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## ONLY TWO TEXANS IN CASUALTIES

The casualty list released for publication today contains the names of only 2 Texans. Private Victor W. Roberts, Brownwood, and Private William V. Mason, Mt. Pleasant, both severely wounded. The list contains the names of 275 Americans, divided as follows:

Killed in action 147.  
Missing in action 3  
Wounded severely 99  
Died of disease 7  
Died of wounds 1  
Died of accident or other causes 4  
Wounded, degree undetermined 4

## TWO TEXANS IN CASUALTY LIST

Killed in action 56  
Missing in action 144  
Wounded severely 94  
Died of wounds 14  
Died of accident 2  
Wounded degree undetermined 20  
Died of Disease 7

The casualty list made public to day contains the names of two Texans. Ruben C. Hall of Randolph, Texas, was killed in action. Louise P. Carlisle, of Lometa, Texas, was wounded severely.

## SCHOOL BOARD ELECTS MRS. BRIDWELL TEACHER

At a meeting of the school board, held Tuesday morning, Mrs. W. A. Bridwell was elected as a teacher in the local schools and will be placed in charge of the sixth and seventh grades. Mrs. Bridwell had arranged to teach a private primary school, having enrolled all the pupils she could handle, but when offered the place in the public school she decided to accept same and will not teach a private school.

Paul Colter left Ballinger Monday, for Brownwood and will go from that place to Newport News Va. where he will work for Uncle Sam.

J. F. White, of the Truitt country, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Monday.

Carl Harrison, came in from Abilene Monday, and will visit his cousin, Mrs. A. S. Love, before returning to his home at Seymour. He had been attending school at Abilene.

# ALLIES ADVANCE 2 TO 6 MILES

## PERFECTING PLANS FOR CO-OPERATIVE REVIVAL

The committee appointed to arrange for the revival to begin here next Sunday Morning at eleven o'clock are at work. It has been decided to hold the meeting on the lawn of the Eighth Street Presbyterian Church, and the seats will be removed from the school campus, as school will begin before the revival closes, and comfortably arranged on the new location. A platform will be constructed and everything arranged in detail for the comfort and convenience of the people who attend the services.

In order to keep down expenses as much as possible, a call has been made for volunteers to meet at the Eighth Street church at six-thirty this afternoon to clean the ground, and lay plans for arranging the seats. And the volunteers will be called again to meet and assist in moving the seats.



Evangelist L. L. Evans

arranging them and bulding the platform. Members from the various churches are urged to be present at six-thirty this afternoon and again at six-thirty Thursday evening.

The singer, Mr. Geo. P. Bledsoe, will be here Friday and a meeting of all the singers has been called for Friday night, the meeting to be held at the Methodist church.

The various committees appointed to take charge of the work, and call on others to assist, are as follows:

**Executive Committee**  
W. A. Francis.  
A. W. Sledge.  
Pete McGregor.  
U. E. Hartman.



Singer G. P. Bledsoe

**Music Committee**  
A. K. Doss.  
Mrs. E. L. McAlpine.  
Mrs. J. H. King.  
Mrs. John Currie.  
Miss Maggie Underwood.  
Miss Ida Rea Coekrell.

**Entertaining Committee**  
Mrs. C. R. Stephens.  
Mrs. Ed O'Kelley.  
Mrs. A. W. Sledge.

**Finance Committee**  
R. W. Bruce.  
T. S. Lankford.  
J. McGregor.

**Secretary-Treasure**  
A. W. Sledge.

**Ushers**  
T. M. Osteen.  
Geo. M. Vaughn.  
Ralph Erwin  
Robt. King.  
C. P. Shephard.  
S. P. Hathaway.

Little Miss Louise Oliver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Oliver, left for Talpa, Monday to visit relatives.

Jas. E. Brewer and family spent Sunday with Mr. Brewer's parents, near Bangs.

## MANY PEOPLE ACCEPTING WORK

More than twenty-five people left Ballinger Monday afternoon for points in South Texas, where they go to seek employment. Most of these leaving Monday went to Bay City.

On the same train three men left from this point for Newport News, Va., where they go to work in the government warehouse and the loading docks. These men will be joined by a large crowd Tuesday at Brownwood.

The east bound train carried a special car loaded with men from San Angelo en route to Newport News. A government agent was in charge of these and stated that he had a ticket for 90 and had 80 on the train, and hoped to be able to pick up ten more men at some point between here and Fort Worth.

These men will be concentrated at Ft. Worth and Tuesday afternoon it is expected to ship a solid train load of laborers from that place to Newport News, the men being gathered up over the drought districts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Moore, returned to their home in Williamson Co., Monday after a visit to Mrs. A. S. Love and family.

## Major Stephens; Captain Cohen

What has been pending for several days fully developed Sunday, when Capt. L. B. Stephens and L. Cohen were called to Austin by the military authorities. Capt. Stephens and Mr. Cohen left here on the Sunday afternoon train and Monday afternoon R. P. Kirk received a telegram announcing that Capt. Stephens had been transferred to the medical corps with the rank of major and Mr. Cohen had been appointed to succeed Capt. Stephens as captain of the local cavalry troop which was organized here and which will be federalized within the next few days.

This change had been pending for some time, but was known to only a few men in Ballinger. The demand for men in the medical corps is perhaps responsible for the change. Mr. Kirk was in Austin a short time ago, and the authorities in this charge of the work called him before them and told him what their plans were and asked Mr. Kirk's advice in the matter and asked that he recommend some one here to succeed Capt. Stephens. Mr. Kirk referred them to Mr. Cohen, and the appointments were made and passed up to Washington for approval, and the approval came and was responsible for the calling of the two men to Austin Sunday.

The promotion is a good one for Dr. Stephens. He is not only a specialist in his line, but is a general practitioner and will make the government a valuable man in that branch of the service.

Louie Cohen has worked hard and faithful in training both draft recruits, preparing them for good service when they were called into service, and also has been draft board, working without pay and the reward he has just won is well deserved.

Both of the men have had military experiences, having served in the Spanish-American war. Major Stephens will probably be assigned at an early date, and Capt. Cohen will take charge of the local cavalry troop and carry them in to the service when federalized.

## NORTON DOCTOR OFF FOR FRANCE

Dr. W. W. Mitchell, of Norton, has been accepted for service in the United States medical Corps, and will leave within a few days to report for duty.

It is reported here that Dr. Mitchell will see immediate service on the firing line, having enlisted for overseas duty, and for emergency work on the firing line.

Dr. Mitchell has been practicing medicine in this country for several years, and has many friends who wish him well, and a safe return.

## DR. MITCHELL WITH RED CROSS

The Ledger stated Tuesday that Dr. Mitchell of Norton had enlisted in the Medical Corps of the U. S. Army. We were misinformed, as Dr. Mitchell has joined the Red Cross and will be sent to France to help in caring for wounded soldiers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clinger, from Maverick, were here to meet the young man.

Miss Hattie Love, who had been visiting her brother, Dr. A. S. Love, returned to her home at Georgetown last Friday.

## TWO DESERTERS IN JAIL HERE

State Ranger Flynt and Sheriff Perkins are holding in jail here two deserters as the result of their detective work Sunday.

A young soldier dropped into the city Sunday and made himself at home, attending church at one of the local churches and readily forming the acquaintance of some of the young ladies. He posed as a representative of his Uncle Sam, whose duty it was to go out and visit the smaller cities and keep an eye on the boys who were at home on furloughs and to see that they did not do anything that would bring reproach upon the army, and disgrace the uniform which they were honored by wearing.

Becoming suspicious the officers also formed the acquaintance of the soldier visitor, and tracing down statements he had made to different parties they soon had him at cross fire, and a grilling brought out sufficient grounds for placing the young man in the local lockup.

Before being placed in jail, the soldier slapped the officer on the back and says, "You sure got me," and he proceeded to make a confession. At first the deserter stated that he came from a California training camp the officers dug up the price of a telegram to that place, to find out that they had been misled. A later confession from the young man brought out the fact that he was from Camp McArthur at Waco, and a telegram from that place verified it.

After being placed under arrest the soldier said he had a partner, who was down the road at Coleman or Brownwood.

This tip was responsible for the other deserter being locked up in the Brownwood jail and later brought to Ballinger on the midnight train Sunday night and turned over to Ranger Flynt.

One of the men had in his possession a pistol and a watch,

Mellet, Aug. 21—(With the British)— General Byng's army struck the Germans on a ten mile front between Arras and Albert during a heavy fog this morning. The attack began shortly before five o'clock and by nine o'clock the British had captured Moyenville, Ablainzeville, Achiet-Le-Petit and Beaucourt-Sur-Ancer..

London, Aug. 21—The British in a new attack are reported to have progressed three miles in the center, and reached Achiet-Le-Center, and advanced two miles at other points.

Paris, Aug. 21—The French, out flanking Ourcamp Forest have reached a point near Pontoihe, slightly over two miles southeast of Noye. The pressure is being methodically exerted towards Lassigny, Noyon, Camelin, and Blertancourt, southeast of Noyon, where the French have made easy passage beyond Noyon. This represents a total advance of six miles by Mangin's army.

## ROWENA CONTRIBUTES \$32.25 TO SALVATION ARMY

The people of Rowena have reported to County Chairman Estes Lynn the total amount of \$32.25 contributed by that town to the Salvation War fund. Walter Cehumann had charge of the work in Rowena, and considering the conditions of that country, the amount paid is a good offering. Several other points yet to report will raise the amount for the county to about \$675.

E. J. Handley, of the Norton country, went to Arkansas, Monday.

Mrs. C. L. Steffens returned to her home at Brownwood, Sunday afternoon after a visit to her brother Edwin Day.

which was later identified as stolen property which the soldier stole at Brownwood.

The men have been training at Waco, presumably being sent to that camp from some of the northern states.

Uncle Sam Pays \$50 reward for the capture of deserters, and the officers are on the alert everywhere and it is hard for a man in uniform to desert his job.

## Labor Day

September 2nd

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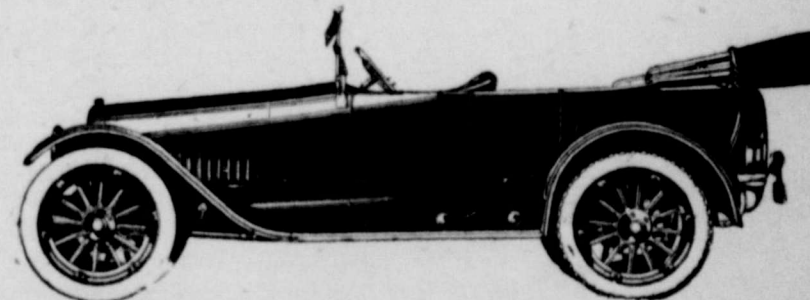
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Nueces County, Texas

**Citation By Publication**  
The State of Texas,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County—Greetings:  
You are hereby commanded to summon R. H. Rhame, D. R. Rhame, W. F. Rhame, D. C. Taylor, and the unknown Heirs of R. H. Rhame, D. R. Rhame, W. F. Rhame, D. C. Taylor each by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; to appear at the next term of the District court of Runnels County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof in Ballinger on the 1st Monday in October A. D. 1918, the same being the 7th day of October A. D. 1918, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 9th day of August A. D. 1918, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 1914, wherein H. Giesecke is plaintiff and R. H. Rhame, D. R. Rhame, W. F. Rhame, D. C. Taylor and their unknown Heirs of R. H. Rhame, D. R. Rhame, W. F. Rhame and D. C. Taylor, deceased and Claude Wilmet are defendants; the nature of plaintiff's demands being as follows:  
The State of Texas, County of Runnels.  
In District Court October term A. D. 1918. To Hon. J. O. Woodward Judge of said court.  
Now comes H. Giesecke, who resides in Runnels County, Texas, hereinafter styled plaintiff, complaining of R. H. Rhame, D. R. Rhame, W. F. Rhame, and D. C. Taylor, whose place or places of residence to plaintiff are unknown, and the unknown Heirs of R. H. Rhame, D. R. Rhame, W. F. Rhame, D. C. Taylor, whose names are to plaintiff unknown, and Claude Wilmet, who resides in Runnels county, Texas, hereinafter styled defendants; and for cause of action, plaintiff represents to the court that heretofore on or about January 2, 1909, defendants R. H. Rhame, D. R. Rhame and W. F. Rhame, made, executed and delivered to Jo Wilmet, their three several promissory notes, numbered one, two and three, No. one being for \$4740.30, No. two for \$5000.00 and No. 3 for \$3577.70, each bearing date on the day and year aforesaid, and each due on or before Jan. 1, 1921, bearing interest at rate of eight per cent per annum payable annually and providing that failure to pay any installment of interest shall mature all of said notes.  
That thereafter the said Jo Wilmet, for a valuable consideration transferred and assigned said notes, by an instrument in writing unto the plaintiff H. Giesecke, together with all liens, right, title and interest in and to the lands for which said notes were given as hereinafter stated, whereby defendant became, bound and liable to pay and promised to pay said Jo Wilmet and his assigns or holder of said notes the sum of money in said notes specified.  
That said notes were given for a part of the purchase money of the following described tract of land situated in Runnels county, Texas, to wit: 45 acres out of a 640 acre survey No. 589, Abstract No. 60 cert. 101, to Wm. Bryan, Patented to Joseph Kopman, by Patent No. 453, Vol. 23 this 45 acres being a triangle lying north 234 and bounded by said north line on the south; on the east by the W. B. line of the J. W. Byrne Survey No. 588, and on the west by the E. B. line of the John Wall Survey No. 379; that said property was heretofore, on the 2nd of January 1909, by Jo Wilmet to said R. H. Rhame, D. R. Rhame and W. F. Rhame, by his deed of writing of that date, in consideration among other things of the three notes herein described, and that in said deed of con-

veyance and in each, of said notes a lien was reserved thereon to secure the payment of said notes; that defendant made default in the payment of the interest due on the notes as the same matured and plaintiff has declared said notes due and payable.  
That all of said notes are now due owing and unpaid; that defendants through often requested has failed and refused to pay the same or any part thereof.  
Plaintiff says that the defendants D. C. Taylor, and his unknown heirs, and Claude Wilmet are asserting some kind of claim or lien on the land so sold by Jo Wilmet to the defendants, the Rhames, the exact nature of which is to plaintiff unknown, plaintiff says no matters what the nature of said claim or lien may be, same is second to the vendor lien of this plaintiff and that plaintiff's lien is superior thereto.  
Wherefore plaintiff prays the court that defendants be cited by publication in the manner required by law, to appear and answer this petition, that he have judgement for debt, interest and cost of suit, and for the foreclosure of his lien on the above described land and premises and the same be decreed to be sold according to law; that the sheriff or other officers, executing said order of sale, shall place the purchaser of said property in possession thereof, within thirty days after the day of sale for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to.  
John I. Guion,  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.  
Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Ballinger, Texas, this 9th, day of August A. D. 1918.  
Mary Phillips, Clerk  
District court Runnels county Texas  
By L. H. Bacon, Deputy.  
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### BLANTON SHOWS INTEREST IN BOYS

Washington, Aug. 15.—A letter has gone to president Wilson from Representative Blanton of Texas asking what the administration's attitude will be towards continuing young men 18 and 19 years of age in school, until needed under the new draft legislation. College presidents understand that Provost Marshall General Crowder will consent in the calling of men, to retain those of 18 and 19 years in colleges where the prescribed military courses is given, until it becomes necessary to call them to the colors. There is no understanding as to such youth who are in high schools.

The draft bills before the House and Senate do not propose any exemptions, but would request the service of every male between 18 and 45, subject to the rules and regulations governing the draft army. No expression has been given by the president concerning the schooling of youths within the new draft ages, and in view of letters from his district, Representative Blanton has asked that the Administration's policy be made known.

General Crowder, it is further understood, favors the installation of a military course in all applying colleges which have 100 or more students who could benefit by the training but nothing has been stated regarding the high schools, whether they have the military training course or not.

While no authoritative statement has been made, the Administration is known to favor the retention of youths at home as long as possible and under conditions which will best fit them for the work they would later be expected to perform in Europe.

At the same time, due regard is to be given conditions which might seriously be affected where a large number of men from 31 to 45 inclusive withdrawn from needed work in civil life. It is probable that a policy will be worked out under which those of the upper ages available for service will be taken before the boys of lower ages are selected.

Records of the Civil War show that of the total enlistments in the Union Army 2,788,314, those 18 years of age and under numbered 1,151,483. Those 22 years of age and under were 628,516. Members of Congress declare there is no disposition to impede the progress of the war, and that they would vote for the draft ages to include those of 15 years if the President will say that it is necessary, but it may require an affirmative expression from the White House to induce the House members to vote to extend draft below 21 years.

A number of Texas high schools already have the military training features in progress, and letters to members of the Texas delegation express a willingness on the part of various cities to have the system installed upon assurances that the youths will be permitted to remain in school until their need in the army is shown. One letter from Texas stated that the people can not understand why so many civilians in the Government service in Washington are exempted and the demand made upon the boys of the arrangement is cherished, colleges will largely be confined to women.

In a statement today Mr. Blanton says he will support every measure in men and money the President desires, but until the President demands it, he will not vote for forcing American boys of minor ages in to the trenches. "Should the President request that boys of 18 and 19 be embraced in the army draft law," said Mr. Blanton. "I hope he will permit them to remain at home and receive the course in military training at the high schools and colleges until their fighting strength is demanded."

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#### UNIVERSITY STUDENT TAKEN PRISONER

Austin, Aug. 15.—Lieutenant Rowan Harding Tucker, Jr., of Fort Worth, is the first man among the former students of the University of Texas to be announced among the list of prisoners taken by the enemy. Lieut. Tucker graduated from the department of engineering of the University class in 1917, taking two degrees. He was prominent in athletics while in the University. He was graduated from the school of Military Aeronautics at Austin several months ago. He was taken prisoner on July 10. He is the son of R. H. Tucker of Ft. Worth, claim agent for the Ft. Worth & Denver Railroad.

#### LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS FOR JULY

Washington, Aug. 15.—Increased cattle receipts hogs and sheep at 34 cities during July, 1918, compared with receipts at the same cities in July 1917, are shown by the stockyards record of the Bureau of markets, United States Department of Agriculture. July receipts for the two years at the 34 cities which include most of the large markets, with 1918 figures first, were: cattle, 1,897,884—1,552,573; hogs, 2,813,749—2,395,226; and sheep, 1,409,868—1,174,335.

E. L. McAlpine, who left Ballinger recently, has accepted a position in a large hardware house at Dallas. Mrs. McAlpine and the children will join him as soon as they can rent their home and make the move.

#### TO TRY JONES FOR FLORENCE BROWN MURDER

Dallas, Aug. 17.—Felix Jones, charged with the murder of Miss Florence Brown, will be tried before Judge Robert B. Seay, in Criminal District court. The indictment filed against him June 30 of last year.

Deputies have not yet gone for Jones who is in El Paso. For several months officers there refused to release him to Dallas county. No date for the trial has been set. It can not come before October, as the next assignment of the court will continue through September.

Dr. W. A. Gustavus left Sunday Chicago to attend a bible school month in dental college. He will be joined at Ft. Worth by Rev. A. C. Gustavus, who will go to Chicago to attend a bible school.

D. D. Rice, of route A out of Ballinger, came in Thursday and chartered a car and will ship out next week. Mr. Rice has rented a farm at Aubrey, Texas, and will make his home at that place.

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## JOHNSON WILL BE LEUIT. GOVERNOR

Marshall, Tex. Aug. 15—T. W. Davidson, candidate for lieutenant governor in the recent Texas democratic primary, and who ran a close second to W. A. Johnson, the leading candidate today withdrew from the run off primary scheduled for August 24. This leaves two state offices to be voted upon in the second primary—attorney general and comptroller. In a statement explaining his action, Mr. Davidson said there were no political issues involved requiring that he remain in the race, he and Mr. Johnson entertaining similar views upon all public questions. Furthermore, he said, early in the war, he had tendered his services to the government and recent developments indicated this tender would be accepted.

C. H. Carringer, the new Santa Fe Agent is expecting his family to arrive from Waco within a few days. Mr. Carringer and family will occupy the house vacated by J. J. Beck on Ninth Street, near the home of D. Weeder.

Rev. J. H. King is at home from a two weeks trip through Oklahoma and north Texas. Rev. King preached at Sherman last Sunday.

T. S. Lankford was dabbling in oil at Brownwood this week, returning home Thursday at noon.

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## OIL DRILL WORKS; FARMERS MOVE

Billie Miller was here from his Leday ranch, accompanied by his family Wednesday.

Mr. Miller reports a general exodus of tenant farmers in the Leday country, and says that about ninety-five per cent of the tenant farmers of the Leday country have left that country. "But," says Mr. Miller, "we are not worrying about a little thing like that, and we are going to develop a big oil field that will give employment to many people."

Mr. Miller stated that contracts for four wells on their Leday property had been closed. One drill is down about 1000 feet, and another rig is going up and the other contracts will be put into operation by October.

### Rowena Well Resumes Drilling

After a short delay on account of a broken bit hanging in the well the Rowena well is again going down. W. T. Padgett, manager for the Rannels County Oil and Gas Co., with headquarters at Rowena, was here for a few hours Wednesday. He stated that the drill was down about 450 feet, and was making good headway when the accident happened. Things are running smoothly again however.

This company owns a valuable acreage in the Rowena country, and are drilling right in the center of a territory which has been declared to be the best geologically in this section of the state.

E. J. Bowden, for many years one of the good citizens of the Norton country, was here Thursday and had the Banner-Ledger sent to him at Heneretta, Texas. Mr. Bowden said that he and his family were leaving for that point to make their home until things looked good in this country again.

Chas. Ferguson is at home from an extended business trip through the oil breaks of Brown and Eastland counties.

E. V. Bateman is back from a trip to the oil fields at Ranger, Eastland and Wichita Falls, and spend a few days at home.

Mrs. Chester Cape returned home yesterday from Concho where she had been visiting her people. Her sister Mrs. Laura Curry and baby came with her to spend about a week in our city.

W. A. Baker, the man who makes himself heard, from the north end of the county, was here on business Friday.

J. M. Slaughter, of the Maverick country was here Thursday looking for a sheep herder. No rain in the Maverick country says Mr. Slaughter.

## STOPS IRRIGATION ACCOUNT DROUTH

San Angelo, Aug. 15—All irrigation plants on the spring creek tributary of the Middle Concho river running through Irion and Tom Green counties have been shut down by order of the state board of water engineers in response to a petition presented at Austin by G. C. Burns and other stockmen. It was claimed that the water was low and was not sufficient for both domestic and irrigation purposes. Domestic purposes having priority and the pumping of water ceased Monday afternoon at six o'clock. Irrigation can be resumed before Saturday morning, and the order may be extended beyond that time.

The board of water engineers took immediate action when the petition was presented and sent C. E. Clark, a member, to San Angelo to investigate the situation. Mr. Clark inspected both Spring and Dove creeks Tuesday in company with Thomas F. Owen, secretary of the board of city development and found conditions to be as described in the petition. He stated Wednesday afternoon before departing for Austin that should no rain fall, the order restricting the use of water would doubtless remain in effect.

There was no rain in the western portion of Irion county Tuesday night, but it was not heavy enough, it is believed to increase the flow of the streams. Springs along the headwaters of the two creeks are bubbling, but ten miles below the source water has ceased to run, and none exists except in pools.

Spring creek is the only stream in this immediate section that has been closed to irrigation. The Llano, San Saba and Guadalupe rivers further south, have been under the ban for about ten days, however, and it will be some time before releases are issued.

### LABORERS LEAVING FOR COTTON FIELDS

D. F. Eaton rounded up a bunch of about a dozen hands Tuesday and had them ready for shipment on Tuesday's afternoon train. On account of a delay in arranging transportation the hands were held over and shipped out Wednesday afternoon. Those intending to seek employment in other sections of the state, should consult Mr. Eaton or some one else and be sure that they will find work before leaving home.

S. P. Eoff writes from Lubbock, renewing his subscription to the Banner-Ledger. He says in his letter that he has just received a letter from his son C. M. Eoff, written from France, where the young man has been for five months and it brings the good news that all is well with him in France. Mr. Eoff formerly lived in the Winters country.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Long and daughter Minnie Jean, returned home at noon Wednesday from a month's stay at Mineral Wells and visit to other parts of the state making the trip in their car.

B. F. Kemp, Clarence Routh and Horace Murphy returned Wednesday morning from a trip through the western part of the state where they went to look the range conditions over.

Little Miss Edith Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clark, went to San Angelo Wednesday to visit her aunt.

Mr. Joseph Spence and son, Jack Ransom, returned to San Angelo Wednesday at noon, after a visit to relatives here.

J. J. Hubbard came in from Oklahoma, Thursday and after a brief business visit here will go to his ranch in Glascock county. He says it is sure dry in Oklahoma and all the way.

W. A. Tillery Jr., son of W. A. Tillery, of the Concho country, left from this point for Camp Mabry, Wednesday where he will enter the training school for army mechanics.

W. F. Street shipped one-half car of hogs today. Still in the market for more: 15 lhd

Miss Effie Mack, who had been visiting her cousin Scott H. Mack and family, returned to her home at McKinney, Thursday.

## SALVATION ARMY WINS BIG BATTLE

With a few small boxes to be heard from, the count in the Salvation Army War Fund campaign for Rannels County shows a total of \$622.31. Of this amount Ballinger subscribed \$417.86, Winters \$157.75, Miles \$66.70. When the condition of the county is taken into consideration, this is a most excellent showing. The dollars that make up this fund are dollar that stand in the truest sense for heroism and self sacrifice. Though she did not reach her quota, Rannels county has not failed because she "hath done what she could."

The Salvation Army through the county chairman expresses its thanks to those who contributed and to those who in Ballinger and in the other districts of the county gave their time and energy in soliciting funds. Messrs D. C. Underwood, Carl Guin, Will McCarver and A. J. Thorp with lists; Misses Vera Nicholson, Kate Coekrell, Malvina Skinner, Ruth Nicholson, Nell Futch, Susie Hale and Ruth Coekrell through solicitations on the streets on Saturday, and the local letter carriers through their distribution of envelopes rendered valuable assistance in the campaign in Ballinger.

The following is the summary of the subscriptions:

- List A—B \$ 49.75 D. C. Underwood.
- List C—G 89.00 Carl Guin
- List H—P 152.50 W. C. McCarver.
- List R—Z 75.50 A. J. Thorp.
- 6.00 Envelopes
- 45.11 Young ladies cavalry troop squad.
- 66.70 Miles
- 137.75 Winters
- Total \$622.31

County chairman Estes M. Lynn had the county well organized, did some very effective advertising, and deserves much credit for the splendid success, despite the drouthy conditions and short cash on hand at this time.

Jess McAdams, a Brownwood oil magnate, and a traveling man for the Texas Co., was here Thursday.

Judge C. O. Harris, candidate for Judge of the Court and Criminal Appeals on the Republican ticket was down from San Angelo Thursday, "lectioneering."

### Cure for Dysentery.

"While I was in Ashland, Kansas, a gentleman overheard me speaking of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes William Whitelaw, of Des Moines, Iowa. "He told me in detail of what it had done for his family, but more especially his daughter who was lying at the point of death with a violent attack of dysentery, and had been given up by the family physician. Some of his neighbors advised him to give Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, which he did, and fully believes that by doing so saved the life of his child. He stated that he had also used this remedy himself with equally gratifying results."

Uncle Joe Routh returned to Andrews after a stay here. We are glad to note that Uncle Joe has recovered from an attack of paralysis.

M. B. Palmer of the Miles country, was here Thursday arranging to get away from the drouthy district until after the famine. He says he will return.

### State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.  
FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.  
(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**I am Sincere! Stop Calomel!**  
**I Guarantee Dodson's Liver Tone**

Listen to me! Calomel sickens and you may lose a day's work. If bilious, constipated or headachy read my guarantee.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place. "Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle

costs but a few cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe all the next day like violent calomel.

## CATTLEMEN ASKED TO BUY FEED EARLY

In spite of the appalling reports from the drouth stricken area of West Texas, where cattle are being thrown on the market as canners and the homesteaders are moving out by the thousands because a livelihood is no longer to be had from the soil Administrator Peden is fearful that unless the cattlemen who do hold on to their stock in the face of their adversity, buy cotton seed cake and meal early, instead of waiting until winter as in 1917-18, that prices may become prohibitive and transportation inadequate to offer relief.

To offset, as much as possible, additional hardships upon the cattle raisers who can ill afford to feed or an advancing market into stockfeed at a great expense last Administrator Peden has addressed the following letter to Col. Ike T. Pryor, president of the American National Live Stock Association asking that they use their good offices in placing before the cattlemen the need of placing their orders for cotton seed cake and meal.

While it is perhaps not at all necessary it may not be amiss for me to call your attention to several important facts:

1. The short cotton crop in Texas this year.
2. The rapidly diminishing of prospects of the cotton yield, unless our unprecedented drouth is promptly broken.
3. The advance, Monday Aug. 12th, in the price of cotton seed of \$4.00 a ton, following the corresponding advance which had already occurred in cotton cake and meal.
4. The danger of still further advances in price a serious and critical shortage of cotton meal and cake if our unheard of drouth continues on indefinitely.

I am directing your attention to these matters and stressing the importance of same, because of the danger I see ahead and also because I believe the cattlemen ought to take advantage and every precaution, as far as possible, to avoid being caught again this year as they were last November, without sufficient cake to carry them through the winter, after prices had already reached an almost prohibitive basis.

Doubtless you have already called these matters to the attention of the members of your Association. Perhaps the cattlemen of the State are fully aware of the critical situation above pointed out, and may they have, as far possible already protected themselves against the approaching embarrassing situation. However I feel I might be neglecting my duty if I failed to call this matter definitely and directly to your attention at this time.

### No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle. Mrs. Dee Curry, of Miles, returned home Thursday at noon after visit to Mrs. Rankin Jones.

## DENTIST GOES TO COLLEGE

Dr. W. A. Gustavus gives notice that his office will be closed for four or five weeks, during which time he will be in Chicago taking a post graduate course in the latest dental methods. His patients will find him in his office better prepared to serve them immediately upon his return. d&w-1t.

J. D. Robinson, buyer for the Higginbotham Bros. store, returned home from market Sunday.

W. T. Crockett returned from Whorton, Sunday, where he had been to sell a car load of mules for himself and W. E. Middleton. He reports good sales and says conditions are good in that part of the state and the farmers are calling for help.

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For Infants and Children  
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W. E. Hamilton came in from Ellis county Sunday. He was accompanied home by his sister, Mrs. C. G. Killingsworth, of Temple.

Harley Embry, who had been visiting his uncle, W. W. Embry, of the Bethal community, returned to his home at McGregor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cleveland, of Winters, passed through Ballinger Sunday en route to Dublin, where they will make their future home.

For indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness  
Just try one 50-cent bottle of **LAX-FOS WITH PEP-SIN**. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

Mrs. R. L. Harwell left Saturday afternoon for Texarkana, and other places for a visit to relatives.

Mrs. H. H. Luckett, visited her son at Miles several days last week and returned here to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Shepard, before returning to her home at Toyah.

Dr. Tolman, president of Howard Payne college returned home Monday morning, after delivering two war lectures here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hart and daughter Helen, returned to their home in Johnson county, Sunday after a visit to Mr. Harts daughter, Mrs. J. G. Douglass.

Eugene Underwood returned to Ben Brook aviation camp Saturday, after a visit to his father P. C. Underwood and family. Gene is in the hospital corps at Ben Brook.

**CHICHESTER'S PILLS**  
THE DIAMOND BRAND  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Beware of cheap imitations. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. See the CHICHESTER TRADE MARK AND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known to be reliable. Always legitimate. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

**NOTICE**

Now is the time to make your application for land loans. I loan money on land in Rannels County at 8 percent interest, and extend Vendors Lien Notes bearing 8 per cent interest, and charge no commission for placing your loans. For further information write or call on

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NO SOLUTION FOR DROUGHT PROBLEM

The News wishes to commend to the serious consideration of its readers the short communication it prints today from Rev. C. G. Shutt, of Putman, in which he bespeaks a compassionate treatment of the men, women and children who are in flight eastward from the merciless and devastating drought in West Texas.

Which brings eastward. The News decries the plight of the people and the economic and social problem which that plight presents have excited as much concern as it is both our moral duty and interest to feel.

THE FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN

The campaign for the Fourth Liberty Loan will begin September 28 and close October 19. The issue of the loan will be watched with keen interest in Europe, not only by our associates in the war against the Teutonic powers but by our enemies.

BRINGING BACK MARRIED TEACHERS

"Repeal the married teacher regulation" says Dr. P. P. Claxton, U. S. Commissioner of Education.

"Reports from cities indicate that a few school boards have not yet taken action to abolish the rule barring married women from teaching. This rule did have much to recommend it, and the war has made it impossible of enforcement.

One teacher writes to the Bureau of Education: "I wish to call your attention to a situation which prevails throughout the Middle West and urge your influence to remedy the injustice. As you know most of the large cities will not employ married women as teachers in the high schools.

For the information of school boards that may not have seen Commissioner Claxton's statement of March 8, 1918, appealing to married teachers to return to school, the Bureau is asking that the following paragraph be printed: There are in the country scores of thousands of persons, mostly women, of good scholarship and professional training who have had successful experience as teachers but who have retired from active service.

FIRST BALE 1918 COTTON RECEIVED

George Schneider, brought the first bale of 1918 cotton on the Ballinger market early Wednesday morning, Aug. 21. The bale was picked from the irrigated field of Mr. Schneider on the Colorado river about four miles below Ballinger.

Several buyers bid on the cotton and Mr. Schneider was offered 30 cents per pound, but declined the offer and stored the cotton in the yard. The buyers complained at the staple, stating that it was very short, and of a class which would find a hard market this fall.

BEN WARREN TAKEN TO SAN ANGELO

Ranger Flynt went to San Angelo Wednesday morning, to deliver Ben Warren to the federal authorities at that place, where he would be given a preliminary hearing and bond fixed in case filed against him in which the man is charged with making derogatory remarks. Warren is alleged to have said that he wished a German air ship would sail over the Comanche county court house and blow the thing up.

Mrs. Clyde Allison went to camp Travis Saturday to spend a few days with her husband, who is in the army camp at that place.

YOUNG REGISTRANTS CAN GO TO COLLEGE

R. T. Williams received the following telegram from the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Brownwood, Wednesday morning. The telegram speaks for itself:

Howard Payne college, Brownwood, has been designated a unit of student army training corps and as such will have complete military training with all equipment furnished by the government and U. S. officers in charge. Session opens September 10th, boys 18 to 20 inclusive, during time of taking such military course are considered as on furlough and government will allow them complete course before drafting them. This is important governmental matter, please give wide publicity.

CATTLE AND FEED PRICE UNDER PROBE

Food Administrator Williams, received instructions this week to investigate the meat situation in this city and ascertain what the dealers were paying for beef on foot and what they were retailing it for.

According to the instructions of the food administrator there is considerable complaint from some counties about the beef situation and market conditions. It is claimed that in some towns beef is selling almost twice as high as in other.

This city has only one market, but there are several wagons operating by private parties who butcher cattle and sell the beef direct to the consumers. All these will be investigated and Mr. Williams will make his report accordingly.

ARMY OFFICER RETURNS HOME

Major L. B. Stephens and Capt. L. Colten returned from Austin, Wednesday, where they had been on military matters. It was while in Austin that the change was made gave Major Stephens a place in the highest rank of the medical corps of the Third National Guard, and Capt. Cohen the place at the head of the local cavalry troop.

After receiving their commission, Capt. Cohen was sent to San Antonio, where he appeared before the proper military authorities for the final touch of making him captain, and where he received further instructions, and Major Stephens was sent to Waco, the headquarters of the regiment in which he has been placed, and where he will return to in a few days. Capt. Cohen will remain with his company in Ballinger until the company is federalized which will be within a next few days, according to statements.

AUTO THEIF STEALS BALLINGER CAR

Mr. and Mrs. Conda Wylie, and their mother Mrs. H. C. Wylie and daughter, Miss Maurine, of San Angelo, returned from San Antonio, Tuesday at noon, where they went to visit their son and brother, Clay Wylie who is training at that place.

The party went to San Antonio in their auto, a Buick Six, but they returned on the train, having had the misfortune to lose their car while in San Antonio, by the handy work of a thief.

Mr. Wylie left the car standing at the Menger Hotel while they were eating supper. When they returned from supper about 8:30 the car was missing and it is still missing.

Mr. Wylie reports that auto thieves are very active in San Antonio, several cars having been stolen during the last few days, and those who go to that city to visit soldier boys in camps should take a tip from the experience of loss of their autos.

C. L. Green, of Winters passed through Ballinger Sunday, enroute to Temple with his little girl, where he goes for treatment for the little girl and probably an operation.

EX-OPEN RANGE COW PUNCHERS MEET

The pioneer cattlemen of this country, the men who roped cattle on the open range before wire fences blocked the way, and before the plow scratched the face of what at one time was a good cattle country, assembled on the reunion grounds in the L. P. Wood pasture, near Old Runnels, Tuesday and night affair once each camp, where reminiscences of early days caused the old cow boys to linger over again some of the happiest days of their lives.

The annual reunion of the Ex-Open Range Cow Punchers Association is looked forward to from year to year with great deal of pleasure by the old time cow men, and the occasion is made a day and night affair once each year about the 20th of August. An elm bend on Cayote creek in the L. P. Wood pasture offers an ideal site for the reunion, and it is near the spot where round-ups frequently occurred before the railroad penetrated this county, and near what was at one time the county site of Runnels county.

On this occasion several of the old timers were absent, but about fifty pioneers were present at the reunion Tuesday night and most of them remained over Wednesday to enjoy the day with the younger generation made up of children and grand children. Jim Johnson, Vane's S. Lewis, The Coffee boys were among those present.

Among those who were here 47 years ago, and were present at the reunion Tuesday night and Wednesday were Nat Guest, Jno. Clampitt, Bill McAuley, Andrew Nichols, and several others. It was interesting to hear them tell how they roped buffalo in the early days and how they danced away the night when they came together for a frolic or a wedding on the western range. Mr. McAuley and Mr. Guest related their first meeting, which was near Triham, in Coleman county, thirty-seven years ago where they both attended a wedding and danced all night on a dirt floor at the ranch house.

Others who worked the range through this country when they did not have a wire fence to contend with and who followed the cattle trail for many miles, are Bill Gee, George Milliken, Garland Odum, Luce Wood, Nath Allen, Green Nixon, Clint Underwood, Joe Vaneil, Bill Scott, Bill Nunn, Dave Bradshaw, C. A. Doose, Henry Davis and Jeff Copeland, now of Sterling City. These were all present together with other old timers.

The reunion was perhaps as largely attended by the old timers as previous reunions, but there were a great number of children and grand children, indicating that the association would be maintained by the ancestors of those who paved the way for civilization in this country.

Like all other gatherings in this day and time, there was something present to remind us of our boys in service, and a service flag was waving from an elm limb. This flag contained about thirty stars representing boys from the pioneer families who are in Uncle Sam's service fighting for the freedom of this country. It had quite a number of red stars on the flag indicating the number who had gone across.

An honor roll in a frame hanging from an elm tree gave the following names of those who had answered their country's call: Charles Allen, Nath Allen, Milton Clayton, Andrew Gilliam, Roy Gilliam, Ed and Albert Gee, Wayne Hunt, Herman Herring, Frank Johnson, Joe B. Johnson, Fred Mapes, Pat Mapes, Sam McAuley, Sam Mathis, Garland Nunn, Chas. Nunn, Hal Nunn, Dewitt Underwood, Gene Underwood, Deibert Vaneil, Henry Vandervanter, Kimble Wood, Jack Mullin, Harris Mullin, Will Stuart, Artek Stuart.

On this occasion instead of a bunch of horses being hobbled around the camp, autos were parked along near the barbecue ground.

Also another change noted was the pop and pep which took the place of stronger drinks in the early days.

As for eats, the menu changed only slightly, the spread of barbecued mutton and beef being added to by cakes and pies. The main dish served at the round-up Tuesday night was "sun-of-agn."

REV. ABE MULKEY HERE NEXT WEEK

Rev. Abe Mulkey, the Texas evangelist, is billed to speak at the revival meeting to begin here Sunday. Rev. Mulkey is now engaged in a revival at Sonora. He had made an engagement to speak here on the night of August 27th, not knowing at that time that the revival meeting would be in progress.

At a conference of the two Presbyterian pastors and the Methodist pastor Tuesday morning, it was decided not to ask Rev. Mulkey to cancel his date, but to use him at the revival services on Tuesday evening August 27th.

Rev. Mulkey is working in the interest of a child's hospital for orphans home at Waco. He is devoting all his time to the cause, and while it is his purpose to lecture here in the interest of that worthy cause, it is now believed that he will accept an invitation to preach at the revival at the service instead, and any contribution made to the cause for which he is working will be voluntary.

SPRING HILL NEWS

Mrs. Wheelis father, Mr. Carter, is quite ill, we hope he will soon improve.

Many have left for other places and are still going, on account of the dry weather.

Miss Mollie Best, of Ballinger, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Owen Ayeoek.

Miss Naomi Davis, has been visiting in Ballinger.

There will be a meeting commence at Spring Hill school house Friday night, all are invited to attend and help.

Miss Florence Parr, one of Ballinger's trained nurses and Spring Hill girls, has gone for over seas duty.

She said her country was calling and she must go and do her bit over there.

We hope she may be of great service over there and return safely to home and loved ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Aeoek left for their home in Andrews Co.

Quite a number of young people from Ballinger visited our Sunday school Sunday evening. Come again.

Those who do not attend the singing services on Sunday are certainly missing something good for Spring Hill has the best singers in the county. Come out and see if we haven't. Mr. George Deets is our leader.

MAY

J. D. Mangum left Tuesday, for Ardmore, Okla., where he and his family are making their home. Mr. Mangum spent several days here on business. He will stop at Temple to be with his daughter Mrs. E. J. Harrell, who is in the sanitarium there for an operation.

Edgar Jayroe, of the Crews county, had business in Ballinger Monday.

Rev. L. D. Grafton, pastor of the Presbyterian church of San Angelo, passed through Ballinger Wednesday, en route to Winters, where he will engage in a ten days revival.

Kimble Wood is at home from the training camp on a furlough to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Wood, of Old Runnels.

W. H. Arnold, of the Winters country, was here Wednesday, attending county court.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Routh, son Oscar and daughter, Miss Edna and grandson, Herbert Sledge, left in their auto for New Mexico, Tuesday morning where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dunn.

G. Goetz, of the Rowena country was a pleasant caller at The Ledger office, Tuesday. Mr. Goetz has been in this county twenty years and it was the twentieth time he had paid for The Ledger, and he said the drought was hitting him pretty hard, but he could not get along without the paper. Mr. Goetz says many people have left the Rowena country to seek work, but most of them expect to come back after completing their jobs and it rains here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Jones returned to Coleman Sunday, they will return to Ballinger in a couple of weeks to have their little boy operated on.

Banner-Ledger Want Ads

50c per hundred for junk iron, highest price paid in Ballinger. N. PASSUR. d&wtf.

FOR SALE—Headed maize at the barn on the J. J. Pope place and maize stalks, at reasonable price. Phone rural 6611 23-2w pd.

FOR SALE—Scholarship in Draughts Practical Business College, Dallas Texas, good for life time and complete course in short hand and typewriter course. The government needs stenographers. This is a first class college and we will sell this scholarship at a bargain. Ballinger Printing Co. dwtf.

KEIL BOYS TO BE ALLOWED BOND

San Angelo, Aug 21.—Garnett and Noble Keils, brothers, and farmers near Ballinger, were lodged in the Tom Green county jail their arrest at Granger, Texas. Both were in dicted here at the regular term of federal court in June upon charges of failure to register for military service in June 1917. They failed to appear in court at the proper time and their bonds of \$1,000 each were surrendered. Capias for their arrest were issued and were served early in the week by Ranger Capt. Jim Flynt of Ballinger, who brought the men here Monday. The brothers claim that they did not know they were supposed to appear in court here in June. New bonds will be granted them by J. S. T. Couch, United States commissioner here, and if the bonds are furnished, their release will follow.

H. H. Cantrell, of the New Home community, left this week, for Begata, Texas, where he will make his home.

Chas. Grant, for many years a citizen of Winters, has gone to Corpus Christi, where he expects to locate. Mr. Grant has many friends in this county who will regret to know that he is moving away. His family will join him at Corpus in a short time.

Lynn Stokes left for Ft. Worth with a shipment of cattle, Tuesday.

W. A. Tally and family are "camped" at Mercury, in Brown county, where Mr. Tally is at work in the oil fields. He has directed the Daily Ledger to come to that place.

Sam Behringer has arrived safely in France, according to information received by relatives in Ballinger. Sam has been transferred to the canteen department of the Y. M. C. A.

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## ANOTHER CALL FOR 500 UNSKILLED LABORERS

A hurry up call has been made for five hundred physical fit unskilled laborers to entrain from Brownwood for Lee Hall, Saturday morning. It is imperative transportation and meals furnished free while en route. Give this the widest publicity.

Capt. Dickson.

The Ledger received the above telegram from Capt. Dickson, of the U. S. Labor Service Department at Brownwood Wednesday morning. Those wishing to take advantage of the offer, should call on D. F. Eaton at Ballinger, for particulars.

### AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance eliminating and discontinuing two certain tracts or ten acres or more of contiguous uninhabited territory within the city limits of the said city of Ballinger, and adjoining the lines of the said city of Ballinger.

Be it ordered by the city Commission of the city of Ballinger, Texas.

See. (1) That it is hereby ordered that two tracts of ten acres or more each, of contiguous uninhabited territory, adjoining the line of said city of Ballinger, and within the corporate limits thereof and the same are eliminated and discontinued from said corporate limits, said two tracts being described by metes and bounds as follows:

Field notes of a survey of 10 acres out of S. E. corner J. M. Caldwell survey made for change of city limits.

Beginning at the intersections of the south lines of Colorado Boulevard and the E. or S. E. line of J. M. Caldwell survey No. 367 thence S. 86-20 W. 1510 feet to the S. line of said Colorado Boulevard and Colorado Boulevard extending to a point 80 feet S. 48-40 E. of the S. corner of the compass lot.

Thence N. 48-40 W. 80 feet to the S. corner of the compass lot in the W. or N. W. line of Hutchins Avenue.

Thence S. 21-20 W. 550 feet to the S. Bank of the Colorado river.

Thence down said river with its meanders to the E. or N. E. corner Frank Klinger survey No. 428.

Thence N. 30 E. across Colorado river at 200 feet passing the S. or S. E. corner J. M. Caldwell survey at 730 yds in all to the place of beginning.

Field notes of 10 acres, Elm Creek.

Beginning in the E. line of F. W. White survey 369 880 vs N. 30-00 E. of its S. W. corner at the point where it crosses the east bank of Elm creek.

Thence up the said E. bank of Elm creek to the E. or S. line of the G. C. & S. F. right of way.

Thence S. 62-00 W. with said right of way line across Elm creek 140 feet to the top of West bank.

Thence down creek with its meanders to the N. line of the G. C. & S. F. townsite tract.

Thence S. 60 E. with said townsite tract to its intersection with the west bank of creek.

Thence down west bank of creek to the E. line of F. W. White survey 369.

Thence N. 30 E. 150 feet to the place of beginning. D&W 11me.

R. F. Baker and Howell Cash, of the Winters country, went to Bay City, Monday to help gather the Gulf coast crop.

### FEEL LIKE GIVING UP?

Many Ballinger People on Verge of Collapse.

A bad back makes you miserable all the time—Lame every morning; sore all day.

It hurts to stoop—it hurts to straighten.

What with headache, dizzy spells, urinary weakness, No wonder people are discouraged.

Who do not know the kidneys may be the cause of it all.

Give the weakened kidneys needful help.

Use a tested and proven kidney remedy.

None endorsed like Doan's Kidney Pills.

Geo. B. Eskridge, Prop. of shooting gallery, Main St., Ballinger, says: "I had a spell of grip that settled on my kidneys. I suffered so much from my back I could hardly keep going and I had dull, throbbing pains across my loins. My sight blurred and I had dizzy spells. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage. I used Doan's Kidney Pills which I got from the Walker Drug Co., and they strengthened my back and relieved all symptoms of kidney complaint."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Eskridge had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

### SEALS-JEANS

One of the prettiest home weddings of the season was on Sunday evening when Miss Katherine J. Jeans, of this city, became the bride of Mr. B. V. Seals, the rites being read at the home of the brides parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jeans by Rev. L. L. Gains, pastor of Coleman Nazarine church. Miss Maggie Underwood playing the wedding march. The house was decorated beautifully with ferns. The bride wore a wonderful gown of duches satin and elaborated pearl trimmings and carried a bridal bouquet of white flowers tied with Tulle. The groom was attired in the conventional black. After the ceremony dainty refreshments were served.

The bride's going away gown was blue taffeta and Georgette combination, heavily beaded with cut steel. The bridal couple left for Winters where they will spend this week at the home of his parents. From there they go to Benoit where they will conduct a revival. They have several meetings booked for the coast country, Oklahoma and California.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jeans and is a young lady of refinement and culture and numbers her friends by her acquaintances. She is well known in this city as she has preached numbers of times in one of the churches.

The groom is a young man of sterling worth and character, having just entered into the ministerial work of the Nazarine church.

Mrs. H. Vandervanter received a message Monday stating that her son Henry, had arrived safely in France.

J. W. Cox and family, of route 5, out of Winters, left from this point for Houston, where they go to remain until conditions in this country improve.

### Ten Reasons Why You Should Enter the Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.

From present indications, our fall attendance will be the heaviest in the history of the institution. We are now getting almost one hundred request each day for catalogues from those interested in attending at once. There are many reasons why you should enter the Tyler Commercial College.

FIRST, we meet the demands of three thousand students this year from over half the states in the union. SECOND, through our free employment department we see that our graduates secure good positions. THIRD, we have our own especially prepared and copyrighted text books and the most modern methods of teaching. This enables us to give a better training in less time and at less expense. FOURTH, our work is practically all taught on the individual plan of instruction, thereby enabling each student to advance as rapidly as his ability will permit. The dull student is not over crowded by the fast one, or the fast student held back on account of the dull one and both discouraged. Each works to his full capacity and is delighted with his work. This method also enables a student to enter any day in the year and take up his work to the very best advantage. FIFTH, you will associate with a splendid class of ambitious industrious young men and women. SIXTH, our service department is of exceptional value to the graduates in after life. It is free to all and is very thorough. We have one of the most complete corps of teachers to be found anywhere. They know how to make a student stay a pleasure as well as profitable. SEVENTH, We give thorough courses in Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Telegraphy, Cotton Classing, and Business Administration and Finance. This gives you a wide range of subjects from which to select, something to fit you for the line of work you most prefer. EIGHTH, we have shown the superiority of our training by placing our students in the very best positions to be had in commercial state and national affairs. Also by repeatedly winning first honors on our exhibit of student's work at three different state fairs. NINTH, Tyler is a beautiful, moral, healthful city of fifteen thousand high class citizens, the metropolis, and educational center of East Texas.

Fill in the coupon and receive our catalogue, making your arrangements to enter America's largest, most thorough and complete business training school at once. More than twenty-five thousand have benefited by this advice.

Name.....  
Address.....

Mrs. E. E. Stark and children, went to Talpa Sunday afternoon, where they will visit Mrs. Starks father.

County Judge O. L. Parish went to Austin, Sunday afternoon where he will consult with the highway commission on road matters.

Mrs. Ola Hamilton came in from a visit to Post and Brownwood, Saturday. She was met here by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kennedy of the Crews country.

Claude Wintheth returned at noon Saturday from Ft. Worth, where he had been with a shipment of cattle.

Ballinger Housewife Becomes New Woman

All of our best doctors had given me up. I was unable to leave my bed for 16 weeks and was yellow as a pumpkin, besides the terrible stomach pains I suffered. Our druggist advised my husband to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and it has saved my life. I am a new woman now. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. John A. Weeks, Druggist.

### HER OWN SISTER DIDN'T RECOGNIZE HER SHE DECLARES

Mrs. J. D. Merrison Now Well and Happy After An Illness of Three Years Standing Praises Tanlac

"I improved so much after taking this Tanlac that my own sister didn't know me at first, when I went to visit her," said Mrs. J. D. Merrison of 314 twenty-fifty St., Ensley, Ala.

"I lost my health three years ago and had stomach trouble of the worst kind," she continued. "I also suffered dreadfully from biliousness and constipation. I was feverish and restless most of the time and never knew what it was to get a good night's rest. I was almost a nervous wreck. I tried dieting and living on liquid food until I was almost starved, but nothing did me any good."

"I started taking Tanlac and by the time I had finished my second bottle, my appetite had increased until I was able to eat just anything that I wanted to and I had gained thirty-three pounds in weight, had gone up from fifty-six to ninety-nine pounds in weight and was feeling better than in a long time. I am now doing my housework and even some of the washing. I feel that I owe my life to Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Ballinger by Weeks Drug Store.

The Ft. Worth Star-Telegram in making mention of oil developments says, "T. B. Hoffer, north Texas manager for the Humble Oil and Refining Co., has been named as a member of the committee to draft plans for a uniform oil map of the Northwest Texas fields. The committee is still in session." Temple Hoffer was at one time a Ballinger boy, and he is one of those who has gone out from here and made good.

Rev. E. E. Diggs, passed through the city Monday, en route to his home at Winters, after spending ten days in a revival at Blanket.

Mrs. R. Gentry received notice Monday that her son Charlie, was safe in France.

Jack McKay and T. F. Bridwell are at home from a prospecting trip through north and east Texas. They visited Bonham, Ft. Worth and other places. They report conditions pretty good in some places but dry in most places.

Otis Allen, Svangelist singer, came in Monday from an evangelist tour through the past several weeks.

S. M. Wheelis, of Ovalo, was here Saturday visiting his brother W. C. Wheelis.

Dr. Sam G. Thompson, presiding Elder from Brownwood, passed through the city Monday en route home from Bronte, where he had been to hold quarterly conference.

Miss Eva Watson returned from San Angelo Monday, where she had been nursing her brother and sister, who are sick with fever in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Riggs, of the Wisgate country passed through Ballinger Monday, en route to Bay City, where they will spend the winter.

PETROGRAD FOOD RIOTS KILL MANY

Amsterdam, Aug. 20—The situation in Russia is becoming alarming. Reports received here today state that one hundred people were killed and many wounded in food riots which broke out and are continuing in Petrograd. The information received here in dispatches came from Petrograd.

### HALF FREIGHT RATE GRANTED ON FEED

The government has granted a half freight rate on feed shipped to farmers and stockmen in this section of the country where the shipments amount to as much as a car load.

This rate is to stockmen and farmers only and dealers will not be allowed to ship at the reduced rate. Feed can not be shipped at this rate for sale, and only those wanting the feed for themselves can get the reduced rate. Where one stockman or one farmer does not want as much as a car load of feed, he can get his neighbor, or several neighbors to throw in with him and they can order together, making up a car in this way.

Before ordering feed on the half freight rate, the farmer or stockman must get an order from the County Agent D. F. Eaton, showing that they are entitled to the reduced rate. Mr. Eaton received notice of the cheap rate Monday together with proper blanks for issuing orders to those who wish to order feed and take advantage of the reduced rate.

The food administration is urging the stockmen and farmers to buy their feed early, emphasizing the fact that the price of feed will advance later and that the question of transportation may make it impossible to get the feed shipped during the winter.

WANTS COURT HOUSE BLOWN UP

Presumably because things did not go to suit him when he came here to attend county court Monday, and found that court had been postponed until Wednesday, Ben Warren, a farmer from the Truitt country, is alleged to have said, "I wish . . . German airship would sail over and blow the . . . thing up." The man was said to be referring to the court house when he expressed himself in such strong terms.

R. L. Williams and son of the Truitt country, and L. M. Hughes, who lives north of Ballinger, were present and heard the statement. Being Americans, the gentlemen hearing the statement made by Warren reported it to the proper authorities, and Warren was soon peeping through the bars.

The man may have had no intentions of getting in bad when he expressed a desire to see the court house blown up. He may not have made the statement in sincerity, but affidavits support the charge and it will be necessary for him to explain the matter to the satisfaction of the federal authorities.

Runnels county can't get along without a court house. It was built to take care of such cases, and whether the man is guilty or not the necessary steps must be taken to enforce the law under all circumstances, and Uncle Sam has made it known that he does not want the people of this country wishing the Germans any such success as this man indicated in his remarks.

WILL SELL RED CROSS QUILTS LATER

The two quilts made by the ladies of the New Home country, and which have been on display in the show windows of the Melton Dry Goods Co., and the Ballinger Dry Goods Co., were not sold at auction as advertised, the sale being postponed on account of the conditions of the country at this time and the fact that it was not believed that the quilt would have brought the cash at this time they should bring.

Mrs. C. R. Stephens announces quilts bring all the cash that they possibly will.

That the quilts have been stored away and when the country receives a good rain and conditions improve they will advertise a gain and sold at auction.

The good ladies who made these quilts and donated them to the Red Cross deserve credit for their work, and Mrs. Stephens

### THE NEW CALOMEL IS HARMLESS AND DELIGHTFUL

All Sickening and Dangerous Qualities Removed—Medicinal Virtues Vastly Improved. New Variety Called "Calotabs"

Science has given us the smokeless powder colorless iodine and tasteless quinine—now comes our sealess calomel, a new variety known as Calotabs, that is wholly delightful in effect, yet more effective than the old style calomel as a system purifier and liver-cleanser.

Your doctor prefers calomel above all other medicines, as it is the best and only sure remedy for biliousness, indigestion and constipation. Now that calomel is delightful to take, everybody is asking for the new variety Calotabs. One tablet at bedtime, a swallow of water—that's all. No nausea, no griping, no danger. Next morning you wake up feeling fine, your liver cleansed, your system purified. Eat what you please—no restrictions of habits of diet.

Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Your druggist recommends and guarantees Calotabs.

MORE MOVING TRADE

Dear sir:—Will you please change my weekly Banner-Ledger from Crews to 2507 Rosen Ave, Ft. Worth, Texas I want to know how things are going at home. Not much crops from Ballinger to Stephenville and nothing extra from there on. Lots of work here and drouth stricken people are coming this way. Quite a lot from Runnels county scattered along the road and seeking work here.

W. S. Alleeon

C. W. Schwatz ordered his paper changed from Crews to Electra.

Joe L. Cooper, who has been getting his mail on route B out of Ballinger, changes his address to Hillsboro.

J. M. Pumphry's Ledger will go to him at Magnet, Texas, instead of Bradshaw, as in the past.

E. G. Bowden has his paper changed from Norton to Hendrickta.

D. D. Rice will receive the Ledger at Aubrey, Texas, instead of at Ballinger.

CALL FOR MORE RED CROSS WORKERS

"We need twenty-five or thirty workers in the department that is making gauze bandages and in the department making triangular bandages," said Mrs. C. R. Stephens Monday morning when she called at The Ledger office to have an announcement about the sale of the Red Cross quilts being postponed.

Mrs. Stephens says there is a demand for these bandages and the local chapter is trying to get off a shipment this week.

The work room for making triangular bandages is open on Wednesday and Friday afternoons and the department for making gauze bandages is open Wednesday afternoon Thursday morning and Friday afternoon, and there is room for more workers in every department.

Ladies planning to entertain or keep in mind these hours, so they will not hinder the work that is so badly needed at this time. The make other engagements, should casualty list coming from the American army in France is increasing daily, showing many wounded, and this increases the demand for supplies for taking care of the wounded American soldiers.

Your boy may be the wounded soldier who needs a bandage to stop the blood and assist in healing, and when such suffering is being felt by our own kin and blood there should be pleasure before work.

Miss Stella Hunt returned from Miles, Monday, where she has been taking care of the sick.

### For Spring Building

It's time to think about restoring the new and repairing the old. We have a fine stock of sheeting, siding, bill stuff, shingles, sash, doors, lime and cement, waiting your needs. Let us figure your lumber estimates and show you where we can save you money.

Ballinger Lumber Company





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

DROUGHT AND WAR CONDITIONS

have no financial terrors for competent stenographers and bookkeepers. Thousands wanted at Washington at entrance salaries of \$1000 to \$1200, and the demand in civil life is unprecedented in the United States. No vacation. Electric fans.

SAN ANGELO BUSINESS COLLEGE

SECOND PRIMARY TICKETS READY

The supplies for holding the second primary election next Saturday, are ready and will be delivered to the various election managers this week.

There are only two opposing candidates in the run off, although the ticket as printed bears the names of opposing candidates for the office of Attorney General, Lieutenant Governor and Comptroller.

Davidson, the second high man in the Lieutenant Governor's race withdrew too late to keep his name off the ticket, and his name goes on with that of W. A. Johnson.

In the Attorney General's race Wood and Cureton are the contestants. In the Comptroller's race Terrell and Mayfield are the contestants. Littlemore has a clear field for the office of Associate Justice, the second man, Wm. Pierson, withdrawing before the ticket was certified for the second primary.

BALLINGER BOY MADE MECHANIC TEACHER

College Station, Aug. 15.—Charles F. Roberts of Ballinger who was inducted into the military service in June as a mechanic, and assigned to the army training detachment at A. & M. College, has completed the eight weeks course in auto mechanics and upon the record he made in that work he has been detained as an assistant instructor in the next course which opens in a few days. The next detachment of mechanics come from the University of Texas for further training.

J. R. Fielder, the Winters lumber man, was here on business Saturday.

Conditions

are bad. We all realize this. But let's not get discouraged. We don't blame anyone from leaving here now and going where they can get work, but don't burn the bridges behind you. Twelve months can change conditions here until prosperity can abound on every hand. When you get to East Texas and the fever and chills begin to strike you, you will again begin to think of the sun-shiny days in the West, where you enjoyed good health, and when you at least felt like working when you had any work to do. You will hear of the prosperous conditions here. You will want to be back and you will come back; so don't burn the bridges behind you—we will be here to welcome you back.

Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc.

MEN TO REGISTER EARLY IN SEPT.

R. P. Kirk, chairman of the local draft board and W. E. Barbee, secretary of the board, are busy working out details for holding the big registration early in September. Acting under the direction of the war department a registrant is being selected for each voting precinct and the registration will be conducted along the same lines as the first registration which was held on June 5th last year.

So sure is the war department that the bill will be passed when it is presented to congress early next week, that the provost marshal is proceeding with all details for registering all men between the ages of 18 and 45, and speedily classifying them.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Provost Marshall General Crowder announced today that plans already have been made for registering the 13,000,000 additional men which he estimates will be brought under the selective service law when congress enacts the pending bill extending the age limits to include men between 18 and 45 years. From this number approximately 2,000,000 qualified for full military service are expected to be obtained.

So urgent is the need for additional man power General Crowder said, that the draft machinery is being put into shape for the great task ahead without waiting for final action by congress. Men of the new draft will be needed by Oct. 1 and in order to get them registration day will have to be held not later than September 15, and if possible Sept. 5 will be fixed as the day.

When the 13,000,000 men are enrolled nearly twenty-five million will have been registered since the United States entered the war. There were some ten million enrolled on the first registration day June 5, 1917, another 6,000,000 last June 5 and several hundred thousand more are expected to be enrolled August 24.

Preliminary steps have been taken by the provost marshal general, said General Crowder's statement, "to provide for the registration of these men who will be affected by the act which congress is expected shortly to pass extending the age limits of the selective draft."

State headquarters, local board and other officials in the various states have been advised to hold themselves in readiness to proceed promptly with their work as soon as congress acted and the president by proclamation has fixed the date for registration.

"Until the legislation is actually passed, it cannot be stated with exactness, of course, what the new age limits will be. But, because of the urgency of the situation, it is essential that as much of the preparatory work as possible be done at this time in order that the administration may promptly avail itself of the new law. To that end, as in the past, the utmost reliance is placed on the American people the necessary co-operation and teamwork."

"The situation is urgent because by Oct. 1, class one under the age limits of the original act, will have been entirely exhausted. Unless there is to be a very serious interruption in the flow of American troops to France to the camps and thence across the seas to France, class one must be replenished at the earliest possible moment by available men both below and above the present age limits of 21 and 31. There is literally no time to be lost."

"The bill which has been introduced in congress at the request of the war department would fix the new age limits at between 18 and 45 years. That is to say, it would include in addition to the men within the present limits those between 32 and 45 inclusive (fourteen annual classes) and those between 18 and 20 inclusive (three annual classes.)"

Mrs. H. C. Wylie came in from San Angelo Thursday and is the guest of her daughter-in-law Mrs. Conda Wylie.

Mrs. Sarah Stanger returned to her home at Hillsboro, Thursday afternoon, after a visit to her sister Mrs. L. C. Underwood, of the Norton country.

D. E. Moody went to Brownwood, to spend the day on business.

PLANTS WAR GARDEN AND GOES TO WAR

San Jose, Cal., Aug. 17.—Paul Maushele of San Jose wasn't satisfied to fight for his country in only one way—he had to be a "soldier of the soil" as well.

Because he lived on Garden St. at 420 he wanted the best kind of a war garden, so before he "joined up" and went to Camp Lewis on his way to France young Maushele secured a garden manual from the national war garden commission, and with this as a guide proceeded to get after the backyard. He worked diligently in all his spare hours and by the time he left for his camp his beans were large enough to wave good bye to him.

Some of the finest beans and corn ever grown here were yesterday presented to the San Jose Chamber of Commerce by Mrs. S. Maushele, the soldier's mother, who took over the work of the warrior's war garden when he went away.

Francis Holliday, of Abilene, is in the city.

YOUNG MAN LOSES HAND IN GUN ACCIDENT

Willie Lehmann, age 21, son of Wm. Lehmann of the Contenton community, eight miles northwest of the city, was the victim of a shotgun accident late Sunday afternoon, wherein the major portion of his right hand was shot away.

At the time of the accident Lehmann was riding a mule and carrying a single-barrel shotgun in his left hand. The mule it seems, became unruly or began pitching, and the young man, in trying to control the animal, brought his right hand in contact with the muzzle of the gun. At the time the hammer of the gun apparently struck against the saddle, of the stirrup, or perhaps his shoe, and was discharged, the load of shot tearing away the first three fingers of his hand and a portion of the palm.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Carl Nance and Edwin Skinner went to Christoval, Friday, to spend a day or two with the Baptists.

Yarnell Brothers, of Norton were among the visitors to Ballinger Friday.

Grandpa and Grandma Chapman, of Winters were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapman Friday.

Mrs. H. H. Ranger, of Winsboro, arrived at noon Friday and is the guest of Mrs. O. B. Corbett and family.

Miss Caroline Gather returned to her home at Ft. Worth, Thursday morning, after a visit to Miss Lucile Powell. She was accompanied as far as Brownwood by Miss Powell.

After spending most of the summer farming, on both dry land and irrigated, and punching cattle, Albert Sledge has qualified as "devil" first class, for The Ledger. Albert is handy with the bill book and the "devil" will after the fellow who does not pay his subscription on time.

Miss Edna McDaniel, formerly a teacher in the Ballinger schools, passed through Ballinger Thursday en route to Christoval, where she goes to represent the Baptist Hospital at Dallas in the Baptist encampment.

W. F. Buck, auto dealer from San Angelo, was here Wednesday.

Ben Hartly, paper salesman, was here Saturday on his regular trip, and spent the day sympathizing and spent the day sympathizing.

Mrs. R. E. Henderson, left for Valera, Friday morning, where she will visit before returning to her home at Waco. She had been visiting her father, James Cates and family.

Mrs. H. M. Jones came in from Coleman Friday, and is the guest of her sister Mrs. A. J. Thorp.

MILES GETS FIRST BALE

The first bale of cotton of the 1918 crop was ginned at Miles Thursday. The bale was from the irrigated field of John Reed on the Concho south of Miles. The cotton brought 30 cents per pound the seed \$25 and the merchants donated \$20.59 as premium.

CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl... my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me... but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable... I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, back ache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial. J. 73

URGES SHIPPING BEFORE WINTER

The railroads have given a warning through their local agents, urging the people to take steps now to aid the railroad department in preventing a general freight congestion that might result in suffering during the winter.

The retailers, wholesalers, manufacturers and consumers are all being appealed to do their shipping before winter as far as possible and lay in supplies for the winter.

Especially are the people urged to lay in their winter supply of winter coal before the railroads are called on to move the crops and supplies that can not be handled until later in the season.

Wholesale and oil companies are asked to provide additional storage room and order shipped now goods that will be needed later.

Crops are heavy in other portions of the state and it will work a hardship on the railroads to be compelled to use cars to haul freight to this part of the country and haul them back empty when they will be needed so badly to carry loads both going and coming in the territory having good crops. Troop movement and army supplies will be heavier later in the season, and a general tie up will result if the people do not help now by ordering goods early.

W. T. Forbus and G. R. Forbus, of Norton, were transacting business in Ballinger Wednesday.

Miss Halley Ruth Preece left Wednesday afternoon for Waco where she will take a course in a Business college for a few months.

R. W. Bruce will move his family to town Monday. They will occupy the Dr. L. B. Stephens residence.

QUITS EATING TO GET IN MARINES

San Francisco, Aug. 15.—A pound of flesh a day for fifteen days will be the sacrifice made to his country by Jack Charles Read, of this city.

Read attempted to enlist in the U. S. Marines here, but was told that he was fifteen pounds overweight.

He immediately declared that he would remove the fifteen pound of fatty substance within fifteen days by taking a special course in dieting and exercises prescribed by his physician and would then re-appear at the Marine Corps recruiting station.

"Shylock didn't have a thing on the Marines," declared Read. "He only wanted one pound of flesh—these fellows want fifteen. Gee, it's tough to be a fat man."

HEAVY RAINS IN NEW MEX

L. F. Gressett is in receipt of a letter from his son at Roswell, N. M., in which he says that New Mexico is experiencing heavy rains, floods and general highwater. Such news sounds good even though it comes from a distance.

Miss Norma Harris, of Lampasas, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lucile Powell.

Mrs. B. F. Duncan returned to San Angelo, Saturday, after a visit to her father, J. T. Carter and sister Mrs. W. C. Wheelis.

State Ranger Futch was here from Coleman Thursday, consulting local officers.

Elder J. W. Kelly and family left Thursday afternoon, and will make their home in other parts of the state.

Judge Bigler was here from Miles Thursday afternoon. Henry Mitchell was here from the Winters country Thursday.

LA PERLA THE DRINK THAT SATISFIES (NON-ALCOHOLIC) Is Fit For All Occasions BECAUSE it quenches the thirst, with the old-time flavor that reaches the spot, and is wholesome and invigorating. Wherever soft beverages are sold La Perla is a prime favorite. At Clubs, Army Exchanges and soda fountains it leads all other soft beverages—because it is snappy, sparkling and tastes good to the last drop. Try it today—then have a case sent home. San Antonio Brewing Association NATHAN PASSUR Agent and Distributor



### The Joy Of Coming Motherhood

A Wonderful Remedy That is a Natural Aid and Relieves the Tension.



The expectant mother resolves in her mind all we understand by destiny. And it is of the utmost importance that her physical comfort be our first thought.

There is a most splendid remedy for this purpose, known as Mother's Friend. It is applied over the muscles of the stomach, gently rubbed in, and at once penetrates to relieve strain on nerves, cords and ligaments. It makes the muscles so pliant that they expand easily when baby arrives and pain and danger at the crisis is naturally less.

Mother's Friend is for external use only, is absolutely safe and wonderfully effective. It enables the expectant mother to preserve her health and strength and she remains a pretty mother by having avoided the suffering and danger which would otherwise accompany such an occasion. Every nerve, muscle and tendon is thoroughly lubricated.

Mother's Friend is prepared by the Bradford Rectifier Co., Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. They will mail you an interesting "Motherhood Book." Write them to send it to you, and in the meantime send or phone to your druggist today for a bottle of Mother's Friend.

Every woman should aid nature in her glorious work. Mother's Friend makes it possible for you to do so, and should be used regularly, without fail, night and morning.

### RANGE CONDITION BETTER IN WEST

San Angelo, Aug. 16.—A half inch rain covered the southwestern portion of Glasscock county Tuesday night, replenishing the water supply and reviving grass to some extent, reported W. J. Schulze, a Garden City ranchman, who was in San Angelo Thursday. The rain came from the direction of Upton county, where the rainfall is said to have been heavy.

Mr. Schulze was here on his way to Bangs, where he was formerly engaged in the nursery business. He was accompanied by L. C. Rordan of Bangs, both stopping at the Landon.

According to Mr. Schulze, hundreds of cattle have been shipped in to Glasscock county recently on account of good grass in the southern portion. Stuff brought from the east and south has been unloaded at Sterling City and trailed to ranches around Garden City. Herds from points north and west, including New Mexico, Midland and Big Springs, and then through the county.

"Stockmen needing grass have been paying from \$1 to \$1.50 per head for the pasturage for a month," said Mr. Schulze. Others have paid \$300 for leases on one section until next May.

### ALL MEN 21 MUST REGISTER ON 24TH

The local draft board has received instructions to prepare to register all men who have become 21 since the 5th of June. Those who have become 21 since that date, or who will be 21 on August 24th, must call at the local board and register on the 24th of August.

As has been the rule heretofore those who must be away from home on registration day, should call at the local board and register before leaving the county in which they live.

The local board in each county will handle the registration, all of the men who have reached 21 since June 5th being required to appear before the board not later than the 24th of August.

In view of the demand for class one men this extra registration is deemed necessary, and will not in any way interfere with the arrangements now being worked out to register all men from 18 to 45 at an early date.

Young men who have become 21 since June 5th will be treated as "slackers" if they fail to register, and every one should assist in giving publicity to the order calling this registration and notify all young men who are subject to registration on this day.

### PROF. PIERAT RESIGNS

Prof. Dewey Pierat, one of the teachers in the local schools, sent in his resignation Friday, and has enlisted in the artillery branch of Uncle Sam's army. Mr. Pierat is stationed at Galveston for the present. His successor has not been elected.

## American Aviator Takes a Trip Over German Lands

With the American Airmen in France, Aug. 15.—Germany looks the same as France from up above replied Lieut. Eddie Rickenbacker, American ace, to questions. "We get to look at it quite often, go down low enough very often. Once in a while the excuse offers itself for making a close inspection of Germany from above. When we get Heinie on the run and can follow him, we sometimes drive him down near the tree tops if the archies are not too busy.

"Once in a while we take a chance and strafe the German trenches from above, I once got down so low after an attack that I could see the men very clearly and could get targets to shoot at. But it is only on rare occasions that we ever get close to Germany and most of our views are from high up.

"Its surprising how much like France Germany does look. Your imagination pictures something different as soon as you cross the lines. There are the same rolling plains and hills and woods and villages.

"Civilian activity, that can be seen from high altitudes, is less, I think, than on our side, though that may be because we fly lower when on the home side. We can see automobiles and trains and strings of wagons now and then on the roads.

The German trenches are more in evidence than ours and they stretch back for miles behind the lines. Right up to them though, the Germans are cultivating the soil and their farms are easily spotted. The railroads over there are about the same as those on this side of the line. In several places the lines on this side run up to no man's land and then are snatched up for a ways, but continue from the German side of the line. It seems wrong that there should be the connection.

"No Man's Land usually looks very much plowed up. We are glad to see that, though probably we are the only ones who are. It gives us a definite assurance of where home is. Often you are in doubt and if you happen to cross the lines where No Man's Land is not shot to pieces you are not sure of your position. Some of the boys have gone great distances back looking for towns or lands they recognized and one chap lost his way so completely he landed in Switzerland when his gasoline gave out.

"The villages are fairly well battered on both sides though, unless they are in ruins, you can not tell from above how much damage they are. Some are completely obliterated and are but a mass of stone and plowed ground. The larger cities are easily seen and large factories can be easily spotted.

"Germany looks rather peaceful from above and there seems to be little disturbing them back a ways from the lines. That is where an airman's point of view is defective.

"A German and his field look as soft as ours. Probably they are, which is not very soft. Any field covered with grass looks soft and you think it would make a fine landing place. When you get down lower and are forced to land on any old field that happens to be under you, sometimes when you're en panne you learn differently. Trees you didn't see stick in the covered field to turn you over. Barbed wire stretches along the country and you can not see it either. With ordinary breaks of luck you can land safely if you are on the right side of the line when your motor cuckoos, but what is very important is that ordinary break of luck, as one of the boys put it. Mother earth isn't half as soft as you anticipate when you touch her.

### FORCED TO SELL THEIR POULTRY

It is understood the food administration has been making inquiries in certain sections of the western part of the state relative to the shipment of poultry, and dealers would not be surprised to hear of another embargo soon. Owing to the long drouth in the West many farmers have been leaving their places to go East, and have been selling off their stock of poultry. Advice from poultry dealers in that section state that the express service has been burdened to capacity with poultry shipments.

An embargo now would be like locking the barn after the horse is gone, however according to one of the officials of the Texas Poultry and Egg Dealers Association, who is familiar with the situation. Many western counties which have been heavy producers of poultry have been swept almost bare of supplies and the outlook is for practically nothing out of the drouth stricken districts this fall. It will take years to rebuild the poultry industry to the level it had attained in Texas before dry weather, high prices for feed and insatiable out of the state demand under these conditions steadily rising the prices of eggs may be expected from now on until the holidays.—Houston Chronicle.

An embargo on poultry in this country would have been nothing short of a calamity. Fortunately for the people of this section of good price for their poultry. Hundreds of farmers were compelled to sell their poultry or let them starve to death, while hundreds of others were forced to leave on account of moving from the country. The food administration should know what it is doing before dealing with the drouth stricken country on any question at this time, because conditions here are different.

Perry Holland, of the Miles country, was here Thursday, arranging to pull his freight for a damper country.

Elder Arthur Holton arrived from Brownwood at noon Friday and will visit his father H. H. Holton and family.

### FORMER RUNNELS TEACHER SET FREE

Houston, Aug. 17.—A charge of murder against Mrs. Inetta Haynie was dismissed in Criminal Court Wednesday on recommendation of District Attorney John H. Crooker. Mrs. Haynie, who was a bride of a few months shot her husband to death as he lay in bed at the home of relatives in Sunset Heights several months ago.

She had been a teacher in Taylor county before her marriage. A few months after her marriage her husband left and came here and she followed. She said he threatened to leave her again. One grand jury refused to indict her, but she was indicted by the next jury.

Mrs. Haynie was formerly Miss Inetta Ash, of Runnels county. Her father lived at Tritt in the northern part of this county for several years, and the young lady taught school in this county, at Tending the summer normal at Ballinger, where she made many friends.

### MOVING DAY

Ben Hartly, a traveling man who makes Weatherford his headquarters, was in Ballinger Saturday. Mr. Hartly says it is some dry in the Weatherford country, and that people are moving in every direction. He stated that his family decided to keep count on the covered wagons that passed his house one day recently, and that they counted 193 and did not count all day. Mr. Hartly lives on one of the main public highways.

R. T. Williams, county food administrator, had business at Valara Thursday morning.

Rev. W. F. Frye, member of the Simmons College faculty, passed through Ballinger Thursday en route home from the Baptist encampment at Christavol.

Prof. J. J. Bugg, nominee for county superintendent, returned from Broome, Wednesday, where he has been visiting relatives and taking his vacation.

## DRAFT DESERTERS CAUGHT AT RANGER

State Ranger Flynt was notified Friday that the Kiel boys, who were out under bond and who jumped their bond, had been caught near Ranger, and were being held for him. Mr. Flynt stated that he would go after the young men and return them to San Angelo.

Two young men by the name of Kiel were arrested near Wingate early in the spring and held on a charge of failing to register. They were carried to San Angelo and arraigned before federal authorities where they were allowed bond.

When federal court convened at San Angelo last month the two men failed to appear, and it developed that they had left the country. The court did not declare the bond forfeited, but continued the cases to give the officers an opportunity to locate the men and save the bondsmen.

The defendants claimed that they were not in the draft age, but an investigation revealed the evidence that resulted in charges being filed.

### GONE TO GREENER FIELDS AND PASTURES NEW

Up to a few weeks ago the Enterprise editor would offer some persuasion against people leaving the Winters Country. Two weeks ago we got where we did not blame any one from going if he could get away and now we are at the point where we blame the fellow who can leave and does not do so. We speak altogether of those who own no homes here and depend on this year's crop or upon the daily labor for their meat and bread. But to those who are leaving we must offer this warning:

It is a long ways to a country where conditions are better and there are thousands of people on their way to that country now. If you depend on driving through in your wagon you had better not start until you have several weeks supply of horse feed and human food or the money to buy same with when you run out. The chances are you'll find all the places filled in the place you are going to and will be forced to travel on many days' journey before you find employment.

Better it may be to accept the propositions made by the Government—employment agencies, have them to send those able to work by rail and thus be assured that you will connect up with the work before your money is all gone. We hear already of families leaving the west, becoming stranded on the way to work and forced to call on charity.

Be sure you know what is ahead before you go, and add to this the assurance that you will get there before the other fellow has secured the job you are expecting.—Winters Enterprise.

### WESTERN UNION FOR A. & S.

Representatives of the Western Union Telegraph Co., were here this week making plans and arranging to install telegraph service on the A. & S. The service will be used for operating the trains and will also give Winters a telegraph service, all the business from that town having been handled by telephone to Ballinger here to fore.

W. S. Syler and wife, of Winters were in the city Friday, coming in to be with Mrs. Cicero Smith who is spending a month here on her ranch west of Ballinger.

T. L. Eubanks, of the Winters country, passed through Ballinger Saturday en route to Brownwood, to investigate conditions in the oil fields.

Mrs. Cicero Smith and daughters came in from Ft. Worth Wednesday. They will spend a month in their camp on the Wylie ranch.

I. C. Bellinger, of Weatherford spent a day or two here on business this week. He stated that the Weatherford country was experiencing the worst drouth in its history.

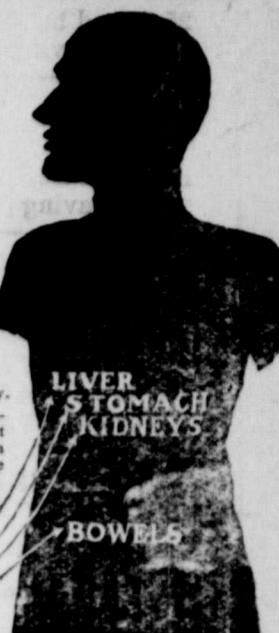
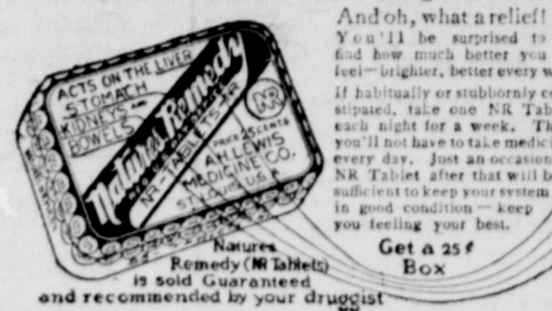
Mrs. Joe A. Jones and daughter Aileen and Mildred, are here from Rule on a visit to Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Erwin.

## Want to Feel Just Right? Take an NR Tonight

JUST TRY IT AND SEE how much better you feel in the morning. That "loggy" headachy, tired, don't-know-what's-the-matter feeling will be gone—you'll feel fine.

**TROUBLE IS**, your system is clogged with a lot of impurities that your over-worked digestive and eliminative organs can't get rid of. Pills, oil, salts, calomel and ordinary laxatives, cathartics and purges only force the bowels and prod the liver.

Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) acts on the stomach, liver, bowels and even kidneys, not forcing, but toning and strengthening these organs. The result is prompt relief and real, lasting benefit. Make the test. Nature's Remedy will act promptly, thoroughly, yet so mildly, so gently, that you will think nature herself has come to the rescue and is doing the work.



And oh, what a relief! You'll be surprised to find how much better you feel—brighter, better every way, if habitually or stubbornly constipated, take one NR Tablet each night for a week. Then you'll not have to take medicine every day. Just an occasional NR Tablet after that will be sufficient to keep your system in good condition—keep you feeling your best.

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## 4000 FOOT WELL FOR CONCHO COUNTY

Eden, Tex. Aug. 15.—Preparations are being made on the Sam Waring ranch, three miles south of Eden, for drilling of a deep test oil well. The Leonard Petroleum Company of Washington, Pa., has erected a derrick, and a standard rig, capable of going to great depths, is being set up under the direction of C. C. Howard, the manager. Drilling will likely be begun early next week. A twenty-two-inch hole will be started and work will be carried to the 4,000 foot level unless oil is encountered higher up. The Leonard Petroleum Company has approximately 30,000 acres in Concho county under lease for development purposes. There are twenty sections in the Sam Waring tract and two additional wells will be started on the ranch within ninety days. Their location has not yet been definitely decided upon, but each will be within five or six miles of Well No. 1.

### No Schedule Fixed on Cotton Seed

As a consequence of a recent conference of farmers, cattlemen, and operators of gin and cotton seed mills in Houston, and impression has gotten aboard that the Food Administration has opted a schedule of price for cotton seed and its by-products. Administrator Peden wishes to announce that no schedule has been adopted and that the report is without foundation.

Miss Marion Wooden went to Brownwood Saturday, to visit friends.

### "Tell Mother" I Made Good

Paris, Aug. 16.—"Tell Mother." These are always the first words of the U. S. Marines, those devil dog fighters who routed the pick of the German forces in the recent battle on the Marne, when they are brought into hospitals here.

One Marine, just a boy, said: I have been a sort a wanderer for the past six years. I guess the folks back home thought I was good for nothing. But now I wish you would write mother for me and just tell her I made good.

### Cousin Killed in Action

The casualty list published Saturday carried the name of Joe R. Kimble, of Sterrett, Ellis county, killed in action. The soldier was a cousin of I. O. Wooden of this city.

Mrs. James Bartlett of Santa Anna, arrived Saturday and will spend a few days with her son, W. E. Bartlett and family. . . . O Wise Young Man! . . .

Dr. Tolman, of Brownwood came in Saturday, and will speak at the First Baptist church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

H. F. Demmer, the blacksmith, has purchased the W. A. Francis place on Tenth Street, and will move into same and occupy it as his home about the first of September.

W. F. Gorman and boys left Friday for north Texas, to spend a few months at work. Mr. Gorman left Mrs. Gorman and the girls here, and says he will return about Christmas. He says he pledged \$2000 to the W. S. S. fund and could not make it here, and had to go to where he could make it.



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# The Globe's War Saving Sale

A short time ago we put on a sale and called it "The Hoover Sale" It was one of the most successful sales ever pulled off in Ballinger. Many thousand people took advantage of this sale and saved many dollars by which they could buy War Saving Stamps. Now we are going to call this sale "A War Saving Sale". We are going to cut the prices so that you can save money with which to purchase War Saving and Thrift Stamps and help the government as well as yourself. In addition to the Saving in prices we are going to give you a Thrift Stamp Free with each purchase of \$6.25. We will give you a ticket with each purchase and after you have secured tickets to the amount of \$6.25 we will give you a Thrift Stamp free. Ask for the tickets. Now this sale opens Monday, Morning August 26th, and closes on or before the day the War closes. Read the following price list. We will sell War Saving Stamps and Thrift Stamps during this sale. Free delivery each morning at 9:00 o'clock. Thrift Stamps given only with cash purchases.

**Meal**  
25 pound best Meal  
War Saving price, a sack.....\$1.39

**Bacon**  
Best Salt Pork Bacon,  
War Saving price the pound.....29c

**Lard**  
10 pound bucket Purity Lard  
War Saving price.....\$2.39  
5 pound bucket Purity Lard  
War Saving price.....\$1.22  
3 pound bucket Purity Lard  
War Saving price.....74c

**Crisco**  
6-10 size Crisco  
War Saving price.....\$1.79  
12-5 size Crisco  
War Saving price.....89c

**Soaps**  
5 bars L. S. Soap  
War Saving price.....24c  
3 bars P. & G. Soap  
War Saving price.....23c  
5 bars C. W. Soap  
War Saving price.....29c

**Salmon**  
906 cans 2 pound Salmon  
War Saving price, the can.....18c  
203 cans 2 pound Salmon  
War Saving price the can.....22c

**Rice**  
2 1-2 pound box Best Rice  
War Saving price a box.....29c

**Oatmeal**  
Large size Oat Meal  
War Saving price a box.....32c  
Small size Oat Meal  
War Saving price a box.....13c

**Syrups**  
1 gallon Green Velva Syrup  
War Saving price a can.....89c  
1-2 gallon Green Velva Syrup  
War Saving price, a can.....46c  
1 gallon Red Velva Syrup  
War Saving price a can.....88c  
1-2 gallon Red Velva Syrup  
War Saving price a can.....45c  
1 gallon Royal Syrup  
War Saving price a can.....79c  
1-2 gallon Royal Syrup  
War Saving price a can.....42c

**Can Tomatoes**  
No. 2 can Tomatoes  
War Saving price, a can.....13c

**Can Corn**  
Valley Brand can Corn  
War Saving price, a can.....14c  
Woodford Brand can Corn  
War Saving price, a can.....17c

**Can Hominy**  
Helmet Brand Hominy  
War Saving price, a can.....12c

**Macaroni**  
8 ounce size Macaroni  
War Saving price.....9c

**Soda**  
10 pound can A. & H. Soda  
War Saving price, a can.....69c  
1 pound box A. & H. Soda  
War Saving price, a box.....8c

**Empsons can Beans**  
Cut String Beans  
War Saving price, a can.....14c

**Beans**  
California Pink Beans  
War Saving price, a pound.....11c  
Best Lima Beans  
War Saving price, a pound.....17c

**Spuds**  
California Irish Potatoes  
War Saving price, a bushel.....\$2.49

**Post Toasties**  
Large size Post Toasties  
War Saving price, a box.....19c  
Small size Post Toasties  
War Saving price, a box.....13c

**Bakery Bread**  
Best Coleman Bakery Bread  
War Saving price a loaf.....9c

**Canned Apricots**  
California Apricots, No. 2 1-2 size  
War Saving price, a can.....24c  
California Peaches, No. 2 1-2 size  
War Saving price, a can.....24c

**Coffee**  
P. B. Coffee whole or ground  
War Saving price, 5 pounds for.....98c  
Limited Coffee, 3 pound can  
War Saving price, a can.....98c  
Maxwell House Blend Coffee  
War Saving price, 3 pound can.....96c

**Tobacco**  
Durham Smoking Tobacco  
War Saving price, a sack.....9c  
Prince Albert Tobacco  
War Saving price, a can.....14c

**Snuff**  
5 ounce Garrett Snuff  
War Saving price, a bottle.....24c  
5 ounce Honest Snuff  
War Saving price, a bottle.....24c

**Giant Lye**  
4 cans Giant Lye  
War Saving price.....38c

**Can Kraut**  
Armour & Company Veribest can Kraut  
War Saving price, a can.....14c

**Pork and Beans**  
No. 3 Sniders Pork and Beans  
War Saving price, a can.....24c  
No. 2 Sniders Pork and Beans  
War Saving price, a can.....17c

**K.C. Baking Powder**  
10 ounce K. C. Baking Powder  
War Saving price, a can.....9c  
15 ounce K. C. Baking Powder  
War Saving price, a can.....13c  
25 ounce K. C. Baking Powder  
War Saving price, a can.....22c

**Libbys Can Sausage**  
Can Sausage Libby's Paoked  
War Saving price, a can.....12c

**Cups and Saucers**  
Gold Band Cups and Saucers  
War Saving price, a set.....\$1.24

**Peanut Butter**  
Small size Peanut Butter  
War Saving price, a jar.....13c  
Medium size Peanut Butter  
War Saving price, a jar.....22c

**Can Sweet Potatoes**  
Pa and Ma Sweet Potatoes  
War Saving price a can.....22c

**Canvass Gloves**  
210 pairs Good Canvass Gloves  
War Saving price, a pair.....14c

**Gallon Fruit**  
1 gallon Apples  
War Saving price, a can.....64c  
1 gallon Peaches  
War Saving price, a can.....64c  
1 gallon Grapes  
War Saving price, a can.....64c

**Mouse Traps**  
3300 Good Mouse Traps  
War Saving price, each.....3c

**Shoe Lasts**  
3 size Last and Stand  
War Saving price, a set.....\$1.14

**Strap Hinges**  
3 inch Strap Hinges  
War Saving price, a pair.....9c  
4 inch Strap Hinges  
War Saving price, a pair.....13c  
6 inch Strap Hinges  
War Saving price, a pair.....24c

**Water Hose**  
Goodyear Water Hose 5-8 inch  
War Saving price, 50 feet.....\$5.44

**Buggy Whips**  
399 Buggy Whips, 5 1-2 feet long  
War Saving price, each.....14c

**Ford Piston Rings**  
Ford Piston Rings  
War Saving price, each.....14c

**Pearl Buttons**  
400 cards Pearl Buttons  
War Saving price, a card.....5c

**Ford Timers**  
Ford Timers Complete  
War Saving price each.....\$1.19

**Salt & Pepper Shake**  
Japanese Pattern, S. & P. Shakers  
War Saving price, each.....8c

**Mason Fruit Jars**  
Masons Fruit Jars, 1-2 gallon size  
War Saving price, a dozen.....98c  
Masons Fruit Jars, 1 quart size  
War Saving price, a dozen.....74c

**Grape Juice**  
Welches Grape Juice, 1 quart size  
War Saving price, each.....48c  
Welches Grape Juice, 1-2 gallon size  
War Saving price, each.....89c

**Shoe Polish**  
Gilt Edge Polish 25c value  
War Saving price each.....22c  
Shinola Polish, black or Tan  
War Saving price, each.....9c  
Two in One Shoe Polish, black or tan  
War Saving price, each.....13c

**Vinegar**  
Best bulk Vinegar  
War Saving price, a gallon.....39c  
Good bottle Vinegar  
War Saving price, a quart.....19c

**Percolators**  
Rome 4 cup Percolator  
War Saving price.....\$2.29  
Rome 6 cup Percolator  
War Saving price.....\$2.69  
Rome 9 cup Percolator  
War Saving price.....\$3.24

**Jugs**  
1902 Jugs, 1 quart size  
War Saving price, each.....5c

**Corn Chops**  
Good Corn Chops  
War Saving price, a sack.....\$3.74

**Butter Dishes**  
Niece Glass Butter Bowls  
War Saving price, each.....14c

**Tin Milk Pails**  
10 quart Tin Milk Pail  
War Saving price, each.....29c

**Fincks Overalls**  
Fincks Blue Overalls, \$2.50 value  
War Saving price, each.....\$1.98

**This Sale Opens Monday Morning, August 26th**  
and will close on or before the day the war closes. We have a good business and are in a position to handle more business with the same expense and we are positively that we can sell you as much goods for 89c as you can get elsewhere for \$1.00. We have made application as agent for War Saving and Thrift Stamps and you will be asked to purchase same before leaving the store. We want our name on the honor roll as the merchant who has made the best record of sales of War Saving and Thrift Stamps in this county. This sale opens Monday morning August 26th and closes on or before the day the war closes. Don't fail to be on hand. If you can't come just phone 320.

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Best Matches 5c a Box. 1 Bushel Spuds \$2.49.

**Boston Garters**  
Mens Garters, Boston Make  
War Saving Price, a pair.....22c

**Bath Towels**  
Good Bleached Bath Towels 18x44 inches  
War Saving price, each.....24c

**Thread**  
O. N. T. Thread  
War Saving price, a spool.....4c

**Best Matches**  
Best Matches  
War Saving price, a box.....5c

**Table oil Cloth**  
Table Oil Cloth  
War Saving price, a yard.....29c

**Loaded Shells**  
New Club Loaded Shells  
War Saving price, a box.....74c  
22 catredges  
War Saving price a box.....22c

**Lamp Chimneys**  
No. 2 Lamp Chimneys  
War Saving price.....9c

**Automobile Supplies**  
30x3 Goodyear Casing  
War Saving price, each.....\$14.99  
30x3 1-2 Goodyear Casing  
War Saving price, each.....\$18.99  
30x3 Goodrich Casing  
War Saving price, each.....\$14.44  
30x3 1-2 Goodrich Casing  
War Saving price, each.....\$18.62  
Champion Spark Plugs  
War Saving price, each.....64c  
Champion X Porcelains  
War Saving price, each.....34c

**Talcum Powder**  
Colgates Talcum Powde  
War Saving price, each.....19c  
Corylopsis Talcum Powder  
War Saving price, each.....9c

**Wash Tubs**  
No. 1 size galvanized Wash Tubs  
War Saving price, each.....\$1.09  
No. 2 size galvanized Wash Tubs  
War Saving price, each.....\$1.19  
No. 3 size galvanized Wash Tubs  
War Saving price, each.....\$1.29

**Wash Boards**  
Silver King Wash Boards, 50c value  
War Saving price, each.....34c

**Axle Grease**  
3 pound bucket Golden Axle Grease  
War Saving price.....22c  
1 pound box Golden Axle Grease  
War Saving price.....9c

**Rugs & Art Squares**  
9x12 feet Granite Art Square  
War Saving price.....\$8.94  
3x6 feet Axminster Rug  
War Saving price.....\$4.74  
26x55 inch Brussels Rug  
War Saving price.....\$1.09

**Talking Machine**  
Emerson Talking Machine, \$5.00 value  
War Saving price.....\$2.93

**Hotel Goblets**  
12 ounce Goblets  
War Saving price, a set.....69c  
17 ounce Hotel Goblets  
War Saving price, a set.....98c

**Nails**  
Best Wire Nails  
War Saving price, a pound.....6c

**Hand Saws**  
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