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REPUBLICANS WILL NOT CONTEST ELECTION VOTE

(By Associated Press)
DALLAS, Nov. 17.—The Republican state executive committee session held here several hours today without issuing a statement. While Dr. George C. Butte, who attended the meeting, declined to be quoted, it was indicated that the Republicans would not contest the election of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson as governor. It was expected that a contest would result should Mrs. Ferguson's majority have remained low, but when it exceeded 100,000 the Republicans decided not to contest, according to unofficial statements.

FARMERS URGED TO PLANT GRAIN

(By Associated Press)
FT. WORTH, Nov. 17.—In view of the world's shortage of wheat, H. B. Dorsey, of the Texas Grain Dealers Association, in a statement issued today, urged Texas farmers to plant wheat. The statement points out the shortage which the world is confronting and urges the farmers to plant all the wheat they can possibly get in the ground before the first of December, regardless of the lateness of rain in which to encourage the sowing of small grain.

SPECIAL WEEK OF EDUCATION

National Education Week is being observed in Ballinger this week. The week of November 17-23 has been set aside all over the nation to be known as Education Week and every man, woman and child is asked to contribute his or her bit toward education. The local post of the American Legion is furnishing a speaker for a short talk at the opening exercises of the high school each day. Monday morning J. D. Motley presented the first talk to the high school and Rev. E. W. McLaurin spoke to the West Ward school. A program is being arranged for the general public Friday night and the program and place will be announced later in the week. The Parent-Teachers Association is fostering the program for Friday night and a good mixed program is being arranged which will be of interest to everyone. This is a week set aside for a cause which should interest everyone. The preparation of the boys and girls of today for the citizens of tomorrow is the duty of every citizen; to help and urge the students to apply themselves now and have the basis of a good education when they take their places in the affairs of the nation.

Attention!

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Phones 12 and 13

TWO DIE IN TENT FIRE

(By Associated Press)
BEAUMONT, Nov. 17.—Two children were burned to death and their mother was probably fatally burned near Port Neches, early today. The mother and her children were asleep in a tent when the tent caught fire. The dead are Elizabeth, age 14; and Frances, age 10; children of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Manning. The mother received serious burns while trying to save her two daughters.

WIDOW OF J. P. MORGAN DEAD

(By Associated Press)
HIGHLAND FALLS, N. Y., Nov. 17.—Mrs. Frances Morgan, widow of J. P. Morgan, died at her home here last night. Mrs. Morgan was 82 years of age. She suffered a stroke ten days ago, and later pneumonia developed. She was unconscious four days before she died.

BEGIN WORK TO HELP FARMING

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—A commission appointed by President Coolidge to inquire into the agricultural conditions of the country and suggest a program for stabilizing farming, began its work today at a meeting in the White House. President Coolidge called the meeting together to outline the purpose for which he named it.

20 GOVERNORS IN CONFERENCE

(By Associated Press)
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 17.—The sixteenth annual governors conference opened here today with an address by Governor Harder of Florida. He said that one of the most important subjects before the people at this time was the conservation of the country's natural resources. The session will continue thru Tuesday with about a score of governors attending the conference.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wear was reported to be seriously ill Sunday, but was some better Monday.

New Photographer

Mr. W. P. Martin, one of the best photographers in the state has accepted a position with the BARTLETT STUDIO and located permanently in Ballinger.

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Fritz Chaillette Prop.

YEAR'S REVIEW SHOWS BUSINESS ON FIRM BASIS

LABOR LEADERS ARE IN SESSION

(By Associated Press)
EL PASO, Nov. 17.—The forty-fourth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor opened here today with some four hundred delegates and spokesmen for approximately three million workers affiliated with 107 crafts organizations in attendance. One of the main questions to be discussed before the convention will be labor organizations participation in the educational system of the country. This will be urged by the convention.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Sharp advances in agricultural prices, the beginning of sound policies in German reparations, and the recovery of American industry, aside from agriculture, were characterized as the three outstanding features of the last fiscal year in a review of business conditions made public today by Secretary Hoover.

While there were some slackening in the activities of some lines during the latter part of the year, the report said there has since been a complete recovery, and business is on a firmer basis throughout the country.



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TROOPS USED TO QUELL FUED IN CALIFORNIA

TRAINS CRASH; ENGINEER DEAD

(By Associated Press)
SEDALIA, Mo., Nov. 17.—Engineer George Diemert, of St. Louis, was instantly killed at Syracuse, Missouri, twenty-two miles East of here today when an East bound Missouri Pacific train No. 20, crashed into a West bound passenger train No. 13. The West bound train was standing on the main line when the East bound train crashed into it. The engineer of the moving train was killed and the baggage man was injured.

500 LIVES LOST IN EARTHQUAKE

(By Associated Press)
BATAVIA, Java, Nov. 17.—It is officially reported today that the number of lives lost in the earthquake last Wednesday is estimated at 500. Ten or a dozen villages were destroyed in the quake and the earth is still trembling with the populace panic stricken.

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 17.—Injunctions were to be filed today in courts here to force the closing of the gates to the Los Angeles aqueduct which were opened last night by a raiding party, and which diverted the water into Owens River.

The raiders opened the gates last night and were still guarding the open gates today as water from the huge aqueduct poured out at a rapid rate. The raiders said they intended to keep the gates open until the long standing Owens valley water rights feud is settled on a basis entirely satisfactory to the valley ranchers and business men.

The aqueduct is one of Los Angeles chief water supply sources, and drawing the water out is endangering the city. State troops have been asked for to be used in ousting the raiders when the injunction processes are served.

L. DeMerville, who suffered a second stroke of paralysis at his home in San Angelo last week, was reported to be in a critical condition Sunday, and the relatives from Ballinger were summoned to his bedside.

THE WEATHER—Tonight and Tuesday generally fair, cooler Tuesday.

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Tuesday will be circus day at Winters. Ballinger people can motor over and see the elephants.

The gum chewing people of this nation helped to pay the republican campaign expenses. Wm. Wrigley was the heaviest contributor to the fund.

The man who can't afford a radio, can sit up late at night and pass the time away working crossword puzzles.

Up in Ohio a candidate for a minor office was elected by a majority of one vote. After it was done the defeated candidate announced that it was by his vote. He voted for his opponent. One case where courtesy did not pay.

It is time to call a halt in this invention business. An X-ray machine has been invented with which you can see through a thick wall, and the contrivance is so small it can be carried in the coat pocket.

It is estimated that enough cash changed hands on the recent election to run the government a full term. It is remarkable how some people will let their prejudice control their judgment, and it is against the law to bet on elections.

The demand for business quarters in Ballinger at this time is stimulating realty deals. Why not, there is just as much reason why a man should own a home for his business as a home for his family.

Jack Walton has traded his home in Oklahoma for a farm in the Rio Grande valley of Texas, and is coming down to look after his farm. Perhaps Jack thinks Texas is better to impeached governors than Oklahoma is.

Mrs. Ferguson's majority has now figured out 112,235. She received a total vote of 414,904 at a cost of \$4,805, or a little less than one cent per vote. Pretty cheap, and \$4,561 of the amount was contributed by friends. If Mrs. Ferguson will manage the state's affairs on the same basis, her administration will not be so bad after all.

OUCH! LUMBAGO! RUB BACKACHE AWAY

Kidneys cause backache! No! Your backache is caused by lumbago, rheumatism or a strain and the quickest relief is soothing, penetrating St. Jacobs Oil. Rub it right on your painful back, and instantly the soreness, stiffness and lameness disappears. Don't stay crippled! Get a 35 cent bottle of St. Jacobs Oil from your druggist. A moment after it is applied you'll wonder what became of the backache or lumbago pain.

In use for 65 years for lumbago, backache, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism or sprains. Absolutely harmless. Doesn't burn the skin.

Miss Lela Belle Holloway is at home on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Holloway. Miss Holloway has been with the Western Union at Shreveport.

Miss Ada Allen returned to El Paso Friday to be with her sister, Mrs. Tom Watkins, after spending a few days at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Allen.

Broiled Calf Meat, every day at Cline's Barbecue Pit, the Best What is.

Judges A. K. Doss and C. P. Shepherd had business at Paint Rock Monday where county court is in session.

Ledger want ads pay.

Society

Sunday School Class in "Tacky" Party

An unusually pleasant social event of the past week, was the "tacky" party given by the members of Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh's class of the Christian church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crager on Friday evening.

Autumn leaves exclusively decorated the rooms where the guests found their places at the seven tables arranged for playing forty-two.

The costumes worn were cleverly designed and showed much ingenuity on the part of the designers. Competition was keen but after serious contemplation by the judges, Miss Nan Kevil and Mr. Aubrey Dunn, were decided upon as the "tackiest" ones present.

During the games the chewing gum which was served, greatly enlivened the contests. Tacky refreshments consisting of gingerbread and chocolate were passed.

Those present were: Mmes. Lightfoot Carr, Dignified Williams, Boss Nicholson, Silent Stobaugh, Joykiller George, Featherweight Love, Dick Wooten, U. R. Easy Strain, Hightone Crager, Slim Maek, Serene Moore, Timidity Murphy, Slew Dunn, Sunshine Richardson, Lucy Dell Moser, Kate McGregor; Messrs. Wrecked Carr, Hibald Williams, Henpecked Stobaugh, Quack Love, Jedge Crager, Butinsky Maek, Wild Murphy, Dynamite Dunn, Uncle Silas Richardson, Skyscraper Moser, Soapstick McGregor; Misses Tiny Henson, Nancy Ann Kevil and Smartalee Henson.

Mrs. Erwin Hostess at Luncheon
With the members of her bridge club as her guests, Mrs. Ralph Erwin entertained with a beautifully arranged luncheon on Friday at one o'clock at her home on Seventh Street.

Red was the color chosen and was employed in the table decorations in most charming effect. A perfect red rose accompanied the dainty red bird cards which marked the places for the twelve diners. Gold candlesticks with lighted tapers of red completed the color scheme. A four course luncheon was served.

Afterwards a series of bridge games was enjoyed at three tables by Mmes. D. Reeder, Leslie Baker, Alex. McGregor, Estes Lynn, Garland Parks, William Douse, Joe Simmons, Harry Thomson, Rufus Wheeler, Chas. Northington, Victor Miller and Mrs. Louise Orgain.

Mrs. Erwin was assisted in dispensing the hospitalities of this distinctive affair by Mrs. George Holman and Miss Nell Alexander.

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Judge J. K. Baker was here from Coleman Monday on business, and hurried home when he learned of the death of Judge Snodgrass.

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Respectfully,

J. O. Cline

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Our pastures on Wire Hollow, Live Oak and Grape Creek slope are posted, according to law against all forms of trespassing. Individuals are urged to accept this warning and avoid prosecution.

Signed: B. J. CLAYTON.
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS.

County of Runtels:
WHEREAS, W. W. Farmer did on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1921, make, execute and deliver to A. J. Thorp, trustee, a certain deed of trust recorded in Volume 20, Page 389 of the Deed of Trust Records of Runtels County, Texas to secure the prompt payment of one certain promissory note of even date with said deed of trust, in the principal sum of \$4209.45, and said note signed by the said W. W. Farmer and wife, Josie Farmer, and payable to the order of The First National Bank of Ballinger on December 1st, A. D. 1922, bearing interest from maturity at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or if collected through the Probate Court, or if suit is instituted thereon, presentation for payment, protest and notice of non-payment waived, which said note is fully described in said deed of trust; and,

WHEREAS, the said The First National Bank of Ballinger, is the legal owner and holder of said note and entitled to have the powers contained in said deed of trust executed, and has placed said deed of trust in my hands for execution; and,

WHEREAS, said deed of trust provides that in case of failure or default in the payment of said promissory note, together with interest thereon accrued, according to its terms and face, at the maturity of the same, then, in such event, said A. J. Thorp is fully authorized and empowered, and it is made his special duty, at the request of the said The First National Bank of Ballinger, Texas at any time after the maturity of said promissory note, to sell the property described in said deed of trust to the highest bidder, for cash, at public outcry, in front of the Court House door of said Runtels County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in any month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., first giving notice of the time, place and terms of said sale for at least three weeks successively to the day of sale by posting up written or printed notices of such sale at three public places in said County of Runtels, State of Texas, one of which notices shall be posted at the Court House door of said county, and by giving such other notice as is or may be required by law, and after such sale, to make to the purchaser or purchasers of said property, a good and sufficient deed in law, and to receive the proceeds of said sale and apply same to the discharge of said note as fully provided in said deed of trust; and,

WHEREAS, said note is now due and unpaid, together with interest thereon as provided in said note from the 1st day of December, A. D. 1922, and the attorney's fees as provided in said note; and the said W. W. Farmer and Josie Farmer have defaulted in the payment of said note and interest thereon now due, and the amount due and unpaid now, aggregating principal, interest and attorney's fees is the sum of \$5528.17.

WHEREAS, I have been requested by the said The First National Bank of Ballinger, Texas, the owner and holder of said note, to enforce said trust, according to its terms and conditions; and said bank has placed said note in the hands of its attorneys as provided in said note:

NOW THEREFORE, I will offer for sale, between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between

the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry, on the first Tuesday in December, A. D. 1924, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door in the town of Ballinger, Runtels County, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and situated in Runtels County, Texas, described in two tracts as follows, to-wit:

First Tract: 426 4-10 acres, comprising 45 3-4 acres out of Survey No. 101 in the name of Carl Bergold, Certificate No. 85, Abstract No. 36; 178 3-10 acres out of Survey No. 100 in the name of F. Behrens, Certificate No. 64, Abstract No. 41, and 202 62-100 acres out of Survey No. 1 in the name of G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., Certificate No. 3633, Abstract No. 669, aggregating 426 4-10 acres and described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at stone mound on the South bank of the Colorado River, same being the North base line of Carl Bergold Survey No. 101, from which an elm 15 inches in diameter bears South 28 West 25 3-4 varas and an elm 25 inches in diameter bears North 76 West 15 2-5 varas; Thence South at 301 varas across the North base line of F. Behrens Survey No. 100 at a point 265 varas East of said Behrens Northwest corner at 1251 varas stone mound for corner in North base line of J. W. Byrnes Survey No. 581; Thence East 221 varas, a stone mound, the Northeast corner of said Byrnes Survey; Thence South 515 varas to a stone mound in the East base line of said Byrnes Survey; Thence East 1364 varas a stone mound, the Southwest corner of a 57 acre tract of land conveyed to F. M. McShan, for the Southeast corner of this survey; Thence North at 631 varas pass the Southwest corner of the Seftman Survey No. 99, at 1179 varas a stone mound on the South bank of the river, same being the North west corner of said Survey No. 99, and the Northeast corner of F. Behrens Survey No. 100; Thence up the river with its

meanderings to the place of beginning, being the same land conveyed to W. W. Farmer by G. W. Wilson and wife by deed dated May 6, 1908, recorded in Volume 56, Page 224, of the Deed Records of Runtels County, Texas, to which reference is here made.

Second Tract: Being 289 25-100 acres out of Survey No. 101, in the name of Carl Bergold, Certificate No. 83, Abstract No. 36; 31 81-100 acres out of the F. Behrens Survey No. 100, Certificate No. 64, Abstract No. 41, and 250 94-100 acres out of the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Survey No. 1, Certificate No. 3633, Abstract No. 699, said three tracts comprising in the aggregate 572 acres, and described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone mound for the original Southwest corner of Carl Bergold Survey No. 101; Thence North 672 varas to old stone mound for the original Northwest corner of this said survey No. 101; Thence East 838 varas to stone mound under bluff on the bank of the river for the most northerly Northeast corner of this survey; Thence down the river with its meanderings to stake and mound on the South bank of the river, same being the

Northwest corner of the G. W. Wilson tract of land; Thence South at 301 varas across North base line of F. Behrens Survey No. 100, at 1251 varas a stone mound on the N. base line of the J. W. Byrnes Survey No. 581, for the Southeast corner of this tract; Thence West along said North base line 1679 varas to a stone mound at the head of a gully, the Northwest corner of said Survey No. 581; Thence North 950 varas to old stone mound the original Northeast corner of H. J. Dehete Survey No. 122; Thence West along the North base line of said surveys Nos. 122 and 121, a distance of 1696 varas to the place of beginning, being the same land conveyed to W. W. Farmer by Louis Farmer and wife by deed dated Sept. 21st, 1908, and recorded in the Deed Records of Runtels County, Texas, in Volume 67, Page 125, to which reference is here made, with all the members, rights and appurtenances thereto in anywise belonging.

WITNESS my hand this the 8th day of November, A. D. 1924.

A. J. THORP,
Trustee.

Success on bake-day is
not a matter of Luck—

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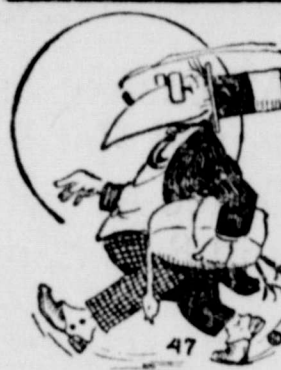
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Right now our Shop is ready to show you a selection of Holiday Cards that will delight. You can come and spend an undisturbed half an hour with an attentive salesman, unhurried by the Holiday rush.

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Doubtless you will want these cards engraved with your name—don't let time slip by until it is too late. Why not come in this week and see the beautiful cards we have waiting for your selection.

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Mrs. N. A. Bailey,
2024 River St. Liquid or tablets,
Obtain this "Prescription" of your nearest dealer, or send 10c to Dr. Pierce's "Invaluable" Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Runnels;

WHEREAS, W. W. Farmer and wife, Josie Farmer did on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1921, make, execute and deliver to A. J. Thorp, trustee, a certain deed of trust recorded in Volume 20, Page 55, of the Deed of Trust Records of Runnels County, Texas, to secure the prompt payment of one certain promissory note of date January 25th A. D. 1921, for the principal sum of \$3500.00, said note signed by the said W. W. Farmer and Josie Farmer, and payable to the order of the First National Bank of Ballinger, on July 1st, 1921, providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or suit is instituted thereon or if collected through the Probate Court, bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from date, presentation for payment, protest and notice of non-payment waived; and the land upon which said deed of trust lien was given is fully described in said deed of trust; and,

WHEREAS, the said The First National Bank of Ballinger, is the legal owner and holder of said note and entitled to have the powers contained in said deed of trust executed, and has placed said deed of trust in my hands for execution; and,

WHEREAS, said deed of trust provides that in case of failure or default in the payment of said promissory note, together with interest thereon accrued, according to its terms and face, at the maturity of the same, then, in such event, said A. J. Thorp is by the terms of said deed of trust fully authorized and empowered, and it is made his special duty, at the request of the said The First National Bank of Ballinger, at any time after the maturity of said promissory note, to sell the property covered and described in said deed of trust, which said property is hereinafter fully described, to the highest bidder, for cash, at public outcry, in front of the Court House door of said Runnels County, Texas, on the first Tuesday in any month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., first giving notice of the time, place and terms of sale for at least three consecutive weeks prior to the day of sale by posting up written or printed notices of such sale at three public places in said County of Runnels, State of Texas, one of which notices shall be posted at the Court House door of said county, and by giving such other notice as is or may be required by law, and after such sale, to make to the purchaser or purchasers thereof a good, a sufficient deed in law, and to receive the proceeds of said sale and apply same to the discharge of said note and expenses as fully provided in said deed of trust; and,

WHEREAS, there is now due and unpaid on said note the sum of \$700.35, principal together with the sum of \$124.43 interest, as provided in said note, and the attorney's fees as provided in said note; and the said W. W. Farmer and Josie Farmer have defaulted in the payment of the amount now due on said note and the interest thereon, and the amount now due and unpaid, aggregating principal, interest and attorney's fees is the sum of \$824.78; and,

WHEREAS, I, the undersigned trustee, have been requested by the said The First National Bank of Ballinger, the owner and holder of said note, to enforce said trust and to sell said property as provided in said deed of trust; and said bank has placed said note in the hands of its attorneys as provided in said note;

NOW THEREFORE, I will offer for sale, between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., to the highest bidder, for cash, at public outcry, on the first Tuesday in

LARGE CROWD
AT KLAN TALK

A Ku Klux Klan rally on the court house lawn Sunday afternoon attracted a large crowd of people, practically all sections of the county being well represented. It was estimated that 1000 to 1500 people gathered on the lawn and heard the speaker, giving him an attentive hearing.

Mr. Wright, a Klan lecturer of Plainview, spoke for almost two hours, defending the Klan against the charges which have been made against the order, and reviewing the Klan work from the time the secret order was organized on Stone Mountain on Thanksgiving night six years ago. The speaker stated that thirty-four men met on Stone Mountain near Atlanta on Thanksgiving night and organized the first Klan, and said today the order had a membership of seven million, and was still growing by leaps and bounds.

"The Klan stands for everything that is right and is against everything that is wrong," said the speaker, "and I deny that the Ku Klux Klan as an organization is guilty of the things which its enemies are charging against it." The speaker declared that more than fifty thousand protestant preachers were members of the Klan. "It is a protestant American organization, and stands for everything the protestant church stands for," declared the speaker.

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School Notes

Sophomore Girls Club in Outing
The Sophomore Girls Club enjoyed a merry outing Friday afternoon at Old Runnels crossing.

After a brisk ride out there in cars they built a big fire and began to roast "weenies" and cold noses.

The afternoon soon slipped by and they very reluctantly returned home. Miss Maryatte Smith accompanies the girls on these outings and hikes, and this interest in their fun the girls have not failed to appreciate.

The club consists of the following: Helen Williams, Lois McWilliams, Anna Beth Alexander, Grace Holliday, Verda Nell Trail, Wilma Straley, Nell Russell, Margaret McCarver, Eugenia Baskin, Ethel Layton, Olivia Grant, Eugie Mae Parris, Frances Harvey, Mamie Gene Hale, Maxine Russell, Miss Maryatte Smith and Paul Prye.

WINGATE MAN
BUYS MORE LAND

J. D. Smith has purchased one hundred acres of land for \$70 per acre six miles Northwest of Winters, and adjoining the Smith farm. The deal was closed last week between Mr. Smith and William A. Mitchell. This gives Mr. Smith 420 acres of as good land as there is in West Texas, some of which he has refused one hundred bucks per acre for.

December, A. D. 1924, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door in the town of Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, the following described property, being the same property as described in said deed of trust, to-wit:

426 4-10 acres of land lying and situated in Runnels County, Texas, comprising (1) 45 3-4 acres of Carl Bergold Survey No. 101, Abstract No. 36; (2) 178 3-10 acres of F. Behrens Survey No. 100, Abstract No. 41; and (3) 202 62-100 acres of G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Survey No. 1, Abstract No. 699, and being the same land conveyed by G. W. Wilson and wife to said W. W. Farmer by deed dated May 6th, 1908, recorded in Volume 56, page 224 of the Deed Records of Runnels County, Texas, which is referred to and made a part hereof for further description, with all the rights, members and appurtenances thereto in anywise belonging.

WITNESS my hand this the 8th day of November, A. D. 1924.

A. J. THORP,
Trustee.

d-10-17-24

Movies

DARING REALISM

IN "BABBITT"

"Babbitt," which opened this afternoon at the Maeroy Theatre for a two days' run, is an unusual photoplay.

Every effort was made to put across the same convincing sledge-hammer blows of portraiture and realism that made Sinclair Lewis' book such a best seller. In doing this Warner Bros. believe they have poured the requisite stuff into the mould of the picture, so that the great army of average film fans might be carried away by its story. They have succeeded.

The cast consists of Willard Louis, in the title role; Mary Alden, Carmel Myers, Gertrude Olmstead, Raymon McKee, Maxine Elliott Hicks, Virginia Loomis, Robert Randeell, Cissy Fitzgerald, Lucien Littlefield, and the Loomis twins.

The author himself chose Warner Bros. to picture his book, offering it to them despite higher offers made by competing firms. Warner Bros. work in "Main Street" convinced him that they were the best medium for transmitting his shrewd study of the average American business man without sugary falsity.

Harry Beaumont directed and adaptation was done by Dorothy Farnum.

"Babbitt" runs the whole gamut of American life. There is the dull, drab respectability of the Babbitt family at their dour breakfast. There are torrid scenes between the fat, egotistical hero and his charmer, Tanis.

The real estate office appears as true to life as the one down the street. And the jail scene is another piece of faithful realism.

THREE BIG LOVE
SCENES FOR RUDOLPH
IN NEW PICTURE

Rudolph Valentino has three big love scenes in the motion picture version of Booth Tarkington's story, "Monsieur Beaucenaire," coming to the Fo-to-sho Theatre next week on Wednesday and Thursday (Thanksgiving), Nov. 26th and 27th. Two of them are with Bebe Daniels and one is with Doris Kenyon. All three are what studio officials term "high-powered."

Valentino proves, in his three love scenes, that he has not lost any of the ability to make love, which has made him one of the most fascinating and compelling screen stars of today. His first scene with the Princess (Bebe Daniels) ends unsuccessfully and sends him off to Bath, England. There he meets the lovely Lady Mary (Doris Kenyon) and the heart of this young Frenchman flutters momentarily. But his flight of fancy for the English lady also ends disastrously and back to France he goes to find that the love which he once held for the Princess still burns in his breast. The final love scene between the Duke and the Princess is said to be one of the most tender and most picturesque ever photographed for a motion picture. While the two lovers, in the Gardens of Versailles, are locked in each others arms, King Louis XV and his court parade down the famous steps in the gardens, while sparkling water plunges down the cascades. It is a scene of great beauty.

Forrest Halsey, who adapted "The Humming Bird" to the screen, prepared the scenario for "Monsieur Beaucenaire." The screen version of the popular novel is said to be just as Tarkington wrote it originally. Bebe

Daniels, Lois Wilson, Doris Kenyon and Lowell Sherman are featured in support of Valentino.

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REV. BRIDGES IS
RETURNED HERE

The Methodist conference which adjourned at Brownwood Sunday night, returns Rev. E. W. Bridges to Ballinger for his third year's work as pastor of the local Methodist church. This, while not a surprise, is good news to the local Methodist congregation as well as to the people in general of Ballinger.

Rev. Bridges has served the church successfully for two years, and is now facing the big task of his pastorate here—the construction of a new church. He realized the need of a new church soon after he began his work here but patiently waited until the opportune time, and now the members of the congregation are interested, and plans are well under way for the new structure.

The conference at Brownwood was one of the most successful held in recent years in this district, and Brownwood kept open house for the large number of delegates. Quite a number of Ballinger people motored to Brownwood Sunday to attend the conference. Among those going over were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Behr-

ger, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Currie, Ed Pape and family, L. L. Williams and family, W. E. Middleton and family, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Legate, Mrs. R. A. Dickinson, and a dozen or more others whose names we failed to get.

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COLEMAN MAN DIES SUDDENLY

News of the death of Judge F. L. Snodgrass, one of the pioneer lawyers of West Texas, and for many years a prominent attorney in Coleman, was received in Ballinger about 10:30 Monday morning, and about one hour after the prominent attorney passed away at his home in Coleman.

Judge Snodgrass was stricken with paralysis Saturday, and the news of his serious illness was received here Sunday. The first report stated that his condition was critical, but the news of his death was received with sorrow by members of the Ballinger bar and the many people here who had known him for many years.

Judge Snodgrass was one of the most successful lawyers in this part of the state. He attended practically every term of the district court in Ballinger, and has been coming here for twenty-five years or longer, having a large clientele in this part of the state. He was here at the last term of the district court about one month ago, and was one of the attorneys in the picture show case, the last case tried here at the last term of court.

The notice of Judge Snodgrass' death did not announce the funeral arrangements, but it is expected that members of the Ballinger bar, as well as a large number of attorneys from throughout the state will go to Coleman to attend the funeral.

GRANDMA NEVER LET HER HAIR GET GRAY

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. At little cost you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE GULF, COLORADO AND SANTA FE RAILWAY CO.

You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the stockholders to be held in the City of Galveston, County of Galveston, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company on the 8th day of December, 1924, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage or deed of trust to be called "general mortgage" or by such other name as may be determined, on all of its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired, to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in series, so much of such bonds as may be necessary to be used from time to time in paying or exchange for the bonds and other indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition, construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, and for other lawful corporate purposes, each series of bonds to be issued to mature at such time and provide for the payment of such lawful rate of interest, to be tax free or not tax free, to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board, and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said meeting.

A resolution has been adopted by the directors, subject to the approval of the stockholders, authorizing the mortgage, bonds, etc., to be submitted to the stockholders' meeting.

GEO. N. YARD,
Secretary.

d sep. 29—dec. 9

NEW STORE HERE BY MARCH FIRST

A new dry goods, clothing and gent's furnishings store is due to open here on March 1st. The new business will occupy the Chastain building on Hutchings Avenue which now houses the Higginbotham garage, three or four doors South of the F. & M. Bank.

This is according to a deal made here last week in which M. D. Chastain leases his building to the new firm and also becomes an active member of the firm. The business will be incorporated under the firm name of Hyatt & Co., or Hyatt-Nichols & Company, this to be determined later.

T. E. Hyatt, president of the Hyatt string of stores, was here from Oakdale, La., last week. He was accompanied by other members of the firm, and after an investigation of the local field, and a visit to Winters and San Angelo, it was announced that the new business would be established here. One of the chain stores is located in San Angelo and operates under the firm name of Hyatt-Strickland Co.

J. N. Nichols, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, will be in charge of the store here. Higginbotham Bros. & Co. has been given until Jan. 1st to vacate the building, and it will be overhauled and made ready for the new business which is due to open March 1st.

U. G. Thomas was in the city Monday from the Marie country. He called on The Ledger to place an order for a year's subscription for Mrs. Joe Haygood, of Marie.

Cows Crave for Wood

A craving for wood does not necessarily mean that a cow is in need of a tonic or medicine. Cows will sometimes develop a habit of chewing on foreign substances like that and they are very hard to break. The habit is started sometimes by the lack of salt which causes the cow to chew on something that has a salty taste. Provide plenty of salt with a balanced ration and plenty of good drinking water and it may be that the cow will forget her habit.

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FOR RENT—Apartment at 400 Broadway. Phone 387. 10-1f d&w

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SERIOUS CRIME FOR OLD MAN

Sheriff Wallace, of Cass county, arrived here Monday to get a man who is seventy-three years of age and take him back to Cass county to face a statutory charge in which a little girl is the state's main witness.

The man has been in this county some time, and was arrested in the Southern part of the county several days ago and placed in the Runnels county jail here on advice received from the Cass county authorities. Sheriff Wallace stated that the old man had been indicted by the grand jury after considerable delay on account of the girl at first refusing to make a statement, or testify.

The visiting officer stated that Cass county was in pretty good shape financially, a fairly good cotton crop having been made, but declared that the farmers were without feed and would be forced to use their cotton money to buy feed. Cass county is a pretty good corn country, but according to the officer the farmers figured that it would be better business to plant all cotton and buy feed, and in this they made a blunder.

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Lucas Campbell was a visitor at Brady Sunday.

NEW MOVIE ON EIGHTH STREET

L. L. Stoble is seeking a new home for his market as a result of a deal just consummated in which H. T. Hodge, of Abilene, buys the building occupied by the market, and to make room for a new picture show which will go into the building.

Mr. Hodge purchased the building through C. A. Dooze & Company from W. H. Harrison, of San Marcos, last week, and Mr. Stoble has been notified to vacate by December 1st. The property changed hands for a consideration of \$6,500.

The building is a two story one and while it does not cover the full length of the lot, Mr. Hodge will extend the building, remodel and equip it for a picture show as rapidly as the work can be done after he gets possession. The new owner is in Dallas at this time buying seats and picture show equipment.

Hodge & Stoble recently purchased the Giesecke building on the opposite side of the street for the purpose of putting in a picture show, but preferred the North side of the street and closed a deal for the Harrison building. They will continue to lease to other parties the Giesecke building.

Mr. Stoble stated that they would continue to operate the Maeroy and at the same time expected to run the show on Eighth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meadors and family motored over to the Big Lake oil field Sunday, returning home Monday.

MEXICAN FARMERS IN NEED OF READY MONEY

(By Associated Press)

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 17.—Discussion of a project for the establishment of agricultural and industrial banks to finance manufacturers and supply funds with which to develop lands which the government is restoring to the peasants under the existing agrarian laws, has been initiated by the permanent commission of the Bankers' Convention, called to outline a new banking system for submission to congress.

Mexico's agricultural future is menaced and crop totals already have been greatly reduced, it was pointed out during the discussions, because many villages and individuals who have been awarded lands have been unable to work them as a result of inability to buy machinery and finance themselves until their first crops are sold. Thus great districts, once productive, are now neglected and abandoned, notably in the state of Morelos, once one of the richest states in the republic.

Real Barbecue—not Stew Meat at Chino's Pit. 17-2td

Luke Smith, of Arizona, spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Douglass. Mr. Smith is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Douglass.

Difference of Opinion

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Some folks would never buy a \$7 pen but here's the reason many do buy them—

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