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Moody Nominated Governor

Allred Leads Brachfield to Enter the Second Primary

MAY CALL OFF SECOND PRIMARY

Runnels county will probably not have a second primary, it was learned Tuesday morning from H. O. Jones, of Winters, county chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee. The county committee called a second primary during a meeting here some few weeks ago, but as there is to be only one race in the second primary it has about been decided that the second election will be useless.

O. R. Jonas and J. D. Coulter, candidates for public weigher of the Ballinger precinct, are the only two candidates in the second primary. Jonas, however, received almost as many votes as all the other four candidates and it was hoped that some way might be found whereby the county could escape the second primary.

"We are awaiting a ruling from the attorney general's department," Mr. Jones told The Ledger Tuesday morning over the telephone. "We have asked for a ruling from this department and we hope to get a decision by the latter part of this week."

Mr. Jones stated that a good many of the precinct chairmen have stated they thought it would be advisable to call off the run-off election if any possible method could be found.

"In case the second primary is called off," Mr. Jones continued, "the county committee will be able to make a refund to all the candidates who were assessed in the beginning for both primaries."

Many other counties in West Texas will hold no second primary, according to news dispatches in the state press.

J. D. Coulter, second high man in the race for public weigher of Precinct No. 1, announced shortly after noon today that he had withdrawn from the second primary.

"I do not believe it necessary," Mr. Coulter said, "of course if there were other county offices for a run-off I would stay in the race but Mr. Jonas has a very safe lead."

Mr. Coulter declared he would not ask for a run-off. He said he wanted to thank all who supported him in the first primary.

O. R. Jonas, high man in the race, was in to stay. He was far ahead of any other candidate in the race but lacked a majority. Jonas had a total of 609 votes while Coulter was second with a total of 283 votes.

Sheriff R. E. McWilliams and family left Monday for Del Rio where they will attend the annual convention of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association which convened in that city this morning.

Mrs. W. B. Wood, of Granger, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Bridwell.

POWER COMPANY ON NEW LINE

Ballinger is being placed on a three-way current service, and the possibility of shut-downs, or interference from line trouble, will be reduced, if not practically eliminated, by the completion of two new high tension electric lines out of this city.

The new line from Ballinger North to Abilene, and the new line West to San Angelo, are about ready for conveying current from the central power stations. The line East to Brownwood has been in service for some time. The line squad began first of this week cutting in on the new lines, connecting the local sub-station with the new circuits and making it possible for the local consumers of electric current to get "juice" from the East, West or North.

The old city plant was utilized Sunday night while the high line transfers were being made, or connection completed. The large line crew which has been working out of Ballinger for the last month or two has made good time in completing the new connections. A double row of poles supports the 60,000 voltage line running North. This is one of the most substantial power lines in West Texas, carrying the highest voltage, and current over this line will flow through Ballinger to the South, supplying sub-stations as far South as Junction and Mason, connecting with the Fredericksburg line and other sub-stations including Paint Rock, Eden and Menard, and supplying current for industries which heretofore have been using gasoline or other means of carrying on important work, including irrigation, gins, etc.

A net-work of high power electric lines running here and there throughout this country will do much towards developing industries which have been greatly retarded heretofore on account of a lack of power and the exorbitant and prohibitive price of fuel for generating power. The high lines bring dependable power at a reasonable cost within reach of one of the best sections of the state, and will prove a big agency in the development of the country.

Her attorneys announced they would not permit her finger prints to be taken to be compared with those found in a Carmel, California cottage.

Bonaparte's Handkerchief Brings a Record Price

PARIS, July 27.—Handkerchiefs can be bought for almost any sum from three cents up, but it remained for a handkerchief of Napoleon's to set the record in price. The square of cambrie was auctioned off for approximately thirty dollars. It was brought from St. Helena after the death of the emperor and has been handed down from one generation to another in the same family.

LIQUOR COUNCIL ADJOURNS TODAY

LONDON, July 27.—The British-American liquor discussion ended today with a complete agreement on eight recommendations to hinder liquor smuggling to the United States.

Washington is expected to put the new plans into effect immediately.

Arthur Giesecke, manager of the local oil mill, returned home Tuesday from a business trip to Dallas.

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YOUTH ARRESTED AFTER TWO BOYS ARE KILLED

M'PHERSON SEEKS NEWSPAPER AID

LOS ANGELES, Calif., July 27.—Aimee Seemple McPherson, evangelist, today appealed to the Associated Press to aid her in the location of Kenneth Ormiston, former radio operator of her Angelus Temple, whose name has been brought into the mystery of her disappearance last May.

Mrs. McPherson denied that she was in Ormiston's company and has begged him to return to clear her name.

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Grapes for sale. Delivered anywhere in Ballinger. J. E. Powell. 27-12d

ENDORSES NEW FRENCH BODY

PARIS, July 27.—Premier Poincare's new government was given a vote of confidence by the Chamber of Deputies today.

EMORY, Rains Co., Tex., July 27.—Authorities are today investigating the fatal shooting of Pauley Hall, 17 years of age, and his brother, Virgie Hall, 19 years of age, Monday on the farm of W. Lennon, whose son, Malley Lennon, 22, was arrested.

The Hall boys are said to have been gathering peaches in the Lennon orchard while their father had taken a load of peaches to Dallas for Lennon, Monday.

Both boys were shot through the head.

CITY PURCHASES PUMP AND MOTOR

Ballinger's water service will be improved with the installation of a new Cameron pump, capable of producing 500 gallons per minute, and a 60 horsepower motor, to be used in pumping the water, according to the minutes of the city commission. The motor is a General Electric Company product.

The pump was purchased some time ago by the commission thru Al Cherry, of Brownwood, a representative of the Briggs-Weaver Company of Dallas.

The pump and motor cost about \$1,131 f. o. b. Phillipsburg, N. J., the freight to be paid by the city of Ballinger.

It is expected that this new machinery will be installed at the municipal pumping station some time in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allison and Mr. Allison's mother, Mrs. C. G. Allison, left Monday for Wichita Falls, where they will visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Norman and baby left Tuesday to attend the Baptist encampment at Ft. Davis.

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, July 27.—With Dan Moody safely nominated for governor, following Governor M. A. Ferguson's withdrawal, and several state candidates winners of their races, the chief interest today was in the close running of James V. Allred and Chas. L. Brachfield for the right to enter the run-off with Claude Pollard, who leads for attorney general.

Allred had 116,281 votes and Brachfield had 112,288 in returns from 247 counties, 19 of which were complete. About noon Pollard led with 125,823 votes, but he did not have a majority.

W. Gregory Hatcher, present state treasurer, and J. R. Ball, one of the aspirants, will enter the run-off in this race.

The candidates winning without a run-off are: George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture; J. T. Robinson, land commissioner; C. V. Terrell, railroad commissioner; Judge F. L. Hawkins, for the Court of Criminal Appeals; and S. M. N. Marrs for state superintendent of public instruction.

Moody Lacks Majority
Dan Moody lacked 3,336 votes of securing a majority over the field of his opponents. The latest tabulation of the vote by the Texas Election Bureau was as follows: Moody, 377,335; Mrs. Ferguson, 261,814; and Davidson, 115,461.

AUSTIN, July 27.—A bewildering succession of political developments left Texas voters wondering "what next?" today.

Governor Miriam A. Ferguson called a special session of the legislature late yesterday, fixing the date for convening on September 15, and announced that she would resign as soon as business of the session has been completed, which she said she hoped would be by November 1st.

The governor said the session which she had called was to try to make good the road bonds which were endangered by the Supreme Court decision, and she also stated that the special session would be asked to investigate any of the state departments which it deemed needing such investigation.

Mrs. Ferguson also said that she would not enter the second primary, even if Moody fails to get a majority in the final count.

Attorney General Moody, in a statement issued following the governor's statement, said that Mrs. Ferguson had not lived up to her agreement and offer made in the opening of her campaign when she said that she would resign "immediately" if the primary returns were in favor of Moody.

DALLAS, July 27.—Dan Moody "went into the hole" today after holding a majority over all the other gubernatorial candidates in Saturday's election.

The result of the returns released at 9:00 o'clock this morning showed that the attorney general lacked 3,243 votes of obtaining a majority, with returns from 246 counties, 170 of which have made complete returns. The standing of the three leading candidates out of a total of

751,272 votes counted at 9:00 o'clock, was as follows:
Moody 374,015
Ferguson 259,960
Davidson 118,880.

BLANTON RE-ELECTED WITH BIG MAJORITY

Incomplete returns indicate that Congressman Thomas L. Blanton was re-elected with a majority in every county in his district, with the possible exception of Burnet county, and it is possible that he also carried his opponent's home county. The count for Blanton over J. R. Smith was almost three to one, according to the incomplete reports. The complete returns can not be had until the various counties canvass the returns.

In Runnels county Blanton received 3071 and Smith 818 on an incomplete count. Blanton carried every box in the county, except Olfen, which went 57 to 29 in favor of Smith. Rowena gave Blanton 143 and Smith 141.

Taylor county gave Blanton 4672, Smith 1277.

Earl Morley, manager of District F, of the West Texas Utilities Company, returned Sunday from Plainview, where he had been to visit his sister, Mrs. D. R. McCormack. Mr. Morley says that the plains country is groaning under a load of prosperity. The big wheat crop brought a big revenue to that section and the large grain yield is being followed by the best prospects for a big cotton and feed crop.

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Weeds are growing over time
in Ballinger and weed cutters
should work over time.

Thousands of voters were
added to the Moody column dur-
ing the last few days of the cam-
paign by Davidson supporters
taking the nearest cut to defeat
Ferguson.

What has become of that large
republican vote which was polled
in the last general election and
which forced the republican
party to hold a primary? It be-
gins to look like Texas politics
will become normal again with
most of the voters voting where
their vote will count.

The next big problem confront-
ing the farmers of Runnels
county will be the cotton picking
question. This job was handled
with little difficulty last year,
but the plentiful supply of pick-
ers was due to the Central Texas
drouth and crop failure. The
demand for hands here next fall
promises to be the greatest in the
history of the county.

Many counties throughout the
state will not hold a second
primary, and the chances are
that not a single change will be
made in the run-off on state candi-
dates. To say the least of it,
the candidates can not hope to
get a fair test, as with interest
lagging many voters will not go
to the polls in those counties
where a second vote is taken.
The high man in each race should
be awarded the victory and fur-
ther balloting called off.

Thirty cents per dozen for eggs
is not bad for a mid-summer mar-
ket, and reminds us again of a
conversation we heard between
two farmers last spring when
both were criticizing the poultry
raisers for planting such a large
acreage in chickens and ruining
the market. With eggs in such
great demand at this season of
the year, only the rich can enjoy
such luxuries of life when the
Thanksgiving and Christmas hol-
iday markets open. Plant more
chickens.

Notice of Sale—by Constable
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given, that by
virtue of authority given me
under Article 6970 Revised Civil
Statutes of 1925 and a certain
affidavit heretofore filed with
C. H. Willingham, Justice of the
Peace in and for Precinct No. 1,
Runnels County, Texas, whereby
animal has been impounded by
the affiant one E. F. Hoch, which
said animal was found roaming
in and on his said premises 3-4
of a mile North of the city of
Winters, Runnels County, Texas,
and for which said animal dili-
gent search was made, but no
owner was found, said animal
being described as follows:

One Durham steer, about one
year old, branded "D" on left
hip.
Now, therefore, as aforesaid, I,
Sam Briley, Constable in and for
Precinct No. 1, Runnels County,
Texas, will on the 31st day of
July, A. D. 1926, at the said farm
of said E. F. Hoch, between the
hours prescribed by law for such
sales, to-wit, between the hours

FELT STUPID, DULL

Mississippi Lady Says She Took
Black-Draught for These
Symptoms and Was
"Greatly Relieved."

Starkville, Miss.—"I have been a
user of Black-Draught for about
twenty years," says Mrs. C. E. Bun-
tin, of R. F. D. 5, this city.
"I used Black-Draught first for
constipation," continues Mrs. Bun-
tin. "I would feel dull, stupid, and
have severe headaches, even fever-
ish. I had an uneasy, tight feeling
in my stomach.
"I read quite a bit about Black-
Draught. I began using it and soon
my bowels acted regularly and I was
greatly relieved. I used it every once
in a while for about eighteen years.
"About two years ago I found I
was having indigestion, a tight
smothering in my chest, then severe
pain, especially after eating sweets.
I commenced taking just a pinch of
Black-Draught after meals and by
doing this I could eat about any-
thing.
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dren for colds and headaches. I can
certainly recommend it!"
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of 9:00 o'clock a. m. and 4:00 o'
clock p. m. on said 31st day of
July, 1926, sell said animal to
the highest bidder for cash, and
after satisfying the costs of im-
pounding, etc., will apply surplus
if any as the law directs.

SAM BRILEY,
Constable, Precinct No. 5, in and
for Runnels County, Texas.
J-20-27

Notice

A reward of \$10.00 will be paid
by the undersigned, for the
apprehension, arrest and convic-
tion of the guilty party, or
parties, caught breaking out
window lights or otherwise tres-
passing upon the properties of
the Ballinger Independent School
District, of Ballinger, Texas.

By order of the Board of
Trustees, Ballinger Independent
School District.
20-12td-2tw

**LOCAL DAVIDSON
MAN PAYS BET**

Judge Frank C. Dickey, local
attorney, and an ardent Davidson
man, is displaying a "Dan's the
man" sign on the windshield of
his car, as the result of a little
wager with a friend and Moody
supporter. Judge Dickey agreed to
paste the sign on his car if Dan
defeated Lynch. He is only one
of the few Davidson men who can
now be found. It appears from
talk around the bulletin board
that everybody voted for Moody,
and we are made to wonder
where Ferguson and Davidson re-
ceived their support.

**REV. SWINDELL RETURNS
FROM ENCAMPMENT**

Rev. Alvin Swindell and a
number of others who had been
attending the Baptist encamp-
ment at Christoval returned
home Monday. They report a
successful encampment though
the number of campers was not
quite as large as some former
years, due to several other en-
campments being on at the same
time in this part of the state.
The Sunday attendance, how-
ever, was heavy.

Several showers last week made
the tent dwellers a little restless,
but apart from that the meeting
is reported as being very enjoy-
able and profitable.

It's sweet of Americans to eat
\$75,000,000 in candy every year.

PERSONALS WANTED

Personals make good
local news and Ballinger
people want to see who is
coming and going and all
that concerns local citi-
zens.
It is a hard matter, a
proposition to gather per-
sonals and city briefs, but
the subscribers of this
paper could assist in keep-
ing the sheet full of locals,
personal mention and city
briefs if they would call the
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**CHINESE INFLUENCE
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TO NEW FROCKS**



PAULINE
STARKE

THIS chic frock of yellow silk
worn by Pauline Starke, con-
sidered one of the smartest
gowned women of the screen, sug-
gests the Mandarin blouse in its
novel high collar closed at the
throat with two black buttons.
The blouse is effectively stitched
at the neck, cuffs and plain patch
pockets with tan silk. This collar
may be worn either, as pictured, or
open at the throat if desired.
The skirt is box pleated and is
bordered with the same embroi-
dery as the blouse. This charming
two-piece frock adds a smart touch
of color to the country club as well
as being particularly smart for
town wear.
Miss Starke wears this costume
in "Love's Blindness," her forth-
coming M-G-M production.

**GUARD GETS PAY ON
THURSDAY NIGHT**

Captain Will C. McCarver, com-
mander of Company C, 142nd
Infantry, Texas National Guard,
announced Tuesday that his com-
pany would receive a pay day
Thursday night at the regular
weekly drill period.
The Guard unit returned from
Palacios Saturday afternoon
after a two-weeks encampment,
and have already been paid for
their services during that part of
their work, and the check they
will receive Thursday night will
be for their services during the
quarter preceding the training
period.

ADDING MACHINE PAPER

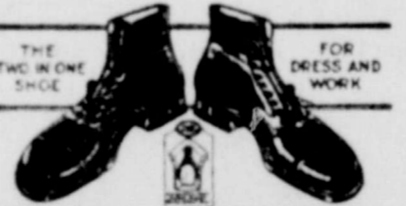
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- ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Flood and children have returned to their home at Ford Cobb, Oklahoma, after a visit to Mrs. Flood's father, J. B. Dorsey, and family.
 - G. W. Green, of Fort Worth, is here visiting his brother-in-law, U. E. Hartman.
 - Be wise and advertise.
- For Representative, 92nd Dist.:
O. L. PARISH
For County Clerk:
W. A. FORGEY
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. L. BROWN
For Tax Assessor:
MIKE C. FOYD
For County Superintendent:
R. E. WHITE
For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
C. H. WILLINGHAM
For Commissioner Prec. No. 1:
R. J. DEENS
For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 1:
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O. R. JONAS

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Movies

"Stella Maris" Closes Run at the Queen Tonight

"Stella Maris," William J. Locke's famous novel, which ends a two-day run here at the Queen Theatre tonight, shows Mary Philbin in what is said to be her greatest role since her sensational hit in "Merry Go Round," which raised her to stellar fame practically overnight.

The story, a gripping and dramatic romance of life in the British upper classes, was directed by Charles Brabin, creator of "Driven," and other noted productions. It centers about the loves of a beautiful invalid and two men, both loyal friends, although devoted to the same girl, and the pathetic sacrifice of a little slavey, who, loving one of the men with dog-like devotion, gives up her life to insure his happiness.

Mary Philbin plays the two roles—that of the beautiful and fragile "Stella Maris" and that of "Unity Blake," the little housemaid whose sacrifice is one of the greatest moments in literature or the drama.

"Why Women Love" is Next Attraction at Queen

"Why Women Love," the first of a series of features which Blanche Sweet has contracted to make for First National Pictures Inc., is to be the offering at the Queen Theatre Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The picture is an adaptation of Willard Robertson's famous stage play, "The Sea Woman," and was directed by Edwin Carewe.

Miss Sweet, as Molla Hanson, seafaring daughter of the skipper of an oil tanker, which meets a tragic fate amid flame-flecked seas, has been supplied with one of the most intriguing roles of her career.

Opposite her, as her stalwart

maritime lover, appears Robert Frazer, while Dorothy Sebastian, a comparative newcomer in the films, is declared to clinch her eligibility to a place in the new amusement field by her work as the lighthouse keeper's daughter. Edward Earle and Russell Simpson fill important roles, with such players as Alan Roscoe, Charles Murray, Bert Sprotte, Fred Warren and Hebert Prior completing the cast.

Great Educational Institution in-structs in Every Line of Human Endeavor.

Nearly half a century of Progress and development in Texas and the Southwest will be chronicled through the fortieth annual State Fair of Texas to be held at Dallas, Oct. 9 to Oct. 24, 1934.

Premiums and awards to be offered at the 1934 exposition encompass departments significant of every activity carried on throughout the magnificent reaches of the great Lone Star State.

Forty years ago—in 1886—the State Fair of Texas came into being. Every year since, under the direction of a group of far-sighted patriots, earnestly loyal Texas business men, it has been demonstrated to hundreds of thousands of visitors, by means of comprehensive physical displays, the adaptability, progressiveness and efficiency of Texas and the Southwest.

Great Educational Institution. Educational in the broadest sense and co-operating with other Texas educational institutions—namely the Agricultural and Mechanical College—the State Fair of Texas runs the whole gamut of instruction to those who would find out, from agriculture—in which it is the ranking state—through the art, including cattle raising, dairying, general livestock production, manufacturing and so forth, progress in the fine arts, the latest developments in implements and machinery of every description, past facilities, poultry production, mineral resources and mining development, progress in engineering and various classes of construction—every enterprise in which the human mind is interested.

Operated with no thought save that which will come through development of Texas and the Southwest, the State Fair of Texas is actively engaged in its aims. With physical properties and equipment, including permanent buildings, valued at more than \$2,000,000, the home of the State Fair is the 187-acre Fair Park tract, owned by the City of Dallas and maintained as a public park the year 'round.

Bobby Jones, golfer, deserves another cup if he escapes the movies.

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, 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.

BEAVER DAM ENABLED FIRE CONTROL IN WOODS

(By Associated Press)

ST. PAUL, July 27.—Because water from a beaver dam enabled desperate forest rangers to extinguish a stubborn forest fire, a new and staunch friend has been added to the beaver family's long list of Minnesota admirers.

Ranger Mike Guthrie told how after a two-day battle his crew had subdued a three-mile long fire, with the exception of a stretch along a ravine, when the blaze showed signs of again escaping control.

Noticing the dam a short distance above the burning ravine, the rangers ripped a hole in the embankment and released a torrent of water that soon made history of the fire.

The frightened family of beavers witnessed destruction of the paradise which they had labored months in building. But the fire fighters had scarcely gone when the industrious little animals set to work to repair the damage.

"Now," Guthrie reported, "the beavers have patched their dam and are none the loser for having lost the supply of water. This confirms my belief that no beaver should be taken except in most extreme cases."

A. J. Miller and daughter, Miss Inez, of DeKalb, are here to be with Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. C. E. Miller, who is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Stephens, on Broadway. Mrs. Miller is the grandmother of Willie Stephens.

W. H. Doorn, of Austin, is here visiting friends for a few days.

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Rumanian Queen Becomes Typist

(By Associated Press)

BUCHAREST, July 27.—Queen Marie of Rumania has become an expert typist. She uses an American machine, the gift of an American admirer. At first she used only the "two-finger" system, but now, after some months practice, she employs eight fingers. For twenty years she was a devotee to the fountain pen, doing all her literary work laboriously by hand.

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SOLDIERS RETURN TO POST

(By Associated Press)

SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Island of Oahu, July 27.—Rains having provided a new water supply for the largest army post in the Hawaiian Islands, the army

has moved back into the post here. Shortage of water early in the summer forced scattering of the men to various parts of the island.

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Real Estate Transfers

Warranty Deeds

W. A. Carnes and wife to R. L. McElrath, lot 13 of block No. 33, of the original town plat of Ballinger, June 7th, for the sum of \$1,400.

W. W. Embry et ux to J. G. Dickinson, lot 1, of block No. 2, of the Miller addition to Ballinger, July 26, for the sum of \$4,500.

Mineral Grants

W. W. Fowler and wife to A. D. Jones, one-half interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals produced on 160 acres of the Bait Horn Survey No. 129, and the J. H. Willis Survey No. 514, July 21, for the sum of \$600.

R. W. Bruce and wife to Paul Trimmer, an undivided one-half interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals produced on 307 acres of the W. C. R. R. Co. Survey No. 9, July 24, for the sum of \$507.

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LOCAL EDUCATORS MARRIED SUNDAY

G. Hoyt Smith and Miss Ina Todd were married at Winters at 8:00 o'clock Saturday night, and after a visit to Abilene over Sunday they returned to Ballinger and are at home at the residence of Mrs. C. S. Miller on Fifth Street, where they have rooms.

Mr. Smith is assistant to County Superintendent White, and has a host of friends among the citizens of Ballinger and Runnels county, who extend congratulations. His bride is the daughter of Mrs. T. L. Todd, one of the pioneer mothers of Runnels county, and a sister of Henry Todd, well known in Ballinger. She is a graduate of the Ballinger high school and has been teaching in the county since graduating here.

The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Gid J. Bryan, pastor of the Methodist church at Winters.

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GINNERS MEET IN ABILENE FRIDAY

Three Runnels county men are on committees in charge of the meeting of the West Texas Ginners Association which is to be held at Abilene Friday and Saturday of this week, July 30-31, for the purpose of discussing business problems which confront the gin men of this section.

They are: Edwin Day, Ballinger; Cliff Kornegay, Winters; and H. W. Lynn, Winters. Mr. Day and Mr. Kornegay are members of the legislative committee, while Mr. Lynn is a member of the executive committee. Mr. Lynn is also president of the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers Association. All of these three men will attend the convention and it is probable that other gin men from Runnels county will go to Abilene for the meeting.

This is expected to be one of the largest gatherings of industrial manufacturers ever held in the state. The association will be called to order at the West Texas Fair park on Friday morning.

Insurance rates, improved methods, and general conditions will be the most important considerations at the meeting. These questions will come up during the first day.

The second day will be taken up with the purchase of new machinery by the ginners from the salesmen of the various concerns who will be in attendance at this meeting.

The program for the two-day convention is as follows:

July 30—Morning
Meeting called to order by president at 10 a. m.

Invocation
Welcome address by Mayor C. E. Coombes
Response, Jack Moss, Cisco
President's annual address, W. Homer Shanks
Fire insurance rates and elimination of hazards, Hon. Dabney White, Tyler

Benefits of state and district organizations, Hon. W. M. Sealington, former state president, Goliad

Noon
The coming of the ginmer to the plains of West Texas, Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College.

Afternoon
My views on an ideal gin as to machinery, territory, and employees, Fred T. Sanders, Haskell
Some bad business among West Texas ginners, J. S. Yeager, former state president, Putnam
Compensation insurance and



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Recent accomplishments of your state association, Hon. C. B. Hunt, secretary state ginners association, Dallas

Five minute talks as to general conditions by all.

July 31

This day will be given over to purchasing from machinery salesmen of new machinery and repairs, etc. There will be a representative from all leading Texas machinery houses present during the convention.

Officers and committees for the meeting are named as follows:
W. Homer Shanks, president; Robert W. Maxwell, vice-president; Roy S. Curtis, secretary.

Executive committee: R. W. Maxwell, Abilene, chairman; Jno. Reed, Sylvester; J. S. Smith, Stamford; Sid Ross, Ovalo; H. W. Lynn, Winters; H. B. Smith, Abilene; U. B. Newmon, Sweetwater. Legislative committee: C. Kornegay, Winters; J. W. Williams, Big Spring; J. E. Johnson, Spur; Edwin Day, Ballinger; Fred Sanders, Haskell; Orb Coffman, Goree; Roy S. Curtis, Abilene.

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