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Texas Senate is Unanimous in Exonerating Gov. Hobby

EX-CROWN PRINCE TO KILL HIMSELF

Amsterdam, Saturday, July 5.—“The allies can only have my dead body; I will myself decide on my life or death,” the former crown prince is quoted as having said Friday in discussing a possible demand for extradition. This statement reported by the British wireless service correspondent was said to have been made to a Dutch official who talks with the former crown prince every day.

Paris, July 6.—The proposed Austria peace treaty will be ready for presentation to the Austrian delegation on Tuesday. The full text of the document is now in the hands of the printer. The presentation of the terms to the Austrians probably will not be accompanied by impressive ceremonies such as were held for the signing of the German treaty and the first meeting with the Austrians.

DON'T LOOK LIKE LOW PRICES

Schleicher county calves brought \$40.17 per head on the Fort Worth market Thursday. Tom R. Henderson of Eldorado Marketed 27 calves that averaged 309 pounds in weight and brought thirteen cents. This is said to have been the highest price ever paid for calves at Fort Worth. Mr. Henderson also sold 109 calves, averaging 375 pounds, for \$11.75 per hundredweight. Seventeen cows that averaged 853 pounds in weight commanded \$9.85 per hundred pounds.—San Angelo Standard.

Miss Kathryn Penn is visiting her sister, Mrs. Garland Parks, at Denton.

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Summer Problems



Gasoline Launch Missing In Gale

Corpus Christi, July 6.—The gasoline launch Waldo with eight persons aboard is missing as the result of a heavy gale which struck here early this morning and lasted until nearly midday. The Waldo left here yesterday afternoon with Jas. McAlister and a party of five, Ardmore, Okla., friends and crew of three on board for a pleasure cruise on the bay. Although every possible means of locating the missing launch has been made not trace has been obtained up to midnight.

Gulfport, Miss. July 6.—Within full view of many bathers five persons were drowned in Mississippi sound today. Mrs. Ira Thomas, while 200 yards from shore stepped into a channel and four others lost their lives attempting to save her.

BLIMP TO START ON RETURN TO ENGLAND TOMORROW

Mineola, L. I., July 7.—The British Dirigible R-34 will leave at eight o'clock in the morning, the weather being favorable for the return voyage to England. It was officially announced this afternoon.

The big balloon nearly broke from its mooring today, when the gas expanding from heat lifted her into the air. American naval and army officials visited the airship this afternoon.

Mineola, July 6.—Great Britain's super-dirigible R-34, the

first lighter than air machine to cross the Atlantic, anchored here at Roosevelt flying field at 9:54 a. m. today, 1:54 p. m. Greenwich mean time, after an aerial voyage of 108 hours and 12 minutes, which covered 3,130 knots or approximately 3,600 land miles. Passing through dense banks of clouds with the sun and sea visible only at rare intervals, the R-34 was forced to cruise 2,050 knots to reach Trinity bay, N. F., for East Fortune, and 1,080 knots from there to Mineola.

When the super-Zeppelin arrived here she had left only enough patrol to keep her moving ninety minutes longer. Her crew almost sleepless and four and a half days weary to the point of exhaustion but happy at the successful completion of their epoch-making trip.

HOLLAND WILL REFUSE TO SURRENDER KAISER

London, July 7.—Andrew Bonar Law, spokesman for the British government, delivered an address in the House of Commons this afternoon in which he said that no formal request had yet been made of Holland nor extradition steps taken for the former German kaiser to be turned over to the allies for trial, but admitted that preparations for such a request were being made.

Dispatches received here from Holland stated that the Dutch Government would probably refuse such a request, and decline to surrender the kaiser to the allies, because the Dutch treaty made it impossible to release the kaiser without Germany's consent.

George Smith, who gave up his position and went to France and helped to whip the Germans, is back on the job with the local office of the Wells Fargo Express Company.

Austin, July 7.—The Senate today unanimously adopted a resolution expressing confidence in the integrity of Governor Hobby and exonerating him of any crookedness in connection with the Blue Ridge farm deal.

The resolution denounced the proposed House resolution demanding Mr. Hobby's resignation because of the alleged disclosures in connection with the Blue Ridge farm investigation. The resolution unanimously adopted by the Senate declares that the proposed House resolution calling for Mr. Hobby's resignation was not only unfair and unjust, but was unwarranted by the facts in the case.

Butte Scene Of Dynamite Plot

Butte, Mont., July 6.—Explosion of dynamite placed in the entrance of Anaconda Copper Mining company's pay office today damaged that and surrounding buildings in the heart of the business district.

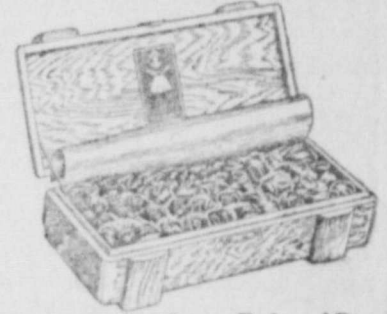
An iron grating was blown against a building across the street, narrowly missing a street car heavily loaded with miners. Damage was said not to exceed \$5,000.

MAN JUMPS UNDER RAILROAD ENGINE

Granger, Tex., July 6.—John Bucla was run over by a south bound Katy passenger train yesterday morning at 10:30 and instantly killed. The tragedy occurred a few miles southwest of town. The supposition is that deceased came to his death because of suicide intent, as he was seen to suddenly throw himself in front of the approaching engine, and could not have been an accident unless he was deaf and fail

ed to hear or see the train in time. He was horribly mangled and his remains were brought to Granger for burial. He was unmarried and had been employed on a farm. He leaves no relatives as far as is known.

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STREET DANCE FOR SOLDIERS

The move on the part of the entertainment committee of Abilene to welcome the soldiers home with a big street dance met with protest on the part of the Ministers Alliance of that city, and the dance was called off.

There was a division in the commission in charge of the program, some favoring the dance and some opposing it, and those who opposed the street dance were of course severely criticised.

It is not for The Ledger to say whether a street dance, is the proper way to welcome the boys home or not, but the contrast between the send off and the welcome proposed is so great that the world is sure to take notice.

For instance, the send off program was made up principally of religious services, and union prayer meetings were held and the guidance of the divine hands asked for, and in many towns the departing soldiers were presented with pocket testaments, and the boys were implored by the religious leaders to be good.

We cannot conceive of now any prayers of gratitude would be offered up or thanks returned for the fulfillment of the pre-war petitions, at a street dance, unless some members of the Ministerial Alliance would agree to attend such a function, nor can we conceive of what part a testament would play at a street dance.

The boys who are sleeping in France should be honored in the home coming welcome, as well as those who have returned, and we do not believe that the heart broken mothers of this land would feel that a street dance was fitting in honor of their dead sons.

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Frank Schneider returned to Galveston, Saturday, where he has a position in a drug store, after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Schneider.

Miss Celeste McMan left Sunday afternoon for Oklahoma, where she goes to visit her grand father and spend her vacation.

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.

Conflicting Thoughts



Band Offered Return Date

Joe Ward's band and Passur's orchestra returned home Sunday from San Saba, where they played a three days engagement for the citizens of that city in entertaining the American Legion and friends of the 17th Congressional District.

The boys are "bubbling over" with praise for the San Saba people and the hospitality accorded them during their three days and three nights stay in that city.

According to the reports brought back the reunion was a great success and attended by many people. The attendance was estimated at from seven to ten thousand daily, and it was a merry-making and patriotic crowd which gathered to help make the first reunion of world war veterans for this district a success.

Did the band make good? Well, that question could have been answered before the band boys left Ballinger. The committee in charge of the entertainment were so well pleased with the band and orchestra that the San Saba Fair Association offered them the contract for making music for the San Saba Fair. It is probable the local musicians will return to that city this fall and play the fair engagement. Mr. Ward recently sold his business here, and until he decides what he is going to do he can't accept the offer to play for the fair.

Louis Grim of New York, left for his home Saturday afternoon, after a visit of a few days with the family of C. C. Coekrell in South Ballinger.

Will Spend Summer In California

H. Giesecke and family and Mrs. J. J. Erwin left Sunday afternoon for California, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. Giesecke and family will visit different points in California, and tour the northwest. Mrs. Erwin will join her daughter, Mrs. Ira Hobdy, of El Centro, California, at Los Angeles, and they will visit different points on the Pacific coast.

A bad taste in the mouth comes from a disordered stomach, and back of that is usually a typhoid fever. 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.

Miss Mollie Best, chief operator in the local phone office, left for Cuero Sunday afternoon, where she will visit relatives.

P. Best went to San Benito Sunday afternoon, where he will be through the cotton season with the Valley Gin Co.

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."

Miss Ida Ray Coekrell went to Brownwood, Saturday afternoon. After a visit of a few days with her sister, she will go to Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she has accepted a position as bookkeeper in a music store.

R. W. Bruce, J. K. Hutton, of Ballinger and J. A. Guy of Talpa went to Abilene Monday where they will attend a grain testing demonstration conducted by a representative of the government.

Doing hard work in a bent or stooping position puts a stitch in the back that is painful. If the 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.

Mrs. Nell Routh is at home from Abilene, where she has been attending a business college.

Will Holland returned home from the army Saturday at noon. Mr. Holland was with the 36th Division. He lost no time when he landed in Ballinger, and after a few hand shakes with friends was on the job with the Sims thresher helping to save the grain crop.

Pioneer Citizen Died at Wingate

Tom Deen, age 47 years, died at his home at Wingate Sunday morning, death resulting from leakage of the heart.

Mr. Deen was the oldest son of Nat Deen, one of the first men to settle in Runnels county. He came here with his father in the early days, and for many years the family lived South of Ballinger in the Walthal neighborhood, moving to Wingate fifteen of twenty years ago.

Deceased is survived by several brothers and sisters. Nat Guest, a cousin, resides in Ballinger, and Mr. Guest went to Wingate Sunday to attend the funeral. Joe Cotten, an uncle by marriage, and another one of the pioneer citizens, lives at Sterling City.

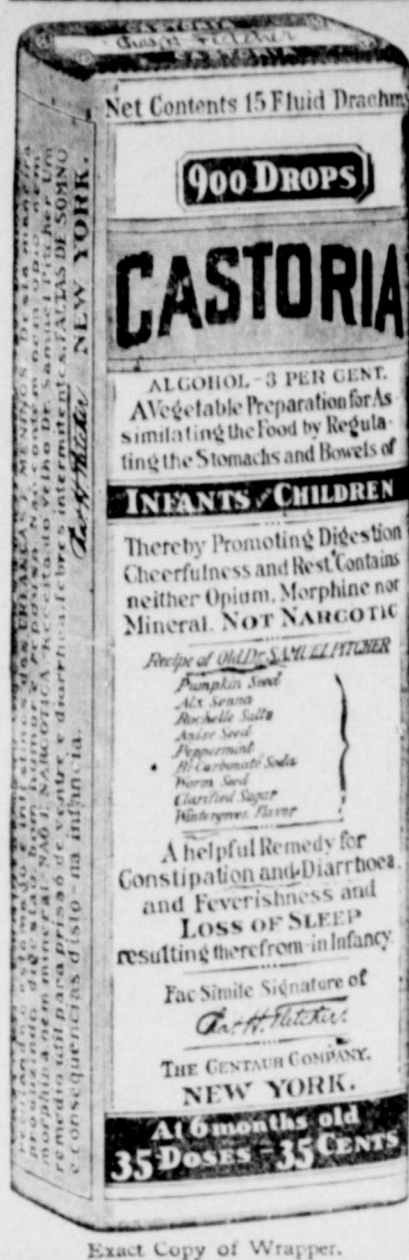
The funeral services were held at Wingate Monday afternoon and interment made in the cemetery at that place.

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.

Sheriff Perkins went to South Texas on business Saturday, B. W. Pilcher is watching after Jack Johnson during the sheriff's absence.

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn 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.



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The first wheat threshed near Ballinger came from the Lynn Stokes farm, where a yield of 30 bushels per acre was made. The wheat had not been sold up to a late hour Monday. It tested 58 pounds to the bushel.

On the Chas. Miller farm threshing was underway when the shower of rain stopped it, and the yield was running around 15 bushels per acre. The stand was bad on the Miller farm, and the yield will probably be considerably below the average.

Stokes reported that his oats threshed out sixty bushels per acre, and he sold on the local market at sixty-five cents. Thresher hands came to town Monday morning, rain interfering with the work.

Miss Margaret Futch went to Mississippi last Sunday, where she will visit relatives for a month or two.

First Melon On Local Market

L. H. Hamilton, of South Ballinger, marketed the first water melon for this season in this city Saturday, liking only one day making it by the Fourth of July. L. Galon, a Mexican paid the price and got the first 1919 melon brought here. The melon weighed twenty-six pounds and sold for seventy-five cents.

Truck growers report that prospects are pretty good for a good melon crop. The vines are fruiting well, but the crop is usual is late.

Ballinger is noted for its late melon crop. The crop does not begin to come in here until about the first of August and many melons are shipped from here until late in the season, melons made ice cold by winter weather being for sale here late in the fall.

Mrs. C. C. Britton and little son are visiting relatives in Abilene.



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Miss Lucile Bridwell left Sunday afternoon for Nacogdoches, where she will spend her vacation and visit relatives.

Mrs. Sid Caskey and children returned to their home at Brownwood Sunday afternoon, after a visit to relatives here.

Dr. J. H. King will begin a revival at Blanket next Sunday night where he will be for ten days or two weeks.

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Doughboys On "Bolos"

New York, July 7.—American doughboys who fell into the hands of the bolsheviks as war prisoners were given an unwelcome course of lecture on bolshevism while in Moscow. The bolsheviks aimed to convert the Americans and send them home primed for agitation in America.

The plan failed, judging from the sentiments of five Americans who were released in Moscow and allowed to leave at the request of the United Press.

These men were Bryant R. Ryall, Y. M. C. A., secretary, 345 Madison Avenue, New York City, who had been in Russia before doing civilian relief work; Sergeant Glenn W. Letzell, Mifflinburg, Pennsylvania, Private Freeman Hogan, 812 Casper Avenue, Detroit, Jens Laursen, Marlett, Michigan, and John Triplett, Hinmann Kentucky. In addition the party brought out Francis Linford a wounded English lad from Sussex.

All the Yanks were captured on the Archangel front. When the bolsheviks surprised them by a flank movement, the Yanks were passed back from post to post until they arrived in Moscow. They were stripped of practically every thing including clothes.

Some of them had almost entire Russian uniforms. The bolsheviks had a particularly keen eye for American "O D" equipment, especially shirts. All of the Americans had bolshevik overcoats, their own having been stolen.

In Moscow the Americans were given fairly clean and decent quarters, but were issued practically no food. A Red Cross fund and later money from the Y. M. C. A. saved them from starvation. An American mess was soon started. The five did their own marketing and prepared their meals.

They were allowed a remarkable amount of freedom in Moscow, and could go about the city in daytime. At special times they had to report for lectures on bolshevism and the world revolution given by Russians who had lived abroad and spoke English.

The bolsheviks did their best to convert the Yankees, who kept their peace, and expressed no opinions until they had crossed the border into Finland. The doughboys were supposed to be "ripe" for bolshevism, when they left Russia.

To learn what impression Russian bolsheviks had made upon the doughboys, the United Press correspondent asked them for their opinions, when they arrived at the internment camp in Terijoki, where the Finns quarantine arrivals from Russia.

Sergeant Letzell said: "They're not making any bolsheviks of American prisoners. They try to preach bolshevism to us, but it doesn't work. They'd take men who've got brains who've accomplished something by ability, and work and reduce them to the lowest level. Who's going to stand for that!"

"They're a bunch of thieves and robbers. The leaders are preaching that everyone ought to have the same amount of money, but every leader has a pile of rubles stuck away that would knock your eyes out. They all believe in the principle the Bolos had at the front. What's yours is mine—that's their creed."

"Bolos" is the name the Yanks on the Archangel front gave to the bolsheviks. Letzell is an intelligent, spirited, red-headed American who came by his decisive ideas regarding bolshevism as the result of his first hand experiences.

Private Hogan is serious and deliberate. He speaks little and listens much. His views are equally interesting. "If America ever went bolshevik like Moscow," he said "I'd make myself a lone hand to stand out against them. If you want to be a good bolshevik you've got to be crummy and dirty. The majority of people in Russia wouldn't tolerate it, if it weren't for the fact they would starve to death if they opposed the Bolos."

Private Triplett, a rather easy going youth said: "I think the Bolos are just too damn lazy to work. If it weren't for the women they'd never get anything done. They have to dig the trenches at the front."

"You see the women carrying huge loads while some big bum of a bolshevik walks alongside carrying nothing. With the women doing everything, the men have to enlist, or the Bolos won't let them eat."

Private Laursen said: "I figure they're crooked and deceitful and

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are a bunch of cut-throats. All the honest ones want to get out of Russia as soon as possible. They all want to go to America like hell we'll let them—if I see any I'm going to shoot 'em."

This is what the ordinary American doughboy things of bolshevism. These chaps had three months to study it in Moscow, Mecca of the bolsheviks. The Yanks did not bother themselves too much about theories—they saw bolshevism in practice, and these are the opinions they expressed as they lay on the grass in the sun outside the quarantine hospital in Finland, after they had escaped, and were in friends' hands.

G. E. Davis, a former Ballinger boy now druggist at Comanche spent Sunday and Monday visiting friends and relatives here.

Gas Well Capped at Robert Lee

The Robert Lee well No. 2 on the Stroud place is cutting some dikes lately which are quite interesting and those who know about gas wells say that we have right here in this well something like a 10,000,000 cubic foot gas well which is likely to blow in at any time probably bring in a big oil gusher. The well is cased down to over 2,200 feet, and a cap six inches thick is screwed in the top of the casing. The gas pressure is so great that it is shooting gas and water from around the threads in the plug.

By placing a two inch pipe over this escaping water and gas you can light it and it will burn, furnishing a blaze a foot high as long as you continue to hold the piece of pipe in position. We wouldn't be surprised if this well doesn't get beyond control at any time. The gas is increasing daily. Who knows it may bring in a monster oil well. —Robert Lee Observer.

Misses Margaret and Winnie Trail left Sunday afternoon for Mineral Wells, where they will visit their uncle, Tom Trail and family.

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Sets Time For Union Revival

The Methodist, First and Eighth Street Presbyterian churches of this city, will join forces in a campaign against sin on the fourth Sunday in August, according to announcements made from the pulpits of these three churches.

It will be remembered that a union revival was held about the same time last year, with these three churches taken the lead and assisted by the cooperation of the other churches of the city, and the revival was a very successful one. The same plan will be

carried out this year.

The local arrangements for the meeting have not been perfected, the date only being announced. At an early date a meeting of the official board of the churches will be called and the various committees appointed and the campaign for the revival organized.

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."

Auto Trucks May Pull Road Drags Amercian Legion In 3 Day Program

Commissioner Kirk was busy Monday organizing his forces and preparing to drag the roads leading into Ballinger following the next rain, which seems to be pretty close at hand.

Mr. Kirk finds that the continued rains of two weeks ago left the roads in a bad shape in some places, and they will be worse following the next rain if they do not receive attention at the proper time.

The local commissioner stated that he was figuring with truck men and would probably get help of truck men in dragging the roads, as good roads are of more interest to truck drivers than any one else.

It is probable that trucks will hook on drags and pull them for a distance and trucks coming in the opposite direction will pick up the drags and pull them back, thus killing two birds with one stone or "get 'em going and coming."

Good drags operated at the proper time are the salvation of dirt roads and dirt roads which are allowed to be cut up in wet weather and dry in that rough state makes travel rough until they are soft by another rain.

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

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A light shower fell in Ballinger Sunday afternoon. Monday morning was made wet with a drizzle throughout the forenoon, followed by showers in the afternoon with good prospects for a general down pour.

Monday the rainfall at Ballinger and east and north of the city was light, while reports from the south and southwest stated that considerable rain had fallen. A half inch was reported four miles west of the city, and parties en route to San Angelo were forced to turn back.

Threshers had just begun to get under good headway throughout the county and a week or two more dry weather would have brought great activity in grain movement, but the rain has stopped all farm work, and thresher crews have disbanded until the weather is again favorable for moving the grain crop.

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EASTERN STAR GIVES BENEFIT

The Ballinger Chapter Order Eastern Star will serve tea, cake and sell candy at the home of Dr. W. B. Halley Tuesday from five to ten p. m. Old folks, middle age folks and young folks are urged to attend and help in the worthy cause.

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Rev. E. C. Carnelious received the sad news Monday that his brother's wife was dying. The message came Saturday while Rev. Carnelious was in the country filling one of his regular appointments, and he did not get the news until he returned to Ballinger Sunday night.

San Saba, July 6.—Saturday, the 5th, marked the close of the three day convention of the American Legion for this congressional district. The temporary organization of the district at Ballinger in April was made permanent at this reunion and the following officers elected for the year: F. A. Bass, San Saba, commander; T. S. Fairman, Goldthwaite, vice chairman; LeRoy Nicholson, Ballinger, adjutant, and Herbert Adkins, Brady, finance officer. An executive committee composed of the district officers and the post commanders of the nineteen counties in the district was appointed to determine later the time and place of the next annual convention. The reunion here was very successful and a good representation from many of the counties of the district was in attendance.

The convention was honored on the fourth by the presence of Col. Henry D. Lindsely of Dallas, temporary commander of the National American Legion, who took part in the business session of the afternoon. Before his departure for home that day the colonel was entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner at the home of the mayor A. V. Riley, the other guests being

Lieut. S. P. Boon of Brady, Capt. W. A. Smith and Lieut. J. H. Bell of San Saba, the temporary officers of the district association.

The amusement features for the closing day for the Legionaries were in the main the same as those of the preceding two days. The weather for the three days held cool and pleasant, which added greatly to the enjoyableness of the occasion.

The central committee created by the county fair association and the chamber of commerce to take sole charge of the care and entertainment of the delegates to the convention their families and friends carried the matter through most successfully. Everybody had a good time and many of the guests gave notice of a return visit the middle of August for the sixteenth annual county fair.

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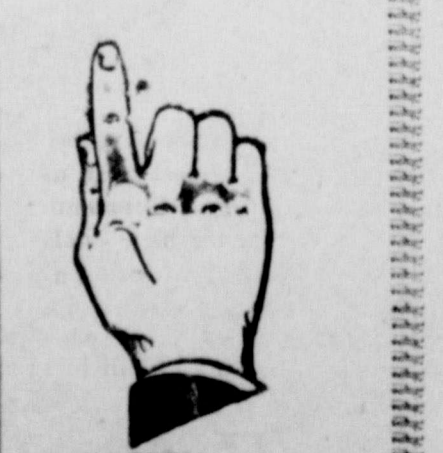
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