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Y. M. B. L. ASKS CITY COMMISSION TAKE ACTION ON WATER PROBLEM

On a roll-call vote, the fifteen directors of the Young Men's Business League present at Monday night's meeting voted unanimously to call on the City Commission to take immediate action on the water situation, and if necessary to call an election and vote bonds for the installation of an adequate system that would put an end to Ballinger's water worries, and put her on a par with other West Texas cities. The directors went on record as being in favor of an expenditure of \$100,000.00, if that amount was needed.

The public utilities committee of the League was instructed to meet with the City Commission at its next meeting, and to place before them the position assumed by the business organization.

It was pointed out by the directors that it was the City Commission's place to take the initiative in the matter, and to secure an authentic survey of some project that would meet with the approval of a competent engineer. The whole situation was discussed thoroughly, and many possible and probable sources of water supply mentioned, but it was the sense of the meeting that the directors were not in a position to suggest to the commission the best source of supply, nor would it avail anything to resort to a mass meeting to find out where the water should come from, this being strictly an engineering problem.

The fact was mentioned that with the present system, Ballinger has at best only a three months supply, and to forestall any possible contingency, the supply should be sufficiently large to take care of the city following its growth when the irrigation project is completed, and then should be large enough to insure a supply for several months. Reference was made to the fact that Abilene, Winters, Cisco, Stamford, Mineral Wells, and other West Texas cities are building huge reservoirs, and that Ballinger would soon be left far in the wake if immediate action was not taken.

Several of the directors stated that travelling men and others constantly referred to the fact that Ballinger was being well advertised in all sections of the country, but when outsiders reached here they found the city practically without water, and left with the impression that the town was being over-advertised. "Build now—and build for the future" was the consensus of opinion of those present.

The Farm Show and Merchants Exposition booked for November 24th to 26th was also discussed in detail, the directors voting unanimously for the move, and pledging it their undivided support.

The Secretary was granted a leave of absence to attend the three days national convention of the American Legion, and urged to give Ballinger all of the publicity possible while in attendance.

The irrigation committee reported donations of \$200.00 to the survey fund since the last meeting, and stated that the Secretary would go to San Angelo Tuesday to close with the business interests there for a \$500.00 appropriation if possible.

The Secretary reported that the 1922 conventions of the Church of the Nazarene, and of the Texas Abstractors' Association, had been invited to this city.

VOTE ON GERMAN TREATY DUE TODAY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The vote on ratification of the German peace treaty is expected in the Senate today. Senator Hiram Johnson, the "irreconcilable" in the Versailles treaty fight, opened the discussion in the Senate with a statement explaining his position in favor of ratification of the pact.

Conference Called to Forestall R. R. Strike

OTHER UNIONS MAY JOIN STRIKE

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Executives, general chairmen of a dozen unions of railroad employees representing one million five hundred thousand workers, began arriving here today for a conference tomorrow to determine whether to follow the leadership of the "Big Five" railroad brotherhoods in issuing a strike call.

It is known that some of the other unions are in favor of striking with the brotherhoods, and it is expected that these will control the conference, and it is probable that a general strike order effecting all railroad employees' unions will be issued.

BANK BREAKS AT CLEBURNE

CLEBURNE, Tex., Oct. 18.—The National Bank of Cleburne, one of the oldest financial institutions here, failed to open its doors for business this morning. The statement issued and signed by four of the officials of the bank said, "suspension is due to heavy withdrawals of county funds and poor collections, coupled with withdrawals of depositors."

The statement adds, "A hasty investigation inspires the hope that the bank has plenty of assets to pay every depositor one hundred cents on the dollar, and we hope to reorganize soon on a much stronger financial basis than we have ever enjoyed."

RAILROAD ASKS FOR A LOAN TO BUY COAL CARS
WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The Kansas, Oklahoma and Gulf Railway today applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for a loan of \$800,000 for the purpose of buying new coal cars.

Ledger classifieds bring results.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Telegrams summoning chiefs of the "Big Four" brotherhoods and the Switchmen's Union to a conference with the United States Railroad Labor Board have been sent out. The conference is an endeavor to forestall an actual walkout of the nation's railroad employees on Oct. 30th.

The conference has been called for two o'clock October 20th and will be held at labor headquarters. The board's first efforts will be directed to the organizations which have set strike dates.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 18.—The meeting of the executives of the "Big Five" transportation brotherhoods, which was scheduled here today, has been cancelled. Orders cancelling the meeting were issued this morning when the executives of the five brotherhoods received notice to attend a meeting of the United States Railroad Labor Board at Chicago Thursday.

TOPEKA, Kans., Oct. 18.—The immediate creation of a federal tribunal to adjudicate railroad strikes was proposed here today by Governor H. J. Allen.

"The federal government should act fearlessly to protect the public and give justice to both the railroads and the employees," said Gov. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemmie Davis are entertaining a new baby boy at their home on 9th Street. The young fellow arrived Saturday.

Miss Winnie Trail returned home Monday evening from a visit to her aunt in Nogales, Arizona. She missed the train in Abilene but caught an auto.

LLOYD GEORGE WILL ARRIVE IN U. S. SOON
LONDON, Oct. 18.—Premier Lloyd George stated in the House of Commons today that he hoped to go to Washington to attend the conference for limitation of armaments as soon as the parliamentary general situation rendered it possible for him to do so.

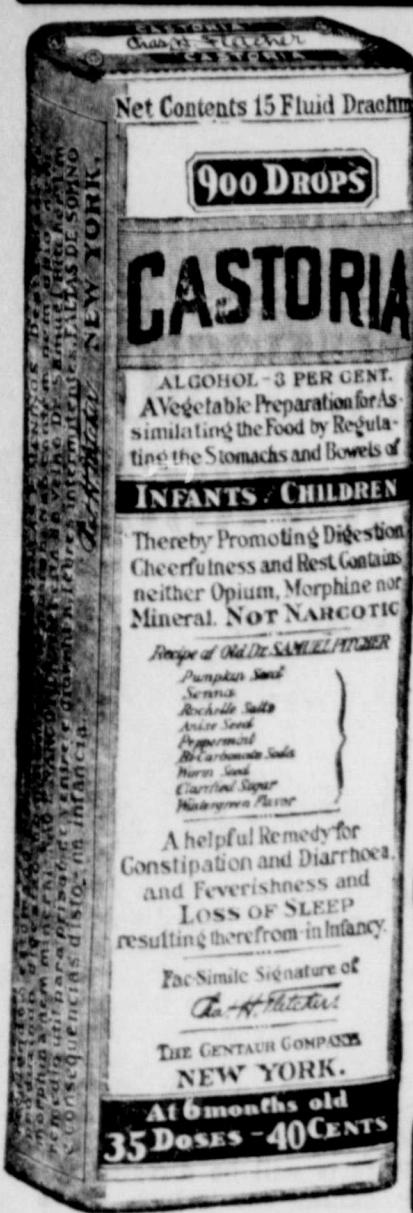
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OVERSEAS MAN BE BURIED HERE

The remains of Marvin Tindall will arrive in Ballinger from France Friday at noon and will be buried in Evergreen Cemetery Friday afternoon. The local post American Legion is making arrangements for the funeral, and a committee of Legionnaires will meet the body at the train and escort it to the undertaking parlors of Higginbotham Bros. & Co. and the funeral will be held from that place at four o'clock. Rev. C. E. Simpson will conduct the service, and the American Legion will have charge of the funeral.

Marvin was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tindall. He volunteered for service during the early part of the war. He was on the front with the Second Division when he fell in action, an enemy shell taking his life. In the course of time the parents here received notice of his death, and now his body is about to arrive to find its last resting place.

It did not become known until Tuesday that the remains would reach here Friday, and the comrades of the deceased had to hasten to perfect arrangements for receiving the body and laying it away with ceremonies to which the heroes of this country are entitled. However, the Pat Williams post will see that everything possible is done to pay tribute to the remains of another one of Ballinger's heroes.

The members of the American Legion are requested to meet at

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the Legion club rooms over the City Cafe at eight-thirty Wednesday morning for a short preparation meeting.

"ALL OF A SUDDEN PEGGY" AT THE MAEROY TONIGHT

Marguerite Clark is the third star of the dramatic world who has essayed the role of the vivacious Irish colleen in Ernest Denny's comedy, "All of a Sudden Peggy." Miss Clark's interpretation of the famous role appears at the Maeroy Theatre today, for one day only.

The play, which is an amusing story of the manner in which an impulsive girl overturned the affairs of an English nobleman's family, was originally produced in London in 1906 with Marie Tempest in the heroine's part. It was so successful there that the late Charles Frohman transported it to this country the following year and presented it in New York, Henrietta Crossman playing the role of Peggy.

Miss Clark's interpretation of the part is a thoroughly enjoyable piece of comedy work. She is assisted by Jack Muirhall as leading man and a competent supporting cast. The picture was directed by Walter Edwards and is a Paramount Arterraft.

Anita Stewart will be the star in the forthcoming First National attraction at the Maeroy on Friday, in "Sowing the Wind," an immensely dramatic, highly vivacious, offering, featuring this star in a part of unusual strength.

FOURTH DEATH IN DALLAS FIRE

DALLAS, Oct. 18.—Miss Opal Wilson, age 15, died in a hospital here today and was the fourth fatality from the fire which destroyed a boarding house early yesterday. She was severely burned in the fire, and jumped through the flames from an upstairs window. Five other people who were burned in the fire are reported to be improving.

Jack Roach and J. F. McMillan had business in Brownwood Monday, making the trip via the gasoline route.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Talbott are at home from Dallas, where they visited relatives and spent a few days at the big state show.

Rev. C. L. Ewing, of Brownwood, came in from Paint Rock Monday, where he had been to preach, and stopped off here to attend the Hall revival.

It is no credit to go forward without making an effort to help those who are slipping backwards.

SALVATION ARMY HERE GETS \$750

Runnels county's quota for the support of the Salvation Army has been cut from \$2500 to \$1350, according to T. S. Lankford and A. W. Sledge, who recently returned from Fort Worth, where they attended the annual meeting of the advisory boards. Of this amount \$750 has been assigned to Ballinger and \$600 to Winters. The assignments were made at the Ft. Worth meeting, and approved by the seventy-five delegates present representing forty-eight counties in the Northwest Texas district.

The Ft. Worth meeting was the second of its kind ever held, the first meeting being held one year ago when the advisory board plan was adopted, and the budget system of financing the Salvation Army work approved. At the meeting last week the Salvation Army workers consumed most of the time in reviewing the work so successfully performed during the last year, and H. C. Burke Jr., a prominent young banker of Ft. Worth, and secretary and treasurer of the Texas advisory boards, made his report.

Lieut. Col. George Wood was the principal speaker for the Salvation Army. Judge James Cashman, a New York city attorney, addressed the convention on the question of "Americanization." He favored the complete closing down of the gates at Ellis Island and stated that if immigration was not checked, or was permitted to continue to flow into America after the law restricting it was lifted, that instead of the foreigner being Americanized that the American would be foreignized.

Hon. W. D. Davis, former mayor of Fort Worth, presided at the meeting, being chairman of the Texas advisory board. The convention was composed of men in almost every calling, including merchants, bankers, farmers, law yers, doctors, editors, insurance men, preachers, county officials, and there were three counties represented by women.

The work of the advisory board has done much to help the Salvation Army in its work, taking the responsibility of financing the work off the Salvation Army and leaving it free to carry on their work without being troubled about finances. The county advisory boards also co-operate with the Army in playing dependent old people, orphan children, and fallen girls where they can be properly cared for. The Salvation Army maintains homes throughout the county, and it was stated that they now had places to take care of any dependent cases which might develop in any of the rural communities, and it is the work of the advisory board to communicate with the Army and report such cases. Runnels county has already been aided in this branch of the work.

It was made plain that the Salvation Army did no begging, and the public is warned and requested not to contribute to street collectors posing as Salvation Army workers. It was charged in the convention that an organization known as the "Volunteers of America," had adopted practically the same uniform as the Salvation Army, and were going about over the country collecting

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funds, while they had nothing to show for their work. No organization in America is doing the work that the Salvation Army is doing. No man or woman can fall so low but that the Salvation Army workers will place their arm around them and try to lift them up. The slogan of the Army is "A man may down, but he's never out." The Salvation Army is a band of "angels of mercy," and they never stop to ask whether a fallen person, or one in need of help, is of some particular denomination, or whether they are Jew or Gentile. They reach down and lift him up and furnish food and clothing, an try to show them there is a brighter side to life.

While it has been the general impression of many that the work of the Salvation Army was confined to the city slums, since the war it has been reaching out and taking in the rural districts and looking after every needy case called to their attention in the rural communities. And, it was emphasized by one of the speakers at the recent convention that a large per cent of the cases

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brought to the attention of the Army in the cities was traced back to the rural districts. Especially was this true among fallen girls, most of them having come to the city from the rural districts.

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F. Blumentritt, of Miles, had business in Ballinger Monday.

Secretary Williams went to San Angelo Tuesday on business connected with the work of the irrigation survey.

AN APOLOGY

The statements I made publicly about the daughters of Weise Pape and Mr. Zuehlka, was an untruth and I take this method to make a public apology to the girls, to their parents, and to all interested people.

I am sorry I ever made such remarks and I make this apology so that the reputation of said parties will remain above reproach.

JOE T. HAECHTER.
(Signed):

Ed Eason is in the Winters sanitarium recovering from an operation for appendicitis, according to reports reaching Ballinger. Mr. Eason underwent an operation Saturday, and he is reported as getting along as well as could be expected.

Roy Reeder is at home from Dallas, where he spent several days with his sister, Mrs. Frank Drews, and saw the big fair. He returned first of the week.

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TOMORROW

Douglas Fairbanks in "Manhattan Madness"

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A rain will not solve Ballinger's water problem.

Get yourself ready for the big show in Ballinger next month.

The city commission should avail itself of the help of the Y. M. B. L. public utilities committee.

With two revivals in full blast the individual will have to hold himself responsible for his negligence in matters religious.

Over 101,000 people attended the state fair on children's day, and autos were as thick as the space would permit, and not an accident was recorded. That's safety first.

Swisher county was overlooked by the legislature and was given no place in the redistricting bill. The Swisherites are kicking about it and have petitioned the governor for representation. Has Swisher a kick coming?

KILL TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE.

Aside from the indisputable fact that there is an actual crisis in Ballinger today, owing to the acute water situation, there is another argument in favor of building an adequate system, which is not an inconsiderable one. It is the argument which was advanced by President Harding and Herbert Hoover at the recent Unemployment Conference at which they urged that all municipalities who were contemplating construction and improvements, begin it at once in order to put to work the hundreds of thousands of idle men now in the country. If there is work to be done, do it now, is their plea. A winter of unemployment throughout the United States means a winter of want and a wave of crime.

On the other hand, the immediate resumption of building activities by American cities means work and wages for all, more money for the merchant, steady rents for the landlord, and a response to the strengthened buying power of the public, by the re-opening of mills and factories throughout the manufacturing centers.

The burden of doing its share in this respect rests on Ballinger no more lightly than it does on Dallas, Seattle, or Oshkosh. We can do our share in proportion to our means, and at the same time we will be filling an actual want, and insuring the future of our city against another water famine.

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RED CROSS GIVES ANNUAL BUDGET

\$19,361,657 Allotted for Current Program of Relief and Service.

MILLIONS FOR VETERAN AID

Medical Aid for European Children Will Cost \$6,000,000 This Year.

Washington.—Expenditures totalling \$19,361,657 for carrying through its program of relief and services in the United States and overseas are outlined in the budget of the American Red Cross for the current fiscal year. This total is more than \$5,000,000 lower than the expenditure during the last fiscal year, when the disbursements reached \$24,402,741. It is announced at National Headquarters in a statement calling attention to the necessity of continued support of the organization by response to the Annual Roll Call, November 11 to 24, if the vital work of the society is to be effectively carried on.

Outstanding among the items of the domestic budget is the appropriation of \$3,600,256 for work in behalf of the disabled ex-service man and his family. This appropriation represents the amount allotted to this work from National Headquarters only and does not take into consideration the millions being spent in chapters for relief of the World War veteran. It is in the chapter that the greater amount is spent in meeting this obligation of the Red Cross, the announcement continues, as manifested by figures of the fiscal year 1920-1921 when the total was approximately \$9,000,000, of which \$2,692,094 represented the disbursement of National Headquarters while the remainder was the chapters' contribution to this field of Red Cross service.

Vast Work for Disabled
Chief among the sub-divisions of the appropriation for work with veterans is that which concerns itself with assistance to disabled men and women in government hospitals. This item of \$1,700,000, an increase of more than \$500,000 over the appropriation for the same work in last year's budget, will provide those personal services for the disabled and their families which are indispensable to supplement those provided by the government. The director of the Veterans' Bureau has recently expressed his desire that the Red Cross should continue and extend these "humanizing services." Other items of the appropriation for veterans' relief are proportionately increased. An additional appropriation of \$469,600 has been made for Red Cross work in connection with regular Army and Navy hospitals and with the regular Army and Navy.

For disaster relief, the Red Cross has set aside for the current twelve months an appropriation of \$543,976, virtually doubling the appropriation for the same purpose for the fiscal year 1920-1921.

More than \$2,000,000 is provided for service and assistance to the 3,000 Red Cross chapters by the national organization.

Helping Destitute Children
Other items of the domestic budget include \$408,546 for miscellaneous activities, including contributions restricted for special purposes and \$768,000 for management. Each of these items represents large reductions over similar appropriations of the previous year.

From a fund of \$10,000,000, \$5,000,000 of which was contributed through the European Relief Council campaign and \$5,000,000 allotted by the Red Cross for child welfare work in Europe, there remains \$5,765,108 still available, of which it is estimated that \$6,000,000 will be required for this work during the current year. For Red Cross participation in the joint effort to relieve famine conditions in Russia, for final work in the China famine, for Junior Red Cross and other overseas activities including the closing of the old general relief program in Europe \$4,978,000 is made available.

In announcing the national budget, the Red Cross makes it clear that the figures do not include chapter expenditures or place any cash estimate on the invaluable service of volunteers in chapters.

CARRYING ON SERVICE FOR DISABLED VETERANS OF THE WORLD WAR THAT IS COSTING \$10,000,000 A YEAR, THE AMERICAN RED CROSS IS HELPING FULFILL THIS NATION'S OBLIGATION TO ITS DEFENDERS. HELP THE RED CROSS CONTINUE THIS WORK BY ANSWERING THE ANNUAL ROLL CALL NOVEMBER 11-24, 1921.

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The singing was good; led by Dr. Swindell, pastor of the church. Every song sung by the big congregation had the old-time revival ring to it. The special songs by Mrs. Sid Williams and Mrs. Seagraves were a delight to all. The orchestra made sweet music and the cornet duet by Edwin Swindell and Robert Maddox was one of the main features of the service.

The auditorium at the Carnegie Library, where the meeting is in progress, was filled before the eleven o'clock service, and at the 7:30 evening service not a seat was to be had. The folks commenced coming into the building at 6:30 p. m., and by 7:00 the house was crowded and many were turned away for want of room.

At the morning service the evangelist preached on "The Value of the Church." The subject at the evening hour was "The Judgment Day."

During the day there were 27 persons who made a decision for Christ and the better life, and fifteen people came forward to unite with the church.

This evening at 7:30 Rev. Williams will preach on the subject, "And the Lord Shut Him In." The evangelist spoke at the High School this morning.

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We accompanied Ed J. O'Kelly on a visit to the plant of the Mebane Long Staple Cotton Co., Robstown, Texas, on October 12th, 1921. We went thoroughly into all the claims made about the handling of Mebane Long Staple cotton seed by the said plant. We found that the gins of the said company ginned the said seed exclusively; that the seed were turned several times in the seed houses and the seed houses were ventilated to properly protect all seed from heating. We found that thirty two (32) farmers had farms growing this particular cotton exclusively, these farmers having their wagons painted blue so as to distinguish any outside grower who might by accident come to the gin. We were told by other growers that they wanted to market crops of this particular cotton with the gin, but that the capacity of the plant made the limit of thirty-two necessary. We found that the records of the said gin plant show that the length of the staple of cotton ginned there ranged from 1.1-8 to 1.3-16 inches in length. We visited several of the farms growing said cotton and did not find a stalk of dead cotton. We talked with farmers who told us that they had received a sufficiently higher price or premium for their long staple cotton to pay for the picking of the same.

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EDWIN DAY,
J. M. JENNINGS,
J. D. GOOD,
G. W. DEAN,
M. B. COBB,
E. M. SETSER,
ELMER BATTS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the undersigned authority in and for Runnels County, Texas, this 15th day of October, 1921.

(Seal) ESTES M. LYNN,
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DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If your Back hurts or Bladder bothers, drink lots of water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours, they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drinking lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will 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

clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.

Willie Shurtz, Bernie Ward, Mrs. Edward Giesecke, and Miss Eleanor Kirk left Sunday for San Antonio, where the different parties will visit relatives.

Scott Guin and L. M. Bales, of the Hatchel country, returned from Dallas Monday at noon, where they attended the fair a couple of days.

NOTICE

This is to notify our patrons that after Monday, October 17, 1921, our ice delivery service will be discontinued for the winter.

Ballinger Light, Power & Ice Company.
17-61d

Suppose these Things Should Happen

Can you foresee the inconvenience, the anxiety, the trouble and the expense that would follow if you should misplace a valuable paper, or if you should be robbed, or if your valuables should be destroyed by fire? Things like this happen in thousands of places to thousands of people, every day. Every minute you run a risk, a tremendous risk on what is absolutely necessary to have around you. Why invite greater losses, why increase the risks when there is a private safe and secret hiding place for your valuables inside of our big vault?

A Safety Deposit Box Costs Only a Few Cents a Day

It may cost you more to replace a valuable piece of personal property than it would to protect it here in our vault in your own private safe deposit box for ten years. A year's rental is very nominal, depending on the size of a box.

Private Boxes and Private Keys

Your private box is numbered so that you can easily find it. You and you alone, can open it. You have your private keys numbered the same as your box. Inside of the box compartments is a removable metal box with cover, in which you place your valuables. This adds to the convenience of handling them when you come to the bank. And you have access to your valuables at any time during banking hours. They are just as handy as if they were carried, and infinitely more safe.

Things that Need Protection

Insurance policies, Liberty Bonds, stock certificates, contracts, notes, a deed to property, a will and other valuables such as jewelry—these are the things that need the protection of a safe deposit box. Be wise. Trust luck no longer. Let us show you our vault and boxes today, and bring your valuables with you.

First National Bank of Ballinger

Ford size Willard batteries

Willard Batteries, of standard Willard quality, may be had for your Ford car—and at a price you'd expect to pay for a lot less value!

Ballinger Auto Co.
Telephone 505

Big Values in Design, Fabric and Tailoring



To the initiated in matters of tailored style, these models are example of the ingenuity of the designer. The designers of our famous coats and suits see their style sketch developed into garments even more beautiful than their original conceptions. The standards of tailoring of our coats and suits give each model a certain quality based upon values which the superficial glance does not always observe.

Beauty of line, original ideas of design, fine All-Wool fabrics—these are the elements skillfully used to accomplish the effects of true tailored style.

We take pleasure in offering our patrons an unusual collection of well known brands of coats and suits. And you will be surprised to find that they are moderately priced, no higher than many garments of questionable value and infinitely more desirable. Make your selection at once—you will be well pleased.



Coats
\$8.50
to
\$52.50

Rogers-Higdon Co.
For Big Values and Genuine Satisfaction

Suits
\$19.60
to
\$64.50

Sheriff's Sale THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, of the 21st day of September, 1921, by Georgia Singletary, Clerk of said District Court, for the sum of One Hundred Thirty Five and 3/100 Dollars, and costs of suit, under a judgment of foreclosure of a Vendor's Lien, in favor of Security Title Co., a corporation, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2046, and styled Security Title Co. vs. G. A. Tyler et al, placed in my hands for service, I, J. P. Flynt, as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did on the 4th day of October 1921, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to wit: A certain tract or parcel of land situated in Runnels County, Texas, being 38 3/4 feet by 95 feet out of Block No. 37 West End Addition to the City of Ballinger, Texas, and levied upon as the property of L. F. Gressett and G. A. Tyler, and that on the first Tuesday in November 1921, same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the Town of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said judgment and foreclosure of a Vendor's Lien, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. F. Gressett and G. A. Tyler.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once each week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said judgment and foreclosure of a Vendor's Lien, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. F. Gressett and G. A. Tyler.

Witness my hand, this 4th day of October, 1921.

J. P. FLYNT,
Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas.
4-3td-4-11-18

Sheriff's Sale THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, of the 21st day of September, 1921, by Georgia Singletary, Clerk of said District Court, for the sum of Nine Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-two and 57/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a foreclosure of a vendor's lien, in favor of R. W. Bruce et al, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2054, and styled R. W. Bruce et al vs. August Seipp, placed in my hands for service, I, J. P. Flynt, as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did on the 4th day of October 1921, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

A certain tract of land, situated

in Runnels County, Texas, being 256 acres out of the Sterling Sanson Survey 101 3-4 and being described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the South East corner of the A. J. Loverly Survey; thence East with the N. B. line of B. S. & F. Survey 1128 varas; thence North 1279 varas to W. B. line to H. & G. R. R. Co. Survey No. 18; thence West 1128 varas to E. B. line of said Loverly Survey; thence South 1279 varas to the place of beginning; and levied upon as the property of August Seipp, and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1921, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the City of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said foreclosure and judgment I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said August Seipp.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once each week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said judgment and foreclosure of a Vendor's Lien, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. F. Gressett and G. A. Tyler.

Witness my hand, this 4th day of October, 1921.

J. P. FLYNT,
Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas.
4-3td-4-11-18

Sheriff's Sale THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, of the 21st day of September, 1921, by Georgia Singletary, Clerk of said District Court, for the sum of Eight Hundred Thirty-eight (\$838.75) and 75/100 Dollars, and costs of suit,

under a foreclosure judgment, in favor of J. M. Shannon, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2000, and styled J. M. Shannon vs. A. Wilke et al, placed in my hands for service, I, J. P. Flynt, as Sheriff of Runnels County, Texas, did, on the 21st day of September 1921, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows: to wit: Lot Five (5) in Block Six (6) in the Wilke's First Addition to the City of Ballinger, as the same appears on the map of the plan of said Addition on file in the office of the County Clerks of Runnels County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of A. Wilke and Mattie Wilke, and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1921, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the City of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said foreclosure and judgment I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said A. Wilke and Mattie Wilke.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once each week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said judgment and foreclosure of a Vendor's Lien, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. F. Gressett and G. A. Tyler.

Witness my hand, this 4th day of October, 1921.

J. P. FLYNT,
Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas.
4-3td-4-11-18

Catarrahal Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they can not reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed. Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is as inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

CHRISTMAS CARDS
The Ballinger Printing Co. has the finest line of Christmas greetings cards ever shown in Ballinger. A big variety of the latest designs in plain and fancy cards. Place your order now and get best service before the rush begins.



The Cornerstone of Success

In building your career you should start with a strong foundation.

Your bank book is your corner-stone—whether your career is to be strong or weak remains with you.

Some day the bank will be in a position to be of immediate help to you—will your position inspire confidence and trust them?

FARMERS & MERCHANTS
BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS

When You Put Away
Those Summer Clothes
Protect them Against
Moths With Elkeys
**Red Sedar
Compound**

WEEKS
Phones 12 and 13
Prompt Delivery

SATURDAY WAS BUSY DAY HERE

Saturday was another good day with the merchants of Ballinger and the entire day a good crowd was in town from early in the morning until late at night, practically every store in the city being crowded the entire day. One merchant stated to a Ledger reporter Monday morning that his force was not large enough to take care of the crowd at anytime during the afternoon, and that it was one of the best day's business his firm had enjoyed this year.

Warm weather is holding some of the fall business off and with the advent of a norther consumers will begin to think of winter clothes and business in certain lines will show a big improvement.

The cotton crop has brought more money to the country than was at first expected and money matters are not stopping business like it was thought at first. Some merchants who did not buy heavy are running short on

goods and practically every train brings goods to many merchants by express.

To remove bilious impurities in the system and be made internally clean and healthy, you need the fine tonic and laxative properties of Herbine. It acts quickly and thoroughly. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

Audiee Reese was visiting his family in Ballinger Sunday, returning to Brownwood in the afternoon.

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

Elam Elliott spent Saturday and Sunday in Brownwood, returning home Sunday night.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Cheatham spent Sunday with relatives in Santa Anna, returning home Sunday night.

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The Mark that Insures the Result

Once you realize the superior beauty and permanence of Beaver Board walls and ceilings you'll want them in your own home.

When the time comes for placing your order, be very sure, however, to get genuine Beaver Board. This is a precaution you should take solely in your own interest. For your protection you will find a large Beaver Board trade-mark plainly printed on the back of every Beaver Board panel. The Beaver trademark is the mark that insures the result.

When you come to us for genuine Beaver Board you get exactly what you ask for. No camouflage here.

Call, write or phone for a sample of Beaver Board and take along a novelty folder for the children. They're free.

You can't expect Beaver Board results unless this trade-mark is on the back of the board you buy

Wm. Cameron & Co.

What is baby's health worth?



WHAT IS YOUR BABY'S HEALTH

worth to you? The best milk sealed for your protection costs but little more than the other product. Let us serve you each morning for your own sake as well as the baby's. Will call upon you promptly if you telephone us.

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"COOK ELECTRICALLY"

The Safe, Modern, Economical Way.

We Feature the Famous

Westinghouse Automatic Electric Range.

Call at our office and see these ranges and let us refer you to satisfied users in Ballinger.

We are the exclusive electrical dealers and carry a full line of modern household appliances.

"Do It Electrically"

Ballinger Electric Co.

G. P. Teague, Proprietor

Telephone No. 7

PLEADS GUILTY TO KILLING SON

W. H. Martin, charged with killing his son, pleaded guilty to a charge of manslaughter when arraigned for trial at Paint Rock Monday, and the jury assessed the punishment at five years in the penitentiary. By agreement between counsel for defense and state the charge was reduced to manslaughter, and the defendant pleaded guilty.

The quick disposition of the case came as somewhat of a surprise, as it had been reported that the state would fight for an extreme penalty. It developed that the defense would offer evidence to show that Martin killed his son when the two men engaged in a fight after quarrelling over their crop, and that the defense would contend that the killing was not the result of premeditated murder.

Martin has been in jail at Ballinger and San Angelo since the killing about one year ago, being unable to make bond. The man's family deserted him after the killing, and they were present at the trial to testify for the state. Doss & Baugh, of Ballinger, represented the defendant.

Quick work was made of the docket after the jury fixed a penalty for Martin, court adjourning Monday afternoon, and Judge Woodward and Attorney Early returned to their homes.

BALLINGER BOY ELECTED MEMBER ROSS VOLUNTEERS

COLLEGE STATION, Tex., Oct. 18.—M. L. Malone of Ballinger, has been elected a member of the Ross Volunteers, honorary military organization at the A. & M. College of Texas, the most famous military unit in the South. It is composed of the crack military men in the cadet corps who have in addition to distinguishing themselves for their military efficiency in the first two or three years of their attendance, also made records of high scholarship and displayed virtues of gentlemanly conduct in their student associations.

The company was organized during the administration of former Governor Sullivan Ross, the first president of the College, and named in his honor, and is now maintained in commemoration of his name. It is perpetuated by adding to its membership at the beginning of each school year a number of juniors and seniors who have the best records of military, moral and scholastic competency. Students are elected to membership upon recommendation of an old member, and one dissenting vote by a single member is sufficient for rejection of his name, and this vote may be cast secretly without the name of the voter being disclosed. So to be a member of this organization a student of the College must be considered a gentleman and a scholar, and command the respect of his associates. For this reason students accept membership in the Ross Volunteers as the greatest recognition that can be paid them by the student body.

On the occasion of the annual drill and at the night of the "R. V. Hop" which the name given the biggest dance of the "R. V. period" the Ross Volunteers wear the official dress of the company, which consists of snow white trousers, blouses, shoes and cap with gold epaulettes and gold shoulder straps.

A RAILROAD STRIKE MAY COME

so strike for C. J. Lynn & Son's and get your fuel. They have the best coal and wood. Phone 120. 1844d-11w

B. L. Harwell returned home Sunday at noon from Ft. Worth and Dallas, where he had been on business.

Miss Mary Page returned to her school at Rowena Sunday at noon after spending the week-end with her father, W. B. Page.

David and Kirk Gregory returned home Tuesday from Dallas, where they attended the fair.

Mrs. R. W. Bruce will leave Thursday for Dallas, where she will spend several days with her son Robert, who is attending the Southern Methodist University.

Carbon and Typewriter Paper—The Ballinger Printing Co.

To-NIGHT Tomorrow Alright

DRUGGISTS—SICK HEADACHE, call for an **NR** Tablet, (a vegetable essentia) to tone and strengthen the organs of digestion and elimination. Improves Appetite, Relieves Constipation.

Get a 25¢ Box Your Druggist

Used for over 30 years

Chips off the Old Block

NR JUNIORS—Little Nrs. One-third the regular dose. Made of same ingredients, then candy coated. For children and adults.

WOMAN KILLED AT "DEATH CROSSING"

FT. WORTH, Oct. 18.—Mrs. Ben Williamson, age forty, of Bono, Texas, was killed today at the "death crossing" near Arlington, when the automobile in which she and her husband and two friends were riding, overturned.

ITCH!

Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap), fail in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk.

John A. Weeks, Druggist

KU KLUX SENDS FOCH INVITATION

PARIS, Oct. 18.—Marshal Foch received a cablegram today from the Ku Klux Klan in America, inviting him to be a guest of that organization while visiting in the United States at an early date. The cablegram stated that details of the invitation and plans for his reception were being sent in a letter.

Marshal Foch will visit the tomb of Robert E. Lee, at Lexington, Va., while in the United States, and will lay a wreath on the grave of the Confederate commander and hero. The French general made no comment on the invitation received from the Ku Klux Klan.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—The National Unity Council, formed to combat the Ku Klux Klan, has abandoned its plans for forming a national organization, according to a letter sent out by former Governor Dunne. The council will instead of fighting the Ku Klux substitute a plan for the forming of a general committee to foster kindlier feelings between all classes of Americans and the elimination of racial and religious animosities.

Ease the pain of a rheumatic attack by rubbing application of Ballard's Snow Liment. It relieves tenderness and strengthens the joints. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

"LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD" AT FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

That famous fairy tale, "Little Red Riding Hood," is the special attraction at the Fo-to-sho Theatre today matinee and tonight.

The Exhibitor's Herald has this to say of the production: "The film contains much that will please the heart of the child, the junior, and undoubtedly the adult. The photoplay version does not dwell entirely upon the adventures of Little Red Riding Hood, it having a modern story interwoven and the fairy tale being shown as a dream."

Admission at the Fo-to-sho for this attraction is slightly in excess of the regular feature day price, owing to the cost of the booking, and will be shown here at prices of 15c and 30c.

In all malarial countries the popular remedy is **Herbina**. People find it a good medicine for purifying the system and warding off the disease. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

R. L. Harwell is at home from Dallas and Fort Worth, where he had been on business.

CITY LIGHTS TO SHINE SHORTLY

Within two weeks the work of installing machinery and placing equipment for the city's light plant will have been completed and the plant made ready for a test out. After the power house announces ready, linemen will be on the job making connections for all those who will use city lights and city current for power.

The city has made much faster time than the most optimistic could wish for. In spite of efforts to tie the matter up in court and block the installation of the municipal plant, the work has pushed forward in the most satisfactory manner. With the exception of small portion of the residence district the work of constructing the aerial system has been completed. The linemen completed wiring the business district Tuesday, and the matter of connecting the business district with the city's line will require only a short time.

Before consumers in the residence district can be connected with the city's line it will be necessary to change the entrance to the houses from the front to the rear, as the city's line comes in from the alley. This change will not cost the consumer anything as the city will do all the wiring necessary to make this change without charge. In no case will the consumer be required to pay for transferring from the present line to the city's line. Moving the electric wires from the front yard to the back yard will meet with the approval of the home owners. The telephone company adopted the alley entrance some time ago.

As soon as the private consumers have been connected with the city's plant, additional street lights will be installed, and the city commission is planning to light every part of the city. Instead of maintaining twenty or thirty street lights, the city will install lights at every important street intersection and on every important corner in the city. With the co-operation of the business men it will be possible to make a "white way" on Hutchings Avenue and Eighth Street in the business section. It is probable that free current will

ANOTHER WOMAN ESCAPES

Mrs. McCumber Avoided a Serious Operation by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in Time

Georgetown, Ill.—"After my first baby was born I suffered so with my left side that I could not walk across the floor unless I was all humped over, holding to my side. I doctored with several doctors but found no relief and they said I would have to have an operation. My mother insisted on my taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I soon found relief. Now I can do all my own work and it is the Vegetable Compound that has saved me from an operation. I cannot praise your medicine too highly and I tell all of my friends and neighbors what the Compound did for me."

Mrs. MARGARET MCCUMBER, 27 S. Frazier St., Georgetown, Illinois. Mrs. McCumber is one of the unnumbered thousands of housewives who struggle to keep about their daily tasks, while suffering from ailments peculiar to women with backache, sideaches, headaches, bearing-down pains and nervousness, and if every such woman should profit by her experience and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial they would get well.

be offered for every ornamental street light the business men install in front of their place of business, and instead of having one in front of the First National Bank, one in front of Rogers-Higdon Company, and one in front of the Weeks' drug store, there should be at least a half dozen in every block.

With the light problem so successfully solved it is now up to the citizens to co-operate and back the city in any move to solve the street and water problems. These are two important questions which must have the prompt attention of the city.

A burning sensation in the throat and chest means bad digestion; and digestive trouble is the starting point for many serious diseases; particularly kidney disease. Better take Prickly Ash Bitters and put your stomach and digestion in sound condition before serious trouble begins. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.



HARD ON SOLES

Boys will be boys and they will wear out shoe leather, no matter how much you sigh at the cost of new shoes. So the only thing to do is smile—and bring the worn-through soles to Dr. Drennan, the expert shoe repairer, and have the shoes rebuilt and ready for more romping. We'll put on good stout soles that will wear a long time. Strictly cash.

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ABSTRACTS
of Title to Lots in Any Town or City or
Land in Runnels County, Apply to
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For Land Loans or Purchase of Realty Apply to
CHAS. S. MILLER, Ballinger, Texas.

SEVERAL HURT IN T. P. WRECK

DALLAS, Oct. 18.—A number of persons were injured when the Eastbound Sunshine Special on the Texas & Pacific railroad was wrecked last night near Van Horn, Texas, according to advices received at the road's general offices here today.

The wreck was caused by a broken rail, and the engine, three sleepers and the dining car left the track. The passengers were transferred to another train and are proceeding Eastward.

COMMISSION TO HANDLE FOREIGN DEBT FUNDING

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—A favorable report authorizing the creation of a commission to arrange for funding and refunding foreign debts, was ordered today by the House ways and means committee. The measure is a substitute for the administration bill which would give the secretary of the treasury blanket authority for handling all foreign debt negotiations.

ling all foreign debt negotiations.

When the breath is bad and the appetite disordered, Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy needed. It purifies the stomach, liver and bowels, sweetens the breath, promotes vigor and cheerfulness. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

Be Wise and Advertise—

ALL PRICES MET

Milk 10c Quart

Milk 20c Half Gal.

W. F. (Bill) Jackson

"The Old Reliable"



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to Dallas

Texas State Fair

OCTOBER 8-23

\$14.28 Round Trip

(Plus 8% Tax)

Tickets on sale daily October 7th to 23rd; limited to October 24th.

THROUGH SLEEPER

Telephone No. 47.

J. J. Beck, Agent

Ballinger, Texas

Just Received a Fresh Shipment of

Loose-Wiles
Famous Chocolates

Jersey Maid and Dardanella Brands.

In the Bulk Per Pound

60c

Guaranteed to be the best that comes to town.

L. B. Stubbs

Phones 93 and 94

Six Free Scholarships

Send today the names addresses of five young people likely to be interested in training at college or by mail for \$75 to \$100 guaranteed office position, and we will not only send you an interesting remembrance, but will also enter your name in our free scholarship contest, in which six scholarships, \$25 in cash, and ten \$25 tuition checks are to be given away absolutely free, as explained in details we will send you.

This is your opportunity to get the world-famed Draughton training. Write today.

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CUT PRICE SALE

ONE WEEK ONLY

Wednesday, October 19th to Tuesday, October 25th

**Dresses, Suits, Coats, Skirts
and Blouses.**

GREAT SALE OF LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

A Mid-season Event that Will Save You Big Money. Come See for Yourself.

1 lot of Serge, Tricotine and
Silk Dresses, priced up to \$20.00 go
in this sale, one week only

\$10.75

1 lot of Canton Crepe, Silk,
Serge and Tricotine formerly priced
up to \$27.50, for one week only

\$18.75

1 lot of Canton Crepe, Silk,
Tricotine and Serges formerly priced
up to \$37.50, one week only

\$24.75

REMEMBER

Every Dress, Suit, Coat, Blouse and Skirt
in the House Offered at Reduced Prices.

Come in and see. Get your wearing apparel today,
while you have an opportunity to these
wonderful savings.

Cut Prices also in Millinery Department Will Please You.



"Trade Here and Save Money" That's Our Advice

Ballin-
ger's
Greatest
Store

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.
of Texas
CAPITAL \$1,500,000⁰⁰

The
Price
is the
Thing