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Recommends Santa Fe Permit A. & S. Use of Tracks from Ballinger to Angelo

Dallas Business Men Given Welcome Here

The special train conveying twenty-five Dallas business and railroad men arrived in Ballinger Tuesday morning at 10:30 and was met by a large delegation of local citizens and business men from Winters, Abilene, and Paint Rock.

As soon as the delegation de-trained it was escorted to the Palace Theatre where a large crowd assembled to hear the speakers, and meet the men who were here as Ballinger's guests.

F. M. Pearce, president of the local chamber of commerce, called the meeting to order and introduced Mayor W. C. McCarver, who extended a welcome to the Dallasites. Mayor McCarver stated that the visitors were not considered as competitors in any way but as friends and that Ballinger felt honored at being included on the itinerary of the special West Texas trip. The mayor briefly outlined projects which are now underway in Runnels county, mentioning especially the road building program, the extension of the city water supply, the new fire truck and the new city hall. "I do not mention these in a boastful way, but to let you know something of what we are doing," said the mayor. The speaker referred to the big program of the Dallas interests and closed by again extending the welcome.

J. D. Motley spoke briefly in regard to the agricultural development of Runnels county, mentioning livestock, poultry, and dairying progress.

Arthur L. Cramer, president of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, gave information about the party on the special train and introduced C. F. O'Donnell, Dallas attorney, who told the audience about the trip into this section. He pledged the help and support of Dallas in the growth and development of West Texas. O'Donnell especially thanked the citizens for the welcome received here and at other places the trippers have visited since leaving Dallas.

Home D. Wade closed the program at the theatre by making a few announcements to the Dallasites.

Out-of-town business men here to meet the touring party included Jno. Q. McAdams and Joe Payne, of Winters; H. H. Ratchford, J. E. Patton, and W. F. Houston, of Paint Rock; N. H. Moore, Max Bentley, P. W. Campbell, W. R. Lence and E. C. Holtzclaw, of Abilene.

State Senator Walter Woodward was a member of the party and will continue with the Dallas men on their itinerary.

Following the meeting at the theatre the Dallas visitors extended invitations to a number of local people and out-of-town visitors to attend a luncheon on board their train. The dining car was filled at the noon hour and after the lunch was served the remainder of the visitors' time here was spent in chatting with friends and business men.

The train departed at 1:00 o'clock for San Angelo where the party will spend the remainder of the afternoon and night.

The following men composed the personnel of the party:

Nathan Allen, president First National Bank; A. H. Bailey, vice-president and general manager Higginbotham-Bailey-Logan Co.; A. C. Bigger, vice-president Southern Life Insurance Co.; Sam P. Cochran, Trezevant & Cochran; Chas. W. Davis, president Dallas Power & Light Co.; W. T. Davis, general manager John Deere Plow Co.; Arthur Kramer, president A. Harris & Co., president Dallas Chamber of Commerce; A. M. Matson, general manager Butler Brothers; Homer R. Mitchell, president Texas Employers' Insurance Association; Charles R. Moore, president Austin Brothers, president Oak Cliff-Dallas Commercial Association; Edward T.

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Farmer Kills Wife; Ends Own Life

(By Associated Press)
SHREVEPORT, Apr. 1.—Burleigh Yearwood, 35, farmer, today shot fatally his wife at their home near here. Yearwood then turned the gun on himself, dying almost instantly.

The coroner expressed the belief that Yearwood did the shooting because of financial worries.

Big Oil Gusher Still Runs Wild

(By Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Apr. 1.—Defying man's efforts to restrict its flow, the Mark Sudik No. 1, wild oil gusher of the Oklahoma City field today hurled the constant menace of thousands of barrels of crude oil into the air.

A sudden flash of flame igniting the oil would carry disaster to the field and tremendous loss to citizens here. All precautions are being taken against the possibility of fire. Fire fighting crews have been organized to prevent a conflagration and all other oil wells in the vicinity have been shut down. Visitors are not permitted in the area. Housewives were advised to take in clothes hanging on lines as a high wind sprayed the countryside with the golden fluid.

An attempt made yesterday to choke down the geyser was of little avail, the oil and gas bursting through the obstruction and rapidly increasing the waste of thousands of barrels of the liquid.

Hawkes Resumes Flight to Texas

(By Associated Press)
TUCSON, Ariz., Apr. 1.—Captain Frank Hawkes interrupted transcontinental glider flight was resumed today when a start was made for El Paso.

Capt. Hawkes announced that he would make the flight to El Paso in an effort to make up the time lost yesterday when the tow cable broke. After a brief stop at El Paso for lunch and refueling of the towing plane Hawkes planned to press on and spend the night at Sweetwater, Texas.

Martial Law For New Mexico Town

(By Associated Press)
SANTA FE, N. M., Apr. 1.—Governor R. C. Dillon today received reports from West Las Vegas that two men had been invited by clubs during a row at a voting precinct, and reported a recommendation from the district attorney that the governor place the town under martial law.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT BETHEL FRIDAY NIGHT

Bethel club women will stage a birthday party on next Friday night to which all local citizens are invited. A small admission, 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children, will be charged, and everyone present will have an opportunity to win a beautiful rug to be given away.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Guin left Monday afternoon for Dallas where they will attend the state ginners' convention.

Switzerland estimates American tourists spent \$8,000,000 there in 1929.

Read today's news in The Ledger today.

REUNITED AFTER LOVE TEST



Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin March of Detroit, who were reunited after a tragic experiment in which the wife went away with another man to test her love for her husband. The other man, Thomas A. Newton, ended his life with a bullet in Miami, Fla.

Three Lives are Lost As Motor Boat Sinks

Muscle Shoals Bill is Before Senate Again

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Apr. 1.—The ten-year-old problem of what to do with the government's \$10,000,000 nitrogen and power plant, constructed during the World War at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, confronted the Senate again today.

The name of Claudius Huston, chairman of the Republican national committee, was again brought before the lobby investigating committee today after Chester Gray, representative of the American Farm Bureau Federation, was questioned about the letter in which he said Huston was "Okeh, and doing all he dares to do in his position."

Baer Reappointed By Pres. Hoover

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Apr. 1.—The nomination of Phil Baer for re-appointment as United States marshal for the eastern district of Texas was sent to the Senate today by President Hoover.

BRAZILIAN ARMY HAS WIDE RADIO NETWORK

(By Associated Press)
RIO DE JANEIRO, April 1.—With the opening here recently of the new central radio station of the army the military forces of Brazil have nearly fifty stations scattered from Manaus on the Amazon to Porto Alegre near the Uruguayan border. The entire installation has been done in three years.

Capitao Silva Lima is head of the army's radio service and has been responsible for its development. Starting in 1926 with a small organization and little material he had sixteen stations operating at the end of the year. The following year eight more stations were operating and by the end of 1928 there were thirty-two with six more in 1929. Plans for this year call for about ten more.

The military radio since its inception has handled 20,000,000 words, growing from 2,500,000 in 1928 to 8,000,000 in 1929. It is used not only by the army but also by the Banca do Brasil and by the civil branch of the government for broadcasting weather reports.

WEATHER REPORT

(By Associated Press)
West Texas—Cloudy and colder tonight. Wednesday cloudy, accompanied by rain.
East Texas—Cloudy with occasional showers and colder tonight. Wednesday cloudy and rain.

Green Says Three Million in U. S. Are Out of Work

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Apr. 1.—William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, estimated today before the Senate committee investigating unemployment that 3,700,000 wage earners were out of work in February, losing over \$400,000,000 from their pay envelopes.

Green, the first witness to come before the commerce committee considering the unemployment question, said during the first three months of this year, those out of work lost approximately \$1,000,000,000.

Property Dispute Leads to Slaying

(By Associated Press)
MINERAL WELLS, Apr. 1.—Ed Brooks, 47, of Dallas, was shot and killed near his father's home here today.

H. C. Stubbiefield, 62, surrendered to the officers and a charge of murder was filed against him.

The shooting is said to have been the outgrowth of a property boundary line dispute between Brooks and Stubbiefield.

Murdered Man is Found Near Lake

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Apr. 1.—The body of T. O. Curtis, filling station owner, was found on the banks of a lake near here today with a bullet through the heart. Police believe someone in his car shot Curtis and threw the body to the ground.

Officers attempted to trace a telephone call Curtis is said to have received just before he disappeared yesterday. Relatives said he informed them he intended to try to collect money due him.

Be wise and advertise.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, April 1.—Approval of the Abilene & Southern Railway's proposed construction between Ballinger and San Angelo, unless the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe grants complete trackage rights to the A. & S. within 30 days over its line between the two points, would be given by the Interstate Commerce Commission under recommendations submitted today by one of its examiners.

Examiner R. R. Molster said it was desirable that the Santa Fe's branch from Ballinger to San Angelo be used in a measure "more nearly approximating its capacity before resort is had to the drastic and irreparable remedy of constructing a parallel line."

This observation, Molster added, assumes the willingness on the part of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe, in the public interest to permit the joint use of part of its line; the only alternative being the construction of the proposed extension by the Abilene & Southern.

Under the examiner's recommendation, which must be passed on by the commission, the Santa Fe would have thirty days in which to proffer the A. & S. "full and unobstructed use" of the branch line trackage. Otherwise the examiner would have the commission approve the construction proposed by the Missouri Pacific system's subsidiary, which would cost approximately \$2,000,000.

The examiner's report and recommendation on the Abilene & Southern application, while seemingly a victory for the A. & S. and its owning line, the Texas & Pacific, is not so construed by W. R. Lence, general manager of the A. & S.

Mr. Lence, in Ballinger today, said the recommendation is a "disappointment."

"Our application was to build a new railroad from Ballinger to San Angelo, and we hope we will get nothing less," he said. "Our plan is to not only offer competitive service with the Santa Fe between those points, but to serve an entirely new and rich agricultural country south of the Concho River, which now is not served by any railroad."

When hearing was held on

this application intimations were had from Santa Fe officials of their willingness to grant trackage rights to the Abilene & Southern, but we did not want them. We want our own railroad, a first-class railroad all the way from San Angelo to Abilene via Ballinger."

The proposed line would cross the Concho River between Miles and Paint Rock, entering San Angelo from the southeast.

Mr. Lence came to Ballinger today with an Abilene delegation to join the Dallas business executives' excursion, going with them to San Angelo and will escort them to Abilene tomorrow. In the party with him were P. W. Campbell, traffic manager of the West Texas Utilities Company; N. H. Moore, manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company; Max Bentley, managing editor of the Reporter-News; and E. C. Holtzclaw, Mr. Lence's secretary.

F. H. Christian, of Temple, general superintendent of the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. was here with the Dallas party and was informed of the report of the Interstate Commerce Commission on the extension. Mr. Christian would make no comment on the turn of the hearing whatever. He spent sometime in conference here with Local Agent J. J. Beck and friends of his line, but would not express an opinion as to whether the Santa Fe would grant a permit to the Texas & Pacific to use its tracks.

Be wise and advertise.

Helena Rubinstein, Like Ford, Sees Prosperity Ahead



SOME of our Captains of Industry may be preparing for the coming year, but there's at least one woman with absolute faith in America's prosperity!

Helena Rubinstein, the famous beauty specialist, says there will be no slump in the beauty business.

"What difference does it make what Wall Street does?" said Madame Rubinstein. "Women have learned to be beautiful and they are going to keep right on taking care of themselves. Beauty is as necessary as food to modern woman—more necessary. For what woman will not go without food if thereby she can be slimmer and better looking?"

Like Henry Ford, Helena Rubinstein believes in backing up her faith with something concrete. Therefore, she has just okayed an advertising appropriation for 1930 that would look pretty big even to the famous motor manufacturer. She has faith in American prosperity—and she is backing it with a half million dollars.

Condensed Statement of Financial Condition of

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS

At the Close of Business March 27, 1930

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$393,934.56
Overdrafts	1,180.00
Banking House	25,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	7,500.00
Other real estate	7,817.90
Interest Guaranty Fund	2,349.50
Cash and due from banks	\$66,587.78
Bankers acceptances	46,637.73
Bills of exchange (cotton)	8,997.12
	122,222.63
	\$560,004.65
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and profits, net	44,995.98
DEPOSITS	415,008.67
	\$560,004.65

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The first day's clean-up in Ballinger resulted in much work being started but inspectors reported that as a whole not much was accomplished. In one instance it was found that one lot was being cleaned off and the dirt and trash piled upon another adjoining. Chief of Police Lee Moreland said this was the wrong spirit and asked that this not be done. If the campaign is going to mean what it should more enthusiasm must be shown and individuals and organizations must interest themselves more. Some doing their best will mean a few clean places but not a clean town. It will take the 90 per cent cooperation of everyone to get rid of all the trash and make the city spotless.

Lovers of good singing in Ballinger will have an opportunity next Sunday to hear plenty of it. Several hundred singers will gather here for an all-day meeting and the public is invited to hear them at any time during the convention. Plans are being perfected for a number of groups to present special music and this will be interspersed with choruses.

Remember Saturday is the day to elect school trustees in Ballinger. Four men have consented for their names to be placed on the ballot and announcement has been made that the election will be held at the old city hall building on Eighth Street. Citizens as a rule neglect to go to the polls and vote when there is no competition in a race. School trustees are among the most important officers elected by the people and even when there is no contest they should be given a complimentary vote. Several elections held here in previous years only recorded a total of twenty-odd votes. Should any faction desire, it would be easy to elect a complete board at the last minute by taking a small group to the polls. Be loyal to the schools and vote next Saturday.

BIG SALE

JARRETT'S BARBER SHOP For the benefit of my friends and customers, during these strenuous times, will divide my profits with you.

While work and money is scarce Hair Cut will be 25c. Shave 20c. Tonic, 25c. Bath, 25c; other work in proportion. Reduction on all tonics and oils.

Thanking you for past favors, hope to continue to serve you in the future.

G. A. JARRETT

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World conditions and political unrest have depressed business conditions in India.

WEAK, NERVOUS

Mississippi Lady Says She Felt Stronger, Better After Taking Cardui.

Greenwood, Miss.—Mrs. W. D. Taylor, of 1313 Carrollton Avenue, this city, has written of her use of Cardui as follows:

"About five years ago, I was in ill health. I suffered a great deal of pain in my sides and in the lower part of my body. I was weak and nervous, and at the least noise I felt like I must scream.

"At times I would have to go to bed. My head would ache. It would take me three or four days to get over these spells.

"A friend told me to take Cardui, which I did. After my first bottle, I saw some improvement. When I had taken three bottles, I felt stronger and better than I had in some time. I did not have any more of those bad spells.

"I certainly recommend Cardui." Thousands of other women recommend Cardui, after having found it of valuable assistance to them in building up their health.

Cardui is a purely vegetable medicine, and contains nothing harmful. The medicinal value of the herbs from which Cardui is extracted have been well-known in the history of medicine for more than six hundred years.

Try it for your troubles. NC-220



Angelo Housewife Endorses It

Says Orgatone (Argotane) Has Relieved Her After Four Years' Suffering with Indigestion and Stomach Trouble.

"Orgatone has certainly benefited me," says Mrs. R. T. Williams, residing at 38 W. 11th St., San Angelo, Texas, while in the Lone Star Drug Store for another bottle of Orgatone (Argotane). Mrs. Williams' husband is with the West Texas Utilities Co., both of whom are well known here, having been citizens of San Angelo for several years.

"I had a very chronic case of stomach trouble," she continued, "everything I ate would sour and gas would form on my stomach which made me miserable for hours afterward. I had severe headaches and my back ached so at times I couldn't do my work at all. I had a severe case of constipation and was forced to take strong laxatives all the time. I was in a general run down condition and needed something to build me up. I saw where Orgatone (Argotane) was so highly advertised and began taking it. I am certainly improved and feel much better. My back does not bother me any more. I have a better appetite than I had and gas doesn't form on my stomach any more. My head doesn't ache any more, and that certainly means a lot to me. My general health has improved and my bowels are regulated and I am not bothered with constipation. Before taking Orgatone (Argotane) I was nervous and restless and couldn't sleep or rest of a night at all, but since taking it, I sleep fine every night. Orgatone (Argotane) has certainly helped me, and I know anyone who takes it will find that it will benefit them as it did me."

Genuine Argotone may be bought in Ballinger at the Weeks Drug Store.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAS PARTY MONDAY

E. E. King's Sunday school class of the Baptist church enjoyed a "Rainbow party" Monday night at the Ballinger Country Club. Between 50 and 60 were present for the occasion and much fun was experienced by the large crowd that compose the class.

Homer Carsey directing a well selected orchestra, furnished music for the occasion.

Four speakers talked on the "rainbow" and brought some fine thoughts to the young men. E. E. King spoke on the rainbow in general. Jas. A. Wear spoke on rain. N. M. Campbell on the colors, and Rev. J. H. McClain on the "Silver Lining."

A. R. Jones furnished the big diversionment of the evening, a solo, and chose a rainbow song for his selection.

At the conclusion of the program games were enjoyed and ice cream and cake served to all present.

STATE BUYS TANK TRUCK TO DISTRIBUTE FISH WITH

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Apr. 1.—The state game, fish and oyster commission has purchased a large tank truck to be used in distributing fish from the hatcheries. The truck is equipped with oxygen tanks to furnish aid to the fish while enroute to various points in the state. The truck was brought from Denver with a load of several thousand rainbow and Loch Ceven trout for Texas waters.

The match monopoly has been granted complete rights on automatic lighters by the Italian government.

SUNDOWN STORIES



APRIL FOOL

By Mary Graham Bonner
"I've just turned the time back a few hours," said the Little Black Clock, "and I thought we could play some games in the back yard."

"All right," agreed John. "Let's play marbles."

"That suits me," said the Little Black Clock, and the children went for their marbles.

"I've got a great big blue marble," said Peggy.

"Not now!" shouted the little Black Clock, as they sat on the lowest step of the back porch.

"Why, yes I have," persisted Peggy.

"Not now!" repeated the Little Black Clock. "I just swallowed that marble!"

Peggy was about to look again when the Little Black Clock cried, "April Fool!"

"I might have known you couldn't swallow a marble!" laughed Peggy.

"John!" exclaimed the Little Black Clock, "you have a big piece of soot on your nose."

John was about to rub it off when the Little Black Clock cried, "April Fool!"

They began to play when John said:

"Little Black Clock, your legs have turned red!"

The Little Black Clock looked down at his legs, and just as he did John shouted, "April Fool!"

"That's a good one on me," the Little Black Clock grinned. "Oh, by the way," he continued, "I hear that your parents have decided they would send either of you to school again. They feel that you don't really need to study anything."

John looked at the Little Black Clock for a second. So did Peggy.

Just as the Little Black Clock was about to shout "April Fool!" John and Peggy shouted the same words—for that was too big an "April Fool" to believe for more than a second!

Study Tobacco Contracts

RALEIGH, N. C.—A sub-committee to recommend a type of contract to be offered tobacco growers in the proposed state-wide cooperative marketing association has been appointed by the organization committee. It will work with representatives of the federal farm board and its division of cooperative marketing.

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DuBarry Foundation Cream, \$1.00.

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HOW'S your HEALTH



A FORTUNATE ACCIDENT

Louis Pasteur was an indefatigable worker. He spent most of his day in his laboratory pursuing the mystery of disease. Home saw little of him. Vacations he took only when ill health or the pressure of those that loved him made longer work in the laboratory impossible.

It was during one such forced vacation that the most fortunate of accidents happened to Louis Pasteur. He was working on the so-called chicken cholera germ. This germ had been found in the blood and bodies of chickens dying from this malady.

The immediate problem was definitely to establish that the suspected germ really was the sole cause of chicken cholera, and to discover, if possible, some way to overcome the ravages of the malady.

By cultivating the germ and feeding it to chickens the first problem, that of the relation of the germ to the disease, was settled. For Pasteur found that the germ was so deadly to fowls that even a few would invariably kill the bird.

But the second problem, that of overcoming the disease, baffled Pasteur. Then he took one of his forced vacations. When he returned to his laboratory he began work where he had left off. He returned to his old cultures. He found, however, that they no longer killed the birds.

Pasteur reasoned the cultures had "gone stale," and he cultivated new ones. But when the fresh cultures were fed to the hens which had first been fed the stale cultures, they again failed to succumb. Hens which had never before been given germs of chicken cholera, however, fell an easy prey to the disease.

Pasteur reasoned that the introduction of the "stale" or weak-

ened germs into the bodies of the birds must affect in some way their resistance to the disease. Did not this accident show him the way in which to overcome the disease? Further experimentation proved that it did.

Pasteur thus demonstrated to the world the use of vaccines in disease, for the stale culture was in effect nothing but a vaccine.

Since then many more vaccines have been discovered which have proved helpful. Principal among these are the vaccines against anthrax, typhoid and hydrophobia.

FIRST SHIPMENT OF MILK BY RAIL IN CHURNS IN 1842

Until 1842 the milk supply of New York city came entirely from cows kept in the city or from nearby areas. No milk was shipped to the city by rail until 1842. The first shipment of milk was made in blue pyramid churns over what is now the Erie Railroad. The weather was cool and the milk arrived New York City in good condition. The first shipment was advertised in advance and the 240 quarts did not supply the demand. After the maiden trip, the milk train whistled into New York City each morning and evening. During the summer months when the weather was hot much of the milk soured. Jacob Vail discovered that if the milk were forced through a coiled lead pipe in a hoghead packed with ice the milk was thoroughly cooled and could be shipped without souring.

In these pioneer days of milk shipping there were no railroad trains on Sunday. Attempts to install Sunday milk service met with considerable opposition. When the first Sunday milk train was started, special meetings were called denouncing the Sabbath train. All sorts of dire misfortune was prophesied. As a matter of fact, on the first Sunday trip early in August of '43 the engine jumped the track and plunged into a pond with two cars of milk. The first Sunday milk never reached its destination.

Undismayed by the fate of the first Sunday shipment, an in-

creasing supply of milk was shipped daily. The milk territory has been extended until at the present time some shipments are made to New York city from a distance of 500 miles.

People in New York city use daily three million quarts of milk, according to statistics secured by the National Dairy Council. This milk is supplied by 44,000 farms in several states.

Dutch Girl Makes Good
ROCK RAPIDS, Iowa, April 1.—(AP)—Dorothy Middleman, who eight years ago was in the second grade here at the age of 16, recently left for Amsterdam, where she will be American interpreter and stenographer for the Embden Bank. In 1922 she came from Holland, unable to speak English.



When Food Sours

Lots of folks who think they have "indigestion" have only an acid condition which could be corrected in five or ten minutes. An effective anti-acid like Phillips Milk of Magnesia soon restores digestion to normal.

Phillips does away with all that sourness and gas right after meals. It prevents the distress so apt to occur two hours after eating. What a pleasant preparation to take! And how good it is for the system! Unlike a burning dose of soda—which is but temporary relief at best—Phillips Milk of Magnesia neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

Next time a hearty meal, or too rich a diet has brought on the least discomfort, try—



W. G. Bair, of Gonzales, is here visiting his brother, L. E. Bair.

No "just as good" oil says lubrication expert

In every line of endeavor there is always a leader—and countless followers. The field of household lubrication is no exception. Unfortunately the general public doesn't always appreciate the difference between the real thing and the "just as good"—but household experts do.

They know an oil intended for general household lubrication should clean and protect as well as lubricate. 3-in-One Oil does these three things, because it is a scientific compound of three high grade products—animal, mineral and vegetable oils. It is distinctly in a class by itself. 3-in-One costs more to make than ordinary oil, but less to use. If you want the best possible service from your sewing machine, vacuum cleaner, lawn mower, washer, electric fan and other household devices, insist on the old reliable 3-in-One Oil. At good stores everywhere, in 1lb. and 3lb. sizes. For your protection, look for the trade mark "3-in-One" printed in Red on every package.

Ballinger Chapter No. 154
R. A. M.
Ballinger Council No. 123
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"Konjola Gave My Daughter Back Her Health"

New Medicine Wins Wonderful Victory After Other Remedies and Treatments Fail.



MISS ELIZABETH MITCHELL

"Konjola gave my daughter, Elizabeth, aged 13, back her health," said Mr. Mitchell, the child's father, who resides at 315 1/2 East Second Street, Little Rock. "Elizabeth was suffering from kidney trouble, nervousness and a general run down condition. I tried many medicines and treatments and spent a great deal of money but nothing seemed to do any good until I tried Konjola. Ever since she entered school she had been losing weight strength and vitality. Her weak kidneys caused frequent bladder actions and her nerves had become so badly shattered that she could not sleep.

"Konjola proved to be just what my daughter's system needed. Everyone remarked about the improvement in her appearance. Her kidneys have become normal and her bladder actions as they should be. Her nerves have so improved that she sleeps well at night. Her food digests and she is growing strong and healthy. She has gained weight, strength and energy. In fact my daughter is in better health than she has been in years and we owe it all to this great medicine, Konjola."

Konjola has become the most talked of medicine in America because it makes good. And Konjola makes good, even in the most stubborn cases, when given a fair trial. Six to eight bottles is considered a fair trial.

Konjola is sold in Ballinger, Texas, at Weeks Drug Store, and by all the best druggists in all towns through this entire section.

Amusements

Exciting, Under-Water Scenes in Norma Shearer's New Talking Film

There is nothing the movie-going public tires of so readily as seeing its favorite stars in the same type of roles. Consequently producing organizations whose every move is circumscribed by public taste and demand, keep a wary eye on the scenarios presented for the use of their leading players with the avowed purpose of making sure that each one is different from the last.

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer gives every indication of having followed this golden rule in its selection of "Their Own Desire" as a vehicle for Norma Shearer's new all-talking picture which will open a two-day program tomorrow at the Palace Theatre.

"Their Own Desire" was adapted to the screen by Frances Marion, from the novel by Sarita Fuller, and was directed under the joint supervision of E. Mason Hopper and James Forbes. Forbes also wrote the dialogue. The picture gives Miss Shearer an opportunity to give another new characterization to the screen for her role of "Lally" is a far cry from that of the chorus girl of "The Trial of Mary Dugan," or the sophisticated woman of "The Last of Mrs. Cheney."

It was stated by executives of M-G-M that considerable expense was attached to the making of Miss Shearer's latest all-talking film, inasmuch as its variety of locations covered a wide range of territory, necessitating the use of a mobile sound unit, housed in a specially constructed truck and complete with self-operating and sustaining electric plant, monitor-rooms and technical system.

Besides Robert Montgomery, leading man, the sterling supporting cast includes Lewis Stone and Belle Bennett as the father and mother; Helene Millard as the "other woman"; and Cecile Cunningham, Mary Doran and June Nash.

Hilarious Stage Success "Three Live Ghosts," is First Rate as Talking Film Comedy

A triumph in the art of talking and sound motion pictures has been achieved by United Artists in "Three Live Ghosts," featuring an all-star cast, which closes its

local engagement at the Palace Theatre tonight.

"Three Live Ghosts" marks a new milestone in the art of motion picture making and no talking picture yet produced has aroused the enthusiasm accorded this famous all-talking comedy drama, which is based on the play that made stage history both in this country and in England.

Max March, the noted playwright, who has numerous stage successes to his credit, prepared the screen adaptation and dialogue from which Thornton Freeland directed a virile and refreshing comedy-drama replete with amusing situations and punctuated with amusing incidents and laugh-provoking situations.

"Three Live Ghosts" revolves around the experiences of three British soldiers, who escape from a German prison camp and return to London to find themselves legally dead in the eyes of the government and of their friends.

Included in the cast are Beryl Mercer, as "Old Sweetheart"; Charles McNaughton, Robert Montgomery and Claud Allister, as the "Three Live Ghosts"; Joan Bennett, Hilda Vaughn, Shayle Gardner, Harry Stubbs, Jack Cooper, Jocelyn Lee, Nancy Price and Tenen Holtz.

53,517 IN DALLAS SCHOOLS

(By Associated Press) DALLAS, Apr. 1.—Enrollment in Dallas public schools this year totaled 53,517, an increase of 3,059 over the previous term, official figures reveal.

BLANTON NEWS

The rabbit drive which was held in this community last Tuesday and Wednesday was well attended and lots of rabbits reported killed.

Miss Pauline Malone spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Carrie Witter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Brevard returned to their home at Belton, Wednesday. They were accompanied home by Miss Lillian Witter.

Clifford King is spending a few days here visiting relatives and friends.

The party at the J. P. Booth home Friday night was well attended and a good time reported by all.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Tounget visited relatives at Oxien Sunday.

Miss Deliah Reese spent few days last week visiting Miss Zell Reese.

We are sorry to report Calvin Reese and Miss Larene Wade on the sick list this week. We hope for them a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Wood and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Foreman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gassiot were

called to Santa Anna to be at the bedside of Mrs. Gassiot's father who passed away Thursday. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones.

There was no school Friday due to the death of Mrs. Gassiot's father.

The snow which fell here last Thursday made us think it was still winter instead of spring.

Misses Jaunita Huddleston, Eula Fowler, Mammie Ruth Booth, Carrie and Fannie Jewel Witter, and Mildred Elkins were all guests of Misses Selma Morrison and Zeola Jeffrie and Geneva Corder Wednesday night.

Dallas Business Men--

(Continued from page 1)

Moore, president Simms Oil Co.; W. S. Mosher, president Mosher Steel and Machinery Co.; C. F. O'Donnell, vice-president Southwestern Life Insurance Co.; John E. Owen, vice-president Dallas Clearing House Association; B. H. Stephens, vice-president and general manager Magnolia Petroleum Co.; R. L. Trenton, president Industrial Dallas, president Mercantile Bank and Trust Co.; C. E. Ulrickson, vice-president and general manager Trinity Portland Cement Co.; R. W. Van Valkenburg, manager Graybar Electric Co.; Homed D. Wade, vice-president and general manager Dallas Chamber of Commerce.

PARENT-TEACHER MEET WEDNESDAY AT 4:00

The Ballinger Parent-Teacher Association will hold its regular meeting at the high school auditorium Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. The following program will be rendered:

Topic—"Leisure Time."
Violin solo—Miss Catherine Todd
"The Use of Leisure Time"—Miss Kelly Bowden
"Reading for Leisure"—Mrs. Troy Simpson

All members are urged to be present at this meeting.

WOMAN MAY BE NEXT SPEAKER TEXAS HOUSE

(By Associated Press) AUSTIN, April 1.—There are rumors Texas may have a woman speaker of the House of Representatives.

It is reported that Miss Oleta Culp of Houston, parliamentarian to the speaker during the 40th and 41st legislature, contemplates running for the legislature from Harris county. Miss Culp is a lawyer and as a parliamentarian she has few superiors.

There has been much favorable comment on the prospect of her candidacy and some predictions were that if elected she would make a redoubtable candidate.

The only other candidate in prospect, this early, is Representative Fred Minor of Denton, vet-

eran legislator, to whom more than 90 members of the 41st legislature are pledged to support for the Speakership. But, the old maxim, "there's many a slip twixt the cup and lip," could be pointed to, because all of the 150 seats in the legislature must be filled next November. Many of the incumbents will have opposition and others are retiring voluntarily, opening an avenue for someone not now a member to get in the Speakership race.

NEW YORK, April 1.—(AP)—One licensed or identified commercial airplane is in operation in the country for every 19,500 persons, according to the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce.

COEDS GIVE TEACHERS POINTERS ON SWIMMING

(By Associated Press) MADISON, Wis., April 1.—Teachers may take their turn at being "dumb" students too.

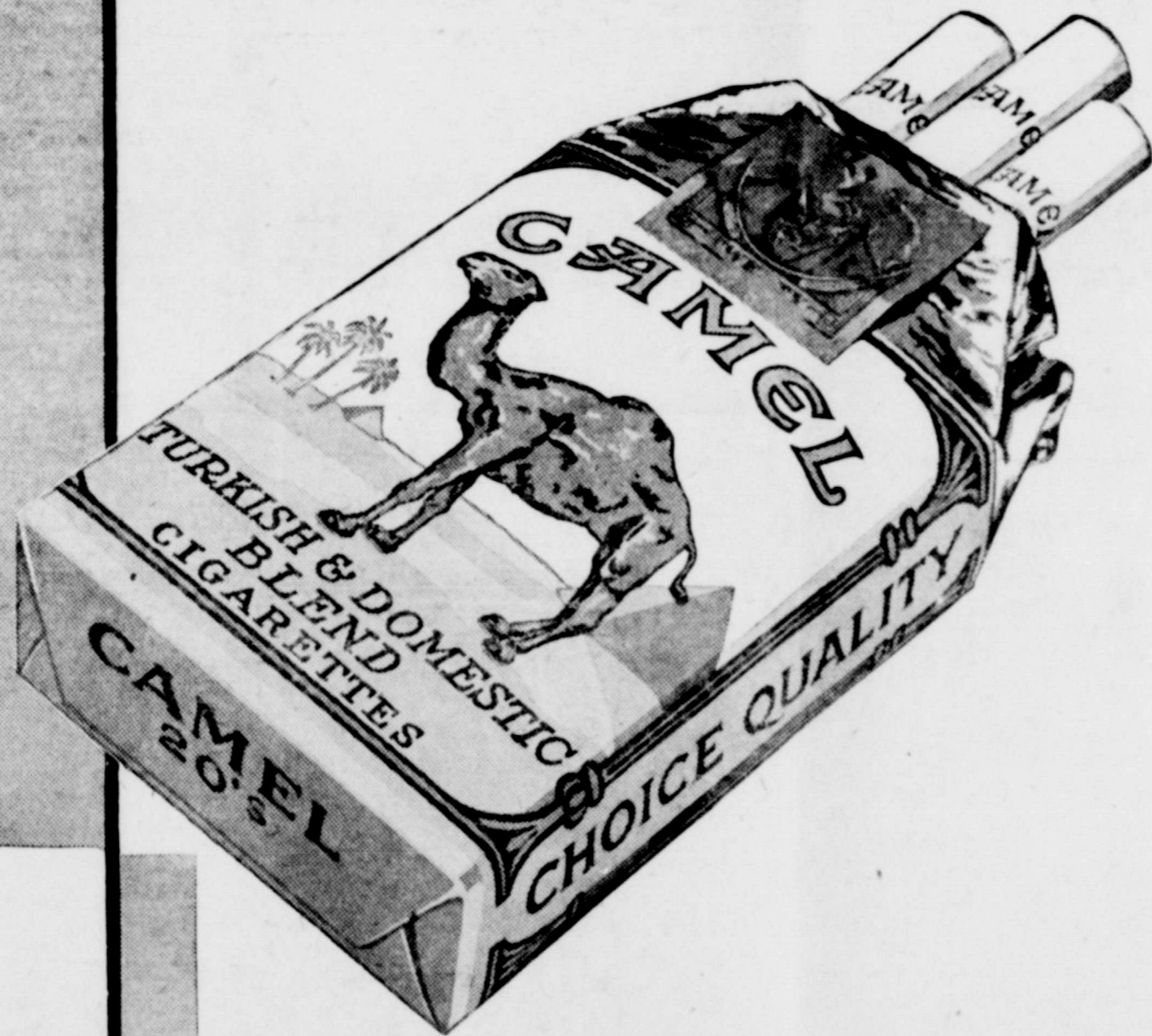
Mary Parkhurst and Lillian Gibson, University of Wisconsin coeds, have discovered that in teaching the art of swimming to teachers at the school. They conduct a swimming class for the women faculty members.

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STATEMENT of Condition	
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March 27, 1930.	
Resources	
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Overdrafts	43.48
Banking House	42,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	10,000.00
U. S. Bonds	25,500.00
Bonds and warrants	46,000.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	4,500.00
Banker's acceptances	94,481.66
Acceptances (cotton)	3,170.39
CASH AND EXCHANGE	142,010.91
	\$730,406.19
Liabilities	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	80,071.84
Circulation	24,700.00
DEPOSITS	525,634.35
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FOR SALE—I will sell my house on Tenth Street; good five room residence and well located, good terms. Call or write Wm. Gallia, Rowena, Texas. Phone 96. 31-3td-1tw.*

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FOR EXCHANGE—260 acre farm in Mitchell county one half mile of inland town, for Ballinger property or smaller farm near Ballinger. Brick veneer Duplex well located in San Angelo renting for \$50.00 per month unfurnished, to exchange for Ballinger property or well located business lots. See owner J. E. Carr. Phone 129. 31-3td*

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment and several bed rooms, close in, modern conveniences. Phone 179. 31-6d*

FOR RENT—Room with board, in private home. Garage. Phone 1335. 29-dtf

FOR RENT—Downstairs apartment. Phone 31. 2-tfd

FOR RENT—Furnished duplex apartment. Mrs. Laxson. Phone 222 or 406. 23-5td.*

Thousands of Engineers
NEW YORK, March 21. (AP)—Membership of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers totals 19,000. It was founded in 1880.

Local Students to District Meeting

The Ballinger schools will have a large delegation of contestants at the district meet in San Angelo on April 18 and 19. Winning the county meet and taking many first places, all the winners in the local schools will be present at San Angelo and take part in the events which they won at the county meet.

In addition to the winners of first places in the county meet the Girls Glee Club will go to San Angelo to compete in that division. The club this year is composed of twenty girls under the direction of Miss Catherine Todd. The girls made a number of local appearances during the past fall and winter and is declared to be the best balanced club ever to represent the school.

The Ballinger club has competed at San Angelo for the past three years. The first two years, it was an easy winner of first place and last year the group was given second place after making a strong bid for first place. A large number of girls on the club this year have sung with the organization for the past four years, being named to places when they were freshmen. The girls realize they have some stiff competition to face in the coming contest. The exact date of the glee club contest has not been learned here, however, in former years it has been held on Saturday morning of the district meet.

Underwood, local athlete, is expected to be a sensation at the district meet. His time in the hurdles races has been close to state records and local coaches expect him to win at San Angelo and be a strong contender at the state meet at Austin. Other local athletes should show up well in the district events and a number are expected to be sent to the Austin meet.

Ballinger tennis players in both boys' and girls' divisions are expected to win at San Angelo. The local school has shown up particularly strong in tennis for the last three years and the same

team of boys' doubles will fight for the decision at the district meet again this year.

Deaths

Mrs. Rosa Lea Carnes
Mrs. Rosa Lea Carnes, age 27 years 3 months and 6 days, died in the local sanitarium Monday night at 11:15, following an illness of about 12 days. Mrs. Carnes is the wife of W. A. Carnes who resides at 808 Sealey Avenue.

Besides her husband two children, W. A. Jr. and Wanda Lea, an infant survive. Decedent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Boswell, two brothers, Ed and Oscar Boswell, and one sister, Mrs. G. C. Chisco, of Zion, Arizona, also survive. All the relatives will be present for the funeral.

Funeral services will be held at Evergreen Cemetery Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with Rev. B. F. Neely of Hamlin officiating, assisted by Rev. Lawson Brown.

Mrs. Boaz
Mrs. Boaz, mother of Mrs. F. D. George, of Cleburne, died last Thursday, according to news received here. Mrs. Boaz had her home in Ballinger for several years with Mr. and Mrs. F. D. George and made many friends here who will regret to hear of her death.

Juan Lopez
Juan Lopez, age 80 years, died at the home of Sopreno Gomez, Sunday night at 1:30 a. m., following a brief illness. Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Mexican Catholic cemetery. Undertakers from the Higginbotham funeral home were in charge of the funeral.

Be wise and advertise.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Keithley are rejoicing over the arrival of a nine and one-half pound baby girl born to them last Sunday at the home of the infant's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Knowles.

BUSINESS IN 10th DISTRICT SHOWS UPWARD TREND

(By Associated Press)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Apr. 1.—A general improvement in business condition in the Tenth Federal Reserve District during February and the early part of March as compared with conditions in January, was reported by the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City.

Early appearance of spring, the report stated, quickened trade and industrial activity in the Tenth District, caused a resumption of outdoor work in cities, towns and on farms and relieved unemployment. The dollar value of wholesale and retail distribution combined for five leading lines showed a decided increase, the report stated, over January, but was lower than for February, 1929.

Building and general construction work, based on the value of contracts awarded in the district and the value of building contracts issued in leading cities showed remarkable gains for February as compared with February, 1929. The value of residential construction contracts was reported at more than double the value of such contracts in February last year.

POLICE CHIEF WILL USE RADIO TO CATCH CROOKS

BEAUMONT, Apr. 1.—The long arm of the law has been lengthened by Chief of Police Carl E. Kennedy, who has extended it via radio.

The chief has been granted 15 minutes each day by Radio Station KFDM and will broadcast such news as automobile thefts, lost persons and descriptions of criminals wanted. The chief

pointed out that since practically all service stations have radio receiving sets it would be practically impossible for a thief to get away with an automobile without being detected.

A wave length already granted to the police department by the U. S. Radio commission, and plans already under way to install receiving sets on all police cars and fire department equipment.

SCHOOL FIRE ENRAGES YOUTHS OF ISTANBUL

(By Associated Press)
ISTANBUL, April 1.—Turkish school boys gave evidence of a love for school that would bring scorn from the average American youngster.

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a large group from the 800 students stoned the windows of the Belgian Water Company, whose failure to supply sufficient water was alleged to have caused the school's destruction.

Turkey Shooting in Sight
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Mar. 29.—(AP)—The Illinois state department of conservation has set aside five acres in which to raise wild turkeys for distribution through the woods of the state.

Condensed Statement of Financial Condition of

Ballinger State Bank

At Close of Business March 27, 1930

Resources

Loans	\$133,130.09
Overdrafts	276.12
Stocks and Bonds	23,350.00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	27,600.00
Other Real Estate	1.00
Bills of Exchange (cotton)	203.58
CASH AND EXCHANGE	102,222.99
	\$286,783.38

Liabilities

Capital Stock	\$40,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	7,002.03
DEPOSITS	239,781.35
	\$286,783.38

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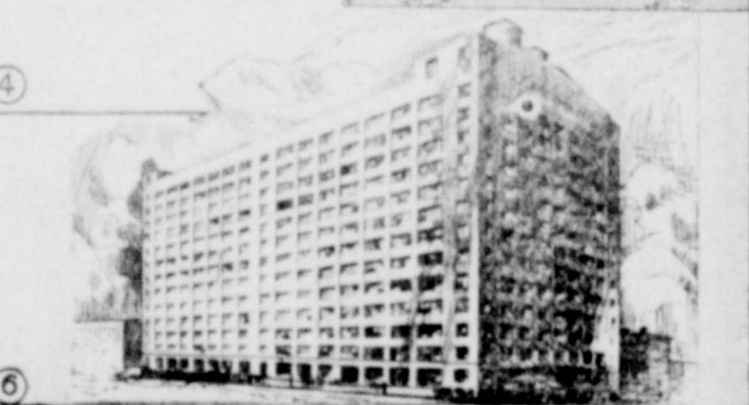
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The first J. C. Penney Co. store was opened in April, 1902, in the little mining town of Kemmerer, Wyo., and in its first year it did a total business of \$29,000. The growth of the organization from that time has been one of the outstanding developments in the merchandising history of the country. Financing of the company, outside of preferred stock issued directly after the war, proceeds from which were used to defray tax expenses, has been entirely through the earnings of the stores.

Plans for the expansion program this year were made after trips by Mr. Penney, and Mr. Earl C. Sams, president, throughout a large portion of the country and as a result of requests

made by chambers of commerce, local business organizations and others for new J. C. Penney Co. stores. Policies of the company which rigidly eliminate "sales," "bargain days," and other price cutting procedures, have been accepted by leading merchants as a strong force in stabilizing values, according to statements made by national retailing organizations and others.

Mr. Sams is active in a wide range of merchandising fields, has been a speaker before the National Chamber of Commerce, president of business clubs and is widely quoted as an authority on store methods. Mr. Penney, in addition to his

Funds to provide for the rapid expansion set for this year were obtained through the sale of new common stock to present holders of this class of stock and not