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Do you ever visit a classroom at school? Reports from school officials indicate that very few parents in Ballinger ever visit the schools to observe how they are progressing. They merely look over and sign their children's report cards and think that is enough encouragement from them. It might do parents good to spend a few periods at school and the encouragement to teachers and pupils would help greatly. Everyone likes to feel that the public is really interested in what he is doing and there is no better way that you can show your interest in the educational system and your child's education than by going to see them occasionally and hearing a recitation.

It is only a short time until district court will convene here for four weeks. One hundred and sixty-two men have been notified to appear for jury service and if this cold weather continues the presiding judge should have no trouble getting men to serve. Usually there are a large number of men asking to be excused from service when the panels are called. This practice makes it difficult to obtain juries, and in some cases the judge has to get "hard" in order to have enough men left from the venire to form a jury. There is always a group of men who are never occupied and would like to do jury duty but such juries would not be able to consider evidence and give true verdicts in most cases. It takes the busy man to make a capable juror and whenever possible citizens should try to postpone their duties so they can report when called to give their time to the court.

With baseball for this section of the state practically out of the question for the coming summer it is all the more important that the municipal park, playground and swimming pool be made a reality. This place can be built for less than it would cost to maintain summer baseball and when it is acquired it will be a permanent improvement that the entire city can point to with pride. It will furnish a place for recreation for young and old and can take the place of other summer amusements we will be forced to do without. Many citizens seem to begin to realize the need of such a place and the only big obstacle that stands in the way is a plan to finance and operate the park after it is built. Such places need constant supervision and this is an expense that must be placed somewhere other than on the town in general. It is believed that the swimming-pool would make the park self-sustaining through the summer, but during seasons when it is too cold to swim, the playground would have to be taken care of by a keeper paid to guard the property. With four park committees uniting their efforts to work for the same end something should be accomplished shortly.

The quickest way to keep abreast with the times is to read the ads

Hadn't Seen a Well Day for 15 Years This Farmer Says

Ahliene Man Says Orgatone Has Done Him a World of Good, and Gains Daily.

"It sounds like it would be enough to say that Orgatone has leveled me of troubles that has made me miserable for fifteen years but that's not all this medicine is doing for me, for I can just feel myself gain in health and strength every day, and feel like a different man."

The above remarkable statement was made on January 7, by L. G. Calcote, a well known farmer who resides on rural route 4, Ahliene, Texas.

"I've been a farmer for thirty years," he continued, "and for fifteen years of that time I've hardly known what it was to have a well day. In fact, for the past four years I haven't been able to do my work a all, my nerves and system have been so torn up. I was very sore across my back as well as weak and run down. I never had any sharp pains exactly but there was a dull aching feeling in my stomach and back practically all the time that made me miserable and no medicine I took gave me any relief."

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Genuine Orgatone may be obtained in Ballinger at the Weeks Drug Store.

SAN ANTONIO PLEASD WITH CURFEW LAW

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 22.—San Antonio's midnight curfew law is bringing such good results that it will be continued indefinitely, Chief of Police Owen W. Kilday says.

The rule was made to curb robberies, holdups and burglaries. The rule is simply this: Anyone who is found out of doors after midnight will be questioned, and unless the officer is convinced that there is no evil intent in the nocturnal movements, the person will be jailed on suspicion. The first few nights saw the jail filled to capacity, but also decreased the number of crimes materially.

SUNDOWN STORIES



CYPSY HISTORY

By Mary Graham Bonner
The Little Black Clock and John and Peggy rode along on their camel in the days when the world was very new and followed the first gypsies.

Ahead of them was quite a procession of camels and people, with tents and other belongings. "These people," said the Little Black Clock, "are never long in one place." They put up their tents and stay for awhile and then they think they will find more food or more pleasant surroundings further on, so they move again.

"They do not travel very far in a day, but they can stop almost anywhere as no one expects them to arrive at a certain time or by a certain train, as we expect people in our time."

"They have been camping like this and traveling like this for quite awhile, and before long they will land in the country we now know as Egypt."

"There they will settle down, and because the land will be called Egypt they will be called Egyptians just as people now are called after the names of the countries in which they live."

"But because they have wandered as they have, camping here, camping there, they will be given the name of gypsies, too."

"In fact the word gypsy comes from the word Egyptian and these very first gypsies of all were named after the people who wandered into Egypt, camping along the road as they went, and taking a long, long time about it."

"Now when people are wanderers and camp on the outskirts of towns and do not have any special place in which to live we call them gypsies."

"But this was the beginning of their name, and the beginning of their history!"

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Cottulla—The council has voted for installation of a new sewer system.

HOW'S your HEALTH



BIG AND LITTLE GERMS

The biggest surviving mammal is the whale; the smallest, the mouse.

Great is the difference in their sizes, but greater still is the difference between the sizes of the largest and smallest known germs.

Some germs, like those causing anthrax, can be easily seen through the microscope of even low power magnification. There are some diseases, however, caused by living organisms too small to be discernible—filterable viruses.

What is the significance of this name? If germs, say typhoid germs, suspended in a fluid, were placed in a test tube made of unglazed porcelain and the fluid were drawn through the closed end, none of the germs would pass through.

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Seeing is believing, the old saw runs. How then can we be certain of their existence?

The first actual answer to this puzzle was given, in 1898, by Frauch and Löffler. These two scientists studying the so-called foot and mouth disease in cattle could not find a germ-cause for it, but did find that a living something called a virus, was present in the fluid of the blisters

of the sick animals. When this fluid was passed through a porcelain filter, the filtered fluid would cause the disease in healthy cattle. This virus will produce foot and mouth disease in animals experimentally infected.

Since the days of Frauch and Löffler at least 40 viruses have been identified.

MRS. R. P. KIRK IS A CANDIDATE FOR RELECTION

Mrs. R. P. Kirk has authorized her name to be placed in the announcement column for the office of county treasurer of Runnels county. Mrs. Kirk has occupied this office for a number of years and during that time has given perfect satisfaction and has never been forced to run against an opponent. Her popularity has always given her one of the biggest votes of any candidates on the ticket.

Mrs. Kirk asks the careful consideration of every voter of Runnels county at the election in July and promises a continued faithful performance of the affairs of the office.

Her duties will keep her in the office a major portion of the time this summer but she will attempt to visit with the voters and solicit their vote and influence. She asks that this announcement be an appeal to each one for his vote and in case she does not get to meet each voter personally it will be because her time will be required in attending to the office entrusted to her by the citizens of this county.

Mrs. Kirk is thoroughly familiar with the duties of the office and her part experience has fitted her to look after every detail of business connected with same. She is well known to the voters of the county and feels that she can ask their support and merit it, based on her record in office.

TOURISTS WILL BE GIVEN TRIP TO THE VALLEY

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 22.—Tourists spending the winter in San Antonio will be guests of the Conopus Tourist club and the Chamber of Commerce on an extended excursion through the Rio Grande valley the latter part of January, according to Mrs. H. R. Reigler, secretary of the club.

The tour of the valley will be made by way of Corpus Christi, Brownsville and Laredo, returning through the Winter Garden section, with stop-overs at several border cities along the route. About 30 persons are expected to make the tour.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Small Crowd Sees "Aunt Lucia" Play

A very small but appreciative audience greeted the performance of the National Guard show, "Aunt Lucia," at the American Legion hall Tuesday night. A matinee for school children was presented earlier in the day and about fifty high school children and a few adults were present for the initial performance.

The house was warm and everyone present was comfortable Tuesday night. Large coal stoves installed in the auditorium Tuesday morning, assisted by four gas heaters, furnished plenty of warmth, and no one felt the biting cold weather.

If laughter is an indication, the show was a success from the start. No sooner were the curtains opened than the fun began and for more than an hour the crowd was kept in a roar of laughter, with few rests. The plot presents many humorous situations and this talented cast of young performers made it a riot of fun.

Davis Sims, as "Aunt Lucia," did a neat job of female impersonation and about him was riveted most of the comedy situations of the offering. Forced into the part unexpectedly, he soon became willing to continue when pretty girls rushed to him to confide their innermost secrets and caressed him with loving embraces.

Wallace Chastain and Jones Parrish, as two upper classmen, furnished most of the lines and made possible progression of the story. In love with "Betsy," Miss Claudia Smith, and "Molly," Miss Opal McWilliams, they were made extremely jealous when Jerry was mistaken for the Betsy's aunt, and the girls gently caressed the aunt, who in reality was a classmate. While masquerading as the "fake aunt," three humorous proposals were offered her by "the Butter and Egg Man," Geo. Doherty, "Mr Collins," J. B. Arthur, and "Prof. Gaddis," William Cooper.

Dean Howard, as played by Miss Kathryn Grant, was one of the outstanding characters of the cast. Miss Grant handled her lines in a delightful manner, with ease and expression, seemingly perfectly at home in the part she was portraying.

A large amount of the comedy centered around two freshmen, Robert Lusk and Drew Dickson. These two young men, constantly bobbing up on the stage, pictured the typical "slime" of any college. They provoked hearty laughter with practically every appearance and as the play progressed they grew in popularity with the audience. Jim Mac

Wright, as another upper classman, had a fine part and rendered a song during the first act that brought the best response of the evening. Jim has a sweet tenor voice and his presentation of the song hit was a real treat.

The show opened with "Babyland," in which Miss Nona Diltz gave a musical reading while little tots impersonated the lines as they sat about stage in their "nighties."

Between acts special musical numbers were presented by singing chorus girls. The much heralded "Happier Chorus" was featured as a special number and brought much merriment as men in ladies' costumes paraded before the footlights. The chorus was greatly depleted on account of a number of the characters not appearing in time for the performance, but such is the manner of chorines.

Among others who took part in the production and helped greatly with the success of the show were: Misses Kathleen Connelly and Evelyn Brewer; Wilbourne Underwood, R. W. Ueckert, Jack Seales, Capt. Dobbs.

Mrs. Helen Thomson proffered a tap dance in costume, and was recalled for a second encore.

Girls and boys appearing in the singing numbers and chorus specialties were: Misses Dorothy Doose, Maurene Harris, Elsie Motley, Gladys Fulcher, Jeanie Gressett, Catherine Barnett, Mildred Fulcher, Wayne Byler, Colette Gill, Allyne Straley, Evelyn Stobaugh, Mary Jane Kiechel, Virginia Holman, Jimmie Jewel Taylor, Eloise Smith, Margaret Ludwig, and Alynne Cochran; and Truman Williams, Laverne Atchison, Edgar Leach, Raymond Thomas, O. I. Merrifield, Walter Bailey, Perna Bailey, Charles Atwell, Hollis Davis, Henry Wooten, and Paul Winchester.

Men taking part in the "flapper chorus" were: Prof. M. J. Weaver, Felton Underwood, Paul Rothermel, Herbert Adams, and Harley Davis.

The play was directed by Miss Tommy Beard, of the Universal Production Company. The final performance of "Aunt Lucia" will be offered at the American Legion auditorium tonight at 8 o'clock.

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BENOIT NEWS

This place was not passed over last week by the blizzard that struck all of the state, but was colder weather here than we hope to experience again this winter. The mercury registered zero on the inside of a heated building, while some of our neighbors say it was four below. Some of the section men have frozen ears from exposure, being out in the wind on the coldest days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gibson visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Williams of Houston, came in Sunday on the noon train to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rumpy.

We are glad to report that J. E. Clayton who has been ill in the San Angelo hospital for some time is very much improved. If no complications set up, Mr. Clayton will be at home again soon.

Roy Hill and family of Ballinger were callers in the W. T. Hill home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Kelly spent the week-end in Abilene visiting relatives.

Mrs. Edgar Fox burned her foot and ankle Friday when she accidentally turned over a pan of hot grease, while preparing supper. The burn is not serious but much pain was inflicted when first happened.

Mr. and Mrs. George Odom spent Sunday with J. A. Odom and family.

Mrs. Vernie Horner and little son of San Angelo visited Mrs. Dolores Lane, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Green of Lometa is here helping his brother, J. L. Green, with some carpenter work this week.

Mrs. O. C. Cox and brother Neal Clayton went to San Angelo Saturday to see their father.

Misses Clara Lange and Lurline Cox spent Saturday night and Sunday with Eullyn Lulos.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Spreen are now occupying the old Vander-vanter homestead, which was purchased by Spreen Bros. this fall.

Mrs. Lizzie Vandeventer is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Milton Clayton.

Rev. and Mrs. B. B. Edmiston of Robert Lee were pleasant callers Tuesday afternoon on their

way home from Santa Anna.

Oscar Cox and family visited in the Branam home Sunday afternoon.

Milton Greenwood visited Woodrow Cox Monday night.

A. J. Pullin was a Ballinger visitor Monday.

"REPORTER"

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EXPRESSION RECITAL POSTPONED FOR WEEK

The expression recital announced for this week by Miss Nona Diltz has been postponed for the present on account of the cold weather. A date will be announced in this paper as soon as weather conditions are better.

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(By Associated Press)
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Ninety acres of hillside land made 32 bales of cotton when terraced, while unterraced land adjoining the terraced field made only one-sixth bale per acre.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 319, 811 7th Street. 16-6d*

FOR RENT—Downstairs apartment. Phone 81. 2-1td

SOUTH PLAINS EXPECTED TO SHOW LARGE GAIN

(By Associated Press)
LUBBOCK, Jan. 22.—There will be as great a percentage of increase in population for the South Plains area during the last ten years as in any district in the United States, with the possible exception of oil belt districts, Dr. I. E. Barr of Lubbock census supervisor of the seventh Texas district believes. His district includes 17 counties.

Cities and counties throughout this area," said Dr. Barr, "have grown phenomenally because of agricultural development within the past few years." Counties in the district are, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, Haskell, Stonewall, Kent, Garza, Lynn, Terry, Yorum, Gains, Dawson, Scurry and Fisher.

To Celebrate Printing
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Schools

Attention School Patrons:
From time to time, for the past four years, the attention of school patrons has been called to the matter of regular school attendance and reasonable systematic home study.

School people generally realize that the multiplicity of present day events creates a serious problem in the matter of getting the proper attendance to school assignments. They also believe that many of the activities of society in which pupils engage are frivolous, unnecessary, and not to be compared with the responsibility of doing good school work.

There may come a time in which there will be less of the outside attractions to lure pupils away from their first duty to their homes and to their school work, but that time does not now seem near at hand. It may never come. If it does not come there are but two options for parents. Either the school must modify their program to the extent that the work outlined for each year and for each day can be done well within the very limited time for study at school, or the parents will have to cooperate with the school program to the extent of seeing that first things are put first.

There is now no prospect for a modification of the work outlined to be done in the schools in order to attain the maximum scholastic standard. Perhaps the amount of work required can be successfully criticized but that will not alter the standard which Ballinger schools and other standard schools must maintain in the light of present educational practices. The standard is quantitative as well as qualitative.

May we not repeat former statements to parents and urge them to believe that the work, as planned and outlined by our own State Department of Education, cannot be done in a satisfactory manner by the students with the amount of time for study allotted in the daily schedule of the school. Pupils often think that this can be done and lead their parents to believe the same, but such is not the case. The school is doing its best to

to take care of dull pupils and school has a standard which it must maintain. The standard is not Ballinger made. It is universal and is the product of all of the educational forces in the nation.

It is not often that even dull pupils fail in their school work if they come from well regulated homes where a certain amount of home work is required by the parents and where they are not allowed to participate in other affairs on school nights.

The school cannot be responsible for the success of pupils who are allowed to apportion their time out of school as they see fit, unsupervised by their parents.

This question transcends the matter of making a passing grade. Sometimes pupils who do little studying make a passing grade by certain adept methods known to them, but most of them are life failures and college failures.

Character habits, study habits, and the application habit are the basis of any life success and these are more important, just now, than making a passing grade.

May we not have your cooperation in seeing that children use well the period of their lives given for better and more complete living in "the future"? There is much time ahead that can be given to activities in which they new engage and which detract from their main business of doing good work in school.

The question of doing well the first great assignment in a child's life is a serious one. If it is not done the chance is that other life tasks will be treated equally as lightly.

The school appreciates the splendid attitude and good spirit of its patrons, but it sincerely believes that parents have lapsed into careless and unthinking state of mind with reference to attendance at school duties. Not all parents have done this but too many have. If you do not have home regulations and control over home study do not be surprised at school failure.

We thank you for your numerous courtesies and instances of patience and cooperation and request that you give this matter your serious consideration.

You have a child whom you want to be well prepared for life as it possibly can be and the

Deaths

Mrs. Ed Schwertner
Mrs. Ed Schwertner, age 68 years, died at her home, six miles northwest of Rowena, Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock after an illness lasting for several years. While she had been in ill health she had only been confined to her bed for a few days before she died.
Mr. Schwertner is a prominent farmer and land owner of that community. Decedent is survived by three sons and three daughters and her husband.

Mrs. Ada J. Williams
Mrs. Ada J. Williams, age 61, died at her home near Paint Rock Tuesday evening, Jan. 21st. Mrs. Williams had been suffering for years and her condition gradually became worse until death relieved her of her sufferings. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were pioneer citizens of Concho county and are well known throughout this section. Eight children were born to the union and all live near to their parents' home. Silas and

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The COUPE	\$565	1 1/4 TON CHASSIS	\$520
The SPORT COUPE	\$625	1 1/4 TON CHASSIS WITH CAB	\$625

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