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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

BREMEN CREW LEAVES GREENLY ON THURSDAY

GREENLY ISLAND, April 25.—(Copyrighted by International News Service)—Baron Gunther von Huenefeld announced exclusively to the International News Service and to the New York American today, that the flyers have decided "with a heavy heart" to leave the Bremen behind and start for New York tomorrow on a machine loaned by Mayor Jimmie Walker of New York city, in deference to the consideration of the public anxiously awaiting them.

BAND CONCERT HERE THURSDAY

H. H. Carsey, director of the Ballinger Booster Band, announced Wednesday at noon that the local musical organization would offer a concert Thursday evening on the court house lawn.

"We expect to have some very good concerts this summer," Mr. Carsey said. "The boys have been working mighty hard to get up a good band."

This is the first concert for the summer, but will be followed by others at regular intervals, Mr. Carsey said.

One of the features of Thursday's program will be a cornet solo by Wix Currie, Jr., "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," by Saint Saens.

Following is the program:

March, "Washington Post," Sousa
March, "Flanders," McNichol
Cornet solo, "My Heart, etc.," Saint Saens, by Wix Currie, Jr.
Trombone solo, "Raggy Trombone," Kieffer
Serenade, "An Autumn Romance," King
Fox trot, "I Scream, You Scream, etc.," Johnson
Waltz selection, "The Crimson Petal," Jewell
Fox trot, "My Blue Heaven," Donaldson
Overture, "Sunshine," Bagley
Classical melody, "La Cinquantaine," Gabriel-Marie
Bass serenade, "The Octopus and the Mermaid," King
March, "Washington Grays," Grafulla

National anthem, "Star Spangled Banner."

FORMER BALLINGER MAN DIES IN HOUSTON

M. C. Braden, formerly of this city died at Houston Tuesday afternoon, according to a telegram received here by J. F. Lusk, secretary of the W. O. W. Lodge. He was 66 years of age.

Mr. Braden had been living in Houston for several years. He was formerly in the contracting business in Ballinger, and was well known here. Deceased became a member of the Woodmen of the World in 1908.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been learned here.

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TRADE MEET BEING HELD IN HOUSTON, TEX.

(By International News Service) HOUSTON, April 25.—The Dawes plan has ushered in real peace in Europe and made possible the resumption of normal processes of production and trade, George P. Auld, former accountant for the General Reparations Commission, told an opening session of the fifteenth National Foreign Trade Convention here today.

BAYLOR BOARD MEETS FRIDAY

(By International News Service) WACO, April 25.—The Waco Chamber of Commerce directors this afternoon will name a committee to go to Dallas Friday to meet the Baylor Educational Commission relative to the proposed removal of Baylor University from Waco to Dallas.

H. L. Kokernot, of San Antonio, chairman of the commission, told the Waco chamber that he was unable to accept the invitation to come here but will give them an opportunity to present their case in Dallas next Friday.

HOOVER AND SMITH LEAD

(By International News Service) COLUMBUS, O., April 25.—Herbert Hoover and Governor Al Smith of New York receive the presidential preference of Ohio voters, according to unofficial tabulation this morning.

Both candidates are three to one favorites in the voting.

DEMPSEY SUIT AGAINST KEARNS IS DISMISSED

NEW YORK, April 25.—Federal Judge Knox today dismissed Jack Dempsey's countersuit for \$500,000 against Jack Kearns, his former manager.

THURSDAY Morning SPECIALS

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Pneumonia Claims Bennett; Snow Holds Junkers' Plane

Noted Auto Race Driver Is Killed

(By International News Service) DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., April 25.—Frank Lockhart, one of the world's most famous racing drivers, was fatally injured this morning when the Stutz Blackhawk in which he was attempting to break the world's speed record, somersaulted after a rear tire had blown out.

Lockhart died a few minutes later after he had been carried to a hospital.

ANN WAGGONER GETS DIVORCE

(By International News Service) FT. WORTH, April 25.—Mrs. Ann Burnet Waggoner was granted a divorce from Guy O. Waggoner today, out of court.

The suit for property settlement will be contested. It involves several millions of dollars.

MISSIONARY IN CHINA KILLED

(By International News Service) PEKING, April 25.—Rev. Dr. Seymour, Presbyterian missionary to China for thirty years, was shot and killed by Chinese troops at Tsinning, according to word received from American refugees in the Shantung war area.

W. B. Woody and Chas. H. Dobbs went to Brownwood Wednesday morning to look after business.

Be wise and advertise.

LOCAL MEN TO OPEN DRUG STORE IN SAN ANGELO

John A. Weeks and R. W. Earnshaw of this city will open a new drug store in San Angelo as soon as the new Hilton Hotel is completed, it was announced here Wednesday by Mr. Weeks.

"We have obtained the drug and confectionery rights of the new hotel," Mr. Weeks stated, "and will open the most modern drug store in all of West Texas. We will try to make it even better than our store in the Abilene Hilton, which we opened last September after an expenditure of between \$15,000 and \$20,000."

Mr. Weeks stated that the new San Angelo store would occupy a corner space, similar to that in Abilene. The Abilene has been claimed to be one of the most modern in the entire Southwest.

The new Hilton Hotel in San Angelo will be 14 stories from the ground and is said to be planned as one of the most modern in West Texas. Mr. Weeks said his drug store would have to be modern to be in keeping with the hotel.

A manager for the store has not been obtained, Mr. Weeks said, but announced that two or three men from the Ballinger store would be transferred to the San Angelo business.

Plans for the new hotel are now in the hands of an architect and will be turned over to contractors for bids by May 1st. It is expected that the hostelry will be completed some time during September, 1928.

Miss Juanita Moser, who graduated from the Ballinger Training School for Nurses at the Halley & Love Sanitarium recently, left Wednesday for Dallas, where she will take an examination before the State Board of Examiners.

Mrs. Frank Biggs, of Dublin, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Roark.

(By International News Service) QUEBEC, April 25.—Fighting to the last, Floyd Bennett, co-pilot of Commander Richard E. Byrd's North Pole flight, and one of those who assisted in the advancement of aviation, died in the Jeffrey Hale Hospital here this morning at 10:53 o'clock from pneumonia, contracted when, though ill, he piloted the tri-motored Ford relief plane from Detroit here with spare parts for the Bremen and its marooned crew at Greenly Island.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's gallant flight to aid his stricken comrade of the air came to naught when it was found that

the serum he brought here from New York was not suitable for Bennett's case.

Lindbergh, heart-broken at the news of the flyer's death, departed at 11:32 a. m. for New York.

Commander Byrd, who had selected Bennett for second in command on his proposed South Pole flight, who has been here for several days, is also heartbroken.

Mrs. Bennett, the aviator's wife, is prostrated. She is ill in the same hospital where the famous flyer died. She placed arrangements for her husband's funeral under the direction of Commander Byrd.

HIGHWAY BODY LETS CONTRACTS

AUSTIN, April 25.—Contracts totalling \$366,000 for asphalt surfacing of highways were let by the Texas Highway Commission today.

The total mileage is 213.5 miles. The counties involved are Kerr, Kimble, Kendall, Schleicher, Sutton, Coleman and Taylor.

Awards in DeWitt, Bexar, Montgomery and Brazos counties were held up until a right-of-way is secured.

THE WEATHER

(By International News Service) West Texas—Partly cloudy, probably showers in the Panhandle.
East Texas—Tonight, increasing cloudiness. Thursday, cloudy, unsettled.

LAKE ST. AGNES, April 25.—Six inches of snow threatens to hold the Bremen another day in its proposed take-off, for New York from Greenly Island.

Natives declare that the flyers must make a speedy get-away or the ice will not be safe after two more days.

The big Junkers' plane is now poised on the ice in the Straits of Belle Isle awaiting the clearing of the weather.

QUEBEC, April 25.—Serum brought by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh in an epic flight from New York yesterday was found unsuitable for Floyd Bennett, who is seriously ill with pneumonia. Bennett is in a desperate condition this morning.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—President Coolidge would be authorized to confer the distinguished flying cross on the Bremen crew under a bill introduced in the Senate today by Senator Reed, Republican, of Pennsylvania.



Wednesday and Thursday



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**BOYD HAS SIX ACRES
 IN BLACKBERRIES**

Mike C. Boyd, tax assessor, was a caller at The Ledger office Wednesday morning and said all his blackberries were not killed by the recent cold spell.

"I have about six and a half acres in South Ballinger," Mr. Boyd stated, "and estimate that I will get about 2,500 or 3,000 gallons this season."

The South Ballinger berry crop is developing fast and citizens will get a chance to feast off them before many weeks pass.

HAGAN NEWS

The farmers are very busy planting cotton and maize this pretty weather.

The singing Sunday night was well attended and everyone enjoyed the good music.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner are the proud parents of a baby boy who arrived Thursday. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Miss Esther Wood and Charlie Nunnally spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sparks.

The young folks enjoyed a B. Y. P. U. social Saturday night at Mr. Farmer's with Jack Stinebaugh as entertainer.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wood and family spent Sunday with Frank Wood and family, of Drasco.

James Midgley, of Talpa, spent Saturday night with Carl King.

We are very glad to report that Fred Flanagan is still improving.

The young folks shivered Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farmer and all reported a good time.

Miss Lena Foreman spent last week with Miss Iva Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Nunn are rejoicing over a baby girl who arrived Sunday morning. Mother and baby are doing fine.

 "REPORTER."

The total value of Texas petroleum in 1926 was placed at \$308,700,000.



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When Nature fails you, try and help yourself by the most natural method! That's the advice of leading authorities nowadays, and for over fifty years it has been the plan of the makers of California Fig Syrup. The quick, easy way this pure, wholesome product relieves children of those symptoms of stomach troubles, such as headaches, biliousness coated tongue, bad breath, no appetite or energy, etc., and makes them strong, energetic and rosy-cheeked again shows there's no use dragging a child with harsh purgative medicines. And Fig Syrup helps give tone and strength to weak, flabby stomach and bowels so they continue to act of their own accord and you don't have to keep dosing them. Its popularity is shown by its sales record of over four million bottles a year and by the praise thousands of mothers are fairly showering on it. A Texas mother, Mrs. M. H. Goodrich of 1530 S. Olive St., San Antonio, enthusiastically declares: "My big, fat boy, Milton, Jr., is now six. He is strong and energetic and weighs 43 pounds. I give California Fig Syrup a lot of credit for his condition. I have used it with him since his childhood for every cold or upset spell. It always regulates him quick and starts him eating right and improving in every way."

Your protection against inferior substitutes is the word "California," which always appears on the carton of genuine California Fig Syrup.

CREWS NEWS

Bro. Pierce filled his regular appointment in the Baptist Church Saturday morning, Saturday night and Sunday morning.

The play, "Handsome Is as Handsome Does," was presented by the Senior class of Crews high school, Thursday night. The play was a great success.

Vernon Mitchell, of Ballinger, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Irven Phipps.

Rev. Hooper, Methodist pastor of Ballinger, preached the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class here Sunday night. The stage was decorated with pink and white crepe paper, and pink and white roses. The motto, "Progressing Upward," was made of large pink and white letters on a background of bright green. A large crowd was present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Traylor, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Madison, Mrs. W. E. Traylor, Misses Mildred Madison, Thelma and Neoma Cox, Pinkie King, and Silva Lucas all ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Traylor, Vernon Mitchell and Clayton Davis, of Ballinger; Irven, Wilma and Alma Phipps were guests in the J. W. Berry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Traylor have been visiting relatives at Goldthwaite, Texas, a part of the

past week.

Miss Pauline Immel spent Sunday with Miss Bonnie Mae Clark. Miss Thelma Cox spent Monday night with Miss Wilma Phipps.

Mr. J. L. Mercer and children of Talpa, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Mrs. Mercer's sister, Mrs. J. G. Phipps.

Mrs. Mercer and children spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Mercer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walden.

Miss Bonnie Mae Clark spent Tuesday night with Miss Wilma Phipps.

Miss Jessie Lee Brown spent Monday night with Miss Bonnie Mae Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Phipps attended church at Mud Creek Sunday morning and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brevard.

A number of the Crews people attended singing at Mud Creek Sunday afternoon.

 "REPORTER."

**SOUTH BALLINGER
 NEWS**

Miss Bennie Fry, of Hamhurst, has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Milton Harris.

Charles Midgley is at home for a few days from the plains, where he is with a utility company.

 Mrs. Earl Evans and two chil-

dren, of Abilene, came down Monday to visit I. W. Evans and family, while en route to Robert Lee to visit her parents.

Mrs. V. A. Gentry and two children, of Dallas, returned home Wednesday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leach, and baby, and sister, Eleanor Leach visited Mrs. Leach's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chick, at Eldorado Friday afternoon and returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Milam, of Winters, visited Mr. Milam's sister, Mrs. R. E. Brown, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Midgley and Mrs. Leach's sister visited in San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McMillan have moved in the field vacated by Mr. Matlock.

Mrs. Gadberry is improving slowly.

Mrs. Eddie McMillan and baby have the flu. We hope them a speedy recovery.

 "REPORTER."

BARNETT NEWS

Everyone had a wonderful time at the "tacky" party at the M. H. Nelson home on Friday night of last week. The prizes for the tackiest went to Marvel Frost and Douglas Spruell.

 We are glad to see Miss Bertha Newsome home from Happy,

where she has been spending the past several weeks.

Mrs. Doshia Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. Foy Adkins, of Ranger, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Word and family. J. W. Lee, who had been visiting here for several days, accompanied them home.

Only a small crowd was present at Sunday school Sunday morning, but the singing in the afternoon was well attended. We were glad to have with us, Mr. Tucker, of Hatchel.

A very large crowd was present at the party at Roy Nelson's Saturday night. Everyone enjoyed

themselves immensely in spite of the sandstorm.

Burley Vinson left for Big Spring Sunday.

Bro. Young preached a good sermon Sunday afternoon. We were glad to have both he and Bro. Hooper with us.

 A community orchestra is being organized in Barnett.

 "REPORTER."

Mrs. Iona Culwell and baby, Juanita Ruth, left Wednesday morning for Groesbeck, where they will visit Rev. and Mrs. S. L. Culwell.

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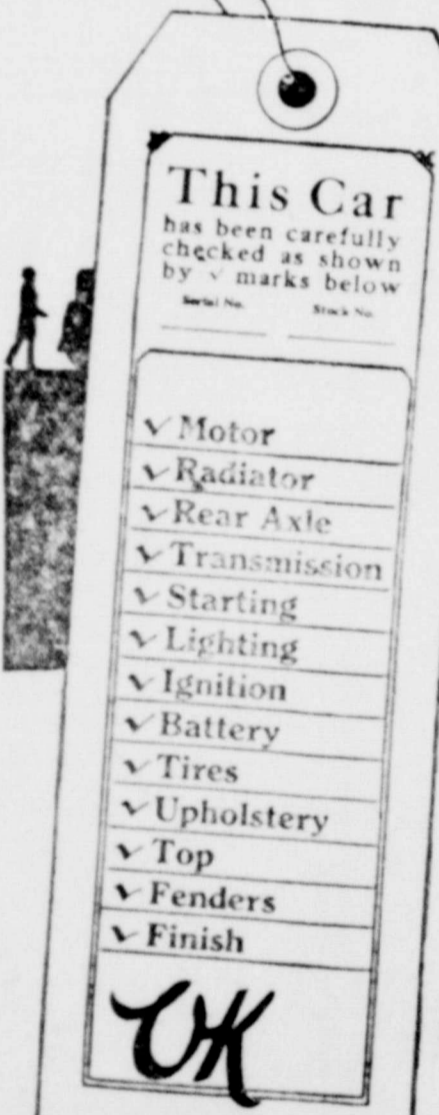


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MOVIES

Cowboy Humorist is Great Help to Screen Producer

"A Texas Steer" comes to the Palace Theatre this afternoon for two-day run.

Will Rogers, star of "A Texas Steer," did his own titling of the comedy special. He likewise wrote copy for the theatre ads.

Sam Rork, producer of "A Texas Steer," all but let the cowboy-humorist direct and run the camera.

The acting and the titling of "A Texas Steer," a First National comedy riot, were part of Rogers' now famous \$100,000 contract which carried also a no-flying clause in the \$300,000 insurance policy taken out on his life while the photoplay was in production at First National studios.

The writing of the "ads," however, was gratis on the part of Rogers. In the preparation of the material to herald the production to the movie audiences of the world, Rogers dropped into the Rork offices at First National Studios.

He was shown several of the sketches and some of the material and at once decided to pitch in and contribute his own excellent "copy" to that already written.

Supporting Rogers in the cast are Louise Fazenda, Ann Rork, Lilian Tashman, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., George Mraion, Sr., Maek Swain, Lucien Littlefield, Wil-

liam Orlamonde, Arthur Hoyt and Bud Jaimison.

Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Bill Ford, whose residence, to the plaintiff is unknown, by making publication of this Citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Runnels County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Ballinger, on the first Monday in May, 1928, the same being the 7th day of May, 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the day of March, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1493, wherein the Fidelity Credit Company is plaintiff, and Bill Ford and E. F. Batts are defendants; said petition alleging that on the 22nd, day of December, A. D. 1927, the defendant, Bill Ford, made, executed and delivered his one certain promissory note for the principal sum of \$317.00; payable in ten equal installments thereafter; first installment falling due January 22, 1928, and each subsequent one falling due one month later; said note to bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent after maturity, and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or if suit is brought thereon, said note being payable to the order of E. F. Batts, the other defendant, at Ballinger, Texas;

that to secure the payment of said note, the maker, Bill Ford, made, executed and delivered a chattel mortgage on one Dodge Touring car, 1925 model, motor No. A-2906; that thereafter to-wit, on the 22nd day of December, 1927, the said defendant, E. F. Batts, sold, assigned, transferred and delivered in writing, said note and said chattel mortgage, to the plaintiff herein, for a valuable consideration; that by the making, execution and delivery of said note and mortgage to the said defendant, E. F. Batts, by the said defendant, Bill Ford, and by the transfer in writing, endorsement, sale and delivery by the said defendant, E. F. Batts, to the said plaintiff, both defendants become and are liable and bound to plaintiff for its debt with interest, attorney's fees and costs; plaintiff asks for judgment for its debt against both defendants, said Ford and Batts and for fore-closure of its mortgage lien

on said Dodge car; and for order of sale

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

Witness: W. A. Forgey, Clerk of the County Court of Runnels County.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the city of Ballinger, this 4th day of April, A. D. 1928.

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

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MANN NEWS

There will be a pie-supper at the school house Friday night. Everybody is invited to come.

Rev. Quinlen was a welcome

visitor at Mann last week.

We are sorry that Mrs. J. A. Henderson is still ill.

The Mann people are invited to go to Poe Sunday for a Fifth Sunday meeting. There will be preaching, singing and dinner on the ground.

The farmers are very busy plowing and planting.

Remember, folks, be on time for

Sunday school Sunday so we can go to Poe.

"REPORTER."

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Employees and officers of the organization cannot participate.

Please forward us the suggested names and your name and address on separate sheets of paper.

On the time selection, which will be done by the management of the Creamery, each contestant will receive a number and after decision of the right name is made, party suggesting same will be made known.

This contest will be open until May 7th for everybody and we hope to receive some real good trade names.

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BIG SINGING AT WALL NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 29

The Tom Green County Singing Convention, which was to have been held April 8, was snowed under. The convention will be held next Sunday, April 29.

We hope to have a fine day, fine singing, and also a fine dinner, which will consist of barbecued beef, goat and chicken with baked dinner.

Quartets from several places are expected to be there. If you wish to sing with us, or hear us sing, come to Wall next Sunday.

Bill Bynum, Wall, president
 Mrs. J. W. Seais, Harriett, secretary and treasurer.

THIS MAN IS COLLAR BUTTON CHAMPION

(By International News Service)
MARION, Ind., April 25—The collar button championship of the United States is being claimed by Robert Hulley, city building inspector here.

Hulley still has and wears his first collar button purchased in 1879.

The button rolled under a bed in a hotel one time, according to Hulley. While looking for it Hulley says he found a watch.

Another time a search for the button brought to light a two-dollar bill.

"This make of button is self supporting," quoth Hulley.



Feel Tired and Achy?

Too Often This Warns of Sluggish Kidneys.

LAME? STIFF? ACHY? Sure your kidneys are working right? Sluggish kidneys allow waste poisons to accumulate and make one languid, tired and achy, with often dull headaches, dizziness and nagging back-ache. A common warning is too frequent, scanty or burning excretions. **Doan's Pills**, a stimulant diuretic, increase the secretion of the kidneys and thus aid in the elimination of bodily waste. Users everywhere endorse Doan's. Ask your neighbor!

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NEW OIL FIRM ORGANIZED HERE

Robert B. Summers, formerly of Tulsa, has been named president; H. E. (Harry) Cannon, drilling contractor, of Tulsa, secretary-treasurer; and R. L. Rollins, rig contractor, of Eastland county, vice-president of a new oil organization here for the purpose of operating in and developing the oil industry in Runnels county, it was learned Wednesday morning.

The company has been capitalized for \$60,000 and a charter is to be applied for within the near future, it was announced.

This company will take over the Summers well and interests, north of the city. Drilling operations were resumed Wednesday at a depth of 785 feet after being closed down for a month due to lack of water for boiler and for drilling. Rains the last two week-ends brought a supply of fresh water for the tank near the well. The well is on the J. S. Reese land, block 36, of the Day Land & Cattle Company survey, about a mile and a quarter from the Vacuum-Lanagan No. 1.

The company, it is understood, is considering a number of drilling blocks in this county.

All three of the officers are experienced in oil development and production, each having had many years of work in Southwestern fields. Mr. Summers has spent many years in Texas, Oklahoma and South American fields. Mr. Cannon has been a driller in the major Texas and Oklahoma fields. He became acquainted in Ballinger when he was the contractor on the Red Bank Oil Company's No. 1-W. W. Fowler, south of Ballinger, several months ago. Mr. Rollins is from Eastland county and is numbered among the "old school" of drillers and rig building contractors.

Offices are being fitted up on Eighth Street in the building between the Ideal Bakery and Cameron's Garage.

BLEEDING GUMS: The sight of sore gums is sickening. Reliable dentists report the successful use of Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy on their very worst cases. If you will get a bottle and use as directed druggists will return money if it fails. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. 1td

BLANTON NEWS

Our community is very sad this week, due to the death of Aaron Hamilton, who passed away Thursday morning, after suffering several days with pneumonia. Mr. Hamilton is survived by his wife and two children, his father, brothers and sisters, to all of whom we extend our greatest sympathy and heartfelt wishes.

Miss Mae Foreman and Charlie Nunley visited Miss Bonnie Cope, of Miller, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Woods, of San Angelo, visited Mr. Woods' father, S. T. Woods, of this community.

Miss Maude James spent Saturday night with Miss Eula Fewler. Miss Elva Foreman spent the

week-end with Miss Lillian McMillan, of Ballinger.

Claude Odom, Herbert and Edgar Foreman, Bill Shepherd, Floyd Woods and Leonard Best visited George Fowler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Witter and family and Pauline Malone visited relatives at Miles Sunday.

Some of the young people enjoyed a dance at the Kurtz home Saturday night.

Miss Alice Foreman spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cope, of Ballinger.

We are sorry to report that Willard Reese has been on the sick list this week.

"REPORTER"

Card of Thanks

We take this method in an

effort to express our most sincere appreciation and thanks to our many friends and neighbors during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother. Especially do we thank those for the many beautiful floral offer-

ings and those who aided us during our grief stricken hours. May God's riches bless you all. L. W. Farris and Family. 25-1td*

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Doctor Found Women and Children Sick More Often than Men

As a family doctor at Monticello, Illinois, the whole human body, not any small part of it, was Dr. Caldwell's practice. More than half his "calls" were on women, children and babies. They are the ones most often sick. But their illnesses were usually of a minor nature—colds, fevers, headaches, biliousness—and all of them required first a thorough evacuation. They were constipated.

In the course of Dr. Caldwell's 47 years' practice he was graduated from Rush Medical College back in 1875. He found a good deal of success in such cases with a prescription of his own containing simple laxative herbs with pepsin. In 1902 he decided to use this formula in the manufacture of a medicine to be known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and in that year his prescription was first placed on the market.

The preparation immediately had as great a success in the drug stores as it previously had in Dr. Caldwell's private practice. Now, the third generation is using it. Mothers are giving it to their children who were given it by their mothers. Every second of the working day someone somewhere is going into a drug store to buy it. Millions of bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are being used a year.

Its great success is based on merit, on repeated buying, on one satisfied user telling another. There are thousands of homes in this country that never without a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and we have gotten many hundreds of letters from grateful people telling us that it helped them when everything else failed.

While women, children and elderly people are especially benefited by Dr.



J. B. Caldwell M.D.
 AT AGE 83

Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is promptly effective on the most stubborn constipation and in the most obstinate cases. It is mild and gentle in its action and does not cause griping and strain. Containing neither opiates nor narcotics, it is safe for the tiniest baby. Children like it and take it willingly.

Every drug store sells Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Keep a bottle in your home—where many have someone else to need it quickly.

We would be glad to have you prove at our expense how much Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin can mean to you and yours. Just write "Syrup Pepsin," Monticello, Illinois, and we will send you prepaid a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE.

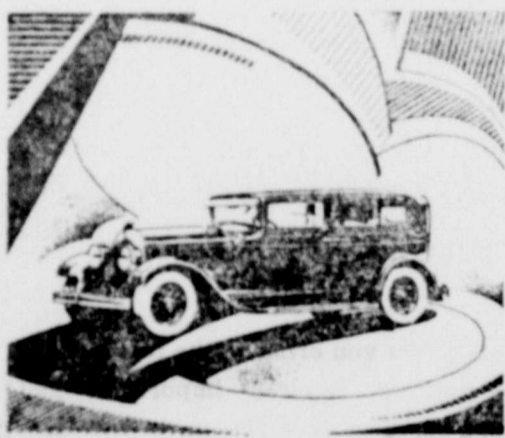
Overtake the "72"?

... well, hardly!

If Chrysler "72" were merely more beautiful—if it were just an average good value—it would deserve no special consideration from the buyer.

But it clamors for his consideration and demands his attention by reason of a gauge and proof of greater value which cannot be escaped.

All cars today seek to approximate Chrysler "72" performance by patterning after Chrysler engineering. But after three years of striving, how close are



CHRYSLER "72"

they to the "72" today? No closer than they were three years ago.

As they have struggled to approach, Chrysler "72" has pulled away and gallops around and past them with more than the ease of the old original Chrysler sensation-car of 1924.

There may be pocket-book reasons for choosing cars of lesser price than the "72." There simply cannot be a valid reason for paying as much or more for any car other than the "72."

Illustrious New Chrysler "72" Prices—Two-passenger Coupe (with rumble seat), \$1545; Royal Sedan, \$1595; Sport Roadster (with rumble seat), \$1595; Four-passenger Coupe, \$1595; Town Sedan, \$1695; Convertible Coupe (with rumble seat), \$1745; Crown Sedan, \$1795. All prices f. o. b. Detroit, subject to current Federal excise tax. Chrysler dealers are in a position to extend the convenience of time payments.

New Chrysler "Red-Head" Engine—designed to take full advantage of high-compression gas, standard equipment on all body models of the 112 h. p. Imperial '30," also standard on the roadsters and available at slight extra cost for other body types, of the '62" and '72."

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