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FATHER SHOT AT BY SON

MEN LEAVE COAL FIELD; GOVERNMENT MAY SEND TROOPS TO STOP FIGHT

By Associated Press

CARBONDALE, Ill., June 24

—More than one hundred and fifty coal miners from the Hermin mine district, passed through here last night and early today, going out of the coal fields.

The miners are believed to be union men, but no reason has been given for the exodus from the mining district.

HERMIN, Ill., June 24.—A military commission headed by Major General Egan, commander of the 33rd Division, sent by Gov. Small to report on the situation in the Southern Illinois coal fields, arrived at Carbondale today and went to the coal fields.

Upon the recommendations of the commission depends the future policy of the state government in handling the situation, and will determine whether troops shall be sent into the district or not. The commission went over the scenes of the massacre and the ruins of the Lester mine.

Officers of the miners' union, and peace officers of Williamson county are being questioned by an investigating committee.

WASHINGTON, June 24.

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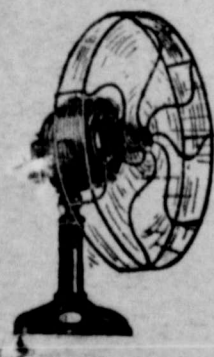
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The mine disorders in Illinois were held up today by Senator Myers, Democrat from Montana, in the Senate, as proof that there is no "free America" and as a justification that there can be no free America so long as the American citizens cannot work where they please, for whom they please, and at whatever price they choose, without seeking the consent of the "invisible government" organized by the minority.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 24.—The United Mine Workers of America, all officers and members of the union, were made defendants in a suit for an injunction in the federal district court here today by Clara Mason, owner of a mine in Indiana. The court was asked to restrain the union miners from continuing their activities aimed at closing the mines in the state.

CHICAGO, June 24.—Illinois troops are being held in readiness to leave on a moment's notice for the coal fields in Williamson county, where a large number of non-union miners were massacred Wednesday and where further trouble is feared.

Mrs. E. G. Townsend, of Belton, has been the guest of Mrs. A. S. Love.

W. C. Reeves and family, of Bonham, are here visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Reeves was formerly engaged in the printing business in Ballinger and is busy meeting old friends.

NEGRO SNATCHED FROM THE NOOSE

By Associated Press

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., June 24.—Mack Tabb, a negro, with a noose about his neck was being hauled up on a cypress limb by a crowd of young men when older men saved the negro's life.

The older men rescued the negro and turned him over to the county authorities. Tabb was charged with assaulting Henry B. James a traveling salesman.

J. A. Guy, of Talpa, had business in Ballinger Friday.



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THIRD BROTHER DIES SUDDENLY

By Associated Press

McKINNEY, Tex., June 24.—M. W. Coffey, age 77, died at his home at Lone Grove, Oklahoma, today. He was the third brother to die within 76 hours of each other. The other two Coffey brothers died here.

CURB DEBATE ON TARIFF

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The Senate Republican leaders today put into operation a plan to curb the debate on the long pending tariff bill, a petition to invoke the existing cloture rule operative under the two-thirds vote, was drafted by Curtis, of Kansas, a Republican.

See "Perny" the special.

GERMAN MINISTER IS ASSASSINATED

By Associated Press

BERLIN, June 24.—Dr. Walter Rathenau, German minister of foreign affairs, was assassinated today. He was shot and instantly killed as he was leaving his residence. The assassin escaped and the police have no clue to his identity.

CANDIDATE FOR STATE TREASURER HERE

W. D. Carroll, of Comanche, candidate for state treasurer, was campaigning in Ballinger Saturday. Mr. Carroll met a number of old acquaintances here who are boosters for him, and he thinks that when a man's old neighbors and acquaintances stay with him it is a good recommendation.

Butter stamps.—The Ballinger

LABOR UNIONS OPPOSE RUSSIA

By Associated Press

CINCINNATI, June 24.—For the third successive year, the American Federation of Labor was placed on record by action of the convention here today, against the recognition of the Russian soviet government.

T. S. Lankford is at home from a trip on the road, where he booked orders for mattresses and overalls from his factories here. He reports a successful trip.

Mrs. Emma Nash returned home Saturday at noon from Ranger, where she had been for ten days or two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Moore.

GOVERNOR SMALL IS NOT GUILTY

By Associated Press

WAUKEGAN, Ill., June 24.—The jury trying Governor Small of Illinois, on a charge of having embezzled state funds, returned a verdict of not guilty shortly after noon today.

MARRIAGE LICENSES RECENTLY ISSUED

The following marriage license permits have been issued by the county clerk of Runnels county: Walter King and Miss Gladys Farrar.

Vaughn Harris and Miss Hermie Whitefield.

Joe Kerling and Miss Charlotte Sparks.

Weldon Howell and Miss Mamie Smith.

G. D. Thorman and Miss Martha Warren.

By Advertisers—

TOWN IS QUIET AFTER LYNCHING

By Associated Press

HOUSTON, June 24.—Montgomery county is reported quiet today following the lynching of a negro near New Dacus late yesterday. No further trouble is expected and the citizens are quietly going about their way as though nothing had happened.

Warren Lewis, a negro, age 18, was lynched by a posse of citizens after it was alleged he made a confession to the posse that he had attacked a young white woman earlier in the day. As soon as it became known that the white woman had been attacked a posse was organized and the negro was soon apprehended.

WILLIAMS WILL BUILD NICE HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart L. Williams are casting about for a location and have several sites in view, for the building of a modern bungalow home. Mr. Williams stated Saturday that work would begin on the new home as soon as they could settle on a location and close a deal for lots. They will build a modern bungalow and become permanent citizens of this city. Mr. Williams stated that he was here to stay until the irrigation project was fully developed and then he knew he would rather live here than anywhere else.

Mrs. A. J. Voelkel, who had been spending a few weeks in Marlin, returned home Saturday at noon.

Sheriff Flynt was called to the farm of W. F. Gorman, six miles South of Ballinger, shortly after noon Saturday to investigate a shooting. The first report received by the sheriff's department stated that Gorman had been shot by his son.

Visiting the scene of the shooting, accompanied by LeRoy Nicholson, the sheriff found that no blood had been spilled, the bullets going wild. Flynn Gorman is alleged to have shot at his father, and later appeared before the county attorney to make a statement, and other members of the family will be brought in for hearing Monday.

It is alleged that the young man shot at his father three or four times, and Sheriff Flynt says that he found four bullet holes in the door, or near the door of the house where it is alleged the shooting took place.

It is said that the Gorman family had been somewhat disrupted for some time, and various complaints by different members of the family have been made to the officers, but being a family quarrel the officers have not seen fit to take a hand in it.

The son who is alleged to have shot at his father is married and lives near the home of the father. He was not brought to town by the sheriff, but voluntarily came in and appeared before the officers to make a statement.

Conda Wylie and daughter, Miss Maurine, returned home Saturday at noon from Fort Worth, where Miss Wylie had been visiting.

Mrs. Joe Blagg and Joe Jr. came in Saturday at noon to visit Mrs. Blagg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilmeth.

Marshall Hayes, of Houston, was in Ballinger the last part of this week visiting friends.

Will Williams and family, of DeLeon, are here visiting Mr. Williams' brother, R. T. Williams.

DANGER PASSED IN FLOOD AREA

By Associated Press

BROWNSVILLE, June 24.—The crest of the last flood stage of the Rio Grande River was located today between Pharr and San Benito. The levees are holding and all danger at Mission is passed.

REPRESENTATIVE ASKED RETURN

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Republican members of the House from the territory in East Kansas, now absent from Washington today by Representative Mondell, Republican leader, owing to a one-man filibuster by Voight, Republican, of Wisconsin. The prompt return of the members will avoid the issuance of warrants. Mondell stated to absentees explaining it was necessary to have all Republicans here by Monday to carry out the legislative program.

LeRoy Nicholson was over from Ballinger last week on business in connection with the opening of the ginning season at his gin. While cotton is now selling at around 20c, Mr. Nicholson made the statement that he would pay 30 cents a pound for the first bale ginned in Eden this fall.—Eden Echo.

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THE PLEDGE

We are heartily in sympathy with the pledge adopted by the State Democratic Executive Committee, and if we had our way no voter who scratched the Democratic ticket at the last general election would be permitted to participate in the coming Democratic primary.

However, the law governing the question is so plain that no county Democratic executive committee can follow the state committee's recommendation and comply with that law. Article 3096 of the Terrell election law reads as follows: "No official ballot for primary election shall have on it any symbol or device, or any printed matter, except a primary test, to be uniform throughout the state, which shall read as follows:

"I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary."

If the law is worth the paper it is printed on, the counties which follow the recommendations of the state committee instead of complying with the law will offer grounds for a contest, and bring on litigation which might result in candidates of other parties being elected. The state committee had no authority for recommending such a pledge, and the committee was no doubt prompted by a desire to keep out those who every year rush into the Democratic primary to vote for some candidate who makes the race on some platform which suits their fancy, and then if they lose they deliberately violate their pledge and do the dishonest thing by trying to defeat the Democratic nominee.

We have many of such bolters in Runnels county. There is one box in the county where almost a solid vote was polled in the Democratic primary two years ago, and in the general election only six votes were cast for the Democratic nominees while the American and Republican parties received almost the full voting strength of the box.

It is this class of voters we would like to see barred from the Democratic primary until they could show some proof of their sincerity in coming back into the primary to help select candidates to be placed on the ticket in the general election.

A man who votes in the Democratic primary and pledges himself to support the nominees of that ticket, and then returns to the polls at the general election and votes for candidates who are running against the nominees, is politically dishonest, and his word is not worth any more than the word of a dead beat. Such voters should not be entitled to participate in the coming primary, but if they walk up to the polls and swallow the pledge the election authorities have no way of telling whether they are honest penitents or deliberate liars.

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C. Kornegay was here from Winters Friday helping to chase auto thieves.

Mrs. B. J. Copeland and daughters, Jennie Louise and Mary, came in from Cleburne Thursday night and will be the guests of Mrs. Copeland's sister, Mrs. J. G. Douglass for a few weeks.

See "Perjury" the special. 21-2d

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Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

SLOGAN OF FAILURE

"I had gone after that contract I would have landed it," said the manager of a business firm to one of his subordinates, who had returned empty-handed from a business trip.

"Sure you did," said the subordinate, cheerily, and if I had your brains instead of you, I'd be sitting in your chair, and you would be out pulling boners on the road."

The foregoing is typical of a conversation which, in some form or other, takes place in every business institution of importance on an average of twenty times a week.

It may be that the bosses are overconfident in their own ability and over severe on the men under them.

But the excuse beginning "if I had your brains," which bosses and employers hear till they weary of it, is the most inexcusable excuse that there is in existence.

The man who admits that he has not the brains to succeed will, of a certainty, never succeed.

The man who is convinced that he can never do as well as the boss does has stopped trying, and when a man stops trying he begins to slide back down the hill.

Of all the futile unprofitable employments, that of envying another man's brains is the worst.

An employer who hires a man for a position of trust and responsibility has the right to expect him to do what he is told to do, and to act, when out of the office, as the employer would act.

If he fails, he fails. Nobody can expect 100 per cent performance. But he at least should not make the excuse that he has failed because he lacked the energy, the intelligence and the resourcefulness to succeed.

The employer who spoke the words we quoted above used to be an employee himself. He made failures, of course, but he never excused them.

When he was "called" for these failures he resolved not to make them again and sometimes to show the boss that he had as many brains as the average employee. That is how he got where he is, which is at the head of one of the most important concerns in America. (Copyright)

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Berlin Potash Trade Revives.
Berlin.—Germany's potash industry, disrupted by the war, is rapidly getting on its feet again. Within the last few months Germany has concluded arrangements for resumption of her potash trade with all European countries, including the United States. The value of the total potash output in Germany in 1921 is estimated at 2,500,000,000 marks.

J. D. Perkins came in Friday to spend a few days at home with his family. Mr. Perkins has been traveling for a wholesale house for the past several months.

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DEATH CLAIMS
R. A. DICKINSON

Dr. Robert Arthur Dickinson passed away at his home in West End at seven-thirty o'clock Saturday morning, death coming suddenly, but not unexpectedly, as Dr. Dickinson had been in bad health for some time.

This death removes from the walks of life one of the early settlers and pioneer citizens of West Texas. Educated in the dental profession, deceased came to West Texas many years ago, and located in Runnels county in 1879. Abandoning his profession he engaged in the live-stock business and controlled interests in this and other communities.

Deceased was born in Falls county, Texas, on Aug. 14, 1862. On December 21, 1898, he married Miss Alice Swift, at Ballinger, and to them were born four children, Irma, Towner, Garland and Cecil. They are all here to attend the funeral of their father.

Besides his wife and children Dr. Dickinson is survived by quite a number of other relatives, including a brother, Rev. J. W. Dickinson, of Fort Worth, and a sister, Mrs. D. B. Cusenbury, of Sonora. These will be here to attend the funeral. Judge Chas. F. Dickinson, a brother of deceased, died in Ballinger several years ago; and another brother, H. E. Dickinson, died only a few years ago.

Dr. Dickinson had a large circle of acquaintances and many friends throughout this section of the state, and while it had been known for some time that the end was near, the news of his death will carry sorrow to many.

Arrangements have been made for the funeral, and Sunday morning at 10:30, Rev. C. E. Simpson, pastor of the Methodist church, of which deceased was a member, will conduct the funeral services, and interment will be made in Evergreen cemetery. The funeral services will be held at the residence in West End.

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Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:30. We are deviating a little from the regular order and are having Bible readings on various subjects, which are proving to be both interesting and helpful. Come and bring your Bible. Subject Wednesday night, "The Old Man—or why Need the Blessing of Sanctification."

E. D. MESSER, Pastor.

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HORTICULTURISTS WORK
ON PECANS AND GRAPES

By Associated Press

ANDERSON, Tex., June 24—Residents of Grimes county are watching experiments this year in top working of wild pecan trees with the more domestic and commercial varieties, and the grafting of tame grapes on the wild mustang or post oak grapes.

The work is being done under the direction of C. Hohn, county agricultural agent. He took a party of farmers to the A. & M. College at College Station, early in the year where demonstrations were given in pecan propagation. There are many wild pecan trees in Grimes county on which the work can be done.

Mr. Hohn reports on the grape experiments:

"There are a great many wild mustang and post oak grapes native to this county. They are very hardy and if we can successfully graft the same variety on the native variety it will prove very beneficial. So far 66 scions of the tame grape have been grafted into the native variety. At the present time 49 of them are alive and we feel certain that the union has been complete and that they will continue to live. However, we have found that some of those which have died at first appeared to be vigorous, but when the sap ceased to flow the inserted scion died. We hope to be able to report soon whether or not the work is a partial suc-

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SOCIETY

Reception for Pastor and Wife
Thursday evening, June 23rd, the ladies' aid society of the Christian Church gave a reception to the pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. Crager. The Sunday school rooms were tastefully arranged for the occasion. As the members of the church and guests entered the hall they were introduced to Mr. and Mrs. Crager by Mesdames E. D. Walker, Frank Atwell, and Horace Murphy. After all the guests had arrived a short program was carried out, to-wit:

Piano solo, Miss Lola Eubank.
Mr. Ed Walker then welcomed the pastor and his family in behalf of the men of the church, while Mrs. Dan Moser in a most pleasing and charming way welcomed them in behalf of the women of the church.

Mr. C. R. Crews gave a short history of the church, from its organization to the present, saying in part that thirty-five years ago this church was organized with twenty members and of that number there are now six of the charter members remaining, and

are active in the church work.

Mr. A. B. Legate spoke for the church as a whole towards its pastor.

Rev. Crager responded to the addresses in a very feeling and sympathetic manner.

A piano solo by Mrs. Halley closed the very interesting program, after which a social hour was spent, during which time refreshing punch was served.

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Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:15.

C. E. SIMPSON, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.

Dr. S. E. Chandler of Brownwood, will preach at the morning and evening hours.

Everyone invited to attend all these services.

THE FINGER NAILS

A general rule, when the nails are short, it is a sign of sharpness and quickness of intellect and the ability to learn easily. These indications must be confirmed, of course, by a study of the line of the hand, which must be good; that is, clear and strong.

If the line of Apollo, which runs up into the finger of Apollo, the third finger, is also good, the short nails mean wit, and in some cases irony.

"Short-nailed" subjects make the best journalists, by reason of their love of criticism and their readiness to engage in any dispute or contention," says Heron-Allen, a well known writer on palmistry. He holds also that in a good-natured and happy hand, or in a lazy hand, short nails denote a spirit of mockery and of good humored sarcasm, frivolity, criticism and contradiction.

Of course, it must be understood that by "short nails" are meant those that are short from base to tip, not those that are shortened by the nervous habit of biting them. The latter is an indication of nervousness, melancholy, and worry, especially if the finger tips are spatulated.

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Prayer, Mrs. Rhumann
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MANY DIFFERENT
SETS IN BIG WM. FOX
PICTURE MONDAY

Twenty-four separate interior sets were constructed on two floors of the immense New York studios for the production of "Perjury," the William Fox special presenting William Farnum in an intensely emotional role, which will open a two days engagement at the Macro Theatre Monday afternoon.

The sets include a spacious court room, in which the murder trial scenes were made. Marked contrasts are shown in the sets for the palatial residence of Jno. Gibson, the wealthy yet lonely manufacturer, and the humble but happy home of Robert Moore the factory manager. Some of the sets are for scenes of twenty years ago, while others are modern. Among them are offices, halls, entrances, prison cells, law offices, hotel suites, etc. They were constructed under the direction of Frederick L. Robitsch, technical director for Fox.

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Every advertisement in this paper is a short cut. Advertisements make it possible to tell you in a few minutes all you want to know about the service or articles you need.

At a glance you can sift out the things that interest you most and in a moment you know just where to go for what you want.

Figure how many steps, how much needless walking the advertisements thus save you and your neighbors.

Then you realize the great economy and necessity of advertising in your daily life.

Read the advertisements!

WOMAN TOO WEAK TO WALK

Now Works Nine Hours a Day.—
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Strength



Union Village, Vt.—"I was weak and nervous and all run-down. I could not walk across the floor without resting and I had been that way for weeks. I saw your advertisement in the paper and after taking one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt the good it was doing me and I took seven more in all. Before I finished I was able to work nine hours a day in a steam laundry. I cannot say too much in favor of your medicine. I trust all sick and suffering women will take it. It has been two years since I took it and I am strong and well."

—Mrs. L. A. GUIMANN, Union Village, Vermont.

This is only one of such letters we are continually publishing showing what Lydia E. Pinkham has done for women, and whether you work or not Mrs. Guimann's letter should interest you.

Many women get into a weak, nervous run down condition because of ailments they often have. Such women should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at the first sign of trouble. Good health is necessary and this splendid medicine will help you to keep it.

First Christian Church

Cor. Broadway and Murrell streets.

Bible school 9:45 a. m. Splendid teachers, pleasant associates. "There is a class there for you." Preaching service 11:00 a. m. Subject, "The Christian Life." Special music.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 7:15 p. m.

Evening preaching service 8:15 p. m. Sermon subject, "The Work of the Devil."

We extend a cordial invitation to every one to worship with us.

ALFRED CRAGER, Pastor.

The Home of the Soul

In olden times, it was believed that the seat of the soul was the stomach, most likely for the reason that a man is never so completely used up as when his stomach is out of order. For the cure of ordinary stomach troubles, there is nothing quite so prompt and satisfactory as Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its function naturally. Give them a trial. They only cost a quarter.

VACATION TIME

Why spend your vacation in torment when you can have all the pleasure due you. New shoes are always taking the joy out of life. We can repair your old shoes and make them look good as new and you can enjoy foot comfort. Not only will you enjoy comfort in having your old shoes repaired but we can save you about 50 per cent on your shoe bill. Have your shoes repaired before going on your vacation this summer.

COY DRENNAN.

w-s-d & wk.

8th Street Presbyterian Church. Sunday school at the usual hour.

There will be no preaching, as the pastor is attending the encampment at Buffalo Gap. All who can get away after Sunday school are invited to attend the encampment; a good program is offered for Sunday.

JESSE MITCHELL, Pastor.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills. It is the only medicine that can be taken with absolute safety. It is the only medicine that can be taken with absolute safety. It is the only medicine that can be taken with absolute safety.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

See "Perjury" the super-special.

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

Daily Ledger 'Want Ads

STRAYED—During the Colorado River flood, one brown muley milk cow with strap and bell on. Reward. Notify First State Bank, Rowena, Texas 20-6td.

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

FOR SALE—Peanut Hay. See W. R. White. 21-4d-2w.*

FORD DEALERS MEETING HERE

Ford dealers from thirty-five or forty towns comprising the Central West Texas zone, met in Ballinger Friday in what was declared to have been one of the most successful automotive dealers' meetings ever held in this section of the state.

The dealers of this zone were called here to attend a school of instruction and to get at first-hand the Ford principles of conducting the Ford agencies, and especially to learn something of the new car, the Lincoln, which will soon be on the market.

A Lincoln chassis was shipped here for the demonstration and the Ford Motor Co. sent representatives to Ballinger from the factory to address the dealers and go into details about the new car, and the method of handling it when the factory which Mr. Ford took over some time ago, reorganized and began manufacturing the Lincoln car after announcing a reduction of \$1000 in price. The Lincoln is a high priced car and will be handled by the Ford dealers throughout the country.

During the forenoon the visiting dealers were assembled in the lobby of the new R. L. Harwell garage, where representatives from the factory and from the Dallas branch of the Ford Motor Co. addressed them. F. A. Acheson, assistant manager of the Dallas branch, was the principal speaker. Other speakers were W. S. Erskine, service manager of the Dallas branch; Harry Bruton, Lincoln factory man; and Hugh Bassett, territory man.

At twelve o'clock the Ford dealers, together with a number of local citizens and other visitors, repaired to the Colorado Park on Eighth Street, where a barbecue feast was served. Messrs. R. L. Harwell, B. C. Kirk, E. Shepperd and C. R. Stone supervising the sumptuous spread.

The afternoon was devoted to general discussion and exchanges of experiences, and the convention adjourned in time for the dealers from the East to return home on the afternoon train. Following is a partial list of those attending the meeting:

Messrs. R. P. Amaeker, San Angelo; Buch, Eldorado; R. R. Dudley, Ozona; Shaw, Hico; Williams, DeLeon; Reid, Dublin; Sam Rankles, San Angelo; Shook, San Angelo; Paul Higginbotham, Stephenville; W. H. Hill, Brady; R. L. Maxwell, Hamilton; Weatherby, Miles; Pfleger, Eden; Curtis Norman, Paint Rock; Mitchell, Santa Anna; Henry Schooler, Big Lake; Emerson, Sterling City; Cole, Sterling City; Simmons, Sonora; Weatherby, Goldthwaite; E. J. Weatherby, Brownwood; M. R. Weatherby, San Saba; C. E. Jones, Winters; R. L. Jones, Winters; Witt, Coleman; Mackay, Comanche; Witt, Robert Lee; Robt. Knerim, Bronte; F. A. Acheson, Asst. Mgr., Dallas Branch, Ford Motor Co.; W. S. Erskine, Service Mgr., Dallas Branch; Harry Bruton, Lincoln Factory; Hugh Bassett, Territory Man.

Why Suffer from Rheumatism? Do you know that nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles or chronic rheumatism, neither of which require any internal treatment? The pain may be relieved by applying Chamberlain's Liniment, which makes sleep and rest possible, and that certainly means a great deal to any one afflicted with rheumatism.

RECEIVES LETTER OF APPRECIATION

W. S. Harmon, who is taking much interest in keeping up the Friend-in-Need Society, and who made proof of the death of Bill Holland at Itasca recently, and sent his children a nice check representing the payment of policy by the Friend-in-Need, is in receipt of a letter from the Holland children thanking him for his interest and thanking the Friend-in-Need for the assistance given them in time of need. The letter was signed by Mervel, Margaret, Mildred and Dorothy Holland, and says in part: "We cannot express our thanks and appreciation to you for the interest shown in getting the money for us. We also appreciate what the Friend-in-Need Society did."

"Papa's friends certainly have proven true and faithful to him and to us. We have heard him speak of them so much it seems like we know you all. He never got to where he could speak to us after he was stricken down, but we are sure he tried to tell us something about you."

Tom Williams returned to Comanche Friday afternoon, after visiting his brother, R. T. Williams, and looking after business here.

Curtis Norman, Ford dealer at Paint Rock, were here Friday to attend the Ford demonstration put on here for the dealers.

Accept
No Substitutes
for
Theford's
BLACK-DRAUGHT
Purely
Vegetable
Liver Medicine

RECEPTION OF LEGION SUCCESS

The Pat Williams Post of the American Legion was host Friday evening at the Ballinger Club to their friends and ladies in the second reception of this character given by the ex-service men. Over two hundred and fifty were present and enjoyed the various forms of entertainment offered, until the "twelve o'clock hours."

Music for dancing was provided by the Peerless Serenaders of Brownwood. Fans placed in every corner of the club rooms served to keep the merry-makers cool and comfortable. Game tables were provided for those whose advanced ages and infirmities prevented them from tripping the light fantastic. Following the "American Legion Special," a dance number featured with a riot of balloons, confetti, serpentine paper and noise making devices, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the guests. Punch was served throughout the evening at a table presided over by Mrs. Oscar Williams and Mrs. Robert Stephenson.

Immediately after refreshments had been served, all prospective members of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion met in the club library and proceeded to elect a permanent organization. The following officers were elected: Mrs. J. Y. Pearce, president; Mrs. Stuart L. Williams, vice-president; Mrs. I. Vancil, treasurer; and Mrs. C. R. Stone, secretary. It was explained for the benefit of those who were not familiar with the purpose of the Auxiliary that it was largely a continuation of the American women's war time work for those who served during the World War, and would in time become more noted than the Daughters of the American Revolution, Daughters of the Confederacy, and other similar organizations. The Auxiliary is the right arm of the Legion, and holds its annual convention at the same time and place as the soldiers' organization. Organizers of the Auxiliary

state that they have already formulated a constructive program of work in helping to get relief for disabled veterans, assisting the Legion and perpetuating the ideals of the World War.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner returned to their home at Brownwood Friday. Mrs. Turner had been in the sanitarium here for several days.

See "Perjury" the super-special.

Ledger want ads work for you

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

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

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

What is CASTORIA

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

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use For Over 30 Years

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.



As Fresh as the Day I was Put in

The best Refrigerator your money will buy. Fresh fruits and vegetables keep their original freshness for days and days in the Herrick Refrigerator.

There's no decay, no taint and no mould. There's no interchange of flavors or odors. The dry, cold air in constant self-purifying circulation is the reason.

This one food-saving feature of the prize-winning Herrick is alone worth much. Any Herrick dealer can tell you other facts.

King-Holt Furniture and Undertaking Co.

Don't say "Ice Box"; say

HERRICK REFRIGERATOR

There's a Difference

Just Received Fresh Gar

AMERICAN BEAUTY FLOUR AND AMERICAN BEAUTY CREAM MEAL.

The Standard for 50 Years.

There's a Reason.

L. B. Stubbs

Phones 93 and 94

There's this Satisfaction about Odorless Cleaning

When you open one of our bundles and inspect the garments we have cleaned—you'll be pleased. Whether it's a man's suit, a lady's waist, or a child's dress, each piece receives expert care in every stage of the handling, so that there can be only one result—good work.

Clean Clothing Means Clothes Economy

Many others know of the excellent work we do in removing stains and soils and in keeping apparel in good wearable and presentable appearance. Do you?

If you have garments laid aside in the closet, send them to us. We can clean them like new and save you money.

Southside Tailoring Co.

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Ballinger, Texas