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SPEAKER COMPARES BALL AND FERGUSON

For two hours and a half Hon. Cullen F. Thomas, one of the ablest speakers and cleanest men in Texas, stood before a crowd of about 800 people in the big show tent opposite the freight depot Monday afternoon and told why he favored Tom Ball for governor and why he opposed Jim Ferguson. Mr. Fred Hayes, head of the theatrical company that is playing here for the week, and who so kindly furnished his tent for the speaking, stated that his tent would seat 1000 people, but only 800 seats had been arranged when the time for the speaking arrived. These were comfortably filled and there were quite a number who were seated in their autos and buggies on the outside. The largest crowd from any one point came from Winters. Forty-odd tickets were sold for the noon train from Winters and about twenty-five came in autos. Mr. Eason, of Winters, stated that there were about seventy-five in his party from Winters. After the speaking the A. & S. made up a special train for the return of the Winters visitors to their home.

In giving an account of the speech it would require all of this paper to tell all that the speaker said. He discussed the various questions that are confronting the people in the present campaign and discussed the charges that are being made against Tom Ball. The crowd that heard him was about equally proportioned with farmers, business men and ladies, and the crowd was with the speaker from the time he was introduced until he finished and he was frequently applauded.

While the band was playing some familiar air, the reception committee escorted Judge Thomas to the speaker's stand, and his appearance was greeted with a hearty cheering from the audience.

In a brief way Judge A. K. Doss

presented the speaker to the audience. "I had the honor of being your delegate to the convention at Houston in 1912," said Judge Doss; "the convention that was looking to the selection of a man for president. Out of that convention of 3000 delegates representing the Democracy of this great state, Tom Ball was the only man in that convention that demanded the unlimited attention of that vast throng of progressive Democrats."

Judge Thomas began his talk by saying that he traveled a long way to get to Ballinger. He spoke at Tyler, almost on the eastern border of Texas, last Saturday. He expressed himself in the most appreciative way for the good attendance, thanking the farmers for leaving their work and coming in to hear him speak, thanking the ladies for their presence, and thanking the band for the splendid music. "I don't know what the band was playing when I came under the tent," said Judge Thomas, but I suggest that they get ready to play it on the night of July 25th. "There will be a Hat Time in the old town tonight, when we fill the existing vacancy in the governor's chair. We want to fill that vacancy with a big man." At this point Mr. Thomas referred to the claim that had been made that we have the smallest governor of the biggest state in the United States, and said that it was time for the people of Texas to elect a governor that was not so much interested in Mexican intervention in American politics, and one who would not call out the entire state militia just because some Mexicans had stolen a few yearlings, but at the same time would stand by and see 25,000 Mexican voters herded

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ULTIMATUM SENT WILL ENCOURAGE NEW ENTERPRISE FOR BALLINGER

CHICAGO, July 14.—Sixty representatives of 80,000 union railroad men who work west of the Mississippi, presented an ultimatum to the railroad representatives

this afternoon.

DIES FROM SUNSTROKE

DALLAS, July 14.—Mannuel Hernandez died today of sunstroke on the streets of this city. He is the first victim here of the intense heat wave which is sweeping Texas.

Weather Forecast.
Tonight and Wednesday probably cloudy.

POISON LETTER

NEW YORK, July 14.—Dr. Edwin Carman received arsenic in a letter for his wife today. The sender of the message with the poison is unknown, but the police are making strong efforts to run down the dispatcher. The grand jury's investigation of the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey opened today with a number of witnesses present from New York and Freeport, L. I.

New York Cops are Nervous; Don't Stop to Admire Them

NEW YORK, July 14.—Don't stop and admire the giant cop. It gets his goat. It's the truth; a nine year old kid can most frighten a copper to death. And if the same woman passes three times the bluecoat may turn in his badge. Although there hasn't

been a police scandal for several weeks, Commissioner Woods has established a new "shoo-fly" system and the copper fears every clerk, scrub woman and office boy up in the department. These spies keep the closest tab on New York's peace officers and report directly to the man highest up in the department.

GOLDEN JUBILEE FORMALLY OPENED

DENVER, July 14.—With the formal opening of the fiftieth annual session of the Grand Lodge of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, the Golden Jubilee Reunion of that order is in full swing today. The last of the special trains from all sections of the country arrived during the night.

Late slumbering members of the order were awaked at 9 o'clock this morning by the music of the Grand Lodge meeting. Many matters of vital interest to brother Elks of the country were taken up but as the sessions are all secret nothing was known of what was done. On Thursday or Friday new grand lodge officers will be elected. It is almost certain that Raymond Benjamin, of Napa, California, will be elected Grand Exalted ruler, as he has no serious opposition.

The afternoon was spent by the visitors in various forms of entertainment. The local Elks had provided plenty of dancing floors for the visiting brothers, who might delight in the tango, and all of these were crowded during the afternoon. Music has been provided for the dancers until midnight. Tonight a large number of "stunts" have been provided including the White-Yoakum 20 round fight.

MOVING PICTURES TEACH DRUGGISTS

NEWPORT, Oregon, July 14.—Moving pictures depicting the latest methods in compounding drugs and other educational films relating to pharmacy, are to be a feature of the Oregon Pharmaceutical Association, which began here its 25th annual convention today. The sessions will conclude July 19th.

MOVING TO WINTERS.

Tom Shaffer has accepted a position with Ebb Cathey in the saddle and harness shop at Winters, and on Tuesday morning of this week he left with his household goods and family for his new home.

Mr. Shaffer has been a citizen of Ballinger for many years, and we are glad to know that he is not leaving Runnels county, and while his friends here will regret to lose him, they will be glad to know that he will remain a neighbor. Mr. Shaffer is a splendid workman and the Winters people are to be congratulated in securing his splendid family as citizens of that community.

Chas. S. Miller left Monday afternoon for Dallas where he goes to attend the State meeting of the Texas Abstractors' Association which convened in that city Tuesday.

Cannot Prosecute N. Y., N. H. & H. Directors

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Secretary McReynolds today stated that there is no law under which the department of justice can prosecute the directors of the New New, New Haven and Hartford railway for improvident or dishonest use of the stockholders'

money intrusted with them. The breach was widened between McReynolds and the Interstate Commerce Commission by the statement, since the commission is vigorously attacking the methods employed by the directors in handling the finances of the concern.

Editor The Banner-Ledger:

While Ballinger is ahead of other places in many things and behind them in very few, yet a huller gin is one thing it hasn't got that most of the towns north of here have. One can go to Abilene, Stamford, Anson, in fact, most all towns north of Ballinger, and they will find them equipped with huller gins. What I mean by a huller gin, is a gin that will take the burrs out of the cotton before ginning. It is too far to carry cotton to Abilene to have it ginned, yet it will pay a farmer to haul it there. I sold some cotton this last fall for 5 cents per pound that would have brought 8 or 9 cents, had the burrs been taken out of it before ginning. One farmer told me that he left 75 bales of cotton in the field that he did not pick because it would not pay for the picking. Not only the farmer loses this money but the whole community.

Ballinger ought to have a huller gin because it is centrally located and a farmer in any part of the county can haul at least a part of his cotton to Ballinger. As I said before, most all gins in North Texas and Oklahoma have huller gins. The farmers in these sections allow their pickers to gather (not pick) their cotton, because they can take it to the gin and have all the burrs taken out. The prospects in this county

is for a very large crop of cotton. Pickers are going to be scarce. If a farmer allows his pickers to gather his cotton, he will lose ten or fifteen dollars per bale. If he does not allow them to gather his cotton, they will quit and go where they can gather it. In either case he will lose. One by not getting anything for his cotton; the other by having it blown out by the wind and beat into the ground by the rain.

Some gin man will say, "I have not made anything in the last four years, and I can not afford to go to any more expense to put in new machinery." This is true. While I know nothing about the expense of a gin, yet anyone can see that there is nothing in letting machinery lie idle for 9 months and then gin some eight hundred bales during three months of the year. This will not much more than pay the interest on the investment. What Ballinger needs is not more gins, but more up-to-date gins. If the farmers would cooperate with the gin men any one gin could gin twice the number of bales. This fall, no doubt, all gins will be crowded and farmers will be waiting their turn for hours. This is all unnecessary. The only way we can have first class gins is for them to gin lots of cotton during the ginning season, and the only way for a gin

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Big Fight Began Today In Earnest

CHIHUAHUA, Mex., July 14.—Skirmishing between the federals and constitutionalists at San Luis Potosi began this morning in earnest.

A general assault will be made upon the city when General Gonzales arrives from Saltillo to take personal command of the rebel troops who are without the city.

Will Start Soon For Capital

GUADALAJARA, Mex., July 14. General Obregon will start within a few days, according to an official announcement made here today, for Mexico City. He expects to meet the armies of the other divisions in the vicinity of the capital and then wage a vigorous campaign toward the practically clear road to Mexico City.

FEW FACTS

Banking service that is valuable to business men is extended by the Farmers and Merchants State Bank. We study your needs and aim to supply the most valuable banking service. That is why this Bank is gaining each day in strength and efficiency. Its depositors are its best ads, which should satisfy you that it is the place for you to carry your account.

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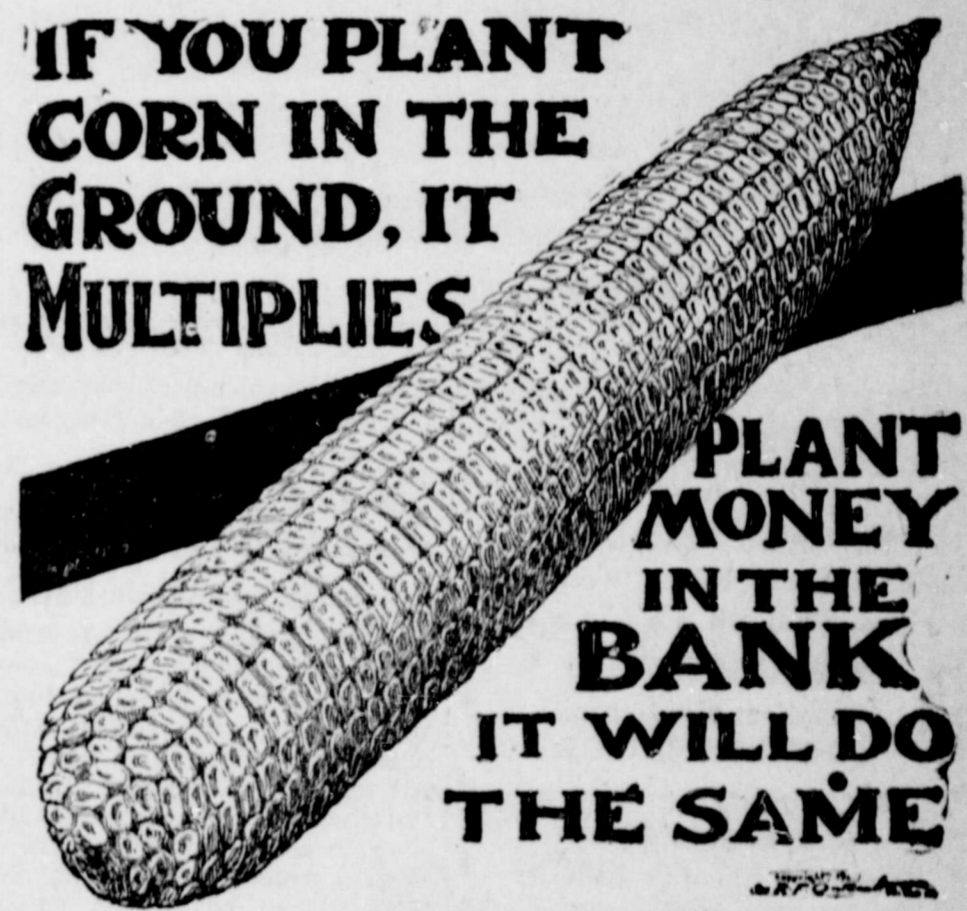
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Sheriff J. P. Flynt left Monday afternoon for Temple and other points in Texas to look after official business a few days.

FOR RENT - One six-room house on sixth street, close in, all conveniences. One five-room house on twelfth street. Phone 179.

Frank Flynt, the Winters postmaster was among the visitors in Ballinger Monday to attend the speaking.

Tom Shaffer who has made such reputation in Runnels county as a shoe repair man and saddle and harness maker has moved to Winters and will be with the Winters Saddle and Harness Shop. This firm is certainly fortunate to get the services of such competent man in this line and Winters, likewise fortunate, to get this estimable family.

Misses Katie and Fay Bass and brother, Master John Bass, of the Norton country, left from this point Monday afternoon to visit relatives in Limestone county for a few weeks.

The Best Medicine in the World.

"My little girl had dysentery very bad. I thought she would die. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured her, and I can truthfully say that I think it is the best medicine in the world," writes Mrs. William Orvis, Clare, Mich. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. R. Rutherford and children left Monday afternoon for Brownwood to visit relatives a few weeks.

ECLIPSE Lawn Mowers. Something new and good, no trouble to adjust. Hall Hardware Company.

Mrs. Bateman, who had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Baker the past few days, left Monday afternoon for Fort Worth.

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GOVERNOR COLQUITT
SPEAKS AT WALNUT

By United Press. - WALNUT SPRINGS, Texas, July 14. - Governor Colquitt divided an address here today between urging the candidacy of James E. Ferguson of Temple for governor and defending his own administration.

Mrs. Della Halley left Monday afternoon to visit friends at Fort Worth and will also spend a few weeks at Corpus Christi before returning home.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the day, you can charge it to a torpid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. Herbine cures all disorders produced by an inactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

I. C. E. A. HOLDS MEETING.

By United Press. - MINERAL WELLS, Texas, July 14. - Agricultural development commercial club financing and methods of securing members were the topics discussed at today's institute of the Texas Commercial Executive Association. All speeches were extemporaneous and covered a wide range of personal experience.

Mrs. M. L. Patterson and daughter Miss Vera and Miss Jamie Keivil, after a pleasant visit to relatives and friends at Midland, returned to Ballinger Monday afternoon.

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Judge J. P. Cogsdell and Attorney Tom Patterson of Winters, were among the number in Ballinger to attend the Thomas speaking.

Rev. I. N. Lewis, wife and daughter, Miss Lola, of Tohoka, former valued citizens of this county, after a pleasant visit of several weeks to relatives and friends in this section, left Tuesday morning for their home.

BALLINGER DRUGGIST HAS VALUABLE AGENCY

The Walker Drug Co., has the Ballinger agency for the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-ika the remedy which became famous by curing appendicitis. This simple remedy has powerful action and drains such surprising amounts of old matter from the body that Just One Dose relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation almost immediately. The quick action of Adler-ika is astonishing.

Will Benson, of Granger, Texas, came in Sunday to visit friends in Ballinger a few days.

SPECIAL TO WOMEN

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A soluble Antiseptic Powder to be dissolved in water as needed. As a medicinal antiseptic for douches in treating catarrh, inflammation or ulceration of nose, throat, and that caused by feminine ills it has no equal. For ten years the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. has recommended Paxtine in their private correspondence with women, which proves its superiority. Women who have been cured say it is "worth its weight in gold." At druggists. 50c. large box, or by mail, The Paxton Toilet Co., Boston, Mass

TOWN WITH 23 VOTES
IS NO LONGER DRY

Big Lake, in Reagan county, had a prohibition election Saturday and the anti own by a vote of 13 to 9. It is understood that all but one vote in the precinct was polled. Reagan county has been dry for several years, and Big Lake is the first precinct to vote wet.

Although only a small number of voters could participate in the election, a large territory in the Big Lake country was interested in the outcome. The fight is declared to have been one of the hottest ever waged, the interest being as intense as in campaigns where thousands of voters participate.

The fight was made by the anti for the privilege of having liquor shipped into "wet" territory and not for the purpose, it is said, of establishing a saloon in the town. -San Angelo Standard.

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The White City has secured Prof. Julius Martines Orchestra to furnish music tonight. You will miss a rare treat if you fail to hear these splendid musicians.

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T. Bell and little daughter Miss Ruby, of Brownwood, passed thru Ballinger Tuesday en route to Bradshaw on a visit to relatives for a week or two.

J. Ed Gentry and C. C. Gannaway of Norton were among the visitors in Ballinger Tuesday.

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Jim McWhirter, Proprietor.

LEAVE FOR CONCHO RIVER.

Ed Schawe and sisters, Scott Mangum, the W. T. Routh family and the Schooler family and Mrs. J. A. Kelley left Tuesday morning for the Concho to spend a few days in camp and enjoy the fishing outing.

R. W. Warren, of South Ballinger, left Tuesday at noon for Rowena, and will visit his son near that place for a few days.

Louis Massey left Tuesday at noon for Mary Neal where he will assist the contractor on the big rock school building which will be built in that city.

For Rent. My cottage on 5th street, 4 rooms, 2 galleries, top ground eastern, city water, good lot and barn, bath with cold water connection, only, at a bargain. C. P. Shepherd. ttd

E. H. Voelkel, of Rowena, had business in Ballinger between trains Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brookshire of the Benoit country, were shopping in Ballinger Tuesday.

Mrs. Gaines, of San Angelo, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. N. M. Gustavus and family the past week or so, returned home Monday.

Don't let some traveling man come in and get your order for calendars when we have a fine line to select from and can meet any quality. The Ballinger Printing Co. ttd

Mrs. C. B. McKennie and baby left Tuesday morning for Bangs to visit her father W. S. Harmon and family and will also attend the West Texas Log Rolling Association at Comanche before returning home.

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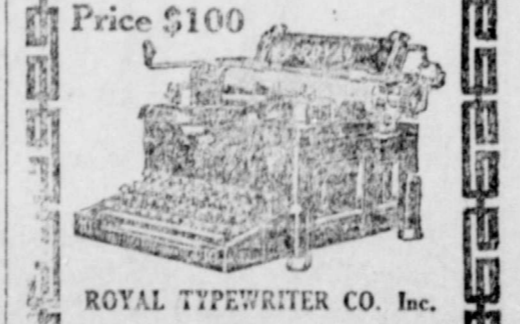
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J. N. Mason, of the Valley creek country, M. A. Nicholson of the New Home neighborhood and W. O. Woods, of the Oxen country were noticed among the large crowd in Ballinger Monday.

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Will Glover, of New Mexico, a former valued citizen of our city, came in Sunday to visit friends and look after business affairs a few days.

Don't Endure Headache Just get a bottle of Hunt's Lightening Oil and apply it to the head. The aching is gone quickly, in some cases instantly. Seldom fails to give instant relief for Neuralgia. Fine for Rheumatism also. Sold by all druggists.

Geo. McLain, line-man for the West Texas Telephone Co., left Monday afternoon via the Santa Fe to look after phone "trouble" east.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thomas, of the Valley creek country, attended the speaking in Ballinger Monday.

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- For Tax Assessor: MIKE C. BOYD, WILL L. STUART, C. C. SCHUCHARD, SAM H. McPHERSON, R. L. (Bob) SHAFFER.
- For County Judge: M. KLEBERG.
- For County Treasurer: W. L. BROWN.
- For County Clerk: O. L. PARISH, C. C. COCKRELL
- For District Clerk: JOHN THOMASON, GEO. M. STOKES, Miss MARY PHILLIPS.
- For Tax Collector: T. L. TODD, M. D. CHASTAIN, EDWIN DAY, W. T. PADGETT.
- For County Attorney: C. P. SHEPHERD.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: FEB McWILLIAMS.
- For County Superintendent: E. L. HAGAN, W. W. WOOTEN.
- For Constable Precinct No. 1: CHARLIE EISENHUB, B. F. ALLEN.
- For Congressman-at-Large: R. B. HUMPHREY, (of Throckmorton, Texas.)

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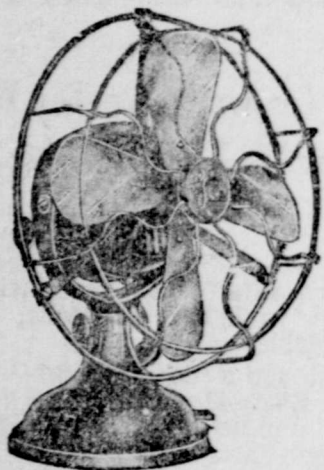
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Speaker Compares Ball and Ferguson

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in Texas to thwart the will of the American people.

"We want a governor," said the speaker, "who is not forever committed to protect 4000 saloons and help fill the penitentiaries of Texas. I am against Jim Ferguson for governor because of the things that stand for him, and I am going to tell you why I am for Ball."

First, Ball stands for clean politics and purity of the ballot box in Texas. Here the speaker pictured what clean politics and pure ballots mean to this government. He said that any man who would desert the ballot to gain personal ambition is unworthy of the confidence of the people. He told how Ferguson had boasted about setting aside \$30,000 to buy his way into the governor's office, "and" stated the speaker, "he said if that was not enough he would spend more. The standard set by Ferguson to gain the governor's chair would exclude Hogg and Reagan, and is contrary to Democratic principals. Tom Ball has challenged Ferguson's campaign committee to show where the money they are spending in this campaign comes from. Ferguson is silent about this. Tom Ball has agreed to publish to the world his campaign contributions and disbursements. They will not show the farmers of this great state who are paying the men that are going over this state making false charges against Ball and resorting to all kinds of mud-slinging tactics to defeat him."

Judge Thomas is touring this state in the interest of Col. Tom Ball for governor, and he stated in his speech that he was not receiving one cent of pay for his time. He scored the Ferguson forces for the liquor hirelings that were speaking all over Texas in the interest of Mr. Ferguson. He referred to the charges that had been made that breweries and liquor interest outside of Texas were contributing to the defeat of Tom Ball and that they were paying one dollar for every dollar that was raised in Texas for the Ferguson campaign fund. Mr. Thomas stated that this charge had never been denied. He referred to the refusal of Jake Wolters, manager for the antis in the last state wide campaign, to divulge the sources from which the funds were collected to carry on that campaign and defeat prohibition, and how the money was expended, when on the other hand Mr. Ball, manager for the pros, turned his books over to the legislative committee and accounted for every dollar that passed through his committee. Mr. Thomas stated that Col. Ball was in favor of a law that would put an end to turning lose in this great state a slush fund to defeat the will of the people.

"Ferguson is making the charge," said Mr. Thomas, "over this state that Ball speakers are being paid. Mr. Ferguson is just mistaken. I will not use harsher language than this in denying this charge. Tom Ball is fighting for pure politics in Texas, and Ferguson is trying to buy the office with his thirty thousand dollars, and the liquor interest of this state is for him." At this point in Judge Thomas' speech he put the proposition of the choice of pure politics and dirty politics squarely up to the crowd, asking all those who were in favor of the demand made by Tom Ball for pure politics to say "ave." There was a roar of voices in giving the affirmative vote. The speaker then calling for those who were in favor of getting the votes through the Ferguson method to say "nay." There was silence. Some one in the audience at this point yelled, "Ferguson gets money any way, like everybody else." "No, no, my friends," replied Judge Thomas, "you don't mean that. If that is true these old men here labored in vain. The state has contributed in vain in building educational institutions, the churches of this land have labored in vain, if everybody believes in getting money any way they can."

Judge Thomas stated that Tom Ball and Jim Ferguson were both good average men in many respects. He stated that he did not believe in mud-slinging dirty politics, and that he was not a "mud-dobber." Said he regretted that Mr. Ferguson did not pitch his campaign on a higher plane. The speaker took up the record of Tom Ball for twenty-years back, showing how he stood on every question of importance that ever confronted the people. Telling how Ball served in places of honor in his old town, Huntsville, serving as chairman of his school board, serving as mayor, and as was elected to congress by an overwhelming majority. "The people do not place bad men in such positions," said the speaker, "and continue to honor them." The speaker told how the call came from the people of this state for a man to fill the governor's chair and tear up the rotten politics of this government. He told how when Tom Ball responded to the call and became the candidate of the people who sent more than three thousand delegates to the Fort Worth convention, the liquor interest and their hirelings are making against Tom Ball. Mr. Ball is not low down enough to stir them. "It is not because they think he will go back on his promise to the people," said the speaker, "that they are opposing him, but it is because they know he will keep his promise. They tell you that Ball is not a good prohibitionist. He is good enough for Cone Johnson, he is good enough for Dr. Rankin, he is good enough for Dr. Gambrell, and every other man in this state who has been fighting all their life for prohibition. He is good enough for me. They say that Ball belongs to the Houston Club, and Ferguson has said that he was a high tone saloon man. I want to deny this and tell you that it is false, but if it was true Ball is the only high tone saloon man in Texas. I regret that Ball is a member of the Houston Club. Not that it hurts him or disqualifies him for the high position the pros of this state are trying to give him, but because it gives the antis a club to fight with and they are magnifying the evils of the club."

Judge Thomas took up the club charge made against Ball and explained it in a way that brought forth a hearty applause of satisfaction from the crowd. He stated that he had taken his meals there Houston Club a number of times; that he had taken his meals there with prominent men in Houston, both pros and antis. Said the club was run in violation of the law. He told how men in every walk of life in Houston went to that club. Told how the most prominent men in the United States were entertained at that club when they visited Houston. He said the charge that a man joined that club to get liquor was absurd for he could get it on every corner in Houston.

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the audience said: "They know Jim Ferguson too well at home." Judge Thomas asked this man if he was from Bell county, he said he was. When asked if he was a Ferguson or Ball man, he replied "I'm for Ball." This brought to light more than a dozen ex-Bell county citizens in the audience, and out of the number who claimed Bell county as their former home, there was only one man in the audience who was for Ferguson, and he stated that he was now living in Dallas. Judge Thomas said this was about 16 to 1.

In comparing the two candidates for governor, Judge Thomas held Ball up as a man successful as a lawyer, and said according to Ferguson's own confession he was a failure as a lawyer. He talked about how Ferguson was trying to prejudice the minds of the farmers in charging Ball with being lined up with the corporation. He told how Ferguson resigned as a director in the Texas Light & Power Co., just about the time he announced for governor. The Texas Light & Power Co., has a capital of \$13,000,000 and is the second largest corporation in Texas. He told how Ferguson fought the Guaranty Bank law, a law which Tom Ball helped to pass, and Ferguson's bank at Temple does not take advantage of that law, but instead of protecting its depositors through the guaranty fund it makes bond for the protection. He told how all had worked for many good laws, naming the laws, and how Ferguson had fought them. The speakers named a number of laws that Ball helped to place on the statute books to curb corporations and he challenged the Ferguson forces to name a law that Ferguson favored against corporations.

Judge Thomas stated that the bunch that fought Hogg is now fighting Ball. He stated that Ferguson's success in this race is built on nothing but the brick wall that he has built between the people and the saloons. He said Ferguson's black pledge to the liquor interest should defeat him for governor of this great state. Judge Thomas took up Ferguson's land plank and discussed it at length. He started to pass this question up by making mention of it, but, he stated that he supposed the people of this section were familiar with it, and that it did not effect this part of this state, when his hearers said, "Go ahead and tell us about it." Mr. Thomas showed how ludicrous Ferguson's tenant plank was and said that it was a decoy to catch voters, and that Ferguson was sincere in the passage of such a law he should have submitted it to the people and had it adopted in a constitutional way, so the law would have been valid. Said the plank was more moonshine in Ferguson's platform and was only for the purpose of catching the tenant farmer.

Speaking further on the land question, Mr. Thomas said: "Ferguson says that we have as much right to regulate the farm as we have the saloon. I think so. The farm stands for something. The saloon stands for nothing. Jim Ferguson thinks he can ride on the backs of the tenant farmer to the governor's mansion at Austin, and when he gets there he will catch the tenant farmer outside and he will crawl in Gov. Hogg's bed. Some people say that Ferguson is a second Hogg. I think he is a second Colquitt."

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Ferguson speakers, in which the Ferguson speakers hold Ferguson up as a David of old, as a Mose, and said that Colquitt's statements about Ferguson being chosen by God to lead the people was blasphemy that should burn the lips that speak the words. Going back to the discussion of the land question, Mr. Thomas asked his hearers if they thought that the thousands of voters in El Paso were interested in Ferguson's land plank, or in his black pledge to the saloon. He asked which they thought the voters in Bexar county were interested in (the most, the land plank or the black pledge) There is only one question the majority of the voters in these two counties ask, "Is your candidate for Anheuser-Busch?"

In closing Mr. Thomas pictured the difference in the manner in which the success of the two candidates would be celebrated. He said that if Ferguson was elected the event would be celebrated by the clinking of glasses in 4000 saloons in Texas. If Ball was elected it would be celebrated by the songs of praises in thousands of homes and churches throughout this great state.

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R. C. Henniger, of the Hatch country, left from this point Monday afternoon for Waco where he goes to attend the meeting of the German Mutual Aid Insurance Association which convenes in that city this week.

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BEGINS SECOND FIGHT FOR HER LIFE

By United Press.
NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 14.—Vindication for Mrs. Bessie Wakefield, sentenced to be hanged for the murder of her husband William O. Wakefield, was predicted by the defense here today when the second trial of the woman opened in the Superior Court.


James Plew, Mrs. Wakefield's companion in the murder, was hanged on March 4. Women of Connecticut were active in behalf of the Wakefield woman and her appeal to the Connecticut Supreme Court of Errors won for her a second trial. Recently Mrs. W. J. Blickensderfer made an automobile tour of Connecticut taking a "silver quarter" subscription to finance Mrs. Wakefield's second fight for life. Charles W. Bauby of Waterbury, Conn., will be attorney for the defendant.

A member of a family of fifteen children, Bessie Wakefield began working as "hired girl" for farmers near her home at fourteen, and at seventeen was married to William Wakefield, who was twice her age. Wakefield did not provide for his family and Mrs. Wakefield later became housekeeper for Plew. For a time Wakefield also lived on the Plew farm, when then he again established a home and his wife returned to him. It was after this that Plew and Wakefield quarreled and Wakefield's dead body was found in a field twelve miles away. Plew's confession implicated Bessie Wakefield, and, subjected to third degree drilling by the coroner, she further implicated herself. Before her trial Mrs. Wakefield was without legal advice, and during the trial the jury was not segregated and was influenced by popular opinion. The defense claims that Mrs. Wakefield knew nothing of Plew's intention of killing her husband.

Surprising Cure of Stomach Trouble

When you have trouble with your stomach or chronic constipation, don't imagine that your case is beyond help just because your doctor fails to give you relief. Mrs. G. Stengle, Plainfield, N. J. writes: "For over a month past I have been troubled with my stomach. Everything I ate upset it terribly. One of Chamberlain's advertising booklets came to me. After reading a few of the letters from people who had been cured by Chamberlain's Tablets, I decided to try them. I have taken nearly three-fourths of a package of them and can now eat almost everything that I want." For sale by all dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ellis left Monday afternoon for Ennis, Texas, to visit their daughter, Mrs. C. D. Wood and family for a few weeks.



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R. A. Nicholson and son Leroy, and Leslie Baker, left Monday afternoon for South Texas where they go to buy cotton the first part of the season. They made the trip in Mr. Baker's auto.

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FEW OLD PEOPLE BECOME CHRISTIANS

For nearly an hour last night the splendid Monday night audience sat, in rapt attention, listening to evangelist Marshall deliver his great sermon on "The State of Our Dead." After a rousing song service, Mr. Mullins sang with tender feeling, "The Name of Jesus." The sermon followed, and the speaker said in part:

"In order to understand each other it is necessary that we know what meaning we attach to certain words that may have more than one meaning."

"This line represents the birth of the individual," said the speaker pointing to the chart. Life does not begin with, but must precede birth. I shall make this clearer tomorrow night. As far as the individual is concerned, however, time begins at birth. Thou, for a space of a few years, the person or infant cannot make a moral distinction between right and wrong, and is therefore unaccountable before God for his deeds. After he reaches the years of accountability, no one can tell just when he must answer to God for the deeds done. If he obeys Christ he passes through here into the church, but if he refuses or neglects to obey Christ he passes into the world.

"Notice the space dividing the world from the church. The nearer it comes to this line, representing death, the larger it becomes. This is to indicate the increasing difficulty of coming to Christ in old age."

Here the speaker called for a show of hands, and it was found that not one in the audience had become a Christian after fifty years of age. Only one between thirty and fifty; two between thirty and forty; and, by far the greater number became Christians under twenty years of age.

"Those who obey Christ," continued the speaker, "and remain faithful to the church pass thru the line, representing death, into paradise. The disobedient pass in to torment. On the morning of the resurrection, both, the good and evil, must stand before the judgement bar of God. To those who have been faithful, Christ will say 'come ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.' To the others, He will say, 'Depart from me ye cursed, into the eternal fire which is prepared for the devil and his angels. And these shall go away into eternal punishment; but the righteous into eternal life.'"

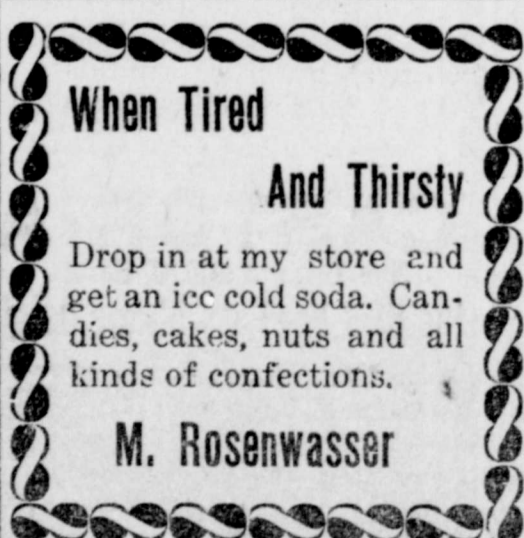
Tonight Mr. Marshall will preach on the "New Birth," and will endeavor to explain what it is and how we are 'born again.' This afternoon, Mr. Mullins will preach on "Christ The Perfect Revelation," and tomorrow afternoon on "How I May Know What Church I Should Join."

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METHODIST LADIES TO DINE BOOSTERS

With the announcement that over one hundred San Saba boosters would flock into Ballinger at high noon to spend over an hour in this city, the ladies of the Methodist church are today arranging for a dinner to be served at the City Hall Thursday.

The exact number of Boosters who will be served by the ladies of this church is not known today, today, but a telegram which will be received Wednesday morning will convey the message of the arrival of the Boosters and their number. The San Saba business men will arrive in the city on their special train over the Santa Fe from San Angelo at 11:43 o'clock in the morning. They will remain here until 12:55. Until 12 o'clock, the Boosters will be busy among the citizens of Ballinger, spreading literature and extending special invitations to Ballinger citizens to visit the Twelfth Annual San Saba Fair which will be held in that city in August.

Besides the San Saba excursionists, a number of local people will be served by the Methodist ladies at the City Hall. A special invitation has been extended to the business men of this city to join the Boosters of San Saba at lunch Thursday.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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ATTEND THE SPEAKING.

Among the number in the city Monday to attend the speaking we noticed: E. F. Edwards, Rev. Neal, Judson and Howard Baldwin, of Winters, John Alexander, of Miles, W. G. Cathey and C. P. Pruitt of Wingate, J. M. Greenhill, John Simmons of the Pony creek country, Sam Farmer of Miles, Dee Oliver of the Valley creek country, Mr. and Mrs. M. Roper of the Oak creek country and W. P. Hawkins and O. Dillingham, of Winters and quite a number of others whom we failed to meet.

Worms interfere with the growth of children. They become thin, pale and sickly. Get rid of these parasites at once if you would have healthy, happy, cheerful children. White's Cream Vermifuge destroys worms and benefits the whole system. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Scott Mangum, who had been traveling in the interest of his firm in the east the past several months, came in Sunday to spend a few weeks with Ballinger friends.

Just get a bottle of Hunt's Lightning Oil and apply it to the head. The aching is gone quickly, in some cases instantly. Seldom fails to give instant relief for Neuralgia. Fine for Rheumatism also. Sold by all druggists.

E. M. Bond, of the Wilmeth country, was among the number who attended the speaking in Ballinger Monday.

When the baby is suffering the double affliction of hot weather and bowel disorders, the remedy needed is McGee's Baby Elixir. It reduces the feverish condition corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Price 25c and 50c the bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Editor E. S. Kubela, of Rowena, was transacting business in Ballinger Monday.

Our Loaves Biggest and Best!

Kneading the Dough With Omar.

For I remember stopping down the row
To watch a baker thumping his wet dough,
And with its all obliterated tongue
It murmured, "Gently, brother, gently, slow!"

The dough for our bread is well thumped. We are merciless.

Our bread is made of richest and best materials and contains lots of shortening. The loaves are not blown like a bag of wind.

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PHONES 94 and 363.

Will Encourage New Enterprise For Ballinger

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to gin lots of cotton is to run day and night. Nearly all gins have a cotton house that will hold from 50 to 60 bales of seed cotton. If the farmer when he found a gin crowded, would store his seed cotton, and let it be ginned that night, he would not only save time for himself but would enable the gins to do twice the amount of work in the same time. Of the 117 bales that I had ginned last year, not a dozen were ginned off the wagon. I lost no time waiting and it helped the gin man. The point is simply this: If the farmer expects to get the best service from gins he must make the gins pay the men that run them, and he can do this by cooperating with them in every way he can.

I am not writing this because I want to get rid of a lot of hot air. But because I want to see a huller attachment put to a gin at Ballinger. I want to see it to this extent that I am willing to donate \$25.00 towards the enterprise if necessary.

J. J. POPE

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Sam Boyer, of the New Home community, was among the visitors in Ballinger Monday and says the crops in his neighborhood are the best the past five or six years.

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PROTRACTED MEETING

Perry Boswell, of the Jamison school community, was among the visitors in the city Monday to attend the Thomas speaking and requested us to announce that a protracted meeting would begin at Jamison, five miles east of Ballinger, on the first Saturday night in August, beginning the first of August to be conducted by Rev. J. V. Havenor, of that neighborhood and his sons of Comanche. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend the services.

STANDARD Mowers and rakes absolutely the best, save your hay crop. Hall Hardware Company. If

Mr. and Mrs. G. Goetz, of Rowena, were among the visitors in Ballinger Monday afternoon.

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