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Wood and Lowden are Running Close Race

GOMPERS RAPS REPUBLICANS ON THEIR UNION LABOR PLANK

MONTREAL, Canada, June 12.—The Republican national convention has "turned its back upon labor" and has adopted a platform "defiant in its defense of the enemies of labor, calculated to secure for them fresh advantages and greater privileges," read a statement today presented jointly by Samuel Gompers, President and Matthew Woll, Vice-

President of the American Federation of Labor. This joint statement was offered before the A. F. L. convention here.

Action was promptly taken by the labor convention, who ordered the report printed, after it was adopted by a majority vote. The Gompers-Woll report will be distributed to all organized labor.

Mr. Gompers stated that the executive council's announced labor demands submitted to the Republican convention are to be presented in identical form to the Democratic national convention at San Francisco.

A congressional investigation of the alleged "unspeakable outrages" inflicted upon mine workers by the coal interests in West Virginia, was demanded today in a resolution, unanimously adopted by the labor meeting.

BARN BURNS NORTH OF BALLINGER.

The fire company had a hurry-up call yesterday to the place of Dick Parker about two miles north of town on the Winters road.

The barn on Mr. Parker's place by some unknown origin caught fire and a total loss was suffered. He had a considerable amount of feed and lost most of it as well as some chickens. The barn was covered by insurance.

UNIVERSITY BOYS HIT HARVESTS FOR \$6 A DAY

NORMAN, Okla., June 12.—Six dollar a day jobs in the harvest fields of Oklahoma will be sought by about three hundred students of University of Oklahoma, according to university authorities. Oklahoma farmers have asked for 1,400 college men to help handle the wheat harvest.

MEXICO TO SEND MISSION TO AMERICA

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Reports reached the State Department today through unofficial channels that the new Mexican government is preparing to send to the United States a mission to discuss the relations between the two countries. The Mexican delegates will come to this country to talk over matters of mutual concern in an informal way.

PUT GYROSCOPES ON NEW STEAMERS

SAN FRANCISCO, June 12.—Two new liners the Pacific Steamship Company is planning will be equipped with gyroscope stabilizers, it is announced today. The device, not yet used on the Pacific coast, consists of a great fly wheel operated by electricity and revolving on a horizontal plane. It tends to prevent the rolling of a ship.

WOMEN'S UNITED CLUB DONATES TO LIBRARY.

After all bills had been paid the Women's United Club found they had \$28.00 in the treasury, which the executive board decided to give to the Carnegie Library board to assist in paying for the roof, they recently had put on that building.

Use Ledger Classifieds.

SAYS PRO. LAW NOW NULLIFIED

AUSTIN, June 12.—That the present Texas prohibition law is nullified on the grounds that it is superseded by the Volstead Act passed by Congress, is the contention made in an application for a writ of habeas corpus by J. W. Gilmore of Collins county. The writ was filed in the court of criminal appeals, and the case was set for October 6th.

ASKS HOBBS TO WITHDRAW TROOPS

AUSTIN, June 12.—A resolution calling upon Governor Hobbs to withdraw state troops from Galveston was introduced today in the Texas Senate by Senator McNealus. The resolution was referred to the committee on commerce and manufactures.

BAND CONCERT WELL ATTENDED

The band was out in full force last night and the best and most demonstrative crowd that has attended a concert for many days. Prof. Gunter's music makers were in good shape and put up the best concert that the band has played this year notwithstanding that some members of the band are away on their vacations and others are sick. Some numbers received the second encore and the crowd did not get restless or begin to leave until the last piece was played. The band is doing hard work now and is being called on for a great deal of playing. Other towns are seeking their services and one night every week they are going out into the country for rural concerts accompanied by the business men of Ballinger.

Mrs. R. H. Clem and little daughter of Dallas, are visiting Miss Nell Alexander. They came thru in their car.

Wm. Mountz left Ballinger Friday for Pharr, Texas, where he will make his home until after the ginning season.

G. O. P Bulletins

CHICAGO, June 11.—Nathan Miller nominated Herbert Hoover, whose name was cheered. The presentation of the former food administrator's name caused a surprise. This was the seventh nominating speech.

CHICAGO, June 11.—After 13 minutes of the Herbert Hoover demonstration, Frank B. Willis nominated Senator Harding, the eighth nominee.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Committeeman Willis brought back the interest of the delegates and was thunderously applauded when he said the people wanted no more "one man" government. Mayor Moore of Philadelphia then followed, nominating Governor Sprout, of Pennsylvania.

CHICAGO, June 11.—George Walker of Spokane, Wash., placed Senator Poindexter in nomination before the convention.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Just before five o'clock Joseph Sanders nominated Senator Sutherland of West Virginia. It was the last of a long list and the convention leaped into confusion. Eleven candidates were placed in nomination in eight hours.

ELEVEN PERSONS KILLED AT TEXAS CROSSINGS.

AUSTIN, June 12.—Death came to eleven persons in Texas as the result of railroad crossing accidents during March, according to statistics compiled by the Texas Railroad Commission and recently made public. Fifteen other persons were injured, and there were only two crossing accidents during the month without injuries or deaths resulting.

Automobiles figured in seven of the sixteen accidents for the month; wagons in two, a street car in one, a motorcycle in one. In three accidents persons involved were pedestrians, while one man was a railroad employee.

The worst accident reported was at the crossing of the San Antonio-Seguin road and the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad a mile north of Comal, where seven members of a family from San Antonio were killed when a train struck the automobile in which they were riding on Sunday, March 28th.

Fleischmann's Yeast. Currie Mercantile Co. 10-3rd

CHICAGO, June 12.—Ohio delegates and delegates from other states flocked to Senator Harding's hotel room during the convention recess this afternoon.

Harding forces are conferring with Johnson delegates, hoping to agree upon Harding for President and Hiram Johnson for Vice-President. Harding men claim that Harding's nomination is now certain, as the result of the afternoon's caucuses.

CHICAGO, June 12.—At the edge 30, Poindexter 15, LaFollette 24, Hoover 5, Butler 2, DuRepublican national convention point 3, Knox 1, Kellogg 1, Lenroot 1.

CHICAGO, June 12.—Warren G. Harding of Ohio, emerged this morning from the all night conference of Republican chieftains as the man whom they hoped would be able to break the imminent deadlock on the presidential nomination, at the Republican national convention.

G. O. P. leaders planned to concentrate strength on him should convention fail to break the blockade established yesterday by four ballots without a nomination.

Backers of Gen. Wood, Gov. Lowden, and Senator Johnson had not relaxed their efforts to put their respective candidates over however. With Wood as high man, Lowden and Johnson following in the order of their names, the first named aspirant had only 314 votes, or a little more than one-half of the 493 votes necessary to nominate at the opening session today.

There was no nomination on the fifth ballot, a count showing that Wood had lost fifteen votes, and Harding and Lowden had both gained some. Lowden passed Wood on the fifth vote-taking, disproving the predictions of the Wood campaign managers that the "home" general would gain after the first ballot.

The official count on the fifth ballot gave Lowden 303, Wood 299, Johnson 133 1-2. Several polls were demanded during the ballot.

CHICAGO, June 12.—On the sixth ballot at the Republican convention today, Michigan's "solid" thirty for Hiram Johnson broke for cover, 11 votes going to Gen. Wood and 1 vote switching to Gov. Lowden, with the remainder "standing pat." Calls for polls were renewed on the sixth ballot while the Michigan break with the possibility of others added to the tension which is great as the prospects for breaking the deadlock became nearer.

CHICAGO, June 12.—On the seventh ballot at the Republican national convention the tie created on the sixth ballot was broken by one vote being split between Wood and Lowden, and the eighth ballot began without evidence of the early decision. On the seventh vote recording the delegates voted 312 for Wood, 311 for Lowden, and Harding 105. Wood thus gained a half ballot from the result of the sixth, while Lowden lost a half ballot, Harding making all the gains.

The eighth ballot still showed no nominations with Wood 299, Lowden 307, Harding 133 1-2, Johnson 87, Sprout 75 1-2, Cool-

Miss Parish is unknown to the people of Ballinger, but we welcome her here and wish her all the happiness that can come to a new bride.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie will make their home at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Erwin on 7th Street.

The United States Senate Agricultural Committee favors an embargo on the export of sugar.

Congressman Hudspeth of Texas has suggested to Secretary of State Colby that new trade relations between Mexico and the United States be resumed.

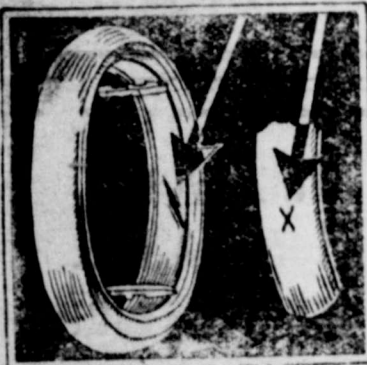
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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
W. A. TALLY
J. N. KEY
For County Clerk:
W. R. PUCKETT
W. A. FORGEY
For Sheriff:
J. P. (JIM) FLYNT
For County Judge:
J. W. POWELL
O. L. PARISH
For Treasurer:
MRS. R. P. KIRK
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
R. J. DEENS
M. B. WARDLAW
For District Clerk:
(Miss) GEORGIA SINGLETARY
For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:
J. P. BOOTHE
For Representative 111 District:
C. R. STEPHENS
For State Senator 26th District:
J. H. BAUGH

One class of people that you never see loafing on the streets now is Mr. Farmer. They are staying in the fields from daylight until dark and every day the crops of West Texas are getting in better shape.

The local school board so far have had one male applicant for a position in the local schools and he asked for more money than any member of the faculty will be paid. There is more money at street work now than is paid the average school teacher.

Ballinger has a medicine show in town this week and from the way it is selling you would think that everybody in Russell county was sick and had found a sure remedy or that a July sale of cold Budweiser was taking place.

Ballinger has a team of Salvation army working on the streets this week. Some people don't know fully what the Salvation Army is and what they are doing. If you want to get better acquainted with them just ask some returned A. E. F. soldier what he thought of the Salvation Army in France.

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Mrs. Ben J. Harris left Friday for Talpa on business.



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LOCAL SCHOOLS LOOSER TEACHER

The local school board received the resignation of Miss Berta Bostick, English teacher and principal of the High School here.

Miss Bostick had accepted by wire but had not signed her contract yet, but her resignation came as a surprise and the school has suffered a loss that will be hard to fill. She has been here for a number of years and Ballinger has never had a better teacher or a teacher who made more friends. She was earnest in her work and all children and parents trusted and believed in her. She will go to the English department of the San Antonio city schools, and gives as her only reason a salary so much better than it would be unwise for her to refuse it.

Below is a letter from Miss Bostick received by Supt. J. M. Skinner:

"Dothan, Tex., June 9, '20.
"Dear Mr. Skinner:
"I am today sending my resignation to the board so that I may accept a position in the English department of the San Antonio city schools at a considerable increase in salary. I hate to leave Ballinger, for I think you know how I like to work with all of you and how I like the boys and girls of the school, but I guess it is best. I hope you will have no trouble in securing a good teacher to take my place. You will understand what it means to me to go to San Antonio, so I think you will not blame me for wanting to go.
"With best wishes to you and family, I am,
"Sincerely,
"Berta Bostick."

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

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Incompetent teaching is a waste of our total investment in education.—Dallas News.

CONSTIPATION

And Sour Stomach Caused This Lady Much Suffering. Black-Draught Relieved.

Meadersville, Ky.—Mrs. Pearl Patrick, of this place, writes: "I was very constipated. I had sour stomach and was so uncomfortable. I went to the doctor. He gave me some pills. They weakened me and seemed to tear up my digestion. They would gripe me and afterwards it seemed I was more constipated than before. I heard of Black-Draught and decided to try it. I found it just what I needed. It was an easy laxative, and I had to swallow. My digestion soon improved. I got well of the sour stomach, my bowels soon seemed normal, no more griping, and I would take a dose now and then, and was in good shape."

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It is a screen version of George M. Cohan's play that scored so emphatically on Broadway some years ago, and which in turn was based on Frank L. Packard's famous novel. No picture in recent months has had so much praise lavished upon it for the dramatic quality of its story, its keen characterization, and beautiful photography.

The story of "The Miracle Man" centers around an old patriarch of the hills who has gained a reputation for his power to heal the sick and crippled. To him comes a band of unscrupulous crooks from the slums of New York—Tom Burke and his leader, Rose, The Frog and the Dope—who have conceived the scheme of capitalizing the healer's gift and taking the money for themselves.

What follows is one of the most absorbing stories ever unfolded on the screen. In the hands of such talented players as Thomas Meighan, Elinor Fair, Betty Compson, Lon Chaney, and W. Lawson Butt, the development of the chief characters under the influence of the deaf and blind patriarch is portrayed with admirable skill.

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FISH STORY

Rev. W. H. Doss and his son, Attorney A. K. Doss, spent Friday night on the Colorado river near the Theo Kre place, on what is known as the "big hole" and early this morning phoned a friend to bring a "block and tackle" to assist in landing a big "yaller" cat. Judge Doss said they could drag it to the top of the water and its head looked as big as a 50 barrel cistern, but was unable to land it. For further information see the fishermen.

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WITH THE CHURCHES

NAZARENE MEETING.

Rev. Hampton, local pastor of the Nazarene church, reports an interesting service at the Nazarene church last night. Miss Lula Williams, whose home is at Bowie, Texas, but who for 12 years has been a missionary in Japan, delivered a strong sermon. There was considerable interest and some converts.

Rev. Sam Bozarth, pastor of the Nazarene church at Pearl, Texas, will preach tonight, and Rev. W. T. Rutherford, District Superintendent of the San Antonio district, will preach Sunday morning.

Rev. Hampton stated that it was his intention to have Miss Williams remain over for another week and preach.

Methodist Church

Sunday school at 9:45. Services at 11:00 a. m., conducted by the pastor.

Epworth League at 7:00 p. m. Preaching at 8:00 p. m., by the Presiding Elder, Rev. Thos. S. Barcus, followed by a session of the third quarterly conference.

You are invited to worship with us.

J. B. CURRY, Pastor.

First Christian Church

It was unanimously decided last Sunday to open the Bible school promptly at 9:45 a. m., instead of 10 a. m. Punctuality will add greatly to the good effect of the work.

The new pastor, Rev. A. N. Glover, will preach at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. All friends and strangers cordially welcome.

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R. T. PHILLIPS, Minister.

Baptist Church

9:45 a. m., Bible school, R. T. Williams, superintendent.

2:00 p. m., Sunbeam Band.

7:00 p. m., B. Y. P. U.

8:00 p. m., preaching by the pastor.

A county workers' meeting will be held at Winters Tuesday, 10:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m.

Our revival meeting begins June 20, led by Pastor H. C. Bass, of Terrell.

Don't expect to get through a hot summer of hard work without a sick spell, if you start with your system full of impurities. To avoid a break-down in the busy season begin now taking Priekly Ash Bitters, the remedy for men. It will purify the blood, liver and bowels and put the system in healthy condition. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

Eastern Star Meeting

Regular meeting of the Chapter Monday evening, June 14th, at 8:00 o'clock. Visitors cordially invited.

Mrs. Virginia Douglass, W. M. W. H.: Schleyer, Secretary.

TALPA WAREHOUSE MAY GET HALF MILLION LBS. WOOL; SALE POSTPONED

A meeting of directors of the Talpa Wool Warehouse Company, held Saturday, resulted in action postponing the sale of wool scheduled to be held June 15th. The sale was postponed indefinitely or until such time as the present demoralized freight and market conditions recover.

The new warehouse of the Talpa Wool Growers' Association is a great co-operative asset to the wool industry of the county. The building is constructed of iron, has a concrete floor, is amply lighted from the roof and the building fronts on the Santa Fe right-of-way. The capacity of the building is 2,000 bags of wool, or about a half million pounds. Wool is now being received daily.

The cost of storage and handling wool through sale has been fixed by the directors for this season at 50¢ a bag; this charge does not include insurance. It is the purpose of the organization to use the house for storage of grain, cotton and other products in season.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

MRS. THEO KRC DEAD

News reached Ballinger Saturday afternoon of the death of Mrs. Theo Krc, at her home eight miles South of town. We were not able to get the particulars of the death or the cause but it came as a surprise to her friends in Ballinger.

She will be buried in Evergreen Cemetery tomorrow afternoon.

Ledger classifieds bring results.

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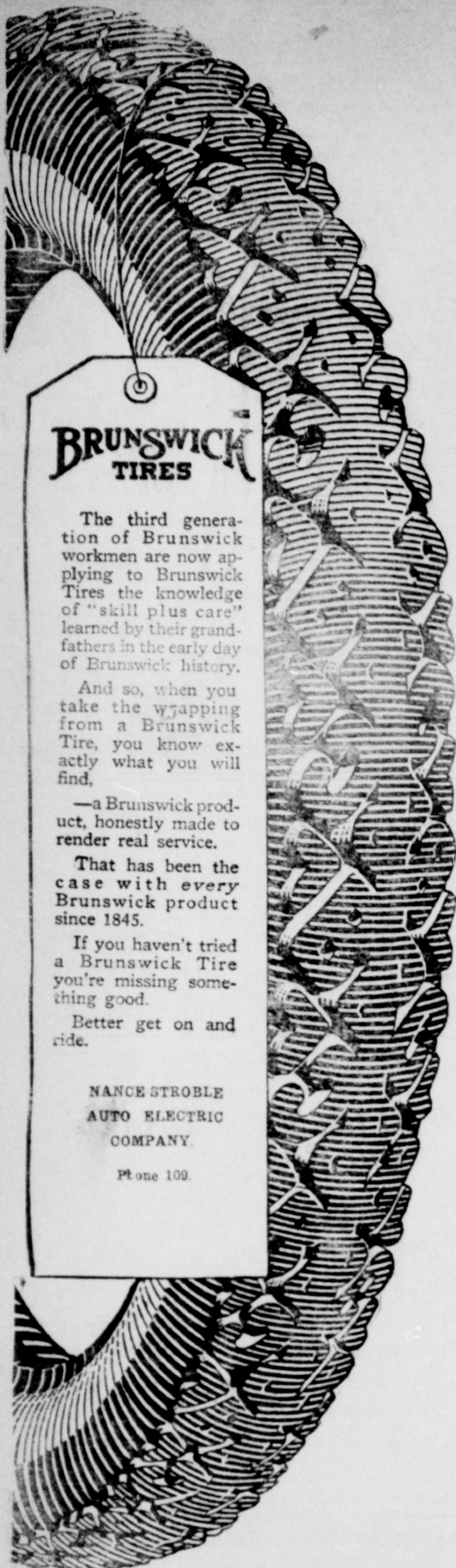
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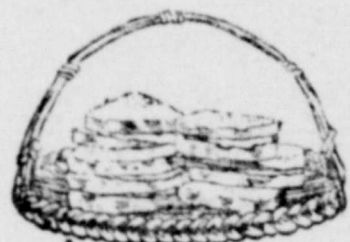
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GOMPERS RAPS REPUBLICANS SAYS PRO. LAW NOW NULLIFIED

MONTREAL, Canada, June 12.—The Republican national convention has "turned its back upon labor" and has adopted a platform "defiant in its defense of the enemies of labor, calculated to secure for them fresh advantages and greater privileges," read a statement today presented jointly by Samuel Gompers, President and Matthew Woll, Vice-

President of the American Federation of Labor. This joint statement was offered before the A. F. L. convention here.

Action was promptly taken by the labor convention, who ordered the report printed, after it was adopted by a majority vote. The Gompers-Woll report will be distributed to all organized labor.

Mr. Gompers stated that the executive council's announced labor demands submitted to the Republican convention are to be presented in identical form to the Democratic national convention at San Francisco.

A congressional investigation of the alleged "unspeakable outrages" inflicted upon mine workers by the coal interests in West Virginia, was demanded today in a resolution, unanimously adopted by the labor meeting.

BARN BURNS NORTH OF BALLINGER.

The fire company had a hurry-up call yesterday to the place of Dick Parker about two miles north of town on the Winters road.

The barn on Mr. Parker's place by some unknown origin caught fire and a total loss was suffered. He had a considerable amount of feed and lost most all of it as well as some chickens. The barn was covered by insurance.

UNIVERSITY BOYS HIT HARVESTS FOR \$6 A DAY

NORMAN, Okla., June 12.—Six dollar a day jobs in the harvest fields of Oklahoma will be sought by about three hundred students of University of Oklahoma, according to university authorities. Oklahoma farmers have asked for 1,400 college men to help handle the wheat harvest.

MEXICO TO SEND MISSION TO AMERICA

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Reports reached the State Department today through unofficial channels that the new Mexican government is preparing to send to the United States a mission to discuss the relations between the two countries. The Mexican delegates will come to this country to talk over matters of mutual concern in an informal way.

PUT GYROSCOPES ON NEW STEAMERS

SAN FRANCISCO, June 12.—Two new liners the Pacific Steamship Company is planning will be equipped with gyroscope stabilizers, it is announced today. The device, not yet used on the Pacific coast, consists of a great fly wheel operated by electricity and revolving on a horizontal plane. It tends to prevent the rolling of a ship.

WOMEN'S UNITED CLUB DONATES TO LIBRARY.

After all bills had been paid the Women's United Club found they had \$28.00 in the treasury, which the executive board decided to give to the Carnegie Library board to assist in paying for the roof, they recently had put on that building.

Use Ledger Classifieds.

G. O. P Bulletins

CHICAGO, June 11.—Nathan Miller nominated Herbert Hoover, whose name was cheered. The presentation of the former food administrator's name caused a surprise. This was the seventh nominating speech.

CHICAGO, June 11.—After 13 minutes of the Herbert Hoover demonstration, Frank B. Willis nominated Senator Harding, the eighth nominee.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Committee man Willis brought back the interest of the delegates and was thunderously applauded when he said the people wanted no more "one man" government. Mayor Moore of Philadelphia then followed, nominating Governor Sprout, of Pennsylvania.

CHICAGO, June 11.—George Walker of Spokane, Wash., placed Senator Poindexter in nomination before the convention.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Just before five o'clock Joseph Sanders nominated Senator Sutherland of West Virginia. It was the last of a long list and the convention leaped into confusion. Eleven candidates were placed in nomination in eight hours.

ELEVEN PERSONS KILLED AT TEXAS CROSSINGS.

AUSTIN, June 12.—Death came to eleven persons in Texas as the result of railroad crossing accidents during March, according to statistics compiled by the Texas Railroad Commission and recently made public. Fifteen other persons were injured, and there were only two crossing accidents during the month without injuries or deaths resulting.

Automobiles figured in seven of the sixteen accidents for the month; wagons in two, a street car in one, a motorcycle in one; in three accidents persons involved were pedestrians, while one man was a railroad employee.

The worst accident reported was at the crossing of the San Antonio-Seguin road and the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad a mile north of Comal, where seven members of a family from San Antonio were killed when a train struck the automobile in which they were riding on Sunday, March 25th.

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Harding forces are conferring with Johnson delegates, hoping to agree upon Harding for President and Hiram Johnson for Vice-President. Harding men claim that Harding's nomination is now certain, as the result of the afternoon's caucuses.

CHICAGO, June 12.—At the end of the eighth ballot today the Republican national convention recessed until four o'clock, without naming a presidential nominee. Meanwhile many delegations went into caucuses.

CHICAGO, June 12.—At 10:25 o'clock this morning, Chairman Ledge called the fifth day's session of the Republican national convention to order. On the fifth ballot Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler released his string of 88 instructed delegates, and a caucus showed that they were split, Lowden getting 41 votes, Wood 24, Harding 8, and the balance scattered to other candidates.

There was no nomination on the fifth ballot, a count showing that Wood had lost fifteen votes, and Harding and Lowden had both gained some. Lowden passed Wood on the fifth vote-taking, disproving the predictions of the Wood campaign managers that the "home" general would gain after the first ballot.

The official count on the fifth ballot gave Lowden 303, Wood 299, Johnson 133 1-2. Several polls were demanded during the ballot.

CHICAGO, June 12.—On the sixth ballot at the Republican convention today, Michigan's "solid" thirty for Hiram Johnson broke for cover, 11 votes going to Gen. Wood and 1 vote switching to Gov. Lowden, with the remainder "standing pat." Calls for polls were renewed on the sixth ballot while the Michigan break with the possibility of others added to the tension which is great as the prospects for breaking the deadlock became nearer.

CHICAGO, June 12.—On the seventh ballot at the Republican national convention the tie created on the sixth ballot was broken by one vote being split between Wood and Lowden, and the eighth ballot began without evidence of the early decision. On the seventh vote recording the delegates voted 312 for Wood, 311 for Lowden, and Harding 105. Wood thus gained a half ballot from the result of the sixth, while Lowden lost a half ballot, Harding making all the gains.

The eighth ballot still showed no nominations with Wood 299, Lowden 307, Harding 133 1-2, Johnson 87, Sprout 75 1-2, Coolidge 30, Poindexter 15, LaFollette 24, Hoover 5, Butler 2, Dupont 3, Knox 1, Kellogg 1, Lenroot 1.

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G. O. P. leaders planned to concentrate strength on him should convention fail to break the blockade established yesterday by four ballots without a nomination.

McKenzie-Parish

Mr. and Mrs. Duard McKenzie returned to Ballinger at noon to make their home. Mr. McKenzie left Ballinger about a week ago, and in looking over the marriage license records by one of The Ledger's staff, it was noticed that Mr. McKenzie carried a marriage license to wed Miss Bonnie Parish, of Moscow, Texas.

Mr. McKenzie is one of the popular young business men of Ballinger, being associated with the Weeks drug store. He has been here a greater part of his life and has a host of friends who wish for him all the happiness that a good wife can bring to a man.

Miss Parish is unknown to the people of Ballinger, but we welcome her here and wish her all the happiness that can come to a new bride.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie will make their home at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Erwin on 7th Street.

The United States Senate Agricultural Committee favors an embargo on the export of sugar.

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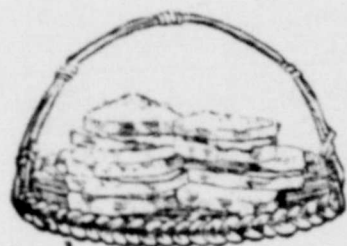
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from future occurrences of like nature.

The international ladies garment workers' union today is pressing a fight to have the federation urge the release of political prisoners and repeal the espionage act. This resolution would have the federation protest against "further useless and inhuman incarceration of social idealists and demands their immediate release, as well as the complete restoration of the freedom of the press, and assemblage of associations without restrictions." The central New York labor body is debarred because of fifteen thousand men being imprisoned as political prisoners and conscientious objectors to military service.

An international organization of world's union workers to further their own aims and to prevent another world war, was advocated today by J. W. Ogden, fraternal delegate of the British Trades Unions Congress. He warned the federation that it must ignore any international body similar to that formed in Russia or other countries.

MINNESOTA ALSO HAS A GRASSHOPPER PLAGUE.

CROOKSTON, Minn., June 14.—A grasshopper plague threatens the western tier of counties in Minnesota, according to A. G. Ruggles, state entomologist. Present weather conditions are ideal for the development of the grasshopper, he declared. While heavy rains would destroy the insects to a large extent, Ruggles said, he urged farmers not to depend on nature to eradicate the pests, but to get after them with the least possible delay.

GALVESTON COMPRESSES RAISE THEIR PLATFORMS

GALVESTON, June 14.—Recent recommendations of marine underwriters that cotton be stored eleven feet above mean low tide have caused several Galveston compresses to begin work of grade raising.

The cotton crop acreage in the United States on May 4, was placed at 33,960,000 acres. Texas shows a 3 per cent acreage gain over last year.

ROY REEDER REPORTED TO BE MUCH BETTER

As a result of a cat-fish fin Roy Reeder was carried to the Halley & Love sanitarium Sunday with a very bad case of blood poisoning. Some ten days ago while fishing, Mr. Reeder was bitten by a fish but paid no attention to it for several days when it began to get sore and swell up. He still neglected to see a doctor about it and while his arm was very sore and practically useless he went on about his business. Sunday he drove to the Reeder farm down the river and while there some of friends with him noticed that his face was turning dark, and he acknowledged that he was sick.

The party came to town and called a doctor for Mr. Reeder, and as soon as a doctor saw him he pronounced it a very bad case and he was hurried to the sanitarium where the serum was given him. His fever remained 106 degrees all the afternoon and the outcome was uncertain until last night about 10:00 o'clock when the serum began to take effect and by Monday morning he only had 1 degree of fever and was able to be up, however his arm is still swollen badly and he is not well by any means. With proper care it is expected that the young man will be back at his business in a few days.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE IS BACK AT HIS DESK

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Senator Warren G. Harding, Republican presidential nominee, is today back at his desk in Washington.

The G. O. P. candidate expects to remain here for a week, and will confer with his political managers with a view to getting his campaign under way at once.

On his way home in this city, Senator Harding drove by the White House, guarded by policemen and followed by an automobile full of secret service operatives.

CONVERT BREWERY INTO MODERN MILK DEPOT

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., June 14.—A milk company has bought the old Sioux Falls brewery property and it will be remodeled as a modern milk depot. The brewery was erected in 1874 and has been a landmark here for nearly half a century. The brewing company occupied the building until July 1, 1917, when the state went "dry."

OKLAHOMA LABORERS GO BACK TO THE FARM

OKLAHOMA CITY, June 14.—A cottage, a garden and cow and the satisfaction of being "back on the farm" is causing many laborers and their families to return to the land, according to O. L. Hudson, superintendent of the state employment bureau here.

"It is an excellent way out, both for the laborer who cannot make a living at day work in the city, and the farmer who has more land than he can manage without help," said Mr. Hudson.

BOOSTER TRIPS MAY BE STOPPED AGAIN

A previous announcement to the effect that the band and booster trip would be made to Norton Friday night will likely be called off indefinitely, says one of the band members this morning.

The band is ready to go, says the band men but when called upon the conveyance committee said they were all too busy and said that the farmers of Norton were too busy to attend anyhow. This is evidently not true as one of the committee from Norton was in town and stated that all arrangements were being made at that end of the line and some time ago they asked for the date to be fixed for Friday.

These booster trips, if the people would join in on them, could be made to count for Ballinger and help create a better feeling between the people and more cooperation, but if there is not enough interest for the town people to even get the cars to carry the band in, then the whole thing had better be dropped as a poor turn-out is worse than not going at all. The band men want it said that the band is ready to go anywhere that the town calls on them to go and that if these trips were to be called off the band will be on the Court House lawn Friday night to play a concert for the town people.

At the beginning people seemed to be very enthusiastic about making every town of importance in the county, but the committees have quit work and without some one behind it every trip would be a failure.

Announcement will be made later in the week if the trip should be made.

Resolutions Urge Withdrawal of Militia from Galveston

SHIPS BEING LOADED WITHOUT HENDRENCE

GALVESTON, June 14.—The Mallory Steamship Line's docks are fully equipped with workers this afternoon. The Morgan Co. said they could use a hundred additional stevedores.

With two more ships expected in, the Mallory docks will soon be cleared of accumulated freight.

No untoward incident has happened in the city since the National Guard detachment arrived here. Beach activities are not to be interfered with.

FREIGHT SHIPPED FROM GALVESTON

Letters have been received in Ballinger from Gen. Wolters, commanding the Texas National Guard troops at Galveston that freight is being shipped from there to local merchants.

A. C. Molbeck, local manager of the Rogers-Higdon store, stated Monday morning that a consignment of freight that has been due here since last March, is en route here. Nothing could be done to get the freight started on its way here, until the guards were placed at Galveston, but since then things are being looked into and shipments made as fast as they can be loaded.

MAGPIES CAUSE DEATH OF CALVES IN MONTANA

MILES CITY, Mont., June 14.—E. C. Kibler, a rancher near Woody Creek in Garfield county, declares magpies kill calves if the latter have exposed sores or other vulnerable spots, by pecking at the exposed flesh until the calves become weakened and in some cases they die.

WORK PROGRESSING AT ROWENA WELL

The work of underreaming and cleaning up on the Rowena oil well is still in progress and the prospects gradually grow better and indications look good for a real oil well to be brought in in a few days by this company. Drillers will likely finish underreaming in a few days and commence drilling again.

Talking with the drillers, the belief was expressed to a Ledger man Sunday that it will only be a short time until they hit the sand and something big is expected when they do.

Gas pressure is still just as good and the showing of oil has increased as the work of underreaming has progressed. Drilling will probably commence again about Tuesday and Ballinger people are keeping close tab on the developments.

FEWER DIVORCES ARE PROMISED IN OHIO

COLUMBUS, O., June 14.—There will be fewer divorces in Ohio from now on as a result of the Ohio supreme court's decision making all decrees subject to review by the courts of appeal, according to lawyers and court officials. There were 8,777 divorces in Ohio last year, the great majority of which were not contested.

AUSTIN, June 14.—Immediate

withdrawal of the state troops from Galveston is urged upon Governor Hobby in a resolution introduced by Representatives Malone, Beason, Brady and others today.

Introduced in the House this afternoon the bill was referred to the committee on state affairs.

A telegram from the Marshall Trades Council, protesting the dispatching of soldiers to Galveston, was read in the House. Another telegram from the directors of the Open Shop Association at Gal-

veston, asserted that the recent protest by the city commissioners against sending troops to the city "does not voice the sentiment of the entire community," and which invited "an impartial legislative investigation that the troops are not in Galveston to restore order."

The pink boll worm bill was passed by the House and Senate to a conference committee.

The nine hundred thousand dollar higher education appropriation bill passed the House today.

AUSTIN, June 14.—The Texas Legislature began its final week of the present special session this morning, with the House scheduled to take up the four million dollar public school appropriation. The pink boll worm bill is also on the calendar, and will likely get next attention.

A great mass of bills is yet undisposed of, and some are predicting night sessions all this week.

David Coulter returned Monday at noon from Dallas, where he has been attending the Christian Endeavor convention.

CONFEDERATE STAFF OFFICER DIES IN N. Y. NEW YORK, June 14.—Rev. W. W. Page, the last living member of General Robert E. Lee's staff, died here last night. Rev. Page was eighty years old.

Mamie Ray Preston returned Monday from Ovalo, where she has been visiting her uncle, W. R. Morris.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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
W. A. TALLY
J. N. KEY
For County Clerk:
W. R. PUCKETT
W. A. FORGEY
For Sheriff:
J. P. (JIM) FLYNT
For County Judge:
J. W. POWELL
O. L. PARISH
For Treasurer:
MRS. R. P. KIRK
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
R. J. DEENS
M. B. WARDLAW
For District Clerk:
(Miss) GEORGIA SINGLETARY
For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:
J. P. BOOTHE
For Representative 111 District:
C. R. STEPHENS
For State Senator 28th District:
J. H. BAUGH

Fearing an attack by bandits on business places, the commercial club of Bowling Green, Ky., bought twenty-five shotguns and twenty-five ex-service men have been deputized to handle them. The guns will be distributed among business houses.

Don't expect to get through a hot summer of hard work without a sick spell, if you start with your system full of impurities. To avoid a break-down in the busy season begin now taking Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy for men. It will purify the blood, liver and bowels and put the system in healthy condition. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

State banks of Texas on May 4 showed a total deposit of \$324,250,253; capital stock, \$45,154,800.

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ONE KILLED; MANY INJURED IN WRECK

CHICAGO, June 14.—One person was killed and a score more injured today when a Pere Marquette Railway "resort" special passenger train, bringing weekend parties from Michigan summer resorts crashed into a freight train in the South Chicago yards.

Officials of the road said an open switch allowed the freight train to run in front of the special.

The crews of both trains, seeing their peril, jumped to safety.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath 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.
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MEXICANS LEAVE DALLAS FOR LAND OF TOMORROW

DALLAS, June 14.—Hundreds of Mexicans are trekking back to the land of the tamale and their nativity, as a result of the latest revolution in the Southern republic, according to railroad officials who are watching the steady flow of swarthy-skinned persons towards the Rio Grande. Dallas' own "Little Mexico" which gained in population from a few score years ago to more than six thousand in the 1920 census is reported to be losing ground rapidly.

Immediately following the announcement of the death of Venustiano Carranza, seventy-five Mexicans, men, women and children, purchased tickets here for the border. Since then, railroad men said, from thirty to forty citizens of the nation to the south have been leaving daily. Similar conditions are said to exist at other southwestern cities.

Leading Mexican residents here declare confidence in the present revolution is responsible for so many natives returning home. Practically every native Mexican in Texas, they said, believes the new regime to be the foundation for a stable government in their revolution-torn country.

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SHIP GRAVEYARD IN HEART OF CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, June 14.—There is a graveyard of famous fighting ships in the heart of Chicago's manufacturing district. In the Chicago river is assembled one of the strangest fleets ever assembled on the Great Lakes.

The submarine, once the U-97, and one of the prides of Admiral von Tirpitz, has little in its appearance to indicate its war record of seven allied ships sunk by torpedo and gunfire and no one knows how many destroyed by mine, for the U-97 was a minelayer.

On deck she still boasts a long range naval rifle, but below is only a shell. Her main engines and all her principal working parts have been stripped out and shipped to Annapolis, where future officers of the navy will receive their education on machinery donated by the late Imperial German government. The U-97 was surrendered at Scapa Flow after the armistice and was one of five U-boats allotted to the United States. She toured the Great Lakes during the Victory Loan drive before coming to her last rest here.

In this strangely assorted fleet

is the Essex, whose ancient wooden hull was designed to break up slave traffic on the African coast. The Yantic was built as a yacht for President Lincoln, then remodeled as a naval corvette. Her most famous exploit was the vain attempt, in company of the Proteus, to rescue Lieutenant Greely's arctic exploration party at Discovery Harbor in 1883.

The Hawk, formerly a yacht, was sold by the late Mark Hanna, of Ohio, to the government at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war. She captured the Spanish liner Alfonso XIII off Havana and brought the prize into port.

The gunboat Wihnette, still in her gray war paint, bears little resemblance to her former self when she was the passenger liner Eastland, which turned over at its dock in 1915, drowning 812 excursionists. Remodeled and armed by the navy department, she is now what her officers claim is the finest gunboat in the service and is in use as a training ship.

Half a dozen submarine chasers stationed here, all of which saw service overseas during the war, are to be sold, if the government can find purchasers. Two have already been disposed of, one bringing \$12,000 and the other \$20,000. They cost the navy department about \$90,000 each.

R. F. Erwin Regarding His Troubles

"A year ago last winter I had an attack of indigestion followed by biliousness and constipation. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets so highly recommended for stomach troubles I bought a bottle of them and they helped me right away," writes R. F. Erwin, Peru, Ind. If you have any trouble with your digestion give these tablets a trial. They will do you good.

A marine grass found extensively in Japanese waters yields a fiber, which, when mixed with cotton, both strengthens and cheapens thread usually made of the latter alone.

A certain clothing merchant in the state of New York was recently fined \$31,000 for profiteering on six suits of clothes.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Stocks arrived here Sunday in their car from Wichita Falls and will visit a week with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stocks, and Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Wooden.

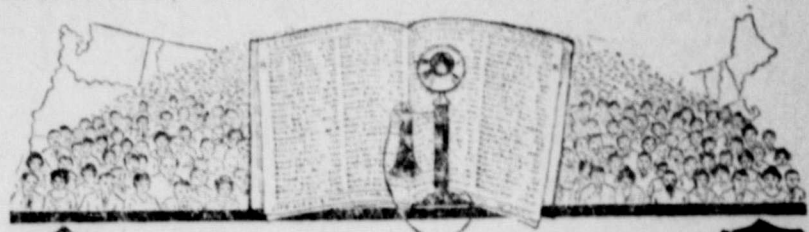
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NEW MAN WITH THE DAVIS AUTO COMPANY

Marvin Justice, one of Ballinger's most capable and popular automobile mechanics has joined the Chevrolet force. Mr. Justice has been engaged in the automobile business in this city for ten years, and is well and favorably known as one of the most capable mechanics in our city.

Mr. Justice will have charge of the service and repair shop of the Davis Automobile Co., agents in this city and county for Chevrolet cars and Chevrolet trucks.



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In hamlet or city the land over, the names of those who count in America will be found in that universal "Who's Who"—the telephone directory; a book so accurate, so up-to-date, that it is resorted to before all other public directories for correct addresses, initials and names.

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COMING TO CITY

At least five nights this week at the Maeroy Theatre will be special feature nights, and some of the best pictures ever shown in Ballinger will be shown at this local playhouse. Following is a list of the attractions for the week, and you will see by a glance that you can ill afford to miss a single one of them. A well-balanced program of romance, drama, comedy, comedy-drama and farce, will be offered.

Beginning today at matinee and for tonight, 12 celebrated stars in one feature will be exhibited, the title of same being known as "How Molly Made Good." The featured players consist of Leo Dietrichstein, May Robson, Robt. Edson, Cyril Scott, Lulu Glaser, Henrietta Crossman, Henry Kohler, Julian Eltinge, Mme. Grace Fjorde, Chas. J. Ross, Mabel Fenton and Julia Dean.

Tuesday—returns to his host of friends, Charles Ray, in a Paramount comedy-drama, "The Egg Crate Wallop." In conjunction with the feature, a Mack Sennett farce will be shown. Bathing girls figure prominently in the short subject.

Wednesday—Madge Kennedy is starred in "Her Kingdom of Youth," both romantic and dramatic in treatment, a great star in a great production. Also on this date, a Sunshine comedy, "School House Scandal."

Thursday—Ora Carew is featured in "Under Suspicion," a Universal special, accompanied by an episode of the thrilling serial, "The Invisible Hand."

Friday—the popular and charming screen favorite, Anita Stevens, in "Virtuous Wives," a First National Exhibitors' circuit first-run special drama is scheduled. Little "Sambo" the high-brown baby, will also cavort in a Rolin comedy on this date.

Saturday—Popular program, with episode of Eddie Polo serial.

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Mrs. H. M. Josey and two children left Saturday afternoon for Houston, to visit her people and Mr. Josey's father and mother.

WILL SEARCH FOR MISSING "TWIN SISTERS" CANNON.

AUSTIN, June 14. — Senator Lon A. Smith, of Henderson, has interested himself in the efforts of John E. Cosgrove, an inmate of the Confederate Home here, to locate the historic "Twin Sisters" cannon used during the Texas Revolution and the Civil War, and he said that he will urge the Governor to submit to the legislature the question of making a small appropriation to pay expenses of the search for these cannon.

Dr. H. N. Graves of Dallas, Mr. Cosgrove said, is the only man who can locate the spot where the missing cannon were buried since he is the only living member of the party which buried the guns at the end of the Civil War to prevent their falling into the hands of Union soldiers when Galveston surrendered.

In writing to Mr. Cosgrove, recently, Dr. Graves, said in part:

"I am the only one living who had actual part in their secretion from federal soldiers; there are several of my old company (K, Mann's regiment), living, who knew we buried the guns, but they were not at the spot at the time.

"They were buried too deep for a plow to strike them, so I think our chance is that I may locate their grave. I have a very clear recollection of the place and relative location of trees and so forth at that time; and I think I could identify the spot near enough to locate them and discover them by soundings.

"The state ought to save those historic mementoes of her early history, and I will be glad to assist now, for I am getting old (seventy-four years)."

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This picture, which was adapted from George M. Cohan's striking Broadway success of the same name, is declared to be the really great drama of modern times. The original story was written by Frank L. Packard.

The plot of "The Miracle Man" deals with the moral transformation of a gang of New York crooks under the beneficent influence of a deaf and blind patriarch, who is a healer of proven powers. Coming to him originally with the idea of making money out of his gift, these four products of the metropolis' slums are made miraculously to realize their better selves. Thomas Meighan, Elinor Fair, Betty Compson, and other screen players of unusual ability interpret the fascinating story in a manner that leaves nothing to be desired.

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YOUNG LAWYER RETURNS HOME

Diaz Wood returned to Ballinger Saturday night from Lebanon, Tennessee, where he has been studying law in the Cumberland University at that place. Diaz finished there a few days ago and is now the possessor of his LL.B. degree and a full fledged lawyer.

Mr. Wood returned to Ballinger last August from Germany, where he had been serving with the army of occupation and a few weeks after he returned he announced that he would attend school and after one year's work he is now ready for his life's work.

Diaz has lived all his life practically in Ballinger, having been engaged in the grocery business prior to the war, and is a young man of exceptional business ability, full of energy, a good mixer, and a natural student. It is doubtful if a young man was ever raised in Ballinger who had as many friends who are interested in his welfare. We wish for him every good luck that can come to him and predict that he will be successful in his new profession.

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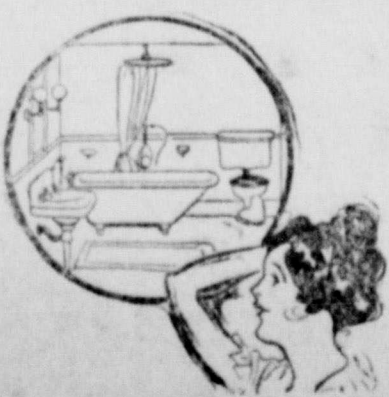
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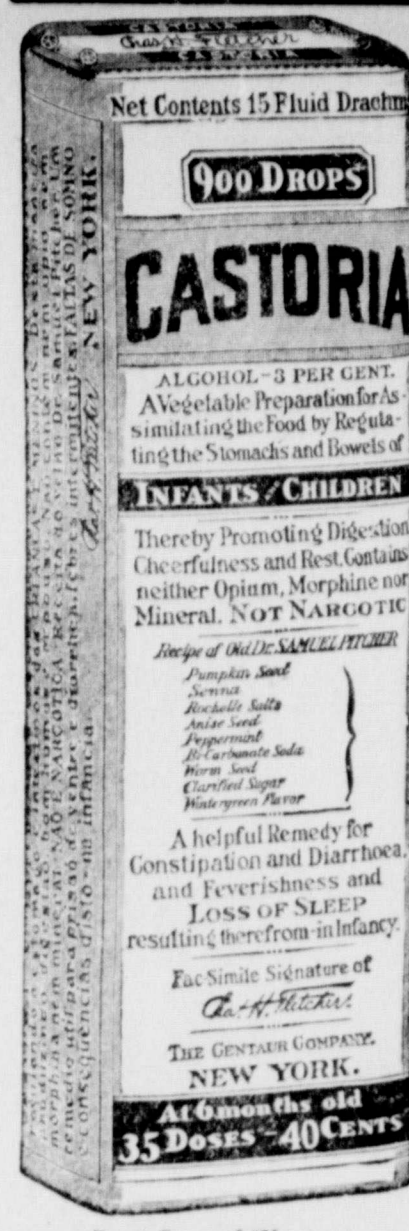
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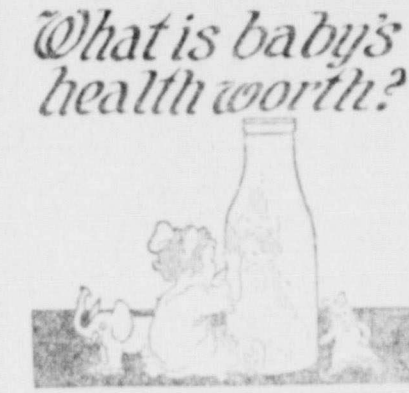
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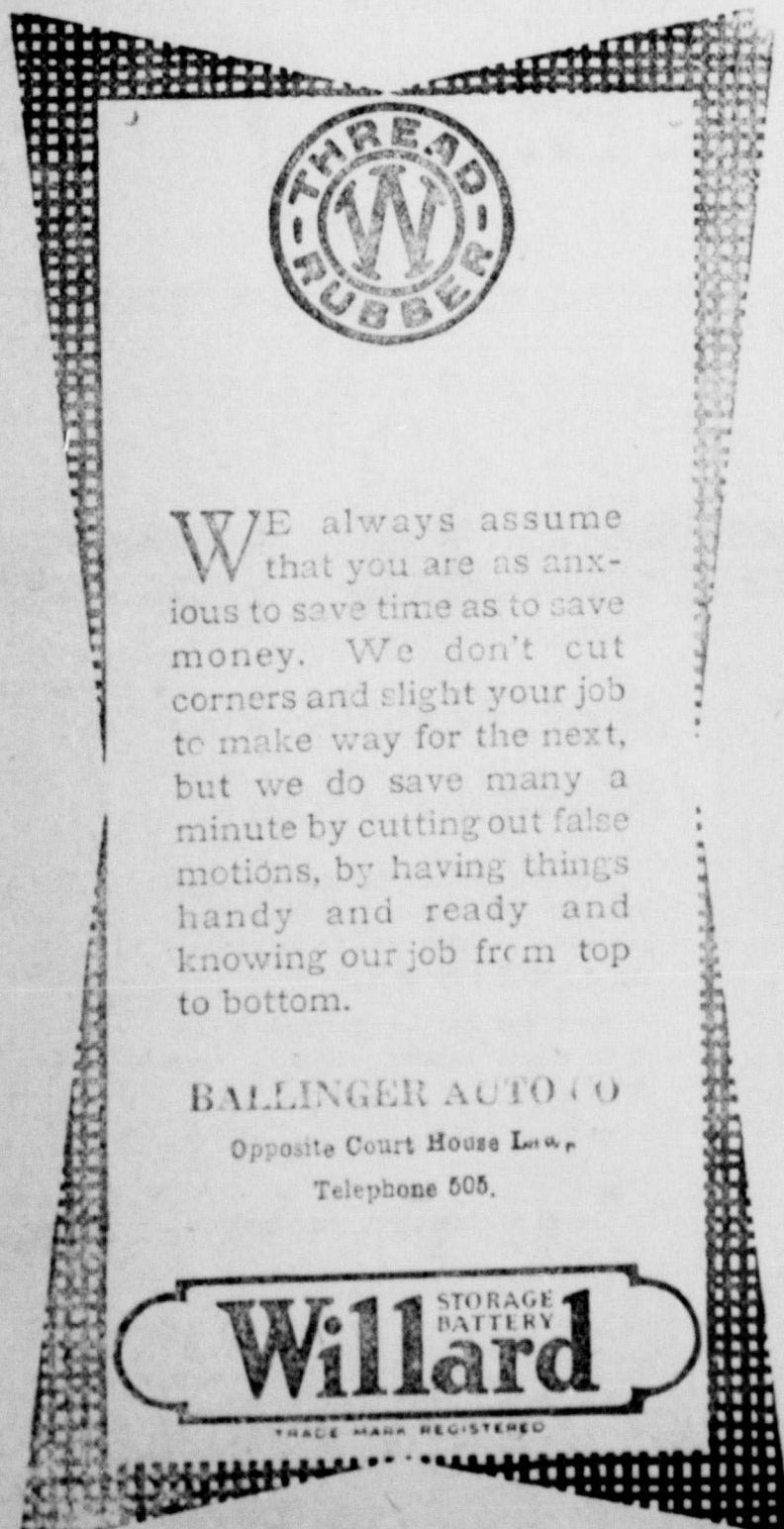
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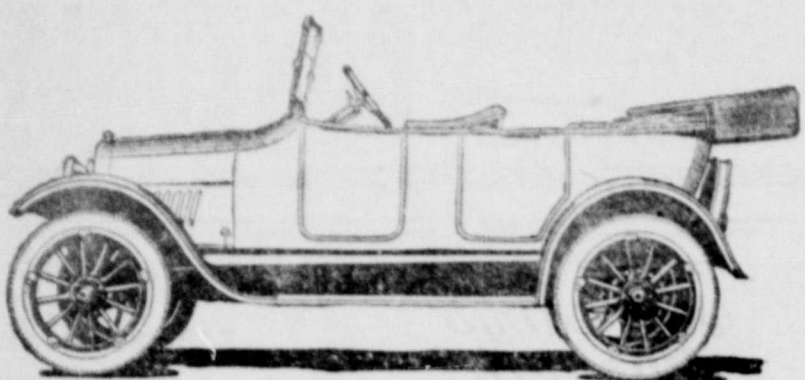
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Ex Soldiers: The Y. M. C. A. will pay your tuition in International Auto School, (established 1913). For information write any "Y" Secretary or International Auto School (Inc.), 707-17 South Flores Street, San Antonio, Texas. 14-1td-1tw.

W. Tomlinson, a nephew of J. T. Moore, who was in the sanitarium here for several weeks, returned to Ballinger from Ovalo Monday, where he has been visiting W. R. Morris for the last few days.

Biliousness is a condition that breeds disease in the vital organs and ought to be corrected promptly. Prickly Ash Bitters is a man's remedy. It vitalizes the blood, drives out impurities in the bowels, makes you feel bright strong and hearty. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks, special agent.

The United States is the third largest producer of linseed crops in the world. Argentina leads, while India comes second.

Roy Staton of Brownwood, was in Ballinger Friday and Saturday on business and returned to his home Saturday afternoon.

When food gives you distress you need a dose of Prickly Ash Bitters to relieve the stomach and help digestion. It is a man's remedy for the liver and bowels. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. A. Weeks special agent.

It is reported that the valuation of imported coffee into the United States for the fiscal year which ends in June will be over \$300,000,000.

Candles still are extensively used, and a candlestick has been invented with a snuffer that automatically descends and extinguishes the flame when a candle burns down.

Danzig has been a center for the Baltic flour trade for hundreds of years.

And now they say that droughts in the sugar producing areas have caused the sugar shortage.

We are still at war with Germany but late casualties won't be reported until after both conventions have adjourned.—Los Angeles Express.

Scotland Yard, the headquarters of the London police department, was so called from a palace built there to accommodate the kings of Scotland when they visited England.

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TOMORROW

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BALLINGER GIRL MARRIES.

Word was received in Ballinger a few days ago of the marriage of Miss Josie Glenn to Mr. F. G. Guittard. Miss Glenn has many friends in Ballinger, having lived here for several years, before going to Houston, where she has been teaching in the city schools of that place. Mr. Guittard is a professor in Baylor University at Waco, and they will make their home at 1401 S. 7th Street, Waco.

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Take one every day of your life
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pearce and baby left Saturday afternoon for Galveston, to be with Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Pearce for a few days, who are spending some time there for the benefit of Mrs. Pearce's health.

A factory is operating in Formosa to make caffeine out of tea dust.

Daily Ledger
Want Ads

WANTED—To rent, one typewriter in good condition, Underwood preferred. See Canfield at McCall-Moore Engineering Co., phone 26. 14-1td

FOUND—Fountain pen, owner can get same by calling at Weeks' drug store, discharging pen, and paying for this notice. 14-1td

FOR SALE—One brand new, Ford roadster for sale. See Sam Behringer. 11-3d.*

FOR SALE—One slightly used 5 passenger Ford touring car. See Sam Behringer. 11-3d.*

LOST—A lever jack, on 14th or 15th street. Finder please return to Ledger office. S. A. Matthews, Hatchel, Texas. 11-3td

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Norway, though "dry" permits the sale of light beer and very light wines.

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