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# OHIO PACIFIST LEADER IS STRIPPED AND DIPPED IN OIL

People's church, of this city, was found at Florence, Ky., in a serious condition. Bigelow was kidband of men in twenty autos, who carried him near Florence, punishnapped from Cincinnatti by a ed him most severely and turned him loose after dipping his head in crude petroleum. The man had been preaching pacifist doctrine sale of Liberty Bonds in Ballinger and opposed to the administra- are-well pleased with the amount demonstration work is being car- interested and more work of this tion's war plan.

# BLANTON TO SPEAK

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton received by the Reporter Satur- 112 Subscribers ..... 17,600.00 day night. The telegram follows: | 112 Subscribers | 5,000.00 | First National Bank | 5,000.00 | CReplying to yours: Will speak | 109 Subscribers | 25,100.00 |

in behalf of war policies at East-land Wednesday afternoon, Cisco

tern home, as much interest in his

That the Abilene congressman increase as the army increases. will have something of interest to tell his constituents goes without sires to assist such communities in saying. He has been one of the securing the necessary medical sermainstays of the Administration vice. Any community desiring the in the preparation of the nation services of a physician or any phyfor the great task of defeating Ger sician looking for a location, many, and he is expected to tell of should write to the secretary of some of the things being done to the Texas Board of Health, Austin, that end .- Abilene Reporter.

was in Ballinger Monday.

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# Cincinnatti, Oct. 29.—Stripped of his clothing and beaten unmercifully, Herbert S. Bigelow, a pacifist leader and pastor of the

ering the condition of the country, and the fact that our people IN HIS DISTRICT subscribed for the county by the week just closed is as follows: County Attorney Harris, we visit three Ballinger banks report the

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On account of the large number

Texas. A list of such communities and available physicians is being 10. E. J. Johnston of San Angelo complied and those who register will be furnished these lists.

> Explain in full in first letter, no fees are charged and no responsi-Address Secretary State Board

Geo. Englert returned from Win-J. P. Carr of Abilene passed thru chita Falls Monday, where he had 171. Ballinger Monday going to Port been working on the aviation camp

Henry Jones

letechone Telle 505

his county are experiencing the Tuesday we were called to Bord ost serious drouth in the his-ers' farm at Maverick to investitory of the agricultural activity gate infestation of boll worms. of this county, Farm Demonstrat- We think this to be the regular or Eaton is pushing his work in boll wrm common to this country the most aggressive way, and is but to be sure we forwarded some meeting with the hearty co-opera- to A. & M. College for identificacinct in the county.

The United States Department placing future work. The gentlemen in charge of the made for last week speaks for it- vised construction of model terself and shows to what extent the race. Neighboring farmers were of bonds subscribed for, consid- ried on in this county. In the re- kind will be done in this section. cent years farm terracing has prov | Thursday we did regular field en profitable and this particular work visiting the farms of Bright recently lost. subscribed liberally for the first line of work is demanding the at- Bros, and Bert McKnight. loan. We are not able at this time tention of the demonstrator at Thursday night, in company to give the total amount of bonds this time. The report for the with County Judge Parish and

farm, Ballinger; constructing ter- izens on food conservation work races. Miles travelled, ten.

Wednesday, Oct. 24: Mrs. Lar- munities contigious.

and farm terracing.

Ballinger; work on hog breeding work and conference, getting out He returned to Ba Saturday, Oct. 27: Office work; vising with farmers.

reports, letters, conferences with The drouth continues with fre-

or office, 16. Number letters written, 11 Number bulletins sent out, 30.

Number clubs visited, 1.

Number visits to farmers and others not included in above, 5. Number meetings held. 2; estinated attendance, 65.

General Remarks:

had several conferences with farm club members. ers and business men. Also vis- This county has been well cover- return. ited Branch farm in company with ed in an aggressive campaign for Editor Telford of Rowena. The 2nd Liberty Bonds with splendid SLUMP IN GERMAN BIRTH purpose of visit was to supervise success. the construction of some terraces and to explain the work to Tel-

tion of the farmers in every pre- tion. Also visited to other farms while on this trip with a view to

of agriculture, under the direction Wednesday we were called to of which Mr. Eaton is working, Crews to do some terracing work requires that he make weekly re- on Jayroe farm. We planned terports of his work, and the report races on 76 acres land and super-

Monday, Oct. 22: W. E. Branch ed Norton and addressed the cit-After my address Judge Parish infection. Miles travelled, 45. enlist every home in three com- country, was in Ballinger Satur-

scher, Olfin; terracing work on method of laying out and construct Ballinger. He attended the Balsome time ago. forthcoming speaking tour of the big Sixteenth District has been manifetsed in all parts of the district.

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State University and the Leland Stanford University in California.

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> quent high winds and sand storms Number consultations at home with light freezes and killing his education, and secured a lu

Most crops have been harvested and all will be within the next Number demonstrators visited, few days. There is very little act-Number home demonstrators vis- ers are terracing farms and my time will be well taken up in this

continues through the week. We assigned to Y. M. C. A. work in Number miles travelled by auto, demonstration work with school from San Francisco on October

D. F. EATON, County Agent.

# Demonstrator Eaton Works ALLIES MUST GIVE ITALIANS In Face Most Serious Drouth IMMEDIATE AID TO STOP FOE

# **GERMANS**

Petrograd, Oet. 29-The evacnation by the Germans of Werder Penninsular has been officially announced. The Russians in counter attacks are regaining territory

### BALLINGER BOY SAILS FOR RUSSIA

kin's farm, Maverick; crop project and farm terracing.

Friday we terraced 75 acres of his son, Tom P. Martin, was now land for Clemmons Hoelscher near enroute to Russia. The young man Thursday, Oct. 25: Edgar Jay- Olfin. We were accompanied on wrote his father that he was sailroe, Crews, farm terracing 75 this trip by B. W. Eaton, Agent appointee for Fisher county. We and would keep him posted as to

> several months had charge of the Ballinger band, later going to Bos ton, Mass., where he completed crative position in the east. When the war broke out he offered his services to his country, applying for a place in the foreign field of ivity agriculturally. Many farm- bhe Young Men's Christian Asso-

> It was some time before the appear on the program to discuss Russia. They left New York about co-operation and co-ordination of the first of October and sailed ty who will wish for him a safe

(By United Press) London Oct. 9 .- (By Mail)ouls a year.

On account of a shortage of This is a campaign in which a decrease of more than forty per Forces in France. Parties in send-

London, Oct. 29.-Engulfed by an overwhelming super force of men and guns, Italy's armies are being thrown back in route. The British pres is unanimous in insisting that the allies must grant immediate aid to save the Italians from falling into the hands of the teutons.

Trying Times for Italy.

Washington, Oct. 29.-While predicting another stagetic retreat by the Germans on the western front, Sec. Baker's weekly war review admits that Italy is passing through a most difficult moment and trying time.

New Italian Cabinet Completed. Rome, Oct. 29.-It is believed that the minister of interior Orlando has completed the new Italian cabinet. The formal announce ment is being withheld.

# KAISER LETS MICHAELIS GO

Zurich. Oct. 29.-Stuttgart news paper, The Neuste Tageblatt, received here today, declare that the kaiser has accepted Michaelis' resignation. Michaelis, minister of marine, tendered his resignation

opened Monday morning at nine o'clock with an attendance of 125 teachers from various parts of the county. Work was begun with no delays, and it is expected that this will be one of the most successful institutes in the history of character of work for some time, young man secured a commission, the county, The Ballinger high The county institute for teach- and he is one of the 200 young school teachers, contrary to their ers begins here next Monday and men who have been accepted and custom heretofore, are meeting with the county teachers.

The institute opened with a prayer by Prof. L. S. Bird, after work. We are also now working 11th, making the trip across the short halk, explaining the work out annual report. The schools of Pacific, via Honolula and will go to be done in the week. Prof. Monday we worked in office the county begin immediately fol- in at the back door of Russia. Tom Fleming, who is to have charge of part of day getting out reports lowing institute. We will then has many friends in Ballinger and the institute, then took charge, and official correspondence, also begin an aggressive campaign for in the northern part of the coun- and different branches were divided into three sections, according to the work they have in the schools.

#### SOLDIER'S PACKAGES LIM-ITED TO SEVEN POUNDS.

On and after Nov. 1, according An alarming slump in the birth to new ruling just received by the rate in Germany is checking the local post office, packages intendpopulation by more than 700,000 ed for soldiers in France, must not weigh over seven pounds. The Figures published by a German new ruling fixes seven pounds as weekly show that the births in the the limit for parcel post to or Empire fell from 1,800,000 in 1916, from the American Expeditionary ing Christmas packages to Soldithe cold weather, the committee the beginning of the part we must This decrease added to the huge ers in France should remember decided Monday morning to hold all play in this war. The Amer- mortality of the war will probably this, and not make their packages the food conservation meeting at ican soldiers are in the French put the actual decrease above 1,- heavier than will be accepted for transmission through the mails.

# Mass Meeting Moved from Library to M. E. Church

the Methodist church instead of trenches today, and the allies are 500,000 in the last year. at the Library, and the meeting calling for food. The American will be called to order at the people must conserve the food sup church at 7:30 this evening. Two ply in order that the allies may be large stoves will be put to work supplied, and at the same time our early and the church will be com- boys cared for. fortably warm, and seats provid- Before taking up the work of

ant meetings held in Ballinger This program is as follows: since the war was declared. It is the beginning of the campaign that will serve a two-fold purpose on plained by Judge Parish. this county, teach the people to economize thereby saving for them 6:34-44 Kev. J. B. Curry. selves and at the same time conserving food for the allies. It is no money raising scheme, and no money will be called for unless it is a free will offering to help take L. McAlpine. care of a little expense the committee has been called on to bear.

seats at the Library, and due to there can be no slackers. It is cent.

ed for taking care of the large organizing for the week's campaign in this city, a patriotic pro-This is one of the most import- gram will be rendered tonight. Song-Help Somebody Today.

The object of the meeting, ex-Bible Lesson and Prayer, Mark

Song-America. A word of welcome to Teachers Scott H. Mack. Solo-America Forever-Mrs. E

# Ledger Will Bulletin Pro **Elections Returns Tonight**

Beginning about seven-thirty to-| four city boxes of San Angelo, out night the Ledger will bulletin re- of 1900 polls. turns from Tom Green county pro- The ladies served free lunch to

turns by boxes.

hibition election. There is almost voters just outside the dead line as much interest in the election in at the city voting boxes, and a this city as in San Angelo, and we committee of kodakers were at have arranged to receive the re- work throughout the day taking snap shots of voters as they were

At one o'clock this afternoon enroute to the polls to east their 1010 votes had been polled out of ballot. Aside from this and the a voting strength of 2147 in the personal work being done by both four city boxes and two nearby sides, the election was free from country boxes. At two o'clock 1,- disturbances and the day was pass-100 votes had been polled in theing off quietly.

eig day except Sunday et Publication, 711 Huntchings Ballinger, Texas.

OPPORTUNE TIME TO BUY LAND.

Notwithstanding the terrible in any portion of this section. In the city's dam. some portions they have material.

As required by law, before build to normal health. Here is a notable case.

Omaha, Neb.—"I suffered from feduets should continue, the price of dirt .- Roscoe Times.

end of the rain bow just over the The city claims that the build-

# THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO., CINCINNATI,

be continued. A boy needs a few city's dams will be contested.

while joy-riding; yet joy-riding governed by the board's ruling. is on the increase, el'ople get yet we are in the midst of duck hunting season. Aviators fly and fall, and others take their place. No man is safe, if he participates follow the plain printed direction. in any of the activities of life, so what's the use to worry!

ling of the family finances.

once.

## THE DAILY LEDGER CITY CONTESTING WATER APPLICATION

City Commissioner C. A. Doose and City Attorney C. P. Shepherd are in Austin today, where they will appear before the board of water engineers and contest the Texas the last two years, land val-tion dam on Elm Creek a few ues have not appreciably declined miles north of Ballinger and above

ly advanced. If West Texans ing a dam and installing an irri should now have two good crop gation plant, Mr. Oliver recently years and high prices for farm pro filed application for water rights. land in West Texas would leap up for Oct. 29th. As soon as notice and the date of hearing was set in a most magical manner. This was given to the public that such is the golden opportunity for the application had been filed, and all East Texan who has money. Now parties opposing the granting of is the time to invest in West Texas such rights were notified to appear and show cause why such ap-It is an admitted fact that there plication should not be acted upon are a few in the county who are favorably, the city got busy, and down and out, so to speak. Those the city commissioners delegated who have become discouraged on Messers Doose and Shepherd to re-

hill in some other county, will no ing of numerous dams above the doubt sell their home at a sacrifice eity would prove detrimental to To say the least of it, the time to the city's water supply, and would buy anything is when the owner in the end cause such a shortage of water that would greatly endanger the property of Ballinger, and thereby affect the insurance

The city will attempt to prove hat light showers, which frequenty fall throughout the summer, and which are sufficient to cause only a shallow flow in the creek would ATHLETICS AND ACCIDENTS, be conserved by the dams above Many times boys gets seriously the city's two dams, and unless hurt while playing base ball, foot there should be heavy rains and ball and othe athletic games in higher flow of water, sufficient school but where there is one who to fill all lakes above and flow is injured in the game there are over the dams, the city would sufhundreds benefitted, and this is fer. It is on this ground that the good reason for outdoor games to right to construct dams above the

pretty hard knocks while growing As we understand the law, the up to harden his courage for bat. city can in no way interfere with tling with a rough old world. Yet farmers who have already seit is a hard thing to reconcile a cured from the water commission mother to such games when a fine the right to construct dams and boy of great promise is maimed for who have installed their irrigalife on the foot ball team. hTere tion plants as the city offered no are always two sides to every ques- objections and made no contest tion, however, and we suppose the when the hearing was had and athletic field will continue to at. the right granted. It is possible tract the hundreds even though that the commission will not prethere is occasionally a fatality .- vent the building of the Oliver dam, and the case will be watched People get killed and maimed with interest, as others will be

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# LONGING

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male troubles when I was seventeen een I was married and my trouble was no better so I conwas not much I could do and I could not have children. I read of Lydia E.

not only well but have a baby girl, so when I hear of any woman suffering as I was I tell her of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound''-Mrs. W. HUGHES, 19 Majestic Apts., Omaha, Neb. In many other homes, once childless, there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal. healthy and strong.

# WAR TALKS

By UNCLE DAN

Number Two

Jimmie Collins Tells What He Saw-What Military Training Does for Boys.

"Well, here we are!" exclaimed Billie, presenting his chum, Jimmie Coi-

"Very glad to see you, Mr. Collins," said Uncle Dan with a smile.

"Aw," said Billie, "Just call him Jimmie. That's the only name he knows. He's the pitcher of our baseball nine, and he's some pitcher, too. Just feel of his arm."

"Well," said Uncle Dan, feeling. That's a mighty good arm!" "Now, boys," said Uncle Dan, "what do you want to talk about?"

"Well," said Jimmie, "I was down to Galesburg a few months ago when the boys came home from the Mexican border. They looked fine. Everybody was surprised to see how straight they stood and how manly they were. Th say that the training and discipline the boys had had was exactly what every boy in the country ought to get a better job at higher pay than hey could have had before. Do you

think that's so. Uncle Dan?" Uncle Dan replied: "I have a friend who employs hundreds of young men. He always gives boys having had military training the preference re alert, more prompt, carry out orders; they are quicker to think and to act than those without training. He said from his experience he believed that six or eight months of intensive military training would



The two pictures are of the same he enlisted and the second after d had five months' military train-

His home is in North Carolina.

and bring my small handbag, I will let you see two photographs of the pany of Chicago, who will stage their five months of intensive training on the Mexicun border did for him."

The bag was brought. Uncle Dan, howing the pictures, said: "Well, here they are. They tell their own story and it is a mighty interesting

one. ane young man, before training, has a discouraged look; he has seen but little of the world. There was very little in his surroundings to bring him out. When he joined the colors and Uncle Sam took him in charge, life for him took on a new meaning. He saw a chance to do something and he something. He woke up. His captain says he is twice the man he was when he joined the army. This may be one of the extreme cases," said Uncle Dan. "I can tell you, though, that war or no war, no one thing will do the young men of this nation so much good in so short a time as a few nonths of intensive military training. to defend his country and its flag.

"Nearly every civilized country gives its boys military training. It is compulsory. It is based upon the fact that It is the duty of everyone to help defend his country; and as war is now sulted a physician carried on, no one can do much unless who said that there he is trained. Also, the records show that the killed and wounded among untrained troops is nearly three times who know how to fight and how to table Compound and protect themselves. By this plan a decided to try it, nation has trained men to defend her and it has proved and the individual is a stronger and worth its weight in gold to me for I am better man for the training.

- "If the Chamberlain Bill for Military Training is passed by congress, as it ought to be, the same thing would be done for millions of other young men throughout the land. Everybody ought to demand of his congressman and senators the passage of this

"All right, sir, exclaimed Jimmie, we will see Judge Brownell, Mr. Haskett, and Professor Slocum, and get them busy.

#### Sour Stomach.

Eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly, abstain from meat for a few days and in most cases the sour stomach will disappear. If it does not, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. Red meats are most likely to cause sour stomach and you may find it best to cut them out.

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noon, and will visit his parents Monday here for a few days.

D. W. Conner of Winters was home Monday from Copper. in Ballinger between trains Mon-



A. M. Sprinkle and wife of Winters arrived on the noon A. & S. to attend the teachers institute

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Gus Cockrell of Wichita Falls! J. E. Puckett of Brawnwood urrived in Ballinger Monday at was in this city between trains

G. R. Grim of Norton returned

#### OUR SLOGAN

"A Membership Card in Every Window-An Instruction Card in Every Kitchen in Ballinger and Runnels County.'

E. E. Gann and wife of Leaday returned home Monday from Win-

H. B. Rodd of San Angelo was in Ballinger between trains Mon-

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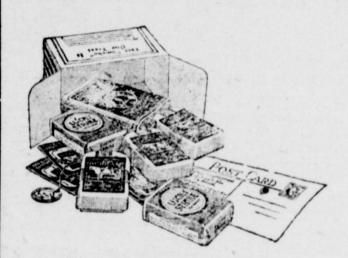
"Gee, I Wish I Had a Smoke"

That's what our boys are saying who are "over there" and fighting for you so that this world may be a better place for you to live in. Will you supply your soldier friend with his favorite smoke and satisfy his longing? He is doing his bit-will you do yours? Sending tobacco to our boys is almost as important as rolling bandages or producing munitions, as far as their comfort is concerned.

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has just been started, to supply our boys with their favorite smoke. Will





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Send All Contributions to this Paper

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500,00 following notice just received thorized on third-class matter by 100.00 from the Postoffice Department the provisions of Section 453, Post-50.00 at Washington, with the request al Laws and Regulations, such 50,00 that we publish same. Read it printed eards still being subject 50.00 carefully and govern yourself ac- to postage at the third-class rate.

50.00 feetive Nov. 1, 1917.

ter (except drop letters and post- new prepayment of postage, al and post eards) will be subject to postage at the rate of three cents for each ounce or fraction Our President tells us that we thereof, which should be fully pre- can do our "bit" in winning the paid. If less than three cents is war by practicing the most rigid prepaid on a letter or other first-conomy. Dig up those old high class matter, it shall be returned top shoes, and take them to Wen-50,00 to the sender, if known for the dorf for repairs and help carry 3,500,00 deficient postage. It the sender is our Great President's policy. We not known, it shall, if prepaid at challenge comparison in the class least two cents, be rated with the of work we turn out. deficient postage and dispatched to its destination for collection of the amount due upon delivery to is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. 100,00 the addressee. Letters and other II; O. Rhodes, and is attending first-class matter prepaid less than the teachers' institute. two cents'shall be treated as pieces scribed by Section 545, Postal 50,00 Laws and Regulations.

The rate on drop letters on and 100.00 50.00 after Nov. 2, 1917, will be two 50.00 cents an ounce or fraction of an 50.00 ounce. This applies to all let-50,00 ters mailed for delivery within 50,00 the postal district of the office 50.00 where deposited, including delivery by the city, rural, or other earriers of such office. The twoent drop-lettter rate also applies o offices which have no free de-

All postal cards, whether they bear written messages or are entirely in print, must be prepaid two cents each and, therefore, the one-cent postal cards must have a one-cent postage stamp affixed to Mrs. J. J. Beck and little son them in addition to the one-cent

ivery service.

Post eards, or private mailing

cards, bearing written messages R. T. Williams motored to San

the words "post eard" or "pri- Green prohibition campaign. vate mailing eard" which do not Postmaster Erwin submits the bear any written addition unau-Printed eards mailed at the third-50.00 The increased rates become ef- class rate can not be forwarded from the office or original address 50,00 Letters and other first-class mat- to another post office without a

Economy is the War Cry.

OUR SLOGAN A Membership Card in Every Window-An Instruction Card in Every Kitchen in Ballinger and Runnels County.

will also be subject to two-cents Angelo Sunday afternoon to accompany Dr. J. D. Sandefer, of The rate of postage is not af. Abilene, who made the closing feeted on printed cards bearing speech for the pros in the Tom

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

R. S. Bowden, of the Maverick country, had business in Ballinger Monday, and was a pleasant caller at The Ledger office.

The Woman's Tonic

Sold Everywhere

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OUR PURE AND PEERLESS milk is a boon to children. No crime is worse than putting poor milk before the little ones. Rich, clean and creamy milk, direct from the farm to you, is what we offer. Nevel mind the price, it's no higher,

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

# Miller Mercantile Company

#### Mass Meeting Moved from Library to M. E. Church

(Continued from first page.)

Means-Rev. R. B. Morgan. How the School Teacher can

Help-Judge A. K. Doss. Plan of Work-Judge Parish. Quartette-Be a Man.

Reading-Help Save with Hoover-Miss Wilmeth. Dismission-Rev. King.

#### Sheriff's Notice of Election for Mrs Smith Recommends Chambthe Issuance of School Bonds.

The State of Texas)

County of Rannels) established by order of the Board found them a pleasant laxative. of County School Trustees of this These tablets tone up the stomach pages I and 2, of the minutes of trial, get well and stay well. Records of School Districts, Runnels County, Texas, to determine, whether a majority of thde legally qualified property taxpaying voters of that district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and Mrs. Rrankin Jones returned triet in the amount of \$1200,00, had been visiting relatives. the bonds to be of the denomination of \$100.00 each numbered con INCREDIBLE RESULTS secutively from one to 12, both in clusive, payable 20 years from their date, with option of redemption after 10 years, and bearing while said bonds or any of them prises, Jno. A. Weeks, Druggist. are outstanding, a tax upon al! taxable property within said dis-

sinking fund sufficient to pa e principal at maturity

All persons who are legally qua ified voters of this State and Cour ty, and who are resident propert taxpayers in said district shall Address-What This Campaign entitled to vote at said election. Said election was ordered by th County Judge of this County ! order made on the 20th day of Oct 1017, and this notice is given i oursuance of said order.

Dated the 22 day of Oct., 1917. [29-5-12] J. D. PERKINS, Sheriff Runnels Co., Texas

### er lain's Tablets.

"I have had more or less stom ach trouble for eight or ten years' writes Mrs. G. H. Smith, Brewer Notice is hereby given that an ton, N. Y. "When suffering from election will be held on the 17th attacks of indigestion and heavi day of November, 1917, at Bethel ness after eating, one or two of School House in Common School Chamberlain's Tablets have al District No. 6 of this County, as ways relieved me. I have also county, of date the 23rd da of Aug and enable it to perform it funcust, 1915, a certified copy of tions naturally. If you are troub which order is recorded in Book 1. led with indigestion give them a

> W. E. Chambers went to Santa Anna Saturday on business.

credit of said Common School Dis- Saturday from iMles, where she

#### STARTLE BALLINGER.

There has never been anything here with the INCREDIBLE relegally contracted in equipping and constructing permanent repairs of brick material to the Beth-had tried three different glasses of Public Free School building of for weak influence of the Beth-had tried three different glasses of the Beth-had tried el Public Free School building of for weak, inflamed eyes, ONE cough medicine we have used." said District, and to determine Lavoptik wash surprised her. We whether a majority of the legally guarantee a small bottle to benefit H. D. Ivey of Hutchinson counof this county shall be authorized EVERY CASE weak, strained or ty passed through Ballinger Monto levy, assess and collect annually inflamed eyes. ONE WASH sur- day enroute to San Angelo.

interest on said bonds and provide iting friends at relatives.

# SUMMONINGS JURY FOR COUNTY COURT

Sheriff Perkins is rounding up 36 men to serve as jurors for the November term of county court, eighteen of the men to serve the first week and eighteen the third week. The second week being the regular quarterly commissioners' court week. It is the first time in several years that a two weeks' jury has been drawn, quite a numb er of jury eases being on the docket and an effort will be made to clean up the docket at this term.

Following is the jury drawn for the first week, and who are being summoned to appear at one-thirty Monday, November 5th:

-		Wingat
=	F. A. Braden	Ballinge
y	H. C. Gardner	Balling
	Louis Afflerbach	Ballinge
1.	W. A. Hunton	Mile
1-	Geo. Kerley	Ballinge
v	N. J. O'Quinn	Mile
e	Jas. Baron	Wingat
2	Jno. W. Batts	Rowens
e	P. K. Laxon	Ballinge
V	J. R. Branham	Winter
	W. W. Hall,	Winter
n	Y. M. Glaze	Mile
	R. B. Hambright,	Nortor
1	J. M. London	Nortor
	W I Poselan	Rallinger
. !	W. C. Barrett	Nortor
1	W. Pink King	Crews
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The following named men have been summoned to appear for the

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	third week, Monday, Nov. 19,	ij
	one-thirty:	
	E. H. Colburn Balling	e,
	J. R. Fielder	1
	C. J. LynnBalling	e
	R. H. Gambill Winter	-1
	W. T. Little Winte	1
	G. H. DierschkeBalling	e.
	W. H. Cain Balling	21
	N. E. AtkinsonTal	p
	D. E. Bartlett Winte	6
	Fred Foster	te
	L. Balwin Winte	47
	D. E. Hawkins Winte	e
	T. A. DukeBalling	e
1	D. A. Dumas	e
	C. M. GibsonBend	oì
	J. F. DenaBalling	e.
j	C. P. Nunn Winga	1
1	C. P. Nunn	e

### Most Reliable.

writes, payable annually on April 10th of sults of pure Lavoptik eye wash. Remedy has been used in my moth finally embedded itself in the bone each year, to provide founds to be one man's eyes were so badly or's home and mine for years and of the boy's heel. He had to be expended in payment of accounts strained he could not read with er's home and mine for years, and of the boy's heel. He had to be

John Thurman of Santa Anna supply your wedding announcetriet sufficient to pay the current was in Ballinger over Sunday vis- ments as cheap as any house in not the important question. We WANTED-Clean, White Rags. Texas, engraved or printed.

## Regulate Your Eating to Keep Others from Starving

To All Patriots of the Home:

ery man does his bit may prove to your country and for your boys. be the turning point of the war. Nothing should be left undone to save our boys who are going to the front. On the other hand, there is not a boy who is going to the front that will not give all preserve the honor and integrity the prohibitionists. of the nation under whose banner

What kind of boys are we sendng to the front? We expect to send one million brave boys. Most of them are just approaching manhood-filled with hopes and aspirations, and who little dreamt that they had been preparing themselves to defend the country they love against the most highly or ganized foe the world has ever known. The responsibility which rests upon them calls for a courage, a determination and a patriotboys will meet the responsibility, meet it bravely and victoriously, none of us entertain the slightest

Not long ago at a great college regetta a dozen crews were lined up on the Hudson for a four-mile men, clean morally and mentally; physically perfect. The banks of he-river were lined with people by the thousands, waiting to cheer their favorite crew alon to victory. The signal was given. At that instant almost a hundred oars touched the water and with perfect lals, free. rhym these crews shot down the river. Toward the end of the race one eight-oar shell took the lead and finished a few inches in advance of the others. As this boat took the lead thousands of people remarked upon the rhym of the not let the home company do the stroke and the grace with which work-we will appreciate the the men rowed. There was no order. hesitation, no flinching, no easing up on a single oar.

After this boat crossed the line, the crew rowed over to the dock Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the and every member of the erew except one stepped out. What had After many years' experience in happened to him? early in the race the use of it and other cough med- a brass serew had worked loose icines, there are many who prefer in the foot rest and had, during Chamberlain's to any other. Mrs. the race gradually worked thru A. C. Kirstein, Greenville, Ill., the thin sole of his shoe, penetrat-"Chamberlain's Cough ed the skin, entered the flesh and and yet not once did he fail to WANTED-Girl or woman to throw all his power into the stroke that was to win the-race.

is one of a million young men who 337. are going to the front. Every one WANTED-Several boys with of these fellows will stick whether The Ballinger Printing Co., can he faces machine guns or the cold steel of the bayonet. But this is have undertaken a task in this Ledger office, Ballinger. enrollment campaign. Our task is to see that dvery other person sticks to his task, which is to sup- IRRIGATED FARM FOR SALE

the people at home. The campaign is here. This is Angelo, Texas. the time when every person is going to make his great drive. This FOR SALE-55 acre place, one is the time when we are going to mile from Ballinger. Well imknow just how many American proved. Will sell at a bargain. Ap families are going to back the boys ply at Ledger. at the front. This is the time when we are going to find out who sticks and who quits.

see to it that every family in our large screened in sleeping porch. what our engagements, no matter ently painted and papered. what the weather may be, no mat- D.T.F. D.H. ter how much money we might earn during the time that we will have to give up to this work, let LOST-F. & M. Coin Purse, with everyone be a true patriot and small change. Finder please re join the ranks of those who pledg- turn to Ledger office ed themselves to stick; to see it LOST Between the Truly boardthrough; to fight it out and not

south and central west and the dlt. northwest indicate that this is gofull proportion of families commit- office.

Ited to food conservation. There In these stirring days when our is no apathy in your part of the country faces the most colossal country, and we know that you do task in its entire history, the spirit not want it. You are called to and determination with which ev. duty, you are going to respond for

Yours Sincerely, U. S. Food Administration,

Pres. J. D. Sandifer of Simmons College passed through Ballinger that he has, even life itself, to where he spoke in the interest of

C. P. Shepherd left Sunday for Austin to attend to some city bus-

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Luseas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing ism almost sublime. That these County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of late Monday. It was reported that One Hundred Dollars for each and the delay was due to a washout, every ease of Catarrh that cannot but later reports stated that the be cured by the use of Hall's delay was due to a blowout. Catarrh Cure. Frank J. Cheney.

Sworn to before me and subrace. In every boat were eight scribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.

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New Castle, Ind .- "The measles left me run down, no appetite, could not rest at night, and I took a severe Sunday going to San Angelo, where he spoke in the interest of the prohibitionists.

Mrs. E. D. Walker and son, Phillip, went to San Antonio Saturday to visit her son, Edward, who is in the army.

C. P. Shepherd left Sunday for the sunday for the spoke in the sunday for the su

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