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ENGLISH REVOLT IN SOUTH AFRICA

By United Press.
LONDON, Oct. 13.—Martial law has been proclaimed throughout South Africa following the discovery of a plot by Colonel Martinz, who is in command for the republic in the Northwest cape provinces. He was ordered removed by his government but he arrested all his loyal soldiers in his command and sent them prisoners into German Southwest Africa. He is now at the head of a force of German troops in addition to his own rebels. The German governor of Southwest Africa has agreed to support Colonel Martinz and guarantee independence for the proposed republic and further more to cede it certain ports now in the German possession. The British colonial government is taking vigorous measures to crush the rebellion and punish the traitors to the cause.

Believe Next Great Battle Will Be Belgian Fought

By United Press.
PARIS, Oct. 13.—General Damade, who is in command of the French troops on the extreme left wing, has been reinforced. It is the common belief in Paris today that the French and British soldiers will now be able to drive the German back. It is expressed here today that the next great battle of the war will be fought on Belgian soil. The allies according to reports which have been received in Paris, are strongly situated there and are prepared in every way for a great conflict.

ALLIES START DEFENSIVE ON GERMAN RIGHT WING

By United Press.
PARIS, Oct. 13.—The allies' defensive against the German right wing under General Von Kluck and General Von Boehm was begun today, said this afternoon's official communique, which was telegraphed here from Bordeaux. The French began the movement in the region of Hazelbrook and Bethune. The Germans still occupy Lille. The communique says that in the center the French have advanced considerably in the regions of Berry, Aubac and along the Meuse river. The forward movement along the south road from Verdun to Metz resulted in the Germans being driven back with heavy losses, the statement says.

SECRETARYSHIP TO POPE OFFERED

By United Press.
ROME, Oct. 13.—The papal secretaryship was today offered to Cardinal Gaipparri who is titular bishop of Cessari at Palestine.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Phone 263. 29-dtf

GERMANS LOST 211,000

By United Press.
BERLIN, Oct. 13.—The forty-fourth official list of German casualties brought the list to 211,000. This list announced today does not include the losses sustained by the Bavarian, Saxon and Wurtemberg armies.

Germans Hold All West of Vistula

By United Press.
BERLIN, Oct. 13.—It was officially claimed this morning by the German government that Poland west of the Vistula river is in the possession of the German army. There remains only one city on the west bank of the river which is in the possession of the Russians and that is Warsaw where the Russian army has mobilized.

Phone 299. Phone 299. Phone 299.

Boston Wins Series

PHILADELPHIA							BOSTON						
	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E		AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Murphy, r f	4	0	0	0	0	0	Moran, r f	4	1	1	0	0	0
Oldring, l f	4	0	1	3	0	0	Evers, 2 b	3	1	1	4	5	0
Collins, 2 b	4	0	1	1	3	0	Connolly, l f	2	0	0	0	1	0
Baker, 3 b	4	0	1	2	4	0	Mann, l f	2	0	0	1	0	0
McInnes, 1 b	4	0	2	13	0	0	Whitted, c f	3	0	2	1	0	0
Walsh, c f	1	0	0	1	1	0	Schmidt, 1 b	4	0	1	12	0	0
Barry, s s	3	1	1	1	3	0	Gowdy, c	2	0	0	8	1	0
Schang, c	3	0	0	3	0	0	Maranville, s s	3	0	0	0	3	0
Shawkey, p	2	0	1	0	3	0	Deal, 3 b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Pennock, p	1	0	0	0	1	0	Rudolph, p	2	1	1	0	1	0
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TOTALS							TOTALS						

Boston 3
Phila 1

The Lineups.
Boston Philadelphia
Murphy, r f Moran, r f
Oldring, l f Evers, 2b
Collins, 2b Connolly, l f
Baker, 3b Whitted, c f
McInnes, 1b Schmidt, 1b
Welch, c f Gowdy, c
Barry, s s Maranville, s s
Schang, c Deal, 3b
Rudolph, p Shawkey, p.

Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy for Boston; Shawkey, Pennock and Schang for Philadelphia.

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	1	7	0
Boston	3	6	0

By United Press.
FENWAY PARK, Boston, Oct. 13.—The Boston Braves won the world's championship this afternoon when they defeated the Philadelphia Athletics 3 to 1, there by performing an unprecedented feat of winning the world's series in four straight games.

From the start of the series until the end today, the Braves, out-hit, out-gained, out-generated and out-guessed the Athletics.

With ideal weather for a baseball game, thousands awaited the opening of the gates this morning for the fourth game of the world's series. Boston went baseball mad last night after the third game has been won by the Braves. Thousands thronged the streets, parading up and down, hurrahing for the National League winners. The attendance today promises to surpass that of yesterday when 38,000 witnessed the defeat of the Philadelphia Athletics for the third time by the Boston Braves.

Overcoats and steamer rugs were in order this afternoon. It was sunny but not by any means warm. A raw wind was blowing across Fenway park.

The Athletics warmed up against right handers in preparation for Rudolph. The Braves prepared in the same manner for Chief Bender. A shivering crowd of thirty thousand gave the players a big hand when they appeared on the lot.

Connie Mack finally selected Shawkey to pitch and Stallings-picked Rudolph.

First Inning.
Athletics—Murphy out Evers to Schmidt. Oldring fouled to Gowdy. Collins singled. Baker to Whitted. No runs, one hit, no error.

Boston—Moran out Baker to McInnis. Evers out Baker to McInnis. Connolly flied to Oldring. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second Inning.
Athletics—McInnis out Deal to Schmidt. Barry out Maranville to Schmidt. Schang fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Boston—Whitted lined to Oldring. Schmidt out, Shawkey to McInnis. Gowdy walked and Maranville forced Gowdy. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning.
Athletics—Shawkey fanned. Murphy out, Deal to Schmidt. Oldring singled. Oldring out trying to steal. No runs, one hit, no error.

Boston—Deal flied to Oldring. Rudolph out Barry to McInnis. Moran out, Barry to McInnis. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Fourth Inning.
Athletics—Collins out Evers to Schmidt. Baker singled and McInnis did likewise. Baker went to

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HAVRE IS NOW CAPITAL OF BELGIUM

By United Press.
PARIS, Oct. 13.—Despite the request made by the Germans that the capital be continued in Antwerp, the Belgian government has been moved to Havre, France. Quarters have been provided there by the French government.

BRUNGES ASSAULTED?
By United Press.
LONDON, Oct. 13.—It is persistently reported here that the Germans are assaulting Bruges.

ENGLAND ASKS U. S. TO TAKE OVER HER EMBASSY

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—England has asked the United States to assume the British embassy if Germany captures Warsaw.

Austrians are Routed South of Serajevo

By United Press.
CETTINJE, Oct. 13.—The Montenegrins routed 16,000 Austrians south of Serajevo, killing and wounding 2500. A desperate hand to hand conflict ensued. Two Montenegrin generals were wounded in the battle.

RUSSIANS ON WOODS BOOKS PLAINS OF HUNGARY

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—On October 11, on the left bank of the Vistula river, a battle was begun on the road leading to Transgorod and Warsaw. reads a dispatch received at the Russian Foreign Office.

Our cavalry crossed the Carpathian Mountains in several places and invaded the Hungarian plains. The rest of the situation is unchanged.

PRINCE GEORGE OF SERVIA MAY BE NEAR DEATH

By United Press.
LONDON, Oct. 13.—According to reports which have been received here, the Servian Prince George is dying from wounds received while in battle.

RUSSIANS SAY GERMANS ARE DEFEATED

By United Press.
PETROGRAD, Oct. 13.—The general staff of the Russian army today announced the defeat of the Austro-German forces in Galicia near the River San. The enemy, it is stated, lost heavily. Also a number of guns and transport wagons fell into the hands of the Russians.

WOODS BOOKS WERE KEPT STRAIGHT

By United Press.
SPRINGFIELD, Oct. 13.—An auditor's investigation showed that Secretary of State Harry Woods had kept a straight account.

The coroner's jury was a verdict of suicide. The governor of the state today appointed Louis Stevenson, former vice president of the United States, to succeed Woods as secretary of state.

TRIAL BEGINS

By United Press.
SARAJEVO, Oct. 13.—The trial of twenty-two persons charged with high treason and conspiracy in the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand began here today.

The assassin is the principal defendant along with two who unsuccessfully threw bombs at the heir apparent to the Austrian throne.

GERMANS AT GHENT.

By United Press.
LONDON, Oct. 13.—It is officially reported that the Germans have occupied the city of Ghent.

Weather Forecast.
Tonight fair, colder, frost; Wednesday fair and warmer.

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An idle horse is a poor investment. So is an idle man.

If you don't like to read base ball news, just remember that every dog has his day.

When a man works he produces. When a man loaf he reduces. What are you?

You no doubt heard some one say that easy money goes easy. Gives us easy money and we will look after the going part.

Yes, there are many a slip betwixt the cup and the lip, but a kiss in the morning and a kiss at nights prevents a many a slip.

The European war will reduce the horse population of this country. You can reduce your cotton acreage, Mr. Farmers, and increase your supply of mares.

It is a great age we are living in when it becomes necessary for our lawmakers to pass laws compelling us not to produce something that there is no demand for and we can't sell. Its a mighty good time to give the children an education.

Common sense teaches us that

when there is more of anything than the world can use that it is going to be a drag on the market. Yet some farmers will tell you there is nothing in the supply and demand theory.

When Sherman said that war was hell the armies were fighting on the ground and occasionally on the water. Wonder what the general would say if he could witness one of the battles in the air or under the water?

When we think of the hoop age it is disgusting to hear a man complain about the present day woman's fashion. How would you like to see your wife going down the streets with one of those wire contraptions standing out like a dirigible balloon? And, then think what it would mean to the tangoer and some other kinds of goers.

When your food does not digest well and you feel "blue," tired and discouraged, you should use a little Herbine at bedtime. It opens the bowels, purifies the system and restores a fine feeling of health and energy. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Abernathy and babe and Luther Abernathy returned to their home near Garden City Tuesday. They had been here at the bedside of Mr. Abernathy who we are glad to report much better Tuesday when they left for home.

We measure your eyes absolutely correct, and charge you only for lenses required in your particular case, which will more often cost from \$1.00 to \$3.00. In special cases higher but, never, in any case, over \$13.00. Jas. E. Brewer, Jeweler and optometrist. 3-4tw ts

Bruce Creasy left Tuesday afternoon for San Angelo on a short business trip.

When we fit your eyes "they are right," no guessing. Jas. E. Brewer, Jeweler and optometrist. 3-4tw ts

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months."

I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health.

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years.

At all druggists. Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N. C. 125

PRINCESS THEATRE'S BIG SPECIAL TONIGHT

"ZuZu the Band Leader" that big farce comedy special is billed for tonight at the Princess Theatre. This picture is like the ginger of the same name, full of snap. There is fun in every foot and will carry more laughs than any other film ever produced big or little, old or young. An all star cast is used in making this picture the funniest film ever put out.

Other good titles tonight at this theatre are "For the Sake of Kate," in two reels by Reliance, with genuine pathos and humor, also a comedy by Keystone entitled "When Ruben Fooled the Bandits" and one more good picture, the title of which has not been reported. This makes 6,000 feet of film to be shown at the Princess tonight.

The admission is only ten cents.

The Magic Washing Stick. "The Magic Washing Stick is the finest thing in the world. Cleans the clothes without rubbing—makes the whitest clothes I ever saw. I cannot do without it anymore. All you say is true, it does all you say it will. I would give it for nothing I have ever used. Hope every lady will try it," writes Mrs. W. F. Ganmill Ashdown, Ark. This peculiar article is sold by grocers and druggists, three 10c sticks for 25c or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

POSITION WANTED—Experienced clothing or shoe salesman, age 40, wants position in Ballinger on or before Nov. 1st. Address Box 361, Ballinger, Texas, 10-5td pd.

Miss Virginia Wood returned home Tuesday morning from an extended visit to her sister, of Meisse, N. M.

Does Your Roof Leak? If so I will repair and paint & guarantee it for two years, let me figure with you? Maxie L. Phillips, the roof artist. Phone 299. tdt

Ivan Hamilton one of the Winters confectionary dealers, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Tuesday.

Wanted. 100 rooms to re-paper, nice clean work, and guaranteed to be first-class. Maxie L. Phillips. Phone 299. tfts

Judge J. O. Woodward of Coleman, came in Tuesday to look after legal business in the District court.

Make it a point to stop at Brewer's Jewelry Store and see the newest and best rings, lavalliers, electric lamps, cut glass, silver ware and etc. We are always glad to show you. Jas. E. Brewer 709 Hutchins Ave. 3-4tw tsd

Luther Pumphrey, of Winters had business in Ballinger between trains Tuesday.

The Magic Washing Stick. "I cannot speak highly enough in praise of the Magic Washing Stick. It saves half the labor in washing. Makes the clothes sweet clean and white as snow without the use of rubboard," writes Mrs. R. M. Cardwell, Forney, Texas. Sold by grocers and druggists three 10c sticks for 25c or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Spill and children, of Winters, were in the city Monday visiting friends and to attend the Gentry Shows.

Phone 299 about your painting and paper hanging. tfts

Mrs. J. A. Abernathy and son Pink, and her daughter, Mrs. Barton and baby, of Garden City, came in Monday afternoon to be at the bedside of Mr. Abrnathy, who is quite ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ben Smith in our city. Mr. Abernathy was here on a visit when he was taken sick.

The Magic Washing Stick. "All glory to the Magic Washing Stick—my clothes were as white as snow," writes Mrs. Sallie Cummings, Marquez, Texas. Not a soap or a washing powder but a peculiar article which makes dirty clothes clean and beautiful without a bit of rubbing. Sold by grocers and druggists, three 10c sticks for 25c, or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

R. J. Sandres and family, who had been working home at Winters the past year or two, passed through Ballinger Monday afternoon for Center, Texas, where they will make home in the future.

Chronic Dyspepsia The following unsolicited testimonial should certainly be sufficient to give hope and courage to persons afflicted with chronic dyspepsia: "I have been a chronic dyspeptic for years, and of all the medicine I have taken, Chamberlain's Tablets have done me more good than anything else," says W. G. Mattison, No. 7 Sherman St., Hornellsville, N. Y. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. Jack Applewhite left Monday afternoon for Goldthwaite to visit her parents a week or two.

I have associated with me Mr. E. J. Hunt, who is an expert mechanic, which enables me to take care of all your watch and jewelry repairing and engraving promptly and in the best possible manner. Jas. E. Brewer, The Jeweler. 3-4tw tsd

Jack Guy, the Talpa hardware merchant, had business in Ballinger between trains Monday.

The best alarm clock on earth at Jas. E. Brewer's Jewelry Store. 3-4tw ts

D. B. Duncan left Monday afternoon for San Saba, where he goes to sell out a car load of apples.

A Marvelous Escape "My little boy had a marvelous escape," writes P. F. Bastians of Prince Albert, Cape of Good Hope. "It occurred in the middle of the night. He got a very severe attack of croup. As luck would have it, I had a large bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house. After following the directions for an hour and twenty minutes he was through all danger." Sold by all dealers.

J. S. Williams who had been visiting his daughter Mrs. C. M. Doyle of the Valley creek country, passed thru Ballinger Monday en route to Benoit to spend a while with relatives in that neighborhood.

LOST—Broach, somewhere between high school and postoffice. Return to Ledger office or to Miss Belle Sterrett. dt

C. B. Armstong left Monday afternoon for San Angelo on a short business trip.

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Cancers, Tumors, Skin Diseases, Stomach Troubles, Facial Blemishes, Female Diseases, Pelegra, Paralysis, Etc., Treated Scientifically.
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Upstairs in old Fidelity
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For the benefit of the farmers,

We have devised a special register and file for cotton tickets.

Leave your yard receipts with us where they will be safe from fire and loss.

We will be glad to assist you in getting the highest price for your cotton.

We desire to be of service to you.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER,
Member of Federal Reserve System.

H. Clemens of New Braunfels, came in Monday afternoon to look after business interests in Ballinger and Runnels county for a few weeks.

D. H. Parmer of the Miles county, had business in Ballinger between trains Monday.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two month's treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Texas testimonials with each bottle. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists. 312d

When the chest feels on fire and the throat burns, you have indigestion, and you need Herbine to get rid of the disagreeable feeling. It drives out badly digested food, strengthens the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Now is a mighty good time to have that old hat cleaned and re-blocked by one of the best hat factories in the state represented by "Sol" at the Bank Barber Shop. 10-3td

J. R. Harris and C. G. Seible, two of the representative citizens of the Hatchel country, were among the visitors in Ballinger Monday.

Wormy children are unhappy, puny and sickly. They can't be otherwise while worms eat away their strength and vitality. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge performs a marvelous transformation. Cheerfulness, strength and rosy bloom of health speedily return. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

G. W. Coswell of the Norton country, was transacting business in Ballinger Monday afternoon.

CITY MEAT MARKET

We always handle the very best meats of all kinds that the market affords, and your orders promptly attended to at all hours. We will buy your stock and hides from you at top prices, when you have anything to sell. We guarantee first-class meats and we handle the same in a sanitary way. Your orders appreciated. City Meat Market, Telephone 185 STANLEY CAMERON, Prop dwtf.

H. E. Dickinson of Reagan county, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Ballinger and Runnels county, left for home Monday.

Neuralgia of the face, shoulder hands, or feet requires a powerful remedy that will penetrate the flesh. Ballard's Snow Liniment possesses that power. Rubbed in where the pain is felt is all that is necessary to relieve suffering and restore normal conditions. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by The Walker Drug Co.

E. F. Burson and two little sons of the Token country, were among the number who attended the Gentry Show in Ballinger Monday.

We give free tickets in the Dunlap Pony Contest for your favorite child. Jas. E. Brewer, jeweler and optometrist. 3-4tw tsd

When Tired And Thirsty

Drop in at my store and get an ice cold soda. Candies, cakes, nuts and all kinds of confections.

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Give Us a Trial.

Bank Barber Shop

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Nations Prepare for War in Time of Peace.

Individuals should safeguard against NEED in time of LARGE HARVESTS.

Save the fruits of your labor, by storing your unsaleable products under shelter.

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The cost of the Iron is only \$3.50 and the cost of the current to use them is not much.

Phone 15 for one today.

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Our Loaves Biggest and Best! Premium Winners In Agricultural Department

Kneading the Dough With Omar.

For I remember stopping down the row
To watch a baker thumping his wet dough,
And with its all obliterated tongue
Murmured, "Gently, brother, gently, slow!"

The dough for our bread is well thumped. We are merciless.

Our bread is made of richest and best materials and contains lots of shortening. The loaves are not blown like a bag of wind.

Let us end your bread problem. You can phone.



Buy Our Bread Regularly!
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PHONES 94 and 363.

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Now is the time to make your application for land loans. I loan money on land in Rumples County at 8 per cent. interest and extend Vendors Lien Notes bearing 8 per cent. interest, and charge no commission for placing your loans. For further information write or call at my office.

H. Giesecke, Ballinger, Texas

American railways run their passenger equipment from 60 to 100 miles with periodical stops for lubrication. They expend annually large sums for expert mechanics to do nothing but make inspection and recommendation. Can the inexperience afford to undertake what the high salaried ones are doing? Drive in and receive a thorough inspection at a nominal cost and derive the full pleasure of motoring.

LEACH AUTO WORKS

All Work Directly Under the Manager.

WAR NEWS

Can be relished fifty per cent better if it is read while you have one of our cold drinks in your hand. These hot, stuffy days while rulers are clashing against one another, while millions of men are fighting for the love of their country and their ruler, demand that a refreshing drink be served while you ponder over the gravity of the European situation. Then too, nothing goes better with serious matters, as this war is, than a nice fat cigar. Everybody is invited to our store to read our war bulletins and discuss the reports as they come in during the day.

E. F. ELDER AND SON, CONFECTIONERY.

MANY A SQUARE MEAL IS SPOILED IN THE MAKING.

Inferior flour, poor potatoes, any kind of foodstuffs that are a little "off" may spoil an otherwise perfect repast.

Some grocers make it a point of honor to never sell an article that is "off." They build up a reputation from which they are inseparable. It is an invaluable asset in business.

We Are Of That Class

You know it. Others ought to, for their own sakes.

MILLER MERCANTILE CO.
TWO PHONES 66 AND 77

Big Crops Demand More Room.

Figure with us for building material to enlarge and improve your home or your barn. There is a difference in lumber as well as in price. Come to our yard and let us show you.

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THE JACKSON DAIRY

WILL JACKSON, Proprietor.

Will deliver milk to any part of the city
Good Milk, Good Service, Prompt Deliveries.
A Share of Your Patronage Solicited.

Will Jackson
Telephone-Rural 5193

Following is the list of winners in the Boys Feterita Club and also the awards made in the agricultural department of the recent agricultural and live stock exhibit **Feterita Club.**

- Richard Kregel first, Yiled 99 11-36 bushels per acre. Net profit \$20.36.
- Ed Farmer, second, 60 bushels per acre, net \$20.25.
- Alfons Kregel third, 99 bushels, net \$20.20.
- Tom Harrell fourth, 55 1-4 bushels per acre, net \$19.22.
- Boy Jayroe fifth, 56 bushels, net \$16.88.
- David Coulter, sixth, 57 5-8, net \$15.47.
- Jo Eagan, seventh, 48 34-72, net \$13.70.
- Vivian Colburn eighth, 46 bushels, net \$12.20.
- Best kept record Jas. Eagan. **Agricultural Awards.**
- Best Irish Potatoes, Hy. Kasberg.
- Best Sweet Potatoe, Thos. Lilly first; F. T. Rushing, second; J. B. Carlton, third.
- Best 10 ears corn, Thos. Lilly first; W. B. Rogers, second; E. Jayroe, third.
- Best Kershaw, first, from Rowena, party's name not given; R. B. Creasy, second.
- Best bunch peanuts; J. H. Wilbourn.
- Best exhibit broom corn, W. F. Redman, of Rowena.
- Best 10 heads irrigated red milo maize, E. R. Boddy, first; W. Clayton, second.
- White maize, Wash Clayton, Oxien.
- Best 10 heads Feterita, Jess M. Lorry first, Wash Clayton, second.
- Best 10 heads white kaffir, Wash Clayton, Oxien.
- Best 10 heads red kaffir, Wash Clayton.
- Best Oil product, Ballinger Cotton Oil Co.
- Best mill product, Missouri Milling Co.
- Best bunch green pepper, M. C. Falls.
- Best exhibit figs, Miss Maggie Sharp.
- Best exhibit of horse beans, A. Wilke.
- Best exhibit field corn, Feb Williams.
- Best exhibit sugar beet, W. B. Rogers.
- Best exhibit squash, Hy Kasberg.
- Best watermelon exhibit, T. A. Knight.
- Best dry land cotton, J. D. Adams, first; C. A. Doose, second; Bob McGregor, third; Arthur Wiltingham fourth.
- Irrigated cotton, Ethel Wylie first; W. B. Rogers second; W. E. Blair, third.
- Sorghum, W. G. Chapman first; G. W. Brister second.
- Red top cane, H. Kregel first; E. F. Batts, second; E. R. Boddy, third.
- Best bale peanut hay, Edger Jayroe.
- June corn, H. Gregel.
- Best mattress, Tom Lankford.
- Best saddle, H. L. Wendorf.

BOSTON WINS SERIES

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third, Melnis out trying to steal second, Wash fanned. No runs, two hits, no errors.
Boston—Evers walked. Connolly was out, Collins to Melnis. Whitted singled. Schmidt out, Barry to Melnis. Evers scoring. Gowdy out, Shawkey to Melnis. One run, one hit, no errors.

Fifth Inning.

Athletics—Barry singled, Schang out Evers to Schmidt. Barry went to third base. Shawkey, scoring Barry. Murphy out Evers to Schmidt. Oldring fanned. One run, two hits, no errors.

Boston—Maranville out Barry to Melnis. Deal out Baker to Melnis. Rudolph singled, Moran doubled, Rudolph taking third base. Evers singled, scoring Rudolph and Moran. Evers was caught napping of first base. Two runs, three hits, no errors.

Sixth Inning.

Athletics—Collins out Maranville to Schmidt. Baker fanned to Deal. Melnis out Maranville to Schmidt. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Boston—Pennoek replaces Shawkey in the box. Mann battling for Connolly lined to Walsh. Whitted singled. Schmidt singled. Whitted went to third. Gowdy walked. Schmidt out attempting a double steal. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Seventh Inning.

Athletics—Walsh walked taking second base on a wild pitch. Barry fanned. Walsh doubled at second, Gowdy to Evers. Schang fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Boston—Maranville out to Melnis. Deal out Baker to Melnis.

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GRIGGS SAYS

QUICK ACTION NECESSARY

R. T. Williams is in receipt of a letter dealing with the cotton reduction acreage and Mr. Griggs writes as follows:

Relative to prospective action of the Legislature on the subject recently submitted by the Governor to cut down the cotton acreage for 1915, beg to advise that I don't see now how such a law can be passed under our constitution but I heard Col. Harvey Jordan speak here a day or two ago and I am convinced that something should be done, in some way, to reduce the acreage next year, or cotton will sell next fall just like it is now. I saw in The Daily Ledger that you were working up a crowd for Governor Noel's speech in Ballinger, I would be glad to hear from you and all who are interested relative to your ideas and wishes in the matter. You might have my suggestion published in the paper there, but quick action is necessary as we may adjourn. I voted against adjourning Saturday and want to give this matter full consideration.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters advertised

October 10, 1914:

- Austin, Everet,
- Baker, J. R.
- Baker, Eugene,
- Fowler, J. D.
- Herring, J. E.
- Jeringan, Mrs. Emma,
- Jeneka, Pete.
- Matlock, Osear,
- Mitchell, Hobart,
- McClendon, Ebby
- McClendon, Elba,
- McCollum, Gallaway,
- Rowland, John W. G.,
- Smith, C. E.
- Smith, A. J.
- Sellers, Mrs. Tessie,
- Webster, Roscoe
- Williams, Earl.

When calling for the above letters please say "Advertised" and give the date of this list. After two weeks these letters will be sent to the dead-letter-office.

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For years we have been stating in the newspapers of the country that a great many women have escaped serious operations by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it is true.

We are permitted to publish in this announcement extracts from the letters of five women. All have been recently received unsolicited. Could any evidence be more convincing?

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- HANOVER, PA.**—"The doctor advised a severe operation, but my husband got me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I experienced great relief in a short time. Now I feel like a new person and can do a hard day's work and not mind it."—Mrs. ANA WILT, 196 Stock St., Hanover, Pa.
- DECATUR, ILL.**—"I was sick in bed and three of the best physicians said I would have to be taken to the hospital for an operation as I had something growing in my left side. I refused to submit to the operation and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—and it worked a miracle in my case, and I tell other women what it has done for me."—Mrs. LARA A. GRISWOLD, 2300 Blk. East William Street, Decatur, Ill.
- CLEVELAND, OHIO.**—"I was very irregular and for several years my side pained me so that I expected to have to undergo an operation. Doctors said they knew of nothing that would help me. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I became regular and free from pain. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."—Mrs. C. H. GRIFFIN, 7306 Madison Av., Cleveland, O.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



W. B. Campbell, who represents the Waco Cement Stone Works, and had been looking over the field here with the view of establishing an office in our city, left for the East Tuesday morning. Mr. Campbell is well pleased with the business outlook for our section.

They Make You Feel Good.
The pleasant purgative effect produced by Chamberlain's Tablets, and the healthy condition of body and mind which they create make one feel joyful. For sale by all dealers.

A. J. Edwards the representative of the Sherman Nursery in our section, came in from the West Tuesday morning to look after his company's interests in Ballinger a week or two.

T. A. Applewhite of Goldthwaite, who had been visiting his brother Jack Applewhite and wife, the past few days, returned home Monday afternoon.

Has Something That Will Stop Headache

If headache develops while shopping or at business just step in any good drug store and ask at the fountain for Hick's Capodine, which is so successful in relieving headache because it removes the cause, whether from cold, heat, nervousness or grippe. It is liquid and pleasant to take. Don't ever suffer with headache when this remedy stops it so easily. Take a bottle home. The druggist has it in 25c, 50c and 1.00 sizes.

W. W. Raiwater of Crews, and Louis Jamison of Talpa, and Gus Prusser of the Winters country, were among the visitors in Ballinger Monday looking after business affairs and to attend the circus.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When the tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Kubla and baby, of Rowena, were among the visitors in Ballinger Monday.

Wanted to Buy—Quart bottles, call at M. Rosenwasser's Confectionery, Hutchings Ave. 13 1td

GENERAL FIGHT IS EXPECTED ON LYS RIVER

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The lines are gathering for a general engagement along the banks of the River Lys. The Germans are carrying on an encircling movement which the allied army hopes to withstand. The Germans are attempting to encircle toward Ostend and the coast.

For SORE or WEAK EYES, use Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water. Don't hurt. Feels Good. 10-1-14-6m

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The most sensational series of pictures ever produced will start at the Queen tonight. Lucile Love "The Girl of Mystery" is a story that is running in the big papers and the one that is attracting so much attention will be shown in pictures at the Queen tonight together with the other program, making 6000 feet of film that will be shown for ten cents.

Beginning tonight the Queen will have two feature nights, Tuesday and Saturday nights of each week. The "Treasure of Hearts" will be shown Saturday night, and this story will appear in the Ledger beginning tomorrow. You will want to see the pictures if you read the story and you will want to read the story if you see the picture. Get the first installment of this story in the Ledger tomorrow and then see the picture Saturday night and ever Saturday night.

The Queen runs a continuous show every evening. You don't have to wait. The show starts early and runs late and you can come and go when it suits your convenience.

FOR SALE—120 Feeder Hogs, your choice 10 cents per pound—call at First National Bank, Ballinger. 1 dtf 1w

Alex Krueger, of San Antonio is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Homann. Mr. Krueger is Mrs. Homann's brother.

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A. W. Gannaway of the Wingate country, was in Ballinger Tuesday to meet his sister, Mrs. Middleton of San Antonio, who came in to be at the bedside of her father John Gannaway of Wingate who is seriously ill and not expected to live.

In order to advertise my hat cleaning and reblocking business the first ten customers bringing me an old hat may have same cleaned and reblocked for \$1.25, regular price \$1.50. See Solomon Devault at Bank Barker Shop 103d

W. F. Smithson, the Wingate blacksmith, was among the business visitors in Ballinger and while here handed the Ledger man a dollar to keep the paper coming.

Germans and Japs Declare an Armistice

TOKIO, Oct. 13.—An armistice has been declared by the Japanese and German armies around Tsing Tau. Fighting ceased temporarily while the two armies remove their dead and wounded from the field.

The Magic Washing Stick.
"The Magic Washing Stick is just fine. It did just what you said it would do and the clothes were so nice and white with all the hard rubbing left off." writes Mrs. Sarah Goodale, Preston, Texas. The Magic Stick is not a soap nor a washing powder. Sold by grocers and druggists, three 10c sticks for 25c, or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

MINATURE COTTON FACTORY

How thread is made, spooled and how the spools are nicked at the edge, will be shown in a miniature factory plant at the State Fair of Texas which opens Saturday, October 17th.

The Spool Company of New York has secured special space to install a four-spindle automatic spooling machine which will wind a 200 yard spool in forty five seconds. The product will be ticketed and distributed as souvenirs.

Besides the spooling machine there will be shown goods in various processes of manufacture, from the raw material to the finished article, including all sorts of cotton fabrics, crochet and embroidery work.

Another exhibit is also planned to show the handling of cotton, from the field to the gin and thence to the mill, an exhibit that will deal with the importance of the cotton manufacturing industry of Texas.

Stop coughing! you rack the lungs and worry the body. Ballard's Horehound Syrup checks irritation, heals the lungs and restores comfortable breathing. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by the Walker Drug Co.

Mr. Green, the real estate and insurance man and C. T. Spangler the hardware man of Winters had business in Ballinger between trains Tuesday.

Mrs. Aug Spill Sr., and her son, Ben Spill and family of Winters, who had been visiting in Ballinger the past day or two, returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Richards and children of the Winters country, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McKnown the past few days, returned home Tuesday afternoon.

H. S. Phillips, of Abilene, general superintendent of the A. & S. Ry., was looking after the company's business interest in Ballinger between trains Tuesday.

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Arguments Begin Before High Court

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Arguments on points, the decisions on which will affect virtually every man, woman, and child in the United States were begun today before the United States Supreme Court. As an illustration, every owner of railroad stock or bonds in the country, and every person interested in state taxation questions, and every person who pays to ride on trains, is interested in the case of the Norfolk & Western Railroad Co. against the state of West Virginia. This is one of the cases set for early argument by the Supreme Court, and is the first on the list.

While harking back to the question of confiscatory rates, the argument in this case rests on the point whether any one rate can be confiscatory, unless the entire rate system of which it is a part is confiscatory. Assuming the contention of the railroad attorneys that the two cent fare results in the company not receiving enough revenue from its intrastate passenger traffic to yield it a profit to be correct, and this is virtually conceded by the attorneys for the state, the question is put up to the court—is that sufficient to declare the rate confiscatory?

The state of West Virginia holds that it is not. The state contends that all of the business of the Norfolk & Western within the state of West Virginia is profitable, and that it is beside the point to pick out the passenger traffic, and say that this particular line of business does not pay. Incidentally, the figures of the state's experts, as produced in the lower courts, show that the revenue from the 2 cent tickets gives the company just about operating expenses, so that a clear case is established, as this would yield no return on the investment. The company's experts figure that it does not even pay them to haul the business at the two cent rate, but that it is not the question which is put up to the Supreme Court.

This question is made of more interest because of the recent five per cent rate decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission, which suggested to the railroads, in denying the full measure of increases in freight rates asked for, to raise their passenger rates as many of them were unprofitable.

Another case set for early argument of great interest to railroad men is that of the Pullman Co. versus W. V. Knott, as comptroller of the state of Florida. This case concerns the validity of the state act taxing the gross earnings of all sleeping and dining cars within the limits of the states, one and one half cent, in addition to ad valorem and license taxes.

Argument on the so-called "Book Trust" case will also be begun at once. This is the case of I. and U. Straus, (R. H. Macy & Co.) against the American Publishers' Association. Because Macy & Co. refused to agree to maintain fixed retail price for copyrighted books sold to it by members of the association, it is charged, that all its members refused to sell their books and publications to the department store, causing it a loss of \$125,000. The suit is under the anti-trust law, and is to recover treble damages.

Title to valuable oil lands in California hangs on the arguments in the case of Antonio Maria Peralta and others against the State of California. In patents issued prior to 1877, it is alleged, fraudulent surveys were inserted. The title to this enormously valuable land dates back to an original grant by the Governor of Alta to Luis Peralta, in 1820.

A most interesting case to the white people of the South set for early argument is that of Carl Oliver, against the State of Texas. Oliver is a negro and was indicted for the murder of Robert D. Stanley in June, 1910. Since then the case has been dragging its way through the courts. The question which will be put up to the Supreme Court for decision however, is the fact that all negroes were excluded from the Grand Jury, and only white men were permitted to serve.

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APPLICATION IN HARRY THAW CASE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—An application for hurrying the litigation of Harry K. Thaw's extradition in the New Hampshire case was made today by New York attorneys before the supreme court of the United States.

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Attorney Bigler of Miles, came over Tuesday morning to look after business in the District Court now in session in Ballinger.

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