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State Gets Royalty from Oil Well Near School that Closed

(By Associated Press)
BEAUMONT, April 23.—An oil well which will contribute a one-eighth royalty to the state school fund, was brought in in the Orange oil field today. The one-eighth income from the well will be turned over to the state school fund.

BEAUMONT, April 23.—The first public school in this section of the state to close for a lack of funds this year was announced today from Orange. It is reported that the school has no money on hand to pay its teachers, and the board ordered the school closed.

The school had been in session less than eight months.

Makes Bond in Murder Case

(By Associated Press)
CROCKETT, Tex., April 23.—Ed Nelms, living in the North-western part of this county, was shot and killed yesterday. Jim Singletary surrendered to the officers in connection with the tragedy and was released on bond this morning pending action of the grand jury.

Singletary claimed that he was justified in shooting Nelms.

J. F. McMillan, Ed and Arch O'Kelly and E. L. Rasbusy left for a trip to the Pecos Wednesday morning. They will halt along the road for fishing and will visit Fort Stockton, where some of the gentlemen will look after business, mixing a little business with pleasure on the trip.

Card of Thanks

To our friends and neighbors, who so willingly helped us in the death of our son and brother, may God's richest blessings rest upon you all, is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davenport and Sons
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kree
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crockett
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Webb.

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

PUBLISHER DIES VERY SUDDENLY

(By Associated Press)
MURFREESBORO, Tenn., Apr. 23.—George Fort Milton, age 55, publisher of the Chattanooga Evening News, and state manager for William G. McAdoo, candidate for president, died suddenly here today. Death was due to heart disease.

LOST BALLOON MAKES LANDING

(By Associated Press)
BELLVILLE, Ill., April 25.—The United States army's non-rigid dirigible TC-3, which left here yesterday for a trip to Kelly Field, San Antonio, arrived at Scott Field, near this city, this morning.

The delay and loss of the dirigible for a time caused fear of distress and a search had been instituted.

BELLEVILLE, Ill., April 23.—It was announced here today that the TC-3, U. S. army dirigible, was forced to return on its attempted trip to San Antonio to the landing here on account of a severe electrical storm in Northern Texas.

88 AND STILL YOUNGER THAN MANY BOYS OF 18

J. T. Carter, one of the pioneers of this city, has celebrated his 88th birthday, passing his 88th milestone in life Wednesday, and is still hale and hearty and gets about with more spryness than some of the 18-year-olds. Mr. Carter enjoys taking an auto spin occasionally, but he finds walking conducive to his good health, and it is no trick at all for him to walk to town from his son-in-law, W. C. Wheeler's place, four or five miles from the city.

Mr. Carter was born on April 23, 1836, in Stanley county, North Carolina. He remained at the old home until he was sixteen years of age when he moved to Arkansas. He came to Texas in 1871, and to Ballinger in 1886, and he can relate some interesting stories of his experiences through the changes which have taken place. Unless some unforeseen misfortune overtakes Mr. Carter he is good for a century, and then some.

John Young, Deleo dealer, was here Wednesday. Mr. Young has just returned from Dayton, Ohio, where he spent a couple of weeks in the Deleo factory. He reports a pleasant and profitable visit, having been put through a course of instruction which gives him a greater store of information about the Deleo and its value as a light and power producing machine.

Frank Stuart came in from Tahoka Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days with Ballinger folks. He was accompanied by Mrs. Tom Lamond, formerly Miss Geneva Currie, who is here for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Currie.

Events in the Lives of Little Men



ONE CONVICTED; THREE ACQUITTED

(By Associated Press)
TEXARKANA, Ark., April 23.—Pat Marr, an oil promoter, was found guilty in the federal court here today on one count and not guilty on nineteen other counts of an indictment charging misuse of the mails. W. T. Earnest, W. E. Eakins and George White, confederates of Marr, were all found not guilty on similar charges.

Mrs. Gartman returned to her home at Goldthwaite Tuesday afternoon, after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Cook.

Daniels Refused Lease Reserve

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, April 23.—Joseph Daniels, as secretary of the navy, was "very obdurate" when it came to getting any leases for lands within the naval oil reserves, Commander H. A. Stuart of the United States navy said, in a letter read today into the records of the Senate oil investigating committee.

Commander Stuart was in charge of the reserves under Secretary Daniels. He stated that the oil lands leased while Daniels was secretary amounted to only 120 acres and this was leased to the Consolidated Mutual Oil Company, and five wells to the Boston Pacific Company, all in reserve No. 2, in California.

James O. Lewis, petroleum engineer, testified before the committee that the Teapot Dome reserve would have been drained to a serious extent by adjacent wells had development on the reserve been delayed.

N. J. Wardlaw was here from Miles Wednesday.

HERE TO CLOSE DRILL CONTRACT

An oil lease and drilling contract was closed in Ballinger this week which may mean much to the oil industry of this part of the state and to Coleman county in particular.

According to a contract executed through Judge J. W. Powell, president of the West Texas Coal & Mining Company, a party of Kansas City capitalists acquire 300 acres of the company's holdings in Coleman county, and are to begin drilling within 90 days.

Frank Ruhnan, geologist; John W. Braefagle, and R. W. Coleman, capitalists, of Kansas City, were here and spent the day conferring with the stockholders of the coal and mining company and closed a contract for drilling on the company's acreage on the line of Coleman and Brown counties. Mr. Coleman is state senator in his district in Kansas, and all the men are reported to be financially able to carry out any drilling contract which they might make.

Cal Huffman, of San Angelo, accompanied by a driller, was here to meet with the capitalists and other parties interested in the Coleman county properties. Mr. Huffman is one of the principal stockholders in the company. The West Texas Coal & Mining Company was organized several years ago for the purpose of developing the coal industry, but on account of the heavy cost of developing the property they have never been able to sink a shaft to the coal strata. The Kansas City parties will develop the oil and gas industry of the properties.

S. R. Young, of Miles, was a business visitor in Ballinger Wednesday.

DEMENTED COWBOY IS FOUND IN DIPPING VAT

30 Killed; 50 Injured In Train Crash

(By Associated Press)

BERNE, Switzerland, April 23.

Thirty persons were reported killed and fifty injured when two Zurich-Milan express trains collided near Bellinona today.

Twenty-one bodies have been recovered from the wreck. Most of the bodies were so badly burned it is impossible to identify them.

Miss Myrtle Wright, who went to Brownwood last week to spend the week-end with Miss Elizabeth Jones, has gone on to San Antonio for a visit before returning home.

LADWIG BROTHERS GETS NEW STOCK

Ladwig Brothers of this city have acquired a stock of merchandise at Coolidge, Texas, and will move same to their store in Ballinger as soon as it can be packed and shipped. The stock consists of \$16,000 worth of new dry goods, and will add much to the already complete stock carried by the local firm. In exchange for the stock of goods the Ladwig brothers trade a small ranch which is located in Bosque county near Meridian.

P. T. Barnum, late famous show man, issued passes to clergymen to illustrate to them the morality of his shows.

Plays "Hi-jacker" Kills His Bride

(By Associated Press)
MINERAL WELLS, April 23.—Mrs. Emma Lee Watkins, age 19, bride of only a few days, is dead here today as a result of playing "hi-jacker" with her husband, Roy Watkins, and the latter is prostrated with grief.

The two playfully pointed guns at each other, as they did so each commanding the other to "stick 'em up." Roy did not know his gun was loaded. It discharged and a few minutes later his bride was dead.

(By Associated Press)

FT. WORTH, April 23.—A demented cowboy, believed to be the assailant of Dr. S. H. Windham Monday night, and who wounded one man yesterday, and another today, all near Tahoka in Terry county, was surrounded today in a dipping vat in Terry county, according to report received here.

The cowboy has barricaded himself in the dipping vat and posses of ranchmen and officers are hurrying to his hiding place to assist in taking the man alive if possible.

Had Nothing to Do With Deal

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Reopening the inquiry into the indictment of Senator Wheeler by the federal grand jury in Montana, the special Senate committee today questioned L. V. Beaulieu, former attorney for Gordon Campbell, a Montana oil man who was indicted with Wheeler.

Beaulieu told the committee that Senator Wheeler told him that he had informed Campbell that he would have nothing to do with Campbell's government land matters after he had been elected to the Senate.

Senator Sterling, republican of South Dakota, said that he had been told that the letter about land permits had been written by Solicitor Booth, of the interior department, to Senator Wheeler's Montana law firm and that he expected to produce it before the investigation ended. Sterling declined to reveal the source of his information.

Henry P. Smith, general manager of the Texas Compress Company; and Geo. W. King, assistant manager; were here from Waco Tuesday, making a tour of inspection and conferring with the employees of the local compress. The compress men are very optimistic over the outlook for a busy cotton season next fall.

GIRL BANDIT PLEADS GUILTY

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, April 23.—Celia Cooney, the bobbed haired girl bandit, and her husband, Edward Cooney, plead guilty today to indictments charging robbery.

The man and woman will be sentenced Monday.

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Dinner each week day served at 40c each.
They are good—try one. Special Sunday Dinner that cant be beat 50c. Bring the family.

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 entitled to the use for republication of
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Brownwood will overrun with
 politicians during the convention,
 but politics will be given no place
 on the program.

The city which fails to keep up

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For State Senate (25th Dist.):
WALTER C. WOODWARD
(of Coleman)
- For Representative, (92nd Dist.):
O. R. SIMS
(of Concho County)
- For District Attorney:
EVAN J. ADKINS
- 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
J. C. WATTS
- For County Treasurer:
MRS. JENNIE KIRK
- For County Clerk:
W. A. FORGEY
- For District Clerk:
Miss—
GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For County Attorney:
C. P. SHEPHERD
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1.:
R. J. DEENS
WILLARD L. McMILLAN
- For Constable Precinct No. 1:
H. S. (Happy) STRAIN
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 3:
J. D. SMITH

its tourist park, or tourist camp
 grounds can not expect tourists
 to hang around long enough to
 spend much money.

The home which is properly
 screened and which is equipped
 with fly swatters is the home
 where you will find the health-
 iest people this summer.

An effort is being made to close
 up shop on May 14th in order
 that all who wish to do so may
 attend the big show in Brown-
 wood. Brady will close her
 schools for the day, and the
 town is going over in automob-
 iles.

California may be a fine place
 to live in in some respects, and
 may have advantages over this
 country in a few respects, but
 when the drawbacks are figured
 in most of us can be pretty well
 satisfied where we are. At pres-
 ent for instance, California has
 its Jap problem and its foot and
 mouth disease troubles to con-
 tend with.

**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, pim-
 ples and ring worm.

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

**Notice in Probate
 THE STATE OF TEXAS.**
 County of Runnels:
 To the Sheriff or any Constable
 of Runnels County—Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded to
 cause to be published once each
 week for a period of ten days be-
 fore the return day hereof, in a

SMOTHERING SPELLS

**Lady Says She Suffered from a
 Burning Sensation, Headache,
 Dizziness, Until She Took
 Black-Draught.**

Signal, Miss.—“For a year or longer
 I had indigestion, and had it bad,”
 says Mrs. E. S. Holman, of this place.
 “Everything I ate hurt me. I would
 have burning in my stomach and
 smothering spells, and after meals feel
 right dizzy. My head would begin to
 ache, and I would want to lie down,
 but felt I couldn't for I would smother.
 “Unless one has had such trouble,
 they don't know what it is. I was
 talking to a neighbor one day and told
 her how I had been affected. She
 told me it was indigestion and to try
 Black-Draught, which I did. I took
 a few large doses and then a pinch after
 meals, and for fully four months now
 I haven't had indigestion. I eat what-
 ever I please and when I please, but
 keep up the Black-Draught—just an
 occasional dose.”

When you have a feeling of discom-
 fort after meals, try the suggestion
 above. Thousands of people have
 found that Black-Draught promotes
 relief in indigestion by stimulating the
 liver and stomach to perform their
 normal functions.
 Insist on Theford's, the only genu-
 ine. Sold everywhere. NC-152

newspaper of general circulation,
 which has been continuously and
 regularly published for a period
 of not less than one year in said
 Runnels County, a copy of the
 following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
 To all persons interested in the
 Estate of Henry Seipp, de-
 ceased, notice is hereby given
 that Doretta Seipp has filed an
 application in the County Court
 of Runnels County, on the 22nd
 day of April, 1924, to probate
 Last Will and Testament of
 Henry Seipp, deceased, and for
 Letters Testamentary, which
 said application will be heard by
 said Court on the 5th day
 of May, 1924, at the Court
 House of said county, in
 Ballinger, at which time all per-
 sons interested in said estate are
 required to appear and answer
 said application, should they de-
 sire to do so.
 Herein fail not, but have you
 before said Court, on the said first

day of the next term thereof, this
 Writ with your return thereon,
 showing how you have executed
 the same.

Witness my hand and official
 seal, at Ballinger, Texas, this
 22nd day of April, 1924.
 (Seal)

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

A true copy of the notice is-
 sued, I hereby certify.

J. P. FLYNT,
 Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas
 d-23-30

**SENIOR PLAY
 FRIDAY NIGHT**

Have you bought your tickets?
 If not, see any of the many high
 school students who are selling
 them and get tickets for the
 Senior Class production of
 “Caught in the Fog,” which will
 be presented at the Carnegie Li-
 brary Friday afternoon and
 night, April 25th. The play has
 been rehearsed under the per-
 sonal direction of Miss Lois
 White for the past several weeks
 and is a comedy that will be pre-
 sented in such a way as will make
 you laugh for weeks. In this
 year's class was found some ex-
 ceptional talent and with a good
 play, a good cast, under good di-
 rection, with good specialties, good
 scenery and lighting effects, the
 play is sure to be a good one and
 one you will enjoy.

The play is a modern comedy in
 three acts. Between each of the
 acts high class specialties will
 be presented and there will be no
 long waits between acts. The
 High School Choral Club will
 appear in specialties singing popu-
 lar songs and colonial songs.
 Another specialty of merit will
 be the presentation of the Vir-
 ginia Reel modified. This act
 uses special costumes and with
 many weeks of drill will be pret-
 ty to witness. The High School
 Orchestra will render the over-
 ture and play at other times dur-
 ing the play.
 Admission prices for the mat-
 inee will be 15c, 25c and 50c.
 Night, 35c and 50c.


D. C. Underwood and son Gene
 made a trip to the country Tues-
 day. Mr. Underwood says he
 went out just to see some of the
 country he had not seen in quite
 awhile. Driving to Winters, Win-
 gate and Drasco, they doubled
 back, and in commenting on what
 he saw Mr. Underwood said,
 “Just take it from me, I saw
 some cotton planters running.”
 The pioneer citizen stated that
 the well kept farms presented a
 veritable bee hive scene with
 plows and planters running in
 every direction, “and I don't be-
 lieve there is a better farming
 country in the state of Texas than
 the Northern part of this coun-
 try,” said Mr. Underwood, and he
 should know for he helped to sur-
 vey out much of that land before
 it was cut up with wire fences,
 and assessed it for taxes when it
 was rendered for \$2.50 per acre
 or less.

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

WRIGLEYS
 after every meal

Cleanses mouth and
 teeth and aids digestion.
 Relieves that over-
 eaten feeling and acid
 mouth.
 Its l-a-s-t-i-n-g flavor
 satisfies the craving for
 sweets.
 Wrigley's is double
 value in the benefit and
 pleasure it provides.

Sealed in its Purity
 Package.



The flavor lasts



**GOOD GROCERIES
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Every housewife knows what GOOD GROCERIES mean. They
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Our service to you consists of pure and quality groceries—at low
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DeWitt's Little Grocery
 TELEPHONE 107

Our Motto is Service

As we enter our ninth year in the ice business we desire to express our appreciation for past patronage and
 to assure the public that it is our purpose to exert our utmost efforts to serve them in the future to their entire
 satisfaction.

We have assumed the operation of The Citizens Ice Company in order to combine all efforts which will en-
 able us to render more efficient service and to sell ice at a fair and reasonable price.

Effective Thursday, April 24th

Our Prices Will Be as Follows:

Platform, per 100 lbs.	50 cents
500 lb. Coupon Books, per 100 lbs.	60 cents
1000 lb. Coupon Books, per 100 lbs.	60 cents
2000 lb. Coupon Books, per 100 lbs.	60 cents
5-2000 lb. Coupon Books, per 100 lbs.	50 cents
Cash Ice at Wagon, per 100 lbs.	70 cents
Prices other than above quoted on application.	
To facilitate matters platform ice will be sold only at old plant.	

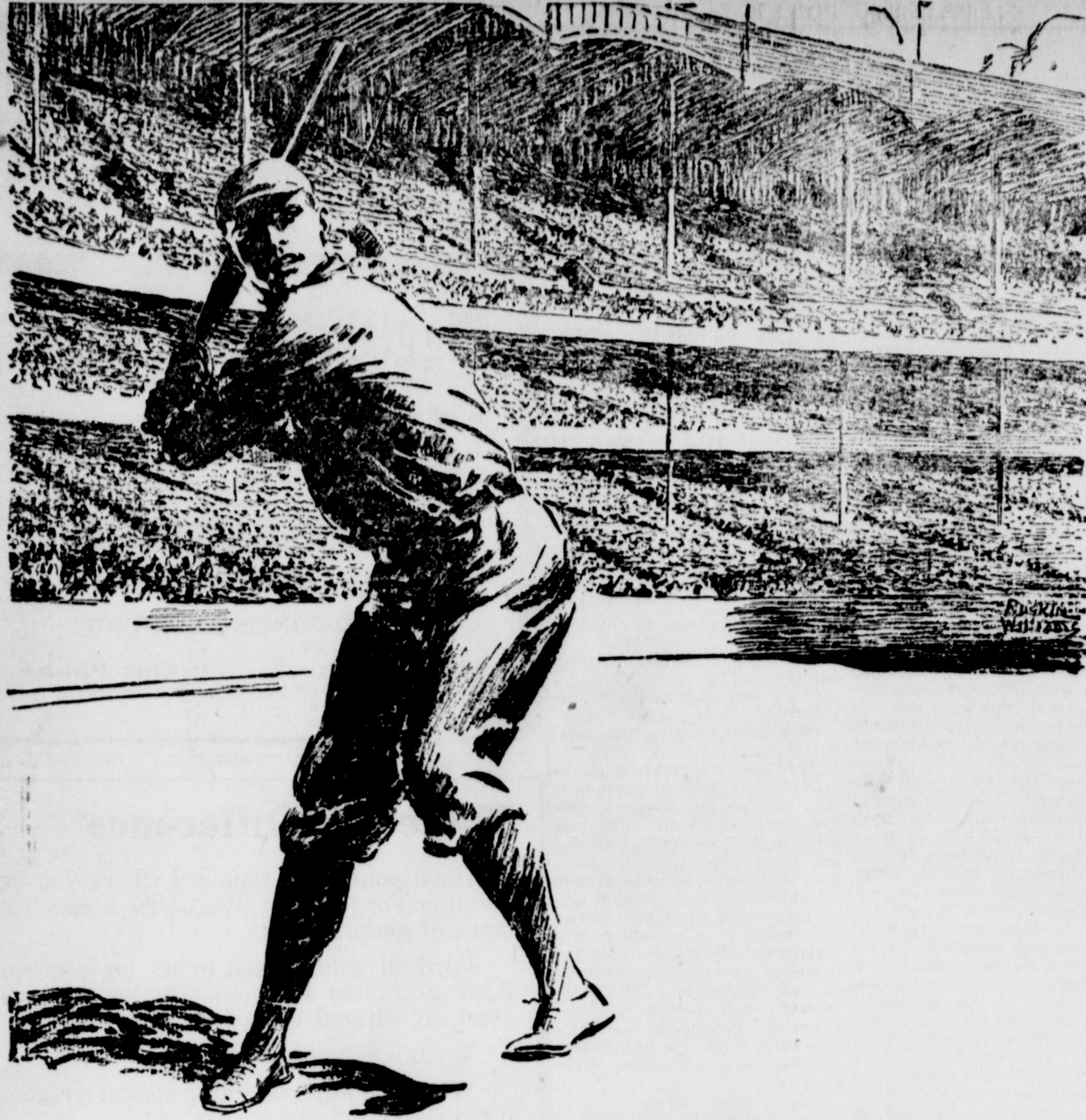
Our delivery service will be amply provided with facilities for meeting every legitimate demand of our pat-
 rons and we will appreciate any merited criticism or suggestions that will enable us to improve the service.

It Is Our Purpose to Please Our Customers

BALLINGER LIGHT, POWER & ICE CO.

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Movies

HAROLD LLOYD COMING TO FO-TO-SHO

"Grandma's Boy," Harold Lloyd comedy in five parts, and his most ambitious attempt for Associated Exhibitors, comes to the Fo-to-sho Theatre next Monday and Tuesday, April 28th and 29th. It is the comedy that Bob Sherwood in "Life" said should win for Lloyd a "room and bath in the Hall of Fame."

The story, which is by Hal

Roach, Sam Taylor and Jean Havez, has for its theme a subject as serious as the regeneration of a coward, but its seriousness adds to rather than detracts from the fun.

The cast in support of Harold Lloyd in "Grandma's Boy" presents Mildred Davis as the Girl; Anna Townsend as the Grandmother; Charles Stevenson as the rival; Dick Sutherland as the Rolling Stone; and Noah Young as the Sheriff. Fred Newmeyer directed. The titles, like all Lloyd titles, are by H. M. Walker.

A road construction crew between Yakima and Ellensburg, Washington, has been killing hundreds of rattlesnakes daily.

A new species of spider with eight long legs, pink and striped with black has made its appearance in Colorado.

A recent census shows that the horse, instead of becoming a museum curiosity, has increased greatly in numbers.

Ledger want ads say



RAPID ACTION IN NEW FOX FILM AT MAEROY

"Hell's Hole," the William Fox production showing today and tomorrow at the Maeroy Theatre, with Charles Jones, is one of the fastest, sure-fire action plays in many a day. There's only one thing in the picture that gets ahead of Charlie. That's the avalanche near the end of the feature. Hurling tons of dirt and rock smash down the hillside. Hot on the heels of this hair-raising smash comes the posse racing thru the cool beauty of the lovely country.

Director Emmett J. Flynn has made a picture in "Hell's Hole." His action, straight to the end, increases in suspense, until the arrival of the posse at the buried cabin in the nick of time. Even then, the action crescendoes to one great climax. Ruth Clifford plays the leading feminine role. The cast supporting Jones con-

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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 calms, without soreness or irritation.

NEW SCHEDULE ON ICE PRICES

As a result of an ice plant deal which has been consummated between the Citizens Ice Company of this city and the Ballinger Light, Ice & Power Company, the ice consumers of the city will experience a slight change in the price of ice.

Customers of the Citizens Ice Company will now be able to purchase ice at from five to ten cents per hundred below the old schedule, while the customers of the Ballinger Light, Ice & Power Co. will pay a slight increase. However, all ice consumers will pay the same price, and all have been assured of good service and an abundance of ice.

As stated a few days ago in the columns of this paper, the B. L. I. & P. Co. takes over the Citizens Co. plant, having purchased outright the stock of the new company and all its equipment, business, etc., and the public will be served by the one company beginning April 24th.

M. F. Treadwell and S. R. Jones, representatives of the company which buys the Citizens plant, were in the city Wednesday in connection with the deal and making final arrangements to take over the entire ice business of this city. "We want the people to know that we are going to give them 100 per cent service," said Mr. Treadwell. "Yes, service will be our motto," said Mr. Jones, "and at the same time we have worked out a schedule of prices which we believe will be satisfactory to the people." The new schedule of prices is published elsewhere in this issue of The Ledger, and on 500, 1000 and 2000 pound books is five cents cheaper per hundred than the old price.

Chester Cherry, local manager of the company acquiring the entire ice business of the city, stated that he would do his best to give the people good service. Both plants will be operated as long as the business justifies it, and especially through the rush part of the season in order that there may never be a shortage of ice. The double delivery service, or the service of both plants will be maintained, both the team and truck deliveries being on the job. In order to avoid a duplication of expenses in maintaining office and clerical help, and in order to maintain both a day and night service in making platform deliveries, platform deliveries will be made only from the old plant.

Customers will please observe this and when calling for ice drive to the old plant West of the oil mill.

The consideration figured in the sale of the Citizens Ice Company to the Ballinger Light, Ice & Power Company was not made public. L. Cohen, who has been at the head of the Citizens Company as manager of the plant since it was organized, retires from the business. He is undecided as to what business he will engage in, but his friends will be glad to see him again lined up in Ballinger.

DON'T JUDGE PICTURES BY THE FRAMES AROUND THEM

Most people are so heartless and possess so little of the quality of human kindness that all they see in anyone is what is on the outside. Naturally those who are handicapped in presenting a pleasing appearance by pimples, blotches, "breaking out," eczema, etc., on their skin are not going to get any attention. That is the reason you find such folks so backward and shrinking from the "cold shoulder" they have come to expect.

You can "make the frame as lovely as the picture really is" by simply getting rid of those skin disfigurers, if you will just use the wonderful Black and White Ointment. Then your good nature and sweet ways will stand out without any drawback, and folks will want to be around you. It is economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.

O. R. Sims was here from Paint Rock Tuesday, and went to Brownwood on business.

O. R. LASATER, M. D.
Ballinger, Texas

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Maeroy Theatre

TWO DAYS—BEGINNING TODAY



William Fox presents
A 1924 CINE-MELODRAMA
Hell's Hole
with
Charles Jones
MAURICE FLYNN - RUTH CLIFFORD

Also Joe Rock and Billie Rhodes in a Two Reel Comedy

"Some Hurse"

Admission 10c and 25c

Friday—"The Age of Desire"

FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

"Where the Best Pictures are Shown."

Today

Bull Montana

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ALL ABOARD FOR BROWNWOOD

The mass meeting called by the Young Men's Business League Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of lining up the citizens of Ballinger for the trip to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Brownwood in May, was well attended and such a marked degree of enthusiasm displayed that it appears the plan of a special train is a certainty. About 75 of the local business men were present. The Junco Band played a few selections in front of the Macro Theatre, and as soon as the crowd gathered the meeting was called to order by Scott H. Mack, president of the League.

Several talks from individuals were all of the opinion that the trip should be made and practically every man who took the floor offered to buy tickets and also stated he would buy tickets for the band. On the motion of E. D. Walker it was voted that the town close for one day and everyone be given a chance to attend the convention on Ballinger Day.

Three committees were appointed to canvass the town and request the merchants to close for Wednesday, May 14th, and at the same time to get all those on the dotted line for the number of tickets each would want. As soon as 125 tickets are subscribed the train will be chartered and headquarters, advertising, and other matters arranged for. Tickets can be bought up to the last minute and it is the desire of those present at the mass meeting Tuesday that at least 300 people accompanied by the augmented bands invade the convention city.

The special train will leave here at 6:00 o'clock a. m. and will arrive at Brownwood at 8:00 a. m., leaving Brownwood at 12:00 midnight and returning to Ballinger at 2:00 a. m. This will put the Ballinger delegation in Brownwood for the entire day and all features of the pageant and illuminated parade as well as the massed band concert can be enjoyed.

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CALLS VOTERS TO MEETINGS

To the Democratic voters of Runnels county:

Acting under the statutes of the State of Texas and an order of the state democratic executive committee of this state and the democratic executive committee of the county, I, the undersigned, chairman of said county executive committee, hereby call upon the democratic voters throughout Runnels county to meet at their respective voting places on Saturday, the 3rd day of May, 1924, for the purpose of holding democratic precinct conventions, at hours between 10 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., as the various precinct chairmen shall announce, for the purpose of electing delegates to the county democratic convention to be held in the city of Ballinger at the court house on Tuesday, the 6th day of May, 1924, at 2:30 p. m. On said date, which county convention will select and send delegates to the state democratic convention to be held in Waco, Texas, on the fourth Tuesday, the 27th day of May, 1924.

The precinct chairmen and the number of delegates from each voting box are as follows:

- Ballinger No. 1, C. R. Crews, (17 delegates).
- Ballinger No. 24, Edwin Day, (13 delegates).
- Hatchel, L. A. Ratliff (4 delegates).
- Benoit, Milton Clayton, (2 delegates).
- Crews, A. E. Davis, (5 delegates).

- Tolken, J. W. Bright, (2 delegates).
- Truitt, J. W. Seals, (2 delegates).
- Winters, H. O. Jones, (16 delegates).
- Antelope, H. G. Havenhill, (1 delegate).
- Pumphrey, J. B. Pace, (2 delegates).
- Wingate, W. G. Allen, (3 delegates).
- Baldwin, W. J. Gardner, (1 delegate).
- Wilmeth, J. F. Hudson, (3 delegates).
- Cochran, M. E. Harrell, (2 delegates).
- North Norton, J. D. Good, (3 delegates).
- Marie, S. T. Gregory, (2 delegates).
- Maverick, H. E. Petty, (4 delegates).
- South Norton, E. M. Setser, (2 delegates).
- Pearee School House, J. A. Patterson, (2 delegates).
- Brookshire, R. E. Wolber, (1 delegate).
- Miles, J. A. Hancock, (14 delegates).
- Rowena, F. F. Ernst, (5 delegates).
- Offen, Wm. Halfmann, (2 delegates).
- Pony, J. S. Cotten, (2 delegates).

In case the chairman, as above named, fails to attend it then becomes the duty of the democratic voters of such precinct to meet as herein provided and select some capable, qualified, democratic voter to preside at said convention, and said convention should select from among their number a secretary and such other officers as may be necessary to conduct the business of such convention. The chairman of such convention shall possess all the powers and authority that is given to election judges under the provision of the statutes.

Respectfully,
ESTES M. LYNN,
Chairman Democratic Executive Committee, Runnels County.

Miss Loraine Stephenson, of Abilene, was the guest of Mrs. O'Kelly this last week-end, coming over with Mr. and Mrs. Rothal O'Kelly, who spent a day or two in Ballinger with relatives.

Charley Ladwig left Tuesday afternoon for a business trip to different points East.

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