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## Germans Push Back Fresh British Troops And Begin Massing Their Forces for General Assault

### "War Between Democracy and Autocracy"

By United Press

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Winston Churchill, in an exclusive interview given the United Press London correspondent, Ed. L. Keen, today said the war was between democratic England and France and Prussian militarism and autocracy.

"The British democratic is engaged in a death grapple with the Prussian autocratic rule.

"It is our life or theirs.

"If Germany wins, it will be the victory of the blood and iron military school whose doctrines and principles will then have received supreme and terrible vindication.

"If we go down and are swept in ruin into the past, the United States is the next in line.

"England must go forward to the end."

## Kaiser Orders Part of Alsace Army Against the Czar

By United Press

ROME, Aug. 29.—Alarmed by the Russian invasion of Prussia and Galicia, which promises to be more serious than was first thought, Germany has withdrawn her army from Alsace and Austria withdrew a portion of her troops from Bosnia.

They will be rushed to help stop the Russian flood on the eastern frontier of Prussia and Austria.

The Russians are investing Königsburg, in Prussia.

Danzig, according to reports reaching here, is terror-stricken over the advance of the Russians.

## PRUSSIAN TOWN HAS FALLEN

By United Press

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 29.—Part of Königsburg is occupied today by the Russian expedition, according to an announcement made here. The German garrison is bottled up in the city, by the Russian army.

A formidable army of Russians has crossed the Vistula, it is stated, and is operating along the banks of the river.

## SEVERE DEFEAT DENIED

By United Press

LONDON, Aug. 29.—The German reports of administering severe defeats to Russians in Eastern Prussia were denied at the Russian embassy here.

## SAYS WAR WILL NOT LAST LONG

By United Press

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—J. Borden Harriman was among 1800 refugees who arrived in New York today on the White Star Liner Adriatic from the war zone.

In an interview it was the opinion of Mr. Harriman that the war in Europe would not last long.

One of the reasons for his opinion was the high cost of carrying on this great war. Harriman declared that the war was costing Germany \$25,000,000 every day and if it is to be continued much longer, the Fatherland would be bankrupt.

## Native Force from India to Allies' Aid

By United Press

LONDON, Aug. 29.—A picked expedition from the British India is reported to be nearing the continent to the aid of the allied forces against the Germany army.

By United Press

LONDON, Aug. 29.—The Germans are today massing their forces in an effort to renew the attempt to penetrate the lines of the allied army.

French troops which were sent to the front from the British lines were pushed back today by the Germans.

Cambrai was today occupied by the Germans according to an announcement made here.

The Germans are still trying to take over the French and Belgian coast, a number of towns along the front having been taken and attempts made to take others.

If the coast country is taken, this would cut the English communication with the British Isles across the English channel.

The Germans have failed so far in their efforts to take the larger

The British marines playing an important part in the holding back. At Ostend marines have assisted the Belgians considerably during the last three days in the attack of the German cavalry upon the coast city.

The Belgian army which has been stationed at Antwerp since it was driven from Brussels is moving against the Germans north of Brussels.

## 7,000 GERMANS KILLED

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Seven thousand Germans were killed near Nancy, the French foreign office cabled the embassy in this city today. The message confirmed the report that Longwy had surrendered to the Germans.

It also stated that the Russians were driving the Germans toward Königsburg.

## REPORT DENIED

By United Press

PERKIN, Aug. 29.—The governor of Kiau Chau to the German embassy here denied that the British sank a German destroyer. The Germans are confident that they can hold out indefinitely against Japan.

J. R. Harris and E. M. Burrow, of the Hatchel country, had business in Ballinger Friday.

Miss Walker, a returned missionary from China, who had been in our city a few days, left Friday at noon for Miles.

## ORDERS TO STOP BIG RUSSIANS

By United Press

BERLIN, Aug. 29.—Orders were today issued by the German government to check the Russian advance in Eastern Prussia, and Galicia.

The Austrians are to co-operate with the German army which will be sent immediately to the eastern frontier.

Details of the order were withheld but the War office stated that important movements are progressing. At the same time, it was declared that the "important movements" would put a new aspect on the situation.

## ITALY MAY BE FORCED

By United Press

ROME, Aug. 29.—A crisis is approaching in the affairs of the Italian government. Cabinet conferences have been held and something big is undoubtedly brewing.

It is reported here that the Austrians are mobilizing on the Italian frontier, and this has aroused the officials.

London, Aug. 29.—Official circles are today discussing reports that Italy will soon join the allies in the general European war.

## BELGIAN WOMEN GUILTY

By United Press

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—A letter written by a German soldier and published here today defends the German reprisals on the Belgians. He declared that the Belgian citizens, including the women were guilty of terrible crimes against the invaders.

## Nominations Confirmed in Senate

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—The senate today confirmed the nomination of President Wilson for the appointment of Attorney General McReynolds to the supreme court and Gregory of Austin, Texas, to the cabinet as attorney general.

J. Y. Pearce has just had the artistic touch of H. A. Nease and Maxey Phillips, the painters, on the front of his drug store building which adds very much to the appearance of the premises.

## Allies Still Hold Their Lines

By United Press

PARIS, Aug. 29.—The allies are holding the new lines established Thursday, according to an announcement made at the War Office here.

## GERMANS CROSS BORDER

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—The German cavalry patrol crossed the Switzerland border and were arrested and are now held by the authorities of the neutral power.

The legation here stated that all available men of Germany are under colors.

G. Schuhmann and Mrs. Walter Schuhmann of Rowena were among the visitors in Ballinger between trains Friday.

## KAISER WILHELM SINKS 3 SHIPS ENGLISH

By United Press

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Three British steamers were sunk by Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse before she herself was sunk by the British cruiser High Flyer off the African coast a few days ago, according to information received here today.

The crews of the merchantmen were landed on the Canaries Island.

## Five Corps East On Big March

By United Press

PARIS, Aug. 29.—Five corps of Austrians with heavy siege guns are approaching Belfort.

## PRUSSIA OVERRUN

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Eastern Prussia, is being rapidly over run by Russians, was the message conveyed in a cable from London to the British embassy.

The cable also confirmed the report of a naval victory for the English off the Heligoland.

The British war office in London today also announced that the Germans defeated the Russians near Allenstern.

The Prussian defense is being increased in strength and the forward movement of the Russians is being checked.

Roy Gilliam left Saturday at noon for Hatchel to get his auto which has been "mud bound" at that place for the past week.

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## BRITISH VICTORY WHEN 4 VESSELS GO DOWN

By United Press

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Another cruiser engagement is impending following a British victory off the Heligoland when the English vessels sank two German cruisers and two German destroyers.

Thirty German cruisers fled from the scene to avoid being sunk.

The British losses were not admitted at the war office.

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**CALLING TO US.**

In these days of wars and rumors of wars, when Europe is drenched with rivers of blood, and the shadow of the little brown man threatens the peace of our own continent, it is meet that we turn our thoughts at times to a house where nobler things are taught.

While the peoples of other nations are answering to the call of the God of War, let us consider the teachings of the Prince of Peace.

When the labors of the week are ended and the day of rest is at hand, let us spend an hour in the house of darkened windows, where sweet voices sing the praises of the meek and lowly Nazarine, who gave of his life's blood that we and others might be ennobled by the fruits of his sacrifice.

While the day of rest is being profaned by other nations of the earth—while shot and shell are leveling the maimed and the dead and dying on the crimson field of carnage—let us of America give heed to the wisdom of the black robed men of God, whose teachings proclaim peace on earth and good will to men.

While the Omnipotent One is bowed with grief that His children in other climes should be as the beasts of the jungle—reading, tearing, destroying—let us look in to our own hearts, that we may avoid the pitfalls that are engulfing our brothers across the seas.

Let us journey to the house of God on Sunday and there join with the minister in his supplication to the King of Kings for the restoration of peace and a return to the ways of righteousness and sanity.

And let us emulate the wise example of the talented ruler of our own nation, who, stricken with his private grief, yet implores his people to refrain from comment or action which might tend to create racial strife or jeopardize our own position as people at peace with the world.

The house of God calls us in this hour of gloom.

Let us go.

If your child is pale and sickly, picks at the nose, starts in the sleep and grinds the teeth while sleeping, it is a sure sign of worms. A remedy for these parasites will be found in White's Cream Vermifuge. It not only clears out the worms but it restores health and cheerfulness. Price 25¢ per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

**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  
Burmur'd, "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.

Let us end your bread problem. You can phone.

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PHONES 94 and 363.

**COST OF FILLING SILOS**

Mr. Norman has kindly furnished the Herald with an itemized cost bill of filling his silo. It is neither the largest nor the smallest in size and so is a fair test of cost on all sizes. He hired practically all the work done and so will give the entire cost. It took four days to fill. He used boys in packing, and all the hands were fed in the camp by Mr. Norman. He had a cook and each man furnished his own bedding. Mr. Norman furnished the balance. The cost for the filling of the silo, 262-ton, was \$181.05, a little less than 70¢ per ton. Here is the itemized statement:

Groceries	\$27.50
Labor	59.50
Cutting and Binding	30.00
Teams for Hauling	40.00
Twine	11.00
Gasoline	8.00
Lubricating Oil	1.25
Lace Leather	.75
Extra Blow Pipe	.75
Grinding Machine	1.50
Extras to Binder	.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$181.05</b>

—Paint Rock Herald

**How the Trouble Starts.**

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. Z. T. Griggs and children of the Valley Creek country, who had been visiting relatives at Florence, the past few weeks, passed thru Ballinger Saturday at noon en route home.

**WAGONS! WAGONS!**

The old reliable, PETER SCHUTTLER, and STUDEBAKER Wagons. Always the best, now the cheapest, at HALL HARDWARE COMPANY. dwt

Ed O'Kelly and mother returned home Saturday at noon from Ft. Worth where Mrs. O'Kelly had been visiting relatives for some time past.

For SORE or WEAK EYES, use Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water. Don't hurt. Feels Good. d6-1-14-6m

Bob McGregor of the Ballinger Dry Goods Co., returned home Friday at noon from the Eastern markets where he had been for the past few weeks to buy fall and winter goods for his firm.

Sam Jones, the San Angelo druggist, passed through Ballinger Friday at noon en route home from a business trip to Abilene.

Miss Baker, who had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bruce the past few days, left Friday at noon for San Angelo to visit friends a few days before going home.

Sallow complexion comes from medicine that gives results in such cases is Herbine. It is a fine liver stimulant and bowel regulator. Price 50¢. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

County Surveyor J. E. Powell returned home Thursday afternoon from Paint Rock where he had been doing some surveying the past few days.

**WHAT \$10 DID FOR THIS WOMAN**

**The Price She Paid for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Which Brought Good Health.**

Danville, Va.—"I have only spent ten dollars on your medicine and I feel so much better than I did when the doctor was treating me. I don't suffer any bearing down pains at all now and I sleep well. I cannot say enough for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills as they have done so much for me. I am enjoying good health now and owe it all to your remedies. I take pleasure in telling my friends and neighbors about them."—Mrs. MATTIE HALEY, 501 Colquhoun Street, Danville, Va.

No woman suffering from any form of female troubles should lose hope until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Attorney Morgan F. Vining, of Austin, clerk of the Supreme Court, who had been visiting his grandfather, Col. Morgan and family and his aunt Mrs. Jno. A. Weeks and family the past few days returned home Thursday afternoon.

**Simmon's Liver Purifier.**

The mild and pleasant liver medicine is Simmon's Liver Purifier. Its actions is thorough, but pleasant. Does not gripe or sicken like other medicines. Sold in 25¢ boxes by your druggist.

The Concho Herald reports the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm B. Wardlow on August 25th. Mr. and Mrs. Wardlow are now living near the post office of Concho on the Concho river.

**MISS MAX CHASTAIN, Teacher of Piano.**

Studio in High School Building. d19tpd

Ed Eubanks, the cotton buyer, returned home Saturday at noon from South Texas where he had been buying cotton the past few weeks.

Mrs. J. B. Applewhite of Mullin came in Saturday at noon on a visit to her son Jack Applewhite and wife and her sister, Mrs. G. W. Newman and family for a week or two.

**ROWENA WANTS HUNDREDS OF HANDS**

We notice in The Daily Ledger that people are coming to Ballinger by the scores daily, wanting to help gather the big crop in Rannels county. If a few scores would come to Rowena daily they would find plenty of employment. Come to Rowena, there is work for several hundred here.—Rowena Review.

**PAINT PUT ON.**

Think of paint put-on and not by the gallon. A gallon of paint in the can is of no account to anybody. Put it on. Now reckon its cost and value.

The secret is: one paint goes twice as far as another. A good one goes twice as far as a bad one. You have a job, say an average job. It'll take 10 gallons Devoe and 12 or 15 or 18 or 20 of middling poor very-poor and trash. You know painter's wages in your town. Put the price of a gallon of paint and the painter's day-wage together. You can we can't.

Devoe costs less than any inferior paint; there are hundreds of them. One paint is as good as another so long as it lasts good: one lasts months and another years; and the one that goes farthest lasts longest. DEVOE. Ballinger Lumber Co. Sells it.

**WITH THE CHURCHES.**

**First Baptist Church.**  
Regular services will be held at this church tomorrow. Sunday school will be held at 9:45, preaching at 11 o'clock. Regular evening services at 8:30 o'clock. REV. T. C. JESTER, Pastor.

**Ninth Street Baptist Church**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning theme: "The Abundance of Rain."  
Evening theme: "The Value of Life."  
Everybody invited to attend. W. BION ADKINS, Pastor.

**Nazarene Church.**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. A cordial invitation to all. E. W. WELLS, Pastor.

**Church of Christ.**  
Corner Strong Avenue and 5th St. Bible studies Sunday at 9:30 a. m. lesson covering the 6th chapter Acts.  
Communion service 10:45 a. m. Singing Saturday night 8:15. Everybody is cordially invited to attend each service.

**PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD**

If you suffer from bleeding, itching blind or protruding, Piles send me your address and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption treatment and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial with references from your own locality if requested. Immediate relief and permanent cure assured. Send no money, but tell others of this offer. Write today to Mrs. M. Summers, Box P, Notre Dame, Ind.

**VAUDEVILLE MONDAY ALSO MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY WHITE CITY**

The bill on for the White City Monday night contains in addition to the regular three reels of regular program, two companies of vaudeville, and "The Million Dollar Mystery." Never has such a show been put on in Ballinger. Comedy, Drama, Singing and Dancing, Slack Wire Performers and Acrobatic Stunts are among the list of attractions to be shown there. Come with the crowd.

W. E. Thorp, of Rockdale, who had been looking after business affairs in our city, left for the east Friday morning.

R. A. Nicholson returned home Friday at noon from South Texas points where he had been buying cotton the past several weeks.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought  
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When you write out your personal check on the Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co., a record is made in your own hand writing that is dispute-proof. It is always more business like to pay by check.

**Ballinger State Bank & Trust Company**

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**WILL SUPERINTEND ROWENA GIN**

Joe Ostertag of Ballinger came in Tuesday and informs us that he will be here for about five months, having made arrangements to superintend Ballinger Cotton Oil Company's cotton gin the gin business and expects to do this place.  
Mr. Ostertag is experienced in have the big gin in readiness by the middle of September. A pipe line will be laid from the gin to the railroad track and oil will be brought by the carloads from Ballinger for the steam power engine.  
If the weather is favorable and the pickers can be gotten we expect the three big gins to be kept busy for several months.—Rowena Review.

**ANSWER THE CALL**

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A cold, a strain, a sudden wrench. A little cause may hurt the kidneys. Spells of backache often follow. Or some irregularity of the urine. A splendid remedy for such attacks. A medicine that has satisfied thousands. Is Doan's Kidney Pills, a special kidney remedy. Many Ballinger people rely on it.

Mrs. J. C. Orange, 505 Thirteenth St., Ballinger, Texas, says: "I was troubled by my back for some back the next day. The kid-lame that I could hardly walk. This would go away after I moved about for awhile, but was sure to come back the next day. The kidney secretions were disordered and caused annoyance. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, as I had seen them highly advertised and after using half of them, the lameness left. I am glad to tell others how much I was benefited."

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

Mrs. Hughes, of Oklahoma, came in Thursday night on a visit to her uncle J. A. DeMerville and family a few weeks.

J. K. P. Yeary, of San Angelo, who had been visiting his daughter Mrs. A. K. Doss and family the past week, returned home Saturday at noon.

J. W. Sandlin left Saturday at noon for Water Valley on a short business trip.

W. E. Bartlett of Santa Anna, had business in Ballinger between trains Friday.

M. B. Wardlow of Concho county, was greeting friends and looking after business affairs in the city Friday.

Louis Strubie of the Olin-Rowena country, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday afternoon.

**NOTICE TO MUSIC PUPILS.**

My fall term of Piano Instruction will begin September 1st. Prospective pupils are urged to begin on or before this date so they can be classified and well started before schools opens. Studio 205 Ninth St., after Sept. 12th Ballinger High School. OLGA H. SCHAWA. 2td.

E. E. Woodson of the Ideal Barber Shop, left Thursday afternoon for Fort Worth to be at the bedside of his sister who is seriously ill at that place.

Jennings Show Co., will open an engagement in Ballinger, Monday night, August 31st. The company consists of 25 people, band and orchestra, and play under a large tent theatre. One of the largest and best dramatic companies on the road. Their plays are standard dramas, clean, moral and refined. This is an old company in new territory and will appreciate a good reception Monday night. Prices 15 and 25 cents 26-1w3td

Mrs. J. R. VeVay and two children, of Eden, who had been visiting friends the past week or two, in Ballinger, returned home Friday.

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**Bank Barber Shop**

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**When Tired And Thirsty**

Drop in at my store and get an ice cold soda. Candies, cakes, nuts and all kinds of confections.

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**Electric Irons**

**\$3.50**

Always ready for service and are best at all season of the year. Can be attached to any light socket, no extra heat and no smut. They seldom need repairs but when they do we will repair them free of charge when sent to our office.

The cost of the Iron is only \$3.50 and the cost of the current to use them is not much.  
Phone 15 for one today.

**The Ballinger Cotton Oil Co.**

**MANY A SQUARE MEAL IS SPOILED IN THE MAKING.**

Inferior flour, poor potatoes, any kind of foodstuffs that are a little "off" may spoil an otherwise perfect repast. Some grocers make it a point of honor to never sell an article that is "off." They build up a reputation from which they are inseparable. It is an invaluable asset in business.

**We Are Of That Class**

You know it. Others ought to, for their own sakes.

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**Big Crops Demand More Room.**

Figure with us for building material to enlarge and improve your home or your barn. There is a difference in lumber as well as in price. Come to our yard and let us show you.

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WILL JACKSON, Proprietor.

Will deliver milk to any part of the city  
Good Milk, Good Service, Prompt Deliveries.  
A Share of Your Patronage Solicited.

**Will Jackson**  
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**LEACH AUTO WORKS**  
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**H. Giesecke, Ballinger, Texas.**

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That's our pure food number. We have complied with the Pure Food Law, have paid our fee and have our certificate. Our cream, our cold drinks and our confectionary is conducted strictly on the most sanitary basis. Drink with us, hear our music and cool under our fans.

**E. F. ELDER & SON**

**A Question That is Burning Its Way into the Minds of Our People**

E. W. Kirkpatrick, president of the Texas Industrial Congress, with a lifetime's experience in farming, made the following sensible explanation of the good roads proposition, as it concerns the farmer, in an address before the Midsummer Session of the Texas Good Roads Association at Galveston last week:

"The value of improved roads depend upon strict compliance with the law of economy. Dense population or heavy traffic, only will justify expensive roads. The most valuable road for average travel is that which gives efficient permanent service at lowest possible cost. Sand-clay roads, when properly constructed and saturated with petroleum or petroleum by-products, often give better service and are more valuable to the farmer than are the expensive systems of roadmaking.

The benefits of improved roads are numerous and extensive. The element of time enters into the cause of all failure and disappointment. Improved roads give us choice of time and enable us to save time which otherwise would be lost. With good roads we can choose most advantageous times for marketing or other travel. We can choose weather unsuited for farm work, wet or dry, light or dark. We shorten time by greater speed, fewer teams, wagons, and harness are needed; and this lessens expense of maintaining. Smaller capital is used, interest, insurance, and other expenses are reduced. The value received by farmers from good roads is also reflected in the increased value given to his farm. This increase is value often amounts to more than the total cost of the road.

Dismissing consideration of all these economic values to farmers, which arise from improved roads, there is another class of benefits

and advantages accruing to farmers and to all other classes of population which should appeal to us more strongly than the economic class of benefits: the educational, professional, ethical and social interests are very materially influenced by the condition of the common roads. The efficiency of rural schools is dependent upon good roads. With good roads several inferior schools are concentrated into one superior school at reduced expense. Churches, fraternities and other organizations are affected similarly. Indeed nearly all schools could, by aid of large motor vans, be concentrated in village or town where classification and increased efficiency could be had at reduced cost. Frequent urgent professional service of physician, surgeon, officer or minister, the value of which is often beyond measure, depends largely upon conditions of roads.

The farmer situated five or ten miles from city or town, who has the advantage of improved roads, of motor vehicles, together with telephone and free rural delivery, can enjoy nearly all the advantages of city life; and in addition, many special privilege and luxuries denied to those living in the city. In the presence of these conditions, country life will be so attractive and desirable that it will draw to it the best quality of citizens from the city and from immigration also. And it is this quality of citizens that gives value to property, and brings happiness, contentment, and prosperity to a community.

It is not too much to say: A general system of improved roads, together with modern methods of communication, transportation, and education; then, the world would live in peace and wars would be no more.

**ESTES M. LYNN BUYS WALTER ALEXANDER HOME**

Estes M. Lynn, with the San Angelo National Bank, has purchased the Walter Alexander residence, 819 South David street, in Park Heights. The building is a five room bungalow, and Mr. Lynn moved into his new home from Baker Flats Thursday.—San Angelo Standard.

**Costly Treatment**

"I was troubled with constipation and indigestion and spent hundreds of dollars for medicine and treatment," writes C. H. Hines, of Whitlow, Ark. I went to a St. Louis hospital, also to a hospital in New Orleans, but no cure was effected. On returning home I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets, and worked right along. I used them for some time and am now all right." Sold by all dealers.

**LOOK BOYS,** I want to sell my bicycle. It is nearly new and I will sell it cheap. Albert Sledge.

J. H. Eagleston left Friday afternoon for Hillsboro, where he will visit relatives and attend school the coming school year.

W. A. Taylor, J. W. Black and H. M. Linseeum, of South Ballinger, left Friday afternoon for points east, where each of the gentlemen have shipped out a car load of the famous watermelons.

**Headache Gone.**

Rub a little Hunt's Lightning Oil on and the pain is gone almost instantly. For neuralgia and rheumatism it seldom fails to give instant relief. Don't suffer pain when this splendid remedy can be purchased at your drug store.

G. C. Mulkey left Friday afternoon for Texarkana, where he goes to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, who died at that place Friday morning.

**Good Reason for His Enthusiasm**  
When a man has suffered for several days with colic, diarrhoea or other form of bowel complaint and then is cured sound and well by one or two doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy, as is often the case, it is but natural that he should be enthusiastic in his praise of the remedy, and especially is this the case of severe attack when life is threatened. Try it when in need of such a remedy. It never fails. Sold by all dealers.

**SMITH IN GOOD SHAPE**

R. W. Smith of Brownwood, who brought out a bunch of hands a week ago to assist in gathering the crops on his Valley Creek farm, left Friday afternoon for home. Mr. Smith had his large farms mostly in feed stuff and oats this year and is not worrying much over the prospects of a cotton market. He has already stored five or six thousand bushels of oats in bins and has saved a big part of his maize and feterita. He has only fifty acres in cotton on his farms.

You never heard of a \$10,000 man doing \$1000 work and you can't expect to get the designing and cutting of high-class artists in clothes that sell for "\$15-no-more-no-less." W. H. Roark, exclusive dealer for Ed. V. Price & Co., has proved this to all his correct dressers. See him for reliable and dependable tailoring.

Mrs. Wm. Mendlovitz, of Seguin, Texas, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rosenwasser, the past week, returned home Friday afternoon.

Will Hambricht, of the Norton country, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Friday.

**\$100 REWARD. \$100**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. Cheney & Co. Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams returned home Saturday at noon. Mr. Williams had been buying fall and winter goods in the eastern markets the past several weeks.

**TO OUR FARMER FRIENDS:**

Anticipating the great need of this country for farm labor, especially cotton pickers, we placed an ad in The Dallas News and Houston Chronicle and we are receiving good results.

If you want cotton pickers or farm hands write, phone or come and tell us just which you desire, and whether you want single men or families. If families, how about house, wood and water. State plainly what you have and what you want.

We offer our services absolutely free, both to the farmer and the laborer, our only desire is to be helpful.

Very truly yours,

**FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK**

"FATHERS AND MOTHERS BANK"

"THE BANK THAT HELPS YOU DO THINGS"

Miss Lizzie Bigham of Millersville, who was recently operated upon at the Halley & Love sanitarium, was able to leave for her home Saturday at noon.

Miss Scott of Lancaster, who had been visiting her sister at San Angelo, came in Friday afternoon to visit her sister Mrs. L. B. Harris and family a few weeks.

**A. AND M. WILL HAVE SPLENDID EXHIBIT**  
Latest Answers Obtainable on Different Farm Topics.

Dallas—When a farmer visits the 1914 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 17, Nov. 1, he should go to that fount of good, practical information, the exhibit booth of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, where he will find the latest answers obtainable on different farm topics.

If a problem presents itself in the way of plant disease he can ascertain the proper ways of treatment. He will also find samples of adulterated seeds and how to guard against them.

The work of the students of the college will be illustrated in all its various details. Photographs of the experimental work in progress will be shown. The proper methods of keeping dairy records will be exhibited, and there will be charts showing the relative value and cost of different rations, the qualities to be sought in building up a good dairy herd, the comparative value of milk with other foods, and the milk and butter fat production of some of the college cows.

Results of investigational work in experimental agronomy, such as the yielding power of different varieties of corn and oats and diversified farm, will be of unusual interest.

The right and wrong methods of pruning, grafting, the proper method of training young trees and vines, these all will be shown.

It is the most important exhibit ever assembled by the college for the State Fair.

**MILK TESTING CONTEST.**

Students of A. and M. College Will Show Expertness at Coming Fair.

Dallas—When the students of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas gather at the 1914 State Fair of Texas, which begins Saturday, October 17, there is going to be some real milk testing demonstrations and students' judging contests. Already a good-natured rivalry is in evidence, and although the cash premiums are not so large, the honor of winning first is what really appeals to those who will take part.

Milk will be tested for added water, added skim milk preservatives, and butter will be tested for moisture, salts and the presence of other fats than butter fats. Cash prizes totalling \$70 will be awarded in the judging contests which will consist of judging two classes of dairy products.

Rev. W. G. Green of Fort Worth came in Saturday at noon to look after business interests and visit friends.

The four little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coulter left Saturday at noon to visit relatives at San Angelo a few days.

In every home where there is a baby there should also be a bottle of McGee's Baby Elixir. It may be needed at any time to correct sour stomach, wind colic, diarrhoea or summer complaint. It is a wholesome remedy, contains no opium, morphine or injurious drug of any kind. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

S. D. Williams and J. O. Phelps of Hatchel were transacting business in Ballinger Saturday.

Sam and Dock Harter of the Wilmeth country, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Saturday.

Mr. Morris and daughter, of Bartlett, who had been the guests of their relatives, Mrs. A. S. Love and family, left for their home Friday afternoon.

Constipation is the starting point for many serious diseases. To be healthy keep the bowels active and regular. Herbine will remove all accumulations in the bowels—they are torpid. The fault lies with the liver and bilious impurities in the blood and remove all accumulations in the bowels and put the system in prime condition. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Mrs. Jesse Stroble and two children returned home Thursday night from Dublin where they had been visiting her parents the past week or two.

Mrs. Arah Holman of San Angelo, came in Friday afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Geo. Vaughn and family a few days.

**W. R. BUSHONG**

THE FREIGHT MAN

Always on the Dot at the Right Time

Nothing too Heavy

Nothing too Small

Phone City Drug Store for Orders

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MY—  
REGISTERED JERSEY BULL IS LOCATED AT THE UNION WAGON YARD IN BALLINGER. FEE \$2.50 CASH WITH COW. RETURN PRIVILEGE FREE. PHONE 235.

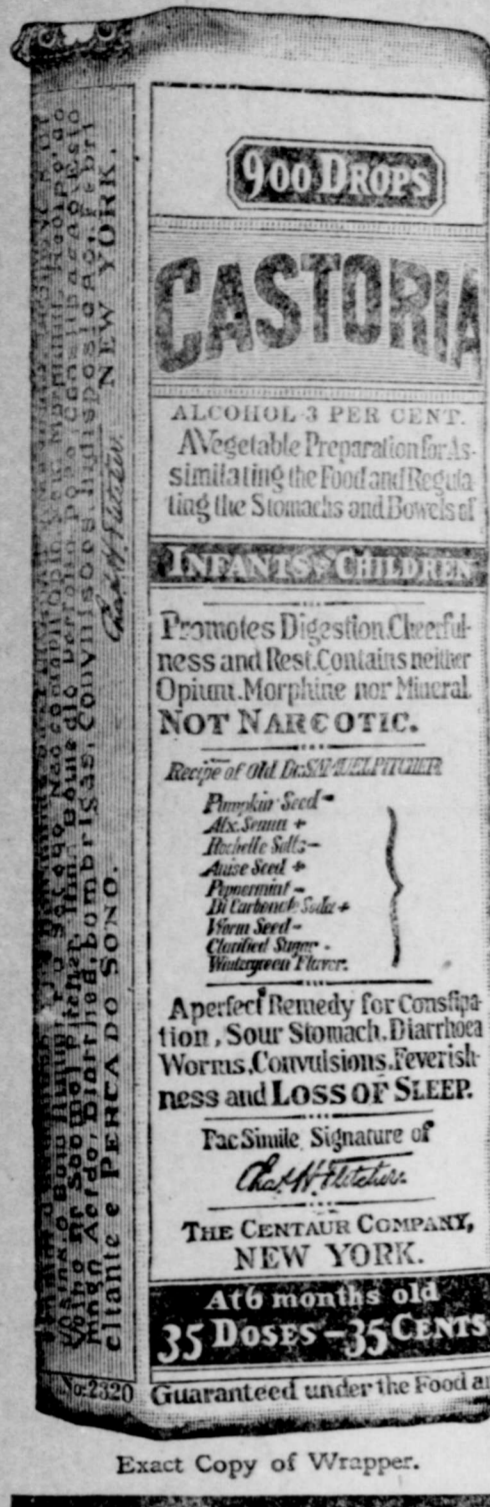
**M. C. BRADEN**

**IT IS EXPENSIVE TO KEEP A COW IN TOWN**

To say nothing of the work and worry. Try the more satisfactory way and let us supply you. Phone your orders for pure Ice Cream to 301.

**SILVER MOON DAIRY**

R. F. GREEN, Proprietor.



**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *J. C. Ayer & Co.* In Use For Over Thirty Years **CASTORIA**

**MASSACRES ARE TOLD OF IN CHINA**

By United Press.—SHANGHAI, Aug. 29.—Conditions of disorder in interior China such as did not characterize even in the revolutionary period preceding the Manchu overthrow two and a half years ago were reported today by freighters who arrived here from Hankow and other up-country points.

Throughout Honan, Hupeh, Shansi, Szechuan and Anhwei provinces, they said brigandage is rampant on such a scale that cities even of 200,000 and 300,000 population are unsafe from attack. Scores of smaller towns have been perpetrated and loot worth millions have been carried off.

Bodies of troops aggregating 20,000 or 25,000 in number are in the field against the outlaws and there have been dozens of skirmishes and a few tolerably respectable battles, in which the bandits have held their own as often as they have been beaten. No quarter is shown on either side, the victors invariably beheading their prisoners and in some cases torturing before killing them.

Opponents of the President Yuan Shi Kai's government are said unquestionably to be encouraging the bandits' activity, to be supplying quantities of arms and ammunition and to be doing their utmost to weld the numerous bands into a single force for another revolution.

In Southern China revolutionary agents are busy in the vicinity of Canton and Piracy on the West River has reached such proportions that even foreign shipping is endangered.

"I was attacked with dysentery about July 15th, and had used the doctor's medicine and other remedies with no relief, only getting worse all the time. I was unable to do anything and my weight dropped from 145 to 125 pounds. I suffered for about two months when I was advised to use Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I used two bottles of it and it gave me permanent relief," writes B. W. Hill, of Snow Hill, N. C. For sale by all dealers.

Jesse Stacy of Stacy, Texas, came in Thursday to visit his sister, Mrs. C. A. Dooze and family a few weeks.

**Skin disease Cured.**  
Sold under the positive guarantee to refund the money, Hunt's Cure has become the standard remedy for skin diseases. You run no risk in giving it a trial, because it is guaranteed. Ask your druggist.

Miss Vera Nicholson returned home Saturday morning from a week's visit to her aunt, Mrs. Willie Stevens and family of Miles.

**WAGONS! WAGONS!**  
The old reliable, PETER SCHUTTLE, and STUDEBAKER Wagons. Always the best, now the cheapest, at HALL HARDWARE COMPANY. dwtf

R. A. Williamson left Saturday morning for Santa Anna to attend the District Sunday School Convention.

**A CONFESSION**

Hopes Her Statement, Made Public, will Help Other Women.

Hines, Ala.—"I must confess," says Mrs. Edna Mae Reid, of this place, "that Cardui, the woman's tonic, has done me a great deal of good."

Before I commenced using Cardui, I would spit up everything I ate. I had a tired, sleepy feeling all the time, and was irregular. I could hardly drag around, and would have severe headaches continuously.

Since taking Cardui, I have entirely quit spitting up what I eat. Everything seems to digest all right, and I have gained 10 pounds in weight."

If you are a victim of any of the numerous ills so common to your sex, it is wrong to suffer.

For half a century, Cardui has been relieving just such ills, as is proven by the thousands of letters, similar to the above, which pour into our office, year by year. Cardui is successful because it is composed of ingredients which act specifically on the womanly constitution, and helps build the weakened organs back to health and strength.

Cardui has helped others, and will help you, too. Get a bottle today. You won't regret it. Your druggist sells it.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper. No. 12.

**CITIZEN SENDS MEXICAN NEWS**

Through the courtesy of Capt. N. F. Bonsall, who is visiting his daughter at Nogales, Arizona, we are in receipt of The Arizona Daily Star, which gives an account of the fall of Nogales.

Nogales is located on the Arizona-Mexico border, and the Mexican side of the city has been the scene of considerable disturbance throughout the Mexican revolutions. The paper just received details the account of the taking of the town by the rebels. There was no resistance on the part of the federals, but as the story goes it shows that peace is not sublime in Mexico, and there still remains a dissatisfied faction that must be reckoned with.

The story as given by the Nogales papers, reads:

Yesterday at one o'clock Maytorena entered the town in the midst of a heavy downpour of rain. No music heralded his coming, no blare of trumpets sounded the triumphant entry. He found the town awaiting his coming peacefully as though an armed foe had never deserted its precincts. The procession was headed by Governor Maytorena, himself on horseback, and was about a mile in length. There were over two thousand men, consisting of 100 cavalry, 1600 infantry, and two machine gun platoons and one artillery platoon.

They came in so silently that the guests at the Escobosa hotel were not aware of the presence of armed men until a considerable portion of the procession had passed. The streets were paraded and the men then marched to the quarters. Curious crowds gathered on the line to gaze on the Yaqui soldiers who mingled freely with the throng. At three o'clock the band began playing and the assemblage cheered. In the meantime guards were ferreting out undersirables and arresting them. Before night over fifty were placed in jail. Some escaped across the line. Record time was made by several in getting over before the victors entered. The troops are commanded by Colonels Acosta, Nmballaja, Mendoza and Garcia.

Most of the Yaquis wear straw hats with wide read bands on which is printed in large letters: "Viva El Gral. Villa." Every man was loaded down with belts of cartridges and some carried small bombs that can be fired from the Mauser rifles. It was a good natured crowd and Americans who mingled with them were treated courteously. It is expected that the refugees who are on the American side will be permitted to return, though they have not done so yet.

Word comes from Cananea that Colonel Gomez captured the town Saturday evening with eight hundred men. Colonel Gomez is one of Calles' officers. All Maytorenistas were expelled and the town government reorganized by placing Calles men in the places made vacant.

A few days ago it was reported that General Alvarado had been executed at Hermosillo. The report was not true, but he is continued in the jail there with many of his staff.

There are many rumors of what is going to take place, many of them without foundation of truth. One reports says that Villa will come to Sonora and take charge; another is that both Villa and Obregon will come here and attempt to settle the trouble between the two factions. One fact stands out patent to all. Two well armed hostile factions are very close together near the American border and present conditions are that there is going to be a fight.

If you sit in a cool draft when you are heated and get stiff neck or lame back, you will be looking for something that will ease the pain. Fix your mind on Ballard's Snow Liniment and don't be talked out of it, because it is the best pain relieving liniment you can get anywhere. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

**WAGONS! WAGONS!**  
The old reliable, PETER SCHUTTLE, and STUDEBAKER Wagons. Always the best, now the cheapest, at HALL HARDWARE COMPANY. dwtf

J. B. Nance of Comanche, who had been visiting his son, W. A. Nance, the past week or two, returned home Friday afternoon.

**NOTICE**

We have purchased for the FREE use and benefit of all and more especially the farmers, a **SCIENTIFIC COTTON GRADER** containing the 9 grades of cotton as established by Act of Congress. Learn to grade your cotton. We also have Cotton Pickers Records for farmers. Don't fail to ask for one.

...THE...  
**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
Member of Federal Reserve System.

**EX-KING URGING PORTUGAL TO JOIN ALLIES**

By United Press.—LISBON, Aug. 29.—An appeal from ex-King Manuel was printed today in this city in one of the leading newspapers, urging Portugal to join the allies.

**Stop That Rheumatism.**  
Get a bottle of Hunt's Lightning Oil. This is the remedy that everyone is talking about because it stops the pain so quickly. For neuralgia and headaches there is nothing better. Ask your druggist.

Jennings Show Co., will open an engagement in Ballinger, Monday night, August 31st. The company consists of 25 people, band and orchestra, and play under a large tent theatre. One of the

largest and best dramatic companies on the road. Their plays are standard dramas, clean, moral and refined. This is an old company in new territory and will appreciate a good reception Monday night. Prices 15 and 25 cents 26-1w3td

**CITY MEAT MARKET**  
We always handle the very best meats of all kinds that the market affords, and your orders promptly attended to at all hours. We will buy your stock and hides from you at top prices, when you have anything to sell. We guarantee first-class meats and we handle the same in a sanitary way. Your orders appreciated. City Meat Market, Telephone 185 STANLEY CAMERON, Prop dwtf

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**FOR SALE**  
**Sudan Grass Seed**  
Raised at Lubbock, Texas.  
I guarantee my seed to be absolutely pure and free from Johnson grass. Sudan Grass is a drouth resisting plant, makes from four to six tons of hay per year. See me in Ballinger at J. D. Perkins, residence. Special terms to farmers and wholesale men.  
:: F. F. PERKINS. ::

*What Name Tailor?*  
We want to be and should be for we can sell you more tailoring in a suit made especially for you by **Ed. V. Price & Co., World's Greatest Tailors** than anyone else in the business. If you allow us we can prove this statement. Your suit if made by us will be made by the World's most skilled needle masters and will be absolutely faultless.  
We also want to do your cleaning and pressing. We can do anything you want. We are experienced in this department and if your clothes need pressing we guarantee to make the crease hold longer than any artificial means of pressing, such as steam presses etc. If you are from Missouri let us show you. Let us clean your beaver hats, kid gloves, white dresses, skirts, coat suits, furs, feathers or anything you want in this department. We are prepared and in business in order to help you keep up appearances and our services "Elite." Try us and be convinced of our superior work. We don't run a sweat shop or dive. We are up-to-date and cater to those who know and appreciate good work and to the highest class. Don't experiment but telephone us your clothing trouble, perhaps we can be of assistance.  
**W. H. ROARK, The Tailor "Nuf Sed"**

**FIRE AT NORTON BURNS HOME**

J. R. Holloway was the loser and Norton was the scene of another fire early Saturday morning. It is the second loss sustained by Mr. Holloway within less than a year, his gin at Norton having been destroyed by fire last winter.

The Chastain Insurance Agency received a phone message Saturday morning, notifying them of the fire, and the message stated that the house and most of the contents were destroyed.

The fire occurred about five o'clock Saturday morning while the family were eating breakfast, and originated in the kitchen. It is supposed that the fire was either caused from an oil lamp or an oil stove, as we understand that both were burning in the kitchen when the family took their seats at the table. The entire kitchen was aflame when the fire was discovered, and the flames spread so rapidly the family had little time to save anything from the burning.

Mr. Holloway carried \$800.00

**CHICHESTER'S PILLS**  
THE DIAMOND BRAND.  
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Blue and Gold Metallic Boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Day of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

**WHITE CITY**

Vaudeville Monday, August 31st.

See the "MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY" Monday Night, August 31.

Admission 10c Reserved Seat 20c

insurance on his house and \$500.00 on the contents, but this does not near cover the loss sustained. The insurance was with the Chastain agency at Ballinger, and in the same company that had insurance on the gin that burned last winter.

**A TEXAS WONDER**  
The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two month's treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Texas testimonials with each bottle. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists. 312d

Mrs. E. H. Voelkel and little daughter, of Rowena, came in Saturday morning to visit relatives and Ballinger friends a day or so.

FOR RENT—7 room Residence on 7th Street, close in. Apply to J. M. Martin, phone 169. pd

**GREAT LIVESTOCK DISPLAY ASSURED**

Big Preparations Being Made 1914 State Fair of Texas.

**RICHEST OF PREMIUMS.**

Management Declares That no Farm Industry in the Southwest Warrants More Encouragement.

Dallas.—One of the big features of the 1914 State Fair of Texas, Saturday, October 17, to Sunday, November 1, is to be the livestock display. Never has there been such promise of unusual success. Firm in the belief that there is no other farm industry in the Southwest than the raising and raising of livestock, the management of the State Fair has arranged for a distribution of more than \$20,000 in prizes in this division. Splendid showings of beef and dairy cattle, swine, sheep, goats, horses—saddle and combination animals, roasters, coach and draft-jacks, jennets and mules are auspiciously promising.

Specials are offered this year by the Texas Saddle Horse Breeders' association, the American Saddle Horse Breeders' association and the Percheron Society of America in the horse division. The American Hereford Breeders' association contributes more than \$1000 in cash specials in the beef classes. The American Jersey Cattle club contributes more than \$200 for Jerseys. In the swine division specials are contributed by the American Berkshire association, the American Hampshire Swine Record association, the American Tamworth Swine Record association, the National Duroc Jersey Swine Breeders' association, the Standard Poland-China Record association, the Chester White Record association and the Armstrong Packing company of Dallas.

All saddle horses and roasters will be judged in front of the race track grand stand instead of in the livestock pavilion, as in previous years.

Young men of Texas, under twenty-five years of age, will judge cattle, swine and horses at the 1914 State Fair of Texas, Dallas, for a purse of \$100. The money is equally divided in each class.