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AUTO BASEBALL LEAGUE NOW SEEMS ASSURED

Representatives of the diffe rent towns in this section of West Texas met Friday afterno on in Coleman to discuss plans for the forming of a new Class D baseball league. The meeting was well attended and enthusiasm was at a high pitch, and according to the tone of the meeting there is no doubt but that there will be organized baseball here again soon.

Comanche, Brownwood, Coleman and Ballinger were represented at the meeting and during the session Brady phoned her willingness to enter. An effort will be made to interest Winters in the league and complete the six club circuit.

Leon Shields, of Coleman, called the meeting to order and they immediately went into business. The matter of forming a league under national protection was agreed upon by all present. The Ballinger delegation presented the proposed name of "Colorado Valley League," but after some discussion the name "Auto League" was adopted, it being pointed out and agreed upon that practically all travel would be in cars with the short jumps in the circuit.

In the election of officers Carl Guin of Ballinger was elected President, and Garland Woodward of Coleman, Secretary; both to serve without pay.

After some discussion the number of players and salary limit was settled. It was agreed that each team be allowed to carry twelve men, and that the salary limit of each club not be allowed to exceed $1.000 per month. The directors of each club will be required to make an affidavit each month as to the exact salary paid for the preceding month. It was further decided that a guarantee of $35.00 per day should be paid the visiting club and that there would be no share in the gate receipts by the visiting club, all over the guarantee going to the home club. Each team will have one uniform only and will use it on the road and at home. No Sunday ball will be played, at least is not provided in the schedule. Each town will furnish one umpire who will serve without pay and thereby eliminate all overhead expense of the league. Each town will provide themselves with a park and grandstand. The schedule will consist of 70 games giving each team 35 games at home and 35 on the road and will start about the 15th or 20th of June and end on or about Labor Day with the other Class D leagues.

As soon as six towns are signed up for the league the work of getting finances and parks ready and buying of uniforms and signing of players will begin. Ballinger already has several players under consideration, and with the report of the forming of a new league in West Texas many applications are expected to be received since the announcement of the granting of the circuit by Secretary Farrell of the National Commission.

REMEMBER YOUR MOTHER

Mother's Day, Sunday 14th.

TO MOTHER

You're my Mother, come what may,
Loving, good and true;
Mother's Day is every day,
In my thoughts of you.

Nothing would gladden her heart more as an expression of thoughtful remembrance than a box of NORRIS, ELMER'S or JOHNSTON'S Candies.

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SAYS DEMOCRACY IS CHALLENGED

PHILADELPHIA, May 13—Democratic civilization is even more fundamentally and squarely challenged by the Bolsheviki than it ever was by Prussianism, William E. Wallinger, author and student of socialism, declared here today before the American Academy of Political and Social Science. Walling is in daily contact with agents of the soviet regime. He said that he has convinced the labor element of this country that there can be no rehabilitation if Europe gives a new lease of power to the most destructive regime since the days of Ganghis Khan.

CONFERENCE AT CRITICAL STAGE

GENOA, May 13—The result of the meeting of the economic conference's subcommittee on Russian affairs today the situation became so critical that it seemed doubtful as to whether the British and French positions could be reconciled.

Mrs. A. R. Crews and son are here from San Angelo visiting friends a few days.

They Say Fishin' Is Good

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Mother's Day



R. L. HENRY SPEAKS HERE

Col. R. L. Henry, candidate for United States Senate, spoke at the court house in Ballinger Friday afternoon to a good sized crowd and was received with great enthusiasm. Judge A. K. Doss, attorney of this city, introduced him. Col Henry spoke on his platform for about an hour and a quarter, closing in time to catch the East bound Santa Fe for Coleman where he was billed to speak Friday night.

Col. Henry spoke of the United States cancelling the allied war debts and said that he was positively against it. "I want you to know that if you elect me to the Senate I will never agree to cancel it or give one dollar of it to them." said the speaker. "I think we should take five billion of it and pay the adjusted compensation." Mr. Henry pointed out that the debt owed the American soldier who left his home and fought was still unsettled and that it should be paid. "We may need them to fight for us again some day and perhaps it may not be at any distant day," he said. He pointed out that Great Britain had already appropriated $125,000,000 to pay the semi-annual interest on her war debt to us, and said that instead of quibbling over the matter that the obligation should be paid.

He then took up the Ku Klux Klan and outlined the principles of that organization, saying that he was born a member of the Klan, his father being one in the days following the Civil War.

In speaking of the limitation of foreign immigration, Col. Henry stated that the time had come when this country should rise up and say to the world "we are going to almost completely shut our doors against the speckled progeny of those people who are coming to us from the slums of European centers, and they shall not become citizens of our country." He pointed out that there was a time when we welcomed them and needed them in the development of our country but that since the world war it was a different class that was coming across the Atlantic.

Col. Henry emphasized his belief in the freedom of religion, freedom of conscience and freedom of the press. He put his foot down on negro equality. He spoke at length on the Klan's view of this as well as the closer relationship between labor and capital, the protection of pure womanhood and the sanctity of the home, preventing the causes of mob violence and lynching, the upholding of the constitution of the United States and the separation of church and state.

Col. Henry was in town all Friday morning and in the company of friends called on many people, shaking hands and making their acquaintance.

He who gets his start at the race track is often finished there.

ONE SERVICE SUNDAY NIGHT

There will only be one place in town to attend church tomorrow night, and that is the Methodist church, where the baccalaureate sermon will be preached to the Senior Class of the Ballinger High School. Rev. W. C. Kunze arrived Saturday morning from Eastland and will deliver the sermon.

The Methodist church is being decorated today and the Sunday school rooms will be opened and filled with chairs so that as many as possible will be able to get seats. The Seniors will occupy the front seats in the middle row as has been the custom heretofore. Arrangements are being made to handle the largest crowd that has ever been seated in this church, so don't stay away on account of the big crowd for those in charge think they will have enough room for everyone.

The choir will hold its last rehearsal Sunday afternoon at three o'clock and with the two weeks rehearsals that have been done under the direction of Miss Edith Miller, the music promises to be a feature of the service.

Processional
Anthem, "Praise Ye The Father," (Gounod)
Hymn 84
Scripture Reading
Prayer
Hymn 355
Offertory: Violin Solo, Herbert Preston
Anthem: "The Golden Threshold," (Lohr)
Sermon
Prayer
Hymn 654
Benediction
Postlude.

MELLON REFERS REPORT BACK

WASHINGTON, May 13—A report of the special committee which made the inventory of the stock of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, has been referred by Secretary Mellon back to the committee, Director Hill and Custodian of Paper Collins, for their joint consideration, on the differences disclosed, it was stated today at the treasury department.

Disinfectant Lime

One sack properly used about the premises might save a doctor bill. J. K. Hutton. 13-2d

Attention

Regular meeting of Pat Williams Post American Legion will be held in the rooms at 2:30 Sunday, May 14th. Important matters to be taken up.

MARVIN ATKINS, Post Com.
O. C. WILLIAMS, Adjutant.

I will sell fresh Tamales Saturday and Sunday, 15c per dozen at restaurant across from Santa Fe depot. Pablo Silvaz. 13-1d-*

CHICAGO IS AGAIN IN STATE OF WARFARE

CHICAGO, May 13.—While the police were rushing the activities against the labor leaders who are charged with placing Chicago in a state of warfare, the crack of pistols and the boom of shot guns broke out again today in various sections of the city.

Four persons were dead at noon and three injured as a result of the labor-police war.

CHICAGO, May 13.—The police net about the figures in the recent series of bombings and beatings, which culminated Wednesday in two policemen being killed, tightened today, the authorities said, with the obtaining of partial confessions from three of approximately 150 labor union heads now under arrest and the arrest of three more.

The arrest of one man in St. Louis who has been identified as one of the actual slayers, was imminent, the police stated.

TO RECOVER FRAUD MONEY

WASHINGTON, May 13—The amount the government will recover from the alleged fraud cases will be many times the sum granted to defray the expenses incident to their possession, the House appropriations committee declared in the presenting a bill carrying an appropriation of $500.000 to be used by the department of justice as a special investigating and prosecution fund.

EDEN HAS SERIOUS FIRE

Last Sunday night fire of unknown origin broke out in Eden and for some time threatened to wipe out the entire block of business houses, but good work on the part of the fire boys saved the fire from spreading to a large extent. The Walters Restaurant, the City Meat Market and the Wilson light plant, grist mill and feed store, were all destroyed. An estimate of the loss has been placed at between $5,000 and $8,000, with Mr. Wilson the heaviest loser.

COMMISSION ASKS FOR INFORMATION

WASHINGTON, May 13—President Moore and half a dozen independent steel companies mentioned in connection with the reported projected merger, were called upon today by the Federal Trade Commission for full and specific information as to the plan of the merger before the plan is consummated or actual transfers made.

R. R. COMPANY ASKS FOR REDUCED RATES

AUSTIN, May 13.—An application made by the San Antonio & Aransas Pass Railroad for a reduced rate on cotton and corn for replanting purposes in the flood stricken areas, was granted by the Texas Railroad Commission today. Other roads are expected to apply for reduced rates.

WINTERS REPAIRING DAMAGE TO CITY DAM

Workmen with teams and the necessary equipment are busily engaged in repairing the damage to the dam. It was found that the water had eaten out a much deeper hole where it broke thru than was at first expected. The wet condition of the dirt to be moved also makes work slow.

It is estimated that we have two month's supply of water in the lake, and rains that are almost sure to come within that time it is hoped, will fill the lake again before the hot summer.—Winters Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Turner are here from Colorado and will be here some time organizing the first local "Limited Benefit Association."

FT. WORTH MAN KILLED ON STREET

FT. WORTH, May 13.—L. T. Martin, a merchant here, was shot to death this morning as he was walking along East Front Street. The shot was fired from the second story of a nearby building.

S. J. Henley was arrested and charged with the killing of Martin.

SHERIFF FEARS DEMONSTRATION

STILLWATER, Okla., May 13.—When the preliminary hearing of Earl E. Gordon, a government student at the Oklahoma A. & M. College, and who is charged with murder in connection with the shooting of Beckham Cobb, another vocational student, began in the district court here today, armed deputies were stationed about the chamber to prevent a possible demonstration. The sheriff announced last night that he was taking this precaution because he had an intimation that something unseemly was possible.

FT. WORTH GETS BIDS FOR LEVEES

FT. WORTH, May 13.—Bids for the building of levees on three sides of the municipal water plant will be received by the city commission next Saturday. This is the first effort to protect the plant from future floods.

WOULD INVESTIGATE GASOLINE INCREASE

WASHINGTON, May 13.—A Senate investigation of the recent advance in gasoline is proposed in a resolution introduced today by Senator McKellar, Democrat of Tennessee. Prompt action was asked by the Senator but it went over pending, to await the determination of whether the Sinclair resolution was pending.

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

S. D. CHESTNUT HEADS T. P. A.

DENTON, May 13.—S. D. Chestnut of the Kennedy Advance, was elected president of the Texas Press Association today. Galveston was chosen as the next place of meeting.

Will L. West of the Polk County Enterprise was elected vice-president of the association.

Ledger want-ads work for you.

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- Annual County Fair
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- Tourists Camping Grounds
- Completion of C. V. I. Project.
- Patronage for Home Industries.
- If you endorse this platform get busy and help the Y. M. B. L., put it over.
- Every plank in it is within the city's reach if the citizens will pull together.
- We are doing our part.

What will you do tomorrow to honor your mother?

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It has been called to the attention of The Ledger that every afternoon the young boys of the town are going swimming in the city water lake. This should not be allowed. If the boys don't know better than to use the lake as a swimming hole the officers should teach them that it does not meet the laws of sanitation.

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The county will soon ask for bids on the completion of the highway leading out of Ballinger to Abilene. Bids will be solicited for the graveling of this road to the section that has already been completed in the Winters territory. When this is completed it will give a pike all the way to Abilene and will make travel easy over that road in any kind of weather. With two new bridges over Elm Creek no kind of weather would prevent travel.

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More tourist travel is coming through Ballinger every day and now is the time that we could get some good advertising by providing a good camping ground suitable for spending the night here. The longer a tourist stays in town the more benefit the town receives from him. In the near future the Young Men's Business League plans to publish 10,000 highway maps which show Ballinger about the center of the route from Corpus Christi to El Paso. Some more good advertising the league is giving Ballinger.

Whooping Cough

This is a very dangerous disease, particularly to children under five years of age, but when no paregoric, codeine or other opiate is given, is easily cured by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Most people believe that it must run its course, not knowing that the time is very much shortened, and that there is little danger from the disease when this remedy is given. It has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, with pronounced success. It is safe and pleasant to take.

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B. M. SMITH

For Tax Collector
W. L. BROWN

For Tax Assessor:
M. D. CHASTAIN

For County Clerk:
W. A. FORGEY

For County Treasurer:
MRS. R. P. KIRK

For District Clerk:
GEORGIA SINGLETARY

For County Judge:
PAUL TRIMMIER

For Sheriff:
J. P. FLYNT

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
JOHN I. RUGG

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:
F. F. BATTS
J. P. BOOTHE

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

For State Road and Bridge Construction

Sealed proposals addressed to Paul Trimmier, County Judge, for the improvement of certain Highways in Runnels County, will be received at the office of the County Judge at Ballinger, Texas, until 2:00 o'clock p. m. May 26th, 1922, and then publicly opened and read.

Description of Work to be Done:

Construction of 9.8 miles of gravel surfaced road on the Ballinger-Abilene State Highway No. 30, and three blocks of 6 inch concrete pavement in the City of Winters, Texas.

(Approximate Quantities):

2.76 acres Clearing
17 Sta. Light Clearing
2.76 acres grubbing
19,275.8 cubic yards Earth Borrow
290.1 cubic yards Loose Rock Excavating
27,442.6 cubic yards Roadway Exc.
1,215.6 cubic yards Channel Exc.
15,635.9 cubic yards Overhaul
33,176.0 lbs. Reinforcing Steel
342.67 cubic yards Class A. Concrete
103.9 cubic yards Class B. Concrete
244.89 cubic yards 1:2:3 1-2 Concrete
1,296.3 cubic yards Srr. Exc. Dry
20,789.0 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Screened
20,789.0 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Haul 1st 1-4 Mi.
4,787.8 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Haul 2nd 1-4 Mi.
4,848.8 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Haul 3rd 1-4 Mi.
4,056.1 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Haul 4th 1-4 Mi.
2,766.8 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Haul 5th 1-4 Mi.
1,122.0 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Haul 6th 1-4 Mi.
920.7 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Haul 7th 1-4 Mi.
237.1 cubic yards Gravel Surfacing Haul 8th 1-4 Mi.
6,975.6 cubic yards Stripping Gravel Pits
1,526.0 square yards 3 inch Brick Pavement on 5 inch concrete base
1,586.0 square yards 6 inch Plain concrete Pavement as an alternate.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained at the Office of H. Stephens, County Engineer, Ballinger, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

A certified or cashier's check, for three thousand eight hundred dollars ($3,800.00) made payable without recourse to the order of Paul Trimmier, County Judge, of Runnels County, must accompany each proposal, as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with the requirements of the specifications. The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject any and all proposals and to waive all technicalities. The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject either one or both of the items of plain concrete pavement or brick pavement.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for the Construction of State Highway No. 30, Project No. 200-E in Runnels County."

All bids received will be retained by the county and will not be returned to the bidders.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Runnels County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the Estate of P. E. Lunsford, deceased, notice is hereby given that T. L. Tucker, by his attorneys, Parish & Sutton, has filed an application in the County Court of Runnels County, on the 5th day of May 1922, for Probate of Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and for Letters Testamentary thereon which said application will be heard by said Court on the 7th day of August, 1922, at the court house of said county, in Ballinger, at which time all persons interested in said Estate, are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Ballinger, this 5th day of May, 1922.

(Seal) W. A. FORGEY, Clerk, County Court, Runnels County, Texas.

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MAEROY OPERATOR LEAVES ON AN IMPORTANT MISSION

Ernest Buffington, operator, publicity man, etc., at the Maeroy Theatre, left Friday afternoon with a round trip ticket to Galveston, and it is rumored he will visit other points in South Texas. While Mr. Buffington gave the reason for his trip as just a few days of rest, his friends say that he carried with him a certificate authorizing him to enter the holy state of matrimony, and that he will return to Ballinger next Monday with Mrs. Buffington.

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No. 324

BANKS OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION

of the First State Bank at Rowena, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 5th day of May, 1922, published in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper printed and published at Ballinger, State of Texas on the 13 day of May, 1922.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	$202,617.65
Loans, real estate	1,504.08
Overdrafts	729.75
Bonds and Stocks	4,175.18
Real Estate (Banking House)	6,380.00
Other Real Estate	9,641.50
Furniture and Fixtures	3,829.79
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	44,230.87
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	3,412.81
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fun	5,207.13
Customers' Liberty Bonds	1,600.00
TOTAL	$283,328.76

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$35,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	9,638.99
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	7,020.56
Individual Deposits, subject to check	187,277.47
Time Certificates of Deposit	36,535.25
Cashier's Checks	381.49
Bonds Deposited	1,600.00
Reserved for Dividends	875.00
TOTAL	$283,328.76

STATE OF TEXAS:
County of Runnels.

We, M. Feist, as president, and Fred Kiechle, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Signed M. Feist, President.
(Seal) Fred Kiechle, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, A. D., 1922.
W. A. Halamicek,
Notary Public, Runnels Co., Texas.

Correct Attest: P. P. Ewald, C. R. Roesler, H. B. Halfman, Directors.

Financial Statement of the

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS

May 5th 1922

Resources:		Liabilities:	
Loans & Discounts	$359,752.13	Capital Stock	$100,000.00
Liberty Bonds and W. S. S.	23,700.00	Surplus & Profits	46,117.12
Real Estate and Banking House	30,001.00	Bills Payable	NONE
Dep. Guar. Fund	6,892.86	Rediscounts	NONE
Grty. Assm. Fund	3,000.00	Deposits	396,007.99
Cash & Exch'nge	118,778.12		
	$542,125.11		$542,125.11

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H. Giesecke, President	H. Giesecke
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Depend upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Nervousness, irritability, heat flashes, headache and dizziness, are relieved by this splendid medicine.

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

INSPIRATION

A RECENT Sunday newspaper printed a picture of the head of one of New York's biggest banks. He was in a baseball uniform, and but for a mustache—an ornament now discarded by ball players—looked like a professional.

The picture was taken at an outing of the Bond club. The banker served as pitcher for the New York team. The type below recited the fact that he got his first job in an Albany bank because he was a crack ball player, applied himself to banking as eagerly as he had applied himself to baseball, and in a few years was well on his way to his present position.

It is needless to say that this particular baseball player didn't put all he had into the game. He was unusually gifted as a pitcher, and might easily have got into one of the big leagues, too.

But he had the good sense to know that baseball was not a steady business, and that banking was. And instead of seizing an opportunity to make fairly big money early in youth, he was content to try the banking business on a small salary.

Of course there are a good many men who started in the banking business when he did, and who are still about where they were when they started. But at least they still have steady jobs. If they had taken to baseball they would not be doing as well.

Our object in referring to this particular case is to call attention to the fact that if you want inspiration in your work you can get it in the newspapers—plenty of it.

Brief bits of biography such as the one we have cited appear almost every day.

Seldom is a prominent man's name mentioned in connection with an important affair that you do not learn something about how he started and why he succeeded.

If you want to read about the failures—and the horrible examples, you can read about them, too.

While this man was rising from a bank clerk to a bank president, another man who started as an important official of a bank—chiefly because his father owned most of it—was preparing to travel in the other direction. He made the journey, and has just arrived at the point he started for.

All human history is epitomized in the daily news.

Read the papers. Think about what you read. After that if you don't succeed, it will not be because nobody told you how.

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Systematic Accumulation.

"How did prices get to be so high in the first place?" inquired the plain citizen.

"Well," replied Mr. Dustin Stax, "the more profit you made the more surtax you had to pay and the more surtax you had to pay the more profit you had to make."

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Evils of Constipation

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Some cheaper than last year and I have lots in stock. Keep the flies and doctors out. J. K. Hutton. 13-2d

TREBLE CLUB CLUB GOOD

The Treble Clef Club of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, gave a concert at the Carnegie Library last night to a small but appreciative audience. The date of the concert had been postponed several times and that is given as one reason for the small crowd that greeted the glee club. The size of the audience, however, did not affect the quality of the concert and many numbers were greeted with hearty applause and called back for encores.

The harmony singing of the club was the best of any of their preceding trips to Ballinger and while many new faces are on the roll this year, the club is the best that has yet visited Ballinger. Mr. Marshall delighted the auditors with his solos and closed the program singing "The Holy City" and illustrating it with a crayon drawing. This number especially pleased the audience and the applause brought Mr. Marshall back to the stage several times.

The club was closing a two weeks' trip on the road during which time they have been tied up in water and mud most of the tour. The are traveling in a big truck and reached Ballinger rather tired after a hard trip.

CROUP

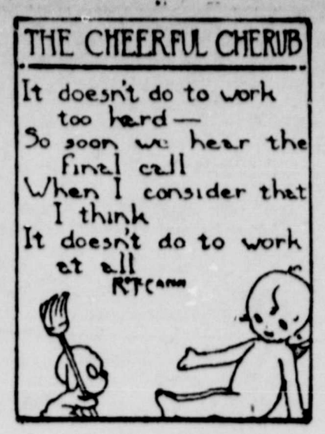
Spasmodic Croup is frequently relieved by one application of—

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Mrs. Lloyd Hill, who has been making Ballinger home for the past year left Friday for Wingate, where she goes to join her husband. Mr. Hill is a contractor who has built several houses in Ballinger and at present is building a home at Wingate.

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



Church of the Nazarene

Mother's Day will be observed tomorrow at our church at the eleven o'clock hour with an interesting program. A hearty invitation is extended you and a warm welcome awaits you at our church. We want you to be in this service tomorrow.

The night service has been called in to give all our people an opporunity to attend the service at the Methodist church and hear the baccalaureate sermon.

Sunday school promptly at 9:45 a. m., N. E. Atkinson, supt.

Young People's Society meets promptly 6:30 p. m.

Woman's Missionary Society will meet Monday at 3:00 p. m. at the parsonage for devotion and work.

Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to worship with us.

E. D. MESSER, Pastor.

8th Street Presbyterian Church

Mother's Day will be observed at this church Sunday morning, and the minister, Rev. Jesse Mitchell will preach an appropriate sermon upon the theme, "Watchful, Waiting Mothers."

On account of the baccalaureate services, there will be no meeting at this church at the evening hour.

IN MANY SPORTS SUITS FLANNEL REPLACES SILK



AS THE leaves of fashion's book unfold, many versions of the sports suit are presented. There is an ever-increasing variety in clothes classed as "sports wear," and regulation sports suits are supplemented by many others, designed to serve, with equal propriety, for sports or for the street. Then there are those handsome affairs that dignify the mode by appropriating rich materials—as the velvet sports coat to be worn with serge, linen or flannel skirts. It is a straw in a veering wind which lately has blown quite steadily toward flannels for summer wear.

Flannels are used in the "sweater colors" to make chic coats, to be substituted for sweater coats or sweaters. They have a downy texture that makes these joyous coats of many colors as flattering as candle light, and they fit in with summer backgrounds in a way to make glad the hearts of all outdooring women. Along with this colorful coat comes the skirt of white flannel—a natural affinity for it as well as for dainty sweaters.

Fashion had only to look at these new arrivals, to greet them with a smile, having already approved the union of the dark blue or black coat with a white skirt. Just a glance at this combination as pictured here, is enough to prove that it cannot be improved upon for style or economy, for it is as well adapted to the street as to sports wear. The dark blue coat proclaims its loyalty to the skirt by wearing white on pockets and collar and in a white belt. It fastens with white pearl buttons.

Julia Bottomley

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MADGE KENNEDY IN A COMEDY NEXT WEEK AT MAEROY THEATRE

Included in the list of attractions to be shown on the screen at the Maeroy Theatre next week, is "Oh Mary Be Careful," starring that vivacious actress of stage and screen, Madge Kennedy. Other stars to be seen at this playhouse during the week commencing Monday, May 15th, are Wm. S. Hart, Edna Murphy, Johnny Walker, Elmo Lincoln, Harry "Snub" Pollard, Tom Mix. Below is the schedule:

Monday and Tuesday—Wm. S. Hart in "O'Malley of the Mounted," a Paramount picture. Also Star comedy.

Wednesday and Thursday—Wm. Fox offers "Play Square," with special star cast. Also Fox News.

Friday—Madge Kennedy in "Oh Mary Be Careful," special six-part comedy. Elmo Lincoln in "The Adventures of Tarzan," "Topics of the Day," and Rolin farce-comedy.

Saturday—Tom Mix in "After Your Own Heart," a five part comedy drama of the West. A Fox two reel farce comedy "The Book Agent."

STOMACH TROUBLES

Indiana Lady Had Something Like Indigestion Until She Took Black-Draught, Then Got All Right.

Seymour, Ind.—"Some time ago I had a sick spell, something like indigestion," writes Mrs. Clara Peacock, of Route 6, this place. "I would get very sick at the stomach, and spit or vomit, especially in the mornings.

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"I haven't found anything better than Black-Draught when suffering from trouble caused by constipation. It is easy and sure. Can be taken in small doses or large as the case calls for."

When you have sick stomach, indigestion, headache, constipation, or other disagreeable symptoms, take Black-Draught to help keep your system free from poison.

Thedford's Black-Draught is made from purely vegetable ingredients acts in a gentle, natural way, and has no bad after-effects. It may be safely taken by young or old.

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Daily Ledger Want Ads

FOR RENT—Bed rooms or light housekeeping rooms. Phone 321. 8-sat-tf

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WANTED—To buy second-hand Clothing. 123 Eighth St. 12-1mo-d

FOR TRADE—Fordson tractor and triple disc plow, for a truck. J. W. Clampitt. 11-3d-*

FOR SALE—Pure Red Top Cane Seed, 4 cents per pound in small quantities; larger quantities cheaper. E. N. Phipps, Rt. B, Ballinger, Texas.

FOR RENT—Nazarene parsonage, South Broadway. Phone 290. 8-6d-*

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping and bed rooms. Phone 179. 5-tfd-*

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The heat of red peppers takes the "ouch" from a sore, lame back. It can not hurt you, and it certainly ends the torture at once.

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Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone.

Ask any druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.

Notice to Dog Owners

The City Commission has ordered me to enforce the dog ordinance, and you are hereby notified to pay your dog license fees of $1.00 for 1922, at the City Hall, and get your receipt and collar tag. All dogs running at large, without a tag after the 15th of May will be shot as they are found.

B. W. PILCHER,
City Marshall.

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Maeroy Theatre

Monday and Tuesday



William S. Hart in "O'Malley of the Mounted"
A Paramount Picture

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BALLINGER, TEXAS

DEATHS

MRS. LUCY NAYLOR DIES AT NORTON

Mrs. Lucy Naylor, mother of Mrs. E. J. Hanley, died at the Hanley home at Norton Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. She was 71 years old and had been sick for some time, suffering with dropsy or some similar heart trouble, and her death was not a surprise, although was nonetheless sad to those who knew her.

The body was shipped to Crawford, Texas, Friday afternoon for burial there.

Lumbago

This is a rheumatism of the muscles of the back. It comes on suddenly and is quite painful. Every movement aggravates the disease. Go to bed, keep quiet and have Chamberlain's Liniment applied and a quick recovery may be expected. Mrs. F. J. Dann, Brockport, N. Y., writes "I can honestly say that Chamberlain's Liniment cured me of lumbago a year ago last summer. When I began using it, I was flat on my back in bed and could not turn to the left or right. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment in the house and this was applied to my back. It promptly drove away the pains and aches."

Methodist Church

Sunday school 9:45, L. L. Williams, supt.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Junior League at 2:00 p. m.

Women's Missionary Society Monday 3:00 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Sunday is Mother's Day. Let's make it a great day. Rev. W. H. Doss will preach the sermon. Rev. W. C. Kunze will preach the commencement sermon for the High School at this church at 8:00 p. m.

You have a cordial invitation to all of these services. Come and hear these good men preach.

C. E. SIMPSON, Pastor.

Holmes will sell you Tires for less money. 3-dtf

Mother's Cook Book

"All service ranks the same with God, With God, whose puppets, best and worst Are we: There is no last and first."

EVERYDAY FISH DISHES

ONE may usually find good salt or smoked fish in the markets when the fresh fish are unobtainable. Finnan haddie is haddock which is dried and salted, then smoked, which gives it the flavor so well liked. It should be freshened very carefully not to lose that flavor. Twenty to thirty minutes' soaking in warm water is sufficient to remove the excess of salt. Picked up, added to cream and served with baked potatoes it is very good.

Finnan Haddie With Tomatoes.

Take one and one-half pounds of finnan haddie, two tablespoonfuls of flour, three tablespoonfuls of butter, a dash of pepper, three tablespoonfuls of minced onion, two cupfuls of tomato juice and two tablespoonfuls of green peppers minced. Freshen the fish and cook it gently in water for twenty minutes. Flake it into small bits with two forks, carefully removing all bones. Melt the butter in a saucepan, fry the onion and pepper until softened, add the flour and gradually the tomato juice. Let the mixture boil, add the fish, and when it becomes very hot serve at once with boiled macaroni.

Casserole of Smoked Halibut.

Take one and one-half pounds of smoked halibut, three small onions, one-half cupful of carrots cut in strips, six potatoes quartered, one-fourth teaspoonful of pepper, one and one-half cupfuls of tomato juice, four tablespoonfuls of butter, boiling water and bread crumbs. Brown the carrots and onions in the fat and parboil the potatoes for five minutes, then drain and rinse them. Scald the fish and cut in pieces suitable for serving. Put a layer in the casserole, then some crumbs and vegetables, more fish, until all is used. Barely cover with boiling water and tomato juice. Put the cover on the dish and bake for one hour.

Nellie Maxwell

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N. Y. P. S. Entertains

On Friday night at 8:00 o'clock the Young People's Society of the Nazarene Church met at the home of the pastor, Rev. E. D. Messer on 12th Street, for regular monthly business and social meeting.

After the business of the evening had been transacted, many interesting games were enjoyed by the young people, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. Messer and family; Faye Atkinson, Leta Miller, Presley Atkinson, Lois Jeanes, Melvin Miller, Ora B. Miller, May Little, Floyd Little, Neva Little, Geneva Atkinson, Eunice Arrant, Oma Arrant, Verna Ransbarger, Henry Hughes, Pansy Parker, Thelma Morris, Elton Wilson, Earl Pearse, Aline Pearse, Tommie Wiley, Bessie May Wiley, Fathrine Wiley, Birdie Mae Smith, Tessie McGeehee, and Ruth Spoonts.

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Willard Wooden came in from Lubbock, where he is playing baseball with the Lubbock Hubbers and will be here for a few days visiting friends. Willard is only resting for a few days and says that all the pitchers in the circuit are suffering with sore arms due to the extreme cold weather on the Plains. All week there have been overcoats in evidence at the park during games, the Ballinger boy said. "Will-I" says that Lubbock is due to win the pennant and that as soon as warm weather gets at work and the pitchers get to going good that they will climb back on top.

Read Ledger "wants" column.

FARM, RANCH OR DAIRY WORK WANTED BY MAN

W. Goodson, wife and four children are in this city and are in need of work. Mr. Goodson called at The Ledger office and asked that we help him in securing work if possible. He and his family are experienced in farming, or any kind of ranch or dairy work. If anyone needs this labor please notify County Agent D. F. Eaton.

Hulls, Hulls, Hulls

Plenty of cotton seed meal in stock and car hulls due to arrive soon. J. K. Hutton. 13-2d

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Baptist Church

Worshiping in Carnegie Library.

Mother's Day will be observed at the morning hour. Bring your mother to the services if possible. If not, bring the mother of someone else. Mother's ideal generally is, to go to church.

Young people's meetings in the evening.

No service at 8:00 p. m. on account of the baccalaureate sermon at the Methodist church.

ALVIN SWINDELL, Pastor.

Lumber

Now unloading car high grade lumber, another to arrive soon. Lumber is advancing but all orders booked will go out at old price. J. K. Hutton. 13-2d

Rev. Alvin Swindell went to Abilene Friday night, where he served as one of the judges in a debate between Howard Payne College of Brownwood, and Simmons College of Abilene. The debate was held between the girls teams of the two colleges and was won by Simmons.

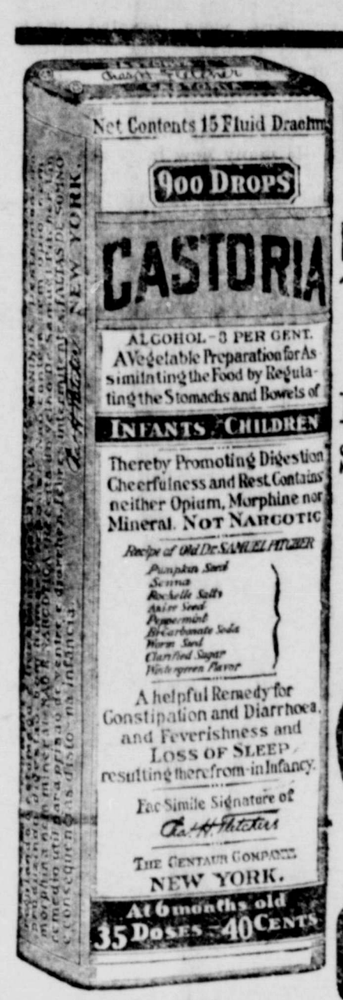
LEAVE TO ATTEND THE PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lankford left Friday afternoon to attend the National Presbyterian Assembly, which will meet at Des Moines, Iowa. They planned to spend Friday night in Brownwood with a daughter living there and the next night in Fort Worth with another daughter, and then take a through train to Des Moines. Before leaving Mr. Lankford made arrangement for The Daily Ledger to follow them saying that he would have to have news from Ballinger while he was away.

Wilbert "Slick" Lankford accompanied his parents on the trip to Fort Worth, where he will stay with his sister and attend school this summer.

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MOTHER'S DAY

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Eighth Street Presbyterian Church

Do honor to yourself and pay a tribute to Mother by attending church Sunday morning.



If she is living, write her a letter, if not, write your best friend's mother a letter.

Sermon Subject: "Watchful, Waiting Mothers"

Jess. Mitchell, Minister

STATEMENT of Condition

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OF BALLINGER
May 5th, 1922

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$378,188.39
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
Bonds, Stocks, Securities, etc.	6,525.00
Banking House, F. and F.	27,735.00
Real Estate	17,500.00
Acceptances [cotton]	NONE
Cash and Exchange	175,899.32
	$ 632,347.71

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	67,723.16
Circulation	24,600.00
Rediscounts	NONE
Bills Payable	NONE
Deposits	440,024.55
	$ 632,347.71

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