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PEOPLES TASTE PUT TO TEST

A note calling a meeting for the purpose of organizing a Red Cross Society was featured under a two-column head on the front page of The Daily Ledger Tuesday afternoon, and the meeting was also advertised in Monday's Ledger. The meeting was held at the library at six o'clock Tuesday evening. There were three men and about a dozen women present, only two autos being parked in front of the library.

The Tuesday's paper also carried the notice of a negro wedding, handed in by the groom and published at his request, the notice appearing in an obscure place on an inside page of the paper. The wedding took place at a negro church at eight-thirty o'clock Tues-

day evening, two hours after the hour announced for the Red Cross meeting. Autos were parked for a block or two around the church, the space reserved in the church for white people was filled to overflow long before the "bridal party" arrived at the church and the pushing and "scrouching" for space around the windows of the building on the outside reminded one of a bunch of cattle on a drouth-struck desert homing for a place around the water trough, and the "scrouching" was all being done by white.

The value of printers' ink is thoroughly demonstrated here. It is not a question of whether advertising pays, but it is a question of advertising something the people want. The people wanted to attend a negro wedding and they did not want to attend a Red Cross meeting.

This county will send between five and six hundred men to France, besides those who have volunteered and are already in the army, if the war continues and the full draft of the two million men army authorized is called for. When our boys are suffering in the trenches and on the battlefields of Europe it will be great consolation for them to dream of love ones and friends at home attending a negro wedding while the work that makes for their comfort and relief from suffering is neglected.

It will become necessary to call another meeting of the Red Cross in the near future, and as the war rages and the cry for help comes, other meetings will be called, and the faithful few will respond while the many will seek entertainment at negro weddings or at something else to satisfy their selfish taste for entertainment.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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

J. W. Brice of Paint Rock passed through Ballinger Thursday on his return from Winters.

Miss Neal Guion returned Thursday from Coleman, where she had been visiting a few days.

J. H. Gannaway of Wingate was in Ballinger on business Thursday.

GIRL'S STATEMENT WILL HELP BALLINGER.

Here is the girl's own story: "For years I had dyspepsia, sour stomach, and constipation. I drank hot water and olive oil by the gallon. Nothing helped me until I tried buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka One Spoonful helped me INSTANTLY." Because Adler-i-ka flushes the entire alimentary tract it relieves any case of constipation, sour stomach, or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has quickest action of anything we ever sold. The Weeks Drug Store

**Undertaking Goods Licensed Embalmers**

Motor Hearse and Ambulance

**T. S. LANKFORD**

Night Phone 81 Day Phone 82

**C. P. SHEPHERD**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
and  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
General Practice  
Collections and rent property handled. Office upstairs in C. A. Doose Building, Ballinger, Tex. Phone 60

**FIRE INSURANCE**  
The Best Companies  
PROMPT SERVICE  
Your business solicited.  
**MISS MAGGIE SHARP**  
Upstairs in old Fidelity Credit Co.'s Office. Phone 215. See Me.

**The Reason that Nunnally's Candies** are selling so well is not only the fact that there are **None Better** but because we keep them in our refrigerator case. You can always see the ice.

**Always Fresh**

**J. Y. Pearce Drug Co.**  
Phone 38  
Oldest, Biggest, Best.

**A Convenient, Courteous, Safe System of Banking by Mail.**

Any one living out of town can open an account with us as easily as if residing in our city.

Full information will be given cheerfully and courteously in reply to letters requesting it and the U. S. Mail ensures safety for your money when in transit to our bank.

We furnish all the stationery necessary for Banking by mail.

**FARMERS & MERCHANTS BALLINGER STATE BANK TEXAS**

**Just Such Classified Ads Have Returned to Owners Thousands Upon Thousands of Dollars In Lost Goods**

If you lose anything and don't advertise for it we both lose. People read classified ads more than any other class of advertising, because classified advertising is news. The classified columns tell of lost and found items and bargains to you in second hand goods, and numerous other items of interest to the bargain hunter. The Ledger's classified rate is one cent per word first insertion, half cent per word each subsequent insertion.

**The Ballinger Printing Co.**  
Telephone 27

**SWIFT AUTOMOBILE RUN FAILS TO SAVE LIFE**

Used 40 Years

**CARDUI**

The Woman's Tonic

Sold Everywhere

It remains for an American soldier to capture the kaiser and end the war. We hope Pershing will have better luck than he did in his chase for Villa.

LIEUT. SHARP AT WHITE CITY WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Lieut. Sharp was the four minute speaker at the White City Wednesday night. His talk was short and to the point, touching particularly upon the fact that the soldiers at the front must have the financial and moral support of the ones who stay at home. He also stated that this war is not a war of a few rich people, but that it is a war of the common people. "Experts have figured," said Lieut. Sharp, "that at the present rate it may take six years to crush the German empire, but it could be possible to end the war within six months, if the proper forces are brought to the front." He stated that never was there so great an army dreamed of such as the United States will send to the front; that Napoleon's army would make only a small fraction

of the National army of America.

Mrs. H. T. Shepherd and children and Mrs. Jim Cooper and children of Temple, Okla., are visiting H. C. Brunson and family of Ballinger for a few days.

W. B. Ray shipped 39 head of fine horses from Ballinger Thursday to Mississippi, to his farm which he recently bought.

**SHIPPING HORSES TO MISSISSIPPI**

**The Modern, Efficient ELECTRIC FAN**

The Home Comfort and Business Necessity.

Emerson Fans Make the Breezes Blow.

Last for Years.

Let Us Demonstrate Them to You.

**Ballinger Light, Power and Ice Company**

Phone 31

**THE BABY'S TWO BEST FRIENDS**

His milk—and his mother who knows the best milk for him to have. Of course this mother, knows Jackson's Dairy milk to be the very best obtainable; as, indeed, most mothers do know.

**JACKSON DAIRY**  
Phone 5903

**GET IT AT Weeks DRUG STORE**



# LIVER DIDN'T ACT DIGESTION WAS BAD

**65 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Relieved After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.**

Meadorsville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Pigginsbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of fix. I was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My appetite was gone. I was very weak. . . I decided I would give Black-Draught a thorough trial as I knew it was highly recommended for this trouble. I began taking it. I felt better after a few doses. My appetite improved and I became stronger. My bowels acted naturally and the least trouble was soon righted with a few

doses of Black-Draught." Seventy years of successful use has made Thedford's Black-Draught a standard, household remedy. Every member, of every family, at times, need the help that Black-Draught can give in cleansing the system and relieving the troubles that come from constipation, indigestion, lazy liver, etc. You cannot keep well unless your stomach, liver and bowels are in good working order. Keep them that way. Try Black-Draught. It acts promptly, gently and in a natural way. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c. a package—One cent a dose. All druggists. J. C. 9

Mrs. R. T. Robertson and children of Alpine were in Ballinger Thursday for a few hours, before going on home.

FOR SALE—J. W. Powell has two houses for sale cheap, 1-3 cash terms to suit the purchaser on balance. 4 roomed house on 11 st between Harris and Sharp streets. A 5 roomed house West End near school house. They need some repairs but will be sold at a bargain. 13-6td2w

J. W. Womble of Melvin was in Ballinger Thursday between trains.

W. J. Gardner of Winters was in Ballinger Thursday.

J. F. Archer of Winters passed through Ballinger Thursday en route to Rosebud.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children  
In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Pritchard*

Mr. S. Tucker of Hatchel was in Ballinger a few hours Thursday.

Anything from a wedding invitation to a visiting card can be handled by us. The Ballinger Printing Co.

## THE AMERICAN BOY; THE OTHER KIND.

There is a young chap in this city who is certain to make his way in the world. He is the sole support of a widowed mother and sister. He is 21. He registered and was drafted for the first call. Personally, he wished to go to the front, but his obligations to his mother and sister are as great as his love for his country. He asked to be exempted on their account and in the certificate he filed he stated that he was the sole support of mother and sister; that for years, or since he became a breadwinner, he had never cashed a check, but had always given it to the one nearest and dearest to his heart. He is an intense American. He would cheerfully go over the seas to fight for democracy but the ones dependent upon him are entitled to his first consideration, his loyalty and the fruits of his labor. A boy of this caliber should win in the world. He is worth the while, a credit to himself and a credit to the land of his nativity. There is plenty of life, royal life, in this old land of ours. There are boys willing to assume responsibilities at an early age and who do not forget the ones who are dependent upon them.—Fort Worth Record.

That boy is not only an honor to himself and his mother, but he is an honor to his country. This boy asked for exemption on the grounds that his mother was depending upon him for support. He furnished the proof by showing that all his pay checks were turned over to her.

We have another kind of a boy. He is the boy who is claiming exemption on account of a dependent mother, but who seldom gives his mother as much as a calico dress. The boy who has not been spending as much as \$25 per month has no right to claim exemption on her account. The government will pay him \$30 per

## FIRST CHILD BORN IN FT. CHADBOURN

(Sweetwater Reporter.)

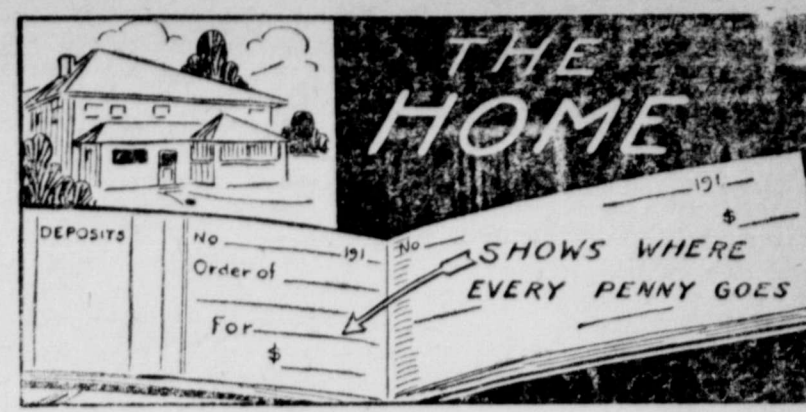
Major General E. Swift spent a few hours here Saturday evening after returning from a visit to Fort Chadbourne. A reporter for this paper called on General Swift at his room at the Grogan and while he was averse to giving out anything in connection with his work as a United States army officer he talked freely of his experience in an early day in this section.

He claims the honor of being the first white child born in this section. His parents came to Ft. Chadbourne in the early 50's immediately after their marriage. They came from San Antonio and his father had charge of the military post for three years during which time he was born. He had not been at the old Fort since the family moved away, though he had often wanted to visit it again.

He said about a year ago he was talking to a man from California who told him something about the country and invited him to visit him at his home near the old military post and he decided as he was passing through he would stop off, hire a car and make the trip. He spent some time at the ruins of the old fort, visited the old grave yard and called upon some of the old settlers, but found none who could recall an experience of sixty years and more in that section.

General Swift said he could hardly realize that the country could have changed so completely as it had. Then there were scarcely no residents except Comanche Indians and they were vicious and unfriendly.

He said the day he, with his parents left the fort a fight with the Indians ensued and an Indian was killed in the house that had been occupied by the family. They had



## A Checking Account

is not a hobby; it is good sound business sense for every household. Your check book shows where every penny goes and furnishes the

## Best Possible Receipt

in the returned endorsed check. Besides, it helps you save money. Come in and let us explain.

RELIABILITY ACCOMMODATION  
**The Ballinger State Bank & Trust Co.**  
STRENGTH SERVICE

## AMARILLO COUNTY IN FINE SHAPE.

Clyde C. Cockrell of Amarillo who is spending the day in the city was a pleasant caller at this office. He says rains have fallen three weeks in the Amarillo country. He says fine grass and bumper feed crops are in evidence.

Mr. Cockrell is very much interested in the Puget Sound to the Gulf Highway and is enroute to Big Springs to attend the meeting. He says his people think the ac-

James E. Clark of Abilene passed through Ballinger Thursday on his way to San Angelo.

## Stomach and Liver Troubles.

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.

Miss Clara Tate of Abilene passed through Ballinger Thursday going to San Angelo.

## WAR CAUSES FIRES

Your property may burn tonight. What would be the loss to you? It may never burn, but you are taking big chances. Why take the chance and suffer uneasiness when a few dollars invested in one of our Old Line Insurance Policies would make good your loss. Let us figure the rate for you.

Telephone No. 317 **Ballinger Insurance Agency** T. J. Gardner, Mgr.  
OFFICE WITH BENNETT ABSTRACT COMPANY

## Mr. Farmer

Did you know that it would be economy to invest a little money in an implement shed and protect your implements from the sun and rain. Weather wears on your implements wears them out quicker than use. House them and save them. We can supply material for building sheds or making other improvements around your home.

## Ballinger Lumber Company

## The High Cost of Living

is a serious question these days. You can help solve this question by trading with us. Fresh Meats, prompt deliveries and courteous treatment is our motto. Phone 126

## THE CASH MARKET

F. Chapman, Proprietor

## Phone Us For Your GROCERIES

We're as close to you as your telephone and we give you the same personal, courteous service that you would get if you came to our store yourself. We have but one price to all.

Ring us up next time you're in a hurry for groceries of any kind and we'll deliver promptly.

## Miller Mercantile Company

Phones 66 and 77

month and take care of him and with the salary paid he can send mother \$25 and have five dollars to spend for luxuries. Many wives will also be more comfortably provided for if their husbands would go to the war and send their pay check home each month.

## A WILLING WITNESS

Is This Ballinger Resident.

What stronger proof of the merit of Doan's Kidney Pills can Ballinger readers demand than the statement of a well-known local resident? The evidence that follows should convince the most skeptical doubter.

G. W. Newman, preacher, 906 Sealey Ave., Ballinger, says: "My kidneys were out of order. I suffered from dull, throbbing pains across my loins. I often had such sharp catches in my back I could hardly straighten. The kidney secretions passed irregularly and annoyed me greatly. Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured from J. Y. Pearce's Drug Store, put my back in good shape and rid me of kidney complaint."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same Rev. Newman had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Greater demand for qualified veterinarians than ever before. We make a specialty of preparing students for the southern practice. Write for literature. Arkansas Veterinary College, Fayetteville, Ark. 24-d24 7-28-11pd.

**Big G** is effective in treating gonorrhea, discharges, painless, non-poisonous and will not irritate. Relieves in 1 to 3 days. **WORLD'S BEST GONORRHOEA CURE.** Parcel Post if desired—Price \$1.00 of 3 bottles \$2.75. Prepared by THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO., CINCINNATI, O.

traveled about twenty miles that day and camped and the Indians followed and attacked their camp during the night, but were driven away.

In relating the early experiences, he said a pretty fair illustration about the changes that had come about could be illustrated in the method of travel. Then travel was lone by wagon and often very slowly and his visit from here to the fort was made last Saturday in about two hours.

While he was none communicative as to his mission and work in an official way, we learned that General Swift was enroute to Atlanta, Ga., where he has been assigned a commanding officer.

Though well up in years he is whole, hearty and active and added that he would not be all averse to a trip to France and take his place with the troops at the front should the call come his way.

## Summer Complaint.

During the hot weather of the almost every family is likely to be troubled with an unnatural looseness of the bowels, and it is of the greatest importance that this be treated promptly, which can only be done when the medicine is kept at hand. Mrs. F. F. Scott, Scottsville, N. Y., states, "I first used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy as much as five years ago. At that time I had a severe attack of summer complaint and was suffering intense pain. One dose relieved me. Other members of my family have since used it with like results."

Mrs. H. A. Bushong of Mertzson was in Ballinger Thursday, going home later.

Job Henrrell of Bronte was in Ballinger Wednesday attending to business.

quisition of the highway through Amarillo will mean an expenditure of at least \$1,000 per day by travelers who make the route.

He said he could not see why Sweetwater had not secured the big highway instead of its being routed via Big Springs as this appeared to him to be the most logical route.—Sweetwater Reporter.



Mrs. Clara Ransom and Mrs. C. J. Lynn left Thursday for San Angelo, where they will attend the Red Cross pageant.

Subscriptions to The Daily Ledger are cash-in-advance. When your time expires you will receive a notice of same will be mailed or bill presented in person. Unless settlement is promptly made the paper will be discontinued. We will adhere to this rule strictly. If you receive notice please come in or send in the amount. THE MANAGEMENT.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States—Dr. E. W. Hall, 228 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv. 7

## Grocery Headquarters

We handle only honest groceries of first quality. And in addition to that, we consider each customer a personal friend and treat him as such.

Reach for the phone this morning, and we'll deliver your order in time for lunch

## L. B. Stubbs

Two Phones 93 and 94. Auto Delivery

For Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing---Phone 97 **Scotch** Auto Delivery



**“Exide” SERVICE**

**Bring Your Battery To Us**

EVERY starting battery should be periodically inspected. This means better service and less repairs. We make these inspections free of charge.

The “Exide” Battery is the unit cell battery that gives extra power and that is easy to care for. It is the same type of battery as is used in a majority of U. S. Submarines.

Remember, “there’s an ‘Exide’ Battery for every car.”

*Wagner Electric Co.*

**MAY BE EXAMINED IN MEXICO.**

Will Chambers, listed among those who failed to appear for examination under the selective draft order, may be examined in Guadalajara, Mexico, where he has a good position in the Kipp store. Mr. Chambers left Ballinger before registration day, but secured a blank mailed same back to the local board. He happened to be among the first called, and as it would cost him about \$200 and several days to make the trip to Ballinger, efforts are being made to have the transfer made and allow him to be examined in Mexico. It is not definitely known what the

government’s requirements in such case will be, as Chambers left here early in the spring and voluntarily registered.

**CHICHESTER'S PILLS**

THE DIAMOND BRAND

Indigestion, Acid Stomach, Biliousness, Constipation, Headache, Migraine, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Backache, Catarrh of the Bladder, Hemorrhoids, Piles, and all ailments of the Digestive System.

Take one or two pills after each meal, and before going to bed.

Prepared by W. L. Chichester, Philadelphia, Pa.

SOLELY BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

**Notice to Odd Fellows.**

L. O. O. F. Rummels Lodge No. 191 meets at 8:30 Thursday night, business of importance to be attended to. Come and get the new pass word.

2td S. C. Harris, Secy.

**RAINBOW DIVISION ARE MOBILIZING**

HEMSTEAD, N. Y. Aug. 24.—On a rolling plain flanked by millionaires, estates with army airplanes constantly maneuvering high overhead, 20,000 American boys—the “Rainbow Division”—are mobilizing for war. They will be the first citizen soldiers to reach the trenches.

Camp Mills, where this Forty-seventh Division of National Guardsmen from all parts of the country will be quartered until its starts for France, is springing into existence like a magic city conjured up with Aladdin’s lamp. A week ago the four hundred acres over which it is spreading were pasture lands.

Motor trench diggers, decouping the ground at the rate of three feet a minute, cut ditches for two miles of water pipes. A thousand soldiers from the Twenty-Second Infantry laid out streets, made roads, and with the aid of civilian laborers built three hundred shower baths. Pits for the disposal of refuse were dug.

The vanguard of the troops now flocking here from all parts of the United States pitched their tents at one end of the reservation, temporary postoffices sprang up, the boys in khaki marched in, sentries were posted, women came running with buckets of lemonade—and Camp Mills was born.

Today the camp-routine is in full swing where the Sixty-Ninth Regiment of New York is stationed, and a mile and a half away, were ambulance corps, artillery and sanitary corps will be placed, civilian workers are still hammering at field kitchens and gutting traveser streets. The place where division headquarters is to be is still a corn field.

The camp is oblong, with a broad avenue—called “Main Street”—running through the middle from end to end. A short distance westward lies the Government aviation school at Mineola. French and British flyingofficers instructing the young American eagles, shot past in automobiles, on motorcycles. In the wooded country nearby the roofs and towers of country mansions can be seen among the trees. This camp is in a strangely peaceful surroundings.

Colonel F. H. Lawton handled the construction work and is in charge of feeding the division. He estimated today that 125,000 pounds of food daily—counting boxes and crates—would be necessary. Colonel Lawton was established headquarters in a little red brick railroad depot at Clinton road.

Everything possible has been done to safeguard the health of the soldiers. Roads are sprinkled with calcium chloride, reducing dust to the minimum. Great showers are constructed on a new plan—four showers to every company of 250 men. Under this arrangement, the soldiers are showered in squads of forty—a steady procession marching under the water.

Five cooks are provided for company, and the food is prepared in tents carefully screened against flies. A watch will be kept on neighbors who want to bring soft drinks and assorted tit-bits to the boys. Indiscriminate feeding out of hours it is feared, will “ruin the men’s stomachs,” as one officer put it.

The Infantry Division Motor Supply Train, Texas National Guards, make up the Lone Star’s quota for the first Rainbow Division mentioned as mobilizing in the above dispatch. Arrival of Western units has been delayed until their part of the camp is ready. It is expected western units will begin arriving at Camp Mills the latter part of this week or early next week.

The Texas Motor Supply Train is made up of the following companies:

- Major Albert E. Devine, Sr., commanding Houston.
- First Lieutenant William E. Talbot, Dallas.
- Motor Truck Company No. 1, Dallas, First Lieutenant Royal A. Ferris, Jr.
- Motor Truck Company No. 2, Austin, First Lieutenant Wellborn R. Hudson.
- Motor Truck Company No. 3,

- Houston, First Lieutenant Robert L. Smith.
- Motor Truck Company No. 4, Big Springs, First Lieutenant James T. Brooks.
- Motor Truck Company No. 5, Dallas, First Lieutenant Thomas A. Moseley.
- Motor Truck Company No. 6, W. Becker.

A high Texas National Guard official recently made the statement that these troops would be in France within thirty to sixty days.

**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 plain printed directions that accompany each package.

**FEED, FEED FEED.**

The West Texas Grain Co., is now offering for sale one of the largest lots of feed ever shipped to Runnels County. Seed oats, feed oats, corn, corn chops, bran, cow feed, horse feed, etc.

Especially would we call your attention to hay. We have in stock now and in trainit, prairie hay, Johnson grass hay, Timothy, baled oats, alfalfa and burmuda.

If you want hay or oats in ear lots we would advise placing your order now. Do this as a matter of economy both to your self and your country. Present indications are that oats will soon pass the dollar mark and that alfalfa will soon cost us \$40 ton while there is not enough Johnson grass to last the country 90 days, then a little later the scarcity of ears will greatly retard shipment. So summed up in a nutshell the future is not very rosey for us who have to buy feed.

WEST TEXAS GRAIN CO.  
At Old Skating Rink.  
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**RATES FOR Classified Ads**

IN THE BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

One cent per word first insertion. Half cent per word each subsequent insertion.

Black face type double regular rate.

Cash must accompany copy except where party has regular open account with us.

Call Telephone No. 87.

**WANTED**

WELL DRILLING—We are prepared to drill wells, and can give prompt service. See C. W. Johnson, or Charley Allen. Phone 7111. d&w2t—pd

WANTED—Laborers to work on plants of Acme Brick Company, Bennetta, Texas, 48 miles west of Fort Worth on T. & P., also Denton, Texas. Plants operate principally on task system. Any man willing to work can make from \$2.00 to \$3.00 per day. Hour scale laborers 20 cents per hour. ACME BRICK COMPANY, Fort Worth, Texas. 10d

WANTED—Extra typewriting work. Apply at Ledger office. 22-3td.

WANTED—by young man, exempt from draft, inside job. Call or phone the Ledger. 21-3td pd.

**FOR SALE**

COAL—Save money on coal and wood, buy early as coal and wood will go higher, for August delivery. Texas Best Sereen Lump \$7.00, Oklahoma Domestic Nut \$9.00, Post Oak Cord Wood \$6.50. Yards Santa Fe track. Phone your orders. Phone 18. G. CARLISLE. 10-1td 3tw

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.

**FOR RENT**

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms near the school, modern conveniences. 302 Ninth Street. Mrs. Nell Routh. 23-8td

FOR RENT—Two good, cool bed rooms, close in. Ring phone 179. tfdh

**Children Cry for Fletcher’s**

**CASTORIA**

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and “Just-as-good” are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

**What is CASTORIA**

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children’s Panacea—The Mother’s Friend.

**GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS**

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

**In Use For Over 30 Years**

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

**War As It Is Seen In ‘Fighting In France’ White City Monday**

“Fighting In France”, the official French Government of actual warfare on the battle scarred western front. It is guaranteed authentic by the French government and will be shown at the White City next Monday night. Ten percent of the gross receipts will go to the local Red Cross Society and the profits derived by the New World will be given to the Red Cross. These pictures were taken in the midst of battle. Four operators were wounded by shells while taking them.

They were taken right at the front, inside the trenches, in the midst of action by the “Operators Mobilises.” These official motion pictures, which are the nearest approach to war itself, are to be on exhibition throughout the United States.

These pictures show the cities and villages of France wrecked by the war.

These pictures impress the tragedy of Europe as nothing else can. This is the first opportunity the people of the United States and Canada have had to see the Allied Armies in the grip of war.

6,000 feet of film, right from the front. Much of it taken under fire for National Archives of the French Government.

There are no words between the covers of the dictionary which can convey any adequate idea of what a great artillery action is like.

Whole towns are razed to the grounds as a city of tents would be levelled by a cyclone.

Trees are snapped off like carrots. Gaping holes as large as cottage cellars suddenly appear in the fields and in the stone paved roads.

Geysers of smoke and earth shoot high into the air.

The ground heaves and shudders beneath your feet. Your eyeballs ache and burn. Giant fingers seem to be steadily pressing your ear-drums inward.

The howl of the shell-storm passing overhead gives you the feeling that the skies are falling. Compared with it the roar of the guns at Gettysburg must have sounded like the popping of fire-crackers.

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