniemen were excused on this ground. The court experienced some difficulty in making up the grand jury, and the petit jury panel was cut down from thirty-six to twenty-five.

It is a busy time with the farmers. Cotton has popped open like pop corn in a popper during the last week or ten days, and a week's delay might cause heavy loss through bad weather, and it would be a "hard boiled" court who refused to consider these things in hearing excuses.

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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 53 on the docket of the District Court of said county, wherein the State

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of Texas is plaintiff and Jennings and Bigler are defendants, the said State of Texas recovered judgment in the amount of Fifteen and 45-100 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 defendants, 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 defendants, 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 defendants, the following property, to-wit:

All of Lot 4 in Block No. 17, original 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 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 defendants, in and to the above described property; subject, however, to the rights of the defendants to redeem same in the time and manner provided for by law, and subject to the further rights of

the defendants 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. 9-16-23-d

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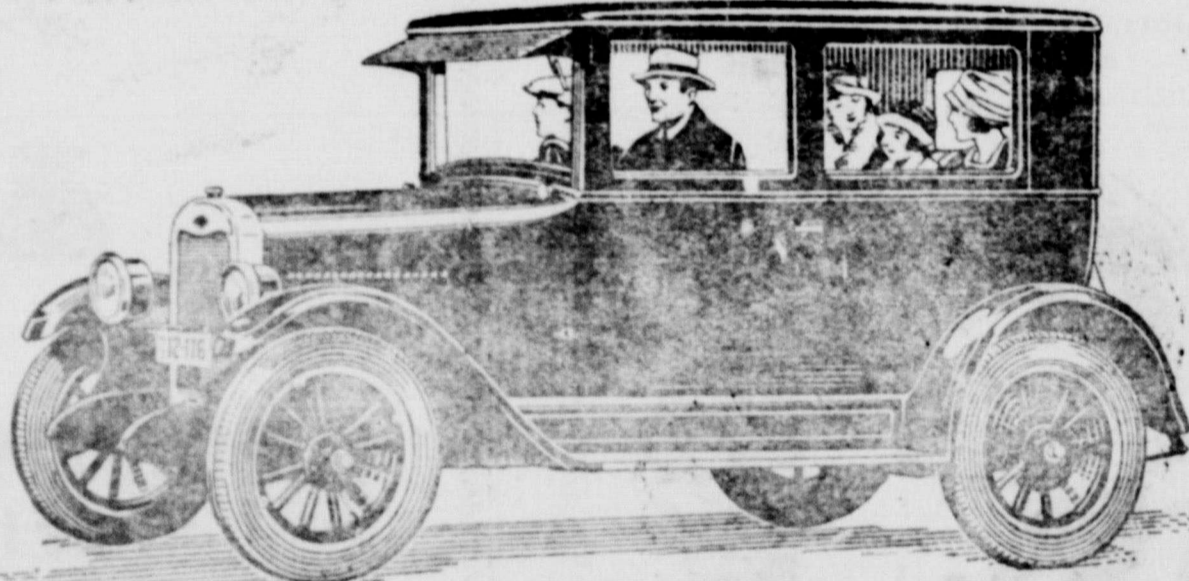
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