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The remains of Mrs. G. H. Hey were shipped to Lane City, Wharton county, by Undertaker Crews Tuesday afternoon, where they will be laid to rest.

Mrs. Hey died at the local sanitarium Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock. She was brought to the sanitarium for treatment for emphysema, having developed this trouble from pneumonia.

Deceased was the daughter of G. D. Eckert, of the Rowena country. She came here to nurse her mother who was ill with the flu and became ill herself. She was twenty-eight years old and is survived by a husband and five children.

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Radicals Gaining Control of German Government

(By United Press)

The latest United Press cablegrams from Germany today, say that the political situation in that country has apparently passed beyond the control of either the counter revolutionists or the Ebert group at Stuttgart.

Dispatches from Berlin say that von Kapp's decision to resign was forced by a threat of the workmen to proclaim a Soviet republic.

From the best information obtainable it seems that the Sparticans and radicals are taking advantage of the general strike and chaotic conditions, hoping to establish a soviet government and overthrow both the Ebert government and the revolutionists who are working under the leadership of von Kapp.

TWO YEARS MORE FOR INCOME TAX

WASHINGTON, March 17.—There will be no reduction in income taxes until after 1922, according to a statement issued by Secretary of the Treasury David Houston, who appeared before the House wars and means committee today.

Mr. Houston recommended a revision, however, of several features of the tax law to cover loss as the result of the decision of the supreme court in holding that dividends on stocks were not subject to income tax. Mr. Houston stated that a heavy loss would be experienced by the court holding that dividends are untaxable.

COUNTING THE SICK FOLKS.

A report to the National Tuberculosis Association upon the number of indigent migratory consumptives in San Angelo will next month be made at St. Louis as a result of an investigation which was conducted here Tuesday by Dr. Severance Burrage of Denver, secretary of a special committee of the national association.—San Angelo Standard.

G. W. Shelton, of Marie, was a juror in district court this week.

LONDON, March 17.—Chancellor Wolfgang von Kapp, head of the reactionary government at Berlin, has resigned in favor of President Ebert, says the Berlin correspondent of the London Times under date of Tuesday evening. Efforts to form a cabinet by the Kapp faction have been given up.

STUTTGART, March 17.—Refusal to negotiate with the reactionary faction headed by Doctor Wolfgang von Kapp, head of the new Berlin government, was decided upon yesterday by the council of the old cabinet, with President Ebert presiding. The unconditional resignation of the heads of the new government was demanded. The national assembly is in session here this afternoon.

Civil war seems imminent in Germany as a result of the foregoing decision.

Berlin is in the grip of a general strike called by the socialist and labor leaders. Dr. Wolfgang von Kapp has issued a decree threatening all strike leaders and pickets with execution if they interfere with the vital public services.

The details of the situation throughout Germany are somewhat obscure, but it is believed that the Ebert government is still controlling the southern and western sections, while the Kapp regime is entrenched in northeastern Prussia and Silesia, where many towns and cities are reported to have declared their allegiance to the new government.

Fighting is reported at various points throughout Germany. It is said that there was bloodshed in the suburbs of Berlin yesterday, but it seems that the clashes have been between the militia units and disorderly crowds.

Ebert denies that there has been an agreement with the Kapp forces, declaring that there could be no negotiations except upon

the basis of the unconditional surrender of Kapp.

Marshal von Hindenburg, who was mentioned as the choice of the Kapp faction for president, has eliminated himself, the newspapers say. He is reported as saying that he is not connected with the Kapp revolution and disavows any sympathy for it.

BERLIN, March 17.—Heavy troop reinforcements have been received by the new government in Berlin. Chancellor Kapp, after three days has only been able to produce a military backing for his government. If the strike lasts three days longer observers believe it will be unreasonable to assume that Kapp could establish the government firmly, despite his armed forces.

Fifteen persons are reported killed and many wounded in the fighting yesterday at Stagliitz, in the southwest outskirts of Berlin. Four are said to have been killed and six wounded at Charlottenberg, a western Berlin suburb, on account of collisions with the troops.

The opinion is expressed in some quarters that Kapp will be satisfied if he succeeds in definitely disposing of the former regime; that his coup merely had that in mind. He lacks the support of ministerial timber and so

plans for the formation of a cabinet have been made.

LONDON.—More than twenty persons were killed and sixty wounded at Leipzig yesterday during a demonstration, according to newspaper reports. The fighting is reported to be continuing. The fusillade centered near the general post office.

GENEVA.—Gen. von Luettwitz proposed to President Ebert that the demobilization provided by the Versailles pact not be executed and that the government will not destroy war materials, according to Premier Bauer of the old government, says a Stuttgart dispatch.

LONDON.—The new government formed at Munich, Bavaria, yesterday, was composed of Democrats and the Centre party, says a Copenhagen dispatch.

THE HAGUE.—A Dutch torpedo boat has arrived at Oostland, Weirigen Island, to guard the former German crown prince, according to the newspapers.

COPENHAGEN.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg has made public a declaration that he is not connected with the counter revolution, of which he disapproves.

LONDON.—The new Berlin government held a cabinet meeting last night, attended by Gen. Ludendorff, former quartermaster general of the German army, Berlin news reports say.

COPENHAGEN.—Thirty persons were killed, including some women and children, in yesterday's fighting at Hamburg, between citizens' guards and Baltic troops, according to advices here.

THE HAGUE.—Holland is recognizing only the Ebert government, it is learned from government sources. No other action will be taken until the chaos in Germany ends.

WASHINGTON.—Restoration of the authority of the Ebert government with the Spartacan outbreaks, is expected by military officers here, who think that the coup d'etat is not so serious now as was at first supposed.

LONDON.—Mathias Erzberger, former minister in the Ebert government, has been arrested, according to a cablegram here today.

AMSTERDAM.—A soviet republic has been proclaimed at Hof, northeastern Bavaria, says a Berlin dispatch.

PIGGY WIGGLY CO. RENTS BUILDING

The general manager of the Piggy Wiggle Company was here a few days ago and rented the building known as the Spann building known as the Spann building Ave. from C. A. Doose.

The fixtures for the new business will be installed and the business will open about the first of April.

Desirable business locations are hard to get in Ballinger at present, and this city lost a good business recently because the man in charge of the only desirable building fixed a "hold-up" rental rate on the building and the business man stated that he could not afford to pay it.

George Allen, the pioneer West Texas music dealer, attempted to get an opening here for a branch house, but was frightened away by the exorbitant rent asked him by the non-resident who has charge of the building.

WEDDING BELLS RINGING.

Wedding bells will ring in Mexican society circles in this city on March 24th, when Mateo Aleala will lead to the altar la Serita Assension Viera. The wedding will take place at the Catholic church in this city at eight o'clock a. m. The bridal party will consist of Pedro Estrada, Francisco Padres, Gaudalope Games, Vibeiana Garcia, N. Aleala, G. Viera, M. R. Aleala and S. T. Viera. Father Goldbach will perform the ceremony.

Richard Gottschalk and family were here from Norton, Wednesday, trading.

GAS PRESSURE SHOWS INCREASE AT RUSSELL

The gas pressure in Russell Well No. 1 shows a steady increase. When tested this week the pressure shows to be more than fifty pounds heavier than a short time ago.

The gas is now being piped to the Lacy well and will be used for fuel in drilling that well. The supply now is sufficient for lighting and for fuel for a considerable number of enterprises, and the increase will be watched with interest.

If the gas pressure keeps up there is such a thing possible as the well blowing in and the well yet proving a good payer.

H. Giesecke, now in charge of the Russell field, is negotiating with big companies for further development, and it is expected that some good news will be released for publication as soon as Mr. Giesecke can make another trip to Houston, where deals are pending.

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SUSPENDED SENTENCE

LAW BREEDS CRIME.

"I believe that the suspended sentence law is responsible for the downfall of many young men who are brought before my court," said District Judge Woodward, Tuesday, just as a young man was being lead away to jail to wait for the penitentiary guard to come and take him to the pen.

Judge Woodward stated that the suspended law was causing evil instead of good, and that it was his opinion that many crimes were committed by young men for a lack of fear of the law, feeling that, if caught, they could plead the mercy of the court and get out on a suspended sentence.

"There is an increase in crime among the young men," stated the judge, and too many of them are going free on account of the suspended sentence law.

Judge Woodward is a merciful judge, and he never passes sentence on a young man without expressing sympathy for him and without a kind lecture, admonishing the convicted to walk straight and try to reform and make a good citizen, but he sees in the hand of mercy extended through the suspended sentence law, something to breed crime instead of stamping out crime.

As we see it, the law is a good law badly abused, and Judge Woodward is correct.

When You Feel Rheumatic

For the aches and pains of rheumatism Chamberlain's Liniment is excellent. Massage the parts thoroughly twice a day with this liniment and you will be surprised at the relief which it affords.

Noel Harris, who is connected with the internal revenue department, was in Ballinger Tuesday, coming here from Paint Rock. While here he made a short visit with his aunt, Mrs. J. M. Skinner.

She States it Mildly

While suffering with a severe attack of the grip and threatened with pneumonia, Mrs. Annie H. Cooley, of Middlefield, Conn., began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was very much benefited by its use. The pains in the chest soon disappeared, the cough became loose, expectation easy, and in a short time she was as well as ever. Mrs. Cooley says she cannot speak too highly in praise of this remedy.

J. D. Norwood is here from Gainesville, visiting friends and attending to business.

Take Herbine for indigestion. It relieves the pain in a few minutes and forces the fermented matter which causes the misery into the bowels where it is expelled. Sold by Jno. A. Weeks.

The peanut is "pindar" in India and "goober" in Africa.

Judge J. H. Baugh will be the next State Senator from this district. This fact became known Tuesday afternoon, when Judge Baugh announced that he would submit his name to the voters in the Democratic Primary to be held on July 31st.

Judge Baugh, while only thirty six years of age, is perhaps one of the best known young men in the counties comprising the Twenty-Sixth District. This is due to the fact that he was born and raised in the district, and has been more or less prominent in the affairs of his country since a boy.

The young man first saw the light of day on a farm in Brown county, and he lived in that county until he came to Ballinger and became associated with Judge A. K. Doss, forming the partnership of Doss & Baugh, succeeding J. B. Wade, as a member of that firm.

Judge Baugh was educated in the schools of Brown county, and in Baylor University and the University of Texas. He holds an A. B. degree from Baylor and a L. B. degree from the State University.

He is one of the ablest lawyers in West Texas, and is the youngest lawyer in this part of the state with license to practice in the Supreme Court of the United States. He was admitted to the Supreme court of Texas in June, 1911, and while in the service of his country and while stationed at Washington, he was admitted to the Supreme court in June, 1919, less than one year ago.

Before coming to Ballinger, Judge Baugh practiced law in Brownwood for three and a half years, coming to Ballinger in Dec. 1914, where he has since lived and enjoyed a lucrative practice.

The young man was among the first to answer his country's call when America accepted Germany's challenge, and on May 1st he exchanged his civilian suit for a soldier's uniform and for two years and four months he was doing service for his country, receiving his discharge on Aug. 28, 1919.

Judge Baugh trained at Leon Springs, where he received a commission as 1st Lieutenant of Infantry. He was stationed at Camp Travis as Assistant Muster- ing Officer for the drafted army of 1917 and early in 1918.

Later he was made Camp Judge Advocate, then judge advocate for the 18th Division, and when that division demobilized he was sent to Washington for staff duty and discharged from the Washington post of duty as Major, Judge Advocate.

Returning home Judge Baugh took up his practice and has been busy to talk politics until his friend, began to push him out and solicit him to run for different offices.

The first office to which he was elected is Post Commander of the United States of the American Legion, and he is enthusiastic in keeping alive that spirit for which the boys went over and so many of

them failed to come back.

Judge Baugh is a progressive Democrat. He will declare himself clearly on every issue before the people and the voters will find him standing out for every interest of the American people, as was evidenced by leaving his private business and volunteering for service in the army before the draft law became operative.

He has never been a candidate for any office, and throws his hat in the ring for State Senator from the 26th District with every assurance from a host of friends to see him through to a successful finish.

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Rapid heart throbbing does not necessarily mean heart disease; generally it is caused by a disordered stomach. Prove it for yourself by taking Prickly Ash Bitters; if the stomach is at fault the heart symptoms will quickly disappear. Price \$1.25 per bottle Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

Dedicated to the Stock Seller

The following is from our friend, John Q. McAdams, and is a timely remark and full of good sound sense, and is worthy of your consideration. Mr. McAdams rarely ever breaks into print, but when he does, he generally says something that has a "kick" in it.

"Father, dear father, quit buying bam stocks,

"Or the whole caboodle will go to the rocks."

It is said that the money invested in worthless stocks and bonds by the people of this county would pay off the national debt in ten years. If we have surplus funds from the sale of the best crop known, in our feeble opinion, a good plan would be to make an investment in additional storage to be used through the next drought.

Surely the stock salesman will not be with us to help in the next series of lean years; he will not even be on hand to entertain for ninety-nine per cent of them are wanting your "Pay to the order of" in exchange for lithographed certificates usually worth not in excess of two cents per ton and valuable only for lining worn-out trunks.

If we want bond investments, why not the securities of our own Government? The promise to pay is not questioned, patriotism is involved in the proper direction and no salesman is sent only in prosperous years, calling on the "selected few influential people of the community."

Orphan homes, the unfortunate, churches, and other reputable charitable institutions are entitled to our donations, and our funds thus applied will help us to attain the city where money is not needed, for the streets are paved with gold.

Jno. Q. McAdams.

A pain in the side or back that catches you when you straighten up calls for a rubbing application of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It relaxes the contracted muscles and permits ordinary bodily motion without suffering or inconvenience. Sold by John A. Weeks.

POPULATION REPORTS ARE NOT FINAL

WASHINGTON, March 17.—So many inquiries relating to the Fourteenth Census population figures, now being made public by the Census Bureau, have been received from publishers of almanacs, school books, atlases, and other publications, intended for permanent records, that Sam L. Rogers, Director of the Census, has issued a statement pointing out that the figures now being given out are but preliminary and are subject to correction.

"The population figures, now being compiled by the Census Bureau, and which are being publicly announced as rapidly as possible, are but preliminary in their character," stated Director Rogers this afternoon.

"Those who intend to print a population figure, of our cities and towns in almanacs, school books and other publications, intended for standard or permanent use should bear this fact in mind."

"At a later date the Census Bureau will announce from time to time the final and official figures for population of each state, city, town, county, township, other minor civil division, and it is expected that the official population of the United States

by states will be promulgated, and this be ready for certification to Congress, some time in October.

"It may be well that the figures which we are making public at this time will turn out to be the correct and official figures for many if not most of the different subdivisions. However, I want to call the attention of everyone to the fact that the figures we are announcing at this time are preliminary and are subject to later correction."

"The publisher who prints these preliminary figures in permanent records, is running the risk of not printing the accurate and official results of the 1920 Census."

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District court set a new record for trying criminal cases this week, when nine criminal cases were disposed of and convictions had in all of them in less than one day and a half.

Court convened to try the criminal cases Monday afternoon at one-thirty. A verdict in the ninth case was returned at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon and court adjourned for the term.

Out of the thirteen criminal cases on the docket, two were dismissed, two continued, and nine tried.

In addition to the disposition of cases already published in The Ledger, Dave Henry was given a two year sentence for arson Tuesday afternoon. Henry was brought back from the pen, pleaded guilty, and received the lowest punishment. He admitted trying to burn the jail.

Luther Kellum, negro, plead guilty to passing forged checks, and received a two year sentence.

Lee Morris, a white boy, plead guilty of forging a check and was given a suspended sentence of two years. Morris' father was here from Collin county to get his boy out of trouble and testified that the boy was twenty years of age and that this was his first offense.

The case against W. F. Gorman, charged with assault and attempt to murder, was continued on motion of defendant.

The case against Charlie King, negro, charged with forgery, was continued on motion of defendant.

Ford Laxson, W. T. Adams, May Robinson, Louis Parker, Luther Kellum, and Dave Henry, will be carried to the pen as soon as necessary application can be made and a transfer agent sent here for the prisoners.

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Judge A. K. Doss and father, Rev. W. H. Doss, County Attorney Shepherd and District Attorney Early, are teasing the finny tribe on the Concho today.

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Candidates for Public Offices.

The following candidates have announced for nomination for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held on Saturday, July 31, 1920:

For Tax Collector:

W. L. BROWN

For County Superintendent:

JOHN J. BUGG

For Tax Assessor:

J. R. HOLLOWAY

M. D. CHASTAIN

For District Clerk:

C. C. COCKRELL

For County Clerk:

W. R. PUCKETT

For Sheriff:

J. P. (JIM) FLYNT

For County Judge:

J. W. POWELL

For Treasurer:

MRS. R. P. KIRK

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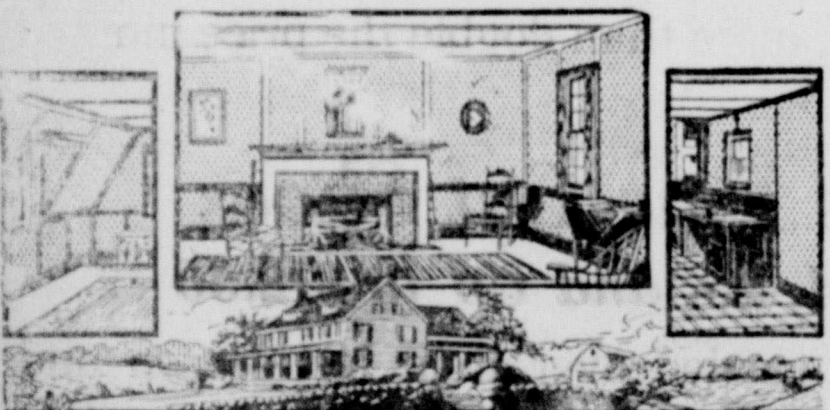
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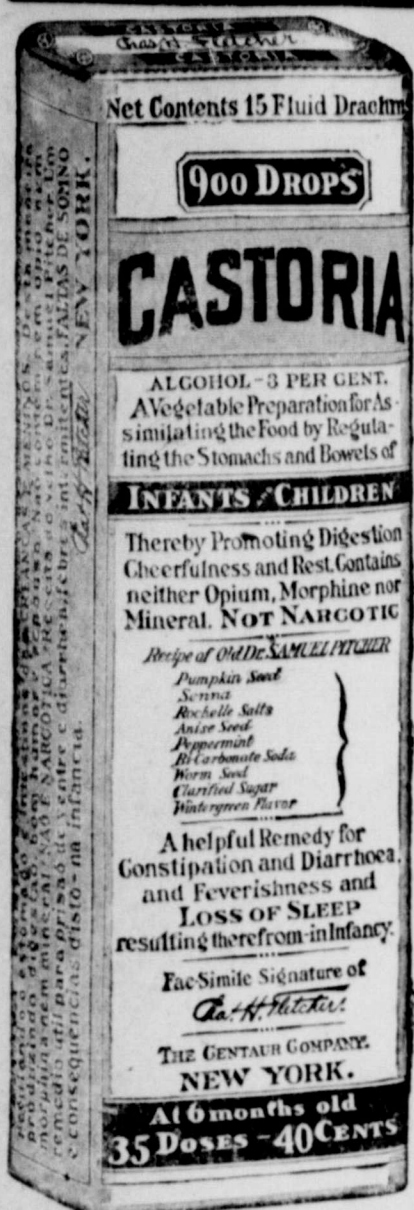
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SAYS PRICE OF COTTON TOO LOW

AUSTIN, March 17.—The following is given out by the State Agricultural Department:

W. B. Yeary, Cotton Marketing Specialist of the State Department of Agriculture has returned to Austin from an extended trip of inspection and investigation of cotton conditions over the State, and finds general dissatisfaction among the farmers and business men as to grade and price placed on their cotton by the buyers.

Mr. Yeary states that "while the general market price is at the top for the season at interior points, the prices offered, generally speaking, are much below that paid for the staple in November. Men not satisfied with prices offered at home, have shipped to Houston and Galveston, receiving from \$25 to \$85 per bale

more for it than was offered at points of origin. In numerous cases their cotton is classed two grades below the actual grade; besides the price is cut heavily after the grades have been lowered. There are several government graders in West Texas, but their grades are too often ignored. Some towns pay several cents below neighboring towns, claiming the staple around the former towns is shorter than at the latter; but tests do not prove such to be true."

Because of these conditions and the further fact that it is a strain on European consumers to buy heavy stocks of cotton which is costing them from 65 to 75 cents per pound for upland, as compared to 12 to 14 cents before the war, when money was easy and plentiful, and observing that spinners all over the world attempt to stay out of the market as soon as they get a few weeks' supply in an effort to lower the price, Mr. Yeary is convinced the proper thing to do is:

"The farmers to cease selling;

have their cotton graded, stapled and listed, and refuse any offer below the farmer's price, which is 45 cents basis middling, 7-8 inch staple." The field force of the Department has been hurriedly campaigning the State for three weeks, urging this action, which is being readily agreed to everywhere, as result many offerings have been withdrawn from the market. The effect of which has caused sharp advance in New York and New Orleans, and if continued by the farmers will be felt at every local market place as soon as present holdings of buyers can be shipped out and the compresses relieved.

Mr. Yeary says "Some farmers and bankers have 'double wants.' They 'want' to sell at once, and 'want' the top price. They can get either of their 'wants' but not both. They can sell 'at once' or rather give it away; or they can ignore any price below their own and get it in a few weeks or months. If they will systematically cease selling, 50 cents may look cheap for good cotton in a short time." This is why his advice is to "close up like a clam, and let selling cease."

As to the bollies and very low grades, they have no class or grade and can only be sold on type. They should be bulked, samples drawn and sent to the ports for bids. This is all any buyer can do, and the President of the local Farmers' Institute can do it as well as a buyer. Quit selling cotton until you can get the price!

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It would be hard to find a better remedy for constipation than Chamberlain's Tablets. For the best effect they should be taken immediately after supper. They are easy to take and mild and gentle in effect.

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Negro Insists on Right as a Citizen to Serve on Jury.

G. F. Porter, negro, stood pat on his rights as an American citizen yesterday in the Dallas district court, and declined to be excused from the jury for the week. As the case stands now, he has been offered a card entitling him to pay for one day's service and excusing him from further duty. He stated that he had been properly summoned for service, is an "American citizen" and wishes to serve. Despite mutterings from the other jurors on the panel, he seated himself in the central jury room and remained until noon. No particular discrimination was shown against Porter in excusing him, since several were allowed to go when it was found that both Criminal District Courts have special venire and more jurors were present than will be required for the week.—Dallas News.

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31x4		20.50	4.00	4.50
32x3 1-2	19.45	21.85	3.70	4.35
32x4	26.20	29.70	4.55	5.10
33x4	27.40	31.20	4.75	5.35
34x4	28.10	31.85	4.95	5.55
32x4 1-2	35.55	40.15	5.80	6.55
34x4 1-2	37.80	42.75	6.10	6.85
35x4 1-2	39.55	44.70	6.15	6.90

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WICHITA WEDDING
OF INTEREST HERE

In one of the prettiest church weddings of the season on Tuesday, March 2, at the First Baptist church, Miss Ellen Adele

Robertson, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robertson, became the bride of Louis M. McGinley of Mineral Wells, a host of friends witnessing the ceremony. Dr. O. L. Powers pronounced the ring ceremony.

The rainbow furnished the color motif for the decorations, and for the frocks of the bridesmaids, while the sweetpeas and jonquils, among the loveliest of the spring flowers, gave a delightful floral setting. Potted plants banked the pulpit with an altar formed from the plants, and marked at either end with a smilax entwined pedestal, which held a huge basket rainbow tinted sweetpeas and golden jonquils. Roped Southern smilax marked the outline of the altar ended with the pedestals.

An artistically chosen musical program preceded the wedding. With Mrs. Bea Bell as accompanist, Miss Daisy Wharton, violinist, gave "Meditation" from Massenet's opera "Thais," and Ivan Murehison, tenor, sang Wilford Sanderson's "Because." Mrs. Bell chose the Wagnerian wedding marches and the Processional to which the bridal party entered, was followed by Mendelssohn's "Spring Song," with violin by Miss Wharton, played softly during the ceremony, then the Lohengrin Recessional was taken up as the bride and groom and their attendants left the church.

The bride, who entered on the arm of her father, presented an unusually attractive picture, her girlish beauty being enhanced by the artistically draped robe of white kittensear crepe, and hand-made rose point, fashioned decollete and with sweeping train. Her veil was caught in coronet fashion about her head with a tiara of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was formed of brides roses and valley lilies, in shower effect.

The maid of honor, Miss Lola Wathen, of Dallas, wore a frock of pink taffeta, and a picture hat of the same shade. Miss Adele Adiekes wore a frock of pale yellow, with picture hat to correspond, and Miss Lelia Beall Anderson's frock was in palest green, likewise with harmonizing accessories. The maid of honor and the maids all carried immense arm clusters of Premier rose buds, of delicately shaded pink.

Mrs. Robertson, mother of the bride, wore a handsome robe of black satin, combined with imported oriental lace. Her hat was of black lace, plume trimmed, and her flowers were sweetpeas, in corsage.

The two small nephews of the groom, Masters Jack and Billy Hudson, dressed in Little Lord Fountleroy suits of black velvet and white satin, carrying the train. The groom's attendants were his brother, Mack McGinley, best man; Twigg Boger and Jim Jennings, groomsmen; and Luther and Henry Robertson and Charles Dunkelberg, ushers. The groom and his attendants and the father of the bride wore the conventional dark suits, with grey gloves.

Mr. and Mrs. McGinley, who will make their home in Mineral Wells, left for Oklahoma points for a short trip, postponing the wedding trip until a later date, because of business.

For the trip the bride donned a tailored suit of navy, tryphine, with all accessories, hat, handbag, slippers and hose, in the navy blue.

Tuesday's wedding is of unusual interest in Wichita Falls, because of the prominence and unusual popularity of the two young people, who have been in the city practically since childhood. The groom, the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. F. McGinley, formerly of Mineral Wells, was formerly with the Overland Sales Company of Wichita Falls, but is now in business for himself, as an Overland dealer for Mineral Wells, as well as handling other lines of motor equipment. That the young couple will not make their home in above date. Have your votes in the hands of A. W. Sledge at Ballinger, which the wedding is evoked, and there is the best of wishes for their success and happiness.—Wichita Falls Times.

The above will be of considerable interest to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, in this city. Mrs. Robertson before her marriage was Miss Ola Chastain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Chastain, and the bride referred to in the above story is the grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chastain.

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From Dead Man's
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COACH ROUNDING
THE TURN PIKE, NOW
FOR THE DIRTY
WORKSTICK 'EM UP! LADIES AND GENTS:
LIVELY NOW! OFF WITH THE SPARKLERS!
NO FUSS, MIND YA! ONE MOVE AN'
I THROW A NASTY SPARK.I AINT NEVER PLUGGED
A DEFENCELESS MAN YET, STRANGER
BUT NO FUNNY WORK—SEE! KEEP
'EM UP TILL I'M OUTA THE COUNTYWHERE'S THE PORK
CHOPS I SENT YOU FOR?
NOW YOU 'OUT OF THE
COUNTY" TO THE
BUTCHERS AND QUICK
ABOUT IT.

(Cochran)	
Miss Lillie Abdrige	710
(Content)	
Miss Winona Moore	600
(Harmony)	
Miss Luella Robertson	400
(Mazeland)	
Miss Marion Patterson	310
(Drasco)	
Miss Eula Vinyard	225
(Lone Star school)	
Miss Alma Davis	220
(Stone school)	

ALL FAVORITE GIRLS,
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

This contest will close promptly at four o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 20th. All votes must be in the hands of the contest manager by the above hour. No votes will be accepted after four o'clock on the day of the contest. Have your votes in the hands of A. W. Sledge at Ballinger, which the wedding is evoked, and there is the best of wishes for their success and happiness.—Wichita Falls Times.

Following is the way the vote stand, today:

Miss Myrtle Bowden	2800
(Maverick)	
Miss Lela Baron	2550
(Rowena)	
Miss Claudia Reagan	2500
(Hatchel)	
Miss Hildeg'd. Henniger	2473
(Dale school)	
Miss Velma Pruitt	1300
(Sweet Home)	
Miss Zella Mills	1093
(Victory)	
Miss Alma Tyree	900
(Barnett)	
Miss Lorene Johnston	850
(Dietz)	
Miss June Cumby	715
(Elm Creek)	
Miss Lema Chapman	734

Surgeons agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, bruises, and wounds, the FIRST TREATMENT is most important. When an Efficient antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection, and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the ideal antiseptic and healing agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by John A. Weeks.

BUYS HOELSCHER
STORE AT OLFIN

Herman Halfmann was in the city on business Tuesday. Mr. Halfmann is now a merchant at Olfin, having recently purchased the Hoelscher store there. He also owns the blacksmith shop and other improvements at the Olfin town.

Harvey Baugh of Ballinger spent the week-end in Brownwood. He was called here on account of the death of Mrs. John Baugh.—Brownwood Bulletin.

CROUP
Spasmodic croup is usually relieved with one application of
VICK'S VAPORUB
"YOUR BODYGUARD" - 30¢, 60¢, \$1.00

Benefit High School at the Queen Theatre Friday.



Try One of Our
Layer Cakes
They are Fine.
"Ask Your Neighbor"
BALLINGER
STEAM BAKERY
EIGHTH STREET

J. W. POWELL

has the following Real Estate for sale:
Lots 3 and 4, block 102, the Shaffer house on 11th St., price \$2,000.
Lot 1, block 10, Guion addition, \$1,000.
Lot 9, block 36, near Texas Oil Co. \$600.
Lot 10, block 54, South 6th St., \$650.
Mater Hotel, 6th Street, \$1,500.
Several other houses on easy terms in Powell addition, 17-6td

Large Refinery wants Distributor in this territory. Our plan pays live man \$12,000 per year. Applicant must have some financial responsibility and come well recommended. Will be in Ballinger within ten days. In replying address "Refinery" care of Ledger, giving telephone number, or designate place for interview. 16-2td-1tw.

Mrs. Floyd Carr has accepted a position with Rogers-Higdon Co., as saleslady in the dress goods department.

Orbine cures constipation and establishes regular bowel movements. Sold by John A. Weeks.

Be WISE and Advertise

**CONFERENCE CALLED
FOR COUNTY LEADERS**

To raise funds for the establishment and assistance of homes, hospitals, and colleges, and to carry out the forward movements of the 22 denominations of Texas for home and foreign mission and church work, a United simultaneous campaign will be put on by the Interchurch Movement in Texas, April 25 to May 2nd. Official announcement was also made of the appointment of Dr. Newton P. Patterson, formerly field director of the Interchurch of Oklahoma and Texas, as State Campaign Director for Texas, with headquarters at the Adolphus Hotel, Dallas.

A State Training Conference for county workers will be held at the City Temple, Dallas, March 26th, at which 150 county leaders will be present for instruction. County mass meetings to stimulate the Evangelical, Stewardship, life enlistment and missionary education program of the co-operating churches, will be held in more than 100 Texas counties in one day's session, covering the period from April 5 to April 16.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than in all other diseases put together and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine manufactured by J. F. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials.

P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by druggist, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Edgar Jayroe was in from the Crews country, Wednesday afternoon.

**The World's Largest Production
of Tires on the Smaller Cars Alone**



We call attention not so much to the size of this average daily production as to the extent of the effort we put into the making of these 30x3-, 30x3½-, and 31x4-inch sizes.

The separate factory we have devoted to their manufacture is not only the largest of its kind in the world, but it makes fully effective that experience and resourcefulness which have produced the tires most popular on the higher-priced cars.

No tires bearing the Goodyear name contain a higher relative value than these tires for Ford, Chevrolet, Dort, Maxwell and other cars requiring the sizes mentioned.

If you own one of these cars, go to the nearest Goodyear Service Station Dealer for these tires and for Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes. He has them.

30 x 3½ Goodyear Double-Cure
Fabric, All-Weather Tread. \$23.50
30 x 3½ Goodyear Single-Cure
Fabric, Anti-Skid Tread. \$21.50

Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes are thick, strong tubes that reinforce casings properly. Why risk a good casing with a cheap tube? Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost little more than tubes of less merit. 30 x 3½ size in water. \$4.50 proof bag.

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WELCOME

That's it exactly! We extend to you a hearty Welcome to pay us a visit and inspect the Greatest Value Giving tailoring line that ever came to these parts.

You men, of the most critical and exacting tastes, who consider carefully what you are getting for your money before you spend it, will appreciate the smart fashions, new fabrics in great variety, and the extreme values to be found in our Spring and Summer lines.

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Judge Woodward and Court Stenographer Hahn returned to their home at Coleman, Tuesday afternoon, having completed the court work here for this week. J. T. and W. H. Brown, of Weeks, were here for a few hours Tuesday.

Ledger classifieds bring results

**STATEMENT
of Condition**
...THE...
**FIRST NATIONAL BANK
OF BALLINGER**
Feb. 28, 1920

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$604,849 15
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Liberty Loan Bonds	25,800.00
War Savings and Thrift Stamps	500.74
Banking House, F. and F.	23,900.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,900.00
Acceptance (cotton)	112,615.37
Cash and Exchange	468,005.19
	\$1,266,070.45

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	77,672.97
Circulation	25,000.00
Deposits	1,063,397.48
	\$1,266,070.45

The above statement is correct.

R. G. Erwin, Cashier

**BUYS BUILDING TO
GET BUSINESS HOME**

E. J. Cathey has purchased the J. H. Miller building, now occupied by the Hamilton confectionery store.

Mr. Cathey has been occupying the Keidel building on the opposite side of the street, where he is conducting a saddle and harness business and shoe repair shop. R. L. Harwell recently purchased this building and notified Mr. Cathey to vacate it, the building would be converted into a garage. Mr. Cathey got busy and will move into his own quarters.

Mr. Hamilton has not announced where he will move his cold drink and confections to.

W. W. Poe was here from his farm west of Winters, Wednesday, spending the day with his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Bugg.

Notice!!
to all the pastors and churches of Ballinger. Come and be with us in our District Board at Mt. Moriah Baptist church (colored), Ballinger.

The board will begin March 24. Don't forget the date, March 24.

Rev. T. M. Moore, P. C.
Mrs. M. Jones, Clerk.

17-1d*

Why Colds are Dangerous
It is the serious diseases that colds lead to that makes them dangerous. They prepare the system for the reception and development of the germs of influenza, pneumonia, tuberculosis, diphtheria, scarlet fever, whooping cough, and measles. You are much more likely to contract these diseases when you have a cold. For that reason you should get rid of every cold as quickly as possible. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will help you. It is widely known as a cure for bad colds.

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Best in Quality at Prices that are Reasonable.

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The Best to be had, in Stock All the Time.

DAILY SHIPMENTS

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ROGERS-HIGDON COMPANY MARCH WHITESALE



FULL to repletion as this store is today, with every necessary of the new season—with every fad and fancy personal adornment and home beautifying there is little wonder that every counter has its fascination for visitors and that everybody is eager to inspect the complete and interesting stock of wanted and highly desirable merchandise.

We all are glad that the stormy winter of bad record is behind us and that the bright days of Spring are just around the corner. Everybody is keen to put off the winter clothing and put on the bright, fresh apparel of spring. Every housekeeper is eager for the day that she shall take down winter hangings and other heavy home furnishings, and recreate the home and comfort for the new season.

And nowhere else, as here, can the healthy desire for bright new things receive such helpful stimulation—for there is so much to see and ask about, and we are quite as glad to give you early information, as we shall be to sell you the goods when you are fully ready to buy. This ad tells about some of the new things of special interest today.



Extra Specials for this

Silk Hose

Ladies white silk Hose, \$1.75 value, sale price

\$1.50

Lace

1 lot of Val and Towson laces, value up to \$1.30, extra special at

5c

Towels

Bath Towels, nice quality, size 17x30, 75c special, pair

68c

Huck Towels

Good Huck Towels, 17x30 size, with plain white, or red striped border, 50c values, special per pair at

44c



Cambric

36 inch soft finish Cambric, 35c value, extra special at 28c
500 yard, Blue Bird Mill, 65c value

48c

Linweave

Linweave, 65c values, 53c
Linweave, 50c values

42c

Poplin

36 inch white Poplin, 98c values, special, a yard

82c

Skirting

40 inch fancy Skirtings, \$2.00 values, special, a yard \$1.68
36 inch fancy Skirtings, \$1.00 values, special, a yard

85c

White Sale Begins Thursday 18, Ends Thursday 25

White Sale of Muslin Underwear

Offers hundreds of dainty undergarments at the lowest prices of the year.

A feature of the sale is our method of renewing stocks.

New lots arriving every few days, so that the merchandise is always fresh, new and attractive patterns

Teddies, \$1.50 values	\$1.39
Teddies, \$1.75 values	\$1.63
Teddies, \$1.98 values	\$1.80
Teddies, \$2.50 values	\$2.23
Teddies, \$3.00 values	\$2.69
Skirts, \$2.50 values	\$2.23
Skirts, \$2.75 values	\$2.39
Skirts, \$3.00 values	\$2.69
Skirts, \$3.50 values	\$3.15
Gowns, \$3.00 values	\$3.15
Gowns, \$3.50 values	\$3.45
Gowns, \$3.98 values	\$3.45
Bloomers, \$1.25 values	\$1.09
Bloomers, \$1.50 values	\$1.39

Organdies for Dresses

We have a wonderful line of Organdies for Graduation Dresses. Now is the time to buy it and save quite a little bit.

85c values, 40 inches wide	\$1.05
\$1.25 values, 40 inches wide	\$1.32
\$1.50 values, 40 inches wide	\$1.80

Laces and Embroideries

10c values, sale price	8c
15c values, sale price	13c
20c values, sale price	17c
25c values, sale price	21c
30c values, sale price	31c
35c values, sale price	35c
40c values, sale price	44c

Time to Buy Sheets and Cases

For this week only, we are making a special listing of standard grades of Sheets and Pillow Cases—just to make the store specially interesting to housekeepers.

If you expect to need new supplies for Spring or Summer, you will not want to miss this opportunity:

72x90 Pullman Sheets, \$2.50 values, special	\$2.23
42x36 Pullman Pillow Cases, 65c, special	\$2.30
Black Hawk Sheet, one of the best brands to be had, 9-4 extra special, a yard	83c
9-4 Premium Sheet, per yard	81c
Cape Quilts, nice for summer spreads, \$5.00 values, special for	\$4.45

Table Linen for Easter

The refinement and good breeding of the home are reflected in no more degree by the linen.

Fine snow-white cloths and napkins. Can you bring to mind anything of a more pleasant nature? Its seductive charms exert themselves on eye and appetite. Our stock includes these beautiful table linens, especially appropriate for the season of gladness:

\$2.00 values	\$1.69
\$2.50 values	\$2.15
\$3.00 values	\$2.60

Handkerchiefs

Some wonderful bargains in Handkerchiefs:	
50 dozen 10c values, special	7c
25 dozen, 15c values, special	11c
25 dozen, 25c values, special	19c

Nainsook

You need nice Nainsook for your Spring undergarments. Now is your chance to get your supply:

40c values, special	32c
75c values, special	68c
98c values, special	83c

Rogers-Higdon Co.

Ballinger, Texas

PASTORS OF TEXAS ENDORSE THE PLAN OF INTERCHURCH

EIGHT HUNDRED LEADING DIVINES PLACE STAMP OF APPROVAL AT DALLAS CONFERENCE BY UNANIMOUS ACTION ON FINDINGS OF COMMITTEE REPORT. URGE THAT ALL CHURCHES CO-OPERATE IN GREAT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT.

In a message of acknowledgement and gratitude, the Findings Committee, appointed at the recent Pastors' Conference of the Interchurch World Movement held in Dallas issued a statement which was unanimously adopted by the Conference. This is the message to the church people of Texas, as sent by more than eight hundred active ministers, representing twenty-one denominations from fully two hundred counties in the State of Texas.

We acknowledge with gratitude the gracious leadership of God's Providence in all things. We record with reverent hearts the profound conviction that this movement is of God.

It has been a session of spiritual fellowship when more than eight hundred pastors of our Protestant Churches of Texas have been sitting together for three days thinking about and praying about the common interests of the Kingdom of our common Lord and Master. Our hearts have been moved with this earnest of the fellowship that is to be ours after the victory is won.

The Interchurch World Movement is not a scheme for organic union but a plan whereby the Protestant Churches of America may co-operate in carrying on their educational, missionary and benevolent programs at home and abroad. It is first of all an effort to survey the needs of the whole world and measure the whole responsibility of the church. This is the first time in history that the Christian churches of North America have ever attempted to study the condition of the whole world.

These surveys stand before the Christian church as the greatest challenge it has ever faced since it received the great commission, and they have revealed the magnitude of the unfinished task and the inadequacy of the efforts which the church has as yet put forth.

Further progress is being made by which the churches may unitedly attack their common task. That task is fourfold: To bring the whole church to a recognition and acknowledgement of the stewardship of life and possessions; to enlarge the scope and improve the methods of missionary education; to win souls; to enlist the whole life of the church for Christian service.

We approve the spirit and progress of the movement since the World Survey Conference was presented to us by the Interchurch leaders at the Texas Pastors' Conference. We feel that this is a program in which all the churches of Christ could co-operate and venture to hope that the day may soon come when they will be found in such fellowship of service.

We recommend the approval of the findings of the Atlantic City Conference. We urge that our pastors in their respective ecclesiastical fellowships use every influence to secure adequate support for the ministry and an adequate provision for the care of the aged and infirm ministers and their dependents, and we are persuaded that the realization of this program will make this possible.

We recommend that all pastors co-operate in the holding of the county mass meetings in order that this program and the fellowship of its service may be brought to all local churches. We urge that every minister sympathetically study this movement and humbly and earnestly pray that God may guide in all things and give us the grace to follow where He leads.

Respectfully submitted, Rev. Brooks I. Thayer, D. D., chairman, Presbyterians; C. S. San Antonio, Rev. W. R. Hall, D. D., Presbyterians; C. S. Milford, Rev. R. D. Hughes, D. D., Presbyterians; P. S. A. Temple, Rev. J. Walter Hall, Nazarenes; Hamlin, Rev. A. E. Ricker, D. D., Congregational; Dallas, Rev. J. C. Williams, D. D., M. E. Protestant, Toluca, Dr. R. S. Hyer, President M. U.; Dallas, Rev. P. S. Erbe, Evangelical; San Antonio, Rev. Chas. L. DeWitt, M. E. Episcopal; Dallas, Rev. S. L. Davis; Rev. W. J. Johnson, D. D., M. E. South Dallas, Rev. Graham Frank, D. D., Christian; Dallas, Rev. J. R. Holmes, D. D., Christian; Ft. Worth, Rev. Hiram B. Harrison, Congregational; Houston, Rev. J. Frank Norris, D. D., Baptist; Fort Worth, Rev. J. C. Calhoun, D. D., General Baptist; Col. Galveston, Rev. J. T. McKisick, D. D., Christian, Midland.

TEXAS LEADERS CHOSEN FOR INTERCHURCH WORK

Noted Ministers Selected to Head Departments of Spiritual Resources, Stewardship, Missionary Education and Life Enlistment.

Announcement was made today of the three departmental heads of the Interchurch World Movement for Texas, following the very successful Pastors' Conference attended by more than 800 pastors of 21 denominations held at Dallas and the women's training conference held in the same city. The heads of these three departments are Rev. H. L. Bell, pastor of the East Dallas Presbyterian Church, temporary chairman for Spiritual Resources; the Rev. H. E. Reicher, stewardship secretary of the Christian Church of Dallas, for the Department of Stewardship; the Rev. L. H. Tompkins, pastor of Houston Heights Presbyterian Church, Department of Missionary Education. At the same time the personnel of the state advisory committee was completed and announcement was made of the appointment of the Rev. J. W. Williams, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Christus, Texas, who will be assistant at the headquarters in Dallas for the organization of county conferences.

Southern Methodist University has accepted the chairmanship of the advisory committee, and the Rev. Dr. C. E. Hays, dean of Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, is corresponding secretary. Other members are Rev. J. B. Gonzales, D. D., Dallas, moderator of the Texas state conference of Congregationalists; Rev. F. M. Foust, (moderator) Austin, extension agent of Tillotson College, and superintendent of the State Colored Congregational Conference, Rev. C. W. Dunn, Olney, pastor Olney Cumberland Presbyterian church; Rev. L. D. Anderson, D. D., Ft. Worth, pastor of the Central Christian Church; Rev. J. R. Holmes, D. D., Ft. Worth, Secretary of the Texas Christian Church Mission Board; Rev. S. Erbe, San Antonio, pastor of the First Evangelical Church; Rev. W. B. Stevens, San Antonio, rector of St. Mark's Parish, appointed by Bishop Capers of the Southwestern Diocese of Texas; Prof. S. S. Perry, Friendwood, pastor of the Society of Friends; Rev. W. J. Johnson, Dallas, district superintendent of the M. E. Church, South; Mrs. A. V. Lane, Dallas; Rev. J. C. Williams, D. D., Toluca, Texas, president of Texas Synodical Conference; Rev. L. C. Kierke, D. D., Dallas, Chairman of Texas Synodical Conference; U. S. A. New Era Committee; H. C. Glenn, Temple, Secretary New Era Committee; Rev. W. R. Hall, Milford, pastor Southern Presbyterian U. S. Milford; Hon. A. L. Randall, Dallas; Rev. F. W. Williams, Dallas, Superintendent of the Texas International Sunday School Association; Rev. J. J. Morgan, Dallas, Secretary American Bible Society; Miss Jessie Gilder Butts, Dallas, Field Secretary Texas Christian Endeavor; W. R. Hazzell, College Station, President A. M. College; Dr. R. E. Vinson, Austin, president Texas State University; Rev. Atticus Webb, Dallas, President Texas Anti-Saloon League; Mrs. Bertha M. Masters, Ft. Worth, Secretary Christian Church Women's Board of Missions; Mrs. W. P. Preston, League, president of the Women's Synodical, Presbyterian U. S. A.; Mrs. C. H. Hobbie, wife of the governor.

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