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BIGAMY CHARGE MAY BE FILED SCHOOL BOARD ELECTS FACULTY

LOS ANGELES, May 19.—Continuing its investigation into the alleged illegal marriage of Rodolph Valentino, noted actor, to Winnifred Hudnut of New York, federal authorities announced that the probe had been extended to Mexicali, Lower California, where the ceremony was performed last Saturday. District Attorney Woolwine announced that he would go to the Mexican town to determine whether to institute criminal proceedings on the ground of bigamy against the man.

KLAN LAWYER IS BUSY MAN

WACO, May 19.—Judge Erwin J. Clark, general counsel in Texas for the Ku Klux Klan, left here today for Beaumont. He declined to say whether he would take part in the case at Beaumont involving the sheriff of Jefferson county in which an effort is being made to have the sheriff impeached.

BEAUMONT, May 19.—The preliminaries were completed by both sides in the impeachment case of Sheriff Garner, and the selection of a jury was expected to begin this afternoon.

THIS IS NOT A FISH STORY

Five weeks ago B. F. Brown, of the Crews country, who resides two miles southwest of Crews, was in Ballinger and purchased a sack of fresh tomatoes from E. A. Jones & Co. When preparing the tomatoes for the table Mr. Brown decided that he would save the seed and plant them, which he did at once, and now he has tomato plants eight inches high and almost ready to form fruit.

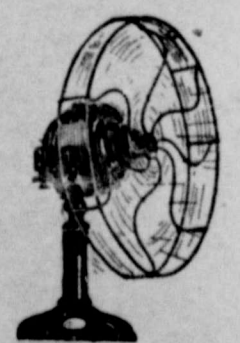
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WEEKS

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The school board of the Ballinger Independent School District held its last meeting for the present term Wednesday of this week. The work for the term closing this week was reviewed and matters pertaining to the commencement, and program for the coming term was discussed.

With the exception of one high school teacher the faculty for the 1922-23 term has been selected, and most of those elected to teach in the Ballinger schools have accepted and signed contracts. Following are the names of those elected:

J. M. Skinner, superintendent
J. B. Pace, principal High School

Miss Sammie Padgett, principal Central Ward

Mrs. Mary West, principal South Ward

Homer C. Daniels, principal West Ward

Miss Virginia Mills

Mrs. J. M. Skinner

Mrs. W. A. Bridwell

Mrs. Bessie Lindell Low

Mrs. Z. D. Brock

Mrs. Homer C. Daniels

Mrs. Jesse Mitchell

Miss Maryatt Smith

Miss Fern Smith

Miss Myrtle Bridwell

Miss Mae Bridwell

Miss Addie Lee Smith

Miss Lloyds Ward

Miss Mary Dark

Miss Mattie Whitten

Mrs. L. C. Parker was elected as teacher of the colored school.

The school board will make an effort to finance the school during the next term on full day sessions. The primary grades have been given only half day sessions thru the term just closing. By utilizing the ward buildings and employing two or three more teachers the enrollment can be handled on a full day basis.

The financial budget must be increased to take care of the increased enrollment and make improvements which are absolutely necessary. In order to do this it is probable that an election will be called to fix the tax rate for the coming year. Under the law the board can call an election for adopting a tax rate, and it is reported that the board will be petitioned to call such an election.

NINE TRUE BILLS IN TWO DAYS AT COLEMAN

Up to Wednesday the grand jury at Coleman had returned nine felony indictments. The busy body had only been in session two days and was still grinding when the nine bills were turned in for trial. Four of the indictments were for burglary, four bootlegging, and one for cattle theft.

Dr. E. C. Baskin had business in Winters Friday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Baskin and daughter, Eugenia, and Mrs. A. W. Sledge and daughter, Louise.

They Say Fishin' Is Good

We have just gotten in a new line of fishing tackle which we will be glad to show you.

See our show window. Get equipped for the sport.

J. Y. Pearce
Drug Co.

Telephone 38.
We Deliver



BUSY YEAR FOR HEARING ON IN BAPTIST PEOPLE MURDER CASE

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 19.—For completing the seventy-five million dollar fund, the Southern Baptist Convention will outline an intensive South-wide campaign which is to be launched at a conference of the Baptist leaders to be held in Nashville on June 20 and 21, it was announced at the convention here today. State general secretaries will be included in the invitations to confer with the leaders on plans for completing the campaign.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 19.—Despite the economic depression that has characterized the nation for the last year and a half, larger receipts than ever before in the history of the Sunday school of the Southern Baptist convention were noted in the report of the board, which was presented to the convention this morning by Dr. I. J. Van Ness, of Nashville, corresponding secretary.

The receipts for the year were \$1,289,489, a gain over last year, when the figures exceeded all former records of \$141,767.

There has likewise been a marked gain in all phases of Sunday school work during the year, a total of 660 new schools having been organized and a net gain of 226,981 pupils enrolled. This makes a total of 21,080 Southern Baptist Sunday schools with an enrollment of 2,193,591 pupils. The statistical department of the Sunday School Board reports a total of 240,974 baptisms by Southern Baptist churches during the last year, bringing the present white church membership in the South to 3,281,710.

The growth in the Baptist young people's unions has been correspondingly large, a total of 25,831 new members having been enrolled during the year, bringing the total number of Unions to 10,829, and the membership to 327,704. The total contributions of the churches for the last year were \$33,847,356.20 while the value of the local church property is \$102,216,323.

Ledger want ads work for you.

HOUSTON, May 19.—The examination hearings in the cases of Mrs. Laura Simms, and brother Earl Beaver, charged with murder in connection with the killing of W. R. Simms, a week ago, at Goose Creek, have been set for this afternoon. The two were arrested last Wednesday at Waxahachie and brought here late Thursday. Both made statements in connection with the case.

FOUR KILLED; VILLAGE BURNS

BELFAST, May 19.—Four men, all Catholics, were dragged from their beds at Desert, Martin county, early today, and murdered. Half of the village was then set on fire and burned.

FARMER ATTACKED BY VICIOUS BULL

While attending to his cattle in the barn lot on his premises about three miles from Brownwood near the Thrifty road, early this morning, J. L. Richardson was attacked by a Jersey bull, the animal knocking him down and was doing its best to impale him on its horns when his cries for help reached the ears of one of his sons who was milking the cows in an adjoining lot and who seized a large rock and knocked the bull almost senseless, as good luck would have it almost the first throw, which caused the animal to desist and Mr. Richardson got out of its way. The incident came near being tragic and as it was, Mr. Richardson received a nasty wound on one of his arms. —Brownwood Bulletin.

Mrs. Annie Arterburn left for her home at Arlington, Thursday afternoon, after an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. H. A. Massey, and family.

Read Ledger "wants" column

Commencement Program

Class '22

Methodist Church Friday, May 19th

Prelude, March Miss Barkley
Invocation Rev. C. E. Simpson
Vocal Duet Ruth Skinner and Velma Tindall
Duet Helen Brewer and Frances Holman
Salutatory Gussie Burris
Horn Solo Edwin Swindell
Valedictory Helen Brewer
Duet Margaret Cordill and Miss Barkley
Violin Solo Susie Hale and Herbert Preston
Address Estes Lynn
Solo Helen Brewer
Delivery of Diplomas C. W. Hardin
Delivery of Scholarships Mr. Skinner
Benediction Dr. Swindell

GASOLINE PRICES IN TEXAS UNDER PROBE

MILLION DOLLAR STRIKE SUIT

CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 19.—An echo from the 1919 coal miners' strike and subsequent disturbances in Southwest West Virginia fields, came today when a civil suit against the United Mine Workers of America was filed asking for a million dollars damages. The suit is the outgrowth of the shooting up of the Whills Branch Coal Company's properties, and it was filed in federal court.

AUSTIN, May 19.—The attorney general's department today started an investigation looking into the fluctuations in the price of gasoline in Texas to determine if the anti-trust laws are being violated. Attorney General Keeling directed Special Agent Taber to inquire into the price variations in gasoline traffic in Dallas, San Antonio and Fort Worth.

FT. WORTH, May 19.—The retail price of gasoline was advanced to 25 cents per gallon today by a majority of the filling stations in this city.

THIEVES RAID ARMY HALLS

AUSTIN, May 19.—There has been an epidemic of thefts of guns and other property belonging to the United States army from armories in Texas, Col. J. T. Stockton, commanding Camp Mabry, said today. The stolen goods are gradually being recovered by army officers and rangers, Col. Stockton stated.

SOUTH TEXAS NEEDS SEED FOR PLANTING

Ed O'Kelly is in receipt of a telegram from Robstown, in which he is notified that cotton seed for planting is not available from that point. Mr. O'Kelly has shipped in many consignments of cotton seed from Robstown, and had orders for more, but it is impossible to get more. The message says: "Tornado and hail storm destroyed about 30,000 acre of cotton around Bishop last night and absolutely no seed available to ship you. Don't know where we will get seed for this area." The message was dated May 17th.

R. E. George, LeRoy Nicholson, C. S. Guin and C. R. Stone had business in Eden Thursday.

GEORGE SAYS MEET SUCCESS

GENOA, Italy, May 19.—Premier Lloyd George, of Great Britain, in a valedictory speech to the Genoa economic conference today, said that the conference had gathered fine crops, and named among the accomplishments achieved the meeting to be held at The Hague, non-aggression pact, reports of financing transport, economic commission, all of which he said justified the holding of the conference. He warned Russia not to present her doctrine of repudiation of debts at The Hague meeting, if she desired success.

GENOA, May 19.—The Genoa economic conference was one of the greatest political gatherings in European history, which brought here representatives for six weeks momentous deliberations. Its labors will begin anew at The Hague on June 15th.

FOREIGNER IS ORDERED RELEASED

NEW YORK, May 19.—General Gregoris Semnoff, former Cossack leader, was ordered released from arrest today by the appellate division of the Supreme Court, which reversed the decision of Justice Delehanty.

Shoe Mileage

If you own a car you probably give a lot of thought to the mileage your tires will deliver. But did you ever think of the mileage your shoes ought to give you? (The average man ought to get at least 500 miles out of a pair of good shoes.) Are you getting it?

Figured on the mileage basis you'll find our footwear reasonably priced. Come and see.

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THERE ARE NO BETTER
SHOES
FOR FIT—FOR STYLE—FOR WEAR



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DRY GOODS

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- * Annual County Fair
- * Annual Summer Normal
- * Tourists Camping Grounds
- * Completion of C. V. I. Project.
- * Patronage for Home Industries.
- * If you endorse this platform get busy and help the Y. M. B. E., put it over.
- * Every plank in it is within the city's reach if the citizens will pull together.
- * We are doing our part.

All hats should go off to the law enforcement officers of this city and county for the stand declared in a notice published elsewhere in today's Ledger. Loafers are not needed in Ballinger when there is a call for laborers on the farm.

Whooping Cough

This is a very dangerous disease, particularly to children under five years of age, but when no paregoric, codeine or other opiate is given, is easily cured by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Most people believe that it must run its course, not knowing that the time is very much shortened, and that there is little danger from the disease when this remedy is given. It has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, with pronounced success. It is safe and pleasant to take.

NOTICE TO IDLERS —WHITE OR BLACK

Attention has been called to the fact that a great many negroes and a few white men are loafing and loitering on and along the streets, with no apparent occupation or visible means of support and that since the recent rains many farmers need help in planting and working out their crops, but on coming to town to get help find that the idle persons refuse to go and work.

Under our vagrancy laws, and the construction placed thereon by our higher courts, the above conditions come within the violation of said vagrancy law, and a close watch by the force of peace officers will be kept on this situation and arrests and complaints will be filed from time to time as the facts warrant to remedy this situation.

So warning is now given to all such people as described above to get a job of some kind and go to work.

B. W. PILCHER, City Marshal
S. B. BABY, Mayor
C. H. WHILLINGHAM, J. P.
J. P. FLYNT, Sheriff
A. K. DOSS, City Attorney
C. P. SHEPHERD, Co. Atty.

LAX-PIRIN

(Laxative Aspirin)
Better than plain Aspirin for headaches, neuralgia, asthma, and all pain. 25c per box of 12 tablets. At all Druggists. 4-lmo d.

Luther Osteen, who has been visiting relatives here for several days, returned to his home at Clyde, Friday afternoon. He was accompanied home by Terence Straley, little son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Straley.

Rothall O'Kelly came in from Corpus Christi Thursday night, and according to reports in circulation he is here on an important mission as well as to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. O'Kelly.

County Superintendent Bugg went to Sterling City Friday, where he was scheduled to make the commencement address for the Sterling City commencement exercises. He was accompanied by T. E. Davis, of Miles, president of the Runnels county school board, and Prof. J. N. Key, of Drisco.

"HIGH HEELS" AT THE FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

High heels.
The sign of sophistication.
Woman's prerogative to look down on the world.

It gives here a sort of inward satisfaction, a security of superiority over all she surveys.

It's bad enough when women take this attitude, but when 18 year old flappers decide that there is nothing left for them to learn, good-night! Something is bound to happen. And something usually does. Usually the little flippant flapper has a hard come-down off her high heels.

Sometimes they are wise enough to see the error of their ultra-aristocratic ways.

But not so Christine Trevor. She was the snobbiest snob who ever tilted a perfectly formed snobbish nose.

High heels were ruling the roost.

Then something happened, the fortune that was a bubble burst, and in the financial crash went down John Trevor, head of the house.

Something changed inside the little flapper, the tender goodness spoke.

"High Heels," in which the adorable little Gladys Walton stars, will be seen at the Fo-to-sho tonight and tomorrow.

Curtis Norman, of Paint Rock, had business here Friday.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucus surfaces, expelling the poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all druggists 75c.

Q. Victor Miller is here from La Grange, looking after business and visiting his mother, Mrs. Chas. S. Miller.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

WEDDINGS CONTINUE TO COME SLOW HERE

Reporting two weddings in The Ledger today indicates that Dan Cupid is a busy little mischief maker in this county, but a review of the marriage license record shows that the insignificant sum of only ten permits to wed have been issued this month, as follows:

Lawrence Boynton and Miss Melva Walker

Lawton Clayton and Miss Cora Lindemann

Tom Puckett and Miss Sadie Ale

A. C. Wood and Miss Grace Cole

Clinton Walden and Miss Lucille Caffey

John Futch and Miss Pansy Wilcox

Otto Hambright and Miss Marie Condra

E. E. Bates and Miss Eva Greer.

Ed Cook and Mrs. M. A. Cook

Jose Jawsig and Maria Juarez.

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J. N. WELLS
C. R. STEPHENS
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
E. W. BROWN RIGG
R. J. DEENS
R. M. SMITH
For Tax Collector:
W. L. BROWN
For Tax Assessor:
M. D. CHASTAIN
For County Clerk:
W. A. FORGEY
For County Treasurer:
MRS. R. P. KIRK
For District Clerk:
GEORGIA SINGLETARY
For County Judge:
PAUL TRIMMIE
For Sheriff:
J. P. FLYNT
For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
JOHN J. BUGG
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:
E. F. BATTS
J. P. BOOTHE

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Order a can today. Have rich, brown, fragrant RYZON biscuits for every meal.

Not merely baking powder but increased leavening power. The special process of manufacture is the reason.

RYZON is an improvement over old-fashioned powders. It has more raising power, is a slow, steady raiser. It retains its full strength to the last spoonful.

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We offer to all FREE SERVICE for the protection of paper and documents in our ART METAL BOXES and FILES, the same FREE SERVICE which our many friends and customers have used for the past 36 years which has proven to be very satisfactory.

Realizing the increasing demand for SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES in remodeling the interior of our Bank we built a CUSTOMERS' VAULT and installed SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES for rent at the very reasonable charge of \$3.00 per year which provides the uttermost privacy and protection for your valuable papers. Private Boxes with Individual Keys.

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French dry cleaning is a remarkable achievement. You can't imagine what a difference it will make in the looks of your suit.

When in a hurry phone us, we can clean and press and deliver your suit or dress in less than two hours.

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Aunt Jemima Flour and Cream Meal is Better.

There is a reason, it is milled from the very best Missouri Soft Wheat, on the most modern mills yet invented.

Try a sack and be convinced. If not the best you ever used your money will be cheerfully refunded.

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A. L. Spann & Co.
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L. E. Bair & Co.
Harber Grocery Co.
Cline Grocery.



FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

"Where the Best Pictures are Shown"

Community Night

Gladys Walton in

"HIGH HEELS"

The appealing drama of a frivolous flapper who was flung from her high pedestal only to find happiness thru disaster.

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Brownie, the Wonder Dog in

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A Century Comedy

Admission 10 Cents Each

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Old loans renewed—New loans made—A part of purchase money advanced to buy a place with. See us—

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CLOGS THE KIDNEYS****Take a glass of Salts if your Back
hurts or Bladder
bothers**

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat form uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink.

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL
ELECTION**

WHEREAS, at a called meeting of the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas, held at the City Hall on the 27th day of April, A. D., 1922, the following resolution was duly offered by Commissioner C. A. Doose, seconded by Commissioner R. T. Williams, and adopted by the following vote to-wit:

Ayes: Commissioners R. T. Williams, C. A. Doose, and Mayor C. S. Guin.

Nays: None.

Resolution

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Ballinger deems it advisable to order a special election for the adoption or rejection of the benefits and terms of Chapter 14, Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of the State of Texas, Laws, 1909, with reference to the construction of permanent street improvements;

"THEREFORE, Be it resolved by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas:

"That it is hereby ordered that an election be held on the 30th day of May, A. D., 1922, at which election the adoption or rejection by the City of Ballinger of the benefits and terms of Chapter 14 of the Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of the State of Texas, Laws, 1909, shall be submitted. Said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Ballinger, and the following officers are hereby appointed to hold same:

"Presiding Judge: J. F. Lusk; and W. C. McCarver, Assistant Judge; Edwin Day; and H. C. Gardner; as clerks to assist in holding the said election as prescribed by law. The polls at said election shall be kept open from eight a. m. to seven p. m., and at said election only resident property tax-payers of Ballinger, Texas, who are qualified voters shall be allowed to vote. Voting shall be by an official ballot as required by law and numbered as required by law in the following form, to-wit:

"Official Ballot.

"For the adoption of Chapter 14, Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of Texas, Laws 1909, with reference to the construction of permanent street improvements."

"Against the adoption of Chapter 14, Acts of the Second Called Session of the 31st Legislature of Texas, Laws 1909, with reference to the construction of permanent street improvements."

The manner of holding said special election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas regulating regular elections in the city of Ballinger.

Copy of this Resolution signed by the Mayor of the City of Ballinger shall serve as a proper notice of said election and the said Mayor is directed to cause the same to be posted up at the said voting place, the same being a public place in said city, and to cause the same to be published in a newspaper published in the City of Ballinger, Texas.

for thirty days prior to the time of the said election.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given: That the said election will be held in the said City of Ballinger at the time and place and within the hours mentioned in the said Resolution and in the manner therein set out.

C. S. GUIN,
Mayor of the City of Ballinger,
Texas.

Attest:
J. R. LUSK,
City Secretary.
4td-28—may 5-12-19

**BALLINGER BOY
SLEEPS THRU STORM**

The following clipped from the Eagle Pass Daily Guide, where it will be remembered a storm did much damage a few days ago:

"A clear conscience worketh wonders.

"Therewith the story of how E. Schawe, popular proprietor of the Popular Store, slept peacefully, rocked in the vortex of a tornado, and knew nothing of wreckage and ruin wrought about him until next morning.

"While the lightning tore the skies asunder, thunders boomed and crashed, winds tore, shrieked, howled and demolished at his very door, Schawe in his dreams heard Hungarian rhapsody concerts by grand opera orchestras and stars—and passed a very pleasant time. Fond of classical music he said that, indeed, the evening was the most delightful of his experience in a considerable time.

Mr. Schawe had an early supper up town Sunday evening. When it began to drizzle, he decided to go to his apartments on the second floor of the Popular store building. In the gathering darkness of the approaching storm, it occurred to him in his rooms as a good time to take a nap, which he proceeded to do. Awakening about 8:30 he found the lights off, lit a match and saw the time, glanced from a window and saw a telephone pole half fallen on the opposite corner, concluded there had been a wind and a pole sufficiently damaged to shut off the lights at the corner and in his building and that he might as well go to bed for the night.

"Thereafter he retired, drowsily speculating that the voices in the block below and the tramp of feet of crowds viewing the wreckage of the street were those of people returning from over the river. Then he slept peacefully. When he arose Monday morning and went down to open his store, tangled wires, trees, poles and building wreckage littering the street made him rub his eyes. As soon as he was through with that and hasty details of opening the store, like a good business man, he tied him-

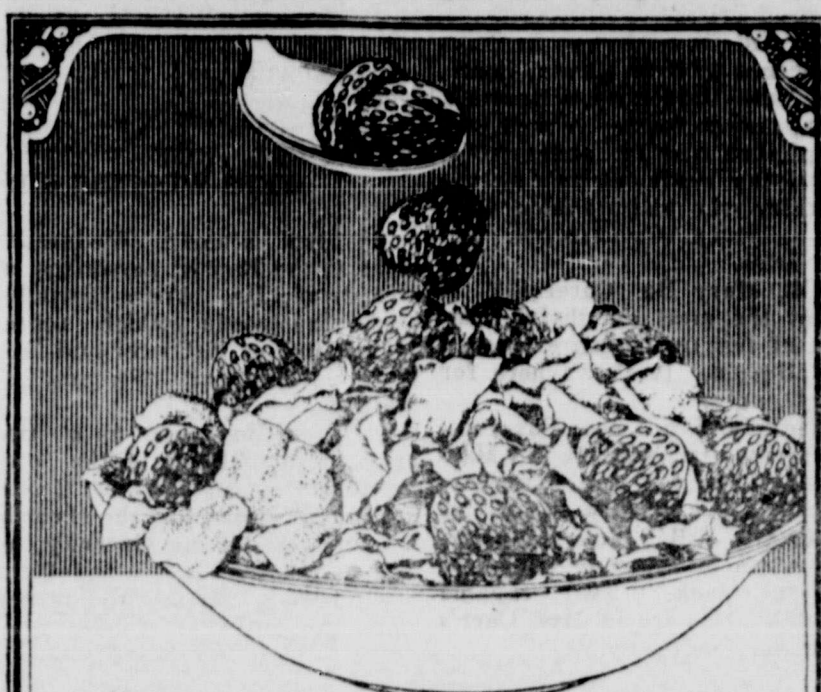
self to an insurance agency and took out a storm policy."

**CREWS COUPLE COMES
TO BALLINGER TO WED**

At the home of Dr. Alvin Swindell on Broadway, Thursday afternoon at four o'clock, Clinton Walden and Miss Lucille

Caffey, of the Crews community, were married. Dr. Swindell performed the ceremony and sent the young folks on their way rejoicing.

Miss Birdie Mae Smith left home at Austin, where she will spend the summer.



Simply delicious!
**Kellogg's Corn Flakes with
strawberries**
on a hot summer's day

Be certain the milk or cream's right cold! And that the bowl's large enough to hold a whole lot of Kellogg's Corn Flakes—for you've started something! And, have just as many red, ripe, luscious berries as you can command!

And, best of all—Kellogg's Corn Flakes and fruit are exactly the food you should eat for warm weather! You'll feel so much cheerier, so free from sluggish drowsiness and headaches if you'll keep away from the heavy foods this summer!

Eat Kellogg's Corn Flakes to your heart's content! Let the children eat all they want! For, Kellogg's digest easily and rest the stomach and they supply the nourishment needed for hot days!



Just be certain you get Kellogg's Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package. It bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes. None are genuine without it!

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Clincher**

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Do not confuse the new Portage Fabric Tire we offer you—with the many "\$10.00 tires" offered today. The Portage Fabric built by Seiberling Rubber Company, is full oversize, with tough rubber tread clear around the tire—all straight sides cured On Air. It's the best fabric tire we know of—regardless of price.

This unequalled bargain can be offered to you only because of Seiberling low plant investment and high factory efficiency.

We have bought in volume—to pass a real extra value along to our customers. All sizes in stock. If you need tires—and want good tires—if you are open to a saving—Come in, now.

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Battery

**COME IN—SAVE DOLLARS—AND GET
A BETTER TIRE**

**Maeroy Theatre
Monday and Tuesday**

Wm. Fox

presents

"Thunder Clap"

The greatest race track drama ever staged.

A sport picture for all lovers of real sport.

A special cast headed by Mery Carr.
(The Mother in "Over the Hill")

**WORTH
WHILE SERVICE**

An unexpected business engagement often means that your suit will need to be cleaned and pressed. Phone us and we will have your suit back in one to two hours cleaned and pressed.

We sew on buttons and repair all places. Nothing leaves here unless in first-class shape. We guarantee to please you—when shall we call?

Telephone 56

Hardin & Garr

We Call

We Deliver

Financial Statement of the**FARMERS & MERCHANTS
BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS**

May 5th 1922

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MONEY IN SIGHT FOR BALL TEAM

The Ballinger team will be ready to play ball in the "Auto League" when the other towns composing the proposed circuit are ready to go.

About \$1,000 had been subscribed up to Friday morning, and the committee had sufficient number of prospects in view and material to work on to get up the necessary funds to rebuild the park and organize the team.

Reports from some of the other towns indicate that the league will be perfected. Brady and Coleman each have parks built, uniforms and equipment, and both have teams ready to put in the field. The Brownwood fans have the question of college baseball to contend with in organizing a team at that place, but the following from the Brownwood Bulletin shows that the matter is being worked out at that place.

"A meeting of baseball players and baseball fans of Brownwood will be held Friday night at 8 o'clock, in the sales room of the A. C. Motor Co. on Center avenue, for the purpose of organizing a Brownwood team for the summer season, it was announced today by G. B. Bohanon, who was instrumental in maintaining a Brownwood team last summer. He said today that the purpose is to elect a manager, organize a club and make arrangements for three months of baseball here on an amateur basis.

"During the past few days there has been considerable discussion of the organization of a new six-team Class D league in this territory, including the towns of Coleman, Comanche, Ballinger, Brady, Winters and Brownwood. So far as can be ascertained here, there is no warrant for including Brownwood in such a proposed organization for the sentiment in favor of organized baseball in this city is by no means strong enough to give adequate support to a professional team. There are a number of good players here, however, who enjoy the sport and who, when properly organized, are able to present a formidable front to any teams which may come this way. It is thought that sufficient playing equipment is available here for the team, and in the meeting of tomorrow night those who have interested themselves in the project hope to definitely organize the local club."

Lumbago

This is a rheumatism of the muscles of the back. It comes on suddenly and is quite painful. Every movement aggravates the disease. Go to bed, keep quiet and have Chamberlain's Liniment applied and a quick recovery may be expected. Mrs. F. J. Dunn, Brookport, N. Y., writes "I can honestly say that Chamberlain's Liniment cured me of lumbago a year ago last summer. When I began using it, I was flat on my back in bed and could not turn to the left or right. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment in the house and this was applied to my back. It promptly drove away the pains and aches."

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"Oh, Mary Be Careful!" the new starring vehicle of Madge Kennedy, is to be seen at the Maeroy Theatre tonight, said to hold the territorial record of the film world. More than 3,000 miles were covered by the principals of the company in making the production.

Beautiful flower scenes in Georgia, scenes at New Haven, Conn., near Yale University, Norwich, Conn., and so forth—in each case the picture had to show so as identifying landmark so that the spectator who had traveled a bit would not be disappointed.

"Oh, Mary Be Careful!" is one of the most delightful comedies of feature length ever seen in Ballinger. It shows here for tonight only.

"Thunderclap," new Fox feature, is the attraction at the Maeroy next Monday and Tuesday, in which Mrs. Mary Carr of "Over the Hill" fame will be seen again in a strong drama of the race track. Two capable juvenile leads are in Mrs. Carr's supporting company.

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Mrs. Frank Maddox and little boys returned to their home at Lubbock Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Maddox came here to attend the funeral of the baby of

Mr. and Mrs. Baby Padgett, and to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Padgett.

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BALLINGER BOY WEDS WINTERS GIRL

At ten o'clock Wednesday night at the Baptist parsonage on Broadway, Dr. Alvin Swindell spoke the words which united John Fitch of Ballinger and Miss Pansy Wilcox of Winters, in wedlock.

This wedding came as a surprise to the friends of the contracting parties, both of Ballinger and Winters, but the surprise does not lessen the sincerity of wishes for the happiness of the newly weds as they journey along the pathway of life.

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Senator J. H. Baugh has accepted an invitation to deliver the commencement address for Howard Payne College at Brownwood. He will go to Brownwood to attend the commencement and deliver the address next Tuesday and will then go to Austin on business.

Read Ledger "wants" column.

LABORERS WANTED

We want twenty men to work in the Cemetery Monday, May 22nd. Every man to furnish own hoe, will pay \$2.50 for 9 hours work. Will have cars to take you out, meet at First National Bank at 7:30 Monday morning. Take your dinner with you. Apply E. Shappard.

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