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## COTTON BELT REPORTS LOSS THREE BRIDGES

(By Associated Press)  
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 31.—Cotton Belt Railroad officials announced this afternoon that three wooden trestles eighteen miles North of Texarkana were destroyed by fire last night. The officials also reported that the wooden approaches to the bridge over the Sabine river 107 miles South of Texarkana, had been damaged by fire.

Ernest Gaston left for Waco Wednesday under direction of army authorities for examination and treatment for defective hearing which he suffered while in the war.

## DATES SET FOR RURAL SCHOOLS

None of the rural schools in Rannels county will open until October first, and there will be at least three opening dates—Oct. 1, Oct. 30, and Nov. 13, according to the length of term which the schools will be in session.

County Superintendent Bugz announces that the rural schools are in good shape, considering the short finances, and that most of them expect to hold a full term, working out some plan later, if the state does not come to their rescue.

The delay in opening will give the children time to be of much aid in harvesting the cotton crop, as the crop promises to be ready for picking early. The four or five thousand school children in the county will make big headway in harvesting the cotton crop during September, and with many remaining on the job thru October, the demand for imported cotton pickers will not be as great as was at first expected.

## 15 Killed in Mine Explosion

(By Associated Press)  
CUMBERLAND, B. C., Aug. 31.—Fifteen men were killed and sixteen injured in an explosion yesterday in Mine No. 4 of the Canadian Colliers Dunsuir coal properties here. All the bodies have been recovered from the wrecked mine.

## FAIRS WILL SHOW FARMER THAT HE IS STILL KING BEE

(By Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—Exhibits and demonstrations which will illustrate to farmers a marked increase in the purchasing power of live stock and crops this year as compared with 1913, will be featured at many state and county fairs.

"For two years the farmer has been fed with gloom," declares Guy C. Hall, director of the National Institute of Progressive Farming. "Nearly everyone has been trying to persuade him that he was particularly out of luck."

"You can make a healthy man ill if you keep telling him he looks bad," he said, "and a large number of our fairs are going to give him the 'cheer-up' treatment. He'll feel better when the actual articles which his steers and hogs and sheep will buy are paraded before the reviewing stand and he'll remember the year before the war."

Miss Mary Womaek had the misfortune to fall and break her arm Tuesday night at her home on Ninth Street. She was carried to the Halley & Love sanitarium and the broken member set, and is getting along as well as could be expected.

Read Ledger "wants" column.



## Consumption of Oil Greater than Supply

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, August 31.—Consumption of crude petroleum in July was the highest on record for any one month, the consumption having increased over fifty-one thousand barrels as compared with June, while the daily average production decreased fifteen thousand six hundred and thirty-three barrels. This information was given out today by the geological survey.

## SANTA FE BREAKS GOOD SCHEDULE

The West bound Santa Fe passenger train was several hours late Thursday, breaking what had been an almost perfect schedule during the summer. With the approach of the busy season and the disturbed labor conditions on the railroads, the public had as well begin to become reconciled and make the best of what they will experience.

## Roads Move All Perishable Stuff First

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, August 31.—Railroads West of the Mississippi have been authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission to give preference and priority to the movement of foodstuffs, live stock, perishable products and fuel, whenever the operation conditions of the roads become such as to cause freight congestion or blockade.

The order has been drafted as an emergency measure and prescribes the rules for the conduct of the Western lines identical with those put in effect on the railroads East of the Mississippi several weeks ago.

AUSTIN, Aug. 31.—An order was issued today by the Texas Railroad Commission calling on all public and private utilities in Texas to furnish the commission with information regarding the amount and character of fuel consumed by such utilities.

Railroad Commissioner Gilmore said that the order had been issued as a preliminary step toward priority arrangement for supplying the utilities with fuel in case of coal shortage, and if such shortage makes it necessary to issue priority orders to railroads to move fuel first. Mr. Gilmore stated that the information was being sought only as a matter of precaution, and does not in any way relieve the utilities of the necessity of protecting themselves against the threatened fuel shortage.

R. A. Ward, who lives about twelve or thirteen miles up the river, was in the city Thursday arranging to move here for the school term. Mr. Ward stated he had been sending his children to Norton, a distance of about seven miles to school, and desired to get nearer the school for the coming term.

## FRUSTRATE PLAN TO DYNAMITE PASSENGER

### First Arrest in Coal Mine War

(By Associated Press)  
MARION, Ill., Aug. 31.—Otis Clark, a union coal miner, the first man indicted in connection with the Herrin mine massacre, surrendered at noon today and was placed in jail. Clark is charged by indictment with the murder of C. K. McDowell, superintendent of the Lester strip mine. The indictment of Clark resulted from a boast he is alleged to have made shortly after the massacre to the effect that he participated in the killing of McDowell.

MARION, Ill., Aug. 31.—The arrest of the first person indicted by the special grand jury investigating the Herrin mine massacre, is expected some time today. A man charged with the murder of C. K. McDowell, superintendent of the Lester strip mine, where the wholesale assassination occurred, is expected to be arrested, following an indictment returned by the grand jury. The capias for the man's arrest has been placed in the hands of a special deputy sheriff.

The first indictment was returned three days after the investigation started. There is increased expectancy that a large number of indictments will follow in short order now.

## JOHNSON WINS IN CALIFORNIA

(By Associated Press)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—With complete returns from five-sixths of the precincts in this state it is shown that Hiram Johnson was renominated in the primary last Tuesday and will succeed himself on the Republican ticket for senator in the general election. Mr. Johnson leads his opponent, C. C. Moore, by 63,000 votes.

## BANK EXAMINERS IN CONFERENCE

(By Associated Press)  
AUSTIN, Aug. 31.—Over twenty-five bank examiners held a conference today with Ed Hall, Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, and J. L. Chapman, who takes Mr. Hall's place tomorrow. Future work of the department was outlined, and instructions from the new commissioner given to all the employees of the department.

## WINTERS GIN TURNS OUT 30 BALES WEDNESDAY

Toke Little was here from Winters Thursday and reported that the Winters gin turned out about thirty bales of cotton Wednesday. The gins in the county will be running on full time within a short time if the hot dry weather holds on, and cotton pickers can be had, it is stated.

## MAN KILLED BY MOTOR CAR

(By Associated Press)  
COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, Aug. 31.—One maintenance of way worker was killed and two probably fatally injured when an Illinois Central motor-driven section car jumped the track near here today. The wreck is believed to have been caused by grease on the rails, or a loosened section of track, and officials are making an investigation.

(By Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—With three men under arrest today the Chicago police believe that they have succeeded in baring a plot to dynamite the Western Express, a fast train on the New York Central system running between Gary, Indiana, and Chicago.

The officers said that the wreck was planned to mark a new reign of terror on railroads throughout the country. Work of rounding up a number of radicals who are suspected of obtaining a quantity of dynamite for the purpose of wrecking trains and damaging railroads throughout the country, is being continued by officers. A thorough search is being made for explosives which the officers believe the plotters have stored away.

## STREET PAVING PROMISED SOON

W. W. Wilson, civil engineer for the Santa Fe Railroad, arrived in Ballinger Wednesday night, and it is expected that he will go into conference with the city commission and some plan for handling the drainage problem, which is delaying street paving, will be agreed upon.

Just by way of encouraging the impatient public The Ledger will say that an interview with City Engineer Pirie Thursday morning brings some promise that actual work will begin on the street paving within two months. The promise is based on an agreement being reached at once with the Santa Fe for providing a drainage system to carry off the flood waters from the elevated part of the city.

Mr. Pirie has his part of the work well in hand, and will be ready to submit plans and make it possible for the city commission to advertise for bids some time during September. However, bids will not be called for until the drainage problem is settled.

The engineer stated that five different characters of paving would be considered, bids being called for on the five different kinds. Three classes of asphalt, one of brick and one of concrete, will be submitted to the contractors, and then the commission will determine which it will adopt.

Ballinger streets are rapidly becoming impassable, and if the work on the paving is not rushed, people coming to Ballinger to trade will have to travel down the alleys, or stop their vehicles on the outskirts of the city.

Ledger want ads pay.

FT. WORTH—One of the principal industries in Texas is the raising of beef cattle. More than a million cattle are annually sent to slaughter from this region. There are still millions of acres of range on which the steers roam a large part of the year. The large ranches as well as the small farmers who handle live stock, make it a practice to grow their own feed. The principal crops are the grain sorghums and cotton.

## MINERS ACCEPT PEACE PROPOSAL

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, August 31.—The officials of the coal miners' unions negotiating with the mine operators and their representatives at Philadelphia, have accepted the anthracite strike settlement proposed in advance as a result of Friday night's conference here, according to advices of the officials in both circles.

### SATURDAY

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We also carry many other Electric Irons, including the Westinghouse, "the iron designed by a woman."

We carry all repair parts for Standard irons and KNOW HOW to repair them.

Ballinger Electric Co.  
Phone 7 8th Street

## Beginning Sept. 15th the

undersigned Drug Stores will put the sale of cold drinks, cigars, cigarettes and tobacco on a Cash basis.

This action is taken to save the extra bookkeeping and prevent losses in forgetting to charge during rush hours.

City Drug Store

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### Follow the People "who know"

and you will eat Alta Vista Ice Cream. Served only at the Pearce Drug Store.

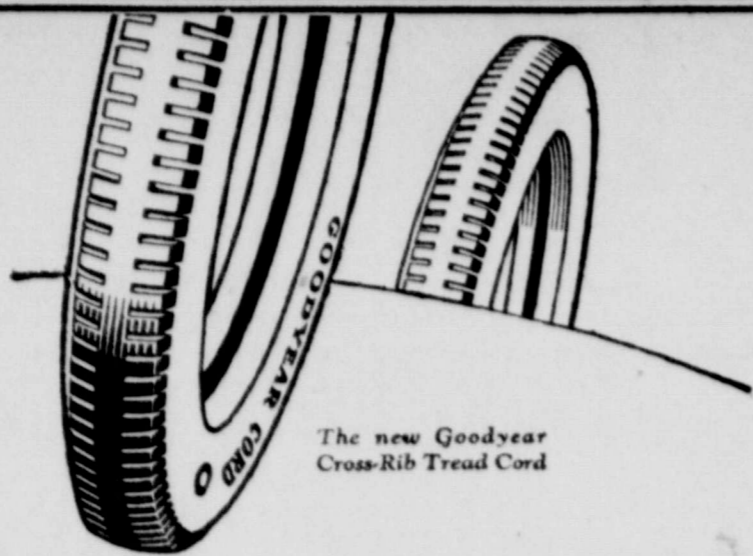
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You don't have to be a shrewd bargainer to get the bottom price on the new Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord.

Instead of listing it at a high price, to enable the dealer to attract you with a so-called "long discount," we list it as low as we profitably can. You can see from the figures below that its advertised price is lower than the net price you are asked to pay for many "long discount" tires of unknown value.

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30x3 1/2 Clincher.....	\$12.50	32x4 Straight Side..	\$24.50	33x4 1/2 Straight Side..	\$32.15
30x3 1/2 Straight Side..	13.50	33x4 Straight Side..	25.25	34x4 1/2 Straight Side..	32.95
32x3 1/2 Straight Side..	19.25	34x4 Straight Side..	25.90	33x5 Straight Side..	39.10
31x4 Straight Side..	22.20	32x4 1/2 Straight Side..	31.45	35x5 Straight Side..	41.05

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Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord Tires are also made in 6, 7 and 8 inch sizes for trucks

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MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for republication of news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper, and also to local news published herein.

If the coal strike does not ease up and ease up quick, we are going to have a hard time keeping the home fires burning this winter.

Some newspapers and some people have less to say since the election. They are in a class with the little fellow who was trampled upon by the calf.

Laugh and the world laughs with you does not apply in all laughs. Take a ha ha at the result of the recent election for instance.

Hertzberg is the democratic nominee for congress from the

San Antonio district and Wurzbach has been renominated by the republicans. It is rumored that one of the nominees were nominated by the K. K. K.

S. E. J. Cox, one of the most spectacular operators in oil stocks in Texas, who went to Wall Street and other places and got the coin, is broke. At one time Cox was rated as a millionaire. He flew high and went to France with two airships to compete in the international races. More evidence that an is never satisfied and never knows when he has a good thing of it.

**Music Class**  
I will begin my music class Monday. Phone 250.  
MRS. S. M. COTTELLE.  
31-2nd

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The uniform success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the relief and cure of bowel complaints, both for children and adults, has brought it into almost universal use, so that it is practically without a rival and as everyone who has used it knows it is without an equal.

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### "THE HOME STRETCH" IS REAL COMEDY DRAMA

Comedies possessing genuine elements of gripping tingling drama and of delicate sentiment without sacrificing laugh-power are infrequent enough to cause Douglas MacLean's latest Paramount picture, "The Home Stretch," which comes to the Maeroy Theatre tomorrow, Friday, to stand out as one of the most original and entertaining offerings of the year.

The story concerns a jockey, a trainer, a race track follower, who at the time the picture opens, has risen to the ranks of race-horse owners, and of the difficulties he encounters when he attempts to abandon his gambling habits. Not only is Mr. MacLean afforded ample opportunity to

"get over" sparkling comedy situations, but to display his dramatic ability and his skill with "thrillers" as well.

The opening scenes of the story, laid on a famous California race track, are notable for tensely dramatic situations, and a thrilling accident, in which Mr. MacLean plays a prominent part. Throughout the remainder of the picture, clever comedy and dramatic suspense are delightfully blended and carried through to an unusual ending.

As Johnny Hardwick, the juvenile turfman, MacLean is said to give a performance which surpasses his "Sergeant Grey" in "24 1-2 Hours Leave." His vigorous personality and clever comedy "business" are the outstanding features of the production. Beatrice Burnham, Margaret Warren a winsome "small town" girl, head an excellent supporting cast which includes Margaret Livingston, Wade Boteler, Chas. Mailes and Molly McConnell.

### No Substitute Offered

Say what you will about druggists offering something "just as good" because it pays a better profit, the fact still stands that ninety nine out of a hundred druggist recommend Chamberlain Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, when the best medicine for diarrhoea is asked for, and do so because they know from what their customers say of it, that it can be depended upon.

### NEGROES ARE PREACHING HOLINESS

Another colored revival began near the A. & S. station Monday night, according to announcement left at The Ledger office by one of the colored brethren, and the colored folks are preaching holiness. This is the second holiness revival the negroes have held here this summer, one running for two or three weeks in the old park at the foot of 8th Street.

### CASTORIA

For Infants and Children  
In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Adolph Wilke is here from Dallas visiting his brother, J. H. Wilke, and family. Mr. Wilke had the misfortune to break his back while working with a boat a month or so ago. He underwent an operation and was in the sanitarium for quite a siege of it, and is still going on crutches, but thinks he will finally pull thru and be able to get about without the aid of crutches in a short time. He has been out of the hospital for two months. Mr. Wilke formerly lived in Ballinger and had charge of the court house park.

A. C. Wilmeth, of Snyder, is here visiting relatives. Mr. Wilmeth is a brother of Jo Wilmeth, formerly of this city.

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### A. MORGAN BURIED THURSDAY AT NORTON

A. Morgan, for many years a citizen of the Norton country, and about sixty years of age, died at his home in the Norton country at nine o'clock Wednesday morning. Mr. Morgan had been in ill health for quite awhile, being afflicted with paralysis.

The funeral was held Thursday morning and interment made in the Norton cemetery. Deceased is survived by a wife and several children.

### SAN ANGELO HAS A WOMAN POSTMASTER

Mrs. Sadie Boulware has been appointed to fill out the unex-

pired term of Postmaster Ions, who died recently. The term expires Sept. 5th, at which time it is expected that Mrs. Boulware will become postmaster under the Republican administration, her appointment having been recommended to the Senate several days ago.

Mrs. Boulware is the daughter of J. L. Millsbaugh, a Republican pioneer of West Texas, and who served as postmaster at old Fort Concho in 1879-80. She was chairman of the G. O. P. county committee of Tom Green county and had the endorsement of the party.

Under Stamps.—The Ballinger

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IN the past two months Firestone has built and marketed more tires than in any similar period in its history.

This steadily increasing public preference is proof of the recognition by car owners of the greater values offered by Firestone. It is a tribute to Firestone men—all stockholders in the company—all actuated by the operating principle of Most Miles per Dollar.

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There are many reasons for the high quality of Firestone tires but chief among the special manufacturing processes are double gum-dipping, thus eliminating internal friction by insulating each cord strand, and air-bag cure, insuring a well-balanced and perfectly shaped product.

Don't speculate in tires—you will find the right combination of price and quality in Firestone. Come in and let us tell you about the service these Cords are giving other car-owners whom you know.

# Firestone

**GUM-DIPPED CORDS**  
Sold by

**Holmes Tire and Battery Service**

### DOVE SHOOTING IS PERMISSIBLE TOMORROW

The open season on doves begins tomorrow, Sept. 1st, and several local nimrods have their triggers set for getting an early start with the season. According to reports the dove crop is not as good as usual, but the supply is

believed to be increasing and in a few days it is believed that many birds will flock here. The limit is fifteen doves in one day, and game wardens are said to be sleeping with one eye open and on the game bags.

Stuart L. Williams received notice Thursday that he had been

appointed as a delegate from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to the annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, which meets in Washington, D. C., later in the year.

A small want ad in The Daily Ledger often saves you money.

## WILL PLANT BIG CABBAGE CROP

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Aug. 31.—The acreage of winter vegetables in the Lower Rio Grande Valley this year will equal that of last winter, altho the results of last winter's crop was financially unsatisfactory for practically all growers, according to reports received by the state bureau of markets and warehouses, and compiled by J. Austin Hunter, assistant marketing agent.

"It was thought by some that the good yield of cotton which the valley growers have received this year and the highly satisfactory market price would tend to turn attention toward that crop as against winter vegetables," Hunter declared in a summary of the situation issued today, "but indications are to the contrary. There will be quite an increase in the fall tomato planting, with the Globe variety predominating. Much of this planting has already been done. Seed beds for peppers, egg plant and early cabbage, beets, carrots, spinach and similar vegetables will occupy the immediate attention of growers.

"The first of the grapefruit crop is beginning to work into consumption though commercial movement is not expected before the middle of next month. Probably 200 cars will get under way from this section this year as against about 50 cars last year. Because the production per tree is somewhat less, quality of the fruit is expected to be even better than last year. Considerable attention is being given to orange culture this year in preference to grapefruit which has formerly been the chief citrus fruit of the valley. New orchards show a larger percentage of acreage going to oranges."

### The Ideal Purgative

As a purgative, Chamberlain's Tablets are the exact thing required. Strong enough for the most robust, mild enough for children. They cause an agreeable movement of the bowels without griping. They are easy and pleasant to take and agreeable in effect.

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## CHILDREN'S PLAY DAY TOMORROW

All the children of the city are invited to meet in the court house park Friday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock for the "play day" which was established here during the recent chautauqua.

Mrs. J. J. Bugg requests The Ledger to notify all the mothers who will assist in giving the children an hour's outing in the court house park to come and bring their children.

It will be remembered that the chautauqua here recently opened with a pageant in which quite a crowd of children took part. An experienced superintendent of children's play grounds came here in advance of the chautauqua and spent a couple of days in training the children, and giving them a start in play which those who assisted wish to perpetuate, and the children have been asked to assemble for another frolic tomorrow afternoon at five o'clock.

Nothing makes for better health and physical development than outdoor exercise for the child, and an hour spent on the court house lawn with your child may save a doctor's bill, and much suffering. The lawn is an ideal playground for the little folks to frolic on, and the moth-

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Sold by Jno. A. Weeks.

ers should take an hour off from the busy cares of the home and get out with the youngsters.

### School of Expression

F. Wilmeth will open school of expression Sept. 11. For terms, phone 59. 31-2d

Pink Brown left Wednesday afternoon for Cameron, where he went to dispose of a car of apples shipped to that place from the apple orchards in Arkansas.

## To-Night

# MANVILLE BROS. BIG TENT

A dramatization of Mary J. Holmes' popular novel

## 'Dora Deane'

In three Acts.

The play of Dora Deane is replete with a heart-story that holds throughout the entire play. There is a wonderful line of comedy interspersed, played by Claude Radcliffe.

## Best of Vaudeville

ZELLA, the girl who knows will again answer questions tonight. Ask her any question that you desire about your past, present or future

### Admission

ADULTS . . . . . 25 cents  
CHILDREN . . . . . 15 cents

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Children Cry for Fletcher's

# CASTORIA

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*Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

## BAPTIST TO MEET HERE NEXT YEAR

The Rannels County Baptist Association closed one of the most successful annual meetings it ever held Wednesday afternoon at Miles after a two days session. The territory of the Association takes in Rannels county and Coke county and a few churches in the adjacent borders of Tom Green, Concho and Taylor counties; and the attendance was probably the largest ever had. There are now about twenty-six churches in the Association.

The reports showed that more than four hundred new members had been received by baptism during the year, and nearly three hundred by letter.

Rev. C. H. Riddle, of Winters, was re-elected moderator; Rev. Alvin Swindell, of Ballinger, was re-elected clerk; and Rev. Scott W. Hickey, of Miles, was elected treasurer and corresponding secretary. Rev. D. M. West, of Bronte, was chosen as chairman of the new executive board. Rev. M. A. Quindlen was re-elected associational missionary. In the women's work, Mrs. Alvin Swindell was re-elected president. The women's department of the association has held the banner for efficiency over the ten associations of the Brownwood district for three years.

The Association closed its work with all debts paid and with about \$250.00 in the treasury.

The body will meet next year at Ballinger. The time will be Tuesday and Wednesday before the first Sunday in September. The plan of the program will be changed somewhat next year in

## HER AILMENTS ALL GONE NOW

Mrs. Sherman Helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lake, Michigan.—"About one year ago I suffered with irregularities and a weakness and at times was obliged to stay off my feet. I doctored with our family physician and he finally said he could not understand my case, so I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After I had taken the first bottle I could see that I was getting better. I took several bottles of the Vegetable Compound and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and I am entirely cured of my ailments. You may publish this letter if you wish."—Mrs. MARY SHERMAN, Route 2, Lake, Mich.

There is one fact women should consider and that is this. Women suffer from irregularities and various forms of weakness. They try this and that doctor, as well as different medicines. Finally they take Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound, and Mrs. Sherman's experience is simply another case showing the merit of this well-known medicine.

If your family physician fails to help you and the same old troubles persist, why isn't it reasonable to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?

that the women's meeting will occupy the morning and afternoon of Tuesday. Then the Association proper will organize Tuesday night and also have the associational sermon. The main

work of the body will be transacted and completed on Wednesday.

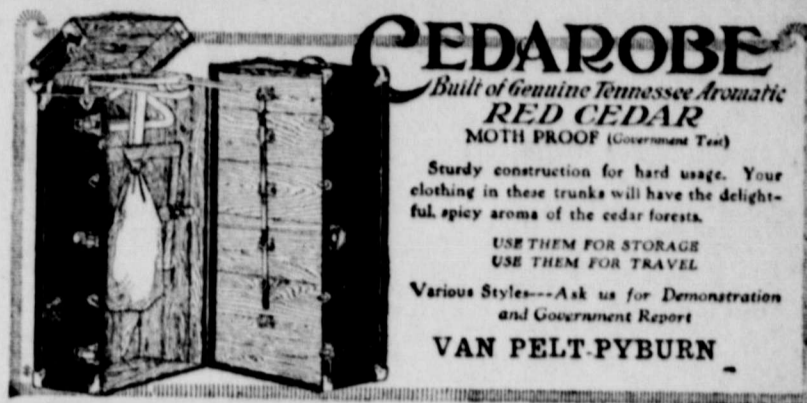
**NOTICE TO DEMOLAY BOYS**  
The Robert McGregor Chapter of Order DeMolay will meet in the Masonic Hall at eight o'clock sharp this evening. The advisory committee is requested to meet at seven-thirty.

Bob Taylor, of Norton, left for Waco Wednesday afternoon on business.

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### TWO ACCIDENTS AT MILES

J. T. Clemons, a Miles farmer, sustained painful injuries when his right hand became caught in the auger of a cotton gin Tuesday afternoon. It required seven stitches to dress the lacerated hand, and Mr. Clemons is out of commission for the remainder of the season.

Eddie Lee, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Burkum, fell from a barn at Miles late Monday afternoon and sustained a broken left wrist. The boy was trying to catch some pigeons when he happened to lose his hold and fell to the ground.

### The Key that Unlocks the Door to Long Living

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### BANK PRESIDENT BECOMES ACTIVE

The board of directors of the Ballinger State Bank & Trust Company mailed out notices to their customers and friends Thursday announcing that effective September first, R. W. Bruce would become actively associated with the bank. Mr. Bruce has been president of the bank and chairman of the board of directors for some time, but has not been actively connected with the institution. He goes on a salary beginning tomorrow and his time will be devoted to the interests of the bank. For the present Mr. Bruce's attention will be given to the loan department of the bank. Mr. Bruce has been successful in life as a school teacher, merchant and farmer, and his splendid executive ability coupled with his successful commercial career makes him a valuable man at the head of this bank.

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BOARDERS WANTED—Girls preferred. Close in. Phone 655. Mrs. J. D. Perkins. 30-6d\*

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