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GERMAN SOCIALIST PREDICTS REVOLUTION

By Henry Wood First 192 WITH THE FENCH ARMIES, July 6 (By Mail)-German prisoners, belonging to the Socialist partyfi and who have been recently captured in the fighting on the French front, declare the socialists of Germany are merely continuing the war for the purpose of making certain a revolution in Germany afterwards.

One of these socialists who was taken prisoner in the capture of the famous "Dragon's cave" underlying "Lady's road" near Hurtebise on June 25, had just come to the front from the airplane factories at Berlin where he had been for some time previously employed. He stated he was a member of the Socialist Demo-cratic party. When asked to state his objects of the war, he gave the novel reply:

"Each belligerent should pay its own costs involved by the war, Belgium included. Alsace and Lorraine should be returned to France."

"But who are you then making war?" was the next surprised

"Merely to make revolution certain afterwards," was the prompt reply.

The prisoner said he was a subscriber to the "Vorwaarts," the German socialists' newspaper, but that he had not received it for some past, as the military authorities no longer allowed it to be delivered to the soldiers, especially at the front.

FIRST MAN DRAFTED COMMITS SUICIDE

Savannah, Ga., July 29.—After receiving a summons to appear before the draft exemption board at Greensboro, Ala., James B. Nabors, aged 29, traveling salesman, shot and killed himself in his hotel room here last night. His number was 258, the first drawn in the war lottery.

ANOTHER SURPRISE WED. DING.

Miss fla Garlington and Olin Furgason were married Sunday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stephens re-Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Garlington. turned home Saturday, at noon The announcement came as a sur- from an overland trip to Austin prise to the many friends of the and other places in that section of popular young couple. A full ac- the state. They report a very count of the wedding will appear pleasant trip and some rough in a later issue of this paper.

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BALLINGER, TEXAS July 30th, 1917.

WE BELIEVE IN CONSERVATION DON'T YOU?

It has been costing us about fifty dollars per month to feed our two delivery horses, and this is entirely too much, so we have ordered a motor driven truck which will be here by the first of August, this we believe will very much reduce our delivery expense.

It is our desire to give the very best delivery service possible, so we have outlined the following plan which we think will not only reduce the expense still further but at the same time meet the approval of all our customers.

It seems to us that the most exacting customer could hardly expect the deliveryman to come to her door more than four times each day, so our delivery truck is going to make the rounds of the city four times each day, as follows:

He will leave our store promptly at 8:00 o'clock and 10:00 o'clock in the morning, and at 2:00 o'clock and 4:00 o'clock each afternoon, so all orders that are in before eight in the morning will be delivered before ten o'clock, all orders in by ten o'clock will be delivered by twelve o'clock, all orders before two in the afternoon will be delivered by four o'clock and all orders before four will be delivered before six o'clock and all orders after four in the afternoon will be delivered before ten the next morning.

We believe this will give you better service and at the same time reduce the expense considerbly, which as you know finally is paid by the consumer.

This is going to be an experiment on our part and we ask all of our customers to help us make it a success.

Yours for better service at less cost.

VAN PELT, KIRK & MACK.

STRIKE NOW

CHICAGO, July 30.-After a two days tie up of freight traffic in this city the switchmen's strike was settled this morning and the strikers have returned to work. The officials of the various railroads are co-operating in the work of moving freight and cleairng up the congestion caused by the

TRAINLOAD CATTLE SHIPPED OUT MONDAY

Paramore & Maddox shipped 200 head of cows and calves to Ft. Worth Monday.

Mrs. Isaac Vancil shipped thirty head of steers to the Fort Worth market Monday.

Wilmeth & Farris shipped 41 head of mixed cattle to Fort Worth Monday.

E. L. Rasbury shipped four cars of cattle to Fort Worth.

With good rains within the next few days moving cattle to market from this section will be discontinued until there is a better market and fatter cattle.

GOOD SHOWERS FALLING NEARBY

Refreshing showers of rain fell in Ballinger shortly afternoon Monday and the country east and south of Ballinger secured good showers. While the weather forecast predicts fair weather, it is threatening rain, and the optinism for a general down pour prevails among the people.

The rainfall in Ballinger up to four o'clock amounted to one-half inch and it was raining hard at this time The telephone company reported that the rain had not extended far from Ballinger in any direction up to this time A report from Winters said it had not rained at that place, and the rain had extended only a short dis-

Negro Troops Cause of

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special session of the legislature so the various matters involved in the existing contraversy might be legally considered and acted upon by the legislature. The governor's call would eliminate the possibility of any action without authority and would settle the question as to whether Speaker Fuller was acting within the scope of his authority

Gov. Ferguson to issue a call for a

Speaker Fuller is here and held conferences with a number of representatives who have arrived in Austin. It was practically assured today that there would be more than a quorom present at the opening of the special session Wednesday, and it is believed that in case impeachment charges are prefered against the governor the

senate will convene without delay. No further arrest were made up to noon today, and the rumor that other state officials had been

SUNDAY MORNING TRAGEDY AT MULLIN

friend at Mullin. According to the trouble that followed three the informatiin given to Mr. Savoy over the phone Waddie Chief of Police McNamara stat-

The cause of the trouble was hand today. not detailed to Mr. Savoy over the phone. Thompson has been REVIVAL CLOSES AT WILin the grocery business at Mullin or some time, while Little was farmer of the country. Thomp-

ger returned home Sunday.

Mrs. S. J. Carpenter and Miss

WACO, July 30 .- A race riot was narrowly averted here last night and there was disorder thruout the night caused by twentyfive negro troopers of the 24th United States Infantry. The trouble started when Will Jones, a A. W. Savoy, who lives ten negro trooper, said he was looking niles South of the city, received ing for trouble. The negros' rephone message Sunday at noon marks cost him a badly bruised informing him of the killing of a head from a policeman's club. In

Specia Thompson shot Martin Little four ed that he expected no further times early Sunday morning, and trouble, as the army officials and policemen have the matter well in

The revival meeting at Wilson was a traveling salesman for meth conducted by Rev. Cornelius wholesale grocery house prior and Rev. Frazier closed Wedneso engaging in the grocery busi- day night. There were sixty-six ss at Mullin. He frequently additions to the church during the visited Ballinger and is known meeting, which exactly doubled ere by the grocermen of the city. the membership. Thirty-nine of them were received by baptism. Miss Ethel Halley, of Lometa, Rev. Cornelius and Fraizer began who had been visiting in Ballin a meeting at Wingate Sunday night, and will continue for the next two weeks.

Georgie Singletary left Monday! Mrs. Giswold of Bryan returnafternoon for Lampasas, where ed home Sunday, after being in they will attend the Baptist en- Ballinger for a short while. She campment for the next ten days. will probably move here soon.

Race Riot At Waco, Texas

WILL ASK GOVERNOR TO CALL SPECIAL SESSION

AUSTIN, Tex., July 30.—W. W. Fly, of Gonzales, stated today that an effort would be made to get

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Mail Orders

ublication, 711 Huntchings allinger, Texas.

August weather and state polities will be in perfect harmony at ley, now with the National Agri-Austin for a few days.

Runnels County good roads en has symptoms.

Foster, the weather prognosticator, has forecasted a wet August, but we are at a loss to know whether he had Runnels County in mind or not.

Mayor Bratton of Brownwood has issued a proclamation prohibiting the use of water supplied by that city for irrigating lawns, gardens, trees, hedges, and washing vehicles. No reason is given in the mayor's proclamation for discontinuing the use of the water for such purposes, however, if there is a shortage Ballinger stands ready to supply the water.

A Coleman consumer is cutting up because he only got eight good eggs out of two dozen he pur chased. At that ratio he got his money's worth, for eggs are entirely too cheap. Chicken feed costs five cents per pound, and we challenge any poultry raiser to show the profit from feeding at this price and selling eggs at fif-

Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Now is the time to buy a bottle of this remedy so as to be prepared in ease that any one of your family should have an attack of colis or diarrhoea during the summer months. It is worth a hundred times its cost when needed.

Mrs. A. K. E. Dewett and Misses Effie and Goldie Dewett of Winters are visiting in Ballinger for a few days.

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CORDELL STUDIO

THE DAILY LEDGER PREDICTS HIGH PRICE NERV FOR PEACE COTTON

In recent newspaper article on the question of cotton production and consumption, Clarence Ouscultural Department, says: "The world's visible supply of cotton on July 7, according to the Financial thusiasm is spreading. Tom Green Chronicle, was 3,174,657 bales. and Taylor counties have caught That is but little more than two the spirit, and Coleman county months' supply for the spinners of the world under a normal consumption of 18,000,000 to 22,000,-

> "While the German U-boat may prolong the war for another two years, the record of sinkings in this morning's paper for the week just ended shows destruction no more substantial than the first week of the period of ruthless war stored me to health and I want to thank fare last March.

> "If American genius does not fail, if British tenacity does not break, the Germans can do little worse than they have done already -and if American genius should meet our expectations and American soldiers vindicate our traditions on the battlefield this war may end before another cotton corp can be grown. In that case the present supply, including the erop now to be harvestel, will fall far short of the insistent demands of the world, for the moment that peace is declared the Central will have a three years' hunger to experience near the Bakirk camp

omic calculation can reach precise sidered the price of cotton is no said that Robert had climbed up a meeting. more phenomenal than the price tree, and in the climbing had stir- President R. E. L. Knight has also of wheat or steel."

Cause of Despondency.

and move the bowels.

WILL MAKE FIRST DRAFT CALL TUESDAY.

The exemption board has receivlay checking the registration you are away in the service. ands and arranging them in order drawn. It is expected that a date Store. for passing on exemptions will be set by temorrow and the official was in Ballinger between trains gram which has been arranged for the list of the first numbers to be call. Monday. ed will be published. 338 men will e called from which to select the 169, and after this list has been ex-! shopping in Ballinger Monday. hausted others will be called. As exemption board The Ledger will gelo who had been visited with the attendance at the State publish the official and complete list of 1636 names for this coun-

SMITH FLYER GREAT CAR.

An auto for every pocketbook seems to be almost possible. Higginbotham Brothers Company were exhibiting a Smith Flyer on the streets Monday and offering to sell the new ear for \$145. The ear is built on the buckboard style and is operated by a motor wheel attachment which pushes the car at the rate of from four to twenty miles per hour, traveling a distance of from eighty to ninety priles on a gallon of gasoline. The ear is handy for delivery purposes on light hauls.

Mrs. Mary L. Shields returned Monday from Missouri, where she had been visiting her children.

Misses Margaret Hart and Marie Dodd of Abilene were in Ballinger a few hours Monday, returning in the afternoon.

Mrs. A. P. Bateman went to through Ballinger Monday going Miles Monday on a visit.

Symptoms of More Serious Sickness.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache

nervous spells and the blues. My chiland romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not

want anyone to talk you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies." -Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Sage Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of

BALLINGER BOY BEE TREED

Robert, the young son of Mr. Powers will be in the market and and Mrs. R. P. Kirk, had quite an on the Concho Sunday. The young "I stop short of saying that man, in company with Gordon ablets strengthen the digestion American without the sting of a the features of the fair.

• announced the purchase of a Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lankford and entrance to the biulding will be rebuilt notor delivery truck, and expect children returned Monday from a to make the front much more attracto have same in operation by the trip to Ozona, Fort Stockton and tive and the interior will be rearfirst of August. The high cost of other places in that section of the ranged and improved, giving wider . feed is responsible for the change. state. Mr. Lankford says that the aisles and other conveniences, lack of . this firm announcing that the cost Runnels county country is a real which has heretofore proved somewhat . is greater than the profit in Paradise when compared with the of a handicap. . maintaining a horse drawn de- Fort Stockton country. He reports . livery. At the same time the Van that the brush in that country are this year in the county exhibits and · Pelt, Kirk & Mack store announce dying and rabbits starving to correspondence on file in the secrees that they expect to improve death. It is so dry that it will re- tary's office indicates that a greater heir delivery service by making quire a year of wet weather to get number of counties will exhibit than

U. S. Soldier Boys.

ed the master list of numbers will be greatly prized by your frawn for draft and are busy to- mother, sister or sweetheart, while BARTLETT STUDIO

Mrs. Louis Strakes of Rowena thusiastic about the amusement pro-

New American Soldier Arrives.

A new American soldier arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mattheisen in the Olfin country Monday morning. The mother is getting along nicely and the father will be able to come to town in a few days.

Mrs. T. W. Murray and Mrs Springfield of Winters passed through Ballinger Monday on their way home from Brownwood.

Mrs. Holshouser and son, H. E. Holshouser, of Winters, returned home Monday.

The Ballinger Printing Co., can supply your wedding announcements as cheap as any house in Texas, engraved or printed.

W. A. Bigby and wife and children are visiting John Bigby and family near Ballinger.

Mrs. A. C. Happer of Winters, who had been visiting her father here, returned home Monday.

If you have any printing why not let the home company do the work-we will appreciate the order. The Ballinger Printing

TO OBSERVE SAFETY FIRST DAY AT FAIR

Mothers' Congress Day Designated --- President Knight Expects Full Attendance.

Recognizing the importance of the cotton ought to go higher, though Thomson, the little son of Mr. and safety first movement, the State Fair shall not be surprised in the Mrs. H. H. Thomson, strolled off of Texas has designated Monday, Oct. least if it should go higher, nor from camp to do a little explor- 15, as safety first day at the 1917 exshall I be surprised if it should ing. They were gone for some position and special observance of the decline sharply because there are time when Gordon returned alone. day will be arranged. The annual so many subtle influences affect- When asked where Robert was, meeting of the Texas Safety First oring any commodity that no econ- he stated that Robert "couldn't ganization will be held in Dallas Oct. come now." When pressed for 15 and 16 and it is expected that a figures. The point I am making is an explanation as to why Robert large number of the members of this that all the circumstances con- could not return to camp, Gordon organization will be on hand for the

red up a bee hive below and the announced that Friday, Oct. 19, will the swarming bees had him cut off be set aside as Mothers' Congress day from escape. The father of the at the 1917 fair. In conference with Despondency is often caused by boy went to his rescue and by officers of the congress, President ndigestion and constipation, and handling the situation strictly a- Knight was told that there would be a quickly disappears when Cham- long "diplomatic" lines he sue- large attendance and that the meeting erlain's Tablets are taken. These ceeded in rescuing the young of the congress would be made one of

Secretary W. H. Stratton announced that plans have been completed for PUTS ON MOTOR DELIVERY. SAYS THIS COUNTRY PARA- remodeling the dairy barns where the dairy cattle are exhibited and where

Interest in County Exhibits. ever before. Bountiful crops througha start of vegetation. Livestock out practically every section of the have been shipped out of the coun- State have given almost every county wonderful products to display and large numbers of counties are taking advantage of these opportunities. This, coupled with the fact that free A late photograph of yourself exhibit space is offered in a comlated building, will undoubtedly make the county exhibit of great value, ac-cording to Secretary Stratton. One section of West Texas has signed corresponding with the numbers Across street from Weeks Drug up for more than twenty counties and

21-tfd 1tw others are expected to enter. President Knight is particularly en-

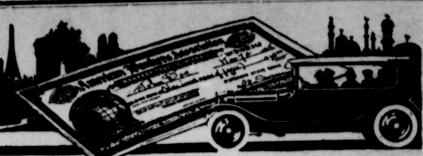
"We are looking forward to entertaining between 1,250,000 and 1,500,-Mrs. C. A. Pape of Miles was 000 people at the 1917 fair," President Knight said, "and we want to be prepared to satisfy perfectly all of these Fair was a little over a million. With the bountiful crops of the present season and these crops of the present sea-son and these crops bringing higher prices than was ever before known, there is going to be a period of great prosperity throughout Texas. The people are going to have more money than ever before and they are going to have a good time on part of the surplus. This means, to my mind, that they are going to flock to the State Fair in numbers such as have never before been dreamed of and that attendance records of the past will be smashed to smithereens.

> Any thing from a wedding invitation to a visiting eard can be handled by us. The Ballinger Printing Co.

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turned Monday from Winters, have good roads. If Runnels coun favor of good roads any and all where they had been visiting.

ROAD BUILDERS GET GOOD LESSON HERE aid in any way to secure them."

Aur. - Rosa

(San Angelo Standard)

nels county is building roads.

ly benefits every person in a coun-R. P. Greenway and wife re- ty, and for that reason we should machinery, and am sorry business terferes with germination.

Mrs. E. Hatheway went to with up-to-date machinery, they made the present the property of the present Miles Monday to visit her sister. have evidently struck the key note. If it takes Tom Green coun-E. J. Kendrick of Alpine was in ty one week to construct a mile Ballinger a short while Monday. | of similar road at a cost of \$65

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D. M. Baker, Treasurer C. R. Crews, Secretary.

the comparison offers food for MAKE READY FOR thought. I am heartily in favor MAKE READY FOR of good roads and am ready to

County Commission J. T. Mathison: Runnels county certainly has some good road machinery. It costs Tom Green county about \$65 One of the results of the visit to construct a mile of road and re- supply of vegetables, even if you to Runnels county and witnessing quires about one week to do the have not had a garden so far this the demonstration of road con- work. The work is done in Run- year. structing machinery Wednesday nels county for less than one-third. There is among amateur gard-

tion of the Runnels county road tion of the soil that delays or inty e. build one mile of road per the time. If we can secure these day at a cost of not more than \$20 under the present I ethods, by all means let us have the up-to-date machinery. All roads lead to San good or better."

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Miss Mary Coulson returned t her home in Coleman Monday, affor a few days.

FALL GARDEN NOW

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does the work, and does it very ged after every rain. You may during the summer and early fall. Store. always put me down as an advo- One of the chief reasons why sumsatisfactory. West Texas needs, and a bigger and must have good roads if she is to prosper. Good roads are an District Judge Dubois: "I did sections of the country, we usual. Brownwood, where they will visit Ice cold watermelons. Jeanes 23-tfd. not get to witness the demonstra- ly have at that time a dry condi- for awhile.

> The list of vegetables which can still be grown this year is big enough to satisfy any beginner. It

Beans, Beets, Cunflower, Cab bage, Kale, lettuce, Mustard, Peas. Angelo, hence all roads should ve Radish, Ruta-Bagas, Spinach Squash (Summer,) Turnips.

Of the above vegetables, cabcage, culiflower, may be obtained locally in plants already started. If you can get the plants, there is still plenty of time for tomatoes. They will be in their prime during September and early October, when the local crop is pretty well gone by, and both ripe and green omatoes for making pickles and preserves, are hard to get.

The other vegetables in the list above, should be started now ter visiting Miss Maurine Weeks from seed There is one point about which care should be taken,

however, that is for late planting use early varieties.

This advice may seem paradoxical at first, but will appear commensense on a moments reflection.

MERCHANT'S WIFE ADVISES BALLINGER WOMEN.

"I had stomach trouble so bad I could eat nothing but toast, fruit was to impress the citizens of Tom the cost of the same or similar eners an unwritten tradition that and hot water. Everything else Green county with the fact that work in Tom Green county. We gardens must be planted in the there is room for improvement in have more roads to grade than spring. As a matter of fact a the system of constructing roads Runnels county and it will take fairly complete garden may be to the system of constructing roads. Dieting did no good. I was miserable until I tried buckthorn bark, glyhere Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. In the system of constructing roads in shape. here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. In the system of constructing roads in the system of constructing roads in shape. Here Those who witnessed the dem longer to get our roads in shape. In the system of construction are outspoken in the approximately and first of August. There are approximately 100 longer to get our roads in shape. In the system of construction are outspoken in the approximately and the system of construction are outspoken in the approximately and the system of construction are outspoken in the approximately and the system of construction are outspoken in the approximately and the system of construction are outspoken in the approximately and the system of construction are outspoken in the approximately are outspoken in the approximately and the system of construction are outspoken in the approximately of Fort Worth are visiting Rev J. economical manner in which Run- roads in this section of the coundays of growing weather after ler-i-ka empties BOTH large and try. Every one gets a direct ben- that date, while the majority of small intestine it relieves ANY J. P. Anderson: "I believe Run- efit from these roads. I am a vegetables require less than 90 CASE constipation, sour stomach nels county has about solved the great believer in dragging the days to be ready for use. It is a or gas and prevents appendicitis. road construction problem. The roads and am of the opinion that fact that Nature does most of her It has QUICKEST action of anyroad construction problem. The our graded roads should be drag- seed-sowing, not in the spring, but thing we ever sold. Weeks Drug

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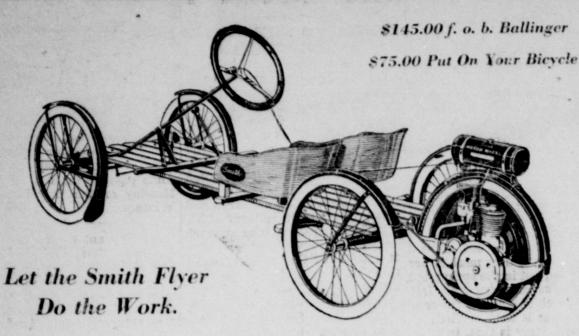
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GOSPEL TEAM HONORS DEPARTING MEMBERS

Starkey and Walter Singletary, Sunday, the Gospel Team visited ful if ever before has she had peothree young men of this city who New Home and held a service, ple holding just the relationship ted States to southwest Texas are expected to be called to ser. and reported several conversions. as some guests registered at the without having to travel bad who had been visiting her father NOTICE TO DAILY vice in the Texas National Guard at an early date, the Gospel Team had charge of the evening serv- We offer One Hundred Dollars W. F. Brown of Brownwood who way going both north and south. tendance greeted the team, and Catarrh Cure. the service lasted for about two Hall's Catarrh Cure has been a daughter in the party who is 45 ising the road. It is up to the hours and a half, closing with a taken by catarrh sufferers for the years of age and the daughter has respective counties to build the farewell handshaking that was past thirty-five years, and has be- grand children. The elder Brown road in compliance with the rule-

Gospel Team, as chairman, or arrh Cure acts thru the Blood on make their home with him. evening, and County Attorney S. the Poison from the Blood and visit with relatives in Arizona hav Ballinger to the Concho county lett returned home Sunday after a C. Harris led the singing. There healing the diseased portions. | ing arrived over the T. & P. this line will be the first to receive at visit in Ballinger with her son, San Antonio. responded when called on and Catarrh Cure at once and get rid gave their religious experiences, of eatarrh. Send for testimonials. while equally as many did not free. wait to be called on but volun- F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. ed by taking Chamberlain's Tabtarily took part in the service.

An opportunity was given sinners to come forward and confess

The members of the team who dience, with their parents stand- home in Cleburne.

ing with them, and while the choir sang "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," practically! every man, woman and child in

men farewell. Honoring Pat Williams. Levi In the afternoon at two o'clock

How's This?

ices at the Ninth Street Baptist Reward for any case of Catarrh is ninety nine years of age, his son church Sunday night. A large at- that cannot be cured by Hall's J. P. Brown of the same city who been assessed \$25 to create a fund

come known as the most reliable has a brother and sister who are and all counties have agreed to Bryan D. Beek, leader of the remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Cat- each above 90 years of age who do this, and the work on the Run-

fying and praying. It was an a great improvement in your gen-, -Sweetwater Reporter. experience meeting, and many eral health. Start taking Hall's

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Christ. There were two conver- has returned home from Austin, N. Y., relates her experience in sions and one young man re- where they have been visiting the use of these tablets: "I had a quested the prayers of the Gospel Mrs. Ward's sister and family the bad spell with my stomach about past several weeks.

will leave in a few days to take J. E. Snearly and wife and chil- and severe pains in the pit of my their places in the army, were dren passed through Ballinger stomach. Our druggist advised lined up in front of the large au- Sunday on their way to their me to take Chamberlain's Tablets.

FATHER 99 AND SON 70.

Being the gateway for passenger traffic to all sections of the the house joined in the hand- country Sweetwater naturally has shaking in bidding the young people of all nationalities, ages Route, the Pikes Peak Ocean to and stations in life to pass thru Ocean road, and the Lincoln High to Ballinger Sunday to take the Butler, of Abilene, is here visither limits. However, it is doubt-Alamo Hotel today.

is 70 years of age. The latter has for logging, maping and advert-

leader of the meeting Sunday the Mncous surfaces, expelling The party is returning from a be rapidly pushed. The road from was no preceding, the entire time After you have taken Hall's morning and will leave for Brown tention as soon as the work on the Will McCarver. being consumed in singing, testi- Cure for a short time you will see wood over the Santa Fe this p. m. Crews road is completed and the

Are You One of Them?

There are a great many people who would be very much benefitlets for a weak or disordered stomach. Are you one of them? Mrs. Leon Ward and baby boy Mrs. M. R. Searl, Baldwinsville, six months ago, and was troubled for two or three weeks with gas I took a bottle home and the first lose relieved me wonderfully, and I kept on taking them unfil I was cured." These tablets do not relieve pain, but after the pain as been relieved may prevent its)

PRESBYTERIAN MEETING CLOSED AT NORTON.

Rev. W. T. Davidson, of Santa nna, returned to his home Monday. He had been in a ten days meeting at Norton. Pastor Gay of the Norton church, accompanied Mr. Davidson to Ballinger. They report a splendid attendance thruout the revival and a very successful meeting, there being a number of conversions and a revival of religion among the people of that community.

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Edwin Day relurned Saturday from Fort Worth. Mrs. Day renained there.

TEX-O-KAN HIGHWAY ONE OF INTEREST

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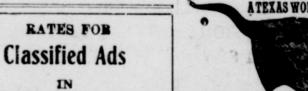
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