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DEMOCRATS TO CHOOSE EITHER BRYAN OR WILSON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The Democratic party faces the alternatives of following President Wilson in the coming campaign with the president making the peace treaty an issue, or following William Jennings Bryan who is seeking a quick ratification of the treaty on the best terms possible.

Bryan would advocate a settlement on some basis at the quick-

est time possible, while Mr. Wilson would make the treaty an issue and contend for its unqualified ratification.

The opinion of the party leaders is that the party does not take well to Bryan's appeal for quick settlement on any terms, but are inclined to follow Wilson and his demands for ratification.

Mr. Bryan finished speaking at two-thirty, being one of the principal Speakers at the Jackson Day celebration last night and early today. His speech will tend to effect a split or weaken Wilson's control of the party.

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Bryan are diametrically opposed to each other on the plan for handling the treaty question as a party issue. The president said in his message to the convention that "if there is any doubt about what the people of the country think on this vital matter, the clear and single way out is to submit it for their consideration at the next election."

COTTON CROP WILL REACH 45,000 BALES

The Ledger's cotton estimate published a few days ago was considered by some as being too high on the total cotton production for the county. Those who questioned the accuracy of the figures did so, perhaps, without investigating.

Up to December 20th, according to the government gin report, there had been 32,313 bales of cotton ginned in the county. Another report made about Jan. 1st, shows almost 40,000 bales ginned in the county, and there are at least 5,000 bales in the fields.

Ginnings for the same date last year showed that only 2,162 bales had been ginned in the county. The following figures are for neighboring counties:

	1918	1919
Brown county	1,175	14,048
Coleman	700	25,934
Comanche	1,650	11,162
Conecho	750	10,331
Nolan	...	13,064
McCulloch	775	14,559
Taylor	2,214	32,622
Tom Green	...	6,550

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We, too have seen your need for just this kind of stock, the kind that has a back-bone for your farm work.

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Our Stock is selected from the Kansas farmers, and brought direct to you.

You get these high-grade farm Mules, but you don't have to pay any more, for we sell Direct. A knowledge of the above wants has brought us here to stay.

We are pleasing your neighbor, and can please you, for we know what you want and need.

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Report from Russell No. 3 Confirmed; 1 New Location

LATEST NEWS

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 12.—Five hundred people at Skiatook, a small place sixteen miles from here, are reported to be seriously ill with a strange disease which is baffling the physicians and the state health department.

The disease is said to be similar to cholera. Several of the people have already died and many others are in a serious condition.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 13.—The mysterious malady which has been rapidly spreading throughout the state of Oklahoma during the last few days, was today diagnosed by the state health authorities as a "winter cholera." The disease baffled the physician for several days, and quite a number of deaths have been recorded.

PARIS, Jan. 13.—Five hundred and eighty-nine persons are missing from the steamer La Afrique, which was wrecked and sank in the Bay of Biscay early yesterday. The steamer carried 465 passengers and a crew of 150. Only 26 of the 615 persons aboard the ill-fated ship were saved.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The state department denied any knowledge of the report that a Japanese cruiser had escorted a large shipment of arms and ammunition to Mexico. Such report was in circulation and called for the state department to make a statement. If Japan has sent arms to Mexico, the American government does not know anything about it.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The coal operators today agreed to an unqualified acceptance of any awards made by President Wilson's coal commission which was appointed to bring about a permanent settlement of the controversy between the miners and the mine operators.

The operators also agreed to accept the decision of the price fixing committee in fixing a price on coal with the exception that the prices fixed under the Lever Act should not exist after the expiration of that law.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The railroads lost the suit filed by them to collect additional compensation from the government amounting to more than fifty million dollars.

It was claimed that the postmaster general acted without authority in instituting a system of weighing mails which reduced the compensation of the railroads one-sixth.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 12.—A new earthquake in the vicinity of Cosautlan which broke Saturday is reported to have killed more than one hundred people.

Messages from Pueblo says that refugees from six villages on Mount Orizaba were affected by the quake and that the property damage is great.

DALLAS, Jan. 8.—Chairman Winfrey of the state prison board placed his formal resignation before Governor Hobby today.

Mr. Winfrey said in tendering his resignation: "I have no desire to remain on the board without a voice in the administration of the prison affairs."

He repeated his request for a complete investigation of the prison affairs but declined to make specific charges because of the unprivileged right of giving publication to the charges.

Mr. Winfrey will resume the real estate business here where he was engaged when appointed a member of the prison board.

J. H. Willis and daughter returned to Sherman Monday afternoon. Mr. Willis formerly lived here and he came back to spend a few months during the rush last fall.

Reports from Russell Well No. 3 Monday stated that a second showing of oil had been found in the well and that as the bucket was drawn from the hole it would rapidly fill with oil.

According to reliable reports oil was struck in this well at the depth that the first showing of gas was found in Russell No. 1. In No. 1 the oil was struck unexpectedly and casing had not been set to keep out the water. In No. 3, this was guarded against and casing was set on the lime before drilling into the sand.

Those in close touch with the development of the well are very optimistic for a good well, and express the opinion that developments here will take on new life within a short time.

Reports from a number of the test propositions being made in the Runnels county oil field, and the resumption of drilling in a number of those which have been at a standstill for some time, revives oil activities and promises a spring boom in the oil game.

B. H. Bailey is here from Fort Worth for the purpose of perfecting deals which have been held up for some time and to renew propositions which were set aside during the fall rush.

Mr. Bailey brings good reports from Fort Worth offices of the Gulf Production Co., the company which is drilling in the Russell field. Mr. Bailey stated that he visited the Gulf Production Co.'s office just before starting to Ballinger and he learned from officials of the company that the company was keeping in close touch with their work in the Russell field, and had just received a report from Russell No. 3.

According to Mr. Bailey the Gulf Production Co. has no idea of abandoning the Russell field, but declare that the field will be developed and oil produced in paying quantities. Mr. Bailey

was informed at the Fort Worth office that Russell No. 3 was offering the very best prospects. He was informed before he left Fort Worth that the hole was down about 1900 feet, and that the casing was set on top of the same formation which furnished oil in Russell No. 1, and the company expects to drill it in and continue drilling in that field.

The company which is drilling in the Russell field is not working in the dark. They have oil and they know it, and according to Mr. Bailey they are free to admit it.

Hightower is ready to resume drilling again, and it was announced Monday that the well string of casing has been set and drilling will be resumed at once.

Mr. Bailey will take up at once the work of reblocking the acreage for the two wells proposed by the Oklahoma Producers Co., on the Paramore ranch and the Wood and Nixon proposition north of Ballinger. This acreage was blocked at one time, but due to failure of the company to put up the required bond, some of the acreage owners withdrew their leases. Mr. Bailey has been assured that Clyde E. Hunt, representing the Oklahoma Producers Co., will be here to put up a sufficient bond to guarantee drilling and fulfillment of the contract, as soon as the acreage has been blocked.

C. B. Shaffer, who owns a commercial lease on two thousand acres between Ballinger and the Russell well, has made a selection on the Feb. McWilliams ranch, 3 miles this side of Russell, and will drill on his lease. Mr. Shaffer is a successful producer in the Oklahoma fields, owning his own tools and doing his own drilling.

Development seems to be coming a little slow, due greatly to the shortage of labor, and unusually bad weather, but crops are now out of the way, labor is more plentiful and prospects for more activity in wild catting grow brighter daily.

Total Farm Products in County Add Wealth

Cotton—130,000 acres, 45,000 bales, at 32c	\$7,300,000.00
Wheat—120,000 acres, 200,000 bushels, at \$1.90	3,600,000.00
Oats—60,000 acres, 180,000 bushels, at 60c	180,000.00
Milo Maize—40,000 acres, 60,000 tons at \$20	1,200,000.00
Miscellaneous Crop—10,000 acres	300,000.00
Total	\$12,308,000.00

The farmers of Runnels county received more cash for their crop last year than a Runnels county crop ever sold for before. It is estimated that the agricultural products of the county for the year just closed amounted in dollars and cents to more than twelve million dollars, and that too in addition to the many thousands of dollars worth of grain and feed which was destroyed on account of the excessive rains throughout the harvest period.

To the agricultural products should be added the revenue received from livestock, poultry, oil leases, etc., which will greatly increase the total sum of the income of the people of this county.

We say without fear of contradiction that there is no other farm county in Texas, with equal population, that can boast of as much money from the sale of its crops. The farmers of this county are in better shape financially than in the history of the county, and as a result of the prosperity the county is being made more substantial and will be on a better footing for withstanding reverses. Many farmers are reinvesting their income in land, and there are more home owners in the county.

today than a year ago, and many of those who were living in mortgaged homes are out of debt.

With the assistance of Farm Agent Eaton, and by consulting others who are familiar with the county's agricultural industries, we are able to submit this report as a conservative estimate of the county's 1919 crop.

Edmund Walker returned to San Antonio, Monday afternoon after a visit of several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Walker.

Will Street returned from Brownwood, Wednesday, where he had been on a little horse trading expedition.

T. R. Chamberlain and family arrived Wednesday from California and are visiting W. C. Smith and family.

J. P. Booth left Monday afternoon for Weatherford and Dallas, where he will be for several days on business and visiting relatives.

W. H. Monerief made his annual visit to The Ledger office, Wednesday.

Piggly Wiggly Texas Co.

Announces Progress to the Shareholders and Prospective Shareholders

Suitable stores have been leased in Ranger and Cisco, and fixtures have been ordered which should be delivered very soon. Also a deal has been made to take over one of the best grocery stores in Gorman, doing about \$30,000 business per month and secure the service of a manager and two assistants. Arrangements are being made to convert this store into a Piggly Wiggly at the earliest possible date.

Negotiations are well under way to secure a store at Sweetwater.

The Ballinger and San Angelo Stores will be arranged for within a few days.

The Abilene and Eastland stores continue to show substantial gains and are doing 50 percent more than our estimated average per store unit.

Stock Advances Jan. 20

On January 20th the price of Piggly Wiggly Texas Company's stock will advance from \$100 (par value) to \$150 per share, which will still be less than its actual value, if the earning power and safety of principal is the basis of valuation.

We feel sure that every one will recognize the justice of this increase in price, as the Company's successful financing is absolutely assured and the plans of the Company are rapidly turning into actualities.

No doubt this stock will sell for many times par value as soon as the ten (10) stores are in operation, and investors realize its true value.

A SAFE INVESTMENT paying 10 percent is admittedly worth par value. Piggly Wiggly Texas Company's stock guarantees a minimum of 15 percent per annum, and is a *Safe Investment*, therefore, is worth 50 percent above par. *But Remember the Company's Profits Will Far Exceed 15 Percent on its Capital*, and the Guaranteed Dividend is the least you are to receive.

If you expect to secure any of this stock at par (\$100 per share) do not delay, as it is selling rapidly. Don't wait till the last day. You might be disappointed. See our representative, Mr. J. C. Marable, Central Hotel, Ballinger, Texas, or write direct for full information.

Mr. J. C. Marable, Central Hotel,
Ballinger, Texas.

Dear Sir:—Please tell me about the Piggly Wiggly store for Ballinger.

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PLANS FOR BIG BRIDGE APPROVED

Judge O. L. Parish received a letter from the State Highway Commission, Monday morning, which said:

"This is to advise that the plans for the Colorado river bridge has been completed and approved in this office and forwarded to the United States District office at Fort Worth for their approval. As soon as we have been advised that the plans are approved by them we will authorize you to advertise for bids on this work and will also forward several sets of plans to your office."

Judge Parish, stated that he thought the work would be put through now without delay. The first plans did not meet with the approval of the highway commission and the county took the matter out of their engineer's hands and turned the work over to the highway commission.

This bridge is badly needed and delays in this case are dangerous. Travel over the old bridge is congested at times, and as the county has the money on hand an appropriation by the state and federal highway departments, no time should be lost.

The big bridge will be modern and is to cost between forty and fifty thousand dollars, the greater part of which will be paid by the state and federal highway commissions.

Catarrah Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrah Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrah Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrah Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrah conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props, Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A trunk full of what is supposed to be contraband liquor was seized by Sheriff Hamilton at the Santa Fe station and is now being held in the vault of the sheriff's office. The trunk, which is of the steamer type and, with its contents, weighs about 300 pounds, arrived on No. 77 last Sunday, being checked as baggage. Its weight and what some innocent bystander declared to be the seat of liquor, caused the officer to take notice. It later developed that a local rooming house held a check for the trunk, together with a brief note, dated at Galveston, and advising that the trunk be held until called for. The trunk is securely locked and is held in the sheriff's office, awaiting a key from the lock factory with which to open and determine its contents. Meanwhile a bunch of folks are said to be writing around to see what is going to happen next.—Coleman Democrat.

Annual Stockholders Meeting.

Of the Ballinger State Bank & Trust Company, will be held at 10:00 a. m. on Tuesday, January 13th, 1920, in its Directors' room. Chas. S. Miller, Cashier.

20-3 Sat 4-3tw.

HOGS AT COST FOR BREEDING PURPOSES

E. P. Freeman, industrial agent for the Fort Worth Stock Yards, is in Ballinger in an effort to interest the farmers in raising hogs. Mr. Freeman has been working in this territory for several days, having just come from Brownwood and Coleman, where he met with success, and where several car loads of brood sows will be shipped at once.

"We are trying to get the farmers to see the great importance of raising their own meat," said Mr. Freeman, "and it is for the mutual benefit of the farmers and ourselves that I am here."

Mr. Freeman stated that more than 200,000 hogs had been shipped into Texas this year from other states, while this state should have been supplying its own packing plants and sending out hogs.

The drouth of 1918 depleted this country, as there was no feed and farmers either killed their hogs or shipped them out, leaving the country without hogs.

Mr. Freeman is here to help establish the hog business on every farm in the county, and every well regulated farm will have hogs on it. The Fort Worth Stock Yards propose to ship to this country for distribution the very best brood sows possible to select, and to send the hogs here immunized and ready for breeding purposes at the cost of the first purchase. In other words the stock yards will select the sows, immunize them and sell them to the farmers at what the stock yards first paid for them.

Mr. Freeman stated that the sows would weigh from 160 to 180 pounds and would cost the farmers around \$35 per head. Registered males will be shipped with the sows, and in a short time this country can be exporting pork which will bring in thousands of dollars in addition to making a supply of home meat.

The plan proposed by Mr. Freeman is for the local banks to get behind the proposition and finance the purchase of the hogs, after a list has been made up, and the local farm agent superintends the distribution of the hogs.

Local Agent Eaton is assisting Mr. Freeman, and it is a foregone conclusion that the local banks will assist in every way possible in restocking this country with pure bred hogs.

Mr. Freeman stated that several car loads of hogs were placed at Brownwood and also at Coleman, where the banks readily took hold of the work and urged the farmers to buy hogs.

The stock yards are eager to cooperate with the farmer in raising hogs, because without hogs the packing houses would not be able to operate. It is a mutual proposition in which the farmers, banks and stock yards can afford to cooperate.

Farmers desiring to get in on the first shipment of hogs should lose no time in seeing Mr. Eaton or conferring with their banker.

You Do More Work,

if you are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is not a patent medicine, it is simply IRON and QUININE suspended in Syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. These reliable tonic properties never fail to drive out impurities in the blood. The Strength-Creating Power of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC has made it the favorite tonic in thousands of homes. More than thirty-five years ago, folks would ride a long distance to get GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC when a member of their family had Malaria or needed a body-building, strength-giving tonic. The formula is just the same today, and you can get it from any drug store. 60c per bottle.

Mrs. Emmitt Cockrell left for Yoakum, Friday afternoon, where she will spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hale and baby arrived from Gorman, at noon Saturday. Mr. Hal has been quite ill with fever and Dr. Hale recently visited Gorman to look after him. He will spend some time here recuperating.

Jim Knight was down from Winters Thursday.



The Pirate-

"—Sh! What would happen to me if I were your kid? Well, if you're not acquainted with Calumet Baking you don't know what a good excuse I have. I Can't Help Helping Myself—they're so good! Good for me too, because Calumet Baking are wholesome and easily digested."

Millions of mothers use

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Calumet contains only such ingredients as have been approved officially by the U. S. Food Authorities.

You save when you buy it.

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OF INTEREST TO CRIPPLED SOLDIERS

Did you receive a disability in Uncle Sam's service?

A representative of the Federal Board of Vocational Education will be at the Courtland Hotel in Abilene from January 23rd to January 26th, inclusive, and at the Landan Hotel in San Angelo from January 27th to January 29th, inclusive, to explain just what the Government is doing for men who received vocational handicaps in military service.

After talking to either of these representatives, if you are eligible for this vocational training and decide to accept it, they will go over your particular problem with you and help you select some course of training that will fit you for a gainful occupation.

There is nothing military about this training. It is just a chance offered disabled men to be successful in life a spite of their hand caps.

Don't forget the dates, Abilene, 23, 24, 25 and 26. San Angelo, 27, 28, and 29.

No Great Act of Heroism Required.

If some great act of heroism was necessary to protect a child from croup, no mother would hesitate to protect her offspring, but when it is necessary to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and give it as soon as the first indication of croup appears, there are many who neglect it. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is within the reach of all and is prompt and effective!

BAIR BUYS HOME FROM M. C. BRADEN

A deal was closed last week in which L. E. Bair buys from Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Braden their home on Ninth Street. Mr. Bair will occupy the place and Mr. and Mrs. Braden will occupy another place on Ninth Street until they make further arrangements. Mr. Bair said the place he was renting was sold and he could not get another without buying.

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When acid-distressed, relieve the indigestion with

KI-MOIDS

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If something is not done to stimulate poll tax paying in this county, there will not be a quorum at the polls on election day.

No surprise at the Bryan and Wilson split. If we remember correctly Bryan split with Wilson once before at the critical moment and Wilson was right.

The cotton buyers should now get busy and move the cotton which the embargo has congested. Get the stuff out of the way for the big crop of 1920.

While the weather is a little gloomy, there is always a bright side to everything. Just remember that your gasoline bill will be light for the month.

The rain is too much of a good thing. Many farmers are eager for grain, but they can not get their fields without rubber.

Some who refuse to tell the enumerators her age, is a bad judgment. In such cases enumerators are instructed to guess, and to be sure and not get it too low.

Some of the drouth suffers are coming back, and some mighty substantial looking farmers are coming in the place of those who went away to stay.

The city commission can not fix all the streets at one time, but if they will keep up the work while with that new outfit, it will not be long until there will be more joy in joy riding.

Things are very unequal in this world, as is evidenced by the fact that a six foot two hundred and fifty pound man can walk into a tailor shop and buy a suit of clothes as cheap as the little fellow.

Eggs have dropped from one dollar for twelve to forty cents for the dozen, and at the same time chicken feed goes up a little higher. Just another evidence that things are not equalized and that the feathered tribe is being unjustly dealt with.

The little spell of winter is in season and is what the people should have expected. Yet some people take the grouse because the sun does not shine all the time when they want it to.

The idea that the officers in this county would have to seek the county was all a joke. Before the time candidates will be so thick that some men will want to help their wives scratch the mud out of their eyes.

The price is coming to the local market at the rate of \$26 per ton. The farmer who dumped his corn on the market at harvest season sold it as low as \$15. We are sold for \$15 but we are sorry we did not buy at \$15, and the farmer who sold at the \$15 price should be sorry too.

This would be a great old world if you liked everybody and knew that everybody liked you. But if all, did you know that enemies are usually an asset. Enemies are an undiscountable evil if you have done your duty.

Now who gets busy now plants a few pecan trees in his home will be the envy of his neighbor who does not plant. Pecans come. The best home is mist valued home, and the home with a large tree, is the best. Pecan home, and pecan trees are beautiful and profitable.

It happened in Coleman county at the recent election held under the instance of \$250,000 bonds was invalidated because it was impractical, if not impossible, to get over the roads to the supplies.

The Santa Fe is hauling cotton from California and other western points by Ballinger, and refusing to accept for shipment cotton from points on the A. & S., and Orient and other connecting lines, greatly to the loss of the farmers and cotton buyers.

A Ballinger item yesterday announced the forthcoming of an annual to be published by the more than fifty rural schools of Runnels county and to be known as the "Ruralview." Each school is to bear its respective quota of expense.

YOUR GIRL AND MINE The last carnival to play Winters had with them a bright-faced girl whose home is in a near-by town and, he it said to her credit, she said she was getting very sick and tired of her job and was going back home.

BEST ARGUMENT FOR GOOD STREETS The Ballinger Daily Ledger recently carried the following editorial: "We believe that the citizens of Ballinger are in favor of 'fixing' the streets."

A merchant doesn't have to get a delivery truck stuck in the mud more than two or three times before he is in favor of raising Cam considerably and taxes slightly.

WHAT OF THE CHILDREN? Statistics from the State University give the following startling disclosures: That last year Texas lost one-third of its public school men teachers and one-fourth of its women teachers.

800 Auto Tags Issued. To noon Tuesday Tax Collector Chastain had issued 800 automobile seals. It is estimated that there are at least 400 unpaid auto taxes in the county.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Druggists refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure itching, bleeding, or protruding piles. Instantly relieves itching, and you get restful sleep when the first application. Price 60c.

Bring your old Radiator to Mr. Hask at Castor Tire & Battery Co., he will fix it. 13-1td-1tw S. J. Weathersby was here from Rotan this week, looking for property he owns in Ballinger.

Jack Roach, manager of the local compress, went to Brownwood, Monday afternoon.

teachers and become one of arousing the public to the dire calamity that is facing the children of Texas.

BREAKS A COLD IN JUST A FEW HOURS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Instantly Relieves Stiffness and Distress.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all grippé misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose-running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's!

POLL TAX PAYMENTS PICKING UP FAST

The rush at the tax collector's office increases as the time for paying taxes rapidly recedes by. Bad roads have been keeping the country people away from the tax collector's office, and the town people are usually the last to come waiting until the eleventh hour to get their tax receipts.

If all the men and women in Runnels county who are subject to poll tax payment, come in and pay, the collector must issue at least 200 receipts per day for the remainder of the month, and that would be a man's job.

- List of names and amounts for poll tax payments: Ballinger No. 1 106, Hatchel 42, Benoit 14, Crews 53, Tokeen 33, Truitt 12, Winters 150, Antelope 8, Wingate 46, Pumpbrey 36, Baldwin 16, Wilmeth 27, Cochran 30, North Norton 20, Marie 8, Maverick 21, South Norton 12, Pearce S. H. 20, Brookshire 8, Miles 84, Rowena 55, Olfen 25, Pony 30, Ballinger No. 24 112, Total 1003.

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191 WEDDINGS IN COUNTY IN 1919

One hundred and ninety-one couples were united for better or for worse in this county during the year 1919, according to the records of the county clerk.

Clerk McCarver issued 191 marriage licenses during the year, and as far as the records show they were all used. This is perhaps a record breaker for this county, and was due to the fact that it was the first year after the war, and following the year when there were few weddings.

The following licenses were issued this week: Paul Hohens and Miss Emma Pohler, John Steeler and Miss Maude Martin, J. R. Weathersbee and Mrs. Jesse Eva Bryant, Jesse E. Smith and Miss Alma Volker.

GETS LAND CHEAP WHEN DUST STORMS BLOWING

J. N. Wells was here from the Winters country Tuesday, to get some papers recorded in closing up a land deal which he contracted to buy two years ago. Mr. Wells contracted to buy 160 acres of land through C. A. Doose & Co. two years ago when the dust storms were sweeping this country.

DODSON WOULD STOP SALE OF CALOMEL

Dodson is making a hard fight against calomel in the South. Every druggist has noticed a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason, Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist. A large bottle costs but a few cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

\$20,000 LAND DEAL AT \$75 PER ACRE

H. Giesecke, representing Wm. Shertz, recently sold to W. J. Halfman, 234 acres of land six miles South of Ballinger and adjoining the farm of W. F. Gorman, for \$75 per acre.

This is classed as the best farming land in Runnels county, practically all of it being tillable. Mr. Halfman is one of the young farmers of that section of the county, and shows good judgment in investing \$20,000 in dirt in this county. Before he is an old man he will be able to sell the land for double the price paid, and in the meantime will become independently rich farming.

For prompt, efficient radiator repair work, see Castor Tire & Battery Co. 13-1td-1tw

McWHIRTER BUYS BIG SHOP IN FORT WORTH

Jim McWhirter, one of the pioneer barbers in Ballinger, and who recently left here and went to Fort Worth prospecting, has purchased an eight thousand dollar barber shop in Fort Worth, according to news received in Ballinger. The shop is a ten chair shop, located in the heart of the Panther City. According to the report received here Mr. McWhirter is making good, enjoying a big business.

Jack Roach, manager of the local compress, went to Brownwood, Monday afternoon.

NELSON WELL TO BE COMPLETED

According to reliable reports, received in Ballinger and discussed among oil men today, the Nelson & Nelson well of Mustang will be completed.

Hazlet & Harbison, who are drilling the Hightower well, will move to Mustang as soon as the Hightower well is completed and resume drilling in the Nelson & Nelson well.

The Hightower well is down about 2,500 feet and the contract calls for 3,500 feet. Drilling will be resumed in the Hightower well in a few days, and the work rapidly pushed.

The Mustang well is about seven or eight miles East of Ballinger and about half way between the city and the Russell field, and geologists have repeatedly made good reports on the field where this well is going down.

With drilling resumed in the several deep tests which are so well distributed over the county, prospects are good for renewed speculation in acreage and royalties here by early spring, and with

DEWS OF EVE

No More Gentle Than "Cascarets" for the Liver, Bowels

It is just as needless as it is dangerous to take violent or nasty cathartics. Nature provides no shock-absorbers for your liver and bowels against colic, harsh pills, sickening oil and salts. Cascarets give quick relief without injury from Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, Gases and Sick Headache. Cascarets work while you sleep, removing the toxins, poisons and sour, indigestible waste without griping or inconvenience. Cascarets regulate by strengthening the bowel muscles. They cost so little too.

the bringing in of one good well oil development would take on a boom which will attract many big producers to the local field.

We can unstop any "Radiator." Castor Tire & Battery Co. 13-1td-1tw

R. W. Bruce left for South Texas, Monday afternoon, and will buy a car load of Jersey cows to ship to this county.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.

Table showing financial resources and liabilities for Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co. Resources include Loans and Discounts, real estate, Bonds and Stocks, etc. Liabilities include Capital Stock, Surplus Fund, etc.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss: We, Feb McWilliams as President and Chas. S. Miller, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE Farmers and Merchants State Bank

Table showing financial resources and liabilities for Farmers and Merchants State Bank. Resources include Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral, Loans, real estate, etc.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss: We, H. Giesecke, as president, and J. L. Chastain, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Table showing recapitulation of resources and liabilities for Farmers and Merchants State Bank. Resources include Loans and Discounts, Liberty Bonds and War Stamps, etc.

NEW AUTO SERVICE FOR BALLINGER MOTORISTS

Expert Auto "Radiator" Man Secured

We have secured the services of Mr. J. A. Hash, of Houston, who will have charge of the "Radiator Shop" in our service station.

Commencing today, we will be prepared to attend to all your Radiator troubles, and guarantee complete satisfaction.

See Us for Quick, Efficient Work Castor Tire and Battery Co.

STEPHENS COUNTY MAN BUYS HOME HERE

G. W. Bowen, late of Stephens county, has purchased the Norris place on Broadway, paying \$800 for same.

C. F. ROESNER IS QUITE ILL

Feb McWilliams came in Sunday from his ranch and is here to attend a stockholders' meeting of the Ballinger State Bank.

PEOPLE TALK 28,827 MILES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—According to the report about to be issued by the Bureau of the Census, showing the results of the census of telephones covering the year 1917, there are 53,234 separate telephone systems and lines. These lines and systems operated 28,827,188 miles of wire in the United States—enough to girdle the earth at the equator 1,153 times—and connected 11,716,520 telephones and 21,175 public exchanges.

FOR SALE---FOUR

Scholarships

Tyler Business College Tyler, Texas

the acknowledged leader of all Business Colleges of the South.

Face Value \$65.00

will sell at a bargain--ready for delivery, at our office. We guarantee them to be worth \$65 in this college, on any course desired by intending purchaser.

Phone 27

Ballinger Printing Co. Ballinger, Texas

Charter No. 3533

Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank

at Ballinger, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Dec. 31st, 1919.

RESOURCES

Table with 2 columns: Resource Description and Amount. Includes items like U.S. Government Securities, Loans and Discounts, Other Bonds, etc.

LIABILITIES

Table with 2 columns: Liability Description and Amount. Includes items like Capital Stock, Surplus fund, Undivided Profits, etc.

*Of the total loans and discounts shown above, the amount on which interest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those permitted by law (Sec. 5197, Rev. Stat.), exclusive of notes up on which total charge not to exceed 50 cents was made, was NONE.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss: I, R. G. Erwin, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, 1920. HARRY LYNN, Notary Public. CORRECT--ATTEST: D. M. Baker, J. Y. Pearce, Directors.

RECAPITULATION

Summary table of Resources and Liabilities totals. Total Resources and Liabilities both equal \$1,237,539.20.

YOUNG LADY DIES SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Miss Irene Morgan died at the home of her foster father, F. M. Wood, in the New Home community, Sunday afternoon, and was buried in the Runnels cemetery Monday afternoon.

At twelve years of age deceased professed religion and became a member of the Baptist church, and was loyal to her church and lived a consistent Christian life.

Rev. M. C. Golden conducted the funeral services, and the remains of Miss Morgan were laid to rest in the cemetery at Runnels at three o'clock Monday afternoon.

62 ARRESTS AT ABILENE FOR AUTO VIOLATIONS

In the police court Monday morning Corporation Judge D. G. Hill will face sixty-two motorists who have been "invited" by the police to have themselves interviewed by the judge at that time.

MR. OR MRS. DYSPEPTIC

Get rid of Indigestion and Stomach Worries with "Pape's Diapepsin"

"Really does" put weak, disordered stomachs in order--"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness due to acid fermentation--that--just that--makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach antacid and regulator in the world.

Jack McGaughy was adjudged insane Friday afternoon before Judge Lee, and will be cared for in the state institution at Rusk.

Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood.

Frank Drews is here from Dallas, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Reeder. Mrs. Drews has been here for several days.

R. L. Huddleston will farm again this year, north of the city, and will read The Ledger when he is not too busy.

Miss Gentry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gentry, of Abilene, came down Saturday and visited her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gannaway, returning to Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Bring us the "HOLE" in your auto radiator, we will mend it. Castor Tire & Battery Co. 13-11d-11w

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bailey, came in from Fort Worth, Monday, and will be here for several weeks while Mr. Bailey looks after some oil development work.

Miss Mae McElroy left Sunday afternoon for Abilene, to visit friends for a few days.

S. T. Williams was here from Benoit Saturday, and had business at The Ledger office.

J. O. Smith, who has been running out of Brownwood as fireman on the Santa Fe, was here Wednesday en route to Winnsboro to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith.

Miss Mae McElroy left Sunday afternoon for Abilene, to visit friends for a few days.

Condensed Official Statement of The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co

Ballinger, Texas At Close of Business Dec. 31st, 1919

Resources

Table of Resources: Loans and Discounts, U.S. Liberty Bonds, Banking House Fur. and Fix., etc. Total Resources: \$374,034.37

Liabilities

Table of Liabilities: Capital, Surplus, Undivided Profits, Interest Collected, etc. Total Liabilities: \$374,034.37

The above statement is correct.

Feb McWilliams, Pres. C. S. Miller, Cashier

RELIABILITY ACCOMMODATION The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co. W.G.H.

Use Ledger Classifieds.

LIVER DIDN'T ACT DIGESTION WAS BAD

Says 3 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Relieved After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.

Meadersville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Higginbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of fix. I was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My appetite was gone. I was very weak... I decided I would give Black-Draught a thorough trial as I knew it was highly recommended for this trouble. I began taking it. I felt better after a few doses. My appetite improved and I became stronger. My bowels acted naturally and the least trouble was soon righted with a few

doses of Black-Draught." Seventy years of successful use has made Theford's Black-Draught a standard, household remedy. Every member, of every family, at times, need the help that Black-Draught can give in cleansing the system and relieving the troubles that come from constipation, indigestion, lazy liver, etc. You cannot keep well unless your stomach, liver and bowels are in good working order. Keep them that way. Try Black-Draught. It acts promptly, gently and in a natural way. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c. a package—One cent a dose All druggists. J. 69

City Marshal Wimberly went to Ovalo this week and arrested R. O. Beauchamp on a charge of swindling, later placing the young man in jail at Abilene. It is alleged that Beauchamp had, by the use of very crude methods, made a one dollar bill appear to be a

"ten spot," passing one of the bills thus raised on W. H. Avery at Winters. If it is found that Beauchamp had been thus tampering with Uncle Sam's money it is likely he will have to answer a far more serious charge.—Winters Enterprise.

GETS \$60.00 CASH FOR \$3.75 LAND

C. A. Doose & Co. sold, for G. B. Nixon this week, Mr. Nixon's Coyote Creek home place, nine miles North of Ballinger, to J. L. Hendrick, of the Crews country, for a total consideration of \$18,000 cash.

The farm sold consists of 304 acres, and the price per acre was \$60, and the terms spot cash. That is the way most of the land in this county changing hands is being sold in these days of prosperity.

Mr. Hendrick has been living in the county for the last year or two and cultivating rented land. He owns land in the county where he came from, but has decided that this is the best place to live and settles down here with one of the best farms in the county.

The place just sold is on the right of the Winters-Ballinger road near Coyote Creek, and on which two silos are located.

Twenty-three years ago Mr. Doose sold this same land to Mr. Nixon for about \$3.75 per acre. The deal at that time covered eleven hundred acres, and Mr. Nixon paid Mr. Doose \$4,000 for the eleven hundred acres.

From \$3.75 to \$60.00 is a pretty good advance, but look what the land is producing today, and a little figuring will show you that that price just paid is mighty low, and Mr. Hendrick will turn it for a big profit within a few years, and after he has added greatly to his wealth by cultivating the land.

Mr. Hendrick will not get possession of the place until January first next year, as it has been rented for 1920 by Mr. Owen, who is already on the place.

Avoid irregularity in the bowel movements; it leads to chronic constipation; a condition that poisons the blood and breeds disease. Prickly Ash Bitters is a man's remedy for putting the system in order. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

Albert Spill returned from Austin Wednesday, and went out to his home at Winters.



The Day of the Farmer

When three hundred hard-handed, sun-browned men from thirty-two states assembled recently to map out a program for the get-together of American farmers, they declared solemnly—though in more elegant language—that *the farmer shall no longer be the national goat!* The organization of the American Farm Bureau Federation means that the day of the farmer is at hand, says

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

No more will the farmer be the goat of the gouger, the butt of the ignoramus. Farmers are getting together today to take their rightful place as *the Nation's biggest business men!* This bank seeks always to advance the interests of the farmers hereabouts. We are anxious to see you prosper, eager to help you by every means in our power. And because we believe that the farmers who regularly read THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN are the most prosperous farmers, we urge our friends to subscribe for this great National Farm Weekly. Authorize us to charge your account only \$1.00, and we will have your name entered at once for a year—52 big weekly issues. *Keep in touch with the nation's farmers!*

5¢
the copy everywhere

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

J. Y. Pearce, President Capital \$100,000.00

Gentlemen:

(1) Because you know me, enter my name for THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN for one year and charge the cost, \$1.00, to me. Cross out one

(2) Here's my dollar. I want THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. Send it to me.

(My Name) _____

(My Address) _____

(City) _____ (State) _____

Build Now!

Do you own your own home? If not—why not?

If you have never owned your own home you have never experienced the full joys and contentment of the married life.

The slogan of America today should be: "Own Your Own Home."

None of the 'Reds' that were recently deported owned their homes. If they had they would not have been plotting the overthrow of our government.

Go anywhere you wish, you will find people awakening to this fact.

Why not own our own community.

Call today and ask to look over our house plans—IT IS FREE.

Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc.
Ballinger, Texas

New Year Greeting

to everyone in Ballinger and Runnels County.

We sincerely thank you for your patronage and will strive to make our bakery goods merit your patronage during 1920.

W. V. Connelly



"A FLY ON A CHURCH STEEPLE"

CAN you see it? Our ability to see this fly depends on the mechanical and physiologic functioning of our eyes. When the eyes fail in this respect, carefully prescribed and fitted lenses make up the deficiency. We are Licensed Optometrists and guarantee each patient satisfaction and comfort.

Dr. McGUIRE

Graduate Optometrist
F. & M. Bank Bldg. Ballinger,
Monday's, and Saturdays
Sunday's by Appointment
Winters, every Tuesday at Dr.
Tinkle's office.

WOMEN GIVE OUT

Housework is hard enough when healthy. Every Ballinger woman who is having backache, blue and nervous spells, dizzy headaches, and kidney or bladder troubles, should be glad to heed this Ballinger woman's experience:

Mrs. J. A. DeMouille, Cor. Cedar and Broadway, says: "About a year ago there was soreness and lameness in my back and when I did a little hard housework would tire out quickly and would have to lie down and rest. I suffered from pains of a drawing kind and had attacks of nervousness. My kidneys were irregular in action, too. I used Doan's Kidney Pills which I bought at the Pearce Drug Co., and I can gladly say that Doan's gave me fine results. I think this medicine should be used by other kidney sufferers."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. DeMouille had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, New York.

A TEXAS WONDER

for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, weak and lame back, rheumatism, and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder. If not sold by your druggist, by mail \$1.25 small bottle, often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

MAKE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS, GET AHEAD OF THE OTHER FELLOW BY Picking Scraps of Time from the Waste Basket

Abraham Lincoln would split rails all day in the forest and then after his day's work would walk five miles to borrow a book to study and improve himself. It is said that George Washington, in answer to a question of his mother as to why he studied so late at night, replied that he was working out the destiny of his country, and he did.

There are hundreds of young people today who are desirous of gaining a practical education, but for one reason or another, they cannot leave home to secure it, so they drag along from one year to the next in the same old rut. There are hundreds of others who cannot attend our school in person but who are availing themselves of the opportunity offered by the Correspondence Department of our College, saving their leisure moments and investing them in an education that will mean thousands of dollars to them in the coming years.

You may say that you are not able to take a course, but the person who can least afford it is the one who needs it most, who should get it by all means at any sacrifice; it does not cost much.

Young friend, take advantage of your opportunity to gain a business education, use the moments

that would otherwise be wasted. Spend an hour after nightfall in the long winter evenings qualifying yourself with a knowledge of the famous Byrne Shorthand, Practical Bookkeeping, Typewriting, Arithmetic, Grammar, Writing, Salesmanship, and Business Efficiency, Advertising and Telegraphy, by which you will make the business world readily pay cash for your services.

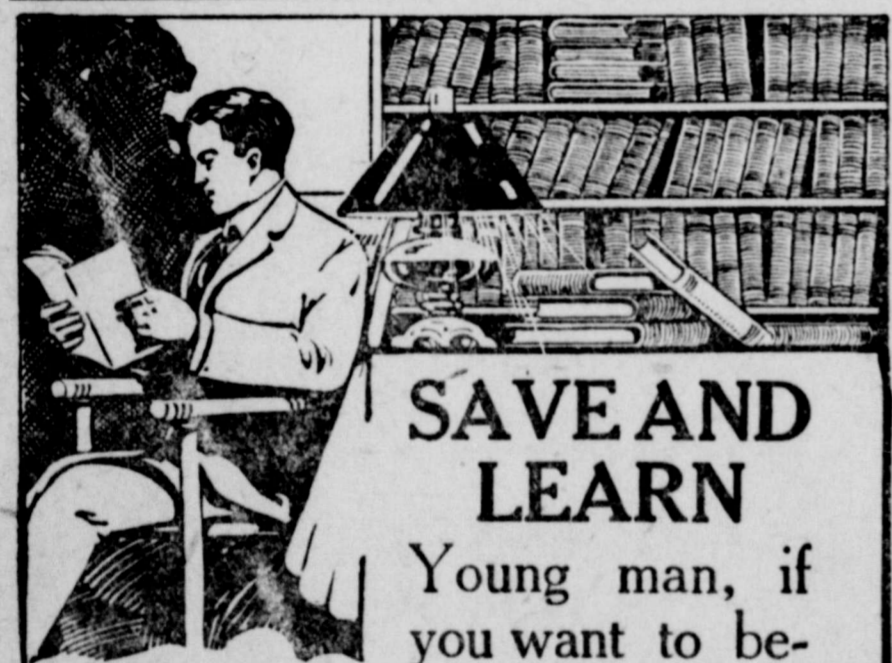
Fill out the following blank and mail to the Correspondence Department for catalogue and full particulars.

Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.
Name _____
Address _____
Correspondence Course Later in _____

Special expert from Houston now with Castor Tire & Buggy Co. See us for your "Badfator" troubles.

Preparedness applies to the man as well as to the nation. A bottle of Prickly Ash Bitters the shelf at home is the best and cheapest form of preparedness indigestion, constipation and kidney troubles. It is the dose in time that wards off sickness and saves money. Price \$1.25 bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

D. M. Hilliard returned from Rogers, Wednesday and camped the A. & S. to his home at Winters.



SAVE AND LEARN

Young man, if you want to become a leader in

the world's affairs, save a part of the salary you now earn, keep your eyes on the future and study your business. Men who make good burn the midnight oil—at home with their books and plans.

Put Your Savings in Our Care

so that you may have funds on hand to grasp business opportunity when it comes your way.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS
BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS

Let us help you to Solve the H.CofL. Problem

The fight against the high cost of living is half won by careful buying.

Our policy of Best Quality Foods at the Most Reasonable Prices is a great help to the housewife in keeping down expenses.

Come in and we will help you make economical and satisfactory selections.

One of our suggestions is *balls of Wichita Flour*. Our customers are always enthusiastic about this high grade, all purpose flour.

Wichita Flour

Huggenboehm Bros. & Co.
Wichita, Kansas

ASTHMA
There is no "cure" but relief is often brought by—
VICK'S VAPORUB
"YOUR BODYGUARD" - 30¢, 60¢, \$1.20

Backgammon is believed to be of Persian origin.

BARTLETT MOVES STUDIO.
W. E. Bartlett has moved his photo studio from the Brewer building to the building over Reeder's store on Eighth Street. Mr. Bartlett has been in the Brewer building for three years.

Wormwood from which absinthe is obtained has been described as the quinine of the poor.

**SHE'D PRAISE IT
ALL OF HEP LIFE**

Mrs. Flanigan is Grateful for Relief Obtained Through the Use of Tanlac

"I'll praise Tanlac the longest day I live, for it is wonderful how this medicine has helped me," said Mrs. M. J. Flanigan, of 104 Claiborne street, Nashville, Tenn. "For three years," she continued, "I suffered something awful with cold chills and smothering spells. My heart would thump like a trip-hammer and then would almost stop and then I would be too nervous to keep still and would often turn right blind. I would break out in cold sweats and then would get so hot they would have to fan me to keep me from smothering. There was a hard lump in my stomach, and no matter how much medicine I took those awful spells kept coming on."

"Three months ago I started taking Tanlac and began to pick up right along. Nothing I eat now disagrees with me, that lump stopped forming in my stomach and the chills, hot spells and blind ness have never come back. I now weigh twenty pounds more than I did before and feel all right. My daughter Elsie was all run down and unfit for work, but Tanlac built her up so she is able to work ten hours a day."

Tanlac is sold in Ballinger by the Weeks' Drug store, in Token by J. W. Bright.

A dispatch from Ballinger says that the fifty odd rural schools of Runnels County will issue a rural school annual to be known as the "Ruralview." If in the compilation is included data concerning the various schools, the plan has much merit. Tom Green County rural schools kindly take notice—San Angelo Standard.

A single orange tree will produce 20,000 oranges, while a lemon tree seldom produces more than 8,000 lemons.

Thought One Clean Shirt All He Needed.

"Ten years ago I was reduced to a mere shadow. I was yellow as a gold piece and would often be doubled up with most excruciating pains in my stomach. Physicians could only relieve me with morphine. I was advised to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and it helped me at once. What is more, I have been well ever since. A friend said he thought one more clean shirt all I would ever wear. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. At druggists everywhere.

**Banner-Ledger
Want Ads**

FOR ROCK, brick and cement work, see J. Kavanaugh. Rt. B. Ballinger, Texas. Phone No. 509. 19-Stw.*

FOR SALE—Pure bred white Holland, Turkeys, \$15.00 per trio. Phone 5503, Mrs. Niek Stallworth. 20-6tw.*

FOR SALE—Jersey milch cows heavy springers. See me at once. L. H. Hamilton in New Home community. 2-3tw.*

FOR SALE—20 head of Hereford bulls, some subject to register. Also seven mares and colts, and two young fillies. Call Carl Wilson at Paramore ranch—Phone 3603. 2-4tw

FOR SALE—One Sanders double disc plow; one Sanders Thrible disc, two double section tooth harrows. Will sell at a bargain. See me at the Moody shoe shop. E. P. Hall. 2-d&w2*

FOR SALE—Two double disc plows, one Moline, one Standard. J. W. Clampitt. 1-3td-3tw

FOR SALE—Two disc harrows with one seeder, one stalk cutter, two cultivators, two planters, two wagons. See J. W. Clampitt. 6-3td&w

FOR SALE—130 acres nine miles west of Ballinger, near Colorado river. See or write Anna Pseneik, Ballinger, Texas. 8-4d&w*

WANTED—Some old Ford radiators. Castor Tire & Battery Co. 13-6td-1tw.

Mrs. Wm. Doose returned Wednesday from a visit to her mother at Caldwell.

**Our Best Guarantee
is our Record**

Your interest and ours are mutual. We depend upon you for business and you depend upon us for lumber to satisfy your requirements.

Our customers are our best friends—some of you have been customers and friends for years. You know we have always given you our best in properly graded and assorted yellow pine lumber.

We have all grades and sizes to meet your requirements.

Ballinger Lumber Comp'y

**No. 324
BANKS OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION
of the First State Bank at Rowena, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1919, published in The Banner-Ledger, a newspaper printed and published at Ballinger, State of Texas on the 16th day of Jan., 1920.**

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$6,378.14
Loans, real estate	792.00
Overdrafts	98.52
Bonds and Stocks, U. S. Liberty Bonds	5,600.00
Real Estate (Banking House)	6,380.00
Installments on Liberty Bonds	209.50
Furniture and Fixtures	105,910.34
Due from Approved Reserved Agents, net	103.20
Cash Items	12,930.00
Specie	3,143.08
Interest and Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	3,491.46
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	27,622.40
Other Resources: U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness	100,000.00
TOTAL	\$337,768.20

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	9,500.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,214.84
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	273.99
Individual Deposits, subject to check	291,680.75
Time Certificates of Deposit	980.00
Cashier's Checks	5,468.62
Bonds Deposited	2,550.00
TOTAL	\$337,768.20

STATE OF TEXAS:
County of Runnels. We, G. Schuhmann, as president, and N. K. Freeman, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
Signed G. Schuhmann, President.
N. K. Freeman, Cashier.

(Seal)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, A. D., 1920.
W. A. Halamick
Notary Public, Runnels Co., Texas.

Correct Attest: L. J. Strube, J. J. Shiller, Chas. Schlaks, Directors

For sick headache, backache, heartburn, nervous weakness and constipation, Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy that men use. It purifies the bowels, tones the stomach, clears the brain, sweetens the breath, restores energy and cheerfulness. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

Studio Moved.
I have moved my Photo Studio over Reeder's store on 8th Street. W. E. BARTLETT.
14-4td-1tw.

W. C. Smith went to San Angelo Wednesday night to see if he could buy some second hand furniture for his store here.



Imitation "Ford" parts are being sold by many mail-order houses and garages to unsuspecting Ford owners as "Ford" parts. But they are not Genuine Ford parts made by the Ford Motor Company. They are made by concern who have no connection whatsoever with the Ford Motor Company. These imitation parts are not even made from the same grade of steel, or under the same formulas used by the Ford Company. They are counterfeit parts. Tests have shown them to break when the genuine Ford parts didn't even bend and they generally are from thirty-five to one hundred per cent lower in quality.

The Authorized Ford Dealer is your protection. As such, we handle nothing but the Genuine Ford parts. They are made from the famous Ford Vanadium Steel and each part—according to its use—is heat-treated in the way that will give it the longest wearing qualities.

Harwell Motor Company

**Spring Time
Is Coming**

**Ladies New
Spring
SUITS
COATS
DRESSES
BLOUSES
SKIRTS
MILLINERY**

are arriving
almost every
day now.

We Have Now
On Display
Some Very

Beautiful Models.

You are very cordially
invited to call and
see them.

**Higginbotham
Bros. & Co.**

Ballinger's Shopping Center

**STATEMENT
of Condition**

...THE...
**FIRST NATIONAL BANK
OF BALLINGER**
Dec. 31, 1919

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$476,726.24
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Liberty Loan Bonds	25,800.00
U. S. Treasure Certificates	10,000.00
War Savings and Thrift Stamps	504.98
Banking House, F. and F.	23,900.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,900.00
Acceptance (cotton)	242,715.16
Cash and Exchange	427,492.82
	\$1,237,539.20

LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	58,636.00
Reserved for Taxes	2,311.53
Circulation	25,000.00
Dividends, Unpaid	3,600.00
Deposits	1,047,991.67
	\$1,237,539.20

The above statement is correct.

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DIG DEMAND FOR COTTON GOODS

MANCHESTER, Jan 7.—The world is crying out for cotton goods—it wants to be clothed—and all Lancashire is trying to stop the cry—at a very comfortable profit.

Not only the world's chest of drawers but its back is bare. In Africa, China, India, Australia, South America and Central Europe especially there is a great dearth of cotton goods. After five years of short supplies they are demanding goods with unexampled urgency. They are willing to pay from three to four times as much as they did five years ago and the quantity they are prepared to take at such prices has no limit. Manufacturers here say.

Never in England's industrial history has there been such a cotton boom as Lancashire is experiencing today. To be blunt, Lancashire is in a position to squeeze humanity and the opportunity is not being neglected.

Statistics show that Lancashire owns and operates more than one-third of the whole of the cotton yarn producing machinery in the world. Shortly before the war she actually had too many spindles, having in a fit of optimism added twelve million of her equipment in the previous ten years. But today every spindle of her fifty-seven million is working at high pressure.



JOHN A. WEEKS

MONTANA MAN BURIED HERE THURSDAY

The funeral of W. J. Parks, who died at the local sanitarium Thursday, was buried in Evergreen cemetery about noon Friday.

Dr. Alvin Swindell conducted the funeral services. Mr. Parks was a son-in-law of W. T. Nichols and recently came here from Montana where he had been for the past several years.

The liver loses its activity at times and needs help. HERBINE is an effective liver stimulant. It also purifies the bowels, strengthens digestion and restores strength, vigor and cheerful spirit. Sold by John A. Weeks.

FULL RENDITION LAW SHOULD BE ENFORCED

If the city commission, and the school board, would comply with the law governing the assessing of taxes in this city, the city and the schools would be placed on a respectable financial footing, and the burden of taxation equalized.

Under the present system of fixing the taxable values by a make shift guess work method, some property owners pay more than they should be required to pay, and others get by with less than their part of the burden, and both the city and schools are compelled to seek and adopt poverty stricken plans for carrying on their work.

There is a law on the statute books of this state requiring that all property be rendered for its full value. Ignoring that law is working a hardship on this country. \$200 acre land in the black land belt of Texas is being rendered for taxes at from \$25 to \$50 per acre, while \$30 land in this country is being rendered for from \$20 to \$25 per acre.

If the full rendition law was enforced all over the state the tax rate would drop to a mere trifle, and the man with \$200 land would pay taxes on the \$30 land and the man with the \$30 land would pay taxes on the \$30 land.

But back to the question. The city and school board's tax rate is at the top. It can be raised no higher. Yet both the institutions are bankrupt, so to speak. There is property in Ballinger being rendered for about twenty-five per cent of its value, and perhaps in some instances for less, while others pay on what they consider all their property worth.

Such system does not only make it hard to finance the school and the city government, but it is an unjust system and does not distribute the tax burden as it should.

Melvin Porter returned to his home in South Texas, Thursday. He spent the fall here with his uncle, D. E. Caudle.

"DANDERINE" PUTS BEAUTY IN HAIR

Girls! A mass of long, thick, gleamy tresses



Let "Danderine" save your hair and double its beauty. You can have lots of long, thick, strong, lustrous hair. Don't let it stay lifeless, thin, scraggly or fading. Bring back its color, vigor and vitality.

Get a 35-cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter to freshen your scalp; check dandruff and falling hair. Your hair needs this stimulating tonic; then its life, color, brightness and abundance will return—Hurry!

MORE MOTOR TRUCKS FOR ROAD WORK HERE

(San Angelo Standard)

One hundred big army motor trucks are yet to be distributed through San Angelo to West Texas counties for use in good road work, it was announced here Tuesday by J. E. Pirie, division engineer for the state highway commission, preparatory to his leaving for North Texas on an inspection tour.

Mr. Pirie will be joined, at Brownwood by F. P. Sexton, federal engineer from Fort Worth, and will go to Aspermont, Stonewall county where on Saturday bids will be opened for a contract to build a bridge over the Salt Fork of the Brazos river. This structure is on an important route.

At Snyder, Scurry county on January 12, bids will be opened for contracts for building twenty-one miles of road on State Highway No. 7, which extends from Houston to Amarillo and thence into the state of Colorado. Construction upon the remainder of No. 7 in Scurry county is now in progress.

Relative to the motor trucks, Mr. Pirie stated that forty of the machines of two and three tons capacity each, should reach San Angelo by rail within thirty days. Later an additional sixty trucks will arrive for distribution.

So far, Tom Green, Sutton and Runnels counties have each received two trucks, and Menard and Pecos counties have obtained three each.

With many counties voting bonds for good roads improvement and other contemplating bond elections, highway work in West Texas during 1920 should far outstrip that which was done during 1919, says Mr. Pirie.

Frostproof Cabbage Plants For Sale

Cabbage Plants postpaid, \$2.50 per 1,000. Cabbage Plants express collect, \$2.00 per 1,000. Ask price large quantity, all varieties.

Georgia-Texas Plant Co., 19-4w Dallas, Tex.

LOCAL MAN BUYS

COLEMAN COTTON

Boyd, representing a Dallas cotton house, and making Ballinger headquarters, went to Coleman Thursday to take up 1500 bales of cotton for his firm.

Mr. Boyd closed a deal over the phone Thursday for the big lot of cotton, which was sold through the bank by the farmers of Coleman county.

The deal will aggregate about three hundred thousand dollars and the Coleman National Bank, through which the cotton was sold, will realize a healthy deposit as a result of the deal.

Lame back may come from overwork, cold settled in the muscles of the back or from disease. In the two former cases, the right remedy is Ballard's Snow Liniment. It should be rubbed in thoroughly over the affected part, the relief will be prompt and satisfactory. Sold by John A. Weeks.

Mrs. Tom Ward came in from Dallas, Wednesday, and is here visiting relatives and looking after property interest.

EMBARGO ON COTTON CAUSES COMPLAINT

Local cotton men have filed complaint with the railroad commission against the Santa Fe for the embargo placed against other railroads on cotton movement.

W. C. Penn addressed a letter to the railroad commission this week placing before that body certain facts concerning the congested condition in cotton yards and along the A. & S. and Orient railroad.

The Santa Fe is refusing to accept cotton for shipment from the Orient and the Abilene & Southern and buyers who purchased cotton at those places, expecting to get bill of lading for same, are being greatly damaged. The farmers along those railroads, and who market their cotton at points on those railroads, are also being damaged as cotton is not moving and the market is greatly affected.

The charge is made against the Santa Fe that cotton from the Panhandle, and even from California, is being hauled over its line, while cotton on connecting lines is being refused.

The Best Cough Medicine

When a druggist finds that his customers all speak well of a certain preparation, he forms a certain opinion of it and when in need of such a medicine is almost certain to use it himself and in his family. This is why so many druggists use and recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. J. B. Jones, a well known druggist of Cuhurin, Ky., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for the past seven years, and I have found it to be the best cough medicine I have ever known."

BAD WEATHER HURTS CO. TAX COLLECTOR

People who would otherwise come to town to transact business and pay their taxes are being kept at home on account of the bad weather, and the rush for the tax collector's office is going to come during the last few days of the present month.

The penalty goes on at midnight on the last day of the month and a poll tax receipt to be worth a vote must be issued before that hour.

The tax collector's ability to handle the work is limited. He and his force of clerks can issue so many receipts in one day and no more, and delay may cost some fellow his right to vote in the 1920 election.

There are many people in the city who could pay their taxes just as easy as two weeks hence, and they should do so and get out of the way of the man from the country who can't come to town on account of the bad weather, and who will manage to come in at the eleventh hour.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears
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Signature of *Chas. H. Peterson*

"SYRUP OF FIGS" CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver and bowels



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package; then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."

PIGGLY WIGGLY STOCK WILL GO HIGHER

J. C. Marable, who is here in the interest of establishing a Piggly Wiggly store at Ballinger, announces that stock in the company will advance to \$150 per share on January 20th. The stock is now selling at par, one hundred dollars per share.

This company is establishing stores at Ranger, Eastland, Cisco, Abilene, Gorman, Sweetwater and Desdemona, and San Angelo. The stores at Abilene and Cisco have been operating for some time, and the sales are far beyond the expectation of the company, according to reports received by Mr. Marable. Fixtures for the other stores are arriving at Ranger and Eastland this week. The company has plans to have fifteen stores in this circuit within a short time. An announcement of the plan of organization appears elsewhere in this paper.

Mrs. A. R. Jones returned to her home at Brownwood, Thursday. She had been here for two weeks visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Snell.

To abort a cold and prevent complications, take

Calotabs

The purified and refined calomel tablets that are nausealess, safe and sure.

Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION EXCEEDS COUNTY'S TAX VALUATION

The county that can produce in a year agricultural products worth more than the entire taxable value of the county, is not a bad county. That's what Runnels county did in 1919.

The entire value of the county, as given in for taxes, was about ten million dollars for 1919. This includes all land in cultivation, all pasture land, oil land, and all all livestock, and personal property of every nature in the county.

The cash realized from the sale of agricultural products alone in this county from the 1919 crop will exceed twelve million dollars. That cash amount does not include any money realized from the sale of livestock, poultry or money from any other sources.

Watch the Little Pimples; They are Nature's Warning

Unightly and Disfiguring Signals of Bad Blood.

Pimples on the face and other parts of the body are warnings from Nature that your blood is sluggish and impoverished. Sometimes they foretell eczema, boils, blisters, and other skin disorders that burn like flames of fire. They mean that your blood needs S. S. S. to purify it and cleanse it of these impure accumulations that

bring to the people of this county. Another big crop with high prices will set the people's money mad.

Heartburn, indigestion or distress of the stomach is instantly relieved by Herbine. It forces the badly digested food out of the body and restores tone in the stomach, and bowels. Sold by John A. Weeks.

J. H. Taylor and family left Thursday for Oklahoma, where they will make their home. Mr. Taylor has been living here for several years, having farmed on the South place east of the city a year or two. He cultivated the Shields place in South Ballinger last year. He says that no bridges were burned behind him, and he reserves the right to re-visit here and help gather the crop next year if he makes a failure there he is moving to.

Watch the Little Pimples; They are Nature's Warning

because unlimited trouble. This remedy is the greatest vegetable purifier known, and contains no minerals or chemicals to injure the most delicate skin. Go to your drug store, and get a bottle of S. S. S. today, get rid of the unsightly, disfiguring pimples and other skin irritations. It will cleanse your blood thoroughly. Special medical advice free. Medical Director, 41 Swiftory, Atlanta, Ga.

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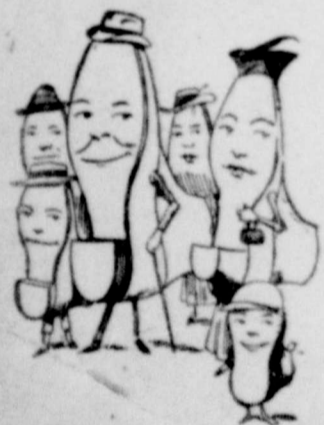
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ANNUAL BANQUET WEST TEXAS C. C.

A. W. Sledge, Editor Ledger,
Ballinger, Texas.
We desire to extend you a sincere invitation to attend the Second Annual meeting and banquet of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, to be held at Abilene January 22, 1920.
We feel that the Daily Ledger has been extremely liberal in the use of its space in the many cases



Our shoe family is large. There's Mr. and Mrs. Everyday Shoe with a family of good looking, sturdy children.

And Mr. and Mrs. Dress Shoe with graceful, beautiful children, surprisingly strong for all their dainty appearance.

And Mr. and Mrs. Wet Weather Shoe and Mr. and Mrs. Sport Shoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Dancing Shoe (frivolous creatures) and their families.

We want you to meet them.

D. Reeder's
DRY GOODS



BEACON SHOES

es for West Texas which during 1919 have been before the public. We are enclosing the complete program. No additional speakers will be added, and the program will remain as it is, but several short talks will follow the regular program.

Wishing the Daily Ledger a prosperous 1920 and congratulating it upon the fine stand it has taken for the development of West Texas, and trusting to see you at the Abilene convention, we are,

Yours very truly,
Porter A. Whaley
General Manager

PROGRAM
Second Annual Convention and Banquet, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, at Abilene, January 22nd, 1920.

Registration:
Delegates will register at the offices of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, 110 Cypress Street, where tickets to the Annual Banquet will be furnished to all members and delegates.

Visit to Lake Abilene:
At 1 p. m., visitors will be guests of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce and the City Government of Abilene and will be invited to visit Lake Abilene, where there is now under construction one of the largest dams and irrigation systems in the Southwest. Automobiles

will be on hand at the offices of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, HOTEL GRACE—7:30 P. M. Annual Meeting and Banquet

Toastmaster..... Col. C. T. Herring
Amarillo

Invocation..... Music

Welcome Address..... Turkey

Welcome Address..... Turkey Dinner

Welcome Address..... Special Menu

..... Hon. Dallas Scarborough,
Mayor of Abilene

Response..... Hon. W. V. Crawford
Waco

Music

"West Texas, Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow".....

..... Hon. F. S. Hasting, of
the S. M. S. Ranch

Report of the General Manager
..... Porter A. Whaley

"Oil and Gas".....

..... Hon. H. P. Brelsford,
Eastland

"Irrigation"..... Hon. J. A. Kemp

Wichita Falls
Hon. M. P. Kinkaid,
Chairman Irrigation
Committee,
House of Representatives,
Washington

Address..... Col. Louis J. Wartham,
Editor Star-Telegram

Report of the Nominating
Committee for election of Directors to
the Executive Board. Election of
Executive Board.

Election of President and two
Vice-Presidents.

Report of the Resolutions
Committee.
Good of the Order.

Bring us your old radiators, we
will repair them. Castor Tire &
Battery Co. 13-1td-1tw

SOLDIER FARMER MAKES BIG CROP

Talk about returning from France and stepping back into your job, or being turned down by the old boss, did not worry this farmer, who harvested 240 bales of cotton ten months after he returned from France.

Concho county is the scene. Ten miles southwest of Eden, the western terminus of the Lometa-Eden branch of the Santa Fe, Wild Lapp last spring planted 250 acres in cotton soon after he had been discharged from the army that whipped the Huns. Now, ten months later, he has already gathered 240 bales from his fields and several wagon loads of the fleecy staple will yet be picked. Lapp is a young man not yet thirty years old and is single.

Earl E. Hendricks, a farmer with a family, living two and one-half miles east of Eden, has a record that almost equals Lapp's. He planted 150 acres in King Cotton and the land has already produced 140 bales. The total will be 143. Hendricks' water it out all thru the long drought. He saw the land blister and all but burn and the sand storms sweep over his barren acres, on which he owed many payments.

Today he has wiped out all indebtedness, has a cash balance on hand, twenty bales of cotton yet to be sold that will bring him an

additional \$4,000, at least, and his barns are filled with feedstuffs sufficient to last two years. In 1919, Hendricks will plant no feed and all cotton.

These two farmers imported Mexicans to pick their cotton, paying two dollars per hundred. They cultivated their crop with little expense, after the chopping season, and rolled up a profit that places them on easy street.

SURPRISE SPRUNG IN THE NEW CASE

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9.—A surprise was sprung in the trial of Harry New, charged with the murder of his young sweetheart, Miss Freda Lesser, today, when prosecution asked for life imprisonment.

It had been expected all the time that the prosecution would contend for a death penalty. New killed his sweetheart while they were out driving in an auto last summer, and returning with her body he admitted to the murder. It is presumed that he killed her because she refused to marry him.

An unconfirmed report circulated in Ballinger Friday afternoon injected new life in the oil game and the prediction is freely made that the field will yet be developed and paying wells brought in.

According to the report Russell No. 3 struck oil at a depth of 1860 feet. Casing had been set at about the line and the drill pushed thru into the sand, according to the report.

All efforts to confirm the report had failed up to present time, as parties at the well refused to answer the phone, or could not be reached. A scout left Ballinger shortly after noon and was to report back to parties who are interested as soon as he arrived on the ground. The road is almost impassable, and it takes considerable time to make the trip to the well.

Russell No. 3 is fifteen hundred feet northeast of the Russell No. 1 and in the opposite direction from Russell No. 2. Russell No. 2 being southwest of No. 1. No. 1 is yet a puzzle to the outsiders. Oil shot over the derrick from

log of No. 3 is more in keeping with the log of No. 1 and the oil find reported to have been made in No. 3 compares with No. 1.

If No. 1 and No. 2 were both dry holes, the public cannot understand why No. 3 was drilled, and why the Gulf Production Co.

and are here to look after farm south of Ballinger.

Frank Drews return Monday afternoon, being a few days here with his who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Reeder.

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We have more tires than room.
We Must Sell Them

Size	Smooth	Safety	Grey tube	Red tube
30x3	\$12.90	\$14.70	\$ 2.75	\$ 3.30
30x3 1/2	16.80	18.70	3.25	3.90
32x3 1/2	19.45	21.60	3.70	4.35
32x4	26.20	29.00	4.55	5.10
33x4	27.40	31.00	4.75	5.35
34x4	28.10	31.50	4.95	5.55
34x4 1/2	37.80	42.50	6.10	6.85
35x4 1/2	39.55	44.00	6.15	6.90

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