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Allies Capture 24,000 SIMPSON PLEASED WITH ARMY

losses in men wounded and killed by the Italian forces during the last few days offensive were augumented today by the alarming announcement that the Italians had captured more than 16,000 Austrians. Those captured include 350

Monday totaled more than 8000 in- get in touch with them: cluding 886 officers.

AMENDMENT LOST IN THIS COUNTY

A very light vote was polled in this county on the proposed amendment to the constitution. Out of eighteen boxes heard from, Winters, Texas. only 543 votes were east, of which 249 were for the amendment, and 294 against it. The other six boxes have not been heard from, but At is thought that these boxes will not materially change the result. Following is the vote by boxes:

Box-	For	Ags
Ballinger No. 1	.46	1
Ballinger No. 24	.30	3.
South Norton		2
Norton Norton		3
Maverick		
Rowena		1
Cochran		2
Olfen		2
Pony	.12	
Miles		1
Antelope		
Hatchel	. 3	1
Wilmeth		
Winters		3
Pumphrey		1
Tokeen		1
Harmony School Hous		
Baldwin		
		-
Total	249	29

Mrs. R. O. Griswold went to San Angelo Thursday to give a dem mesquite beans.

Rome, Aug. 23.—The Austrian FAILED TO APPEAR; SUBJECT TO CALL

The local exemption board has ground in three or four blocks tion and who failed to appear. in first aid work and also mov FRENCH TAKE 8,000 GERMANS The board request any one know- from here to some where, (maybe Paris. Aug. 23.—German prison- ing the whereabouts of these part- France). All we know is we will ers captured by the allies in ies to report to them at once, as it more than likely be moved in a-France by the great drive since is very important that the board bout three weeks or a month. Have

Joseph Sidney Smith, Winters, Texas. and all from Texas. Texas, Route 3.

Texas, Route 2.

linger. Texas. John Wesley Thompson, Rowena, bad, if he will come.

Lee Wilson, Ballinger, Texas, Alvin Webb, Pony, Texas.

Forney Wright Buford, Goldsboro, Texas, Route 1.

Texas, Route 3, Box 66.

A. S. Railway.

ADDITIONAL NAMES ON RED CROSS LIST.

The following names have been pay master comes round. handed in as members of the Red Cross. These names were omitted I came for this is no doubt the eashundred published Wednesday:

L. B. Stubbs. Mrs. M. F. Treadwell. Mrs. Harold Tucker. Mrs. P. G. Tucker. R A. Nicholson. Mrs. F. D. Futch.

Rev. T. M. Torbet left Thursday stay for a few days.

NIGHT PHONES

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meals per day and the rest of the ime we play volley ball, base ball, or visit the Y. M. C. A. Have plenty of picture shows on posted the following named part- us and cold drinks galore. A lities who were called for examina- the later we will be drilled a little fine band here and almost all of Sylvester Hobbs, Winters, Texas them from some where in West

Elmer Allison is transfering this William Edward Mann, Winters, week from the signal corps to

Elmer says he is tired of doing and shovel. They are digging post holes for a telephone line at pres-Gerald Beeman McCasland, ent for a distance of about 34

San Antonio to see the soldiers. At George Lafette King, Winters, headquarters they say there is about 70,000 soldiers here now and soldiers to one civilian and out Evelio Batello, Ballinger, Texas. here you see 100 to 0. Some of since the first of July. We are 30 Winters, where they have been slack or screenings. miles, you see, from town and you visiting. see our present income is only a little over \$1.00 per day and not a chance to draw nothing until the

I like it here and am sure glad from the list of more than Five lest job of the army, in fact it would be easier if there were

the bunch getting along. Tell such heavy work. The other twenonstration of products made from for Santa Anna, where he will Platt that 2 out of every 3 ty-odd boys from here passed the the danger the Kaiser will be in keeps.

tells me, received 24 carloads of San Angelo Standard says:

thing happens every day. By the pox. Saw James the first night I was disease.

Must close TROY SIMPSON.

CRAIG ROGERS CALLED FOR SERVICE IN NAVY.

Craig enlisted in the navy about company in the camp. ter works station.

for Fort Worth, where he will reders to entrain for the camp at occasion a great success. Scott tee, together with the names of the main for some time.

H. Mack, J. McGregor, E. D. Wall various committees.

WITH ARMY LIFE Wants Impeachment Camp Funston, Texas. Dear Force:—Well I feel sorry or you poor folks who have to work 8 long hours per day, so far I have not worked over one. Rehearse for one hour and play three concerts per week; have to eat 3 concerts per week; have to eat 3

ALLEN ASKED FIXING COAL TO RESIGN

exas, Route 2.

Willie Robertson, (Colored Bal- that will make three Ballinger of the state university to resign university. boys and we want Ladwig awful of the state university, to resign boys and we want Ladwig awful The favorable committee report fective. The rapid advance in bers of the house will argue the heavy bookkeeping with a pick standing that Mr. After carred of take immediate steps to fix prices. and stated that if the matter was deferred until today action would Washington, Aug. 22.-Presi. urday. the impression that Mr. Allen provisional prices for bituminous

NEWS FROM BOYS

more work, for to loaf around for Out of seventeen boys dropped named by the president. a big part of the day gets a little from muster of the Company il, I received a Daily Ledger yes- made by federal army officers this Abilene, who had been visiting rel- day afternoon. terday and I thank you for it; was week, one Ballinger boy lost his atives in Ballinger for a few place. Aubrey (Speek) Smickle days, left Thursday for Brown-Who is in my place? and how is failed to get by, being too light for wood.

going to shoot one every morning "sick list" today. Their indispos- edy in the house for use in case it hel as the price for wheat.

way, every time you get to resting "To make a soldier absolutely used it. good they usually call you out and proof against the germs of tygive you a shot of serum. Will be phoid fever three inoculations ar was already dehind so I have to en Monday. Federal officers are eatch up. Was vaccinated and be- to return here every Monday until lieve me it is taking. Some of you the work is completed, and the boys made immune against this

a third class fireman, but he hop- soldiers has arrived. It is believed ing to order, stating its object will be observed throughout the es to get his rating changed to sec- here that uniforms and guns will and called for expressions from nation, and in conjunction with ond-class fireman. He has had not be given the boys until they others. After discussion, a motion the draft day practically every some experience as a fireman, and reach the training camp, and at carried that the chairman appoint town throughout the country will for about six week has been em- present this appears to be some a committee to take the matter in hold some kind of a demonstraployed as fireman at the city wa- time in the future. It is almost hand and that this committee be tien.

Austin, Aug. 23.—The Senate Washington. Aug. 23.—It is ex this afternoon adopted a resolu- peeted that within the next twenty tion calling upon Wilbur P. Allen, four hours President Wilson will of the state university, to resign, uminous coal prices are now efbrought quick action notwith- prices, with winter drawing near standing that Mr. Allen called on has prompted the government to question all day Friday and bal-

be necessary. This statement left dent Wilson announced tonight

resolution expressing confidence are "not only fair and just, but ing Gov. Ferguson in the impeach-List of Mexicans who failed to about 46,000 more coming, so you remit and the uniliberal as well," it was declared ment investigation, was the first List of Mexicans who failed to about 40,000 more coming, so you appear for physical examination: see when they all go to town the versity and the facular of the uniby men in close touch with the man to speak for the defense Pedro C. Rocky, Ballinger, Tex- traffic is almost blocked. They wersity. The resolution went over coal situation that the figures when the legislature convened this

of Brady passed through Ballinger of mine and \$2.15 to \$3.50 for pre- Gov. Ferguson, Mr. Henry urged

lie as well as the government, al- islature impeaching the governor, though machinery through which he said the legislature should let costs piling up through middle the charges go to the people and men may be cut down has not yet have them decide the matter.

where he had been on business.

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 23 .-Judge Clarence Martin closed the argument for the governor at three-thirty this afternoon and was followed by Judge Crane for the prosecution.

Articles of impeachment have been drawn by W. D. Cope, and will probably be presented late this evening or tomorrow morning. It is believed now that memloting may not come before Sat-

AUSTIN, Aug. 23. - Former Senator Dayton introduced a While it is stated that the prices Waco, one of the attorneys defend s. Pascual Gonzales, Winters, Tex- had to pass a law against more than three soldiers going together lieved that it will be adopted. cution argued the case before the

Ferguson should be passed on by These prices will affect the bub the people and instead of the leg-

> 1 The attorneys in the case will This will be the next step taken close the argument this afternoon by the executive. Authority will and the question will be passed to be vested in a coal dictator, to be the floor of the house, and it is expected the members of the house will eliminate arguments so as to when the final examination was Mrs. A. M. Shores and baby of bring a vote on the question Fri-

WOULD BURN WHEAT.

W. A. Gustavus, Sr., returned G. Quamme, president of the fedthe regulars are Irish so you see examination and are now in for Wednesday from Brownwood, eral land bank of St. Paul, will leave for Washington heading a delegation of farmers and business Our company, one of the boys being done by the company the Ask Anyone Who Has Used It. men from North Dakota and Min-There are families who always nesota, who represent the farmers big guns last Friday in addition to "Quite a few of the members of aim to keep a bottle of Chamber- of their district in a protest atheir regular equipment. They are the company are reported on the lain's Colic and Diarrhoea Rem- gainst the fixing of \$1.65 per bus-

ition is due to their being inoculat is needed, and find that it is not "Some farmers have said they Well I have told you about all ed against typhoid germs and va- only a good investment but saves will hold their grain," said Mr. that happens here and the same ccinated for prevention of small-them no end of suffering. As to Quamme, "rather than sell at a its reiability, ask anyone who has loss and some have declared that they will burn it.'

five week before we finish and I necessary. The first one was giv-Soldiers Day In Ballinger

here, but have not seen him since. "Captain Walter Foreman to- As previously announced in this ker, R. G. Erwin and U. P. Melton day said that the boys are rapidly paper, a mass meeting of the citi- were appointed as the general or whipping into shape. Officers zens was called Thursday morning executive committee, and this com from the training camp at Lean at ten o'clock, when it was voted mittee will meet Friday morning Springs have been out looking the to make September third soldier's at nine-thirty to work out a prolocal boys over, and they declare day in Ballinger. Brief discus- gram and appoint other committhey have never seen men make sions were heard as to the object tees Craig Rogers left Wednesday, better progress. The officers of of such occasions, plans etc., and While no definite announcefor Dallas, to report for duty in the company now firmly believe all were of one mind—that the sol- ment has been made, it is expected the navy. He will be sent from that Company H will go into the dier boys should be given a hearty that the business houses will be there to one of the training sta- training camp at Fort Worth in farewell and goodspeed send off, asked to close for the afternoon, tions, probably to Norfolk, Va. | better condition than any other and on this occasion shown a good and the program will be arranged

for afternoon and evening. Septtwo months ago, and was rated as Canteen equipment for the R. T. Williams called the meet- ember third is Labor Day, and

certain that the company will be given authority to appoint such | The program and plans for the here until September 1, though it other committees as are needed to big event will be published as Kenney Voelkel left Wednesday is admitted they may receive or perfect the plans and make the soon as announced by the commit-

PEOPLES TASTE PUT TO TEST

purpose of organizing a Rel Cross one of a bunch of cattle on a column head on the front page of the "scroughing" was all being The Daily Ledger Tuesday ofter- done by white. noon, and the meeting was also ad- The value of printers' ink is meeting was held at thhe library is not a question of whether adver-There were three men and about a advertising something the people dozen women present, only two want. The people wanted to at autos being parked in front of the tend a negro wedding and they did

The Tuesday's paper also car- meeting.

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THE DAILY LEDGER day evening, two hours after the hour announced for the Red Cross svery day except Sunday meeting. Autos were parked for a sallinger Printing Company. block or two around the church. the space reserved in the church flow long before the "bridal party" arrived at the church and the pushing and "seroughing" for space around the windows of the A note calling a meeting for the building on the outside reminded Society was featured under a two-place around the water trough, and drouth strick desert horning for a

vertised in Monday'e Ledger. The thoroughly demonstratel here. It at six o'clock Tuesday evening. tising pays, but it is a question of not want to attend a Red Cross

ried the notice of a negro wed- This county will send between ding, handed in by the groom and five and six hundred men to published at his request, the no- France, besides those who have tice appearing in an obscure place volunteered and are already in on an inside page of the paper. The the army, if the war continues and wedding took place at a negro the full draft of the two million church at eight-thiry o'clock Tues- men army authorized is called for makes for their comfort and relief

other meetings will be called, and the faithful few will respond while at negro weddings or at some thing else to satisfy their selfish

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and · for years it was supposed to be insurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly fail-Upstairs in old Fidelity * tutional remedy, is taken interna * * * * One Hundred Dollars reward offered for any case that Hall

for circulars and testimonials. F. J. Cheney & Co. Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipa-

J. W. Brice of Paint Rock pass d through Ballinger Thursday o his return from Winters.

Miss Neal Guion returned Thurs SWIFT AUTOMOBILE RUN lay from Coleman, where she had een visiting a few days.

J. H. Gannaway of Wingate was

GIRL'S STATEMENT WILL HELP BALLINGER.

Here is the girl's own story drank hot water and olive oil by him to San Angelo. the gallon. Nothing helped me One Spoonful helped me INStract it relieves any case of constipation, sour stomach, or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has quickest action of anything we

FAILS TO SAVE LIFE

made in three hours was not sufficient Tuesday to save the life of n Ballinger on business Thursday. Willie Goad of Val Verde county. The young man was only fifteen years of age and a son of J. Goad, a stockman. He was attacked with peritonitis early last week and Tuesday morning his For years I had dyspepsia, sour condition became so serious that it stomach, and constipation. I was considered advisable to bring

until I tried buckthorn bark, gly- the ear which brought Willie Goad I cerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka to St. John's sanitarium here. The TANTLY.' Because Adler-i-ka Goad died at 11:40 a. m. The flushes the entire alimentary body was taken during the afternoon to Eldorado, where interment was made.

AMENDMENT PASSED.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 23.-Although returns were still incomplete today, it was evident that and development of natural re-The vote was light, but reports it is a war of the common people indicate the amendment was favored in practically all sections.

gold coins, also a roll of green back bills and a sack ofsilver, watch, fob, shot gun, suit case, coat, ladies gloves, umbrella and a poodle dog.

FOUND-A wallet full of

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An automobile run of 100 miles The Woman's Tonic

A Mr. Fletcher of Ozona drove |

The deceased was a splendid It remains for an American ever sold. The Weeks Drug Store specimen of young manhood, six soldier to capture the kaiser and feet tall and around 160 pounds in end the war. We hope Pershing weight. He had worked on ranch- will have better luck than he did s in Val Verde country for sev- in his chase for Villa. eral years.—San Angelo Standard.

LIEUT. SHARP AT WHITE CITY WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Sold Everywhere

Lieut. Sharp was the four minthe amendment to the state con- ute speaker at the White City stitution authorizing the organiza- Wednesday night. His talk was tion of conservation and reclam- short and to the point, touching ation districts for conservation particularly upon the fact that the soldiers at the front must have the sources, the storing, preservation financial and moral support of and distribution of storm and the ones who stay at home. He flood waters carried in Tuesday's also stated that this war is not a election by a vote of three to one. war of a few rich people, but that

> "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. SHIPPING HORSES TO

Mrs. H. T. Shepherd and children and Mrs. Jim Cooper and of Ballinger for a few days.

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W. B. Ray shipped 39 head of children of Temple, Okla., are fine horses from Ballinger Thursvisiting H. C. Brunson and family day to Mississippi, to his farm which he recently bought.

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LIVER DIDN'T ACT DIGESTION WAS BAD

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

Meadorsville, Ky .- Mrs. Cynthia | doses of Black-Draught." Higginbotham, 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 It took so little to upset me. My ap- constitution, indigestion, lazy liver,

petite was gone. I was very weak... etc. You cannot keep well unless your I decided I would give Black- stomach, liver and bowels are in good trouble. I began taking it. I felt gently and in a natural way. If you worth the while, a credit to himbetter after a few doses. My appetite feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. improved and I became stronger. My You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price bowels acted naturally and the least 25c. a package-One cent a dose trouble was soon righted with a few All druggists.

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Mrs. R. T. Robertson and chil- J. F. Archer of Winters passed dren of Alpine were in Ballinger through Ballinger Thursday en Thursday for a few hours, before route to Rosebud. going on home.

FOR SALE-J. W. Powell has two houses for sale cheap, 1-3 eash 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 13-6td2tw bargain.

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

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

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years

Ballinger a few hours Thursday.

THE AMERICAN BOY; THE FIRST CHILD BORN OTHER KIND. There is a young chap in this IN FT. CHADBOURN city who is certain to make his way in the world. He is the sole

Sweetwater Reporter.)

ister. He is 21. He registered and was drafted for the first call. Major General E. Swift spent Personally, he wished to go to a few hours here Saturday eventhe front, but his obligations to his ing after returning from a visit mother and sister are as great as to Fort Chadbourne. A reporter his love for his country. He asked for this paper called on General to be exempted on their account Swift at his room at the Grogan and in the certificate he filed he and while he was averse to giving stated that he was the sole sup- out anything in connection with port of mother and sister; that for his work as a United States army years, or since he became a bread- officer he talked freely of his exwinner, he had never cashed a perience in an early day in this cheek, but had always given it to section.

need the help that Black-Draught can heart. He is an intense Ameri- first white child born in this secfix. I was constipated, my liver give in cleansing the system and re- can. He would cheerfully go over tion. His parents came to Ft. didn't act. My digestion was bad, and lieving the troubles that come from the seas to fight for democracy i Chadbourne in the early 50's imhe followed his own inclination mediately after their marriage but the ones dependent upon him They came from San Antonio and are entitled to his first consider- his father had charge of the milation, his loyalty and the fruits of itary post for three years during Draught a thorough trial as I knew it working order. Keep them that way. his labor. A boy of this caliber which time he was born. He had was highly recommended for this Try Black-Draught. It acts promptly, should win in the world. He is not been at the old Fort since the family moved away, though he self and a credit to the land of his had often wanted to visit it again.

nativity. There is plenty of life, He said about a year ago he royal life, in this old land of ours. was talking to a man from Cali-There are boys willing to assume fornia who told him something responsibilities at an early age and about the country and invited who do not forget the ones who him to visit him at his home near are dependent upon them. Fort the old military post and he decided as he was passing through he would stop off, hire a car and That boy is not only an honor make the trip. He spent some to himself and his mother, but he is an honor to his country. visited the old grave yard and time at the ruins of the old fort, This boy asked for exemption on called upon some of the old setthe grounds that his mother was tlers, but found none who could AMARILLO COUNTY depending upon him for support. recall an experience of sixty years He furnished the proof by show and more in that section.

We have another kind of a boy. could have changed so completely city was a pleasant caller at this He is the boy who is claiming ex- as it had. Then there were scarce office. He says rains have fallen suffering is caused by disorders of emption on account of a depend- ly no residents except Comanche three weeks in the Amarillo coun- the stomach and liver, and may be Mr. S. Tucker of Hatchel was in ent mother, but who seldom gives Indians and they were vicious and try. He says fine grass and bump- avoided by the use of Chamberhis mother as much as a calico unfriendly.

EVERY PENNY GOES

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

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



ing that all his pay cheeks were General Swift said he could Clyde C. Cockrell of Amarillo hardly realize that the country who is spending the day in the

er feed crops are in evidence. dress. The boy who has not been He said the day he, with his par- Mr. Cockrell is very much inter- They only cost a quarter, Any thing from a wedding in- spending as much as \$25 per ents left the fort a fight with the ested in the Puget Sound to the vitation to a visiting card can be month has no right to claim ex- Indians ensued and an Indian was Gulf Highway and is enroute to Miss Clara Tate of Abilene pass handled by us. The Ballinger emption on her account. The killed in the house that had been Big Springs to attend the meeting ent through Ballinger Thursday

James E. Clark of Abilene pass-IN FINE SHAPE. ed through Ballinger Thursday on his way to San Angelo.

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government will pay him \$30 per occupied by the family. They had He says his people think the ac- going to San Angelo.

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to spend for luxuries. Many wiv-during the night, but were driven travelers who make the route. es will also be more comfortably provided for if their husbands In relating the early experienc-

A WILLING WITNESS

Is This Ballinger Resident.

lows should convince the most signed a commanding officer.

skeptical doubter. G. W. Newman, preacher, 906 Sealey Ave., Ballinger, says: "My kidneys were out of order. I sufacross my loins. I often has such ! sharp catches in my back I could hardly straighten. The kidney secreations passed irregularly and annoyed me greatly. Doan's Kidkidney complaint.

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with the salary paid he can send day and camped and the Indians Amarillo will mean an expendiger are cash-in-advance. When mother \$25 and have five dollars followed and attacked their camp ture of at least \$1,000 per day by your time expires you will receive

> method of travel. Then travel cal route. Sweetwater Reporter, or send in the amount. was lone by wagon and often

to the fort was male last Saturday t of Doan's Kidney Pills can Bal- tive as to his mission and work linger readers demand than the in an official way, we learnel that statement of a well-known local General Swift was enroute to At

very slowly and his visit from here

resident? The evidence that follanta, Ga., where he has been as-Though well up in years he is

whole, hearty and active and adled that he woull not be all averse J. Lynn left Thursday for San to a trip to France and take his Angelo, where they will attend the fered from dull, throbbing pains place with the troops at the front Red Cross pageant should the call come his way.

Summer Complaint. During the hot weather of the

ney Pills, which I procured from almost every family is likely to be J. Y. Pearce's Drug Store, put my troubled with an unnatural loose back in good shape and rid me of ness of the bowels, and it is of the greatest importance that this be Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't treated promptly, which can only simply ask for a kidney remedy- be done when the medicine is kept get Doan's Kidney Pills-the at hand. Mrs. F. F. Scott, Scottssame Rev. Newman had. Foster- ville, N. Y., states, "I first used Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. | Chamberlain's Colic and Diarr hoea Remedy as much as five years ago. At that time I had a Greater demand for qualified severe attack of summer comveterinarians than ever before. plaint and was suffering intens We make a specialty of preparing pain. One dose relieved me. Othstudents for the southern practice. er members of my family have

> Mrs. H. A. Bushong of Mertzon was in Ballinger Thursday, going

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early in the spring annd volun- al of refuge were dug.

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RAINBOW DIVISION

HEMSTEAD, N. Y. Aug. 23 .- A. Moseley lionaires, estates with army air- W. Beeker. be the first citizen soldiers to days. reach the trenches.

Camp Mills, where this Forty-7th Division of National Guards men from all parts of the country will be quartered until its starts can be done in most instances by for France, is springing into ex- taking Chamberlain's Tablets and istence like a magic city conjured up with Aladdin's lamp. A week directions that accompany each ago the four hundred acres over package. which it is spreading were pasture lands.

Motor trench diggers, decouring 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 civiligovernment's requirements in such an laborers built three hundred IN MEXICO. case will be, as Chambers left here shower baths. Pits for the dispos-

> The vanguard of tthe troops now the boys in khaki marched in, are that oats will soon pass the -and Camp Mills was born.

several days to make the trip to 191 meets at 8:30 Thursday night, tioned, and a mile and a half a- summed up in a nutshell the fu-Ballinger, efforts are being made business of importance to be at- way, were ambulance corps, artil- ture is not very rosey for us who to have the transfer made and al- tended to. Come and get the new lery and sanitary corps will be ave to buy feed. placed, civilian workers are still WEST TEXAS GRAIN CO. hammering at field kitchens and At Old Skating Rink. guttering traveres streets. The Itw m w f 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 Brittish flyingofficers instructing the young American cagles, 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 in strangely peaceful surround

Colonel F. H. Lawton handled the construction work and is in charge of feeding the division. He estimated today that 125,000 sary. Colonel Lawton was esred brick railroad depot at Clin-ton road. son, or Charley Allen. Phone d&w2t-nd These pictures show the cities

procession marching-under the wa Worth, Texas.

company, and the food is prepared in tents earefully screened against 22-3td. flies. A watch will be kept on WANTED-by young man, exboys. Indiscriminate feeding out pd. of hours it is feared, will "ruin the men's stomachs," as one offi-

Western units has been delayed G. CARLISLE. until their part of the camp is ready. It is expected western un- FOR SALE-scholarship for comits will begin arriving at Camp Mills the latter part of this week or early next week.

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