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Man and Woman Speaks Here for Hobby Tomorrow

The Ledger received the following telegram late yesterday afternoon:

Dallas, July 11
Lester, Ballinger.
Hon. J. J. Strickland, senator of the Thirteenth Senatorial District, will speak at Ballinger on the afternoon and at Winters on the night of July 13th in behalf of the candidacy of Gov. William P. Hobby. Mrs. B. G. Atlee will speak for the governor at the same places, accompanying Senator Strickland.

Hobby Campaign Committee.
The local supporters of the governor announce that the speaking will be held on the court house lawn, beginning at two-thirty tomorrow afternoon. Both Mrs. Atlee and Senator Strickland are speakers of state-wide reputation, and they will no doubt have something interesting to say.

After speaking here a committee from Winters will accompany the speakers to that city where they will speak at night.

PUBLIC WARNED AGAINST FALSEHOOD

The Hobby Clubs in Ballinger received the following telegram Friday morning:

"Be sure to advise public against false and misleading statements or explanations, apparently backed up by affidavits, issued by the opposing forces in the eleventh hour of this campaign. This warning applies to the \$156,500 loan.

Hobby Campaign Committee.
It has been reported that the Ferguson forces will spring an affidavit at the eleventh hour in an attempt to prove that the certain men let Ferguson have the \$156,500 cash. It is also reported that this affidavit will be fictitious, and will not be made public until it is too late to prove it false before the election.

KNITTERS ATTENTION.

The Red Cross chapter wishes to see how much knitting they have on hand, and they want all knitting turned into local headquarters as soon as possible. They also wish to announce that the surgical dressing department will be open next Wednesday and Friday at three o'clock.

BLANTON CANCELS ALL SPEAKING DATES

Congressman Blanton issues the following statement:

"The President requests us to remain here and take no recess. I shall obey the President. My Texas appointments made upon the assumption of a recess, are therefore all cancelled.

"For months I have earnestly worked day and night for my country. My re-election is in the hands of the people. On the ballot in your county I will be the only Representative in the House of the President's Administration for the people either to approve or disapprove; and since I have ardently supported him in all of his plans and policies, I believe that you will agree with me, that a vote for me will be an endorsement of the Administration, and that a vote against me just at this crucial time will be a vote against the President and his administration, as the ballot will furnish no other way of endorsing or disapproving the Administration, and would be so considered both by the President and our Hun enemies. It would be the greatest disappointment imaginable to the President for Mr. Gallaway to get any appreciable number of votes, as he has denounced the President viciously. "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their Party."

THOMAS L. BLANTON.

W. T. Little, of the Norton country, was transacting business in Ballinger Friday.

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92 NEW REGISTRANTS FALL IN CLASS ONE

Practically all the new registrants who registered on June 5th have been classified by the local board. Out of the 133 men becoming twenty-one since June 5, 1917, 94 of the number fall in class one, only four fall in class two, none in class three, fourteen in class four, and the remainder of the number have been disposed of otherwise, or are pending. Following are the classifications and order numbers showing the order in which the men will be called, no definite date for drafting them having yet been announced:

Order No.	Class	Name
1	1	Elzie Lee Marks
2	1	Rudolph Page
3	1	John Garrett Phillips
4	1	Edward Adolf Giesecke
5	2	John Herman Glenn
6	1	Elmer Louis Rogers
7	1	Vernon Webb
8	1	Clarence Paul Mosley
9	1	Joe Pete Englert
10	1	Walter J. Butts
11	1	Albert Halfmann
12	1	Elton Lois Crockett
13	1	Gerald Black
14	1	Lee Ransom Todd
15	1	William Arthur Diek
16	1	Henry Allen Tyler
17	1	Robert Earl Dorsett
18	1	Miles Dorsie Barron
19	1	John Ben Karnowski
20	4	Otto Kinney (col)
21	1	Fred August Prenzing
22	1	Felix Edgar Ballew
23	1	Wendel Holmes Embry
24	1	William Roy Adams
25	1	Jack Dock Singletary
26	1	Herbert E. Fulcher
27	4	Otto S. Hambright
28	1	Oscar Louis Chapmund
29	1	Luther Eric Harding
30	1	L. LeRoy Underwood
31	1	William A. Tindel
32	1	Henry Graydon Kemp
33	1	Jim Bob Evans
34	1	Thomas Bennett Ray
35	1	Joseph David Mueller
36	1	Paul Haupt
37	1	Jerry B. Patterson
38	2	James Melvin Brandon
39	1	Meade Wilson McShan
40	2	Dewitt Drake
41	1	Richard Guy Pearce
42	1	Thomas Wickliff Hord
43	1	Homer Hopkins Porter
44	1	Roy Evert Moore
45	1	Wm. B. Worthington
46	1	R. Van Buren Rogers
47	1	Herman Dorner
48	1	Julian Horace York
49	1	Worth C. Moore
50	1	James Melvin Tindel
51	1	William D. Clendennen
52	1	Berry Bee Thomas
53	2	Guegermo Dela Cruz
54	1	Henry Joseph Kasberg
55	1	Clifton Phillip Smith
56	1	George E. Wood
57	1	Ted Porter Caudle
58	1	James Albert Witt
59	1	Arthur Lee Massey
60	4	George C. Phillips
61	1	Hobert M. Nicholson
62	1	Luther Elmer Eason
63	1	Paul D. Huffaker
64	1	George Jerry Faubion
65	1	James Alexander Burns
66	1	Frank Roer Hoffman
67	1	Garland O. McAuley
68	4	William Percy Crim
69	4	Floyd Allen Tutt
70	1	Walter Harper Jackson
71	1	William Carl Sheppard
72	1	Ira Milford McNeill
73	4	Frank D. Eekert
74	1	George William Gall

ITALIANS GAIN OBJECTIVE; RAIN DELAYS OFFENSIVE

Washington, July 12.—The war department was officially advised of the further successes of the Italians today. According to reports to the American war department, Berat has fallen before the advancing Italians in Albania. Berat was the immediate objective of the Austrians, and its capture brings into the possession of the Italians a great quantity of war booty and many prisoners.

Paris, July 12.—Driving forward on a five mile front, the French again made important gains last night between Aisne and the Marne. The village of Long Pont and several adjacent strongholds were captured according to announcement made by the war office.

With the British Army in France July 12.—Heavy rains throughout the country adjacent to the British front and on the front continue, and is believed to be the cause of further delay in the resumption of the German drive.

TURKISH SOLDIERS MAY CAUSE TROUBLE

Washington, July 12.—It has developed that the regular troops in the Turkish army are responsible for the outrages against the American property at Tabriz. The Spanish government has advised the state department of this fact. The outrages of such character as tends to aggravate the situation between the United States and Turkey, and if the Spanish report is corroborated it will probably prove casus belli.

MUST PAY TAX COLLECTOR AUTO TAX WILL NOT DISTURB

County tax collectors since June 26 have had charge of the collection of automobile license fees, according to E. B. Kelso, traveling representative of the state highway department, who is in the city in connection with the work of his department. Remittances for automobile licenses are still being made to Austin, Mr. Kelso said, and as the highway department now has no authority or facilities for handling them they are having to be returned to the tax collectors of the counties that they came from.

The law under which the county collectors handle the automobile license business was passed at the last special session of the legislature and become effective ninety days after adjournment, along with the state-wide prohibition law and the bulk of the session's enactments.

Automobiles that are still running with red seals are running in violation of the law, Mr. Kelso says. Red seals are evidence of the payment of 1917 fees, which extended merely up to December 31 last, and a car that has no white and blue seal is more than six months in arrears. To operate a car without the payment of the state license tax renders the offender subject to a fine from \$10 to \$25.

Judge Jno. I. Guion and Jack McGregor returned home Friday morning from San Angelo where they went to hear Jas. E. Ferguson speak in that city Thursday

NEWS BUSINESS

Washington, July 12.—All uneasiness on the part of the newspapers was put at rest today when it was officially announced that President Wilson would forbid a censorship of news dispatches if the telegraph, telephone and cable wires were placed under control. Mr. Wilson assured congressional leaders that press bureau business would not be disturbed.

LOCATING IN BALLINGER

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Britton and little son came in Friday from Brownwood at noon and will make Ballinger their future home. Mr. Britton has accepted the position of manager of the West Texas Telephone Co., in our city, and will begin upon his duties at once.

C. G. Davis and Gladys Allen, of the Winters country, were among the number that attended the funeral of Mrs. Wright at the City cemetery Friday morning.

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SOME OPTIMIST.

It is more than reasonable to expect that 200,000 women will vote in the coming primary, and that the majority of them will vote for Hobby.

There are at least 200,000 prohibitionists to count on, and the vast majority of these will also vote for Hobby.

Yet Mr. Ferguson says he is going to be nominated by 155,000, and a great many people take him seriously.

One wonders if he takes himself so, or if he is laughing up his sleeve to see how easy it is to fool 'em.

If he had the whole anti machine at his back he would be up against an almost impossible proposition.

If the state hadn't gone dry; if there were no zone laws; if the brewery crowd were working in harmony; if primary suffrage hadn't been granted, and if a whole raft of his former supporters hadn't gone back on him, his chances would still be doubtful.

But with all these ifs removed it is simply impossible to believe that he has any show.

Certainly there never was a candidate who appeared to receive less backing from what we may justly call the solid respectable elements, or more from what we may justly term the opposite.

Added to this statement, which

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Daily Ledger is authorized to announce the following candidates for offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1918:

- FOR SHERIFF:
J. D. Perkins.
- FOR TREASURER:
W. L. Brown.
- FOR ASSESSOR:
J. N. Key.
M. C. Boyd.
Jack N. McKay.
J. R. Holloway.
- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
S. C. Harris.
- FOR TAX COLLECTOR:
M. D. Chastain.
- FOR COUNTY Supt.:
John J. Bugg.
S. L. Bird.
- FOR COUNTY CLERK:
W. C. McCarver.
- FOR REPRESENTATIVE 111 DIST:
C. R. Stephens.
- FOR DISTRICT CLERK:
C. C. Cockrell.
MRS. L. H. BACON.
- FOR COM. PRECINCT NO. 1:
J. R. Harris.
R. P. Kirk.

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consider more than sufficient to turn a majority of the men against him, is the admixture of womanhood that can hardly fail to make such a foregone conclusion.

The women and the prohibitionists together are due to poll something like 400,000 votes—probably more than less—and of these Mr. Ferguson can hardly hope to get more than 50,000 or 75,000.

To win with a majority of 155,000, as he asserts he will, Mr. Ferguson would have to get at least 480,000.

Where is he going to do it? There are only about 200,000 anties, and he can't count on all of them, not by any means.

There are only about 30,000 socialists and about 65,000 republicans, and if officials do their duty, none of these can assist in the primary.

When Mr. Ferguson says he is going to be nominated by 155,000 majority in the face of such conditions we are forced to believe that he is not only the same old four-flusher, but some optimist as well.—Houston Chronicle.

NIGHT OPERATOR ALL IN

Vinol Made Him Feel Better, Look Better, Sleep Better.

Springfield, Mass.—"I am a night operator—was all run-down, could not sleep, had no ambition—I had tried blood and nerve tonics without help—and thought I would try Vinol and I must say it has built me up so I feel better, look better and sleep better."—Charles T. Harder.

The reason Vinol was so successful in Mr. Harder's case, is because it contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones, and glycerophosphates, the very elements needed to build up a weakened, run-down system, make rich, red blood and create strength.

J. Y. Pearce, and Druggists everywhere.

O. H. Dillingham, one of the prominent business men of Winters, was greeting friends and transacting business in Ballinger Thursday afternoon.

Miss Virginia Wood left Thursday afternoon for Granger to visit her brother, A. E. Wood and family a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oliver, of the Hatchel country, were among the visitors in Ballinger Thursday afternoon.

F. G. Hoelscher, the Olfin merchant, was shopping in Ballinger Friday.



TEXAS SAVES AN ENORMOUS QUANTITY OF WHEAT FLOUR

SINCE APRIL 15, WHEN THE STATE WENT ON WHEATLESS BASIS, ENOUGH FLOUR SAVED TO FEED PERSHING'S ARMY IN FRANCE FOR ONE MONTH.

Since Texas went on a wheatless basis on April 15 there has been actually saved to the government 14,895,000 pounds of flour, or sufficient to feed the entire American army of 700,000 men in France for one month, and sufficient to feed the Texas boys in the National Guard, the National army, the regular army, the navy and the marine corps for one year. The actual saving by Texas mills, and turned over to the government, amounts to 65,225 barrels, or 13,045,000 pounds. The quantity purchased from various small merchants who had small surpluses account of wheatless period aggregates 1,700,000 pounds. Flour from the mills and flour from the small merchants was diverted to Galveston and New Orleans and sent direct to the allied countries for their use and for the use of American soldiers. The 150,000 pounds of flour collected in Fort Bend County was delivered direct to Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, and used by that cantonment prior to the departure of the Illinois brigade for France.

Texas has demonstrated that every State in the Union can without hardship completely supply all of its men who are under American arms, and Administrator Peden recommends to his fellow State Administrators the slogan: "Every State should actually save enough flour to feed its soldiers and sailors now with the government."

The saving of 14,895,000 pounds of flour is sufficient to make 19,558,500 loaves of bread without substitutes; and 26,978,000 loaves with the regulated amount of substitutes.

DOGS OR BABIES? WHICH SHALL IT BE?

It costs \$3.00 a month to take care of a French orphan baby. It costs \$3.00 a month to give a pet dog a 10-cent saucer of ice cream every day. Every French orphan supported by an American is an

added inspiration to the sorely tried French soldier who has seen his comrades die by the hundreds of thousands, and who is risking his life today that American babies may not face a future of slavery.

Every saucer of ice cream, especially when fed to a pet dog in an automobile on the public streets, is an incentive to deeds of violence. People who are denying themselves sugar, wheat and fats do not like to see dogs served with ice cream. People who know that business men are daily seeing their businesses almost closed by the government in order that sugar may be saved, can not understand why pet dogs must have ice cream. People who know that thousands of babies in Belgium and Northern France have died, and that despite all that the allied nations can do, hundreds will die for lack of milk, find it hard to preserve the Christian virtues when pampered pet dogs are lapping up ice cream made of milk and sugar, two of the most important foods necessary to win the war.

People who do not think must be made to think. Owners of pet dogs must know that they can no longer ride them around in automobiles, have able-bodied men and women nursing them, and feed them on food that is fit for human consumption. If there are people who have the heart to continue such things, they may be able to get away with it by hiding in the privacy of their homes, but public sentiment is not going to allow them to flaunt their thoughtlessness in the face of people who are attempting to measure up to the duties and responsibilities of these trying hours.

JAM AND PRESERVE MANUFACTURERS URGED TO BUY 1918 PACK.

All manufacturers of jams and preserves are urged by the Food Administration to take immediate steps to obtain their entire sugar requirements for 1918 pack. Preserves and jams are regarded by the Food Administration as essential foodstuffs, and canners are performing a valuable conservation function. In the event that it is necessary to reduce still further the shipping tonnage that now brings sugar to the United States, the Food Administration is endeavoring to guard against any possible loss of the fruits that could be saved by canning. This recommendation does not affect the other manufacturers requiring sugar.

STAY ON THE JOB OF WINNING THE WAR AND SPEED UP

Address of Administrator Peden Before Texas Commercial Executives at San Antonio.



"We must stay on the job of winning the war. That means not only the saving of food, but doing everything in our power toward speeding up every industry and every essential necessity. We must not grow weary of well E. A. PEDEN, doing. We must realize that we are all enlisted for the period of the war, and it is just as unpatriotic for a civilian to fall back when he receives orders to help the government as it would be for a soldier to quit when he is told to go over the top."

This was the message that Food Administrator E. A. Peden of Houston had for the people of San Antonio when he came to the city to attend the joint meeting of the Texas Commercial Executives' Association and the League of Texas Municipalities.

"Whoever," he declared, "is so selfish as not to deny himself, might just as well be reaching with a long arm across the ocean and taking food away from some poor emaciated human being there—or from his own soldier son."

T. T. Sheppard, of the Winters country, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Friday.

Miss Leta Moore, of Tyler, Texas, and Miss Verna Miller, of Baird, Texas, college school mates of Miss Lucile Powell are making a few week's visit at the home of Judge and Mrs. J. W. Powell.

NOTICE NOTICE

In my pasture, 4 miles north-west from Ballinger are five head of stray Jersey cattle. No brands two have ear-marks; two cows with calves and one yearling heifer. Have been in my pasture about 15 days. Owner can have same by paying damages and for this notice

JOHN W. CLAMPETT,
Ballinger, Texas.

MRS. BARN'S LETTER.

Here is a letter that is certain to prove of interest to people in this vicinity, as cases of this sort occur in almost every neighborhood, and people should know what to do in like circumstances.

Savannah, Mo., Oct. 12, 1916.
"I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy about nine years ago and it cured me of flux (dysentery) I had another attack of the same complaint some three or four years ago and a few doses of this remedy cured me. I have recommended Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy to dozens of people since I first used it."

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Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering as she was should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its forty years experience is at your service.

KERRVILLE GIRL WINS W. S. S. PRIZE

The State prize of \$100 in War Saving Stamps, offered by Louis Lipsitz, state director of the National War Savings Committee, for the best essay on thrift written by a Texas boy or girl, was won by Miss Katherine S. King, of Kerrville, Texas. The judges in the contest were Dr. Ivan Lee Holt, of Southern Methodist University, Gus W. Thomason, manager of the Associated Industries of Texas, and A. V. Lane, former president of the University of Texas and now vice-president of the American Exchange National Bank. There were a number of contestants.

That their "boys" will have a "start" when they return from foreign battle service, many persons are now regularly purchasing War Savings Stamps for them. A great number of Soldiers' and Sailors' nest eggs have been started.

Although many West Texas counties have suffered great loss on account of drouth, the records of the National War Savings Committee show that a large proportion of the West Texas counties pledged the President in full June 28, National War Savings Day. Robertson and Carson counties were the second and third counties to go over the top. Maverick county, on the Mexican border was first.

Miss Eula Perkins left Friday morning for Coleman to visit friends a few days.

Let us order your Rubber Stamps. The Ballinger Printing

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,
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Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Laika, of the Pony Creek country, motored over to the city Thursday afternoon to do some shopping a few hours.

SUGAR AFFIDAVITS.

Mr. Merchant, we are prepared to furnish you sugar certificates to be used in selling sugar for preserving purposes. We have the blanks printed and can supply you in any size quantity. The food rules require that you use these in selling sugar for canning and preserving purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Norton and son Master Frank Jr., came in from San Angelo Friday where they had been visiting his parents and will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. R. Schooler and family a while before Mr. Norton goes on to Austin, afternoon.

Uncle Bill Adams, one of the pioneer citizens of Brownwood, was the guest of his old time friends Mr. and Mrs. Nat Guest between trains Friday.

Jeff Brooks and Mrs. Lewin, of Miles came in Friday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wright mother of Mrs. T. J. Stocks, Sr.

Miss Hollis Kendall, of the Valley Creek country, passed through Ballinger Friday en route to San Angelo to visit friends a few days.

J. D. COULTER MOVES HIS HEADQUARTERS.

I 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.
11-46t J. D. COULTER.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. West, of Coleman, who had been visiting their son, G. R. West and family and other relatives in Ballinger, returned home Friday morning.

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NOTICE.

It is the intention of The Daily Ledger to give all local news, in so far as we can obtain the same, but on account of the fact that over one-half of the travel is now by automobile and visitors can come and go without our knowing the same, we will thank you to phone us about any visitors that you may have so that we may give all the news.

Our reporter meets all trains but this would not get the travel by auto, so if you will phone Miss Sharp at 27 she will gladly take over the phone any news item that you may see fit to give us. There are some who, probably, think that it smacks of egotism to phone in items about their family, but we think such will be, and is perfectly legitimate and proper, and please in the future help us get the news.

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Charlie Grant, of Winters passed through Ballinger Thursday en route home from San Angelo where he had been attending federal court.

Wm. Sprunell, of the Valley Creek country, and A. E. Gentry, of the Marie section, were among the business visitors in Ballinger Thursday.

STATEMENT of Condition

...THE...

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALLINGER

June 26, 1918

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$379,007.65
U. S. Bonds	26,500.00
U. S. Treasure Certificates	75,000.00
Liberty Loan Bonds	20,000.00
War Savings and Thrift Stamps	2,768.02
Banking House, F. and F.	25,000.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	3,900.00
Cash and Exchange	116,110.03
	\$648,285.70

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	56,826.46
Circulation	25,000.00
Reserved for Taxes	1,500.00
Dividends Unpaid	6,000.00
Bills Payable	45,000.00
Deposits	413,959.24
	\$648,285.70

The above statement is correct. R. G. Erwin.
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FERGUSON "CAPTURES" ANGELO

J. McGregor and Judge Jno. L. Guion returned from San Angelo Friday morning, where they went to attend the Ferguson rally. According to a report brought back by these gentlemen, Ferguson was given a warm reception and a great ovation in the dry town. A crowd estimated to number at least 6,000—six thousand—listened attentively at the impeached governor for two hours. Nothing new developed in the political address, and those who are waiting for Mr. Ferguson to tell where he got the mysterious \$156,000 have another wait coming.

Mrs. W. D. Haynie and daughter Miss Pauline, of Llano, who had been the guests of their friends Mr. and Mrs. Jno. A. Weeks and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Beck returned home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. D. R. Wilson, of Cameron, and Mrs. Calhoun, of Temple, who had been in our city to attend the Hightower-Hamilton nuptials, left Thursday afternoon for their home. Mrs. Wilson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. B. Hamilton and Mrs. Calhoun is a sister of Mrs. Hamilton.

Mrs. Claude Wilmoth and daughter Miss Fannie, left Thursday afternoon to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Blagg and family a few days.

C. W. Johnson of the Pony Creek country, passed through Ballinger Thursday en route home from Ranger and other points in that section on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Manning, of the Winters country, passed through Ballinger Thursday en route to Madison county to visit relatives and friends a few weeks.

Mrs. Horace McKinley and two children, who had been visiting in Ballinger and Miles, left Thursday afternoon for Clarendon, Texas to spend a while with her mother, while Horace is serving in the U. S. army in France.

Lame Shoulder.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles. All that is needed is absolute rest and a few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment. Try it.

HOBBY'S HOME FOR HIM TO THE LIMIT

Livingston, Texas, July 10.—Governor Hobby is the exception to all rules. He is surely, "the prophet who is honored in his own country," for here in Polk county, the home of his boyhood, the place where he was born, the play ground of his childhood, here the people respect and love him with a fervor that is striking commentary upon the place his opponent in the race for the governorship of Texas holds in the hearts of the people of Polk county.

At Corrington, Tuesday morning, some 600 of the people of that community gathered to honor the governor and to hear him tell of the things that have befallen him since "those happy days beneath the pines of Polk county." At Corrington too, the governor was met by ears from Livingston bearing streamers that told of the stand. Polk county has taken in the governor's race. "We are for Wilson and Hobby," and "all are against Ferguson and the Kaiser," are two of the legends.

Governor Hobby was born in Moscow, just forty years ago. On March 26, of this year, he was met there by some 250 of the people who knew his people or knew of them. By them he was escorted to the house where he was born and to the room in which his advent in Texas took place. Then he spoke to them briefly of what he had done for Texas since he had been away from his own county, and of what he intended to do when elected governor this time.

After coming on to Livingston the governor spoke to more than 3,000 people on the court house lawn and was met by the most enthusiastic reception that a loyal son of Polk county could ask for. Discussing the woman suffrage law, the governor said that "the women are going to knock the crutches from under the gang of grafters who have been limping about Texas since October," and that "never again would they be placed in power."

At the close of the speech the audience went on record as unanimously in favor of Governor Hobby, and Judge Reagan who introduced him said that if the rest of the state does as well as Polk county Governor Hobby will receive a majority of not less than 156,500 and that without a single "pro-German vote."

G. M. Vaughn and Judge J. W. Powell returned home Thursday afternoon from San Angelo when Mr. Vaughn was a juror in the federal court and Judge Powell was looking after clients in that court. Mr. Vaughn informed us that the jury was dismissed until Monday.

P. T. Calloway, manager of the Ballinger Compress, left Thursday afternoon for Temple on a short business trip.

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GALLING 'R' CIDER HAS "KICK" IN IT

Austin, July 11.—The analysis of two samples of apple cider obtained at Ballinger shows five and six per cent of alcohol.

A Ledger reporter failed to get in touch with County Attorney Harris and learn what steps, if any, he would take in the report that cider containing more alcohol than allowed by law was being sold here. It is reported that such cider is being sold at Miles and Winters. It is the opinion of some that the dealers were not aware of the presence of alcohol, and say that the presence of the "kick" is due to the fermenting process of the cider, which makes it intoxicating after a certain period of time. As it is a violation of the law to sell intoxicating drinks, the authorities will no doubt make further investigation and prosecute if the sales continue.

"JIMMY" IN AN ENGAGEMENT.

With the American Army at the Marne, July 12.—Jimmy, the U. S. Marine's Mexican anti-cater mascot, has been through the recent Marine drive on the Marne and is back in the Marine billet, unscratched.

When the "Devil Dogs" began the march toward the German lines, Jimmy fell right in line. All the coaxing, threatening and pleading that the pick of the regiment could do was of no avail. Jimmy's comrades were going into trouble—well then, so was Jimmy.

While the hand-to-hand conflict raged between the Marines and the Huns, Jimmy was here, there, and everywhere, scurrying back and forth, his eyes pleading to be allowed to aid.

After the battle, the Marines, realizing that they would never be able to keep Jimmy out of any more engagements, immediately fashioned a miniature gas mask and shrapnel helmet with which the mascot will be armed the next time he goes into the fray.

ROWENA AND OLFIN WOMEN FOR FERGUSON.

W. M. Halinacsek, of Rowena, who was in Ballinger Thursday, reported that it was estimated that at least ninety per cent of the women who registered at Olfen and Rowena would vote for Ferguson. About seventy-five women registered at Rowena while the deputy was at that place with the blanks, and some of the seventy-five vote at Olfen. Quite a number of Rowena and Olfen women registered at Ballinger and there will probably be 100 women votes at the two boxes.

Hobby men conceded these two boxes to Ferguson, but are claiming the remainder of the voting boxes in this city.

H. A. Newby, of Brownwood, and Capt. Robert Baily, of San Angelo, were among the visitors in Ballinger Thursday.

Tom Fields, one of the Santa Fe passenger brakemen who had spent a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fields, during his summer vacation, left Thursday afternoon for the east to resume his railroad duties.

L. D. Daugherty, of Winters, passed through Ballinger Thursday en route home from a business trip to San Angelo.

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SAN ANGELO CLUB CUTS OUT GERMAN

San Angelo, July 12.—The San Angelo Turnverein is no more. The organization, which has been prominent among local social clubs for the past twenty-eight years and has a membership of seventy-five, has been Americanized in name as well as spirit. In the future it will be known as the San Angelo Gymnastic Club, and English alone will be spoken at all its sessions. This action was taken at a regular meeting held early this week. The meeting was large, well attended, and every member voiced hearty approval of the change, which was made by the club upon motion. Two sections in the constitution and by-laws were amended. One stated that German speaking persons in the order were "passive" members. This clause was eliminated, placing all members upon an equal standing. The other section that was amended provided that business sessions be conducted in German. During the twenty-eight years of its existence, the San Angelo Turnverein was in no way connected with the other similar bodies throughout the country. It was merely a local organization and not a branch of a larger union. The present officers of the San Angelo Gymnastic Club are as follows: Charles Zenker, president; William Willig, vice-president; F. C. Lungkwitz, secretary; and L. F. Heitzler, treasurer.

BORN.

An eight pound girl baby arrived at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Bates Friday morning.

RUNNELS CO. WOMEN COMPLY WITH LAW

Up to two o'clock Friday afternoon 1,363 women had registered in this county. It is hardly probable that this number will be increased to 1,400, the collector estimating the total registrations will figure around 1,375.

The question raised in some counties as to the legality of the registrations where the women did not fill out their own blanks does not in any way effect this county. Tax Collector Chastain states that practically all the women who registered in this county filled out their own blanks.

However, this does not disturb the women who did not fill out their own blanks, but permitted the collector to fill out the blanks for them, and as the matter now stands there is nothing certain about the right to vote without having registered being questioned.

The attorney general only advised registering that the women might be safe in not losing their suffrage in case the court should hold that the law required them to register before they could vote. The election managers will be instructed to allow all women to vote where they are citizens and meet the other requirements of the law, regardless of whether they registered or not, in cities of less than ten thousand population. If the defeated candidates are not satisfied with the results, they will have no recourse in the courts of the land.

Martin Trick, of the Winters country, was among the business visitors in Ballinger Thursday.

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