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MOODY MAKES PUBLIC FOUR APPOINTMENTS

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Jan. 11.—Dan Moody announced today the appointment of Mrs. Jane McCallum, of Austin, as his secretary of state; Joseph Sayers as a member of the board of pardon advisers; Boyd Gateway, of Houston, as his private secretary; and J. D. Hill, of Georgetown, his first assistant secretary.

BOBBITT IS NEW HOUSE SPEAKER

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Jan. 11.—The 40th legislature convened at noon today with practically the entire membership present.
The House was called to order by Mrs. Emma Meharg, secretary of state, and the Senate by Lieut.-Gov. Barry Miller.
Robert L. Bobbitt of Laredo, was elected speaker of the House.

REV. W. H. DOSS IS MADE SENATE CHAPLAIN

Rev. W. H. Doss, retired Methodist minister, of Ballinger, and Rev. Randolph Clark, of Ranger, who has been here visiting Rev. Doss, were today made chaplains of the Texas Senate, according to information received here Tuesday afternoon.
The two preachers left Tuesday afternoon for Austin, where they will resume their duties.

FALL REMAINS VERY SERIOUS

(By Associated Press)
EL PASO, Jan. 11.—The condition of Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior department, ill at his home here with pneumonia, was reported none the better today.
His condition has remained critical for several days.

NAVY OPENS NEW ZONES

A film holds out tremendous appeal to the admirers of Michael... His sensational popularity, such as "The Green Hat," "These Charming People," already been adapted to the stage, but in "The Girl of Paris" he is for the time presented on the screen.

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Use Ely's Cream Applied in Nostrils relieves Head-Colds at Once.

our nostrils are clogged and head is stuffer and you breathe freely because of a catarrh, just get a small jar of Ely's Cream Balm at drug store. Apply a little of fragrant, antiseptic cream our nostrils and let it penetrate every air passage in head, so that and heal inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief. How good it feels. Your eyes are open, your head is no more throbbing, sniffling, blowing, no more headache, no more struggling for breath. Cream Balm is just what you need from head colds and sinusitis. It's a delight.

Gene Austen's new hit "If You Happy When You Cry." J. Y. Pearce Co. 10-2td

21 KILLED IN CHURCH BATTLE

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, Jan. 11.—Special dispatches from Guadalajara state that 21 persons were killed and 10 wounded in a clash between Catholics and municipal authorities in the town of Cocula, in the state of Jalisco.

ROME, Jan. 11.—Pope Pius was greatly distressed today on learning of the arrest in Mexico of Bishop Diaz and five other bishops.

WILL CONSIDER NEW FARM BILL

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, January 11.—The House agricultural committee today voted to consider the new McNary-Haugen farm relief bill in a secret session.

WASHINGTON, January 11.—The House agricultural committee considering the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill today, refused to eliminate cotton from the immediate application of an equalization fee which is proposed to levy on the basic crops to provide a fund for handling the surplus problem.

TWO KILLERS ESCAPE JAIL

(By Associated Press)
BROWNSVILLE, Jan. 11.—Four prisoners escaped from the Cameron county jail here last night by overpowering the jailer.
Among those who escaped were Lupe Garcia, confessed slayer of Constable Jess Billings, of La Feria; and Ben Harris, negro, who confessed to beating his child to death near Harlingen.

C. L. Moore, an employe of the local office of the West Texas Lumber Co., left Tuesday morning for Coleman, where he is to attend the funeral of a man who died Tuesday morning.
John White was in charge of the funeral Tuesday.

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Three Jurors Selected In Frank Norris Trial



Events in the Lives of Little Men

Much Freight is Shipped from this Point in 1926

FARMER HANGS SELF IN BARN

W. B. Page, 71, farmer, residing on the A. B. Legate farm, 18 miles West of here on the Colorado River, committed suicide Monday morning about 11:00 o'clock, by hanging himself, it was reported here late Monday afternoon.

Mr. Page was found hanging in the barn at his home by his wife. Help was summoned and the dead man was cut down from his self-made gallows. He had been in bad health for some time and had remarked several times that he had rather be dead than alive. Deceased is survived by his wife; one daughter, Miss Dorothy; and one brother, G. R. Page, of San Saba; who are all here to attend the funeral. Funeral services were to be held Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at Old Runnels cemetery.
Mr. Page came to Runnels county from Hamilton county about 20 years ago. For several years he resided North of the city. He was a member of the Christian church.

Higginbotham Bros. undertakers prepared the body for burial and were in charge at the cemetery.

APPROVES 1920 SECOND CLASS POSTAL RATES

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, January 11.—Restoration of 1920 rates on second class mail matter was approved today by the Senate postal committee.

Runnels county shipped its share of home-grown products from this city during 1926, according to figures obtained from J. J. Beck, Santa Fe agent; and E. M. Ubank, A. & S. agent.
The total number of freight cars carrying home products shipped out of Ballinger, not including cotton produced during the 1925-26 season is 1,793. This number includes carlots of cattle, sheep, horses, hogs, poultry, ice, wheat, oats, cotton seed oil products, sand and gravel.
The largest individual item on the list is sand and gravel. Both railroads shipped out about 1,192 carloads of sand and gravel which was sold by local contractors to construction companies all over West Texas, which are using the products for erection of new buildings and for paving purposes. Loads of sand and gravel are being taken from the Colorado River daily and dumped into cars here for shipping purposes. Ballinger's supply of sand and gravel is unlimited and is not to be exhausted any time soon as each time the Colorado comes down on a big rise, there is a new supply of gravel deposited about 600 yards East of the river bridge.
One hundred and sixty-six carloads of cattle were shipped from this point and together with shipments made from Rowena, Miles, Winters, Hatchel and Benoit, a larger figure is necessary. Most of these shipments were made to the Fort Worth stockyards.
The Ballinger Cotton Oil Mill assisted much in Ballinger's shipment of home products. Cotton

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(By Associated Press)
COURT ROOM, Austin, Jan. 11.—The line between "apparent" and "actual" danger, and what type of danger is sufficient to justify a man in taking the life of another is to be drawn into the trial of Rev. J. Frank Norris for the murder of Dexter E. Chipps, in the examination of prospective jurors, it was revealed here today.

Norris, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Fort Worth, is on trial in the district court here for the killing of Chipps, wealthy Ft. Worth lumberman.

ABBOTT GETS HIS RELEASE

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Jan. 11.—J. B. Abbott, of Runnels county, was granted a pardon by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson today.

Abbott was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary for forgery in two cases.

He was pardoned because of poverty and the dependence of his family. The pardon was recommended by the jury.

AUSTIN, Jan. 11.—James E. Ferguson endorsed the full pardon for E. A. Decherd, of Dallas, who as state Senator in 1917 voted for Ferguson's impeachment, the Decherd proclamation released today by Governor M. A. Ferguson showed.

The governor's clemency acts today amounted to a new mark, 3,177, with the granting of 32 full pardons.

BANDITS SLAY 1,000 CHINESE

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Jan. 11.—A Reuter News Agency dispatch from Peking today said that messages received from Shantung stated that all the inhabitants of Wanchihpa, totalling 1,000, had been massacred by bandits.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brown, of Cross Plains, returned to their home Tuesday after a visit to Mr. Brown's parents in South Ballinger.

Norris Jurors
* W. D. Miller, Austin, retired sheriff
* J. C. Brown, laborer
* O. D. Moore, laborer

The effect of the Norris church radio and his paper, the Searchlight, on public opinion in this county is also to be a factor in the selection of the jury. The questions propounded the prospective jurors showed as the case moved forward rapidly after the defense had decided not to ask for a continuance, which yesterday they intimated would be their move.

Within half an hour after both sides had announced ready, one juror had been selected out of the first three men examined. He is W. D. Miller, who retired as sheriff of Travis county, ten days ago.

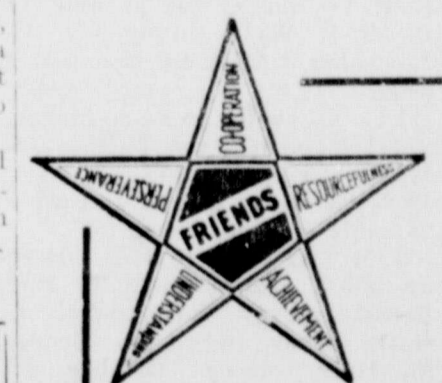
When the noon recess was taken, two other jurors had been accepted. They are J. C. Brown, laborer; and O. D. Moore, laborer.

SAYS COOLIDGE STATEMENT AFFRONT TO MEXICO

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The statement that President Coolidge's Nicaraguan-Mexican message to congress was a deliberate affront to Mexico, was made in the House today by Representative Huddleston, Democrat, from Alabama.

CALENDAR FOR NEXT TEN DAYS

Tuesday—Chamber of Commerce banquet
Thursday—Lyceum attraction at high school auditorium
Friday—Miss Doss' recital
Monday—American Legion Show
Tuesday—American Legion Show



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Because of the increasing crimes
of violence throughout Japan, the
police of the largest cities may
be armed with pistols. Most
police in Japan are now
armed only with short swords.

C. W. Roberts, of Lampasas,
formerly owner and editor of the
Lampasas Record, was in Ballinger
Monday afternoon en route to
Lampasas from Eden, where he
had been looking after business.

**Blames Drab Clothes
for Love-Chased Men**
(By Associated Press)

BERLIN, Jan. 11.—The
"hunted male" will be more and
more hunted by the women of
modern civilization until he again
dons bright colored clothes and
makes himself more attractive,
Dr. Richard Baerwald, noted
Berlin psychologist, said in an
address to the Academy of Medi-
cine.

"Man alone is responsible for
the masculinization of women,"
he declared. "Since civilization
reversed the orderly processes of
nature and men clothed them-
selves in drab garments, they
have become decreasingly active
in hunting mates. Their manner
of making love is pitiable. Who
can blame women for taking up
the burdens of the chase which
men in their weakness relin-
quished?"

"It will not be long before
even woman's present reserve
against popping the question is
overcome unless man gets over
the false notion that painting and
making up in the manner of In-
dian warriors is effeminate."

Minting Coins an Industry
(By Associated Press)

VIENNA, Jan. 11.—Good, hard
money is one of the principal of
Austrian exports. The old im-
perial mint, equipped to supply
an empire, is utilizing its facili-
ties to make coins for Greece,
Poland and other countries. Four
tons of metal, mostly silver, are
stamped into money every work-
ing day.

Despite a slowing down in auto-
mobile production, most Michi-
gan factories are bringing in
large amounts of raw materials
against the time when production
will increase, according to a
survey by the Pere Marquette
Railway.

**Real Estate
Transfers**

Warranty Deeds

J. H. Clark et al to W. M.
Phillips, 169.8 acres of the Wm.
M. Baylor survey No. 279, Decem-
ber 3, 1926, for the sum of
\$11,000.

H. G. Jones et ux to M. L.
Northington, lots 2 and 3 of
block No. 8 of the original town
plat of Ballinger, January 6, for
the sum of \$12,500.

R. Townner Dickinson et ux to
W. Cecil Dickinson, lot 10 of
block No. 7 of College Heights
addition to the city of Ballinger,
and part of lot 4 of block 3 of
Terry's addition to Ballinger,
January 4, for the sum of \$250,
and other considerations.

Estes M. Lynn et al to R.
Townner Dickinson, lot 10 of block
No. 7 of the College Heights addi-
tion to the city of Ballinger, and
a part of lot 4 of block No. 3 of
Terry's addition to the city of
Ballinger, June 5, 1926, for the
sum of \$2,900.

J. M. Garlington et ux to Miss
Samantha McElroy, lot 6 of block
No. 106 of the First Railroad
addition to the city of Ballinger,
January 4, for the sum of \$2,500.

F. L. Duncan et ux to Earl
Baker, lot 5 of block No. 1 of the
Terry second addition to the city
of Ballinger, March 6, 1926, for
the sum of \$2,500.

Jno. A. Weeks et ux to R. E.
George, lot 7 and part of lot 8 of
block No. 2 of College Heights
addition to the city of Ballinger,
August 6, 1925, for the sum of
\$1,400.

H. W. Stringer et al to Guar-
anty Bond Bank, of San Angelo,
Texas, lots Nos. 2 to 15 inclusive,
lots 19 to 29 inclusive, and lots
34 to 36 inclusive, of the Voss &
Kuykendall subdivision of block
No. 8 of the Robinson second addi-
tion to the city of Miles, Janu-
ary 7th, for the sum of \$1,425.22
and other considerations.

K. D. Peterson et ux to Vat T.
Billups, 200 acres of the Wharton
county school land survey No.
509, January 7th, for the sum of
\$5,398.70.

Royalty Deeds

R. L. White and wife to F. L.
Harper, an undivided half inter-
est in and to all oil, gas and other
minerals produced on 307 acres
of the W. L. McAuley survey No.
808, and of the B. S. & F. survey
No. 31, December 29, 1926, for the
sum of \$153.50.

Oil and Gas Leases

Bud Miller to Eugene Mays, 97
acres of the T. T. Williamson sur-
veys Nos. 12 and 13, November 3,
1926, for the sum of \$97.

Ellen Mackey et al to Humble
Oil and Refining Company, 234
acres of the G. H. & H. R. R. Co.
survey No. 807, November 8,
1926, for the sum of \$468.

J. A. Patterson to Eugene Mays
149 acres of the Wm. Howell sur-
vey No. 821, November 5, 1926,
for the sum of \$149.

L. H. Hamilton and wife to J.
H. Meek Jr., 103.8 acres of block
No. 54 of the Domingo Diaz sur-
vey No. 532, and of the Absalom
Jett survey No. 330 4-8, October
28, 1926, for the sum of \$215.55.

W. L. McIntyre et ux to Eugene
Mays, 200 acres of the H. & G. N.
R. R. Co. survey No. 41, and of
the R. K. Wylie survey No. 42,
November 3, 1926, for the sum of
\$200.

Lula O. Dailey to Glen Jordan,
274 1-2 acres of the Thomas S.
Munee survey No. 465, June 1,
1926, for the sum of \$1 and other
valuable considerations.

J. M. Cox et ux to J. H. Meek
Jr., 214.9 acres of the T. T. Wil-
liamson survey, the Samuel L.
Gates survey, and of the George
W. Dyer survey, October 27,

1926, for the sum of \$430.

E. A. Brookshier et ux to
Eugene Mays, 531 acres of sur-
veys Nos. 31 and 32, October 20,
1926, for the sum of \$1,000.

R. L. White et ux to Eugene
Mays, 307 acres of the W. L. Mc-
Auley survey No. 808, and of the
B. S. & F. survey No. 31, October
20, 1926, for the sum of \$460.50.

D. R. Russell et ux to Eugene
Mays, 100 acres of the Wm.
Howell survey No. 821, October
29, 1926, for the sum of \$100.

**Assignments of Oil and Gas
Leases**

The above described lands were
assigned the Humble Oil & Refin-
ing Co., for the sum of \$1 and
other good and valuable consid-
erations.

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sure to get the genuine, with the
name Rowles on each package.

**GIRLS START BASKETBALL
SEASON LAST FRIDAY**

Six games were played Friday
in the Rannels county girls bas-
ketball league to open the 1927
season, according to Hoyt Smith,
secretary of the league.

Results of two of the games
played have not yet been received
here.

Following are the results of the
other four games:

Independence, 5; at Wingate,
38.
Maverick, 13; at Miles, 11.
Norton at Hatchel, forfeit to
Norton.

Mazeland, 13; at Drasco, 24.
First games in the boys' basket-
ball league of this county will be
played next Friday. The Ballinger
high school Bearcats will play
Rowena in their first league
game on January 21st, at Row-
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**Much Freight is Shipped
from this Point in 1926**

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seed products totalled 154 cars,
while cottonseed oil required 36
cars for the past year, the records
show.

Wheat and oats totalled 86 car-
loads. Sheep took 40 cars. There
were 94 carloads of ice shipped
from the local factory.

Poultry totalled 21 cars. There
were 14 cars of dressed poultry
and seven cars of live poultry
shipped from here to Eastern
markets. This is believed to be
the largest amount of poultry
ever consigned from Ballinger.
Turkeys brought a good price
during the season and this mar-
ket helped more than one farmer
in Rannels county to keep out of
the hole on account of the low
cotton price.

Wool concentrated and billed
out from the local warehouses
amounted to 252,000 pounds, and
this does not include nearly all
the wool clipped in this county.

The two railroads divided cot-
ton shipments last year. Much
of the cotton compressed here
was not Rannels county cotton as
growers and buyers from other
points shipped much of their
stuff here for pressing purposes,
and both roads handled outgoing
cotton.

Freight traffic on both Santa
Fe and A. & S. showed much in-
crease during the past year. Both
outbound and inbound commodi-
ties increased. The Santa Fe at
times was unable to handle all its
traffic over the single line from
Ballinger to Brownwood without
interference on account of the
heavy oil production of the
fields West of San Angelo which
has been increasing steadily since
the first wells came in. Other oil
trains originating at Amarillo
and Panhandle fields, added to
the confusion East of Ballinger.

On account of much of this oil
traffic, shippers were inclined to
route some of the freight destined
for Ballinger via T. & P. to Abi-
lene and over A. & S. to this city.

Rannels county and Ballinger
are showing a steady growth and
prospects for 1927 are much
brighter than they have ever
been. Oil prospecting has been
promised for this county during
1927 and in case any kind of a
paying field is located, railroad
business here will increase.

Crop prospects could not be

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farmers have sown grain where
they had cotton last year. Cotton
acreage of the county will be de-
creased, it is claimed, but farmers
will have more time to work this
acreage and as a result will prob-
ably raise as much as they did
during the past year.

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**SEVEN ARRESTED FOR
NO HIGHWAY NUMBERS**

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day, charging automobile owners
with operating cars without the
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justice court docket showed Tues-
day morning.

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Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Fig Syrup," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Movies

Spirited Michael Arlen Story is "Dancer of Paris," Featuring Dorothy Mackaill and Tearle

The story of a man's relentless pursuit of a woman and the spirited manner in which she fights back will be unfolded on the screen of the Palace Theatre tomorrow and Thursday, when the first Michael Arlen story to reach the screen, "The Dancer of Paris," is presented.

Conway Tearle and Dorothy Mackaill have the leading roles in this production, which is presented through First National by Robert T. Kane. It was produced under the direction of Alfred A. Santell, who is responsible for "Blueboard's Seven Wives," and "Classified."

The story is laid against a series of rich backgrounds. Starting in Florida, the scene quickly switches to Paris, where, in settings picturesquely revealing the night life of the famous capital, the plot moves on to its climax.

Supporting the stars are Robert Cain, who has the "heavy" role; Paul Ellis and Henry Vibart.

The film holds out tremendous appeal to the admirers of Michael Arlen. His sensationally popular works, such as "The Green Hat," and "These Charming People," have already been adapted to the speaking stage, but in "The Dancer of Paris" he is for the first time presented on the screen.

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffer and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more sniffling, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

Hear Gene Austen's new hit "It Made You Cry" When You Made Me Cry. Y. Pearce Drug Co. 10-2d

ROSS TRIO IS FINE FOR MUSIC

"New, original, unique and fascinating." This terse sentence was recently used to aptly describe the program of the Betsy Ross Trio, a group of three gifted young ladies from the South, who offered a "different" program of charm and refinement attributed to Southern womanhood. It will be presented here on the evening of January 13th, at the Senior high school auditorium.

Perhaps the general education of this group lends dignity and artistic merit to their program. Each is a college woman who has achieved prominence in civic and literary club work throughout the country, aside from her work as an artist.

Ethyl Ross is a student and artist, with years of exhaustive study, research and training. She is recognized throughout the country as a successful dramatist, producer and musician. At the age of eighteen she was a graduate of the Cleveland School of Music. In her readings she is not an exponent of any system or school of technique, but gives you types and characters that she has made close personal study of—to her they are real and she makes them live for her audiences. During the years devoted to performing, Mrs. Ross found time to study law, and received her degree L.L.B. from Baldwin Wallace.

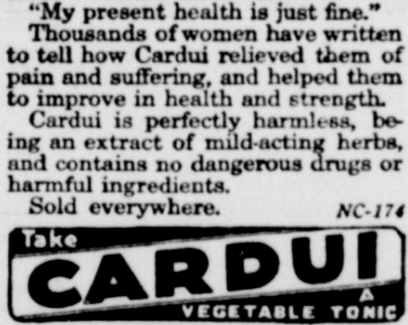
Edna Greer mastered the violin at an early age. Florida claims her as one of its most accomplished musicians and teachers of the violin. She took her B.M. degree in the Conservatory of Music at Florida State Women's College, and a B.S. degree from the same school. Rare natural talent, augmented by years of earnest study and experience in public work, makes Edna Greer an artist of the highest type. Her rich contralto voice and years of training in dancing and piano add wonderfully to the ensemble work.

C. Kornegay, Winters gin man, was in Ballinger Tuesday looking after business.

WEAK, RESTLESS

Tennessee Lady Had So Little Strength She "Couldn't Get Around." Took Cardui With Benefit.

Gassaway, Tenn.—"I wasn't able to do any of my work, and it seemed like I had so little strength I just couldn't get around," says Mrs. Frank Murphy, who lives near here. "My mother knew of the good Cardui could do, so she told me to take it. I sent and got a bottle, and seemed like all the time I grew stronger. "I had been suffering with pains in my sides all the time, and Cardui helped this wonderfully. I needed a tonic for female trouble, and Cardui just fitted the need. I was awfully restless and could not sleep at night, but after taking two bottles of Cardui I could sleep like a top. I got along all right, and I know it was due to Cardui. I can certainly recommend it to women suffering from women's troubles. "My present health is just fine. "Thousands of women have written to tell how Cardui relieved them of pain and suffering, and helped them to improve in health and strength. Cardui is perfectly harmless, being an extract of mild-acting herbs, and contains no dangerous drugs or harmful ingredients. Sold everywhere. NC-174



CHAMBER DINNER IS FOR TONIGHT

R. E. White, county superintendent of schools, will preside at the annual membership banquet of the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce tonight at 8:00 o'clock at the Central Hotel. Walter U. Early, of Brownwood, district attorney, will deliver the principal address, and a local orchestra under the direction of Ernest Moody will furnish the music for the occasion.

Members are urged to get tickets and be present at this affair. The entertainment committee promises this to be a banquet full of spice and pep from start to close.

These will be several out of town citizens present at the get-together.

ATTEND LUNCHEON IN COLEMAN

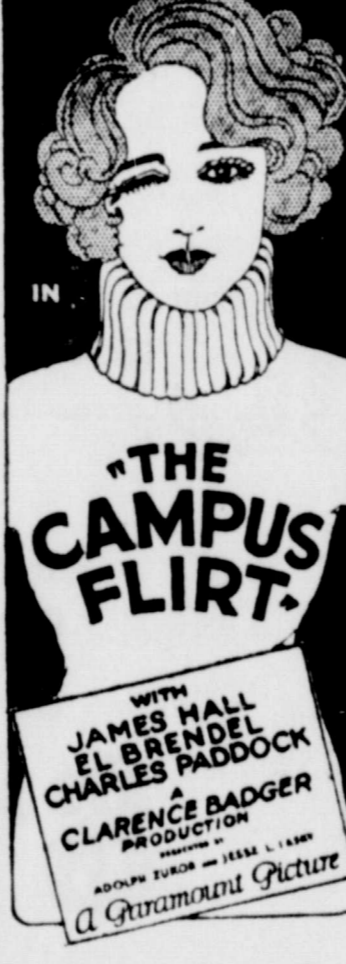
E. E. King, H. C. Lyon, T. P. Simpson and J. D. Motley left Tuesday morning for Coleman, where they were to attend a joint luncheon in the new Coleman Hotel. The Coleman Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club sponsored the get-together to open the new hostelry.

The Coleman chamber is also having its annual membership banquet at the hotel, the management having its opening dinner in the dining room, and the Rotary Club is having its first

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meeting since organization in Coleman. The three luncheons will be held as one.

China's Labor Still Depends on Manpower

PEKING, Jan. 11. — Labor-saving devices are scarce in China, where man-power is abundant and wages low.

Two men working with a large, two-handed saw will spend a day cutting one plank from a rough 15-foot timber. A mechanical saw which would do the job in a matter of minutes is looked upon with disfavor by the Chinese employer.

Peking's streets are sprinkled the year round by men with tubs and shallow bamboo baskets on the end of a pole. They have been sprinkled in that manner for generations from wells at intervals along the streets. Thousands of men would be thrown out of work if modern methods were substituted for the old practice.

The jinricksha puller's guild and the wheelbarrow-pushing water peddlers oppose the encroachments of street cars and waterworks upon their business.



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We will also clip or shave ladies' necks free on week days.

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We wish to thank our many friends who were so kind to us during the illness and death of our husband and father. Your friendship has meant much to us in our hour of sadness and we will never forget the many thoughtful deeds done for us.

Mrs. Z. A. Snell
Charlie Snell
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Sheriff R. E. McWilliams, left Tuesday or Austin where he goes to take a woman who was recently adjudged insane by the county court.

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