

# BALLINGER DAILY LEDGER

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## PRO AMENDMENT FINALLY PASSED

Austin, July 18.—The Senate today finally passed the bill putting into effect the amendment for state-wide prohibition. The vote was nineteen to seven, showing that only a small number of the senators voted. The bill now goes to the house.

## Yanks Won in This Contest

Paris, (By Mail).—Just who won the war is still a live question of debate, but there is argument as to which nation's warriors came off best in matrimonial contests in France. The Yanks won.

A typical example of how completely the American doughboys in France outclassed their British Belgian and other rivals is furnished by the marriage bureau of La Rochelle, a small seaport down on the coast between Bordeaux and St. Nazaire.

The Americans started with a severe handicap. The other Allies had had three years and more to entice away the girls of La Rochelle before the doughboys had even learned to say "Bon jour."

But the figures tell the best story of ultimate triumph. A total of sixty-three girls of the seaport town married foreign soldiers during the course of the war. Twenty-three of them were won by Americans. Belgium came in second best, carrying off nineteen brides.

Other armies were represented in the following proportions: Italians, five; England, three; Swiss, three; Russians, three; Spanish, two; Danes, one; Poland, Greece, Cuba and Turkey each scored one. Throughout France the story of La Rochelle was repeated.

Father Goldbach went to Romena Friday to fill his appointment there.

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## Conflicting Thoughts



## Airplanes Will Arrive Here Saturday Morning

Four large army trucks arrived in town shortly after noon, Friday, loaded with the motors and parts of planes which will be displayed here during the next week.

The planes will not arrive in Ballinger until Saturday morning, and will give the first flight immediately upon their arrival.

The soldiers who came with the trucks are unloading and setting up their tent on Hutchings Avenue, near the Freeze building this afternoon, and will open up for visitors Saturday morning.

Four airplanes and a large collection of Liberty motors, bombs, machine guns, airplane parts and a fifty thousand dollar electrical plant for lighting the field will make up the exhibition. A landing place was selected by the aviators on their return trip to Coleman the first of the week but has not been made public as yet. It is thought, however, that the landing field will be east of town, near the Routy place. Lieut Coningsby looked over several fields in and near town, but stated that on account of the hot weather that a larger field would be necessary.

A large tent will be erected on a lot near the ice plant, in which the motors, bombs, and other parts, will be on exhibition during

## Cavalry Division to be Organized

Washington, July 17.—Organization of the extra cavalry division provided for in war department plans for the national guard will be pushed vigorously, it was said today. There is no anticipation that the sixteen divisions of infantry, corresponding to the war organizations of the state forces, will be completed this year but efforts will be made to get the cavalry unit, six regiments of which will be raised in Texas, in condition to be mobilized against any emergency. The infantry divisions will be numbered 51 to 66 inclusive, instead of 26 to 42 as during the war. The numbers up to and including 50 are reserved for regular army divisions, most of which would be created only in the event of war. Plans for the regular organization call for cavalry division recruits from the entire country but also stationed in Texas.

## MERTZON MAN IS SERIOUSLY SLASHED

(An Angelo Standard)

A charge of assault with intent to murder was filed Monday by Sheriff Hawley C. Allen against Jim Myres of Christoval. Myres is alleged to have seriously wounded Bob Bates of Mertz on a difficulty at Christoval last Friday afternoon.

Mr. Bates was slashed across his left shoulder and around his left side and was stabbed between the ribs and in the groin. A report from St. John's sanitarium Tuesday afternoon was that Mr. Bates is steadily improving and will likely be able to sit up Wednesday.

The filing of charges against Mr. Myres was delayed several days until the outcome of the wounded man's condition could be better ascertained. An examining trial will be held within a day or two. The complaint Monday was filed in Justice W. T. George's court.

### PRESENTS HOSPITAL

New York, July 17.—John D. Rockefeller has presented a hospital to the city of New York to be placed on Warwick farm formerly a city home for inebriates, but which is to be turned into a home for drug addicts.

Mayor Hylan today announced acceptance of the gift.

## ANOTHER EFFORT REPEAL DAYLIGHT SAVINGS LAW

### A Perfect Lady---

He went to a fountain with Mary  
And met with an awful mishap;  
For he awkwardly emptied  
A glassful  
Of grape juice all over her lap!  
But Mary was gentle and gracious  
(For none is so tactful as she!)  
And smiling with perfect composure,  
Said sweetly: "The drinks are on me!"  
There are many kinds of ice cream, but Alta-Vista leads them all.  
We are the exclusive agents.

**J. Y. Pearce  
Drug Co.**

Washington, July 18.—Another effort was made to repeal the daylight saving law by attaching a clause to the agricultural bill by the House Appropriations Committee today, in spite of the fact that President Wilson had vetoed the bill recently.

The Senate Appropriations Committee voted to report favorably the sundry civil bill. This carried with it an appropriation of fourteen million dollars for the vocational education of soldiers and sailors.

R. B. Creasy left for Whorton Thursday on business.

## ASKS THAT TEXAS MAY PROTECT OWN BORDER

### LONGVIEW BACK TO CIVIL LAW

Austin, July 18.—The state of martial law was lifted in Longview today. The situation is now quiet, but the militia troops from Greenville are being retained to maintain order.

### BALLINGER BOYS IN MUSICAL SHOW

"The Changeling" is the title of a three act musical comedy which was presented by members of the 21st Field Artillery Band in the Fifth Division area in France one of the programs of which was sent to editor Sledge by musician Troy Simpson.

Simpson took the part of the village postmaster in the play, and musician Diaz Wood played as First Sergeant Baccus.

In the Forward, the comedy is described as follows: "The scene is laid in Central Southern States, thereby bisecting the area from which most of the enlisted personnel was drawn. The plot, if there is any, is to depict the changes wrought in everyone by the contact of army life. The reason such a play was written and staged was to make the time of waiting seem more short and to give the Regiment an insight on the Thespian ability of some of its members."

### ANOTHER HUN REPUBLIC

Coblenz, July 17.—A republic has been proclaimed in Birkenfeld in the allied area of occupation. A provisional government was formed Monday and complete separation from Oldenburg proclaimed.

Austin, July 18.—A resolution introduced in the Senate today by senator Dayton declares that if the United States government will not protect the lives of Texans along the Mexican border, she should by all means allow Texas to do so. He added that when Texas entered the Union she expected that the lives and property of her citizens should be protected by the United States government. The resolution was referred to the senate military committee.

Mr. Flyn Harris of Brownwood, is visiting a few days with his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Powell.

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M. W. Sledge ..... Editor

There never was a greater vein of optimism in the West than at the present. And why not? It is coming back with a kick that is surprising the oldest inhabitants.

Everybody works now, even father is compelled to sweat down his collar. There is no vacation ahead for the farmer this season he is out of one job into another. It is threshing now, plowing and hoeing his cotton, soon it will be heading maize, then cotton picking will be the order of the day.

There is a tendency to bemoan



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everything that smacks of progress in these times. You can drop around most any crowd and you will hear them lambasting something or somebody. For instance the present Legislature comes in for its share of the gaff. As a matter of fact the legislature of Texas is to day a higher class of men, intellectually, than ever before, more men are educated, better read, broader, and more capable of handling the affairs of state than they were 25 or 30 years ago. We are not denying that there are exceptions to the rule, for that is always true. Years ago there were a few shining lights, men who towered above their fellows in the halls of the law making bodies of America, but we assert that the general average is improved. They think for them selves and do not follow their leaders with the blind admiration as in the past.

You will find this tendency in the churches, they will bemoan the fact the modern preacher is not as "spiritual" as in the days of yore, but we assert that this is not true, it is merely a different way of manifesting the spiritual side of the Christian life. Deeds not words is the slogan of the modern preacher. Thus it is in all avenues of life. This is the best age of the world's history, and is not going to the Bow-wows.

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

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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State Press in Dallas News is constantly getting letters from some member of the fair sex protesting to him about something or somebody. This seems to worry him these days, he is not as patient with the folly and foibles of woman as he was in days of yore. Why this is, one is made to wonder, it may be that State Press is developing that species of ill nature, which is caused by his advanced years. I know he will resent this because all through his writings he tries to leave the impression that he is young and hand some, but his writings do not bear out this pretended front on his part. Mr. Taylor, you should continue that smooth, patient demeanor to and towards the fair sex, even if the weather is growing warmer and you are growing older.

**A TEXAS WONDER**

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, urea weak and lame back, rheumatism, and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two month's treatment, and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggist.

Patients and breadth of view are wonderful qualities, and should be acquired by humanity. We are to ready to praise people to the skies or condemn them to predication. We are made to note this tendency in listening to the every day conversations of the average person. For instance, in approving or condemning the league of nations, you will hear it absolutely condemned or absolutely approved. We contend that it has its good features and some objectionable features, but in the main it is good and should be accepted. When nations each lived for themselves and were not so closely linked by the ties of commerce and social contact the need was not so urgent, but in this modern day, when nations rub elbows in all phases of life an agreed set of laws of an international nature are just as necessary to the nations as is the Constitution of the United States is to the States. In fact International Law

has for ages been recognized not expressed in any written document and this instrument they call the league of nations is but an expression, in writing, of what has for ages been recognized. There are many people who condemn this proposed instrument that have never given it a moments serious thought and consideration.

WANTED—Men, women, and children to buy Thrift and War Saving Stamps. At postoffices, banks and other agencies. Always worth the money. tf

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

The State of Texas, County of Runnels.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court, in and for Precinct No. 1, Runnels County, on the 16th day of July 1919, by Paul Trimmer, Justice of the Peace in and for Precinct No. 1, Runnels County, Texas, for the sum of One Hundred Fifty Nine and 65/100 dollars, and cost of suit under a judgment, in favor of First National Bank, Winters, Texas, in a certain cause in said court, No. 1913 and styled First National Bank of Winters, Texas, a corporation vs. W. B. Riley, placed in my hand for service, I, J. A. Demoville, Constable of Precinct No. 1, Runnels County, Texas, did, on the 18th day of July 1919, levy on certain real estate, situated in Runnels County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being 100 acres of land out of the Lilly or Lyk Forsythe League and Labor sur. No. 459; Beginning at a point on the north boundary line of said sur. No. 450, 1131 varas north 60 degrees, east of its original northwest corner which is the northeast corner of a 147 acre tract heretofore deeded to J. R. Brown; Thence north 60 degrees east, 796 varas to a stake for corner Thence south 30 degrees east, 734 varas to northeast corner of a 200 acre tract sold to J. A. Street; Thence south 60 degrees west with said J. A. Street's north line 796 varas to J. R. Brown's south east corner. Thence north 30 degrees west 734 varas to the place of beginning, said land being fully described in a deed from J. M. Cordell, and wife, Maggie Cordell, to J. D. Dunn, dated Jan. 22nd, 1906, and recorded in vol. 77, page 558, deed records of Runnels county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said W. B. Riley, defendant in said cause, and that on the first Tuesday in Sept. 1919, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Runnels County, in the city of Ballinger, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said judgment and execution I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. B. Riley.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Runnels County.

Witness my hand, this 18th day of July 1919.

J. A. DeMerville, Constable Precinct No. 1, Runnels County.

Surgeons agree that in case of cuts, burns, bruises and wounds, the first treatment is most important. When an efficient antiseptic is applied promptly there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the ideal antiseptic and healing agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by Weeks Drug Store.

**Coleman County to Have Exhibit at Dallas Fair**

(Coleman Democrat)

Mr. W. F. Robinson, county agricultural agent, co-operating with the banks and other business interests of the county, is arranging to have a Coleman County farm and ranch exhibit at the Dallas Fair this fall.

To this end, all farmers and ranchmen of the county are requested to preserve some of their best products for this exhibition and notify Mr. Robinson, who will collect them as time permits.

The county should have a general exhibit of its resources, which includes wool, oil, pecans, honey, home-canned products and farm

**Health and Happiness**

Women of today seem to listen to every call of duty except the supreme one that tells them to guard their health. Home duties, church duties, war activities, and the hundred-and-one calls for charitable enterprises soon lead women to overdo. Nervousness, headaches, backaches and female troubles are the inevitable result.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was very weak, always tired, my back ached, and I felt sickly most of the time. I went to a doctor and he said I had nervous indigestion, which, added to my weak condition, kept me worrying most of the time—and he said if I could not stop that, I could not get well. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my husband wanted me to try it. I took it for a week and felt a little better. I kept it up for three months, and I feel fine and can eat anything now without distress or nervousness. Health and happiness? Yes, I have both now."—Mrs. J. WORTHLINE, 2813 North Taylor Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The majority of women nowadays overdo, there are so many demands upon their time and strength; the result is invariably a weakened, run-down nervous condition with headaches, backache, irritability and depression—and soon more serious ailments develop. Avoid them by taking in time

**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**

products in general. There will be no cost to individual exhibitors and there is the chance of securing a \$500 premium for the best general county exhibit.

J. C. Dibrell of this city received as a gift from Edwin F. Simms of Houston, five Buff Orpington pullets and a cockrel. The chickens have a pedigree. Mrs. Simms is vice-president of the Sinclair Gulf Company and president of the Simms Petroleum Company, which is drilling the Thomas well on the Dibrell ranch, also he raises fancy poultry on his country estate near Houston and in his flock is a cockrel which cost the present owner \$1000 and took first prize at the Madison Square Garden poultry show. Two pullets of the Simms flock cost the owner \$600 each and were third and fifth prize birds in the Madison Square show. The Dibrell birds are hatchlings from the Simms mating and the owner is naturally very proud of the chickens and their lineage. Mr. Dibrell was recently the guest of Mr. Simms for a day on his 3,500 acre estate near Houston. Five Light Brahma pullets and one cockrel were also received by Mr. Dibrell from the Simms flock.

Tax Assessor J. R. Strong tendered his resignation to the court upon condition that S. H. Gilliland be appointed to fill out the unexpired term. The court approved the resignation and appointed Mr. Gilliland, who executed bond in amount \$15,000, with following sureties: R. H. Alexander, C. M. Alexander, S. P. Woodward, E. K. Thomson, Walter C. Woodward.

Postmaster B. H. Pittman laked five days of being seventy-one years old Tuesday when he took his first airplane ride and he entered into the game with the enthusiasm of youth. He says all other joys of life pale into insignificance when compared with airplaning, and if he had the money—he would own an airplane before the week is out. A year ago it would have required a block and tackle to get the postmaster into the air machine.

A patch of oats on the W. H. Ransberger farm made 111 bushels per acre, and a patch of barley 35 bushels, according to the statement of W. T. Knox, who did the threshing. Threshing of wheat on the Ransberger farm is under way.

**Loss of Appetite**  
As a general rule there is nothing serious about a loss of appetite, and if you skip a meal or only eat two meals a day for a few days you will soon have a relish for your meals when meal time comes. Bear in mind that at least five hours should always elapse between meals so as to give the food ample time to digest and the stomach a period of rest before a second meal is taken. Then if you eat no more than you crave and take a reasonable amount of outdoor exercise every day you will not need to worry about your appetite. When the loss of appetite is caused by constipation as is often the case, that should be corrected at once. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets, will do it.

The Enterprise is in receipt of a card from Mr. and Mrs. Skaggs written at Key West and stating that they were having a fine trip. —Winters Enterprise.

Bedford Caperton and wife of Ballinger came out yesterday for a visit with Winters folks—Winters Enterprise.

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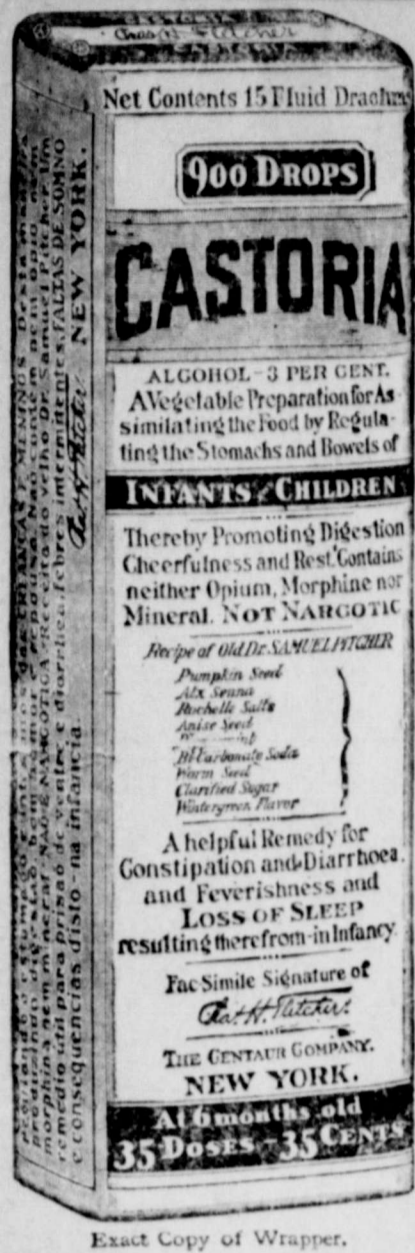
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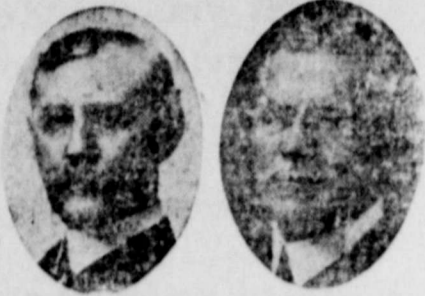
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JNO. N. SIMPSON, President  
W. H. STRATTON, Secretary

After two years, during a part of which time the grounds and buildings were patriotically turned over to "Uncle Sam" during the war, the gates of the State Fair of Texas will again open for the thirty-third session on Oct. 6th. This will be known as the "Victory Fair."

For many months our beloved State has been blessed with copious rains. These have transformed our fields into modern, variegated Gardens of Eden. Business is good. All conditions favor the most comprehensive, representative and largely attended Fair we have ever held. We hope to bring two people here where only one was here before.

Golden grain from fertile fields, luscious fruits from fragrant orchards, succulent vegetables from well-kept gardens; lowing herds of fattened cattle; magnificent thoroughbred horses, and all the other faithful, lowly friends of man; as well as riches from the marts of trade; modern creations of the inventive wizard's brain; the wonders of science; the beauties of art—in a word, our Twentieth Century Texas civilization will be typified, visualized at the Victory Fair!

It takes time to prepare displays. Are you seeing that your county, your home town, will be properly represented. Little display space is left.

In the spirit of fullest confidence, therefore, in the extent of our preparations, we most cordially invite the people of Texas, and of the entire Southwest, to accept this, our hearty invitation to be present Oct. 6th to 19th, so that you may enjoy to the utmost the benefits and pleasures that we have provided for you at the Victory Fair.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS,  
Jno. N. Simpson, W. H. Stratton,  
President Secretary

**SAM SPARKS BUYS  
UNIVERSITY FIELD**

Austin, July 17.—Sam Sparks, of this city, today bought Penn field from the University of Texas for \$107,500, to be used for a factory or cotton mill site, over six other bidders, three of whom represented cotton mill operators in Itasca, Waxahachie and Hillsboro. The university had spent \$583,000 on Penn field and the government will reimburse them for the difference between this amount and the sale price. It was used during the war as a school for training radio operators.

A bad taste in the mouth comes from a disordered stomach, and back of that is usually a typhoid liver. A condition which invites disease. Herbine is the remedy needed. It corrects the stomach and makes the liver active and regular. Sold by John A Weeks.

Dick Ward left Thursday for Dallas, where he will receive his discharge from the naval service after which he will return to Ballinger.

FOUND—Between sun-up and sun-down many golden minutes in which to buy Thrift and War Savings Stamps. dtf

**Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy**

This medicine always wins the good opinion if not the praise of those who use it. Try it when you have need for such a remedy.

Mrs. J. L. Frazer and daughter, Miss Dorothy Len, accompanied by Miss Norma Harris all of Lampasas came in on the noon Santa Fe train to visit a few weeks with Judge J. W. Powell and wife.

**Summer Complaint in Children**

There is not anything like so many deaths from this disease now as before Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy came into such general use. When this remedy is given with castor oil as directed and proper care is taken as to diet, it is safe to say that fully ninety-nine out of every hundred cases recover. Mr. W. G. Campbell of Butler, Tenn., says: "I have used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy for summer complaint in children. It is far ahead of anything I have ever used for this purpose."

**MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP  
A DEAD ISSUE**

Washington, July 17.—Because public utilities have outgrown municipal boundaries, municipal ownership of them practically is a dead issue, the federal electric railways commission was told today by William J. Clark, one of the pioneer street railway builders of the country. Mr. Clark said the interurban idea was growing and that jealousy between towns and rural communities would not permit a big municipal to own an electric railway serving them all.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawning a good deal in the daytime, you can charge it to a typhoid liver which has allowed the system to get full of impurities. Herbine cures all disorders produced by an inactive liver. It strengthens that organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Sold by John A. Weeks.

**BRITISH DEFEAT AMERICANS**

London, July 17.—Jimmy Wilde the British flyweight champion defeated Pal Moore, of Memphis, Tenn., in a 20 round bout at the Olympia tonight. The referee gave the decision to Wilde on points.

**MEXICAN EDITOR ARRESTED**

El Paso, July 17.—Charged with violating the federal trading with the enemy act, Louis R. Alvarez, one of the editors of La Republica, a Spanish language daily published here, was arrested today by department of justice agents. He was charged with having failed to furnish the post-office here translation of articles published in La Republica which were alleged to have been inflammatory.

**POISON OAK**

Wash with weak solution of blue stone or lime water, dry thoroughly, follow with light application of—



**VICK'S VAPORUB**  
"YOUR BODYGUARD"—30¢, 60¢, \$1.20

Mrs. M. Kleberg returned to her home in Fort Worth, Thursday, after visiting in Ballinger for a few weeks.

Doing hard work in a bent or the back that is painful. If the stooping position puts a stitch in muscles have become strained you can't get rid of it without help. The great penetrating power of Ballard's Snow Liniment will appeal to you most strongly at such times, because it is the very thing you need. Sold by John A Weeks.

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**London Most  
Crowded City**

London, (By Mail).—London, the most crowded city in the world—it has a population estimated close to ten million, including the vast continual stream of visitors—is faced with the serious problem of how to relieve the hardships of its working and shopping public resulting from traffic congestion.

The world's biggest city thought it had solved the problem years ago, when an American built them a subway, but now this is falling behind traffic. Not that the subway has grown less efficient. It hasn't but only so many trains can be run and it is impossible to run enough to handle the traffic which overflows and crowds on

to the omnibuses and the street cars. The omnibuses fail to meet the situation and even the expected addition of a thousand more omnibuses shortly won't settle the problem. They will only serve to block other traffic.

It has been suggested that an elevated railroad be built such as Chicago, New York and Boston have. In the meantime millions of Londoners daily struggle, crowd and push for a strap or seat on any kind of a public conveyance.

**Summer Complaint Quickly Relieved**

"About two years ago when suffering from a severe attack of summer complaint, I took Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy and it relieved me almost instantly," writes Mrs. Henry Jewett, Clark Mills, N. Y. This is an excellent remedy for colic and diarrhoea and should be kept at hand by every family.

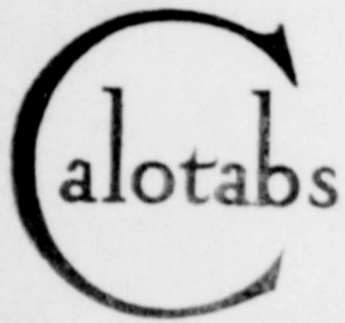
**MUST ENFORCE TREATY**

Paris, July 17.—American members of the peace delegation are taking part in all discussions of plans for enforcing the German peace treaty and the creation of commissions to execute its terms. The Americans, however, are refraining from discussion of the probable American membership of these commissions, apparently, it is said, wishing to avoid any possible criticism on the score of undue haste in preparing to enforce the treaty before its ratification by the United States.

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New York, July 17.—Yvonne, a pretty brown-eyed siren of the Paris boulevards, languishes behind the bars of the jail in her native city and eight members of the Thirty-ninth Division, recently returning from France are "grass widowers" and glad of it.

Yvonne reluctantly confessed to marriage with each of the eight members of the Thirty-ninth, and added, "she was not the only French girl guilty of plural marriages with Doughboys, of that division."

The story of Yvonne's evident willingness to marry the entire division was brought back here recently by private Elliott Brown, of Atlanta, Ga., who served in France with the one hundred and fifty-fifty infantry of the Thirty-ninth.

Brown, who did not fall a victim of Yvonne's pretty brown eyes was out walking in Paris with two members of his regiment when another came along with Yvonne and introduced her as his wife.

The introduction proved a sad awakening for Brown's two companions, as each of them believed she was his "until death do us part."

Yvonne's English was decidedly limited, but the three "husbands" came to a quick understanding and the much-married Yvonne was conducted to a court where her French was understood and where she finally admitted her eight weddings.

The allotment made by each of her husbands was cancelled.

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**General Pershing  
Will Return Soon**

Washington, July 17.—General Pershing will return to the United States in August. Representative Caldwell, democrat, New York, told the house rules committee today, urging early action on his resolution setting aside a day for joint congressional session to welcome home the American commander.

Action was deferred by the rules committee.

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Will Goss arrived in Ballinger Thursday afternoon, from Mineral Wells, and will spend some time here looking after his business interests here. Mr. Goss was discharged from the army a few weeks ago.

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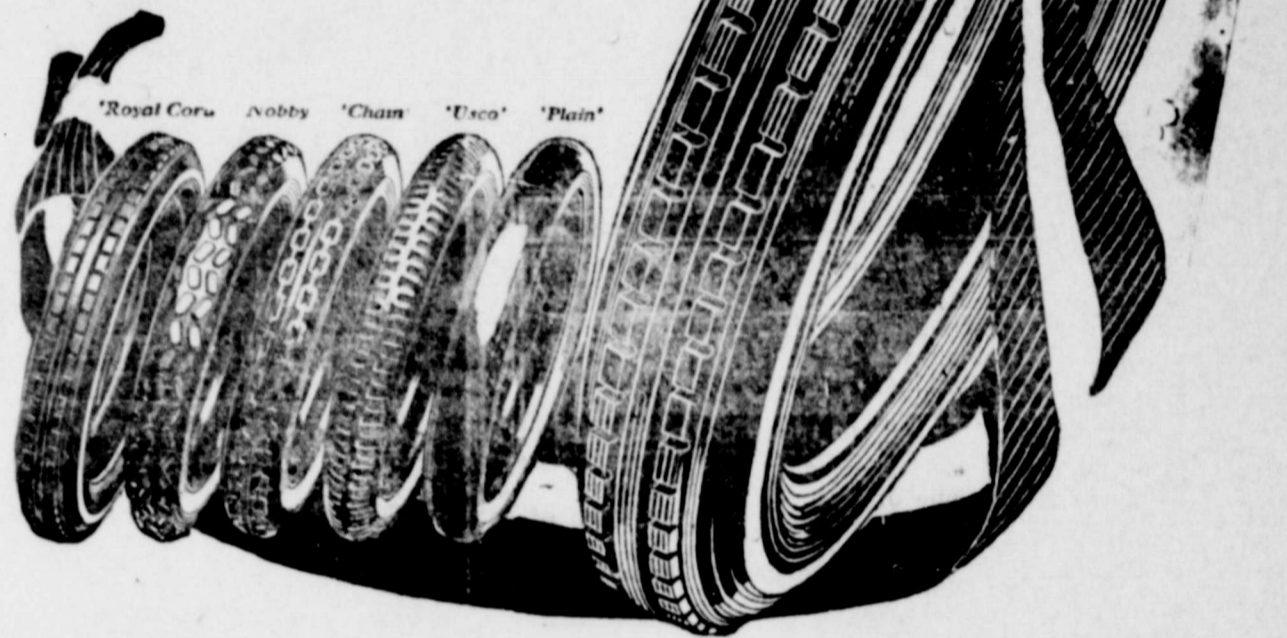
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**MOVING PICTURE SHOW  
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Rob & Rowley, one of the most extensive show house concerns in Texas, will open a moving picture show in Winters early in August. This announcement we are glad to make as Winters has far several months been in need of a good show of this kind and the people named above are coming with the assurance that they will give us a first-class show in every particular.

The above named concern has closed a two years' lease contract on the building formerly occupied by Buchwald's movie house, paid the first month's rent and put local carpenters to work arranging extensive improvements on the building.

When asked by the Enterprise when they expected to open up

for business, Mr. Rowley stated they expected to open in three weeks, though it might possibly be a little later, giving time for delays in shipments of furniture bought direct from the factory especially for the Winters house.

We repeat that we are glad to have a good picture show in Winters and we are assured that we are fortunate in securing Rob & Rowley as proprietors of such a house. We are assured of being on the same film circuit as Abilene, Sweetwater and San Angelo and that within itself is sufficient guarantee as to the class of pictures we shall see when the show house is opened.—Winters Enterprise.

Mrs. Kidd of Talpa returned home Friday morning after a visit to Mrs. R. W. Bruce here.

**MRS. MARTHA E. TURNER**

Mrs. Martha S. Turner died Thursday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. W. McKinney, at 10:40. Mrs. Turner was 80 years, 11 months and 12 days old.

Funeral services were conducted at the cemetery at 4:00 o'clock Friday afternoon by Elder J. W. Kelly, and the remains were laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery.

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