

Automatic Refrigerator means less money for ice and real service.
HALL HARDWARE CO.

BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

Buy an Automatic Refrigerator—it will last longer than the rest.
HALL HARDWARE CO.

VOLUME NO. 22 NUMBER 56

BALLINGER, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1927

MEMBER ASSOCIATED PRESS

RUNNELS CROPS ARE IN GOOD SHAPE NOW

Runnels county crops are in good condition, C. W. Lehberg, county agricultural agent, said Thursday morning in discussing the recent rains and damage to crops in the county by hail and wind.

"The cotton crop is in good condition in every section where rain has fallen and where it was not hailed out," the county agent declared. "I estimate that the acreage in cotton this year is about the same as in 1926. It is not any more and if there is any difference the acreage is less than last year.

"The same may be said about feed crops and sorghums. They are in good condition where rain has not been too far between times. This acreage is also about the same as in 1926.

"Hail did considerable damage. It is estimated that from 3,000 to 5,000 acres were hailed out. In some places the cotton was totally ruined but in other places it was spotted and will not necessitate replanting. The hail was not heavy enough to destroy all of the feed and in most places this crop will be in excellent condition in a few days.

"Small grain acreage was about the same as last year or possibly less and there will not be as much grain produced in the county as in 1926. Threshers are working in most sections of the county and according to reliable reports from many of the machines the yield is rather low. It is estimated that oats will make an average of 25 bushels per acre over the entire county while wheat is producing from 5 to 12 bushels to the acre. I do not believe the wheat acreage will be much over 8 bushels per acre.

"The range is in good condition. Fresh stock water was put out during the last rains in every section of the county. Cattle and sheep are fat and faring well. Grass in many pastures is green and is not drying up very fast now but had rains not fallen the crops and range both would have been in a bad way.

"Rains will give Runnels county a good year," Mr. Lehberg said, "but at present there has not been enough to assure the farmers of a normal crop."

Mr. Lehberg said he had been all over the county during the last few days and had made a close inspection of crops and pastures.

GOV. TO CALL 2ND SESSION

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, June 9.—Governor Moody expects to call the legislature for another session on September 1st, or shortly afterwards, it was definitely learned today.

Advice from G. B. S.
LONDON.—Bernard Shaw's advice to amateur actors on the sure way to get applause is "to stamp your feet before an exit to start it."

O. W. McDonald, of Brownwood, was in Ballinger Thursday looking after business.

NEW REVOLT SHORT LIVED

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, June 9.—Rumors of a short lived revolutionary movement in Portugal were contained today in a Havas News Agency dispatch from Badajoz, Spain. The movement was said to have been put down quickly with troops restoring quiet.

WHEAT CROP TO BE VERY SHORT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, June 9.—This year's wheat crop will be lower than previously estimated by the Department of Agriculture, Secretary Jardine, who has just returned from the West, said today, during a call at the White House.

Previous estimates would cut this year's crop 33,000,000 bushels below last year's crop, and Jardine predicted that the yield would be even lower than this estimate.

The May 1st estimate for winter wheat was 595,000,000 bushels.

WOMAN FINDS VIOLATION OF FLAG RULES



JOHN HANLEY

(By Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 9.—A woman in the Illinois legislature showed the members of the house of representatives that the national flag code had been violated by them for years.

Mrs. Sarah Bond Hanley, the democratic member of the house from Monmouth county, is trying to replace the two flags now draped behind the speaker's chair with the correct United States flag and the emblem of the state of Illinois.

LEAHY ASKS FOR APPEAL

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, June 9.—Harry J. Leahy, of George West, under death sentence on a murder conviction in connection with the slaying of Dr. J. A. Ramsey, aged Mathis physician, today filed an appeal in the Court of Criminal Appeals here.

Eli Smith, of the West Texas Utilities Co., spent Thursday afternoon in San Angelo looking after business.

Earl Looney, of Brownwood, was in Ballinger Thursday looking after business.

Miss Lola Eubank has returned from Edinburg, where she has been teaching, to spend the summer with her parents.

HUNT RANCHER DIES IN PARIS

(By Associated Press)
GREENVILLE, June 9.—Riley Green, widely known Hunt county cattleman, died in a Paris hospital this morning following a brief illness.

Championship "Team"



(By Associated Press)

ATLANTA, June 9.—Virginia Ashe, all by herself, is Atlanta's women's swimming team, but she holds, with one exception, all the women's records for the Southeast and is going out for the next American Olympic team. She began swimming in 1916 and in the following year became

a member of the Atlanta Athletic Club team.

Since then Virginia has participated in approximately 30 meets, finishing first in all but five.

Virginia came within one point of making the Olympic team in two events in 1924 and her trainers expect her to be successful next year, owing to improved physical condition and form.

REGULAR AIR SERVICE OVER ATLANTIC SOON

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, June 9.—Charles Levine declared today that he and Clarence Chamberlin plan a regular trans-Atlantic aerial service with multi-motored planes, capable of carrying 2,000 pounds each.

Levine stated that he was ready to put \$2,000,000 into the scheme and that both he and Chamberlin thought it could become operative within one year.

NITRO BLAST KILLS 2 MEN

(By Associated Press)
BUTLER, Penna., June 9.—Two men were killed instantly and twenty other persons were hurt, some seriously, when an automobile truck, loaded with nitroglycerine, exploded near here today.

Three residences were destroyed and fifteen others damaged by the force of the blast.

TWO NEW CIVIL CASES FILED HERE THIS WEEK

Two new civil cases were filed here this week, bringing the total number of cases in the district court to eight since the last term. One of these cases was suit for insurance policy while the other was a suit for debt of \$6,000 and foreclosure of lien.

Six packages Theme Paper for 25c. Ballinger Printing Co.

BETTER TERMS ARE EXPECTED

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, June 9.—Premier Raymond Poincare told the Chamber of Deputies today that he hoped to get better debt settlement terms from the United States, and that he intended to try, particularly since he realized that the French parliament would not ratify the accords with the United States and Great Britain in their present forms.

HOLLYWOOD ACTRESS BRANDED WITH "K"

D'AUTREMONT TWINS WAIVE EXTRADITION

(By Associated Press)

STREUBENVILLE, O., June 9.—Extradition to Oregon to stand trial for the murder of four persons killed in a train hold-up in 1923, was waived today by Ray and Roy D'Autremont, twin brothers, arrested here yesterday after a search that had extended almost around the world.

Both men confessed to their identity but neither had admitted complicity in the hold-up which took place in a tunnel near Siskiyou, Oregon.

WOMEN PAY STATE BILLS IN KENTUCKY



TOMMYE VEAL

(By Associated Press)
FRANKFORT, Ky., June 9.—Three bob-haired young women on the staff of treasurer E. D. Dishman of Kentucky pay all bills and handle the other financial affairs of the state capitol.

Miss Tommye Veal, assistant treasurer, intends following a political career and hopes some day to be state treasurer. Miss Rose Mary Kaufman also wants a "practical, independent life," she says. Mrs. Cecile B. Montgomery, who writes checks totalling \$27,000,000 a year, recently married a University of Kentucky football star and says she hopes to be an "ideal housewife."

Miss Georgia Singletary visited in San Angelo Thursday afternoon.

White Turner, of the Norton community, was in Ballinger Thursday looking after business.

BAYTOWN MAN KILLS HIMSELF

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, June 9.—J. J. Freeman, 33, owner of a jewelry store at Baytown, near Houston, shot and killed himself in the lobby of a hotel there today after firing several shots at hotel guests and creating a near panic.

According to officials of the hotel, Freeman had brooded in his room for the past few days.

Mrs. Myrtle Bridwell, of Austin, formerly a teacher here, is in the city visiting relatives.

FERDINAND AT DEATH'S DOOR

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, June 9.—Reuter Telegraph Company's correspondent at Bucharest telegraphed today that the condition of King Ferdinand of Rumania is so critical that the fatal termination of the illness appears to be only a question of days.

Charley Lankford, of Abilene, is here visiting relatives this week.

Walter and Tom Guin, of Quanah, are here visiting relatives and friends.

What is Service?

It embodies sympathetic attention—efficient handling of all details—the foreseeing of all needs.

Years of experience have fitted us to render all of these things—and more—to those who have lost a dear friend.

HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & CO.

Undertaking Ambulance Service

C. R. Crews and C. G. Jennings Licensed Embalmers and Funeral Directors

Day Phone 96 Night Phone 99 & 1248

Think of It!
A General Electric Fan \$5
We have a fan for every purpose and for every purse. Get the full benefit of a fan—BUY IT NOW.
You will have to have it later.
Ballinger Electric Co.
Next Door to Hall Hdw. Co.
Phone 7 8th Street

(By Associated Press)
HOLLYWOOD, June 9.—Miss Doris Dore, 21, an actress, who recently appeared in an American tragedy at a local theatre, was branded with the letter "K" on her forehead, chin, breast, arms and hands with a razor blade wielded by an unidentified man who forced an entry into her apartment today.

The actress said she had been followed to Denver from New York several months ago and that when she left Denver she was trailed here.

Miss Dore is unable to throw any light on the mystery of the branding, however.

WANTS LINDY IN DALLAS-TO-CHINA HOP

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, June 9.—An invitation is waiting here for Col. Charles A. Lindbergh to participate in the Dallas, Texas-Hong Kong, China flight.

Senator Earle B. Mayfield has the invitation.

Misses Aline and Evelyn Wooten have returned to Ballinger to spend the summer. The young ladies taught school during the past term.

Get today's news today—read The Daily Ledger.

"There's something nice about everyone But there's everything nice about you"

Here's a rapid-fire sentimental song with uke, guitar and clarinet effects woven among the words. Johnny Marvin adds some enthusiastic vocal imitations of the stringed instruments.
We will gladly play you all of the records listed below. Hear them on an Orthophonic Victrola. Come in—today!

There's Something Nice About Everyone, But There's Everything Nice About You
JOHNNY MARVIN

Just the Same
JIM MILLER-CHARLIE FARRIELL
No. 20612, 10-inch

Russian Lullaby
FRANKLYN BAUR
HENRY BURR
No. 20613, 10-inch

I'll Be With You When the Roses Bloom Again
The Mississippi Flood
VERNON DALBERT
No. 20611, 10-inch

My Regular Girl
Fox Trot With Vocal Refrain
WARING'S PENNSYLVANIANS

Who'll Be the One?
Fox Trot With Vocal Refrain
ART LANLEY AND HIS ORCHESTRA
No. 20598, 10-inch

Red Lips, Kiss My Blues Away
Fox Trot With Vocal Refrain
CHARLES DORNBERGER AND HIS ORCHESTRA

Why Should I Say That I'm Sorry
Fox Trot With Vocal Refrain
NAT SHILKRET AND THE VICTOR ORCHESTRA
No. 20615, 10-inch

J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

Victor RECORDS

Ballinger Daily Ledger

Published Every Day Except Sunday
By
The Ballinger Printing Company

Office of Publication, 711 Hutchings
Avenue, Ballinger, Texas

Entered at the Postoffice at Ballinger
as second-class mail matter.

Subscription, the year.....\$4.50

Member of The Associated Press
The Associated Press is exclusively
entitled to the use for republication
of all news dispatches credited to it
or not otherwise credited in this
paper and also to local news pub-
lished herein.



1927 JUNE 1927

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

**GUBERNATORIAL
PORTRAITS**



(By Associated Press)
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 9.—Missouri has a school teacher in its governor's chair.

Sam A. Baer has been an educator most of his life, and he has carried to the statehouse the tutor's viewpoint. Farm boy and

The New
PALACE
Theatre

LAST DAY



Blarney

You'll thrill and throb with this fighting romance of the ring. Love plants a knock-out blow—in more ways than one in this glorious epic of bare-knuckles days in the squared circle.



With Renee Adoree and Ralph Graves

NEWS — COMEDY

Children 10c Balcony 25c
Lower Floor 30c

section hand, he started on his career as a country teacher, then served as a school chief in small Missouri towns and as state school superintendent.

All his life—and he's 53—Baker has sought a separate fund for education in Missouri. He wants a state tax of ten per cent on tobacco products and amusements, and the whole state inheritance tax for support of the University of Missouri, five teachers colleges and other halls of learning maintained by the state. If he can get the plan over during his second term as governor he'll be happy.

TEMPLE—Surveys are being completed for bringing natural gas to this city. A movement is under way at Belton also to secure natural gas service.

**REGISTER 42
CARS IN MAY**

Runnels county farmers and business men are not going "broke," says the automobile tax book, which saw 42 registrations of motor vehicles in this county during the month of May, many of which were sold for all cash. The registrations were: Chevrolet, 18; Ford, 8; Overland and Whippet, 8; Oldsmobile, 2; Chrysler, 2; Dodge, 2; Buick, 1; and Hupmobile, 1.

That many cars represent a total of \$35,000 or \$40,000. The average value per car would be around \$850, it is estimated.

It is pointed out that when people purchase automobiles the country is in good financial condition. When the automobile business is good, other business is good, it is claimed. The automobile sales act as a business barometer and very seldom does this indicator fail to show correctly the trend of business.

Exports from Texas in 1926 amounted to \$648,991,954. This was exceeded only by New York. The next state was Pennsylvania without one-half the value of exports as compared with Texas.

Texas motorists will pay about seventeen million dollars in gasoline taxes in 1927.

Ledger want \$14 pay.

**VINOL HELPS NERVOUS,
RUN-DOWN MAN**

"Before taking Vinol, I was run-down, nervous and irritable. Now, I feel like another person." —R. McCoy. Vinol is a simple, strengthening iron and cod liver compound in use for over 25 years for sickly, nervous women, run-down men and weak children. The very FIRST week you take Vinol, you begin to feel stronger, eat and sleep better. Contains no oil—you'll like its pleasant taste. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

Apartments Furnished
PARIS—Nearly every high French government executive is provided with an apartment in his headquarters building.

**SAFETY FIRST BARBER
SHOP**

Our Prices Are
Hair Cut 30c Shave 20c
MADER & McNUTT
In Jeanes Co. Building

DR. F. M. HALE, M. D.

General Practice
Special Attention Given to
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Glasses Properly Fitted.
Office F. & M. Bank Bldg.

C. W. CHEATHAM

DENTIST
XRAY DIAGNOSIS
F. & M. Bank Building

WHEN THE SUN GOES UP

Thirst
Goes
Down

At Our Sanitary Soda Fountain

When the warm days make you think of liquid refreshments you will remember our sanitary soda service for here truly is where thirst is obliterated and palate appeased. Cold drinks served really ice cold as they should be, the best of ice cream and purest of fruit flavors and syrups. Everything served in clean, sanitary surroundings plus quick "right now" service. Make our fountain your meeting and treating place—you'll find it an acceptable habit.

**STRAIN
DRUG CO.**

"The Store of Personal Service"

WEAR-U-WELL SHOES

Save U Money

I have now received the exclusive agency for the famous WEAR-U-WELL line of shoes for the whole family.

We guarantee to save you fully one-third on these shoes and have a complete stock on hand.

We guarantee to meet anybody's price.

There's no need now to order from Sears Roebuck or Montgomery Ward. We positively sell better shoes for even less than you can order them.

Come in and let us prove it. A fit guaranteed—for Bob has fits.

Bob Carsey

GOODYEAR SHOE SHOP
Shoe Rebuilding for Particular Men and Women
In Old Stroble Market Bldg on 8th Street



WHAT A THRILL A

PERFECT

HAIR BOB

Careful and capable hands fashion bobs that are perfect and "to your type" in our barber shop.

Have a new bob with your new summer costume.

Woodson & Thomas
BARBER SHOP

Dr. R. F. Zedlitz

Veterinarian
Residence Phone ----- 1900
Office at Weeks Drug Store



**A sure cure
for traffic "BUCKERS"**

YOU'LL be amazed at the ease with which Conoco Ethyl Gasoline darts your car ahead in traffic. No sputtering and fussing—just a steady even push on the pistons that lets you glide quietly along. Conoco Ethyl gives a quick sensitive response to the slightest touch on the accelerator.

But, of course, Conoco Ethyl does lots more than that. It absolutely eliminates knocking, turns carbon into power, literally flattens "second-gear" hills.

The best way to prove these claims is to give it a test. One tankful of Conoco Ethyl (undiluted with any other gasoline) will convince you that there is no fuel to be compared with it. You'll know that it is a real money saver in the extra satisfaction it gives you under all motoring conditions.

Conoco Ethyl Gasoline has no substitute. None of the other so-called "special anti-knock fuels" can be compared with it. It is the pace-setter—developed after seven years of exhaustive research.

You can get it wherever you see the Conoco sign.

**What you get
for 25¢ a week**

The 3c extra per gallon which you pay for Conoco Ethyl is the fact motor insurance. For the 3c which averages about 25c per week you reduce the cost of carbon removal and repairs due to wear and tear caused by knocking.

By spending 25c a week you save at least 50c in overhauling bills. Isn't that wise economy?

CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY

Producers, Refiners and Marketers
of high-grade petroleum products in Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington and Wyoming

CONOCO
REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.
Motor Oils



extra
Knockless
miles



NORTON NOTES

A good rain is badly needed in this neighborhood although crops are doing fairly well. We had a light shower late Sunday afternoon which cooled the atmosphere considerably. Cotton chopping and threshing seem to be the main occupations of the farmers this week.

The many friends of Mrs. Stuart, who is in the Ballinger sanitarium, are very glad to know that she is getting along very well and had hope to see her home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hodges and family, of near Littlefield, spent several days visiting friends and relatives here during the past week. They report crops very short on the plains.

Mrs. G. S. Walker entertained the ladies of the Home Missionary Society at her home Tuesday of last week. Delicious pink ice cream and cake was served. There were also contests held which were very interesting. Everyone present reported a very pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and family, of East Texas, spent several days here recently visiting in the home their aunt, Mrs. Will Underwood.

Mrs. Dave Crockett and daughter, Miss Treecie, of Abilene, are here visiting relatives. Miss Treecie has accepted a position as teacher in the Old Norton school during the 1927-28 term.

Mrs. Earl Cope has been very ill with the mumps for the past week and has been carried to Ballinger for treatment.

Miss Edith Martin, of Miles, spent several days recently in the home of her aunt, Mrs. T. A. Crockett.

A niece of Mrs. T. Gibson, who attended school at Brownwood during the past year, has been visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Taylor gave a birthday dinner at their home Sunday in honor of their mother, Mrs. J. R. Taylor, and sister, Mrs. R. H. Crockett. There were thirty relatives and friends present and all did justice to the very nice dinner that was spread. All departed at a late hour in the day. Mrs. Taylor was 71 years of age, and enjoying the very best of health for her age.

Mrs. Lavina Goff and little daughter, Lela, and Mr. and Mrs. Nixon and family, of Temple, came in to attend the dinner. They returned home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Pruett and family, of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pruett, of Miles, were guests at the Taylor home here over the week-end.

Mrs. Davenport, of Comanche, spent several days here recently, visiting in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Jones.

Little Miss Holloway, of Happy, Texas, spent the past two weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hambright.

Work on the new school building is going on very rapidly and walks are about complete. The building will be one of the best rural school structures in the county when it is finished.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. King, accompanied by Miss Lena Mae and Douglass Forbus, have returned from an extended visit to the plains country.

FELT DULL, DIZZY

Georgia Man Tells How He Found Relief for Many Complaints by Using An Old Home Remedy.

Athens, Ga.—"I have been married 51 years, and am the father of ten children," says Mr. J. C. E. Weatherford, R. F. D. "A," this city. "About the best home remedy I have ever found is Black-Draught. I can't remember when we haven't used it in the family, giving it to the children for colds and minor ills where a laxative is needed.

"We must have used Black-Draught for 40 years, anyway, and in that time we have tried it for many complaints. I would have dull, stupid feeling, and my head would ache and when I would lean over, I would get dizzy. I found that a couple of doses of Black-Draught would relieve this. I used to have gas on my stomach, and would spit up grease. Black-Draught relieved this.

"It is just an all-round good medicine. Now that I am 72 years old, I have to take a laxative, and Black-Draught acts easy and gives me satisfaction."

In use for over 85 years. Costs only one cent a dose. NC-181

Black-Draught
Purely Vegetable

The many friends and pupils of Miss Ruby Lee, one of our past teachers, who has been re-elected for another year, regret to learn of her serious illness with fever at the home of a sister in Sweetwater.

"REPORTER"
(Blue Bonnett please send us your name that we may send material for correspondence.—Editor.)

Art Class
I am teaching a class in Art. If interested see me at 1107 Broadway.

CLEO RUSSELL
7-3td

PARIS BLOUSE



The blouse of this suit is water-marked silk embroidered with wool.

Channel Catfish, fresh at Moor's Cafe today. 8-2td

ROBBERS FAIL AT CITY DRUG

Narcotic addicts failed to find what they were looking for either Wednesday night or early Thursday morning at the City Drug Store, where they forced their way into the back door of the building.

The robber or robbers went in the back door by breaking the lock, looted the drawers and medicine cabinets at the prescription desk and departed by the front door, leaving it open as they left.

"As far as we can estimate, only \$2 or \$3 worth of goods was taken," George Holman, owner of the store, stated Thursday. "Whoever it was failed to find the narcotic case, although they made a good search. One hypo-syringe and a few hypodermic tablets are all that we have missed."

Cash registers were not touched and the safe was not tampered with.

The last robbery of this sort in Ballinger was made several months ago when a dope fiend broke into the J. Y. Pearce drug store and took several dollars worth of narcotics.

The robbery was reported to the officers, who are working on several clues that may lead to an arrest in the next few days.

Too Many Holidays

CONSTANTINOPLE—So many religious holidays are celebrated here by various creeds that Turkey's metropolis really has only three full business days a week.

Friday is the Moslem Sabbath, Saturday the Jewish, and Sunday the Christian. Tuesday is not religious, but held to be unlucky because centuries ago it fell into the hands of Moslems, and Greek tradition as to its ill luck has been taken up by the Turks. Monday is a business day but not a good one.

THE POLICIES OF THIS BANK

—are determined by its Board of Directors—successful men representative of the business and professional thought in the community.

Your best interests are their first consideration and they regard as their highest duty the rendering of a cordial and efficient financial service.

THE First National Bank
ESTAB. OF BALLINGER, TEXAS ESTAB. 1886

Since 1886.

"The Old Reliable"

Colorado

Denver \$46.65
Colo Spgs 42.95
Estes Park 57.15



-thru the Rockies by daylight

Tickets on sale daily, limited to October 31.

Diverse Routes Stopovers at all points

-through Pullmans

Picture books, reservations and trip details

J. J. BECK, Ticket Agent

Phone 47 Ballinger, Texas

BETTIS & STURGES



A Most Unusual Sale of Smart Summer Dresses

An amazing collection of the season's smartest models, in the newest materials and colors, offered at prices that are well within the means of a limited income.

Delightfully cool models for these hot Summer days, fashioned of wash crepes in Pastel Shades and Candy Stripes. Beautifully tailored in one and two piece effects. Some self trimmed, others in contrasting color. As long as they last for Special Sale price

\$8.95

Dresses of our regular \$18.75 to \$22.50 line, including all the newest materials and styles, in both the smart sport models in two-piece and two-piece effects. Specially priced for you as they last **\$14.50** to \$19.75 Dresses specially priced at **\$19.75**

A Phenomenal Sale of Newest Summer Silk



CREPE JOLLY, SPECIAL \$1.89
A beautiful heavy quality of Georgette, regular \$3.00 quality. All colors, new summer shades of Rose, Orchid, Pink Coral, Monkey Skin, Tan, Red, Flesh, Peach, Phantom Red, Light Blue, Rose Pink, White and Navy. A big saving in this sale at **\$1.89**

FLAT CREPE \$1.89 PER YARD
Everybody knows our good heavy Flat Crepe, regular \$3.00 value, all the new summer shades, as Flesh, Monkey Skin, Atmosphere, Queen's Blue, Pink, Maize, Orchid, Gooseberry Green and Apricot. A big saving at this special price per yard **\$1.89**

GENUINE JAPANESE HONAN PONGEE
Just received a new shipment of all colors, White, Maize, Queen's Blue, Flesh, Green, Orchid, Rose, Natural. Regular value \$1.50, special price **\$1.05**

TO CLOSE OUT ALL PRINTED SILKS
Valid up to \$3.95, close-out price only **\$1.95**
A beautiful assortment of Printed Georgette, Crepe de Chine and Flat Crepe. All are great savings at the yard **\$1.95**

Big Dollar Value! 1 Hour Only

Ten to Eleven only, Saturday, June 11th
Size 18 by 36, double thread fancy stripe Turkish Towel, our regular 25c value. This extraordinary selling, six for

\$1.00

Big Assortment of New Draperies

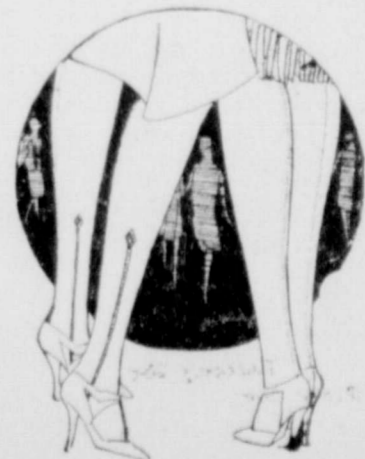
Just received these striking new Draperies in the lovely cool mar- quettes, dimity stripes, and plaids, with the little colored figures on the white ground, regular 9c quality, special **35c** price, only

Extra Special Value In Hosiery

Our famous Blue Crane Hose, never sold for less than \$1.00 per pair, sale price 89c each or three **\$2.55** pairs for

A beautiful sheer, Pure Thread Silk Chiffon Hose, silk from top to toe, all new summer shades, special price 89c each, or three pairs **\$2.55** for

Every woman should take advantage of this saving.



Coach Has Record of 90 Pupils Who Have Won Olympic Points



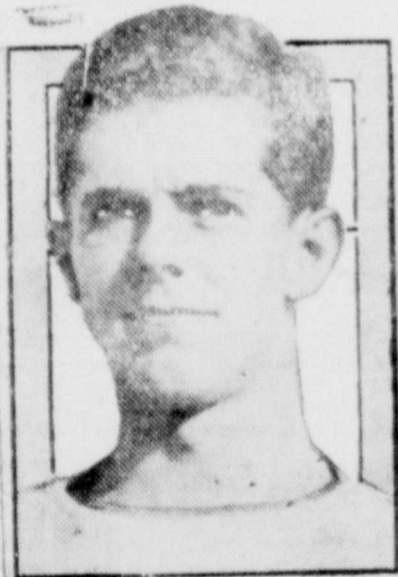
Edvin Wide, Swedish runner (left), and Ernie Hjertberg, track coach.

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Tex., June 9.—Ernie Hjertberg, track coach at The Institute here, has a record of 90 proteges who have won points in the Olympic games. The track coach came here two years ago, after 14 years as a coach in Europe. He trained Edvin Wide for the 1920 Olympics and the Swedish track team of which Wide was a member placed second in the 3,000-meter race.

Hjertberg is confident Wide's feat of running an exhibition mile and a quarter in 5:31.1 at the annual track and field meet of the Southwestern Collegiate Conference here recently will stand as a world's record for that distance. The best previous time, he pointed out, was 5:35, made by Paavo Nurmi in Los Angeles about two years ago.

Jack Rafferty, of Houston, regional director of the Southern Amateur Athletic Union, also believes Wide's time will stand as a record. He was present when the trial was made and both he and Hjertberg pointed out the track is of regulation length and the referee was a regularly named official of the meet.

HEADS YALE EIGHT



FREDERIC ROBINSON

(By Associated Press)
NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 9.—Frederic Flower Robinson of New York, captain of the Yale varsity crew, is a star hockey player, a contributor to the Yale Literary Magazine and a holder of a "ranking scholar" rating in the scholastic field. Robinson rowed No. 3 on the victorious varsity crew last season and bow on the junior varsity eight the year before.

Radio Tube Huge

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, June 7.—A real radio tube seven and a half feet high and weighing 100 pounds is operating in the transmitter of WJZ. With a power of 100 kilowatts it does the work of eight smaller tubes.

Fresh water Catfish at Moor's Cafe. 8-2td

HARVARD'S CAPTAIN



GEOFFREY PLATT

(By Associated Press)
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 9.—One of those misfortunes that assume a tragic aspect to a college athlete overtook Geoffrey Platt of New York, captain of the Harvard crew in this, his senior year.

Persistent sinus trouble kept him out of practice until mid-April and left him in the disheartening role of a captain who could not row with the first varsity during the early season. Platt rowed No. 5 against Yale last year.

Bacchanalian Bivalves

BALTIMORE • Three Maryland oysters were apprehended recently in the act of lifting the cork from a whiskey bottle. W. Swepson Earle, state conservation commissioner, believes that in three or four years they would have succeeded.

WOMAN MAYOR



MRS. BERTHA

(By Associated Press)
SEATTLE, Wash., June 9.—Intelligent citizenship is the one ideal women must strive for if their contributions to a community are to be valuable, believes Mrs. Bertha K. Landes, mayor of Seattle.

Weekly meetings at luncheons and clubs are held for Seattle women in order to train them for civic activity and improvement. Mayor Landes is a frequent speaker at these meetings of nearly 1,000 women where the operation and status of civic departments, finances and other problems are discussed.

Airplane Delivery

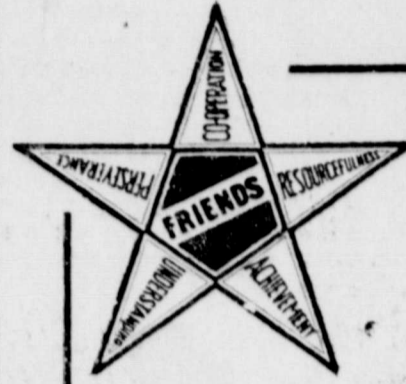
PINE BLUFF, Ark.—The Pine Bluff Commercial Appeal refused to let the Mississippi flood halt its deliveries. It used an airplane to reach flooded towns.

THE CREWS 4-H CLUB

The Crews girls 4H Club met Friday, June 3rd, at the home of Mrs. Phipps, with Mrs. Hollingsworth present. We did part of our required cooking.

There were eight girls present, and most of us had our aprons there. We also made button-holes, and cut our cap patterns. We will meet again Friday, June 17th, to complete our required cooking.

"Club Reporter."



Hog Raising A "Money Crop"

Hog raising may be figured on the same basis as wheat, corn, or any other of the farmer's sure "money crops."

Here is an opportunity for the farmers of Texas to engage in a business that is sure to add much to the farm's wealth and productiveness.

This bank is interested in seeing more and better hogs in this section.

Talk with us about it. We will be glad to help you if we can.

Ballinger State Bank

No two ways about it—

P. A.
makes some cigarette!



IF YOU like fragrance, open a tidy red tin of Prince Albert and treat yourself to the greatest aroma that ever floated out of a package. If you like easy rolling, notice how P. A. lies down and curls up in a makin's paper, without fuss or muss. That's because P. A. is crimp-cut.

Now light up. Let that marvelous P. A. taste percolate through your smoke-system. Cool as the girl's mother reminding you how late it is. Sweet as the last, lingering "Goodnight." Mild as winter in the tropics. Mild, but with plenty of cigarette body to make it a real smoke.

You'll have to admit that no other home-rolled cigarette ever had so much to recommend it. From the time you roll out of bed in the morning until the last station has signed-off, you'll make 'em and take 'em, end on end. Prince Albert is simply better tobacco, Gentlemen.

Have you tried a pipe lately? Men who thought a pipe was not for them have changed their minds after the first load of P. A. This friendly tobacco just wouldn't think of biting your tongue or parching your throat. Take my tip—get out the old pipe and give it a new deal.

P. A. is sold everywhere. And always with every bit of bite and punch removed by the Prince Albert process.



PRINCE ALBERT

—no other tobacco is like it!

SUN COOKS FRUIT



MAKING SUN PRESERVES

Continued sunny weather while strawberries are in season is the time for sun preserves, say Federal home economists.

Three cups of small berries, two pounds of selected berries and two pounds of granulated sugar is a recipe they recommend, and the preserves are made this way:

Select large ripe solid fruit, wash well and cap. Crush and cook three cups of smaller berries for three minutes, stirring all the time. Then strain. This should yield about one cup of juice. To this add the sugar and heat slowly until entirely dissolved. Remove from fire and drop large berries into sirup and allow mass to stand for one to three minutes. Drain fruit from sirup and place carefully on shallow pans.

Boil sirup for about ten minutes. It should be fairly thick. Pour over berries in a thin layer. Cover with window glass, allowing an air space on all sides. Place pans in sun and turn berries over before next day's sunning. Repeat this for three days or until sirup has formed a jelly. This

amount yields a little over one pint of fruit.

Mrs. Cook Says Gas Made Her Nervous

"For years I had gas on the stomach and was nervous. Adlerika has done more good than anything," (signed) Lela Cook. ONE spoonful Adlerika removes GAS and often brings surprising relief to the stomach. Stops that full, bloated feeling. Don't waste time with pills or tablets but let Adlerika give your bowels a REAL cleansing, bringing out matter you never thought was in your system! J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.

MUSICAL



LOUISE JACOBSEN

(By Associated Press)

PORTLAND, Ore., June 7.—When she was so small she could not reach the keyboard of a piano unless bolstered by a pile of books on top of the stool, Miss Louise Jacobson could play by ear selections from operas.

Now at 22, she is one of the popular radio concert pianists of the Pacific coast. She was only three when she first began her musical career.

Movies

Gorgeous Sets Promised in "The Love Thief"

Some of the largest and most gorgeous sets ever used in a motion picture were constructed for "The Love Thief," which has its local premiere at the Palace Theatre tomorrow in an engagement of two days. Norman Kerry and Geta Nissen have the major roles.

One tremendous set was an exterior of a square in an old world town. It was lined with buildings of another era and the old cobblestone street was a tribute to the technical knowledge of the men who built it. The entire set called for several weeks of research work.

Then a throne room, modeled after the actual throne room of one of the European monarchies, was constructed in elaborate de-

tail with an eye to the perfection of the set. This set cost thousands of dollars.

Another set was the exterior of a castle with beautiful windows, attractive shrubbery and intricate detail. This impressive set added enormously to the production cost of the picture.

The cast of this picture which John McDermott directed, includes Marc MacDermott, Cissy Fitzgerald, Augustino Borgato, Nigel Barrie, Clarence Thompson, Alphonse Martel, Anton Vaverka and Lido Manetti.

"Blarney" Closes Run at Palace Tonight

One of the most talked of short stories of the day, "In Praise of James Carabine," by Donn Byrne, is the basis for the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, "Blarney," which closes a run at the Palace Theatre tonight, with Renee Adoree and Ralph Graves in the leading roles. The story was published in the

Saturday Evening Post and is generally rated a classic of its kind.

The story is extremely simple, though powerful in plot, and offers a wealth of striking characterizations. The cast includes Malcolm Waite, Paulette Duval and Margaret Seddon.

Take home some nice fresh Channel Catfish. Moor's Cafe. 8-2td

Mrs. Jefferson G. Smith, of Austin, formerly a teacher in the Ballinger schools, is here visiting relatives.

We All Need Insurance

Some people need one kind—some another. It's part of our service to help each one determine the kind that will serve him best.

The one need that is common to all is for dependability in insurance protection. We represent the oldest American fire and marine insurance company, which has met its every obligation promptly and fairly for 135 years. When you choose our policy—you choose dependable protection.

E. SHEPPERD & CO.

Ice Cold Texas Watermelons

5c
Per lb.

JONES' GROCERY AND MARKET

Phone 107 or 407

SPECIAL

Friday and Saturday

1 lb. Box

Milk Style Chocolate Covered
Cherries in Liquid

69c

Weeks Drug Store

Phones 12 and 13

"IN BUSINESS FOR YOUR HEALTH"

MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

L. COHEN

One Small Spot

Gives you three to four times longer wear



JUST at the tip and over the top of the toe—where wear is hardest—a special wear resisting thread is woven. It's this one small spot—called the ExToe—that gives these smart socks longer wear—yet without the slightest sacrifice of comfort or correct style. Buy a pair or two to test.

Holeproof ExToe Hosiery

Of finest purest thread silk. Tightly woven to insure perfect fit. A fine sheer sock in a wide range of colors including black and white.

75¢

Smart, sheer hose of same thread Japanese silk. Mercantile heel, Ex Toe and sole. Choice of \$1 men's best colors.



Paid up for life at "65"

At age 30, the rate for 20-payment life insurance is \$26.10 per thousand, per year. "Too high," say many men. So they buy ordinary life at \$17.76 per thousand, and bind themselves to pay annual premiums until death or the age of 85.

"Why can't you give us insurance with 20-pay life features, that will pay out at about 65?" This question has been asked of Southland Agents thousand times.

Our answer is: "We can." For only 95¢ per year per thousand more than for ordinary life, or a rate of \$18.71 at age 30, you can buy insurance with 20-payment life advantages, pay for it entirely during your productive years, and be all through at 65.

No insurance idea in years, has met such a popular acceptance. Ask your local Southland Agent to explain it to you, and quote the rate for your own age.



DO YOU ENOUGH LIFE INSURANCE?

ROBERT F. LANE, Agent, BALLINGER, TEX.

Dear Sir: I am interested in a Safe program of life insurance. Without obligating me, please call and see me or arrange appointment by phone.

Name _____ Address _____

Announcement

To Those Who Stay Out All Night

Our Place Will be Open Day and Night or 24 Hours Every Day.

Freeze Proof Storage Reasonable

CAMERON'S GARAGE

Phone 84 Eighth St.

You Must Be Pleased

Fresh from the Garden

Delivered to Your Kitchen



Fine quality, fresh VEGETABLES are the only kind we sell. The price here is no greater than for ordinary qualities.

L. B. STUBBS GROCERIES

QUALITY — COURTESY — SERVICE

93 — Phones — 94

Each officer of this Bank does a full day's work every day in the interests of depositors. But our officers realize that consultations with depositors on their personal financial problems are just as important to them as any other phase of our service.

That's why every officer, no matter how busy he may be, is always willing and anxious to consult with depositors.

It's this Personal Equation That Makes Our Service So Profitable To Its Users.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS

STRICTLY A BANKING INSTITUTION

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Rates and Rules

Two cents per word first insertion and no advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents. All subsequent insertions 1c per word each insertion.

All classified advertisements must be accompanied by cash, unless advertiser has a regular account with this paper.

No classified advertisement accepted on an "until ordered out" basis. The number of times the ads to run must be specified.

FOR RENT—Furnished, south apartment. Phone 98. 8-3td

For Sale

Eight room Dwelling, three lots, garage, wash house, servant's house and two underground cisterns, for \$7,000.00. If not sold by 15th of this month will be for rent. A. H. Van Pelt, Winters, Texas. 8-6td

SALES LADIES — Wanted to represent Coldren Dress Mills. We pay daily and deliver. See Mrs. Mabel Baer, Kelly Cottage. 8-5td.

FOR RENT—Bed rooms. Phone 29, 306 Eighth Street. 1-12td

FOR RENT—Furnished, light housekeeping rooms and bed rooms, close in. Phone 179. 13-tfd.

MANY ATTENDING REVIVAL MEETING

Large crowds are hearing Rev. G. A. Dunn, Church of Christ evangelist from Dallas, in his daily sermons at the Church of Christ on Eight Street. The congregation has been growing daily, it was reported Thursday, and it is expected that additional seats will be necessary to accommodate the crowds before the meeting closes.

Fred Todd, of Tyler, is leading the singing and is also being heard in solos each night.

Since Sunday Rev. Dunn has been preaching twice daily. He holds his morning services in the church building while the evening services are held outside at a special pulpit.

Rev. Dunn issues a cordial invitation to the church people of Ballinger to come out and hear him.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Black and children, and Mrs. J. W. Black left Thursday morning for Big Spring, where they will visit for several days.

Seventy thousand acres are being planted to grapefruit and grapes by one company in the vicinity of Raymondville in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Ledger want ads pay



Fresh from our ovens sent to you. Our bread is wholesome thru and thru.

Call for

GOLDEN KRUST BREAD



PREPARES FOR SOCIAL MEETS

County Agricultural Agent C. W. Lehmburg has been busy the past few days preparing for social meetings in the county which are to start next Monday night, June 13th, at the Wingate school. These socials are to be held in an effort to create further interest in the Texas A. & M. College short course and other community activities.

"I have been visiting the boys over the county who are members of the rural clubs, giving demonstrations, judging contests in livestock, poultry and grain," Mr. Lehmburg said.

"Mrs. Hollingsworth, county home demonstration agent, has also been busy lining up her girl club members," Mr. Lehmburg declared. "We expect to have some very fine socials and by doing so to have larger numbers attend the short course."

A bus has been chartered from the West Texas Coaches to transport club members to and from the meeting places.

The first meeting, held at Wingate next Monday, will be followed by socials at Hagan, Tuesday; Crews, Wednesday; Rowena, Thursday; and Drasco, Friday.

day. All these meetings will be held at the school houses.

POULTRY INSECTS

Paint inside Hen House with Martin's Roost Paint, to kill and keep away insects for six months or longer. Feed Martin's Poultry Tonic to bug infested chickens. Money back guarantee by W. B. CURRIE PRODUCE CO. 13-Stw&W

DEATHS

U. W. Boswell

U. W. Boswell, 67, died at Miles at 5:00 o'clock Thursday morning.

Mr. Boswell was the father-in-law of Joe Baxter, formerly of this city, who is connected with the West Texas Utilities Co. of Miles.

Deceased was sick only a short time.

The remains were prepared for burial by Higginbotham Bros. & Company undertakers and carried overland to Tye, Texas, where funeral services will be held at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon. Burial will be made in a Tye cemetery.

It requires one million license plates to supply Texas motor vehicles.

Domestic Servants Taxed in Austria

(By Associated Press) VIENNA, June 6. — Having more than one servant is considered a luxury by the Socialist city fathers of Vienna, so they have imposed a special tax on persons who employ domestic helpers.

For a family of three, one servant is permitted without tax. For each additional pair of helping hands, a tax must be paid. For the second servant the assessment is but a few dollars a year, for the third it amounts to a dollar or so a week, and for the fourth it is several times as much.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Frank M. Court and Mrs. Myrtle Rush. Wm. Pierce and Miss Eula Bengt.

Be wise and advertise!

Whats That? Yes Sir!

Everything 'most at Higginbotham's

Their Low Prices and Dependable Goods Makes Buying a Pleasure;

Ladies' Hats On Sale at $1\frac{1}{2}$ PRICE

All Spring Hats Go at This Big Reduction

Big Assortment of Spring Dresses

On Sale at Just

$1\frac{1}{2}$ Price

Wondrful Values---Ask to See Them

Now Showing

New Summer Dress Goods, Laces, Novelties, and Hose with colored heel and ankle stripe.

Be sure to visit our Shoe Section, the newest in Pumps and Straps.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Ballinger's Greatest Store

P. S.—Ask about the Medallion Department.

An Interview With Jim Scott

Jim Scott's steady rise in the business world is no mystery. He makes no secret of how he did it. And it is not a high-power "success story" either, but just plain common sense.

When you meet Jim in his own private office and ask him how it came about, here's the way he tells it:

"Well, sir, it was just a little 'attention-caller' that started it all. I had been going along fairly average, dropping a little money into my checking account now and then, but never letting much of it get a rest in the bank. Then one day a friend of mine, an officer in the bank, gave me some information.

"He told me that the bank had always lost money on my account. That hadn't occurred to me before. He also told me that my credit was not anything to brag about, if based on my checking account. He pointed out how the bank—my bank, mind you—would have to refuse me if I asked for a loan. Then I began to do some thinking.

"I started in that very day to build up my balance and to establish my credit. Well, I did it, little by little, and believe me, I'm no step-child in my bank now. You are standing in the result of my effort—this office and my business."

Perhaps everyone won't go as far as Jim Scott has. But anyone is bound to profit by a better bank balance.

And don't you think the many ways in which your bank serves you entitles it to an adequate balance in your account?

The More You Help Your Bank, the More Your Bank Can Help You

- SECURITY BANK, Wingate, Texas
- GUARANTY BOND STATE BANK, Miles, Texas
- FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Ballinger, Texas
- FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Rowena, Texas
- FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Winters, Texas
- F. & M. STATE BANK, Ballinger, Texas
- WINTERS STATE BANK, Winters, Texas.