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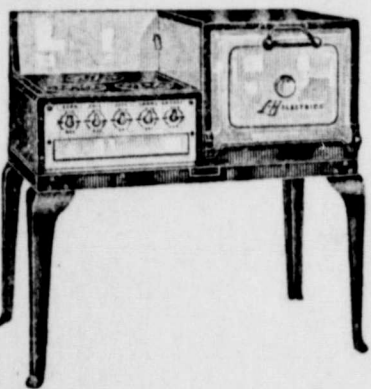
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DONKEY RUNS AWAY; BOY'S NECK BROKEN

Dan Rape, thirteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Rape, of Sonora, was killed Sunday when a burro the boy was riding ran away. The donkey ran under a limb with the boy, and his chin struck the limb breaking his neck. The accident happened near Junction on the ranch of Ben Joiner, an uncle of the lad.



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G. O. P. CLAIMS CREDIT FOR PEACE

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Aug. 19.—The French cabinet today unanimously approved the work of the French delegation at the international conference in London, and thanked the conference for the important results it had attained in the interests of France.

If the other nations approve the work of their representatives, it is expected that the Dawes plan will bring about speedy relief in settling the reparations question.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—The acceptance by the allies and by Germany of the Dawes plan was declared today by Senator Watson, of Indiana, in an address here, before the Hamilton Club of Chicago, to be the republican party's answer to the inquiry of John W. Davis, democratic nominee for president, as to what tangible contribution the present republican administration has made to the peace of the world.

Senator Watson spoke at a luncheon of the club held as preliminary to the notification ceremonies tonight when Charles G. Dawes will be officially notified that he has been nominated for vice-president on the republican ticket.

SEEKS TRANSFER MURDER TRIAL

(By Associated Press)

BEAUMONT, Aug. 19.—R. B. Brown, charged with the murder of City Detective B. E. Harris, at Port Arthur last August, asked through his attorney today for a change of venue from this county. The case was called for trial today.

The defense charged that the dead man having been a member of the Ku Klux Klan he could not get a fair trial in this county. Harris was killed as the culmination of troubles which resulted in Lieut. Gov. T. W. Davidson sending Texas rangers to Port Arthur last August.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Crockett, of Winters, were shopping and looking after business in Ballinger Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor are visiting relatives and friends in Brownwood.

COURT RULES IN DAUGHERTY CASE

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, August 19.—The attempt of the Senate committee investigating former Attorney General Daugherty to inquire into the affairs of Mal S. Daugherty, brother of the former official, was fully upheld by the federal government today in docketing with the supreme court of appeals in the Senate's unsuccessful contempt proceedings against Daugherty in Ohio.

The department of justice brief was filed with the court and declared that the committee had ample constitutional authority for its action, and had not sought as was held by the lower court, to exercise judicial functions.

TWO DEAD; LOSS IN FLOOD HEAVY

(By Associated Press)

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 19.—Two men lost their lives and many head of cattle were destroyed and property damage estimated at \$100,000 resulted from a terrific rainstorm which swept over Eastern Iowa last night. Practically all cities and towns in the heavy rainy area are flooded.

Ether Waves



Preparing Program for Fair; Many Shows Being Booked

The program and amusement committees of the Runnels County Fair Association have been busy for the past few days preparing a program which will interest the visitors and at the same time entertain them to an extent that they will want to be here for each day of the fair.

A definite outline was adopted at a meeting of the two committees held Monday morning. The program calls for the official opening of the fair at 1:30 p. m. on Tuesday, October 14th, with a big decorated car and merchants' parade. This event is open to everybody in Runnels county and it is probable that loving cups will be awarded to winners of the parade. Comical cars will be allowed to compete with each other in the parade of the decorated machines. Entertainment will be furnished in front of the grand stand in the afternoons and nights, but this is yet to be selected. The second day of the fair will be School Day. A school parade will open the day at 1:30 p. m. in which all the schools of the county will participate, and immediately following a county track meet will take place in front of the grand stand and the event will close with a big football game between two college teams. At night the big feature event of the four-day program will take place when a county pageant will be staged, showing the progress of Runnels county since the days of the Indians. The old "chuck wagon" and the cow trail days will be portrayed and the coronation of the queen will take place and each community will be asked to furnish a duchess and a maid of honor who will serve as escorts to the Queen at the coronation. A reception will be given the attendants after the coronation.

The third day will be Community Day and a delegation parade will open the day at 1:30 p. m. in which it is hoped that every community in Runnels county will enter with as many people as possible and compete to see who can make the best showing both in attendance and "pep." A good performance is being planned for the afternoon in front of the grand stand, and at night a county-wide vaudeville show will be presented at the grand stand. This show will represent the whole county. Each community in Runnels county will furnish one act and they will go on in turn, giving a vaudeville show of from 12 to 20 acts. A cup will be awarded the winners. Several communities have already signified their willingness to line up in a show of this kind and the committee expects it to be one of the best features ever presented in West Texas.

Old Settlers' Day will close the fair on the fourth day. Special entertainment will be planned for the "old timers," and the day will close with the usual grand stand attractions featuring an old fiddlers' contest. The amusement committee will book some high-class free acts, to be put on twice daily in front of the grand stand, and band concerts will be arranged to fill all intervals. Other amusements will be secured within the next few days and the entertainment part of the Runnels County Fair this year will equal that of any fair held in West Texas.

LAST WITNESS ON IN MURDER TRIAL

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Courtesy raised to the highest degree marked the cross examination today of Dr. William K. Rohn, state alienist, and the last witness in the judicial proceeding which is to determine the punishment of Nathan Leopold Jr. and Richard Loeb for the kidnapping and murder of Robert Franks.

The expert witness punctiliously used "sir" in every answer made to the state's attorney, and the attorney never failed to address the witness as "Doctor" in propounding the questions.

The program in the trial of the new youthful millionaire murderers today called for a start of the argument as soon as the cross examination is finished, and with the conclusion of the arguments Justice Caverley will fix punishment for the two young men.

ALL DAY SINGING AND DINNER ON THE GROUNDS

The Ledger has been requested to announce that there will be an all-day singing and dinner served in picnic fashion at Poe's Chapel, six miles west of Winters, on the third Sunday in September. The public is invited to come and bring baskets and spend the day enjoying old time singing and a general good time.

Read Ledger "wants" column

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September 1st

with good clean record, one who is ambitious and willing to work hard, to co-operate with us in carrying out our policy of quality, service and value in the capacity of delivery boy.

Weeks' Drug Store

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THREE GREAT MEN PAY VISIT TO COOLIDGE

(By Associated Press)

PLYMOUTH, Vermont, August 19.—President Calvin Coolidge was host today at his father's home to three fellow vacationists. They were Henry Ford, Thomas A. Edison and Harvey Firestone.

Word was received last night that the party had planned to visit here today, and President Coolidge immediately arranged for their reception at his father's home where he is spending his vacation.

Ford, Edison, Firestone and the latter's son, Russell, arrived in Ludlow, twelve miles from here last night, and the party motored to the Coolidge home this morning.

ITALIAN FLYERS JOIN AMERICANS

(By Associated Press)

REYKJAVIK, Iceland, Aug. 19.—Lieutenant Locatelli, the Italian aviator who is attempting to fly across the Atlantic in the wake of the American flyers, will accept flight commander Lieut. Lowell Smith's invitation to accompany the United States army world flyers.

KID M'COY GOES VIOLENTLY MAD WHILE IN CELL

(By Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 19.—Kid McCoy, the ex-pugilist, who is being held on suspicion of murder in connection with the death last Tuesday of Mrs. Theresa Mors, became mentally unbalanced in his cell here today. According to the police McCoy is now violently insane.

The accused man was examined by alienists yesterday and he was declared to be sane. He had been contending since arrested that Mrs. Mors committed suicide, and the case is one which has been baffling the detectives. The body was found in the apartments of McCoy where he and the woman had been living. The latest clue to the mystery murder involves the theory that the woman was robbed following the murder.

Jake Stubblefield was among the Norton citizens who visited Ballinger Monday and rooted for the Norton baseball team.

Jim Latham, of Sterling City, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bugg.

PIGGLY-WIGGLY

Next Door to
Weeks Drug Store

Opens for Business
Saturday, Aug. 23

Big Demonstration of Many
Brands of Merchandise

Plan to Take Your Lunch
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With—
Bert Lytell
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THE LEDGER WILL POST
ELECTION RETURNS

Both county and state election
returns will be received by The
Ledger Saturday night. The
county returns will be posted on
the bulletin board, and the state
bulletins announced before The
Ledger office as fast as they are
received.

The Texas Election Bureau, of
which The Ledger is a member,
will furnish us with state returns
by wire, and these bulletins will
be announced and posted as rap-
idly as received. No Sunday
morning paper will be issued, but
bulletins will also be received
Sunday afternoon, in case the re-
turns compiled Saturday night do
not determine the result.

The ticket is a short one, and
early returns are expected. The
state returns will begin to arrive
by 7:30 p. m.

A CRY IN THE NIGHT, gripping
pains in the vitals, cramps,
weakening diarrhoea - whether child or
adult, immediate comfort and ease in
**CHAMBERLAIN'S
COLIC AND DIARRHOEA
REMEDY**
Pays to keep always on hand.

WINTERS ITEMS

WINTERS, August 19.-Rev.
Stuckey, pastor of St. Paul's
Methodist Church of Abilene, ad-
dressed a crowd estimated at
from 1200 to 1500 people in the
interest of Felix D. Robertson for
governor last night. The rally
was held on a vacant space for-
merly used for a cotton yard
where seats were arranged and a
large truck used as a platform.

Seated on the platform with
Rev. Stuckey was Rev. W. M.
Lane, presiding elder of the
Methodist church for the Abilene
conference; Rev. Pearce, pastor
of the First Methodist church, of
Abilene; pastors of Winters
churches, and a number of citi-
zens. Rev. M. A. Quinland, Run-
nels County Baptist missionary,
acted as chairman of the rally
and introduced the speakers.

Rev. Stuckey began his address
by paying a tribute to Judge
Robertson, declaring that he was
a high tone Christian gentleman,
and the speaker read telegrams
from Dallas officials and Dallas
ministers endorsing Robertson
and branding as false the charge
being made that he drank whis-
key.

The speaker charged Ferguson
with opposing the selective draft,
and compared with Ferguson's
war record the war record of
Judge Robertson, who went over-
seas, and said that Robertson was
a volunteer for his country, being
too old for the draft.

The speaker reviewed Fergu-
son's record at length, charging
that he deserted the democratic
party and tried to break it up,
and Rev. Stuckey read from Fer-
guson's paper the attack he made
on the democratic party, probi-
tion, the churches and min-
isters.

Dr. John C. Granberry, of
Georgetown, is scheduled to
speak for Mrs. Ferguson at Win-
ters Wednesday afternoon.

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 drug-
gist will supply
for a few cents.
Shake well in a
bottle, and you
have a whole
quarter-pint of
the most wonder-
ful skin whitener,
softener and beautifier.

Massage this sweetly fragrant
lemon bleach into the face, neck,
arms and hands. It can not irri-
tate. 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.

Sports

(By "Doc.")

Well, the little world series has
started. Both games yesterday
were surprises. Two teams ran
away with their games. In the
first one Miles poured it on Nor-
ton by the tune of 14 to 7. Bu-
ford, Norton's first baseman, was
off and made the game a run-
away for Miles. Robinson started
for Norton and was hard hit,
Cope relieving him and went
pretty good. Hanna for Miles
was never in trouble until the sev-
enth when a fast double play
saved him some scores. In the
ninth Norton scored two runs in a
belated rally only to be set down
when both E. Cope and Buford
struck out with a man on sec-
ond.

Every man on the Miles team
hit except Hanna.

The box score—

Miles:	Ab	R	H	Po	A	E
Moore, 1st	6	4	3	7	0	0
Sims, lf	5	1	2	2	0	0
L. Bauman, ss	5	1	2	1	2	2
White, 2nd	6	3	1	3	3	0
R. Bauman, 3rd	6	2	1	1	1	1
J. White, c	5	1	1	10	0	1
Rosser, rf	4	1	2	1	0	1
Young, cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Hanna, p	5	0	0	0	0	0
	46	14	14	27	6	5
Norton:	Ab	R	H	Po	A	E
T. Cope, ss	6	2	2	0	1	2
Martin, 2nd	5	1	2	3	2	1
R. Seagins, c	5	1	1	11	3	2
B. Seagins, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Buford, 1st	5	0	0	6	3	3
E. Cope, 3rd	5	1	0	3	3	0
Waldon, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Newsome, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Robinson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
R. Cope, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
	42	7	10	27	11	8

Summary—Two base hits.
Young, Martin, T. Cope, Sims, R.
Seagins, B. Seagins; three base
hits, B. Seagins, Young, Moore.
Struck out by Hanna 5; by Rob-
inson 3; by Cope 3. Walks by
Hanna, 2. Stolen bases, Sims, F.
White, T. Cope (2), B. Seagins.
Buford. Umpires, Earnshaw and
Josely.

The second game was a run-
away for Eden, they scoring al-
most at will. The game was
shortened by consent to seven in-
nings but Valera had enough at
the end of the fourth, the game
being called.

Eden scored 8 runs on 4 hits,
2 errors, a hit batter and a balk.
Bauman, up twice in this inning
hit for a home run to right the
first time up and a double to the
same field the second.

The box score—

Eden:	Ab	R	H	Po	A	E
Floyd, cf	2	3	2	0	0	0
Hamilton, 3rd	3	2	2	0	1	1
Sanders, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
McVay, 1st	3	1	1	5	0	0
Hoskins, 2nd	1	2	0	2	0	0
Bauman, ss	3	2	2	1	2	2
Bunger, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Moore, c	3	1	0	4	1	0
Maddox, p	3	1	1	0	2	0
	23	13	11	12	6	3
Valera:	Ab	R	H	Po	A	E
Crenshaw, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Shelton, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
James, ss	2	0	0	3	0	1
Newsome, 2nd	1	0	0	0	1	2
Baskett, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
McLean, c	1	0	0	4	1	0
Griffis, 3rd	2	0	0	0	0	0
West, 1st	2	0	1	3	0	0
Van Hess, p	1	0	1	1	1	2
	15	0	3	12	4	3

Summary—Two base hits, Bau-
man, Floyd; home run Bauman.
Struck out by Maddox, 4; by Van
Hess, 4. Walks by Van Hess, 2.
Passed ball, McLean, 2. Hit by
pitcher, Floyd (2) by Van Hess.
Balk, Van Hess. Umpires, Earn-
shaw and Josely.

This afternoon there will be a
single game between Bradshaw
and Maverick.

Tomorrow at 4:00 p. m. Hat-
chel will play Lawn. This will be
a good game, as both teams are
out to win and the managers have
promised a full strength team
here for the game.

Thursday will be the play off
between the two winners of yester-
day's games. Miles will play
Eden at 4:00 p. m. This will be a
classic as both teams are strong
and are out to win. Bunger and
King will most likely be the
pitchers.

Doc sure was busy yesterday,
running after the foul balls, tak-
ing in the money and keeping
score as well as looking after the



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Wellman's tobacco
was a hit

"Wellman's Method"
modernized
scores again
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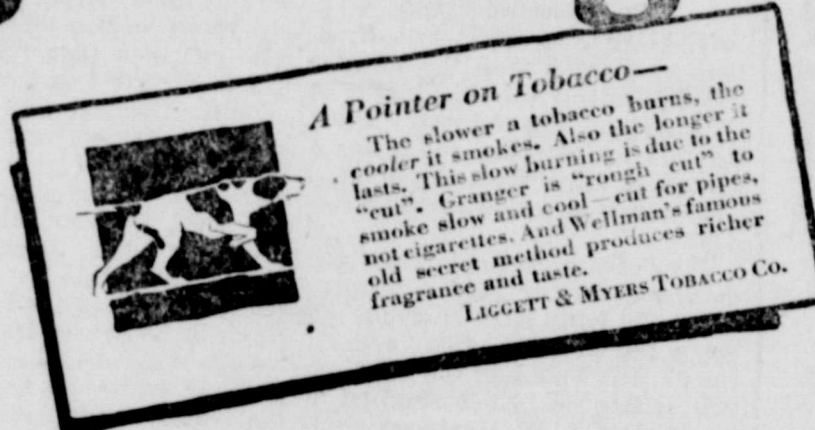
Real pipe comfort

Coarser cut, too—
burns slower
and cooler

Packed in foil
instead of tin
therefore 10¢



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cooler it smokes. Also the longer it
lasts. This slow burning is due to the
fact that Granger is "rough cut" to
smoke slow and cool—cut for pipes,
not cigarettes. And Wellman's famous
old secret method produces richer
fragrance and taste.

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visiting players and general fac-
tious and flunkies. But he
didn't mind. He is a large guy
and fully able to stand all that is
given him to do.

There was a goodly crowd out
to the first game yesterday. The
crowd was estimated at about 350
persons.

Come out to the games and
help make this week of baseball
a success.

J. M. Jennings was in the city
Tuesday from the Norton coun-
try, and called at The Ledger of-
fice to advertise a 400 acre farm
he has for sale.

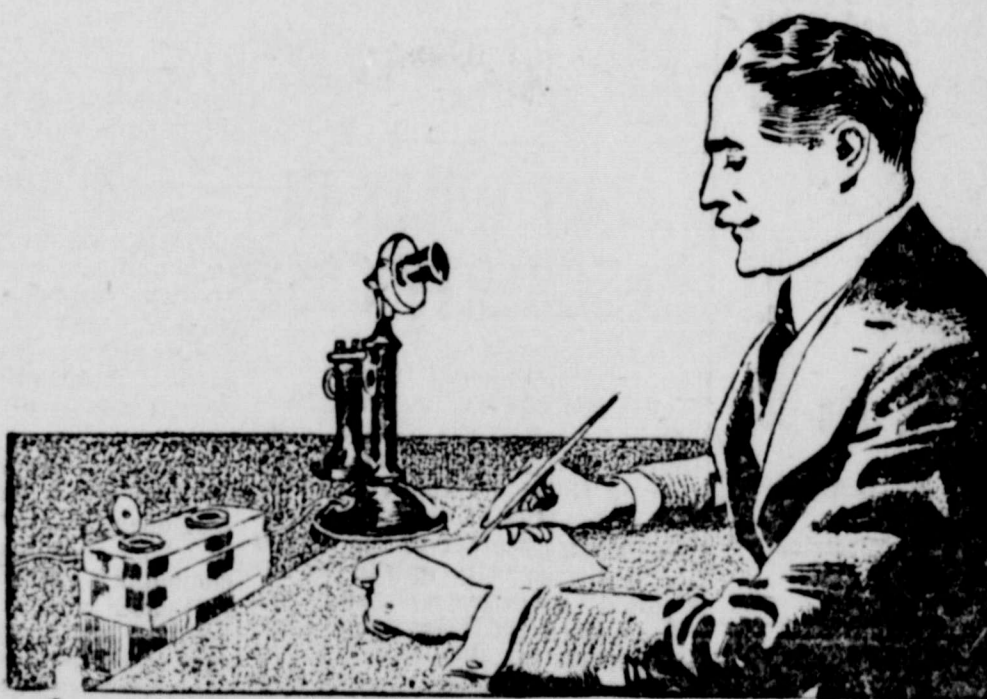
Calomel Good
but Treacherous

Next Dose may Salivate, Snock
Liver or Attack Bones

You know what calomel is. It's mer-
cury, quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous.
It crashes into your bile like dynamite,
cramping and sickening you. Calomel
attacks the bones and should never be
put into your system.

If you feel bilious, headachy, consti-
pated and all knocked out, just go to
your druggist and get a bottle of Dod-
son's Liver Tonic for a few cents which
is a harmless vegetable substitute for
dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and
if it doesn't start your liver and
straighten you up better and quicker
than nasty calomel and without making
you sick, you just go back and get your
money.

Don't take calomel! It makes you
sick the next day; it loses you a day's
work. Dodson's Liver Tonic straightens
you right up and you feel great. No
salts necessary. Give it to the children
because it is perfectly harmless and can
not salivate.



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Fund Law of Texas, because we felt by so doing we were offering to our de-
positors, and those whom we hope to make our depositors, the fullest measure
of safety that modern banking institutions have to offer the people of their
community

The moment you make a connection here you have the benefit of the
safety which is afforded by our membership in the Depositor's Guaranty Fund
of Texas, a fund which has accumulated the enormous sum of more than
\$3,500,000 to stand back of the depositors in every member bank.

Ballinger State Bank

An Open Letter to the Rev. John C. Cranberry

Ballinger, Texas, Aug. 19, 1924.

My dear Doctor:

For thirty-five years I was a member of the Tennessee Conference. For the last fourteen years I have been a member of the Central Texas Conference. I knew and loved your honored father, first as Professor of Vanderbilt University and afterwards as one of the honored Bishops of our Church. He was one of the purest and best men I ever knew and when he ascended he left his family and Church, which he had loved so well and had served so long and efficiently, a stainless name. On coming to Texas I was delighted to find his son and namesake, serving the Church, which he loved so well, by filling a chair in a great Methodist school. I have taken pride in your position and work. You can therefore imagine my surprise and humiliation when I read in the Dallas News of recent date your letter to Mrs. Ferguson endorsing her candidacy for Governor of this great state and offering her your services. I was surprised that a reputable Methodist minister should ever become a follower of Jim Ferguson. I am humiliated that a Methodist preacher occupying such a responsible position in one of our leading church schools should lend his name and influence to propagate Fergusonism which is a synonym for demagoguery and political corruption. If you have any judgment at all you know that a vote for Mrs. Ferguson is a vote for Jim, and if she should be elected Jim will be Governor in fact, and who is Jim Ferguson? He is the man who was kicked out of the Governor's office by an indignant Legislature because he had been proven to be dishonest in the use of State funds and who under the constitution of the state can never hold office again. He is and was an avowed anti prohibitionist and has always stood hand in glove with the ungodly liquor interests. He is the man who fights higher education and came near wrecking your State University, and from every stump in Texas has poured the vials of his vituperative wrath even on your devoted head, by denouncing "political preachers," for if there is a political preacher in the state, his name is John C. Cranberry.

And who are the followers of Jim Ferguson? Whoever else may be for him, we know the whole old whiskey crowd, brewers, saloon keepers and saloon bums, bootleggers, and the men and women who train with that gang are his devoted followers. Our foreign population and children of foreign born parents, many of whom were disloyal during our death struggle with Germany—these are his most enthusiastic followers. Let me ask you if deep down in your soul you do not feel ill at ease to be lined up with such an aggregation. Is it not true, Doctor, that you are not so much for Ferguson as you are against the Klan? Are you not willing to lick his boots to gratify your hatred of the Klan? Would you not work for the election of his Satanic Majesty if thereby you could defeat and destroy the Klan? It is widely known that your hatred of the Klan is bitter and uncompromising. I do not hold a brief for the Klan nor approve of the unlawful acts with which they are unjustly charged, but do you not know wherever there is such an organization it is composed of men of pure American blood, men who cherish the loftiest American ideals, representative men who believe in America and her laws and who are using their best endeavor to have them enforced? You might know, if you were not so blinded by your prejudice, that in this organization there are Christian men of the highest type, men of means who support the churches and furnish pupils for such schools as you unworthily represent. You do not seem to think it a crime that a Catholic organization, the Knights of Columbus, should be an oath bound organization who choose a candidate and undertake to deliver the entire Catholic vote. Is it not true that you feel more kindly toward and have more tolerance for this order composed altogether of Catholics than you have toward the Klan, composed altogether of Protestants? And who is it you are trying to defeat? If his character bore the moral turpitude as that of Jim Ferguson you might be excusable, but 'tis known that Judge Felix Robertson is a Christian gentleman,

against whose public life there is not a mark, who is an avowed prohibitionist and who pledges himself to enforce the prohibition law without fear or favor. Now, Doctor, since you have laid aside your ministerial robes and your teachers gown to take the stump for Jim Ferguson and, therefore, for all he stands for, can you preserve your self respect or the respect of all right thinking people of this great state without offering at once your resignation as a teacher of one of our most cherished institutions? We were in hopes we would be spared the further humiliation of having a man who is advertised as a representative of Southwestern University to publicly advocate in our town the cause of Jim Ferguson and publicly drag the name of our great school in the mire of filthy politics.

"One more question if you please, Doctor. In view of the fact that your Church is a prohibition Church and stands for righteous government, are you not acting the part of a traitor to that Church, and are you not putting a stigma upon the fair name of beloved old Southwestern?"

"Allow me to say in conclusion that I have great admiration for your courage, but no respect whatever, for your judgment, you are the only preacher either white or black who has the affront to publicly declare himself for Ferguson. Not even a Catholic priest or a Jewish rabbi has let his prejudices carry him so far."

Your indignant Brother,
—W. H. DOSS,
(Political Advertisement)

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PIMPLES CAUSE FOLKS TO SHRINK FROM ATTENTION

Whenever you go out, you can't help but pity the many folks you see trying to have a good time, but are so shrinking and backward about coming near others where pimply, blotchy and eze-mie skin can be seen.

You almost feel like going up to them and telling them that they ought to begin using Black and White Ointment, and Soap, which so many thousands of happy people are depending on to keep their skin clear, smooth and good to look at.

Black and White Ointment, and Soap, are selling at the phenomenal rate of more than two million packages a year, and the fact that they are so economically priced is largely responsible for this record. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have both the Ointment and the Soap.

MRS. DALLAS SCARBOROUGH WILL SPEAK IN BALLINGER

Mrs. Dallas Scarborough, of Abilene, will speak at Ballinger Wednesday night, in the interest of Mrs. M. A. Ferguson for governor, preceding the speech by Dr. John C. Cranberry, of Georgetown. Mrs. Scarborough is taking an active interest in the present campaign and is an able speaker. She has been prominently identified with the civic and social affairs of Abilene for a long time and the women of Ballinger and surrounding territory are specially invited to hear her.

(Political Advertisement)
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CATARRH
of head or throat is usually
benefited by the vapors of—
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Prof. and Mrs. W. S. Fleming, daughter, Miss Mary, and Miss Mildred Nelson, all of Pittsburg, Texas, left Tuesday morning for the home. They were accompanied in their car as far as Brownwood by Miss Malvina Skinner, who will visit there for a few days. The Flemings had been visiting Prof. and Mrs. J. M. Skinner and family here for the past several weeks while Miss Nelson visited in the family of Dr. Mitchell at Norton.

W. O. Wheeler, of the Hatchel country, left for Brownwood Tuesday morning to attend the American Legion convention.

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Theatres

"THE SONG OF LOVE" IS A BIG HIT

In "The Song of Love," which opened yesterday at the Maeroy Theatre, and which closes tonight in that house, Norma Talmadge scores the greatest hit of her career, lustrous as it is. In this First National picture the star reveals new and unsuspected facets of the marvelous talent that is hers, beguiling and bewitching the spectator with the power of her pantomime.

As an Arabian dancer, Miss Talmadge has a particularly alluring role in a done that is quite a departure from her recent portrayals of silk-clad dames of other periods. She gives to the part a tempestuous characterization and appeal that stamp her as the most versatile of film heroines.

"The Song of Love" was adapted from the novel "Dust of Desire," which has won considerable renown for its author, Margaret Peterson. The picture was directed jointly by Chester A. Franklin and Frances Marion, and the star's supporting cast includes such notables as Joseph Schildkraut, Arthur Edmund Carewe, Laurance Wheat, Maude Wayne, Earl Schenck, Hector V. Sarno, Albert Prisco, Mario Carillo and James Cooley.

The settings are exceptionally beautiful. One is enthralled by the majestic splendor of the boundless desert and the exotic architecture of the cities and towns in which the action takes place. Pictorially, as well as in every other phase, the production is one of the most artistic and flawless that has ever been shown here.



Mrs. M. A. Ferguson, of Temple, Texas, is opposing Felix Robertson, of Dallas, self-confessed Klan candidate, for the governorship of Texas. She is a member of the Episcopal church, mother of two splendid daughters and a woman of rare common sense and executive ability. Her candidacy is endorsed and being actively supported by every one of the seven other candidates for governor eliminated in the first primary.

(Political Advertisement)

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FOURTEEN CHILDREN IN FAMILY REUNION

On August 14th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bates, in the Truitt community, their children, numbering fourteen were all at home for a family reunion.

There are ten girls and four boys living, and one little boy died at the age of two years. Eight of the girls and one of the boys are married, and there are twenty-four grandchildren, 18 of whom are living.

During the day a photographer was sent for and the large family group posed for some pictures, the parents, children and grandchildren gathering on the porch of the new bungalow which was built last summer. Including the children, children-in-laws and grandchildren, there were forty-two in the family reunion.

A good old fashioned family dinner was served, and refresh-

ments of ice cream, iced drinks and watermelon were served throughout the day.

It was late in the afternoon when those who came from other counties left for their homes, and while the family ties may be broken before another gathering, the day will long be remembered.

LEGION VISITOR

KILLED IN AUTO

M. J. Wheeler, a druggist of Breckenridge, was instantly killed and four companions, all ex-service men and en route to Brownwood to attend the Amer-

ican Legion convention, were painfully injured when their car turned over Sunday afternoon.

The car was equipped with four wheel brakes and when Wheeler, who was driving, applied the brakes while going at a good rate of speed, locking the front wheels and causing the car to turn over. Wheeler's throat was cut and his neck broken.

The party of former service men left Breckenridge shortly after noon Sunday and were en route to Brownwood to attend the convention in session at that place.

MAEROY THEATRE

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IN BEHALF OF

Mrs. Miriam Ferguson
FOR GOVERNOR

Dr. Granberry has for many years been connected with educational institutions of Texas and taken an active part in open clean democratic government, and has been a prohibitionist all his life. A good portion of his speech will be devoted to a discussion of the Klan and its effects upon FREE GOVERNMENT.

Dr. Granberry comes to us as a highly cultured Christian gentleman who will discuss these questions upon a very high plane. Being a good orator he will not only entertain you, but his discussion will be instructive.

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(Political Advertisement.)

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE CONCHO, SAN SABA & LLANO VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY:

You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the Stockholders to be held in the City of Miles, County of Runnels, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company on the 30th day of September 1924, between the hours of 2:00 o'clock p. m. and 8:00 o'clock p. m., to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage on all of its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired, to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in series so much of such bonds as may be necessary, not exceeding one million dollars, to be used in paying or exchange for the present indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition, construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, and for other lawful corporate purposes; each series of bonds to be issued to mature at such time and provide for the payment of such lawful rate of interest, to be tax free or not tax free, to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board; and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said proposed meeting.

A. H. LEWIN,
Secretary, The Concho, San Saba and Llano Valley Railroad Company. 25-6tw

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Miss Elaine Clark is here visiting the family of W. R. Clark.

The little two year old baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bair is reported to be some better today, and it is now believed that an operation will not be necessary to remove a button which the child swallowed. The baby swallowed a button about the size of a two-bit piece and later became seriously ill and it was feared an operation would be necessary. An X-ray examination showed that the button had passed out of the child's stomach into the intestine and the child was some better.

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Work on Farm Wanted The Young Men's Business League has any number of applications from parties wanting to work on farms. Anyone needing farm help, notify the Y. M. B. L. office. 11-tf-d&w

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR PASSES THROUGH THIS CITY

Judge Felix D. Robertson, candidate for governor, was a passenger on the East bound Santa Fe passing through this city Tuesday morning. Judge Robertson was accompanied by John Sneed, of the Dallas News, Byron Uetch of the Star-Telegram and Wilbur Shaw of the Dallas Times-Herald. He spoke at San Angelo Monday night and was en route to Brownwood to attend the American Legion convention.

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MAVERICK MAN DIES AT ANGELO

Marvin Grimes, a citizen of the Maverick country for more than thirty years, having grown from boyhood to manhood in that community, died at San Angelo Saturday following an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Grimes had been sick for some time and he came to Ballinger last week and was examined. The physician announced that he had appendicitis. Mr. Grimes went to San Angelo where he underwent an operation and death resulted.

Deceased was 38 years of age. He is survived by a wife and one child. Living in the Maverick country most of his life Mr. Grimes was numbered among the best citizens of that section, and his death brought sorrow to the community.

The remains were brought home from San Angelo and Sunday they were laid to rest in the cemetery at Bronte.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all my white and colored friends for their kindly assistance and sympathy during the illness and death of my mother, known as "Aunt Mary." May God bless and comfort you when the hour of grief and sorrow overtakes you.
Rachael Wilson.

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LEGION HEARS MANY SPEAKERS

(By Associated Press)
BROWNWOOD, Aug. 19.—The Texas Department of the American Legion went into the second day of its sixth annual convention here today.

The convention was addressed this morning by former National Commander Alvin Owsley, State Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs, and others.

The 90th Division held its session and elected Buford Jester, of Corsicana, as president.

Join the Y. M. B. L. and help build Ballinger.

for SCHOOL

"Coming Events Cast Shadows"....

School Days Next Month

The foresighted prepare as much as possible in advance of the usual September rush with its attendant distractions. It's a good plan, students, to try out this year—today's not a bit too soon.

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