# BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

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Huns Hurled Back in New Drive

## For Hobby and Wilson **Against Jim and Kaiser**

Winters, Texas, July 15 .- At law abiding people and are loyal should be kept. the close of his address here last to the core. Ferguson will not Saturday night in behalf of the carry one county in five in East candidacy of Governor Hobby, Texas. Numbers of counties in-Senator Strickland asked all who cluding my own (Anderson) will favored Governor Hobby for gov- defeat Ferguson five to one. He ernor against Jim Ferguson to has some following in a few small to stand up. 500 men and women stood up. The speaker then asked where they are resisting the draft 200 SOLDIERS all Ferguson men to stand. Not and killing rangers and federal a person stood up.

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There will be few votes polled up. Fifty per cent of the Ferguhere for Ferguson. A large ban- son vote left him since the Gerner spans the main business street man-American Alliance disclosure. of the town with the following P. H. Hughes, Ferguson chairman sign painted on it: "For Hobby from my county, quit him and is and Wilson, against Ferguson and now on the stump against him. the Kaiser.

by an enthusiastic crowd here, and Ferguson six weeks ago at that his addrress followed one deliver- place, has changed and now activeed by Judge Cunningham, of Abi- ly supporting Hobby. This conlene, who spoke for Ferguson in dition is true all over East Texas. the afternoon. Senator Strick- Women have registered almost 100 land said :

that Ferguson is going to carry are for Hobby. A Ferguson wo-East Texas. My people are honest man is a curiosity in my section."

officers sent there to round them

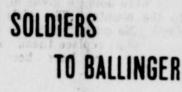
Harry Painter, mayor of Crockett, . Senator Strickland was greeted Houston county, who introduced

"I am here to repute the slander per cent, and ninety-five per cent

Typhoid Fever is a Very expensive and dangerous disease. It costs very little to be vaccinated against it....

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Capt. L. B. Stephens received a telegram Tuesday afternoon notifying him that his company of cavalry would be inspected next Monday morning at nine o'clock. Troop I of the Texas National

been added to the company since it was organized, and numbers now about 120 men.

The company has been patiently waiting to be federalized, devoting much time to preliminary drill work, and we dare say there will be no better trained troop in Texas when the National Guards are federalized. The boys have been A rise came down Elm Creek working both day and night and

schedule calls for negroes subject the upper dam. The city water ceived Tuesday Col. Forsythe and delicate work of administrating ing them without the sacrifice of ternoon July 30th. This county above the city lakes had pump- pected that within one week from negroes, and reports coming back lakes supplying the irrigators, and the inspectors authorize it, the lo-

soon and irrigating is made need the border for actual service and MAKES VISIT HOME

## **ALL REGISTRANTS** PHYSICALLY FIT

The local medical board was kept busy Tuesday passing on the physicial condition of registrants who registered on the 5th of June. Up to noon fifty men had been examined and only one turned down, vice. The remainder of the fifty men having been pronounced physically fit for army service.

The work continued throughout the afternoon, and it is expected that the entire list of young men who registered will be found fit for service, as they are a fine bunch of young men, all of whom have become twenty-one within the last year.

These men have been classified, practically all of them being placed in class one, and as soon as they have been physicially examin-Guard was organized here several for service, and many of them will ed they will be subject to call sources. no doubt be sent to training camps within the next thirty or sixty days, as the class one in the first registration has been exhausted.

#### WOMEN TO KILL PAIN.

Washington, July 16.-Many wounded dough boys prefer the tender care of women attendants when on the opgrating table. For this reason, the army is appointthe ether. Fifteen already have many men. been appointed the war department announces, receiving pay and DRILLING OIL WELL privileges of first lieutenants, without, however, the actual rank. Only graduate women physic-

(By United Press) The offensive which was launch. ed by the Germans yesterday morning was checked in a few hours. The drive on the allies started at day break yesterday, and the German advance was checked at midday. From then on the allies apparently assumed the initiative on most parts of the fifty mile front, and in counter attacks pushed the enemy back to and one accepted for limited ser- the starting point, inflicting severe losses.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

After the Germans. had. completely halted in their attack on the allies, the German command called off their infantry in the afternoon, and up to ten o'clock today the enemy had failed to show indications of renewing their attack.

London, July 16 .- 4:28 P. M .-The first German rush in the new Campagne drive has definitely been checked , it was learned here this afternoon through official

Up to noon the enemy had not renewed its attack. The Germans received a heavy blow yesterday in fighting from Rheims to the Marne on a twenty mile front. Thousands of Germans were slain as they attempted to rush the allied lines.

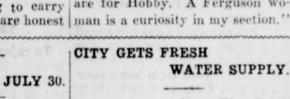
There is only desultery skirmish. ing between Chesy and Marne and Vaux, and local fighting elsewhere. The Americans stood their ground brilliantly, and met the ing women anaesthetists for the Germans with deadly fire, repuls-

### TOO DEEP.

Some of our friends inform us that a forty thousand foot oil well will not be necessary to bring in gusher in this country, and the IN AIRPLANE. well now going down near Rowena will be drilled four thousand feet instead of forty thousand as stated in Monday's Ledger. We have used figures by thou-The drafted men are scheduled to Sunday afternoon, and from all by's majority, that it was through and they will be mobilized here the city the people rushed out to a force of habit that we were so wreckless with figures in making mention of the depth to which the drill would be sent down in testing out the oil field here, and we stated that the well would be drilled to a depth of 35,000 to 40,000 feet when we should have However, any one with common sense enough to know that farmers can't make a crop without water, knows that it would be just as easy to drill a forty thousand foot well as it would to elect Ferguson governor of a Democratic state composed of American citizens.

### ALL NEGROES MUST GO ON JULY 30.

Tuesday schedule for shipping Monday afternoon, and by Tues- Sunday. negroes to army camps. The day noon water was running over According to the telegram reto service at this time to en train supply was ample for many Major Schramm will be here to inon the regular train Tuesday af- months, but irrigation on the creek spect the local troop, and it is exhas furnished quite a number of ed the water pretty low in the date of inspection, or as soon as from the training camp states the supply will be worth a good cal troop will be federalized and deal to them if it does not rain the boys ordered to some point on ans are eligible.



#### FIRST RUNNELS COUNTY MELONS.

R. L. Wiley, who had an irrigated farm on Elm Creek, came in Tuesday and was marketing his first wagon load of water melons Ranger oil fields Sunday to look on the streets of Ballinger. This after business interests a few days. is the first of the Runnels county He came over in the auto with R. melons brought in to market.

essary again soon. The farmers training.

Colorado river are longing for a Guards here next Monday will head rise in that stream.

Henry Bagley came in from the O. Walton.

who own irrigating plants on the The inspecting of the National

make the day quite a patriotic one in Ballinger, as on this day eight men will en train for Camp Travis. leave here at 7:50 in the afternoon the homes and other buildings in throughout the day preceeding entrainment.

HOME GROWN CORN;

HOME MADE BROOMS

J. M. C. Scott, formerly a broom

duces, was in the city Tuesday with a supply of brooms made out

of corn grown this year. Mr.

of Ballinger.

The steady humming of an airplane motor was a sound which attracted the attention of hundreds of people in Brownwood | erane their necks looking for the flying visitor. The machine could be seen far up in the air, and there was much speculation as to the identity of the aviators. The aviators were Lieutenant V. J. Meloy and Sergeant J. C. McComville of Kelley Field, San Antonio, said 3,500 to 4,000 feet. who had been visiting friends in Coleman over Sunday. They went to Coleman Saturday afternoon, making stops at Fredericksmanufacturer of Brownwood, and burg and near Brownwood. The who is now growing broom corn trip from San Antonio was made in this coun'ty, and manufacturing in six and a half hours .- Brownbrooms out of the material he pro- wood Bulletin.

#### BOYS MAKING GOOD.

Scott lives about fifteen miles west W. E. Barbee received a card In discussing the broom corn in. Tuesday morning from Ernest T. Brownwood where they had been dustry with a Ledger man Mr. Gaston, who with W. R. Puckett, Scott stated that he would make deputy county clerk, left here considerable corn regardless of the some weeks ago to enter the U.S. drouth, and that with fall service at Camp Mabry and says: Jimmie Speer and Mr. and Mrs. rains he will make a reasonably "We finished our course Wednes- Lawrence Roberts and children, good crop. He says he is still day and left Thursday morning of Winters, were the guests of planting, expecting it to rain in for Camp Bowie and are here their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Under normal conditions broom 36th Division, which wont be long. while en route home from an auto corn brings from \$200 to \$300 per Have stood my overseas examinaton. It is selling as high as \$500 tion. Camp Malry is some fine per ton now, and Mr. Scott says place, but very hot. I made good it can be raised here profitable and got my diploma.

Yours truly, ERNEST T. GASTON.

#### ARRIVED IN FRANCE.

with anything like normal seasons.

time to make broom corn.

safely in France.

S. B. Caperton has purchased the business heretofore run by I. A. Mr. and Mrs. Sim Cottlle receiv- Garrick at Winters and will move ed a card from the U. S. Govern- there Wednesday to take charge. ment Tuesday stating that the We regret to lose this good family ship that Edward Spill and com- from our city and we are sure that pany had sailed on had arrived the Winters people will appreciate the merit of this excellent family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miller, of Winters, passed through Ballinger Tuesday en route home from to attend the funeral of her mother

Madams Pete Speer, Will and waiting to ship over seas with the Chapman a few hours Tuesday trip to South Texas.

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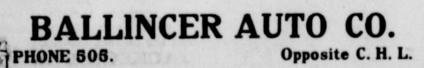
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... Editor W. Sledge ..... GOOD DEMAND FOR OUR ROAD BONDS

Parish that there is a good demand proud of. with quite a number of bidders for the \$75,000 road bonds recently SHIPPING CATTLE AND HOGS. ployed. voted by the people of this precinct. The report that the commissioners court would have to shipped out to the Fort Worth probably a premium, as there is eween the shipperrs. keen bidding on this class of bonds.

Judge Parish stated that the bonds would be approved this week, and he is expecting to get an O. K. on them every day, and as soon as this is done the steps for converting them into cash and speeding up on the road work will be well under way.

Men have applied to the court for work, and Commissioner Kirk stated that it was his intention to use all the home labor that could be handled to a good advantage in building the roads according to the highway engineer's instruc-

FIRE INSURANCE The Best Companies

The overwhelming majority vote cast for the bonds indicate that the sentiment of the people is back of the proposition, and this a shortage of unattractive girls of Publication, 711 Hutchings counts for a great deal in disposing of the bonds and in carrying out the work as outlined by the commissioners court. In view of Bonds, which are free from taxation, the ready sale for the road

Seven car loads of cattle were sacrifice the bonds and sell them and Oklahoma markets Tuesday at a big discount in order to con- as follows: W. T. Routh, one car county left Monday afternoon for vert them into cash is false. The cattle, Middleton & Faris, Claud Camp Fort Sam Houston to enter court received offers of 98 cents Wilmeth, a car each and W. F. the U. S. army : Melvin Lee Chrisfor the bonds shortly after they Street, hogs to Fort Worth and tian, Albert Schwertner, Leo Mulwere voted, and they will receive eattle to Oklahoma and Charlie ter, Victor Mika, Adolph Christian ful. All our travel in France has ulments so common to women, why not at least face value for them, and Evans, seven cars in number be- Ernst, Frances Carl Kirby, Pedro



#### QUAKER CITY GIRLS ARE TOO ATTRACTIVE. TROY SIMPSON

in Philadelphia, and the eigar dealers have to take the consequences. Girl eigar clerks were employed the fact that the United States but all the girls were fatally atgovernment is offering such liber- tractive. So many men who ought land,' eigar stores, stealing conversations and smiles, that the dealers felt bonds of this district at face value they were doing a great injustice for the last forty days, but have We learn through County Judge commissioners court should feel fired. No unattractive one could be found to replace them, so men past draft age have been em-

#### LEFT FOR ARMY SERVICE.

The following young men of this Rodriquez, and Willie Haupt, to Camp Travis.

LANDS IN FRANCE

Mrs. D. C. Simpson is in receipt of a letter from her son, Troy. The so as to release men for war work, letter received from Mr. Simpson came from "Somewhere in Engal rate of interest on Liberty Loan to be at work loafed about the from "Somewhere in France," and says in part:

> to the country. The girls were written you as often as I could. 1 arrived at this place yesterday and believe me I was sure glad to get some where and sleep on a real bed again.

"I think we will be here for quite a while and it is such a fine place, much more comfortable than we had in America. We fl need a tonic. I am glad to testify to traveled for several days in France | what it has done for me, so as to help and when you see the country you don't wonder that they fight so been very pleasant. Some of the five Cardui a trial? Recommended by boys had to ride in box cars and most all of them in third class passenger, but I have been fortunate and have been in first class car all of the time.

"I am anxious to get some mail from home. In a few days now our mail shall get to us. I have not heard a word from home since I left, and I am sure anxious to hear what is going on. I am getting along fine and feel as good as I ever did in my life and am still gaining weight. I have traveled 8,700 miles since I last saw you. Since we left Texas I have had many new experiences and hardships. We have traveled almost every way, slept in every shape, form and fashion, eaten almost every kind of food and some time it was awful short, was in the wet and cold, but arrived here vesterday about ten pounds heavier than when I started, and I never felt better in my life. I have stood things that would have killed me a year ago, and on the whole trip I never suffered even a bad cold. 'The trip has been worth more to me than I could estimate, and I would not take anything for my experiences. Will write you again in a few days."

### **GLAD TO TESTIFY** Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va .- Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly ... Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had errible headache, backache, and bearinglown pains, and would just drag and ad no appetite. Then . . . it would last . two weeks, and was so weakening, ind my health was awful. My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after

aking the first bottle, so kept it up till I ook three ... I gained, and was well ind strong, and I owe it all to Cardui,

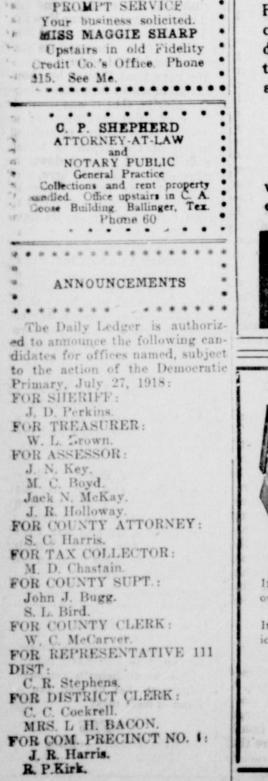
I am married now and have 3 "ildren . . Have never had to have a doctor for emale trouble, and just resort to Cardul thers."

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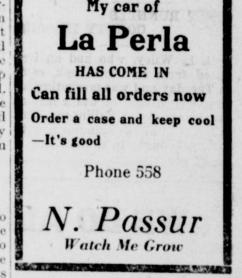
#### FORGOT TO REGISTER.

Local board has registered two negroes and four Mexicans in the last two weeks that FORGOT to register on the day set by the President, through arrangements with the Department of Justice these men were allowed to waive all claims and be placed in class one and will all go into service this month, thereby increasing the board's number of class one men six.

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Tillie Carter left Monday for Paint Rock, and has the contract to erect a school house 8 miles east of that place. He ordered the Daily Ledger to his address to keep posted on the home news.

S. A. Mathews, of the Hatchel country was in Ballinger Tuesday to meet Walter Walker who was en route home from Camp Travis to be at the bedside of his mother Mrs. E. B. Walker who is seriously ill.

#### J. D. COULTER MOVES HIS HEADQUARTERS.

1 have moved my delivery and laundry stand from the Bank Barber Shop to the Ideal Barber Shop. New Phone number is 57. Will continue to make prompt deliveries and take up laundry on Monday and Thursday. J. D. COULTER, 11-d6t

### **Primary Tickets Ready** For Voters To Scratch

The official ballots for the pri- a voting strength of more than mary election to be held on July 4,000, making it necessary to 27th, have been printed and are print more than 6,000 tickets. ready for the voters to scratch. however, it is estimated that not LOST-Brown leather handbag, The law requires that one and a more than 3,000 votes will be between Miles and Talpa. Re- half times as many tickets be prin- polled.

turn to Mrs. J. C. Hanks, Blanket, and get reward. ted as there are voters, and a con-ber d get reward. The ticket as made up, showing the ticket as made up, showing the names of all candidates from poll tax payments and registra- governor to precinct officers, is tions, shows that this county has as follows:

#### For United States Senator:

Morris Sheppard, Bowie County.

#### For Governor:

W. P. Hobby, Jefferson County. James E. Ferguson, Bell County.

#### For Lieutenant Governor:

W. A. Johnson, Hall County. L. H. Bailey, Harris County. T. W. Davidson, Harrison County. John M. Henderson, Morris County. S. B. Cowell, Grayson County. John R. Moore, Anderson County.

#### For Chief Justice Supreme Court:

Nelson Phillips, Dallas County.

#### For Associate Justice Supreme Court:

Thomas B. Greenwood, Anderson County. J. D. Harvey, Harris County.

#### For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals:

O. S. Lattimore, Tarrant County. R. H. Ward, Bexar County. William Pierson, Hunt County. C. A. Pippen, Dallas County.

#### For State Treasurer:

John W. Baker, Crosby County. J. M. Edwards, Runnels County.

#### For Attorney General:

John W. Woods, Taylor County. C. M. Cureton, Bosque County. Marshall Spoonts, Tarrant County.

#### For Railroad Commissioner:

Clarence E. Gilmore, Van Zandt County. C. H. Hurdleston, Tarrant County. John L. Andrews, Dallas County.

#### For Comptroller of Public Accounts:

H. B. Terrell, McLennan County. Sam H. Goodlett, Travis County. C. C. Mayfield, Erath County.

#### For Commissinger of General Land Office:

J. T. Robison, Morris County.

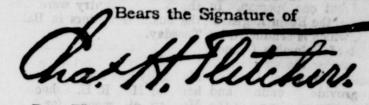


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#### For Representative 111th District:

C. R. Stephens, Runnels County.

#### For District Attorney 35th Judicial District:

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H. A. Halbert, Coleman County. Fred W. Davis, Cooke County.

#### For Superintendent of Public Instruction:

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For Tax Collector:

M. D. Chastain.

For County Superintendent Public Instruction:

John J. Bugg. L.S. Bird.

For Sheriff:

J. D. Perkins.

For County Surveyor: J. E. Powell

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For Justice Peace Precinct No. 1 Paul Trimmier

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## **NEW QUARTERS FOR U, S. EMPLOYEES**

Washington, July 16.-The United States Civil Service Commis- Bronte, Coke county, came in quarter. sion announces that it is now in Monday to accompany their position to state definitely to the daughter-in-law, Mrs. Earl Ivy MANICURE GIRLS MAY public that steps will be taken at who left in the afternoon to visit once to relieve the congested liv- relatives at Lampasas a few weeks. ing conditions in Washington, which have been an obstacle in the way of recruiting the civil ser- out of Dallas, came in Sunday to handcuffs and tears as her unvice to meet war needs. The spend a few days with his family willing part in a Canadian Tom-Commission is advised by the De- and to look after business inter- my's idea of a poke. He became partment of Labor that the erec- ests in Ballinger. tion of temporary hotels and restaurants, to be conducted under Government supervision for the use of federal employees in Wash- sed through Ballinger Monday af- offered her wrists; he snapington, will begin at once.

It is expected that the first attend federal court. units will be ready for occupancy early in September. Accommodathe meantime, the Room Registra- the business visitors in Ballinger Coppings. tion Office, which is conducted by Tuesday. the District of Columbia Council

of Defense under the auspices of Prof. Frank Norton, who with port the Room Registration Of- work at the State University. fice had on its lists more than 5,000 rooms which had been in- Sergeant E. F. Gibson, of Camp ment has over four thousand spected and found available for Hicks, spent a short furlough with young Texans training them in Government employees.

night by applying at the booth of afternoon. the District Council of Defense, which is prominently situated in J. P. Kirby, of the Winters with her husband in the U. S. the Union Station, where all trains country camein Monday to ac- army and he was transferred to arrive.

W. R. Puchett, former deputy squad of young men shipped out county clerk, was spending a few from this county to begin service NOTICE TO PRECINCT hours in Ballinger Monday and for Uncle Sam at Camp Fort Sam went out to spend a short furlough Houston. with his parents near Wilmeth. He had just finished his training J. Leo Hardin spent a few days Revised Statutes of Texas, it will course at Camp Mabry and will at home and left Tuesday mornreport at Camp Bowie in a few ing for the oil fields in the Randays for overseas duties.

Jamison neighborhood, were among the visitors in Ballinger Monday

P. M. Candle and two sons and is son-in-law, W. A. Jackson, of the Pony Creek country and I. C. Browder and Fr. Schwertner of

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Ivy, of do for you. They cost only a

Creek country near Wingate, pas- celets, American pattern. She ternoon en route to San Angelo to ped on the cuffs.

tions will first be provided for ap- and D. L. Brevard, of the Mud When the afternoon passed Mabel proximately 5,000 persons. Ad- Creek country, H. W. Henniger, went to the police station where ditional accommodations will be T. L. Chapmond and W. M. Poe, expert locksmiths did their inefprovided as they are needed. Each of the Winters country, A. D. and feetive worst to free her. In the room will be arranged for the oc- R. P. Taylor, and F. M. Steele of end it required a visit to an Army cupancy of but one person. In the Norton country were among machinery depot to free Miss

the Council of National Defense, his family had been visiting at the is able to provide rooming and home of Mrs. R. H. Schooler, left boarding accommodations for the Monday afternoon for Austin Russell Caswell, and Laudie Grafnew appointees. At the latest re- where he is doing special school ton Ivey, will leave Wednesday for

Those who arrive on late trains Mrs. G. G. Carlisle and family, may find accommodations for the left for his post of duty Monday

was appointed Captain of the overseas.

R. P. Ingle and daughter, of the after oil business for a few weeks.

Chamberlain's Tablets.

These tablets are intended especially for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. If you he Miles country, were transact- have any troubles of this sort, give ng business in Ballinger Monday. them a trial and realize for yourself what a first class medicine will

### WRITE THE MORAL OF THIS.

London, July 16,-Mabel Cop-R. O. Walton, who is traveling pings, manicurist, spent a day in chubby while she was operating on his hands, and produced for W. A. Danford, of the Valley her wondering gaze a pair of bra-

> The Canadian then discovered he had left the key at home in the

F. M. Wood and C. E. McMillan oven, and rushed off to get it.

The Canadian is still missing.

#### GO TO STATE UNIVERSITY.

George Emmitt Davis, George the Mechanical school at the State University, Austin. The governhis wife at the home of her mother special work at this University.

Mrs. Alex McGregor returned home Monday night from San Pedro, Cal., where she had been company his son, F. C. Kirby, who Virginia and will likely soon go

### CHAIRMEN.

be the duty of each precinct chairger country and other points in man in the various voting prethat section, where he is looking cinets of Runnels County to call a convention of the voters of your precinct for the purpose of elect-Mrs. Sherley Shields left Mon- ing delegates to the county conday afternoon for Gustine to visit vention to be held the first Saturin August at the Court House relatives on a short vacation trip in Ballinger You are allowed one delegate Rev. R. B. Morgan returned for each 25 votes east for the the last general election or major fraction thereof, which said delegate should have the proper credentials showing his authority to T. E. Brown, one of the pioneer attend and participate in the counand highly esteemed citziens of ty convention. A list of the acthis county but now of Brown- creditable delegates should be Here is a letter that is certain wood, came in Tuesday at noon made out by the precinct chairsent in to the county chairman, so that the county chairman may know who is entitled to partici-Uncle Johnnie Ballew, of the pate and be seated as delegate in

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Alfred P. Luckett, and George | E. L. Rasberry.

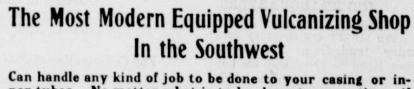
Reeder, of Miles passed through Ballinger Sunday en route for Ranger and points in North and East Texas where they will inspect the various oil fields in that section with a view to investing.

Lame Shoulder.

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Ths ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles. Mrs. Luckett is spending the time All that is needed is absolute rest during her husband's absence and a few applications of Chamwith her parents, Mr. and Mrs. berlain's Liniment. Try it.



ner tubes. No matter what is to be done to your tires, if it can be done in Texas, we can do it-and do it for less.

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Wm. Messenmever, of the Win ters country, Louie Strubee, of the Olfen country, J. H. Browder and home Monday afternoon from R. E. Coleman, of the Miles, and Mertzon where he had been con- party's candidate for governor at C. M. Bartee, of the Crews coun- ducting a protracted meeting the try and W. G. Ray, of the Maver- past few weeks, and reports a very ick section were among the busi- successful meeting, ness visitors in Ballinger Monday.

#### MRS. BARNS' LETTER.

to prove of interest to people in to visit his son Pink and Red man and precinct secretary and this vicinity, as cases of this sort Brown and families a week or two. occur n almost every neighborhood, and people should know what to do in like circumstances.

Savannah, Mo., Oct. 12, 1916. "I used a bottle of Chamber- day to accompany his daughter lain's Colic and Diarhoea Remedy about nine years ago and it cured me of flux (disentery) I had another attack of the same com-

ack east. plaint some three or four years ago and a few doses of this remedy Mineral Wells to be gone about convention be fairly represented eured me. I have recommended one month where he will sell and that whatever is done in the

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Chamberlain's Colic and Diar- some property, after which he will county convention, be the will of rhoea Remedy to dozens of people return to Ballinger and continue the majority and not the minority. since I first used it.' to make his home.

### Cold Drinks, Home Made Ice Cream, **Candies and Salted Peanuts**

All these please the CHILDREN and some older ones.

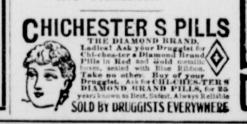
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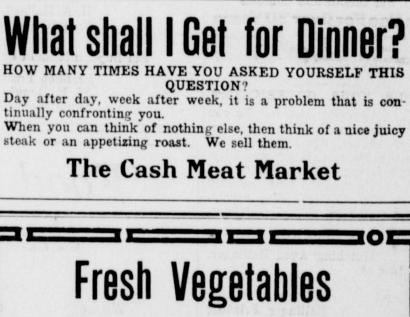
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Mazeland country, came in Tues- the county convention. I insist that each precinct chairin law, Mrs. Earl Ballew who left man call this convention sometime in the afternoon for her home during the day on the 27th of July, election day, at some convenitne place at or near the polls, FrankHutto left Tuesday for as it is my desire that the county

If the precinct chairman is not present or fails to attend to this, I suggest that a meeting be held by those present and select a temporary chairman and secretary and elect delegates to the county convention, as above outlined.

ED KERBS, Chairman Runnels County Executive Committee.





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