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## T. & P. CANCELS 20 TRAINS IN SOUTH

### RIGGING UP THE COTTON'CHANGE

A. E. Zeverly, representing the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, is here superintending the work preparatory to the opening of the Ballinger Cotton Exchange. The Ballinger exchange will be put in operation within a few days. A lineman is here wiring the building and installing the instrument, and the fixtures, furniture, etc., will be installed and the board placed in position by the first of next week, and quotations from all the markets of the world will soon be coming here regular.

G. B. Gillmore is here to take charge of the local exchange, and conferring with the board of directors with reference to certain rules which must be adopted and carried out to comply with the law governing the operation of cotton exchanges.

It is a violation of the law to admit "loafers" to the exchange and only those who are members of the exchange, who have cotton or have cotton to sell, or who have business in the exchange will be admitted.

The board of directors stated in advance that one of the iron clad rules and one which would be strictly enforced, would be that prohibit all political discussions in the exchange. The exchange will be controlled strictly for the receiving and posting of market quotations, on cotton, grain stock bonds, etc. The farmers, the men who produce cotton will be made honorary members of the association and will be extended the benefits of the exchange.

The exchange will occupy commodious quarters in the rear of the Rogers-Higdon Company building the space formerly occupied in this store for the ladies ready-to-wear department having been partitioned off and equipped for the exchange.

### BROWNWOOD HAS NEGRO KILLING

Special to The Ledger: BROWNWOOD, Aug. 3.—Ben Smith a negro about twenty years old, was shot and instantly killed in the section of the city inhabited by colored people, about 1 o'clock Wednesday morning. Hamp Robertson, another negro, was placed in jail.

Robertson claims that he heard a suspicious noise in his yard and went out to investigate. He saw some crouching object in the shadow of the house and opened fire on it. The object proved to be Smith. An examination showed that an axe, which was the property of Robertson, was near the body of Smith. Robertson and Smith had been having trouble over the alleged illicit intimacy between Smith and Robertson's daughter.

### 4 CONGRESSMEN LOSE IN THREE STATE PRIMARIES

By Associated Press CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Four republican and one democratic congressman were apparently defeated for re-nomination in Tuesday's primary election in Missouri, Oklahoma and Kansas, according to today's reports.

The question of progressivism or conservatism did not enter into these contests, except in the Third Kansas district where Representative Campbell was defeated.

Miss Alice Robertson of the Second Oklahoma district was re-nominated.

Mrs. St. Clair Moss of the Christian College, Columbus, Mo., had advantage over her two men opponents for the democratic nomination in the Eighth Missouri district.

From the national aspect of the defeat of Phil Campbell, member of congress for twenty years from the Third Kansas district, and chairman of the powerful house rules committee, probably caused the greatest sensation.

That of W. H. Sproul, who carried the support of the labor element, will be returned to congress from Kansas. This victory has been regarded in Kansas as probable, but entirely unexpected outside of the state.

Another picturesque feature of the primary results, requires Manual Herrick, of the Eighth Oklahoma district, to also pass from congress.

The Second Oklahoma congressman to fall by the wayside is T. A. Chandler of the First district. Their failure to achieve re-nomination regarded as due to local conditions.

Congressman McPherson is running second to J. J. Manlove, of the Fifteenth Missouri district. Democratic Congressman Rucker of the Second Missouri district has apparently been defeated by Ralph Lozier.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 3.—R. H. Wilson, state superintendent of public instruction, and J. C. Walton's strongest opponent in the democratic contest for nomination for governor, today conceded that Walton had been nominated.

Thomas H. Owen, who formed the Third angle in the three cornered race, admitted his defeat yesterday. Reports from 2952 of the state's 2,837 precincts gives Walton 79,401; Wilson 60,316; Owen 44,942.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Doss left Wednesday afternoon for Tennessee, where they will visit at their old home for two of three months, returning to Ballinger some time in October or the first of November. Their many friends here will wish for them a pleasant visit.



### GERMANY MAY TROOPS ON DUTY LOSE RHINELAND AS MINES RE-OPEN

By Associated Press PARIS, Aug. 3.—As a penalty for refusal to pay private debts owed to French citizens by Germans since and before the world war, the Rhineland will be taken from Germany and made a separate government, according to a scheme announced today.

The Separation of Rhineland from Germany with its own parliament, separate government and separate financial regime, supervised by the Allies, is part of the scheme for fixing penalties as presented to Premier Poincare as representative of French parliament and which was set today for a consideration of the scheme to be put into effect upon the definite refusal of the German government to fulfill its agreement with citizens for payment of private debts.

The scheme for separating Rhineland from Germany also involves the expulsion of all Prussian functionaries from the Rhineland and the present German officials to be replaced by natives of Rhineland.

### GIVEN 5 YEARS IN REFORMATORY

John A. Phillipot, age sixteen, son of Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Phillipot, was sentenced to five years in the state reform school at Gatesville, Thursday morning, when he plead guilty in juvenile court to stealing a watch.

The boy is alleged to have stolen a watch from Marvin Justice, and when arraigned for trial and faced with the facts in the case he plead guilty. The lad had been before the court before, and had been accused of theft. When arraigned for the last offense some time ago, he was released on probation, having promised that he would be a good boy. Failing to make good and live up to his promise, and again being charged with theft, the court fixed the penalty at the maximum, which is to remain in the reform school until he is 21 years of age.

The boy will be carried to Gatesville next Tuesday, and in the mean time he is in the custody of his father.

C. L. Baker and Le Roy Nicholson are in Houston on cotton business, going to that city Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Nell Stiff, of McKinney, is here for a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Claude Wilmeth. She returned home with Miss Fannie Wilmeth, who spent a couple of months in north and east Texas.

By Associated Press WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—According to official reports the cleaning up mines preparatory to mining coal for state institutions began in Indiana under the protection of five hundred state troops this morning. But few laborers responded to the Governor's call for miners to take the place of the strikers. Fuel shortage is reported to be approaching an acute stage in a number of states, and the anthracite supply in Wisconsin is said to be exhausted.

### SCHOOL BOARD FACES PROBLEM

The school board held a lengthy session Wednesday afternoon, and granted a committee of mothers a hearing on problems with which the board has to contend with from session to session.

The scholastic population of the district is 841, and if anything like all the high school scholars enroll the board will be forced to use part of the Central building for high school rooms, and this will demand that all of the West Ward will be utilized.

Mothers fearing that their children would be forced to attend West Ward, when they lived nearer and more convenient to Central school, set about to help the board work out the problem, and asked for a conference with the board. They soon realized that the board was facing a problem which the mothers could do little towards solving.

It is the purpose of the board to maintain a four teacher school at West Ward, and teach all grades up to the eighth. If there are a sufficient number of pupils of the various grades living beyond Central school to make up the West Ward school it will not be necessary for those living nearer Central to go to West Ward, and the board will work out the zones from which pupils attend certain schools after the pupils register. It is possible that some pupils living almost in the shadows of one building will have to pass up that building and attend school at the other, but it can't be helped and the board will handle the situation to the best advantage of the greatest number of pupils.

The board also granted a conference to heating system men at its meeting Wednesday, and discussed plans for making other repairs which must be made before school opens on the first Monday in September, less than a month off.

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(Associated Press Dispatch) NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 3.—It was officially announced today that twenty passenger trains on the Texas & Pacific railway had been discontinued on account of the strike. The officials of the road stated that it was impossible to operate the trains on account of shop conditions brought about by the shopmen's strike.

### WILL SILENCE ALL PHONES FOR BELL FUNERAL

By Associated Press NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Every telephone in the United States and Canada will be silent for one minute tomorrow while Alexander Graham Bell, who invented the telephone, is being buried. The American Telephone and Telegraph Company announced today that all exchanges would be asked to shut down for one minute. The exact time will be determined later, and if you fail to get central during that minute you will know the reason why.

### BALLINGER BOYS WILL TOUR PACIFIC COAST

Bill Sharp and Slim Pierce left in their "Overland Pullman" for California Thursday morning. Mr. Pierce has been with Stone & Thorp and the recent sale of the firm's business to The Hub let him out. The young men will tour the Pacific Coast and intermediate points prospecting. They have gone West, and if they find anything (besides movie actresses) to their liking they may locate and grow up with the country.

### MAKES BULLISH CROP FORECAST

A. E. Zeverly who is here superintending the opening of the Ballinger Cotton Exchange, predicts that cotton will jump to 25 cents by the first of September. Mr. Zeverly says that the next government report will show a big decline in crop conditions.

I have just returned from a trip through Central and South Texas, going as far as Bishop, said Mr. Zeverly and I found that cotton had deteriorated from fifteen to fifty per cent within the last three weeks.

Mr. Zeverly stated that he received information from Montague county to the effect that the cotton crop was a complete failure. He stated that in the territory over which he traveled recently he found that the young cotton was burning up and the old cotton throwing off its fruitage on account of the dry weather and intense heat wave which has been sweeping Texas for the past week or ten days.

Nueces county's first forecast was for 100,000 bales. The present forecast is for 25,000 bales, and other big cotton counties in South Texas have suffered equally as a great falling off.

"I think a three million bale crop is a big forecast for Texas," maximum yield this year," said Mr. Zeverly, "and if we don't get rain soon the yield will be two and a half million. I look for twenty-five cent cotton by the first of September." Mr. Zeverly stated that he understood the cotton in this part of the state was being cut short by the drought and he is a wave, but declared that it was about as good as in other sections where he had visited, and better than in some places.

P. J. Baron, of Rowena, and Wm. Zappe, of Shiner, left for the country Thursday morning, accompanied by seven South Texas citizens who are going to the Slaton-Lubbock country prospecting.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—E. J. Manion, of St. Louis, president of the Railway Telegrapher's union, has sent letters to the heads of the twelve railroad unions now not in the strike, suggesting that a meeting be held to discuss the growing tendency to involve their men in the shopmen's strike, it was learned today on good authority.

It is said that the letters sent out to the union heads by the telegrapher's president, pointed out that the members of the twelve unions still at work had many problems related to the strike situation to contend with, and suggested the advisability of a conference of the twelve grand chiefs, including the Big Four Brotherhoods for the purpose of "considering strike developments and possible action as justified by the twelve unions."

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Ten thousand and shopmen now at work in the Santa Fe shops, and who took the striking shopmen's places, forming an association of new employees, today telegraphed Chairman Hopper of the United States railroad labor board, demanding that their rights be safe guarded in any settlement made in the shopmen's strike.

The new association of employees were promised seniority rights by the railroads when they took the strikers places, and they are appealing to the labor board for protection in such rights acquired during the walkout of the former employees.

Masonic Lodge There will be a called meeting tonight at 8:00 o'clock sharp for work in the Master degree.

### TWO ASSASSINS FACE GALLOWS

By Associated Press LONDON, Aug. 3.—The court of criminal appeals today heard and discussed the appeals of Joseph O. Sullivan and Reginald Duran, who are under death sentence for the assassination of Field Marshal Wilson. The court decided after reviewing the case that the men were entitled to hang. The appellants were not present at the hearing.

R. R. Darrow, of Fort Worth, Division Chief of the Magnolia company came in Wednesday at noon to attend the Old Cow Punchers reunion.

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W. Z. Morris, a former citizen of Ballinger, and now of Brownwood, had business in Ballinger Thursday. Mr. Morris was here about twenty-five years ago, and has been back frequently since.

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WACO—The Young Men's Business League of Waco has voted to give \$100 bonus for the first bale of cotton grown in this vicinity this season and placed on the market. The first bale brought in will be auctioned off by farm associations.

Carbon paper 19 1/2x26 inches for tracing embroidery patterns—10c per sheet. The Ballinger Printing Co.

MARLIN—The annual poultry and stock show of the girl's and boys' clubs of Falls county was staged here recently. Forty members of the club entered the poultry contest. The five boys win first prizes in the poultry and corn exhibits were given free trips to the short course at the Texas A. & M. college.

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WACO—Plans are going forward under direction of American Legion auxiliary officers here for the state convention and banquet which will be held here early in September. Committees have been appointed for handling all phases of the entertainment, it is said.

VICTORIA—Establishment in Victoria of a textile mill as well as in nine other Texas towns was announced here recently by a representative of an eastern milling concern which will construct the mill. The mill will employ about 350 persons, with a weekly payroll of about \$10,000 it is said.

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Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

CANNOT HOARD TIME

IN A certain time you can make a certain amount of money. You can put the money away for years later, but you can't put the time away.

Money, called by the economists frozen labor, might also be called frozen time.

But time is more than money. It can be turned into many things that can be stored away—education, cultivated taste, pleasant and profitable memories. But time itself you cannot hoard. You must use it as it passes, or it is gone forever.

Time spent in recreation is not wasted, unless you spend more than a due allowance for recreation.

But time spent in absolute idleness, or in activities that are worse than idle, is sheer criminal waste.

If you could go back over your life and gather back the hours that have never been improved, you would still have enough time to do great things.

But those hours are gone. You can only, as Shakespeare says, "regret your dear time's waste" and resolve to waste less of it in the future.

Many men whose time had never been turned to account until they were past forty have still had enough left to accomplish great things in the world.

But these are the most sincere mourners for the years that might have been utilized.

If you will begin today to bear in mind that time cannot be hoarded, and if every hour of it is converted into something that can be hoarded, you may lay the foundation for a fortune.

You will certainly lay the foundation for happiness by and by.

Count your hours, and allot each one to some task or to some profitable recreation. See that none of them slip by. They are as water through a mill, which if sent over the wheel creates valuable energy, but which spilled over the dam is gone forever.

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Mother's Cook Book

"A fig tree looking on a fig tree become eth' fruitful," says the Arabian proverb. And so it is with children, their first instructor is example.

EVERYDAY GOOD THINGS

NOW is the time to go forth and pluck the early watercress, the wholesome dandelion, the dock and poke, the new shoots of milkweed and marsh marigold or cowslips, all giving the needed zest to the food of spring.

Fresh Dandelion Salad.

Those who appreciate the value of the tender bleached heart of dandelion like it with a bit of salt without any dressing. For a salad the bleached leaves are best, but the tender green shoots, cut and mixed with a small green onion and served with French dressing is a salad not to be despised. Cut the dandelion close to the root, with all the tender green buds. Wash carefully and slice the root from the base, buds and tender leaves for an inch above the root. These use for a fresh salad; the rest of the leaves may be cooked for greens. Another addition to this salad is a thinly sliced tomato, which adds a bit of acid and softens the bitter of the dandelion. Using mayonnaise on the fresh green dandelion is another appetizing method of serving it.

Cooked Dandelion Salad.

Cook the greens until tender, which will take two hours or more unless the greens are very young, then serve with the following salad dressing. Rub a small bowl with a cut clove of garlic, add one-half of a teaspoonful of salt, a few dashes of paprika, two tablespoonfuls of orange juice and four to five tablespoonfuls of olive oil. Whip this dressing until it is creamy, then serve on the cooked dandelions.

Pigweed or Lamb's Quarter.

This is a good wholesome green and common enough to be generally well known as a weed, but not well known as a good food. Pull it up by the roots and strip off the green leaves, as the stalk is generally too tough to serve. Cook with pork or corned beef and serve hot.

Purslane is another good green,

which grows in profusion. Pick the leaves and stalks, shake well and wash, then cook as any other greens.

Horse-radish, pleplant and dandelion

cooked together make a good flavored combination. Yellow dock when young and tender is good.

Cowslips are delicious when well cooked and seasoned. They are easy to clean and do not shrink as do the dandelions when cooking. A half peck of tender dandelion greens will shrink when cooked to a small vegetable dish.

Mustard is grown for a green and makes a most tasty dish. The wild mustard is good, but the leaves are much smaller than those of the plant called Chinese mustard. A few leaves of the mustard cut in bits and added to the dish of lettuce improves it.

Watercress at this season is in its prime, fresh and green. It grows along the banks of brooks. One should use care in picking it where there is no fear of sewage contamination.

Nellie Maxwell

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MRS. HATFIELD SABINA, OHIO

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Sabina, Ohio.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for weakness and irregularity. I was weak and nervous and could hardly stand on my feet long enough to cook a meal. I was this way for about a year and had tried several medicines and had a physician, but to no avail. My sister was taking your medicine and finally induced me to try it. I now feel fine and can do my housework without any trouble at all. You can use this letter for the sake of others if you wish."—Mrs. WELDON G. HATFIELD, R. R. 3, Sabina, Ohio.

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It is not necessary that one file claim for compensation or aid of any kind under this order, the thing is, if you received a hospital or sick from some disease that in the future years may show up on you that would disable you for the rest of your life, altho you show no symptoms of ailment at this time, you can not get help from the Government if you do not register your claim with the Veterans Bureau at Dallas, Texas, by August 9th.

All that is necessary at this time is to write the Veterans Bureau, giving name, rank, organization, date of enlistment and discharge, and stating circumstances under which the injury or disease incurred. The American Legion wants to see that all ex-service men get what is due them, and urges that all men who come under

this act protect themselves by complying with the provisions of the amendment before it is too late, for after that date all will be lost. The Pat Williams Post No. 8, Ballinger, Texas, will gladly give any assistance that may be needed in shaping papers for any ex-service man. All you will have to do is to call on us. M. C. ATKINS, Post Commander, American Legion Post No. 8.

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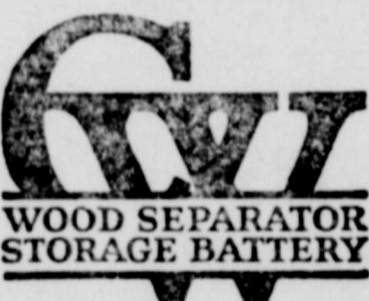
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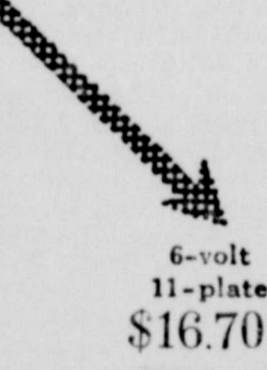
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 Now comes Winnie Jackson, who resides in Runnels County, Texas, hereinafter called Plaintiff, complaining of T. Jackson, whose residence is unknown to plaintiff, hereinafter styled Defendant; and for cause of action, plaintiff represents to the court that she is and has been for a period of twelve months prior to exhibiting the petition herein an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in said county of Runnels for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit.  
 Plaintiff further alleges that, on or about October 24th, 1907, in Tom Green County, Texas, she was lawfully married to the defendant; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about August 23rd, 1921; that during their said marriage life she was a dutiful and faithful wife to the defendant and strove at all times to make his life and home happy that she was kind and affectionate to her said husband, but that he, unmindful of the duties and obligations of his marital vows, failed to treat her with proper consideration, in that that he was unmindful of her support and happiness to which she was entitled.  
 That on or about August 23rd, 1921, defendant left plaintiff

and has remained away from her since said date; that he left with a shipment of stock to be sold and disposed of in South Texas, that at the time defendant went away he left her and their child in Miles, Texas, unprovided for; that between that date and October 12th, 1921, she received small remittances from him, but that since said last date she has not received any support whatsoever from him, nor has she heard from him; that since said last date she has been forced to labor for and support herself and child; that he is not now nor has he since said last date provided for her support, but has wholly failed so to do.  
 Plaintiff further alleges that defendant's actions and conduct to and toward her are of such nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable to her.  
 Plaintiff further alleges that as the fruit of their said marriage one child, Winnie T. Jackson, a girl now of the age of 11 years, was born to them; that said child needs the care of her said mother, and that its best interest demands that it should be awarded to the care, custody and control of its said mother, the plaintiff herein; that she is able and willing to support and provide for the child, rear and educate it, and so desires the exclusive custody, care and control of their said daughter, Winnie T. Jackson.  
 Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited by publication as required by law to appear and answer herein, and that upon hearing hereof that said marriage between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved and declared null and void; that she have the exclusive care, custody and control of their aforesaid child until it reaches its majority; and for judgment for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief general and special, in law and in equity as in the premises she may be entitled to, etc.  
 WINNIE JACKSON,  
 Plaintiff.  
 Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
 Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Ballinger, Texas, this the 15th day of July, A. D. 1922.  
 (Seal):  
 GEORGIA SINGLETARY,

Clerk, District Court, Runnels County, Texas.  
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**DALLAS**—E. D. Jennings, dean of the Texas Women's college, Ft. Worth, has been elected dean of the college of liberal arts of Southern Methodist University here, school officials have announced. The new dean will assume his duties at the close of the summer session of the Fort Worth college.

**APPLY SULPHUR ON A PIMPLY SKIN**  
**Apply Sulphur as Told When Your Skin Breaks Out.**  
 Any breaking out of the skin on face, neck, arms or body is overcome quickest by applying Mentho-Sulphur. The pimples seem to dry right up and go away, declares a noted skin specialist.  
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**AUSTIN**—Miss Lucy Moore, registrar of the law school at the University of Texas here, will be the presiding officer at the annual convention of Kappa Beta Pi national legal sorority, at Detroit, Mich., Sept. 15th. Miss Moore is grand dean of the national organization, which has 22 chapters in the leading schools of the nation.

**The Key that Unlocks the Door to Long Living**  
 The men of eighty-five and ninety years of age are not the rotund, well-fed, but thin, spare men, who live on a slender diet. Be as careful as he will, however, a man past middle age will occasionally eat too much or of some article of food not suited to his constitution, causing indigestion or constipation and will need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets to move his bowels and invigorate his stomach. When this is done, there is no reason why the average man should not live to a ripe old age.

**AUSTIN**—Charles McCormick, of Dallas, has been elected professor of law in the law school of the University of Texas here. Professor McCormick will take up his duties at the beginning of the fall semester. He is a graduate of Harvard Law school and has practiced for ten years.

**"COLD IN THE HEAD"**  
 is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Those subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "run down" condition. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a Treatment consisting of an Ointment, to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, building up the System, and making you less liable to "colds". Sold by druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

**WEATHERFORD**—The railroad strike has greatly increased truck transportation for marketing purpose in this section according to farmers. This is true particularly with the watermelon crop, it is said. Due to fear of lack of delivery by railroad, local shippers have taken to the truck and are marketing large quantities of the watermelon crop in this way.  
 Cold Ballinger melons 1 1/2c per pound, fancy cold cantaloupes, 50c per dozen. E. A. Jeanes & Co. 29-5td

**DEL RIO**—Marketing of the grape crop is in full swing in this section. More than a carload of grapes is being shipped from Del Rio each day and it is estimated that more than 150 carloads of fruit will be shipped before the season closes. A recent consignment went to San Antonio and from there was billed to Italy. The fruit crop is reported to be unusually large. Movement of the pear and fig crops are also under way.

**Public Notice of Dissolution**  
 Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between A. L. Spann and I. G. David, of Ballinger, County of Runnels, and State of Texas, under the firm name of Spann & Co., was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1922. All demands on the said partnership are to be presented to the said A. L. Spann for payment. The firm name will remain the same as heretofore.  
 A. L. SPANN,  
 I. G. DAVID.  
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**EL PASO**—Foreign owners of Mexican lands in Chihuahua and Durango are planning a meeting to be held in the near future to adopt a course of action relative to the recently promulgated agrarian laws of the two states. Americans own more than 10,000,000 acres of land in Chihuahua alone, it is said.  
 Ledger want ads pay.

Rev. Pleasant J. Taylor, wife and son, left Tuesday for Palo Pinto where they will attend a family reunion and be gone for about two weeks visiting relatives. Returning, Rev. Taylor will go to Menard for a regular old fashioned camp meeting of about two weeks duration.

**WHITE DEER**—One of the largest wheat yields ever shipped from White Deer is the latest prediction of elevator men and farmers in this district. Already shipments from White Deer total 300,000 bushels and it is said there yet remains to be threshed approximately 600,000 bushels and this amount will bring the total for the year to 500,000 bushels above early season estimates.

Mrs. G. E. Ferguson and children of Fort Stockton, are here visiting her sister Mrs. J. W. Black.

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**WACO**—The Waco rifle club has just been organized with 34 charter members. It is planned for members of the club to use the old range at Camp McArthur. An indoor range also is planned for pistol practice.

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