Many children become undernourished due to lack of appetite. Keep the appetite keen. Food nourishes the body and makes it grow.

Also watch Nature's warning for changes in the system. Skin trou-bles—pimples, boils and that sal-low complexion—all foretell a body

In such cases, S.S.S. is the proper tonic. It improves the appetite; helps Nature build rich, red blood cells—those vitalizing elements in the blood that build and sustain

Children like S.S.S. It is made from fresh roots of medicinal herbs and plants, and is prepared in a

scientific way in a modern labora-

In building rich, red blood cells, S.S.S. improves the processes by which the body is nourished.

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* The physical welfare of the school authorities. Failure to from school is probably due to tion that may be largely attrib

nels County Co-operative Cream started this afternoon. ery said Thursday morning in

which time Bulgarian buttermilk case.

"We know that at least 2,000 ture. passed through the serving line,' Perry Parker, father of the agricultural agent, the Santa Fe wide scope. J. D. Motley, secretary of the dead girl, took the stand and is interested in the many com- Angeight-ear train, the special ably drill the well deeper if pay organization, said Thursday faced the murderer for the first munities it serves from the stand- included three cars of exhibits was not encountered to that Everything went off much time since the night he paid him point of a taxpayer, an investor, feed car for the livestock, a cov-depth. better than was expected. There\$1,500 for the mutilated remains employer of labor and a public was a large crowd at the meet of his little girl.

Masonic and K. of P. cards.

Officers are investigating the

POLL TAXES FOR BURGLAR TAKES

Brown said Thursday morning Ballinger State Bank, is minus a tem of agriculture. that he believes the total of poll suit of clothes and \$35 in money, in 1927 when 6,092 receipts were some time Sunday night.

Mr. Brown and his force have been working day and night for the last week or so and have not yet eaught up after the big Tuesday of this week. The col being opened or closed some time tension service on wheels and lector thinks, however, that some during the night. thing definite will be known of the total number of tax payers by the latter part of the week.

Automobile registrations for this year show an increase of 407 over the same date in 1927, Mr Brown said. No reason is given for this increase, other than citizens are obeying the law more generally this year than last year when some of them passed the tax-paying date by and did not secure licenses until later in the

Total automobile registrations to date is 4,382, as compared with 3,975 to February 1st, 1927. Trucks registered this year total

COURT REVERSES LUBBOCK CASE

AUSTIN, Feb. 8.—The case of J. R. Germany, sentenced to five years in the penitentiary from Lubbock on a charge of misapplieation of city funds, was reversed and remanded by the Court of Criminal Appeals today. The court found an error in the charge of the trial court.

The world is said to be in the grip of a match trust, controlled by Sweden. And few of us know the Swedish word for "gimme. Detroit Free Press.

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THE BANNER-LEDGER

BALLINGER, TEXAS, FRIDAY FEBRUARY, 10, 1928

NEW TESTS ARE ANNOUN

Hundreds Visit Farm and

Several hundred persons visited handling livestock and dairy the Santa Fe's farm demonstra- cows, poultry raising, crops and the Runnels-Conche line in the southern part of this county.

carrier. Only as these communities prosper can the railroad company prosper, he said, and pointed out that throughout Texas and other portions of the fore, he said the Santa Fe was interested in doing everything E. D. Walker, president of the possible to promote a better sys-

"Your own Agricultural and taxes for 1928 will be lower than after being visited by a burglar Mechanical College has worked out a program intended to make Mr. Walker's clothes were in your farming operations more ceipts have been issued. How the dining room on a chair, and profitable," said Mr. Dinan in ever, there is quite a bit of mail he was sleeping in a room adjoin- opening the program here. "and to be sorted before the grand ing at his home, 301 Thirteenth we are running the train in order total is compiled, the collector Street. He had \$35 in each in his that the program may be prepockets, his Shriner's card, his sented to you. It is our contribution to furthering and encourag-It is not known what time the ing the work of the extension burglar entered the home but service of the college which we Mrs. Walker declared she heard strongly endorse. We have vira screen door drag as if it were tually placed the best in the ex-

> After explaining the purposes of the train, Mr. Dinan turned the program over to C .W. Lehmberg, Mrs. W. B. Halley has gone to county agent, who introduced the Sweetwater, Tenn., where she will college speakers who discussed

tion train in Ballinger Tuesday soils, boys and girls 4-H club evening. The crowd, while en- work and home improvement. The R. B. Summers interests of ators in active work in this sectirely satisfactory to those in The speaking program lasted Tulsa, Okla., are drilling the tion. He has not been in Texas charge of the train, would have about 45 minutes, after which the well north of the city, which is on fields very long but he is well been larger had it not been for a train was opened for inspection. the J. W. Reese farm. It will be known throughout the Southcold north wind which developed Leaving Ballinger about 10 o'- started sometime about the 20th west. late in the day. The special clock, the train proceeded to of February. This is in a block LOS ANGELES, Feb. 8.—The arrived from Santa Anna about Sterling City, where a meeting of a few hundred acres. The rig Vacuum et al-McMillan No. 2 is Creamery Ope state rested in the trial of Wil- 7 o'clock and was parked near was held early Wednesday morn-material and tools are on the nearing the pay sand daily and liam Edward Hickman, confessed the Santa Fe station where a ing. Other towns visited that location and work of erecting the was reported Monday to be at a Success, I slayer of little Marian Parker, meeting was held, the speakers day included San Angelo, Miles, rig will be started this week. The depth of 2,350 feet, with water when the defense waived cross- appearing on a flat car as a lec- and Paint Rock. The train is correct location is in the center in the hole. Underreaming will examination this afternoon of the ture platform. An electrically covering all of the Santa Fe's of the southeast 40 acres of block be in progress for a short time child's father, Perry M. Parker. controlled loud speaker was used. lines in Texas and will be out for No. 36 of the Day Land & Cattle to allow the casing off of the "It went over with a big bang," Judge Trabucco announced the The train is being operated by a period of six weeks. Prior to Co. survey, 660 fee north of the flow. The casing is now set to various executives of the Run closing arguments would be the Santa Fe in co-operation with reaching Ballinger the train had south line and 720 feet west of 2,150 feet. the Texas Agricultural and held 65 meetings with a total at- the east line.

Mechanical College as a means of tendance of 66,254, an average of The other well will be drilled the best time of any of those referring to the opening here LOS ANGELES, Feb. 8.—The boosting diversified far ming slightly more than 1,000 persons by R. B. Whiteside, of Duluth, drilling in the county. Delays Wednesday afternoon of the new insanity trial of William Edward throughout the state, and espec- per meeting. \$18,000 plant which will handle Hickman was brought nearer to ially in the territory served by The 1928 Texas farm and home urday. He closed a deal for a quence. the dairy products of Runnels a close today when chief of the the Snata Fe Railway. The train special is the third agricultural 2,500-acre block in this and Pay in the discovery well was defense counsel, Jerome Walsh was similar in many respects to train operated in Texas in recent Concho county. The acreage is a found at 2,545 feet and as the No. It was estimated that more announced that he would not the "Cow, Sow and Hen" train years by the Santa Fe and the A. little west of the Concho store. 2 is only 500 feet south of this than 2,000 people inspected the place a rebuttal witness on the which was operated through Bal- & M. College of Texas co-operat- H. W. Caudle worked the geol- well, it is believed the sand will plant Wednesday afternoon a stand when the state rested its linger five years ago, but the ing. The first was in 1923 and ogy on the block and Mr. White- be encountered at about the same exhibits prepared by the college was operated in West Texas. The side was represented by V. L. depth. bread and butter sandwiches and Tom Gurdance, Pendleton, Ore- carried better lessons, and in last preceding special was oper- Crowell in the preliminary work. ice eream were served to all whe gon chief of police, testified to- addition one entire car was de- ated in 1924 in Central and East The contract calls for work to be y in regard to Hickman's cap- voted to home demonstration. Texas. The present special is the strated within 90 days and for a As explained by L. F. Dinan, first with an itinerary of state- 2,500-foot hole, but it was stated

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visit relatives for several weeks. better methods of feeding and

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- Texas

Two new tests for oil in Runnels county were announced here Monday, which brings the total number of wells located and drilling Home Special Train Here up to 15. Some of the wells are shut-down but most of them are operating this week. One of the new wells is to be two miles southeast of the Vacuum-McMillan producer, while the other is to be near

Minn, who was in Ballinger Sat- have been few and of little conse-

best known independent oper-

The No. 2 well will tell just how much oil there is at the 2,545-foot level, as the No. 1 was never drilled deeper after it blew in at about 2,545 feet. Deepening of this hole was not considered advisable

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Specials For SATURDAY AND MONDAY

February 11th and 13th

Cocoa Butter Cold Cream, regular 50c size	33c
Penslar Cold Cream, regular 50c size	33c
Penslar Vanishing Cream, regular 50c size	33c
Garden Court Cold Cream, regular 50c size	33c
Garden Court Vanishing Cream, regular 50c si	
Benzoin and Almond Cream, regular 50c size.	33c
Camphorice Lotion, regular 50c size	33c
Garden Court Talcum, regular 25c size	17c
Colonial Club Men's Talc, regular 25c size	17c
Colonial Club Shaving Lotion, regular 50c size	
Penslar After Shave Lotion, regular 50c size.	
Lilac Vegetal Shave Lotion, regular 75c size	49c
Boraline Antiseptic Mouth Wash, regular 50c	
Penslar Sore Throat Gargle, regular 50c size.	33c
Mag Lac Tooth Paste, regular 50c size	33c
Mag Lac Tooth Brushes, regular 50c size	33c
Garden Court Face Powder, regular 50c size	33c
Baby Cough Syrup, regular 25c size	17c
Tread Easy Foot Powder, regular 25c size	17c
Baby Talcum Tiny Tot, regular 25c size	17c
Çolonial Club Bay Rum, regular 50c size	33c
Half pound Nestles Chocolate Bars, regular Saturday and Monday	

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minutes. It will keep your stomach the consequences.

REVIVAL HAS INCREASE IN INTEREST, ATTENDANCE

the first week of the special re- minds of Texas voters today, progress at the First Nazarene Ft. Worth attorney who recently Church, corner Ninth and Harris announced as a candidate for Avenue. The meetings have been governor. very successful thus far, according to the report of the local pas-went out I have received literally tor, Rev. W. Lawson Brown. The interest and attendance have been on the increase and additional than all want to know my stand than all want to know my stand chairs were added last night to greeted the evangelist. It was law. reported to be one of the best lifting the people into the heav- about where he The children's choir was heard taxes. the old fashioned congregational that all of these letters show that

Gray, who is a very forceful and constitutional limit, but the judge at Sonora. Before that interesting speaker, is being assessed valuations also in he was a resident of Ballinger, mightily used of God and those creased. This makes the burden where his father farmed. who have heard him have been on the payer a great deal heavier. Wardlaw still has ranching inheart-gripping messages. The re- my first announcement that if I Verde, Edwards and Erath counnext Sunday. It is expected that tions that will necessitate such an this week shall be the best and nerease in taxation as to make! If in the market for leases, roythe public is very cordially in the burden almost unbearable for alties or offset acreage, see us. vited to attend the services, the tax payers, as is the case now. H. A. McLean & Co., office over Christian people from all the "Being a land owner myself, I Strain's Drug Store, churches are asked to join in can readily appreciate just what prayer and service for the success other property owners are facing. SAYS JIM REED IS GOOD

turned to Brownwood after "I am an advocate of all three. rod. spending the week-end here with I favor a tax readjustment in That's Jim Reed on vacation, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. order to not only equalize taxa- when he is away from the ora-McCarver. Clarence is attending tion, but also to reduce taxation torical thunders of the Senate, Howard Payne College in Brown- by a careful expenditure of and has temporarily forgotten



Tired and Achy Mornings?

Too Often This Warns of Sluggish Kidneys.

DOES morning find you stiff, achy— "all worn out?" Do you feel tired and drowsy—suffer nagging backache. headache and dizzy spells? Are the kidney secretions scanty and burning in passage? Too often this indicates sluggish kidneys and shouldn't be

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Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic. increase the secretion of the kidneys and thus aid in the elimination of waste impurities. Users everywhere endorse Doan's. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS ASTIMULANT DIURETIC AR KIDNEYS

KEEP STOMACH Engineers are Instructed to Make Water Survey DRIVE NEXT WEEK

The first move for a substantial must be increased. The commisimprovement and increase in the sion feels that Ballinger is about municipal water supply were to outgrow the present supply, taken this week when the City and in order to have the situation Commission instructed Forsgard well in hand when that time & Davis, city engineers, to begin comes, the body is endeavoring as soon as possible a survey of a to be prepared. proposed dam site on Elm Creek.

C. L. Davis, chief engineer, in paving contract is completed.

Friday that he believed it would Bonds now held by this firm that time, it was added.

When the food you eat goes into your by the commission, but a tenta- be only \$27,000. acid-soaked stomach, it sours and can't live site is expected to be selected. Other business of minor importmakes foul gas and sour bile. by the time the engineers finish ance was transacted by the com-The blood takes these poisonous acids and carries them through the body. the street program. It is not mission at this meeting and one and carries them through the body. Naturally it makes you miserable and known how much water the city or two other important items despondent, because your system is not will ask the State Board of were discussed but no definite Pape's Diapepsin dissolves the acids and sweetens the stomach. It digests the probably be several months be
It was stated that subsequent that comes in liquid and powder form.

Will Retire Bonds

Action was taken by the city making this announcement Fri-commission at its last regular day stated that work would start session to retire approximately as soon as the surveying on the \$35,000 worth of water and street bonds, held by Brown & City Secretary J. R. Lusk said Crummer, Dallas brokers.

be some four or five weeks, how-total about \$60,000, \$20,000 for ever, before this work is started. the first paving job in the city, Probably some of the work can and \$40,000 for water improvebe done by the engineers before ments. Refunding bonds will be issued by the city and when this At present there is no prospec- action is completed the indebttive dam site under consideration edness to Brown & Crummer will

meeting of the commission may It is a combination treatment that not the blood. Your appetite is like a young. The water system has been con- consider some rather important

young and vigorous so you can eat anything you want without being afraid of Taxtation Is Biggest Issue, Says Runnels Boy in Governor's Race ANSWERS HUNDREDS

FT. WORTH, Feb. 3 .- The question of taxation has been The services last night closed found as the greatest issue in the vival campaign which is now in according to Louis J. Wardlaw,

they all want to know my stand take care of the large crowd who on tax matters," declared Ward-

services of the entire campaign time of the year the property thus far. Rev. Brown and wife, owner is more interested in tax who are experienced singers and matters than at any other time, musicians, and who have traveled because usually each voter alextensively in this line of work ready has paid his taxes in before coming to Ballinger, are month of January, or is bothering enlies with their splendid singing, money with which to pay his

last night also in connection with "Another noticeable thing is inot only have taxes been in-The evangelist, Rev. Ralph C creased, in many places to the having served six years as county

10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. through that I will not sign for appropriaterests in Texas.

of this revvial in building the "I think the three most import-Kingdom of God in Ballinger." ant matters facing Texas today are tax readjustments, better HOUSTON, Feb. 4 -- Expert Clarence McCarver has re-educational facilities and roads, cook, wary hunter, tireless nim-

public funds.

'I think educational facilities The gentler side of the veteran of Texas should be enlarged to statesman's life is pictured by Ed afford better opportunities for S. Villmoare, treasurer of the those in rural communities and Reed-for-president organization, small towns where heretofore the who recently arrived here to best of educational advantages boost along things for his friend

se that could not be overlooked as a cook, Villmoare said: y anyone. Good roads have so "He certainly knows how to much to do with our growth and fry eggs, make coffee, cook beefwelfare that every man who is a steak, prepare tomatoes, salad or candidate for governor should practically anything in the way give road building his closest of food. consideration.

in the state, with a commissioner trip.

every co-operation to the people Villmoare said that Reed was that would be possible. I am not a lover of controversy but against a centralized government, that when a question came up for which gives to one central body discussion he was never afraid to the right to say what any dis- maintain his convictions. triet or area should or should not A virile, energetic, manly do, regardless of the local condi- gentleman of the old school, was tions that might exist."

Wardlaw has been practicing Reed. law in Ft. Worth eight years. For 17 years he was an attorney and See the new line of Window ranch man in Sutton county, Shades at The Ivory.



Louis J. Wardlaw

greatly stirred and blest from his "That is the reason I pledged in terests, with ranches now in Val vival will continue each day at am elected governor of Texas ties. He also has some oil in-

COOK. WARY HUNTER

the cares of office.

of 35 years standing.

The matter of good roads is Praising the adeptness of Reed

"He likes to cook, too. We "I would be in favor of the always select him as cook when creation of several road districts we go out on a hunting or fishing

in charge of each that would be It was on a fishing trip that a responsible to the people only. group of the Senator's friends "I fact, I would want to give decided to run him for president.

the way Villmoare described

SECOND RABBIT

The second rabbit drive of the early spring season will be held Medical College in 1875, nor since next week, in the Benoit com placed on the market the laxative I munity, with the start for the known to druggists and the public si first day being planned from the 1892, as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pen Greenwood place, to go north The dates are February 16 and

The first drive made two days during the past week, southeast of Ballinger, was very successful reports indicated, with many of the town people participating. Many rabbits were killed in this two-day hunt.

Rabbits are reported to be plentiful in the section south and east of the city and the farmers are endeavoring to get rid of them before any of the field crops come out this spring.

Town people are invited to attend the drive next week. Free dinner will be served the hunters on both days.

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SINCE SWAPPED HORSES

"Out o' St. Louis; last night;

sold him. That is the way Arthur can Express Company messenger son, local express agent, says he d here, will tell you about the new should be named "Jacob," but in horse he has been driving to the "Shorty" does not agree with d express dray during the past few him. He says he can say "Jake"

in Ballinger to take the place of "Jake, II. old "Jake," the bay which had But "Jake I" won't stay in the been on the job during the past 8 lot and "Shorty" is driving him c years, everybody in town noticed again. If old "Jake" is not sold t it. "Shorty" says hundreds of within a few days he will be people have asked him the fol-shipped St. Louis.

horse?

Doctor at \$3 Found People Preferred His Prescription

The basis of treating sickness ! scription he had used in his pract

good for human beings to put into their system. If grown people want to use them no one can deny them the privilege, but they should never be given to children. The simpler the remedy for constipa-

tion, the safer for the child and for you, and the better for the general health of all. And as you can get results in a mild and safe way by using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, why take chances with strong drugs? All drug stores have the generous bottles.

When?"

"What did you do with the old

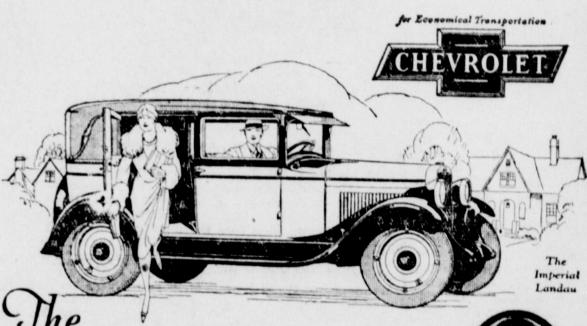
So "Shorty" thought up an answer that replies to all three questions at one time-"Out o' St. Louis; last night; sold him. And everybody who says anything to "Shorty" now may get that rejoinder before they make known their wants.

"Almost everyone I met while driving the new horse asked me those three questions," he declared. "It almost drives a fellow

The new dray horse has not 'Shorty'') Richardson, Ameri- been named yet, and W. H. Jack- ti twice while saying "Jacob" once g When the grey horse arrived so he thinks he will call him

2-2td-1tw day. The Ivory.

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Many children become under-nourished due to lack of appetite. Keep the appetite keen. Food nourishes the body and makes it grow.

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In building rich, red blood cells, improves the processes by which the body is nourished.

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are cross, restless and unhealthy.

Weeks Drug Store

* The physical welfare of the child is being given more attention by achool authorities. Failure to keep up with class work and absence from school is probably due to a nervousness and rundown condition that may be largely attributed to a deficiency in red blood cells.

S.S. Restores the Appetite Builds Sturdy Health

Creamery Opening Was a Success, Executives Say Company is the cause cessation of operations.

ery said Thursday morning in and make the farmers money on time this week. referring to the opening here their dairy products. He ex- May-Schneider No. 1, down the none of these have yet been con- tangs. Donald Black, editor of

than 2,000 people inspected the were very interesting. bread and butter sandwicher and plant. The products from this is underreaming at 2,100 feet. ice cream were served to all ho plant will be placed on sale at Griswald-Willingham No. 1.

passed through the serving line," the Ballinger groceries will drilling at about 1,300 feet. J. D. Motley, secretary of the handle local creamery products Latest reports from the Globe. miles northwest of Ballinger on organization, said Thursday fresh from the creamery every Webb No. 1, in the horseshoe the Hamp Byler place, formerly better than was expected. There full charge of operations at the Ballinger, were to the effect that F. G. Roach survey. It is underwas a large crowd at the meet- plant and keep things going as drilling was underway around stood that drilling must be comings both Wednesday morning long as the farmers bring in 750 feet. their milk and cream. and afternoon."

The morning session heard a condensed financial report of the attended by 75 per cent of the

F. H. Chandler, of Stephenville, 35c. Sold by an authority on the dairying business, delivered the principal address. Mr. Chandler is not in TED TRULY HAS A this business at present, but he has been interested in this work for many years and has spent Ted Truly, about seven years city, by February 15th, but the much time in Wisconsin and of age, the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. exact date of active work is not other dairy centers studying the Truly, of this city, was resting known here. It was claimed that New Variety of Wheat industry. Mayor Chandler, an very well friday afternoon fol- the Marland company would attorney, is active in the civic lown a skin-grafting operation start work on this well as soon

concise, relating many important of the boy, gave the skin from her that this hole has been aban- objection to the facts concerning the industry in body. The young lady, who also doned. this and other states of the had operations for adenoids and Southwest, Mr. Chandler said he tonsils at the same time the The Vacuum-McMillan No. 2, believed Texas could be made skin was removed, was also re- 500 feet south of the discovery into the greatest dairying state in ported to be resting very well. well, has made the best drilling

ler's talk the entire audience mother was badly injured, in an morning at 1.815 feet. This well started for the plant, where G. automobile wreck near Talpa. has only 730 or 740 feet to go to Briand. Ridders, the general manager, The Truly family were coming to reach the pay encountered in the had opened the doors for public Ballinger at the time of the Vacuum-McMillan No. 1, initial



The Ivory.

a Rowena cafe.

probe both cases.

he Ivory.

linger with relatives.

Tyler and Marshall, where they

went to get Denny O'Brien and

Harry Briley, wanted here on

charges of burglary and theft of

One of the men was arrested in

The February grand jury,

Marshall and the other in Tyler.

which is to convene Monday, will

Mr. and Mrs. M. Flynt and son,

See our line of Window Shades.

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of Coleman, spent Sunday in Bal-

LESSON No. 15

Question: Why is emulsified cod-liver oil so important as an added ration with milk in the diet of children?

Answer: Because when it is mixed with milk it makes milk a more efficient rickets-preventing food and builder of strong bones. Children like it best in the form of

SLOW; CREWS BUSY

rumors of deals closed and pend- about 2,100 feet. this county.

The well attracting the most around 700 feet Friday. attention, the Watchhorn-King Drilling is still in progress at No. 1, two miles southwest of the the Gibson & Johnson-Serratt No. Vacuum-McMillan No. 1, produc- 1, just north of Ballinger; at the ing 80 barrels daily, is still bail- May-Schneider No. 1, east of the like to see her girl look at nine years. She's sweet and happy, bright as a ing high gravity oil from 2,296 city; and at the Globe-Webb No. feet, where the bit punctured a 1, southeast of this place, but the and she weighs just 75 pounds! She's light sand last Wednesday even, exact depth of each of these is in the fourth grade at school and is

ing. This well is now 2,410 feet not known. deep with underreaming in prog- No report had been received ress. A report from the well at Friday afternoon of operations at perfect health. She was a very puny 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon the Kennedy-Talley No. 1, about stated the collar had slipped! 5 miles north of the producer. from a string of easing, and that Many people, presumably conit had gone 35 feet into the hole. neeted in some way with the oil Just how much trouble it will be industry, have been in the city to recover the casing is not during the past two days and an

Empire-Gray No. 1 is shut down on Ballinger streets Friday. at a depth between 2,400 and Practically all of the furnished faulty title on some of the leases have already been leased or held by the Empire Oil & Gas rented and it is with great diffi-

near Benoit, is shut down, await- easily use 100 new homes and of Southern Methodist Univer-"It went over with a big bang," creamery superintendent and is ing casing. The depth of this four or five apartment houses. sity entered in the annual beauty various executives of the Run- expected to put the local plant in hole is about 2,100 feet. Drilling Several deals are reported to contest for the Rotunda beauty to her home in Fort Worth after nels County Co-operative Cream- front of all others in the state is expected to be resumed some have been closed since the show section. The Rotunda is the a visit here to her parents, Mr.

Wednesday afternoon of the new plained the operations of the Colorado River, is reported to be firmd. However, it is thought the Rotunda, is conducting this See our line of Window Shades. \$18,000 plant which will handle plant on several occasions during shut down at 1,350 feet. No cause some of the deals have been conthe dairy products of Runnels the afternoon and demonstrated for this shut-down has been summated. how each machine was used. His learned here.

plant Wednesday afternoon at Ice cream, butter and butter- Vacuum-McMillan No. 2, 500 faster. A number of wells will which time Bulgarian butte, wilk, milk will be manufactured by the feet south of the discovery well, probably be started soon, oil men

most of the grocery stores in 2,300 feet southwest of the dis-"We know that at least 2,000 Runnels county. A number of covery well, is reported to be two new locations during the past

"Everything went off much day. Mr. Ridders will be in bend of the Colorado River below the old Simpson ranch, in the J.

drilling around 900 feet. SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN Kennedy-Talley No. 1 is shut! The other Marland location was

are other symptoms, however. If the stockholders of the new organ-child is pale, has dark rings under the ization. Ninety per cent of the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in a slush pit was being dug on a ETRR survey No. 121 and about

farmers who are stockholders were present, it was asserted.

At the afternoon session, Mayor F. H. Chandler, of Stephenville, Sc. Sold by

As sold bleach and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by The Marland Company's two

locations last week brought a slight increase in the activities in this county. It is understood SERIOUS OPERATION that drilling must start on the Hamp Byler place, west of the and commercial affairs of his performed in the Halley & Love as the well in Tom Green county Sanitarium Friday morning. hetween Harriet and San Angelo His talk was illuminative yet Miss Marguerite Truly, a sister was completed and it is reported

Ted was severely scalded last record of any test in the county. Immediately after Mr. Chand- October, at the same time his Drilling was underway Friday Mr. Ridders is an experienced of the Runnels County Fair. The blew in at 2,545 feet and the bit of Runnels County Fair. boy was in a serious condition has not been put back in the hole for several weeks and it was re- since. The No. 2 is expected to cently decided that a skin oper- be completed within a week or ten days.

ation must be made. No late reports had been re-New Stock of Window Shades.

2-2td-1tw SHERIFF RETURNS WITH TWO MEN WANTED HERE Sheriff R. E. McWilliams and Carl Wilson have returned from

No new oil developments have | ceived Friday afternoon from the occurred in any section of Run- Swensondale-Werner No. 1, near nels county during the past week, Benoit. The last report said although there have been several underreaming was underway at

ing involving leases and wells in McLean-Clayton No. 1, four miles east of Benoit, was drilling

light sand last Wednesday even- exact depth of each of these is

unusually large crowd was seen

2,450 feet. It is reported that a rooms and apartments in the city MISS DOOSE IN S. M. Company is the cause of the culty that rooms and apartments are acquired in Ballinger At ter of C. A. Doose of this city, is Swensondale-Wern er No. 1, the present Ballinger could very one of the twenty young co-eds

in the Watchhorn-King well but annual publication of the Mus. and Mrs. Asa Cordill

This show will probably bring It was estimated that more explanations of the operations Gibson & Johnson-Serratt No. 1 other development and tests in is drilling at around 1,150 feet. this section will go down much

New Locations

Marland Oil Company has made few days; the first about three menced here at once in order that McLean et al-Clayton No. 1 is the Marland may hold their

Children suffering from intestinal worms down at about 1,600 feet, await made on the Andy Herring ranch It was rumored Thursday that Coleman, where Marland has a

Named for M. Briand

We have a client in the market Co., Room 1, over Strain's Drug

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR VISITS HIS BROTHER HERE

Louis J. Wardlaw, of Fort Worth, eandidate for governor, vas here Saturday, spending a ew hours with his brother, M. B. Wardlaw, and family, of this

The candidate formerly lived here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wardlaw, who now reside in Miles. Judge Wardlaw is well known in Runnels county ! !! land West Texas in general as he has been closely connected with the development of this section. He owns several ranches in West Texas and is well known among ranchmen and oil men in this part of the state.

Judge Wardlaw has also been visiting his parents in Miles. His father was here with him Satur-

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Little Adeline Clarner, of 146 West Young Street, San Antonio, is the pic ture of the way every mother would

taking music, too. Her mother says: "I give California Fig Syrup full credit for Adeline's pation when she was two years old. She would have sick spells, was bilious and her food didn't seem to di gest right. She was very fretful and peevish and cried a lot. Her breath was bad. She was underweight.

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Miss Marguerite Doose, daugh-

Miss Doose's picture, together U. BEAUTY CONTEST with those of Misses Willie May Cook, Lorena Kirby, Frances Berger and Emma Sue Mills, appeared in Thursday's issue of the Dallas News.

Mrs. O. H. Layton has returned

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ties are requested to mail their that community. A drive will be Spring the last of this week, items in not later than Tuesday staged in this part of the country of each week. The weekly paper February 16th and 17th. is printed on Wednesday and that time if it is to appear that the sick list the past week. week. All special notices can be written in advance and included Misses Ruth Cole and Corinne every line.'

Texas' mineral resources are largely unexplored, yet she conannually in the United States.

BROWN WOOD - Improvements under way on the Rising Star-Brownwood road will shortly be completed.

The official Washington weather forecaster is under fire, ered from her illness, but is now which shows that eventually jus- improving. tice comes to every man .- Charlotte News.

CHILLICOTHE-A new standpipe of 50,000 gallons capacity is being erected here.

Mrs. Ben Denny, of this city, is Stout Jackson show, reported to be resting very well following a very serious operation performed in a Brownwood Clayton attend the missionary Golden was fine. hospital last week.

TWO ARE DEAD

yesterday when the latter see what grain land needs to be served sandwiches and coffee. dropped a stick of dynamite.

digging a sewer ditch.

Rancel was instantly killed while Newberry died a few hours' later in a hospital here.

POSSE SEEKING

near here with bloodhounds for little patient is better at this people sang unusually well. an unidentified negro who shot writing. The family is under and killed Policeman Levi Red-quarantine. dick last night and seriously wounded J. D. Morgan, a detec- Calvin Robinson went to Housevening. tive, who attempted to arrest the ton on business last week.

ham as a suspect.

******** ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Tax Collector:

W L BROWN

For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD

SID CASKEY For District Clerk:

For Treasurer:

MRS. JENNIE KIRK

For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMIER

For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD

For County Clerk: MISS IMA McKOWN

For County Superintendent

R. E. WHITE For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1

C. H. WILLINGHAM For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:

R. J. DEENS For Public Weigher, Prec. No.

O. R. JONAS

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4 R. A. PERRY

Several of our citizens went to NOTICE TO BANNER. * the rabbit drive in the Miller

in the news from each locality, Gressett took the teachers' state with little trouble. We ask your exams Friday and Saturday co-operation in this and promise These are two of our home girls from Barnett attended a party Miller, of New Mexico, who had to try to give you the best coun- and we wish them every success given by Artie McClellan Satur. been in Winters under treatment, try weekly possible to publish. | in this undertaking.

Grandma Clark, who had been tributes six or seven per cent of visiting relatives here, returned A good erowd was out for Sunthe total mineral values produced to San Angelo Tuesday to spend day school Sunday. The contest Mrs. Brister and grand- went to Brownwood Sunday to should be completed within a some time with her daughter at between the men's and women's daughter, Ozella Avent returned see Mrs. Lucas' nephew, who had short time." In closing Dr. Hunt

> Spreen, and Yates Clayton, of secure the most attendance and Ballinger, called to see Mrs. L. R read the most chapters each Mrs. Brookshire has not recov- win.

ter, Miss Dolores motored to Win-through. Each member is to read Every man is said to have his ters Sunday, to visit with A. W. seven chapters each week. day, but how some of them do Hill and family. Mrs. W. T. Hill, hanker after a night now and who had been spending the week- We are glad to welcome some day. then .- Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch, end with her son's family, re- new-comers to our community ,

> of the Plains country, were here with us. last week advertising for the

society meeting at Talpa Wednes

put in other crops. The lowlands The men were working for a seem to have very little grain left. A Junior B. Y. P. U. was organja very fair stand.

---X--chieken pox in our school the day evening at 6:00 o'clock. past week, Prof. Womack's child nicely and we hope they will went enjoyed the singing. oon be back in school again.

a (known as Smith's store,) has building. * * * * erected a new addition.

R. E.(EARL) McWILLIAMS tregular appointment at the Meth- week-end. odist Church the first Sunday.

The Bethel baseball team went afternoon for Abilene to visit her to Paint Rock Wednesday after son, Peet, for a few days. noon for games. The scores were 35-15 in favor of Bethel girls, and Voline Thornton visited Addie R. Spann on Thursday of last in the past by the good people of Mrs. S. B. Raby, of this city. MISS GEORGIA SINGLETARY 18-14 in favor of Paint Rock Morris Sunday afternoon.

> -X---On Friday afternoon the Row- end with Agnes Presley. ena basketball team came to our in favor of Rowena.

"REPORTER."

Next Sunday is our regular ******** singing day. Everyone come and We are sorry to report there

BARNETT NEWS

---X----A party was given last Friday well again. night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Forgey. We all enjoyed Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson 25c. Ballinger Printing Co.

ourselves so well that we "for-* got' to leave until a very late

Frank Ward arrived home last LEDGER REPORTERS * settlement Friday. They report Friday to senpd a few days here. ********* a goodly number of the little He has been overseeing the culti-

be given by the young people at will soon recover. we must have your copy before Mrs. W. D. Lewis has been or Barnett school house Saturday night, February 18th. Come, and Several from this community relatives in Abilene Sunday.

> day night. A fine time was re- is able to be back in our com- with Mrs. W. P. King. ported.

Mesdames G. W. Clayton, Mary test is to see which class can and family.

The young people's Sunday Mrs. Mabel Elliott and daugh- paign to read the New Testament day.

--X--turned home Sunday afternoon. Burley Venson, formerly of Big Spring, and Dorice Hodnet, of visited Marvin and Noel Hall C. P. SHEPHERD ASKS Otis Cottrell and Mr. Eubanks, Alabama, will spend next year Sunday.

A crowd of Barnett people at ************ tended church at Hagan Sunday . SOUTH BALLINGER Mesdames O. C. Cox and Milton night. The sermon by Brother *

> REPORTER." Sunday at Talpa. "REPORTER."

MANN NEWS

only in business meeting Friday night keeping the ground moist so After the business of the associaberry and P. Rancel, of Dallas, breaking could continue but the tion was attended to a number are dead here today as the result dam pness brought half-dead took part in a mock trial Followof a fatal explosion at Moran late grain to life, so the farmer can ing this the social committee berry spent Sunday with Mrs. duties of this modest but respon-

sewer-water contractor and were while the grain on highlands has ized Sunday afternoon. All juniors are extended a most hearty invitation to come and children, of Abilene, spent the forget them, and if possible give McGregor, Rev. E. W. McLaurin, There were some new cases of meet with this union every Sun week-end with Mrs. Brown's

> was stricken, as were Gladys Cot- After the B. Y. P. U. Sunday Daugherty. All are getting on a singing at Poe Chapel. All who and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Davis vis-

Oather Caldwell of California men are scouring the country from Bethel on the river. The U. Sunday evening and the youn; come them to this community.

-- x party at Jack Tackett's Saturday aunt at Alpine.

A negro is being held at Dur- Pete Robinson is back in the family and Addie Morris went to of the flu. Norton Monday night to see a

> The Presley children were vis-Rev. W. W. Killam filled his itors in our community this

Mrs. E. J. Morris left Sunday

---X----

--Xhas been visiting his sister, Mrs rooms. G. A. Tackett, for several days. "REPORTER."

HERRING TOPICS

help us make it a great success. | are still several people on the sick | list, but hope they will soon be

and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark * and mother, of Winters; Mr. and * Mrs. Grady Miller, of Coleman; * *

Violet Edwards spent Sunday in the evening, after which Rev with the R. E. Todd family of Edmiaston preached. Anderson, Sunday.

---X---Bernice Hale Sunday evening.

-X-L. A. Faubion and father spent favor, 18-11. Correspondents for The Banner- animals slain, also an excellent vation of their farm near Big Saturday and Sunday in Abilene Ledger in the various communiis in the Baptist hospital there J. G. Phipps visited relatives near claring it was a disgrace for a suffering from a broken back Talpa Sunday. The play "Deacon Dubbs," will His friends of this county hope he

> ---X---we will guarantee a "laugh in attended church at Oxien through the week-end.

A large crowd of young people We are glad to report Mrs. Ivy mony Sunday afternoon. munity. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Bible classes is getting more in- home Sunday after spending a been seriously injured in a car ended with his unusual flow of teresting every week. The con- week at Abilene with Joe Brister wreck.

Brookshire Thursday afternoon week. Each class is sure it will Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woods, of ance, 'February 17th, in the C. P. Shepherd was toastmaster. Crews, Sunday.

> Several from this community attended church at Crews Sun-

Eldon Avent and Welby Fuller

"REPORTER."

NEWS

E. L. Voelkel and daughter, of J. B. Dorsey and family spent Fort Worth, came in Friday night to visit Mr. Voelkel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Voelkel. They returned to their home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown, of The damp misty mornings for * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * Coleman, spent Sunday with Mr. the past weeks have been of much The P. T. A. had its regular Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.

> Gadberry's daughter, Mrs. sible office. Tuckey, and family, of near

sister, Mrs. R. E. Brown, and creditable features of my work. family.

ter, Maurine Goodwin and Floyd evening the young people went to Mrs. Sam Boyer and children lieving in and standing for law ited Misses Florence and Geneva Boyer at Abilene Sunday. -----

We are sorry to report that Mr. was a welcome visitor in our com. Ezra Carroll and family, of THOMAS HILL, N. C., Feb. 7. Lee has a little child with scarlet munity this week. He acted as Cross Plains, came in Sunday to A posse of approximately 1,000 fever. He lives about four miles chorister for the Tierce B. Y. P make their home here. We wel-

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown and up after se c. ... weeks of siege show his guilt.

play, "The Lay of the Hen," Mrs. Sue Jackson went to Dallas punished for any act or offense The Hilsdale filling station, which was given at the school Sunday with Mrs. Will Jackson uness that offense be defined in and daughter, to see Mrs. Will plain intelligent language and a Jackson's mother, who is sick. "BLUE BONNET."

* * * * * * * * * * unpunished.

The Wide-Awake Club of Barnett community met with Mrs. A port and confidence accorded me Anna Raby, daughter of Dr. and week. We were indeed glad to Runnels county, and if it is my have so many members present good fortune to be your choice Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Campbell Thelms Brown spent the week The president being absent, Mrs. for another term, I shall try to are the proud parents of a ten-Hollingsworth, our home demon- render the very best service that pound girl born to them Friday stration agent, acted as president is in me. It will hardly be pos- at their home on Tenth Street. court and the score was 11 to 9 Preston Marler, of Goldthwaite, and also made a talk on living sible to make a personal cam- Both mother and daughter are

> Naomi Verdon as a visitor. The club adjourned to meet ing your vote and influence. with Mrs. C. J. Bennett on our egular meeting day, which is ebruary 16th.

Club Reporter.

Be wise and advertise.

CREWS NEWS

Mrs. Faubion and children, Mr. There was Sunday school at and Mrs. S. H. Miller, Mr. and both churches Sunday morning. Mrs. G. C. Avent were guests in after which Rev. B. B. Edmiaston the J. P. Brevard home Sunday. | filled his regular appointment in the Methodist church. There was Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Todd and B. Y. P. U. and Epworth League

The girls' basketball team went Miss Della Bragg visited Miss to the Dietz school Friday after-

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Clark and Miss Bonnie Mae Clark visited done. ---X----Several of the Crews young

people attended singing at Har-Mrs. J. G. Phipps spent Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Traylor church should be raised and it

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hale visited play entitled "Family Disturb president of the organization. Methodist Church.

school class has started a cam. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Grounds Sun- Neoma Cox, Irven and Alma served. Hot rolls, that were Phipps spent Sunday with Pinkie really hot, coffee and a dessert

> Willie Belle Lucas spent Sun day with Reba Jayroe. "REPORTER."

Ladies and Gentlemen: for the office of County Attorney ceived. for re-election and in doing so I

realm of egotism. I am ready to confess that I others. have made mistakes-many of Out-of-town guests included them—but at the same time some Mr. Couch and Dr. Hunt, of Abiof my friends tell me (and I am lene; Rev. Jack Whittaker, gullible enough to believe them) tor of the Paint Rock Methodist that I have had some degree of church; C. L. Nelson and W. A. Jim Keen and sister, Mrs. Gad. success in administering the Woolsey, Georgetown. There

And concerning both phases of my work (failure and success) I talks made. Those responding ask that you spread the mantle Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brown and of charity over my mistakes and some degree of credit to the

> Those who know me best, will, I think, give me credit for beenforcement—that is intelligent Whittaker. law enforcement, without being actuated by passion or prejudice, and trying to follow the law as laid down by our statutes and court decisions.

I have tried at all times to be fair and impartial in my prosecu-Miss Naomi W st has re-The young people enjoyed a turned home from a visit to her to see that a man is not harassed and that with the splendid pro-Mrs. A. J Vockel is able to sit ceute when the evidence does would increase monthly. More

Our code of criminal procedure Thursday night. provides that no man shall bel penalty prescribed therefor, thus there are many wrongs committed without any provision for WIDE-AWAKE HOME . explains why many many of arrival of an 8-pound girl. Inci-

I am very grateful for the sup- ford will be remembered as Miss paign, due to the large number reported to be resting very well. We were glad to have Mrs. of voters now in this county, so I take this opportunity of solicit- CHURCH OF GOD SCHOOL Yours very truly,

C. P. SHEPHERD. Texas.

Six packages Theme Paper for here by a local ice and poultry been named treasurer of the dressing plant.

DR. HUNT TELLS METHODIST TO FINISH CHURCH

Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College, Abilene, made a plea to the men of the First Methodist Church at the regular noon and played with the Dietz monthly banquet held Thursday team. The score ended in Crews' night, to complete their new church building here as soon as possible. Dr. Hunt made a very Mr and Mrs. J. B. Walden and serious talk on this matter, degroup of men, who are as rich as the Methodists here, to let the matter drag along as it is being

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"It is not what you save in this world that will make you rich in the other," Dr. Hunt said, "it is what you give the Lord of your money. Many of you men of moderate means will be surprised to find yourselves immensely rich in the other world, while others who were worldly rich will be Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lucas and begging alms. The walls of this humor. The speaker was invited to address the Men's Brotherhood Crews high school will present a of this church by Earl Morley,

He called on Rev. W. H. Doss for the invocation, after which the Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bragg visited - Mildred Madison, Thelma and delicious hot turkey dinner was were the principal items on the menu, served by the ladies of the church in excellent style.

After the repast Mr. Morley introduced the Burden brothers, sons of A. M. Burden of this city, and students of the city schools. FOR RE-ELECTION These young men played selections on the guitar and mandolin throughout the evening. The To the Voters of Runnels County, younger of the pair handles the mandolin like a trooper, and I am submitting my candidacy all numbers were generously re-

The toastmaster called for the wish to make a brief statement, introduction of guests by memrealizing the difficulty of pre- bers of the brotherhood. He insenting my claims in my own be- troduced several visitors, being half without stepping into the followed by Sam Behringer, Bob. Tunnell, C. P. Shepherd and

> The spirit of fun and humor was present throughout all of the

with a few remarks at the request of the toastmaster were: J. pastor of the First Presbyterian Church; C. W. Lehmberg, county agricultural agent; H. C. Lyon, superintendent of the city schools; Rev. Doss and Rev.

Rev. R. B. Hooper, pastor of the church, also made a few remarks, telling how he appreciated all of the guests, the fine program and the dinner served by the ladies. He asserted that he believed this tions, and I believe it is as much was one of the best gatherings the duty of a prosecuting officer the brotherhood had ever held, when the evidence fails to show gram and menu he was sure the his guilt as it is his duty to pros. number attending these affairs than 50 were present at the affair

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lankford, DEMONSTRATION CLUB . fenses or seeming offenses go dentally Abe is reported to be feeling very well. Mrs. Lank-

ANNOUNCED FOR EASTLAND EASTLAND, Feb. 7.—Dr. J. T. Wilson, of Dallas, has been County Attorney, Runnels Co., named president of Warner Memd&w orial University, denominational school of the Church of God, BRADY-A new warehouse for which is to be built here soon. storage purposes has been built E. W. Barrett, of Dallas, has

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MUCH DAMAGE DONE BY ORANGE HAILSTORM Hundreds Visit Farm

ORANGE, Feb. 7 .- A terrific FIVE NAMED ON PINK sail storm caused damage estimated at \$50,000 here this morn-

were smashed and much damage missioner of agriculture: incurred to the interior of many homes by a heavy rain which fol-

LOCAL TELEPHONE MAN MOVING TO GOLDTHWAITE

the Ballinger office of the West ties. about two years.

Joe McCall, of the Brownwood office, will be moved to Ballinger Mrs. Troy Simpson, who has to take the place left vacant by been ill at her home on Sixth Mr. Moore's transfer.

BOLL WORM BOARD

AUSTIN, Feb. 2 .- The follow-

W. D. Farris, Ennis; W. K. Dickinson, Lubbock; R. O. Von the train. Roeder, Snyder; John Boogher, Antonio.

is to study means and ways of combating the pink boll worm in C. L. Moore, trouble man for Ector, Martin and Midland coun-

phases," Terrell said.

local and migratory, are found in Her condition was reported unchanged Tuesday morning.

Ter ell Stresses Reduction of Cotton Acreage in This State

and Home Special Here

(Continued from Page 1)

Fifty derricks were blown over the pink boll worm commission day coach to accommodate visitors sioner of agriculture. in the adjoining oil fields, roofs by George B. Terrell, state com- day coach to accommodate visitors sioner of agriculture. in inclement weather and two Mr. Terrell stressed the neces cars for occupancy of those with sity of acreage reduction and de-

Grand Falls; F. S. Puckett, San aboard the train included: E. N. profitably is the organization of Holmgreen, poultry specialist; a cotton finance corporation in The purpose of the commission Miss Bess Edwards, assistant the South strong enough to hold state home demonsrtation agent; any temporary surplus off the Miss Helen Swift, district home market until demand justifies a demonstration agent; A. L. Dar- profitable price. nell, of the dairy husbandry de- Mr. Terrell's statement said in Texas Telephone Company, will "The problem is so serious that partment; G. W. Barnes, live. part; move to Goldthwaite this month I do not desire to discuss it until stock specialist; J. S. Mogford, "Acreage is within the control where he will be manager of the the meeting of the commission of the agronomy department; of cotton farmers and should be exchange there. Mr. Moore and when the problem of control can be discussed in its various The latter talked to the boys and If we will not increase the acregirls and emphasized the import- age this year, cotton will advance ance of club work.

cluded: J. F. Jarrell, manager of This is one sure way to advance Street for the past two weeks, agricultural development. To the price as the mills and cotton has been removed to the Halley & peka, Kans; J. D. Tinsley, gen- trade generally are expecting an More than 600 kinds of birds, Love Sanitarium for treatment, eral agricultural agent, Amarillo; increased acreage, and as soon as L. F. Dinan, agricultural agent, it is known that the acreage has Galveston; J. S. Hershey, general not been increased, active buying freight agent, Galveston; J. G. will begin. Fifshugh, special representative, "The situation is now favorable Galvseton; and J. S. Purdy, div- to the farmer because of the very ision freight agent, Temple.

SOUTH TEXAS

WACO, Feb. 6.-Two Pitcairn-Mailwing planes bearing South Texas' first air mail arrived here at 9:25 o'clock this morning. They took off shortly after landing for Austin; San Antonio, Houston and Galveston,

They will return here at 6:15 o'clock this evening with air mail or the Chicago plane leaving Ft. Worth at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

San Antonio and Austin, while the other will continue to Hous-

29 MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED HERE IN JAN

Twenty-nine marriage licenses A. Forgey during the month of Montana. January. This number lacked only two of averaging one each day during the month.

Almost two days of February have passed and not one license has been issued, Mr. Forgey said Thursday morning.

19 MILLIONS ARE ASKED FOR PLAN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .-\$19,000,000 for the construction of federal buildings throughout various states was asked of con-

for his company.

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—The factors in the regulation and control of cotton are listed as "fertilization, intensive cultivation, seed, seasons, and insects, the latter two largely beyond the control of the ing members have been named on erad flat car equipped with voice farmer," in a statement issued

> clared that the final solution of Specialists from the college "marketing the cotton crop

in price as soon as the acreage is Santa Fe officials aboard in announced by the government

short cotton crop last year, and certainly every farmer and all others who desire profitable prices for cotton should take advantage of the present favorable situation and not deliber GETS AIRMAIL ately destroy all chance of good prices by planting a large acreprices by planting a large aere age in cotton.

"If we will make all farms self-supporting we are not likely to raise too much cotton.'

URGES STEWART

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- Robt. W. Stewart, millionaire Indiana auguration of South Texas air oil head, this afternoon was mail service took place this morn- assured of at least two more

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8. -John D. Rockefeller, Jr., person-flight. Both planes are scheduled to ally urged Robert W. Stewart, The return was forced by a Curry, deceased, as commissioner return here this evening at 7:15, belligerent president of the Stan- split in the gas tank which caused of precinct No. 4, has announced connecting with the night plane dard Oil Company of Indiana, to a leak. for Chicago, which leaves at 7:30 "tell all" he knew about the mysterious \$50,000,000 oil deal of IMPERIAL, Calif., Feb. 8.the Continental Trading Com- Making a perfect get-away, the pany, it was learned today when giant mon oplane Albatross, the Senate public lands commit- piloted by Charles F. Rochville Ozona park is underway through tee made public correspondence and Alvin K. Peterson, took off supervision of the commissioners' between Rockefeller and Senator at 7:23 o'cleck in an attempt to court. The West Texas Utilities were issued by County Clerk W Thomas J. Walsh, Democrat, of break the world's endurance Company is also installing "white

> WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- One of the most unusual dramatic battles in the nation's history was opened before Justice Jennings Bailey in the District of Columbia Supreme Court today when Col Robert W. Stewart, millionaire head of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, appeared and asked the court to virtually permanently enjoin the United States Senate from arresting him for failure to answer questions in the oil investigation.

The government filed a petition Appropriations totalling nearly habeas corpus writ and for the asking for dissolution of the return of Stewart to the custody of the Senate's officers.

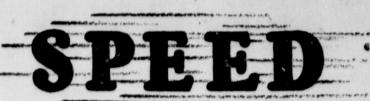
> The opening argument was made by Jesse Adkins for the defense, who contended the defendant's rights has been "seriously invaded.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Crawford. W. O. Walker and Miss Lillie

Texas and spend several weeks here visiting her son and family.

after business Tuesday.



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-Favored with ideal flying weather, the intrepid French flyers, Costes and Lebrix hopped off for Washington this morning.

GUATANAMO, Cuba, Feb. 8,-Col. Charles A. Lindbergh passed over the United States naval base

ing with Pilot Leland Andrews weeks of freedom from arrest by IMPERIAL, Calif., Feb. 8 .and Pilot Charles Pedley hopping Senate officers for contempt The giant Zenith monoplane Al- hopped off for Havana at 6:35 off for Waco from Meacham when Justice Jennings Bailey batross, piloted by Charles Rocke- o'clock this morning. He is due granted both sides additional ville and Alvin Peterson, re- to land there late this afternoon. The routes diverge at Waco time to file briefs and adjourned turned to the airport here in less

flight record.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 8.

in an attempt to capture the Ballinger looking after business world's record for an endurance Wednesday. Mr. Perry, who ject to action of the Democratic





HERBERT E. SMITH

HERE'S rivalry again between the Army and the Marines-instead of between the Marines and their traditional rivals, the Navy. This time it's over the question as to which arm of the service has more of that quality denominated by Mme. Elinor Glyn as "It." Anyway, the Army claims it has "the perfect man" in the person of Sergeant Herbert E. Smith, aged 27, of Newark, N. J. Smith, who's with the Army recruiting publicity bureau, passed a tough test covering moral, mental and physical accomplishments with a mark of 100 per cent. Smith's wife adds that she doesn't think he's exactly "perfect," but he

comes near the 100 per cent. mark as a husband. The Marines offer for your inspection Corporal George W. Brandt of Chadron, Nebraska, who is in charge of the Marine guard at the S-4 Naval Court of Inquiry at Boston Navy Yard.

Brandt has had proposals of marriage from all over the country from girls who have seen him in the newsreels. He's not only handsome, but mighty husky gent, too!

Legion Auxiliary Begins Plans for National Meet

Plans for the national convention February 7th. of the American Legion Auxil. February 8th will be given over iary here October 8 to 12 will be a round of official entertainment priations committee. worked out by national officers here. Mrs Walbridge will be the of the organization in conference guest of honor at a luncheon sicana, Dallas and Fort Worth. here on February 7 to 9 with given by the Legion. In the evenmembers of the American Legion ing there will be a dinner, at national convention burean, local tended by city officials, repre committees, city officials and sentatives of the Chamber of

bridge, national president, and ing towns.

the World War at the veterans' from here to El Paso

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 30. - bureau hospital at Kerrville on

state and local officers of the Commerce, leading citizens and Legion and Auxiliary members Mrs. Irene McIntyre Wal- from San Antonio and surround-

Mrs. Lucy P. Boyd, national sec- Conferences on convention arretary, will arrive in San Antonio rangements will continue on the Four Republican members of the Huddleston. from Indianapolis on the morn-morning of February 9th. Nat House flood control committee ing of February 7th. Mrs. Beulah M. Washer, general convention were today called into a confer- R. W. Earnshaw has returned Hardin, of Harlingen, president chairman, and Philip B. Stapp, ence by President Coolidge and from Detroit, Mich., where he of the Texas Auxiliary, and Miss general convention director, will told him that the existing law went to be with his mother, Mrs.

the local group in conference. of interest in San Antonio will

of the Alamo Unit here, will head the old missions and other points should not be waived. Mrs. Walbridge's party, accom- conclude the visit of the national H. Taylor, civil engineer with panied by the local committees, officers to San Antonio. Mrs. the Santa Fe, was here Monday J. A. Thomas, San Angelo attorwill visit disabled veterans of Walbridge and Mrs. Boyd will go looking after the paving matter new was in Ballinger looking

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .-Ada May Maddox, of Austin, its participate in the conference. which requires the benefitted Samuela Earnshaw, who was sersecretary, will also be present. A tour by Mrs. Walbridge's communities to pay one-third of iously ill. Mrs. Earnshaw re-Mrs. Walton D. Hood, president party and the local committees to the cost of flood control work, covered sufficiently to come to

Married Six Times and Will Try It Once More

UCK in odd numbers? Mrs. Myrtle Miller of Chicago thinks so, or at the very least she's an optimist, because she's been married no less than six times and confides that she's contemplating going up to the altar for the seventh, in the near future. Mrs. Miller is candid about

her collection of ex-hubbies. "Some were good," she says, "some were fair, and some were rotten."

Here's a chronological account of the Chicago woman's matrimonial

1. Mr. Miller, 3 years;

2. Mr. Seth, 3 months;

8. Mr. George, 18 months; 4. Mr. Billings, 6 months;

5. Mr. Williams, 6 months; 6. Mr. Wilson, 6 weeks.

In the order of their appearance -and disappearance-her husbands were (1), a leather worker; (2), a carpenter; (3), a soldker; (4), a silk salesman; (5), a cement con tractor, and (6), a salesman.

Mrs. Miller keeps her own personal lawyer, who is called upon rather regularly to go to the courts and free her from her latest and frksome matrimonial bonds.

her rapidity in shelving uncongenial threatens to solipse her record.



Mrs. Myrtle Miller

Peggy Hopkins Joyce, also well mates, could not be mached to known as a "Lady Bluebeard" for comment upon the Chicagoan whe

Work Started On Reeder's Hillcrest Residence Addition

a new residential addition soon to The Reeder Realty Company gin program and told the farmers ment as my personal word of be opened in Ballinger by the will inaugurate an extensive ad their gins would improve the solicitation. Reeder Realty Company. Some vertising campaign within the standard of living and give the Thanking the voters of this forty men were put to work Mon- next few days and will continue farmers a chance to do better precinct for their past confidence day and Tuesday, including F. L. this until the public is well with their products. Duncan and crew of cement acquainted with all features of workers and J. E. Gressett and the new homesite. A large billforce of earpenters. H. E. Fitz-board is being erected on the gerald and his assistants will hill top and will give special to definitely decide whether the Yours very truly, of the construction, and all plans should take up residence there. will be rapidly pushed until the A number of people have obtain a gin there for the organdate for the lots to be placed on already tried to buy lots in this ization it is thought a plant will

Abilene highway. It is on the sale at the same time. summit of the highest hill north! Roy Reeder, who is associated lent view in every direction. It day that "you can tell the people overlooks Elm Creek to the east, we will place all lots on sale at the city to the south, and the view the same time just as soon as we

This will open to a small EACTERIA BORE INTO

systems supplying Ballinger skirt tact with it for three weeks. the south boundary of the tract. The experiments are considered The electric light and power line valuable to building contractors is already completed. The munic as they show that not even the ipal water department will earry hardest stone known is free from a large main to the city limits the corruptive influence of bacand Mr. Reeder will continue the teria germs. They are endeavordistribution system throughout ing to find a means to combat the addition. The line is said to the ravages of the germ, be large enough to supply a

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"Hillerest" will be the name of suburb twice the size of Hillerest supervise the engineering phase reasons why the home owner farmers of the Winters territory

section but none will be sold be bought instead of being built. Hillerest is located just outside until the addition is completed. the city limits on the Ballinger, when all lots will be placed on

oftown and commands an excel- in this development, stated Tues-

The addition will have six If you want to sell your farm, ng into the disrtict from the or royalties, list with us. H. A.

THE HARDEST MARBLE

BANKS WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13

closed on Monday, February 13, honoring the birth of Abraham Lincoln. The bankers take their first holiday since New Year on

Another holiday will be ob-George Washington's birthday clears up a cold in a few hours.

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FARM BUREAU MAY HAVE GIN IN WINTERS

the Winters section will use their Attorney C. P. Shepherd.

35 farmers present, fifteen signed | ment. ization of the gin.

About 1,400 acres of cotton producing land was represented and some 500 bales of cotton O. R. JONAS FOR signed up for the gin. It is hoped to interest others of that section in the new project.

Frank Kemp, president of the Runnels County Farm Bureau. was present and made a short talk on the program of work for the office of Public Weigher of this year. Mr. Kemp was re- Precinct No. 1, having been cently elected president of the elected the first time in 1926. county organization.

The organization has a gin at

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> or feverish feeling comes on, try the innocent but amazingly efficient little

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GRAND JURY IS **GRINDING AWAY**

members of the Farm Bureau of Walter U. Early and County

own gin next season, it was an The jury was empanelled Monnounced here Tuesday by C. W. day afternoon by District Judge experts have been cross-examined tending court opening. Buchanan, field manager of the J. O. Woodward, and went into organization in Runnels county, session immediately with only 11 A meeting was held at Winters cases to probe. Other cases, howlast Saturday afternoon at the ever, may be called to the atten-Chamber of Commerce, and of the tion of the body before adjourn-

an agreement to see every farmer | Judge Woodward has gone over possible this week and interest both the civil and criminal them in signing up for the organ | dockets with attorneys attending | court this week and several have been set for hearing.

PUBLIC WEIGHER

To the Voters of Public Weigher's Precinct No. 1 Runnels County

I am asking for re-election to

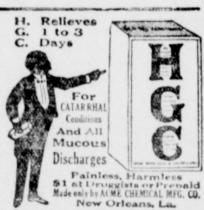
It has been a distinct pleasure Lynn Stokes, one of the directo serve this precinct in the past ors of the federation, and who and I trust you will investigate s in charge of the gins in this my record as an officer, and if section, made a talk on cotton you find my services satisfactory marketing by the Bureau. He then I respectfully ask your suptold how floods and drouths had port and vote in the coming wiped out two and a half million primary. I will make an effort bales of last year's crop. He to see as many of you as possible gave details of work of the organ before election day and in the ization in handling cotton sales. event I should fail to do so I Mr. Stokes also discussed the trust you will take this announce-

and many favors and assuring Mr. Buchanan stated that an you that I shall appreciate your other meeting would be held at kind consideration and vote at Winters Stuarday, February 11. the coming primary in July, I am,

Shades at The Ivory.

August McWilliams, of Abilene pent Sunday in Ballinger with friends and relatives.

Will Grant and family have returned to Dallas after a visit here to relatives.



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TRIAL IN GERMANY NOW IN SECOND YEAR

financial knights-errant of the innan, the February term of the flation period who, together with the defense. grand is hard at work this week nine others are accused of fraud If plans are worked out success on criminal violations called to and bribery in connection with fully during the next few days, its attention by District Attorney Germany's greatest financial seandal after the war, is now in its second year.

but a lot more are still to be heard from. The documents in 17 LAWYERS DEFEND the case have grown to 70 main volumes. The cost of the trial BERLIN, Feb. 7.—The trial of valumes. The cost of the trial Henry and Julius Barmat, two so far amounts to 200,000 marks. Seventeen lawyers are busy for

> New Stock of Window Shades. The Ivory.

R. T. Thornton Jr., attorney of So far, 400 witnesses and 50 Winters, was here Monday at-

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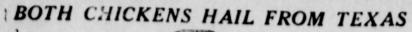
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Of course, they're not both chickens-one of 'em is a prize winning rooster-and the lady displaying him in the Poultry Show at New York to Doris Rue, specialty dancer, from San Antonio, Texas. (International Illustrated News)

paign over the state."

this section

It is not known whether Mr.

Blanton will deliver an address

failed to come to Ballinger in his previous campaigns, as Runnels county is conceded to be one of

The campaign plans of this can-

didate for the Senate this year.

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of a new firm organized here, ton, of the 17th district, who re-W. McLean; and C. W. Johnson, succeed Earle B. Mayfield, in jury in the afternoon.

over the Strain Drug Company in peeted to be far off. the Currie Building on Hutch- Mr. Blanton wrote the editor felony theft, to-wit, the theft of ings Avenue, and is ready to do of The Ledger that he could not an automobile from Willard Me

Oil leases, royalties, drilling House completes its task of jail and unable to make bond.

Benoit. The hole is about 1,000 feet deep with work suspended careful study. After we get them State of Texas vs. Melvin Faulk awaiting the arrival of a new out of the way I will leave for chraged with embezzlement of

Former Local Boy to Marry in Los Angeles here or not, but he has rarely

Mrs. R. W. DeMoville of this Mr. Blanton's strongholds, and approaching marriage of her it is next to certain that he will city has received word of the brother, Wilbert - Lankford, of Los Angeles, Calif., to Miss Sally Luschei, 5900 1-2 S. Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles, to take place didate are not known here but he at the home of the bride's par- is expected to make one of the ents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. most intensive tours of any ean-Luschei, on February 4. Wilbert is remembered here as Mr. Blanton's itinerary will be

"Slick" Lankford. He is a published at a later date. brother of Mrs. DeMoville and Mrs. C. J. Lynn. He was reared Alfonzo Gray, of Amarillo, who here, and until a few years ago had been visiting relatives and when his father, T. S. Lankford, friends here, has returned to moved his business to Abilene, Amarillo. "Slick" made this his home. He has been in the drug business in Los Angeles since leaving Texas several years ago.

Miss Luschei formerly lived in El Paso and Ysleta but has been . making her home in California for the past two years, where she has been attending school.

The wedding will be solemnized Take without Fear as Told Friday in Los Angeles and the young couple will motor to San Diego, where they will spend their honeymoon. They will make home in Los Angeles.

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be wise and advertise

Court Opens With Eleven Felony Cases On Docket

The grand jury selected for the charged with embezzlement of February term of the 35th dis- over \$50. Defendant in jail. Duncan Hensley, Wingate; Fred Defendant out on bond. Gerhart, Crews; L. L. Deffle- State of Texas vs. C. C. Campmann, Jr., Ballinger; Ed Hoel- ant out on bond. scher, Ballinger; Walter Schuh- State of Texas vs. Pratt Kin-

were dismissed on account of ill- was that he was in Canada. ness, one due to a misunderstand- State of Texas vs. L. G. Stroud, able to read and write.

District Judge J. O. Woodward bond. complimented the citizens of State of Texas vs. Buzz Butler, eleven cases were bound over for intoxicated. Defendant is out on the state.

County Attorney C. P. Sheplieved the grand jury could easily in jail, but Riley has not been Meredith, one tract of the Dolcomplete its work by Wednesday apprehended.

liquor case for consideration, de-claring it was the first time in special recommendation for any STARTS HERE BE HOME SOON claring it was the first time in seven years that such occurred and there have been two terms of court annually.

with H. A. McLean, local independent oil operator; his son, J. for the United States Senate to were working with the grand in Runnels county.

when he returns home from ney's report:

| Irving Cole, jointly charged with leave Washington until after the Millan. Both defendants are in

blocks and real estate will be passing all appropriation bills. State of Texas vs. Julio Her His letter said, "I can't leave arra, a Mexican deputy sheriff, Mr. McLean and sons are now here until we finish our work of charged with killing another drilling a well on the G. W. Clay- passing all of the appropriation Mexican by the name of Lusiano ton farm, four miles northeast of bills, for upon these measures I Sabellas, December 4, 1927. Dedo some of my hardest work and fendant out on bond

> Texas and begin an active cam- more than \$50. Defendant in jail unable to make bond.

State of Texas vs. Melvin Faulk,

trict court, announced here Mon- State of Texas vs. W. B. Woodday afternoon is as follows: row, charged with burglary theft.

baugh, Winters; E. A. Shepperd, bell, charged with driving an Winters; J. R. Harris, Hatchel; automobile on the public high-A. G. Hoppe, Hatchel; Wm. Half- way while intoxicated. Defend-

mann, Ballinger; W. C. McCar-nard, charged with embezzlement ver, Ballinger; T. J. McCaughan, of more than \$50. Defendant has Norton; Harry Mapes, Ballinger, not been arrested and last infor-

Runnels county and its peace charged with driving an automo-

ber term of the court. When the State of Texas vs. Norman Wilgrand jury started deliberations kerson, charged with felony at the opening of the October theft, to-wit, double-row cultiterm there were 44 cases for con- vator of the value of \$100. Defendant is out on bond.

State of Texas vs. Denny O'- **** herd in handing the list to Judge Brien and Harry D. Riley. Woodward declared it contained charged jointly with burglary only eleven cases and that he be- and theft. Defendant O'Brien is

In the above entitled and num- the sum of \$7,000. bered causes I have taken the Judge Woodward praised this county on not having a single same ready for the consideration special recommendation for any special question for the grand jury to consider but I wish to H. A. McLean & Co. is the style | Congressman Thomas L. Blan- | District Attorney Walter U. there have been fewer violations

local real estate man, as the inter- cumbent, will visit Ballinger Following is the county attor-The firm has opened offices Washington, which is not ex- State of Texas vs. Lee and driving a car while intoxicated since the last grand jury; 3 for

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ARGUMENTS IN HICKMAN TRIAL STARTS THUR.

possibility that opposing attor. L. Bays league and labor survey neys would plunge into a wordy No. 444, January 3, for the sumbattle over the sanity of William of \$1,530 and other good and val-Edward Hickman next Thursday, uable considerations. was indicated today when counsel Two of the sixteen empanelled mation reported by the officers forecast that oral orguments would begin that day.

Dr. Paul Bowers, prosecution ing in regard to his citizenship, charged with driving an automo- alienist, was recalled to the and one on account of being un- bile on the public highway while stand and excused quickly when intoxicated. Defendant is out on he declared that he was convinced Hickman was perfectly normal and sane.

Dr. Thomas J. Orbison, of Los officers on the fact that only bile on the public highway while Angeles, then took the stand for

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Meredith, one tract of the Dol-phin Floyd survey, January 4, for Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel in

A. B. Lankford et ux to C. L. Terry's second addition to the city of Ballinger, January 3, for the sum of \$250.

Aug. Seipp et al to Emil Seipp 143.45 acres of the A. J. Loverly. survey No. 311, December 20, 1927, for the sum of \$11,476.

Aug. Seipp et al to J. W. Borders, 24.55 aeres of the A. J. Loverly survey No. 311, December 20, for the sum of \$1,964.

W. A. Danford et ux to B. F. LOS ANGELES, Feb. 7 .- The Howell, 202.9 aeres of the Henry

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M. Elder, 404 Wil-

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FOR SALE-Well drill, see or Peter McGregor was the second

bought at a bargain if taken at sheep ranch at the forks of Brady

horn Hens at \$1 each, also eggs ber of years. for hatching. Phone 8403. Mrs. In 1886, they moved to Cali-

Trusty Brooder, in good condi- came to Ballinger, where they tion, been used five days. Can made their home. be seen at W. B. Carrie's Hatch-10-2tw-*

MUCH OF OUR COUNTRY'S WEALTH IS DUE TO PIGGLY WIGGLY STORES

grandmother kept a barrel of per month Later he became sugar in the pantry, and bought associated with the Ballinger eodfish by the slab and every- Dry Goods Company and conthing else "in bulk"?

grocery store in your home now. Gregor interests were bought out PIGGLY WIGGLY Store brings family, Mr. McGregor was inter-

can buy the goods you want

foods, just big enough for a had also been secretary of the witness for the state. single meal, allow you to eat Sunday school for a long number what you want without waste or of years.

WILL NOT REFUND PRO FIGHT MONEY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 donated recently for propaganda and deed are well known to all. work, according to F. Scott Me-Bride Learne head. The pallbearers at the funeral all of whom are officers of the

"tainted," because of revelations Lynn, W. R. Bogle and G. M. of a "love nest" and drinking Vaughn parties in Mrs. Kresge's action

LOW MAIL RATE IS RECOMMENDED WEST TEXAS CHAMBER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8. -

General New save nearly \$4,000,000 in rates for June 21, 22, and 23. this year.

the Newcastle-Olney end of high- Homer D. W. de, manager; and way No. 24 calls for completion Amon G. Carta, Ft. Worth pubin 120 working days, and on the lisher. Graham-Newcast le sector, 175

Funeral for McGregor Held Wednesday

FOR SALE - Good Mesquite held at the First Presbyterian county. Cord Wood, \$3 per cord. Two Church at 4:00 o'clock Wednesmiles west of Maverick. Renza day afternoon with Rev. E. W. officiating.

> Interment was made in Ever- Andy Tindall, of Ballinger. green cemetery, with Higgin-

Following is a brief sketch of 13-tfw Mr. McGregor's life:

write Paul Mueller; Ballinger. | child of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander 21-4tw. McGregor, born September 6, 1853, in Stratford, Ontario, Can-FOR SALE-5 room modern ada. The family moved to Austin, home on 10th Street. This is a Texas in August, 1876, and later newly built house and can be in the same year established a once. Lot 72x150 feet, fruit and Creek, in San Saba and McCulpecan trees, etc. H. A. McLean & loch counties. A year later the Co., over Strain's Drug Store. McGregor family moved to a 4-ltd-ltw place in Conelfo county, a few miles from Eden, and continued FOR SALE-Dark brown Leg- in the sheep business for a num-

3-2td-2tw fornia, settling near San Bernar-

For a short time Mr. McGregor was interested in the newspaper business here. Then he and C. R. Crews, recently deceased, entered the furniture business. He remained in this business for some ten years. In connection with his work, he became the city's Remember the time when your first secretary at a salary of \$25 tinued with this firm until some You don't have to keep a small two years ago, when the Me Not these days, when every by H. H. Thomson. Next to his terian Church in this place, and taken,

His interest in his church is County Poultry Show was held G. Whiz, a reservation Indian, Enjoy a full variety in your illustrated by the fact that it was here February 2, 3 and 4 with broke into a service station shed diet. A change of food stimuther only organization, with the many fine entries. It costs no more to cat a new nection with a fraternal order, Six packages Theme Paper for gave out. Gee whiz!-Yakima dish every day. And you get the for insurance, that he was ever 25c. Ballinger Printing Co. when you trade at any of the time, his money were all avail-

has lived in a town forty years, The Anti-Saloon League has no intention of returning to Sebastian S. Kresge, multi-millionaire prohibitionist, the \$500,000 he and deed are well because in the prohibition of returning to Sebastian S. Kresge, multi-millionaire of spirit and purity of thought and deed are well because in the probability of thought. Representative Boylan, Democerat, of New York, demanded the
return of the money yesterday as
"tainted," because of revelations

> Mr. McGregor is survived by a brother, J. McGregor, of this city; and one sister, Mrs. E. C. Saunders, of Sonora; and a number of other relatives, including nieces and nephews.

CONVENTION JUNE 21-23

STAMFORD, Feb. 8 .- Seeking The restoration of the lower 1921 to avoid conflicting gates with rates on second-class matter, other important conventions to newspapers and magazines, was be held in Texas this year, recommended to the postoffice officials of the West Texas Chamcommittee today by Postmaster ber of Commerce have set the date of the annual convention to If adopted the publishers will be held at Ft, Worth this year,

The date was set by a committee composed of R. W. Haynie, NEWCASTLE-Contract for president of the organization

Be wise and advertise.

DEATHS

Mrs. R. W. Tindall

Mrs. R. W. Tindall died Tues-Mrs. R. W. Tindall died Tues-day afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at STRAIN NAMED he family home near Old Runnels. Mrs. Tindall had been confined to her bed for some time. She made her home near Old Funeral services for Peter Me- Runnels for the past 22 years, Gregor, 74 years of age, were moving here from Franklin

23-6tw-* McLaurin, pastor of the church, of Ballinger; and Mrs. Grace Jones, of Munday; and one son,

gilts that have been bred to botham Bros. & Co. undertakers from the family home Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, with Rev. J. H. McClain, pastor week. of the Ballinger Baptist Church, officiating.

STRAWN MEN DIE IN CRASH

FT. WORTH, Feb. 8.-C. J. Baxendale, of Strawn, was killed and Marshall Cook, of Strawn, was seriously injured early today FOR SALE-500 chick Old dino. Two years later the family when their automobile collided with a truck on the Dallas pike.

> into a ditch, throwing him construction here today. through the windshield.

The man's head was almost severed by the glass.

JURY SELECTED

your grandmother had to do) you ruling elder in the First Presby when the noon adjournment was

First Rotary Luncheon Held Here Wednesday

Deceased is survived by two pendent School District to suc- members of the new service club depth of 2,428 feet Monday mornlaughters, Mrs. Walter Watson, ceed Tom Caudle, who has moved and visiting Rotarians. to Coleman to make his home. Short talks were made by sev-The appointment was made this eral of those present - and by week after it was found that Judge Eddie Stinson, Rotarian have bailed from 15 to 30 barrels Funeral services were held Elmer Batts was not eligible.

The appointment was made by The temporary executive comthe board in regular session this mittee and officers are as fol- lieved to be the McMillan level.

Mr. Caudle several weeks ago, but Lynn, R. G. Erwin, J. D. Motley, Five and five-sixteenths inch Interment was made in the Old due to the fact that he is a stock-Runnels cemetery, with Higgin- holder in the Ballinger State M. C. Atkins is secretary and W. of the hole, after six-inch casing botham Bros. & Co. undertakers Bank, depository for the district, B. Woody is sergeant-at-arms. the state school laws will not permit him to serve as a trustee.

years and is one of the leading over a Rotary Club. business men of Ballinger.

NEGRO KILLED

WACO, Feb. 8 .- One negro was killed, another was seriously SHERMAN, Feb. 8.-George injured, and Layton Spencer, a Birge, local oil operator, was white man, sustained a possible killed near McKinney this morn- broken back when an elevator paper publisher, real estate ing when his automobile skidded collapsed in a building under

GRAND DUCHESS

NEW YORK, Feb. 8 .- Mme.

offices he filled with devotion sentence in the Atlanta federal. After watching the number signs one wonders if there is any power in the printed word,-Oak STEPHENVILLE-The Erath land Tribune.

> alcohol when his booze supply merce. Herald.

MINISTER CONFESSES TO SLAYING OF FAMILY

More than 25 citizens of Ballinger and visitors from Abilene and one or two other towns in this SCHOOL TRUSTEE section gathered at the Central Hotel dining room at 12:30 o'section gathered at the Central clock Wednesday, noon for the first Rotary International lunch-H. S. Strain has been named as eon in this city. Those present a trustee of the Ballinger Inde- included the prospective charter well, was reported to be at a

of Abilene.

lows; H. C. Lyon, president; E. Mr. Batts was named to succeed Shepperd, vice-president; H. W.

ter members have been members allowing it to fall about 35 feet. Mr. Strain has been making this of service clubs of other cities Swedging was in progress for a city his home for a number of and believe Ballinger can put day or two and drilling was re-

The 25 classifications, which is the maximum number of charter | Reports here Monday stated members, is as follows: telephone the Empire-Gray No. 1 would recommerce, cotton oil mill, grocery Monday or Tuesday after a shutretailing, fire insurance, land down due to a flaw in the title loan, garage, funeral director, to some of the leases held by the women's clothing, cotton gin- Empire Fuel Oil & Gas Company. ning, cotton compressing, cotton The well was closed down at a marketing, household forniture, depth of about 2,440 feet. electric light and power, butter Gibson & Johnson-Serratt No. 1 manufacturer, department store, was reported to be drilling criminal law, civil law, news- around 1,500 feet Monday. agency, public schools, feed and grain, farm implements and railroad transportation. .

NAMING TEXANS LANDS IN N. Y. TO COTTON MEET

Anastasia Tehaikovsky, who heads of state universities and is still shut down at about 2,200 claims she is the Grand Duchess colleges, agricultural editors of feet. INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 8,-A Anastasia Nikolevna, youngest leading state papers, cotton div- May-Schneider No. 1 is rethe necessities of life close to ested in his church. He united jury panel of twelve men was daughter of the late Czar Nich- ision leaders of regional chambers ported to be shut down at a with the Knox Presbyterian tentatively accepted in the trial olas of Russia, and the only surof commerce, dirt farmers, bank- depth of about 1,313 feet. Church in Stratford, Ontario, be- of Governor Ed Jackson, who is viving member of the massacre of ers and representatives of large The Marland Oil Company, ent investment of several hundred dollars in dry groceries (as dred dollars dred Southwide Cotton Conference at yet started work on either well MIAMI-Construction is under Jackson, Mississippi on February but is expected to get operations shortly thereafter was made Former governor Warren T. way here on a modern sewer sys- 20, the governor announced o- under way within the next few

nicer to handle. Cans of prepared and fidelity until his death. He penitentiary, is the principal who drive past the boulevard stor the list ready for publication The governor expects to have

WINTERS-Dr. L. D. LeGear, ing at a depth of 1,410 feet.

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as it was already said to be in a bad condition and it was feared that the pay would be lost or there would be much additional work if the hole was deepened. If pay is encountered at 2,545 as expected, the drillers will keep plugging and see if the flow cannot be increased.

Watchhorn is 2,428 Feet

Watchhorn-King No. 1, two miles southwest of the discovery ing. A week or so ago the, drillers encountered a showing of oil which it is believed would a day, but orders instructed the crew to proceed to what is be-There is about 37 feet of open hole in this well.

Earl Morley and R. T. Williams, easing is being set to the bottom crumbled under a strain last Several of the prospective char- week when the collar slipped sumed with a smaller bit.

Empire to Start Soon

service, banking, chamber of sume drilling operations either

Swensondale-Wern er No. 1. which has been shut down for several days around 2,100 feet, is reported to be preparing to resume operations.

McLean-Clayton No. 1 is drilling below 1,000 feet after installing a new drill line.

Globe-Webb No. 1 is reported to be drilling below 1,100 feet.

Kennedy-Talley No. 1 is still shut down at about 1,600 feet. AUSTIN, Feb. 7.-Agricultural Miles-Lawhon No. 1, near Miles,

Griswald Fishing Griswald-Willing h a m No. 1, 2,300 feet south of the discovery well, was fishing Monday morn-

poultry specialist, will be in this This well was closed down for territory this month under the several days but drilling operain Toppenish to get denatured anspices of the chamber of com- tions were resumed until the fishing job slowed up drilling.

> SORE GUMS - PYORRHEA: Coul breath, loose teeth or sore gums are disgusting to behold, all will agree. Leto's Pyorrhea Remly is highly recommended by leading dentists and won't fail you. Druggists return money if it fails. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

R. A. PERRY ANNOUNCES FOR CO. COMMISSIONER

Two anhouncing my candidacy for Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, I wish to state that I was appointed to the office some few weeks ago by Judge Paul Trimmier, following the death of I. A. Curry, who was Commissioner.

I am fairly well acquainted , with the work of the Commissioners' Court and believe that I know what Precinct No. 4 needs and how to handle these needs. I am very well acquainted over the county and especially in this precinct, and I believe I could give the county the very best service in looking after the business of Precinct No. 4 and the business of the county with the other commissioners.

I have been a resident of Runnels county for about 38 years and have resided in the Miles section all of that time.

I wish to solicit your support in . the Democratic primary and will appreciate each vote. Sincerely,

R. A. PERRY

Dance at Olfen

Dance at Olfen Amusement Hall, Saturday, February 18th. Good time assured. Everybody welcome.

> COMMITTEE. 1w-d-10-17

EDEN-A 12,096-egg capacity electric hatcher is now open here.





Handcuffed and guarded by state troopers, Claude H. | making his statement, leew was The body of Mrs Priddy of Farmingdale, N. Y. former Methodist-Episcopal minister, confesses the murder of his wife and two sons with an axe. Top shoto shows Priddy (International Newsreel)