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GOVERNOR TO SIGN 100 MORE PARDONS

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—Clerks in the office of the secretary of state spent Sunday in an attempt to prepare proclamations for the remaining clemency acts of Gov. Ferguson. They are estimated to be more than 100.

FOUR ARRESTS HERE OVER THE WEEK-END

Four arrests were made over the week-end here, according to the justice court's criminal docket at the county jail. Two were arrested for drunkenness. One of these paid out Monday, but the other is still confined to his cell in the county jail. One was arrested for possession and transportation of chow beer. He paid his fine and was released.

SENIORS ENTERTAIN IN CHAPEL EXERCISES

Members of the class of 1927, the Seniors of the Ballinger high school, presented a short, interesting program at the chapel hour Monday morning. Representatives of the class appeared in songs and readings and burlesques of several of the teachers of the high school. The program was decidedly humorous and was enjoyed very much by the faculty and student body.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tinsley visited friends in Abilene Sunday.

CHECKS RETURNS OF NOV. ELECTION

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—Business of the legislature today will consist chiefly of the canvass of the general election returns for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor. Both the House and Senate met in joint session for this purpose.

U. S. DESTROYER TO FOOCHOW

(By Associated Press) SHANGHAI, China, Jan. 17.—The American destroyer Pillsbury left tonight for Foochow, a Reuters News Agency dispatch from there, reaching here tonight, said. Looting of the American and English missionary churches at Foochow yesterday resulted in no casualties but there was much property loss, the dispatch said. The situation was reported well in hand and the foreign quarter is quiet.

LETS CONTRACT FOR THIRD WELL

A Mr. Johnson, of Tulsa, Okla., who, with the Noble Oil & Gas Co., of Tulsa, will drill a well on the third block of acreage in the Southern part of this county, near the Concho-Runnels county line, Saturday let the contract for the drilling of this test, it was authentically announced here Monday morning.

The exact location of the well has not been announced but will be some time this week.

Mr. Johnson has been here several days making arrangements for the drilling of this well and expects to get the hole under way within the near future.

This land was blocked by H. P. Nichols, of San Angelo, formerly of Ardmore, Okla., who spent much of his time in this section during the past year.

It is rumored that a well is to be drilled on a block of acreage West of Talpa, in Runnels county, obtained by the Pure Oil Company, which concern a few months ago purchased the oil wells on the old Russell ranch, 18 miles East of Ballinger, from the Giesecke interests.

It is understood that the Zoeh-McCamey No. 1 Bruce, South of here, will not be completed because of four strings of tools in the hole. The contract called for a 3,000-foot hole, and the contract lacks only about 50 feet of being carried out.

It has been rumored that another well will be drilled on this tract to carry out the contract and thus make the lease on the block of acreage valid. However, it is not known where the other hole is to be drilled.

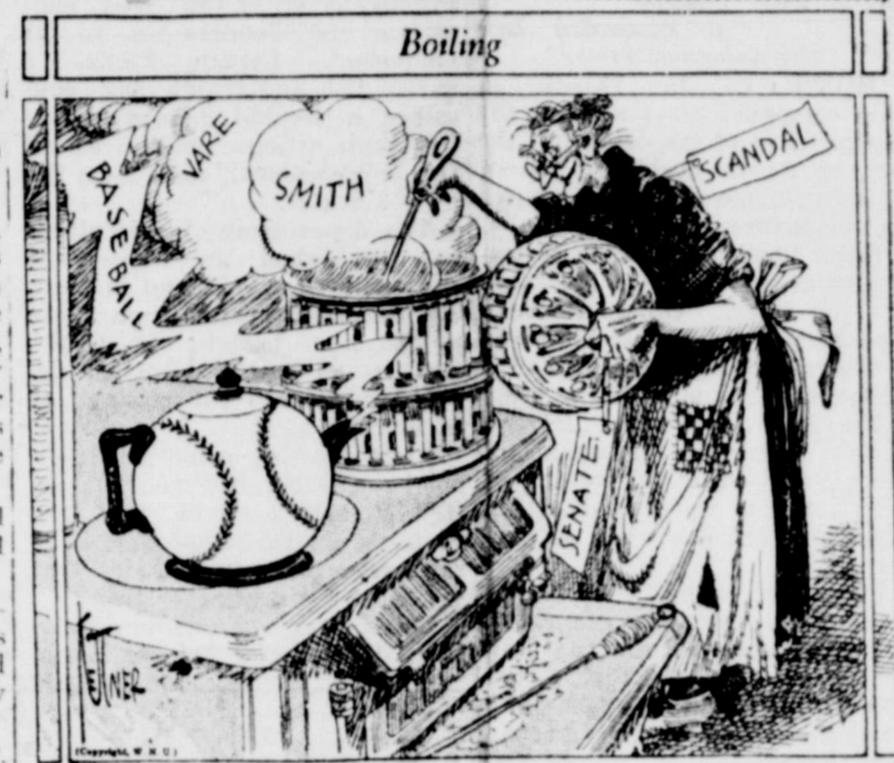
The test on the King tract near Crews has not been started, as far as can be learned, but it is rumored that a Mr. Dutton, who has been drilling in Concho county, has been here making arrangements to start up this rig within the next few days.

Since January 1, oil and gas leases and assignments have been flooding the county clerk's office for filing and it is expected that announcement of further drilling campaigns will be made within the near future. The year of 1927 is still young and many of the larger companies who set aside a nice sum annually for wildcat tests, have not yet announced where they will spend their budget this year and Runnels county is expected to come in for quite a nice share of this development.

The Weather— Tonight—cloudy, occasional rain, colder. Tuesday—cloudy, much colder. Cold wave with temperature from 24 to 28 degrees above zero before Tuesday night.

Miss Ruth Holliday, who is a student of Simmons University, Abilene, is here spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Holliday.

Chipps Drinking Habits are Related in Testimony Today



(By Associated Press) land, former policeman of Fort Worth; A. B. Hamm, livestock commission man; J. O. Hart, owner of a sand and gravel plant; A. P. Mitchell, automobile dealer; Leonard Withington, secretary of the Texas Republican party; Lee Russell, livestock man; W. C. Curry, L. H. Estess, house officer of the Baker Hotel, Dallas; A. D. Harding, member of the legislature from Fort Worth; W. E. Young, house detective of the Texas Hotel, Fort Worth; E. T. Jenkins, barber; and R. E. Hancock, barber, both from Fort Worth.

DENIES STORY OF CHANGE IN U. S. POLICY

(By Associated Press) MOSCOW, Jan. 17.—Acting Foreign Minister Maxim Litvinoff today issued a sweeping official denial of charges recently made by Secretary of State Kellogg, concerning the Soviet activities against the United States in Latin-America, characterizing them as fantastic and ridiculous.

BOMB THROWER IS ARRESTED

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A bomb, which police believe was intended to wreck the headquarters of the Furriers' Union Joint Board, today damaged the building occupied by the Italian consulate close by.

BAN SAYS LANDIS IS RESPONSIBLE

(By Associated Press) CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The Chicago Tribune this morning said that Ban Johnson, president of the American League, openly charged that Baseball Commissioner K. M. Landis was responsible for the marring of the reputations of Tris Speaker and Ty Cobb.

COURT UPHOLDS SENATE ACTION

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, January 17.—The power of the Senate to compel Mal Daugherty, of Ohio, to comply with a summons issued in 1924 by the Daugherty investigating committee, was upheld today by the Supreme Court.

HOUSE PASSES COTTON BILL

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, January 17.—Reduction from eleven to four in the number of Department of Agriculture estimates on cotton production by bales would be effected under a bill passed today by the House.

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The entire morning session was taken up with an attack on Chipps' character and an attempt by the defense to show that the slain man was dangerous when intoxicated and that he drank heavily, and that all these facts were known to Norris, who believed his life endangered when Chipps called at his office to protest against Norris' pulpit attacks on the Fort Worth administration.

Fort Worth city detectives and six Fort Worth business men, some of whom have been members of Chipps' club, the Fort Worth Club, testified that the dead man was "violent and dangerous" when under the influence of liquor.

One man testified that he played cards with Chipps at the club and that sometimes Chipps got so quarrelsome that "members got up and left."

The defense failed to get into the record the testimony of an alleged attack by Chipps on Fenton Baker, of the Texas Hotel. The state objected to that incident as it was an isolated case, having no bearing on this case, and that information about the incident had never been conveyed to Norris, therefore it could have no bearing on his mental attitude in face of "apparent danger."

Character witnesses presented by the defense today were: Chas. C. Littleton, Fort Worth city detective; Harry Connor, Fred Hol-

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Miss Lela Joe Dunman, of Coleman, visited Miss Nettie Routh Sledge here Sunday.



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Curtain 8:00

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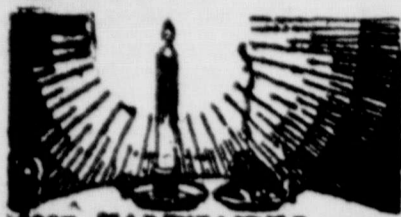
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**MORE SPENT FOR BEAUTY
THAN FOR BATTLESHIPS**

Whatever may be the policy of the American government toward disarmament, it is plain that it is not followed by American women. The nation's first line of defense may be restricted. But the ladies' first line of defense, their beauty, certainly suffers from no pruning of the national budget.

This appears from the fact that last year, according to government figures, \$750,000,000 was spent for cosmetics of various sorts. Far more goes for beauty than ever went for battleships. And doubtless the effect of it upon man is far more dangerous, too.

The reason for this unprecedented expenditure for beauty aids is ascribed to two facts. The first that fashions in cosmetics now change more often. Where before there was, one might say, a standard shade of rouge, now there are dozens, from orange to deep crimson. The second is that science has turned to the perfection of toilettries, and so has given women much more useful and cunning devices for the retention of beauty.

A anomaly of the situation, too, is this: that so profitable has the business of supplying women with beauty aids become, that the best scientific men are coming into the field of research and synthesis and so giving the ladies deadlier and deadlier weapons of war to turn upon their unsuspecting brothers. It seems a veritable treason of sex.

**TWO MAJOR SPORTING
EVENTS TO BE STAGED
IN SAN ANTONIO SOON**

(By Associated Press)

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 17.—Two major sporting events, the Texas Open Golf championship and the San Antonio mid-winter polo tournament will brighten the first two months of 1927 for San Antonio.

The first of these events, the golf tournament, which starts Jan. 27, is expected to bring a majority of the leading professional players of the state to the city. The polo tournament promises to be the largest held West of the Mississippi this year, if not the largest ever held in the West.

The golf tournament will start Thursday, Jan. 27, at the Willow Springs Course, an amateur-professional best ball tournament, the three winning professionals to receive \$100, \$75 and \$50 in the order of their finish, and their amateur partners to get gold, silver and bronze medals. A driving contest will be held on the same day with the winner taking \$50, or a medal.

In all \$6,000 in prizes will be distributed. Play for the championship will start Friday and be continued Saturday and probably Sunday. The low medalist for each round of eighteen holes will be awarded \$25 and the winner will pocket \$1,500. The awards range on down to \$75 for the player finishing fifteenth, but the next fifteen low scores will be paid \$50 each, so that thirty golfers will finish in the money. A prize of \$25 will go to any player breaking the course record of 65.

All of the stars recently playing on the coast are expected to be present with a large entry from Florida resorts. Plans are being made to ask Walter Hagen to play the winner of the tournament the day after the event closes.

It will be the sixth tournament for the title. Winners in previous years were Bob McDonald, Walter Hagen, Joe Kirkwood, Joe Turnesa and MacDonald Smith.

**MARKETS FEED STUFF
THROUGH CATTLE**

Paul Michaelis, one of the prosperous farmers of the Hatchel community, is practicing diversification through marketing the feed he raised the past year, through cattle he has purchased and is now feeding.

Mr. Michaelis raised only a little cotton during 1926, but produced much feed. He has purchased several carloads of cattle and is now feeding his 1926 feed crop to these herds.

This is a new method of diversification which is said to be very profitable and helps to knock out the creases made by the low price of cotton.

Miss Ima McKown has returned from Abilene, where she spent the week-end.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Elmer Speer and Miss Virginia Snyder
Manuel Hernandez and Miss Florentina Olmos
Jesus Dela Cerda and Mrs. Eduibigez Hernandez
Joe Reed and Miss Ruby Dell Whidden.

Notice

I have started a Service Line from San Angelo to Ballinger, and will make four trips daily. Your patronage will be greatly appreciated and you will ride in comfort in a Hudson closed sedan. For information phone Central Hotel, No. 46. 17-6td

**Ships Now Dispose
of Discarded Leis**

(By Associated Press)
HONOLULU, Jan. 17.—Steamship companies have solved the problem of disposing of the leis, or flower necklaces, given visitors to Hawaii upon arrival and departure.

Some tourists had been throwing them overboard as the ship left the wharf. Others loath to part with the perfumed blossoms, had been keeping them until they withered, many miles out at sea.

The Hawaii Tourist Bureau learned from some "kamaainas,"—old timers—that the casting of a lei into the water as the ship departs signified a wish to return.

Upon the suggestion of the bureau, the steamship companies agreed to make a uniform practice of disposing of the leis as the vessels pass Waikiki Beach and eliminate littering the harbor with flowers.

**ANGLO TO GET POSTAL
SERVICE BY MARCH 1**

Officials of the Postal Telegraph and Cable Company on Sunday will inspect the lines of the San Angelo Telephone Company from Big Spring to this city, which they will lease for the opening of an office here not later than March 1.

These men will attend the West Texas Petroleum conference this week.—San Angelo Standard.

Big firms calling constantly for Draughton-trained help. Positions insured. Write for Catalog M today. Draughton's College, Abilene, Texas. 17-1td

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams has gone to Austin to look after business and attend the inauguration of Gov. Dan Moody. He was accompanied by former Sheriff Bob Miller, of Paint Rock.

Sam Dunlap has returned to Texas Tech at Lubbock, after spending a few days here visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Frances Trail is at home from Simmons University to spend the week-end with her parents.

**FARMING IN VIRGIN
ISLES UNDEVELOPED**

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, January 17.—The desirability of building good roads and further developing agriculture in the Virgin Islands, America's recently acquired possession in the Atlantic, is under consideration in congress on the basis of a picture of conditions painted by Captain Martin E. Trench, U. S. N. retired. As governor, Capt. Trench has been administering the affairs of the islands for the last fifteen months.

The island of St. John, the smallest of the three composing the group, but comprising 20 square miles of territory, has not a single road for wheel traffic. Practically all of the food supplies of the islanders has to be imported. Certain kinds of native fish and fruits are consumed in limited quantities, but the staple articles, chiefly salted fish and cornmeal, come from the United States.

The department of agriculture has established an experiment station in St. Croix and is sending out field agents from there to the other islands. St. Croix, with its 80 square miles, is devoted largely to the raising of sugar cane.

Fruit growing could be developed profitably in the islands, Gov. Trench believes, and the islanders should be encouraged to raise vegetables, an industry that is almost entirely neglected.

Homesteading is another question. The land is held in large

estates, the titles going back to the days of Danish ownership of the islands, and is tilled by "squatters" or rent-payers instead of by home builders.

**TURN HAIR DARK
WITH SAGE TEA**

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening color, which is a good, even keep their hair using it to folks are again er's recipe, and is grandmoth-and faded hair gray, streaked quite sensible,

as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, for only 75 cents. It is improved by the addition of other ingredients, and is called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.



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Sometimes men are so very unoberving. Many times a new dress, a new hat receives no comment. But when "He" admires your hair then you know you have elicited something worthy.
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Channel Swim Impossible for Woman Thirty Years Ago



CHICAGO—It Gertrude Ederwe had lived thirty years ago she never could have swum the English Channel.
This was the statement of Mrs. Martha E. Hicks, Chicago club woman, 7, on modern sex, before a sociological conference.
"Gertrude's victory was due to the revolution in the status of women," said Mrs. Hicks. "Thirty years ago tight fitting corsets, bustles and the multiplicity of garments constricting the body would have made it impossible for any woman to develop her muscles for such a marvelous swim. Moreover, if she had appeared in a modern abbreviated bathing suit, the police would have nabbed her before she started."
"Physical education in recent years has brought about a startling revolution in the place women now hold. Healthfulness is now the watchword where semi-invalidism was formerly the fad. Women re-

main youthful today because they go in extensively for outdoor sports instead of consigning themselves to sassafras tea and knitting needles like their sisters of the sixties."
"Modern girls with their physical alertness, business efficiency and self-reliance are as much an advance over the fragile beauties of a generation ago who swooned at the least excuse as the 'straight eight' powered by H-C gasoline is over the one-horse hack."

TEXAS TO GET NEW FEDERAL BUILDINGS

TRADES FARM FOR BUSINESS AT NORTON

Joel L. Smith, for several years a farmer on a tract of land, which was formerly a part of the old Wylie ranch, has traded his farm to Bud Borders of Maverick for the Borders business at Norton, where he will move. Mr. Smith was allowed \$70 per acre on his land in the transaction.

"Like Runnels county and it is good enough for me. I expect to spend the remainder of my days in this county," Mr. Smith is quoted as saying.

MANY ATTEND LEGION AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE

Many school children and ladies attended the American Legion afternoon performance of "Turn to the Right," Broadway comedy, which was presented this afternoon and which is to be presented tonight and Tuesday night at the Legion hall on Eighth Street.

The attendance at the afternoon show was much larger than expected and the success of the performance is expected to reach out over the city and cause large crowds to see the show tonight and Tuesday night.

The school children and others who saw the afternoon show received the performance very well, and they are expected to be walking advertisements for the other two performances.

Percherons from Michigan, where 95 of every 100 automobiles are made, won against all comers in national and international livestock events last year.

PERSONALS WANTED

- Personals make good local news and Ballinger people want to see who is coming and going and all that concerns local citizens.
- It is a hard matter, a proposition to gather personals and city briefs, but the subscribers of this paper could assist in keeping the sheet full of locals, personal mention and city briefs if they would call the office and report same.
- All calls will be given prompt and courteous attention.
- Use your telephone—call No. 27.

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, January 17.—A program providing for new postoffices or federal buildings or enlargement of present structures in more than two hundred cities has been prepared for congress by the treasury and postoffice departments.

The allotments were made under the \$100,000,000 act passed at the last session of congress but appropriation of another \$100,000,000 probably will be required to carry into effect the full program which is to be stretched over a five-year period. Legislation for that purpose already is pending.

Projects listed in the recommendation are in addition to those for which allotments were made several months ago. The recommendations for Texas include:

Dallas—Sale of federal building, valued at \$1,000,000, and erection of a new building on another site, \$1,150,000. Recommended also that consideration be given to purchase of Young Street station.

El Paso—Erection of new building for use for postal purposes only to cost with site \$1,590,000. All other government activities would be grouped in present federal building.

Houston—Sale of federal building, valued at \$1,250,000, and erection of a new one elsewhere, \$2,180,000.

Galveston—Addition to federal building, including purchase of land \$470,000.

Beaumont—Addition to building, including land \$220,000.

San Antonio—Sale of federal building, valued at \$200,000, and erection of new one, with site, would cost \$2,000,000.

El Paso—All recommendations for new construction rejected.

Waco—Recommended that no action be taken at this time.

Corsicana—Addition to building \$95,000.

Greenville—Addition to building \$60,000.

Lubbock—New building \$165,000.

Huntsville—New building \$60,000.

Neal Eubank, who is attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Eubank.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carr spent Sunday in San Angelo with friends.

TWO HURT IN FORD WRECK

Russell Seitz, pharmacist at the Weeks drug store, is suffering a broken collar bone and bruises, and Lynn Hooker, pharmacist at the Pearce drug store, is suffering from a sprained back, received about 10:00 o'clock Sunday night on the Ballinger-San Angelo road, while returning from San Angelo.

The two young men are confined today to their rooms at the Erwin residence, 208 Seventh Street.

The pair were returning from San Angelo in a Ford roadster when they ran onto a car parked in the road where a man was out trying to adjust his lights. They were said to have been driving at a rapid speed and before they knew it were almost on the car that had been stopped. In order to keep from striking the man the Ford roadster was swerved and went into a ditch. The car was not seriously damaged.

Seitz and Hooker proceeded to Ballinger where they were given medical aid. Their injuries are not considered serious but are very painful at the present.

Earthquake "Orphan" Now Marine Mascot

(By Associated Press)

TOKYO, Jan. 17.—"Kamakura," a popular dog among foreigners in Tokyo, has embarked upon the adventurous life of the American "devil dog."

He has gone to the United States, via Europe, in company with Major William J. Sullivan as mascot for the Marine Corps expeditionary forces.

As his name signifies, the dog was born in Kamakura at the time of the earthquake at 12:30 p. m., September 1, 1923. Some American marines engaged in salvage and relief work found the puppy. His eyes were not yet open and he was starving.

The marines brought him back to Camp Woods, on the American embassy site. When left in June of the following year, they placed "Kamakura" in the care of Major Sullivan, who was attached to the embassy. The dog is expected to succeed the famous "Nig," who went on expeditions with the marines in Panama, Nicaragua, Cuba, Haiti, Santo Domingo and finally France, where he died. The new mascot is a short-haired, black and tan dog of different breeds, about the size of a fox-hound.

Movies

"Fascinating Youth" Opens at Palace Today

Novelty—thy name is Cinema. "Fascinating Youth," Paramount's latest comedy, opened at the Palace Theatre this afternoon for two days run. It is no ordinary film—this hilarious concoction which so highly amused the audience. Rather is it unique in that an original idea has been successfully employed.

The principal parts are all enacted by members of the Paramount Picture School. This, you will remember, was the outcome of last year's nation-wide hunt for hidden talent. The boys and girls appearing in the film, would seem to be the "cream of the cream." And—strange to say—every single mother's son or daughter, does his or her work in a manner that would win laurels for any experienced player.

Perhaps credit for the picture's success is due Director Sam Wood. Certainly, it takes patience, experience and a whole lot of knowledge to make a flock of amateurs act as though they had lived their lives in front of a camera.

Byron Morgan's story concerns itself with a rich youth who lives in Greenwich Village and has nothing else to do but stage Charleston parties. It must be admitted though, that all his little playmates are agile and adept dancers. Then along comes papa.

"Make good on a job I'll give you—or marry the girl I've picked out."

Everything needed to produce a good picture has been included in "Fascinating Youth." We have youth, beauty, action, ro-

A Benefactor

A physician who reaches out to benefit humanity leaves a record behind him that is worth while. Such a man was Dr. R. V. Pierce.



His study along medical lines, and his knowledge of the remedial qualities of herbs and plants led to the discovery of his wonderful herbal remedy, Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is just the tonic required if a woman is borne down by pain and sufferings at regular or irregular intervals, by nervousness or dizzy spells, headache or backache. Favorite Prescription can be had in tablet form as well as liquid at your neighborhood store.

mance, thrills, sport and a hundred other ingredients—more than enough to go round and satisfy all fans.

CUTS-SORES
Cleanse thoroughly—then, without rubbing, apply—
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Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Notice to Stockholders
The annual meeting of the lot owners of the Ballinger Cemetery Association will meet in the office of the Chamber of Commerce, January 18th at 2:00 o'clock.

The election of a new board of directors will be had and a general report of the Association. There are some very important

matters to come up for discussion and if you have any interest in the business affairs of the "City of Our Dead" be on hand at the time stipulated.

E. SHEPPERD, President.
15-2td

Auxiliary Notice
Regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will not be held tonight on account of the Legion show, "Turn to the Right." The next Auxiliary meeting will be held next Monday night, January 24, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. A. McGregor, President.
Mrs. J. M. Skinner, Sec.

H. D. Terry places at \$135 last week. Catalog M will convince you of many similar calls. Write for it today. Draughon's College, Abilene, Texas.
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Have all your clothes cleaned. It's cheaper than buying new ones. Call 63. We will call for and deliver your clothes promptly. Prices are reasonable.

Louis Cohen

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Farm Finances

Farming is more than just crop raising. Keeping farm finances in good condition is as hard a job as running any other industry. And the farmer seldom has a bookkeeper to make it easier for him.

But he often finds this bank of real assistance to him in running his farm in a businesslike manner. We try to help farmers with their problems as well as handle their bank accounts.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS

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Making Ice in 1-1500th of a Second



A most remarkable photograph showing the formation of ice in 1-1500th of a second. The experiment was performed by David G. Ong, noted New York refrigeration expert, using a Servel refrigerant. Mr. Ong poured water into a glass containing half an inch of the refrigerant, snapping the lens the instant the water left the glass. A miniature explosion followed, the air being filled with cold steam and particles of ice. This photo is especially interesting because the naked eye cannot follow it, so fast is the action.

This refrigerant, which is harmless and non-odorless, boiling, under atmospheric pressure at ten degrees below zero, is just the thing for a hot day, for one can carry his own little refrigerating plant in his pocket, making ice at will. Try it the next hot day, its easy says Mr. Ong, who is vice-president of the Servel Corporation. He predicts that some day every household will have its own electric refrigerating plant owing to the rapid advancements in the science of refrigeration, which embraces problems in electrical, chemical, and mechanical engineering.

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Sedan and Landau are both new additions to the line and will be displayed on our floor next week.

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**All Previous Radio Programs To Be Eclipsed
By Array of Artists in New Atwater Kent Series**



Announcement is made by Mr. A. Atwater Kent, of Philadelphia, that starting Sunday evening October 3, he will begin the broadcasting of a new series of weekly programs by nationally famous grand opera and concert artists. The lineup of stars revealed by the announcement and the arrangements that have been made to make available for these concerts artists of the very highest rank indicate that series for the coming winter eclipse even the high stand by the Atwater Kent program last winter. Those already scheduled

for early appearance in the new Atwater Kent series are such stars as Frances Alda, Lucrezia Bori, Madame Schumann Heink, Frieda Hempel, Josef Hofmann, Edward Johnson, Albert Scudlitz, Maria Kurenko, Louise Homer, Reinald Werrenrath, Margaret Matzenauer, Mary Lewis, Rosa Ponselle and Charles Hackett. Through an arrangement with the Metropolitan Grand Opera Company of a sort never before effected by any outside agency Mr. Kent has secured the call on the services of the artists of that great organization for radio appearance. This connection will enable to put on the air in the

of this new series, a number of artists not heretofore available for broadcasting because of their engagements with the Metropolitan. The new series of Atwater Kent programs will be on the air each Sunday evening from 9:15 to 10:15 eastern standard time. They will be broadcast through a hook-up of fifteen stations, as follows: WEAJ, New York; WJAR, Providence; WEKI, Boston; WSAI, Cincinnati; WRC, Washington; WCCO, Minneapolis; WTAM, Cleveland; WGN, Chicago; WFI, Philadelphia; WCAE, Pittsburgh; WGR, WOC, Davenport; WTAG, Greater; KSD, St. Louis; and WJ, Detroit.

DEATHS

Mrs. Elizabeth Thaxton
Mrs. Elizabeth Thaxton, wife of the late J. C. Thaxton, died Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tobe Little, 201 Thirtieth Street. She had been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Thaxton was 75 years 5 months and 7 days of age. She had lived in Runnels county since 1889, coming here with her husband, who died in November, 1917. The Thaxtons lived on Oak Creek until the time of Mr. Thaxton's death when Mrs. Thaxton moved to the home of Mrs. Little, where she had resided since.

Deceased is survived by three daughters: Mrs. Tobe Little, Ballinger; Mrs. H. A. Grimes, Elida, N. M.; and Mrs. J. D. Harrell, Lubbock; all of whom were present for the funeral. A sister, Mrs. Penninger, of Comanche, was also here for the funeral.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Little home, with Rev. B. Hooper, pastor of the First Methodist Church; and Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

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

ANY SKIN ERUPTION HEALED WITH SULPHUR

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Mrs. Emma Nash and Mrs. Aline Aycock have gone to San Antonio where they will attend to business matters.

OIL MAN MOVES TO SAN ANGELO FROM ARDMORE
moved his family to San Angelo from Ardmore, Okla., where he formerly resided. Mr. Nichols has spent much of his time in Ballinger and Runnels county and has made many three blocks South of Ballinger, friends in this section. He and Mrs. Nichols were over Saturday a third is being planned, has from San Angelo.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Reed-Whidden
At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Whidden, four miles East of Ballinger, Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock, Miss Ruby Dell Whidden and Joel Reed were united in marriage. Rev. M. C. Golden officiating, the impressive ring ceremony being used. A large number of friends were present, who presented the bride and groom with many lovely and useful gifts.

Miss Whidden will be remembered as a graduate of the Ballinger high school. She later attended Draughon's Business College in Abilene. Mr. Reed also completed a course in Draughon's, and is now an employee of the Franklin Plumbing Co., of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Reed will make their home at 1350 Elm Street, Abilene, Texas.

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JUDGE GROSS HERE ON BUSINESS VISIT

Judge W. H. Gross, of Mineral Wells, who owns the Gross ranch West of Ballinger on the Colorado River, is here looking after business. He is at the ranch this week.

Judge Gross has some 50 or 75 Mexicans clearing about 300 acres of new land on the ranch, where feed will be grown to serve large herds on the ranch.

It is expected that much of the feed for winter supply of the cattle will be grown on the ranch.

Miss Naomi McWilliams, who is attending Simmons University at Abilene, is here on a visit to her father, Feb. McWilliams.

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ALL COUNTY CARS ARE NOT YET REGISTERED

All cars in Runnels county are not yet registered. County Tax W. L. Brown declared Monday morning. He requests all motor vehicle owners who have not yet obtained their 1927 number plates to do so at once and save further trouble. To date 3,849 cars and 302 trucks have been licensed.

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