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PALS RESCUED FROM OFFICERS

(By Associated Press)
CLINTON, Iowa, Feb. 9.—The confederates of two payroll robbers covered the deputy sheriffs with shot-guns as they were leading two of the robbers to jail here today, and while the pals of the robbers held the officers at bay all the robbers leisurely walked to an automobile which was standing nearby and drove away. Officers had captured Alfred Fairfield and John Redman, wanted for robbery, when the confederates of the two alleged stick-up men came to their rescue by pulling shot-guns on the officers.

The confederates of the robbers fled after rescuing the two men from the officers, and they were fired upon by the deputies as they ran toward their own car. One of the men is believed to have been wounded.

CALLS RAILROAD STRIKE HEARING

(By Associated Press)
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 9.—Representatives of the Texas & Pacific Railroad and its railway brotherhood employees who recently voted in favor of a strike, have been called to appear before the United States Railroad Labor Board at Chicago on February 12. Brotherhood officials announced here today that the labor board had taken jurisdiction over the controversy arising out of the use of Missouri Pacific crews on trains that the M. P. was operating over the T. & P.

PIONEER MINISTER DIES AT WAXAHACHIE

(By Associated Press)
WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Feb. 9.—Rev. E. A. Smith, superannuated Methodist minister, died here today. Rev. Smith was formerly pastor and presiding elder at Hillsboro, Emis, Corsicana and in other Texas cities.

SPANISH FLYER FINISHES TRIP

(By Associated Press)
RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 9.—Commander Franco, who flew from Pales, Spain, to this city, hopped off today for Buenos Aires on the last leg of his long flight from Spain to South America. The distance from Rio to Buenos Aires is 1,382 miles.

REFUSES TAKE HAND IN STRIKE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, February 9.—A request that he intercede in the anthracite coal strike was answered by President Coolidge almost immediately after it was made today when Mr. Coolidge reiterated at the White House that his policy of non-intervention would be maintained.

WASHINGTON, February 9.—President Coolidge was asked today by the Senate to intercede in the anthracite strike controversy. After having twice refused to consider such a step the Senate succumbed to the growing pressure brought to bear for action in the coal strike situation and adopted a resolution offered by Senator Copeland, Democrat, of New York, asking the president to call the anthracite operators and miners into a conference at the White House.

APPOINTED TO SUCCEED HUSBAND AS MARSHAL

(By Associated Press)
MARLIN, Tex., Feb. 9.—The city council today appointed Mrs. Eula Braek as city marshal to fill the unexpired term of her husband, W. C. Braek, Mr. Braek died last Sunday.

BANKERS TO TAKE TWO HOLIDAYS THIS MONTH

Local banks have posted notices to the effect that they will observe February 12th and February 22nd as holidays, and remain closed on these dates. The first date is Abraham Lincoln's birthday and the latter George Washington's birthday.

C. T. Hancock, of the Wingate country, was here on business Tuesday.

TAX PUBLICITY REPEAL PASSES

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, February 9.—A repeal of the law allowing the publications of amounts of individual income tax payments has been assured. The Senate has approved this provision of the law written into the tax reduction bill by the House. Opponents of the repeal of the inheritance tax, comprising about the same group who fought for the publication feature of the tax measure, have promised a long fight and the managers of the bill were prepared today to continue the program of a long day and night session.

News From Neighboring Cities

The county superintendent of Palestine, Texas, claims to be the only man in Texas who has complied with the auto registration law. The law provides that 1926 number plates must be displayed on all autos in use. The Palestine man's number is 1926.

A group of perfectly healthy men were given accommodations in a hospital at Abilene, Saturday night, because all hotel rooms were full and they could not get hotel accommodations.

Cicero Baker, age 76, living in the Gouldbush community in Coleman county, fell in an open fireplace while members of the family were out of the room and burned to death.

J. R. Shackelford, who was seriously injured by an infuriated buffalo which jumped from a pen at Brownwood last Saturday night, is recovering. It was at first reported that Mr. Shackelford had been fatally injured.

The Sixth District Texas Bankers Association will meet at Brady next Monday, and 150 bankers are due to attend the convention. Rimmels county is in the Sixth District and Ballinger bankers plan to attend the gathering.

Complaint of assault with intent to murder has been filed against C. B. Metcalf at San Angelo, following the shooting and serious wounding of four young people who motored by Metcalf's home in an automobile. One of the young ladies will probably die. Metcalf is one of the pioneers of San Angelo and a former member of the legislature.

JURY DISMISSED FOR FIRST WEEK

The petit jury called for the first week of district court was discharged Tuesday. Only one jury civil case was tried. The court heard a few non-jury civil cases and will pass on other non-jury cases while waiting on the grand jury to report.

The jury in the Noyes vs. Radford case returned a verdict for Noyes. This case grew out of a lease contract in which Gus Noyes leased the building now occupied by the Hall Hardware Company for a term of years to J. M. Radford in 1918, and then forfeited the contract, it was alleged.

The building was later leased to Hall Hardware Company for a lower rental and Noyes brought suit against Radford for the difference. The criminal docket will be called next Monday.

He is alleged to have fired at the party when they passed him on the road and when he attempted to stop them to ascertain their mission on his farm. Metcalf claims that his gun was accidentally discharged, and the bullets entered the back of the car in which the young people were riding. He made \$1,000 bond.

The city of San Angelo won in a suit filed by C. E. Boyd of that city, to prevent the city from installing a sewerage disposal plant near the Boyd premises. The suit was similar to one filed by certain citizens against the city of Winters last year.

Comanche is installing a sweet potato curing plant, and the farmers of that county are planning to do more diversified farming less cotton growing. The Comanche Chamber of Commerce is backing the movement.

The city commission of Sweetwater has just appropriated \$200 to be used in purchasing new books for the public library of that city.

A young woman, giving San Antonio as her home, was fined \$12.70 in city court at Sweetwater for reckless auto driving. She crashed into the curb and damaged her car.

Floyd M. Long, representing the Fairchild Aerial Survey, commenced an aerial photographic survey of the line of the West Texas Utilities Company when the high line from San Angelo to Abilene, was photographed from the air last Saturday. A strip a mile wide along the line was photographed from the air, four hours time being required to make the 100 miles.

Robbers raided the postoffice at Buffalo Gap and carried away the safe in the office. The safe was found about a mile from Buffalo Gap, where it had been hammered open and the contents consisting of money and stamps, taken.

Be wise and advertise

BILL BARBER SAYS
 THE SAHARA DESERT AT ONE TIME WAS THE LARGEST DRY AREA - BUT NO MORE.

AIR SERVICE ROW CONTINUES

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, February 9.—Secretary Davis' investigation of the activities of the air service officers is aimed primarily at Major General Mason Patrick, head of the army air force, is the belief of William S. Mitchell, who was formerly a colonel in the army air service.

Mitchell has rallied to the defense of his former chief. Mitchell describes General Patrick as the only member of the old regime to see the light and come out and tell the truth about it. Mitchell declares that Gen. Patrick is being made the victim of an espionage system within the department.

GERMAN REPLY TO BE COURTEOUS

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, Feb. 9.—The German government must decline to reply to Premier Mussolini in a tone which is better suited to mass meetings than to diplomatic conversations with other nations, it was declared today. Foreign Minister Stressemann made this declaration in the reichstag today in opening his reply to the broadside communication which the Italian premier-dictator made Saturday regarding the situation in South Tyrol.

Drive carefully. The other fellow may be drunk too.

TAKES HAND IN BOOK CONTRACT

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Feb. 9.—The State Text Book Commission today ratified the action of its sub-committee in preparing a contract with the American Book Company. The action was taken after a bitter two-hour session, the vote being three to four.

A vote to ratify the contract came after James E. Ferguson, representing Governor Ferguson, dared S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction, to show any irregularities in the action of the sub-committee.

GOVERNOR SHORT OVER MILLION

(By Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 9.—Reaffirming its previous decision the Supreme Court of Illinois, today denied a rehearing in the case and directed Governor Len Small to account for \$1,100,000 interest money alleged to have been withheld by him while he was state treasurer in 1917 and 1918.

The ruling for a rehearing in the case was divided, two of the members of the court repeating their original dissent.

Mrs. Annie Stubbiefield, district deputy for the Royal Neighbors, with headquarters at Coleman, is here visiting the local Royal Neighbor lodge and looking after her work.

WEEK END SPECIAL

Goose Liver Sandwiches

Dallas Likes Them—So Will You.

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 BABY'S RECORD BOOK
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 A new assortment—large enough to please every one.

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The funeral director assumes the role of friend and counsellor, and offers a competent service worthy of much consideration.

We have served the public in this capacity for twenty years, and our modern facilities and expert performance have gained for us an enviable reputation.

We cooperate with you in keeping expenditures within reasonable limits.

E. E. KING and J. A. OSTERTAG
 Funeral Directors
 King-Holt Furniture & Undertaking Co.

ONE CROP FARMING

Is Decidedly Unsafe Farming.

In planting every available acre to cotton without the proper provision for food and feed for the family and live stock—staking all upon the chances of a big crop—is hazardous in the extreme, for no matter how big the crop, or whatever the price of cotton, the profits for the year must go for the food and feed that could have easily been provided for on the farm.

Safe farming demands a diversification of crops. While there is yet time, plant wisely.

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 "Guaranty Fund Bank"

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The best proof that our neighbor city, San Angelo, is about to become an oil center, is a killing and a near killing within two days.

This is a land of free speech and a free press, and public records are generally open to the public, but congress has protected the income tax dodgers by the repeal of the publicity provision of the tax bill.

Officers are greatly handicapped in enforcing the prohibition law by the search warrant provision which requires an officer to obtain a search warrant before he can search a booze laden auto. The court has ruled that the search warrant is necessary before conviction can be had. It seems that some of our laws were framed to protect criminals instead of to punish them.

Five committees are at work at San Angelo to collect \$9,000 to take up a deficit in the fair fund. Runnels county's fair is self-sustaining and then some. Her capital stock is being increased to enlarge the fair. You should hold one or more shares if you are interested in the development of the county to a higher plane of farming and livestock raising.

Last week some grave robbers broke into the grave of Pancho Villa, noted Mexican bandit, decapitated the body and carried the head away. A note was left saying that the head would be sent to Columbus, New Mexico. However, there is a strong suppo-

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"Heet" Relieves Instantly



With applicator attached to cork, just brush "Heet" over the pain area, whether in hands, elbows, shoulders, feet, knees, legs, back, neck or body. Instantly, you feel this harmless, glorious penetrating heat draw the pain, soreness and stiffness right out of the aching or swollen joint, muscle or nerve. Besides, "Heet" soothes the congestion and establishes a cure. "Heet" contains two soothing, penetrating ingredients, too expensive to use in ordinary liniments or ointments. "Heet" is a clean, pleasant liquid, doesn't stain, blister or irritate the skin and costs only 60 cents at any drug store.

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For Falling Hair, Dandruff and Kindred Diseases try—
PINOL
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If you want the latest in BOBS drop in here. Expect their cutters guarantee our work.
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How To Quickly Stop Bad Coughs

It is often surprising how quickly the heaviest cough disappears when treated by a remarkable new method. Here is the method, based on the famous Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs: You simply take one teaspoonful and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals irritation, but also loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which are the real cause of the coughing. So the severest cough soon disappears completely.

Dr. King's New Discovery is for coughs, chest colds, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, etc. Fine for children, too—no harmful drugs. Very economical, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for



situation that the ghouls intend to sell the head to some institution of learning for study.

"I am ready to assist in putting over that street paving on Broadway," said Highway Engineer Fitzgerald. Mr. Fitzgerald has made some figures on the project, and the citizens should get busy, do their part and get behind the city in the paving program for the residence district. We are wasting money piling gravel on the streets to wear off and blow away. Let's do a little permanent work.

Be wise and advertise.

No Cold
Fever, headache or grippe
Colds break in a day for the millions who use Hill's Headache and Fever Stop. La Grippe is checked. All in a way so reliable that druggists guarantee results. Colds are too important to treat in lesser ways.
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- For County Clerk: W. A. FORGEY, MRS. OSCAR HOLLIDAY
- For County Treasurer: MRS. JENNIE KIRK
- For Sheriff: R. E. McWILLIAMS
- For County Judge: PAUL TRIMMIER
- For District Clerk: GEORGIA SINGLETARY
- For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD
- For Tax Collector: W. I. BROWN, G. W. DUNLAP
- For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD
- For County Superintendent: R. E. WHITE
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 1: R. J. DEENS
- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1: ROY HIGGINBOTHAM, TOBS LITTLE, W. T. NICHOLS

"Safety First"
When—Friday night, Feb. 12. Where—Hatchel school building.
Prices—15 and 30 cents.

A laughing comedy full of humor and action. Jack, the young husband, with a boy friend spend the night away from home. His wife Mabel cannot account for it, but Elmer, Jack's cousin, tries to comfort her. Mabel telephones her mother and sister. The men are sentenced to jail for thirty days for being caught with a Turkish fortune teller. The men try to keep this from the women by telling them they were at lodge and were off today to the Shriners convention in Florida. On their return imagine the situation! The Irish cook and the terrible Turk furnish plenty of excitement.

Don't fail to see the mother-in-law and a defective detective along with other humorous characters in the play Friday night, February 12th, at the Hatchel school auditorium, 8:30 o'clock. 9-1td.*

PREHISTORIC FISH ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR A NEW TEXAS INDUSTRY

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Feb. 9.—Fossilized remains of prehistoric fish, from which is produced the strange chemical called ichthyol, are to supply Texas with an ultra-modern industry.

In what is believed to be an ancient ocean bed, pushed to the surface by geological action, near Burnet in West Texas, has been discovered a particular shale from which ichthyol is extracted. This substance is a fossil fish oil used in medicine, especially, in ointments and in treatment of skin diseases.

The bulk of the world's supply previously came from Austrian Tyrol where the industry flourished prior to the World War.

An ichthyol corporation has

been organized and has leased 900 acres near Burnet. The shale lies close to the surface so that the overburden of earth may be removed with steam shovels. Where unexposed, the shale is plastic, having the appearance of asphalt. On the surface it resembles rock. The company expects each acre to bear about 20,000 tons of shale. Each ton will produce about 125 pounds of ichthyol. The officials expect their plant to reach 1,000 pounds a day by July 1. They estimate the probable demand for the chemical in the United States at about 600,000 pounds a year. By-products, such as shellac, paint, and disinfectant, are to be produced. The chemical, compounded of sulfonated hydrocarbons, has sold as high as \$80 a pound.

More Washington news: Two Senators called each other liars. Wonder if they were telling the truth?

If you get a breezy letter, maybe it came by air mail.

Freshen Up!
Nicest Laxative,
"Cascarets" 10c

Don't stay headachy, bilious, constipated, sick! Take one or two "Cascarets" any time to mildly stimulate your liver and start your bowels. Then you will feel fine, your head becomes clear, stomach sweet, tongue pink and skin rosy. Nothing else cleans, sweetens, and refreshes the entire system like pleasant, harmless candy-like "Cascarets." They never gripe, overact, or sicken. Directions for men, women, children on each box—drugstores.

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10,008 Dresses Cleaned During 1925!
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Proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for
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Get a Fisk
Sykes Overland Co.

Alert to Serve
You are invited to avail yourself of our years of grocery experience. Our facilities are cordially tendered to all worthy people.
We carry the most complete assortment of Fresh Vegetables in town.
Include in your next order one of our
Hostess Layer Cakes
L. B. STUBBS
GROCERIES
QUALITY — COURTESY — SERVICE
93 — Phones — 94

SERVING THE PEOPLE IS THIS BANK'S HIGHEST AIM
The service of The First National Bank of Ballinger is consistently courteous, friendly and helpful.
It is never inattentive, listless nor half-hearted, but always sincerely interested and co-operative.
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Since 1886

When it's morning—and you call good-bye to home and face a new day—when you join the throngs on their way to busy work—have a Camel!



No other cigarette in the world is like Camels. Camels contain the choicest Turkish and Domestic tobaccos. The Camel blend is the triumph of expert blenders. Even the Camel cigarette paper is the finest—made especially in France. Into this one brand of cigarettes is concentrated the experience and skill of the largest tobacco organization in the world.

WHEN it's farewell to fond home for another day. And you cheerfully join the busy world as it marches on to its duties. When with jaunty step you gayly face the work of another day—have a Camel!

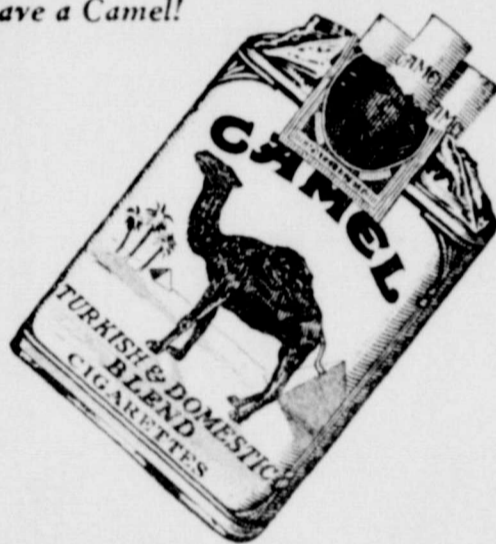
For every morning Camel sends millions of successful men more confidently on to new triumphs. Camel's friendly goodness brings fresh cheer and courage to every auspicious day. Whether early in the light of a new morning or late at night, Camel never tires the taste or leaves a cigarette after-taste. Camels are the perfect blend of the choicest tobaccos grown in all the world. Never, before Camel, was any cigarette made so good—and no other since.

So this day as you swing bravely forth to new achieving. As in your office you carry forward important work well done—know then the most gratifying goodness that ever came from a cigarette. Each successful new day, the world's best is rightfully yours.

Have a Camel!



Our highest wish, if you do not yet know Camel quality, is that you try them. We invite you to compare Camels with any cigarette made at any price.
R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.



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Movies

Big Steamer Blown Up for Scene in "Half Way Girl"

Seaman and passengers sailing off New York harbor were given the thrill of their lives recently. They saw a big steamer afire at sea; several hundred passengers scrambling frantically for the life-boats; a fight between a man and a leopard for the possession of one of the life-boats; and, as a climax, saw the big liner suddenly blow up and sink.

The vessel was the former U. S. Shipping Board steamer Corvallis. The occasion was the

filming of thrill scenes in "The Half Way Girl," Earl Hudson's latest First National production, which comes to the Queen Theatre tomorrow and Thursday, with Doris Kenyon, Lloyd Hughes and Hobart Bosworth in the featured roles.

The Corvallis was 284 feet long, displaced 4,220 tons, and formerly carried freight and passengers between New York and Europe. Tugboats were stationed nearby to pick up the lifeboats and rescue actors and actresses who were in distress as the result of this realistic bit of picture making.

In the cast with Miss Kenyon, Hughes and Bosworth are Tully Marshall, Teddy Sampson, Sam Hardy, Harriet Sterling, Sally Crute, Martha Madison, Henry

West and others. The picture was directed by John Francis Dillon.

"Lovers in Quarantine" with Bebe Daniels, is Peppy! Bebe Daniels and Harrison Ford—there's a combination that should tickle the comedy-loving public's palate.

These two laugh-makers play opposite each other in Bebe's latest Paramount starring picture, "Lovers in Quarantine," showing tonight for the last time at the Queen Theatre.

Frank Tuttle, who made "Miss Bluebeard," and "The Lucky Devil" directed the production, which was written for the screen by Townsend Martin and Luther Reed from F. Tennyson Jesse's New York stage success "Quarantine."

The story is one of a ship's

bride and a strange honeymoon—of Bebe, as Diana Gordon, a daring little society miss who elopes with her sister's fiancee. It's fast and furious fun from start to finish.

Alfred Lunt, Eden Gray and other big stage and screen favorites appear in the cast.

I have a carload of Milch Cows and Springers at the City Wagon Yard. Cheap. 6-3rd.*

Mrs. J. A. Ostertag is reported to be quite ill at her home on Sixth Street.

Arthur Giesecke returned Monday from a business trip to Dallas.

Typewriter ribbons 75c, carbon paper \$2.00 per 100 sheets. Card-board, cover papers and other items used by students and business men. Ballinger Printing Co.

Notice to Contractors

Open bids will be received up to 2:00 o'clock p. m. of the 6th day of March, 1926, for the plastering of walls and ceiling, with metal, the Olfen Catholic Church. Specifications can be found at St. Boniface Rectory at Olfen. Address communications to F. G. Hoelscher, Ballinger, Texas.

Right reserved to reject any and all bids. 9-2td.*

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GAS, INDIGESTION**

"Pape's Diapepsin" Corrects Sour, Upset Stomachs at Once

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness, fermentation or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Drug gists sell millions of packages.

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Last Day to See—

Dick Hatton in

'The Secret of Black Canyon'

Supported by Marilyn Mills and Her Wonder Horses "Star" and Beverly"

A Cracker-Jack Western Thriller.

ALSO

Billy Franey in
"HOT OR COLD"
Two Reel Comedy

Popular Prices 10c and 25c

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Our new telephone directory will go to press within the next few days. If you haven't telephone connection and contemplate having a telephone put in your place of business or your residence, or if you desire any change in your present listing, see our local manager.

As an advertising medium the telephone directory is unsurpassed. This directory goes into the homes of over one thousand families and is consulted hundreds of times a day. You can reach more people by an advertisement in the telephone directory than any other way.

Make your telephone work for you by advertising in this directory. Call our local manager for space and advertising rates.



WEST TEXAS TELEPHONE CO.

"ACHED & ACHED"

Lady Says Her Back "Hurt Night and Day"—Least Noise Upset Her. Better After Taking Cardui.

Winfield, Texas.—"My back hurt night and day," says Mrs. C. L. Eason, of R. F. D. 3, this place. "I ached and ached until I could hardly go. I felt weak and did not feel like doing anything. My work was a great burden to me. I just hated to do up the dishes, even. I was no-account and extremely nervous."

"My mother had taken Cardui and she thought it would do me good, so she told me to take it. My husband got me a bottle and I began on it. I began to improve at once. It was such a help that I continued it until after the baby's birth.

"I took eight bottles and I can certainly say that it helped me. It is a fine tonic. It built me up and seemed to strengthen me. I grew less nervous and began to sleep better.

"I can certainly recommend Cardui to expectant mothers, for to me it was a wonderful help. In every way I felt better after taking it and I think it is a splendid medicine."

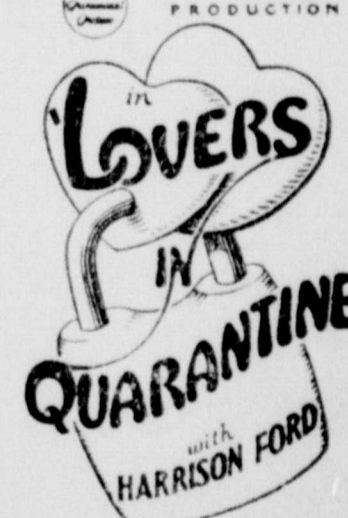
Cardui is purely vegetable, and contains no harmful drugs. For sale everywhere. NC-162



QUEEN Theatre

LAST DAY TO SEE—

BEBE DANIELS
in a FRANK TUTTLE PRODUCTION



Bebe as the "Champ Baby Vamp" in a fast frothy farce, pepped with tobacco and loaded with laughs.

Also

"HOT SHIEKS"
Two Reel Comedy

10c ADMISSION 25c

TOMORROW

Doris Kenyon, Lloyd Hughes, Hobart Bosworth and Tully Marshall in

"THE HALF WAY GIRL"

Every Monday Night
TOBY'S COUNTRY STORE
Bigger and Better

GOOD COOKS USE



Calumet—because it has more good qualities than any other brand. Just give it a trial and be convinced.

CALUMET

THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

SALES 2 1/2 TIMES THOSE OF ANY OTHER BRAND

FOUR NEW BUNGALOWS NEARING COMPLETION

Four stucco houses which Col. G. G. Odom is having erected on the corner near the Methodist church on Tenth Street will soon be ready for occupancy. Col. Odom is building the houses to rent, and they will be the most modern tenant houses in the city.

A house which Col. Odom recently purchased from Mrs. P. E. Truly, and which was one of the old landmarks on Tenth Street, was torn down to make room for the new stuccos, and the lot including the two corner lots, was cut into four building sites. Ballinger's growth has been retarded for a lack of living quarters, and the type of houses being built by Col. Odom will help to solve the problem and will no doubt prove a good investment.

Buck Bailey, well known among local football and baseball fans,

Acid Stomach

"Phillips Milk of Magnesia" Better than Soda

Hereafter, instead of soda take a little "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" in water any time for indigestion or sour, acid, gassy stomach, and relief will come instantly.

For fifty years genuine "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" has been prescribed by physicians because it overcomes three times as much acid in the stomach as a saturated solution of bicarbonate of soda, leaving the stomach sweet and free from all gases. It neutralizes acid fermentations in the bowels and gently urges the souring waste from the system without purging. Besides, it is more pleasant to take than soda. Insist upon "Phillips." Twenty-five cent bottles, any drugstore.



WANT ADS 25c up to 12 words, over that 2c per word first insertion, 1c per word each additional insertion. All want ads are cash.

FOR SALE—New stucco house, five rooms and bath. On Broadway. F. L. Duncan. 9-6td

FOR SALE—Small Cafe, well located, good business. See R. W. Powell, Winters, Texas. 9-2td 11w*

FOR SALE—Two year old peach trees, 25 cents each. 107 North Twelfth Street. Phone 1210. 8-2td 11w*

HELP WANTED—to do house work, and care for children. Mrs. A. S. Anderson. 8-1fd

FOR RENT—One furnished room for one or two men; close in. Apply Ledger office. 8-2td*

WANTED—Girl to do house work. Apply to R. L. Booth, phone 3940, Ballinger. 6-6td 11w*

FOR RENT—Or sale, four room house. See B. D. Duncan. Phone 674. 5-1fd

FOR RENT—House. For particulars apply to G. M. Vaughn. 3-1fd

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will visit friends here within a short time. The big boy is en route to Texas from the Pacific coast where his latest work was in coaching a team in football which defeated Red Grange's professionals by a score of 14 to 9. Bailey, whose home is at Eldorado, Texas, was captain of the team and according to the California papers he was the star.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Caperton, and Mr. Caperton's sister, Miss Alpha, left Tuesday morning for Austin, where Mr. and Mrs. Caperton will make their home and where Miss Alpha will resume her work in the public schools of that city. They will remain in Austin until the close of the present school term when they will all return to Ballinger to make their home. Otis Clary has rented Mr. Caperton's home.

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CHORAL CLUB MEETING

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New music has been received and an Easter program of music will be started by the club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Pearce are leaving for San Antonio to spend the remainder of the winter, intending to return to their home here early in April. They are traveling overland.

Dr. C. W. Cheatham was called to San Angelo Tuesday in response to a message stating that his sister-in-law was seriously ill.

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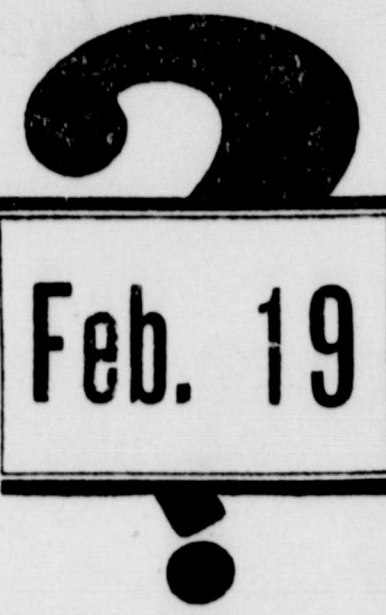
SAFETY MEETING AT SANTA ANNA

Quite a number of the employees of the West Texas Utilities Company attended a safety meeting at Santa Anna Monday night. Employees from other stations in District G went to Santa Anna, and several employees from the Texas Light and Power Company stations in the Brownwood district were present at the meeting. Among those from Ballinger who attended the meeting were W. G. Owsley, J. W. Wilson, Chester Cherry, Eli Smith, Chas. Comb, Jack Whitaker, Y. G. Stevenson, Jim Shoffeitt, and probably others.

The West Texas Utilities Company holds a safety meeting on the second Monday night in each month. The meeting is generally held at Ballinger, district headquarters, but occasionally the meeting place is switched to other stations in the district.

W. P. Hearrell, one of the pioneers of this country, and who recently moved a bunch of sheep to Jasper, Texas, where he is batching and looking after the bunch, came up last week to

spend a few days with his family in the Maverick country. He returned to Jasper Tuesday with a load of horses.



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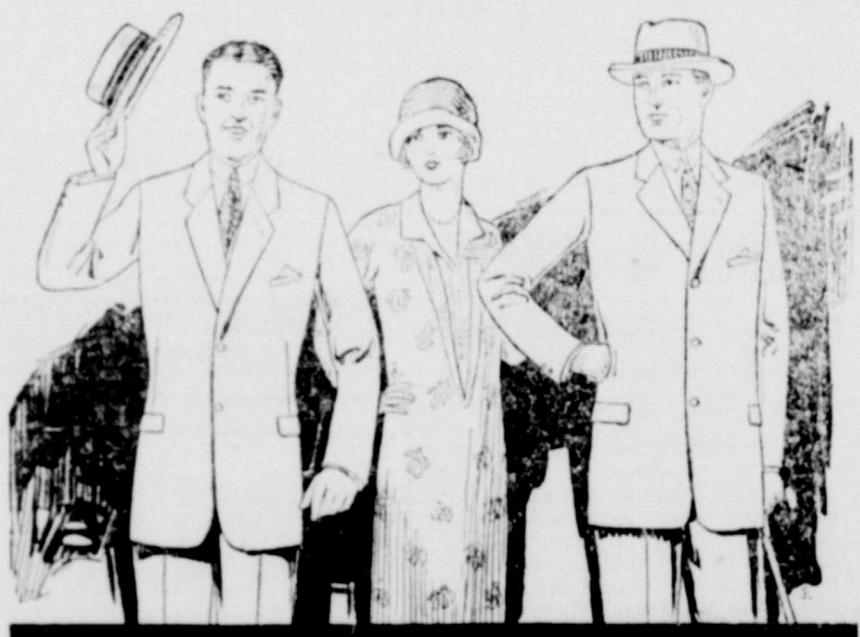
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