

Prof. V. J. Smith, John Thomson and Wallace Mason, of San
Angelo, arrived in Ballinger Sat Angelo, arrived in Ballinger Sat-
urday morning at nine-thirty, and after spending about one hour here transfering their boat, and
camping outfit to the Colorado riv er, they left for Austin.
4 The young men are making the built especially for a the trip. Their tion, fishing tackle, bedding and a short supply of provisions. They expect to sail from the Colorado to the State Capital, camping on the banks of the river at night, fish and game.
te is having men were unfortunsagged in transient boat badly gelo to Ballinger, the damage having been done in remoring it from before launching on the Colorado and carried a supply of material o make repairs that migh be need

SOME OAT SACKS

## A firm at Winters received

solid car load of oat sacks to be used in sacking the grain crop of that section of the county. The car
contained enough sacks to hold 125 car loads of oats and they cost $\$ 4,200$. Now you ean get busy
and figure out the number of sacks


## A. Harper Passed Away Wh Attending Confederate Reunion. Remains are

A phone message from Winter
Jo Wilmeth Saturday mornin stated that a telegram had been eceived at that place from Uncle death of L. A. Harper, and that he was en route to Winters with the remains.
Mr. Harper and Mr. Spain lef Winters together going to Chat tanooga, Tennessee, to meet with
the old soldiers. They were both in their usual good health when hey left home, and the news
he death of Mr. Harper will reecived with sadness among his any friends in this county. W cause of his death.
Deceased has been av citizen of this county for many years, and for a number of years he served
his county as commissioner. He his county as commissioner.
He
leaves a family and a host of riends all over the county, and especially in the North end of th o many wears he has resided fo 0 many years, who are
feel the sting of death.
The date of the funeral will b
announced later , and intermen
will be made in the Winters cem

## WOODMEN PICNIC

AT MAVERICK
Chas. S. Miller and ay mornig, where they attende a pienic that is being givert in that men Lodge.


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## Telephone Company Reports Goo

 Rain at Wingate and Winters ntry With Some HStill Raining

At two-thirty Saturday after noon the West Teras Telephone Co., reports that a big rain had fallen at Wingate and the country of the county was receiving rain and that a half-inch and some hail fell at Winters. At the time the report came in it was still rainin and indications were good for splendid season.
Up to press time at Ballinger
clouds were hanging around in the North and Northwest of Ballin ger and indications are promising that the country will be drench ed before morning. The rain wil be of great benefit to maize and
other feed crops, but will damage other feed crops, but will damage
small grain that is ready for the harvester. Cotton is not suffer ing, but a good season now wil
give that crop a start that will be give that crop a start that will be ing the surmer.
Later-Just before locking our forms we get good news on the
rain. Winters reports $11-2$ inches Miles big rain, Concho big rain light rain at Paint Rock, good rain at Rowena and you kn
what it is doing at Ballinger.
merit long imprisonment will be giverit long imprisonment will be
givportunity to regain their fredom and an opportunity lives.

HILINESS PREACHER IS SHOT TO DEATH AT DUBLIN Dublin, Tex., June 6,-Lee Jones, a prosperous farmer and
minister of the Holiness faith, wes shot to death with a shotgun at two young men surrenderinging

## BUILDING SILO

R. F. Green is placing the ma terial on the ground at his dairy across the creek from the pump
station, and will arrange to feed milk cows ensilage this winter of it for Mr Green.

Tr,
Mrs. Mike Laxson and children
left Saturday for Garden left Saturday for Garden City
where they will visit Mrs. Laxon's
parents Mr. and Mrs. Abernathy.

## New Ideas

mean progress. The watchword is for ward. Join the march by opening a account with The Farmers \& Merchants State Bank of Ballinger Texas. It pays to do business with this bank, try

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opening. Several have arrived and arranged for boarding places, and some have written fur
stay during the normal.
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NEWS BOY TO Go AROUND THE WORLD

## Spokane, Wash., June 7.-Witi

 in Spokane, Bertram Puckett aged 17, has started on a triparound the world. He sails from San Frazeiseo fog Hoptolula and thePhilippines this week and at Manila will meet his brother, Ros
well Puckett well Puckett. The brockers wil
complete the journey together to

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