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BALLINGER, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 1927

MEMBER ASSOCIATED PRESS

Texas Couple On Honeymoon Die in Accident

(By Associated Press)
FT. WORTH, March 25.—Funeral arrangements were being made here today for Guy T. Waggoner Jr., and his bride of six days, who were killed yesterday near Douglas, Arizona, when their automobile skidded and turned over while they were returning from a honeymoon in California.

Waggoner is the scion of one of Texas' greatest cattle barons. He and his bride were married in Hollywood, Calif., less than a week ago.

Others in the party were: Guthrie Garrison, Dallas; Miss Katherine O'Hern, and Vale Henry, of Fort Worth. The two boys suffered slight injuries and cuts about the body while Miss O'Hern was not injured save for several small bruises and cuts.

The car overturned when a tire blew out. Mr. Waggoner was killed almost instantly while his young wife died a few hours later in a Douglas hospital. She suffered internal injuries.

INDIAN RUNNERS NEARING FINISH

(By Associated Press)
KYLE, Tex., March 25.—Scarcely breathing hard, the three Tarapumara Indians making the 82-mile run between San Antonio and Austin, at noon today were within 27 miles of their goal.

Joe Torres and Tomas Zafire were going strong as they neared here but Augustin Salido, who suffered an attack of cramps earlier in the day, was trailing a mile and a half behind his companions.

The Indians, who are attempting to break a world record in this run, are scheduled to finish the race in the Texas University stadium this afternoon during the track meet there.

H. P. Brown is at home to spend a few days with his parents in South Ballinger. He has been working in Best for an oil company but was transferred Thursday to the Fry field in Brown county.

Neely Allison, formerly of this city, now of Denton; Bob Oaks, of Brownwood; and "Bones" Erwin, of Dallas; all students at Texas A. & M. College, spent a few minutes in Ballinger Friday while en route to San Angelo to spend the week-end.

GLORY DAY March 27

at
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
104
have joined since August 15th
50

during past two weeks. More are going to join on March 27th—next Sunday. Will you be one????
The active membership has actually doubled in the past eight and one half months. Line up in the Kingdom with a congregation that believes that a Christian to stay saved MUST save others.
March 27th

Ghost of Kings and Queens Is Sold With Leeds Castle



LEEDS CASTLE, FROM THE AIR

(By Associated Press)
MAIDSTONE, England, March 25.—Five kings and a queen or two helped to reflect bits of romance into the walls of Leeds Castle, one of the most picturesque feudal reminders of the England of old, which has been sold to Arthur Wilson-Filmer, whose wife is related to Harry Payne Whitney.

Mrs. Wilson-Filmer is the eldest daughter of Lord Queenborough. She was formerly Mrs. Charles Winn, and inherited a fortune from her mother, Mrs. Almeric Paget, an American heiress, sister of Harry Payne Whitney. The castle is one of the keep-sakes of Britain and is to be made habitable on the inside without interference with its exterior. Richard I, Richard II, Henry VIII, Charles II and George III all figure in the castle's history. Froissart referred to it in his chronicles as a "beautiful palace" when he visited it with Sir Thomas Percy and Sir William de Lisle.

The exact date when building began is not recorded, but there are suggestions that the work on the foundations was started about 1071. The earliest parts of the building still exist and were added to by an architect said to have been Odo, brother of William the Conqueror.

Queen Isabel once came riding up to the castle with all her retinue, but was not allowed to enter. The king, enraged at the insult, besieged the castle, which eventually fell to the royal arms and the owner was beheaded. It stands

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on two islands, with draw-bridge connections, and it was from the chain of one of these that King Edward II hanged one of the governors, Thomas de Colepper.

CONFERENCE FOR TONGS IS CALLED

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Mar. 25.—"Back to China by the shipload, if necessary," was the ultimatum given by District Attorney Banton to the rival Hip Sing and On Leong tongs. He called tong leaders to attend a peace conference today.

Barking guns which yesterday took eight lives, marked the end of a two-year truce between the tongs.

About 45 Chinese have been arrested in connection with the shootings.

Nanking Bombardment Is Ordered Postponed

OFFERS REWARD IN GARAGE THEFT

H. H. Storey, of the Storey Garage at Miles, which business was burglarized one night during the past week, has notified officers that he has a \$50 reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who entered his garage and stole 29 casings of Badger, Kelly and Republic make a cash register and an adding machine.

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams, who investigated the case, said Friday that the burglars seemed to have made a clean get-away.

"They entered through a window which they had broken," Sheriff McWilliams said, "unlocked the door and backed the car or truck they were driving to the door and loaded on the stolen goods."

It is estimated that the property stolen was of a value near \$400.

Another Theft Reported
P. R. Dietz, of near Crews, was in Ballinger Friday and reported to Sheriff McWilliams that on Thursday night, someone stole three casings, tubes and rims from his Ford truck, parked near his home.

Mr. Dietz estimates that his loss was about \$100. The parties in removing the tires did so by jacking each wheel and removing the rims.

MOODY CALLS SPECIAL MEET

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, March 25.—Governor Moody today officially announced that a special session of the legislature will be called to convene either on April 25th or early in the month of May.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 25.—Preparations for bombardment by American and British ships at Nanking has been postponed until tomorrow because of only partial evacuation of the city by foreigners has been effected.

Notice has been served on the Cantonese commanders at Nanking that military points would be shelled unless immediate guarantees of safety for foreign lives were furnished. The bombardment was to have started this afternoon.

The decision to postpone this drastic action was decided upon and agreement reached by American and British naval commanders, when it was seen that concrete results had followed the announcement of their firm stand.

Rear Admiral Hough reported to the Navy Department that the Japanese in Nanking were completing their evacuation; that the missing British marines were coming out of the city and that there was a fair possibility that the 120 Americans who took refuge in Nanking University, would leave there tonight.

SHANGHAI, Mar. 25.—American and British warships will bombard military points in Nanking, including the Cantonese headquarters unless immediate disposition is made for the delivery, unharmed, of foreigners remaining ashore there.

The ultimatum was delivered to the Chinese today by Rear Admiral Hough and the British naval commander, after the Cantonese leader had returned an evasive and insolent reply to their earlier demands.

The Anglo-American commanders consider that only drastic action can save the foreigners who survived yesterday's rioting and fighting.

SHANGHAI, Mar. 25.—Dr. J. E. Williams, vice-president of Nanking University, is known to be among the dead from yesterday's shelling in that city.

Dr. Williams is an American. SHANGHAI, Mar. 25.—The first of the 120 American mis-

sionaries who took refuge in Nanking University from rioting by the Chinese, began to arrive at the dock near the American and British warships tonight.

Among them was Miss Anna Moffett, of Ft. Sheridan, Ill., who had been shot twice through the body.

The missionaries came through without a military escort and reported that American women in Nanking had been most brutally treated by the Chinese.

It is believed that a majority of the American homes and mission property there have been destroyed by the Cantonese soldiers.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The murder of one American missionary and attempts to slay many others at Nanking, was described in a report of American Consul John Davis, received here today by the Navy Department. The report told of Davis' escape with one officer, eleven sailors, nine civilians and two children.

TO REORGANIZE RANGER FORCE

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, March 25.—Reorganization of the state ranger force has started with the request for the resignation of three ranger captains, Adjutant General R. L. Robertson said today.

Captains Fox, at Jarfa; Linsey, at Del Rio; and Nichols, at the headquarters in Marshall, have been asked to resign, Robertson said.

Capon Chicken Dinner

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The kind that you have been buying. This flour is fresh stock and every sack is guaranteed.

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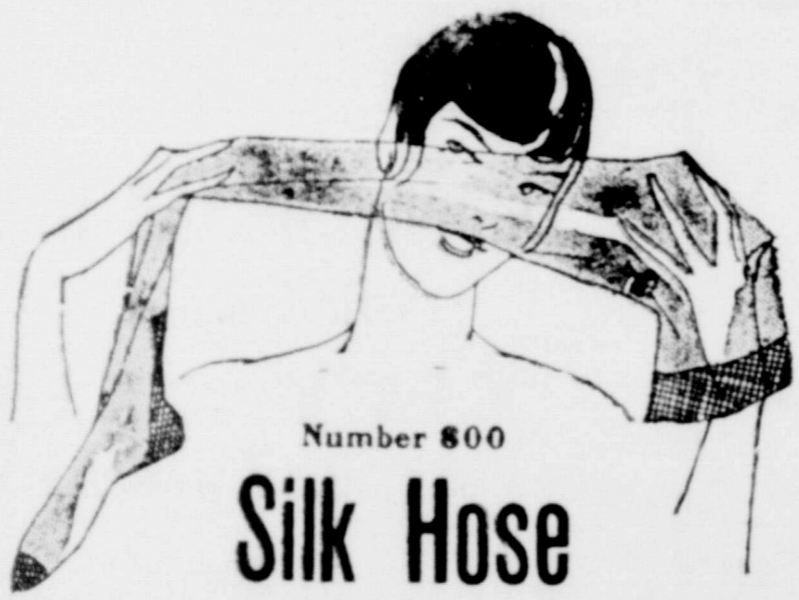
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Pure Silk Hose from top-to-toe in both chiffon and service weights in the new shades for Spring—a value offering wonderful savings for your entire season's supply—quality far above that usually found at a much higher price.

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In this offering will be found button-on Suits for Small Boys in a large selection of wool materials, well made and attractively trimmed, in values regularly from \$2.50 to \$4.00. Just the thing for early Spring wear, at a mere fraction of their value.

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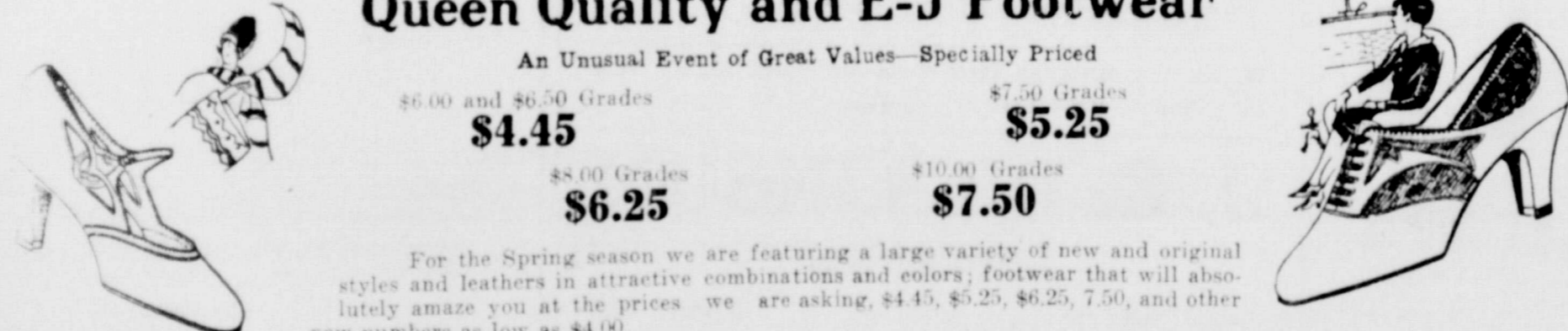
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\$6.00 and \$6.50 Grades
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\$7.50 Grades
\$5.25

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\$6.25

\$10.00 Grades
\$7.50



For the Spring season we are featuring a large variety of new and original styles and leathers in attractive combinations and colors; footwear that will absolutely amaze you at the prices we are asking, \$4.45, \$5.25, \$6.25, 7.50, and other new numbers as low as \$4.00.

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CHECKED TAFFETA—one of the favored silks for Spring wear, medium and small sized checks, decidedly new and smart, the yard \$1.85

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CREPE ROMAINE—extra quality in \$3.50 grade, many shades, yard \$2.75

GEORGETTE—good quality in wide selection of spring colors, yard \$1.25

GEORGETTE—best \$2.50 quality in many new shades, yard \$1.95

BARONET SATIN—suitable for slips and undergarments, wanted light shades, yard 95c

BARONET SATIN—same as above in slightly better grade, yard \$1.25

FLAT CREPE—choice of season's most popular shades, 40 inches wide, good quality, regularly \$1.50, yard \$1.25

FLAT CREPE—same as above in wanted new shades, regularly \$2.25, yard \$1.85

FLAT CREPE—extra quality, 40 inches wide, extra value, yard \$2.65

SILK PONGEE—highest quality imported silk pongee in bright spring shades, including white, extra value, yard \$1.25

WOOL KASHA AND FLANNELS—choice and solid shades and plaids in regular \$2.25 to \$3.00 grades, yard \$1.85

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Take Glass of Salts if Your Back Aches or Bladder Troubles You

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it may mean you have been eating foods which create acids, says a well-known authority. An excess of such acids overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, and tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the system, so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink. Drink lots of soft water.

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LYNN ENTERS MAYOR'S RACE

C. J. Lynn, of C. J. Lynn & Son, coal and wood dealers, and proprietors of Lynn & Son mattress factory, was announced Friday as a candidate for mayor by friends interested in the city affairs.

Mr. Lynn has been a resident of Ballinger for many years and has always taken an active interest in all work that has anything to do with the advancement and upbuilding of the city.

Coming to Ballinger in the early days, Mr. Lynn has made this place his home continually. He promises a conservative but progressive administration and will give his best services for Ballinger and Ballinger citizens.

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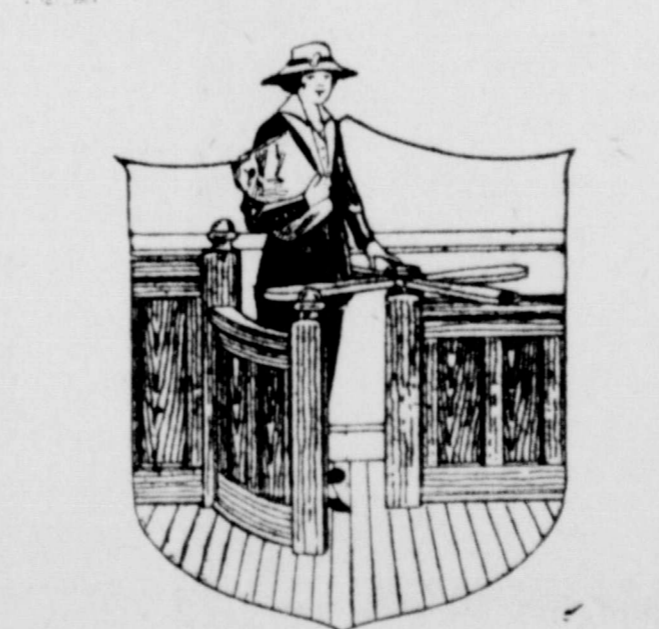
NEW MACHINERY IS RECEIVED BY LEDGER

The Ballinger Printing Company in upholding its reputation of keeping its plant strictly modern in every respect, recently installed a Miller Universal saw-trimmer with router and jig-saw attachments.—Barnhart Bulletin.

This machine arrived in Ballinger Friday morning and was immediately uncrated and placed in working position. The saw-trimmer was purchased by the Ballinger Printing Company from Barnhart Bros. & Spindler, thru their salesman, Frank Dyer, who visits Ballinger regularly.

The new saw is a marvel in its line and does work that seems impossible for such a machine.

A Story Without Words



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Saturday, 26th

at 2:30 o'clock

The purpose of this demonstration is to show the simplicity of caponizing and also the commercial advantages of capons.

Ballinger Poultry and Egg Company

G. A. Ladwig, of this city, who has been in a Dallas hospital for the past ten days, is reported to be somewhat improved, although not yet in condition to return home.

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Mrs. Tom Rape has gone to Lamesa to be at the bedside of a nephew, Lewis Matthews, who is seriously ill and not expected to live.

MOORE AND POST GIVE INSTRUCTIONS TO GUARD

Capt. Floyd Moore and Sgt. E. F. Post have gone to Coleman where they will give instructions to Company B, 142nd infantry, Texas National Guard.

The two army officers have completed instruction of Company C, located here, Capt. W. C. McCarver said Friday, in preparation to federal inspection to be held in Ballinger next week.

Capt. McCarver reported that a large number of his men were present Thursday night for instruction. He expects his company to rate high in federal inspection.

Tom Penn, who is attending Howard Payne College at Brownwood, came in Thursday night to spend a few days with relatives. Othel Smith, of Lampasas, also a student at Howard Payne, came up with Tom to spend the weekend here.

Be wise and advertise

FIREMEN ASKED ATTEND OPENING

Chief Louis Cohen and members of the Ballinger Fire Department received an invitation Thursday from Dan Childress, chief of the Sweetwater department, to attend the formal opening of the new central fire station in Sweetwater tonight.

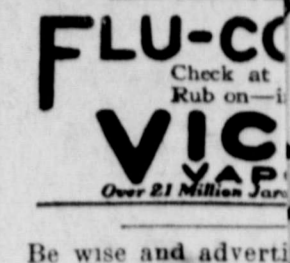
Following is the letter received: "Fire Chief Cohen, Ballinger, Texas

"Dear Chief: "The presence of your entire department, together with your city officials are respectively requested to be present at the opening of our new central fire station, Friday evening, March 25, from 7:30 o'clock until 11:00 o'clock.

"Dan Childress, Chief." It is not known who will attend from Ballinger, Chief Cohen said today, but it is expected that three or four local firemen will

go to the Nolan county site for the affair. Chief Cohen said he had made other plans for tonight and that it would be impossible for him to attend the meeting and opening of the new station.

Sweetwater boasts one of the best departments in the state and now has one of the best fire stations in Texas, several thousand dollars having recently been



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Floor 35c Balcony 25c Children 10c

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Dorothy Gish Coming to Palace in "Nell Gwyn"

A distinct novelty will occupy the feature place on the program at the Palace Theatre for two days next week, Monday and Tuesday. In "Nell Gwyn," which stars Dorothy Gish, we have an international production of one of the world's most celebrated true-life love tales. The picture was produced in London by Herbert Wilcox, a young English directorial genius. The supporting cast includes three of the best-known artists on the London stage, Randle Ayrton, Juliette Compton and Sidney Fairbrother.

The role of "Nell Gwyn," known in theatrical lore as a test part for actresses, just as "Hamlet" is for actors, has been played by many of the greatest women thespians. It was last essayed in this country by Mary Pickford, who appeared in "Mistress Nell," which was produced by Famous Players in 1914.



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To Dr. W. B. Caldwell, of Monticello, Ill., a practicing physician for 47 years, it seemed cruel that so many constipated infants and children had to be kept constantly "stirred up" and half sick by taking cathartic pills, tablets, salts, calomel and nasty oils.

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Dr. Caldwell's SYRUP PEPSIN

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Yes, We Clean Men's Wear, Too!

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America's finest Food Products assembled at L. B. Stubbs Grocery.

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Easter SALE

STARTING NEXT

FRIDAY, MARCH 26

Every section of the store come urgent with the story of new things for Spring—New Dresses and Coats, New Fabrics, new ties and new things for the Home. The contagion, it's in the air, and spreading. This advertisement is being broadcast to thrifty shoppers throughout this city. Read it carefully, note the greatly reduced prices on quality merchandise and you, too, will have the spirit of spring.



Woolen Silks, Woolens and Wash Fabrics

Available and Wonderfully Low Priced for this Sale

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 - quality in new \$1.95
 - ly in \$3.50
 - \$2.75
 - side selection \$1.25
 - in many \$1.95
 - slips and \$1.95
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 - wanted new \$1.85
 - inches wide, \$2.65
 - imported \$1.25
 - es, including \$1.25
 - choice \$2.25
 - ular \$1.85
 - de, bright \$1.25
 - arly \$1.25
 - 69c
- WOOL SUITINGS—novelty spring patterns, 40 inches wide, regularly \$2.00, yard \$1.15
 - RAYONS—beautiful quality in neat spring patterns, extra value, yard 45c
 - VOILE—40 inches, liberal color selection, regular 35c grade, yard 25c
 - VOILE—same as above in 75c grade, yard 55c
 - PONGEE—highly mercerized, selection of seven shades, regular 50c, yard 35c
 - DRESS LINEN—Fast color pre-shrunk, many bright shades, regular \$1.00, yard 65c
 - MADRAS SHIRTING—desirable patterns with corded and silk stripes, fast colors, regular 35c and 50c values, yard 30c
 - CRETONNE—selection of many new designs regular 30c grade, yard 20c
 - TABLE DAMASK—liberal selection in 75c to \$1.25 grades, yard 60c
 - FEATHER TICKING—full 8 oz. blue and white stripe, yard 25c
 - COTTON CHECKS—good grade, standard weight, yard 7c
 - OIL CLOTH—standard quality in white and fancy patterns, yard 25c
 - TURKISH TOWELS—heavy weight, extra large 24x48 size, regular 75c, pair 55c
 - DRAPERIES—all draperies reduced 1-3.
 - SHEETING—9-4 Brown sheeting, yard 25c

Remnants

Expanded our Piece Goods Department of all items which are in full dress patterns or other items are offered at much lower than original prices. Call them quickly. Materials of almost every kind in stock are to be found in this department. Savings are truly worth-while.

Pre-Easter Sale of New

Spring Hats

That Have Wonderful Chic and Charm.



Featuring modes in Crocheted Straw Braids, Visca, Silk Hair Braids, Felts, Silk and Straw Combinations and others. Regularly priced One-Third Below Value on account of special purchase at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$7.50 to \$11.00.

And Again Reduced

1/4

During Sale.

Hats that have just been released by the hands of the maker and purchased at a liberal price concession, making values during this event that will win the enthusiasm of every woman and miss.

Reeder's UP STAIRS BARGAIN ANNEX

Special Purchase

CAMPBELL'S FELT BASE RUGS

Limited Number to Sell—All First Quality. Blue Tile Pattern—Size 9x12, unmatched value, worth double

\$7.50

9x12 JAPANESE GRASS RUGS

Cool and attractive for warm weather floor covering—neat printed designs and very durable.

\$4.85

CLEARANCE OF ALL WOOL RUGS

Priced regularly at \$26.50 to \$45.00, reduced

1/3

For this sale we have made one sweeping reduction on all 9x12 Wool Rugs in all grades from \$26.50 to \$45.00, offering great savings for those needing new rugs after Spring house-cleaning.



MEN'S ATHLETIC UNIONS

75c Grade

50c

Better take advantage of this offer to supply your warm weather underwear needs now—an exceptionally well made Union Suit of the better grade at a saving of one-third.

Something New! Something Stylish

Greatest Suit Value

Of the Year. Extra Special

\$22.50



To those who judge quality by price—we have this to say: "The quality of this splendid range of fine, all-wool, new Spring Suits can not be judged by the price we are featuring." Rich shades of gray and tan in a wide selection of pattern variations. Favorable comments of customers indicate a rapidly broadening appreciation of these new fabrics for Spring, tailored in both single and double breasted models for men and young men. See them and save!

\$22.50



Students 2-Trouser

Suits

\$23.50

Regular \$30.00 Values

Another unmatched value in quality Suits for students and young men, featuring entirely new and distinctive patterns for Spring in the new shades of gray and tan, handsomely tailored for perfect fitting, and with an extra pair of pants for double service.

ALL WOOL TROPICAL WORSTED TWO-PANTS SUITS

\$21.50

For those desiring lighter weight materials, this all-wool tropical worsted two-pants Suit offers a wonderful value. Just the right weight for either Spring, Summer, or even early Fall, and an extra pair of trousers for double service. Tailored in the new patterns

NEED EXTRA TROUSERS?

Here Are the Greatest Values Ever Offered at

\$4.25 AND \$5.25

Trousers representing a special purchase of 100 pairs, guaranteed strictly all-wool and of highest class tailoring. On account of this special purchase we have marked these regularly at only \$5.00 to \$7.50, which is well below real value. Other trousers at \$3.00 and \$3.50.



SHIRTS

GENUINE BROADCLOTH SHIRTS

Greatest Value of the Year!

95c

An unusual purchase of 360 Broadcloth and fast color fancy Shirts enables us to offer this outstanding value. A full range of sizes in collar attached styles in solid colors of white, tan and blue, and a wide selection of fast-color fancy patterns. Those buying a full year's supply will profit most by this remarkable offering, a standard cut Shirt with newest style collar attached at 95c.

CLEARANCE OF MEN'S SHIRTS IN ODD LOTS

Values \$1.50 to \$2.00, Choice at

75c

In order to clear our stock of remaining odd Shirts we have grouped them at this very low price to insure quick sale. Shirts of most any wanted material or color, both neck-band and collar attached styles, all of standard make and quality—a real pick-up for those who find their size and style wanted, choice at 75c.

Pre-Easter Sale of New

Beacon and E-J Shoes

and Oxfords

- \$4.50 grade \$3.85
- \$6.50 grade \$4.95
- \$7.50 grade \$5.95

These high grade Shoes and Oxfords are the last word in style from leading American shoemakers. They are style right and value right. We want to show you the perfect lasts and how well they will fit you, and at these pleasing reductions, \$3.85, \$4.95 and \$5.95.

AND SNAPPY NEW OXFORDS FOR BOYS ARE REDUCED!

- \$4.50 grade \$3.75
- \$4.00 grade \$2.95

A selection of more than four new styles in both tan and black in the newest last for Spring wear—Oxfords constructed of best leathers for hard wear at substantial savings, \$2.95 and \$3.75.

MEN'S LISLE HOSE

- 35c grade, 4 pairs for \$1.00

A hose for men in excellent quality from our regular stock selling regularly at 35c, offering a full range of staple colors and sizes. Better buy all you need now.

CLEARANCE OF FANCY HOSIERY FOR MEN

- 75c values, 3 pairs for \$1.00



EXCLUSIVE MALLORY HATS

\$5.00 \$6.50 \$7.00 AND \$10.00

What "Cravenette" Means to Mallory Hats

It keeps in permanently the smart style that the designer put in originally. It protects your hat against moisture, stains and spotting. It does not affect the smoothness, lustre, or pliability of the felt. It makes your hat last longer, look better, and cost you less per day's wear and per dollars expenditure. Remember the "Cravenette" process is invisible and exclusive to Mallory Hats.

FREE

1000 Pieces Hand Decorated Chinaware

An opportunity to secure without cost, 1 to 7 pieces of beautiful Hand Decorated China with total purchases of \$5 made at any time during sale—1,000 pieces to be given away. Ask about plan and see gorgeous display.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Rates and Rules

Two cents per word first insertion and no advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents. All subsequent insertions 1c per word each insertion. All classified advertisements must be accompanied by cash, unless advertiser has a regular account with this paper. No classified advertisement accepted on an "until ordered out" basis. The number of times the ads to run must be specified.

\$20 to \$35 WEEKLY—Easy. Addressing cards at home, spare time. Experience unnecessary. Big opportunity. Write quick. Acme Addressing Co., Dept. Q, Greenfield, Ohio. 25-3td.*

FOR RENT—Furnished, south apartment; also furnished bedroom. Phone 98. 25-3td

FOR SALE—by the setting, both Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns, extra quality. W. B. Currie Produce Co. 24-2tw-12td

WANTED—150 feet of iron fencing. Must be bargain. Phone 3315. 24-3td.*

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished apartments and rooms, close to high school. Phone 578. 24-6td.*

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet, Perfection oil stove, linoleum rug, bed spread, chair and washpot. Phone 570. 23-3td

LOST—Medium size, gold Masonic keystone. Finder return to Ledger office. Reward. R. C. Malone. 22-6td.*

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 319. 811 Seventh Street. 23-6td

WANTED—Good second-hand oil heater. See H. Morrison at Ledger office or phone 241. 23-1td.*

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Warranty Deeds

Ben Martinez and wife to Deonisia Garcia, lot 6 of block No. 49 of the original town plat of Ballinger, March 23, for the sum of \$1.

C. J. Lynn and wife to Harry W. Lynn, part of lot 2 of block No. 4 of College Heights addition to Ballinger, March 23, for the sum of \$10.

Don't forget the fresh Tomatoes at Dickinson Grocery Saturday at 12 1-2c per pound. Phone 106. 25-1td

W. O. Shultz, of Paint Rock, was looking after business in Ballinger Friday.

1 pint Grape Juice free with the purchase of one quart bottle at Dickinson Grocery, Saturday. Phone 106. 1td

HERRING TOPICS

Grandpa Edwards of this community, who had been ill for quite a while, died Thursday, March 10th, and was buried March 11th at the Crews cemetery. Rev. M. C. Golden, of Ballinger, preached the funeral sermon. Grandpa Edwards was one of our oldest citizens and has lived in this community for many years. He was of a quiet and retiring disposition and well liked by all of his neighbors. He had been a member of the Missionary Baptist Church most of his life. He leaves several children, a number of grandchildren, and two sisters, to mourn his loss.

The men of this community gave Herman Edwards a working as he had been unable to do much farm work on account of his father's illness. They got most of his land put up ready to plant. This is only a slight token of the sympathy the neighbors feel for Mr. Herman and his family.

Rev. Golden filled his regular appointment at the Hopewell Baptist Church the second Sunday and Sunday night. The B. Y. P. U. had their program as usual Sunday night.

Monday morning, on invitation of the teachers, Rev. Golden conducted chapel exercises for the Herring school. He made a very interesting talk and one that the children would do well to remember.

Thursday night quite a number of the Herring people went to the Crews to a farm meeting. A number of interesting talks were made and considerable interest was shown.

Friday morning the home demonstrator of this county, Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, came to the Herring school and organized a girls' club with 17 members. The girls seem very enthusiastic over their club and we expect many of them to make good in their club work. We certainly appreciate Mrs. Hollingsworth's coming out to organize the club. "REPORTER."

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Houston, Texas.—"I wish to say Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been a blessing to our family, especially in one daughter's case. She was in a serious condition with woman's weakness and just about past going when we decided to try one more remedy we had heard of—the 'Favorite Prescription.' Well, a few bottles of this helped her so she has never had any more trouble of the kind. So it is no wonder that we have depended wholly upon this one remedy ever since for all such ailments."—Mrs. Emma Allen, 313 Hokan St. Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg.



Miss Allen

C. C. DIRECTORS FEAST TONIGHT

E. Shepperd and his losing team of directors in the recent membership campaign conducted by the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce, will tonight be hosts to M. McGregor and his winning team at a dinner to be held at the Ballinger Country Club.

The contest was held several weeks ago when the Chamber of Commerce inaugurated an individual membership campaign. This contest netted more than 200 new members and now the organization has one of the largest memberships since its inception here several years ago.

Mr. Shepperd and John Weeks, working together on the losing team, obtained more members than any other two men of the fifteen squads at work.

Novel invitations have been sent to members of the winning team and they are all expected to be present and to participate in a fine repast. Members of Mrs. J. G. Douglass' Sunday school class will serve the dinner.

Notice

The telephone number of the Kemp Dairy has been changed from 7811 to 6400.

KEMP DAIRY 25-3td

TWENTY CITIES TO TAKE PART IN NATIONS CONGRESS

WICHITA FALLS, Mar. 24.—More than twenty cities in West Texas are planning to be in Wichita Falls for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention prepared to represent some foreign nation and to carry out

the idea of the "Congress of Nations." Advances to this effect have been received by the convention department of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce. A number of other cities or towns are expected to come to represent some foreign nation and to dress in correct costumes. This makes the parade, it is believed, one of the most colorful of the kind ever held in the United States.

Some of the cities which have agreed to send their representatives in costumes of some foreign country are as follows: Paducah, Olton, Spur, Amarillo, Olney, Abernathy, Lubbock, Turkey, Vernon, Waco, Shamrock, Chillicothe, Haskell, Stamford, Cisco, Crowell, Memphis, Seymour, Graham, Breckenridge, Childress, Plainview, Fort Worth, Abilene, Sweetwater and Ranger.

The Weather—
Tonight increasing cloudiness; Saturday cloudy and colder.

J. Black, of the Marie community, was in Ballinger Friday looking after business.

NOTICE

We have moved our Barber Shop from the back of Tigner's Jewelry Store to Hutchings Avenue, two doors from Van Pelt, Kirk & Mack.

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