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COOLIDGE NOT FOR FREEDOM

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 5.—President Coolidge informed the Philippine independence mission today that the time had not yet come for separation of the Philippine Islands from the United States.

In a letter to Manuel Roxas, chairman of the mission on independence, the president also declared that the United States government "has full confidence in the ability, good intentions, fairness and sincerity" of Governor General Wood.

The president's letter was written in reply to a resolution passed by the island legislature asking for independence and attacking General Wood.

WILL INCREASE WHEAT DUTY

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The tariff commission today delivered to President Coolidge a report on its inquiry into the wheat industry. It was announced later that it was expected that Mr. Coolidge would soon proclaim an increase in the present duties on wheat and wheat products.

FARMER MISSING! MONTH IS SOUGHT

(By Associated Press)

YOAKUM, Tex., March 5.—The officers today began searching for Joe Williams, age 35, of Lavaca county, a farmer, who disappeared on January 23rd. The wife of the missing man reported today that her husband went to the pasture after his mules and has not been seen since. She fears that he met with foul play.

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BELIEVES MURDER STORY IS FALSE

(By Associated Press)

FT. WORTH, March 5.—Confession of J. C. Thompson, formerly of Fort Worth, to the murder of J. J. Knight, an oil man of Wichita Falls and Dallas, in Arizona two years ago, is believed by the Fort Worth police to be false. The officers believe that Thompson claims to be the murderer of Knight for the purpose of escaping the penitentiary for a crime for which he has already been tried and convicted.

Thompson is now in jail at Childress where he was recently convicted of forgery and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. He is awaiting trials for forgery at Quannah, Dalhart, and Nacogdoches.

The skeleton of a man which was identified as Knight was found in Arizona some time ago, and a man and woman were arrested for the murder, but could not be convicted for a lack of evidence. Knight mysteriously disappeared and it was believed that he was killed for money and diamonds which he was supposed to have had on his person.

TWO PLANS FOR SOLDIER BONUS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 5.—A two-fold soldier bonus plan, one providing for full cash payments and the other for "paid-up" insurance, was proposed to the House ways and means committee today by a committee representing the House democrats.

The former service men will be given an option of the two plans, in case the bill should be accepted.

Miss Ruth McAuley, who has been with the Western Union at Brownwood for the last eighteen months, has returned home to stay for a while. She was with the Western Union at Ballinger before going to Brownwood.

Ledger want ads pay.

TAX ROLL SHOWS WHO ARE VOTERS

Poll tax lists have been compiled for the different voting precincts in Runnels county, and are ready to be placed in the hands of the election managers when balloting time rolls around.

The qualified voters for all precincts is considerably larger than ever before, with Ballinger's voting strength being placed at 1306, Winters 1030, Miles 496, and Rowena 444. The Ballinger vote is cut in two boxes. The commissioners court recently passed an order fixing the polling place for the Pony precinct at the Bethel school house, but the order did not change the name of the precinct.

Following is the voting strength of the county by boxes, as shown by poll tax payments:

- No. 1, Ballinger, 684
- No. 2, Hatchel, 186
- No. 3, Benoit, 98
- No. 4, Crews, 277
- No. 5, Token, 85
- No. 6, Truitt, 122
- No. 7, Winters, 1030
- No. 8, Antelope, 90
- No. 9, Pumpfrey, 165
- No. 10, Wingate, 282
- No. 11, Baldwin, 118
- No. 12, Wilmeth, 215
- No. 13, Cochran, 116
- No. 14, North Norton 163
- No. 15, Marie, 138
- No. 16, Maverick, 138
- No. 17, South Norton, 114
- No. 18, Pearce School House, 144
- No. 19, Brookshire, 38
- No. 20, Miles, 496
- No. 21, Rowena, 444
- No. 22, Olfen, 100
- No. 23, Pony, 128
- No. 24, Ballinger, 622

The Mourners



FEDERAL OFFICERS MAY BE INDICTED BY COURT

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Not only charges against two members of congress but evidence relating to other suggestions of wrong doing by officials in Washington, as well, will be laid before the federal grand jury here immediately.

The subject is expected to come under inquiry involving charges that one or more high officials use of money, and that official purpose of speculation. It is also charged that liquor permits were wrongly procured through the use of money, and that official government files were turned over to persons who were not entitled to them.

Senator Walsh announced that he had been reliably informed that Knight is counsel for the Equitable Trust Company of New York, which is a Rockefeller bank, and consequently is with the Standard interests. According to this information Senator Walsh said that Knight was now engaged in litigation for the bank in California. He added that if the information furnished him proved to be true, it would be the basis for the Senate opposing confirmation of Knight's nomination as special counsel in the case.

ANOTHER LAWYER IS DISQUALIFIED

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Opposition developed today to the confirmation of Samuel Knight, of San Francisco, to be special government counsel in the litigation necessary to recover California oil lands from the Standard Oil Company of California.

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OIL COMMITTEE TAKES RECESS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Before calling any witness today the Senate oil committee held an executive session to examine additional telegrams supplied by the Western Union from its Washington office.

After the executive session the committee adjourned until tomorrow, deciding not to examine any witnesses today.

Mrs. W. W. Fowler, Tom Penn and Gordon Thomson visited San Angelo Wednesday, going over to see "The Covered Wagon."

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AIRPLANE CRASH KILLS TWO MEN IN ARCHER CO.

(By Associated Press)

WICHITA FALLS, March 5.—Louis Eblin, age 22, of the Herbert Oil Company of Fort Worth, was fatally injured, and Frank Campbell, age 22, oil well driller, was seriously injured when their airplane crashed to the ground in the southwestern part of Archer county, yesterday.

WORKERS' CONFERENCE IN MEETING AT MILES

(By Associated Press)

About twenty-five members of the Ballinger Baptist Church accompanied the pastor, Dr. Alvin Swindell to Miles Tuesday where the monthly meeting of the Baptist Workers' Conference was in session throughout the day. The meeting was well attended and one of the most successful ever held in the county according to those who attended from Ballinger. A good program was carried out. Judge O. L. Parish was the principal speaker on the program. The next meeting will be held at the Antelope church on Tuesday following the first Sunday in May.

HOUSE BUSY ON MUSCLE SHOALS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The House today set aside business in order to take up the Muscle Shoals proposition and to continue on Wednesday consideration of Henry Ford's offer for the power and nitrate plant. This was done on motion of Representative Longworth, who declared there should be no interruption in the debate which was begun yesterday on the proposition.

PORTO RICO MAY ELECT GOVERNOR

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 5.—A bill to give Porto Rico the right to elect its own governor was reported favorably today by the House insular affairs committee. The vote was 13 to 5.

Be Wise and Advertise—

TREE PLANTING AT EVERGREEN

Wednesday was tree planting day in Evergreen Cemetery, and quite a number of trees, shrubs, flowers, etc., were put out in the "city of the dead." Those in charge of the work are day by day making the cemetery a place more in keeping with the progressive spirit of the people who have relatives and friends resting there.

There are more than twelve hundred trees, shrubs and evergreens now growing in the cemetery, and with the splendid condition in which the walks and driveways have been placed the spring months will soon convert the cemetery into a veritable flower garden.

The streets are being put in order, the concrete curb work finished up, and at an early date the fountain will be in operation, and all the civic improvements are being carried on very successfully. All this should remind those who have not paid their cemetery dues to pay up at once. The money is needed to keep the work going, and complete the program of improvement which the board has underway.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

The second quarterly conference of the year will be held at the Methodist church this evening at 7:30. The presiding elder, Rev. A. D. Porter will be present and all members of the church and visitors are invited to be present.

Read Ledger "wants" column

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All our hats have it, the most moderately priced, as well as those of the finest quality.

We can show you stylish and becoming hats that will fit your purse as well as your personality.

New styles this week at—
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The craze for this ancient Chinese game is spreading to the country. To learn to play a limited number of these sets with book of instructions at

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Electric Toaster
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These serviceable little stoves are a necessity in every household. It boils, toasts or fries at a minimum cost and is most convenient. You should own one at this low price, only

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Women's
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These pure thread silk full fashioned silk hose are an exceptional bargain at this price. Some are slightly imperfect, but are all that could be asked in appearance and durability.

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Towels 33c

With the present price of cotton these towels should be worth almost double this low price. The size is 18x36 inches, and when the few dozen we have are gone there will be no duplicates. Come early.

Many new bargains have been added during the week in this department. Come—look them over—use our rest room—profit by our low prices throughout the store.

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Educating boys for the farm is just as important as educating boys for the bank, school room, or any other position in life.

Better seed, better plants, better trees, better poultry and nothing but the best livestock for the farm, will make better living. The best is the cheapest.

The anti-fishing law was perhaps passed to harmonize with the anti-snake medicine law. There are some people who are afraid to venture out among the reptiles without being prepared.

Crookedness in governmental affairs will lead to the downfall of any government. There are already many people who are inclined to be dishonest in dealing with the government because they have no confidence in the representatives of the government. And the man who is dishonest in dealing with his government will in time, if he is not already, be dishonest in dealing with his fellowman.

The demand for homes and good land, where a poor man can start at the bottom and work out, was never greater in the history of America, but it is not as great as it is going to be some day. The demand for homes increases with the increase in population. The next census count is going to show a wonderful increase in the population of West Texas counties. Big ranches in Texas are rapidly giving way to small farms.

"A woman can throw as much out of the back door of her kitchen as a man can bring in the front door in his salary," said Mrs. Ida Chitwood, an expert who is conducting a cooking school at Abilene this week. **HOUSEWOMEN**, goals which are conducted around the country from time to time are great institutions, and there should be more of them and they should be better attended. The cook expert should have also added that "happiness in the home begins and ends in the kitchen." A home without a good cook is not complete, although it be a mansion and contain all the luxuries the modern architect can plan for.

KIDNEYS NEED LOT OF WATER

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it may mean you have been eating foods which create acids, says a well-known authority. An excess of such acids overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the system, so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink. Drink lots of soft water. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

Join the Y. M. B. L. and help build Ballinger.

Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Dave Jackson, Russell Hubbard, T. G. Robertson, Douglas Brown, F. A. Lawless and Mrs. F. A. Lawless by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the 5th Monday in March, A. D. 1924, the same being the 31st day of March, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3137, wherein J. W. Smith, trustee for Susie Smith Perry, Esther Smith Barnhart and Cicero Smith and Genevieve Smith are Plaintiffs, and O. H. Judkins, T. P. Russell, J. L. Borroum, Mattie E. Russell, Sarah Jane Russell, Maxim Russell, Nell Russell, Dave Jackson, Russell Hubbard, Mrs. F. A. Lawless, F. A. Lawless, Mrs. Florence McConnell, T. G. Robertson, Corinne Judkins, Emma Dill Russell Spencer, C. F. Spencer, Douglas Brown, Jennie Russell McTaggart and E. H. McTaggart are Defendants, and that on the 1st day of January, A. D. 1924, plaintiffs were and now are lawfully seized and possessed of the tracts of land herein-after described situated in the County of Runnels in the State of Texas, holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and year last aforesaid defendants entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damage in the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars; that the premises on entered upon and unlawfully withheld by defendants from plaintiffs are bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Mollie Hope by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Runnels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the 5th Monday in March, A. D. 1924, the same being the 31st day of March, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3148, wherein W. M. Hope is Plaintiff, and Mollie Hope is Defendant, said petition alleging that plaintiff is a resident of Runnels County, Texas, and that

with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, this the 13th day of February, A. D. 1924. (Seal) GEORGIA SINGLETARY, Clerk, District Court, Runnels County. d-27-5-12-19

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A small want ad in The Daily Ledger often saves you money

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HERE TO PREACH AT LOCAL CHURCH

The Rev. Chas. H. Miller, of Philadelphia, Penna., will speak at the 8th Street Presbyterian Church tonight. Mr. Miller is a representative of the Board of Sustentation, which is the oldest board in the great Presbyterian Church U. S. A., if indeed it is not the oldest in America, being established in 1717.

The work of the board has grown with the passing of the centuries until at present it is rendering aid to 2,000 pensioners. The General Assembly has a strong committee at work securing the sum of \$15,000,000 for this board. The Hon. Will H. Hays, the "movie king," is chairman of this committee, and at present the reports indicate that the goal will be reached with comparative ease. The Rev. Mr. Miller has been associated with this board for a long period of years. Seven states comprise his territory and he is on the job every day in the year, visiting all the churches when it is at all possible. His visit to Ballinger this time is his second visit, the other was made eight years ago. The local church regards it as an honor to have such a distinguished Presbyterian visitor, and they are eager to hear his message.

Sacrificial Loyalty Week was recently observed by the local church and the members responded liberally to the appeals made by the pastor, Rev. R. B. Twitty, and an offering was sent to the Board of Sustentation. Rev. Twitty stated that he and his people were deeply interested in the work done by the Sustentation Board and that they wanted all to have an opportunity to aid in its noble undertakings. The public is invited to worship at the local church and hear a message of unusual merit, the service to take the place of the regular preaching.

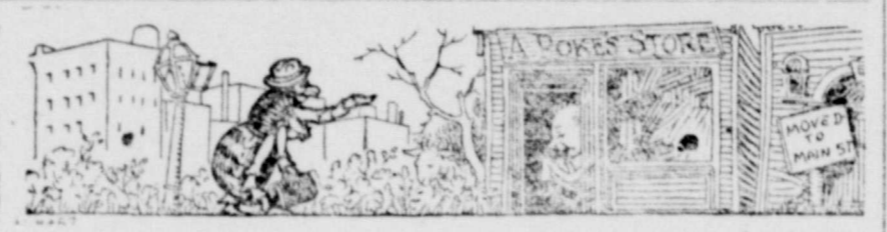
ASPIRIN

Say "Bayer"—Genuine!



Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" have been proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians over twenty-three years for Colds and grippe misery. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost only few cents at any drugstore. Each package contains proven directions for Colds and tells how to prepare an Aspirin gargle for sore throat and tonsillitis.

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The sign spelled "A Poke's Store"; a spider read, and then said, "Homeseeking days are o'er." His silken web he spun across the door, and nevermore was roused by any one. "Why should I advertise? Gosh! I've been here nigh twenty year with this same line of ties! If folks come down this way they all can see that here I be." Thus Merchant Poke would say. But on another street, a dealer true advises you of wares and prices meet. The shoppers strain his doors; and with their scads he runs more ads, and builds up two more floors!

Then to this tale give heed—and if you'd nurse a well-lined purse, just emulate Hi Speed. For in this very space he tells folks all, both short and tall, of bargains in his place.

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If it doesn't stop All Vibration in starting and stopping in a Ford car. Let us demonstrate it to you. It is the ONLY oil made for a Ford that will do this and that is odorless when the motor gets hot.

Get a Balloon Tire and drive your Ford on Velvet—use same rim that you have.

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Recharge any Battery made for 90 cents.

30x3 Casings \$4.95. 30x3 1-2 Casings \$5.95

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Opposite Court House Lawn Phone 109.

THEY MUST BE GOOD GROCERIES

TO GET ON OUR SHELVES

That's one more reason why, what we sell gives universal the same satisfaction—every customer is a satisfied consumer of the best in GROCERIES.

Use Your Telephone and Our Delivery Service

then you'll be grocery satisfied, until that time you may or you may not be getting 100 cents worth for every dollar you spend.

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"SERVICE WITHOUT A KICK"

Positively No Chemicals Used in the Manufacture of Our Ice

IT'S PURE IT'S CLEAN Always ready for you day and night, year in and year out.

"Reliability and Good Service" is our motto.

Platform Ice, 30 cents per hundred. 1,000-pound Coupon Books delivered 40 cents per hundred.

BALLINGER LIGHT, POWER & ICE CO. Phone 312

Beauty

A Gleamy Mass of Hair
35c "Danderine" does Wonders
for Any Girl's Hair



Girls! Try this! When combing and dressing your hair, just moisten your hair brush with a little "Danderine" and brush it through your hair. The effect is startling! You can do your hair up immediately and it will appear twice as thick and heavy—a mass of gleamy hair, sparkling with life and possessing that incomparable softness, freshness and luxuriance.

While beautifying the hair "Danderine" is also toning and stimulating each single hair to grow thick, long and strong. Hair stops falling out and dandruff disappears. Get a bottle of delightful, refreshing "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter and just see how healthy and youthful your hair becomes.

CHANGE MADE IN COTTON FIRM NAME

W. C. Penn & Company, Cotton, will be known hereafter as the Rasbury-Penn Company. This is according to the forming of a new company this week composed of W. C. Penn, E. L. and Edgar Rasbury, and the new company succeeds the old company.

Under the new organization an office will be maintained in Ballinger and at Brady. W. C. Penn will be in charge of the Ballinger office and Edgar Rasbury will be located at Brady.

Sim Cottelle who has been with Mr. Penn for something like fifteen years, is no longer connected with the firm. Mr. Cottelle will remain in Ballinger, but has not announced his business plans for the future.

Chint Penn, who has also been associated with the firm in the cotton business for the past several seasons, is not a member of the new firm, and has under consideration other plans for the coming season.

Treasurers' Monthly Financial Statement

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF RUNNELS.

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Paul Trimmier, County Judge; R. J. Deens, D. W. Yeager, Geo. W. Miller and I. A. Curry, Commissioners; who after being by me duly sworn, state on their oaths that they have fully complied with the provisions of Art. Nos. 1448 and 1449, having counted the cash in the hands of Mrs. Jennie Kirk, Treasurer, on the 31st day of January, 1924.

Recapitulation:	
Jury Fund, cash balance	\$ 1,969.03
Road and Bridge Fund, cash balance	35,485.21
General County Fund, cash balance	18,213.90
Special Fund, cash balance	2,265.08
Court House bonds Skg. fund cash balance	5,851.80
B. B. Skg. Fund No. 1, cash balance	8,047.66
B. B. Skg. Fund No. 2, cash balance	5,501.99
Bridge Warrant No. 1, Skg. Fund, cash balance	3,274.62
Bridge Warrant No. 4, Skg. Fund, cash balance	462.45
Special Road and Bridge Warrant, Skg. Fund, cash bal.	1,073.58
Highway Fund, cash balance	7,034.52
Road District No. 1, Skg. Fund, cash balance	2,741.27
Road District No. 2, cash balance	5,474.43
Road District No. 2, Skg. Fund, cash balance	2,731.24
Special Road Warrant, Skg. Fund, cash balance	400.17
Total balance	\$100,526.95

Paul Trimmier,
County Judge.
R. J. Deens,
Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
D. W. Yeager,
Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
Geo. W. Miller,
Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
I. A. Curry,
Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 11th day of February, 1924.

(SEAL)

W. A. Forgey,
Clerk County Court, Runnels County, Texas.

Movies

ALICE LAKE LEADING WOMAN IN PICTURE



ALICE LAKE

"The Spider and the Rose," a picture of early mission life in California, is coming to the Maeroy Theatre Friday. Alice Lake is the leading woman, and the leading man is Gaston Glass. Life in California when that territory was a province of Mexico is faithfully depicted in this picture to the minutest detail. The corrupt practices of Maximilian I, then Emperor of Mexico, are a part of the story written by Gerald C. Duffy.

Louise Fazenda, former Mack Sennett comedy star, also has a prominent part in the picture. Others in the supporting cast include little Richard Hendrick, Joseph J. Dowling, Robert McKim, Noah Berry, Otis Harlan, Frank Campeau, Andrew Arbuckle, Alec B. Francis, Edwin Stevens.

Franklyn Farnum and others appear on the screen at the Maeroy today and Thursday in a Western play, "Gold Grabbers," adapted from an Argosy Magazine story.

"GOLD IN THE HEAD"

In an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh, those subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "raw doozy" condition. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a treatment consisting of an Ointment to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the blood on the mucous surfaces, building up the system. For full particulars, see "Gold in the Head" sold by druggists for over 40 years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

ETHEL CLAYTON AT THE MAEROY

Combating two Chinese secret organizations in Canton, captured by Oriental brigands, thrown into prison and having many hair-breadth escapes, Ethel Clayton figures in many startling and thrilling adventures in her latest F. B. O. starring attraction.

"The Remittance Woman," on view at the Fo-to-sho Theatre today and Thursday.

Written by Achmed Abdullah, famous author and globe-trotter, "The Remittance Woman" is a red-blooded tale, replete with swift adventure, wholesome romance, mystery, suspense and all the other ingredients of entertainment that go to make a good motion picture.

As an American girl precipitated by fate into the swift current of adventure in the Orient—Ethel Clayton has one of the most striking roles of her career. From the outset she is beset by strange happenings. She has been given a mystic vase by her father in America and when the rival leaders of Chinese secret societies in Canton learn she has the vase in her possession she becomes the center of a swirl of dramatic incidents that culminate in one of the most striking climaxes ever flung upon the screen.

As always, Miss Clayton has superb support in "The Remittance Woman." Among the players are Rockliffe Fellowes, Mario Carillo, Frank Lanning, Tom Wilson, Etta Lee, James Leong, Edward Kimball and Toyo Fugita.

END CATARRH WITH THIS HEALING CREAM

Clogged Air Passages Open at Once—Nostrils Cleared

If your nostrils are clogged and your head stuffed because of catarrh or a cold, get Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this pure, antiseptic, germ destroying cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head and membranes. Instant relief.

How good it feels. Your head is clear. Your nostrils are open. You breathe freely. No more hawking or snuffling. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up, choked up and miserable. Relief is sure.

RADIO FOR ALL CHINESE SHIPS

(By Associated Press) PEKING, March 5.—The ministry of communications has issued an order requiring all vessels plying Chinese waters, if of 500 tons or over, to be equipped with radio. The order applies to foreign and Chinese ships alike. It is estimated that about 300 ships will be affected.

DON'T READ THIS

We don't believe in advertising or in buying at home. The only reason we are doing this is that we want to help The Ledger this much.

Of course if you come in and want to see a Tire we will show you an India and guarantee it to give satisfaction.

Or if you want a pair of Shoes we'll sell you a pair of Wear-U-Well at from \$1.50 to \$2.00 less than you can get the same shoe elsewhere.

And maybe by the time you get here your shoes will need some new soles. Our Shoe Repairing is guaranteed to outwear others. If you ride in you might need some Good Gulf Gas or Oil. None better. The reason we sell Good Gulf is because we like it. We call for and deliver. Phos 145.

Sudden Service Shoe Shop

"Where Service Counts We Win"

TODAY MAEROY THEATRE TODAY

SHOWING THE PICK O' THE PICTURES

TWO DAYS—BEGINNING TODAY

Ben Wilson Presents

Jack Hoxie

in

"The Sheriff of Hope Eternal"

ALSO

A Two Reel Special Hodgkinson Comedy With Chas. Murray

"The Fiddling Fool"

Admission 10c and 25c

FRIDAY

"The Spider and the Rose"

BETHEL NEWS

The boys and girls of Bethel school met Monday morning, March 3rd, and organized agriculture clubs.

The following officers were elected for the Boys' Club:

President, Paul Killam; vice-president, John Lee Simmons; secretary, Johnnie Bigby; assistant secretary, Shelburne Greenhill.

The following officers were elected for the Girls' Club:

President, Vebora Fox; vice-president, Mable Bigby; secretary, Mildred White; assistant secretary, Oneta Jones.

The school is striving to win the \$250 radio set which is being offered to the best organized club in the county.

The school is installing domestic science and manual training. The girls are preparing about one-fourth of an acre to be planted in tomatoes; the tomatoes to be used in the canning department of the school. The boys are grubbing out six acres of land, which joins the school ground and which belongs to the school, to be planted in cotton. The cotton is to be cultivated by the school children.

The Bethel school has also installed, this year, a DeLoe lighting plant, and a motion picture machine. Moving picture entertainments are to be given in the school auditorium every Friday evening.

The literary work of the school is being classified by the state department. This will enable students who finish at the Bethel school, to enter the state university without examinations in the subjects completed at home.

"BETHELINE"

17 CENT GAS

On account of our friends we have dropped gas to 17 cents. Get your accessories and have your repair work done with us by men who know how.

EVANS BROTHERS,
Near Tourist Park.

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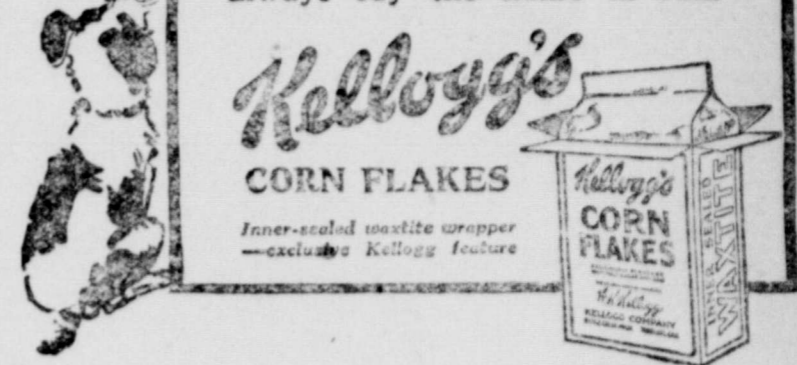
No cure for it, but welcome relief is often brought by—
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

A dangerous demagogue is a man who has no respect for a million dollars.—Detroit Free Press.



Great for growing boys who use up energy as an engine uses steam. Say "Kellogg's Corn Flakes."

And to get the genuine, be sure you always say the name in full.



Fo-To-Sho Theatre

TODAY

Carl Laemmle presents

"The Gumps" in "OH! WHAT A DAY"

adapted from the famous cartoon by Sidney Smith featuring Joe Murphy, Fay Tincher, Jackie Morgan and Slim Hamilton.



ETHEL CLAYTON

IN ACHMED ABDULLAH'S VOLCANIC DRAMA OF THE ORIENT

"The Remittance Woman"

A rushing kaleidoscope of breathless action in which a lone American girl sets her wits against a horde of crafty Chinamen, and loses—only to find that she's won after all! Don't fail to see it—it's Ethel Clayton's best to date.

Admission 10c and 25c

Wanted

100 33x5 Federal Blue Pennant Cords, must be A-1 firsts, will pay \$27.50 each cord, for one or one hundred.

We might suggest that if tires advertised in this paper are firsts some gentleman can make himself a nice little profit by buying and selling, here at home.

PRIMER VISORS

or Sun Shades, we have 23 in stock, prices other places \$7.50; our price \$5.00, all other accessories in proportion, see us before you buy.

No Damaged Goods or Seconds

nothing but the highest quality merchandise here.

From the smallest coil to a caterpillar tractor.

NO FIX NO PAY

M. G. Justice Motor Co.

Phone 169

CORNS

Lift Off—No Pain!



Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers.

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the foot calluses, without soreness or irritation.

SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS
Mrs. Mattie Kirks, of Marlow, Oklahoma, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hattie Gadberrry, and uncle, Jim Keen, and other relatives.

Roy Halstead and family are planning to move in their new home this week. Melvin Evans will move on the place that Mr. Halstead is vacating.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Monroe and baby of Brownwood, visited Mrs. Monroe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis and family.

Miss Wynas Greer is improving rapidly, and will soon be out among her friends.

Jim Keen is driving a new Dodge coupe.

Mrs. Hood is improving slowly.

The little son of Harry Mapes is able to be up.

Miss Effie Parker is still on the sick list.

Quite a number of young folks enjoyed a singing at the school house Sunday night.

Ross Smith is receiving radio news.

The Busy Bee Club has lost several meetings on account of Mrs. ... If convenient it will ...

... on being warm ... a number were ...

... Society meets March 7th. You attend.

BLUE BONNET

Wanted Ads
25c up to 12 words, per word first insertion, 1c per word each additional insertion. All want ads are ...

COTTON CLASSING taught in short course. Buying, selling, classing, stapling and the many details of cotton business. Course guaranteed as good as taught in any school in U. S. Also combined cotton and bookkeeping course. San Angelo Business College, San Angelo, Texas. 5-tfd

WANTED—To do sewing. Will sew at customer's home or will call for work. Am student of Franklin Institute. Phone 4404. Myrtle Killam. 5-3d.

WANTED Messenger boy, excellent opportunity to learn business. Western Union. 1d.

SOUDAN SEED—Kansas grown. E. T. Branham Grain Company 4-6td-4tw

FOR RENT—4 nice rooms, furnished or unfurnished, Phone 148, Mrs. Emma Nash. 3-td

WANTED—A Sales Manager for this territory to manage crews and place in each home the Electrolyzer that retails for \$5.00 that would Electrolyze. Clearofy and Purify five gallons of drinking water for 2c. Endorsed by the leading Chemists and Physicians. Electric Mfg. Corp., 1915 1-2, 1917 1-2 Main St., Dallas, Texas. 1-6td

SEEKING AID FOR HUNGRY GERMANS

Herman Halfmann, of the Rowena country, was in Ballinger Tuesday on business and while here discussed with several citizens the German relief movement which is being waged throughout the country to raise money for the relief of starving German children in the war torn country. Mr. Halfmann had just received a letter from E. A. Peden, state chairman of the German Relief Committee, of Houston. Mr. Peden stated that no committee had been organized in Runnels county, and requested Mr. Halfmann to see if some one could not be delegated to solicit funds.

In presenting the cause Mr. Peden stated in his letter to Mr. Halfmann, that Germany could not produce enough food in pre-war days to feed her entire population, and of course is able to do less in the days of reconstruction, and the letter says that innocent victims are suffering and hundreds of thousands of children in Germany are starving to death.

The quota assigned to Texas by the American German Relief Committee is \$250,000, out of the ten million which the United States has been asked to contribute. Mr. Halfmann stated that in the absence of a local committee, and the lack of any organized effort to raise money for the cause in this county, he would be glad to send in any amount contributed here, and those wishing to contribute to the fund can send their contributions to Mr. Halfmann, Route 1, Rowena, and he will see that the money is forwarded to the state committee at once.

It is probable that a committee will be named by those who are in sympathy with the movement to canvass for the cause within a few days.

HELP WANTED IN BALLINGER

And Furnished by the Help of Ballinger People.

Those who suffer with kidney backache, urinary ills, or any little kidney or bladder disorder, want kidney help. Who can better advise than some Ballinger resident, who has also suffered, but has had relief. Ballinger people recommend Doan's Pills. Ask your neighbor. Here's one case and there are many others.

J. A. Huddleston, retired farmer, Teath St. and Strong Ave., Ballinger, says: "I had an attack of lumbago. Often I had spells of pain and stiffness in my back, especially across the small of it. My nights were disturbed constantly by the too frequent action of my kidneys and the secretions were highly colored. Mornings I was all tired out. I heard a lot about Doan's Pills, so I bought some at Weeks' Drug Store. After taking a few boxes, I was relieved. The lumbago went away and my kidneys were normal again."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank everyone who so kindly helped us during the illness and recent death of our wife and sister. We appreciate more than words can express all that you did for her and for us, and our prayer is that God will reward you with such good friends in your hours of sorrow.
S. W. Dunn and Family. 1d-1w

Skin Malady on Decline

Ever since the perfection and introduction in this country of the wonderful Black and White Ointment, skin specialists say that such troubles as pimples, blotches, bumps, rash, tetter, eczema, "breaking out," etc., are becoming fewer every year.

Wide distribution of Black and White Ointment has made it possible for millions of people to get the benefit of its wonderfully quick effect in clearing disfigured skin, and making it smooth and good to look at. Dealers say it is selling faster than anything of a similar nature they have ever handled, and they attribute this popularity to the low prices at which it is sold, as well as its dependability. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size.

Edward D. Smith, of Isadore, New York, is here visiting his brother, P. N. Smith, and nephew R. W. Smith.

FOUR GENERATIONS

Texas Lady Says Her Family Has Been Taking Theford's Black-Draught, When Needed, for Many Years.

Alto, Texas.—"We inherited the use of Black-Draught in our family," says Mrs. Mary Shuptrine, who lives near here on R. F. D. 2. "My grandmother about ten years ago, when she died, was an old woman when she died, using it liberally ever since I can remember. She gave it to her children and grandchildren for biliousness and stomach complaints, so when I went to housekeeping we just naturally used it, too."

"I give it to my children for a purgative whenever they need one, and we are never without it. Made into tea, it surely is fine. It's the best remedy for headache and constipation I know of."

During over 80 years of its continued popularity, Black-Draught has become the standard liver medicine in many thousands of homes, where it has been found of great benefit in the treatment of constipation, biliousness, indigestion and other common liver, stomach and bowel complaints. Ten million packages of Black-Draught are now sold a year, as more and more people are learning of the value of this well-known remedy.

Insist on Theford's, the only genuine Black-Draught powdered liver medicine. At all dealers. NC-154

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A. G. Ellis went to Brownwood Tuesday afternoon, where he will be for a few days visiting his sons, and looking after business.

- For Constable Precinct No. 1: H. S. (Happy) STRAIN
- For County Superintendent: ROBERT E. WHITE
- For Tax Collector: W. L. BROWN
- For Tax Assessor: HENRY TODD
- MIKE C. BOYD
- For Sheriff: J. P. FLYNT
- R. E. McWILLIAMS
- For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMIER
- For County Treasurer: MRS. JENNIE KIRK
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1: R. J. DEENS
- WILLARD L. McMILLAN
- For County Clerk: W. A. FORGEY
- For District Clerk: Miss—GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 3: J. D. SMITH
- For State Senate (25th Dist.): WALTER C. WOODWARD (of Coleman)
- For Representative, (92nd Dist.): O. R. SIMS (of Concho County)

Welcome Troubles

If there is anything we do know it's an Auto.

We welcome your Auto troubles to our garage.

Cameron-Cape GARAGE

Frank Cameron Chester Cape

MILES PERSONALS

Special to The Ledger:
MILES, March 4.—Mrs. W. P. Buttery and son, Eugene, of San Angelo, visited friends here Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Fowler and daughter, Miss Gladys, were San Angelo visitors Monday.

Buster Webb left Monday afternoon for Brownwood, where he is attending school, having spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webb here.

Mrs. Vera Tankersly is here from San Antonio to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webb.

Miss Gladys Huddleston left Monday for Belton, where she is attending Baylor College. She was called home several days ago on account of the illness of her father, Newt Huddleston, who died last Monday. The family lives North of town.

J. N. Barbee and Mr. Dean of Ballinger transacted business here Monday.

H. B. Sewell was attending to business at Eola Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and Miss Minnie Hickman were San Angelo visitors Tuesday.

Charles Hanz was here from Rowena Monday.

Miss Lena Sharpes, of Ballinger, was here Monday.

Mrs. John Merzwich has returned to her home at Roscoe after spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. C. A. Schwartz, in Miles.

Clyde Roach was in San Angelo Sunday.

F. Blumentritt was here from San Angelo Monday.

J. A. Tyler and daughter, Miss Nettie, were San Angelo visitors Monday.

Sam Turner was in San Angelo Tuesday.

Mrs. W. R. Hunton and Mrs. Margaret Curry were San Angelo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Davis were in Ballinger Monday.

S. M. Farmer left Tuesday for San Saba to attend to business.

W. A. Esmond, of Ballinger, and J. D. Good, of Norton, attended the Baptist Workers' Meeting at the local church Tuesday.

Misses Nettie Tyler, Annie Dickens and Polly Tyler, Harold Hunt and Chester Fowler were in San Angelo Monday.

A small want ad in The Daily Ledger often saves you money.



Going Fishing?

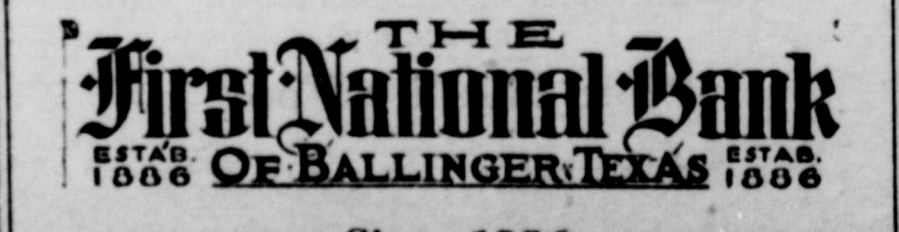
We have just received a big complete line of fishing tackle. We can supply you with anything you want at a big saving. See our window.

Big line of Baseball goods.

THE IVORY

A. S. Love & Co.

Our Record of the Past is Our Promise of the Future



Since 1886 THE OLD RELIABLE

SULPHUR WILL CLEAR A RED ROUGH SKIN

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation begins at once to soothe irritated skin and heal eruptions such as rash, pimples and ring worm.

It seldom fails to remove the torment and disfigurement, and you do not have to wait for relief from embarrassment. Improvement quickly shows. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

We handle all kinds of feed. See us before buying or selling. W. T. Branham Grain Company. 4-tf d&w

Everett Hardgrave, of San Angelo, passed thru Ballinger Tuesday afternoon, en route to Washington, D. C., on business, and where he will be for a couple of weeks.

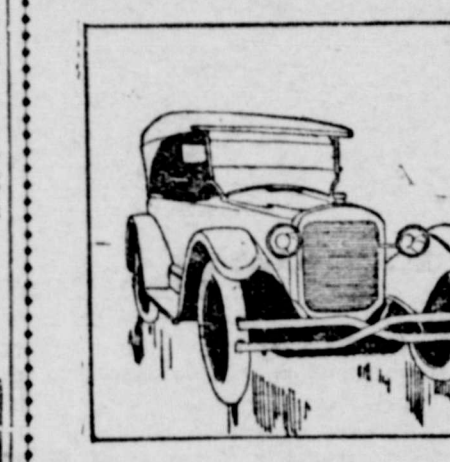
STOUT PERSONS

Incline to full feeling after eating, gassy pains, constipation. Relieved and digestion improved by CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS

Cleaning and comforting - only 25c

Ledger want ad work for you

San Antonio Gunter Hotel



When you bring your car here to have it washed, you may do so with the expectation of being satisfied or there will be no charge. An expert is in charge of this particular work, using an entirely new and different method of cleaning, both inside and outside, upholstering in sedans and coupes cleaned by vacuum cleaners. Also gas and oils, and storage. Plenty parking space, will call and deliver your car.

WARD SERVICE STATION

Phone 666. 8th Street, South of Postoffice.

Big Offer

For one week only, we will give a four piece set of Community, Twenty Year, Par Plate Silver for \$1.00 on the following conditions.

Van Camp Labels and \$1

Send us 18 Van Camp Trade Marks and one dollar and receive the silver.

The wrappers from any Van Camp product are good on this offer.

See our special Van Camp window.

JEANES COMPANY

Telephones 318 and 357

CHIROPRACTIC

Adds Life to Years and Years to Life

Nettie Montgomery

Doctor of Chiropractic

Nash Hotel Phone 148

Mrs. L. Henry returned to her home at Mexia, Tuesday afternoon. She had been here visiting her brother, J. F. McMillan.

OLD DOC BIRD



Money makes the mare go—but horse sense keeps the money from going.

Spend your money here—we help you keep your Shoe bills down, by giving you the Highest Class

SHOE REPAIR WORK

The man or woman who looks for renewed Shoe Life, can find it here in our shop where we repair shoes so expertly that they give the same satisfaction as a pair of new shoes.

We use only the highest grade leather, and in workmanship and price, we are supreme! Try us!

Coy Drennan