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UPHOLDS BONE DRY LAW FOR STEAMSHIPS

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The federal judge today handed down a decision dismissing the motion of foreign and American steamship companies for a permanent injunction restraining the federal prohibition agents from putting in to effect the bone dry ruling of Attorney General Daugherty. This decision will make all ships sailing in American waters bone dry, unless the United States Supreme Court should reverse the ruling. The federal judge extended the stay temporarily, giving the steamship companies time to file an immediate appeal to the United States Supreme Court.

Judge Hand decided in favor of the government on all points. The decision was rendered on the specific matter in the application of the foreign lines for an injunction protecting them from seizure of ships carrying liquor under seal on their East bound voyage from the United States.

RAISING MONEY FOR NEW CHURCH

J. W. Wood and W. H. Pape, of the Crews country, were in Ballinger Monday soliciting funds for the building of a new Methodist church at Crews. It will be remembered that the Methodist church at Crews was destroyed by the storm last April. The Crews people have raised more than \$2,000, and asking the business men and citizens of Ballinger to contribute towards rebuilding the church. They met with a liberal response in Ballinger, amounts from \$10 down being contributed to the fund.

DALLAS—Actual construction work on the addition of the Dallas Power & Light Company plant, to cost \$2,800,000, will begin shortly after January 1, according to Joe Gill, assistant manager.

Accuracy

The foundation upon which we have built our

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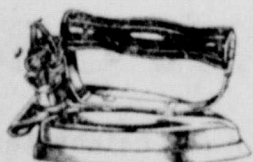
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According to a statement just issued by Edsel B. Ford, President of the Ford Motor Company, Detroit, a general reduction of \$50.00 a car has been made in the prices of Ford model T cars and the Ford one-ton truck, effective October 17th.

"The revision in prices," said Mr. Ford, "is the result of the increased volume of business which our company has enjoyed during the present year, and also to the fact that we now own and operate many of our own sources of raw material, which enables us to continue increasing the quality of our product and at the same time keep the price so low that Ford cars are in reach of everybody."

"Our production for 1922 is already in excess of one million, which has been an important factor in bringing down costs. Our present daily output is averaging better than 5,000 cars and trucks, which means a complete Ford car or truck every 5 1/2 seconds of each eight-hour working day. It is in anticipation of this continued demand that price adjustments are again being made in order to keep in effect the policy of selling Ford products at the lowest price consistent with quality."

"Quality, as usual," said Mr. Ford, "will continue to be a prime consideration in the building of Ford cars. As our business has increased we have constantly increased our equipment and manufacturing facilities, so that this price reduction merely reflects the progressive methods which come as a result of increased volume."

"This reduction, which is the sixth since March 1920, brings the price of the Ford touring car from \$575, the price in effect early in 1920, to the present extremely low level of \$298, which is nearly fifty per cent less. Corresponding reductions have been made on all other types."

BRECKENRIDGE—A downward trend in the price of oil wells was recorded when several wells were auctioned off here recently. One well which was auctioned off under the hammer of the city tax collector was sold for \$98, the price including the rig and casing. Two other wells auctioned off at the same time, both of which were either small or nearly dry holes, were sold for \$288 and \$200, respectively.

RUSK—The fine arts department of Rusk College, directed by Prof. Raymond Guyon, is to have a band, two glee clubs, and classes in voice, piano and violin this year.

Ledger want ads pay.

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WEEKS

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Monday Morning



BIG LOSS TO STOP WILD CAT

"It's a shame to quit drilling now." The loss which might be sustained in abandoning the Safety First well can be expressed in no better terms.

There are people in Ballinger who would not doubt put up cash and acreage to spud in a new well, but who decline to aid or encourage the completion of a test which is already under good headway and making a good showing.

O. Wilson, contractor on the Safety First, is willing to stake his all on the Safety First, and proposes to continue drilling at actual expenses, not charging anything for the use of his tools. He will accept acreage with the understanding that the acreage is to be negotiated in raising funds to finance the drilling.

The well is down 3170 feet, and the hole is dry and in good shape. A few more strokes of the bit might puncture what the wild caters have been looking for here for a half dozen years.

As a wild cat proposition the Safety First holds out good prospects, and to abandon the well in its present and uncompleted condition without making a four thousand foot test, is bad business and those who are interested in seeing an oil field developed here should get behind the proposition and see it through to a successful finish, oil or no oil.

There are a number of citizens trying to arrange for the well to go down, and their contract is declared to be a fair and reasonable one, and acreage owners should at least consider it and offer the proposition all the encouragement and aid possible.

PROBING FIRE THAT KILLED 15

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Two separate inquiries were launched today into the origin of fire early yesterday in which fifteen lives were lost and seventeen injured, and one hundred and fifty made homeless. The fire marshal and district attorney are making a searching investigation. The fire is believed to have started under the stairway of a five story apartment house.

DALLAS—Traffic experts of Ft. Worth and Dallas are laying plans for participation in the hearing to be held before the Interstate Commerce Commission at Oklahoma City, Nov. 1, when the Oklahoma Corporation Commission will attempt to obtain a revision of rates in Oklahoma and extending into Texas.

HOUSTON—Whether the city limits of Houston shall be extended down along the Houston Ship Channel as far as Galena, the site of the Galena-Siggal refinery, will be put up to the voters of the city on Dec. 16th, when five charter amendments go to the ballot.

FIRST CONCERT WELL RECEIVED

The Ballinger Band, assisted by the John T. Wortham Shows band, gave the first concert of the season Sunday afternoon before a fairly good sized crowd. Owing to the inclement weather the concert was moved from the court house lawn to the Maeroy Theatre and while many were not cognizant of the fact that the concert would be played inside in case of bad weather many citizens heard the indoor concert. The crowd was enthusiastic in their applause and each number was well received. About forty musicians with their instruments were on the stage, several members of the newly organized local band not being present because of the rain.

The Ballinger musicians are very thankful for the help furnished by the Wortham show and the concert would have been impossible without the co-operation. The first concert put new pep into the home boys and in only a short time it is hoped to announce another concert, and in the future all concerts will be played on the court house lawn if the weather permits and inside if the weather is bad.

Most of the new instruments ordered have arrived and the band is getting to work in earnest and will show a big improvement on each concert.

Mrs. H. H. Thomson left Sunday for Schleicher county to visit her brother-in-law and family on the Thomson ranch. Her son Gordon, and Herbert Sledge accompanied her thru in an auto, and the boys were caught in the rain en route home and spent Sunday night in San Angelo.

BRITISH ELECT BONAR LAW

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Andrew Bonar Law was unanimously elected leader of the Unionist party at a meeting here this afternoon. He told the newspaper men he would accept the task of forming a new ministry. It is understood that his ministry is virtually complete.

While the new leader's policy was not outlined before the party meeting, Mr. Law declared that the Irish constitution must be carried out. He said that he hoped that Lloyd George and he would still be good friends after a "pretty stiff tussle."

BROWNSVILLE—A number of homing pigeons, flying from here to San Marcos, covered the distance in two hours and forty-seven minutes, an average of approximately 125 miles an hour, whereas the regular train run takes twelve hours. All of the pigeons, brought here from San Marcos, rose in the air, took their bearings and flew away from the Rio Grande with the aid of an airplane.

SAYS KLAN HELPED TO ELECT MAYFIELD

TEXAS POLITICS IN NEW ORLEANS

(By Associated Press)

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 23.—The scene of the bitter Texas senatorial fight shifted from Texas to this city today. The case of George E. B. Peddy, senatorial nominee on the republican ticket, was tentatively set for a hearing in the federal court here today.

Pending the arrival of a number of judges from Texas and others who are interested in the case, the hearing will probably not get under headway before tomorrow. Peddy supporters are seeking an order to compel the Texas secretary of state, who recently ruled Peddy was ineligible for a place on the ticket, to place his name on the ballot.

The democratic party of Texas was under the control of a secret organization at the time of the August primary, counsel for Peddy declared in the opening of the hearing. Counsel said that the party was not a real democratic party.

AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—Henry Young, of Waco, announced candidate for United States senator on the states rights party ticket, announced here today that he will file action in the federal court at Waco within a few days to compel the secretary of state to certify his name as senatorial candidate. The State Supreme Court recently denied a motion filed by Young for permission to file a mandamus application to force the secretary of state to certify his name.

J. O. Grundy, and son, of Abilene, were here Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives.

RAIN IS GENERAL BUT NOT HEAVY

Spoiling what started out to be a perfect day Sunday, a light Norther struck this country, followed by showers which covered a large territory. From a quarter to three-quarters of an inch of rain fell, with some localities reporting "good rain." The rain has hardly been sufficient to stimulate grain planting, but the farmers are arranging for a heavy sowing, and with sufficient season in due season, a large acreage will be planted in grain in Runnels county.

The West Texas Telephone Co. compiled the following rain report from points on its long distance lines:

Abilene	39
Ballinger	50
Benoit	50
Blackwell	50
Bradshaw	good
Brady	40
Bronte	75
Brownwood	33
Coleman	32
Concho	25
Crews	25
Eden	light
Ft. Chadbourne	25
Hatchel	62
Leaday	50
Maverick	50
Menard	light
Miles	50
Millersview	25
Norton	70
Olifen	40
Ovalo	50
Paint Rock	25
Pony	good
Rovena	40
San Angelo	66
Santa Anna	light
Stacy	50
Tal	40
Truitt	23
Wimeth	50
Winzette	75
Winters	50.

(By Associated Press)

CORSICANA, Oct. 23.—L. M. Ballowe, of Dallas, testified in the Mayfield case here today. Mr. Ballowe testified that Mr. Mayfield attended three meetings of the Ku Klux Klan in Dallas, and declared that Mr. Mayfield addressed the meetings. The witness said that at two meetings of the Klan, money was subscribed for the support of alleged Klan candidates.

Other witnesses called this morning included several who testified as to the good reputation of Mike McNamara, who swore that he raised money for Mayfield's campaign.

W. V. Helm, another witness from Dallas, read the proposed Klan ticket which he said that he received from Mayfield headquarters.

OPEN PORT LAW FOR MARSHAL

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—Governor Neff this morning, issued a proclamation placing the entire city of Marshall under the open port law. The order was made effective at noon today.

LEAGUE DIRECTORS CALLED TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Business League in their new offices at 7:00 o'clock tonight. This is the first meeting of the board in their new and spacious quarters in the Currie building.

Due to the absence of the president, secretary and county agent at West Texas fairs with agricultural exhibits and the rush of work for the past few weeks, there has been no meeting of the board, and Secretary Williams states that a busy program is scheduled for tonight's meeting.

Several different matters of importance will be discussed, and the board will take up the matter of an appropriate Armistice Day celebration.

NEW LEGION HEAD GUEST IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Oct. 23.—Col. Alvin M. Owsley, of Denton, the new national commander of the American Legion, was guest of a local Legion post today. He was honored at a luncheon at noon and will confer with Henry D. Lindsay, the first national commander of the American Legion.

WORTHAM SHOWS READY TO PLAY

The John T. Wortham Shows arrived here about noon Sunday, a special train pulling the string of cars down from San Angelo, where the carnival company had been playing at the fair. The cars were side-tracked in front of the Santa Fe passenger station, and teamsters began immediately to unload the trucks and pulled them to the Santa Fe right-of-way between Broadway and Fifth Street, where the shows are ready for business. Quite a number of the wagons were pulled up Eighth Street West of the Central Hotel and parked until Monday morning.

The carnival band appeared on the streets during the early afternoon, and gave a concert, which will be an every afternoon part of the program, the concert preceding the opening of the shows, etc. The rain Sunday interfered with work in making ready for the opening of the carnival here, but practically all attractions will be going by tonight.

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All Texas fairs held this fall have been declared successes, and West Texas walked off with the goods at the big State Fair of Texas, at Dallas. West Texas is out of the boll weevil area.

San Angelo's city tax rate has been fixed at \$2.10. Ballinger's city rate is \$1.25. The total tax Ballinger folks will have to dig up this year, including city, school, county and state, is only \$3.30. That's high enough for the present.

We can understand how a bolting democrat can vote for Peddy for United States senator, but we can't understand how an honest republican can swallow him. If we belonged to the republican party we would draw the line when it came to voting for bolting democrats.

INFLUENZA

As a preventive, melt and inhale night and morning.

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THE GRUNTS OF THE DIS-

GRUNTLES

Jim Ferguson and Barry Miller are on the stump making speeches for Peddy, the republican candidate for United States senator. Ferguson has turned traitor to the democratic party for the second time in as many campaigns, and is now fighting the hand which he asked to feed him. He will not get the hearing that he received in the last primary, and his record in Texas politics is too well known to make comment necessary. The less said about him the better it will be for political history in Texas.

As for Barry Miller, he is facing the fourth defeat in the present year of electing officers. Miller was a candidate for the Texas legislature and was defeated in the July election. He campaigned for Culberson and lost. He campaigned for Ferguson in the second primary, and he is now leading the bolters and fighting the hand which he begged crumbs from during the early

campaign. Peddy himself is in a measure a defeated democrat and disgruntled politician to begin with. He was serving as assistant district attorney at Houston when his chief was defeated for renomination in the July primary. The republicans are using him as a "cat's paw."

Eliminate the disgruntles from the present campaign and Peddy would not have enough followers to form his steering committee.

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izes that it is produced by a

medicine. Then, they not only

move the bowels but improve the

appetite and strengthen the di-

gestion.

"GILDED LIES" AT THE

FO-TO-SHO THEATRE

A story of exceptional power

has been provided by Eugene O'

Brien in "Gilded Lies," the Sel-

nick picture now showing at the

fo-to-sho Theatre, where it will

remain for a run of two days.

In the play Mr. O'Brien plays

the part of a young explorer

whose fiancée marries, in his

absence, an absolutely objection-

able creature, whose only attraction

is his wealth. Full of thought of

revenge, Keen McComb hurries to

New York, but when he finds his

former sweetheart has been

coerced into the marriage and that

her life is made miserable by the

cad who is her husband, he de-

cides to devote his life to her

rescue.

Tremendously dramatic is the

situation, unexpected as it is

starting and logical, for it illus-

trates the old saying that he who

lies shall never prosper.

Apart from the splendid per-

formance given by Eugene O'

Brien, Martha Mansfield as his

leading woman, and Frank Whit-

son as George Stewart deserve

special mention for their thor-

oughly convincing portrayal of

their various roles.

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Sidney and James Neely, of

Winters, left for Stephenville to

enter the John Tarleton College.

Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S.

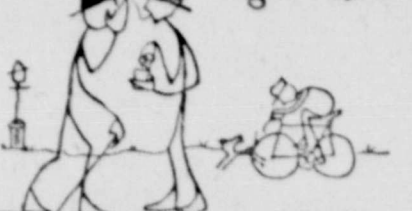
Neely, were here to bring them to

the train.

What-a-ya say for STROLLERS

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No 14

PADUCAH, Tex.—W. Q. "Bill" Richards, wealthy landowner, who died Sept. 23rd at Quannah, left \$50,000 for a hospital to be erected at Paducah, and an additional \$50,000 to be spent by the hospital trustees. The estate, which includes the famous Moon ranch, is worth from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000. He was one of the largest landowners in this section of the state and owned about 71,000 acres, stocked with 6,000 head of pure-bred Hereford cattle.

Storage Goods to be Sold

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PARIS—Soil specialists and authorities on agriculture will direct the soil improvement campaign embracing several counties to be conducted from Nov. 6 to Nov. 11, closing with two or three meetings in Lamar county Nov. 11.

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E. J. CATHEY
COY DRENNAN

MANY ATTEND YOUNG MAN'S FUNERAL SUNDAY

A large crowd of sorrowing friends gathered at the Runnels cemetery Sunday afternoon and paid the last tribute of love and respect to Clifford E. Parker, who died Saturday afternoon. Dr. Alvin Swindell conducted the funeral services and the remains of the young man were laid to rest by the side of his mother, and a mound of beautiful flowers marked the place where his body rests. Quite a number of ex-service men attended the funeral, deceased being a soldier in the World War, and a member of the American Legion.

The deceased was one of Ballinger's best young men, and a faithful employee of the postal department. He will be missed by a large circle of friends and these extend sympathy to the bereaved father, brother and sisters.

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HOUSTON—"The Countess" Wittgenstein, who sells newspapers at Main Street and Prairie Avenue, has received a check for \$4,200, the first installment of a legacy left her by a sister who died recently at Austin. The aged woman declares she is the widow of a German count. She declares she will go on selling papers to all who negotiate with her for her "corner."

EL PASO—This sign appears in one of El Paso's largest cafes: "Don't divorce your wife because she can't cook; eat here and keep her a pet." A small want ad in The Daily Ledger often saves you money.

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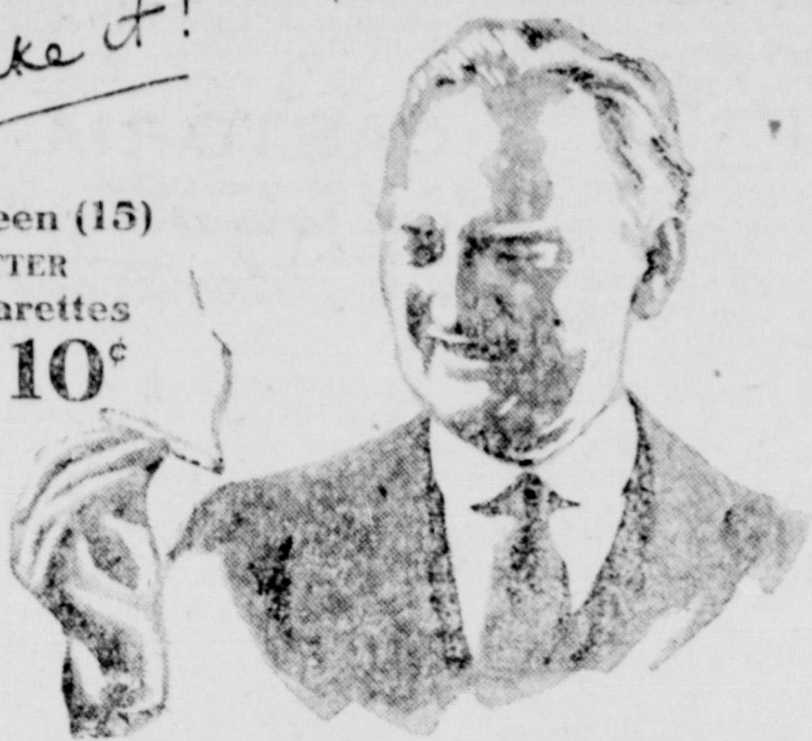
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"LIGHTS OF DESERT" WITH SHIRLEY MASON

Flashing her smiles from the screen, Shirley Mason will greet local picture fans Wednesday and Thursday at the Maeroy Theatre in her latest Fox production, "Lights of the Desert." The story, by Gladys E. Johnson, is well filled with tense moments and dramatic situations of powerful appeal, as well as touches in the lighter vein. In other words, it would appear to be an ideal photoplay for Miss Mason; and this, indeed, is how it is described by many reviewers in other towns.

An excellent cast has been chosen to support the star. Her leading man is Allan Forrest, a very capable young actor.

Charles "Buck" Jones is featured in "Pardon My Nerve," today and tomorrow at the Maeroy.

To Gain a Good Reputation

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TEMPLE—It is believed here that John Atlas, a member of a local Greek family, has lost his entire family, in the recent massacre in Smyrna. His parents, two sisters, and a brother, have not been heard from.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Rep. 92nd District:
CLAUDE E. CARTER
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
R. J. DEENS
For Tax Collector:
W. L. BROWN
For Tax Assessor:
M. D. CHASTAIN
For County Clerk:
W. A. FORGEY
For County Treasurer:
MRS. R. P. KIRK
For District Clerk:
GEORGIA SINGLETARY
For County Judge:
PAUL TRIMMER
For Sheriff:
J. P. FLYNT
For County Superintendent of
Public Instruction:
JOHN J. BUGG
For Public Weigher, Precinct
No. 1:
E. F. BATTS

LOCAL PASTORS MAKE STATEMENT

"Following the publication in our local daily last week of our united expression in a general way against the coming of morally questionable shows to our town, we the members of the Ballinger Pastors' Conference, are constrained to express our delight at the re-enforcement which comes to our position from two articles published a day or two later, one of them from the Runnels County Fair Association and the other from the representative of a show which is now in our city, which articles were intended as a 'reply' to our statement.

The first reply admits that the Runnels Fair Association brought a carnival here last year and also this year, and that the local organization receives a part of the money. We are glad they have admitted this, for that is exactly what we were saying in a general way without calling names. As to whether our local organizations solicit their coming or merely permit it by some financial agreement, the result is the same, and the show is encouraged to come in either case—exactly what we are saying. And in view of the effects of such shows themselves and of the evil that usually follows along after them, it does appear that our local organizations could engage themselves in better business than encouraging them by permission and receiving money.

"As to the other article, inspired by the show representative, it brings what he considers a 'recommendation' from some ministers in a town in Arkansas; but it is noticeable that these ministers commended the show management for 'suppressing' questionable features. Exactly so; and had not those ministers spoken out as we did we do not know whether those things would have been suppressed or not. The 'recommendation' from two ministers in our neighboring town tells us they attended 'some' of the exhibitions. Quite so again; and when ministers or officers of the law come around, the show folks generally know how to act. They know what to suppress and just when to suppress it.

"We are glad for these admissions and evidences furnished the public by these writers, which corroborate the stand we have taken, all of which goes to show that a carnival is just a carnival with all that that carries with it. Their Sabbath maneuverings in getting in and out of town such as the spectacle pulled off in Ballinger

yesterday, show how they stand for the uplift of a town, not to speak of anything else. The fact that people attend them does not 'approve' them as being right. The worst things in the world have plenty of people to attend them.

"The articles served as a strengthening of our statement; and while they were not intended as such, we are nevertheless grateful for it.

Signed:

"ALVIN SWINDELL
"JESSE MITCHELL
"C. E. SIMPSON
"ALFRED CRAGER

IMMENSE ROOKERY IN LAKE

Birds Find Sanctuary on Island on Which Hunters Are Forbidden to Set Foot.

Set in the middle of Great Salt Lake is Hat Island, 12 acres in area, one of the most densely populated rookeries in the world. Its official name is due to its shape, but it is more familiarly known to westerners as Bird Island.

Seagulls and pelicans live there. The island is literally covered with them, and since hunters are not permitted to disturb the fowls, visitors experience no difficulty in walking about among them and observing their habits. The birds have established their roosts among the rocky formations of the island, which is surrounded by salt water more dense than that of the ocean. The highest point is about 100 feet above the surface of the lake.

The strangest sight on the island is the flock of young pelicans. They walk about like a drove of sheep. One acts as leader and the rest follow. Large bodied, clumsy birds they are, scarcely able to waddle out of the way when one approaches.

As evening approaches one may look out over the lake, far to the north-east, and see a cloud of tiny specks. It is the adult pelicans returning home from the mouth of the Jordan river, or from the Great Bear river, 50 to 70 miles away. They are laden with fish for their young ones. The pouches under their beaks are filled with fresh-water fish.

Never Saw Their Faces.

The young woman was looking at a child's book, "The Sunbonnet Babies." Those Sunbonnet babies were my delight and my despair when I was little," she said, "because I never could see their faces. If you'll look carefully at every picture you'll notice the faces of those babies are never revealed. Other characters in the illustration show their faces, but never the sunbonnet babies.

"The only idea you can get of what sort of little girls they were is by their posture. And I used to peer and peer at those sunbonnets. I used to turn over the pages and look through from the back side; I used even to tear the pages a bit to see if I could not get inside of those sunbonnets. But I never could.

"Some day I'm going to write to that sunbonnet artist and ask if he won't send me, in confidence, one picture of those babies with their bonnets off."—Springfield Union.

If Uncle Henry Ford makes a few more cuts all we will have to pay for after while will be a place to park the Fords. A fifty dollar cut was made on all models effective October 15th, which brings the Fords down to the lowest mark in their history, and a Ford is cheaper now than a good horse and buggy.

"E. D. MESSER
"P. J. TAYLOR."

HOUSTON—Donna, Texas, the smallest town in the world having a Rotary Club all its own, attended the inter-city meeting of Rotarians, which began Oct. 20.

WHAT CAUSES GAS ON THE STOMACH?

It is caused by fermenting, sour waste matter in the intestines. This old, foul matter should be thoroughly cleaned out with simple buckhorn bark, glycerine, etc as mixed in Adler-ika. This acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, removing old accumulated matter you never thought was in your system. Adler-ika relieves ANY CASE gas on the stomach. EXCELLENT for sour stomach and chronic constipation. Guards against appendicitis. J. Y. Pearce Drug Company.

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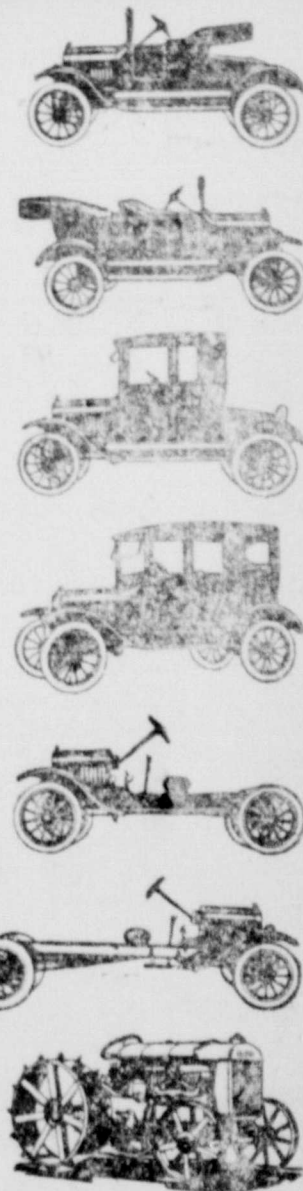
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BALLINGER PRINTING CO.

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Here's Grandmother's Recipe to Darken and Beautify Faded Hair.

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 hundredfold.

Don't bother to prepare the mixture; you can get this famous old recipe improved 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.

ELGIN—Quite a large amount of cotton is being handled thru the local express in transit to Galveston, where it is being stored and shipped. The movement so far this season has been the steadiest in local history. There is very little cotton being held in this section.

A Remarkable Record

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a remarkable record. It has been in use for colds, croup and whooping cough for almost half a century and has constantly grown in favor and popularity as its good qualities became better known. It is the standard and main reliance for these diseases in thousands of homes. The facts that it can always be depended upon and is safe and pleasant to take are greatly in its favor when it is wanted for children.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Halley, Mrs. J. G. Douglass and Miss Anna Jean Sharp left for Dallas Sunday afternoon, where they will attend an Eastern Star meeting.

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

Daily Ledger Want Ads

LOST—Package containing two shirts. Finder please return to J. M. Hampton at E. A. Jones & Co. 23-2d.*

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\$5 REWARD—For return of Salesman's sample portfolio containing samples of typewriter supplies. Collins Typewriter Exchange, Bernay Building, Brownwood. 20-3rd

FOR SALE—My home on 9th Street. Bargain if sold at once. H. O. Rhodes. 20-3rd

FOR SALE—One four room house on 60x140 foot lot. Located on Sixth Street. Big bargain if you want a place. See A. L. Dunn. 17-6th

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, furnished. Phone 179. 16-1fd.*

FOR RENT—Good furnished bed rooms in two blocks of town. Phone 179. 11-1fd.*

FOR SALE—Overland 6 in good condition at a bargain. Phone 179 if interested. 11-1fd.*

FOR SALE—Two hundred Ram. bouillet Bucks—registered and pure-bred. W. O. Shultz, Paint Rock, Texas. 1-45td

FOR SALE—Good Jersey Cow. Phone 83. 16-1fd.*

GOVERNMENT SENDING AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT TO THE COTTON PALACE

Waco, Texas.—The progressive farmer, the man who wants to keep abreast of the times will be anxious to see the government agricultural exhibit which will be shown at the Texas Cotton Palace Exposition, at Waco, October 21 to November 5. Below is a brief summary of what the exhibit will contain, the information being furnished in a letter to S. N. Mayfield, secretary of the Cotton Palace Association:

"The exhibits will cover about 4,000 feet of floor space and will illustrate the activities of the department and the results achieved for the betterment of American agriculture. A wide variety of displays will be used. There will be actual working models that give a realistic presentation of the subjects they illustrate. Some of these are of particularly ingenious construction. There will be beautifully colored transparencies, charts, maps, and photographs. Instruments and appliances of all kinds used in the various activities of the department will be on display to show how work of every day value to the people of the country is performed.

Market News by Radio. "Among the exhibits of the bureau of agricultural economics is to be one illustrative of the radio news service by means of which the bureau's market information is disseminated throughout the country by wireless. There will also be an exhibit illustrating hay-making methods, and the work of the bureau in standardizing market baskets and shipping containers will be illustrated. Many phases of the cotton industry will be illustrated, including cotton standards, sources of damage to crops, manufacturing and warehouses. There will also be a transparency case showing the various grades of live stock animals and meat cuts.

"Among the exhibits of the bureau of animal industry will be a display of the standard varieties of poultry, method of pedigree breeding, a model poultry laying house, methods of tick eradication in cattle, organization and results obtained from a bull association, a model dairy barn for a large herd, pathological specimens showing tuberculosis in cattle, model sheep barns, hurdles, fence, lamb creeps, sheep feeding racks, barn appliances, and the production of beef cattle on farm and ranch.

"The bureau of plant industry will have a display showing the various wheat varieties, a seed exhibit, methods and results of tree surgery, disease of vegetables and fruits on the farm, in transit and storage, and the prevention and control of same, including diseases of berries, cabbage, potatoes, fruit and corn. The production of sorghums, forage crops and fruit is also presented.

"The exhibit of the Forest Service includes a windbreak model showing the proper arrangement of windbreaks on a 160-acre farm in the region of Oklahoma; a post treating model showing an inexpensive way for farmers to treat fence posts to prevent decay and replacements; a fence post panel of treated specimens showing the efficacy of treatment to prevent decay; a box testing model showing how the Forest Products laboratory tests boxes, and a panel showing the bad effects of lumbering without consideration for the future.

Construction of Roads. "The bureau of public roads will display models showing the construction of plain and bituminous macadam roads and concrete roads; road relocation, and light box showing grade crossing elimination; also federal aid roads in the central states.

"The weather bureau will display climatic charts and an instrument shelter and rain gauge, pictures of weather bureau buildings and instrumental equipment and pictures showing results of wind and weather.

"The bureau of soils will have a display showing soil surveying and the component particles of soil."

DALLAS—Much construction work by gas companies in all sections of Texas has been delayed by the slow movement of pipe from the factories. This has been due to the railroad strike and priority orders that held up the movement.

A Good Physic

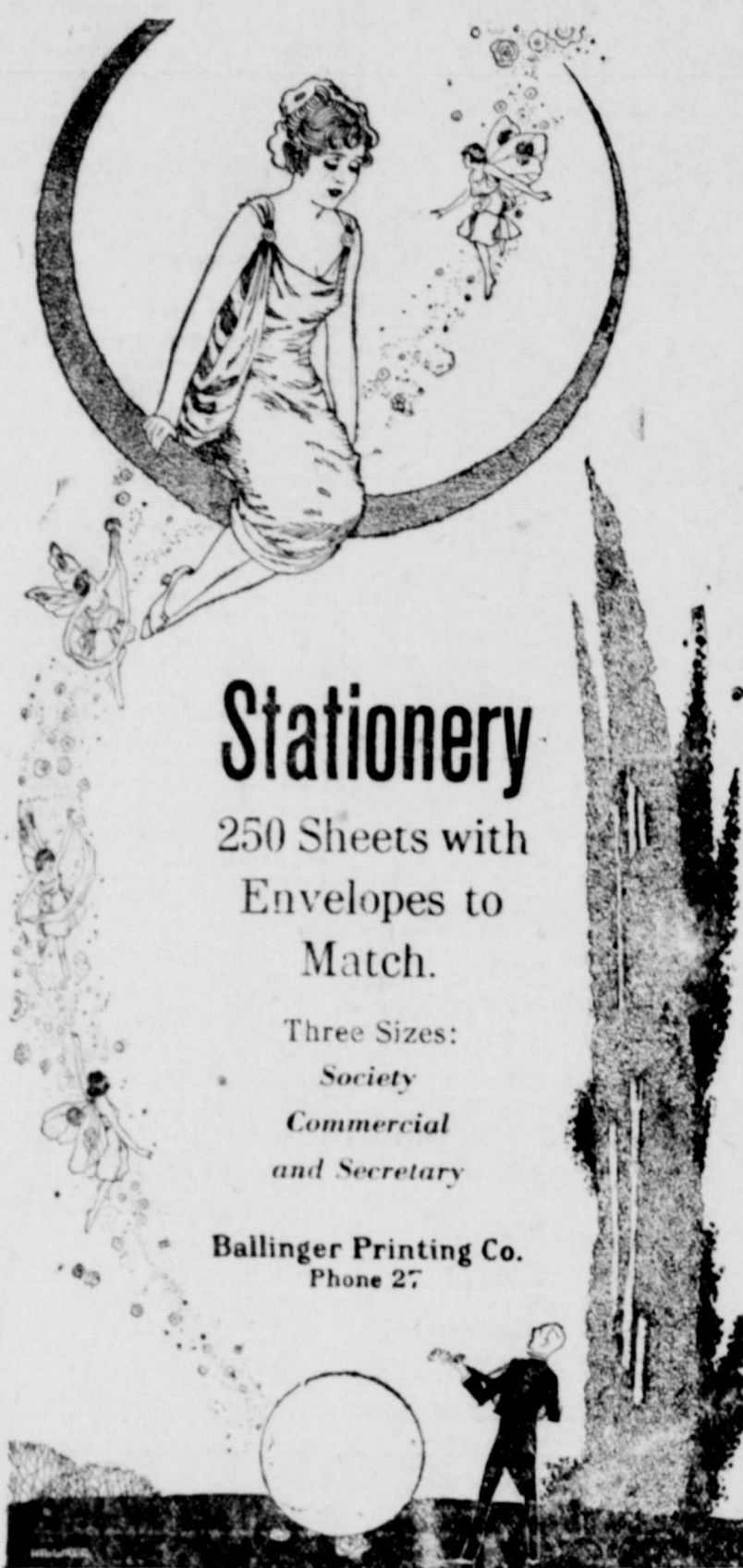
When you want a physic that is mild and gentle in effect, easy to take and certain to act, take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are excellent.

ELECTRA, Tex.—The prize of \$5 offered for the best essay by high school pupils on "Fire Prevention," was won by Miss Ruby Curry, fourteen years old.

EL PASO—W. D. Smith, head of the local prohibition office, has the largest prohibition enforcement territory in the United States geographically and the smallest in population. His territory includes West Texas, New Mexico and Arizona.

PALESTINE—S. T. Williamson, city mail carrier, has a two year old banana tree in his yard that is producing the largest fruit ever seen here, but not quite as long as the foreign variety. It is believed they are the first ever grown in Anderson county.

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H. M. Jones was here from Coleman Sunday to spend the day with Mrs. Jones, who has been here during the illness of her sister, Mrs. Dick Thorp.

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MARSHALL—The can crop in Louisiana has begun to move and the Texas & Pacific Railway is getting its crews organized to handle the crop, which is declared to be the heaviest in many years.

Mrs. A. J. Thorp, who had been in the sanitarium for two or three weeks, was able to be removed to her home Sunday morning.

Best typewriter ribbons made for Underwood, Smith, Oliver, Royal and Remington machines at the Ballinger Printing Co.

Ledger want ads pay.

GALVESTON—Storage space for approximately 15,000 bales of wool is immediately available in Galveston warehouses for wool and mohair shippers who desire to take advantage of the new concentration privileges allowed on interstate traffic from Texas points, according to Galveston warehousemen.

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