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J. Y. Pearce Drug Store 36 Years Under One Manager

The Pearce Drug Store celebrated its thirty-sixth anniversary under the present management Thursday, and so far as the writer has been able to ascertain is the oldest business in Ballinger operated for more than a third of a century under one management.

It was on June 5, 1888, when J. Y. Pearce assumed charge of a drug store then owned by Reaves & Guest, purchasing the business from W. A. Reaves and Nat. Guest. The store was located in a little frame, or wooden building, which occupied the second lot from the corner where the Span store is now located. While moving several times, the Pearce Drug Store has remained on the block where it is now located.

At present the Pearce Drug Store is occupying a building which stands on one of the lots formerly occupied by the Western Mercantile Company, one of the pioneer and largest business concerns in West Texas, which thirty years ago served a trade territory extending from Abilene to Fort McKavitt, and from Sweetwater to Menard. The writer can call to memory freight wagons which lined up in front of the Western Mercantile Company store and loaded out with ranch supplies including everything for man from cradle to the grave, and the driver generally visited the "Green Front" and completed his load with a few gallons of "high life" for the boys on the ranch. Trains of freight wagons in charge of one man driving as high as eight and ten horses, or mules, were common on Ballinger streets at that time. Ballinger was the railroad point for Menardville, Robert Lee and other inland towns within a radius of from 50 to 75 miles from Ballinger. The Pearce Drug Store is now using a vault which protected the books and valuables of the mercantile firm a third of a century ago. The old buildings were burned down many years ago. In the old vault are the books used by Mr. Pearce's predecessors, and these bear the names of citizens who are still here and are still patrons of the Pearce Drug Store, while some of those listed on the old ledgers have long since transferred their accounts to that world where drugs are not used, so we are taught, for the ailments of mankind.

It was in the spring of 1888, just a few days before J. Y. Pearce cast his lot in Ballinger, that he left his Bunker Hill, Illinois, home and came to Ballinger to seek out a new field. He

had been teaching school in his native state, and served his country as postmaster under Cleveland's first administration. Mr. Pearce heard about the wonderful West and its possibilities. He left Mrs. Pearce at home until he explored the country, and it was a few weeks later that she joined him, arriving here in time to witness the celebration of Ballinger's second birthday on June 29th.

Mr. Pearce's bank account at that time consisted of a small amount, just what the average school teacher could get together by practicing economy. He devoted his time to the drug business, and from time to time enlarged his stock, and at the same time made outside investments which proved successful, and today if we were going to make a guess we would say that Mr. Pearce could write his assets in six figures. He is president of the First National Bank, and stockholder in quite a number of other enterprises.

Their only son and heir was born after Mr. and Mrs. Pearce came to Ballinger. He is a native son of this city, and today is taking his father's place at the head of the Pearce Drug Store, being a full partner and manager. "I am out," said Mr. Pearce, in relating incidents connected with his thirty-six years residence in this city, "and I have in a way retired, turning the business over to Frank." Mr. Pearce only steps in for a few days at a time, and is on the job now while his son is taking a little vacation and visiting with his wife's people in South Dakota.

Then there is the grandson, Johnny, who has come into the Pearce household, and he bids fair to follow in the footsteps of his grandfather and in years which will come all too soon, will take his father's place in the oldest business in Ballinger.

YOUTHS INDICTED FOR KILLING BOY

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, June 6.—Two indictments were returned against Nathan Leopold Jr. and Richard Loeb, post-graduate students and sons of millionaires, today.

The indictments charge Loeb and Leopold with kidnapping for ransom and with murder of Robert Franks, schoolboy son of Jacob Franks, also millionaire, to which both of the young men have made lengthy confessions. The indictments were returned by the county grand jury today.

Leopold and Loeb are still in jail, having been denied bond. A habeas corpus hearing was set for today before the grand jury returned the indictments. Under the laws of Illinois murder and kidnapping are both punishable by death as the maximum penalty and State's Attorney Crowe has again stated that he will ask for the death penalty.

Leopold is nineteen years of age and Loeb is eighteen. Other charges have been made against the youths since they were arrested on the kidnapping and murder charges.

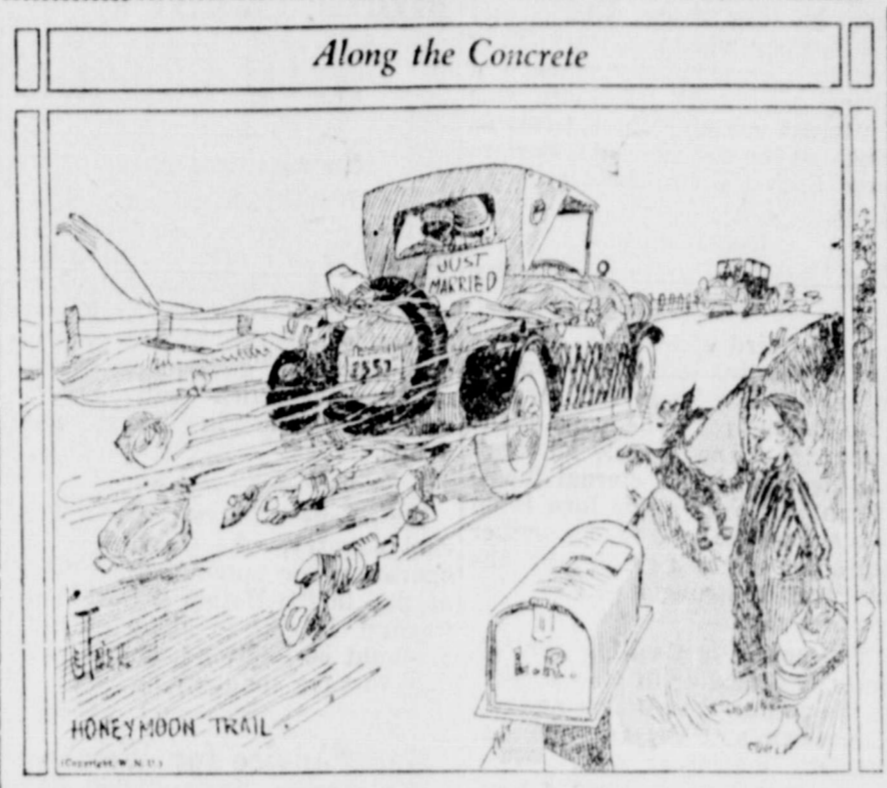
MAY REQUIRE 3 DAYS FOR CLEVELAND CONV.

(By Associated Press)
CLEVELAND, June 6.—The Republican National Convention will not run longer than three days, political leaders here say, but if it continues longer, an adjournment will be taken over Friday the "13th."

Indications are that the president will be nominated on Thursday, after the convening on Tuesday, with the prospect of a night session Thursday to nominate a vice-president.

D. J. Johnson, general superintendent of the West Texas Telephone Company was here Friday conferring with the local manager.

City Electrician Has Close Call Working On High Power Line



Charlie Dean, electrician and lineman for the City of Ballinger, had a narrow escape from death about 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon when he came in contact with a "live" wire.

Mr. Dean was at work on the line near the home of Dr. O. R. Lasater. He was belted to the electric light pole and was working between the wires when he leaned against one of the live wires with his arm. The current knocked him lifeless, and his body was suspended in the air near the top of the pole while fire caused by the current flickered from his clothing. The safety belt held him until the current was cut off and when he was assisted from the pole and carried to the sanitarium.

A report from the injured man an hour after the accident said he was not seriously injured. A hole was burned in his right arm, and several fingers paralyzed temporarily. He was removed to his home after receiving aid at the sanitarium.

C. S. Duncan, also in the employ of the city, was working with Mr. Dean and had just come down off the pole to get some wire. When he heard the current sizzling thru the body of his co-worker he looked up and saw Mr. Dean was burning. Mrs. Lasater heard the alarm and phoned to the power plants and both the city and the San Angelo current

was shut off, as those who were rendering first aid did not know which line the man was on.

J. H. Burkett, father of Senator Joe Burkett, who is running for governor, was in Ballinger Thursday night, coming from Ranger to look after business here.

Oran Dean, Morris Nicholson, and Wilbert Lankford came in Friday from Fort Worth, where they have been attending school.

Mrs. Elbert Clappitt came in from Cisco Friday, and will spend a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. R. A. Nicholson, and family.

Perry Holland was in the city Friday from his farm North of Miles. He reported the grasshoppers doing some damage in his neighborhood, and he carried out a load of poison.

Mrs. Feb McWilliams and daughter left this morning for their home in Ballinger after attending the Daniel Baker commencement.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Scott H. Mack and son, Bailey, returned home from Ft. Worth Thursday, where they had been to attend commencement at T. C. U. Roy Mack, who graduated at T. C. U. will return home Sunday.

Local Guard Unit Recruiting for Encampment on Beach

Captain W. C. McCarver is calling for about twenty-five new recruits for the local National Guard company, and the men are wanted in time for the annual encampment which will be held at Galveston this year. The encampment begins on July 5th and holds for two weeks.

"I have been notified that I can strengthen my company to 95 men," said Capt. McCarver, and heretofore the limit has been much less than that. We have 69 and want to go to the encampment with full strength."

All men attending the encampment are fully equipped and furnished in regular army style. Everything is furnished, and the guardsmen will only be out what money they see fit to "blow in"

on the side. The government furnishes good food, clothing, transportation, medical attention and full pay. Men who attend the encampment not only have an opportunity for an outing of a couple of weeks, but get the benefit of military training which will be worth a great deal to them and at the same time should be able to bring back a pay check.

Galveston offers a big time for the guardsmen and there will be a schedule of recreation and pleasure which will no doubt be an inducement to the members of the local company to make the trip. Those interested in becoming members of the National Guard should see Capt. McCarver at once, as the company will be built up to the new strength as rapidly as possible.

PUSHING KLAN QUESTION IN MAYFIELD CASE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 6.—A final decision on a proposal that hearings be concluded in the election contest against Senator Earle B. Mayfield will be reached by the Senate elections committee late today.

The committee will take up the proposal of counsel for George Peddy that it continue its work with a view of determining the activities of the Ku Klux Klan and that voters in Texas were intimidated.

W. P. Hawkins, of Winters, had business in Ballinger Friday.

TWO BANDITS GET AWAY WITH BIG BANK ROLL

(By Associated Press)
KANSAS CITY, June 6.—Four bandits today held up the paying teller and cashier of a Main Street bank here and robbed them of \$26,000.

The cashier and teller were returning from the First National Bank when they were held up by the bandits.

Prof. H. G. Secrest, principal of the Bethel school for the term just closed, was in the city Friday arranging to leave for Alpine where he will be in summer normal work in the Alpine normal.

WANTS BIGGER BUYING POWER FOR FARMERS

BATHING PARTY OF FIVE DROWN IN GULF STREAM

(By Associated Press)
PORT ARTHUR, June 6.—Five persons were drowned while on a bathing party at McFadden Beach near here last night. Those losing their lives were Mr. and Mrs. R. Barnette, Ted Carlson, Miss Odell Montier, and R. Sonnier, all of Port Arthur. Mr. and Mrs. Barnette are survived by four little children.

The tragedy was not discovered until today when an abandoned automobile was found on the beach, and a search was instituted for the parties who went to the beach in the car. All the bodies have been recovered except that of Carlson.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 6.—The agricultural platform to be submitted to each national political convention by the American Farm Bureau Federation in conjunction with the Agricultural Association will ask for pledges to take whatever steps that may be necessary to bring the purchasing power of agriculture back to normal.

"Every effort should be made to bring back into proper articulation the relationship between agriculture, the biggest of all industries, and our various other interests," says the draft of the platform which was prepared here.

Mrs. R. P. Conn and son, C. B., and daughter, Miss Dorris, left for San Antonio Thursday, where Mrs. Conn and Miss Dorris will spend the summer. C. B. will return home in a day or two.

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BENEFIT PARTY

The ladies of the First Christian Church entertained Thursday afternoon and night with a tea and "42" party on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams on Broadway. A number of ladies of the town attended the tea in the afternoon and enjoyed a good program and refreshments served by the Christian ladies. At night the lawn was lighted and tables provided for "42." About 15 tables were ready to start at 8:30 and much fun was had in several heated games of progressive 42, during which time young girls sold chewing gum and soda water. A delicious salad course, sandwiches and tea were served to about fifty guests and all left feeling better than they had attended and enjoyed an evening's entertainment with the Christian ladies in the cool.

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That beautiful, even shade of dark, glossy hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray or streaked, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred-fold.

Don't bother to prepare the mixture; you can get this famous old recipe improve by the addition of other ingredients at a small cost, all ready to use. It is called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color and lustre of your hair.

Everybody uses "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair has disappeared, and after another application it becomes beautifully dark and appears glossy and lustrous.

R. H. Burleson, traveling representative of a wholesale implement house, has accepted a position as sales manager for the Harwell Motor Company, and will move to Ballinger and become a citizen of this city. Mr. Burleson will assume his new duties on July 1st.

BELASCO STORY IS AN UNIQUE ONE

"The Girl of the Golden West," a First National picture, which is showing today only at the Maeroy Theatre, is one of the few works that enjoys the distinction of having been adapted to all branches of modern literary art. It has been produced on the stage, as an opera, published as a novel, and now makes its debut in motion pictures.

The original stage version was written and produced by David Belasco and was this famous producer's crowning success. In the original stage cast were Blanche Bates, Frank Keenan and Charles Richman.

Following the stage success it was novelized by Belasco and proved a "best seller." Later the plot was used as basis for an opera, by Puccini, and the original title retained. In this opera the late silver-throated Caruso had one of the most famous roles of his career.

The picturization has J. Warren Kerrigan in the principal male role; Sylvia Breemer in the part Blanche Bates played on the stage; and Russell Simpson in Frank Keenan's old stage characterization. Others in the screen version are: Rosemary Theby, Wilfred Lucas, Nelson McDowell, Charles McHugh, Hector V. Sarno, Jed Prouty, Cecil Holland, Thomas Delmar, Sam Appel and Minnie Prevost.

R. D. Midgley is recovering from an operation for appendicitis. He is in the Halley & Love sanitarium.

OLFEN PICNIC WELL ATTENDED

The picnic and celebration at Olfen, which marked the closing of the public school at that place Thursday was well attended by local and nearby communities.

Barbecue, bread, pickles, coffee, and cold drinks were there in great abundance, and all seemed sufficiently hungry to take care of great quantities of the same.

Immediately after noon all the district, county and precinct candidates told their "troubles," and following the short speeches by the candidates, Judge T. T. Cross made a short but impassioned speech outlining his views on the dangerous trend of modern politics and politicians; citing recent events in local and state politics as proof of his assertions.

Said Judge Crosson, "We are losing and have lost our liberties, and are drifting into dangerous conditions, and I beg of you, go to the polls in the July primaries and vote to help restore the old time Democracy."

The closing speech was made by Mr. Owens, an East Texas banker, in the interest of the Farm Bureau, which was timely and to the point, and showed much information on the subject.

Baseball, dancing and other sports added to the day's enjoyment.

A. W. Strube was master of ceremonies, and presided over the program.

The attendance would have been much larger, but for the condition of the crops keeping many farmers at home.

F. W. Greber, general manager of the West Texas Telephone Co., was in Ballinger Thursday looking after the interests of his company.

GOING OUT TONIGHT WITH THAT PIMPLE SHOWING

The boy or girl who has nothing to worry them about the way they look are so much more noticeable when compared to the shrinking and backwardness of the ones who are afraid to mingle in the fun because they know how unattractive they must look on account of their pimply blotchy or rough, eczemic skin.

Their one friend is Black and White Ointment, if they will just use it faithfully, because it will get rid of all those ugly bumps and make their skin soft, smooth and lovely. Then, to keep it that way, be sure to use Black and White Soap when you wash. They are both economically priced in liberal packages. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have both the Ointment and the Soap.

Leah Baird at Fo-to-sho Theatre Today-Tonight

Leah Baird appears at the Fo-to-sho Theatre today and tonight in her latest release for Associated Exhibitors. The name of the picture is "The Miracle Makers" and deals with the eternal theme of mother love. The love is on two sides—the love that a mother bears her son as a child, and the love that is stronger when he becomes a man.

The action is thrilling at all times, spectacular in places such as the scenes aboard ship and in Chinatown and has an immense dramatic appeal as well.

Miss Baird is surrounded by a notable cast. The part of the government flyer and the lover is taken by George Walsh who is well known to picture goers. George Nichols, Edythe Chapman, Edith York, Mitchell Lewis and last—but by no means least comes little Richard Headrick—all talented feature players.

MOTOR MAKER'S WIFE IS KILLED

(By Associated Press)
 FLINT, Mich., June 6.—Mrs. Ethel Mott, the wife of Charles Mott, vice-president of the General Motors Corporation, was almost instantly killed today when she fell from the window of her bedroom on the second floor of their home.

SIGNS TREATY WITH CANADA

(By Associated Press)
 WASHINGTON, June 6.—A treaty designed to suppress smuggling of liquor and narcotics across the Canadian boundary was signed here today. Representatives of the United States and Canadian governments signed the pact which will greatly curtail traffic in liquor and drugs.

Mrs. Ernest Graves, of the Hatched country, who underwent an operation for appendicitis Wednesday in the Halley & Love sanitarium, is getting along as well as could be expected, and is now able to have company.

Good Advice for Women

San Antonio, Texas—"While taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for feminine weakness I was also relieved of stomach trouble. The 'Favorite Prescription' was exactly the tonic I needed in every respect. I got well shortly after I started taking it. My belief is that what it did for me it will do for others. Therefore I advise all women who are in poor health to take a course of this treatment."—Mrs. J. T. Stauffer, 1522 W. Houston Street.
 All dealers. Tablets or liquid. Send Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel, in Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for trial package tablets.



REPUBLICANS SELECT CREDENTIALS CHAIRMAN

(By Associated Press)
 CLEVELAND, June 6.—Senator McKinley, of Illinois, was agreed upon today by party leaders as chairman of the credentials committee when the Republican National Convention meets. This is the first recognition given to the Senate in the forming of the convention machine.

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They take no chances on being forgotten.

How about your business?

Isn't it just as important that you be kept in mind by the buying public in your territory as it is to the national advertiser that his product be remembered?

You can cover your trade territory more easily, more cheaply in proportion, and more thoroughly than the national advertiser can cover the whole country.

But you've got to keep it up to get the results that he gets.

And you can't expect to advertise in flush times and live on the memory of it when you're hard up.

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you collect interest by lending interest—and you cannot avoid being a stockholder.)

Therefore it's obvious how much you benefit by giving Ballinger your best—how directly your interests are Ballinger's—and vice versa.

That most citizens are serving is evidenced by the definite progress Ballinger is making. That Ballinger will progress that much more rapidly if every citizen will lend his best—so that he may in turn collect greater return—is evident.

So this is our plea for your co-operation—trade at home—boost for Ballinger—help the other fellow so that he may better help you.

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Wm. CAMERON LUMBER CO.
CITY CAFE, E. C. Moor, Proprietor
VAN PELT, KIRK & MACK

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THE BALLINGER STATE BANK
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MELLON DENIES CROOKED DEALS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 6.—Secretary Mellon today entered a formal denial of the charges leveled against his conduct of the treasury department by Gaston Means in the testimony which Means offered before the Senate committee investigating official acts of former Attorney General Daugherty.

In a letter to the committee Secretary Mellon denied in detail Means' story about his investigation into the report that Mellon had agreed to issue whiskey withdrawal permits to Rex Sheldon, of New York, in return for money to help make up a deficit in the Republican National Committee's treasury.

Means swore before the Daugherty investigating committee that the deficit in the republican fund was paid by money received for liquor withdrawal permits agreed to by Secretary Mellon, and that the deal was handled through Jess Smith, Daugherty's confidential advisor and go-between, who later killed himself in the attorney general's apartments.

BITES-STINGS VICKS VAPORUB

Apply wet baking soda or household ammonia, followed by VICKS VAPORUB
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CASE IS AFFIRMED: DEFENDANT IN JAIL

Sheriff Flynt received papers Friday for the apprehension of L. F. Reese, who was out under an appeal bond pending the decision of the Criminal Court of Appeals in a case in which Reese had been convicted of burglary at Fort Worth. Reese has been in this county for some time, and when the court affirmed the case Wednesday, the local sheriff was notified to get in touch with the man and hold him for the Fort Worth officers. Reese was out under bond and was making no effort to get away.

Maurice Gressett returned home Thursday from College Station, where he has been attending A. & M. College.

Daily Ledger Want Ads

WANT ADS 25c up to 12 words, over that 2c per word first insertion. 1c per word each additional insertion. All want ads are cash.

SALESMAN—\$36 to \$50 week, with or without car. No experience needed. Take order, no delivery; work in small towns and country. Self-heating iron; heats without using charcoal, gas, gasoline, wood, coal or electricity; cheaper than any American Legion Hall, 123 Main Street, Winters, Texas. 22-26d 4w.*

FOR RENT—Five room house on South Broadway, block from court house. See G. A. Ladwig, 4-4td

FOR SALE
A complete threshing outfit, in good working condition; Geiser Separator, Emerson Tractor, will be sold at half price, on very favorable terms. Call and inspect this splendid bargain if interested in threshing.

HALL HARDWARE CO., Ballinger, Texas, mon-wed-fri-d-3tw

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms furnished. Phone 179 29-td.*

SEEKS CHANGE IN BALLOT LAW

(By Associated Press)
COLUMBUS, June 6.—A modification of the restrictive ballot laws in the various states, a reaffirmation of the party's support of the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act, were the principal planks in the platform prepared by the resolution committee for presentation to the Prohibition National Convention in session here.

The reports to the national committee indicated that in fourteen states the Prohibition Party would be unable this year to have names of U. S. candidates printed on the official ballot, because of the restrictive ballot laws. The leaders said that the party would be on the official ballot in only about one-half of the states in all probability.

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Expert funeral designers. We grow our own flowers. Also trees, shrubs and vegetable plants. Abilene Flower Shop, Abilene, Texas. 29-fri-dtf

ABILENE MAN ROBBED BALLINGER RESIDENT

Sheriff Flynt went to Abilene Thursday to identify goods which were alleged to have been stolen from a residence in Ballinger. Mr. Flynt found the goods and the man is under bond at Abilene, where he is also charged with other offenses. The Runnels county sheriff had a busy day

GIRLS! WHITEN SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

The only harmless way to bleach the skin white is to mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White which any druggist will supply for a few cents.



Shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quarter-pint of the most wonderful skin whitener, softener and beautifier. Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon bleach into the face, neck, arms and hands. It can not irritate. Famous stage beauties use it to bring that clear, youthful skin and rosy-white complexion; also as a freckle, sunburn and tan bleach. You must mix this remarkable lotion yourself. It can not be bought ready to use because it acts best immediately after it is prepared.

Thursday and was deprived of the privilege of attending the Olfen picnic.

HOW'S THIS?

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which quickly relieves the catarrhal inflammation, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus assisting to restore normal conditions. Sold by druggists for over 40 years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Mrs. W. H. Coleman returned to her home at Arlington Thursday afternoon after a visit to her sisters, Mrs. Oscar Talbot and Mrs. Owen Dorsey.

GERMANS FAVOR DAWES' PLAN

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, June 6.—The German reichstag today approved by a vote of 247 to 183 the position of the government of Chancellor Marx in favor of the Dawes reparations report.

POSTA LEMPLOYES TO GET MORE PAY

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 6.—The conference report on postal salaries increase was approved today by the House. The measure has been sent to the president for his approval.

PLEDGES AID IN FARM RELIEF BILL

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WASHINGTON, June 6.—In a final attempt to secure farm



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relief legislation at this session the farm bloc in both the Senate and House pledged to support the Bursum bill, authorizing the secretary of agriculture to pay export bounty of 35 cents per bushel on wheat and wheat products.

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