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## Car Load "Fish" Proves to Be Booze; Officers Hook It

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 16.—A solid car load of Scotch rye whiskey, billed out from Miami, Florida, and consigned to Kansas City as "fish," was seized by federal prohibition enforcement agents and the sheriff here today.

The officers were on the lookout for the cargo of booze and spotted the car in the local railroad yards and stopped it while en transit to the Kansas City booze market.

## SOAP

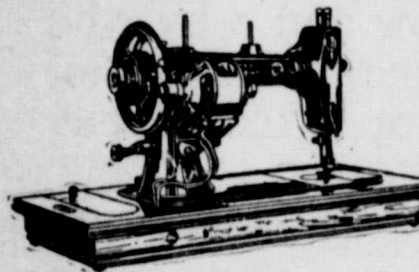
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## RANGERS TO STOP AUTO THIEVES

FORT WORTH, Nov. 16.—Governor Neff, here attending the Federated Women's Clubs Convention, was requested by Ft. Worth Police Commissioner Alderman to detail state rangers for service in the Mexia oil fields, or furnish other state assistance to local officers in recovering stolen automobiles.

## COURT REVERSES FIVE CASES

AUSTIN, Nov. 16.—Five convictions from McLennan county courts were reversed and dismissed by the Court of Criminal Appeals here today.

Four of the cases were dismissed on indictments returned by a grand jury which was composed of two women members, the court recently ruling that women were not eligible to grand jury duty.

The other case reversed was one in which a man had been convicted of possessing equipment for manufacturing intoxicating liquor, the court recently holding that this law had been repealed by the legislature at its last special session.

## SEEKS MISSING GEORGIA BANKER

AUSTIN, Nov. 16.—Requisition from Governor Hardwick, of Georgia, for John D. Walker, former banker of Sparta, Ga., was received at the governor's office here today. Walker is wanted in Georgia for embezzlement of funds of his bank. He is reported to be at San Antonio.

## RAIN AND HAIL IN CONCHO CO.

The lightning flashed and the thunder rolled South of Ballinger Tuesday night, encouraging at least, the people who are hauling water throughout the country. Texas is dry in almost every section of the state, and as far North as Paris the report come in that the water is short. The weather forecast for tonight and tomorrow also offers encouragement, the prediction calling for "colder and rain tonight; Thursday cloudy and colder."

Reports received here today from the Southern part of Concho county, states that a portion of the country in that section was flooded Tuesday night, and that the rain was accompanied by considerable wind and heavy hail.

According to reports received here the rain was sufficient to put out stock water in many places where the water was badly needed. Creeks were started to running and water holes filled full. Both Millesview and Eden report rain. The hail was heavy at Millesview and wind did slight damage.

# Fair Here Next Week to Be Best Ever Held

## SIX WOMEN ON ARBUCKLE JURY

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—The trial of Roscoe C. Arbuckle, charged with the death of Miss Virginia Rappe, entered the third day this morning with the jury nearing completion. Local interest in the case shows to be waning as evidenced by the empty court room.

After two days in examining fifteen members of the special venire called for the case, eleven of them have been accepted tentatively. Five of the eleven are women, and there is considerable speculation as to whether the twelfth juror will not be a woman, making the jury when completed composed of six men and six women.

## Promiscuous Kissing No Sign of Lack of Love for Husband

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—A wife's promiscuous kissing does not indicate a lack of affection for her husband, Judge David declared today after dismissing a \$5,000 alienation suit brought by John Walter against Samuel Johnson.

Walter some time ago divorced his wife after finding her and Johnson in a kissing affair in Mrs. Walter's boudoir. Mrs. Walter has since died, but Walter continued to press the suit for damages, alleging that Johnson robbed him of his wife's love.

"It is true they were too friendly," said the judge, "but you lawyers would not contend that in romantic France husbands and wives do not love each other because they have amorous affairs outside of their homes."

Spencer Parish, the pioneer tinner of this country, is back on the job in Ballinger, after spending about two years in the oil fields. He returned to Ballinger last week and has accepted a position with the Demoville Radiator and Sheet Metal Works.

## DISCUSSING FAR EAST PROBLEMS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—A detailed statement by China of her interests and attitude on Far Eastern questions was made today by Minister Sze at the first meeting of the committee on Pacific and Far Eastern questions of the conference for the limitation of armaments.

No program for consideration of Far Eastern questions was agreed upon, but heads of the delegations of nine powers, the United States, Great Britain, Japan, France, China, Belgium, Portugal and the Netherlands, will meet later and frame an order of procedure.

There was no response from the Japanese delegation after the Chinese view had been presented. Although some general discussion developed, other powers represented reserved detailed statements and opinions for later presentation.

Maintenance of "the open door" policy for China, is said to have been urged by Sze, who also spoke strongly for the abolition of secret treaties affecting China.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The disarmament conference today turned its attention to the discussion of Far Eastern problems.

This part of the program was taken up immediately following the referring of the American armament reduction proposal to a committee of naval advisors from the five great powers, who accepted the fundamental policy of limitation of naval armament.

It is believed by some that the conference will find it more difficult to agree upon problems affecting the Far East, while some observers express hope that the friendly relationship existing between the nations represented at the conference will make it easy for the powers to work out a solution of all problems coming before the sessions.

County Supt. Bugg and Farm Agent Eaton left Tuesday morning for a visit to a number of rural schools in the county.

Never before in the history of the county were more elaborate plans put on foot for the big poultry, livestock, agricultural exhibits and fall carnival which will be staged in Ballinger three days next week—Nov. 24th, 25th, and 26th. The big shows begin on Thanksgiving and include the Friday and Saturday following.

The Young Men's Business League has mailed out 2,000 catalogs, and is advertising in the papers throughout the country, and it is expected that people will be here from all over the county and adjoining counties. The attractions will draw them, and many will come to be with the crowds, and those who come will find something to keep them entertained every minute of the day and night.

First will be the big poultry, livestock and agricultural exhibits. A premium list has been arranged which should attract some splendid exhibits, and entries have already been made. The Merchants' Exposition will add to this feature of the three days' show.

Mrs. R. A. Smith's building on Seventh Street, facing the court house square, formerly occupied by a garage, will be used for the merchant's exposition building. Every merchant in the city will be asked to arrange an exhibit and booth space will be furnished to the merchants for any kind of an exhibit they see fit to put in. Most of the leading merchants have already spoken for space, and are planning their exhibits, and premiums will be awarded for the best exhibits in the various lines. Cooking exhibits, electrical exhibits, machinery exhibits, groceries, dry goods, and other lines will equip their booths in such a way as to make this feature of the three days show a whole show within itself.

The poultry exhibit will be held in the Giesecke building on Eighth Street, and the agricultural exhibit will be arranged in a building on Hutchings Ave. A fly has been leased from an awning and tent company and will be stretched for an enclosure in which to hold the livestock show, the "pen" being erected on some vacant lot convenient to the business district.

By way of entertainment the American Legion of this city will play the American Legion of Coleman a football game on one day, and on another day a rural

school athletic contest will be staged, a three days rodeo will be included in the entertainment features. A large carnival company has been bidding for an engagement here during the week, including the three days, and it is probable that they will be given dates. "As a rule I am opposed to carnivals," said one of the directors who is interested in the success of the three days show, "but if the people want it we are ready to take it on." The gentleman speaking stated that it was the desire of those in charge that nothing be left undone which would detract from the success of the occasion.

The occasion promises to be three red letter days in the history of Ballinger for entertainment and for boosting our agricultural, livestock and poultry industries. The little drought has in no wise cast dust in the eyes of the boosters, and if the citizens of Ballinger do their duty in supporting the undertaking more people will come to Ballinger during the three days than have been here for the same length of time in many moons.

As has been the custom for many years, all business will probably be suspended on Thanksgiving, the first day of the celebration, and the Ballinger people will have an opportunity to devote the entire day to the success of the affair, and then on Friday and Saturday, when the crowds will no doubt be the largest, people who come to mix business with pleasure will find the merchant prepared to take care of their wants.

If you have anything to show, you can add greatly to the success of the occasion and at the same time probably win a prize by listing such exhibits with the Young Men's Business League, and have it here on the day before the show opens, or early on the first day. No admission charges will be made to any of the exhibit booths.



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## DETHRONE KING NEAR EXILE

GIBRALTAR, Nov. 16.—Former Emperor Charles, of Austria-Hungary, and his consort former Empress Zita, are nearing the place of their exile at Madeira Island. The British cruiser Cardiff, with the former royal pair aboard, arrived here today en route to Funchal, Madeira, in the Atlantic Ocean, off the Northwestern coast of Africa, which is a comparatively short sail from this port.

## JUDGE PHILLIPS RESIGNS BENCH

AUSTIN, Nov. 16.—Judge Nelson Phillips, Chief Justice of the Texas Supreme Court, announced from the bench with court in session here today, that he would resign. It is understood that Judge Phillips will enter private practice of law at Dallas.

## STRENGTH

We take a great deal of pride, and we think justly so, in the strength of the companies we represent.

We represent the LARGEST fire insurance company in the WORLD, namely, the Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool, England, with assets of \$155,000,000.00.

We represent the LARGEST accident, health and workmen's compensation insurance company in the UNITED STATES, namely, the Aetna Life Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., with a capital of \$5,000,000.00 and surplus of \$12,164,654.00.

We represent the LARGEST bond and surety company in the WORLD, namely, the National Surety Company of New York, with a capital of \$4,000,000.00 and surplus of \$4,865,899.00.

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**WASTED SYMPATHY**

Coleman sympathizes with Brownwood, Ballinger, Abilene, San Angelo and other sister cities in their distress due to scarcity of water and which in some instances has necessitated dispensing with their Saturday night bath.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

As for Ballinger, Brother Hubert, you can conserve your sympathy. We appreciate your interest, but we do not need your sympathy. We have water, and to spare. A two inch rise was registered in the Colorado river last week, and there is no limit on water consumption in Ballinger. Use all you want, if you have the money to pay for it at the ridiculously low price, is this city's rule. The quantity is ample for all purposes, but the quality is bad for some purposes, being just a little harder than some brands of soap, and people who are not in the habit of drinking water, but who are compelled by law to do so, or do without the drinks, sometimes complain, but nine times out of ten such people would complain about having to drink anything as weak as water.

The best part of the whole water situation is shown in the report of the engineer, who says Ballinger can construct a seven hundred foot dam, forty-five feet high, three miles above Ballinger on Elm Creek and store sufficient water for a three year period, and that is just what Ballinger is going to do. The droughts will have no more horrors for us.

**UNSHAKEN TESTIMONY**

Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Ballinger. No Ballinger resident who suffers backache or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice-told testimony.

Mrs. R. A. Williamson, 205 N. 6th St., says: "I had kidney complaint and my back ached. I felt dull and languid especially in the morning and could hardly keep going. Dizzy headaches annoyed me and the action of my kidneys was irregular. I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and bought some at the Pearce Drug Co. Doan's benefited me, relieving all the symptoms of kidney complaint and strengthening my back."

**Lasting Benefit**

Mrs. Williamson gave the above statement July 24, 1915, and on April 29, 1919, she added: "My opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills is today as high as it ever was. Doan's helped me when I needed them and I have had no occasion to use them since."

Write at all dealers, Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Herman Vreelid and Dewey Nelson are at home from the game fields of Southwest Texas. Herman bagged a large buck and the enthusiasm caused by his success caused his father to watch closely after him for a while.

Hard-working men are more liable to kidney, liver and bowel disorders than others, therefore Pielichy Ash Bitters is the worker's friend, because it keeps a man's vital organs in sound, vigorous condition. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

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**RED CROSS WORKING FOR HEALTHIER U. S.**

Thousands Aided by Instruction in Care of the Sick, Food Selection and First Aid.

How the American Red Cross guides thousands of persons to health is shown in a summary of the society's activities in the health field based upon the annual report for the last fiscal year. Through its Nursing Service, its Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick courses, nutrition classes, First Aid classes, Life-Saving classes and Health Centers and in numerous other ways designed to acquaint masses of citizens with proper methods of living, the Red Cross carried its message of health into all parts of the country.

The work of the Red Cross during the war in its traditional field of nursing, furnishing the military and naval establishments of the nation with 19,877 nurses, is well known. And there are today 37,787 nurses registered with the American Red Cross and subject to call in emergency. During the fiscal year, 1,551 Red Cross nurses were accepted for assignment to Government service, 388 by the Army and Navy and 1,163 by the United States Public Health Service.

In addition to the nurses enrolled by the Red Cross for Government service, the Red Cross itself employed a total of 1,348 public health nurses in the United States and Europe. By far the greatest number was employed in the United States, 1,257, while 91 were in foreign service.

Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick classes, giving thorough instruction in the proper care of the sick in instances where the illness is not so serious as to require professional nursing care, during the fiscal year numbered 5,179. A statistical picture of the Red Cross operations in this field follows:

New classes formed during year . . . . . 5,179  
 Classes completed during year. . . . . 6,299  
 New students enrolled . . . . . 101,068  
 Students completing course. . . . . 73,432

What the Red Cross accomplished in giving proper instruction through its Nutrition Service is indicated by the following table:

New classes formed during year . . . . . 142  
 Classes completed during year. . . . . 189  
 New students enrolled . . . . . 2,341  
 Students completing course. . . . . 2,013

In addition to the above, a total of 22,000 children were given instruction in the proper selection and preparation of foods.

Through its 290 Health Centers, the Red Cross reached 90,252 persons. In these Health Centers, 4,015 health lectures were given and 780 health exhibits held.

In the United States last year, 75,322 persons were killed and 3,500,000 injured in industrial accidents. To prevent this enormous waste the Red Cross held 5,100 first aid classes with a total of 104,000 students enrolled.

**RED CROSS RESCUED 600,000 FROM DEATH**

Spent \$1,200,000 for Relief of Famine Sufferers in China Last Year.

To help overcome conditions of acute distress in five famine stricken provinces of Northern China, where millions of persons were affected by an unprecedented shortage of food, the American Red Cross during the last fiscal year spent more than \$1,200,000, \$1,000,000 of which was contributed directly by National Headquarters and the remainder by various groups interested in the welfare of China.

Through the wide relief operation, thus made possible it is estimated that more than 600,000 famine sufferers were saved from starvation.

To the end that similar prompt relief measures by the organization may always be possible the Red Cross is seeking continued support by the American people by universal renewal of membership at the Annual Red Cross Roll Call, November 11 to 24.

The method of relief employed by the American Red Cross in its operations in China was particularly effective, for in addition to saving hundreds of thousands of lives it provided China with more than 900 miles of permanent roads that are sorely needed to prevent a recurrence of famine. At one time the Red Cross employed 74,000 Chinese workmen, paying them in food for themselves and dependents. This food being brought in from Manchuria and elsewhere.

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**ELM CREEK SCHOOL REPORT**

The second month of school is nearing its close. The school work has been progressing nicely. There is an enrollment of thirty-six pupils in Elm Creek.

The school is going to have a box supper Friday night for the purpose of raising funds for playground equipment. We hope soon to have up on the school grounds swings and see-saws.

The playground has taken on a new appearance since the crusade of hoes, rakes and axes.

Loya Diek and Roy Diek spent Monday in Winters.

Miss Cordelia Brown, who is teaching in Winters, spent the week-end with home folks here.

Pat Brown and family of Ovalo, visited his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Diek, Sunday.

W. G. Wash was in Abilene Saturday.

Quite a number of the young people of Elm Creek attended the box supper at Tokeen Friday night.

W. F. Diek left Sunday for Lampasas to visit his mother, who is very ill.

Miss Melba Dark shopped in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. Mills and family of Tuscola, visited at the J. P. Howard home Sunday.

Joe Sterling went to Abilene Saturday.

Messrs. Jim Edwards and Ellsworth Rosson attended the singing at Tokeen Sunday night.

Mrs. M. Sterling and daughter Miss Velma, were visitors to Abilene Saturday.

There was a good attendance at Sunday school last Sunday. Much interest is being shown and we hope it will continue during the winter months.

"REPORTER."

**HURT ALL OVER**

Texas Lady Couldn't Sit, Stand or Lie With Any Comfort. Says "Cardui Did World of Good."

Bartlett, Texas.—Mrs. Nannie Messer, of Route 3, this place, states: "About three years ago I was in a very critical condition. I had been suffering for some time. To tell how I hurt would be impossible."

"I just hurt all over. I couldn't sit, stand or lay with any comfort, my back, sides and head all gave me a great deal of trouble. I was especially bothered with a light swimming in my head. My people were very uneasy about me and sent me to my relatives to see if a change would do me any good."

"I stopped at a sister-in-law's and she being a great believer in Cardui, asked me why I didn't use it. I decided to try it. I had only taken a few doses when I felt it would do me good. This gave hopes and I used it right along and it did me just a world of good, since which time I have never ceased to praise Cardui."

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- Lemon Peel,
- Currants,
- Seedless Raisins,
- Figs,
- Dates,
- Candied Pineapple,
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- Walnuts,
- Brazil Nuts,
- Almons,
- Pecans.

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**BOSTON MAN FOR GERMAN POST**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Ellis Loring Dressel, of Boston, was nominated by President Harding today to be Charge d'Affaires in Germany. Dressel has been American commissioner in Germany, and is now in Berlin.

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Rev. W. C. Kunze and T. S. Lankford went to San Angelo Monday to attend a meeting of the Home Mission Committee of the Presbyterian church, the meeting being one of a series which is being held over Texas. Mrs. W. A. Gustavus went with Mr. Lankford and Rev. Kunze to spend the day in San Angelo.

Buy a Gates Tire from Harwell Motor Company; they guarantee them. 20-d&w-tf

Mrs. J. H. Goss came down from Abilene Tuesday and will spend a week or more with her daughter, Mrs. Troy Simpson.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 16.—Shoe shines have dropped to a nickel at some El Paso stands, altho the price at parlors provided with padded seats and jazz music is 10 cents. Shines in Juarez are 15 cents, American money.

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Let other's sins alone; attend to your own.  
—  
An hour well spent is worth a week wasted.  
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A plain dinner with wise guests is a royal feast.  
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A hermit is a deserter from the army of humanity.  
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The indolence of the soul is the decay of the body.  
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Republics end with luxury, monarchies with poverty.  
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Seek acquaintance with the wise; intimacy with the good.  
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None live so easily and so pleasantly as those who live by faith.  
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The race of mankind would perish did they cease to help each other.  
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The rust of inactivity is more destructive than the sweat of exertion.  
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No sinners are ever so intolerant as those who have just turned saints.  
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Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall.  
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What we know here is very little, but what we are ignorant of is immense.  
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Man is the arch machine, and all his inventions are but toy models of himself.  
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We complain of the shortness of life, yet we often waste more time than we use.  
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We seldom realize how irresistible are the powers of gentleness and kindness.  
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Half of our diseases come from the neglect of our bodies or the overwork of our brains.  
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If we commit small faults without regret today, we shall commit greater ones tomorrow.  
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Remembrance is like a moonlight of the mind, and it can touch the ruins of other years with a softened light.  
—  
The great are often only great because we are on our knees, and they would shrink strangely if we should arise.

### Children Cry for Fletcher's

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment. Never attempt to relieve your baby with a remedy that you would use for yourself.

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### CONNIE TALMADGE IN "LESSONS IN LOVE" AT THE MAEROY

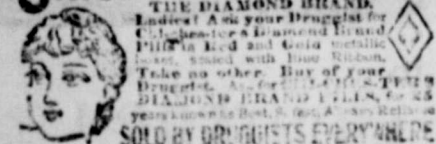
Constance Talmadge, most popular comedienne of motion pictures, will provide entertainment for patrons of the Maeroy Theatre Friday in her latest Associated First National starring vehicle, "Lessons in Love." A real treat is in prospect, for this photoplay is described as one of the best Constance Talmadge productions yet turned out by that clever star.

"Lessons in Love," is a typical Constance Talmadge story, replete with sparkling comedy situations in a most amazing and fascinating plot. It is an adaptation of Douglas Murray's stage play, "The Man from Toronto." Constance has the stellar role of Leila Culthorpe, a young and winsome heiress, whose elderly guardian "conspires" with the family lawyer to marry her to a man she has never seen. The complications which result from their efforts to make her "happy" figure in a chain of rapid-fire comedy that is certain to delight even the most critical of picture patrons.

Kenneth Harlan, who appeared with her recently in "Dangerous Business," will once more be seen as Constance's leading man. Others in the supporting cast include such well known screen artists as George Fawcett, who has appeared with Connie in many of her successes; Flora Finch, former partner of the late John Bunny; Florence Short, James Harrison, Frank Webster, Louise Lee.

"Lessons in Love" is a wholesome, human story, and, according to all accounts, the best ever filmed by Constance Talmadge.

### CHICHESTER'S PILLS



Ed Eason was here from Winters Tuesday, having business with the commissioners' court. Mr. Eason is recovering from a serious round with appendicitis having undergone an operation.

### The Woman Citizen

How is it possible for the woman of today to meet the requirements of a home-maker, mother, and voter, with all her social and political activities, if she is to go on suffering the pain that comes from ailments peculiar to her sex?

Check the malady at once by a conscientious treatment of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at the first sign of backache, and dragging-down sensations, so common to women who suffer from female diseases.

### MAKE YOUR CAR A BALLINGER CAR

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The Young Men's Business League of this city has arranged with local automobile supply houses to carry a stock of metal name plates, 2 1/4 by 10 1/2 inches, bearing the name, "Ballinger." These plates are enamelled with white letters on a dark blue background, and are equipped with clamps to attach to front and rear license numbers. They are being used in all of the leading cities of the United States, and are very popular. Ballinger garages are prepared to supply you with the beautiful name plates at about thirty cents a pair.

Every "live-wire" in and near Ballinger, who makes Ballinger his postoffice, should have a pair of these "booster" plates.

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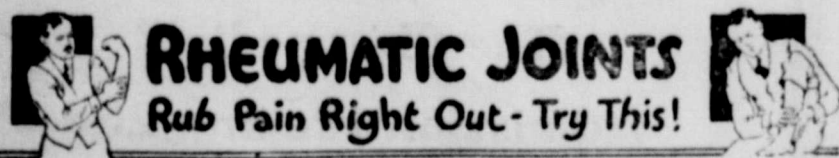
than any other one brand sold in Texas.

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Thanksgiving will soon be here and now is the time to make you plans for that day's dinner.

Engage your Turkey from us and we will deliver him when you want it.

We can also furnish you with all the trimmings that go to make up such a dinner.

Saturday Will Be Another Bargain Day

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## BLANTON HERE THURSDRY 24

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton will be in his district for a few days the last of this month and has announced a series of speaking dates, in which he promises to make a full report to his constituents. He will speak at the following places at the date and hour announced:

Abilene, Wednesday night, Nov. 23rd.  
Winters, Thursday morning, Nov. 24th, 10:30 o'clock.  
Ballinger, Thursday night, Nov. 24th.  
Eden, Friday morning, Nov. 25th, 10:30 o'clock.  
Brady, Friday night, Nov. 25th, 10:30 o'clock.  
San Saba, Saturday morning, Nov. 26th, 10:30 o'clock.  
Llano, Saturday night, Nov. 26th.

All ladies, farmers, business men, and members of labor unions are cordially and especially invited to be present. He will give you some first hand important information about the vital affairs of your government. His friends at each speaking place are requested to kindly arrange for a suitable place to speak, and let the people know about his appointment.

## EGGS EGGS

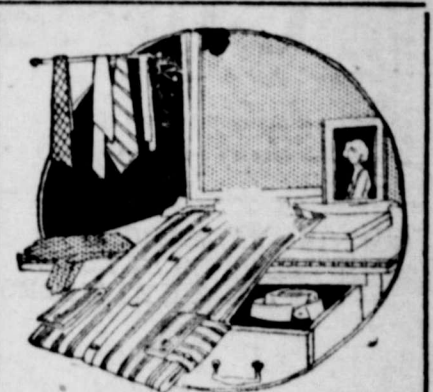
Start your hens laying now—use **Martin's Egg Producer**. Keep them free of bugs. Put **Martin's Blue Bug Remedy** in their feed—Disinfect your hen house with **MARTIN'S DIP**. To cure and prevent roup and sore head put **MARTIN'S ROUP REMEDY** in their drinking water. **SATISFACTION GUARANTEED**. Get it at your Druggist or Dealer.

FORT WORTH, Nov. 16.—Establishment of foreign member clubs, an international institute, a House of Neighborly Service, and camp schools for the foreign residents in the Fifth District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, was reported by the retiring president, Mrs. Lillie Terrell Shaver, of Brownsville, at the convention of the federation here today.

Mimeograph Paper cut 8 1/2 by 11 inches, 500 sheets \$1.25; 1,000 sheets \$2.00; cut 8 1/2 by 14 inches, 500 sheets \$1.50; 1,000 sheets \$2.50. The Ballinger Printing Co. d-1f

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November 11, American Legion Day in Ballinger.

## Head Stuffed By Catarrh or Cold? Use Healing Cream

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How good it feels. Your nostrils are open. Your head is clear. No more hawking, snuffling, dryness or struggling for breath. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from any druggist. Colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up. Relief is sure.

### M. W. A. MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America, Saturday night for the purpose of arranging for the zone campaign. All members are requested to be present.

OSCAR HARBOR, Clerk.

## TURKEY MARKET PERSHING KISS TAKES TUMBLE FOR WAR MOTHER

The turkey market went to the bad in Ballinger, Wednesday, following the rush of the first two days of the week. The national bird was popular on the market the first of the week, selling for 28 cents, but buyers got out of the market Wednesday with the high price and were paying only 25 cents, and were slow to take the turkeys at that figure.

The slump was due to the fact that local buyers had filled their orders, purchasing all the turkeys they could get to the Eastern markets by Thanksgiving, and the demand dropped off, causing consequent decline in the market.

The members of the Farm Bureau who had been notified to deliver their turkeys here for a shipment Wednesday, were later notified to bring them in at once, and not later than Tuesday, as the turkeys concentrated or listed for the Farm Bureau shipment had been sold to local buyers at satisfactory prices.

Those who came in Wednesday were disappointed, and in some cases carried their turkeys back home to hold them for the Christmas trade.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16.—General John J. Pershing, upon being introduced to Mrs. Amelia Emma McCudden, British war mother at a banquet given in honor of Marshal Foch last night, complimented Mrs. McCudden upon her visit to America, and then leaned forward and kissed her.

Mrs. C. R. Stephens is in Austin visiting her sister. She left for Austin Monday, and will spend two or three weeks away from Ballinger.

FORT WORTH, Nov. 16.—Ten new clubs have been added to the Fourth District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, during the past year, according to the report of Mrs. J. C. Nagle, College Station, retiring president of the district, at the convention here today. The district reported much interest in rural work, organization of community welfare clubs and Parent Teacher associations.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 16.—Several real estate agents of El Paso have reported showing colonization lands in Mexico to representatives of vegetarian families in California. G. H. R. U. John Rau, and Earl Johnson, of Los Angeles, have been here and were taken to Chihuahua, Mexico, to inspect lands. The three men said they represented about 100 California families that are not only vegetarians, but are also agriculturists.

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## Daily Ledger Want Ads

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 160 acres unimproved land on Southern plains in Dawson county, near Loop settlement. All tillable, shallow water, immediate possession, low price, reasonable terms; would consider some trade. For further particulars call on or phone C. A. Doose & Co., Ballinger, Texas. 16-6d

FOR SALE—Mountain Cedar Posts f. o. b. Ballinger as follows: 6 1/2 feet by 4 inch top, 24c; 6 1/2x3 1/2 top, 19 1/2c; 6 1/2 x3 inch top, 13 1/2c; 6 to 6 1/2 ft. by 3 inch top, 12 1/2c; 6 to 6 1/2 feet by 2 1/2 inch top, 8 1/2c; also 7 and 8 foot post. Sell direct to consumers. Aylor Cedar Co., San Saba, Texas. 16-1td-1tw.\*

WANTED—Plain sewing. Mrs. Ada Garrett, 10 Sealy Avenue. 16-3td.\*

FOR SALE—Two registered big type Poland China sows. Phone 3621. W. A. Guin, Hatchell. 16-2d-2w.\*

FOR SALE—Hot blast heater. Phone 449. 16-3d.\*

LOST—Mexican carved walking cane between Ballinger and Rowena. G. W. Newman. 1d.\*

FOR SALE—My three places; one on Hutchings Ave., and two on Strong Avenue. A bargain. Will take car as part payment. J. M. Fields. 15-tfd

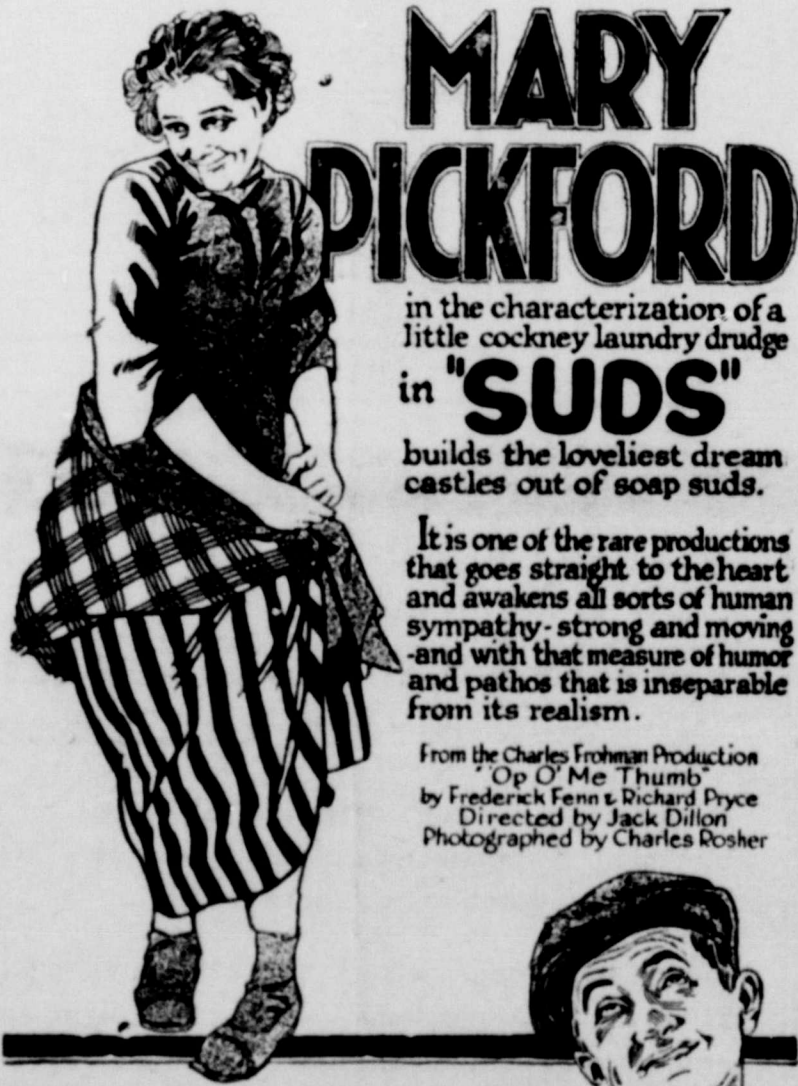
LOST—Strayed or Stolen; one dark brown Horse, no brand, 16 hands high, weighs 1600 pounds. Reward. John Simicek, Phone Rowena. 14-tfd-1w

FOR SALE—Mesquite cord wood in cord wood length, heater length, stove wood length, or stove wood split up, delivered. Phone 4704, Lewin McWilliams. 14-6td

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When the sleep is disturbed at night by urinary troubles the best thing to do is to take Prickly Ash Bitters. It is particularly good for men of middle age as it has a strengthening influence in the kidneys and bladder. Price \$1.25 per bottle. John A. Weeks, special agent.

FORT WORTH, Nov. 16.—The Order of DeMolay in Fort Worth will hold its second large initiation since its founding here several years ago on November 26th. The ceremonial will be held at the Mosque on Lake Worth.

A Timely Suggestion This is the season of the year when the prudent and careful housewife replenishes her supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed before the winter is over and results are much more prompt and satisfactory when it is kept at hand and given as soon as the first indication of a cold appears and before it has become settled in the system. There is no danger in giving it to children as it contains no opium or other harmful drug.

### COTTON REGAINS A SLIGHT LOSS

The cotton market made a slight gain Wednesday, and the buyers were more hopeful than for several days. The New York market gained 26 points and the New Orleans market gained 43 points.

Rev. E. C. Simpson returned home from Cisco Tuesday afternoon, where he had been attending the Methodist conference of the Central Texas district. Rev. Simpson returns to serve the local Methodist church as pastor for another year, and we are glad to note that he and his family are to remain here at least another year.

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