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LOW PRICES MAKE TURKEYS MOVE SLOW

Local packers have not put out the first car load of 1923 turkeys yet, and the industry is slow in getting under good headway on account of a complication of troubles.

To begin with the season opened during bad weather, and turkey growers did not rush to town with their fowls. This caused the packers to get a late start in operating their packing plants. The low price, or a price so much lower than a year ago, is disappointing to the poultry raisers, and while it is estimated that there are ten car loads of turkeys which should come on the local market, only a few hundred head have been received.

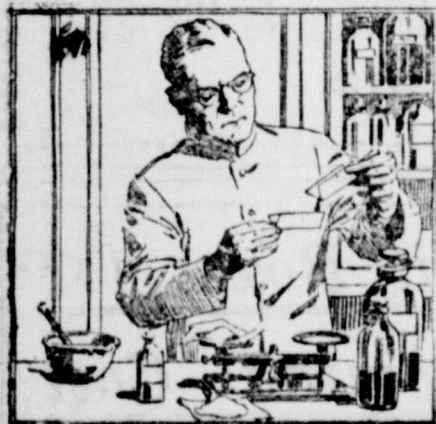
Pickers are short, and the packing plant is not running on full time. Shortage of pickers is causing a delay in the movement. Packers are paying five cents per head for pickers, and five cents per head for butchers. The butcher kills the turkey and takes off the heavy feathers, while the picker finishes up the bird, making the cost of dressing come to ten cents a head. A good picker can make from \$3 to \$4 a day, while butchers can make over greater wages.

The turkey market in Ballinger opened at twenty cents a pound, but soon experienced a drop and local buyers were paying eighteen cents Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Davis, of the Crews country, were shopping in Ballinger Tuesday. Mr. Davis stated that there was one place in the Crews-Ballinger road which was almost impassable.

PREACHER GETS GOOD POUNDING

Homer Davis, pastor of the Church of Christ on Eighth Street, received a good pounding Monday night. Members of this church visited the preacher's home and all carried something good to eat in the way of groceries, and the new pastor's grocery bill will be cut light for some time to come. Pastor Davis says that he appreciates the hearty welcome given him.



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MANY DEAD IN WARSAW STRIKE

(By Associated Press)
WARSAW, Nov. 7.—Twenty persons have been killed and at least three score wounded here in strike riots. Bombs were used in the rioting of railway workers, and casualties to the above number have been accounted for.

The disorders occurred despite the agreement of the socialists to call off the strike in return for the government's promise to withdraw military forces from the railroads. Twenty were killed at Cracow when the cavalry charged to rescue an infantry company and disarmed the crowd. A bomb exploded at Warsaw in the headquarters of the socialists, killing two people.

NATURAL GAS FOR AUSTIN

GARFIELD, Tex., Nov. 7.—Discovery of natural gas near here gives promise of a supply of natural gas fuel for this town and for Austin, 12 miles from here.

STOP ORDER FOR THE VERNON LIGHT PLANT

(By Associated Press)
AMARILLO, Nov. 7.—The Court of Civil Appeals here has reversed the decision of the District Court at Vernon and ordered a restraining order against the city of Vernon prohibiting the construction of a city light plant.

SURPLUS SUPPLY SALES STOPPED

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, November 7.—President Harding called for the resignation of Charles R. Forbes as director of the Veterans' Bureau as the result of the Perryville, Maryland, surplus supply transaction, Brigadier General Charles Sawyer, personal friend and physician to the late president, testified today before the Senate veterans committee.

Previous testimony offered before the committee showed that Mr. Harding stopped the sale of approximately three million dollars worth of supplies to a Boston salvage firm for about \$600,000.

THE HOPE CHEST AND WAY DOWN SOUTH

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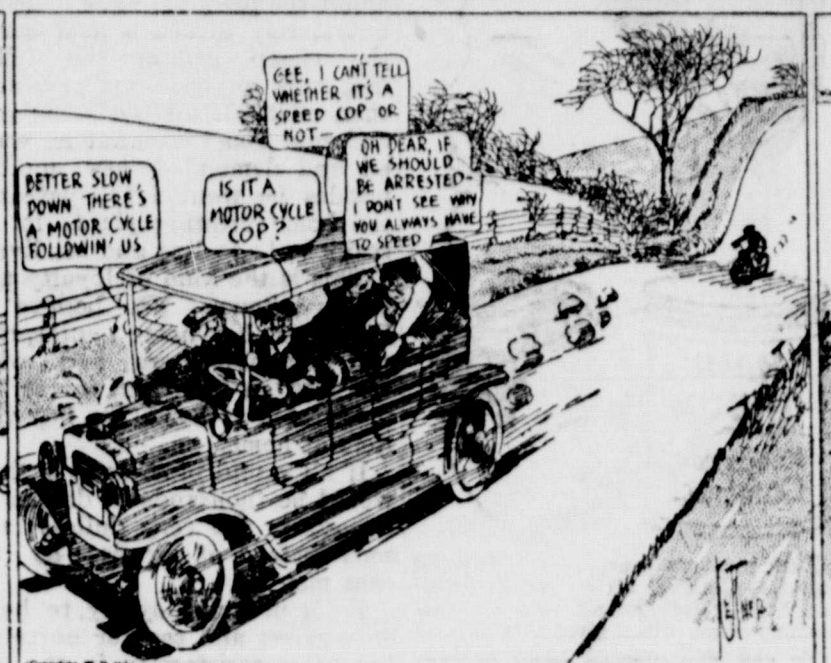
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Good Roads Question Big Item on Y.M.B.L. Program

Runnels county, referred to as one of the best agricultural counties in Texas, representing a wheel, with Ballinger the hub of the wheel and good roads the spokes, was used as an illustration by Scott H. Mack, president of the Young Men's Business League, in outlining a program of activities for the organization during the coming year.

A large crowd, a crowd which practically filled the Carnegie Library auditorium to its seating capacity, assembled in the library Tuesday night, the occasion being the annual membership meeting of the Business League. Mr. Mack was in charge of the meeting, introducing the principals who took part in the splendid program for the occasion. He briefly reviewed the work which the local commercial organization had already accomplished, read a new constitution which the league adopted, and called the roll of the new board of directors, associate directors and the various standing committees.

The president of the league emphasized the two big numbers on the league's program which must receive, and which are receiving the immediate attention of the various committees and board of directors. One of these, and the

first to be put over, is the county fair. The work is well in hand. The next big job before the league and the citizens of Ballinger will be the handling of the teachers' institute. There will be from 350 to 500 teachers here for the week from December 17th to 21st. Every effort will be put forth to make these undertakings a success.

"What benefits Runnels county helps Ballinger," said Mr. Mack, "and we are working for those things which will benefit our county." Mr. Mack said that of course there is a selfish motive in our work, "but we say to the people of Norton, Winters, Talpa, and all the other towns, to patronize your home town first, but when your home man, can't supply you, come to your county site town and don't send to a mail order house," said the league president.

Mr. Mack said that a good road leading to Ballinger was not a good road if it had bad places in it—spots over which an automobile or truck could not pass—and he stated that the business league was going to make it a part of its business to

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QUICK TRIAL IN KLAN KILLING

(By Associated Press)
ATLANTA, Nov. 7.—Peace warrants against H. K. Ramsey, Brown Harwood, and T. J. McKinnon, Klan officials, were dismissed by Judge Heathcock today when Dr. Fred B. Johnson, of San Antonio, Texas, who swore out the warrants, failed to appear in court.

Dr. Linton Smith, the family physician for Phillip E. Fox, declared that he believed that Fox was suffering mental disorder.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 7.—If the necessary arrangements can be completed Phillip E. Fox, publicity chief for the Ku Klux Klan, who shot and killed Capt. W. S. Curnutt, attorney for the Simmons faction of the organization, will be placed on trial next week, according to a statement of Solicitor General Boykin.

The outstanding developments in the case this morning included the issuance of peace warrants against the imperial wizard, Dr. H. W. Evans, and his three principal lieutenants. The complaint asking for peace warrants was filed by Dr. Fred B. Johnson, chief of staff for Emperor Simmons. Other developments also included efforts to obtain counsel for Fox and efforts made today to serve warrants on the parties against whom the peace warrants were issued.

FOUND GUILTY IN BASTROP CASE

(By Associated Press)
BASTROP, La., Nov. 7.—Jeff Burnett, tried jointly with Harry Rogers for assault with dangerous weapons, in connection with the hold-up of Harry Neelis near here, in August, 1922, was declared guilty by District Judge Odom today. No verdict was rendered in the Rogers case, the court taking it under consideration.

NOTICE
Important meeting of PIGGLY-WIGGLY stockholders will be held on Friday, November 9th, 1923, at 4:00 o'clock p. m. Every stockholder should be present. Meeting will be held at Office of McCarver & Lynn. 7-2d

COMMISSION ON REPARATION TO GRANT HEARING

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, Nov. 7.—The reparations commission has decided to comply immediately with the German request for a hearing on the reparations question as proposed in the Berlin government's note of October 24th, if the several governments, including the United States, are unable to agree regarding the setting up of an advisory investigating committee.

The prospects for an agreement between France and Great Britain on the invitation of the United States to join the conference of experts for an examination of the reparations question is regarded in diplomatic French official circles today as being much brighter.

The brighter prospects for an agreement is said to be due to the tendency of the British government to accept in an attenuated form Premier Poincare's reservation restricting an estimate of Germany's capacity to pay at the present time.

PASSUR'S CONFECTIONERY TO BE MOVED FROM CITY

N. Passur's confectionery is closed, and it is reported that Mr. Passur will move his business to some other town. It is reported that he will probably move to the Plains country, locating at Lamesa or Slaton. He is out of the city now prospecting.

RICH GERMAN VISITS TEXAS

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Hugo Stinnes Jr., second son of the German industrial magnate, is expected to arrive here today to become the guest of Harry Sinclair, head of the Sinclair Oil Company. Young Stinnes will make an extensive tour with Mr. Sinclair of the oil fields of Texas and Oklahoma.

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Arrange to do your fair shopping before the fair, and leave the way clear for the folks from the country.

No day has ever been able to replace the Sabbath. When a holiday falls on Sunday, it is the rule to observe the following day.

It is an ill wind which does not sweep good towards someone. The poor folks may be able to buy a Thanksgiving turkey this year.

Abilene sport fans—and the business public—are being put to the task of supporting four football teams. That's what it costs to be a college town.

If some scheme could be worked out for a political campaign whereby the public could get its money back if not satisfied, maybe we would have a little more business injected into the election of officers and not quite so many petty issues.

The American public is sick and disgusted with the European quarrel over debt paying, reparations, etc. But the American public is to blame. If the American government had stepped in and had taken a hand in settling the trouble, the whole world now be at peace, or nearer to peace than it is.

The citizens of Ballinger are afflicted with an epidemic of bad colds, all due no doubt to negligence, careless living, or an over-indulgence of some rule for what we call comfort. Keeping well is a rule most of us could improve on by a little practice. Man was not made to live in air-tight rooms, steam-heated houses and office buildings. These are all man-devised conveniences of comfort, and we too often overlook the importance of clean, wholesome fresh air to chase away the germs which thrive in overheated rooms.

APPLY SULPHUR ON A PIMPLY SKIN

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NATIONAL GUARD INSTRUCTOR HERE

Capt. Moore, of the United States regular army, is in Ballinger for the purpose of spending several days here as an instructor for the National Guard. Capt. Moore came in first of the week.

The local unit of the National Guard has been transferred from Headquarters Company to Company C.

Chamberlain's Tablets Have Done Her a World of Good

"Chamberlain's Tablets have done me a world of good," writes Mrs. Ella L. Button, Kirkville, N. Y. "I have recommended them to a number of my friends and all who have used them praise them highly." When troubled with indigestion or constipation, give them a trial and realize for yourself what an excellent medicine it is.

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BETHEL NEWS

Because of the muddy roads, the box supper at Bethel Saturday, Oct. 27, was not so well attended as it might have been. However a good deal of money, which will be used for the benefit of the school was taken in.

Rain has been interfering with school attendance, and prevented services Sunday morning.

Friday, Nov. 2nd, the young people and children of the district enjoyed a frolic in the auditorium of the school house. The auditorium had been fitted for basketball and several lively games were played.

Albert Koenig is suffering with a badly broken arm as the result of trying to crank a Ford.

Several of the Bethel girls are teaching school this year. Among the number are: Misses Thelma and Nellie Bigby, Helen Hays, and Ursula McShann.

The mission study class of the Bethel Epworth League will hold its first meeting at the church next Friday night. Everyone is invited. We hope to spend an interesting and profitable hour in the study of Japan.

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A Good Thing—DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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W. A. Daily, of Goldthwaite, had business in Ballinger Tuesday, and was the guest of Mr. Mrs. V. B. Jones between trains. Mr. Daily is an old friend of the Jones family, and it was the first time they had met in twenty-four years.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the loving ministry of our friends to our dear wife and mother in her last illness, and for their expressions of sympathy.

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THE KIND OF LOYALTY THAT BUILDS A TOWN

The Ballinger Printing Company received an order this week from Stobaugh's Ideal Laundry for laundry lists. This is no big item of printing, but involves several dollars.

A day or so later a traveling salesman for a mail order printing concern came along and offered Mr. Stobaugh the printing at a much cheaper price. Mr. Stobaugh did not cancel his order with the local firm and rave about the price we were charging but merely turned a deaf ear to the cheap printer—the fellow who cuts on one item and more than makes it up on another—and told him that what he wanted and demanded was quality, besides he wanted to patronize the home printing plant—to be reciprocal—to live and let live.

This is the kind of loyalty that builds a town. We believe in Ballinger, her home enterprises and manufacturers and when we need an item that is at all procurable at home, we buy that item at home.

If all would practice this, there would be thousands of dollars on deposit in the very dull seasons instead of pennies—as the case may be.

Let's practice loyalty to home enterprises and see for ourselves the great satisfaction in the returns sure to follow.

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Mrs. Hill Jackson received a message Tuesday announcing the

death of her brother's wife at Dentonville, Texas. She left on the A. & S. motor car Wednesday, expecting to catch the T. & P. at Abilene and go on to attend the funeral.

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(By Margaret Boyd.)

"Filled with water from a neighboring stream."—Ivanhoe.

In earlier days houses were built near streams wherever possible in order to insure a plentiful supply of water for household use. Those not fortunate enough to have springs and clear streams on their land were compelled to dig wells; but those who had springs rarely bothered about wells.

Whatever the respective merits of streams and wells as sources of water for washing and cooking and the like, there is no question as to which is the more satisfactory to children. Every normal child longs to play in water, and a tubful of water drawn from a well is a poor substitute for a stream with minnows and crawfish and other living things in it.

To those who did not spend a large part of their childhood playing in streams, it is surprising how many things live in even a small brook. There are the caddis flies, for example, with their amazing houses with the wonderful netting over the entrance.

Fishing for minnows with a bit of cord and bent pin is far from being despicable sport, even though one never lands a minnow. Fishing for crawfish with a piece of cord and a pebble for a sinker is even more exciting, however, for the dextrous can often manage to land the crawfish. The greatest of all sports, though, is to catch crawfish by hand. To find them you must turn over the stones in the bottom of the stream. When you lift a stone the mud of the stream bottom is stirred up enough to cloud the water. Small boys usually plunge their hands right into the muddy water and grab for whatever may have been under the stone.

The most terrible looking of the small stream's denizens is the hellgramite. It is truly ferocious-looking and only the value set on it as a bait for bass fishing would lead the average child to interfere with it. The salamanders, red and gray, that are to be found wherever a bit of brush and leaves check the stream's current, look dangerous to the city bred, but the country child knows they are harmless.

All sorts of other life is to be found in a stream—pollwogs and tadpoles, wiggletails and water beetles, snails and wee clams, and even leeches and water snakes. The child who has a stream to play in will learn more of water life in a season than the schools can ever teach him, and those who do not live near streams should try to spend their vacations near them.

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CLEANING THE GROUNDS FOR FAIR ATTRACTIONS

A crew of fifteen or twenty negroes are at work clearing the lots South of the postoffice on the South side of Eighth Street, between Strong Avenue and the Abilene & Southern railroad right-of-way, and making ready the grounds for the Runnels County Fair next week.

The fair and the carnival attractions will cover considerable space, including the large warehouse back of the Harwell Motor Co., and the tents to be erected for housing the exhibits. All the details for the handling of exhibits and various attractions are well worked out, and the fair program will commence on time.

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THE FLAVOR LASTS

STATE JUNK LAW IS KNOCKED OUT

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Nov. 7.—The state junk law, providing that the purchasing a quantity of pipe with affidavit as to the ownership of junk when offered for sale, was today declared to be unconstitutional by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

The court handed down its decision in the case of A. Stroll, of Falls county, who was tried and fined in a lower court for purchasing a quantity of pipe without requiring the seller to make an affidavit that he was the owner of the junk. The court held that the law was class legislation and in restraint of trade, and reversed and dismissed the case.

WASH POISON FROM KIDNEYS

Kidney and bladder irritation often result from acidity, says a noted authority. The kidneys help filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it may remain to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread; the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in avoiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is often one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Begin drinking lots of soft water, also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast. Continue this for two or three days. This will help neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer are a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs, which then act normal again.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by acid irritation. Jad Salts causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant effervescent lithia-water drink which may quickly relieve your bladder irritation. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

CAPTURES LIVE BEAR WITH PANTS BELT

(By Associated Press)

DEL RIO, Tex., Nov. 7.—Capturing a live bear with an ordinary trousers belt is a new use for the well known successor to the suspender which has been discovered by Emery Davis of Del Rio, who with Grady L. Stewart has just returned from a bear hunt in Mexico.

One of a family of bears which the hunters coveted climbed a tree. Whereupon Davis climbed up after the bear and at the risk of a possible unseemly exposure, took off his belt, threw it about the neck of the young bear and hauled his catch to the ground.

The little fellow was taken to the Davis ranch near here, where already he has taken possession of the heart of his captor, showing a leaning for sugar proffered him from the open palm.

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"My whole family uses it," continued Mr. Garrett. "My wife says she believes she kept off the 'flu' by taking doses of Black-Draught regularly."

"I, myself, use Black-Draught for indigestion, and it is fine."

"We used pills and tablets and other laxatives, but they never seemed to do us good, but the Black-Draught sure has, and it has come to our house to stay. We give it to our daughter for headache and torpid liver."

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GETS NEWS OF AGED

MOTHER'S DEATH

Oscar Pearson received a message Wednesday morning announcing the death of his mother, who died at 6:15 Wednesday morning at her home in Tullahoma, Tennessee. Mr. Pearson visited his mother a short time ago, and he will not go to attend the funeral. She was past eighty years of age, and had been in feeble health for some time, her condition being serious for a week or more and Mr. Pearson had been receiving daily reports from her bedside.

Good Health

If you would enjoy good health, keep your bowels regular. No one can reasonably hope to feel well, when constipated. When needed, take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are mild and gentle.

Sacks Wanted

Clean bran, chop and sugar sacks. 7-3td E. A. Jeanes & Co.

DEMOCRATS WIN IN THREE STATES

(By Associated Press)

The Democrats elected governors in all three states yesterday where gubernatorial elections were held, Kentucky, Maryland and Mississippi giving the Democratic ticket good majorities. In Vermont, where the only senatorial contest was held, the returns show that Porter Dale, republican candidate, was elected.

In seven districts where there were elections for congressmen, the Democrats won four and the Republicans three. This included the upset in the 24th New York district, where former Representative Fairchild defeated his Democratic opponent.

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HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.

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CATTLE INTERESTS UNITE IN COAHUILA

(By Associated Press)

DEL RIO, Tex., Nov. 7.—American, Mexican and German cattle interests of the great cattle state of Coahuila, Mexico, have united their interests into a cattlemen's association formed at Piedras Negras, Mexico. The constitution and by-laws were patterned after those of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association.

A limited number of copies of the constitution and by-laws were printed in English for the benefit of the few who do not understand Spanish. The object of the association is the furtherance of the cattle industry in Coahuila.

This Mexican state of Coahuila has at least three quarters of a million American-owned cattle, sheep, and goats owned by Mexican and German interests, according to estimates of cattlemen.

School children should remember from the Ballinger Printing Company to buy their Theme Paper pany.—3 for 25c—8 for 50c.

A GLEAMY MASS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

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A PLAYLET IN TWO ACTS
ACT I

SEPT. 1, 1922
OCT. 1
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OCT. 1, 1923

Gee sure is hot!
Christmas coming three months away!
Wonder if I'd better order Christmas cards now?
Yes, I will order next time I'm down town
Too late! I'm sorry

ACT II

Dear Sir: Please enter my order for 100 star made Christmas cards. I forgot to order last year until too late and I am determined to avoid a recurrence of that misfortune. After all there is no better way to remember our friends than with a lovely greeting card.
Sincerely,
Most Graciously

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Medicinal Virtues Retained and Improved — Dangerous and Sickening Qualities Removed. Perfected Tablet is Called "Calotabs."

The latest triumph of modern science is a "de-nauseated" calomel tablet known to the drug trade as "Calotabs." Calomel, the most generally useful of all medicines thus enters upon a wider field of popularity—purified and refined from those objectionable qualities which have heretofore limited its use.

In biliousness, constipation, headaches and indigestion, and in a great variety of liver, stomach and kidney troubles calomel was the most successful remedy, but its use was often neglected on account of its sickening qualities. Now it is the easiest and most pleasant of medicines to take. One Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No taste, no griping, no nausea, no salts. A good night's sleep and the next morning you are feeling fine, with a clean liver, a purified system and a big appetite. Eat what you please. No danger.

Calotabs are sold only in original, sealed packages, price thirty-five cents for the larger, family package; ten cents for the small, trial size. Your druggist is authorized to refund the price as a guarantee that you will be thoroughly delighted with Calotabs.—(Adv.)

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Clean bran, chop and sugar sacks.
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SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cobb and family have moved. We are glad they are still in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Munsey will be moving in their new home soon. South Ballinger welcomes them to this community.

The Literary Society will meet Friday night, November 9th. Everybody come and enjoy a good social meeting.

Sunday school was well attended with a large crowd. We are always glad to have new members and visitors.

T. P. Brown is at home from South Texas, where he had been selling apples.

"BLUE BONNET"

CREAM WILL CLEAR A STUFFED-UP HEAD

Instantly Opens Every Air Passage—Clears Throat Too

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed because of nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing and healing swollen, inflamed membranes and you get instant relief.

Try this. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Your clogged nostrils open right up; your head is clear; no more hawking or snuffling. Count fifty. All the stuffiness, dryness, struggling for breath is gone. You feel fine.

BAPTIST SOCIAL TO BE HELD TONIGHT

The social gathering of the Baptist congregation of this city which has been postponed twice on account of bad weather, is scheduled for tonight. Every member of the church is expected to be present as refreshments have been prepared for all. A program for all ages, full of fun, good jokes and amusement has been arranged. If you are a member of this church it is your privilege and duty to be present at the church at 7:30.

NOTICE TO MY CUSTOMERS

I wish to notify my customers and friends that I have moved to Woodson's Barber Shop near Weeks' Drug Store, where I will continue to serve you in the future as I have in the past. I wish to thank you for your patronage in the past and will appreciate your barber work.

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31-12td-2tw.*

We replace broken glasses, Drs. Kahn, optometrists.
5-6td

GOOD ROADS QUEST- TION IS BIG ITEM ON Y. M. B. L. PROGRAM

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look well after the roads leading to Ballinger, and when he touched on the good roads question the audience responded with a hearty applause, and it was very evident from the response that the sentiment in Ballinger is strong for good roads.

The meeting held Tuesday night was for the purpose of acquainting the citizenship of the city with the activities of the Y. M. B. L., outlining a program for 1924, and launching a membership drive. One of the best musical programs ever given on a similar occasion in Ballinger was presented to the appreciative audience.

Dr. Alvin Swindell, pastor of the Baptist church, offered the invocation after the meeting had been called to order by the league president. The Junior Band played a couple of selections. It was the first public appearance of the band, which is composed of some forty-odd boys ranging in age from eight or ten years to sixteen years, all new beginners, and the young musicians were greeted with a cheer which will no doubt encourage them in their work. Under the direction of Homer Carsey the boys have worked up to where they can all carry their parts in concert. Many remarks of surprise were expressed at the progress of the youthful band since it was organized barely two months ago.

Miss Ethel Lovelace, violinist, of San Angelo, and Mr. Ralph Pinson, of the Howard Payne music school, of San Angelo, vocalist, were also popular numbers on the program. Miss Lovelace appeared in violin solo and was called back to the stage with an encore, and Mr. Pinson was also called back for a second rendition.

The Saxophone Septet was perhaps the most popular music on the program, and was recalled for a third time. The saxophone renditions struck a popular chord in the large audience and brought the house down with an applause which would not let up until they appeared for the second and again for third number. Those making up the septet were: A. R. Jones, Harry Lynn, Homer Carsey, Ernest Moody, C. B. Conn, R. W. Earnshaw and Troy Simpson.

It was after the musical pro-

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LOST—Between Weinberg & Wardlaw tailor shop and The Ledger office, small gold Pencil. Finder please return to Miss Mamie McAuley. 1d.*

WANTED—To rent Ford by week. Driver or Driverless. Particulars, Box 6 City. 1d.*

LOST—Package of envelopes, containing letter from Houston tax collector, between John Pechacek's blacksmith shop and the railroad on Tenth Street. J. Keidel. 1d.*

FOR SALE—My home in town and my farm at a bargain for cash or on easy terms. Chas. Castor. 6-4d.*

FOR SALE—100 acres of land near Hatchel. See E. T. Branham. 5-6td

FOR SALE—trade or rent, 15 room rooming house doing good business. See Ray Hopper. 5-6td-1tw.*

FOR SALE—Ever-bearing Strawberry plants, \$1.00 per 100. Phone 6933. Mrs. H. G. Hays. 5-3td-1tw.*

WANTED—Ladies to run sewing machines at Ballinger Mattress Factory. 10-td

HELP WANTED—If you need skilled or unskilled labor, use a Ledger want ad. They bring the buyer and seller together. dtf.*

FOUND—Lost and found articles recovered thru The Ledger "wants" column. The Ledger goes into nearly every Ballinger home. 29-dtf.*

FOR SALE—Seven room house, with all modern conveniences. Cash or part terms. Phone 549. D. F. Eaton. 17-d&w-tf

gram that the mass meeting was converted into a business session, and President Mack made his talk and introduced other speakers. J. D. Motley, recently elected secretary, was introduced and pledged to do his best in carrying on the work of the league, and asked for the support of everyone.

Estes Lynn, vice-president of the organization, also made a brief talk, and emphasized the great importance of support from the citizenship to make the league what it should be. If the league accomplishes its task it must receive the moral and financial support of the people, was the thought Mr. Lynn brought out.

At the conclusion of Mr. Lynn's address, E. E. King, chairman of the membership committee, made a motion that a call be made for members, and cards were passed and many signed up for membership in the league for the ensuing year. It was announced that the old membership list and the old budget was no longer in effect, and that new members and a new budget was being prepared for the ensuing year's work. The membership dues are a minimum of one dollar a year, and the budget will be taken care of by the commercial interests of the city.

The meeting Tuesday night took the place of a banquet as annual membership and get-together meeting, and those in charge of the program deserve credit for the success of the meeting. The citizens assembled gave a rising vote of thanks and appreciation to those who made the affair a success, and Rev. Alfred Crager was called on to dismiss the meeting with prayer.

A Timely Suggestion

This is the season of the year when the prudent and careful housewife replenishes her supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed before the winter is over, and results are much more prompt and satisfactory when it is kept at hand and given as soon as the first indication of a cold appears and before it has become settled in the system. There is no danger in giving it to children as it contains no opium or other harmful drug.



New Shoes for the Boys

Well, they are not new from the shoe store exactly, but practically new just the same. They were repaired from the boy's well worn old pair and they will wear like new ones. And they cost about one-third only.

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Shoe and Harness Shop

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Any little girl under thirteen years of age is eligible. Enter your name as a contestant. Don't waste a moment's time.

Now On Display in Our Show Window

Weeks' Drug Store

BIG QUESTION ASKED IN FILM FEATURE

Producers of "Life's Greatest Question," which is the film feature attraction at the Fo-to-sho Theatre today and tomorrow, have undertaken to present on the screen a thrilling exposition of the age-old question: Should a woman tell her husband of her past life?

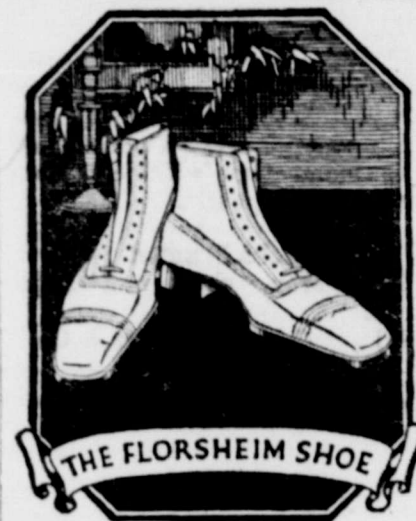
However, it would appear that those responsible for this particular production had given up hope of ever finding a suitable solution to this problem in the center of civilization, since they have chosen to make the locale of their story an outpost village in the Far North. The original touch brings to the screen one of the most compelling stories of adventure and thrill ever screened in the Northland.

Characters in the story are depicted by Roy Stewart and Louise Lovely, who are co-starred. The latter plays the newly acquired wife of the village's most prominent citizen, while the former is a courageous member of the Northwest Mounted Police, in love with the bride's stepdaughter.

Superb backgrounds make this production, scenically, one of the outstanding pictures of the year. It was directed by Harry Revier, and was photographed in the country in which it is supposed to occur.

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TOM MIX AT MAEROY IN A ZANE GREY STORY

A combination of actor and author that should attract the attention of the most fastidious of motion picture followers and provide a distinct treat as an entertainment comes to the Maeroy Theatre today and Thursday with Tom Mix, the William Fox star and Zane Grey, the noted American fiction writer.

The screen offering is "The Lone Star Ranger," with the Saddle King in the title role. The story is an adaptation of Mr. Grey's famous book, which, according to its publishers, has been read by more than five million people in the few years since its appearance on the literary market.

With Mix, Lambert Hillyer, the director, has accomplished new heights in the fields of romance. He has assembled a talented cast. Miss Billie Dove, the beautiful Ziegfeld Follies dancer, plays the feminine lead. Others are L. C. Shumway, Stanton Heck, Ed Peil, Frank Clark, Wm. Conklin, Minna Redman, Tom Ling.

ham and Francis Carpenter. The production was staged on the Texas border.

Sacks Wanted

Clean bran, chop and sugar sacks.
7-3td E. A. Jeanes & Co.

Mrs. J. W. Powell returned home Tuesday afternoon on the motor car from a visit to Abilene and other places.

Read Ledger "wants" column.

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"Pape's Cold Compound"
Breaks a Cold Right Up

Take two tablets every three hours until three doses are taken. The first dose always gives relief. The second and third doses completely break up the cold. Pleasant and safe to take. Contains no quinine or opiates. Millions use "Pape's Cold Compound." Price, thirty-five cents. Druggists guarantee it.

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"The Lone Star Ranger"

With Billie Dove.

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