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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Governor's Message Covers 16 Subjects

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, May 1.—Governor Dan Moody today threw open the gates in topics submitted for legislation during the special session when he sent up a message to the legislature allowing 16 additional subjects. Included in the subjects listed was public utilities, compact of several states for the distribution of waters from the Canadian and Rio Grande Rivers, banking legislation, livestock sanitation and tick eradication, insurance legislation, sanitary code, Confederate pensions, fee legislation and legislation for better defining duties of the Agricultural & Mechanical College and the State Department of Agriculture.

SPANISH CLUB GIVES BANQUET AT HIGH SCHOOL

Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock 30 members of the Spanish Club sat down at the banquet table in the dining room of the cooking department at Ballinger High School. The atmosphere was charged with odors of everything Spanish. The color scheme was red, white and green, appropriate colors for a Spanish function.

When the members took their seats at the table they found individual green and white place cards and programs in the form of Mexican sombreros. The program was as follows:

La Estudiantina—Todos.
Invocation—Federico Spreen, Presidente del Club

Musica
Dibujos y Chistes—H. C. Spencer
First, Mrs. H. C. Spencer, teacher of Spanish, and sponsor of the club, as hostess, asked the members to rise and sing "The Student" a beautiful Spanish song that all the members had learned. Fred Spreen president of the club, then gave the Lord's Prayer as an invocation. Music was supplied by a Victrola and a bountiful repertoire of Spanish music.

The menu or "Lista de los Platos" was composed of "Tamales a la Ben Martinez," chili con carne, arroz, pan y mantequilla, ensalada, nieve y bollo. This was served by the girls of the cooking department, under direction of Miss Parker, teacher of domestic science. After the dessert of ice cream and cake the members were asked to withdraw to the high school auditorium to see the chalk talk by H. C. Spencer, listed on the program as "dibujos y chistes." Mr. Spencer succeeded in touching the funny bones of the Spanish savants with his "chistes," and in entertaining them with cartoons, and chalk paintings in full colors.

Dallas—Construction of the Federal Building in Dallas will start about May 15.

Sixty-Three Women Take Breakfast Here

Sixty-three club women from all sections of Runnels county were guests of the chamber of commerce at a breakfast served at the City Cafe Wednesday morning at 7:45. The ladies gathered in Ballinger to go on an all-day inspection of the living rooms recently judged in the county contest.

Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth, county home demonstration agent, was in charge of the party and the caravan of cars left Ballinger near 8:30 for the first stop at Old Runnels. Sufficient time will be given at each stop for each living room to be carefully inspected by all the ladies and one of the ladies will tell of the work that has been done to accomplish the results.

The ladies enjoyed a picnic lunch on the banks of the Colorado River west of Maverick at noon where a short program was given by the ladies. Each club represented on the trip furnished a stunt on the program which was very enjoyable to all present.

The last stop was made at Miles at about 4 o'clock after which the caravan broke up and everyone returned home by the shortest route.

Teachers Elected By Board Tuesday

At the regular meeting of the Ballinger Independent School Board Tuesday night teachers for the coming year were elected for the entire school. Every old teacher who has been here this year and was an applicant for the job was re-elected by the board. This proves that the present school system is getting along fine and that those in charge consider the faculty efficient in every department.

Two new teachers were elected in the primary department. This gives ten teachers in this department with only eight rooms in that building. The board is at present considering plans for the opening of two rooms in the West Ward building to relieve the congested conditions existing in the primary school and in this way will be able to have full day periods in each class. This year it has been necessary to have half day sessions in the first grade and the board hopes to overcome this before the opening of the next school year.

Three teachers with the faculty this year were not re-elected for the coming year. Mrs. Delight Tassin and Miss Dorothy Chaney will attend school next year and were not applicants for their positions. Miss Chaney will go to New York to continue her studies next fall. Miss Lula Bell Daniel intends to quit the profession and would not accept a position here to teach the coming year.

A new assistant coach was elected to assist Mr. Wright in handling school athletics. This will release Mr. Weaver from that duty and will enable him to focus his attention to junior athletics.

Following is a list of the members elected Tuesday night by the board of trustees:

Primary

Mrs. W. A. Bridwell, principal and First Grade.

Mrs. Clifford Rhoden, First Grade.

Miss Pearl Daniel, First Grade, Temple, Texas.

Miss Sydney Sturgiss, Second Grade.

Miss Malcorine Wardlaw, Second Grade.

Mrs. H. C. Lyon, Second Grade.

Miss Grace Murchison, Third Grade.

Miss Elloise Walker, Third Grade.

Miss Luddie Mae Harrison, Fourth Grade.

Miss Helen Anderson, Fourth Grade.

Elementary

M. B. Weaver, principal.

Miss Emma Sheffield, Reading

Miss Zemma Street, English.

Mrs. Joe Forman, Science.

Miss Irene Trousdale, History.

Miss Gladys Geistman, Writing and Drawing.

Miss Lucile Bishop, San Angelo Schools, Public School Music.

High School

H. C. Lyon, superintendent.

J. B. Pace, principal.

Miss Arminda Timmons, Advanced English.

Mrs. Bessie Liddell Lowe, English.

Miss Helen Brewer, history.

Miss Ullis Newton, Science.

Miss Maryatt Smith, Latin.

Mrs. H. C. Spencer, Spanish.

H. C. Spencer, Manual Training.

Hazel Hamilton, Mathematics.

Felton Wright, Coach and Mathematics.

Wayne Fitzgerald, Simmons University, FitzGerald, Assistant Coach and Commercial Department.

Miss Elizabeth Parker, Home Economics.

Miss Louise Doss, Music.

Mexican School

Mrs. M. B. Webb.

Colored School

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Robinson.

BROWN COAL DEPOSITS DISCOVERED IN GERMANY

BERLIN, May 1.—Deposits of lignite or brown coal, 10 to 13 feet thick and covering some 9,000 acres, have been discovered along the railroad line between Landsberg and Scheidemuehl.

Be wise and advertise.

Rebels Surrender Without Shot Fired

(By International News Service)
NOGALES, Ariz., May 1.—The surrender of Nogales, Sonora, by the rebels without firing a shot, left the federal troops in complete control today and marked the end of the organized Mexican revolution. Panic seized the rank and file as they were left by rebel leaders to face consequences. Most of them fled into the United States. Yaqui Indians revealed the leader who advised them to surrender and prepared to hold their stronghold till lack of food made them decide to abandon their plans. They fled to the mountain fastness nearby. Revolutionists and their families, gathering their pitiful all, swarmed over the line here.

Mule Kick is Fatal to Youth

(By International News Service)
PARIS, May 1.—Injuries received late yesterday when he was kicked by a mule at his home near Lone Oak, today proved fatal for Johnnie Wilson, 18. His skull was fractured.

New York Has Big May Day Parade

(By International News Service)
NEW YORK, May 1.—This city today witnessed its first May Day parade since 1916. Thousands of communists, laborers, representatives of labor unions and others were scheduled to assemble at Union Square at 1 o'clock this afternoon to start on the long march through the principal thoroughfares. Violent outbreaks in Berlin between police and demonstrators were reported. There were large demonstrations in Moscow, Budapest, London and Paris.

Rotary Club Elects Officers

The Ballinger Rotary Club met at their regular mid-week luncheon Wednesday with a good attendance of members. The election of officers for the coming year consumed most of the session hour Wednesday and no program was held.

Officers elected at the meeting Wednesday will take office on July 1. President H. C. Lyon, who has held that position since the organization of the club here tendered his resignation at the meeting from the middle of May until the new officers are installed in July. The meetings will be presided over by First Vice President E. Shepperd until that time.

The new officers elected Wednesday were Alfred Crager, president; Joe Neff, vice president; Cicero Smith, secretary, and Elmer Shepperd, treasurer.

The board of directors is composed of Warren Lynn, Doug Motley and H. C. Lyon.

The Rotary Club has enjoyed a marvelous growth during the last year and has carried on a program that has made loyal workers of its entire membership.

Hallettsville — Approximately \$50,000 will be spent here for street paving this year.

Be wise and advertise.

California Student Flyer Killed in S. A.

(By International News Service)
SAN ANTONIO, May 1.—Second Lieutenant John C. Banta, 22, a student officer of the army flying school at Brooks Field, was instantly killed today when his plane crashed as he attempted to land. His ship burned. Banta was a native of the Philippine Islands and a graduate of West Point. His home was in Chico, Calif.

P.-T. A. Annual Report is Given

The Ballinger P.-T. A. closed one of its most successful years with a total membership of 177. This is by far the largest membership we have ever had. Into every meeting was put something vital and worth while. Both parents and teachers feel that there has been a closer relation established between the two because of this contact.

The citizens of the town have co-operated generously and in a most cordial manner. We wish that we could give the name of each individual who helped us in this work but space will not permit that so we just want to thank everyone and assure you that whatever you did, that it was appreciated.

That we have been carrying on an important work we feel sure and hope next year that those who did not belong this year, but are interested in the work being done, will see that their names will appear on the membership list.

In every way possible the P.-T. A. has co-operated with the health nurse, Miss Alexander. Twenty bottles of milk were furnished free each day to undernourished children that were not able to have it otherwise. Toothbrushes, sippers and straws have also been furnished. Beautiful pictures have been framed for the different rooms.

The public school orchestra was given a donation.

First-aid kits also were bought for the different rooms.

A reception was given for the teachers at the beginning of the school year.

A free luncheon was served to the teachers who attended the teachers' convention.

Through a representative of our local organization many other organizations over the county have become federated and have joined in the summer round-up campaign.

Two entertainments were brought here by the local organization—a pageant, directed by Miss Payne, and an impersonator, Mr. Zelmer.

Total receipts for the year were \$461.07.

The retiring officers were:

Mrs. James Wear, president.

Mrs. Paul Trimmer, first vice president.

Mrs. Lemmie Davis, second vice president.

Mrs. Dick Thorp, third vice president.

Mrs. H. S. Strain, treasurer.

Mrs. R. F. Lane, secretary.

Incoming officers are:

Mrs. Frank Pearce, president.

Mrs. Spencer, first vice president.

Mrs. Alfred Crager, second vice president.

Mrs. G. P. Teague, third vice president.

Mrs. Horace Strain, treasurer.

Mrs. H. C. Lyon, secretary.

Mrs. Kirk Gregory of Stamford, who had been on a visit here, has returned to her home.

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Sinking Ship Sends Distress Message

(By International News Service)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—With 22 men aboard, the schooner Kadiak creeping precariously down the coast today in constant danger of sinking. The ship sent out distress calls last night and asked for assistance, saying she was sinking ten miles off Point Reyes. A complete mystery surrounds the accident but it is believed she may have struck rocks surrounding that point and then pulled clear. With the disabled ship was the Standard Oil tanker Charlie Watson, which was standing by as the ship was trying to make port under her own power.

School Money is Due on May 10th

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, May 1.—The final payment of \$2 per capita on the \$15 per capita apportionment of schools for the year 1928-29 may be made by May 10. State Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs announced today. This completes a total of over \$21,000,000 distributed to schools for this school year.

It couldn't happen to your child but see what happens to the other man's daughter.

The Rising Generation and Life as they are living it.

Wives—Do your husbands have too numerous "business appointments"? Do they belong to too many lodges?

Mothers—Are your daughters stepping out too much? Are they getting away from you?

All of you—Do you know what they are really doing? TAKE THEM TO SEE HELEN FOSTER in "THE ROAD TO RUIN" Palace—Thursday-Friday. 30-2d

The April issue of West Texas Today, official publication of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be in the mails this week. The issue was originally intended to be the convention number, but was not on account of the postponement of the dates for the regional organization's meet.

WEATHER FORECAST

East Texas: Partly cloudy and colder. West Texas: Generally fair and colder.

TOMORROW AND FRIDAY

Democratic Party Holds Organization

(By International News Service)
WASHINGTON, May 1.—Drooping democratic spirits were revived today when it was announced a permanent democratic national headquarters will be established in the capitol. Chairman John J. Raskob made the announcement. In doing so he left the impression that his retirement will not be far distant, perhaps when the present campaign fund deficit is cleared. That deficit, he said, which totalled \$1,550,000 last November, has already been reduced to \$800,000, with excellent prospects of it being reduced to \$500,000 by June. J. J. Shouse, it is said, is to be head of democratic affairs in Washington, with the whole country as his range. He is to give up his business in Kansas City and Missouri and devote all his time to building for the future at Washington headquarters.

SCIENTISTS NOW PLAN TO MEASURE A MOLECULE

NEW YORK, May 1.—The molecule will have its measure taken when the American Chemical Society holds its 77th anniversary meeting at Ohio State University April 30 to May 4.

New methods of measuring its length and width and determining the pattern arrangements of the atoms which compose them will be revealed to the scientists at a "Symposium on Molecular Structure," organized by Prof. Victor K. La Mer of Columbia University.

At the symposium, which will occupy the entire day of April 30, researchers, reporting their newest discoveries, will tell how an atom produces the blue of the washtub and of the artist's brush; how the spectroscope reveals the inner activities of the molecular universe, and how this universe is governed by electrical forces that make it resemble a highly organized solar system.

Dr. Irving Langmuir, president of the American Chemical Society, Dr. F. M. Jaeger, visiting professor at Cornell University from Groningen, Holland; Prof. G. W. Stewart of the University of Iowa, Prof. George L. Clark of the University of Illinois, Prof. Robert S. Mulliken of the University of Chicago, Prof. H. C. Urey of Columbia University, Prof. C. P. Smythe, of Princeton, and Prof. J. W. Williams of the University of Wisconsin, will deliver addresses.

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Daily sandstorms are hurting the young cotton that is just coming up in many sections of the county. Several farmers have reported that the blowing dirt and winds have almost ruined the tender young plants in many sections.

Wednesday was a bad day for the opening of the baseball season but it all goes in the game. It was hard to tell whether it was harder on the players or the fans to endure the wind and dirt Wednesday afternoon. Groundkeeper Bruce Hill did all he possibly could by sprinkling the grounds, but that did not keep the dust from blowing.

The wool clippers have been running overtime in Runnels county the past week and will continue to do so for some time. Some flocks have been clipped and a fair yield has been reported from everyone who has weighed his wool. Weather has been ideal for clipping and at no time has it been cold enough to cause the loss of any sheep.

The re-election of the entire Ballinger school faculty for another year indicates that the teachers have been giving perfect satisfaction and that patrons and the board are well pleased. The Ballinger school system is a real educational institution and we believe it is receiving the co-operation of the entire citizenship of this town. We are sorry to note that three of the teachers will be unable to accept their places here again for next year.

Ballinger and the chamber of commerce were glad to have as guests Wednesday morning the 63 ladies from Runnels county clubs at a breakfast. The large attend-

ance of the ladies showed in a way their interest in the club work and any movement started by the clubs or their leader, Mrs. Hollingsworth. It was a pleasure to have them for breakfast and we hope they will come again and give us the same pleasure.

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IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

Tomorrow's Games:

San Angelo at Ballinger.
Ablene at Coleman.
Midland at Big Spring.
The San Angelo sports writer says that the prospects have changed at the Runnels county capital. He is right. On paper we are out of the cellar and are due to finish first on June 29, the close of the first half. We hope the play off will be with the Herders as they are close by and we should have cement road all the way by that time.

The Bearcats' strength went up greatly Wednesday morning when the club signed Pitcher Tom Vaughn. Vaughn is a long, lean fellow from Bisbee, Ariz. He pitched in the Copper League there last year and won 38 ball games. He will be in a Bearcat uniform Wednesday and will be ready to take his turn within one week.

Another surprise will be made known within the next ten days in the pitching strength of the club.

The catchers are good, the infield is jam-up, the outfield is as good as there is in the league and the pitching staff is beginning to loom up as the best in the league. Get all set for a pennant.

The new Ballinger club has only

been together one day. Two men on the club for the opener have never been out for practice with the Bearcats. This is not an alibi for we are not going to have need of such.

Shortstop Brown is suffering with a bad leg. A blood vessel was ruptured in the leg in an exhibition game and the doctor had to open the leg to drain the clotted blood. Manager Bean is still crippled with a bum ankle which was sustained by him last week. Both men are planning on being in the opener, despite their injuries.

It seemed such a beautiful road—such a wonderful road—but it was only the ROAD TO RUIN. See Helen Foster at Palace—Thursday-Friday. 30-2d

BLANTON NEWS

The singing at Chas. Tounget's Sunday night was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Brevard and family of Belton spent the week-end with relatives and friends in this community.

Miss Bernice Hale of Herring spent the week-end with Miss Alice Foreman.

Miss Maude James of San Angelo visited home folks over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nunnely of Hagan and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cope of Miles visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Foreman Sunday.

Misses Lois Dietz of Crews and Elva Foreman spent Saturday night with Miss Maude James.

Misses Lole Brevard and Juanita Huddleston and Bernice Hale spent Sunday with Miss Alice Foreman.

The singing school at Blanton taught by Prof. U. S. Daniel, is progressing just fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brevard and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde

Brevard Sunday.

Miss Elva Foreman spent Friday night with Miss Alice Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Huddleston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tounget.

Miss Juanita Huddleston attended the banquet at the Baptist church Thursday night given in honor of the senior class.

Miss Mildred Brevard spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Lillian and Carrie Witter.

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"She had been suffering from these troubles for the last fifteen years," he continued, "and for the past two or three years her sufferings have been very great and nothing we could do for her seemed to be a bit of use. She had pains in her back and sides and was in a general rundown condition. She was so restless and nervous she got but little sleep and her appetite was poor and her digestion was weak and she seemed to suffer all the time, especially after eating."

"After she had taken three bottles of Orgatone she got much better and did not complain of having any pain at all. In fact she seemed to be quite free from pain and she sleeps well at night, her appetite is much better and she is not nervous like she was before. She has greatly improved in appearance and her complexion has a more healthy color. Her general condition is a whole lot better than it was and I am certain that Orgatone has been a great benefit to her for it has relieved her of many hours of almost unbearable pain."

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SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT ARRESTS BEER MAKER

The sheriff's department of Runnels county continued their enforcement campaign on the making of beer this week and arrested Santos Falvalo at Rowena Monday. He was assessed a fine of \$45.20 and turned loose. In making the arrest the officers found quite a quantity of beer and two dozen bottles together with a capper and other equipment for making it.

R. E. McWilliams stated several months ago that his department was going into the enforcement of this law very rigidly and since that time a number of raids and arrests have been made. The officers will continue to watch this phase of the dry law enforcement throughout the summer and when sufficient evidence can be secured for a search warrant raids will be made.

Grandview—Citizens recently approved a \$36,000 bond issue for the construction of a sewage system and improvements to the water-works system.

135 New Cars Are Registered in April

Automobile registrations in Runnels county for the month of April broke all spring records here when 135 new cars were registered at the collector's office, according to information furnished by W. L. Brown. One reason for the heavy registration in this month was due to the fact that some new cars bought in March were not registered until April 1 in order to save one-quarter of the cost of license plates.

Basing the cost of these cars at an average of about \$900 makes a total of \$121,500 spent for new cars during the month of April.

Following is a list of the registrations by dealers:

Chevrolet—	
Healer Motor Company	26
Patrick Chevrolet Company	16
C & C Motor Company	8
Dusek & Gleich	5
Ballinger Auto Company	1
Total	56
Ford—	
Harwell Motor Company	12
Nance-Brown Motor Company	17
Miles Motor Company	11
Phillips Motor Company	1
Home Motor Co. (Bronte)	1
Total	42
Whippet—	
Sykes Motor Company	9
Wyllis-Knight—	
Sykes Motor Company	1
Pontiac—	
Ballinger Auto Company	8
Alamo Sales Service	2
Home Motor Company	1
Total	11
Oakland—	
Alamo Sales Service	2
Chrysler—	
E. F. Batts	2

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E. F. Batts	4
Toler-Crabb Motor Co.	1
Total	5
Buick—	
F. F. Ligon	2
Dodge—	
Home Motor Company	2
DeSoto—	
Home Motor Company	2
Oldsmobile—	
Angelo Oldsmobile Co.	2

Grand Total

135

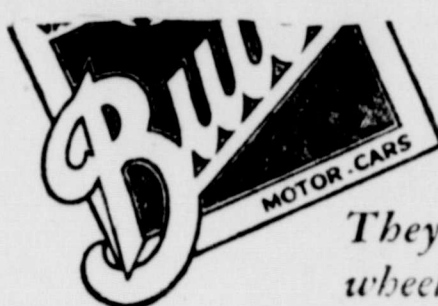
History proves that no nation can live when honor and virtue decay. Is America headed for destruction? See Helen Foster in "THE ROAD TO RUIN"—Palace—Thursday-Friday. 30-2d

NEW FLOOR MANAGER AT THE HUB STORE

R. N. Smith, whose home town is Commerce, but who of late has been located at Brownwood, has accepted a position with The Hub as manager of the shoe department, and will also do service in all the departments of this store. Mr. Smith will look after the buying in several departments.

The young man comes to Ballinger highly recommended and R. E. George, manager of the institution, stated that he was well satisfied with his "find."

Crawford—The Humble Oil & Refining Company will build a large warehouse and office here.



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Millions of families are now never without Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and if you will once start using it you



Dr. J. C. Caldwell, M.D.
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will also always have a bottle handy for emergencies.

It is particularly pleasing to know that the most of it is bought by mothers for themselves and the children, though Syrup Pepsin is just as valuable for elderly people. All drug stores have the generous bottles.

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FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Phone 319. 414 Seventh Street. 25-6d*

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What is the shame of America? See Helen Foster in "THE ROAD TO RUIN" and decide for yourself. Palace—Thursday-Friday. 30-2d

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HERRING TOPICS

A number of people from this community enjoyed all day services at Talpa Sunday.

Miss Willie Hale of Houston, who has been visiting home folks for a few months, returned to Houston Friday.

Miss Loy Brevard spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brevard of Blanton.

Oran Brister of Abilene is here to spend a few days with relatives, G. C. Avenet and family.

Miss Sammie Bragg spent Saturday night with Miss Jessie Carlton.

A large number from this community enjoyed a singing and musical entertainment at Blanton Sunday evening.

Miss Bernice Hale spent the week-end with Miss Alice Foreman of Blanton.

Mrs. Cora Petree of Wichita Falls returned home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brandon, who had been visiting her the first of the week.

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The vibrant life story of a delinquent girl.

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Childish feet dancing blithely down the heartbreak trail to nowhere. See Helen Foster in "THE ROAD TO RUIN"—Palace Thursday-Friday. 30-2d

BALLINGER POSTOFFICE SHOWS GAIN FOR APRIL

The local postoffice showed another gain for the month of April according to Postmaster J. A. Reese. Receipts for April 1928 amounted to \$1,887.14 and for April 1929 \$1,912.01 which is a gain of \$24.87.

The local postoffice has made gains each month and no losses have been recorded so far this year.

Work has started on a white way lighting system for Tahoka's business section. By reducing the city water pumping rates approximately 30 per cent the white way will be practically no expense to the city. The West Texas Utilities Company will bear the expense of installation.

British Heir's Marriage Plans Worry Society

By Charles A. Smith

(International News Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, May 1.—Court circles are engaging in considerable speculation regarding the matrimonial intentions of Edward Prince of Wales.

The prince, it is stated, has often told his friends that he will marry when he is 35. He attains that age in June of this year.

It is pointed out also that Marlborough House, the London home of the late Queen Alexandra, is now ready for occupation by the Prince following extensive remodeling, and that the "Consort's Suite" has been refitted and redecorated.

If the prince intends to remain a bachelor, it is asked why should he move from his comfortable bachelor quarters in York House, St. James' Palace, to the barn-like Marlborough House? Similarly, why should such an essentially feminine set of rooms as the "Consort's Suite" be put in order?

Accepting it as granted that the prince will march to the altar sometime this year, the court gossips are attempting to forecast who will be the honored bride.

This is by no means an easy task, since with the passing of the years the list of prominent and illustrious young women from whom the prince could choose a bride has been steadily reduced.

Under the terms of the Royal Marriage Act, the heir to the throne is supposed to marry a direct descendant of the blood royal. The act has been rendered flexible through the ages, however, and at present there is nothing to prevent the prince from marrying whomever he may choose.

Ever since he attained his majority, the Prince has been linked by rumor and report to literally scores of young women. Among

them have been a number of royal princesses, including members of the ruling houses of Italy, Spain, Belgium, Denmark and Sweden.

One by one, however, these rumors have been dispelled, either by the marriage of the lady concerned or by the passage of time until today there is hardly an eligible princess left.

Similarly, of the Englishwomen who have been looked upon as future queens because of their royal lineage, only one remains on the so-called "eligible" list. She is Lady May Cambridge, daughter of the Earl and Countess of Athlone. The Earl of Athlone is at present governor-general of South Africa.

Undoubtedly this would be a good match in the eyes of the English nation. Lady May is 22, a thoroughly modern girl, and a favorite niece of the prince's mother, Queen Mary.

In recent years the name of the prince has been linked with three other English girls, in addition to Lady May, as follows:

Lady Rachel Cavendish, fourth daughter of the extremely wealthy Duke of Devonshire; Lady Mary Thynne, youngest daughter of the Marquis of Bath; and Lady Anne Wellesley, a society girl of 18 noted for her "old-fashioned" ways.

Each of these reports have been denied by the prince's entourage, however, and today only those in

the confidence of the heir to the throne have the least idea upon whom his choice will rest.

Grading and graveling is almost complete on the two-mile stretch

of road between the Electra-Archer paving and the Iowa Park road. The new road will give a direct outlet from Electra to the oil field and irrigated valley communities, shortening the route with an all-weather road.



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2-30x4.50 Federal Blue Pennant 6-ply	10.22
2-30x4.50 Federal Blue Pennant 4-ply	8.00
1-29x4.75 Federal DBP 6-ply	11.97
2-29x4.75 Federal Blue Pennant 4-ply	9.00
4-30x5.25 Federal Blue Pennant 6-ply	13.14
2-28x5.25 Federal Blue Pennant 4-ply	10.53
2-31x5.25 Federal Blue Pennant 6-ply	13.59
3-31x5.25 Federal DBP 6-ply	15.39
2-32x6.00 Federal DBP 6-ply	16.03
1-32x6.00 Federal Blue Pennant 6-ply	15.73
2-30x6.00 Federal Blue Pennant 4-ply	14.85
1-28x5.50 Federal Blue Pennant 4-ply	11.60
1-30x5.00 Federal Rut Guard 11-ply	27.18
1-30x5.00 Federal Defender 6-ply	15.25

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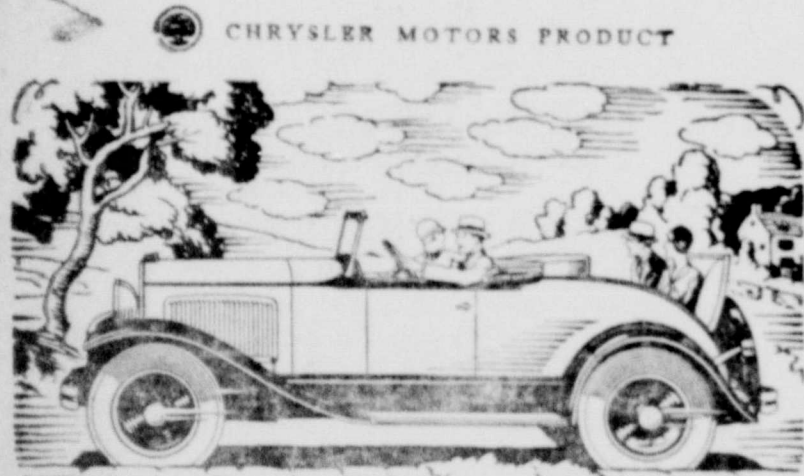
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