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ARK. SENATOR IN FIGHT ON STREET CAR

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Blows were exchanged between Senator Carraway, of Arkansas, and another passenger, who were riding on a street car today, after the man had been accused of "jostling" the senator, and using offensive language.

The altercation occurred on Fourteenth and H. streets, Northwest, after both had left the car. The unidentified passenger hit Senator Carraway in the face with his fist, and the senator retaliated with blows on the man's back with an umbrella.

SENATE CUTS OUT ALL KLANSMEN

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Feb. 27.—The state Senate today confirmed thirty appointees nominated by Governor Neff. Action was deferred by the Senate on the appointments of Adjutant General Barton, Tax Commissioner Willacy, Labor Commissioner Myers, Livestock Sanitary Commissioner Boog-Scott, Health Officer Beasley, Mrs. Chas. DeGroff, member of the board of regents of the Texas Technological College; J. F. Rowe, of the State Rating Board. Some of these were held up on grounds of their affiliation with the Ku Klux Klan.

The Senate committee questioned Barton, Myers, Game Commissioner Boyd and Fire Marshall Tilley on their present or past affiliation with the Klan, before making a report on the appointments sent in by the governor.

MUM'S THE WORD WITH MAYFIELD

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Feb. 27.—Earle B. Mayfield left today for Washington, and before he departed he was presented with a complete copy of the proceedings filed in the United States Senate in an attempt to prevent him from taking his seat. In his usual smiling manner Mr. Mayfield declined to make any statement, further than to tell reporters that he expected to be in Washington about two weeks.

At the age of 20 years Miss Vivian Cook, of Mississippi, is probably the youngest practicing attorney in the world.

Recent census figures show that there are in the United States nearly 14,000 actresses.

Read Ledger "wants" column

Safety Satisfaction

When you buy our pure drugs you are safe. When you spend money here you save safely. And when you come here to buy or to look you receive courteous attention. Safety, Service and Satisfaction are the triple inducements this Drug Store of Pleasant Service offers to you always.

The quality of whatever you get here is dependable. The price you pay stands for generous full value. And the Spirit of Service makes buying as pleasant as can be.

WEEKS

Phones 12 and 13

TIME TO ELECT LIBRARY BOARD

The matter of arranging an entertainment, or fixing a date for the annual Library meeting, was discussed at a meeting of the Carnegie Library board Monday afternoon.

The present board has served for two years, while six of the nine were elected for only one year, and at the forthcoming meeting an entirely new board is to be elected, the board to consist of nine members.

It was the sense of the board that a program be arranged and the people called together for a get-together meeting in the interest of the library, at which time a new board will be elected. The Shakespeare Club will be asked to take the initiative in arranging a program for the occasion, and the date of the meeting will be announced soon.

The Library has been of more service perhaps during the last two years than ever before since it was donated to the city by Mr. Carnegie. This has been made possible by a system of financing which has aided the board in keeping the institution open to the public practically on full time with a librarian in charge. Rent paid by the Baptist church, which is using the building for services while the new church is under course of construction, and finances from other sources, have made it possible to keep the library open, and it has been liberally patronized.

Perhaps the greatest problem the board and the librarian has had to deal with, has been the bad boys, and we might say bad girls. It has been necessary to call in the officers to help maintain order, and protect the property, and this is said to our shame. If parents would look closer after their children at home, people in charge of such enterprises would not be forced to make such reports.

The Library is a great asset to the public, and could be made of greater value, if properly financed. The librarian reports that people of all ages patronize the institution, and the high school pupils are profiting by the use of the reference books.

Having served two years the old board is asking to be relieved, and a new board will be selected at the coming meeting. The old board is composed of E. M. Lynn, president; Mrs. R. A. Nicholson, vice-president; A. W. Sledge, secretary; Mrs. Dan Moser, treasurer; W. C. McCarver, Dr. Alvin Swindell, J. H. Baugh, Miss Edie Belle Walker, Mrs. J. M. Simmons.

Jim Freeman has rented quarters in front of the building occupied by the DeMoyville Sheet Metal and Radiator Works on the South side of Hutchings Avenue, and a few doors South of the Ballinger Auto Company, and is moving his barber shop from the upstairs location in the City Cafe building to the new stand.

Rubber Stamps.—The Ballinger

The Beautiful Sunshine

makes you think of Flowers—the next thought should be Flower Seeds.

We have handled Mandeville and King's flower seeds for thirty years, and have never heard a complaint.

Ladies, call and look over the elegant variety.

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

The Rexall Store

Oldest—Biggest—Best.

Spring Fiction



VETERANS MUST HAVE PASS PORT OFFICERS MUST MAKE NEW BOND

(By Associated Press)

DURHAM, N. C., Feb. 27.—Confederate veterans who wish to attend the annual reunion at New Orleans on April 11-13, and who wish to take advantage of the reduced fare offered by the railroads, must obtain identification slips from Carl Hinton, of New Orleans, adjutant-in-chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, and General Julian S. Carr, commander of the veterans. This announcement was made by the headquarters today which has arranged for special rates. Tickets at the reduced fare cannot be purchased until the veterans have obtained their credentials.

NORTH TEXAS HAS SUFFERED DROUTH

Press reports on weather conditions carried in state papers Monday stated that 62 of an inch rain fell in Dallhart during the last two days, and the report said "first rain of any consequence since last June." While this part of the state, and in fact all other sections of Texas have been receiving rains, the Panhandle section has just begun to get rain. Runnels county has a little to spare.

J. M. Tindall visited his daughter in San Angelo Sunday, returning home Monday. Mr. Tindall says the fields West of Ballinger and between here and Miles are veritable lakes of water—water standing in the freshly plowed ground.

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



Mobiloils

A grade for each type of motor

Ford Economy

You bought your Ford because it is an economical car, didn't you?

And you want to run it as long and as economically as possible.

Let us help you. A talk with us about Correct Lubrication will save you money later on—just about the time that most Fords begin to need attention, as a result of earlier neglect.

Let us give you a copy of a new booklet which tells why Gargoyle Mobiloil "E" is just right for Fords.

The Gargoyle Oil Co.

CHURCHES TAKE STEPS PREVENT WORLD WAR 36,000 BARREL OIL GUSHER IN ARKANSAS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America today addressed a message to 150,000 protestant churches, and thirty communions making up the membership, urging them to call upon the government to adopt a policy of co-operation with all foreign nations.

The council appeals to the government to take a larger part in the international problems and expressed a fear that the world is drifting toward war and economic ruin and moral disaster that possibly may cause an eclipse of civilization for centuries to come.

(By Associated Press)

EL DORADO, Ark., Feb. 27.—An oil gusher guaging thirty-six thousand barrels of oil per day, and capable of producing fifty thousand barrels, "if properly handled," has been developed in the W. G. Burton well near Smackover, according to oil men making reports here today.

The Burton well rivals any gusher discovered in the North American fields since the famous Guffey gusher in the Beaumont twenty-two years ago, and thousands of people will be attracted to the field to see the wonderful well.

ON TRIAL FOR KILLING CHILD

(By Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 27.—Wylie Morgan, formerly of Maud, Texas, was arraigned today for trial on a charge of murder, kidnapping and felonious assault. The police said that the man had signed a statement admitting that he kidnapped, assaulted and killed Lilian Gilmore, age six years.

CORRECTION

In yesterday's Ledger it was announced over the signature of A. L. Dunn, that he would open his place of business on March 1st, but owing to certain circumstances the place will not open until Saturday, March 3rd.

The whole day is spoiled to a woman who has something to say and no one to listen to her.

NEW POSTMASTER GENERAL NAMED

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—It was announced at the White House today that Senator Harry S. New, of Indiana, would become postmaster general on March 4th, succeeding Postmaster General Work, who has been appointed to succeed Albert Fall as secretary of the interior.

At the same time it was announced that Brigadier General Frank T. Hines, retired, had been nominated to become director of the War Veterans Bureau.

MAY LEASE HOSPITAL FOR EX-SERVICE MEN

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Feb. 27.—State Senator W. J. Rogers, of McKinney, left for Washington today to confer with officials of the Veterans' Bureau relative to leasing the Kerrville Memorial Hospital to care for former service men.

Fo-To-Sho Theatre

Starting Tomorrow



GEORGE ARLISS

"The Ruling Passion"

FROM EARL DERR BURGESS' STORY IN THE SATURDAY EVENING POST
SCENARIO BY FORREST HALSEY—DIRECTED BY HARMON WEIGHT

NO MAN IS INDISPENSABLE

Except to his own family, says the Inimitable Arliss in a role full of common sense and chuckles.

"A DISTINCTIVE PRODUCTION"

Also Universal Comedy

Matinee 2:15 and 4:15 Admission 10c and 30c
Night 7:15 and 9:15 Admission 20c and 40c

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Street work in Ballinger is being slightly delayed.

City and school elections are scheduled for April.

Press reports say Germany is ready to talk compromise. What the French want is money.

If rain creates optimism, this country is experiencing the most optimistic age of its history.

BURNS
Cover with wet baking soda—
afterward apply gently—
VICKS
VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

THE CITY'S NEEDS

The old adage "the time to strike is while the iron is hot," applies most fittingly to Ballinger at this particular time, and in summing up some of the city's needs, we might say:

"We need stability—the will power to determine what is right and a determination to see that only that which is right prevails."
"We need a spirit of unanimity—the ability and willingness to agree upon what we want and then go after it and get it."

"We need aggressiveness—for without aggressiveness, idleness and stagnation will be our lot in life."

"We need loyalty, lots of it—for without loyalty we will be found enriching commercial interests at distant points and impoverishing our people at home."

Some communities thrive and grow because of their natural resources—natural advantages. Others are made through that dogged energy and perseverance of their citizenship, and regardless of a lack of natural advantages.

Ballinger has the natural advantages and those advantages were never on the job doing their part more than at this particular time. It is up to us to make the most of them. The people of this city hold within their power the ability to go ahead. They have the aid of natural advantages in such a forward program.

The next twelve months will either place Ballinger in the class of larger cities, or it will fix her in the smaller class for years to come.

Are you going to help or hinder?

PASSING THOUGHTS

Community interests, both city and county, are best served by office holders of good business ability, and the man who is elected to office because he is a "good fellow," and "needs the job," is an expensive bit of folly.

The man with a glib tongue,

MRS. HICKEY
SO WEAK COULD
HARDLY STAND

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health

Worcester, Mass.—"I had some trouble caused by a female weakness and got so run-down and weak from it that I could hardly stand or walk across the floor. The doctor gave me all kinds of pills, but nothing helped me. I happened to meet a friend who had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, so I thought I would try it. After taking it a week I began to improve, and now I feel fine and am doing all of my housework, including washing, sewing and house cleaning. I have recommended your medicine to my friends, and I am willing for you to use this letter as a testimonial, as I would like to help any one suffering the way I did from such a weakness."—Mrs. DELIA HICKEY, 4 S. Ludlow St., Worcester, Mass.
Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent you free upon request. Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. This book contains valuable information.



A GLASS OF SALTS CLEARS PIMPLY SKIN

Says Indigestion Results from an Excess of Hydrochloric Acid.

Undigested food delayed in the stomach decays, or rather ferments, the same as food left in the open air, says a noted authority. He also tells us that indigestion is caused by Hyperacidity meaning there is an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach which prevents complete digestion and starts food fermentation. Thus everything eaten sours in the stomach much like garbage sours in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. Then we feel a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest; we belch up gas; we eructate sour food or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and drink it while it is effervescent, and furthermore, to continue this for a week. While relief often follows the first dose, it is important to help neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salt is used for many stomach disorders with excellent results.

and the fellow who courts your friendship for political reasons, is a doubtful proposition, and seldom makes the best man in public work. The competent man, who has made good in business, as a rule makes the best man when it comes to protecting and serving community interests.

A city should treat visitors as a decent host treats his guests.

*** CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS ***

(Mayor and two Commissioners to be elected April 6.)

For Mayor:
S. B. RABY
For Commissioner:
J. M. GARLINGTON

Try My
Hamburgers
Best in the West.
N. Passur
"Watch Me Grow"

UNDERTAKING
KING-HOLT

Day and Night Ambulance
and Undertaking Service
E. E. King, Manager
Office Phone 82
E. E. King, Phone 372
J. A. Ostertag Phone 77

It Makes a Difference
Who Shaves
You
There are good barbers, some not so good, and then there are some worse.
The Acme Shop
has no student barbers, only first class men are now on our chairs, and you will receive courteous treatment and find in our shop a clean atmosphere.
Visit us, over City Cafe.
The Acme Shop
J. A. Freeman,
Proprietor

It is ungracious, shows ill manners, and a lack of proper raising, to do otherwise. It is also poor advertising. It drives outside business away from your city. If you are not proud of your city, you can at least offer some apology, and make visitors feel at home. It pays, and you have the satisfaction of having done your duty.

People who do all their riding over rough roads, are helping to pay the cost of maintaining the railroads. Railroads realize the necessity of keeping their lines in good condition. Then why can not county highways be put under a system that will make it easy for people to go and come at a big saving in wear and tear? If public roads were maintained by a private corporation, and the traveler had to pay for the privilege of traveling over them, he would howl about the bad roads. Yet the traveler is paying and paying heavy for having to travel on bad roads.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies
The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. Many such, however, have been completely restored to health by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets strengthen the stomach, invigorate the liver and improve the digestion. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. When you have any trouble with your stomach, give them a trial.

The Ladies' Home Journal for March on sale tomorrow. In this issue: "Twelve Tests of Character," "Makers of American Literature," "Our Social Ladder," and many other interesting features. Underwood News Co. 27-1td

LET US PROTECT THE YEARLINGS

An invitation to the City Commission and the Young Men's Business League to visit the feed pens at the Head of Sharp Street one block North of Broadway.

There you will find a large of beautiful white faced yearlings, also several head hogs. The feed pens proper are located in a most ideal place for best results as the ground slopes sharply to the North, down to Elm Creek. And aside from the feed pens there is a stumping or play ground that covers several acres which connects with the feed pens and also extends back to Elm Creek, fronting on the creek some four or five hundred yards, where yearlings can play, have access to the city's beautiful lake affording plenty of shade and water, and a place to wade in and stand to protect their young and tender heels from the pesky hell fly.

I am sure that you will agree with me that for comfort and luxury for the yearlings and hogs, the place and surroundings are ideal and could hardly be improved upon.

But the yearlings and hogs are not up on sanitation and have allowed through all the rain and winter's snow to let filth to the depth of several inches accumulate in their pens, and this is very liable to cause sickness and probably death to some of the yearlings, unless a heavy rain fall sufficient to wash out the pens and carry all that accumulation of filth down the hill into Elm Creek where the city owns a lake to furnish water for about 3500 people for drinking and cooking purposes. There is no escape for all that filth except to

be dumbed by the rain into the city lake.

So I ask you to go out and make a careful investigation and see if something can not be done to protect either the yearlings and hogs, or the 3500 people who have to use this water, made foul by the lack of sanitation by a lot of unsanitary animals.

M. C. BOYD

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock*

STOMACH MISERY, GAS, INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" Corrects Sour, Upset Stomachs at Once

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness, fermentation or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Drug-gate sell millions of packages.

Some men are popular until they get home.

Sudden Service Shoe Shop



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REPAIRS FOR CHILDREN AND GROWN-UPS
All shoes look alike to us when it comes to repairing them and our results please all alike. Men, women, boys and girls—all come here to save shoe leather and make their old shoes go far. Your footwear will always be good looking if we keep it in condition.

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Not Tell the Story—**

What you buy is the quantity and force of energy delivered by the elements inside the box.

All Willard Batteries, from the "CW", the best low-priced battery made, to the biggest Willard Threaded Rubber Battery, give you for every dollar full energy value.

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Representing
Willard Batteries
(THREADED RUBBER INSULATION)
and **W Batteries**
(WOOD SEPARATORS)

We will handle your 43-4 per cent Victory Bonds.

Payment of 43-4 per cent Victory Bonds bearing letters A, B, C, D, E or F prefixed to serial numbers, will be paid December 15th, 1922, and interest will stop on that date.

Bring these Victory Bonds to us for payment and we will pay them without discount.

We will be glad to furnish our services, without cost, in the collection of War Savings Stamps which mature on January 1, 1923.

Ballinger State Bank and Trust Co.

"Service that Satisfies"

Guaranty Fund Bank.

Member Federal Reserve System

R. W. Bruce, President and Chairman.
C. P. Shepherd, Vice Pres. Sam Baker, Asst. Cashier
N. K. Freeman, Cashier

**OPEN
IN NEW STAND**

For the past few months I have been with E. J. Cathey, but my friends will find me now in an up-to-date Harness and Shoe Repairing business on Eighth Street just opposite from the Ballinger Steam Bakery. I will carry a complete line of harness and will also have in addition one of the most up-to-date shoe repairing shops in West Texas. All work done by me will be guaranteed to please and if you are in the market for anything in the way of Harness it will pay you to see me before you buy.

Don't forget where You Can Find Me.

Coy Drennan

Eighth Street opposite Ballinger Steam Bakery.

Buy Results

Don't think because some baking powders come in big cans at a low price that you are getting a bargain. It is the leavening strength that tells the story—the results you have on bake-day.

CALUMET

The Economy BAKING POWDER



It is first in quality, received highest awards at the World's Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill. Paris Exposition, Paris, France; first in results—never fails, produces evenly raised, light, tasty, wholesome foods; first in economy—moderate in price—you save when you buy it—you save when you use it.

Used in so many homes that its sale is over 150% greater than that of any other brand.



BEST BY TEST

THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

CIVIC LEAGUE

POSTPONES TEA

The Civic League announced Tuesday morning that the tea staged for Tuesday afternoon and evening of this week had been postponed until Tuesday afternoon and Tuesday night of next week. This was made necessary by the general downpour of rain throughout the early hours of Tuesday, and the already muddy condition of the streets. A splendid program had been arranged and the members of the Civic League had incurred some expense in preparing for the entertainment, but the league members consider that a more successful entertainment will result when the weather clears up. The entertainment was to be known as a birthday party, and each guest was expected to pay according to their age—one cent for each year, and the entire proceeds are to go to the Civic League in promoting civic welfare of the city. The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baker on Eighth Street was all set for the party, and it will be held at this home next week.

Pure Cotton Seed for Planting Here

Car load of Blue Wagon Staple Cotton Seed just arrived and are now ready for delivery in any quantities at \$2.50 per bushel. These seed came direct from the breeder, S. Maston Nixon at Robstown. See Rothall or Hammond O'Kelly before they are all sold. 21-2td-2tw

Chas. Turnbull and family, who came to Ballinger about two years ago, are arranging to return to their home in Virginia. Mr. Turnbull brought his family here for the benefit of their health, and he traveled for a wholesale house. They have been unfortunate since coming here, different members of the family being sick, and for the past several months Mr. Turnbull has been confined to his home. They

WOMEN! DYE IT NEW FOR 15c

Skirts Kimonas Draperies
Waists Curtains Gingham
Coats Sweaters Stockings
Dresses Coverings Everything

Diamond Dyes

Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other kind—and follow the simple directions in every package. Don't wonder whether you can dye or tint successfully, because perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with Diamond Dyes even if you have never dyed before. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Diamond Dyes never streak, spot, fade, or run.

are disposing of their household goods and will return to their old home. The family has made many friends since coming here who will regret to see them leave.

Chamberlain's Tablets For Indigestion and Constipation

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Melard F. Craig, Middle Grove, N. Y. They work like a charm and do not gripe or leave any unpleasant effect.

Mrs. Wm. Kidd stopped off here Monday afternoon, while en route to her home from San Angelo, and is the guest of Mrs. R. W. Bruce.

To My Friends

I am entering contest recently put on by Winters Enterprise, in which a Ford and other valuable premiums are being offered. I shall greatly appreciate any assistance you may render.

MRS. JOHN J. BUGG.

27-1td-1tw*

U.B. Thrifty says



Nobody Ever got to be Famous by Inventing Excuses.

There's no excuse for not making use of our bank as a safe and convenient place to handle your account.

Let your dollars grow and work for you in a

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Any sum from One Dollar up will start it.

As our great men took advantage of every opportunity so do we invite you to take advantage of a better bank service by placing your account here.

4% on SAVINGS.

Farmers & Merchants
State Bank
Ballinger, Texas.

Much to Gain; Little to Lose

"The Ledger"

"We were glad to note the fine spirit of optimism and devotion to community interests shown in Judge Powell's letter in your issue of last Saturday.

"Where there so much to gain and so little to lose it would seem to be a very short-sighted policy from a cold business standpoint to sit down supinely and discouraged, and decide that we will not furnish the small amount of funds necessary to complete the deep test in the Safety First well—especially when more than half the amount is already subscribed by a few only of our forward looking citizens.

"One of the immediate and far-reaching benefits to come from this test will be the restoration of a lease value to every acre of land within a large radius of this point, and which is now non-productive, and it will only be necessary to state that the amount is subscribed to revive these leases. Owners of land will not have to wait on completion to be able to lease their holdings. This will not only help the landowners but will help incidentally every merchant in the towns of this county as well, just as it has done in the past when as is well known lease money paid in this county bridged us all over what would have been without it a very critical condition.

"If this test is successful the benefits to flow from it to every citizen in Rannels county are so obvious that it is unnecessary to even attempt to enumerate them, and all indications are that it

will result in a successful termination.

"If this test is not made now when we are within a few hundred feet and a few hundred dollars of it, it would be absolutely foolish to even think that it will be even remotely possible to interest anyone to come here and spend a hundred thousand dollars to make another test.

"It is worth more than the amount asked to the people of Rannels county to see the 4,000 foot level here, even if it is as dry as a bone we can then dismiss the matter from our minds and turn our efforts in some other direction to build up and advance our town and county.

"With these facts before us, the issue is squarely presented to every citizen—'SHALL WE MAKE THE TEST?' 'IS IT MY DUTY AS A CITIZEN TO HELP?'

"We must answer these two questions for ourselves and not for our neighbor. WHAT WILL YOUR ANSWER BE?

"Respectfully,
"Ballinger Oil & Gas Company."

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

The average wife, it is claimed, needs a dozen pairs of shoes annually.

The Camp Fire Girls membership in the United States now numbers more than 150,000.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

on the wrapper all these years just to protect the coming generations. Do not be deceived. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

Never attempt to relieve your baby with a remedy that you would use for yourself.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Comfort—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

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The Clothing of Your Business is Printed Stationery

—it reflects the good and bad taste of the sender in just the same way your clothing does when you are making business calls!

Hence we moralize: Select your type, paper and ink colors as carefully as you select your wearing apparel.

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ger at this particular time, and in
summing up some of the city's
needs, we might say:

"We need stability—the will
power to determine what is right
and a determination to see that
only that which is right prevails.
"We need a spirit of unanimity
—the ability and willingness to
agree upon what we want and
then go after it and get it.

"We need aggressiveness—for
without aggressiveness, idleness
and stagnation will be our lot in
life.

"We need loyalty, lots of it—
for without loyalty we will be
found enriching commercial in-
terests at distant points and im-
poverishing our people at home."

Some communities thrive and
grow because of their natural re-
sources — natural advantages.
Others are made through that
dogged energy and perseverance
of their citizenship, and regard-
less of a lack of natural advan-
tages.

Ballinger has the natural ad-
vantages and those advantages
were never on the job doing their
part more than at this particular
time. It is up to us to make the
most of them. The people of this
city hold within their power the
ability to go ahead. They have
the aid of natural advantages in
such a forward program.

The next twelve months will
either place Ballinger in the class
of larger cities, or it will fix her
in the smaller class for years to
come.

Are you going to help or hin-
der?

PASSING THOUGHTS

Community interests, both city
and county, are best served by
office holders of good business
ability, and the man who is elect-
ed to office because he is a "good
fellow," and "needs the job," is
an expensive bit of folly.

The man with a glib tongue,

MRS. HICKEY
SO WEAK COULD
HARDLY STAND

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound
Restored Her Health



Worcester, Mass. — "I had some
trouble caused by a female weakness
and got so run-down
and weak from it
that I could hardly
stand or walk across
the floor. The doctor
gave me all kinds of
pills, but nothing
helped me. I hap-
pened to meet a
friend who had taken
Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Com-
pound, so I thought
I would try it. After
taking it a week I began to improve,
and now I feel fine and am doing all
of my housework, including washing, sew-
ing and house cleaning. I have recom-
mended your medicine to my friends,
and I am willing for you to use this letter
as a testimonial, as I would like to help
any one suffering the way I did from such
a weakness." — Mrs. DELIA HICKEY, 4
S. Ludlow St., Worcester, Mass.
Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book
upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women"
will be sent you free upon request.
Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medi-
cine Co., Lynn, Mass. This book con-
tains valuable information.

A GLASS OF SALTS
CLEARS SIMPLY SKIN

Says Indigestion Results from an
Excess of Hydrochloric
Acid.

Undigested food delayed in the
stomach decays, or rather fer-
ments, the same as food left in
the open air, says a noted author-
ity. He also tells us that Indi-
gestion is caused by Hyperacidity
meaning there is an excess of hy-
drochloric acid in the stomach
which prevents complete diges-
tion and starts food fermentation.
Thus everything eaten sours in
the stomach much like garbage
sours in a can, forming acid
fluids and gases which inflate the
stomach like a toy balloon. Then
we feel a heavy, lumpy misery in
the chest; we belch up gas; we
eructate sour food or have heart-
burn, flatulence, water-brash or
nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all di-
gestive aids and instead get from
any pharmacy four ounces of Jad
Salts and take a tablespoonful in
a glass of water before breakfast
and drink it while it is efferves-
cing, and furthermore, to continue
this for a week. While relief of-
ten follows the first dose, it is
important to help neutralize the
acidity, remove the gas-making
mass, start the liver, stimulate the
kidneys and thus promote a free
flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, and is
made from the acid of grapes and
lemon juice, combined with lithia
and sodium phosphate. This harm-
less salts is used for many stom-
ach disorders with excellent re-
sults.

and the fellow who courts your
friendship for political reasons,
is a doubtful proposition, and
seldom makes the best man in
public work. The competent
man, who has made good in busi-
ness, as a rule makes the best
man when it comes to protecting
and serving community interests.

A city should treat visitors as
a decent host treats his guests.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Mayor and two Commissioners
to be elected April 6.)

For Mayor:
S. B. RABY
For Commissioner:
J. M. GARLINGTON

Try My

Hamburgers

Best in the West.

N. Passur

"Watch Me Grow"

UNDERTAKING

KING-HOLT

Day and Night Ambulance
and Undertaking Service

E. E. King, Manager

Office Phone 82

E. E. King, Phone 372

J. A. Ostertag Phone 77

It Makes a Difference

Who Shaves
You

There are good barbers,
some not so good, and then
there are some worse.

The Acme Shop

has no student barbers, only
first class men are now on
our chairs, and you will re-
ceive courteous treatment
and find in our shop a clean
atmosphere.

Visit us, over City Cafe.

The Acme Shop

J. A. Freeman,
Proprietor

It is ungracious, shows ill man-
ners, and a lack of proper raising,
to do otherwise. It is also poor
advertising. It drives outside
business away from your city. If
you are not proud of your city,
you can at least offer some apol-
ogy, and make visitors feel at
home. It pays, and you have the
satisfaction of having done your
duty.

People who do all their riding
over rough roads, are helping to
pay the cost of maintaining the
railroads. Railroads realize the
necessity of keeping their lines
in good condition. Then why can
not county highways be put
under a system that will make it
easy for people to go and come
at a big saving in wear and tear?
If public roads were maintained
by a private corporation, and the
traveler had to pay for the privi-
lege of traveling over them, he
would howl about the bad roads.
Yet the traveler is paying and
paying heavy for having to travel
on bad roads.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies

The bilious and dyspeptic are
constant sufferers and appeal to
our sympathies. Many such, how-
ever, have been completely re-
stored to health by the use of
Chamberlain's Tablets. These tab-
lets strengthen the stomach, invig-
orate the liver and improve the
digestion. They also cause a gen-
tle movement of the bowels. When
you have any trouble with your
stomach, give them a trial.

The Ladies' Home Journal for
March on sale tomorrow. In this
issue: "Twelve Tests of Charac-
ter," "Makers of American Lit-
erature," "Our Social Ladder,"
and many other interesting fea-
tures. Underwood News Co.
27-1td

LET US PROTECT
THE YEARLINGS

An invitation to the City Com-
mission and the Young Men's
Business League to visit the feed
pens at the Head of Sharp Street
one block North of Broadway.

There you will find a large
of beautiful white faced year-
lings, also several head hogs. The
feed pens proper are located in
a most ideal place for best results
as the ground slopes sharply to
the North, down to Elm Creek.
And aside from the feed pens
there is a stomping or play
ground that covers several acres
which connects with the feed
pens and also extends back to
Elm Creek, fronting on the creek
some four or five hundred yards,
where yearlings can play, have
access to the city's beautiful lake
affording plenty of shade and
water, and a place to wade in
and stand to protect their young
and tender heels from the pesky
hell fly.

I am sure that you will agree
with me that for comfort and lux-
ury for the yearlings and hogs,
the place and surroundings are
ideal and could hardly be im-
proved upon.

But the yearlings and hogs are
not up on sanitation and have al-
lowed through all the rain and
winter's snow to let filth to the
depth of several inches accumu-
late in their pens, and this is
very liable to cause sickness and
probably death to some of the
yearlings, unless a heavy rain
fall sufficient to wash out the
pens and carry all that accumu-
lation of filth down the hill into
Elm Creek where the city owns
a lake to furnish water for about
3500 people for drinking and
cooking purposes. There is no
escape for all that filth except to

be dumped by the rain into the
city lake.

So I ask you to go out and
make a careful investigation and
see if something can not be done
to protect either the yearlings
and hogs, or the 3500 people who
have to use this water, made foul
by the lack of sanitation by a lot
of unsanitary animals.

M. C. BOYD

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears
the
Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

STOMACH MISERY,
GAS, INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" Corrects
Sour, Upset Stomachs
at Once

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest,
surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatu-
lence, heartburn, sourness, fermentation
or stomach distress caused by acidity. A
few tablets give almost immediate stom-
ach relief. Correct your stomach and
digestion now for a few cents. Drug-
gists sell millions of packages.

Some men are popular until
they get home.

Sudden Service Shoe Shop

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REPAIRS FOR CHILD-
REN AND GROWN-UPS
All shoes look alike to us
when it comes to repairing
them and our results please
all alike. Men, women,
boys and girls—all come
here to save shoe leather
and make their old shoes go
far. Your footwear will al-
ways be good looking if we
keep it in condition.

J. D. CARSEY

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Trustworthy

The Commercial Realm pays its highest tribute to men or
institutions when it says:

"They are Dependable"

This judgment rests largely upon their financial standing
and business methods.

Their first step toward achieving this reputation is to im-
press their qualities upon a BANK which has earned its own
reputation by reason of the same virtues.

Since 1886

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
BALLINGER, TEXAS

THE OLD RELIABLE

The Size of the
Battery Box Does
Not Tell the Story—

What you buy is the quantity
and force of energy delivered by
the elements inside the box.

All Willard Batteries, from the
"CW", the best low-priced bat-
tery made, to the biggest Willard
Threaded Rubber Battery, give
you for every dollar full energy
value.

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COMPANY
HUTCHINGS AVE.

Representing
Willard Batteries
(THREADED RUBBER INSULATION)
and CW Batteries
(WOOD SEPARATORS)

OPEN
IN NEW STAND

For the past few months I have been with E. J.
Cathey, but my friends will find me now in an up-to-date
Harness and Shoe Repairing business on Eighth Street
just opposite from the Ballinger Steam Bakery. I will
carry a complete line of harness and will also have in
addition one of the most up-to-date shoe repairing shops
in West Texas. All work done by me will be guaranteed
to please and if you are in the market for anything in
the way of Harness it will pay you to see me before you
buy.

Don't forget where You Can Find Me.

Coy Drennan

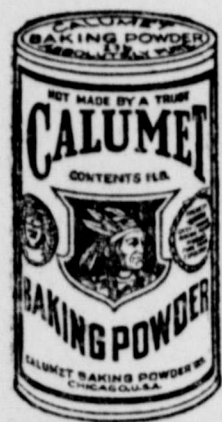
Eighth Street opposite Ballinger Steam Bakery.

Buy Results

Don't think because some baking powders come in big cans at a low price that you are getting a bargain. It is the leavening strength that tells the story—the results you have on bake-day.

CALUMET

The Economy **BAKING POWDER**



BEST BY TEST

It is first in quality, received highest awards at the World's Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill. Paris Exposition, Paris, France; first in results—never fails, produces evenly raised, light, tasty, wholesome foods; first in economy—moderate in price—you save when you buy it—you save when you use it.

Used in so many homes that its sale is over 150% greater than that of any other brand.



THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

CIVIC LEAGUE

POSTPONES TEA

The Civic League announced Tuesday morning that the tea staged for Tuesday afternoon and evening of this week had been postponed until Tuesday afternoon and Tuesday night of next week. This was made necessary by the general downpour of rain throughout the early hours of Tuesday, and the already muddy condition of the streets. A splendid program had been arranged and the members of the Civic League had incurred some expense in preparing for the entertainment, but the league members consider that a more successful entertainment will result when the weather clears up. The entertainment was to be known as a birthday party, and each guest was expected to pay according to their age—one cent for each year, and the entire proceeds are to go to the Civic League in promoting civic welfare of the city. The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baker on Eighth Street was all set for the party, and it will be held at this home next week.

Pure Cotton Seed for Planting Here

Car load of Blue Wagon Staple Cotton Seed just arrived and are now ready for delivery in any quantities at \$2.50 per bushel. These seed came direct from the breeder, S. Maston Nixon at Robstown. See Rothall or Hammond O'Kelly before they are all sold. 21-2td-2tw

Chas. Turnbull and family, who came to Ballinger about two years ago, are arranging to return to their home in Virginia. Mr. Turnbull brought his family here for the benefit of their health, and he traveled for a wholesale house. They have been unfortunate since coming here, different members of the family being sick, and for the past several months Mr. Turnbull has been confined to his home. They

WOMEN! DYE IT NEW FOR 15c

Skirts	Kimonoes	Draperies
Waists	Curtains	Ginghams
Coats	Sweaters	Stockings
Dresses	Coverings	Everything

Diamond Dyes

Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other kind—and follow the simple directions in every package. Don't wonder whether you can dye or tint successfully, because perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with Diamond Dyes even if you have never dyed before. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Diamond Dyes never streak, spot, fade, or run.

Much to Gain; Little to Lose

The Ledger:

"We were glad to note the fine spirit of optimism and devotion to community interests shown in Judge Powell's letter in your issue of last Saturday.

"Where there so much to gain and so little to lose it would seem to be a very short-sighted policy from a cold business standpoint to sit down supinely and discouraged, and decide that we will not furnish the small amount of funds necessary to complete the deep test in the Safety First well—especially when more than half the amount is already subscribed by a few only of our forward looking citizens.

"One of the immediate and far-reaching benefits to come from this test will be the restoration of a lease value to every acre of land within a large radius of this point, and which is now non-productive, and it will only be necessary to state that the amount is subscribed to revive these leases. Owners of land will not have to wait on completion to be able to lease their holdings. This will not only help the landowners but will help incidentally every merchant in the towns of this county as well, just as it has done in the past when as is well known lease money paid in this county bridged us all over what would have been without it a very critical condition.

"If this test is successful the benefits to flow from it to every citizen in Runnels county are so obvious that it is unnecessary to even attempt to enumerate them, and all indications are that it

will result in a successful termination.

"If this test is not made now when we are within a few hundred feet and a few hundred dollars of it, it would be absolutely foolish to even think that it will be even remotely possible to interest anyone to come here and spend a hundred thousand dollars to make another test.

"It is worth more than the amount asked to the people of Runnels county to see the 4,000 foot level here, even if it is as dry as a bone we can then dismiss the matter from our minds and turn our efforts in some other direction to build up and advance our town and county.

"With these facts before us, the issue is squarely presented to every citizen—'SHALL WE MAKE THE TEST?' 'IS IT MY DUTY AS A CITIZEN TO HELP?'

"We must answer these two questions for ourselves and not for our neighbor. WHAT WILL YOUR ANSWER BE?

"Respectfully,
"Ballinger Oil & Gas Company."

A Good Thing—Don't Miss It.

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

The average wife, it is claimed, needs a dozen pairs of shoes annually.

The Camp Fire Girls membership in the United States now numbers more than 150,000.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* on the wrapper all these years just to protect the coming generations. Do not be deceived. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

Never attempt to relieve your baby with a remedy that you would use for yourself.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Comfort—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use For Over 30 Years

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY

Chamberlain's Tablets For Indigestion and Constipation

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Melard P. Craig, Middle Grove, N. Y. They work like a charm and do not gripe or leave any unpleasant effects.

Mrs. Wm. Kidd stopped off here Monday afternoon, while en route to her home from San Angelo, and is the guest of Mrs. R. W. Bruce.

To My Friends

I am entering contest recently put on by Winters Enterprise, in which a Ford and other valuable premiums are being offered. I shall greatly appreciate any assistance you may render.

MRS. JOHN J. BUGG.

27-1td-1tw.*

U.B. Thrift says



Nobody Ever got to be Famous by Inventing Excuses.

There's no excuse for not making use of our bank as a safe and convenient place to handle your account.

Let your dollars grow and work for you in a

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Any sum from One Dollar up will start it.

As our great men took advantage of every opportunity so do we invite you to take advantage of a better bank service by placing your account here.

4% on SAVINGS.

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The Clothing of Your Business is Printed Stationery

—it reflects the good and bad taste of the sender in just the same way your clothing does when you are making business calls!

Hence we moralize: Select your type, paper and ink colors as carefully as you select your wearing apparel.

The Ballinger Printing Co.

Telephone 27

New Arrivals In Spring Silks

Flat Crepe
Thistle Dew
Altime Crepe
Persian and
Egyptian Prints

In All Wanted Colors.

A Beautiful Line of Imported and Domestic
Ratine Just Received.

THE HUB

Everything to Wear

"COLD IN THE HEAD"

Is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. These subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "cold" condition. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a treatment consisting of an Ointment to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the blood on the mucous surfaces, bringing up the system and making you feel like a "new man." Sold by Druggists, for over 40 years. P. J. Chas. & Co., Toledo, O.

FEBRUARY RAIN GOES OVER TOP

Tonight generally fair and colder; Wednesday fair.

With only one day of the month of February remaining, and with the weather man offering sunshine for this day, the rainfall at Walling for the month has already exceeded the record for a thirty year period.

The record breaking precipitation was run up with another half inch rain Tuesday, following a clear day of sunshine and West wind Monday. The weather man was hoisted at when he forecasted rain and colder weather for today, but he made good.

The rainfall for February just closing amounts to 4.58, as follows:

February 1, 1.36 inches
February 2, 1.36 inches
February 3, .75 inch
February 4, .56 inch
February 5, .56 inch

Only one year in the past thirty years compares with this for February weather. 4.58 inches was registered in 1911. The next nearest was in 1905 with 4.47 inches. The present year has advantages over the years preceding in which February was recorded as a wet month in that January this year was also a wet month, while the previous years show very little rain in January.

The rain gauge for the day Tuesday showed a half inch up to noon with heavy showers, continuing up to press time, and no indications of a let-up.

Texas Woman Finds Health



Mrs. W. H. Strawn, of Dallas, Who Tells How to Have Perfect Health.

"There were times when I felt so bad and skinny, I was ashamed to go out and meet my friends," says Mrs. Strawn, popular resident of Dallas. "I weighed only 100 pounds. But now I am taking on weight and new life. Ironized Yeast did it. It is amazing what it has done for me. I now weigh 126 pounds. It means so much to me, because 127 pounds was my weight before I married. My husband says I am now more like the girl he married eight years ago, and my lost strength of six years standing is coming back."

No discovery in the field of medicine has aroused more comment than that of the principle embodied in Ironized Yeast for building firm flesh on thin, anemic people and restoring the strength and vigor of health. Ironized Yeast will calm your tired nerves and soothe your aching tissues; you will soon know the joy of a hearty appetite, good digestion, rosy cheeks, plump limbs and buoyant spirits. These are the things Ironized Yeast has given to thousands of others, and is guaranteed to give to you. Get it today from your druggist. A ten-day treatment costs only a dollar. Ironized Yeast Company, Atlanta, Ga. Recommended and guaranteed by Weeks' Drug Store.

VIOLA DANA STARS IN "JUNE MADNESS"

"June Madness," is the title of the new Metro picture which comes to the Maeroy Theatre on Friday of this week; and it depicts the madcap adventures of a sprightly young miss, played by Viola Dana, who breaks away from her own wedding ceremony, leaving a million-dollar bridegroom flat and speechless.

She is chased by mama, friends, ushers, clergyman, and relatives of the million-dollar fish, but outside the church she meets a hundred-dollar Jazz King and orchestra leader in his roadster. He helps her to escape from the horrors of a life of luxury. The Jazz King, played by Bryant Washburn, is no inconsiderable party himself, and makes a lot of unwilling people dance to his tune. Even the little runaway bride cannot bluff him, although he has his troubles with her.

The escape is only the beginning for the complications complicate until little Miss Clytie's adventures seem without end or untangling. It is a speedy story, full of thrills.

There is a picturesque scene at a roadside, where Miss Dana does an unusual "Wedding Dance" in an unusual costume. Miss Dana's gowns, also, are a feature of the production which

Daily Ledger Want Ads

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

FOR SALE—Two beds, sewing machine, 4-burner oil stove, bicycle, coal stove, baby carriage, poultry pen, etc. Phone 403. One, Turnbull, Fifth Street. 27-44d

FOR SALE—Black land, farm in Russell county, well located. Cash or credit. E. J. Carroll. 27-44w-1

FOR RENT—or Sale: Good five room house, 7th Street, with sleeping porch, barn, One Dodge, Ford and Overland, cheap. See P. H. Conner. 27-3rd-ltv.*

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms. Phone 534. 26-dif

EGGS—White Orpington, 16 for \$1.00. Call at Currie Mercantile Co. 26-6d

FOR SALE—Two choice residences lots on Broadway; cash or part cash and terms. Also house of 5 rooms, bath and sleeping porch on 75 foot corner lot on 5th street. Might take in good Ford car. L. E. Bair. 24-3d

FOR SALE—One 5-passenger Ford auto and one Ford coupe. Both in excellent condition. L. E. Bair. 24-3d

WANTED—House to be moved. L. E. Bair. 24-3d

FOR RENT—Bed room and kitchen completely furnished for light housekeeping. Also bedrooms for rent. Phone 179. 24-tfd.*

FOR SALE—Ford Touring Car, cheap. Weinberg & Wardlaw. 6-tfd

holds special appeal to feminine photoplay patrons.

"June Madness" was adapted and directed by Harry Beaumont.

TWO ARLISS ROLES IN NEW PICTURE

Tomorrow and Wednesday will be a red-letter day at the Fo-to-sho Theatre, according to the announcement of the management for the new George Arliss photoplay, "The Ruling Passion," a comedy-drama of rare charm. Reports from other cities where the picture has been exhibited, coupled with the lavish praise bestowed on the offering by critics, indicates an engagement of extraordinary appeal.

George Arliss, in addition to being a character actor of renown throughout the world, has been pronounced "the screen's greatest artist." His previous work for the screen in "Disraeli" firmly established him with photoplay lovers, and in accepting a comedy he decided to present an entirely new role.

In "The Ruling Passion," Mr. Arliss has two roles. In a magnificent country home, at night, he is the retired millionaire, in every way living up to the requirements of his station in life. During the day he is an automobile mechanic laboring in overalls, in a small garage. He is "James Alden" at night, and "John Grant" by day. It is not a dual role, but two separate characterizations.

Gwen Richardson, of London, England, is the first white woman to explore the wilds of British Guiana.

WOULD OPEN GATE TO PEONS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Temporary admission of otherwise ineligible common labor into Hawaii, was proposed in a resolution reported by the House immigration committee today. The resolution was attacked in a minority report offered by Representative Box of Texas, who said that it would introduce peonage among Chinese coolies who would flow into the Islands and into the United States. It was also announced that Representative Baker, of California, democrat, and Chairman Johnson, of the committee, would also offer minority reports.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Postponement of action until the next session of congress upon President Harding's request for authority to enter the international court which was set up by the League of Nations, was virtually decided upon by the Senate foreign relations committee today.

Senators representing all views said that it was the consensus of opinion that the matter could not be brought up before the Senate in time for action at the present session. The committee decided, however, to ask for further information, and Senator Lodge said that he expected to confer with the president.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The withdrawal of twenty mil-

lion acres of land in Alaska to form a new naval oil reserve was announced by Secretary Fall, of the interior department.

LIGHTNING STRIKES A HOUSE AT BRADSHAW

Special to The Ledger:

BRADSHAW, Tex., Feb. 27.—Lightning struck the home of Henry Steen Sunday morning about eleven o'clock.

The lightning struck in the cen-

ter of the top of the house, tearing off the tin saddle-board, then following the valley tin down to the eaves of the roof, it ripped some shingles off the roof and a plank off the side of the house, passed on to the screen door, melting the wire and nails, and went into the ground in front of the door—about ten feet from where Gladys Stephens was standing. Other than a slight shock no one was injured.

FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

"Where the Best Pictures are Shown."

Last Time Today

Pearl White in

'PLUNDER'

Episode No. 4 "RUIN"

Irene Rich and Ramsey Wallace

in

"A Voice in the Dark"

The most exciting and baffling mystery play ever screened.

Neely Edwards in

"Friday the 13th"

A Universal Comedy

Admission - - - 10c and 25c

TODAY MAEROY THEATRE TODAY

SHOWING THE PICK O' THE PICTURES

When Better Pictures are Made the Maeroy will Show Them.

Thos. H. Ince, Presents

HOUSE PETERS and FLORENCE VIDOR in

"Lying Lips"

A vivid drama of the life and love of the rich idle class—A life of ease and pleasure seeking and lies.

BEN TURPIN in

"Bright Eyes"

Both are First National Attractions

Admission 10c and 25c

Wednesday and Thursday

William Russell in

"Desert Blossoms"

IF BILIOUS, SICK! TAKE NO CALOMEL

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Straightens You Up Better Than Salivating, Dangerous Calomel and Doesn't Upset You—Don't Lose a Day's Work—Read Guarantee

You're bilious! Your liver is sluggish! You feel lazy, dizzy and all knocked out. Your head is dull, your tongue is coated; breath bad, stomach sour and bowels constipated. But don't take salivating calomel. It makes you sick, you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

If you want to enjoy the nicest, greatest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone tonight. Your druggist or dealer sells

you a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular. You will feel like working; you'll be cheerful; full of vigor and ambition.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children.

\$5.00 For a Name

On March 3rd I will open for business in the stand between Cordill's Jewelry Store and D. Reeder's men's store on Eighth Street. Will carry a complete line of mixed, boxed and individual package candies, pipes, cigars, tobacco, cigarettes and papers, tablets, novelties, hot coffee, sweet milk and sandwiches.

Come to see me on opening day, fill out the coupon below and hand it in and try for the \$5.00 prize to be given to the person submitting the most suitable name. For the best name submitted by a lady, I will give a \$5.00 box of candy; if by a man \$5.00 in merchandise; and if by a child \$5.00 in merchandise.

Yours truly,

A. L. DUNN

Tear Off Coupon

Mr. A. L. Dunn; I submit as an appropriate name

for your place: _____

My Name _____

Address _____



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