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City Commission Cuts Tax Rate Ten Cents

The city commission Tuesday afternoon approved the budget, adopted the tax rolls and set the tax rate for 1933 at \$1.10. This is a reduction of 10 cents on the \$100 valuation and makes the fourth straight year that a reduction has been made here. The rate in 1929 was \$1.50, in 1930 it was reduced to \$1.45, in 1931 to \$1.35, in 1932 to \$1.20.

Property values on the rolls for this year are less than in several years totaling only \$2,850,000 as compared to more than \$3,000,000 previously. City officials pointed out that the reduction this year would mean that the current year's taxes and a major portion of the delinquent list must be paid. The commissioners declared they believed citizens of Ballinger wanted to pay their taxes and would appreciate the reductions made during the past four years and show their appreciation by prompt payment.

The city of Ballinger has operated on a cash basis, paying its bills each month. At the present time all accounts are paid and money has been transferred to sinking funds for interest and principal on outstanding bonded indebtedness.

Property values in Ballinger have remained about the same. A few places have been lowered on account of depreciation while others have been raised because of improvements made recently. The loss in valuations here came from the personal property owned on January 1. Merchants' stocks were low at that time and prices were at the bottom.

When the board of equalization met this week 150 property owners were notified to appear before the body. Only 25 appeared and they went away apparently satisfied.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT ADOPTS NEW TAX ROLL

The commissioners' court of Runnels county was in session here Tuesday to inspect and adopt the county tax roll. Official approval was given the 1933 roll which will be turned over to collector W. A. Forgy at once.

Mr. Forgy is preparing to mail notices to property owners of this county to inform them of the amount of taxes due the state and county. As soon as this is done he will begin making out receipts and will be ready in a few days for the tax paying period.

Mrs. J. M. Betterton returned home Wednesday from San Angelo, where she visited friends the past two weeks.

Mrs. W. R. Harmon, of San Angelo, visited friends here Wednesday.

Boy Scout Rally is Scheduled in City For Friday Night

There will be a Boy Scout rally at the camp house in city park Friday evening at 7:30. B. W. Draper, executive of the Concho valley area, will be here to meet the boys of troop 30, parents and sponsors of the work in Ballinger. He will also be glad to talk to boys who would like to become members of a local troop.

A special invitation is being extended to all members of the Ballinger Rotary Club, sponsor of the local troop.

Any church organization, civic club or lodge that is willing to sponsor a troop in Ballinger is requested to send a delegation or committee to this meeting and so inform local leaders. The scoutmasters hope to organize three or more troops in the near future but must have sponsors for these units.

There will be no supper served at the camp house this week as the meeting was planned hurriedly and leaders thought best to have as many as would hear Mr. Draper and see the work done by the local Scouts.

Troop 30 is at full strength at this time and has done excellent work this summer under Scoutmaster E. H. Forgy and Walter Atwell, assistant. A number of the boys attended Camp Louis Farr this summer and have attended other meetings in the area.

Runnels, Concho Highway Work is Now at Standstill

At the present there is no road construction being done in either Runnels or Concho counties for the first time in five years. All contracts in both counties have been finished and the state resident engineer's office here is busy making estimates of completed work and plans for other projects to be let in the near future.

G. M. Garrett, state resident engineer, stated Wednesday that his office staff was drawing plans for the grading, drainage structures and surfacing of highway 4 from Winters north to the Taylor county line. This will be a national recovery act project, funds coming from the \$24,000,000 federal money allotted Texas, half of which is to be spent on designated highways. The plans will include building small drainage structures, the large ones having already been completed, grading the roadbed and surfacing.

Plans have been drawn and submitted from this office for surfacing highway 4 from the northern to the southern limits of Eden. A contract for this small project is expected to be let at an early date.

All Runnels county highway construction has been completed and accepted by the state maintenance department. Final estimates and settlements have not been made on a portion of highway 23.

In Concho county highway 4 from the Runnels county line to a point 6 1/2 miles south of Paint Rock has been graded, surfaced, and drainage structures built. From this point to Eden, a distance of 14 1/2 miles, the grading and drainage structures have been completed but no contract has been awarded for surfacing. This road is in excellent shape for travel and as it was routed through caliche hills the top of the grade has been covered with this material to make it an all-weather route. Drainage structures and grading have been completed on highway 4 from Eden south to the Menard county line but no contract has been let for topping.

Highway 9 from a point 1 mile east of Eden west to the Tom Green county line has been finished with a triple-A asphalt topping and is open to travel. Highway 9 from 1 mile east of Eden to the McCulloch county line so far has nothing done on it. Not all of the right-of-way has been secured.

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Rally Day to be Observed at First Christian Church

The First Christian Church Sunday school will observe rally day Sunday with a program by the children starting at 9:45 a. m. This school promoted children in the various departments last week and leaders are arranging a unique program for next Sunday.

Owen Dorsey, general superintendent, is assisted by the following superintendents of departments—cradle roll, Mrs. H. I. Armstrong; children's department, Mrs. Horace Murphy; young people, Miss Marian Wooden.

Rev. Lee Whipple, pastor, stated that in case the program continued past the Sunday school closing time that the church service would be shortened but that regular preaching would be held in the morning.

Parents especially are invited to be present Sunday to see the children perform. Each department will take part in the program with the smaller children and babies responsible for a considerable portion of the exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stobaugh, of Coleman, were in Ballinger Tuesday, attending to business and visiting relatives and friends.

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Texas Highway Commission Busy Awarding Contracts



Members of the Texas Highway commission in session, busy awarding contracts for \$24,000,000 of roads from industrial recovery and Federal unemployment relief funds. Fully 90 per cent of this allotment will be awarded before the year is out. In the picture John Wood, just confirmed as chairman and six-year member of the commission, holds the gavel. D. K. Martin of San Antonio is at left and Judge W. R. Ely of Abilene is at the right in the picture.

Community Wheat Reduction Meets Set for County

A check-up of the progress made on the government wheat reduction plan in this county to date shows that twenty-eight farmers have declared they intend to participate. These growers and any others interested are asked to attend one of the sign-up meetings to be held next week for the purpose of explaining the plan, answering specific questions and offering farmers an opportunity to sign contracts.

The following night meetings have been scheduled by County Agent Elmo Cook: Monday, October 2, Wingate; Tuesday, October 3, Crews; Wednesday, October 4, Winters; Thursday, October 5, Rowena. At 2:30 p. m. Saturday, October 7, a meeting will be held at the county agent's office in the court house in Ballinger to which all farmers who raise wheat for harvest are invited.

Mr. Cook stated that it was impossible for him to hold day-time meetings and attend to the cotton checks being received at this time. It is because of the rush of distributing the plow-up checks that he has arranged community meetings at night to discuss the government wheat plan.

The time for signing up is short and Mr. Cook urges everyone interested to attend one of the above meetings. "Those growers who sowed wheat for harvest any two of the years 1930, 1931, or 1932, and who sowed a crop for harvest in 1933 should be interested in the wheat plan," Mr. Cook pointed out, "as the government guarantees those who sign up a normal price of 54¢ of their average production during the five-year period, 1928-1932."

Mr. Cook is spending most of his mornings at various communities in the county, distributing cotton checks. These trips are made in order to give farmers quick delivery of their money. Each afternoon and on Saturdays he is in his office here on the third floor of the court house.

CONTRACT FOR PRINTING BAPTIST MINUTES AWARDED

The Ballinger Printing Company has just been awarded a contract for printing the annual minutes for the Runnels County Baptist Association. The job, to be delivered the first part of October, will contain some fifty or more pages including tabulated forms of financial reports for the thirty-odd churches in the district.

This company has just completed and delivered the tax receipt books for the city of Ballinger and the Ballinger Independent school district. With the aid of an out-of-town bookbinder these jobs were delivered in first class condition and complimented by the secretaries and collectors.

Another job just finished by the local print shop is for the Palace Theater at Anson, consisting of dates in red and other special work.

Chas. Coombes is reported to be recovering from an operation in a St. Louis hospital and expected to return home soon. He went there three weeks ago to be with his father and became ill, physicians advising an operation.

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Status of Runnels Road Building is Given by Trimmier

Judge Paul Trimmier, speaking to the Ballinger Rotary Club Tuesday in regard to the finished highway program in the county, stated that no tax had been levied by the commissioners' court in road district No. 3 this year. In district No. 2 only a 7-cent tax was levied to take care of outstanding indebtedness, the judge said.

The reason no tax was asked of property owners in road district No. 3 in 1932 and 1933 was because of savings in construction costs which left enough money on hand to take care of the county's part of the interest and principal.

Judge Trimmier explained in detail the construction of the four highways leading into Ballinger and what part the county had in financing these projects. Each of the four routes were termed federal highways and in the beginning the county expected to put up one-third of the cost. In the final two contracts on highway 23 east from Ballinger the state highway department paid the entire cost from federal funds, saving the county a large sum.

From the \$24,000,000 allotted to Texas for emergency highway work Judge Trimmier said Runnels county would receive something like \$4 per capita. The completion of highway 4 north of Winters is the main project before the county at present and it will require all this and some additional money to finish it. Grading, base building and surfacing on this project is expected to begin in the near future. Drainage structures on this road have already been completed with dirt fills serving as approaches to the spans.

The only remaining piece of work of interest to the people of this section is the designated route from Ballinger to Bronte. The speaker stated that there was nothing to report in regard to this project and that none of the federal emergency funds would be available for this work.

M. F. Kirby, of the Herring community, transacted business in Ballinger Wednesday.

Runnels Farmers Seek Emergency Loans on Land

There are 35 or 40 applications for loans on farms in Runnels county pending at this time under the emergency farm mortgage act of 1933. All emergency loans as well as regular loans are being handled through the federal land bank of Houston. Applications for this county are filed with Paul Trimmier, secretary of the Runnels county unit.

Judge Trimmier stated Wednesday that the emergency loans would total approximately \$100,000. There are also applications out for regular loans for this county through the federal land bank totalling approximately \$50,000.

Some of the applications for emergency loans are being divided, a portion of it being granted by the federal land bank on its regular loan form and the balance from the emergency fund.

The Houston bank has added a night crew to speed up the consideration of applications and the closing of loans. A. C. Williams, president of the bank stated:

"In the past seven weeks," Mr. Williams said, "more applications have been received than during the previous 29 months, beginning at the outset of 1931. In the first three weeks of September 2,631 Texas farmers applied for loans totalling \$12,023,828." This was nearly twenty-four times the volume of loans sought during the same period of last year.

"When the emergency mortgage act of 1933 was passed by congress in May, we had nine appraisers in the field and about 125 men in training. When their training is completed those who are qualified will be appointed and assigned to regular appraisal work. This will further accelerate the handling of the large number of applications now on hand and being received by the bank. Officers and employees of the bank are earnestly endeavoring to give prompt assistance to deserving farmers of Texas," Mr. Williams said.

Mrs. S. P. Hathaway is in Fort Worth where she is receiving treatment following an operation for sinus trouble.

Be wise and advertise.

Rural Schools to Open In County Next Month

Woman is Injured When Automobile Crashes in Ditch

Miss Audra Lee Smith sustained painful injuries about the face Tuesday morning when the automobile in which she was riding went into a ditch on North Eighth Street. She and Miss Eva Lilly had started to the country on business and the driver of the car started to turn into the road which leads to the Ballinger Country Club and in doing so went into a deep ditch. The car did not turn over but headed straight into the ditch. When it hit the bottom of the ditch it threw Miss Smith against the front of the car breaking a small bone in her nose, injuring a cheek and bruising her upper lip. Miss Lilly, driver of the car, received only a few minor bruises and cuts.

Miss Smith was taken at once to a surgeon's office where her wounds were dressed and the small bone set. She was resting well Tuesday afternoon and expected to be able to leave the institution within a short time.

The automobile windshield was broken but the machine was not damaged otherwise. Miss Lilly stated that they were driving only about ten miles an hour and that she started to turn the corner too late to make the curve. When she saw that the car was going into the ditch she had presence of mind to let it go head first and prevent turning over.

SPRING HILL SCHOOL WILL OPEN MONDAY

The Spring Hill school will begin its 1933-34 term Monday morning. The trustees decided crops were sufficiently gathered to allow good attendance for the opening. Miss Iona Harris and Mrs. Jack Mason are teachers of this school.

Advertised goods move.

All Runnels county public schools not now open will begin their fall terms either on October 2 or 9. Independent district schools have been open since the first of September.

County Superintendent R. E. White announced Wednesday that the following information regarding school opening dates and facilities had been furnished his office:

Runnels, October 9—Mrs. J. E. Kerr and Mrs. Helen Connell

Crews, October 9—W. T. Gassiot, Mrs. W. T. Gassiot, C. M. McGlathery, Miss Irene Smith, Miss Clara Meeks, Mrs. Willean Allcorn and Miss Nettie Landrum

Content, October 9—W. B. Williams, Mrs. W. B. Williams, J. Marvin Williams, Morris Shelton, Miss Lovie Cadenhead, Miss Ione McIntyre, Mrs. Lum Gray, Miss Parker

Maverick, October 9—E. C. Grindstaff, Mrs. E. C. Grindstaff, W. C. Bryan, Miss Maud Brookshier

Bethel, October 9—D. C. Hornburg, Henry R. Leach, Jack McKay, Miss Elsie Gikerson, Miss Iola Clayton, Miss Ada Simmons, Miss Pearl Holton

Dale, October 9—Mrs. Mellee Pierce and Miss Frankie Pierce

Hagan, October 2—Mrs. Earl Holliday and Miss Velma Turner

Benoit, October 2—Miss Zaza Chenoweth and Mrs. Krehbiel Allison

Barnett, October 9—Mrs. Bruce Chastain and Miss Ruth Morgan

Bell, October 9—Miss Daisy Sebastian

North Norton, October 2—Miss Doxie Louder and Miss Maxine Crockett

Marie, October 9—J. L. Carroll and Mrs. J. L. Carroll

Pumphrey, October 2—C. R. Lowe, Mrs. C. R. Lowe and Mrs. Ila Mitchell

Independence, October 9—U. S. Daniel, Miss Faye Mitchell and Mrs. Elhel Rampy

Cochran, October 9—Spence Chambers

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FOR RENT—The Hutton house on Eighth Street. See J. M. Garlington. 26-31

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COWS SHOW GRATITUDE FOR MODERN HOMES

AMSTERDAM, Holland, Sept. 28.—Cows in Holland which have been provided all the comforts of a modern home are showing their gratitude by giving more milk and they will get even greater privileges. They now have the best of food, their sheds are heated in winter and if the winds are cold they even wear overcoats when they go out.
The floors of the cowsheds are laid with shining white tiles, which are kept spotless clean, and in many of the sheds there may be lace curtains. The cow's horns are scrubbed and polished and her coat is groomed until it is glossy. In the dark months of the year the sheds are lighted with electricity, so as to make things cheerful for the bossies.

Vineyard Queen



A new industry for Texas was formally inaugurated at Newcastle, Young county, when Mrs. Roy E. Veal, wife of a grape grower, broke a bottle of grape juice against the new farmer-owned grape juice factory there, first in Texas. Mrs. Veal was crowned Queen of Vineyards. She is pictured above in her cellophane gown, which, besides being beautiful, prevented her frock from being soiled by the grape juice.

WEDS AFTER SPENDING 27 YEARS IN HOSPITAL

MELBOURNE, Australia, Sept. 28.—Painful years dragged themselves past the cot of a patient in a hospital at East Melbourne, and then suddenly—romance. In 1906 Gordon Anderson, a young ship's officer, was admitted to Bethesda, the Salvation Army intermediate hospital, and he has been a spinal patient there for twenty-seven years. Now he has been married. The bride worked in the hospital while the romance developed, and she is continuing her work there as Mrs. Gordon Anderson. The ceremony was performed by a clergyman, also an old patient at the hospital. Anderson was first mate of the ship Lochregan. With other seafaring men then in port he was invited to the opening of Bethesda twenty-seven years ago. Instead, he arrived there as a patient, having fallen down the hold of his ship.

NEW SOVIET INVENTION MAY SAVE MILLIONS YEARLY

MOSCOW, Sept. 28.—More than \$7,500,000 a year will be saved by the Soviet government if an invention which has been officially adopted comes up to the claims of the commissariat of communications.
The invention is a new compound to replace lead sheathing for cables. It is obtained from wood cellulose and cotton waste and is said to be unaffected by stray electric current or the acid properties of the soil, a defect which is the chief objection to lead sheathing. The new sheathing will make it possible to have all telephone and telegraph wires underground.

School Campus is Being Protected For Few Months

The improvements made on the Ballinger school campus this summer with RFC labor and material and hauling furnished by the school district funds, are being carefully taken care of during the school year. Teachers in the primary and elementary buildings have issued orders regarding children walking or playing on the part of the campus recently sodded.

The plot at the rear of the buildings is being used for playgrounds this year and pupils have orders to use the sidewalks when passing in front of the buildings. In this way the grass will have a chance to become well sodded before next term, thus adding much to the beauty of the campus and also making a better playground for the children.

The only disadvantage is that some of the playground equipment is isolated from children in the primary building. This is for only a short time, however, and there is plenty of playground room at the north side of the building.

The grass has a fine start and is growing rapidly. It is about ready to mow and runners have started which will soon make the ground a mass of green. Fieldstone shrub beds have been built around the buildings and later will be planted with some kind of evergreens.

GIRL COUNTERFEITER ASTOUNDS DETECTIVES

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Cleverest of all counterfeiters of Bank of England notes in many years, found traced to a girl 23 years of age. Only a few were circulating, but they were so perfect that none of them was detected until it was returned to the Bank of England.

Harold Bates and his wife, Evelyn, aroused suspicion by always carefully locking the doors of their rooms in an apartment house. When the police burst in the girl threw something into the fire. Salvaged paper revealed the counterfeiters that had so worried Scotland Yard. The girl, a pretty artist, confessed. She and her husband were unemployed. She said that making the counterfeiters was so difficult and required so much time that she could earn more at her craft when regularly employed. In court she gave an account of how the notes were made, but the details were suppressed.

Fish Sting Fatal

DUNGENESS, England, Sept. 28.—On the eve of his marriage William Tart, 39, of Dungeness, died as the result of a sting inflicted by a weaver, a fish six inches long. While removing mackerel from a net he picked up the tiny fish and instantly felt the sting. In spite of treatment at the Folkestone Hospital he succumbed to the infection.

Labor Queen



Here's the girl chosen by ladies labor unions as the city's most beautiful. She is Margaret Patton, winner of a Labor bathing beauty revue. Miss Patton won over 75 contestants.

South Announces For Congress Seat In 21st District

C. L. South, of Coleman, district attorney of the 35th judicial district, has announced as a candidate for congress from the new 21st district. Mr. South is well known in most of the territory comprising 27 West Texas counties. In Runnels county he served as district attorney for about one year when the 35th district court met here. He also was county judge of Coleman county for some time and became well known over a wide area of the state while serving in that capacity.

He is the first man to make a definite statement that he would seek the new place in congress. A number of others have shown that they are interested but have not made a positive announcement for the office.

WOMAN DEFENDS HERSELF IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS

LONDON, Sept. 28.—A woman speaking in the House of Lords was the unusual spectacle recently when Miss Margaret Cherry Smith, a Glasgow teacher, argued her appeal against a decision of the Scottish courts.

Miss Smith wore a long black gown, a white soft collar with tie and gold-rimmed spectacles. She spoke in a staccato tone with a slight Scottish accent, and appeared a little nervous. She alleged that the Scottish education officials had passed a resolution to dismiss her on letters and reports which, in her contention, made false representations in regard both to her health and capacity as a teacher.

Miss Smith holds the title of Lady Literate in Arts of the University of St. Andrews, with honors in French and German, and she said she was the most highly certified teacher in Scotland.

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Mrs. J. G. Douglass and Mrs. T. H. Crockett visited at Norton Thursday.

Mrs. Emma Nash has returned from a short visit with her son at San Antonio.

An effort to legislate against transportation of wild game by airplane in Montana was unsuccessful.

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6.00-18	12.70	13.25	18.45
6.00-19 H.D.	15.60	16.15	21.45
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Ford Chevrolet 4.75-19 7.45	Ford Chevrolet 4.75-19 6.70	Ford Chevrolet 4.50-21 4.25
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ANKLE SPRAINS

The treatment of sprains of the ankles depends upon the severity of the sprain and the direction of the stress suffered by the joint.

The ankle more commonly is twisted inwardly. Such a sprain usually injures the external ligaments and the external small muscles of the foot.

Every sprain of the ankle, except the very mildest ones, should receive medical attention, including an X-ray. It is not uncommon to find a fracture associated with a sprain.

In a severe sprain, one should avoid immediate use of the affected foot. Rest and the application of cold are indicated, until medical treatment is received.

In the milder sprains, application of a gentle bandage or strap is indicated. When strapped or bandaged, the foot should be drawn up.

This position avoids the danger of shortening and the formation of adhesions about the Achilles tendon. In applying a bandage, gentle pressure over painful areas is desirable.

Care must be taken in strapping and bandaging not to interfere with the circulation of the foot. Interference with circulation is indicated by a change in the color of the flesh and by a puffiness under the skin.

Gentle massage and radiant heat applied over the strapping is desirable.

Massage, exercise and heat should be kept up until the foot can be moved painlessly and in all directions.

Ordinarily, in the case of a mild sprain, it is not necessary to keep the bandage on for longer than three or four days.

Subsequently it is desirable to exercise the foot to strengthen the muscles, and to prevent dropping of the arches. The exercise, however, should be gentle and should not cause pain.

If pain, swelling and discomfort on walking do not disappear within a reasonable period, say, a week or so, one should secure medical attention.

IF YOU SMOKE TOO MUCH WATCH YOUR STOMACH

For quick relief from indigestion and upset stomach due to excessive smoking try Dr. Emil's Adia Tablets. Don't stop smoking, just use Adia Tablets. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. In Rowena by Shiller's Pharmacy.

4-H GIRL GARDENER INTENDS TO STANDARDIZE GRAPE JUICE

RASTROP, Tex., Sept. 28.—"I want to standardize grape juice too," said Winona Schultz, member of the Paige 4-H club in Rastrop county after she had received a letter from Miss Zetha McInnis, home industries specialist of A. & M. College, stating that her tomato juice was a standard product. She has canned 53 containers of tomato juice.

Winona, who is the garden demonstrator for her club this year, gathered 1,183 pounds of vegetables from her spring garden. Of this amount 671 pounds were canned, 462 pounds were eaten fresh, and 40 pounds were dried. Her spring garden contained 28 varieties of vegetables including the following: lettuce, cucumbers, strawberries, mustard, collards, beans (five varieties), cauliflower, spinach, parsley, dill, cantaloupes, peas (three varieties), squash, English peas, carrots, cabbage, beets, radish, kohlrabi, onions, garlic, shallots, tomatoes, asparagus, okra, and cushaw.

According to the report of Miss Dessie Hoerster, home demonstration agent, Winona has canned a total of 339 containers for the family pantry, has helped others can 261 containers, and has started a bank account as the result of her club work.

Old Texas STICKS STANALA

Advertisement for 'Old Texas' featuring a cow and a rabbit. Text includes 'STEEL BRANDED MURDER', 'JACK RABBIT IS NOT AN ANIMAL (LEGALLY)', and 'THE BIGGEST FISH IN THE RIO-GRANDE RIVER ARE CAUGHT BY USING LAUNDRY SOAP FOR BAIT'.

Lions in the Belgian Congo, Stimulated By Economic Crisis, Raising More Cubs

BRUSSELS, Sept. 28.—Bitter complaints about the increasing boldness of lions in the Congo that are killing natives, stealing cattle and reducing the supplies of game have led to investigation. It appears that for the last two years, lions have been going in for intensive breeding. Feeling that there was a demand for lion cubs, they have been increasing their output two or threefold, producing more numerous and larger litters. Strong in numbers, they are digging themselves in, regardless of the feeling of the natives.

The increase in the lion population of the Congo is, no doubt, primarily due to the crisis that has sent the natives back to their homes and the white colonists to Belgium. Further, the fee for shooting wild beasts has been increased and the game laws have

been strictly enforced. The authorities, when making the new rules, hardly expected, however, that the lions would get wind of the matter, and immediately begin to increase their numbers without the least respect for statistics based on years of observation of the habits and customs of lions.

This increase of wild beasts seems to be general, for they are very quick on the uptake. Six weeks after the outbreak of the great war, for instance, the English Channel, long a closed playground for seals, dolphins and others, all ready to return to a playground shut for centuries. Seamen then wondered how the news had got round, just as the Congo government wants to know who told the lions about the crisis.

KENYA COLONY DECLARES WAR ON RHINOCEROS

NAIROBI, Kenya, Africa, Sept. 28.—Rhinoceroses have been terrorizing natives in the Nyeri district of Kenya Colony, and the government has declared war on the beasts following the finding of a man who had been mangled by a rhinoceros.

J. A. Hunter, a well-known professional big-game shot, is being specially employed, and in three days he accounted for eleven of these dangerous beasts. While he was tracking the animals in the thick brush he approached what he thought to be a thick stick in the grass. It was the upraised horn of a rhino, and the next second three of the animals were charging toward Hunter. He shot the first two from the two barrels of his gun, then hastily reloaded and dropped the third.

Black-Draught Clears Up Sluggish, Dull Feeling

"I have used Theodor's Black-Draught for constipation for a long time, and find it gives relief for this trouble," writes Mrs. Frank Champion, of Wynne, Ark. "I think it is good for spells caused from gas on the stomach. If I get up in the morning feeling dull and sluggish, a dose of Black-Draught taken three times a day will cause the feeling to pass away, and in a day or two I feel like a new person. After many years of use we would not exchange Black-Draught for any medicine."

Dog Faithful to End

CORNWALL, England, Sept. 28.—When the body of George King, a shepherd, aged 78, was found in a field near here recently, his dog Chum had to be lassoed by the police before he could be moved. Chum had been King's companion of many years and grieved so greatly for his master that a policeman shot him with King's gun. King often had said he wanted the dog to die with him.

Advertisement for 'PLAN TO GO' featuring a cow and a pig. Text includes 'SEE THE BEST AGRICULTURE LIVESTOCK POULTRY' and '13 FOOTBALL GAMES BECKMAN-GERETT SHOWS SOUTHWESTERN CHAMPION COWBOY CONTEST'.

Gold Has Swayed Destiny of Man For Many Years

WASHINGTON, September 28.—The intricate part that gold has played in the affairs of civilization, and something of the yellow metal, are disclosed by Frederick Simpich, in a communication to the National Geographic Society.

"When gold was used merely as a personal adornment, in plate or in the decorative arts," he writes, "it swayed the destiny only of those who possessed it, as in Peru and Mexico, or when Rome paid chariot loads of it to the barbarians to save herself from being sacked. But when gold came into wide use as money, to measure wages, prices and the cost of living in all nations, then it began to influence the whole world.

Only about half of the world's gold production since the discovery of America can be definitely located.

"Since 1492 the world has mined \$22,413,757,117, as officially reported. Of this, about 80 per cent has been produced since 1860.

"But today the world's nations hold, as monetary gold stock, only about \$11,940,000,000.

"The missing ten billions or more went, much of it, just as in olden times. In 1931, for instance, of roughly \$49,000,000 of gold mined in the United States alone, about \$29,000,000 was consumed in industry. In America today it is the goldbeaters and the dentists

who eliminate much gold from circulation.

"Europe's gold when Columbus first sailed westward amounted to less than some present-day family fortunes. Part of this Europe had mined, part she had plundered from other lands. Some of her gold so gained was drained off in trade to India and the Orient.

"India, in time, became the world's greatest gold hoarder. The treasure sink of the world, she has been called. Just how much gold is still hidden in the secret vaults of her princes nobody knows; from 1873 to 1930, however, the records show that India imported about \$2,800,000,000 in gold.

"In the monetary system of the United States the gold dollar, though not now made, is the unit of value; it weighs 25.8 grains and is 0.900 fine.

"Gold coins of \$5, \$10 and \$20 are now minted, known as half eagles, eagles and double eagles. Among workers in the mint the eagle's picture is always called 'The Goose.' One thousand dollars of United States gold coin weighs just 3.685 pounds avoirdupois, and at the mint I found it, in bar form, an easy handful.

"Since the World War began the world has swiftly increased its effective stock of gold. This has, in fact, grown by about \$6,800,000,000, or 140 per cent, in the last nineteen years. More gold is being mined, less has been used recently in the trades, and private hoardings are being surrendered in India. These are the chief causes of the increase.

"Growth in the world's gold since 1922 has been largely due to increased output in South Africa and Canada. Since 1929, however, our own gold-mine yield has slightly increased. All gold mined

in the world in 1932 is estimated now at \$460,000,000.

"Most of the great gold strikes, say mining engineers, have probably been made. The world has been more thoroughly prospected for gold than for any other metal. It may be vain, then, to hope for another series of gold finds as rich as were Cripple Creek, the Lena, the Rand, or the Klondike.

"Yet from year to year gold strikes of varying importance are constantly recorded. Exciting tales of rich strikes, of dazzling fortunes exposed by one lucky stroke of the pick, the spirit of adventure and romance that clings to the gold hunter's career, leave man indefatigable in his search."

Get the "Feel of the Ford"—at the Wheel. 8-7t

295-Pound Woman Seeks Husband

LURAY, Va., Sept. 28.—Weighing 295 pounds, Mrs. Elsie Cave, most corpulent woman in Page county recently entered the matrimonial market by advertising in the local paper for a spouse. When last heard from Mrs. Cave had received fourteen replies, the most pleasing of which came from a gallant New Jersey man. She has not indicated her intentions as yet. Mrs. Cave is 22 years old and about 5 feet 4 inches tall. She lives near Stanley.

Advertised goods move.

Advertisement for '666' medicine. Text includes 'Liquid, Tablets, Salve, Nose Drops Checks Malaria in 3 days, Colds First day, Headaches or Neuralgia in 30 minutes. Fine Laxative and Tonic Most Speedy Remedies Known.'

Advertisement for 'NERVES' medicine. Text includes 'Here's a good way to quiet "NERVES"—A Dr. Miles' Effervescent Nervine Tablet, a glass of water, a pleasant, sparkling drink. Nerves relax. You can rest, sleep, enjoy life. At your drug store. 25c and \$1.00.'

Advertisement for C. C. Sessions Law Office. Text includes 'General Practice in State and Federal Courts Security State Bank Bldg. Ballinger, Texas'

Advertisement for Complete Abstracts to Land in Rannels County. Text includes 'GUARANTY TITLE CO. Ballinger, Texas Office E. Shepperd & Co., Bldg.'

Advertisement for Greenwood Service Station.

Advertisement for C. F. Shepherd Attorney-at-Law. Text includes 'Will Practice in All the Courts Office Over Security State Bank Telephones Residence 161 Office 156'

HAS YOUR ADDRESS CHANGED RECENTLY?

Ledger subscribers are requested to notify the publishers of any change in their addresses promptly. Under the new postal laws newspapers and periodicals must pay postage due for notices of any changes in address furnished by the postoffice. In addition there always is the probability that your paper will be delayed or fail to reach you altogether if you do not give immediate notification when you move.

The best plan for all parties concerned is to send the change of address in advance.

About 3,000 more children are preparing to enter school in this county during the next two weeks. Going to school means new clothes for the boys and girls and merchants who are trying to increase their volume will not overlook the fact that Rannels county students spend many dollars during the term.

A number of farmers have picked over their cotton fields one time and have a few weeks of leisure before beginning the second and final round. Most fields have not been picked over once, however, and gins are running steadily in every section of Rannels county. Mexicans have supplied the need for excess labor and practically all farmers have all the pickers they can use at this time.

THANK YOU

We thank the many people who have told us they thought we were doing the right thing to discontinue the Tuesday edition of this paper and concentrate all our efforts on the Friday edition. We appreciate these remarks and the fine promise of patronage from Ballinger merchants for the one-a-week issue. We will not try to publish state and national events except those that happen near press day, but will try harder than ever to fill The Ledger with Ballinger and Rannels county news. Our rural correspondents will do their share with weekly letters, giving news of their communities. Any neighborhood not represented on our rural page is urged to arrange for a reporter and we will reserve a column for the purpose.

In endeavoring to cooperate with the NRA we urge merchants to help us by furnishing us their advertising copy as early as possible each week. Our printers are allowed only 40 hours a week and not over 8 hours in any one day and when we are forced to accept copy for ads Wednesday and Thursday morning it is difficult to give good service and put the paper in the mails on time.

Subscribers who fail to get The Ledger next week are requested to notify the office promptly. In changing the lists and making up a mail edition of the city routes, some errors doubtless will occur and the management will be only too glad to correct any mistake.

Stairs Made Her Gasp for Breath

Penalty of Excess Fat

Although she has lost but 7 lbs. of her overweight, this woman finds that 7 lbs. has made a remarkable difference to her.

Her letter reads: "I am 53 years old and my height is 5 ft. Last year I weighed 154 lbs. I have been taking a half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts, making no change in my diet. Now I am less round the hips, and only weigh 147 lbs. dressed. But I feel lighter and can now run upstairs which before used to make me gasp for breath. Everyone says how well and fit I look." (Miss) J. H.

Kruschen is an ideal blend of 8 separate salts which help body organs to function properly and maintain a splendid degree of health—it builds up energy and strength while you're reducing to normal weight.

Get Kruschen Salts at Weeks Drug Store or any other live drugist in the world—a jar lasts 4 weeks and cost not more than 85 cents.

Europe has 1,225,700 miles of the world's total of 6,665,800 miles of motoring roads.

DOROTHY DARNIT

Comic strip 'DOROTHY DARNIT' by Charles McManus. Panels show Dorothy talking to a man about a stock broker's office, then to another man about tips, and finally to a woman about a winning girl.

By Charles McManus

C. McMANUS.

\$73,250 Urschel Kidnap Money Found at Coleman

One of the most important developments in the Charles F. Urschel kidnaping case to date was the finding Wednesday of \$73,250 of the \$200,000 ransom paid for the release of the Oklahoma oil man on a Coleman county farm, 13 miles south of the town of Coleman. Cass Coleman, uncle of Kathryn Kelly, was arrested and admitted later helping George ("Machine Gun") Kelly bury the money in a thermos jug and a syrup bucket on the Coleman farm.

Will Casey, another farmer residing 15 miles from Coleman and about the same distance from the Cass Coleman farm, was arrested late Wednesday on charges that he gave refuge to Kelly while he was in hiding in Coleman county.

Sheriff Frank Mills, of Coleman, and other county officers with four department of justice operatives went to the Cass Coleman farm early Wednesday morning after receiving a tip on the location of the "hot" money. With the help of Cass Coleman they soon found the containers filled with \$20 bills. All the money recovered was in \$20s with the exception of one \$10 banknote. The money is being secretly held at Coleman until instructions are received for its delivery elsewhere.

Casey and Coleman were taken to Abilene Thursday for arraignment in federal district court.

A Ford truck—pick-up type—was found on a farm near Casey's and has been identified as the one used by Kelly, his wife and 12-year-old Geraldine Arnold to travel about Texas since the kidnaping. Officers would not reveal on whose farm the truck was found.

Following the unearthing of the ransom money at 3 a. m. Wednesday officers said Cass Coleman had been under arrest since Monday. He finally decided to talk and told of helping to bury the money on his farm. Officers arrived there shortly after midnight and it was soon after that the cache was dug up. The bills have been identified by their numbers as a part of the ransom paid for Urschel's release. This

find brings the amount of the recovered portion of the \$200,000 to \$79,650.

Cass Coleman related in his confession Kelly's arrival at his place at midnight on August 14 or 15. He stated that the bandit was alone and brought the money in a suit case. He and Kelly buried the money and Kelly left the next day, according to the statement, but returned two or three times. Casey, on whose farm Kelly hid out, told of a man giving him a vacant house. He declared no woman was with "Baker" and that he did not know the man was Kelly.

The day before the money was found in Coleman county, Kelly and his wife were arrested at Memphis, Tennessee. Department of justice agents asserted that the bandit was at his row's end, being unable to return to Texas after the hidden money.

JAPAN COMES TO AID OF NEGLECTED CHILDREN

TOKYO, Sept. 28.—Some measure of happiness is to come into the lives of Japan's neglected children. Those who have had little care or are ill-treated will be put in charge of kinder guardians.

Under a new law which the Japanese House of Lords has specially urged the government to enforce with vigor, protection will be given to children designated as follows: Those who spend long periods as waiters or dance for the entertainment of customers; those who appear in dangerous or difficult circus acts; those who wander wearily from door to door selling their wares or vend goods on street corners, and those who stand hour after hour as companions to beggars or, still worse, exhibit their deformities for pity of passers-by.

SPAIN, NEW REPUBLIC, HOLDS ANCIENT CHARM

MADRID, Sept. 28.—Spain is a new state in the growing family of European republics, but one of the most ancient and romantic in its varied history, which goes back to the early days of Rome. No land is richer in monuments of

Smith County Gate Open at Last



When the votes were counted in the recent state repeal and beer elections Smith county was left out. It is in the heart of the East Texas oil fields, with the mushrooming metropolis, Tyler, as county seat. The county went wet on the state beer vote but dry on the local option election by a narrow margin. Machinery was quickly set in motion for another local vote, however, and Smith county has now gone wet. Do they like it? Don't ask us—look at the picture above, taken in Tyler when the first license was granted.

many civilizations, from that of the Moors who left a larger impress on the Iberian peninsula than on any other part of Europe, through the years when Spain was the greatest of colonial powers, to the present time when stately Madrid has become the capital of the latest republic.

The visitor to Spain is faced by an embarrassment of riches, for there are at least a dozen cities that should be included in any itinerary. Madrid must be seen for its art galleries, Toledo for the magnificent Escorial, which is a palace, monastery and mausoleum in one, and Salamanca for its ancient university. Seville has its great cathedrals, Girakia and Alcazar. Granada boasts the Alhambra and Andalusian gardens beneath the snow-capped peaks of the Sierra Nevada, and Barcelona is a city of modern bustle and enterprise. The famous monastery of Montserrat is nearby, and there thousands make pilgrimages

every year. Valencia, Santander and San Sebastian are popular resorts on the northern coast which are favorite playgrounds of an international society. The political changes which have taken place in Spain in recent years have resulted in the modernization of railroads, motor roads, hotels and other services for the tourist, but have had little effect upon the customs of the people.

OLD-STYLE APRON BANNED IN TURKISH PROVINCE

ANGORA, Sept. 28.—As the result of a ban on women's aprons placed by authorities of Polati, in Northern Turkey, local seamstresses are busy making more modern dresses.

A voluminous form of apron skirt has been worn for centuries by the women of Polati as part of their regular costumes, but the decree says that it shall never be used again.

Lee Hardware Co. Opens Saturday On South Seventh

The Lee Hardware Company will open for business here Saturday on South Seventh Street next door to the Currie Produce Company. Levy Lee, for a number of years connected with a local hardware concern, is manager of the new store which will carry a complete line of hardware and sporting goods.

The building, formerly occupied by the Community Gas Company, was completely remodeled and repainted last week. Fixtures have been built and placed in the building to display the merchandise.

Mr. Lee stated Thursday that most of his merchandise was on hand, either in the building or in the freight depot and that other shipments would arrive before the opening day. He said a few items ordered in his initial bill were not included in the first shipment but were back ordered and would be here later.

Mr. Lee is well known here and is also well posted on the hardware needs of the people of this section. He will feature the Simmons Keen Kutter and a number of other well known manufacturers' lines.

RUSSIAN SCIENTIST INVENTS TRAIN OF 150 M. P. H. SPEED

MOSCOW, Sept. 28.—With a new idea for locomotives, S. S. Valdner, an official scientist of the Russian transport commissariat, has invented an exceedingly fast railway engine which is called an aerotraine. The prefix "aero" is a trifle misleading, because the locomotive does not fly, but the term is intended to describe the engine as of the aeroplane type, with propellers. It is stated that the train is stable at a speed of more than 150 miles an hour.

The largest bronze statue in the world is the winged statue of Victory, near Turin, England, 60 feet in height.

Engineers Run Lines For Proposed City Owned Sewer System

The city engineering department last week covered all the territory north of the Santa Fe right-of-way in making field notes for the proposed municipal sewer lines. Bench marks have been set and base lines located. All this information has been transferred to the city maps.

The proposed sewerage system is planned to be constructed with a federal loan. Should the project be approved 30 per cent of the amount received from the federal government would be a gift and the remainder a self-liquidating loan.

The city street department operated all machinery on dirt streets last week, removing dirt

and grass from drainage ditches and smoothing grades. Rocks, weeds and trash are being raked into piles and will be hauled off by city wagons.

The city fire department spent part of its time last week preparing exhibits which will be placed in downtown show windows during Fire Prevention Week, October 8 to 14.

TRAWLER FREEZES FISH, SENDS THEM TO MARKET

NICE, France, Sept. 28.—Fish eaters are enjoying fish which are frozen alive as soon as caught and transported across the Bay of Biscay. They are taken to Nice from Boulogne-sur-Mer by a trawler, which has been equipped with a refrigerating plant.

The fish were kept at a uniform temperature of 20 degrees below zero during the voyage, and when they reached the Riviera they were declared to be as fresh as when they were caught.

Opening

Lee Hardware Co.

Saturday, Sept. 30th.

South Seventh Street, next door to Currie Produce Co.

Carrying a full line of hardware and sporting goods at prices that will make you want to buy.

Visit our store Saturday and see the many useful articles on our counters.

LEE HARDWARE CO.

Levy Lee, Manager

Grocery Specials

AT

TUNNELL'S

The place where more and more people are coming to shop and save.

Bacon	Good Smoked Meat	lb. 11c
Spuds	Clean Stock	10-lbs. 19c
Sugar	Pure Cane	10-lbs. 50c
Pork & Beans		Can 5c
Tomatoes	No. 1	Can 5c
Compound	In Carton	8-lbs. 56c
Pinto Beans		10-lbs. 55c
Toilet Soap	Lux or Camay	2 Bars 15c
Coffee	Bright and Early	1-lb. 23c
Coffee	Bright and Early	3-lbs. 67c
Tomato Juice	12-oz. cans	3 for 25c
Tokay Grapes		1-lb. 7c
Tokay Grapes		3-lbs. 20c

MARKET SPECIAL

Steak Any Cut, T-Bone, Loin, Round lb. 10c

Visit with Price Middleton and get meat satisfaction.
COMPLETE LINE FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

R. P. TUNNELL

GROCERY and MARKET

Telephone 107

"IT'S THE STOVE I'VE ALWAYS WANTED AND I WAS SURPRISED BY HOW LITTLE IT COSTS"

Genuine PERFECTION quality

... HIGH-POWER speed... new lower prices

They're finer than ever, these new 1933 Perfection Stoves, with greater convenience and faster cooking... at the lowest prices in years! Best of all, they are economical in the use of kerosene and the High-Power burners cook the minute you light them.

We are now showing these fine new models and would like an opportunity to demonstrate their unusual speed, cleanliness and efficiency to you. Come in and see them, or drop us a line, letting us know when we might demonstrate one in your own home.

There is a wide selection of models... ranges with built-in ovens and stoves for use with separate ovens. Choice of colors or white and gray, in porcelain enamel, baked enamel and lacquer finishes. Ask for a free illustrated booklet.

New High Power Burner
\$39.00 to \$107.50

Old Blue Chimney Stove, made by Perfection,
\$14.00 to a 5-Burner Range \$49.50

PERFECTION Oil Burning STOVES

THE STOVE YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED AT A PRICE YOU CAN AFFORD TO PAY

KING-HOLT

FOODS FOR AUTUMN APPETITES

Friday and Saturday, September 29 and 30 in Ballinger.

Our low range of prices makes possible a consistent saving on all your foods every day in the week.

Safeway Stores

Bread 16-oz. A-Y loaf 6c

Coffee Rio 2-lbs. 25c

Peaches Choice Dried 2-lbs. 23c

Raisins Cellophane Wrapped 4-lbs. 31c

Prunes Fresh Stock 2-lbs. 17c

Corn Tender, Sweet, No. 2 3 cans 23c

Compound
Swift's Jewel
8 lb. carton 55c

SUGAR
Pure Cane, Cloth Bags
10 lbs. 49c

Potatoes No. 1 Grade 10-lbs. 19c

Cabbage Firm, Green Heads lb. 2 1/2 c

Tomatoes Fancy Locals 5-lbs. 19c

Grapes Seedless or Tokays 3-lbs. 25c

Pinto Beans Choice Re-cleaned 10-lbs. 43c

Sardines Large Oval Tins in Tomatoes or Mustard Sauce 3 for 25c

Flour Harvest Blossom Guaranteed 24-lbs. 79c

MEATS

Steaks Loin, Round, T-Bone 2-lbs. 25c
From Corn Fed Beef

Fancy Roast lb. 8c

Country Sausage 2-lbs. 15c

Salt Bacon Best Grade lb. 8 1/2 c

Sliced Bacon Best Grade lb. 15c

Lef O' Lamb lb. 15c

Shoulder of Ham lb. 10c

Lamb Chops lb. 15c

Soap Giant Bars O. K. Soap 6 bars 23c

Meal Pure Cream 10-lbs. 23c

SAFeway STORES

Never Again In Your Lifetime!

<p>Rayon Stripe Bloomers</p> <p>Nice and warm for school children, only</p> <p>25c (Old Store)</p>	<p>Children's Union Suits</p> <p>E. Z. styles, extra good quality, all sizes up to 12, at only</p> <p>35c</p>	<p>Children's Union Suits</p> <p>E. Z. styles, extra quality, very special for only</p> <p>49c (Both Stores)</p>	<p>Dresses</p> <p>Good quality and good style wash dresses</p> <p>59c (Old Store)</p>
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Economist OCTOBER

Right now at the very beginning of the fall season we are broadcasting to the people of this trade territory prices on high class merchandise that are astounding the mercantile world. We bought our merchandise early—before prices began to soar—our excellent contracts gave us best workmanship at prices that surprised even us. The result is a

collection of fashion's newest and children at prices altogether advise you to buy immediately, get self against the inevitable high bound to come. Inflation and N are sure to send prices up the ladder. It would be foolish to wait when the largest stocks of two stores on

This Event Closes the Door Forever On Depre

Never Again an Opportunity to Buy Piece Goods at Such Wonderful Savings!

Buy Now for Months to Come!



Rabbit Hair Woolen
New rabbit hair woolen, 36-inches wide, very smart for light weight wool dresses and suits. Very special for only

\$1.98

Black Coating
36-inches wide, the newest style all wool heavy coating, regular per yard \$1.98, very special for only

\$1.59

Heavy Coating
36-inch heavy coating extra quality, during close out sale only

\$1.98

Novelty Tweed
36-inch brown novelty tweed, good quality, during close out sale

\$2.98

Black Satin
39-inch black satin, nice heavy quality, makes lovely dresses. Regular \$1.00, very special the yard

89c

Ottoman Silk
Ottoman silk, beautiful and new, regular \$1.98, very special at

\$1.79

Bengaline Silk
Bengaline silk, very new and smart for the new dresses, regular \$2.98, very special for

\$2.79

Rough Crepes
New rough crepes, 39-inches wide, very special per yard only

84c

COATS

Smart tweed coats, wonderful values

\$4.95 - \$5.95

Good smart styles, silk lined coats. Very smart and good looking, both tailored and a few fur trimmed, very special at only

\$9.85

The best coat that can be bought for the money, beautiful style tailored coat. Some fur trimmed with real fur—a bargain at only

\$14.75

Lovely fur trimmed coats, newest style, trimmed with lovely collars of red fox, Manchurian wolf, beaver and marmink, and other wanted furs, very special at only

\$24.50

A small assortment of out-of-date coats (very few) \$1

Read These Bargains

Ladies' Outing Pajamas

Heavy Outing, pretty trim, very special for only

79c

Bedspreads

81x105 Reversible, Fast Color Bedsread, a real value for

\$1.69
(Both Stores)

Dresses

One Assortment of Close-out Dresses—these are Ladies' and Children's Dresses—Print Dresses—Voile Dresses and Two-Piece Dresses—close out, each

25c

Some are Soiled but worth the money.
(Old Store)

Ladies' Silk Hose

One lot—values to \$1.50, to close out, pair

98c
(Old Store)

Dresses

Assortment of Prints—Voiles—and other cotton Dresses, real values, to close out for only

39c
(Old Store)

Service Weight Hose

Ladies' Medium Light Color Silk Hose, regular \$1.00 value, close out

59c
(Old Store)

Children's Ribbed Hose

Good school Hose, sizes 6 to 9. Special per pair

10c

Ladies' Ribbed Hose

Per Pair
10c
(Old Store)

Real Bargains

Dutch Ovens

Nice Dutch Ovens, Big Size

89c
(Old Store)

36-Inch Voile

One lot of 36-inch, good quality just a few pieces of odd color

5c
(Old Store)

Rayon Slip Cloth

White and Pastel Shades, 1 yard

19c
(Old Store)

Printed Rayon

Washes beautifully, values Special, Close-out

19c
(Old Store)

Felt Hats

One assortment, for only

10c
(Old Store)

French Berets

Smart, nearly all colors,

50c
(Old Store)

Val Laces

Per Yard

2c

Children's Berets

One assortment, only

29c
(Old Store)

Dress Braids

Big assortment of Braids, Trim good style this season, to c

Per yard
2c
(Old Store)

Infants' Sox

One assortment of high grade Sox, somewhat soiled but values at, per pair

5c
(Old Store)

Corsets and Brass

Close-out Prices—Come an

Towels

23x46 double thread extra quality

5 for \$1

(Both Stores)



Special Sale of Women's and Children's SLIPPERS



For Women

Group of women's novelty shoes, suedes, kids, pumps, ties, close out of higher priced shoes.

\$1.95
(Old Store)



For Children

Close out of a large stock of children's shoes and slippers. Wonderful bargains. All leather shoes.

98c
(Old Store)



House Shoes

Table of house shoes, crepes and satins, values to \$1.95, close out price

29c

Fall Shoes

We have a wonderful stock of fall shoes to offer you at our new location. All new patterns, \$6 down to

\$2.95

Since we are moving and have of our big stock of merchandise location—while we are getting down low enough to put all it in—we are giving BARGAINS really too good to seem true. I true. We bought early—to ha prices—hence our reason for th of merchandise—but when yo merchandise you will know th saved you money.

BETTIS & S

Two Big Stores in Ba

Economy Sale

of fashion's newest and best for ladies at prices altogether unexpected. We to buy immediately, guaranteeing your the inevitable higher prices that are some. Inflation and NRA requirements send prices up the ladder to a new high. Foolish to wait when we are throwing stocks of two stores on sale at prices far

below what they can be replaced for today. We have never before begged and urged our patrons to buy, but years of experience in handling dry goods and ready-to-wear forces us to make this appeal to you to buy while this Economy Sale is in progress. Study the many articles listed in this ad, make a list of your fall and winter needs and secure them before it is too late.

Cold Facts Tell the Story Here!

Silk Shantung	Drapery	Mesh Cloth	Remnants
Solid color and prints, washable and serviceable, nice for blouses, regular 79c value, to close out at	Lovely colors in rose, peach, green and orchid, regular 85c, special to close out	Fast colors, values to 79c, special to close out	All sizes, all materials, velvets, silks, woollens, prints, voiles, domestics, in fact everything. A real treat at only
49c (Both Stores)	25c (Old Store)	29c (Old Store)	1/2 Price (Old Store)

Depression Prices --- Thousands Will Save!

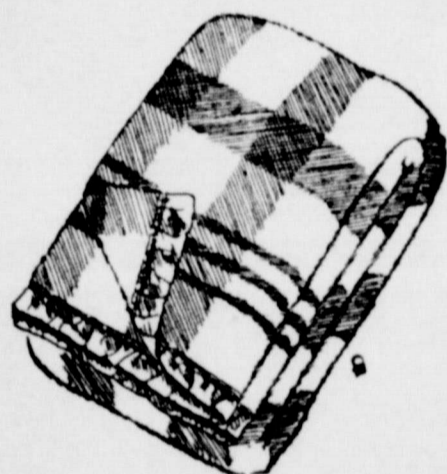
Real Bargains

- Dutch Ovens**
Nice Dutch Ovens, Big Size, only **89c** (Old Store)
- 36-Inch Voile**
One lot of 36-inch, good quality Voile, just a few pieces of odd colors, yard **5c** (Old Store)
- Rayon Slip Cloth**
White and Pastel Shades, Special, yard **19c** (Old Store)
- Printed Rayon**
Washes beautifully, values to 75c, Special, Close-out **19c** (Old Store)
- Felt Hats**
One assortment, for only, each **10c** (Old Store)
- French Berets**
Smart, nearly all colors, only **50c** (Old Store)
- Val Laces**
Per Yard **2c**
- Children's Berets**
One assortment, only **29c** (Old Store)
- Dress Braids**
Big assortment of Braids, Tinsels, etc., good style this season, to close out, Per yard **2c** (Old Store)
- Infants' Sox**
One assortment of high grade Infants' Sox, somewhat soiled but wonderful values at, per pair **5c** (Old Store)
- Corsets and Brassieres**
Close-out Prices—Come and See!

Read These Bargains

- School Anklets**
New Lot **19c TO 35c**
- Ladies' Rayon Hose**
25c (Old Store)
- 36-Inch Outing**
Good heavy quality **11c**
- Hope Bleached Domestic**
11c
- Printed Dimity**
Fine for Gifts, Dress Patterns or Underwear **19c**
- Gowns and Pajamas**
Beautiful Rayon **\$1.29**
- Faille Crepe**
39-inch, all silk, all colors, regularly \$1.49, Special **\$1.00**
- Children's Greenwade Dresses**
Just Received—Very Smart—priced **\$1.50 TO \$2.95** (New Store)
- Twin Sweater Suits**
Just Received—Smart and New **\$2.95** (New Store)
- New Curtain Scrim**
Lovely Colors **15c**
- Ladies' Raincoats**
Last Year's Prices **\$1.95 AND \$2.95**

No Approvals—No Returns—Every Sale Final



Blankets

- 66x76 cotton blankets, double, first quality wonderful value for only the pair **\$1**
- 66x80 double heavy blankets, satine bound a wonderful smooth blanket for **\$1.69**
- 66x80 double heavy blankets, part wool smooth quality, per pair only **\$1.98**
- 66x80 heavy double part wool, satine bound blanket value today \$3.95, very special for only **\$2.59**

Ladies' and Misses' SWEATERS

- On lot all wool sweaters, quantity limited, during close out sale each **25c** (Old Store)
- One lot, big assortment, all wool, smart styles close out sale price **98c**
- One lot, big assortment, all wool, smart style sweaters, regular \$1.95 values, very special for only **\$1.59** (Old Store)



New Corduroy Suits

Just arrived—but bought early at the low price so that you can buy these for only

\$5.95

(Both Stores)

Flannel Suits

All Wool, Snappy and Smart, only

\$6.95

(Both Stores)



Smart New Millinery

Turbans, brims and Beret styles reasonably priced at

\$1.95 to \$5

Remarkable Values in Our New Fall HOSIERY

Service weight and chiffon hose, pure silk, first quality, new shades, the pair

59c

Special buy irregular hose 45 gauge chiffon, new shades, the pair

79c

Beautiful sheer luxurious chiffon and semi-chiffon hosiery. Shades to match every need in fall occasions. Humming Bird, Archer and Rollins, the pair

\$1 to \$1.49



DRESSES

Extra good print Dresses, good styles—you'll like them

99c

(Old Store)

Smart knit dresses, silk and wool, very snappy styles, close out price only

\$1.95

(Old Store)

Snappy wool and silk dresses, only

\$2.95

(Old Store)

Silk dresses, wool sport dresses and three piece suits at

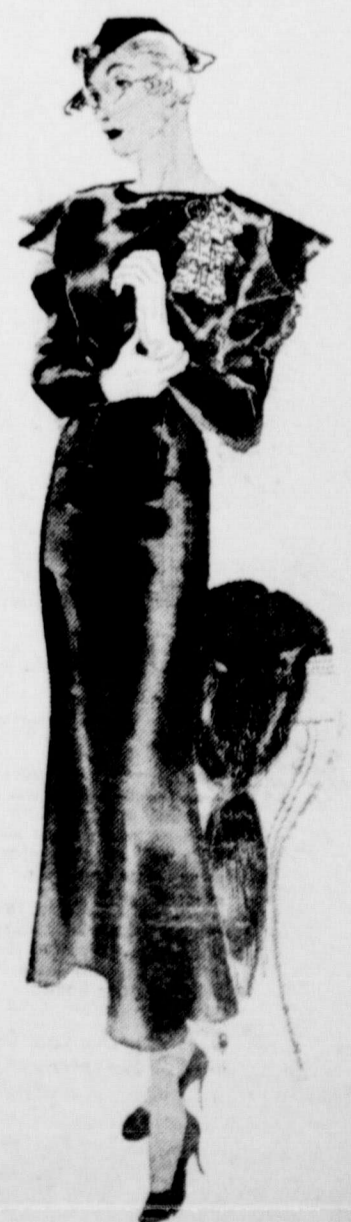
\$3.95

(Old Store)

Wool, silk and dress sport, also three piece suits, extra values at only

\$4.95 - \$6.95 - \$9.95

(Old Store)



& STURGES

Stores in Ballinger, Texas

OBITUARY

Edward C. Kruse
Edward C. Kruse, 30 years, 6 months and 15 days, died at Ballinger Saturday, September 23, 1933.

Decedent was a son of C. E. Kruse, of Valley Mills, Texas. He was born March 8, 1903, at Taylor. He was confirmed and joined the Lutheran church at New Bern. He attended Taylor high school and the Lutheran college at Seguin, later joining the navy. On March 31, 1923 he was joined in marriage to Miss Augusta Landgraf, of Valley Mills. They made home in Fort Worth, where for several years he was superintendent of Montgomery, Ward & Company. In 1931 he moved with his wife and son to Santa Fe, New Mexico, hoping to regain his health which had been failing for some time. In November 1932 he moved to Ballinger where he resided until his death. While here he was wholesale agent for the Cities Service Oil Company. At the time of his death he was a member of the Methodist church. He possessed a wonderful personality and won a host of friends wherever he went. Although sick for some time he always wore a smile and never complained of his condition.

His mother preceded him in death when he was three years old.

Besides the widow and small son, E. C. Jr., he is survived by his father and three brothers, Carl, Florin, and Edgar, of Valley Mills; two aged grandmothers, and a number of other relatives.

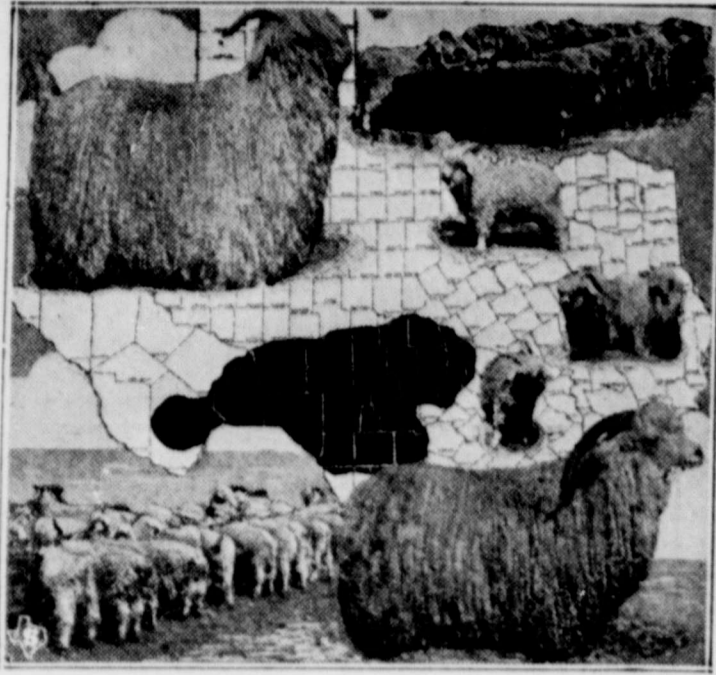
Funeral services were held at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. C. Kruse, at Taylor, Sunday afternoon, in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. Rev. A. D. Rode, pastor of the Lutheran church, officiated. A solo, "God Will Take Care of You," was rendered by Miss Lucene Treude of Taylor. Interment was made in the Taylor cemetery with Rev. S. L. Cuiwell, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating. "Rock of Ages" was rendered by the Methodist quartet composed of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stiles, Mrs. I. L. Eakins and Tom Clark.

Members of the Taylor Masonic Lodge were pallbearers and assisted in taking charge.

Mr. Kruse was a member of the Masonic tabernacle lodge No. 1195 at Fort Worth. He also was a member of the American Legion post No. 53 at Santa Fe, and a member of the Ballinger Lions Club.

The body was carried overland in a Hugsbotham hearse. Mrs. Kruse and son and Miss Theresa Landgraf accompanied the

Prosperity Back in Goat Country



Eastern mohair buyers last week shelled the Texas hill country with the greatest shower of dollars the goat raisers have seen in four years. In one day 3,250,000 pounds of mohair, half the 1933 crop, was sold at prices ranging from \$14 cents per pound for adult hair, to 55c per pound for kid hair. In 1932 mohair averaged 8c per pound and went to an all-time low of 5c. The unprecedented rise resulted from great demand of auto and furniture manufacturers for upholstery materials. In the picture above, the dark section shows the goat section of Texas, and around it are pictures of a number of the pure-bred angoras which inhabit this brushy, hilly area.

remains to Taylor.

Among those who attended the funeral from out of town were: Miss Theresa Landgraf, Ballinger; Miss Frieda Landgraf, Gatesville; Miss Lena Landgraf, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Landgraf, Meridian; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Landgraf and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Thiele and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Landgraf and son, H. Lammert and Miss Lillie Lammert, Mrs. Max Landgraf, all of Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kruse and son, Walter Kruse and sons, all of Valley Mills; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wenzel and daughter, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. L. Groppe, Mr. and Mrs. R. Groppe, Mr. and Mrs. A. Groppe, Mr. and Mrs. F. Haas, of Buckholt; Mr. and Mrs. Sells, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Baca, of Cameron.

JAPAN LAYS BIG PLANS TO COLONIZE MANCHUKUO

TOKYO, Sept. 28.—Japan is proceeding with its plans to populate Manchukuo. The ministry of colonies, it is reported, is planning to send within the next ten or fifteen years 100,000 families, or 500,000 persons. To this end the Manchuria Reclamation Company has recently been formed to prepare the plans and immigrant training homes are to be opened at Mukden, Harbin, Kungchuling and Hsiung-yecheng.

In the meanwhile Korean farmers have been arriving at the Tientienkou rice plantation and are already at work buttressing the irrigation ditches, flooding the fields and plowing. Altogether about 4,000 Korean farmers are expected at the big plantation, which is situated near Tien-chuangtai, on the Yingkou-Kouppangtzu Line.

LIGHTNING MAKES DREAM OF GIRL COME TRUE

KLOKA, Jugo-Slavia, Sept. 28.—Crowds of peasants came from all the countryside to attend the funeral in the village of Kloka, of a girl whose dream of death came true.

One morning Darinka Rakitch, 20 years of age, told her mother that she dreamed that she had been killed by lightning. She said she saw a huge black cloud from which lightning came like great spikes. As she sheltered beneath a tree she was struck by lightning and killed. This she dreamed not once but several times that night.

Next day, while she and her mother were hoeing, a storm broke. The two took shelter under an oak, but as the lightning began to play the girl ran to another tree. So implicitly did she believe in her dream that she feared her mother would be struck if they remained together. A few minutes later a great fork of lightning killed the girl.

Synthetic Skunk Smell in Air Line Warns Miners

OTTAWA, Sept. 28.—The smell of a skunk as a danger signal in mines, warning everybody to get out quickly in case of fire or explosion, has proved its value in Canadian mines, according to a recent report by D. G. Sinclair, chief inspector of the department of mines of Ontario.

Live skunks do not need to be kept to provide the smell, for chemists have identified the skunk odor as resembling that of a compound called ethyl mercaptan, which can be made synthetically. Sealed bottles of this chemical are kept at hand in blower houses or similar places through which air is supplied to the mines.

In case of an alarm the engineer in charge breaks bottles of the odorous chemical in the air ducts leading to the mine. If desired, the chemical may be released automatically by the alarm signal itself. Instantly the powerful odor spreads through the air entering the mine and appears in a few moments in all the passages through which the air circulates. The miners are trained to recognize this odor as a danger signal and to collect at once at points previously specified from which they can be brought out of danger.

Light signals to indicate mine danger never have been satisfactory because miners in remote parts of the mine often fail to see such signals until it is too late. The same is true of alarm bells, hooters or other sound signals, although these still are used in many mines because nothing better has been available.

To send a messenger after groups of miners in remote workings wastes valuable time and may cost lives. In all modern mines, however, air from the ventilating

system reaches every part of the mine in a few minutes, so that a smell signal carried by this air is believed to be the quickest and most effective way to circulate a warning.

13 ROOMS RENT FREE GO BEGGING IN ENGLAND

ROTHWELL, England, Sept. 28.—

No one has accepted the offer of the governors of Jesus Hospital in Rothwell, to let, without rental charge, to any deserving family thirteen rooms in the sixteenth-century almshouse.

The rules of the house may be the cause. These include a 10-cent fine for missing church on Sunday, a 9 o'clock curfew, a ban on calls at public houses, a night in

a cell for disobeying the principal and an obligation to take turns at tending the founder's tomb in the parish church. In addition, each male member of the family would have to wear one of the hospital's ancient top hats and a brass-buttoned blue jacket on Sundays.

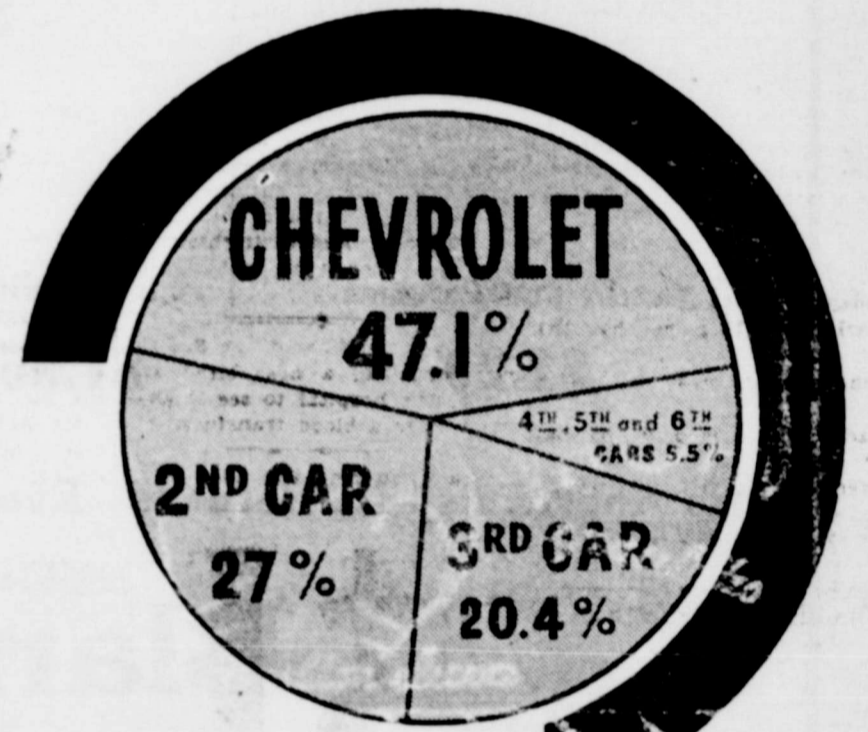
Patronize our advertisers.

Congratulations to Bettis & Sturges

and co-workers upon the fine opening of your new home at Hutchings Avenue and Seventh Street.

We are glad to have you for neighbors and wish you much success.

Sam Behringer's Cash and Carry GROCERY



These figures are based on the latest retail registration figures from R. L. Polk & Company (all states for six full months). Since January first, Chevrolet has sold in excess of 425,000 passenger cars and trucks.

Can there be any stronger recommendation for a car than this



CHEVROLET America can't be fooled when it comes to spotting the best "buy" in any field. America knows too much about motor cars for that. So when one certain car wins almost as many buyers as the next two put together, you know the answer: IT MUST BE BETTER. And that's what the new Chevrolet Six most certainly is.

Better looking—it has long, sleek, aer-streamed lines—Fisher's smartest styling. Chevrolet has better bodies—they're built not just of steel alone, but of steel reinforced by a sturdy hardwood frame. Chevrolet has a better engine—

six cylinders for lowest gas and oil consumption, cushion balancing for killing vibration. And Chevrolet gives better value—a long line-up of features, including the Starterator, Syncro-Mesh gear-shift, Free Wheeling, which no other low-priced car can match.

Now, in September, is the time to start thinking about a new car for winter! And when you do so, think of the way Chevrolet is leading all other cars in sales. What more could you possibly ask as a recommendation for a car than that?

CHEVROLET MOTOR CO., DETROIT, MICHIGAN



CHEVROLET \$445 TO \$565

All prices c. b. Flint, Michigan. Special equipment extra. Low delivered prices and easy G. M. A. C. terms. A General Motors Value.

Batts Chevrolet Co.



CONVENIENCE OUTLETS... a Necessity in the Modern Home

Electricity is a servant almost magical in the remarkable tasks it will perform for you—at ridiculously small cost. But to do its many jobs of cleaning, cooling, lighting, cooking, sewing, radio entertainment, and many others, in the most convenient and efficient manner you should have Convenience Outlets in every room. These handy little wall and floor plugs make it possible to use your Electrical Servants anywhere and at any time you wish.

And right now your dollar will buy more value... both in merchandise and in the skilled workmanship of your electrical contractor... than ever before. Convenience Outlets... several of them in each room... are a necessity in the modern home. Order yours today and learn how much added convenience these important accessories will bring in your home.

Do you know that your increased use of Electric Service is billed on a surprisingly low rate schedule... and adds only a small amount to your total bill?

West Texas Utilities Company

Senate Questions Him



Lawrence Westbrook of Waco, pictured above, director of the Texas Rehabilitation and Relief Commission, answered most of the questions as the Texas senate delved deep into the part politics has played in the conduct of the commission.

Ford Advertising Features Contest And Cash Prizes

Ford dealers of Oklahoma and Texas are offering one thousand dollars in prizes for a fifteen word statement describing "The Feel of the Ford at the Wheel."

Simple rule contest blanks are available only at local Ford dealers. Anyone is eligible by taking a 20-mile drive at the wheel of a new Ford V-8 car accompanied by the dealer; then writing their impression of "The Feel of the Ford at the Wheel" in a fifteen word statement.

The one thousand dollars prize money will be awarded in twenty-three units: \$500, first prize; \$250, second prize; \$100, third prize; ten prizes of \$10 each, and ten prizes of \$5 each.

An interesting phase of the contest is the fact that the winner of the first prize will be receiving more than thirty three dollars a word for the statement, which is better than the price paid to big name authors for their stories.

All entries must be post marked not later than October 31 midnight. The entries will be judged by executives of the Ford dealers' advertising agents, and winners announced by November 15, if it is possible to complete judging the incoming mail by that time.

MAKE BELIEVE CRIMINALS IN PARIS TRAIN DOGS

PARIS, Sept. 28.—One new occupation offering pay to needy men in Paris, is that of acting as counterfeit criminals for the training of police dogs. The bogus criminal gets into a heavily padded suit so thick that he can't bend down to tie a shoe lace. It covers arms, body and legs. In addition the wearer is given a large collar and armlets of leather. Then the fight begins.

The huge dogs are set free and they dash at their victims with great violence. The beasts leap at the man, trying to bite his throat or any part of the body that seems vulnerable. When they get a good hold it is a mighty grip. None of the dogs ever seem to suspect that it is a sham battle. Each man is given a revolver and a club for defense, but the cudgel must only be used to frighten the dogs, for they must not be injured.

Did you hear about the Scotchman who had a nose bleed and ran to the hospital to see if anyone needed a blood transfusion?

It pays to read the ads.

First Races Under New Texas Bet Law



This picture was taken at Iowa Park, Texas, last week when the first race meet was held in Texas since the new law permitting betting was passed. The picture shows the horses getting away into the second quarter of the fourth race. Horses from Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas participated in the meet.

Ultraviolet Rays Work in the Ocean Tests Demonstrate

BERKELEY, Calif., Sept. 28.—Another service of the ultraviolet rays of sunlight to earthly life has been discovered by C. E. ZoBell, of the Scripps Institution of Oceanography, of the University of California, who reports his results in the New York city scientific periodical Science.

This service is to produce in the water of the ocean the nitrates needed by sea plants, so that fish and other sea creatures can have food. The surface layers of ocean water all over the world contain billions of tiny living plants, which absorb the ordinary rays of sunlight and manufacture starchy foods, just as plants do on the land.

These microscopic plants then form the chief food supply of many tiny animals which, in turn, are eaten by the majority of fish. Like ordinary land plants, these tiny plants of the sea pastures need a certain amount of nitrogen in the form of nitrates, like the nitrates supplied to soils on land by the work of soil bacteria or by the artificial fertilizers used by farmers.

Many biologists have assumed that some such nitrifying bacteria must exist in the sea, to take care of the sea plants just as their sister bacteria care for the plants ashore.

Mr. ZoBell finds that this is not true, since the nitrifying bacteria neither exist naturally in sea

water nor will work there if introduced artificially. What really happens is that the ultraviolet rays in sunlight in some way which remains to be discovered to generate the necessary nitrates in the sea. Either natural solar rays or artificial ultraviolet rays are found to do this in laboratory tests.

PRINCE MICHAEL WINS HIGH HONORS IN SCHOOL

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Sept. 28.—Prince Michael, heir apparent and ex-King of Rumania, is winning high marks in the school for Rumania's brightest scholars founded by his father, King Carol. His report has just been delivered to the palace in Bucharest, and Michael is shown as standing second in the class. The pupils of the school consist of the eight "best scholars of their age from various schools." The lessons are directed by dozens of professors, and are declared to be difficult.

The final standings for the year were decided by a council of professors, including the Minister of Public Instruction and King Carol Michael, now 11, has another victory to his credit. He was declared to be too fat, so he took an intensive reducing course, including violent gymnastic exercises, and is much more slender.

Hunk Anderson, Notre Dame football coach, played first base in a varsity-alumni baseball game until a spike-wound inflicted by Steve Banas, one of his ace full-backs, forced him to seek treatment.

Tennyson wrote "Crossing the Bar" when he was 80 years old.

Agnews Drilling; National Machine To Golden Test

Agnew & Sons began drilling on the H. B. Fowler farm in the McMillan field Tuesday after spudding last Saturday. Drilling was stopped Monday to lay water lines to the well and get everything in readiness for continuous shifts. This well is an offset to the Mann-Wade No. 1, being approximately 390 feet to the southwest. H. G. Agnew, in charge of the drilling, has good equipment and an experienced crew. Pipe is being trucked here from Coleman and Taylor counties and some of it is already on the location.

The Golden Petroleum Company began Monday moving a National rig to its new location for a well to be started in a short time. This will be this company's No. 2 R. M. McMillan and is a direct south-offset to the Mann-Wade No. 1, and an offset to the Agnew test. Several truck loads of material were placed on the location Monday and more are to arrive this week.

Drillers on the B. C. Mann and others No. 1 Wade are adjusting the flow beam after cleaning out a 20-foot cave-in, running an 80-foot 4-inch liner and inserted tubing. The gauge through tubing is at the rate of 300 barrels a day.

No other activity in this field is reported although work is being done which indicates several other tests soon.

ENGLISH HOSPITAL GIVES SURPRISE OPERATIONS

SHEFFIELD, England, Sept. 28.—Nervous patients who fear operations may wake up some morning to find that the operation is over. This has been done in the Sheffield Royal Hospital, according to the annual report which has just been issued. A story was told of one elderly man who was seen by one of the nurses on her early morning rounds, preparing to take his usual morning bath. He received a pleasant shock when told that he was to stay in bed quietly as he had been operated on the previous afternoon. All that he could remember was falling asleep, apparently quite naturally. "By the use of injections of such drugs as avertin, menthal and paraldehyde," says the report, "patients are spared the mental distress of the period immediately preceding an operation."

Adding Machine Paper, Carbon Paper. Ballinger Printing Co.

BALLINGER P. T. A. MEETS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Regular monthly meeting of the Ballinger Parent-Teacher Association will be held Wednesday afternoon of next week in the high school auditorium. Members and those desiring to join the organization are requested to be present.

The program follows: P. T. A. song "Why the Home and the School Should Cooperate in Character Training." George Stowe Talk on health. Dr. E. W. Stasney

"Fire Prevention," E. Shepperd. This will be the first business meeting of the year and members are requested to bring their annual dues.

New automobiles are the weakness of Tom Gallery, Pacific Coast boxing promoter. In the past 13 years Gallery estimates he has spent \$250,000 for the vehicles.

Leap year boosts expenses. The extra day last year involved an expenditure of \$200,000 for the Royal Air Force alone in England; the money went for salaries.

CHURCHES

Eighth Street Presbyterian Church
Bible school at 9:30 a. m., Carl Black, superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend all services and worship with us.
J. EDWIN KERR, Minister

Church of Christ
(Eighth Street, Bonsal Avenue)
Bible school meets at 9:45 a. m. with competent teachers for all classes.

Preaching by the minister at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Communion following.

Ladies' Bible class meets in the church building Monday at 4 p. m.

Prayer meeting and young people's meeting at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday.

The public is invited to attend any and all these services.
FRED ROSS, Minister

First Presbyterian Church
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. morning worship.
6:30 p. m. intermediate Society.
7:30 p. m. evening worship.
If you do not worship elsewhere, you are cordially welcome at all of our services.
E. W. McLAURIN, Pastor

Church of God
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor.
Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m.
Preaching at 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.
Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 8 p. m.
W. S. HANCOCK, Pastor

First Christian Church
(Broadway and Murrell)
9:45 a. m., Bible school. A class for every age. We are never too old to learn something new from the Bible.
11 a. m., worship and communion service.
7:30 p. m., worship
LEE WHIPPLE, Minister

Ballinger Baptist Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, E. E. King, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor.
Preaching at 7:30 p. m.
6:30 p. m., B. T. S., Ernest Moody, director.
J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor

First Methodist Church
9:45 a. m., Sunday school. R. W. Earnshaw, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Visitors will find a welcome at any and all services of this church.
H. D. MARLIN, Pastor

Church of the Nazarene
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., G. R. Ramsberger, superintendent.
Young People's meeting at 6:45 p. m. by pastor.
W. M. S. Tuesday afternoon.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.
R. B. BRASWELL, Pastor

It pays to read the ads.



Ballinger Beauty Shop
207 Eighth St. Phone 560

Fall Specials
Finger Wave and Dry 25c
Eye Brow and Eye Lash Dye 75c
Of 2 for \$1
\$2.50 Permanents for \$1.50
\$5.00 Permanents for \$3.00
Other Permanents and Work Reduced Accordingly.
All Work Guaranteed.
Graduate Operators.

Myrtle Setser
Oleta Crouch
Isabell Wink



\$1000 IN CASH PRIZES
For the Best 15 Word Statement Describing
"THE FEEL of the FORD V-8"

\$500 First Prize
\$250 Second Prize--\$100 Third Prize
Ten Prizes of \$10 Each--Ten Prizes of \$5 Each
23 CASH PRIZES IN ALL

- RULES OF CONTEST:**
1. Get official contest entry blank from nearest Ford dealer in Texas or Oklahoma and drive the new Ford V-8.
 2. Prizes will be awarded for the statements of 15 words or less, considered by the judges as best describing "The Feel of the Ford V-8." Statements must NOT exceed 15 words.
 3. Entry must be written on official contest blank—write name and address plainly.
 4. Prizes will be based on best statements given and not on elaborate presentations or grammatical construction. Neatness will be in your favor. No entries will be returned.
 5. In case of tie, duplicate prizes will be awarded.
 6. Contest is open to every one in Texas and Oklahoma except Ford employees or dealers, their advertising agency, and their immediate families. Only one entry permitted each individual, although all members of a family may enter.
 7. Entries must be postmarked not later than midnight, Tuesday, October 31st, 1933, and addressed to Contest Judges, Texas-Oklahoma Ford Contest, Majestic Building, Dallas, Texas.
 8. Contest entries will be judged by executives of the company's Advertising Agency. The decision of the judges will be final.
 9. Winners will be announced by radio within a short time after contest closes, by November 15th if possible.

Get official Contest Entry Blank Free from
ANY AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER

Get the feel of the FORD at the wheel

Used Cars PRICED LOW

It has lately been our good fortune to secure a number of Ford and Chevrolet cars of exceptional value. We have:

- 1930 Chevrolet Coupe
- 1929 Chevrolet Coach
- 1930 Chevrolet Sedan
- 1928 Ford Coach
- 1929 Chevrolet Coupe
- 1929 Pontiac Sedan
- 1929 Chevrolet 1-Ton Truck— all oak stake body.

We offer this list of used cars with our personal recommendation behind each car. Liberal trade-in allowance on your car.

BALLINGER AUTO CO.

Mr. Land Buyer:

Do you know these small bargain farms are being sold fast? Do you know eight and ten cent cotton will enhance the value of these farms from \$5.00 to \$10.00 per acre? If it is your intention to buy a small farm, worth the money, you had better investigate this one before it is gone.

130 acres, 12 miles east of Winters, near school on public road, 100 acres in cultivation, small house and barn, good farm land, a real bargain at \$20.00 per acre, small cash payment, balance easy terms.

McCARVER & LYNN
Ballinger, Texas

Exchange Your Cottonseed

—FOR—

COTTONSEED HULLS, MEAL AND CAKE.

"Paymaster Quality"
None Better

Ask for Bulletin No. 7—1933 Feeding Practices.

Ballinger Cotton Oil Co. Inc.

Buck BRAND WORK CLOTHES
FIT AND WEAR

SOLD BY
THE HUB
BALLINGER, TEXAS

Rural Schools—

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Mazeland, October 2—V. D. Armstrong, Truitt McDonald, Miss Ethel Kemp and Miss Addie Lou Glass

Oak Creek, October 9—W. M.

Gaddy, Miss Lorie Jackson
Cross Roads, October 9—Miss Opal Palmer and Miss LaStelle Matejowsky
Baldwin, October 2—Miss Dale Buckley and Miss Stella Duke
Victory, October 9—Ben Featherston, Miss Merle Daniel, and Miss Jewel Herrington
Millar, October 2—Miss Bell Rus-

sell
Harmony, October 9—Chester Collingsworth, Miss Judie Tyree, and Miss Aletha Schwartz
Blanton, October 2—H. C. Funderburk, Miss Ruth Houston, Miss Aleda Macune
Spring Hill, October 2—Miss Iona Harris and Mrs. Jack Mason
Gruenwald, October 9—H. H.

Shiller and Mrs. H. H. Shiller
Red Bank, October 9—Miss Theilma Palmer
Kristoff, October 9—Miss Lynette Stokes
Herring, October 9—Guy Funderburk, Miss Evelyn Stobaugh
Brookshier, September 28—Clarence Jaeggli and Miss Marian Jaeggli

Drasco, October 9—J. W. McCann, Mrs. J. W. McCann, Miss Zora Mitchell, W. R. Griffith and Miss Lydia Wood
Franklin, October 9—Mrs. J. C. Bloxom and Miss Alma Ryan
Hatchel, October 2—H. R. Gassiot, Miss Lucy Naylor and Miss Inez Parker
Poe, October 9—Ray V. Stark

and Miss Martha Singleton
Mann, October 9—Artis J. Phipps and Mrs. Artis J. Phipps
Eagle Branch, October 2—Elvis Elkins and Miss Edna Hornburg
Sweet Home, October 2—Miss Mittie Clifton and Mrs. Louvenia Carlisle
Oifen, October 2—Sister Mary Rita, Sister Annie Marie, Sister

Patricia and one other not yet elected.
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