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BALLINGER, TEXAS, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1928

MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

## Chicago Officer Shot to Death

(By International News Service)  
 CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Thomas Geary, of the Chicago Detective Bureau, was shot and instantly killed in a soft drink parlor here today. Henry Mullarkey, a bartender, was arrested as the slayer.

## New Search for Missing Witness

(By International News Service)  
 NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Lacking certain vital evidence, District Attorney Joab Bantzen today renewed his search for important witnesses in the Arnold-Rothstein murder mystery prior to seeking an indictment next week of George McManus and two other unnamed persons.

GREENSBORO, N. C., Dec. 1.—Four men, said to be suspected in the murder of Arnold Rothstein, were held by the police here today after their arrest on narcotic charges. The men gave their names as G. H. Wilkes, J. Lemme, Leo J. Curley and W. R. Whirlow.

## District Meeting at Merkel December 6

The last district meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for the year will be held in Merkel on December 6, according to a program sent out by that organization from Stamford. The meeting will attract much interest and a large attendance from all over this section of the state is expected.

Legislation that is needed in this section will be the principal key note to the meeting and many able speakers will be there to tell what they think will help in legislative matters in West Texas.

Among the speakers who will be on the program on these matters are: Hon. R. Q. Lee, Senator Walter Woodward, Hon. Oliver Cunningham and Homer D. Wade. The Lions Club of Merkel will serve a luncheon at noon at which time entertainment features and other speakers will be presented. The entertainment features will be furnished by Simmons University, Abilene Christian College and McMurry College, all of Abilene.

Ballinger will send a delegation to the meeting but as yet the delegates have not been named.

## October Fire Loss \$997,149

(By International News Service)  
 AUSTIN, Dec. 1.—Fire losses in Texas for the month of October amounted to \$997,149, an increase of slightly more than \$200,000 over September. It was revealed in reports from city and fire marshals to the State Fire Insurance Commission. Electricity caused 35 fires, matches and smoking were responsible for 43, with unknown causes responsible for 163 fires. Twenty fires were caused by incendiarism.

## HUNTER BAGS 18-POINT BUCK

Aribert Hoffman has just returned from Brewster county where he was successful in killing a big buck. The deer had 18 points and Mr. Hoffman has the head at his home where he will be glad to exhibit it to anyone.

Uncle Johnnie Fox left Wednesday for Stacy where he will visit with relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Jennie Kirk left Thursday for Austin to visit her daughter, Miss Louise Kirk.

Miss Lucile Williams of Marshall is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Williams and other relatives in the county.

## Ohio Man is Electrocutted

(By International News Service)  
 COLUMBUS, Dec. 1.—With eyes closed and lips moving silently in a prayer, Charles Hoppe, age 27, confessed murderer of Dorothy Sielagowski, his seven-year-old cousin, was electrocuted today in the Ohio State Penitentiary. Hoppe entered the death chamber holding a large crucifix with Rev. Father O'Brien, who was whispering encouragingly to him.

## Money Wanted to Combat Root Rot

(By International News Service)  
 AUSTIN, Dec. 1.—Plea for a liberal apportionment to combat root rot, a disease which is destructive to cotton plants in certain counties of the state, was made by the board of control by a delegation of cotton planters who recently called here.

The delegation asked that the appropriation made for this purpose in the budget for A & M College be increased for the coming year. The board of control indicated that it would favorably consider the request.

## Texas Cattle at Chicago Show

(By International News Service)  
 CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—When the International Live Stock Exposition opens its gates out at the Chicago Union Stock Yards for its 29th edition on December 1-8, Texas and Oklahoma will not be found wanting in formidable recruits for this nation-wide competition, frequently referred to as the "Battle of the Breeds."

Fed, fitted, and shown by six of the leading livestockmen of these two states, the 355 head of Texas and Oklahoma show stock are expected to give a good accounting for their owners and their state before the close of this foremost agricultural event of the year.

Three farm boys from Woods county, Okla., Gaines Gormley, Wiley Morse and Russell Van Buskirk, will visit the 1928 international, in the hope of equaling the record made by three other boys from Oklahoma last year in the non-collegiate live stock judging contest, who won the contest. Three Woods county youths were selected to represent the state because of their outstanding ability evinced this fall in state judging contests.

These youngsters, together with about 100 other young people from Oklahoma and the Lone Star state, will have the opportunity to compete for the trophies offered in the international junior competitions, which were presented by Sir Thomas Lipton, world famous sportsman and merchant.

They are to be specially fashioned by Sir Thomas' own silversmith in London, who designed the famous "Challenge Cup" and other trophies awarded in the international yacht races and regattas in which Sir Thomas has long taken an active part.

Another Lipton cup to be presented that is of particular interest to Texas and Oklahoma is that to be awarded the winning team in the inter-collegiate live stock judging contest. Both Texas and Oklahoma agricultural college teams, always formidable contenders for top place in this contest, which is participated in by students from several states and from Canadian provinces, will again each be represented by seven student judges in the coming contest, scheduled to be held on the opening day of the show, Dec. 1.

## THE WEATHER

East Texas: Cloudy. West Texas: Fair tonight; partly cloudy Sunday, with possible rain or snow in the Panhandle.

A classified ad in The Daily Ledger will get results.

## Violent Earth Tremor Felt at Many Places

(By International News Service)  
 BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 1.—A series of sharp earthquake shocks were reported from Central Chili today. Many persons are known to have been injured. It is feared many were killed in Talca, a city of 40,000 which was badly shaken.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—An earth tremor estimated to be 5,300 miles distant was recorded on the seismograph at the University of Chicago today.

## Pioneer Cotton Man Passes to His Reward



W.C. PENN

W. C. Penn, pioneer cotton buyer and a factor in the growth of Ballinger for the last 28 years, passed from this life at his home on Eighth Street Friday evening at 6:35 o'clock, following an illness of several months.

Mr. Penn was born in Tennessee in 1867. He moved with his family to Brownwood about 30 years ago and to Ballinger some 28 years ago. He had always been for all the things which stood for the upbuilding of Ballinger, and was a successful business man and cotton buyer, having followed that business for 33 years. Most farmers of this section learned long ago that when they brought cotton to Ballinger that they could always get a square deal when they traded with Mr. Penn. He had operated for many years independently and was for a number of years associated with W. B. Ray, now a successful cotton broker of Corpus Christi. Mr. Penn was a very capable man when it came to forecasting what the outcome of a crop would be for a given year and was also considered expert at calculating the price trend of the staple.

Mr. Penn had reared to maturity a large family and was one of the most thoughtful fathers in the world; what his children needed was always first in his mind and if in his power they always had what was best for them. He was a companion to his children and was also intimate with many men. He was a good advisor for business and could always render service to his friends and was never too busy to listen to the troubles of his fellow man.

Left to mourn his going are three sons, Noel, Clint and Tom; seven daughters, Mrs. R. G. Parks, Ballinger; Mrs. J. H. Tucker, Jermyn; Mrs. D. W. Moody, Huntington, Tenn.; Mrs. A. B. Johnston, Miami, Fla.; Mrs. John Scott, Denton; Mrs. C. W. Thorp, Georgetown; and Miss Katherine Penn, Ballinger; one sister, Mrs. S. E. Moody, Waco; three brothers, L. T. Penn, Waco; L. J. Penn, Fort Worth, and J. I. Penn, Waco.

Funeral services are to be conducted from the residence at 308 Eighth street, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor of the First Presby-

terian church officiating, and Rev. W. H. Doss, Methodist minister, will assist. Rev. Doss has for years been an intimate friend of Mr. Penn's.

Active pallbearers will be J. F. McMillan, John Currie, W. R. Clark, W. C. McCarver, Dr. S. B. Raby and Geo. Vaughn.

Honorary pallbearers will be E. D. Walker, E. H. Loke, C. L. Baker, R. W. Earnshaw, J. O. Green, Terry Hays, J. McGregor, Wesley Reese, Delbert Vancil, Geo. P. Holman, W. R. Bogle, Sam Baker, Ross Murchison, E. F. Batts, Will Golden, Lee Huddleston, W. B. Woody, W. B. Ray, Sam Cottelle, C. Korngay, M. H. Watson, Lloyd Herring, A. Maybur, C. P. Shepherd, Dan Moser, E. M. Eubank, Joe J. Beck, R. E. Williamson, L. B. Stubbs, U. E. Hartman, A. J. Thorp, John I. Guion, R. E. George, J. Whit Patterson, Brook Smith, W. A. Butler, R. A. Hall, Will March, J. C. Richards, Floyd Carr, Dr. W. B. Halley, R. T. Williams, R. F. Sharp, J. A. Sharp, H. B. O'Kelly and E. J. O'Kelly.

Interment will be made in Evergreen Cemetery Sunday afternoon following the service at the residence, with Higginbotham Bros. & Company in charge at the grave.

## King George Is No Worse

(By International News Service)  
 LONDON, Dec. 1.—King George suffered last night and his temperature increased today, it was officially announced. The Prince of Wales was still at Dard, Salaam, British Africa, but expects to sail on the British warship Enterprise tomorrow, accompanied by his younger brother, the Duke of Gloucester.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—King George passed a fair night but suffered a slight rise in temperature, a bulletin issued at 10:30 a. m. by the royal physicians stated. "The general condition remains unchanged" the bulletin stated.

## Jury Recommends Shake-up of Police

(By International News Service)  
 CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—A drastic shake-up of the Chicago police department appeared certain today, following recommendation of a special Cook county grand jury, which was investigating crime, that the local police department should be the subject of a sweeping investigation.

## Stearns Appointed As Bank Examiner

(By International News Service)  
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—E. W. Stearns, formerly of Cleveland, was today appointed chief national bank examiner. Stearns was formerly a deputy and is succeeded in that capacity by John L. Proctor, formerly of Minister.

## REQUISITION HONORED

(By International News Service)  
 AUSTIN, Dec. 1.—The requisition issued by Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York for the return of Mathias Stanton Doyle, reported under arrest at Del Rio, was honored today by Governor Dan Moody. The accused man is wanted at Schenectady, N. Y., being charged with abandonment.

## Foundered Ship Crew is Saved

(By International News Service)  
 PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 1.—Unable to take the swamped Chief Maquilla in tow due to bad weather, the Yogen Maru was reported to be standing by today after taking off the entire crew with the exception of Captain Escott. The commander believes the Japanese ship will tow the foundering freighter to Dutch Harbor, Alaska.

## Hoover Crosses The Earth's Belt

(By International News Service)  
 ABOARD U. S. S. MARYLAND, Dec. 1.—President-elect Herbert Hoover reached the equator today for the first good will visit to South America. The Maryland arrived off the Gulf of Guayaquil before daylight. Mr. Hoover expected to spend the first night ashore since leaving San Pedro, Calif.

The president-elect was highly gratified over the cordial tone of the messages he has received from South American capitals he will visit and believes the trip is strengthening international friendships.

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The best way to advance in understanding of the problems of childhood is to remember one's own youth.—Woman's Home Companion.

**EUROPEAN RACERS COMING AGAIN FOR SPEED CLASSICS**

(By International News Service)  
**DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. Dec. 1.**—European race drivers will again compete with Americans at the annual international speed classics to be held here during the latter part of January or the early part of February.

Mayor E. H. Armstrong of Daytona Beach has word that at least two previous assaulters of the world's speed record—one of them successful—will be back when the word is given for the mighty machines to swing into the supreme test.

Major H. O. D. Seagrave, who two years ago established a record which last season was shattered by the 36 cylinder tri-motored monster created by J. M. White, Philadelphia manufacturer and sportsman, has already cabled that he will return.

White also will be present, together with Ray Keech, of Philadelphia, who piloted the machine down the beach sands here last April at a speed of 207.55 miles an hour. White has not announced whether his machine will be the same this year as last, or whether it has been changed to increase its speed.

Major Seagrave, however, came out with the statement that he has selected a new machine which is much faster than the big one which two seasons ago startled the automobile world with its speed.

The new speedster, the details of which have not been disclosed, is capable of a speed of 240 miles an hour or better. Major Seagrave intended Mayor Armstrong if probably will be driven by Seagrave himself, as the other was.

**ESTHONIA CUSTOMS MEN FIND FISH NETS USED TO SMUGGLE BRUSSELS LACE**

(By International News Service)  
**HEVEL, Dec. 1.**—Esthonia fish growing fond of luxury rawas. The police of Reval just found out that considerable lots of goods which were declared at the customs-house as fish-nets contained precious Brussels laces amounting to millions of francs.

It is expected that the customs-house officials will be caught in these nets.

Victoria—A. W. Krueger erected one-story brick and tile drug store on West Constitution Street.

Rotan—New creamery and ice factory will be in operation here soon.

**M. H. BOYNTON APPOINTED ASST. U. S. DIST. ATTORNEY**

M. H. Boynton received notice Saturday morning of his appointment to the office of 1st Assistant United States District Attorney. Mr. Boynton was supposed to start on his new job December 1 but was unable to get to Fort Worth for several days. Mrs. Boynton, who is now visiting in Fort Worth, will return here at once and as soon as they can arrange their affairs here will leave for that city.

Mr. Boynton was formerly with the office both in Fort Worth and at Dallas. He returned here last year from Dallas when oil was discovered on the McMillan place and formed a partnership with A. K. Doss in the general practice of law. Mr. Boynton has been practicing alone since Mr. Doss moved to Abilene several months ago. His appointment to the position of first assistant is a promotion over that which he formerly held and is also a wonderful opportunity for an attorney.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Boynton have many friends in Ballinger who will be sorry to see them leave, but who will rejoice in Mr. Boynton's new field of opportunities.

Jack Wheeler and Coach Wright were over attending the Daniel Baker-Southwestern football game at Brownwood Thursday.

Judge Paul Trimmer was visiting with the Offen folks Thursday and took advantage of the big turkey dinner which was served by the church at that place.

Judge A. K. Doss of Abilene was here on business Saturday.

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**P-T. A MEETING WEDNESDAY**

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Mrs. Wear, president of the organization, will give her report of the meeting of the Mothers' Congress at Amarillo.

The third grade will give the best part of the program.

**PERSONALS**

Dick T. Parks and Gary Harmon of Corpus Christi, are visiting in

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W. A. Forgy and family spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Fort Worth.

Balogne Reese, Eldwin Williams, David Baker, Jack Lynn and Tony Marsh were in Brownwood Thursday attending the football game.

Drew Dickson, George Kirk, Homer Voelkel, Roy Smith, Jarvis Robinson and Fat Middleton attended the football game in Brownwood Thursday.

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**MOVIES**

**Colleen Moore in New Type of Picture**

In a picture decidedly different from anything in which she has appeared in the past, Colleen Moore, winsome First National star, comes to the Palace Theatre next Monday and Tuesday in her latest starring picture, "Happiness Ahead."

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business man. The manner in which she discovers the truth, and the subsequent action of the principal characters, gives "Happiness Ahead" a plot which is unique in the extreme. Edmund Lowe plays the chief supporting role in "Happiness Ahead," which was written by Edmund Goulding. Other members of the supporting cast are Lilyan Tashman, Edythe Chapman, Charles Sellon, Robert Elliott and Virginia Sale. John McCormick produced "Happiness Ahead," and William A. Seiter directed from a scenario prepared by Benjamin Glazer.

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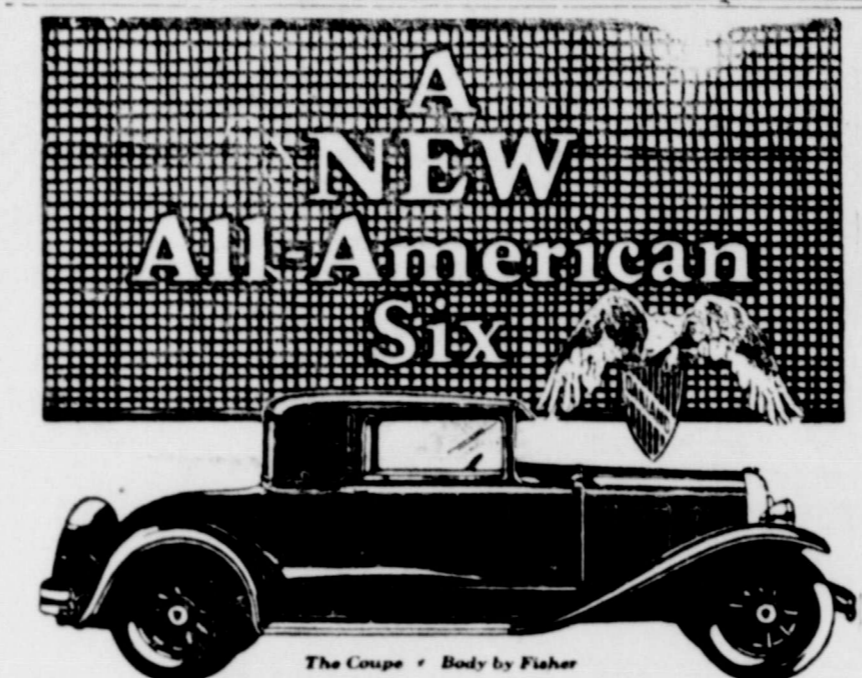
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**First Presbyterian Church**  
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.  
11 a. m. Morning worship.  
2 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor.  
6:15 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.  
7:00 p. m. Evening worship.  
A cordial welcome to worship with this congregation is extended to all who do not have a church home elsewhere.  
E. W. McLAURIN, pastor.

**First Christian Church**  
(Broadway & Murrell)  
Bible school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11 a. m. Subject, "I Would Know Him."  
Evening worship 7 p. m. Sermon subject, "The Doom of Delay."  
You are most cordially welcome at our services.  
ALFRED CRAGER, Pastor.

**Episcopal Church**  
Sunday school at the regular hour.  
Visitors are welcome.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
9:45 a. m. Sunday school. S. C. Chrisko, superintendent.  
11 a. m. preaching.  
7 p. m. N. Y. P. S.  
7 p. m. Junior N. Y. P. S.  
Mrs. Irene Brown, president.  
Preaching at 7:45 p. m.  
You are cordially invited.  
W. LAWSON BROWN, Pastor.

**Methodist Church**  
You are always welcome at the Methodist church. Our services are brief and to the point. We shall do our best to make you feel glad that you came.  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
Prayermeeting every Wednesday at 7 p. m.  
Woman's Missionary Society every Monday afternoon.  
Stewards' meeting Thursday night after every first Sunday.  
Welcome.  
R. B. HOOPER, Pastor.

**Church of God**  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m.  
Young People's Meeting, 7 p. m.  
Evening service at 8 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.  
There will also be preaching

each Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited to attend.  
Q. R. WILLIAMS, Pastor.

**Eighth Street Church of Christ**  
(Corner of Eighth Street and Bonsal Avenue)  
Bible study, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.  
Young people's meeting 7 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

**Ballinger Baptist Church**  
9:45 a. m. Sunday school; E. E. King, superintendent.  
11 a. m. Preaching service, by pastor.  
6:30 p. m. Meetings of B. Y. P. U's.; R. E. White, director.  
7:30 p. m. Preaching service, by pastor.  
4 p. m. Monday, Sunbeam Band.  
8:30 Mrs. Burns Holt, leader.  
7:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer-meeting followed by choir practice.  
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Alton Brady, director.  
J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor.

**Eighth Street Presbyterian Church**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. S. P. Hathaway, Superintendent.

**Ballinger Men's Bible Class**  
at the Palace Theatre at 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship at 11 a. m. Subject "The Triumph of the Cross."  
Junior Christian Endeavor at 2 p. m. Miss Kelly Bowden, superintendent.  
Senior Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Mrs. G. P. Teague, president.  
Evening worship at 7 p. m. Subject "God's Providence."  
If you have not a spiritual home you are cordially invited to worship with us.  
A friendly church.  
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**Sheriff's Sale**  
The State of Texas  
County of Runnels.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, of the 15th day of November 1928, by Georgia Singletary, clerk of said District Court for the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Thirty and No/100 Dollars and One Hundred Thirty Five and 50/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a in favor of George W. Norton, III, and John Coleman Jr. Trustee and Jake Stubblefield in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3509 and

styled George W. Norton III, et al vs Juan Gonzales, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, R. E. McWilliams as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did, on the 16th day of November 1928, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: A certain tract or parcel of land, being a part of the Burnett County School land survey known as Abstract Numbered Nineteen (19) patented by the State of Texas to Burnett County by patent No. 280 Volume 16, dated Sept. 21st, 1860 and recorded in Book A. Pages 277-78 of Runnels County, Texas clerk's office and being out of Block No. 2 of a subdivision of said Burnett County School lands according to a plat thereof recorded April 29th., 1889 in "Book of Plats" Vol. 7 page 332 1/2 Runnels County Records, the land hereby conveyed being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point in the South line of the aforesaid Block No. 2, 10 vrs. West of the S. E. corner of said Block No. 2 for the Southeast corner of the tract hereby conveyed; Thence West with the South line of said

Block No. 2, 1169 vrs. to the Southeast corner of W. K. Daniels 100 acres tract for the Southwest corner of the tract hereby conveyed; Thence North passing said Daniels Northeast corner, 821 vrs. to a stake for N. W. corner of the tract hereby conveyed; Thence E. 1169 vrs. to a stake in the West line of a public road and 10 vrs. W. of the East line of Block No. 2, for the Northeast corner of the tract hereby conveyed; Thence South with the West line of said road and parallel with the East line of said Block 2, 821 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing One Hundred and Seventy (170) acres and no more and levied upon as the property of Juan Gonzales and that on the first Tuesday in December 1928, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the city of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Foreclosure Judgment I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendus, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property

of said Juan Gonzales.  
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once each week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Ballinger Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Ballinger, Runnels County.  
Witness my hand, this 16th day of November 1928.  
R. E. McWILLIAMS,  
Sheriff Runnels County, Texas.  
17-26-Dec.1

Henslee Lot 10, Block 3, Southside Addition to Winters, \$200.  
I. R. Hart and wife to R. F. Hart one-half interest in part of Block 42 Town of Miles, \$900.  
S. M. Farmer to E. B. Graves one-half interest in Lot 6, Block E, Town of Miles, \$50.  
Bess Graves, et al to S. M. Farmer, Lot 6, Block E, Town of Miles, \$50.  
G. W. Clayton and wife to F. E. Clayton 234 1-3 acres and 336 7/8 acres \$19,000.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**  
The following deeds have been filed for record in the county clerk's office:  
T. C. Jennings and wife to R. H. Henslee, Lot 2, Block E, Murray East Dd., Winters, \$100.  
J. B. Phelps and wife to R. H.

The Christmas spirit is becoming more evident each day and the purchasing of merchandise suitable for that occasion is becoming more and more noticeable.  
It won't be long now and you won't be glad you waited. Order your Christmas cards now. Ballinger Printing Company. dtf

## Watch This Space

Mrs. Frank Cameron's bundle consisted of the following:  
Two Shirts, soft; 1 Shirt, flannel; 1 Union Suit, light; 2 Pants; 1 Dress; 1 Apron; 6 Towels, bath; 2 Sheets; 3 Pillow Slips; 3 Rags.  
Weight of bundle, 13 lbs.; Wet Wash, 65c; Rough Dry, \$1.05; Family Finish, \$1.45.

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To be sure of getting delicious, fruits, Vegetables and other foods at the minimum cost phone 318 or 357.

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The following Toilet Articles in a neat little kit—

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Delicious Cakes and Pies fresh every day. An actual saving in money and the work of baking for the housewife.

All Pies and Cakes Wrapped in Wax Paper. Phone Us Your Order

Call for Connelly's Bread at Your Grocer We Appreciate It

## Ballinger Steam Bakery

On 8th Street Phone 25

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These Tires are Guaranteed for one full year—against any road hazard:

30x3 1/2 4-ply Seiberling Tire	\$ 8.40
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29x4.40 4-ply Seiberling Balloon Tire	10.25
30x4.50 6-ply Seiberling Balloon Tire	14.40
31x5.25 6-ply Seiberling Balloon Tire	18.75
33x6.00 6-ply Seiberling Balloon Tire	22.20

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## DID YOU GET YOUR CAR

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GARAGE

Phone 34

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You Must Be Pleased

# CLASSIFIED ADS.

**Rates and Rules**  
 Two cents per word first insertion and no advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents. All subsequent insertions 1c per word each insertion.  
 All classified advertisements must be accompanied by cash, unless advertiser has a regular account with this paper.  
 No classified advertisement accepted on an "until ordered out" basis. The number of times the ad is to run must be specified.

**TURKEYS** — Mammoth Bronze, young toms of May hatch, 18 to 24 pounds \$12.50; June hatch \$10; earliest pullets \$7.50; later ones \$6. Write or phone Mrs. John Lacy, Miles, Texas. 1-4d

**FOR SALE** — Full blood Bronze Turkeys. Mrs. D. Oliver, phone 5304. 1-6d

**FOR SALE** — A carload of fresh milk cows and springers. See W. F. Street at new barn adjoining Lynn's wood yard. 1-2d\*

**FOR SALE OR RENT** — 5 room new house on Eighth Street, modern conveniences. L. E. Bair. 1-2d

**Agents Wanted**  
**AGENTS MAKE** money selling Bliss Native Herbs for constipation, indigestion, rheumatism, liver and kidneys, 200 treatments \$1.00. Excellent spare time work for men and women. Easy to make money. Write for free sample, new almanac and agency plans. ALONZO O. BLISS MEDICAL CO., Dept. 656, Washington, D. C. 1-1d\*

**FOR RENT** — Two rooms for light housekeeping. Mrs. Orgain, phone 308, 706 Eighth Street. 30-3d

**FOR RENT** — Two furnished rooms. Phone 1309. 30-3d

**FOR RENT** — Bed room, close to town. Private. Phone 99. 26-6d\*

**FOR SALE** — New five room home, east front at 1063 Sixth Street. Phone 253, E. E. Avey. 17-26d  
 Be wise and advertise.

## Cotton Crop is Short That of '27

W. A. Esmond, government cotton reporter for Runnels county reports that up to November 14 this year, Runnels county had ginned 38,780 bales of cotton, counting round bales as square.  
 The report on the same date a year ago showed 47,960 bales, a difference of nearly 9,000 bales.  
 The difference in output is attributed to the fact that Runnels county has had so much rainy and unfavorable picking weather. Had the pickers been allowed to gather the staple continuously it is thought that ginnings would have equaled or surpassed that of a year ago.  
 In some sections of the county picking is about completed while in other parts the crop has been picked over but once.  
 Owing to the fairly stiff price received for the staple this year, it is figured that the price for a slightly short crop will offset the difference in a long crop and a poor price.

Better hurry around and select that Christmas card order before it is too late. Ballinger Printing Company. dti

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

- F. A. Smith and Miss Georgia Marsh.
- C. C. Gentry and Miss Edna Earl Harwell.
- J. B. Mackey and Miss Georgia Mae Cumbie.
- Calvin B. Lee and Miss Geneva Hunter.
- Raymond Knight and Miss Alta Taylor.
- Lonnie Garrett and Miss Maye Taylor.
- D. E. Richardson and Miss Ruth Monroe.
- Mack Halfmann and Miss Emma Gerngross.
- Mrs. Bertha Tate of Bellville, is visiting in the home of Mrs. Augusta Bethany.
- Rev. and Mrs. J. H. McClain, Mrs. R. T. Williams and Mrs. E. Sheppard were visitors at the B. Y. P. U. state convention at San Angelo Friday.

## McMillan Ranch Sold to Reeder

A deal was closed Friday in which D. Reeder and Roy Reeder purchased the W. L. McMillan ranch 10 miles northwest of Ballinger. The ranch has between 1200 and 1300 acres in it and while the exact price was not stated, Mr. Reeder said that when improvements which are contemplated were completed the price of the ranch would be more than \$30,000.

This is one of the largest cash deals to be made in the county recently. The ranch has recently been fenced with a wolf-proof fence and is an excellent range for sheep. Mr. Reeder stated that they planned to stock the place at a later date and will probably run a large flock of sheep there next year. In addition to the excellent range there are about 600 acres of this land that is good for cultivation and should the new owners decide to include a part of the place in farms, approximately one half of the land can easily be put under cultivation.

It was stated that improvements would be made immediately after the first of the year and that after these are completed a keeper will be placed on the property to manage it.

### Notice to Customers

I wish to notify all my milk customers that I am going out of business on December 3. I wish to express my sincere thanks to all my customers for their patronage and fair treatment and regret on account of falling health to discontinue my dairy business. Deliveries will be made next Monday morning for the last time.  
 Respectfully,  
 W. F. JACKSON. 1-2d\*

L. O. Sykes of the Sykes Motor company is leaving Sunday for Dallas, where he will view the showing of the new Whippet automobile, which will be offered the public some time in the near future.

T. S. Lankford of Abilene was here Saturday attending to business.

## BIRTUS

**Wanda Joyce Ransbarger**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Ransbarger are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby girl. The young lady has been named Wanda Joyce.

**Claudia Elizabeth Burk**  
 A seven and one-quarter pound baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Burk on Thanksgiving evening. Claudia Elizabeth will be the young lady's name. Both the baby and Mrs. Burk are doing nicely.

## DEATHS

**H. O. V. Humble**  
 H. O. V. Humble, age 76 years, 3 months and 21 days, died at the family home in South Ballinger at 6 a. m. Saturday.

The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon with an elder of the Church of Christ officiating. Mr. Humble was a member of the Ninth Street Church of Christ of Ballinger.

He is survived by a wife and the following children: Charles of Wichita Falls; Roy of Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. Lizzie Blackstone of California; O. S. of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mrs. Ella Leddie of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Walshhalt of Sabin, and the following children who reside in Ballinger, Mrs. Geo. Dankworth, Mrs. Dewey Burks, Stafford, Houston and Howard. Billie Smith of Ballinger, Clayton Smith of Stacy, Melton Smith of Gouldbusk and Sam Smith of Stacy are brothers of Mrs. Humble. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery with King-Holt undertakers in charge at the grave.

Ballinger Chapter No. 184 - R. A. M. Ballinger Council No. 122

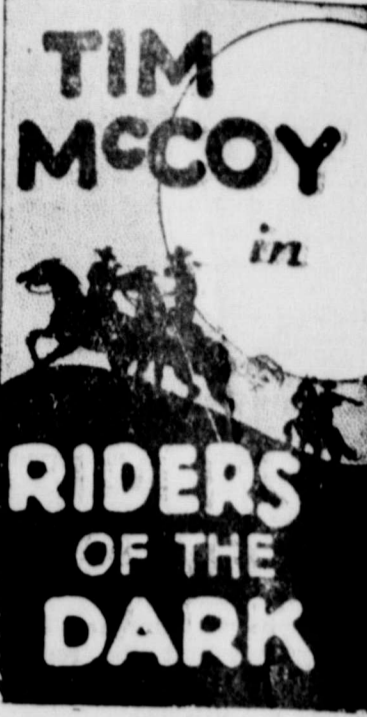
Regular stated meetings held on 2nd Friday in each month. Members requested to attend. Visiting companions cordially invited.  
 J. McGregor Secy. Noel Penn H. P.

O. E. S. Ballinger Chapter No. 266 Order of Eastern Star Regular meetings Second Monday in each month at 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.  
 GRIFFIE ATKINS, W. M. IONE TEAGUE, Secretary.

The following young ladies attended the State B. Y. P. U. convention in San Angelo Friday: Louise and Cordilia Batts, Thelma and Velma Parrish, Hazel Fulton, Mildred and Zemina Street and Margarita Truly.

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"THE GIRL SHY COWBOY"

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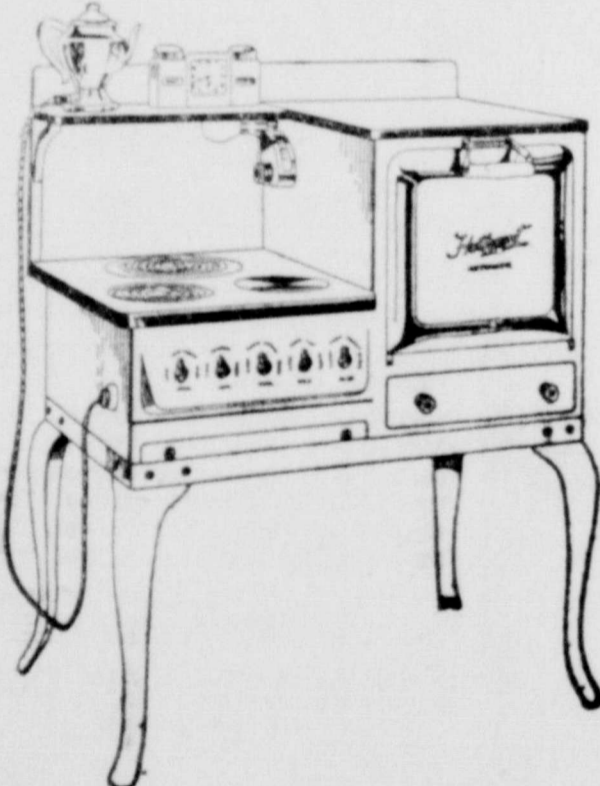
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The Milk Wagon will leave the Creamery at 5 o'clock a. m. and again at 5 o'clock p. m.

- Whole Milk—15c per quart
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