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BALLINGER, TEXAS, MONDAY, JULY 2,

Troops Called to Quell Race Riot in St. Louis

In Powerful Russian

ST. LOUIS, July 2.—Six hundred guardsmen have been ordered to East St. Louis, from Springfield, Mo., at once to stop a race riot in that part of the city. Detective Sergeant is dead and five men wounded as a result of the rioting. Fifty negroes were placed in jail this morning, but it is feared that the local officers can not cope with the situation and the guardsmen are being rushed here on a special train to prevent further bloodshed. The rioting is a renewal of the labor troubles created here by importing large number of negroes.

DRAFTING MACHINERY IN MOTION

WASHINGTON, July 2.—President Wilson issued proclamation today creating the draft machinery under the selective draft bill. Regulating governing exemptions by classes have been set, and passed up to the exemption board and the work of drafting the half million men to make up the first draft will begin at an early date. The details are rapidly being worked out and will be made public.

MONARCHISTS OUST CHINESE PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The state department is in receipt of information today from China to the effect that the Chinese monarchists have completely dislodged President Liyuan Hung.
Music—City Drug Store. 2-dtf
Mrs. J. D. Norwood and children returned Sunday from a visit to relatives at Santa Anna.
Miss Nancy Phelps went to Goldthwaite Saturday on a visit.

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A. & M. BOARD HAS NOTHING TO SAY

"I am like the boy the calf ran over," said Judge Jno. I. Guion, president of the board of regents of the A. & M. College, "and I have nothing to say," when he was called on for a statement concerning the work of building the new A. & M. College.
The provisions of the law creating the West Texas A. & M. College makes it the duty of the board of regents of the Bryan A. & M. to take charge of the work when the site for the college shall have been determined, and to have charge of the construction, equipping and opening of the new school, and the new school will be under their control on the same basis as the present A. & M. College Station.

This being the case it was expected that Judge Guion as chairman of the board, would have something to say concerning the plans of the board, but he stated that the board could take no steps towards carrying out the work, and that they had nothing to say until the locating commission had made its report to the board of regents and the matter of carrying out the law by building the college and making it ready for use was passed up to them.

Judge Guion did say that he called on the secretary of state while in Austin Saturday to secure a copy of the offer made by Abilene that he might know what demands would be made upon that city, but the secretary of state informed him that the secretary of the locating commission had not filed the commission's report. It is expected that the secretary of the locating commission will file his report with the secretary of state within a few days and Judge Guion will then call his board together, and unless stopped by court proceedings it is expected that the work of building the new college will soon be under way.

The latest reports concerning the squabble over the location of the college indicates that the town of Snyder will institute court proceedings in an effort to have the college again balloted on. Davis, Fuller and Hobby persist in the

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HOUSTON, Tex., July 2.—Contrary to the general impression which has gained credence throughout the State, voluntary enlistment in the National Guard of Texas and in the Regular Army will be accepted after June 30th. In some manner the erroneous report has gone out over the State that no volunteers would be accepted in any branch of the service after June 30th, and that after that date the regular army and national guard would be filled by selective draft. To correct this impression a statement was issued Saturday by Brig. Gen. John A. Hulen's headquarters. The statement says: "The erroneous impression that volunteers would not be accepted after June 30th, may prevent many, who otherwise would volunteer their services to the state and nation, from coming forward."
"Volunteers in the national guard of Texas, regular army and other branches of the service will continue to be accepted. There has never been any intention of restricting the number of volunteers. The President's call for volunteers is as effective today as it was

statement that neither of the voted for Abilene, and just he that city secured three votes is a question that confronts the public. Secretary Thomason, of the commission is just as positive that there were three tickets in the hat for Abilene, and Gov. Ferguson is also as positive in his statement that Abilene was chosen fairly and says that he will not recall the commission and that the college will be located at Abilene.

Sweetwater To Help Contest
Sweetwater, Tex., July 1.—A mass meeting of West Texas towns has been called at Sweetwater for Thursday to consider the recent action of the locating committee of the West Texas College, at which time a definite future program will be arranged. Thomas F. Hodge of Sweetwater said Sunday.
Fifteen West Texas towns have already joined in the call and others will be communicated with.

We Have A Few Foreigners.
Washington, July 2.—Figures issued by the War Department show there are 1,239,179 aliens and 11,923 alien enemies in the United States. In Texas there are 28,029 aliens and 1834 alien enemies.

JAPS WORKING FOR BONE-DRY AMERICA

By Ralph H. Turner.
TOKIO, June 10 (By Mail).—Several millions of Japanese whose livelihood depends directly or indirectly, on the tea industry are today rooting for a "Bone-dry America."
The connection between the tea fields of Nippon and the brass rail of the United States isn't as vague as it appears, for George F. Mitchell, supervising tea examiner of the U. S. Treasury Department, who is in the Orient inspecting the tea industry, has made the statement that the big boom in America's tea consumption may be due to the spread of the prohibition wave.
In 1916, according to Mitchell, America drank 109,500,000 pounds of tea and is consuming more of the beverage every day. Tea from Japan is the most popular in America. Forty-two and two-tenths per cent of the tea America drinks comes from this country and Formosa. And over one pound of tea is drunk per capita in the United States, says Mitchell.

Miss Elizabeth Alexander is at home from a visit to Belton and Moody, where she had been since closing her school.

on you have this paper, please say it tomorrow. Business will be suspended on July Fourth, and the makers of The Ledger will be given an opportunity to enjoy the time in any way they chose. We claim the right to celebrate on Christmas Day and July Fourth.

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SUNDAY GREAT DAY FOR CHRISTIAN LEAGUE

Sunday morning July 1st, the Young Men's Christian League, met at the Eighth Street Presbyterian church at 5:45 with about twenty-five men present and two young ladies. There they had a great service led by Bryan D. Beck. Bro. Morgan, pastor of the First Baptist church, was present and expressed his appreciation for the rare opportunity of getting to attend a Sunrise Prayer Meeting. Every one went away feeling better for having attended. Immediately after the prayer meeting Messrs. A. B. Lankford, Pat Williams, Samuel C. Harris, Walter Singletary, Bryan D. Beck, Sid Caskey, Levi Starkey and E. F. Edill, left Ballinger for Eola, in Green county, to assist the Angelo Gospel Team and the Grape Creek team in a service at that place. The league arrived at Eola about 10:30 a. m. and joined in the singing and prayer services before the baskets were spread. One of the best old fashioned dinner-all-day-on-the-ground was spread that any one ever saw, and my, my, how that Sid Caskey, Pat Williams and Walter Singletary did eat. The people called them the hungry trio. About 3:00 o'clock the teams all met at the church house and began the service there being about thirty in the team from San Angelo and eight from Grape Creek and eight from Ballinger. The meeting lasted from three until five and there was no preaching but quite a lot of testifying. When the invitation to accept Christ as a personal Saviour was given men and women, boys and girls began to come down the aisle. Several of the older people got happy and just had a shout and when the meeting came to a close there were twenty-five people, several of whom were others as many as forty years old, lined up and confessed that they had accepted Christ as Saviour. Women that went there and sinners accepted Christ and men went and did personal work and brought others in to the fold with them.

Everybody went away better for having been there and the inspiration of the league was unobtainable high. The people of Eola gave us a warm invitation to come any time we wanted to and to bring the rest of the team with us. We will have another Sunrise Prayer Meeting some of these times and go out to some other place to hold services, and if you want a spiritual blessing come and join in.

A CHRISTIAN LEAGUE.

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 Children's diseases demand preparedness. When the child wakes you at night, gasping and strangling for breath, how thankful you are to have Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey at hand. This effective remedy loosens the mucous and permits free and natural breathing. Its soothing balsams heal the irritated membrane and arrests further inflammation. Pleasant to take. Keep Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey in the house for all colds and bronchial troubles. At your druggist, 25c.

MILES TEACHER DIES AT SAN ANGELO.

Miss Jeanette Slaughter of Miles, sister of Mrs. H. G. Wendland of 134 North Oakes street, died Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock in a local sanitarium, following an operation on last Sunday for appendicitis. She would have been 20 years old on Monday, July 2nd. The deceased was a school teacher at Miles, where she had resided for ten years. With her mother, she came to San Angelo ten days ago to spend the summer with Mrs. Wendland, her sister. Shortly afterward she was seized with illness. The body will be taken to Fullerton, Kentucky, announces the Chas. A. Robinson Undertaking Co. A sister is expected to arrive today and it is not likely that the funeral party will leave before Monday evening. — San Angelo Standard.

G. W. Odom left Saturday afternoon for Cress.

Trolley Car Goes in River; 11 Killed

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 of about twenty miles an hour when it struck the weak spot in the road bed. Less than half a

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minute elapsed from the time the motorman felt the first parring sway until the car was bottom side up on the edge of the rushing rapids. As it slipped down the twenty-foot incline from the tracks to the edge of the river, screaming men and women fought to escape. Some of them freed themselves, but were unable to obtain a footing on the steep bank. There was a mad scramble in the shallow water between the wrecked car and the river bank. From the river side the bodies of at least two of the passengers were seen to be caught in the swifter waters and were carried down to the whirlpool.

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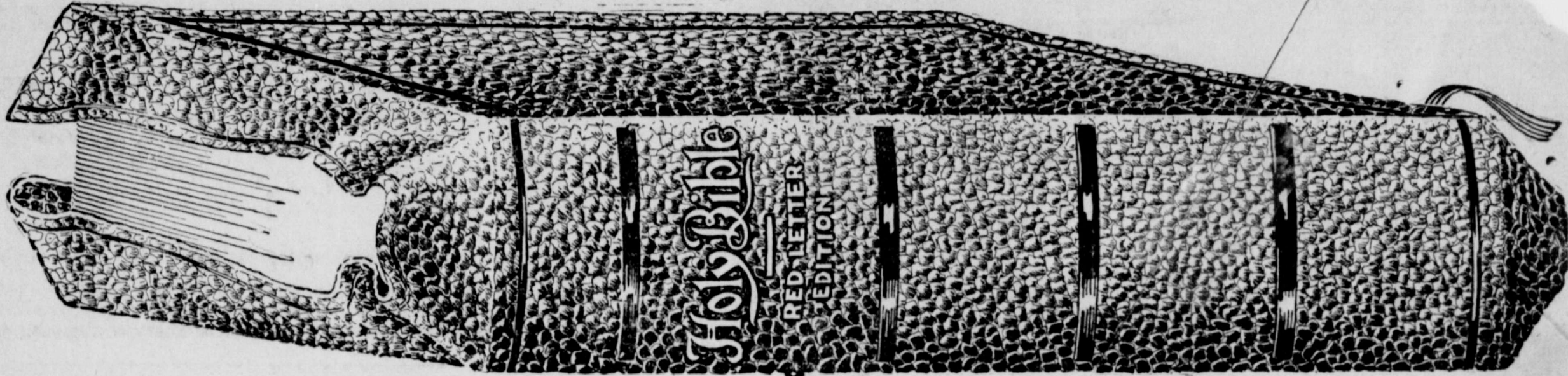
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in the savage wilderness may have his Shakespeare, his Scott, his Dickens or Burns—but first of all he will have his bible! The sailor on the boundless barely know his letters, but somewhere in his kit you will find a bible—perhaps with tear-stained inscriptions written with the trembling hands of his mother—next to God his best and truest friend! Seek any habitation of men in his lands remote and distant—search the rude cabin of the settler—find a bible—thumbed—worn—ragged, maybe,—but loved and revered as the chief treasure of the little family in the clearing!

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2 FUNERALS AT NORTON SUNDAY

Death claimed the wife and mother in two homes at Norton Sunday and the citizens of that community gathered at the Norton cemetery Sunday afternoon to assist in performing the sad rites of laying two of their loved ones and friends away.

About ten o'clock Saturday night Mrs. G. W. Caswell died. She was at breakfast with the other members of the family Saturday morning and became ill sometime during the day her death being sudden. Her remains were interred in the Norton cemetery at five o'clock Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Caswell had been living with her husband in the Norton country for many years and the good family have the sympathy of a host of friends.

After a long illness Mrs. J. D. Miller died at her home at Norton Sunday morning at seven o'clock death being caused by cancer. At six o'clock Sunday evening the remains were laid to rest in the Norton cemetery. Deceased had been living in Norton for many years her husband being engaged in business at that place. She leaves many friends to mourn her loss.

Mrs. Miller was an aunt of Mrs. H. O. Rhodes of Ballinger and Mrs. Rhodes, accompanied by Mr. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Freeman, of Rowena; Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Love Mrs. W. B. Ray and Mrs. Forest Futch attended the funeral.

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A chill after bathing, cooling off suddenly after exercise and drafts, give the cold germs a foothold that may lead to something worse. Safety requires early treatment. Keep Dr. King's New Discovery on hand. This pleasant balsam remedy allays inflammation, soothes the cough and repairs the tissues. Better be safe than sorry. Break up the cold with Dr. King's New Discovery before it is too late. At your druggist. 50c, \$1.00.

MORE RECRUITS LEAVE BALLINGER

Four more men were accepted from Ballinger for service in Uncle Sam's army last week, and one was rejected. Recruiting officer for the navy spent Saturday here and after giving Greg Rogers and Leroy Sisson a preliminary examination sent them to Dallas for further examination.

Noel and Clinton Penn and Willard Wooden returned from Dallas Sunday where they went to offer their services. Noel failed to get by on account of some physical defect, but the other two boys were accepted, and sent home to wait further orders. It is expected that they will be called into training about the first of August. Clint Penn was signed up for service in the quartermaster's department of the First Texas Field Artillery and Wooden will be with Battery C of the First Texas Field Artillery.

The recruiting stations are still open and it is expected that others from here will enlist before the date of conscription.

Sloan's Liniment for Rheumatism

The pain goes so quickly away if you apply Sloan's Liniment for rheumatic pains, neuralgia, toothache, lumbago, sprains, and its so easy to use. It quickly penetrates and soothes without rubbing and is far cleaner and more effective than mussy plasters or ointments.

Keep a bottle in the house and get prompt relief not only from all nerve-pains but from bruises, strains, sprains, over-exercise and all external aches. At your druggist, 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

Music—Afflebach Restaurant, 29-dtf

UNCLE SAM CALLS FOR EXPERIENCED MEN.

In the call for volunteers opportunities are offered to men of experience to serve their country at a salary that is in many instances above what the men are earning today. The government needs men of experience to help carry on the work of maintaining his big army, and putting through plans for winning the war. There is a cry for engineers, plumbers, stenographers, bookkeepers, cooks, bakers, telegraph operators, carpenters, painters, printers, electricians and a score of other lines of work in which men are wanted. Men who volunteer and accept places in the various departments will be exempt from draft and will probably never see the line of battle. While they are in the service of the government they get all living expenses paid, and the salary which in many cases ranges from fifty to one hundred dollars per month, is clear profit, or can be made so by the man who will save his money. Volunteers who are not experienced in any trade will of course have to accept service in the regular army, and will be the men on the firing line in the battle. Men who wait to be drafted will have no choice in selecting a place, but will be assigned to any duty the army officials see fit to give them. But it is expected that the men will be put on the work for which they are best fitted.

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The latest reports from Houston state that Mrs. Holt Smith continues to improve. There is hope now that she will recover to a point where she can be brought back to her home within the near future.

Geo. G. Shaw, Grand Chancellor of the K. of P. Lodge of Texas, spent Sunday here the guest of members of the local lodge. Mr. Shaw makes his home in Kaufman, but spends most of the time visiting the K. of P. Lodges of Texas.

Going Good.

Few medicines have met with more favor or accomplished more good than Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. John F. Jantzen, Delmeny, Sask., says of it, "I have used Chamberlain's colic or diarrhoea during the summer and in my family, and can recommend it as being an exceptionally fine preparation."

Music—Afflebach Restaurant, 29-dtf

P. B. Ray left Saturday afternoon for Lampasas.

T. S. Lankford returned Saturday from a business trip to cities in the East. He is not grumbling about dry weather here after visiting in other drouth-stricken states. This country compares favorably with what is generally termed the best spots in Texas, and where drouths seldom come.

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Mrs. C. C. Schuehard and daughter, Mrs. Tipton left Saturday afternoon for Menard. Mrs. Tipton had been here with her mother since returning from Fort Worth where Mr. Tipton is in a sanitarium for treatment. We regret to report that Mr. Tipton is not improving from a serious illness.

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The state highway department has announced that no steps will be taken to enforce the new law governing the displaying of the new numbers on cars and the control of headlights, to July 15th.

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R. G. Erwin, representing Mrs. Noyes, handed in a check for fifty dollars Monday morning, this representing a contribution to the Red Cross Society from Mr. Noyes.

Mr. Noyes left Ballinger for a tour of the North a few days before the Red Cross campaign was launched in Ballinger, but when he learned that Ballinger was taking part in the great work of sending aid to the suffering soldiers he responded with fifty dollars.

The question has been asked, "Has the Red Cross campaign closed?" Let us say that the Red Cross campaign will never close.

The Red Cross not only does a great work in time of war, but works for suffering humanity in time of peace.

Miles Sends \$131.75

Miles sends in report of the work at that place together with a remittance of \$131.75. This runs the total cash and pledges for Rummels county up to \$3,733.40.

Are You One of Them?

There are a great many people who would be very much benefited by taking Chamberlain's Tablets for a weak or disordered stomach.

HETRICK WILL TAKE VACATION.

Charles Hetrick, the station agent at the Santa Fe depot will leave Tuesday on his vacation.

Mrs. P. J. Caudle, after a visit for several days, returned to her home in Santa Anna Saturday.

JUST A DAB under the wings and around the waist and you'll rid the hen of those body lice that suck away your profits. Conkey's LICE FIX

CREWS PEOPLE TO GET GOOD ROADS

"My road outfit will begin work on the Crews road at the mouth of Johnson lane about the middle of July," said Commissioner Kirk Monday.

Work on the Wingate road is progressing nicely, and the men and machinery will be transferred to the Crews road as soon as the highway to Wingate is completed.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

Evidence in Felix Jones Murder Case

Continued from Page One. ed with the killing of Frank J. Battle. Battle was a witness in another murder case and had turned state's evidence, according to reports, just before he was slain.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh.

Rev. R. M. Hamcock returned to his home in Brownwood Monday morning, after being in Ballinger over Sunday.

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Mrs. Addie H. and Ben Hentner returned to their home in Talpa Saturday.

BUSINESS HOUSES CLOSE ON FOURTH

With few exceptions, the business houses of Ballinger have agreed to observe the National Holiday July Fourth, and have given notice that they will remain closed for the day.

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instead, was trying to drive her out of the office by his short answers. He visited the offices of the company shortly after the murder and was introduced to every member and employe of the firm, but declared none of them was the man she saw in the office.

Jones Claims Alibi. El Paso, June 30.—When Florence Brown was murdered in a real estate office in Dallas on July 28, 1913, I was with my family at Abilene, Texas. This I can prove, not only by members of my family but by at least 100 prominent citizens of Abilene.

Little John I. Guion, Jr., left Saturday for Coleman on a visit.

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Adam Huise is no more. Death relieved him of his suffering, and removed from this county an object of charity and care of the commissioners' court.

assistance of sympathizing friends and by begging. Later he was placed on the regular pauper list of the county and drew so much per month, and during the time he hobbled about the streets, presenting an object of pity.

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