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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

## BEACH IDENTIFIED IN TRIAL FOR KILLING

(By International News Service) MAYS LANDING, Dec. 6.—Immediately after the defense had rested its case in the trial of Mrs. Margaret Lilliendahl and Willis Beach, her alleged paramour, for the murder of the woman's aged husband, the prosecution threw a bombshell into the defense when it placed Harry Sanderson on the stand. Sanderson positively identified Beach as the man he saw running from the scene of the murder.

## RADFORD BUYS COLEMAN FIRM

Special to The Ledger: COLEMAN, Dec. 6.—The J. M. Crawford & Son Grocery Co. here has been purchased by J. M. Radford, of Abilene, wholesale grocery dealer, Alex. Crawford, junior member of the firm announced Monday.

Mr. Radford gets the stock, estimated at \$44,000 and a new brick building just completed by Crawford & Son. The Radford grocery company has maintained an office here for some time but has had space in rented quarters. The new firm will take charge as soon as the inventory is completed.

Plans of Crawford and son are not known.

## YOUNG MAN EMULATES THE PROPHETS OF OLD

(By International News Service) NAVASOTA, Dec. 6.—Harking back to primitive times, a young man recently passed thru here traveling by foot with his feet shod in sandals, and wearing prophet-like beard.

He gave his name as Samuel J. Hauptman, age 24, Milwaukee. He graduated from the Milwaukee high school in 1920. His parents are Russian Jews. However, he said he adhered to no religious organization, or any other organization, but took the Sermon on the Mount as his creed and that in response to an inward impulse which he could not express in words, is attempting to live close to nature as did many of the characters in Bible days.

He sleeps out of doors, eats fruits and such vegetables as he can find and never tastes meats or stimulants. He was bound for Galveston where he was to embark for Cuba, stating that there he can more easily gather his food in its natural state.

## TAXES BEING PAID FASTER

Citizens of Ballinger and Runnels county are paying their taxes with greater haste and more promptly than in 1926. W. L. Brown, county tax collector, stated Monday morning when questioned by a reporter for The Ledger.

"The taxes are coming in better," Mr. Brown declared. "To December 1st we had received \$4,000 and \$5,000 more than to that date in 1926."

The collector also asserted that a larger number of poll taxes had been paid this year. Following are the figures on tax payments to December 1, 1927: State taxes—October, \$3,086; November, \$10,107.68; County taxes—October \$5,764; November, \$16,184.40; Poll taxes—October, 1927, sixteen; November, 460; (October, 1926, sixty-three; November, 326.

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## Two Dead as Gang Turmoil Is Renewed

(By International News Service) ST. LOUIS, Dec. 6.—Gangsters' guns roared a renewal of the Italian feud here this morning, and Peter Brommarito and Joseph Lapraro fell, probably fatally wounded.

## DIVORCED HURBY KILLS HER LOVER

(By International News Service) DALLAS, Dec. 6.—While his recently divorced wife looked on, D. H. Hart, street car conductor fired three shots from a repeating shotgun into the body of J. N. Whaley, 51, as the latter alighted from an automobile to meet Mrs. Hart for breakfast in a downtown section at 7 o'clock this morning.

Whaley died en route to a hospital in an ambulance. Hart surrendered to officers at the county jail.

## DEPUTY DIES OF BULLET WOUNDS

(By International News Service) GAINESVILLE, Tex., Dec. 6.—Deputy Sheriff William Emerson is dead today of bullet wounds in the abdomen suffered Sunday when he with Sheriff Jake Wright attempted to arrest Dave T. Wilson, farmer, eight miles south of here.

Wilson is said to have made a written statement to Fort Worth officers claiming that he shot Emerson accidentally. Local officers were said to have been searching Wilson's farm for turkeys alleged to have been stolen.

## MAIL EARLY IS P. O. REQUEST

"Mail Early" is the request that is being made all over the United States by the Postoffice Department, according to orders received here by Postmaster J. A. Reese. He has received posters from the postal department asking that he place these in conspicuous places so to be most noticeable to the public.

"Shop early and mail early for early delivery," the poster says. "Postoffices will make every effort to handle Christmas mail without congestion and delay, but owing to enormous volume this can be done only with the co-operation of the public. Compliance with the suggestions offered by the department will greatly aid the postoffice and insure the prompt handling of your mail. No deliveries will be made Monday, December 26, after 12, noon."

Requests are made that parcels be wrapped securely; fragile objects be marked "fragile," and perishable matter be labeled "perishable." All addresses should be plainly written, typed or written in ink.

DALHART—The growing of yellow dent corn in Dallam county proved successful this year.

## Los Angeles Judge for 5-Year Trial Marriages

Burnell Believes It's the Only Solution of U. S. Divorce Problem

Trial marriage! Sensational novelists and publicity seekers of a radical nature have often advocated such a system—but when it's urged by a superior court judge, it demands attention. Judge Charles S. Burnell of Los Angeles has come out flat-footed for the scheme. He insists that a five-year "trial" term will prevent perjury and "legal subterfuge" in obtaining divorces and "making liars and perjurers out of thousands of persons who want nothing more than to be allowed to continue their lives alone."

His plan is: Marriage contracted for a period of five years, renewable by mutual consent at the end of that time for a similar period, or— Terminated at the end of the five-year term by the desire of ONE party or both, and terminated during a five-year period only because of statutory trans-



Judge Charles S. Burnell (International Illustrated News) If a couple, desiring to separate at the end of five years, has children or has amassed property, these questions would be settled by court decision. Has Judge Burnell solved the problem?

## Burns May Be Fatal to Six

(By International News Service) ATLANTA, Dec. 6.—Six trainmen are believed to have been fatally burned today when a gasoline tank car became ignited after a freight train had been derailed near Ben Hill. Flames enveloped the entire crew.

## TWO KILLED IN AIRPLANE CRASH

(By International News Service) MEMPHIS, Dec. 6.—Believed to have lost control of their balance when their plane went into a tail spin, Lee Briggs, president of the Pleasant Aircraft Company, and Otis Oliver, his employee, were killed near the flying field here late yesterday.

## 73 NEW CARS NERE IN NOV.

Seventy-three new automobiles were registered in Runnels county during the month of November, County Tax Collector W. L. Brown said Monday afternoon, which brought the total for auto registrations in the county for the year to 5,217 passenger cars. Following is a list of the cars registered: Chevrolets, 30; Whip-pets, 19; Willsy's-Knights, 3; Dodges, 8; Chryslers, 6; Buicks, 2; Pontiacs, 2; Packard, 1; Nash, 1; Star, 1.

Transfers made in the county total 1,752 to December 1st from January 1st, and 476 trucks were registered.

## THE WEATHER

(By International News Service) West Texas—Cloudy, probable local rains in the south portion, with the rain turning into snow in the north portion. Colder to-night except in the southeast portion. Colder Wednesday with a cold wave in the north portion, and ten to eighteen degree temperatures in the Panhandle. East Texas—Cloudy, local rains, colder tonight in the north-west portion. Colder Wednesday, except on the coast, with a cold wave to the northwest portion Wednesday night.

## COOLIDGE'S ADDRESS HEARD BY CONGRESS

## War Veteran Confesses to Woman's Death

(By International News Service) SANFORD, Calif., Dec. 6.—James Allen Dale, gassed World War veteran, today confessed that he beat Mrs. Mary Artis to death and probably fatally wounded her husband, the parents of his sweetheart, Isabel Artis.

Dale admitted the heinous crime was committed while the couple slept in an adjoining room to his on Saturday night.

ROBERT LEE—Faculty and school facilities of this place will be enlarged and improved next year, it has been decided. This year's enrollment has shown a marked increase, and the senior class is the largest in the history of the institution.

## KATY ASKS I.N.S. FOR NEW BONDS

(By International News Service) WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway today applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for the authority to issue \$13,600,000 prior lien four and one-half per cent mortgage gold bonds to retire \$12,094,577 similar bonds bearing six per cent interest.

(By International News Service) WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The President's annual message was received with the usual mixed praise and criticism today.

Administration Republicans generally commended it, while Democrats and Progressives picked flaws throughout. Senator Smith W. Brookhart of Iowa, a Republican insurgent, strongly condemned the message. Brookhart criticized Coolidge's action in supporting the subsidies for railroad and steamship owners, and aimed a shaft at the administration's indirect price-fixing through the tariff while opposing farm price fixing or subsidy.

## SHOW BOOSTS RAISING PUREBRED CHICKENS

(By International News Service) WAXAHACHIE, Dec. 2.—The Mid-Winter Poultry Show which opened here Thursday has eclipsed all former shows in the number of entries received. This year, it has been decided. This year's enrollment has shown a marked increase, and the senior class is the largest in the history of the institution.

Officials are elated over the continued success of the show and the impetus it has given to purebred poultry raising in this section.

- \* DROPS DEAD WHILE FIGHTING BLAZE \*
- \* (By International News Service) \*
- \* CORPUS CHRISTI, Dec. 6. \*
- \* Frank R. Weber, 50, \*
- \* formerly a resident of Har- \*
- \* lingen, dropped dead here \*
- \* last night while fighting \*
- \* fire which destroyed his \*
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**TO CROSS CONTINENT IN VACUUM TUBE, IN FEW MINUTES, IS NEW IDEA**

(By International News Service) DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 6.—Vacuum tube transportation almost rivaling the telegraph for speed will make the airplane as obsolete as the mail coach in 50 years.

This prediction was made by Chase S. Osborn, of Sault Ste. Marie, former governor of Michigan, here.

"The principle of the vacuum tube will solve the transportation problem of the future," he said. "It is the ultimate and the most feasible means because it overcomes both friction and atmosphere. As a carrier, it will permit a whole trainload of passengers to be whisked half across the continent in 15 minutes."



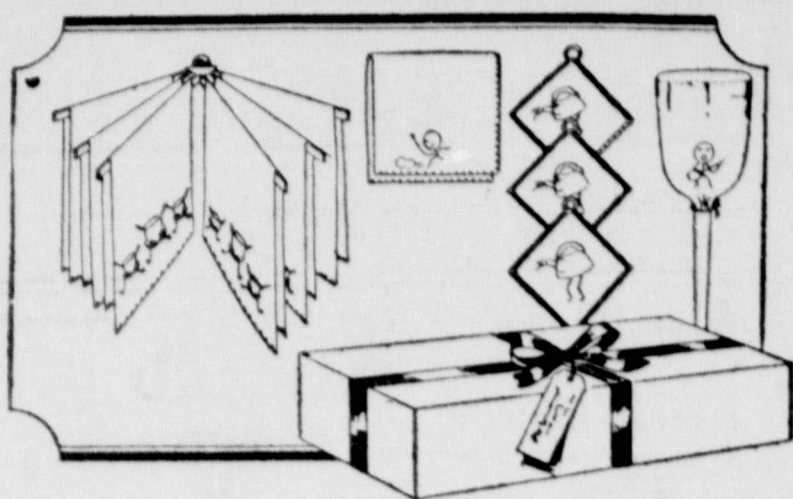
**Had a Bad Cold But Accepted!**

The theatre that evening, though her nose was red and eyes were running! For six hours is enough to conquer almost any cold. Here's what to do:

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As a shower present for a bride, a Christmas gift for some house-keeping friend or as an addition to your own working equipment, the kitchen set illustrated here is one of the happiest inspirations you could have. Nothing could be more simple, useful or inexpensive to make. The set consists of six full-size dish towels, a large duster, a broom cover and a set of handy pot cloths. The cost of all the materials, including embroidery designs which can be used many times, will be between fifty and seventy-five cents.

Four empty flour bags which your baker will sell to you for a few cents apiece are all the materials you need, except some small bits of goods which you are sure to have on hand. The inking is removed by covering it with lard or kerosene overnight and then washing the bag in lukewarm water. The towels are made by cutting in half three of the sacks so that each towel is about 21x36

inches. The ends are hemmed and a simple and amusing design worked in simple outline stitch on one end, as shown in the illustration.

The remaining flour bag is cut to make a cover to fit your broom, with a draw-string at the top, a good-sized duster which may be either hemmed on the machine or buttonholed in colored mercerized thread, and a set of three or four pot cloths. These may be round or square and should have a generous layer of flannel or batting inside. The edges are bound with bias tape or buttonholed, while the centers can be decorated with gay gingham applique from bits of goods which the scrap bag can be made to yield. Rings or loops should be added for hanging them up.

Dish towels and dusters made this way are especially satisfactory as they do not have the sizing of new material and are therefore easier to "break in."

**HOLLYWOOD STYLE HINTS**

(By International News Service) HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Dec. 6.—Sport clothes for both men and women will predominate this winter, according to Max Ree, movie style creator.

Americans are in a playful mood and they want clothes to play in, he says.

"Men and women alike clamor for clothes that are limp and easy," Ree asserted. "Over the shoulders and down the hips, clothes that can be donned in a hurry, clothes that ignore the formality that once characterized

social functions—that's what they want."

Knickers, white flannels and sports accessories, generally regarded as summer apparel alone, will be the vogue all winter in the film colony, and consequently styles for men will languish.

"Opera length" stockings are the thing this autumn and winter.

Open work effects appear in large diamonds, in hexagons and in fine lace designs in what the saleswomen call the "high-high" hosiery.

Colleen Moore says the main effect to achieve during day time hours is to appear as wearing no

stockings at all. Grain, seaman, beige, atmosphere, parchment, sunburn, nude, gold and soft tans with darker heels are the most popular. Mary Astor has some exotic stockings for wear with evening frocks. They are sheer, chiffon with elaborate inserts of lace and embroidery covering the knee. Leading Hollywood exclusive shops are showing many clock stockings, some with the clocks reversed from the hem toward the ankle. New shades for winter include dark tans, Marsala, bigger, elephant's hide and dust.

**GIRL AWAKENS FROM TWO MONTHS SLEEP**

(By International News Service) RAYMONDVILLE, Dec. 6.—Ruth Chandler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Chandler, of this city, and one of the graduates of the 1923 class of the local high school, has awakened from a two months sleep. Physicians believe chances for her complete

recovery are good. Miss Chandler became ill last summer and later sank into what doctors termed "sleeping sickness." Her sleep now appears normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sykes and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sykes Tuesday at noon from waite, where they had been waiting relatives.

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BENOIT ITEMS

We hear no more complaint of warm weather, as one norther has followed another in succession, and several fine poppers have been slain, spare ribs and sausage have been immeasurably enjoyed by the writer's family.

Mrs. Pate Echols went to Caddo Thursday to visit relatives while Mr. Echols was away on a hunting expedition.

Mrs. W. T. Hill and Mrs. Mabel Elliott visited Mrs. A. W. Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rumpy made a flying trip to Belton Saturday, returning Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Cry and family, of Coleman, visited Mrs. Cry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reese, Sunday.

Miss Dolores Elliott was the guest of Mrs. G. W. Clayton, of Ballinger, Friday night.

W. T. Hill and Felix Lumpkin left for the turkey region on a hunt Monday morning.

Mrs. Walter Glover, of Aubrey, Texas, has been visiting her brother, Allen Brister, and other relatives here and at San Angelo for the past two weeks, returning to her home Tuesday.

J. T. Lumpkin and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cotton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. A. Werner is at the

home of her son, Alfred Werner and wife, attending to her new grandson, who made his arrival the 20th of November.

W. D. Lewis has been at the bedside of his father, who is very low at his home in the Winters country.

We are planning a Christmas tree and program at the school house, fuller details of which will be given later.

Change in Management

The Palace Barber Shop, formerly operated by E. Turner, is now owned and operated by G. E. (Ed) Meaders. Three skillful barbers in shop, and solicit your business—ladies and children will feel at ease here. Best porter service in town. 5-6d-1w

CREWS NEWS

The people of this vicinity are using the cold weather to a good advantage by killing their hogs.

The boys' basketball team went to Novice Friday afternoon and played a game, the score being in favor of Novice—10 to 16. The Goldsboro girls team met the Crews girls there and the score was 14 to 7 in favor of Crews.

The party at the home of E. W. Immel Saturday night was enjoyed by those present.

Jim Iden and family, of Victory, were guests in the E. W. Rainwater home Sunday.

Rev. B. B. Edmiaston filled his

regular appointment in the Methodist church Sunday morning and Sunday evening.

L. R. Wilkerson and family were guests in the E. W. Rainwater home Sunday.

Miss Vinita Rainwater entertained a number of her friends in her home Sunday.

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Mae Murray in "Altars of Desire" Delightful

The delightful Mae Murray is with us again. This time is a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture called "Altars of Desire," with Conway Tearle opposite her in the featured male role. The production closes its two-day run tonight at the Palace Theatre.

The star has never been photographed to better advantage, nor has she ever done a finer piece of acting, not excepting her "Merry Widow." She plays the part of Clare Sutherland, a head-strong society girl of Virginia, whose madcap ways catapult her into a charge of murder. The climax is played with fine emotionalism by the star, who is ably supported by Tearle.

Christy Cabanne, one of the old, time directors, is largely responsible for the success of "Altars of Desire." He has caught the spirit of the story, a

gay, romantic sophistication, and directed it with an ease that leaves one unconscious of every scene being played through a megaphone. Cabanne's years of experience have taught him never to permit so-called direc-

torial "touches" to intrude upon the actual telling of the story.

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All who will have the thrill of driving a Flying Cloud tomorrow, when the fleet of the Reo Pleasure Cars and Speed Wagons sail into the port of Ballinger. Bringing open and covered wagons, these high speed "ships of the desert" offer a demonstration of modern transportation in all its phases.

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The caravan will be here tomorrow, Wednesday of this week, on Hutchings Avenue.

at an agreed price per month, said contract being for a period of six months, to-wit, from January 11th to July 11th, 1927;

And Whereas, at the expiration of said period of time due and legal notice to remove and pay for the pasturage on said animal was given the said Clarence Hamilton, and he, the said Clarence Hamilton, did not then nor thereafter, remove and pay for said horse and pasturage, and that the possession of said animal has been in me, J. M. Schneider, for more than 60 days after the accrual of said debt for said pasturage, and the said Clarence Hamilton has been notified in the manner and for the length of time required by law to come forward and pay for said pasturage and take possession of said horse and has not done so;

I now, therefore, give notice that on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1927, at the court house door in Ballinger, Runtels County, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. I will sell said animal above described to satisfy the pasture lien and the said debt which amounts to \$20.00 up to December 11th, 1927, exclusive of all costs herein to the highest bidder for cash, and apply the proceeds as the law directs in such cases made and provided.

J. M. SCHNEIDER,  
Owner of Pasture.  
d-6-13-20

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

**Warranty Deeds**  
W. D. Jennings et al to H. E. Stuart, part of the T. & N. O. Ry. survey No. 86, November 5, for the sum of \$1,250.

E. O. Smith and wife to Mrs. Rosa Stuckey, one acre of the Burnet county school lands, Nov. 12, for the sum of \$1,000.

W. J. Yates and wife to W. D. Donham, 50 acres of the S. P. R. R. Co. survey No. 20, October 10, for the sum of \$1,600 and other good and valuable considerations.

Mrs. Kate Slaughter et vir to F. Petty, part of the James M. Harbour survey No. 337, December 5, for the sum of \$400.

Mrs. Lula Noyes et al to J. L. Smith, lots 1 and 5 of block No. 7 of the Miller addition to the city of Ballinger, November 30, for the sum of \$500.

Willie Stephens et ux to V. B. Jones, part of the John M. Caldwell survey No. 367, December 2, for the sum of \$2,500.

G. W. Burkett et ux to W. R. Hooper, lot 9 of block No. 16 of the original town plat of Ballinger, November 29, for the sum of \$250.

Montie Brown et ux to M. E. Summerton et al, three tracts of the John Pape survey No. 442, totalling 19.26 acres, November 19, for the sum of \$10 and other

good and valuable considerations.

J. C. Brazil et ux to C. I. Dunn, 19.26 acres of the John Pape survey No. 442, December 3, for the sum of \$8,025.

TULIA—An annual Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show will be planned here December 16, when dairymen, professional Jersey breeders, county agents, chamber of commerce secretaries, and other representatives from more

Sour Stomach

"Phillips Milk of Magnesia"  
Better than Soda

Instead of soda hereafter take a little "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" in water any time for indigestion or sour, acid, gassy stomach, and relief will come instantly.

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than 20 surrounding counties will discuss arrangements and details. Preliminary plans and permanent organization were effected at a meeting November 19.

HASKELL—W. Applegate, local buff Wyandotte breeder and fancier, has been elected southern vice-president of the Buff Wyandotte Breeders Club of America, which is a national organization.

**APPROACHABLE**

The day has gone when a man felt that bank officials were a race apart, and should be approached with fear and trembling.

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Call for Connelly's Bread at Your Grocer

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Notice of Sale STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runtels:

Whereas on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1927, one Jack Hamilton, acting as the agent of one Clarence Hamilton, the purported owner, placed for pasturage one light bay horse, about 16 hands high, about 10 years old, no brands, but bearing saddle and collar marks, in my pasture,

BAD PAINS IN SIDE

Spells of Nervousness Also Troubled This Lady Who Gives Cardui Credit for Helping Her Get Well.

"A few, Okla.—"For six years," says Mrs. Edd Burton, of this place, "I suffered as bad as a woman can suffer and still keep going."

"I was good for nothing, was lifeless and pale, unable to eat anything. Nothing agreed with me. At times I had such bad pains in my sides and back I would have to go to bed. I had cramping spells and would faint if I stood on my feet any length of time. My nerves would become upset at the least little thing and I would have spells of crying that were so exhausting they left me prostrate."

"Several of my friends suggested that I take Cardui. They told me of their experiences with it, how much they have been helped. At last I decided to try it."

"In a few weeks, I could see that I was improving, so I kept on. I did not expect the troubles of years to disappear in a few days, nor did they, but in time I was much better. I kept up the Cardui treatment for several months and thanks to it I am a well woman now."

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D. E. Moody Music House

Office Removed

Dr. J. W. Macune has moved his office from the Zappe building to the new Currie building over the Strain Drug Store. 2-41d

Card of Thanks

We want to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness and help in the illness and death of my dear mother, and for the beautiful flowers. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tindall. 6-11d

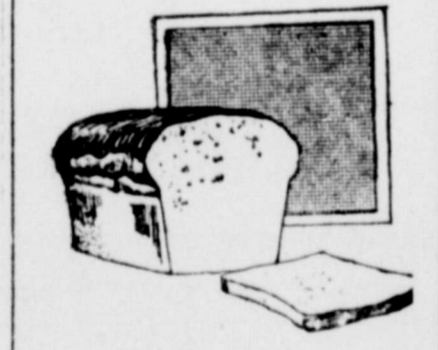
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### BEARCAT TEAM TO HAVE FEED

Members of the Ballinger high school football team, Coach Felton Wright and Co-coach J. M. Weaver, the board of trustees, Fred Kiechle, local banker, and Mike C. Boyd, county tax assessor, will attend a banquet at the senior high school at 7:30 o'clock Friday night of this week.

The menu will be prepared by the home economics class under the supervision of Miss Minnie Lee Melton, instructor in this department of the local schools.

The team had a very successful season and at the close of the Ballinger-Winters game, Mr. Kiechle and Mr. Boyd handed the captain, James Parrish, donations totalling \$35. The boys are paying for the feed with these donations and have invited Mr. Kiechle and Mr. Boyd, members of the school board and two or three others to attend the affair.

### WIDE AWAKE HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Wide-Awake Club met with Mrs. C. H. Howell, Thursday, December 1st. There were eight present and three visitors, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. LaRue Bryan and Miss Dollie Mae Ward.

Roll call was answered with "Which candy I like best." Different kinds of candies were made: coconut cream, cocoa cream, and date-loaf candies.

All these were very good and were enjoyed by everyone present.

Mrs. Hollingsworth was not present on account of the illness of a relative. We hope she can be with us next time.

The next meeting will be held January 7, 1928, with Mrs. Myrtle Ward.

Club Reporter.

## Society

### Outdoor Sports Feature Affair at Ranch

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Thomas entertained a crowd of young folks at the Cuthbert Ranch, 25 miles east of here, Sunday. Hunting, horseback riding and other sports were enjoyed.

Those present were: Messrs. H. J. Zappe, Leroy McAuley, Fritz Chaillette, William Maxwell, Lon Woodson and Steve Hale; Misses Frances Trail, Lena Wayne Mills, Ada Farley, Kathleen McWilliams, Alida Mae and Bernice Stubbs.

### Two Birthdays Celebrated

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent Wednesday at the home of Miss Lena Wayne Mills. The occasion was the birthdays of both Miss Mills and Miss Alida Mae. Various games and merriment were provided, after which the hostesses served a plate of hot chocolate, mints, nuts and cake.

Those enjoying this diversion besides the hostesses were:

Misses Oreta McWhirter, Winnie Doris Taylor, Bernice Stubbs, Lois Alexander, Kathleen Holloway and Mary Lou Patterson.

**BIG SPRING**—The new Crawford Hotel, formally opened here Thanksgiving Day, is enjoying an active business. Universal commendation is given the modern hostelry.

## 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 ad is to run must be specified.

**WANTED**—White girl or woman to do house work. Phone 483. 6-3td

**FOR RENT**—Room, furnished. 705 Sealy Avenue. 6-2d.\*

**FOR RENT**—Bedroom, gas and electricity. \$15. Phone 204. 6-3td

### Rooms For Rent

Unfurnished bedrooms, for light housekeeping. Gas piped in. 308 Strong Ave. 6-3td

**WANTED**—A good Victrola or Portable. Must be in good condition. Phone 1325. 6-3d.\*

**FOR RENT**—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 1252. 5-2td

**FOR SALE**—Two second-hand double discs. P. R. Dietz, Crews. 5-2td-1tw.\*

Furnished beds, meals or regular boarders. 408 Tenth Street. Phone 235. 2-9td.\*



### Attention

Starting Dec. 1st we will be open for business in our new location, next door to the Western Union office, in the building with Mr. Carsey's Shoe Shop.

We extend a cordial invitation to our friends and patrons to visit us in our new stand.

Thanking one and all for your past friendship and patronage, we hope to have the pleasure of serving you in the future.

HAIR CUT ..... 30c  
SHAVE ..... 20c

**Bob's Barber Shop**



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The Pen With the 25 Year Guaranteed Point

In Colors of Red, Jade, Canary, Blue and Black.

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### EPISCOPAL LADIES' TEA ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON

All plans have been completed and final arrangements of details are being made today for the annual Silver Tea and Gift Sale of the Ladies Guild of the Episcopal Church, which is to be held Friday afternoon from 3:30 o'clock until 9 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Sims, 805 Broadway.

Many useful and pretty gifts have been made by the guild and this year's tea is expected to be one of the most successful ever held.

A program of several musical numbers is being prepared and will be announced Wednesday or Thursday.

Be wise and advertise.

### WIRES REACHED

(By International BARTLES)

6.—The following took place here telegraph station.

"I want to buy a tie."

"Thirty three."

"Yes, sub, the She done like havin' 'nuf to buy."

"It will cost 68 cents."

The negro laughed and brought forth the money. "All right, Cap'n, that's what she asked for."

The money order was sent and the telegraph company was 68 cents richer for having handled half the amount of the fee.

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One pound size ..... **60c**  
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### HOSTESS CAKES

Chocolate, Devil's Food, Carmel, Cherry-Orange, Peach, Pineapple, Coconut, Spanish Bar Walnut Bar, white Batter Cream.

Small size ..... **25c**  
Large size ..... **35c**

Heinz Fig Pudding ..... **45c**  
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If at anytime our service is not the best, or our goods are unsatisfactory, TELL US, it will be a pleasure to rectify same.

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