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COTTON RAISERS WANT CHEAPER RAIL RATES

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Cotton growers' co-operative organizations of seven Southern states, filed today with the Interstate Commerce Commission, identical complaints against rail-road rates on cotton to principal marketing and exporting centers. The rates, as described, were all attacked as excessive, unjust and unreasonable. The commission was asked to consider the general cotton rate structure and to make such changes as its investigation might determine to be desirable.

NEPHEW OF DR. WATSON INJURED IN HURRICANE

Kent Watson, newspaper man, who is listed among the injured at Miami, is a Texas boy and is well known in newspaper circles. Watson for a while was city editor on young Vanderbilt's tabloid paper in Miami.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram. The Kent Watson mentioned above is a nephew of Dr. C. A. Watson, 709 Tenth Street, this city. The first news Dr. Watson had received of his nephew since the storm was in the Tuesday issue of the Star-Telegram. He has not heard from him since. It is not known just how seriously Mr. Watson was hurt. The young man has visited Ballinger on several different occasions.

TWENTY DAY DRIVE TO BRING CATTLE HERE

B. H. McCarley and Lake Tankersley are to drive 500 head of cattle from Suggs Switch, near Barnhart, to Wingate, in this county, where Mr. McCarley is ranching. The drive is about 140 miles and will require about 20 days. The two stockmen have about 500 head of cows they are bringing to Runnels county to place on winter grass.

R. W. Earnshaw and Harry Lynn went to San Angelo today to see the San Angelo Bronchos and the Fort Worth Panthers in a baseball game.

TWO APPOINTED DRY OFFICIALS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—O. D. Jackson and M. O. Dunning were today appointed prohibition zone supervisors with jurisdiction of the Southern and Middle Western territories. Jackson's territory includes Texas.

Coolidge Gives Views on Modern Life in the U. S.

Note—On the last day he spent in the woods, near Pauls Smith, New York, President Coolidge answered informally, questions that were asked him by his personal friend, Bruce Barton, who later consented to be quoted.

(By BRUCE BARTON)
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Answering questions which the president was told would be asked him by the people, the president said he had not visited many places because it was impossible for him to spend much time away from Washington. He said he went to Plymouth, Vermont, on one trip.

"Whenever I can make these trips, I do so to refresh my knowledge of how the ordinary run of people in this country live," President Coolidge declared. Mr. Coolidge said he did this so

1,476 BALES OF COTTON HERE

Ballinger gins are working steadily and in many instances overtime in handling the fleecy staple as it comes into the city for baling. Up to 10:00 o'clock Wednesday morning, 1,165 square bales and 622 round bales had been ginned in the city. The round bales are equivalent to 311 square bales, which brings the total to 1,476 average square bales during the past two weeks.

There are five gin plants in Ballinger and each one is ginning the cotton as fast as possible.

The gins, however, are behind in their operations and it will be difficult for them to catch up with farmers in this section who are gathering more cotton every day. At every gin in the city, there are farmers who are awaiting their turn for service.

If present weather conditions continue as it is believed will, much cotton will be ginned within the next two weeks by the Ballinger gins.

Gins at Winters, Wingate, Hatchel, Pony, Rowena, Miles, Maverick, Norton, Offen and other communities over the county are reported to be having exceptionally good runs.

OLD TROOPER IS HONORED BY VETS ORGANIZATION

(By Associated Press)
BANDERA, Tex., Sept. 22.—Amasa Clark, 101-year-old veteran of the Mexican War, is now an honorary member of the Spanish-American War Veterans. This action honoring the Bandera man was taken recently at San Antonio.

Clark already was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

As a member of the Third Infantry during the Mexican War, Clark recently was invited to attend the reunion of that regiment to be held soon at Fort Snelling, Minn. On account of his age, however, he decided to forego the long trip.

Notice—Band Boys

H. H. Carsey, band director and instructor, requests every member of the Ballinger Band to wear his white trousers and the regular uniform coat and cap to Abilene for the big day there Thursday. Be sure and be at the Chamber of Commerce offices not later than 8:00 o'clock Thursday morning.

Rouge is popular because lack of sleep doesn't ruin rouge.

Along the Concrete



Announces Location of 3rd Wildcat Test in County

EXPECT 15,000 TODAY'S DIXIE SERIES GAME

(By Associated Press)
NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 22.—More than 15,000 people are expected to witness the first game of the Dixie Series here today between the Dallas Steers of the Texas League, and the New Orleans Pelicans of the Southern Association.

"Slim" Love, for Dallas, and Joe Martina, for New Orleans, are expected to be the starting pitchers in today's baseball classic.

Frank Yates and associates of Fort Worth will drill this well. Work will start immediately, Mr. Sillix said. The rig builders will begin work within a few days and then the crew will prepare to spud the well. This is to be a deep test.

MARRS SAYS 3c TAX NOT ENOUGH

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction, charged in a statement today that Governor Ferguson made a mistake in her message to the legislature in regard to a proposed 3-cent gasoline tax for school revenue.

Mr. Marrs declared that this revenue would not be sufficient to increase the per capita apportionment.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Cordill left Thursday morning for Mineral Wells where Mr. Cordill will attend to business.

SMASHES WINDOW GETS 30 WATCHES

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Sept. 22.—Thirty watches, ranging in price from \$15 to \$45 each, were stolen from a jewelry store here early this morning by a window smasher.

WANTED—WANTED—WANTED

—every business man in Ballinger to meet at the Chamber of Commerce offices between 7:30 and 8:00 o'clock Thursday morning to make the booster trip to the West Texas Fair in Abilene.

Thursday is one of the biggest days of the fair as Howard Payne College, Brownwood, and Abilene Christian College, Abilene, play football in the afternoon; Ernie Young's Revue of 1926 will show both in the afternoon and evening; the play-by-play Dallas-New Orleans Dixie Series baseball game; and the round-by-round report of the Dempsey-Tunney fight, will be offered. All of this will be crowded into the already complete program of the fair, and every moment is expected to give plenty of thrills to those who make the trip.

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce Band will head the delegation and furnish music for the Ballinger boosters.

Be a live-wire; get in the procession and do your part toward advertising your town, your county, and the Runnels County Fair—YOUR FAIR.

STORM IS PLAYING OUT; CHECK-UP ON DAMAGE

NAVY LOSES 35 PLANES IN FLA.

(By Associated Press)
MOBILE, Sept. 22.—Thirty-five airplanes at the Pensacola naval station were lost in the storm which isolated Pensacola for more than twenty-four hours, according to a statement sent to Mobile today by an Associated Press representative. The correspondent said there had been no loss of life at Pensacola, but the property loss would reach \$2,000,000.

SAVAGE SERIS ANOTHER TRIBE PASSING AWAY

(By Associated Press)
NOGALES, Ariz., Sept. 22.—Eradication faces another of the Western hemisphere's fiercest and most war-like tribes.

From the time of Spanish conquistadores, until within the last two decades, the Seris, a savage tribe on an island just off the coast of Sonora, Mexico, have defied the advances of armed forces and the olive branch tendered by the white man or by the white man or by native tribes.

Living on their diet of "powdered dried straw and raw meats," as described by Alvar Nuez Cabeza de Vara, a Spanish military explorer, in 1536, the hardy tribe of savages held aloof, content with its barren island and existence.

Bloody wars were waged for nearly two centuries, but their submission was never more than superficial. Thousands of troops fell before their arrows, scores of daring missionaries were stoned to death, and as late as 1896 two navigators were killed in an attempt to explore Seriland.

Of late years the few remaining members have become strangely docile. The tribe, now numbering but 125, has retrograded into a race of almost imbecile, meek alms-seekers, delighted to guide fishermen who now walk peacefully along the shores of Kino Bay.

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The Rexall Store

(By Associated Press)
Florida hurricane swept communities, facing a death list upwards of 400 persons, more than 4,000 injured, and a property damage which will amount to \$50,000,000 or more, centered their efforts entirely today on bringing about a degree of order which would permit accurate accounting of the havoc wrought by the disaster.

Pensacola and Mobile, struck by the hurricane before it passed inland and dissipated, made it known to the world today that there was no loss of life in either city.

NO CREAM FOR COFFEE IN MIRANDO CITY DISTRICT

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 22.—Cream in one's coffee is virtually an unknown luxury in the Mirando oil territory near Laredo, according to oil workers here recently from Mirando City.

The reason is that there is little or no vegetation on which cows may graze, and the cows come into backyards to eat pasteboard boxes and other things ordinarily consigned to a goat's bill-of-fare. Further, there are few cows in this section of oil derricks and no farms.

START TWO NEW HOMES IN THE CITY THIS WEEK

The John A. Williams Construction Company this week started a new home on Eighth Street for Tom Caudle.

A contract was also closed Tuesday, to remodel the old home of Mrs. W. H. Weeks on Eighth Street, which will be made into a two-story structure. Mrs. Ollie Midgley is living in this place now.

The home of A. K. Doss on Broadway, the home of Claud Wilmet, on Broadway, and four or five other homes on that street and Sixth Street are nearing completion and will be ready to be occupied within the next few days.

SENATE DEBATES RECESS ACTIONS

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—The Senate in executive session today debated a resolution presented by Senator Wood, to postpone until the 40th legislature, action on certain recess appointees of Gov. Ferguson.

When the session recessed at noon, it was reported that progress was being made, with the Ferguson and Moody factions about evenly divided.

Progressing with the Times

The past few years have seen many great changes in funeral directing. Modern Methods—improved equipment—have supplanted those in use in the past. We have always kept abreast of the times in every respect so as to be able to render the best service obtainable. Our beautiful funeral home offers convenience, comfort and privacy. Our staff is well trained.

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Calendar for September 1926 showing days of the week and dates.

Ballinger will go to Abilene tomorrow; get in the procession.

This is the season of the year when negro wash women and cooks resign. Cotton picking pays better.

Two wells going down near Ballinger, the third contracted for Tuesday and acreage blocked for the fourth, verifies the prediction that Runnels county would get some "big play" this year.

The Abilene fair opened with a record breaking attendance Monday. Get on the line and help boost the Runnels County Fair for a new attendance record.

Permitting one speeder to split the streets to the great danger of the travelling public causes others to lose respect for traffic laws. A few good healthy fines are badly needed.

Judge Woodward told his grand jury at Coleman to look into the home brew industry in that county, and to return bills where the dry law had been violated. It is a violation of the liquor law to make home brew.

Some critics will say it was a "foolish thing to do," in commenting on the death of the aviators who were killed in the take-off in an effort to fly from New York to Paris, but it is just such sacrifices which have developed aviation to its present stage.

and others will give their lives for the development of the cause.

The only way Ballinger can make further growth is by building more houses, both in which to live and in which to transact business. The old ones are filled to their capacity. One landlord has nine tenants—nine different business concerns occupying three houses, and rents are high enough for the present at least.

Don't get excited. Because some little New England state hardly as large as Runnels county elects a wet senator is no indication that the nation is ready to repeal or even amend the dry law. Certainly there are wet spots, and always will be so long as we have little "Europes" within our borders.

Brownwood, Abilene and some of our other neighbors are still figuring out plans for bigger and better water systems. This is something Ballinger will have to solve at some future date, and the date may not be very far in the future. What would be the condition with double our population, and how long does it take for an oil town to double in population?

In the confirmation of Ferguson's recess appointments one is led to believe that Fergusonism is not as dead as the large majority rolled up in the August primary indicated. Politics will be politics in spite of the voice of the people, and a majority of those doing the confirming down at Austin are Ferguson supporters. Evidently.

The gas tax for schools is an unjust tax. We believe in making every tub stand on its own bottom as far as possible, and we favor a gas tax—a good healthy tax, but the revenue should be applied for highway work. There are other sources from which revenue should be raised for school support. Why not let tobacco, or some of the other luxuries, bear the burden? Why levy a special tax on gas and permit other commodities far less essential in carrying on industry to get by?

The American Legion has been accused of being in politics all because numerous candidates from the ranks of the Legion ran for office. The time will soon come when we will pass through that age when most men eligible for office will be ex-service men. The older generation will have passed out, and it will be up to those who went to the front to carry on until their successors qualify.

People who get married as a joke seldom have any trouble in finding out who the joke is on.—Omaha World-Herald.

Ledger advertising pays.

Too Much "Acid?"

Excess Uric Acid Gives Rise to Many Unpleasant Troubles.

Authorities agree that an excess of uric acid is primarily due to faulty kidney action. Retention of this toxic material often makes its presence felt by sore, painful joints, a tired, languid feeling and, sometimes, toxic backache and headache. That the kidneys are not functioning right is often shown by scanty or burning passage of secretions. Thousands assist their kidneys at such times by the use of Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. Doan's Pills are recommended by many local people. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS 60c Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys Foster-Millburn Co., Mfg. Chem., Buffalo, N. Y.

FAIR BOARD IN FINAL MEETING

What will probably be the final meeting of the board of directors of the Runnels County Fair Association before the annual fair next month, will be held today at 4:00 o'clock. Secretary Motley has called the board together to get their approval on a number of matters, and to perfect all details for putting over the big show.

"Everything is in fine shape," declared Mr. Motley, "and interest in all departments is much keener than for any time since we organized the association." The secretary stated that the women throughout the county are taking a keener interest in the fair, and Miss Eula Key, home demonstration agent, gets credit for this. Communities will be represented in the fair which would not have been represented if it had not been for the work of Miss Key.

The poultry department is also coming in for great play this year. Heretofore poultry raisers have not been as enthusiastic on account of it being a bad season to exhibit poultry. Some idea of the interest this year is disclosed in the fact that more than 300 applications for space have come from the Winters country, which has not taken an interest in the poultry exhibit heretofore.

The poultry department is open to the world and entries will be accepted on a competitive basis from any point. This will bring birds from distant points in the state. Entry blanks have been supplied to parties at Glen Rose, Denison and other distant points, and arrangements are being made to handle a large number of birds.

The directors may be called together for another meeting a few days before the fair, if new matters should come up to demand their attention.

Be wise and advertise.

Citation by Publication—Delinquent Taxes

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon H. J. Caulfield Estate, whose residence is unknown, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return days hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District; to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in Ballinger on the 4th Monday in October 1926, same being the 25th day of October 1926, then and there to answer the Plaintiff's Petition, filed in said Court on the 18th day of August, 1926, wherein the State of Texas is Plaintiff, and H. J. Caulfield Estate, are Defendants. File Number of said suit being No. 1949.

The nature of the Plaintiff's demand as set out in said petition being an action to recover of the defendants the sum of Seventy-One and 9/100 Dollars as delinquent taxes due plaintiff for the years 1920 to 1925 inclusive, including interest, penalties and costs, that have accrued thereon, said taxes, interest, penalties and costs being due upon the following described property situated in the county of Runnels and State of Texas, to-wit: South 1/2 of Lot 3 in Jackson Addition to the town of Miles.

And plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of its lien against said property, to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, for an order of sale, writ of possession, all costs of suit, and for general and special relief, all of which will more fully appear in plaintiff's original petition now on file in this office.

Heren fail not, and have you then and there before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in Ballinger, in the County of Runnels, this 1st day of September, A. D. 1926.

GEORGIA SINGELTARY, Clerk, District Court, Runnels County, Texas. d-2-9-16-23

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FOLKS LOOK ? OCT. 3rd ? Lets Watch This Space

Attention

To One and All: Beginning Friday, Sept 3, our prices will be as follows: Hair Cut 35c Shave 25c Tonic 25c Massage 35c Shampoo 35c Everything first class including the work.

We will treat you right and appreciate your patronage.

Safety First Barber Shop

F. C. Jenkins, Prop.

CLEAN-UP SALE OF STATIONERY LARGE SIZE PAPER AND ENVELOPES Assortment of Colors \$1.00 Values Special Price 49c Free Prompt Delivery 234 — Phone — 234

Perils of Childhood

It must be all of twenty years ago that mother first gave me Syrup Pepsin

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How time flies. My good mother has gone to her rest, but I have faithfully relied upon her judgment and have given Syrup Pepsin to my two children since they were born. It is certainly a noble medicine and never fails of its purpose. I like to recommend it." (Name and address will be sent upon request.)

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When age comes creeping on, with bowels relaxed, muscles weak, digestion poor and blood thinned, then is when constipation does its evil work in a night. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is so palatable, sets so well in the stomach, works so easily, so gently, so kindly with old folks as to accomplish its purpose without grip, pain or other distress. For biliousness, sour stomach, coated tongue, headache, fevers, colds and constipation from infancy to old age Syrup Pepsin is recommended everywhere and sold by all druggists.

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Type Writer Paper, white 15c per 100 Sheets 500 Sheets in dust proof box \$1.00

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Large advertisement for train tours and bus services, featuring images of a train and a bus, and text describing routes and services.

Movies

Sills Has Stellar Role in Picture at the Queen

Whenever Milton Sills steps out into the streets of New York to make an exterior scene for a motion picture he is swamped by hundreds of small boys, who look upon him as their "Babe Ruth of the screen." Sills always gives the boys a screen home run, and they have no respect for cameras and directors when he appears in person.

Sills was working down on Oliver Street in the East Side of New York making scenes for "Puppets," First National attraction showing today and tomorrow at the Queen Theatre. Hardly had he reached the street when the news was spread like wildfire.

The streets were instantly inundated with boys until, in desperation, Sills had to drive away for a time and let the boys think he had gone home. They could not be fooled that way and waited for him to come back. Finally they did clear the street and gave Sills a great cheer as he stepped out and did his stuff before the camera. Mr. Sills has the starring role in "Puppets." Gertrude Olmsted is his leading lady. The supporting cast includes Francis MacDonald, Mathilde Comont, William Ricciardi, Nick Thompson and Lucial Prival.

Old Hammer Guns Bring King George His Grouse

(By Associated Press)
YORK, Sept. 22.—King George made his record bag of 12 grouse in one drive at Abbotsstead with two pairs of old fashioned double barreled hammer guns manufactured thirty odd years ago.

As a young man the King laid the foundation of his reputation as a shot with these guns and still clings to them for sentimental reasons.

An English firm which makes guns for the crowned heads of half the world, has been keeping the king's guns in condition for years. At the end of each shooting season, the guns are sent to the factory, stripped, cleaned, overhauled, given an oil bath and put in storage until the next year.

The political aspirant who blew hot and cold is replaced by the one who talks wet and dry.—Flint Journal.

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Sees Future Homes Cooled As Theatres

(By Associated Press)
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 22.—"Shut the windows, turn on the electricity and keep cool."

That may be the procedure followed in the future by those whose energies do not respond to the high temperatures of the Summer months. For the modern house of tomorrow will have a cooling plant just as the modern house of today has a furnace, believes Professor Edward F. Miller, head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

"The increasing demands upon human energy in this age of swift progress and keen competition, call for new measures for physical comfort and protection," said Professor Miller.

"Extreme summer heat slows human activity and lowers efficiency in all branches of endeavor, whether it be in factory, office building or home.

"The household furnace has overcome the cold of winter, but humanity still suffers from summer heat. It seems likely that within a few years cool rooms in which to work and live will be considered just as much a necessity as warm homes and buildings are in winter.

"It is not a serious problem now to produce air-conditioning and cooling plans for domestic purposes. These will consist of a refrigeration system in which air will be cooled and the moisture removed before it is put into circulation in the building.

"Air conditioning and cooling equipment is best adapted for buildings of special construction with ducts for distributing the cool air, and insulation to prevent leakage of heat from outdoors. Instead of opening all windows and doors as is now done in summer, they will be closed. Double windows probably will be used and the air in the building will be used over and over again after being washed and cooled.

"The home cooling and air conditioning plant of the future will function with no more attention than the electric refrigerator. It also will be operated by electricity and will be equipped with thermostatic control to maintain an even comfortable temperature regardless of the heat outdoors."

Museum Gets Coat Made by President Johnson

(By Associated Press)
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 22.—One of the few products of the shears and needle ever actually made by a president of the United States is now a possession of the Tennessee state museum.

It is a handsome, well-preserved coat of the finest broadcloth, made by President Johnson, for Circuit Judge W. W. Pepper of Tennessee, seventy years ago.

Johnson was a tailor. Pepper was a blacksmith. While governor of Tennessee, Johnson was presented with a handsome set of shovel and tongs, made by Judge Pepper, who left the bench and spent a day at the forge fashioning the gift.

Johnson was not to be outdone. He left the governor's chair temporarily, selecting the finest piece of goods to be had and tailored Judge Pepper a coat without a flaw.

Plato's "Sure Cure" for Steady Hiccoughs

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Sept. 22.—Plato had a "sure cure" for hiccups, as described by Dr. C. F. T. East in the Lancet.

Aristophanes, so Plato says, had the hiccups so badly he could not speak. So Eryximachus, the physician, was called in.

"Hold your breath, and, if, after doing this for some time, your hiccup is no better, gargle with a little water. If it still con-

tinues, tickle your nose with something and sneeze. After you have sneezed once or twice the most violent hiccup is sure to go," the doctor prescribed.

Aristophanes was cured after he reached the sneezing stage.

What Makes Bees Wild? Say It's Lack of Honey

(By Associated Press)
MARBURY, Eng., Sept. 22.—The British Beekeepers' Association knows what makes a wild bee wild.

Bees, it appears, often are bad tempered in the late summer and early fall when flowers are disappearing and there is not enough honey to go around. When in this mood they steal from one another, and if disturbed will attack. It is a common thing for bees to kill chickens in England.

But they don't pay as much for primaries in Wisconsin as they do in Pennsylvania. — Omaha World-Herald.



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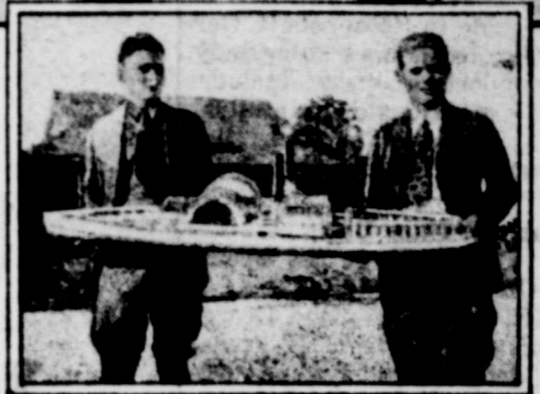
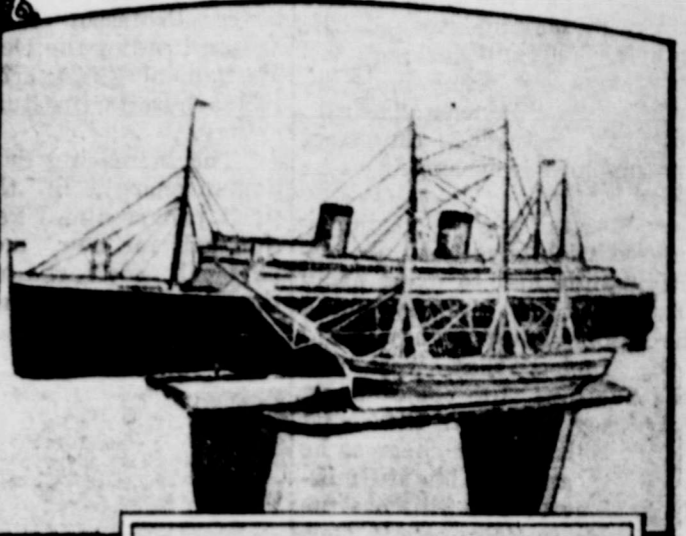
Another optimist is the fellow who can go into a dental office and growl because there are two or three persons ahead of him.—Canton Daily News.

Grapes are said to be a large crop this year and perhaps if they are plentiful enough some of them may be made into jelly.—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

The case of Aimee McPherson has resolved itself largely into a discussion of the old question as to why girls leave home.—Washington Evening Star.

FAME AND FORTUNE SMILE ON YOUNG SHIP-MODEL BUILDERS

U. S. Bureau Crowns Achievements of Boys Who Build Miniature Ocean-Going Steamers.



ONLY a few years ago Roscoe and Wallace Good, of Pasadena, California, like countless other American boys, were spending many hours of play in floating chip-and-matchstick boats in any body of water that was available from a puddle to lake or river.

Today a ship model just completed by these two boys has been accepted by the United States Steamboat Inspection Service, a Bureau of the United States Department of Commerce, as one of the features of its exhibit at the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition. As builders of ship models for a number of the country's largest ship operators, the boys' annual business amounts to thousands of dollars a year.

The First Model
The interest of the Good brothers in constructing miniature ships to conform in every detail with actual sea-going vessels was aroused during the closing days of the World War, when throughout the United States there ran a cry for ships and will more ships to carry men, munitions and supplies to the War Zone. Their first built-to-scale model was a Skinner and Eddy type freighter constructed from a plan in a marine publication. Other built-to-scale models followed.

It frequently takes six months to complete a single model.

The first model constructed by the two youngsters aroused the interest of friends of the family; and, most important of all from the standpoint of the boys' future, the interest of a West Coast ship owner. Impressed by the graceful lines of the diminutive vessel and the painstaking attention to the most minute details, the ship owner gave the youthful builders an order for a model of a vessel then under construction.

A Unique Ship Yard

Similar orders were received from other ship operators. The boys' workshop became a veritable shipyard from which were turned out small-scale replicas of some of the finest vessels in the United States Merchant Marine. Their

profits began to assume imposing proportions.

The latest model built by the two young Goods is that of the S. S. Malolo. The Malolo, now under construction in Philadelphia for the San Francisco Honolulu run, is the largest and speediest high-powered passenger steamship ever built in the United States. She has a length of 552 feet, a beam of 83 feet and a displacement of 22,000 tons. She will have a sustained sea speed of 22 knots.

Every hatchway, porthole, rope and spar on this gigantic new Queen of the Pacific is reproduced on the model. Built to a scale of one-eighth inch to a foot, the model is a little less than seventy-three inches in length, with a beam of ten and three-eighths inches. It is this model that will be on exhibition at the Sesqui-Centennial.

ANGELO FAIR IS FOR WEST TEXAS

Special to The Ledger:
SAN ANGELO, Sept. 22.—Varied amusements and sports of the highest type and quality, exhibits that will reflect the prosperity and increasing development of West Texas, particularly the Edwards Plateau, will be presented in the All-West Texas Exposition at San Angelo, Sept. 27 to Oct. 2, inclusive. To educate, encourage and entertain, and at the same time promote a unity of action and a feeling of pride in the achievements of the country are the prime objectives of this, West Texas' oldest regional fair, which has been held almost annually since 1883.

Railroads have granted low round-trip rates to bring to "The Rainbow's End" big crowds to attend six full days' and nights' programs that will cost \$25,000. Horse races, five daily, except Saturday, on a one-mile track, for purses totalling \$4,100, a wreck car race, hippodrome acts, spectacular fireworks, music by the Chicago Cadets Band, and the T. J. Tidwell shows, will be daily attractions at the exposition. Special events will include a high school football game on Friday, October 1, between Abilene and San Angelo, and a college battle on Saturday, October 2, between Abilene Christian College of Abilene, and Sul Ross State Teachers College of Alpine. The carnival, fireworks and band concerts will furnish the background for pageants, style shows, horse shows and musical revues each evening.

America's largest primary wool market and the livestock capital of West Texas, San Angelo always has drawn exhibits of cattle, sheep and goats, wool and mohair, unsurpassed in the Southwest. Recognition of this standing is again given this year by the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association of Texas in conducting its official sheep and goat show during the exposition. Agricultural expansion in West Texas has been both rapid and steady in recent years and crops from both irrigated and dry land farms will be displayed, coming from as distant as the Davis Mountains. A half dozen or more counties and ten to fifteen communities will be represented in this division alone.

Visitors will find on every hand evidences of the benefits accruing from oil development to which San Angelo is the gateway.

BROADWAY FAVORITES IN "PRINCESS FLAVIA" AT THE STATE FAIR

Howard Marsh and Evelyn Herbert, Broadway favorites, are to head the company of 200 which the Mexors, Schubert will send from New York by special train to present their most imposing operetta, "Princess Flavia," at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 9-24.

A musical dramatization of Anthony Hope's "Prisoner of Zenda," the most popular romantic novel of all ages, "Princess Flavia" will be given in the Auditorium each evening throughout the State Fair at 8:15, with matinees at 2:30 on Sundays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Hope's swashbuckling tale of love and intrigue in the mythical kingdom of "Ruritania," has been rendered into entrancing operetta by Harry B. Smith, and the glorious music by Sigmund Romberg, composer of the never-dying "Student Prince" scores. Romberg will personally direct the opening performance, Saturday night, Oct. 9, and his presence will mean the outstanding event in the theatrical and musical history of the Southwest.

Howard Marsh, of commanding height and stalwart form, sang the part of "The Prince" in the original "Student Prince" company, in which he made a distinct and lasting impression. He is endowed with a pleasing personality, marked histrionic ability and a most appealing voice.

Miss Herbert created the part of "The Princess" in the original Broadway offering of "Princess Flavia." She is highly attractive, with a most winning stage presence, possesses a melodious, well-trained and distinctive voice, and has a particular gift for personable appearance in the gorgeous costumes she is called upon to wear.

Pie Supper
Pie Supper at the Bethel School House, Saturday night, September 25. Everyone invited.

R. L. WHITE,
Committee Chairman,
22-1td-1tw.*

Mrs. B. C. Mann and Mrs. Wells of San Angelo, visited Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Walker here Tuesday.

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Citation on Appointment of Temporary Guardian THE STATE OF TEXAS

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 before the return day hereof, in a 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, County of Runnels,

To all persons interested in the Welfare of John Lee Simmons, Claude Simmons, Ada Simmons, and Clyde Simmons, Minors, John C. Simmons was by the County Court of Runnels County, Texas, on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1926 duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the persons and estates of said Minors, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in November, A. D. 1926, the same being the 1st day of November, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 11th day of September, A. D. 1926. (Seal)

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

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MONEY IN THE BANK

CHICAGO—Farmers of the United States would better not burrah until they are out of the woods

"It will take a long stretch of prosperity to make us for the 65 percent deficit in comparison with all commodities that farm products have suffered in the past four years," said R. J. Roney, vice president of Montgomery Ward & Company, in an address here. "The facts are that total net income of farmers for the fiscal year ending July 1 is computed at \$12,136,000, 600 by the Department of Agriculture. This is a gain of 7 1/2 percent over the previous twelve months, and good crops and good prices this fall should make the next fiscal year show a further substantial gain. This means that for the first time in four years the price level

of farm products has crept above that of the general level of all commodities and now is 3 percent higher. In the past four years farm products have average nearly 17 percent lower than the level of all other products. "At present farms, average over the United States, are earning only 4 1/2 percent on their invested capital. Average earnings since 1921, when agriculture was running at a net loss, has been 2.3 percent. Farming in the United States can not be considered on a sound business basis until returns on invested capital compare favorably with those on capital invested in other industries. The farmers'



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good years must be profitable enough to furnish a sinking fund to carry them over the inevitable bad years."

PERFECT PLANS FOR EXPOSITION

The committee in charge of the plans for the trades exposition to be staged on Thursday night of the 1926 Runnels County Fair, was in session Tuesday and worked out a program which promises to be a big feature of the fair.

This feature will be known as the Runnels County Carnival Exposition and will take the place of the style pageant which was staged at the fair last year. It will be presented on a large platform in front of the grandstand, and preceding the pageant will be an illuminated parade through the business district.

This feature of the program is a county-wide affair and is open to the merchants in every town in the county. They are invited and urged to make entries, and each firm can make one or more entries, and it has been suggested that comical stunts be featured in the pageant—something that will make the audience laugh.

Twelve women, representing the committee in charge, will canvass the field and explain the rules and plans to the merchants, but they will offer no suggestion in arranging entries. The merchants and business men must work this out for themselves. Every firm making an entry will be required to attend a rehearsal to be held on Monday night before the fair. No one can enter unless they are in the rehearsal. It is very necessary that they report for this rehearsal.

Thursday will be "stunt day" at the fair and the trades exposition will no doubt be featured by comical stunts. Twelve bands will be in Ballinger on that day for the district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and these bands and representatives coming to the convention, will stage stunts in front of the grandstand.

The stage in front of the grandstand will be roped off in such manner as to permit autos to pass around the stage, and firms participating in the trades exposition can drive up to the stage and unload their entries in order, and following presentation of their skit, those taking part in the program will be seated in pageant formation.

This feature promises to be more interesting than the style

show, as comedy will be featured throughout, and at the same time give the merchants taking part in the exposition an opportunity to get before the throngs with some good advertising.

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Citation by Publication—Delinquent Taxes

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon C. C. Moore by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return days hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 35th Judicial District; to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in Ballinger on the 4th Monday in October 1926, same being the 25th day of October 1926, then and there to answer the Plaintiff's Petition, filed in said Court on the 18th day of August, 1926, wherein the State of Texas is Plaintiff, and C. C. Moore is Defendant, File Number of said suit being No. 1950.

The nature of the Plaintiff's demand as set out in said petition

being an action to recover of the defendant the sum of One Hundred Thirty-Two and 97/100 Dollars as delinquent taxes due plaintiff for the years 1914 to 1925, inclusive, including interest, penalties and costs, that have accrued thereon, said taxes, interest, penalties and costs being due upon the following described property, situated in the county of Runnels and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 5 and 6 in Block 30, original town of Ballinger.

And plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of its lien against said property, to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, for an order of sale, writ of possession, all costs of suit, and for general and special relief, all of which will more fully appear in plaintiff's original petition now on file in this office.

Herein fail not, and have you then and there before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in Ballinger, in the County of Runnels, this 1st day of September, A. D. 1926.

GEORGIA SINGELTARY, Clerk, District Court, Runnels County, Texas.

PERSONALS WANTED

Personals make good local news and Ballinger people want to see who is coming and going and all that concerns local citizens.

It is a hard matter, a proposition to gather personals and city briefs, but the subscribers of this paper could assist in keeping the sheet full of locals, personal mention and city briefs if they would call the office and report same.

All calls will be given prompt and courteous attention.

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25 Ford coupe, badly dressed up; with 26 model motor.
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ELECTRA—The agricultural committee of the Electra Chamber of Commerce plans a big dairy meeting for this city.

TAFT, Tex.—Heavy cotton shipments are being received at the local compress.

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The press has been running a little more than one week, and W. B. Woody, manager, states that more than 4,000 bales have been turned out here.

"If the cotton keeps coming in as fast as it has this week, we will have just plenty of pressing to do," Mr. Woody declared. "We have pressed more than 4,000 bales and are operating early and late."

The run starts at 7:00 o'clock in the morning and ends at 6:00 o'clock in the evening, giving a ten-hour day for the workmen. Cotton is moving rapidly at present, and the compress management expects the staple to move faster within the next two weeks.

About 45 men are employed at the press, Mr. Woody said.

The high density press, recently installed at this plant, pressed about 350 bales of cotton Tuesday. This pressing puts the bales in first class condition for ocean going vessels at Gulf ports. High density bales, much smaller than ordinary compressed bales, are ready for shipment on sea, while the ordinary kind are only ready for shipping by railroad.

Notice

O. B. Patty, tuner and salesman, will return to Ballinger late in the fall. Fine pianos, parts for all pianos and players. d W tf

URGES WOODWARD TO CONFIRM COMMISSION

A telegram signed by a number of influential business men of Brownwood was dispatched today to State Senator Walter C. Woodward, representing this district, urging that he vote for the confirmation of Highway Commissioners Moseley and Cage. The Senate was expected to take up the problem of confirmation today, with indications that there would be a hard fight against the two commissioners who were appointed by the Ferguson administration.

In their telegram to Senator Woodward business men pointed out that the county Democratic convention had voiced approval of the work done by Commissioners Cage and Moseley, and had expressed a desire that both might be confirmed by the Senate.

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in order that they might continue their highway work. It was further pointed out that both commissioners are capable and experienced highway men, and that their confirmation should be considered from the standpoint of efficient service rather than of political affiliations. — Brownwood Bulletin.

It is up to Senator Woodward to follow the instructions given him by the half million Texas voters, or to yield to the petitions sent in by Ferguson partisans. Dan Moody carried on a bitter attack against the present highway commission dominated by Jim Ferguson, and a majority of more than 220,000 voters went to the polls and by their vote endorsed Moody's stand on this one question. However, the present body of senators have it in their power to ignore the voice of the people and perpetuate what Mr. Moody termed "Fergusonism."

The Ledger is in receipt of renewal dues from two former Runnels county citizens, W. S. Mullins, of Akela, New Mexico, and A. T. Turpe, of Lytle, Texas. Both these gentlemen deserted Runnels county several years ago, but they are still keeping tab on us through reading The Ledger each week.

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Real Estate Transfers

Warranty Deeds

A. C. Evans et ux to F. F. and J. R. Pierce, lot 16 of block No. 18, of the College Heights addition to Winters, September 15, for the sum of \$800.

R. E. Dean et ux to W. A. Holt, lot No. 6 of block No. 13, of the Wilke third addition to the city of Ballinger, September 20, for the sum of \$3,500.

Lizzie B. Sawyer et al to Albert Spill, 162 1/2 acres of the Thomas Green survey No. 496, July 22, for the sum of \$9,750.

Mrs. M. A. Guion to H. T. Hodge et al, Southeast half of lot No. 3 and the Northwest 18 inches of lot No. 4, of block No. 9, of the original town plat of Ballinger, September 13, for the sum of \$8,500.

Leases

W. H. Wiley and wife to H. E. Cannon and W. L. Thompson, 34 1/2 acres of the C. H. Ernest survey No. 516, September 20, for the sum of \$436.

Mary Garden came near losing her toes to a shark in France. She escaped by taking to her heels.—Toledo Blade.

Homer Voelkel and Chas. W. Northington visited in San Angelo Wednesday afternoon and also saw the San Angelo-Fort Worth baseball game.

Personal equation: The difference between your estimate of your speed and the cop's estimate.—Baltimore Evening Sun.

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