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MANY MILLIONS CUT IN TAX BILL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—A reduction of \$790,330,000.00 in the annual tax bill of nation will result from changes in the 1918 revenue act embodied in the administration tax bill, Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee declared in the majority report filed with the House today.

FARMER LOSES MULES

Jess Harris, of the Hatchel country, had the misfortune to lose three good mules and a good mare in a peculiar way last week. The stock was in a pasture which was supplied with water from a windmill and tank. The tank was well filled with water which supplied the stock through a trough controlled by a float valve. In some way the float was knocked out of order and the water from the tank all flowed out and to waste. Thinking that the stock had plenty of water Mr. Harris had not been to see them in several days and when he did go he found them dead, presumably having perished for the want of water.

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2 KILLINGS NET 39 RATTLES

Two "mammy" rattlesnakes, carrying 37 little ones were killed on Valley Creek by Jim Laxton last week, according to P. W. Smith, who was in the city Monday.

Mr. Laxton was out in the pasture looking after a bunch of sheep last Thursday, according to Mr. Smith's account of the wholesale slaughter of rattlesnakes, and his attention was attracted by the sheep becoming excited at something, and investigation revealed a large rattlesnake, and the murder of the snake brought to life 21 little snakes about six or eight inches long. The old mother snake had swallowed 19 little ones, as is their custom to protect them when disturbed. The old snake had seven rattlers, while the little ones had sprouted buttons and were almost large enough to begin to make full grown snakes.

Returning to the same locality Friday morning, Mr. Laxton found another old snake and killed it and this snake was carrying sixteen little ones about six or eight inches long, the old snake having six rattlers and the little ones each a button. The two killings netted 39 rattlesnakes, which would have been enough to stock the country with rattlesnakes had the little ones been permitted to grow to big snakes.

This is the best snake story brought to The Ledger office this year, and Mr. Smith says he witnessed the snake raid, and saw the snakes and while he is getting up in years, having seen enough of the world to bring a few gray hairs, he never saw anything like this before.

U. S. MARSHALL LOSES HIS JOB

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Attorney General Daugherty has requested the resignation of Otto Wood, United States Marshall of Kansas, it was announced today at the department of justice. The department explained that it was deemed expedient to make a change in the office.

IRISH IN PEACE PARLEY; SITUATION GETS SHAKEY

BROTHER FOUND DEAD AT ABILENE

Mrs. F. C. Miller received a message from Abilene Monday notifying her that her brother, Conder Henry, had been found dead near that city. The body of the man was badly decomposed and had to be buried immediately and Mrs. Miller did not go to Abilene to attend the funeral.

The news came as a shock to Mrs. Miller and it will probably never be known how her brother met death. He formerly lived at Lubbock, and was engaged in business there, but disposed of the business about a year ago, and was known to have had some money, and it is feared that he met with foul play. He is survived by a wife, who is in California. In reporting the tragedy the Abilene Reporter says:

Investigating a report that there was a dead man on Catelaw creek, Justice of the Peace P. B. Ford, Sheriff John Bond and Deputy Sheriff Jim Roe went to a place about a mile west of the city where they discovered the body of a man, which had apparently been dead for several days. The body was badly decomposed.

J. W. Tyler, public weigher of Rotan, who was on his way home after a visit here, first reported the matter to the sheriff's department and he accompanied the officers to the scene. The body was found lying face downward and had been supposed to be that of a negro, but when turned over it was found to be that of a white man. My Tyler stated that he was stopped by some Mexicans who told him that there was "a dead man over there." Mr. Tyler stopped his car and investigated and came back to this city at once and notified the sheriff's department.

According to announcement made here, the body is that of Conder Henry, aged about 57 years old, who formerly lived at Lubbock, but who has been in this city for the past several days. He is a brother of Mrs. George Widmer of this city.

An inquest was being held by Justice of the Peace Ford Monday afternoon. Mr. Ford stated Monday morning that he did not know just when he would render a verdict in the case, and intimate that it might take several days to get all the testimony necessary.

TEXAS CONVICT PASS BAD COINS

TORONTO, Canada, Aug. 16.—Claud Barnes was arrested here Saturday charged with passing counterfeit coins. He confessed today to police that he was an escaped convict from the Huntsville, Texas, penitentiary. Barnes said he was imprisoned for wounding two Houston policemen, and that he escaped from the Texas prison six years ago.

SHIPPING CALVES TO PORT WORTH

R. R. Russell loaded out two cars of calves to market Monday. The calves were shipped to the Ft. Worth market. The stock market has been off sharply for the last few days.

Delbert Vancil returned home from Ft. Worth first of the week where he had been with a consignment of calves. While away Mr. Vancil visited relatives in Dallas.

J. R. McVay, of Eden, was a visitor to Ballinger Tuesday.

DUBLIN, Ireland, Aug. 16.—The Irish republican parliament met here today in the first open session in its history to consider the British government's peace terms. One hundred and thirty members, including those released from prison, were present.

A great audience crowded the gallery as Eamonn deValera led the members into the chamber. In opening Dail Eireann, deValera reiterated Ireland's claim for separation from Great Britain and declared that the only government the people recognized was the ministry of Dail Eireann.

It is understood that a formal consideration of the British government's offer will not be begun until Thursday. It is thought that this program was arranged so that Harry J. Boland, representative of the Irish republicans in the United States, might participate in the debate. Boland is now en route to Europe from the United States.

DeValera said that he and his colleagues had adopted toward England the principle laid down by Cardinal Mercier of Belgium toward Germany, and that is that external authority is unlawful. He said that the Irish stood for ideals which were enshrined in the American declaration of independence. He provoked laughter by describing the British attitude as that of a great nation demanding guarantees for its safety to a small state, and added that the cabinet did not think the British proposal a just one.

DeValera pointed to virtually impossible conditions surrounding negotiations with Great Britain, and declared that the Irish position was that of a man unarmed facing a man with a pistol. He said there were people who wanted negotiations to save their faces, but the Sinn Fein will not negotiate to save faces, but if possible to save bloodshed and for right and principle.

BELFAST, Aug. 16.—It is reported here that military authorities in Ireland have cancelled all leaves of absence of officers and men and that those away on holidays have been recalled. It was stated that this step was taken as a precaution against surprise only.

BELFAST, Aug. 16.—After a meeting of the Ulster cabinet today, an official report issued stated that the general situation had been carefully reviewed and there was absolutely no change in position as far as the Ulster is concerned.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—All soldiers on leave from Ireland and Aldershot and Farnborough have been ordered to return to their regiments immediately.



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FIVE MILLION WITHOUT WORK

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—The best estimates available at the present time shows that five million seven hundred and thirty five thousand persons are unemployed in the United States at this time, Secretary Davis of the labor department reported to the Senate today.

FORMER CITIZEN DIES IN ARKANSAS

Friends of the family received news this week of the death of George F. Schroeter, a former citizen of Ballinger, Mr. Schroeter died in DeQueen, Arkansas, on August 8th, and was buried in that city on August 9th.

Deceased was a citizen of Ballinger about twenty years ago. He was engaged in different lines of business here, and was interested in the building of the opera house, being one of the stockholders in a company which contributed to the building of what is now used as a lodge hall. He moved from Ballinger to Paint Rock, later moving to Post City, and then to Arkansas. He was a good man and will be remembered by many here who will regret to hear of his death.

Tom Trail and family have arrived from Mineral Wells and will make Ballinger their home. They will occupy the Kipp place which Mr. Trail recently purchased. Chas. T. Grant has purchased a home from L. E. Bair and is moving to same.

LAWMAKERS RUN OUT OF BUSINESS

AUSTIN, Aug. 16.—Within a few minutes after convening today both branches of the legislature were standing at ease for a lack of work. Various free conference reports were awaited, and nothing could be done until committee reports were ready.

The House bill providing that the available school fund of the University be used exclusively as a permanent improvement fund was defeated in the Senate.

AUSTIN, Aug. 16.—The Senate today concurred in the House amendments to the Senate pink boll worm bill, and the measure now goes to the governor for his signature. The measure provides that before declaring a non-cotton zone, a hearing must be held in or near the county affected, and also that back claims for cotton heretofore destroyed must be filed with the commissioner of agriculture.

LODGE IS DELEGATE TO DISARMAMENT MEET

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Henry Cabot Lodge, chairman of the Senate foreign relations committee, has definitely been selected by President Harding as a member of the American delegation to the disarmament conference.

China's first stock exchange was opened at Shanghai last July.



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daily in our ladies ready-to-wear department.

**All Wool Suits \$15 and Up
Dresses \$12.50 and Up**

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

It is a good country which can
pass thru the summer months
without rain and without a
"blow-up."

When peace comes to Ireland
there will be hopes for the rest
of the fighting nations.

Carpenter announces that he
will quit the ring after one more
fight. Georges must be figuring
on getting licked again.

If Ballinger streets do not re-
ceive attention soon it will be
necessary to detour travel round
the other way.

Railroads, which are howling
about dull business, cannot get
anywhere on the sympathy of
the public as long as they re-
tain membership in the hold-up
gang.

If a newspaper makes an error
the world reads and criticizes. If
a man makes an error the paper
is the first to throw around him
the mantle of charity.

The scrap between the M. D.'s
and the optometrists has resulted
in the passage of the optometry
bill which requires all eye fitters
to be fit by submitting to an
examination. And now, we shall
see what we shall see.

When you feel lazy, out of
sorts and yawn a good deal in
the day time, you need a
stimulate your liver, tone up
your stomach and purify your
bowels. Price 60c. Sold by all
druggists.

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My City is the place where my
home is founded; where my busi-
ness is situated; where my vote
is cast; where my children are
educated; where my neighbors
dwell, and where my life is
chiefly lived.

My City has a right to my civic
loyalty. It supports me, and I
must support it.

My City wants my citizenship,
not partisanship; Friendliness,
not offishness; Co-operation, not
dissension; Sympathy, not criti-
cism; My intelligent support, not
indifference.

My City supplies me with law
and order, trade, friends, educa-
tion, rights, recreation, and the
rights of a free-born citizen.

I should and do believe in my

Home Town, and I will work for
it and stay with it on every oc-
casion, so help me God.

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Lucas County, ss.

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that he is senior partner of the
firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing
business in the City of Toledo,
County and State aforesaid, and
that said firm will pay the sum of
ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for
each and every case of Catarrh
that cannot be cured by the use
of Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Sworn to before me and sub-
scribed in my presence, this 6th
day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. Gleason,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is tak-
en internally and acts through
the blood on the Mucous Surfaces
of the System. Send for testi-
monials, free. F. J. Cheney &
Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all drug-
gists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for consti-
pation.

HOT LINERS

It seems that the "jinx" rode
in the auto to Swattertown with
the Bearcats.

The battery for the Bearcats
today will be Green and White,
and the Swatter fans blue.

Auto trouble on the road to
Swattertown Monday was a
"blow-up" for the Cats, some
of the best players arriving in
time to see the ninth inning, but
at that the Swatters had to play
nine innings to get the contest.

History often repeats itself,
and especially in baseball. The
home team has time yet to pull
out of the slump and win ten in
a row, which would give them the
flag. Be a sport, stay with your
team, win or lose.

The San Angelo Bronchos will
appear on the local lot for the
last time this season Thursday,
Friday and Saturday. The
Swatters and Eagles are also
only due here for three more
games each. Nine at home and
ten on the road will close the sea-
son.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for
Chichester's Diamond Brand
Pills. It is Red and Gold metallic
boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon.
Take no other. Buy of your
Druggist, or for C. H. CHICHESTER
DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, 150 N. 2nd
ST. PHILADELPHIA, PA.

NOTICE

I wish to call attention to Sen-
ate Bill 110, Page 142, Chapter
73, of the General Law, passed
by the regular session of the 37th
Legislature which was in session
January, February and March,
1921, to their passage of a law
prohibiting the transaction of
any business in Texas under an
"assumed name," without first
preparing a statement duly sign-
ing the same and acknowledging
the same before a Notary Public,
and filing the same in the office
of the County Clerk, in the coun-

ty in which the business is lo-
cated, which said statement shall
show the true and real name or
names of the person or persons
owning and conducting and
transacting such business with
the Postoffice address of said
person or persons.

This law provides a penalty for
all persons who fail to comply
to the provision thereof and fix-
es a penalty of not less than
\$25.00 nor more than \$100.00 for
failing to comply with the same
and each day that any person or
persons shall fail any provisions
of this act shall be deemed a
separate offense.

There are a great many firms
doing business under an assum-
ed name who have not yet com-
plied with this law and for this
reason I make this publication in
order that all may know of such
a law and have an opportunity
to comply with the same. This
law has been in force for more
than 30 days and yet the records
in the County Clerk's office only
show a small per cent of the
firms in Runnels county, doing
business under an assumed name,
to have complied therewith.

After a reasonable length of
time I will be compelled to file
complaint against all firms not
complying with this law. If you
have not attended to this mat-
ter, get busy.

C. P. SHEPHERD,
County Attorney, Runnels Coun-
ty, Texas. 16-1d-1w

48lb sack Best Flour \$2.18
25lb sack Cream Meal 63c
5 Cakes Palm Olive Soap 45c
dtf THE GLOBE STORE

J. C. Swift, of Carbon, and son
Wade Swift, of Ranger, are here
to attend the Ex-Cow Punchers'
Reunion this week. They are
numbered among the pioneers of
this country, and will meet their
old acquaintances on the camp
grounds tonight.

Let's get better acquainted
—We invite correspond-
ence regarding the late
Model.

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Typewriters

We carry a full line of
Ribbons, Carbon and Type-
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Impressions
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Your friends will be fav-
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appearance if you let us
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It is an investment to
keep your clothes in good
shape—and to send them to
a reliable cleaning firm.

Phone us and we will call
and get your suit—and
wear it tomorrow.

Stone & Thorp

The Men's Store

SOCIETY

The Jolly Twelve Club

The Jolly Twelve 42 Club and
quite a number of guests met
with Mrs. Mike Boyd Tuesday
afternoon. Beautiful cut flowers
and ferns were gracefully ar-
ranged throughout the game
rooms.

The guests found their tables
by dainty place cards. During
the course of the afternoon grape
punch was served. After nine
interesting games were played it
was discovered that Mrs. A. J.
Thorp had won high score.

A dainty ice course was served
to the members and following
guests: Mesdames, Sam Baker,
Sharp, S. P. Stone, Hathaway,
Cottelle, Bean of Eastland, Pear-
son, Brown, B. C. Kirk, Tally,
Williams of Ranger, Jones of
Houston, Pritchard, Cherry,
Wilke, and Misses Mildred Her-
ring, and Nettie Bonner of Cor-
sicana.

Forty years of constant use is
the best proof of the effective-
ness of White's Cream Vermi-
nuge for expelling worms in child-
ren or adults. Price 35c. Sold
by all druggists.

The little daughter of Bob
Bates, of the Crews country, is
at the point of death with diph-
theria, and it was reported Tues-
day that there was little hope for
her recovery.

6-10lb cans Blue Label Karo \$2.98
6-10lb cans C. & W. Pure Cane
Syrup \$4.39
6-5lb cans C. & W. Pure Cane
Syrup \$2.33
6-10lb cans King Komas Syrup
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neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its
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been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency,
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Mirth and Music is what you will get for your money. Read the Program,
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FIRST DAY, Afternoon

- (1) The Oakley Concert Company Concert
(2) Mr. Edward Tomlinson Lecture
"THE VALUE OF THE INDIVIDUAL"

Night

- (3) Mr. Edward Tomlinson Lecture
"AMERICA'S POLITICAL IDEAL"
(4) The Oakley Concert Company Concert

SECOND DAY, Afternoon

- (5) The Chautauqua Director Lecture
"A COMMUNITY PROGRAM"
(6) The Emerson Winters Company Concert
M. Gustave Milburn Magician
(7) Miss Marybelle La Hatté—In a program for young and
old.
The Opening of the Junior Citizenship Campaign.

Night

- (8) Miss Marybelle La Hatté—Playground Period.
(9) The Chautauqua Director Lecture
"AMERICA'S SOCIAL IDEAL"
(10) The Emerson Winters Company Concert
M. Gustave Milburn Magician

THIRD DAY, Afternoon

- (11) "Americans All" Detachment Entertainment
(From the recruit educational centers of the U. S. army.)
Larry Gewecke Entertainer
(12) Harry Hibschman, LL. D. Lecture
COMMUNITY COOPERATION

Night

- (13) Harry Hibschman, LL. D. Lecture
"AMERICA'S INDUSTRIAL IDEAL"
(14) "Americans All" Detachment Entertainment
(From the recruit educational centers of the U. S. army.)
Larry Gewecke Entertainer

Six Attractions for \$2.00 CHILDREN \$1.00

TODAY MAEROY THEATRE TODAY

SHOWING THE PICK O' THE PICTURES

When Better Pictures are Made the Maeroy will Show Them.

Charles Ray
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A Paramount Picture.

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"Who Kissed Me"

A Universal Star Comedy

Admission 10c and 25c

WEDNESDAY

Douglass Fairbanks

in

"The Lamb"

SALTS IF KIDNEYS OR BLADDER BOTHER

Harmless to flush Kidneys and neutralize irritating acids.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.

AN ORDINANCE

Amending Section 13 of an ordinance passed on the first day of June, 1915, regulating the operation of vehicles upon the public streets and alleys of this City of Ballinger, and declaring an emergency.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Ballinger, Texas:

That Section 13 of the Traffic Ordinance of the City of Ballinger, which was passed and approved on the first day of June, 1915, and is of record in Book 2, pages 699-700-701 and 702, be amended so that same shall read as follows:

Sec. 1. That automobiles or other motor driven vehicles, and all horse drawn vehicles, used, operated or driven upon or across any of the public streets, alleys, or driveways of the City of Ballinger, shall be turned only at an intersection of one street with another street, and shall make such turn only by passing around the right hand side of the center of the intersection of such streets, and within the area of such intersection.

Sec. 2. That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any motor driven or horse drawn vehicle, in emerging from an alley onto a public street, to drive across such street before turning, but such vehicle shall be turned and driven to the right immediately upon emerging from such alley.

Sec. 3. That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any motor driven vehicle to approach or drive in to any garage building in the City of Ballinger, from the opposite side of the street from that which said building may be situated, or by crossing the center of any such street, but in approaching or entering any such garage building, such motor driven vehicle shall proceed along said street on its right hand side, upon the same side of the street on which such garage is located, and shall enter such garage by making a right hand turn and not otherwise.

Provided that Section 3 of this ordinance shall apply to all public garages, filling stations, or other supply houses in said city.

Sec. 4. Any person or persons, officer, agent or employee of any corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed One Hundred Dollars.

Provided that this ordinance shall not apply to ridden bicycles, horses or other saddle animals.

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, are hereby expressly repealed.

Owing to the great increase of

motor driven vehicles in daily operation upon the public streets of the City of Ballinger, and the resultant danger to life and property, there is a necessity for the immediate passage of this ordinance, therefore, an emergency is declared dispensing with more than one reading of this ordinance, and this ordinance shall be placed on first reading and final passage and shall become effective from and after its passage, approval and publication.

Passed and approved this 13th day of August, 1921.

(Seal) C. S. GUIN, Mayor.

Attest: J. R. LUSK, City Sec.

15-16-17-24-d

Germes are plentiful in the summer air, we breathe them every minute. In health they do no harm, but to those who have a bad liver, disordered stomach or constipated bowels they mean a spell of sickness. The best way to insure your health is to take Prickly Ash Bitters. It purifies and strengthens the system. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

Experiments in silkworm growing are being conducted in Louisiana.

A new one, merit wins in all things. BRAD'S ANTISEPTIC PILE CONES, has it and we have them for all cases of piles. No odor no stain. Weeks Drug Store. 10-6d stw

Swedish law requires anyone cutting timber, to replant the area cut over.

Read the ads and profit.

Accept
No Substitutes
for
Thedford's

BLACK-DRAUGHT

Purely
Vegetable
Liver Medicine

Morris Nicholson and K. V. Northington are at home from an overland trip thru Central Texas, going as far South as the land would carry them and as far North as Dallas and Fort Worth. The declare that Texas is a dry spot, no rain anywhere they went.

Ben Cox, who had been with the City Drug Store for the past four or five months, returned to his home in Teaple, Tuesday afternoon.

Samuel Burch, of Blum, Texas, was here Tuesday en route to his home after a visit to L. C. Underwood and family, and other friends in the Norton country.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stroble and children left Tuesday for Corpus Christi, going through in their auto.

An elephant for several days after its birth is unable to eat without the aid of its mother.

JINX REMAINS WITH BEARCATS

The Bearcats were not able to get away from the "jinx" in attacking the Swatters on the Swatter lot at Sweetwater Monday. In fact the "jinx" seems to be so strongly "hooked" to the Bearcats that he rode with them in an auto to Sweetwater, and the auto carrying the Cats' pitching staff suffered two break downs and had to finally be abandoned. Leaving Ballinger early in the day, four of the players did not arrive at Sweetwater until the ninth inning, and the locals went into the game badly crippled. Josh Billings, who finished the game here Saturday, was the only pitcher for the Bearcats on the lot, and Sam Langford, the right fielder, was with Buscha, Green and Cantrell in the delayed car. Speegle took Langford's place and White played first.

However the Bearcats went into the game and took a four run lead in the first two spasms. Working against odds, the Cats rallied in the ninth and came near pulling out, the final score being 10 to 8.

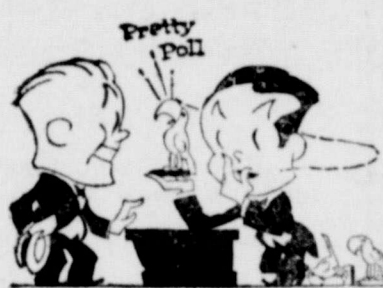
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A FAMOUS ventriloquist.
AND WHY he had quit.
THE VAUDEVILLE stage.
IT SAID he discovered.
HE COULD make more jack.
SELLING WOODEN parrots.
SO WHEN I got home.
I FACED the joke.
TO OUR cook, who owns.
BOTH A speechless parrot.
AND A sense of humor.
BUT SHE muffed it.
BECAUSE SHE didn't know.
WHAT A ventriloquist was.
SO I had to explain it.
AND ON the way out.
I BLEW just a whiff.
OF CIGARETTE smoke.
AT HER amusing old.
FOOL OF a parrot.
WHICH NEVER talks.
AND I said, "Poll.
HOW D'YOU like it?"
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IT'S GOT me guessing.
WHETHER IT was cook.
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TURNING TRAVEL VIA BALLINGER

Since the Central Texas Highway was marked by the Automobile Club of Texas it is interesting to note the publicity which this country is receiving. A call recently came from the Texas Auto Club to the Young Men's Business League of Ballinger, asking for certain data to be used in a road map which is being prepared and distributed by the auto club throughout the United States, and in addition to this, the engineers who logged route and marked it, made their report, which is being published in newspapers in states through which the route passes, and in blue books and by auto associations throughout the country.

After detailing how the Central Texas Highway was logged and marked, and after pointing out the great importance of building highways, and the growing demand for highways due to increased motor travel, the engineers, in their report, say of the Central Texas Highway:

"This brings us to the subject of the preparation of routes suitable to conditions. The Automobile Club of Texas has entertained the hope that they might be able to designate a pathway from East to West across the State, over which the races of men will travel in increasing numbers for centuries."

"Have we followed the fundamental requirements on the Central Texas Highway? Let us make the eastern terminus of this highway at one of the great Atlantic seaports, Savannah, Georgia; and extend it westward across Central Georgia, Central Alabama, Central Mississippi and North Central Louisiana. We cross the line from Louisiana into Texas, whose territory is like an empire, and where distance stretches out to a limitless horizon. Traveling westward, we pass thru Marshall, Longview, Mineola, Grand Saline, Ingwin as the fruit country of Texas, into Dallas, the gateway of the great Southwest."

"Traveling on west thru Fort Worth, Dublin, Brownwood and Ballinger, we reach San Angelo, 281 miles west of Dallas. From here, we travel westward across a broken, scarcely populated country until we reach Ft. Stockton, the county seat of Pecos county, which county is larger than the state of New Jersey. In the distance, one can see the ranges of mountain peaks of the Davis mountains, and 60 miles we come to Balmorhea, the city that nestles close beside the foothills of Mount Aguja, 6440 feet above sealevel."

"It is in these mountains this Club hopes to have established a State Park. It is 194 miles from Balmorhea to El Paso, the road passing around mountain peaks and the foothills of the Sierra Blanca Mountains."

"Tourists traveling east and

west across the State of Texas will find this an interesting route and there are many desirable places to camp along the way. Free literature and road information can be had at the club headquarters or from the chambers of commerce, who have so ably assisted this club in making this route a pathway over which all tourists are welcome."

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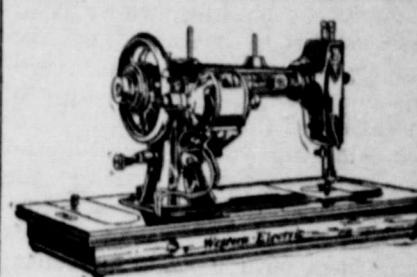
blacksmith's home, his workshop and the poverty-stricken apartment wherein some of the most important action of the story transpires.

Against this background Cecil B. DeMille placed a home of exquisite beauty. By thus contrasting the two surroundings, they have emphasized the realism of one and the artistic perfection of the other.

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