

# BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

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## Local Enumerators Will Recheck Census Friday

A complete new census of Ballinger will be made here Friday. This plan was adopted Thursday morning at a meeting of the local chamber of commerce after it was ascertained that many citizens here had not been counted by the enumerators.

A committee composed of Estes M. Lynn, R. G. Erwin and C. R. Stone was appointed to divide the city into sections and assign someone to cover each district Friday morning or afternoon and make a report before the day is over. The sections will be made small so that one or two enumerators can see all the citizens in a very short time.

The business section also will be covered by local enumerators and every Ballinger citizen is urged to be at home Friday morning, ready to receive the committeemen when they call. It is important that every man, woman and child who lives in the city limits of Ballinger, or calls this home, be accounted for, and such will be the aim of the committee.

Secretary J. D. Motley had compiled a list of some sixty families who have not been called on and when the chamber directors came together Thursday morning a number of others were reported.

The city will be blocked off Thursday afternoon and volunteer canvassers will begin early Friday morning on the recheck. As soon as the lists are complete they will be checked against those made by the two federal enumerators here and the two lists turned in to W. L. Turner, district supervisor, at Brownwood.

Mr. Turner stated Wednesday over telephone to Mr. Motley that the Ballinger count would be held open until the report was satisfactory to the local chamber of commerce. He further declared that he would cooperate in any way possible with the local commercial organization and would come here himself if necessary to get the recount.

A great deal depends on the co-operation of the citizens Friday. If they can arrange to have the information ready for the local checkers and also be ready to give information on any of their neighbors who happen to be out of town it will be great assistance. Anyone who knows he will not be here Friday, should make a list of his family, ages and other necessary information, and leave it with a neighbor where it can be picked up. There is only one day in which to do this work and it will take full cooperation of all to get an absolute count.

Mrs. J. G. Douglass, Mrs. W. F. Mason and Mrs. T. E. Bowman left Tuesday for Cleburne where they will attend the annual meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society of the central Texas conference.

## Club Women to Dine Here; To Invite Farm Bureau Man

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will be host to the rural club women of the county here on May 1st at a breakfast to be served on the court house lawn. The women will assemble in Ballinger on that day for an inspection of the living rooms entered in the contest in this county. They will leave soon after breakfast on the inspection tour and will be out the entire day.

Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, home demonstration agent, will head the delegation and all club women and others interested are requested to join the caravan on the trip.

The board of directors of the commercial body Thursday morning attended to a number of important matters. A complete discussion was heard from the entertainment committee relative to the staging of a joint celebration with San Angelo at the time the highway between the two cities is opened. The committee showed that the work is well underway and that a conference will be held with a committee from San Angelo within a few days at

## Auto Crashes Kill 2 Men Near Olney

(By Associated Press)  
OLNEY, Tex., Apr. 24.—D. Kinnard, 40, of Wichita Falls, and Mike Spears, 40, of Vernon, are dead today as the result of two automobile accidents near here during last night. Another man, who has not been identified, is in a serious condition as the result of a crash.

Kinnard was killed when his automobile overturned.

Spears was killed on the same highway when his automobile collided with another.

## Tariff is First Bill To Come Up

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Apr. 24.—Congressional Republican leaders decided at a conference with President Hoover today to have the House first consider the conference report on the tariff bill.

The report will be ready Tuesday but will not be taken up in the House until several days later.

The conference at the White House, called at the request of the House and Senate leaders, was to discuss only procedure in passing the tariff measure.

## Deputy and Bandit Killed in Fight

(By Associated Press)  
ST. LOUIS, Apr. 24.—A deputy sheriff and a would-be robber were slain in a pistol duel near here during the night when two men approached the officer who was parked along the highway to trap bandits who had been perpetrating hold-ups of motorists.

William Goericke, 23, deputy sheriff, was wounded fatally. The bandit, about 35, who has not been identified, was found dead nearby.

## Rotary Plane at Temple Crashes

(By Associated Press)  
TEMPLE, Apr. 24.—An airplane quartered by the Plainview Rotary Club to advertise that city for the next convention crashed here shortly after landing today during the district convention of Rotarians.

Six women from Falls, and John Nisbet, president of the Plainview club, were in the machine, but none of the occupants was injured.

One wing and landing gear were torn off and the cabin split.

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## FIGURE IN WASHINGTON PLAYING



Marvin Sisson (left) and Julian Gallegher of Warsaw, Va., were held by police in connection with the murder of Mary Baker (right), government employee, whose body was found near Arlington cemetery. Olga Skinner (left) and Mildred Sperry, roommates of the dead girl, were also questioned by authorities.

## Highway 67 Approved By Texas Commission

Highway 67, extending from Dallas to Presidio, via Ballinger, in Runnels county the western portion of this highway is being completed and bonds have been voted for the eastern part, from Ballinger to the Coleman county line. The right-of-way for the eastern Runnels sector has not been definitely decided but will be accepted and announced shortly.

State Engineer G. M. Garrett announced Thursday that concrete work on highway No. 30 to Miles was all completed except through the city limits of that town. If weather permits L. E. Whitman & Co. probably will finish the entire lap tomorrow afternoon. After the concrete is all poured there is quite a bit of shoulder work to be done and bridges must be covered with asphalt before the road can be opened to traffic.

Only three counties along the entire 614-mile route have not voted bonds for hard-surfacing of this highway. Irion, Erath and Comanche counties have voted no bond issues to date but all are said to favor this means for construction.

## Take Governor's Office Out Of Politics Urges Young

"Get away from personal and abusive politics and back to the business of government," James Young of Kaufman, candidate for governor, urged an audience of Runnels county voters last night at American Legion Hall. The speaker declared that "hair pullers" had been fighting each other around the political fields of Texas for so many years that the voters had been bewildered by the campaigns of vilification and had let the government slip away from them and into the hands of professional politicians and chronic office seekers.

"You know them," he cried. "You have got used to seeing their names on the ticket. I'm not mentioning any names, but I refer you to the list of my opponents for the high office of governor of this great state."

Mr. Young was introduced by H. C. Lyon of Ballinger, his former neighbor in Kaufman county. Mr. Lyon spoke of the candidate as "a former congressman, a successful lawyer, a tolerant patriotic citizen, a regular Jeffersonian Democrat, a loyal churchman and Sunday school superintendent, a life long prohibitionist, a conservative business man, a farmer and a friend of the farmers."

Mr. Young blamed the condition of state affairs, which he classed as deplorable, on the fact that those in high office were more preoccupied with personal political ambition than with serious affairs of government.

"Our jails are full of insane persons, adjudged lunatics who cannot be sent to the state insane asylums because those institutions, provided by a great-hearted people, are full of overflowing. They should have been

## Prisoners Threaten Revolt As Investigation Continues

### Mrs. Lee to Seek Husband's Place

(By Associated Press)  
CISCO, Tex., Apr. 24.—Mrs. R. Q. Lee, of this city, today announced her candidacy for congress from the 17th district of Texas, to fill the unexpired term of her husband who died in Washington a week ago.

Thomas L. Blanton, who formerly held the office, and Earl Earp, city attorney of Sweetwater, also have entered the race.

### Police Search for Assaulters of Girl

(By Associated Press)  
HOUSTON, Apr. 24.—Police today searched for two young men after a 28-year-old waitress reported to the officers that she had been kidnapped at the point of a pistol and attacked. The pair threw her out of their car after the attack, the woman declared.

(By Associated Press)  
COLUMBUS, Apr. 24.—Attorney General Gilbert Gettman left today to confer with Governor Myers Cooper on the proposal to temporarily suspend Preston Thomas as warden.

This action was proposed when several thousand prisoners announced they would revolt against "Thomas rule." They charged the warden with "cruelty" and held him responsible in part for the 318 fatalities in the conflagration Monday night.

COLUMBUS, O., Apr. 24.—As investigators of the Ohio penitentiary fire today continued to probe into the disaster which took the lives of 318 convicts the general spirit of unrest flamed into open revolt against prison discipline.

After a night of disquieting reports 2,000 convicts threatened open warfare if not released immediately. The felons declared they would kill the guards in the cell blocks if not turned loose. In the yard a hundred convicts, confined temporarily in

the chapel, were inflamed by incendiary speeches made by the leaders.

Opinions about the cause of the fire continued to be contradictory, some witnesses trying to deflective wiring while others said the blaze started in a room bare of wires.

## Four are Burned In New York Fire

(By Associated Press)  
BOONVILLE, N. Y., Apr. 24.—Four persons were burned fatally and a fifth is missing in a fire which destroyed the home of Bert Cronk, coal dealer, here today. Mr. and Mrs. Cronk, Mrs. Pearl Ann and a grandchild died in the flames. Anni is missing.

WEATHER REPORT

(By Associated Press)  
All Texas—Cloudy, probably showers tonight and Friday.

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SUNDOWN STORIES



HIDE-AND-SEEK

By Mary Graham Bonner

Where was the Little Black Clock? He was not on the desk in the back hall where he usually stood, ready to take John and Peggy on adventures.

He was nowhere to be found. What had happened to him? The children looked everywhere for him.

"Little Black Clock," they called, "where are you?" They heard a muffled voice saying, "Here I am."

It was the voice of the Little Black Clock but it sounded as though he might be covered up by something so he couldn't speak very distinctly.

"Where are you?" John asked again. "I can't hear you very well."

"Close I am," the Little Black Clock answered, and his voice was very, very low.

"Did the voice come from this direction or from that?" John asked Peggy.

"I thought from this," answered Peggy.

"No, from that," said the voice of the Little Black Clock.

When they went in the direction they thought was the right one they heard the Little Black Clock's voice from another corner saying:

"No, you're not going the right way."

At last they found him! He was behind an old trunk in the back hall.

He had a large handkerchief over his face so that the sounds that came from him would be muffled.

"I was just playing hide-and-seek," he chuckled.

"Why, Little Black Clock," said John, "how puzzled you did make us!"

"I was hard to find, hurrah," shouted the Little Black Clock. "I had to help you find me. Yes, I'm good at that game."

He was immensely pleased with himself. "Come along now, we must be off. I've a real trip for you."

AFTER CROSS COUNTRY FLIGHT



Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh after they had brought their plane down at Roosevelt field, N. Y., completing their experimental high altitude flight from Glendale, Cal. Their elapsed flying time of 14 hours, 23 minutes and 27 seconds took more than three hours off of the transcontinental flying record held by Capt. Frank Hawks.

GIRL SETS TYPING RECORD

(By Associated Press)

SAN MARCOS, Apr. 24.—Geraldine White, Austin high school girl, shattered the Texas high school girls' typing speed record during the University Interscholastic League's district 23 meet

when she banged the keyboard for an average of 59 words per minute. A typewriter company representative stated Miss White's record was the best reported from Texas high school interscholastic competition.

HOW'S your HEALTH



BROKEN DEFENSES

Occasionally one reads or hears of an unfortunate persons who dies of blood poisoning resulting from some slight injury.

It may have been a pin prick, a small blister or a seemingly insignificant tear in the skin. But, to the sorrow of the sufferer, it was big enough a break to lead to death.

Germs are infinitesimally small. Ordinarily they cannot pass through the unbroken skin. But when the skin is broken, no matter how small the break, the "hole" is large enough to admit countless germs.

Still, even if but a few germs enter, admission the danger is great. For germs are living things. Once inside the body they have plenty to feed on, and so can multiply. One germ may in a few hours be the parent of thousands, in more time of countless millions.

Of course, not all germs are alike, either in the nature of the injury they may inflict or in the speed with which they may multiply. But the layman has no way of knowing which of the germs, ever present on our skin and on all things about us, may have got in.

For this reason it is best to give one's self the benefit of the doubt. Treat every injury, no

matter how slight as dangerous. Sterilize every break in the skin. If a little blood flows, let it flow a while. It will help wash out germs that might have entered. Then apply an antiseptic and keep the wound clean.

If you haven't a medical antiseptic handy don't wait, use soap and water or any weak acid like vinegar. Alcohol also destroys germs.

If there is pain, redness, swelling and pus, infection has set in. Then danger is acute. Neglect may mean serious injury and even loss of life.

INFERNAL LIE COSTLY TO INDIAN NEWSPAPER

(By Associated Press) CALCUTTA, India, Apr. 24.—A newspaper here has been charged 7,500 rupees or \$2,600 "for infernally calling a man a liar," the plaintiff being the Italian consul-general.

The case arose from a story in another newspaper charging that Italian manufacturers were utilizing the Lancashire cotton stoppage to flood the Indian market.

The defendant newspaper sent a reporter to interview the consul and quoted him as saying: "Italy is a poor country and

could not afford to compete." The consul wrote to the editor denying this statement, whereupon the paper replied editorially in words that the consul claimed constituted a libel.

RID OF BAD TASTE

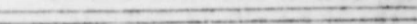
Georgia Man Tells How He Takes Black-Draught When Bilious.

Valdosta, Ga.—In telling how Theodor's Black-Draught has helped to keep him well, Mr. O. A. Aldrich, of this city, says: "Black-Draught is a good medicine. I began taking it when just a boy, for biliousness and as a laxative."

"When I get bilious, my mouth has a bad taste and I get dizzy, feel light-headed. A few doses of Black-Draught usually make the feel like new. It seems to cleanse my system of impurities, my head gets clearer, and the bad taste is gone from my mouth."

"I am a rather healthy, strong man, taking very little medicine, except for the biliousness I mentioned. It is good to know that there is a good laxative like Black-Draught to take and give quick relief."

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Rains continue to fall in many parts of West Texas but practically all reports are for less than one inch. Reports from the weather bureau indicates rain in all sections of Texas for Thursday night and Friday. Conditions have been favorable here for several days, and Thursday increased cloudiness and showers gave many hope. The growing season is upon us and a good rain would start all green vegetation at once and sheep and cattle raisers would be benefited almost overnight.

Be ready Friday for the census enumerators. There will be more than 100 working without pay to get an accurate check on the population here. The population here will be low enough at best and it is important that every human who lives in Ballinger be recorded before this week ends. Many people have already been seen, but be cheerful in giving the information the second time, as a good report from here will help everyone who resides in this community.

If many more candidates announce for governor it will require one whole column of the election ticket for this office. The Ledger staff is already worrying about the size of our large bulletin board. For many years that board has been large enough to tabulate the entire county vote on, but with the number of candidates this year it will be large enough only to take care of the governor's race. The vote will be tabulated however, and posted for the patrons of this paper.

Ballinger people should be interested in the explanation of the work of the federal farm board and when a speaker comes to discuss the operations of that body should be given a bit hearing. Runnels county depends almost altogether on cotton and for a number of years has been the leading cotton producing county in West Texas. With this problem cotton, its concentration, buying and shipping, every citizen should be alert to educate himself on this movement.

NEW SCHOOL PRINCIPAL DOES NOT ACCEPT PLACE

Supt. H. C. Lyon stated Thursday that word had been received from M. E. Irby, of Omaha, Texas, who was recently elected principal of the Ballinger high school, that he could not accept the place here. Mr. Irby has been elected superintendent of the schools at Atlanta, Texas, and has already accepted that position.

This is the first teacher recently elected by the board to decline to accept. Mr. Lyon said other applications would be considered and a man elected soon to fill this vacancy.

Read today's news in The Ledger today

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For District Attorney: C. L. SOUTH, J. EDWARD JOHNSON. For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN, E. V. BATEMAN, W. A. FORGEY, A. J. (DICK) THORP. For Cotton Weigher, Precinct 1: PAT TILLERY, T. M. MARSH. For Sheriff: E. E. McWILLIAMS, W. A. HOLT. For District Clerk: GEORGIA SINGLETARY. For County Clerk: IMA MCKOWN. For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: H. J. DEENS, T. J. FARRINER. For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD. For County Treasurer: Mrs. R. P. KIRK. For County Judge: PAUL TRIDMIR. For County Attorney: ROY L. HULL. For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE, MISS SAMMIE PADGETT. For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: J. C. COOK, CARL WILSON, JOHN D. WHITE.

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(By Associated Press)  
 ON, Apr. 24.—Strange e going on in the hearing to Prof. A. S. lained some of them in lecture here. surface temperatures of known to us," said dington. "They range at 3,000 degrees centi- about 20,000 (about 5,400 degrees Fahrenheit). e sun the temperature surface is 6,000 degrees , but soon rises to above degrees and deeper in o 40,000,000 degrees, as e can calculate. imagine that 20,000,000 so vast that the word e becomes meaningless. re is a way of setting fast the ultimate part- matter—the atoms or —are moving room where I talk the rushing about with a out one-fifth of a mile . If we heated it up to degrees they would be 0 miles a second. ough it goes so fast, does not get much for- cause it is continually ad being turned off in ions. Among particles 50 miles a second there quantities of X-rays, titute part of the heat

### HYDE TO BE SPEAKER AT E.E.C.C. MEETING

(By Associated Press)  
 PORT ARTHUR, Apr. 21.—Ac- ceptances of invitations to speak before the fourth annual conven- tion of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce at Port Arthur May 11-13, have been received from Arthur M. Hyde, secretary, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Gov- ernor Dan Moody, and Dr. T. O. Walton, president of Texas A. & M. College. Addresses by these principal speakers and delibera- tive discussions by delegates of the economic problems and progress of East Texas, will be features of the business sessions.

**Card of Thanks**  
 We desire to say to all of our friends and neighbors that we can not express in words the real gratitude of our hearts to you for the loving helpfulness you gave us both in words and deeds during the illness and death of our husband and father. May our Father in Heaven graciously bless everyone of you in our prayer.  
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### RICH ITALIAN TAKES JOB IN ORDER TO SEE RACES

(By Associated Press)  
 INDIANAPOLIS, Apr. 24.—Re- cause of the lure of the Indian- apolis auto races, the scion of a wealthy Italian family labors as a mechanic. Gianfranco Comotti, balked by his father when he attempted to enter last year's 500-mile race, turned from dependence on his family to be free to race. Last year he crated an Italian car and shipped it to America for the Memorial Day classic. He never drove it, for his father not only purchased a controlling in- terest in the racer, but saw that no visa would be given for the son's trip. When the paternal ultimatum was given young Comotti left for a mechanic's job in Paris so he might come to the races this year.

### FOREIGNERS WOULD STEAL SPEED CROWN FROM U. S.

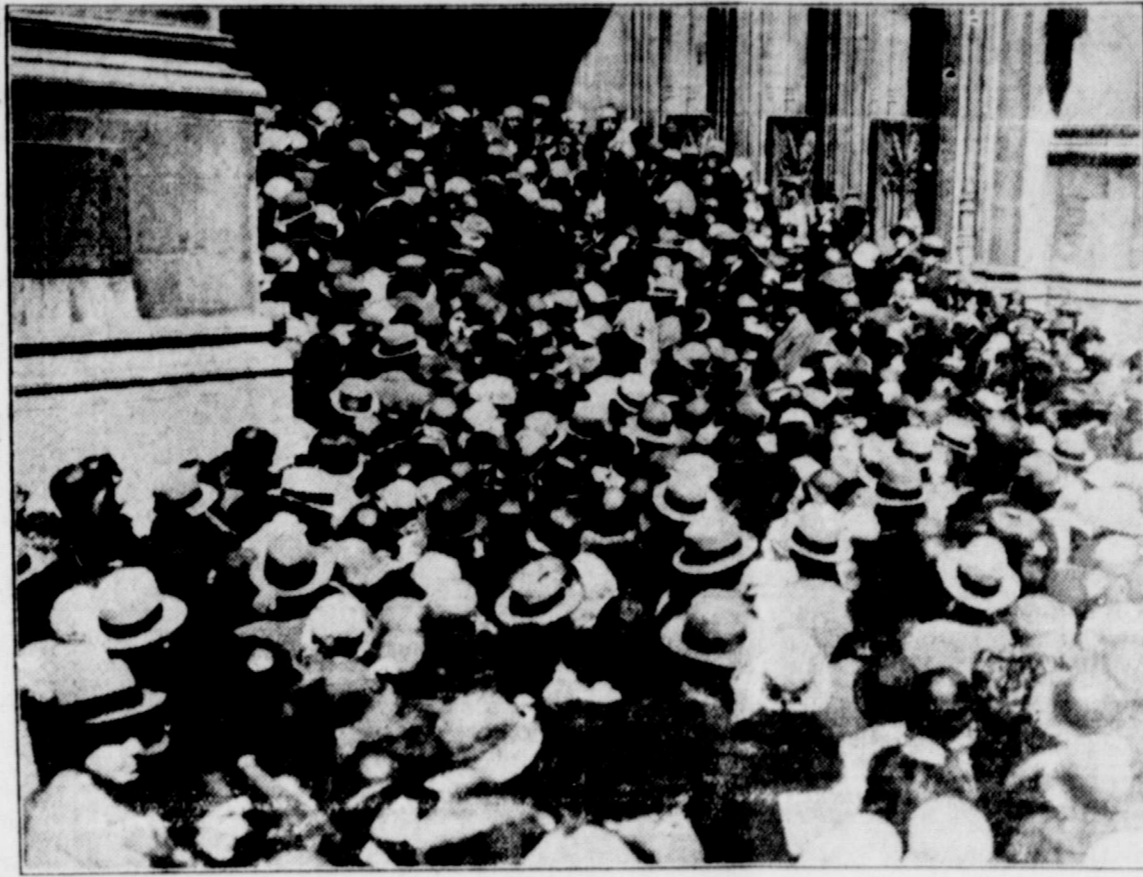
(By Associated Press)  
 INDIANAPOLIS, Apr. 24.—For- eign drivers will challenge Amer- ica's supremacy in the 500-mile Indianapolis speedway classic May 30. Italy has entered the fastest car in Europe, a 16-cylinder racer with a record of 152.85 miles an hour. Two crack drivers, Baconi Bor- zacchini and Ernesto Hasserati, will alternate behind the wheel in an effort to better Peter DePaolo's 1925 record of 161.13 miles an hour for the course. South America entering the race for the first time since 1923, will send its racing champion, Juan A. Gaudino, with the car in which he won Argentina's main speed event.

### HAZING IS BANNED

(By Associated Press)  
 LAREDO, Apr. 24.—Hazing of high school students, the prohibi- tion of which is on the increase the country over has been stop- ped in the Laredo high school. Superintendent William P. Gal- ligan issued an edict which stated in effect that although freshmen usually were all wet, upperclass- men had no right to put them "in the pond." Students were grieved, claiming a custom of years had been abol- ished.

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### SUNSHINE BRINGS OUT NEW YORK EASTER CROWDS



Ideal weather brought huge crowds outside for the traditional Easter promenade along Fifth avenue and churches were filled to capacity for special services. Here is part of a huge throng at the entrance of St. Thomas's cathedral.

### World Wide Phone Connections Predicted by Commerce Expert

(By Associated Press)  
 WASHINGTON, Apr. 24.—It may not be long before all the telephones of the world can be interconnected to bring nations closer. G. Stanley Shoup, chief of the communications section of the United States department of commerce, predicts the coming of such a "telephone Utopia," and says that long strides are being made to that end. He points out that the United States, through the extension of international telephony, both by wire and radio, is connected with fully 85 per cent of the tele- phones of the world, reaching to most European countries, to Mexico, and that connections are soon to be made to South Amer- ica. The European net intercon- nects many countries and is being constantly extended. Principal radio-telephone cir- cuits in commercial operation are American-English, Dutch-Java, French-Argentine, Spanish-Argen- tine, German-Argentine, Paris- Saigon, and New York-S. S. "Leviathan." In addition, there are about 20 such circuits either in the experimental stage or

will receive a master of arts de- gree from the University of Tex- as in June and a doctor of phil- osophy degree in 1931. He is now engaged in research work in the department of zoology.

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### TEXAN IS APPOINTED

(By Associated Press)  
 AUSTIN, Apr. 24.—Appointment of C. P. Oliver of Mt. Pleasant as adjunct professor of zoology at Washington University, St. Louis, has been announced here. Oliver

### THREE NATIONS MATCH WITS FOR LEAD IN TIRE TRADE

(By Associated Press)  
 WASHINGTON, Apr. 24.—A tri- cornered battle for leadership in automobile tire trade is being waged by the United States, Can- ada and France.

The United States has main- tained the supremacy it took in 1927 from France, but Canada has crowded in for second rank. The three countries, with the United Kingdom, Italy, Belgium, Ger- many and Japan, supply the bulk of the tire consumption of the world.

Exports of the United States in 1929, according to the department of commerce, amounted to 2,979,- 438 casings, the largest num- ber shipped by any country at any time in the industry.

### PLANE RIDES FOR 200,000. NEW YORK AIR SHOW PLAN

(By Associated Press)  
 NEW YORK, Apr. 24.—A drive to send one-third of the city's millions of inhabitants into the air will be made in conjunction with the New York air show, May 3 to 10.

The Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, which will inaugurate

the drive, has set a goal of air- plane rides for 200,000 people, a greater number than was flown here during all of 1929.

Virginia cotton mills kept 669,- 928 spindles active during Feb- ruary.

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We say too much economy, advisedly, for that is just what is the matter with our country. It makes little difference whether you are a Republican or a Democrat, whether you are a Dry or a Wet, whether you believe in High Tariff or Low Tariff, the fact remains if you quit feeding the cow, she soon quits giving milk. When chain organizations bring pressure to bear on manufacturers and demand prices that leave no profit for the manufacturer, the only thing he can do is to cut the wages of his employees. They in turn buy less which makes some factory cut wages in order to sell for less and soon more people are out of work and so the vicious circle goes on.

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more than a chain store clerkship, but what will he be if the chain stores drive all other business out? Maybe a doctor, a dentist or a plumber, you say, but how can a doctor collect fees from clerks who do not make a living wage? How can the dentist get pay from those who scarcely earn a living? Who would build any homes to use plumbers? There's no trade or profession that will not be hit and hit under the belt if the chain idea prevails to the limit.

### WHEN MANY PROFIT MANY PROSPER!

When many people are at work at good wages, times are good. Prosperity begets prosperity. If your independent dealers business increases and he builds a new house, your carpenter husband gets several months work, if he buys an auto your auto dealer gets some business and the prosperity is passed around from door to door. The chain idea has only one end in view and that is demoralizing the independence in business in this country and substituting an empire of business with a few rich and the rest of us very poor.

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The following relatives of Mrs. W. W. Paschal, en route from Los Angeles, California to Lincoln, Arkansas, stopped over for a few days visit. Mr. and Mrs. E. Klug, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rinehart and daughter, Mabel, and N. V. King. They report a nice trip and the highways in good condition, making the trip from Los Angeles to Ballinger in 4 1/2 days.

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## SENATE CAMPAIGN QUIZ IN FIGHTERS' HANDS



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GERALD P. NYE



ROBERT F. WAGNER



ROSS C. PATTERSON

By L. A. Brophy  
(Associated Press Staff Writer)  
(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, April 24.—A chairman with the inquiring mind which his newspaper profession develops, and three lawyers, two ex-prosecutors, form most of the 1930 model senate campaign investigating machine.

Thirty-eight-year-old Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota heads the committee, which starts out on a trail bitterly blazed two years ago under leadership of sharp-tongued Jim Reed of Missouri.

Nye is a republican—an insurgent bloc republican. The other republican who has accepted is

Ross C. Patterson of Missouri. The other two are democrats—Clarence C. Dill of Washington, and Robert F. Wagner of New York.

Presenting and investigating are things that the lawyers committemen know much about from personal experience.

As far as Nye is concerned, searching political expenditures for illegal largess is something he does on his senatorial hobby, as a matter of fact.

Patterson was prosecuting attorney for Green County Missouri, some 20 years ago. He served two terms. To come to the senate, he left the post of United

States attorney for the western district of Missouri.

Senator Dill is recognized in Spokane County, Washington, for his occupancy of the office of county prosecutor.

In 1911 Senator Wagner was chairman of the New York State Factory Investigating Commission.

Like Jim Reed, Nye is belligerent and cutting, when he thinks such attitude necessary. He may be a little more suave about it, but his record bristles with fighting outspokenness. He was an editor before a senator and headed the inquiry into the naval oil leases.

The Senate today is governmental administration, in his own mind, the apex of the central action of financing political campaigns—particularly national campaigns.

His answer to "Why is a campaign contribution?" is "For value received."

He refused to vote for William S. Vare of Pennsylvania when the latter was barred from the senate for alleged excessive campaign expenditures. Likewise, he was the author of a resolution to keep Senator Joseph R. Grundy of Pennsylvania from being seated.

### Amusements

Government Helped to Make Air Picture  
The United States government cooperated in the production of "Flight," the Columbia all-talking special which comes to the Palace Theatre next Sunday for three-day engagement. Three marine officers assisted Director Frank R. Capra with the technical end of the flying scenes which were made on location at San Diego, California. The cast of this aviation film includes Jack Holt, Lila Lee, Ralph Graves, Alan Roscoe, Harold Goodwin and Jimmy de la Cruz.

Marriage a la Mode in Denny Film  
A "trial marriage" in which neither of the principals have ever seen each other arouses all kinds of amusement in "Embarassing Moments," dialogue comedy starring Reginald Denny, which closes a two-day run at the Palace Theatre tonight.

Beautiful Merna Kennedy is Denny's leading lady, and the cast includes Otis Harlan, William Austin, Virginia Sale, Greta Grandstedt and Mary Foy.

Peter B. Kyne Story in Film at Palace Friday-Saturday  
"Hell's Heroes," an adaptation of Peter B. Kyne's famous novel,

"The Three Godfathers," will be shown at the Palace Theatre Friday and Saturday. Featuring three well-known character actors, the picture has scored sensationally in the larger cities and has been accorded unstinted praise by metropolitan critics.

Charles Bickford, Raymond Hatton and Fred Kohler have the leading roles of this vigorous outdoor drama.

### THIS FARMER DECLARES COTTON IS NOT KING

(By Associated Press)  
CARTHAGE, Apr. 24.—A. G. Selman of Beckville, nine miles north of here, is telling the world that cotton no longer is king in East Texas.

Three acres of pole beans and three acres of Irish potatoes planted last year brought a gross return of \$1,100 to the Beckville farmer. The three acres planted to beans yielded 483 bushels. The average price per bushel was \$1.40. After allowing \$3 a day for his labor and paying for hired labor the Beckville man realized a profit of \$126 an acre.

Mr. Selman dammed a branch that runs through his field and used the water for irrigation purposes.

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### AROUND THE WORLD

AROUND WORLD.—Hd mansion opposite it, so as not to destroy the architectural harmony of the square.

LISBON.—The Portuguese Automobile Club has found that the country possesses one car for each 250 inhabitants, the total of automobiles being 29,149. A reduction in the motoring license fee has stimulated buying of cars.

PARIS.—Plans for the new American embassy building are ready although the site on the Place de la Concorde will not be surrendered to the United States until January 1, 1931. The exterior of the structure must by law conform to the Reichs-

ROMA.—The government's Depolavoro (Afterwork) organization, has inaugurated a competition among apartment dwellers for beautification of window ledges and balconies with flowers in boxes and pots. The prizes are of enough value to make the contest worthwhile.

MEY.—Australia—Airplanes are transporting all mail conform to the Reichs-

of the ordinance revealed that some households were harboring as many as ten tabbies.

LONDON.—Society here has taken up an old Chinese game called "Wei ch'i" based upon the Chinese conception of the uninhabited world. Each player puts down counters and tries to occupy more of the world than his opponent.

LANDBECK, Germany.—To protect songbirds, which are an asset to this resort in the wooded hills near Breslau, the city imposed a tax on cats. Enforcement

NANKING.—After much agitation the nationalist government of China has decreed that Russian marine officers and seamen employed on Chinese vessels may keep their jobs if they swear to forego circulation of communist propaganda.

Woman to Probe African Hunting  
WASHINGTON, April 24.—Mrs. Della Akley, noted explorer and game hunter, has been appointed by the King of the Belgians as the only woman member of a commission to investigate shooting of big game in the Belgian Congo.

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## Deaths

**W. W. Wixie**  
W. W. Wixie, age 58, died at his home near Bronie Thursday morning at 8:15. He had been in ill health for several years and for the last few weeks developed a dangerous condition. He owned considerable land in his community and was a prominent farmer.

He is survived by his widow, one daughter, and three sons.

The funeral service will be held at the family residence Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with Rev. Hightower, pastor of the Bronie Methodist Church officiating. Interment will be made in the Bronie cemetery.

Undertakers from the Higginbotham Funeral Home were called to prepare the body for burial and were in charge of arrangements.

## Sheriff is Injured Protecting Negro

(By Associated Press)  
WALLHALLA, S. C., Apr. 24.—A masked mob today lynched Allen Green, 50, a negro, who was charged with having attacked a white woman.

After clubbing and injuring seriously Sheriff John Thomas, who tried to protect the black, Green was dragged from the county jail, tied to a tree and shot.

Hospital attaches said Thomas' skull was fractured and that he might die.

## Sixty-Six Seniors Expect to Graduate

The senior class of the Ballinger high school this year has sixty-six candidates for graduation. The class is unusually large this year, in fact one of the biggest ever graduated from the local schools.

Only two weeks of classes remain after this week when commencement week begins. Most of the time will be used in examinations and those who are exempt in certain subjects will soon complete their course.

Honor students have not been announced to date but will be named when all examination papers are graded and these rechecked. Senior activities already announced make the remainder of the term a busy period for most of the class.

Following is a complete list of those expected to receive their diplomas on May 16th at the commencement exercises:

Following is the list of graduates of the Ballinger high school:

Herbert Adams, Joe Atwell, Chester Afferbach, Kate Barker, Inoe Bigby, Evelyn Brewer, Frank Coker, Hallie Cooper, Cathleen Connelly, Frances Cotton, Woodrow Cox, Velus Davenport, Gladys Davis, Drew Dickson, Floy Drake, Carl Feist, Ruby Ferguson, Loretta Garrett, Dorothy Gibson, James Greenhill, Milburn Harvey, Virginia Holman, Yours Holloway, Milton Hunt, Madolene Kerley, Alfred Kettler, Mary Jane Keichle, Robert Lusk, Marie Lambert, Smith Malone, Neoma Matejowsky, Bernice McKay, Clara McKisack, Alma Lee McWilliams, Opal McWilliams, Lillie Mika, Marguerite Parish, Turner Ruhman, Claudia Smith, Evelyn Stobaugh, Dotie Simms, Louise Ship, Loucille Sledge, Fred Spreen, Wilburn Underwood, R. W. Uckert, Eunice Warren, Marie Wooten, Eva Ruth Forgey, Wallace Chastain, Jurvis Robinson and Ella Hollebec.

When Mayor E. T. Buckingham of Bridgeport, Conn., presented "the key to the city" to visitors it will not be mythical. He has had made two dozen engraved visitor's keys.

## Small's Hat in the Ring; Makes 14 in the Race

(By Associated Press)  
AUSTIN, Apr. 24.—Entry of Senator Clint C. Small of Wellington into the governor's race adds a tinge of color which will be accentuated in the event Governor Moody aspires to a third term.

Senator Small was author of the bill that vested title to city creek and river beds 30 feet or more in occupancy owners whose holdings they traversed. Under a former law the beds of this width could not be crossed by a surveyor's line and were regarded as state lands.

After the bill passed both houses, Governor Moody vetoed it because, he said, he had been advised by the attorney general's department that it was unconstitutional. The legislature enacted the bill over executive disapproval, after several hundred land owners from West Texas invaded the capital.

There was little interest in dry creek and river beds until oil was discovered in West Texas, when there were filings in the general land office on these parcels. It was not until then that many land owners discovered that under the law they were not owners of the creek and river beds which were under their fences.

Senator Small won much popularity in West Texas through his services in the Senate and is expected to prosecute an active campaign. In the event Governor Moody is one of his opponents, the river bed legislation is sure to come up for discussion.

The bill is pending in the supreme court, having been upheld by a Travis county district court and the Third Court of Civil Appeals at Austin.

Governor Moody seems to have in mind his candidacy for a third term beyond the peradventure of a doubt. It was believed he would make his formal announcement by May 1, climaxing a series of three statements dealing with state affairs, the first of which was given to the press last Sunday.

The governor's candidacy had been informally announced at San Antonio by A. J. Rogers, who said the governor told him confidentially he would be a candidate.

"I am already running," Rogers quoted the governor in reply to his query on the subject.

But, as positive as the politicians seem on the Moody race, some of his closest friends contend the governor has not decided what he will do. They claim he had not confided in them and could be depended on not to talk the matter over with anyone.

"He will come to his own decision and there will not be a soul to know his intentions until he makes them public," was the way one of his friends expressed it.

In the meantime, the list of candidates continues to grow, there being 14 in the race to date, and none of them "look to" the suggestion of former Lieut. Gov. Whit Davidson of Marshall that the entire field draw down and join in an appeal to the state democratic executive committee to call a convention for the purpose of choosing a candidate acceptable to all factions.

Here is a late inventory of the gubernatorial candidates: Oscar F. Holcomb, Houston; E. G. Senler, Dallas; Thomas B. Love, Dallas; Miss Katie Daffan, Ennis; Barry Miller, Dallas; T. N. Mauritz, Ganado; W. Gregory Hatcher, Dallas; Charlton Brown, Mineral Wells; James Young, Kaufman; Earl B. Mayfield, Austin; James E. Ferguson, Austin; Fred B. Robinson, Waco; Clint Small, Wellington; and F. G. Thompson, Sherman.

Speaking of the big field of candidates for governor recalls the threat of the Democrats who bolted the Democratic presidential nominees in 1928 to vote for the Herbert Hoover electors to bring out some one against United Senator Morris Sheppard in retaliation for his loyalty to the party ticket. Senator Sheppard has two opponents, but neither is from the bolter faction of the party. They are R. L. Henry of Houston, former Congressman, who favors repeal of the 18th amendment, which Senator Sheppard was instrumental in writing into the constitution, and C. A. Mitchner of Sherwood, who would have the government present every "poor man" a cow and close the New York and Chicago stock exchanges. Incidentally, he favors light wines and beer.

Frank Hughes, 61 year old Italy, Texas, constable, has been a peace officer for 30 years.

## Texas Governor's

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will give you a business administration, and to throw the whole kit and bin, of these professional office seekers into the discard."

Not only the responsibility but the cost of government is on the individual citizen, Mr. Young showed. "The state has not a penny except what is derived from taxes," he declared. "It is proposed now to issue \$350,000,000 in state road bonds. Do you know what those bonds will be? They will be mortgages on your homes and farms and livestock. The proponents of the bond issue say they will pay those bonds out of the four cent gasoline tax. That's all very well, but the bonds must be secured by the property tax, and the next legislature or any legislature may repeal the gasoline tax, and then you and your children and your children's children would have to pay those promissory notes which we call bonds."

The speaker pointed out that while he favored good highways, road construction is still an expensive experiment, "and in ten or twenty years the roads we built this year or next year will be out of date, unfitted for the traffic conditions of that day and time; but the bonds will still be there and our children will be paying for something that is no good at all. I know an East Texas county that issued forty-year bonds some years ago and built gravel roads, the best then known. Those gravel roads are on their way to China now, and the bonds are still being paid. We ought to pay as we go. The highway commission will have \$50,000,000 annually with which to build roads. This ought to be enough for any three men to spend in a year."

The tax money of Texas also paid for the fertile state prison farm lands, Mr. Young reminded his hearers: "and what do they propose to do with these fine farms? Give them away! Abandon them! And then to spend seven or eight million dollars for a big industrial prison plant near Austin, for the legislature to operate! That's my money and your money they want to spend. I don't doubt that somebody wants to buy those rich prison farm lands, and I don't doubt that somebody else wants to sell some land near Austin. The state never was a good land trader, and you and I, whose tax money is involved, would lose on both ends of that deal."

Another way Mr. Young proposed to reduce taxes is by eliminating useless government bureaus, cutting out duplications of work and discharging all government employees who are not earning their salaries.

## Pipe is Purchased For Water System

The Panhandle Construction Company has sub-contracted the work on the water distribution system in Ballinger from Brown & Root, general contractors, and will ship all pipe here within a few days. Mayor W. C. McCarver said he had been advised that all pipe had been purchased and consigned to Ballinger. The sub-contractors will begin work on the system when material arrives.

This improvement will add a number of six- and eight-inch mains. Most of these will be laid in the residential sections of the city. A few ten-inch mains will be installed near the business district where small pipes are now inadequate to take care of the water consumption. Approximately 30 new fire hydrants will be placed in the business district where obsolete plugs are now in use.

Mayor McCarver stated that he expected about ten firms to figure on the construction of the new city hall building here. He has been informed by Paul Silber, architect, that approximately that number have asked for blue prints on the contract with the view of submitting bids.

The commission, City Engineer Roy Davis and the architect will meet on Wednesday, April 30, for the purpose of awarding the contract on this building. All bids will be opened and tabulated, and it is probable that three separate contracts will be let. One contract will be for the construction of the building, one for the electric wiring and installation of fixtures, and another for the plumbing and gas fixtures.

Contractors will have ninety working days in which to complete the municipal building.

The committee appointed by County Judge Paul Trimmer to adjudicate condemnation proceedings on the land which the city will be required to buy for the new reservoir site examined the Johnson tract Thursday. A hearing is scheduled for Friday morning at which time the committee will report.

## RESUCE WORKER VISITS BALLINGER THURSDAY

Blanch Welch, state representative of the rescue home of the Volunteers of America was in Ballinger Thursday working in the interest of that institution. Miss Welch visits here once each year and solicits funds for the operation of the home at Ft. Worth.

She stated Thursday that there were a number of babies in the home at the present time for adoption and that anyone in Ballinger desiring to adopt a baby could do so by making the proper application. She said on her visit a year ago a similar statement was made by her and published, which resulted in several adoptions.

She expects to complete her solicitation here Thursday afternoon and go on to the next stop.

## MANY PEOPLE HERE FOR NATHAN ALLEN FUNERAL

Funeral services for Nathan Jefferson Allen were held Thursday afternoon at the First Methodist Church of this city. Rev. T. E. Bowman, pastor of the church, returned from Bronie Thursday at noon to conduct the rites and many pioneer cattlemen were here to pay respects to their life-long friend. A large crowd of sorrowing friends gathered at the church and at the home prior to the funeral.

Mr. Allen had been a resident of Runnels county for the past 51 years and during that time devoted most of his attention to the cattle business. The ranch that he called home for the past forty-odd years still remains the property of the family.

Following services at the church a long procession followed the remains to Old Runnels where the body was laid to rest.

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