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TWO MILLION DOLLAR TRAIN ROBBERY

DAWES CHOSEN AS COOLIDGE'S RUNNING MATE

(By Associated Press)
CLEVELAND, June 13.—The campaign to elect President Coolidge to succeed himself and Charles G. Dawes, of Illinois, to be vice-president, got formally underway today with the organization of the new republican national committee.

Gen. Dawes was nominated as candidate for vice-president by the convention last night, after Frank Lowden, also of Illinois, had been tendered the vice-presidential nomination and declined to accept it.

In perfecting its organization today the republican national committee elected William H. Hodges treasurer of the committee. President Coolidge's selection of William Butler, of Massachusetts for national chairman, was ratified.

DARK HORSE FOR PRESIDENT

(By Associated Press)
VERSAILLES, France, June 13.—Gaston Doumergue was today elected President of France by the national assembly here. He received 515 votes and Paul Painleve, president of the Chamber of Deputies, received 309 votes.

Doumergue succeeds President Millerand, who was forced to resign last Tuesday.

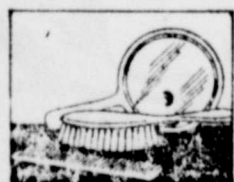
Legion Men, Attention

Regular meeting of Pat Williams Post No. 8, will be held at the Legion club rooms at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, June 15th.

All members are urged to be present to help transact business. J. M. SIMMONS, Post Com. J. M. PYBURN, Adjutant.

A. J. Jarrett, the barber, who was operated on a week ago for appendicitis, is said to be getting along as well as could be expected.

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A Comb Given With Every Brush

From June 2nd to 7th we will give away a genuine, trade-marked

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to match each hair brush you buy. This is your opportunity to start a set of the most popular of all toiletries for some one dear to you or to add to it if she already has one started.

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CHARLES G. DAWES



GIVES ORDERS TO PAY BONUS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 13.—Directions for the administration of the soldier bonus law, despite the failure of congress to appropriate funds for that purpose, were given today by President Coolidge in orders to the government heads who will have charge of handling the work of carrying out the bonus measure, paying the cash and issuing insurance to former service men.

Mrs. Elmer Barnhill and daughter were in the city Friday morning from Hatchel. Mrs. Barnhill reported that Mr. Barnhill was gradually regaining his health.

John A. Weeks returned home Thursday from a trip in his Lincoln to Waco and Austin, where he spent several days on business.

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(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, June 13.—In one of the most daring and perhaps the biggest train robbery in railroad history of the United States, four automobile loads of bandits last night held up the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad mail-express train and escaped with booty valued at nearly \$2,000,000.

The train was en route from Chicago to St. Paul, and stopped at Roundout, Illinois, 32 miles North of Chicago, when the robbers overpowered the train crew and took charge of the train.

The train carried more than seventy mail clerks and guards, all armed, to protect the heavy cargo of valuable mail. The guards made an attempt to fight back the bandits, and it is believed that one of the bandits was wounded.

The amount stolen is estimated at about two million dollars, and consisted of money and valuables being transported by registered mail.

IN CONFERENCE WITH DR. BOLTON

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, June 13.—Dr. Herbert Bolton, of the University of California, conferred with the board of regents of the University of Texas here today. The conference had to do with the election of Dr. Bolton as president of the Texas university.

It is understood that the questions of salary and expense allowances were discussed at the conference, and Dr. Bolton was to make an announcement today on whether he would accept the presidency of the Texas institution or not.

Join the Y. M. B. L. and help build Ballinger.

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, June 13.—After an incomplete check up later in the day today bank and postal officials said they believed the loot taken by the robbers in the hold-up of the Chicago-St. Paul mail train would not exceed \$100,000.

Federal bank officials said that all the shipments of currency and securities from the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago aggregated \$75,000.

Strange Beetle Found

(By Associated Press)
OAKLAND, Calif., June 13.—E. L. Knowlin, a rancher at Hayward Heath, has found a weird beetle that resembles a human skull. Local experts have been unable to classify the beetle and it has been sent to the University of California for further study.

It is the size of a man's thumb-nail and in shape as well as in general appearance is like a skull.

PROBING BLAST WHICH KILLED 48 SAILORS

(By Associated Press)
SAN PEDRO, Calif., June 13.—All danger of another explosion aboard the battleship Mississippi, anchored outside the harbor off breakwater, was removed today when thirty charges of T. N. T. in turret No. 2 of the dreadnaught, were taken out. Lieutenant L. N. Morgan, flag communication officer on the Mississippi, announced that there was no further danger of a third explosion on the vessel.

The Mississippi had gone outside the harbor here when it was feared that another explosion would take place.

(By Associated Press)
SAN PEDRO, Calif., June 13.—Preparations were being made today for a thorough investigation of yesterday's explosion aboard the dreadnaught Mississippi which killed three officers and forty-five enlisted men on the battleship. Eight others were wounded.

A "flare back" from one of the guns was the cause of the explosion. The Mississippi, with a number of other vessels was engaged in target practice off San Pedro when a premature explosion at one of the guns is believed to have caused the tragedy.

A second explosion occurred while the dead and wounded were being transferred aboard another vessel. Just how the fatal explosion occurred was still undetermined today.

Among those killed was Eugene McGill, of Waco, Texas.

Mrs. J. G. Douglass and nieces, Jennie Louise and Mary Cope-land, of Cleburne, and Mrs. A. W. Sledge and daughters, Nettie Routh and Loucile, visited friends in San Angelo Friday.

Postmaster Reese was reported to be improving in the Halley & Love sanitarium Friday, following an operation last Sunday for appendicitis.

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The prices are right.

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

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PROGRAM READY FOR ENCAMP'NT

The Board of Management for the West Texas Presbyterian Encampment met at Buffalo Gap this week and perfected plans for what promises to be the largest encampment held under the auspices of the Presbyterians in West Texas.

The encampment will be in session from July 17 to 23 inclusive, and camping ground reservations are being made by those who plan to attend the eight days religious training, mixed with amusements and outdoor frolic.

The board which met at Buffalo Gap this week and was in conference with the entertainment committee and committee on arrangements, is composed of Rev. R. B. Twitty, of Ballinger; Fred Rogers, of Merkel; Rev. Dowell, of Tuscola; Day Floyd and John Kincaid, of Buffalo Gap. The committee was tendered a luncheon and all plans for the encampment discussed.

A matter which will be of interest to the local Presbyterians who plan to attend the encampment will be a daily vacation Bible school, taking in the children from the kindergarten age to the juniors, and the faculty will be made up largely of members from the Eighth Street Church of this city.

The Board of Missions and the Board of Education of the Presbyterian Church have promised to furnish the very best talent possible in making up the faculty for the encampment. Dr. W. M. Cleveland, of St. Louis; and Dr. Paul Green, a returned missionary from China; will be on the faculty and the faculty will be made up of twelve members, which is twice as large as it was last year.

Efforts were made to secure Hon. W. J. Bryan for the program this year, but he had other engagements. He has been booked and promised for the next year.

The amusement program will consist of games, swimming, and general outdoor frolics.

Attention Royal Arch Masons

Regular meeting of Ballinger Chapter No. 184, tonight, Friday, June 13th, at 8:00 o'clock.

Election of Officers for the ensuing caputular year.

All members are hereby notified to be present.

By order of High Priest,
J. Mcgregor, Secretary.

A small want ad in The Daily Ledger often saves you money.

LOSES HAT WHILE GETTING GAS

Ben Curry rolled in from the Norton country Friday morning with his bald head glistening in the bright morning sunlight like a peeled turnip. He parked his truck in front of a hat store and the first thing he did was to be-deck himself out in a new sky-piece and told the hatter o look for Cal Kirk for his money.

No, it was not a bet settlement, and Cal Kirk could hardly be accused of stealing Ben Curry's hat, but Mr. Kirk drove away with Mr. Curry's hat after the two had met in the road, leaving the Norton man's hairless head hatless.

It happened this way: Mr. Curry was en route to Ballinger driving a truck. Mr. Kirk was going West in a Ford when he found the farmer gasless in the road. Of course the Ballinger man was glad to divide motor fuel with the Norton man. Mr. Curry placed his hat on the back seat of Mr. Kirk's Ford while he crawled under the Ford to get the gas. While Curry was feeding the gas to his stranded truck, Kirk, feeling that he had helped a friend in time of trouble, cranked up and went on his way rejoicing.

The summer's sun beaming down on the farmer's marble top reminded him of his hat, but it was too late. Fords move fast. The hard luck was all made clear to Mr. Curry when he reached town and a friend called his attention to the fact that it was Friday the thirteenth. "That fellow was good to me," said Curry, "but I offered to pay him for his gasoline, and I am going to file a complaint against him for stealing my hat."

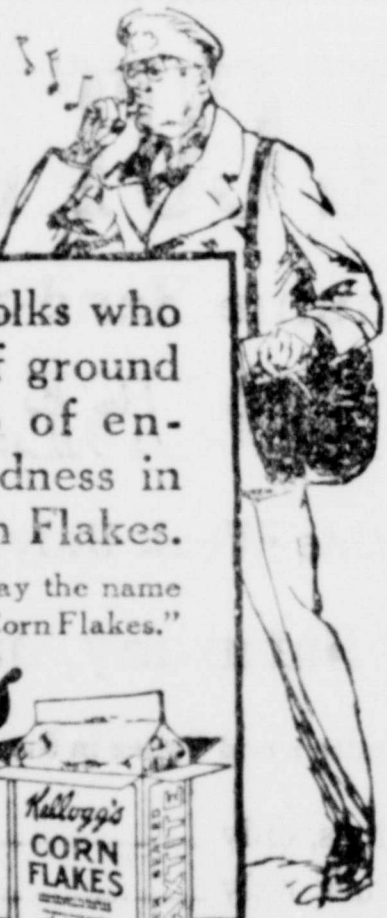
Lon Mapes went to Dallas Thursday afternoon, where he will consult a specialist, and will probably remain for a while in an effort to regain his health.

MOTHERHOOD!

Waco, Texas.—"I am well pleased with the benefits which I received from the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription."

"My baby is now thirteen months old and I can truthfully say that I took the Favorite Prescription during expectancy and that it was a very great benefit to me. I also took it after I became a mother and it built me up in strength and helped me in every way. My baby is stout and healthy, too."—Mrs. H. E. Ahern, 2621 S. 5th St.

At all dealers, or send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package.



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To get that flavor, say the name in full—"Kellogg's Corn Flakes."

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THE GIST OF THE DAY'S NEWS

Homer Brown, age 21, student in Abilene Christian College, lost his life while swimming in Lytle Lake near Abilene Thursday. The young man was an expert swimmer. He was missed by other members of a swimming party and later his body was found at the bottom of the lake. Physicians expressed the opinion that death was due to heart trouble.

John Cavaner was found guilty of killing his wife at Groesbeck, Thursday, and sent to the pen for 99 years.

An unidentified woman about 35 years of age, was killed when an auto driven by A. T. Hall, a Dallas plumber, turned over on the Dallas-Ft. Worth pike Thursday. Hall was not able, or refused, to give the woman's name. He said he was taking her from Dallas to Ft. Worth. Charges of driving an automobile while intoxicated have been filed against Hall.

The state Supreme Court has held the text book contract to be legal and says the contract must be carried out, which means that Texas will spend four and a quarter million dollars for new school books and discard the big supply of books which the state is now using.

Mary C. Booze, of Mound Bayou, Mississippi, has been elected as a member of the republican national committee. The woman is the daughter of a negro slave, and whose father during the days of slavery belonged to Jefferson Davis.

NAZARENES' OUTDOOR MEETING GOING GOOD

Rev. E. D. Messer says that the Nazarene revival is gaining good headway with attendance increasing. The meeting has been in progress on Tenth Street thru-out the present week, and will probably be at its best by Sunday night.

The meeting is being held outdoors, where it is cool and comfortable. There is plenty of parking place for autos and ev-

erything possible is being done to make the crowd comfortable. The public is invited and urged to attend the services.

Dr. J. G. Douglass left Thursday afternoon for Dallas, where he is transacting business.

County Attorney Shepherd was called to Norton Friday morning to investigate a highway robbery which was reported near that place. A couple of young men claimed that they were held up by highwaymen.

Read Ledger "wants" column

PIMPLES

are caused by poisons in the Blood trying to get out. Most people don't know that the pores must throw off —% of the waste matter from the system, which they can't do when the skin is neglected

BLACK AND WHITE OINTMENT AND SOAP

will heal the inflamed and congested skin tissues so all these impurities can pass on out, instead of gathering and festering.

They are sold by all dealers in liberal 25c and 50c packages. The 50c size ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size.

Blue Pencil Sale

The Whole Countryside is Trooping Here!
Old customers and new are taking advantage of this astounding sale. And still there are hundreds of exceptional values—fresh clean merchandise marked down for this sale.

**Sale Starts
Saturday, June 14**

**Sale Ends
Tuesday, June 24**

Pure Aluminum Water Pitcher, 2 1-2 quarts 75¢

10-quart Aluminum Dish Pan 89¢

14-quart Enameled Dish Pan 49¢

10-quart Dairy Pail 39¢

Galvanized Wash Tub 79¢

Gold Band Cups and Saucers, each 19¢

Money Saving Value

Ladies' Hosiery 15¢, 49¢ and

2 for

49¢

Glass Water Pitchers 49¢

Percolators, best Aluminum, 6 cups 79¢

14-ounce Tumblers, 6 for 59¢

Men's Straw Hats, large size 49¢

Boys' Straw Hats 29¢

18x38 inch Huck Towels 19¢

Summer Comfort

Nainsook Union Suits for

Men

50¢

Special Build Styles

89¢

A Special Value

Men's Hosiery, lisle finish, per pair 15¢

9-inch White Plates, 6 for 90¢

Palmolive Talcum Powder 15¢

THE FAIR

Ben Turpin is Daring Stunt Man in Comedy at Fo-to-sho

Ben Turpin has changed his style of role once more. Instead of playing the part of some heart sick swain, Ben, in his latest Mack Sennett comedy, "The Dare Devil," enters a new field. He appears as a "double" in a movie studio who takes the leading man's place whenever a thrilling stunt is to be "shot," which is not infrequently, as Ben is working on that serial thriller, "Get Your Man."

When "The Dare Devil" appears on the screen of the Fo-to-sho Theatre today it will be seen how Ben, as Joe Magee, a handsome, swash-buckling cowboy, was literally "knocked right into

pictures." He took the risk, but the leading man took all the credit. If the juvenile thought that the director was asking too much of him, he would immediately set up a vigorous hue and cry for Joe Magee, the daring double.

Consequently, in "The Dare Devil," Ben Turpin is seen performing hair-raising stunts such as bull-dogging a steer, being drowned, getting himself beaten up, rushing into burning buildings, going through a sawmill—in fact, the cross-eyed comedian has to do about every daring feat known to regulation "stunt kings."

Read the ads and profit

WAUGH-SHAFFER SHOWS TO COME HERE NEXT WEEK; BENEFIT AMERICAN LEGION

A. E. Bentley is here arranging for the coming to Ballinger all next week of the Waugh-Shaffer Shows, which will appear under auspices of the American Legion. Mr. Bentley was here last year as advance man for the John T. Wortham Shows, but says he has an even better, cleaner and classier show this year.

The following recommendation by A. F. Mitchell, post commander of the Cameron, Texas post of the Legion, where the Waugh-Shaffer Shows appeared recently, speaks volumes for the class and character of the show:

"To Whom it may concern: "This is to advise that the Cameron Post of the American Legion has for the past five years been booking various carnivals as a means of defraying the expenses of the Legion Post. In this time we have had the following shows with us: The John T. Wortham, The DeKreko Bros., Geo. J. Loos and the Waugh-Shaffer carnivals, and we are frank to say that the Waugh-Shaffer Shows are as clean and as good a show as has ever played in our city."

"A Waugh-Shaffer show has just finished playing a week's engagement with us and the people visiting this show say that this is a good, entertaining and high type carnival, and this is the opinion of the members of the local Legion post."

FOR SALE

A complete threshing outfit, in good working condition; Geiser Separator, Emerson Tractor, will be sold at half price, on very favorable terms. Call and inspect this splendid bargain if interested in threshing.

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Weather men say summer starts later every year. Just the same, it never will come after summer suits have been reduced.

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A man in a new spring suit feels as conspicuous as if he had just had his hair bobbed.

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Coy Drennan

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"Pal O' Mine," Feature at the Maeroy Today

Is marriage between a woman or man of the stage to a person who is not of the theatrical world bound to be unsuccessful? Newspaper accounts of the tremendous number of divorces following such marriages would lead one to suspect so. A new aspect of the case is presented in "Pal O' Mine," a dramatic, enthralling motion picture offering which is showing today and tonight at the Maeroy Theatre.

A popular young woman with a beautiful voice is much sought after for the operatic stage, but she sacrifices her career to marry an ambitious young business man who does not approve of the profession. Sudden reverses cause him to lose his money, and his wife is forced to go on the stage to make both ends meet. The events that follow form one of the most interesting screen stories ever seen. Irene Rich is

the star of this production and is supported by a well-known cast including Pauline Garon, Willard Louis, Josef Swickard, Jean De Briac and Albert Roscoe.

John Bailey, of Ozona, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Scott H. Mack.

Be Wise and Advertise

GIRL REPORTED HURT AT WINTERS

According to a report received by The Ledger, Miss Connie Hendricks, of Winters, was probably fatally injured when a horse fell with her. The young lady was riding at a pretty rapid clip, according to the report, when the horse fell, falling on Miss Hendrick in such a way as to render her unconscious and crushing her chest. The report sent to The Ledger stated that she was in a serious condition, and her life was in danger.

W. C. Montgomery, of Paint Rock, is still in the Halley & Love sanitarium. He has been here for a couple of weeks.

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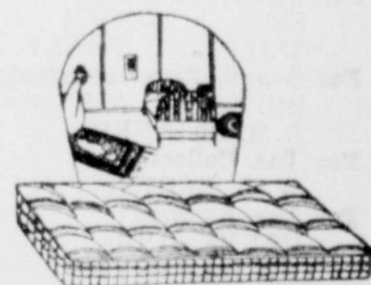
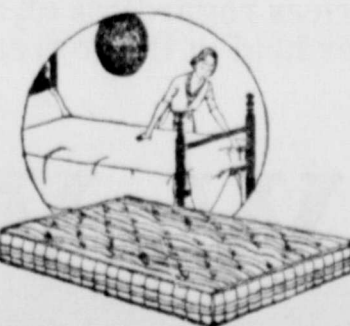
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The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also to local news published herein.

Between fishing and cotton chopping most everybody is managing to keep busy.

A carnival company is coming to Ballinger next week to spend a week's vacation.

Newspapers often print stories which are of no news value. Take the nomination of Mr. Coolidge for example. No news in that.

A negro woman, the daughter of a Mississippi slave, has been chosen by the republican party to help shape the destinies of the government so long as the republicans are in power. Evolution is still evolving.

One of the colored pastors of Ballinger has announced a revival to begin at once and run a month. He perhaps feels that the soul salvation of his people is of a great deal more importance than the salvation of the cotton crop of Runnels county.

If you can't make up your mind who to vote for in the governor's race, just close your eyes and scratch your ticket. It is about six of one and half a dozen of the other, and the chances are you will lose any way it goes.

Columbus City, Iowa, is a female town. At least the municipal government is composed of the fair sex. The mayor and board of aldermen are all women. But you could never have made our forefathers believe that we

would be living under such a government.

The biggest garden in Texas is in Dimmit county shipped 2,166 carloads of vegetables from January 1 to April 15, and did you ever stop to think how many persons a carload of vegetables will feed?

RELIGION IN CONGRESS

(Ballinger Baptist Bulletin)
Of 434 members of the House of Representatives, 373 confess religious affiliations. Of the ninety-six Senators, seventy-six are church members. The religious complexion of Congress as a whole is as follows: Methodist, 119; Episcopalian, seventy-four; Presbyterian, seventy-three; Baptist, forty-eight; Catholic, forty-five; Congregationalist, thirty-one; Disciples of Christ, seventeen; Lutheran, fourteen; Jewish, nine; Unitarian, five; Dutch Reformed, three; Mormon, three; Quaker, three. And of United Brethren, Mennonites, Christian Scientists, Universalists, Evangelical Church, one each.

English Vicar's Daughter Held Six of His Parish Offices
(By Associated Press)

PETERBOROUGH, England, June 13.—Rev. John H. Trott, 76 years old, really cannot continue to manage his vicarage and village of Newborough now that his daughter has married. He will have to resign and has told the Bishop so.

Dr. Trott's daughter was organist, choir-master, district visitor, Sunday-school superintendent, deputy sexton and churchwarden, and the prospect of all these duties falling on to his own shoulders is too much for the aged vicar.

SAN ANGELO GIRL MAY GET A HERO MEDAL

Miss Winnie Weddell, a Sophomore in the San Angelo schools, is in line for a Carnegie hero medal as the result of her heroic work in rescuing Miss Larrimore Robbins and little brother, Jesse, children of a San Angelo merchant, from drowning Wednesday. The parties were in bathing in the Concho River near San Angelo, when Miss Robbins got in deep water and was seized with

cramps. She called for help. Her twelve year old brother went to her rescue, but was unable to save her and was in the act of drowning himself, when Miss Weddell plunged in and in a most daring way rescued the boy and girl. An alarm was given and an ambulance with a pulmotor rushed to the scene, but the drowning parties had been resuscitated before the ambulance arrived.

Dr. W. W. Fowler visited Abilene Thursday afternoon.

Few people notice you as long as you are good, but when you start out to borrow trouble the interest is very high.

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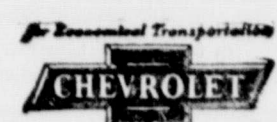
Detectives killed a bandit in New York, proving that no one is safe there.

If ignorance were bliss, everybody would be happy.

Mrs. Gerard Houston was a visitor from Paint Rock Thursday, spending a few hours in

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of head or throat is usually benefited by the vapors of—
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Not alone for every-day utility does Chevrolet represent the world's lowest-priced quality car. It also meets the requirements of particular people for those social and sport occasions when artistic proportion, high-grade coach work, and handsome finish are in harmony with the time and place.

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—sells Entire Stock to R. W. White, of Waco, Texas.

This entire stock consisting of Dry Goods, Millinery, Ready-to-Wear, Shoes and Notions positively will be sold out clean regardless of cost, to Mr. White, in the next

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This store will be thrown open Saturday morning for business with the greatest bargains ever offered the people of Ballinger and vicinity.

Don't miss the Opening Day.

FREE

50 Aluminum Pans

—to the first 50 women in the store Saturday morning. Nothing to buy; just be here and get your pans.

Remember every article in house marked at unheard of prices regardless of cost. Come to the greatest sale ever held in Ballinger.

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Glasses \$4.50 to \$18.50
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(of Coleman)
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(of Concho County)
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For County Superintendent:
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MIKE C. BOYD
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For County Judge:
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For County Treasurer:
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For County Clerk:
W. A. FORGET
For District Clerk:
Miss—
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NOTICE

We have received the following advise from The Federal Reserve Bank:

Under the terms of NEW REVENUE ACT stamp tax on promissory notes has been repealed, effective July 2nd, 1924.

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When money is slack; when crops fail; when credit is needed it is the home town merchant whom we seek for friendly service. He tides us over with credit; he charges no interest; he provides us with reliable, guaranteed merchandise fairly priced.

In short, he "holds the bag for us." That is why he deserves all our patronage in times of plenty as well as in days of stress.

And isn't it a pity that there are many who use him only as a leaning post—to tide them over the slack days and use their cash to fill the coffers of the big town mail order houses who wouldn't trust them over night—with, or without interest.

We all need that merchant—we need his confidence, his friendship. Our town needs his enterprise—the service he renders in handling only guaranteed, first-grade goods that he is here to stand back of day in and day out.

Let's give him our cash when we have it. Let's earn, and merit, the confidence he has placed in us and in our community. Let's support him—we need him and he needs us, our trade, and our unselfish good will.

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YOUNG MEN'S BUSINESS LEAGUE

ITS AUTHORITY TO BUY I. & G. N.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 13. — The New Orleans, Texas & Mexico Railway Company was authorized today by the Interstate Commerce Commission to acquire control of the International & Great Northern Railway Company by purchase of the I. & G. N. capital stock.

In authorizing a merger of the two railroads the Interstate Commerce Commission said that the

acquisition apparently should effect large economies in operating expenses, and strengthen the general transportation system in the territory served by the two lines.

"The unified operation should result in improved service," it was said, "with a tendency toward reducing of some rates through the establishment of a one line haul."

TWO TO-NIGHT
for loss of appetite, bad breath, coated tongue, biliousness, without griping or nausea.
CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
Set your liver right—only 25c

SAYS KLANSMEN HELD HIM UP

A story reading like a detective romance was related to County Attorney Shepherd by Jesse Hambright at Norton Friday morning, where the county attorney spent the forenoon investigating a reported highway hold-up.

Fifteen or more witnesses were examined, but no evidence was obtained upon which any complaint could be filed. The witnesses examined all testified that all they knew about the trouble was what young Hambright had told them.

According to the young man, he

was held up by ten men, all clad in Klan robes, while he was returning from a visit to a young lady last Sunday night a week ago. Young Hambright told the county attorney that he had been to take his girl to her home, after taking her to church, and it was while he was en route to his home alone that the ten robed men stopped him on the road. He said two of the men were armed, and asked him why he was riding with his curtains up. After exchanging a few words, the young man said that the men told him to move on, but warned him to forget any auto numbers which he might have observed on cars parked by the roadside.

Hambright described the cars to the county attorney, saying they were either Dodges or Chevrolets, but said that he could not identify any of the party. He was inclined to believe that a former admirer of the young lady whom he had been to church with, was in the party, and he furnished the officer with the name of his rival.

Young Hambright did not mention the hold-up to anyone until Wednesday or Friday following the alleged trouble on Sunday. The matter was talked around over the neighborhood and County Attorney Shepherd was notified and asked to come out and make an investigation. The county attorney stated that there was no tangible evidence upon which to base any charge.

JUICE OF LEMON WHITENS THE SKIN

The only harmless way to bleach the skin white is to mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug-gist will supply for a few cents. Shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quart-pint of the most wonderful skin whitener, softener and beautifier.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon bleach into the face, neck, arms and hands. It can not irritate. Famous stage beauties use it to bring that clear, youthful skin and rosy-white complexion; also as a freckle, sunburn and tan beach. You must mix this remarkable lotion yourself. It can not be bought ready to use because it acts best immediately after it is prepared.

Norway May Exempt Aliens

(By Associated Press)
CHRISTIANIA, June 13.—The finance committee of the Storting has reported in favor of the proposal to exempt foreign shareholders in Norwegian companies from the property tax. At the same time it is proposed to increase the income tax in respect of foreign shareholders from 15 to 20 per cent.

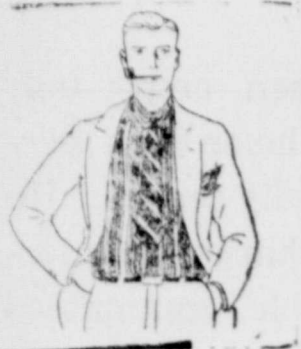
Russians Preserve Aurochs

(By Associated Press)
MOSCOW, June 13.—About 200,000 acres in Western Caucasasia, where the auroch or European bison still survives, have been declared a national preserve. The purpose is to afford

these animals adequate protection.

Jim Clark and son, of the Miles country, were here looking after business Friday.

Read the ads and profit



These collar-to-match striped shirts are good for business—and it's good business to get several while they're \$2.50

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Daily Ledger Want Ads

WANT ADS 25c up to 12 words, over that 2c per word first insertion. 1c per word each additional insertion. All want ads are cash.

LOST—Tan hand-bag between Santa Fe depot and my home in West End. Return to W. R. Clark at Higginbotham's. 1d

FOR RENT—Two South rooms unfurnished. Also four-room house. R. E. Truly. Phone 343. 13-4td.*

WANTED—Young lady wants office work or place as clerk in dry goods store. Phone Ledger office before Saturday. 12-2td.*

LOST—Sample case containing nine phonograph reproducers. Leave at Moody's Music Store and get reward. D. H. Spencer, 4218 Avendale Avenue, Dallas, Texas. 12-2d.*

FOR RENT—Two large front rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 800 Ninth Street. J. A. Nichols. 7-6td.*

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms furnished. Phone 179. 29-tfd.*

FOR RENT—Four room house on Tenth Street, near Methodist Church. See Mrs. P. E. Truly. 10-6td-1tw.*

FOR SALE—One 2 year old Jersey Bull, well bred, but not registered. See W. R. White or phone 523. 7-6td-1tw

SALESMAN—\$36 to \$50 week, with or without car. No experience needed. Take order, no delivery; work in small towns and country. Self-heating Iron; heats without using charcoal, gas, gasoline, wood, coal or electricity; cheaper than any. American Legion Hall, 123 Main Street, Winters, Texas. 22-26d-4w.*

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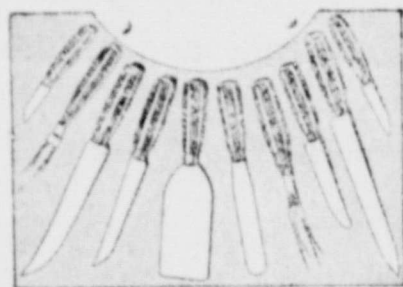
\$1 DOWN SALE THIS WEEK ONLY

SATURDAY ONE DAY MORE SATURDAY

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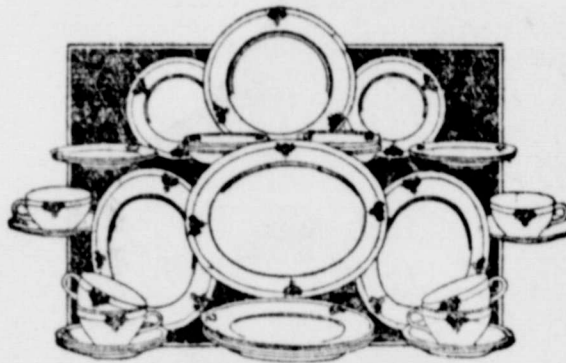
with a **Hoosier Beauty
Kitchen Cabinet** for only

\$1 DOWN!

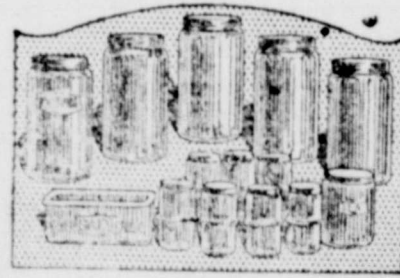


10-Piece Set of Cutlery
This is a high-grade Dexter Domestic Science cutlery set which sells regularly at \$7.50. You get it with your Hoosier Beauty!

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EVERY
Woman Can Now
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HOOSIER
—and a Beautiful
Set of Dishes,
TOO!—As Well as
Cutlery and Glassware



31-Piece Set of Dishes
Includes six dinner plates, six pie plates, six dessert dishes, six cups, six saucers and one large platter. You get this complete if you buy your Hoosier now!



14-Piece Set of Glassware
Fourteen very useful glass containers for coffee, spices, etc. They come with each Hoosier Beauty!

Your old cabinet accepted as part payment on a new **HOOSIER**.

12 Hoosiers Sold to Date

We have only a limited number of Hoosiers for this special sale. Don't wait—you may be disappointed. Come in tomorrow and get just the style and size to suit YOUR Kitchen!

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