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# FULLER OBJECTS TO GUNMEN IN HOUSE 2 GERMAN

AUSTIN, Aug. 13.—Speaker SOLDIERS BOYS house this afternoon in which he stated that his attention had been called to the effects of certain gun men and rangers to gain admittance to the galleries while armed. Mr. Fuller stated that he had called the attention of the adjutant with Company II, temporarily lo-airplanes had just raided the general to the matter, but it was cated at San Angelo, were given a towns in the south end of Flansunk by a mine off Capetown. IES, July 15 (By Mail)—Anna-San Angelo, and was later locations. the orders that no armed men be permitted to enter the house during the investigation.

Corporal Holland, one of the 23 KILLED IN AIR ing the investigation.

Mr. Fuller, "and his friends are Taylor of Company H. The lieuunarmed, yet rangers and gunmen tenant Taylor instructed Mr. Holarmed continue to attempt to en- land to report to The Ledger that ter the galleries and have been in the Ballinger boys were making the galleries standing guard over good, and were all well pleased men who are not armed and have with their work, and the officers no intention to harm any one. of the company are well pleased The speaker merely considers it will the Ballinger boys. "Every east of London by bombs dropped not be able to attend the internahis duty to call the facts to the attention of the house and to say that the time has passed when to the Ballinger people. any department of this government needs to put armed men over the Texas legislature."

#### Fall Music Term.

I will begin my fall term Aug. 15th.

It will be an advantage to pupils to begin before school opens, so as to get well started with their are busy this week arranging fore has met.

Pupils desiring to study, will please phone and arrange for time. Very respectfully, 13-2td1tw OLGA H. SCHAWE.

# SPEND SUNDAY HERE

without effect and that armed leave of absence last Saturday af- ders and were attempting to get Four of the crew and ten passen- mite troops, "the little brown ed near Bronte, and the officers guards continued to enter the ter noon and came home to spend away when encountered by the gers went down when the mine men," of France's colonies in In- experienced no difficulty in argalleries. The speaker said that Saturday night and Sunday with British aviators who brought the destroyed the vessel. he considered the presence of arm home folks. The boys had to re- German aviators down with their ed guards in the house unnecess- port at 5:45 Monday morning and machines in a most spectacular ary and he had so notified the au- most of them returned to their way. thorities. He appealed to the training camp Sunday afternoon house for strict compliance with while some went over on the Sun-

volunteers from Ballinger, "The speaker is unarmed," said brought a message from Lieut. one of the mare making good,' said Lieut. Taylor in his message

Next Sunday afternoon the company locatel at San Angelo The impression prevails that drill. The drill will be staged a-The impression prevails that the governor has ordered the rangers to remain near at hand to leave the impression that he fears some one will assassinate him. As to just why the rangers persisted in entering the house no one will say, but it is presumed that they say, but it is presumed that they are acting under the instruction of the governor's department.

The raid occurred at 5:15 o'-the fair park where the company airlock yesterday afternoon a squad or no fabout twenty enemy airlock yesterday afternoon a squad or no fabout middle of the admission of the frame action of the France, resulted almost in the decoky enemy airlock yesterday afternoon a squad or no fabout with the ordick yesterday afternoon a squad or no fabout middle of the admission of the frame action of the frame action of the f bout middle of the afternoon at considerably next Sunday.

#### CIVIC LEAGUERS BUSY THIS WEEK.

The ladies of the Civic League re to her liking than most men

Mrs. C. R. Flurry, Miss Gene- proving a play ground for the re to do with him. vieve Truly, and little Miss Mar- school children. You could not When she arrives at Warner's lat than six hundred thousand surgigarite Truly of Wiehita Falls donate a dime or two to a better ate, she astonishes him by art- fu cal dressings. were in Ballinger a few hours advantage this week. Make your sly saying that she has come of the surgical dressings are to drilled and employed in all of the carried the gun with which he various services of the rear, such killed Hargis, and was reluctant

Henry Jones

Monday, going on to Little Rock, plans to be present and frolic remain—is he not her only to be prepared by the women work- as convoy chauffeurs, road build- in surroundering when command-

three persons, including nine wo-

men and six children, were killed

ford, near which place they turn-

ed southeast and dropped bombs

in the neighborhood of South End

last night.

upon the town.

sees the other half of the the next ten days. overowered Gray and secured half of the lans, then attacks Philippa, coming upon the ne, seizes a bronze lamp from newel post and strikes the spy lkett's request.

Halkett coming upon the sevewere issued.

Levi Starkey and Will Holland

# BRITISH BAG AMERICANS GO DOWN WITH SHIP SMALLEST MEN AIRPLANES

LONDON, Aug. 13.—British WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The flyers brought down two German state department announced ofairplanes on the Flanders coast ficially this afternoon that five The Ballinger boys who are Sunday afternoon. The German Americans perished when the Am-

## SOCIALISTS CANNOT GET RAID ON LONDON **PASSPORTS** LONDON, Aug. 13,-Twenty-

and fifty persons were injured at South End, in Essex, forty miles etizens of the allied nations will parteipated in the military par- situation, a court trial would have from German raiders yesterday, tional socialist conference at Considerable damage to proper- der which they are living. The al- in Indo-China.

(in Essex). Some bombs also At the request of William C. served. were dronney ands warner or Braisted, Surgeon General of the But when the batallions are the train, when the report reach-United States Navy, the American formed for fighting or other ser- ed him that the Mexican had been the Red Cross has called upon ten of vice on the French front, the arrested. Mr. Perkins says that an entertainment to be given on About this time Philippa dis chathe larger chapters of the Society counts and the mandarins become the San Angelo sheriff and a dethe court house lawn Friday ev-vers that Wildresse is a double. W nearest New York to supply at the merely the private soldiers that puty eaught the Mexican as he ening. Good old fashioned home-aling traitor—selling secrets of mi earliest possible moment surgical they temporarily are, and the was making his way up the railmade cake and pure ice cream will countires to the highest bid- he dressings for each of 188 battle- brothers of all the rest. make up the menu with goodr. Horrified, she leaves him a lif ships and destroyers Each ship When the Annamites were first taking him near Blackwell. The music to accompany the eating te saying that she is going at the proceeds will go towards im-y and does not want anything proving a play ground for the reto do with him.

Ships and destroyers that she is going at the will require thousands of compressions and brought to France there was no idea of using them as fighting will signment making a total of more.

When the Annamites were first brought to France there was no idea of using them as fighting when he came near them they got troops. Their small statute seems

ers in the Red Cross Chapters at ers, forestration work and similar in surrendering when commanded to 'hands up. wever, it is agreed that she re- ful Washington, Baltimore, Philadel- imity to the front however soon After being carried to San Anin at the Inn in the capacity of tel phia, New York, Atlanta, Boston, aroused in them an ardent desire gelo, the officers were warned to pa and the Northeastern Division to participate in the fighting and remove the prisoner to some other few days after this, a mes-not these chapters being chosen to now after a little more than a point, as it was rumored that a ger, encountering Halwett, kil cause their proximity to New she is from Gray who has sent her york will expedite delivery. It is auxilliary service of the French friends were forming to call at the

The takes out his own papers. We chapters to make surgical dress place seems too, to have been per- was loaded in a car and is today man, who is in reality a spy 14t ings are working night and day manently won. for the rapid completion of the work. Only women who have tak Len the Red Cross course in the alm making of these bandages are troteligible to engage in the work.

convent in accordance with treathe number of women taking the ing of the home of Leonard Maas. The cantonment buildings at be (Red Cross surgical courses. In The house was owned by Father Camp Travis will be finished and Vhile she is on her way she is at 1 June, 4,144 certificates were is Maas and occupied by his brother ready for occupancy Aug. 25, six rtaken by the band of spies dragged into an automobile Cha course of eight lessons of three from an oil stove, supposedly as thus probably shattering the Wildresses. Just as the ma- hoe hours each, and in the first ten parties had just lighted the stove world's record for this class of e flies away she sees Warner yea days of July, 1279 certificates and stepped out of the house, re- construction, according to an of-

papers unobserved. They then pai battleship named after that pared. the plans to Sister Eila and er ticular state and others in which ue Philippa. sine they might have a geographical riving at Wildresse's home. sine they might have a geographical interest. Thus the Chicago chap-Three Ballinger Boys Non-Coms. ter will supply the Chicago and Leroy A. Wilke, who was for the country, it will be the first

as to be able to drill the privates. several days.

# MEXICAN WHO SHOT MAN NEAR PAINT ROCK CAUGHT

By Henry Wood.

men participating in the Euoro-in the man hunt, were here Sunpean conflict, yet they have ac- day afternoon en route to Coke quitted themselves in the fighting county to join in the search for in a manner that gives them rank the Mexican in that section, the alongside with the troops of report having reaching Paint greater physical endowment. The Rock that the Mexican was in hid-Annamite battalions are compos- ing in Coke county. ed entirely of volunteers. Their Feeling run high among the first public appearance was on friends of the dead man for some July 14, 1916, the French nation- time after the killing and if the al holiday, when along with the Mexican had been apprehended Russians, Canadians , English, Bel by the posse of citizens before the

ade at Paris. Almost without exception they with in short order. says an official statement issued Stockholm in September with the are students from the French The Mexican was carried to consent of the governments un. schools, colleges and universities San Angelo late Sunday evening

ty was caused at South End by ied nations announced today that The announcement there early Hargis have assured the officers will give their first exhibition the nearly forty bombs dropped they had agreed to issue no pass- in 1916, that volunteer batallions that the man would not be trouports to parties desiring to attend would be formed for service in bled and that a fair and impartial

chance to establish their right to a short time after placing the his he holds,, his suspicions die tur Women qualified in the various be in the fighting ranks. Their Mexican in the Angelo jail, he

#### HOME BURNS AT ROWENA.

P. L. Telford, editor of the ness With the declaration of war Rowena Review, was in Ballinger of papers and runs to a near- gre there has been a rapid increase in Monday and reported the burnturning to find it burning. None ficial telegram sent to the war e, and manages to throw them | pla | Each chapter will supply the of the household goods were say- department by Major George E.

Three of the Ballinger boys the Illinois. New York will sup- several years employed on The to be completed, thus winning a who joined the National Guard ply the New York and the Al- Ledger, and who for some time race against time in which all the company at San Angelo have bany. These boxes as completed past has been making his home contractors were contestants. been appointed as non-commission will be shipped by chapters di- in San Angelo, was in Ballinger In the final rush more than 9, position.

The Mexican, Juan Lopez, who shot and killed Dennis Hargis in Tom Green county, southwest of FIGHT IN WAR Paint Rock, last Friday evening, was caught near Bronte Sunday was caught near Bronte Sunday afternoon by Sheriff Allen, of San Angelo, and a posse of deputies.

The Mexican was trailed from WITH THE FRENCH ARM- the scene of the killing to near do-China have just had their bap- resting the Mexican. Quite a tism of fire on the western front. number of parties from Paint The Annamites are the smallest Rock who had been participating

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Socialist gian and Australian troops, they officers had time to control the in all probability been dispensed

other distinctions of cast and nob- rested. He was trying to get in ility. Amongst themselves all communication with authorities athe courtesies to which these head of a freight train which had ranks give title are scrupulous ob- just passed through Bronte, thinking that the Maxican had caught road towards Sweetwater, overwi signment making a total of more troops. Their small statute seem the drop on him and disarmed than six hundred thousand surgied to preclude that. They were the drop on him and disarmed him. When arrested the Mexican drilled and employed in all of the him. When arrested the Mexican

with the plans. When Hal- fur expected to fill the order within army they have been given their jail to see the Mexican. Within in some other jail for safe keep-

#### CANTONMENT BUILDINGS WILL SOON BE FINISHED.

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 13 .-

Although one of the three larg-

ed officers. Pat Williams is now rect to the Bush Terminal at New for a short while Saturday, be- 000 are at work. A total of 1,440 known as Sergeant Williams, and York for distribution to the ships. fore going on to Fort Worth, buildings, 180 of which are the where he goes to accept a position two story, 200-men barracks, the are corporals. These men are Mrs. A. J. Thorp and baby re- on the Fort Worth Record. Mr. remainder being one story strucgetting about two hours more turned today from Brownwood, Wilke is a Ballinger product, and tures for dormitories, lavatories, drill a day than the privates, so where they had been visting for is sure to make good on his new storehouses and freight storege,



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county is a joke, many people raised. The consumers over bai

According to the exemption claims filed with the local exemption board, there are very few independent people in this coun-

Lieut. Gov. Hobby shows by the testimony given before the legislature that he has a very bad memory. There seems to be a desire on the part of some members of that A. & M. locating commission to cover up the crookedness of oth-

west of San Angelo has convinced ered during August, September, us that it is a dry country-yes, and October. This lot includes 1, trying to get their cattle out, and refrigerator cars and 500 tank those who have waited until the cars. The company also purchaslast minute in the hopes of rain ed 130 locomotives, thirty to be coming in time to make winter delivered in August, thirty-five range, are suffering a heavy loss

The next ten days or two weeks will make political history at Austin. If the governor wins out in his trouble there is no man unde the sun who can guess what he will submit to the legislature, an l if the impeachment prosecutors win out and the governor is put out of office, the people will have the same guess coming. While the fun is in progress the people are paying the fiddlers.

Hubby 's pleading with the ex emption board to excess him from lars per mouth for luxuries and FUL buckthorn bark, glycerine, gelo. send his wife \$25. The govern- etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka benement will insure his late for \$8 per fitted her INSTANTLY. Because



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#### SANTA FE BUYS NEW EQUIP-MENT.

The Santa Fe railway has helped to solve the car shortage problem by purchasing 3,800 new Another visit to the country freight ears, which will be deliv-"very dry." The stockmen are 500 coal ears, 1000 stock cars, 800 before January, 1918, and sixty five in 1918.

ars is \$8,910,000. Tank ears in arge lots cost \$2,800 apiece, as against \$1,255 in 1915, when the Santa Fe made a heavy invest ment in this line of equipment. Coal cars now cost \$2,500 as a gainst \$1.283 in 1913, refrigeraor ears, \$2,200, as against \$1,449 in 1916, and stock cars \$2,000 as against \$1,089 in 1916.

#### ASTOUNDING REPORT

The wife of a merchant had we ever sold. The Weeks Drug ers of Judge J. W. Powell.

Father Goldbach went to Colenan Saturday, returning Monday

A. L. Ruff left Saturday for Hubbard City, where he will visit elatives and friends.

Mrs. S. F. Gerhart of Winters assed through Ballinger Saturen route to Dallas.

Mrs. J. D. Young of Fort Worth who had been visting at Paint Rock, went to Coleman Saturday.

# CASTORIA

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Mrs. Roy Higginbotham of Buchanan, N. M., after a visit in

Ballinger, returned home Satur-Mrs. E. G. Pruitt and Mrs. Mit

hell of Bronte passed through Ballinger Saturday going to Erath county on a visit.

John L. Sims and wife went to Coleman Saturday for a visit.

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No end of misery and actual suffering is caused by disorders of the stomach and liver, and may be avoided by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. Give them a trial. They only cost a quarter.

Mrs. M. F. Morgan of Ross, returned home Saturday, after visiting for a while in Ballinger with Mrs. J. T. Morgan,

Ralph Erwin left Saturday for Belton, where he will join his wife

Leslie Cook of Gatesville passed through Ballinger Saturday on his way home from Winters.

Mrs. Radican returned from a visit to her father, L. Daugherty, at Winters, Monday. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Virgie Daugherty.

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

# **CLIMBED STAIRS** ON HER HANDS

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results. I did so, my weakness disappeared, I gained in strength, moved into our new home, did all kinds of garden work, shoveled dirt, did building and cement work, and raised hundrale of chief and chief a dreds of chickens and ducks. I cannot say enough in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and D, Box 190, Richmond, Ind.

A. E. Johnson of Bradshaw was a visitor to Ballinger Monday.

from Houston.

- E. C. Allison left Monday for Coleman on business.

Miss Parr returned Monday from Brownwood where he had FOR BALLINGER been visiting his brother.

Miss Edna Routh and little the war and allow him to stay at stomach trouble so bad she could Miss Nettie Routh Sledge returnhome and take care of his "de- eat nothing but toast, fruit and ed Sunday from a three weeks cording to Secretary Stratton. One pendent" w'fe. Every man who hot water. Everything else would stay with Miss Routh's brother, goes to war can spend five dol sour and ferment. ONE SPOON- Kenzie Routh, west of San An-

Mr. Isaae H. Powell and Mrs. thousand. A mighty good chance Adler-i-ka flushes the ENTIRE R. B. Powell, of Halcomb, Mo., for some men to take their wives ailmentary tract it relieves ANY visited their uncle, J. W. Powell CASE constipation, sour stomach and family last week, returning 000 people at the 1917 fair," President or gas and prevents appendicitis. home. They will stop at Abilene. Knight said, "and we want to be pre-It has Quickest action of anything Baird and Dallas, visiting broth-

Winters Monday.

Ralph Erwin returned Monday

The Woman's Tonic Sold Everywhere

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## TO OBSERVE SAFETY FIRST DAY AT FAIR

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

Recognizing the importance of the safety first movement, the State Fair of Texas has designated Monday, Oct. 15, as safety first day at the 1917 exposition and special observance of the day will be arranged. The annual meeting of the Texas Safety First organization will be held in Dallas Oct. 15 and 16 and it is expected that a large number of the members of this organization will be on hand for the meeting.

President R. E. L. Knight has also announced that Friday, Oct. 19, will have an operation, and my friends be set aside as Mothers' Congress day thought I would not at the 1917 fair. In conference with live to move into officers of the congress, President Knight was told that there would be a to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable large attendance and that the meeting Compound as she had taken it with good of the congress would be made one of large attendance and that the meeting

dairy cattle are exhibited and where the dairy demonstrations are held. The if these facts are useful you may publish them for the benefit of other women."—Mrs. M. O. JOHNSTON, Route tive and the interior will be reartive and the interior will be rearranged and improved, giving wider aisles and other conveniences, lack of which has heretofore proved somewhat of a handicap.

Interest in County Exhibits. Particular interest is being shown R. A. Martin returned Monday this year in the county exhibits and correspondence on file in the secretary's office indicates that a greater number of counties will exhibit than ever before. Bountiful crops throughout practically every section of the 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 exhibit space is offered in a commodious, well-lighted and well-ventilated building, will undoubtedly make the county exhibit of great value, acsection of West Texas has signed up for more than twenty counties and

others are expected to enter. President Knight is particularly enthusiastic about the amusement program which has been arranged for the

"We are looking forward to enterfolks. Last year, it will be remem-bered, the attendance at the State Fair was a little over a million. With C. Kornegay was here from the bountiful crops of the present season and these crops bringing higher prices than was ever before known, there is going to be a period of great people are going to have more money than ever before and they are going to have a good time on part of the that they are going to flock to the State Fair in numbers such as have

demonstration of this enthusiasm.

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Texas While these people are gathered together in multiplied thousands.

that are confronting and will confront this country during and after the

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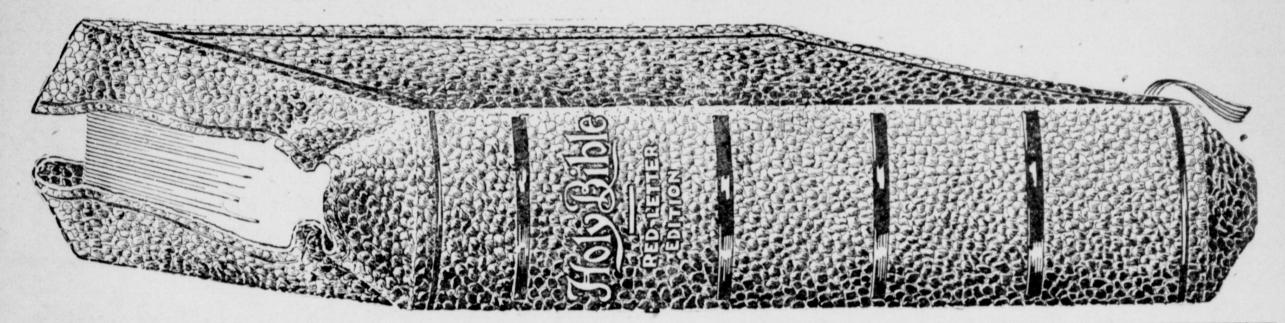
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sents Anita Stewart in the special they have followed the sies docks ippa" from the novel by Robert low them to the hotel and, over-W. Chambers. The following is a powering them in their suite, they synopsis of the story:

The Cafe Biribi in Ausone, start for France. France, is owned by Con Wildres- The plans are torn in half, and more to do with him. but in reality she has been brought | train. Cheatuiful, is often forced to help erican artist, meets Halkett at Wildresses in his contemptible the Cafe Biribi, where he is at-

About this time the plans of the refinement of the beautiful cash-Harkness shell, discloses to the ier, Philippa. British government, are stolen, Meanwhile Wildresse receives a says he is from Gray who has sent her all these years in the hope of and two British officers, Halkett message telling him that the plans him with the plans. When Hal- furthering his own ends. and Gray, are summoned to fol- have been stolen by France's enelow the two spies who, it is believ- mies. The two men are supposeded, have stolen the lans.

The Vitagraph Company pre- When the steamer on which secure the desired papers and

ses, who is in reality a spy of the Gray speeds off on a motorcycle French government. The girl with one half while Halkett tak-Philippa is ostensibly his chashier, es the other half and boards a

tracted by the innate culture and

ly in his vicinity and he must

lippa, however, finds Warner ordered to the front.

note saying that she is going a that proof of Philippa's parentway and does not want anything age are in a safe in Wildresse'

estate, she astonishes him by art- ful for her fate on account of the lessly saying that she has come pattles in the vicinity. Warne to remain-is he not her only follows with Asticot. up by him. Philippa, young and Jim Warner, a successful Am- the girl Warner does not know. cellar with the proofs to her right

> kett sees the other half of the The final outcome of the pie The man, who is in reality a spy 14th. working under Wildresses who has overowered Gray and secured his half of the lans, then attacks him. Philippa, coming upon the the newel post and strikes the spy with it. She then takes the two

Halkett's request.

pursue Philippa. Arriving at Wildresse's home. escape by means of a rope im- Monday.

Philipp to pick out Warner, Phil find war is declared, and Halkett way of Bangs and Brownwood,

the care of his cousin at her from Brady on to San Antonio. About this time Philippa dis chatcau. Asticot, a servant of They will stay in San Antonio, covers that Wildresse is a double- Wildresse, admires Warner so Houston and other places for a eight-reel feature "The Girl Phil- at Antwerp, Halkett and Gay fol- dealing traitor-selling secrets of much for a severe thrashing that lew days before returning home all countires to the highest bid he has given him that he swears der. Horrified, she leaves him a lifelong devotion, and tells him

When she arrives at Warner's lately starts for Ausone and, fear

friend? What he is to do with They find Philippa in the wine However, it is agreed that she re- ful heritage in her hands. They main at the Inn in the capacity of tell how she was taken from the Grace Beam of Bronte were in palace by Wildresse when her A few days after this, a mes- noble mother and father were senger, encountering Halwett, killed and how he was holding

plans he holds,, his suspicions die ture you had better see at the and he takes out his own papers. White City Tuesday night, Aug.

#### Summer Complaint.

scene, seizes a bronze lamp from troubled with an unnatural loose- settlement is promptly made the sets of papers and runs to a nearby convent in accordance with be done when the medicine is kept or send in the amount. While she is on her way she is overtaken by the band of spies and dragged into an automobile her by Wildram Property of the medical is kept or so that are disclosed in the medical in by Wildresses. Just as the ma- hoea Remedy as much as five chine flies away she sees Warner years ago. At that time I had a and Halkett coming upon the severe attack of summer comscene, and manages to throw them | plaint and was suffering intense the papers unobserved. They then pain. One dose relieved me. Oth give the plans to Sister Eila and er members of my family have since used it with like results.'

Warner makes an entrance by a Rev. and Mrs. Jeff Davis of secret passage, and finding Philip- Caldwell, who had been holding a pa alone in a room he stages their meeting at Drasco, returned home

es Halkett and Warner the peop- kett is waiting for them in a boat, Sunday morning for points in passed through Ballinger Monday ple he seeks, and therefore signals and they return home, where they South Texas. They will go by on her way to Miles. where they will visit a short while, more to her liking than most men Warner now places Philippa in and then will take the highway at Rowena and Paint Rock Mon-

Ballinger Saturday visiting.

A. E. Gustavus of Crews left Monday for Brownwood.

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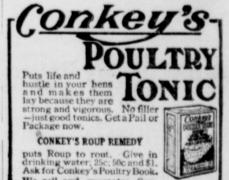
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THE MANAGEMENT.

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Edgar Rasbury and Delbert Vancil returned Sunday from San Antonio. While there, they visited the training camps.

E. L. Norton left Sunday afternoon for San Antonio, to report for duty in the signal corps. He will stop in Goldthwaite for a few days' visit before going on to San Antonio. He is rated as an executive clerk.



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# $WHITE\ CITY$

#### EXPLANATION.

On account of it being told that I sold out at Winters Saturday, Aug. 11th on riding Red Ball and Mrs. S. C. Royalty and other relatives. We Royalty as a that the of any loss that might have been atives. Mr. Royalty says that the made in believing I could have gatesville country is very dry and ridden him will say I did my best is in no better condition than to ride him under contest rules dunnels county at this time. and failed with the experience of riding probably 500 pitching horses in the bunch was Preacher Dun. Blue Devil, Steamboat Bill, Red Hoy. I claim Red Ball the worst pitching horse I ever got on ROY HARTMAN Ballinger, Texas.

Chronic Constipation.

It is by no means an easy matter to secure this disease, but it can be done in most instances by taking Chamberlain's Tablets and complying with the plan printed directions that accompany each

Mrs. L. S. Metealf of Tahoka, is here visiting her nephew, Carl Guin and family.

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

George Royalty and family moored over from Gatesville Sunlay and are here for a visit with



Frank Chapman, Jr., left Sunlay for Abilene where he will isit friends for a week.

Ice cold watermelons, Jeanes

Walter J. White of Winters was

B. E. Huggins of Winters passed through Ballinger Monday on his way to Christoval to attend Oct 22-27, inclusive.

Hennie Ganz of Winters is

## PATRIOTISM DAY FOR STATE FAIR PLAN

Authentic Scenes From War Zone to Be Exbibited to Visitors.

dominating in every effort of the week. State Fair of Texas, President R. E. L. Knight has worked out plans for uti-

Knight believes that no other occasion by the time the other call is made. during the year will give so great an opportunity to remind the people of their patriotic duties.

That the greatest number may be reached with this message of patriotism, a special day will be set aside during the Fair for a mammoth patriotic rally and special programs will be held each day, when the principal theme will be love of country and duty

to our Government.
As a member of the Texas State Council of National Defence President Knight has taken up his plans with the Bureau of Patriotism Through Education of the National Security League and the fair will have the active co-operation of these organizations throughout the entire fifteen days of the exposition. Speakers of national and international reputation will be present on the special Patriotism Day and on numerous other days during the fair.

Supplementing the big rally to be held on Patriotism Day, these speakers will be heard each afternoon and night in the Colisuem, where, as a part of the regular program, tenminute talks on patriotism will be

made by some national character. During these periods Thaviu's Band will render programs of music appropriate to the occasion, and war scenes will be projected on the curtain of the stage. Special arrangements are being perfected to procure authentic pic-tures direct from the battle fronts in Europe, and with the landing of United States troops in the war zone these views are expected to prove of exceptional interest. Discussing the plans for the patriotism programs President Knight said:

the State Fair of Texas along these particular lines is to put before the people not simply patriotism and pub-lic duty and backing up the Government, but also a clear statement of the sufficient reasons for going to war and sticking to the war until victory is reached, as it is absolutely sure to be reached. It is vital to make tlear what can be done by the individ-ual man, woman or child, the church, the lodge, the community, the society.

for the common good.
"Addresses will be made during the
State Fair by leaders of thought in culture, labor, business, finance, medi-

"Every individual citizen of the United States must be aroused to a relization of the meaning of the war and the importance of personal serv-

AND GIRLS.

Five hundred boys from farms of Texas and 250 farm girls of this State in Ballinger Monday on business. Texas during the encampment to be Fair The encampment for boys will be held Get 15-20, inclusive, and the encampment for girls will be held

Scholarships for the encampment will be awarded on a competitive basis to members of boys and girl's county clubs, those making the highest scores isiting in Ballinger a short while. in their respective counties being awarded scholarships. These contests One Hundred Dollars reward is will be under the direction of the extension service of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, in o-operation with the United States Department of Agriculture. H. H. Williamson of A. & M. College wil be superintendene in charge of the poy's encampment and Miss Jessie Harris, State agent in charge of home demonstration work, will be superin-

> tendent of the girl's encampment. Free quarters, good, wholesome meals and numerous other special inducements will be offered those boys ing to Santa Anna. and girls who attend the encamp-ments. Special amusement features, athletic meets and other form of entours for educational purposes will be mapped out so as to include every de-

partment of the fair. Liberal prizes will be awarded winners in a number of departments es-pecially scheduled for these boys and

Walter White, an auto dealer Miss Sarah Norwood returned Ballinger Monday.

R. L. Williams, and W. P. King were here from the Crews coun- is visiting Mrs. Ethredge of this Lump \$7.25. Oklahoma Domestic try Monday.

to town early Monday morning. duce Co. He was given medical attention immediately and was reported to

#### PREPARING SECOND CALL.

While no definit announcenent has been made, it is expected that another call for 338 men will be made to appear before the exemption board within the next few hours. The call will be for three days, covering Monday, With a keynote of patriotism pro- Tuesday and Wednesday of next

The exemption board is passing lizing the immense educational value on claims filed from the first exof this exposition to increase and em- amination and as the time limit phasize love of country and desire for filing claims for exemption is Realizing that many hundreds of almost up. it is expected that thousands of people will assemble at complete list of those selected as the State Fair this fall, President subject to duty will be certified

It is known that many married

men claiming dependents will not be excused. The government has made it clear to the exemption board that no exemptions will be granted unless it is cases where calling a man will place his famly on the government as a burden. Families who are able to make their support without the

father and husband will not be able to get an excuse for the head of the family. The government has announced

hat the object of the selective draft law is to create an army out of all men within the prescribed age, and that if all those claiming xemptions are exempt the govrnment would be unable to get he army called for and they have warned the exemption boards to be strict in their rulings.

Carl Dunn visited the Marie ountry Sunday and brought back o the city with him specimens of orn and maize from the Wm. Henn irrigated farm near Marie. Dr. Dunn says that Mr. Glenn has about fifty acres under irrigation and that the crop is as fine as any one could wish for.

Roy Reeder ras received notice hat his call to service in the signal corps will reach him within the next day or two, and he is arranging to report to the training amp. Mr. Reeder will probably eave Ballinger for San Antonio Wednesday. One by one the Balinger boys are taking their places n the army, and no town in Texas can boast of a finer set of young men than those this city are furnishing to the army.

County Commissioner Smith came in from his home near Winevery branch of activity related to the gate Monday, and is here for the The relation of the war to agricine, military and naval needs and court. Mr. Smith says crops are every phase of endeavor will be ex- very short in his section, but will average up with the other precinets in the county.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and FAIR WILL ENTERTAIN 750 BOYS for years it was supposed to be insurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, will be guests of the State Fair of pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influencheld in connection with the 1917 State ed by constittuional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Chenny & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the systemoffered for any case that Hall's atarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Mrs. E. V. Allen of Winters pass ed through Ballinger Monday go-

Mrs. Mary Sanders and son retertainment will be arranged for each turned home Monday from Winencampment and personally conducted gate, where they had been visit-

> ls effective in treating unnatural discharges; BIG THE HANS CHEMICAL CO., CINCINNATI.

from Winters, had business in Monday from Hatchel, where she COAL-Save money on coal and had been visiting.

city for a few days.

denly while coming from his home ice cold watermelon. Jeanes Pro- G. CARLISLE. 23-dtf

Miles Caudle of the Bethel FOR RENT-Two good, cool bed

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FOR SALE-scholarship for complete course of cotton classing. shorthand, or steno-typewriting, or bookkeeping, telegraphy, or business administration and finance, in Tyler Commercial College. First come gets scholarship at bargain. Ballinger Printing Co., Ballinger, Texas.

wood, buy early as coal and wood will go higher, for August Mrs. A. Billingsley of Electra delivery. Texas Best Screenel Nut \$9.00, Post Oak Cord Wood \$6.50. Yards Santa Fe track. G. W. Hull was stricken sud- If you want to get cool try an Phone your orders. Phone 18. G. 10-1td 3tw

be getting along very well later neighborhood was in Ballinger rooms, close in. Ring phone 179.

#### MANY GOING TO FARMERS UNION STATE MEETING

This county will be well repnew fountain and confectionery resented at the State Farmers' on Hutchings Avenue this week, Union convention to be held in few days. The fountain and fix. Dallas this week. Parties were tures are all up to date and mod- here early Monday morning arern in every respect. For the pres- ranging to attend the meeting, ent, he will continue to run the and among those going to Dallas old place on Eighth street, until a deal can be completed for the Monday we caught the names of P. W. Jost, Theo. Matthieson, Pete Inglert, A. G. Schuhmann, Frank Likety, Jno. Schark, Otto Lange, Henry Halfmann, Anton Hollabeck, Anton Rhomfelt, F. F. Ernst, A. J. Gully, and Paul Gerhart, of the southern part of the county, and J. T. Elms, of the Mazeland country.

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Miss Ruth Miller of Coleman passed through Ballinger Monday on her return from Winters, where she had been visiting.



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#### PICTURE PROGRAM

Prisons and Politics hold the center of interest in the WILLIAM FOX drama of a woman's rev-

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