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WOULD COMPROMISE ON KLAN ISSUE

JAILER LOCKED IN CELL; THREE MEN ESCAPE

(By Associated Press)

SHERMAN, Sept. 5.—Ross Stark, local jailer is today a prisoner in a cell of the jail over which he has charge, and three prisoners, said to be notorious criminals, are at liberty, and are believed to be carrying the key which the jailer used to keep them behind the bars.

After locking Stark in a cell last night the prisoners escaped from the jail. A posse of deputies and citizens, led by Sheriff Craig, is scouring the country today in an effort to capture the fugitives. Stark is still locked in a cell as efforts to find the key fail and as parties have not been able to pick the lock and release the jailer without damaging the cell. He may have to be released by cutting the bars.

Late today it was reported that Marshall English, one of the prisoners, had been captured two miles South of here. The other two are still at liberty.

RECOMMENDS NEW PANAMA TREATY

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The abrogation of the present treaty arrangement with Panama, which he said was intended to operate only during the construction of the Panama Canal, and the negotiation of a new treaty with that government, was recommended by President Harding today.

M. F. Treadwell, of San Angelo, was in Ballinger Tuesday looking after interests of the Ballinger Light, Power & Ice Company.

BURGLAR SHOT IN LEG AT BANGS

BANGS, Sept. 5.—The citizens of this little village did a good piece of work early Monday morning when they surrounded the Cash and Carry Store and captured a man by the name of J. C. Wood, or who gave his name as Wood, after he had blown open the safe in the store and robbed it of \$115 in cash. The man was shot down before he was captured and while trying to make his escape from the store.

It was shortly after three o'clock Monday morning when an explosion in the store aroused several citizens who rushed to the store to make an investigation. They arrived on the scene so quickly that they felt sure that the party who blew the safe was still in the building, and they surrounded the building and awaited results.

Wood, it is believed, secreted himself in the store following the explosion, thinking that the excitement would die down and he could later sneak out, but later realizing that he would have to make a break for his liberty, rushed from the store and as he did so was shot down by a man by the name of McIntyre after Wood refused to stop when called on to halt. A ball from the pistol in the hands of McIntyre struck the man between the knee and hip joint, breaking the bone.

Wood claimed that he was from Oklahoma and gave his age at 42. When shot down he was still clutching the money which he had taken from the safe and which amounted to \$115. The man was carried to Brownwood and placed in a hospital, and as soon as he is able to leave the sanitarium he will be placed in jail and charges of burglary and robbery filed against him.

REFUSE TO SIDE TRACK TARIFF FOR BONUS BILL

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—By a vote of three to five the Senate-House conferees committee refused today to side track the administration tariff bill for the bonus measure. Representative Garner, of Texas, voted with the majority, in refusing to take up the bonus bill.



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If persistency counts for anything an oil field will be developed on the Russell ranch fifteen miles Southeast of Ballinger, and this county will yet come into the limelight as an oil producing area.

The Russell Production Company has under course of construction a derrick for Russell Well No. 2, which will be the fifth test drilled in the Russell field, the Gulf Production Company having sunk three holes before the Russell Production Company, a home and independent company, took over the field and continued the development.

Russell No. 2 will be spudded in at an early date. The derrick will be completed this week, and Contractor Soles will speed up the work of spudding in and drilling, and with success in the drilling it is possible for this county to receive a gusher for a Christmas present.

The new well will go down about two miles South of Russell No. 1, and about the same distance from the wells drilled by the Gulf Company. The first well of the Gulf Company, it is well known, threatened to open the field and is still producing oil in small quantities and gas in large quantities, the gas being used for fuel in the development.

The first well of the Russell Production Company also did some cutting up, and promised even more than the Gulf's first well, and made such a good showing that the Russell Production Company immediately announced that further development would be made. H. Giesecke, head of the company, stated some time ago that another well would be put down, but the death of R. R. Russell, owner of the land, and one of the principal stockholders

The first signals believed to be from the miners were heard yesterday when two signal blasts were fired on the 3700 foot level and answered within by five blasts. The miners declare that signals could not have been from falling rocks in the mine and they feel sure that the 47 men who have been imprisoned now for ten days are still alive.

Sixty gallons of whiskey, confiscated in prohibition raids, were sent from San Francisco to stimulate the rescue workers.

SUTHERLAND SUCCEEDS ASSO. JUSTICE CLARKE
(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The senate today confirmed President Harding's nomination of former Senator George Sutherland, of Utah, as associate justice of the supreme court to succeed Justice Clarke whose resignation becomes effective on Sept. 18th.

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(By Associated Press)

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 5.—The first official act of the State Democratic convention today was the adoption of a resolution praising the public service of Senator Charles A. Culberson, who will retire from public life at the end of the present senatorial term, and a resolution recommending the Texas national financial committee.

Expressions on the Ku Klux Klan, prohibition, taxation for school purposes, flood control and reclamation, appeared to be the chief problems coming before the convention, which opened this morning.

FLOGGED PRIEST CONFINED TO BED

Parties here from Offen Tuesday stated that Rev. Father Josef Meiser, who was flogged by eight unmasked men Sunday night, was still at the parish house at Offen, and was confined to his bed. Mrs. Wilke, wife of one of the contractors on the new Catholic church at Offen, called at The Ledger office Tuesday afternoon to get a copy of The Ledger giving an account of the flogging, and she stated that Father Meiser was in bed, and as far as she knew had made no statement as to whether he would leave Offen or not. Mrs. Wilke says that she was within a block of the priest's home Sunday night and saw the two cars when they came up and carried the priest away, but she could not tell who any of the parties were, as it was all done so quickly.

John Simmons and John Greenhill had just returned to their homes in the Bethel community from a trip to New Mexico, reaching home about eleven o'clock Sunday night, and Mr. Simmons was the first man to see Father Meiser after the flogging. Mr. Simmons drove over to Mr. Richardson's, a neighbor, to get his children, where they had been staying during his absence, and he met the priest walking down the road. The floggers had just completed their work and left the priest. Mr. Simmons stated that Father Meiser requested that he be taken to his home, but Mr. Simmons stated that he could not do so until he carried his children to their home, and to this statement the priest replied that he would walk, and he made his way to the home of Ed Hoelscher, and was later carried to his parish home. No clue has been found and the incident seems to be a closed affair as far as an investigation is concerned.

Marshall Hicks, of San Antonio, was made temporary chairman and the chief work of the convention for the first day is expected to be devoted to perfecting the permanent organization, the appointment of committees, with probably the formal nomination of Gov. Neff for re-election and his speech of acceptance.

There were over two thousand people present at the opening session of the convention, and it is estimated that at least half this number are official delegates.

A. B. Legate went to Wingate Tuesday on business.

BRIDGE BURNERS CONTINUE WORK NEAR FT. WORTH

(By Associated Press)

FT. WORTH, Sept. 5.—A trestle on the Houston & Texas Central Railroad, nine miles South of here, was destroyed by fire last night. The trestle was entirely consumed, but the bridge crew repaired the loss by rebuilding the bridge promptly and traffic has been resumed. This is the third trestle burned near Fort Worth within the last ten days.

HEAD OF EPISCOPAL CHURCH DIED TODAY

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—Bishop Samuel Fallows, head of the reformed Episcopal Church, died here at 4:30 o'clock this morning.

Let's have a clean town.

WEALTHY TEXANS WED IN NEW YORK

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The marriage yesterday of Guy L. Waggoner and Miss Annie Burnett, Fort Worth heirs to two of the largest fortunes in Texas, was formally announced here today. The bride is the granddaughter of the late Col. Burk Burnett, pioneer ranchman and wealthy oil investor, who died a few weeks ago, leaving her an inheritance of several million dollars. The groom is the son of W. F. Waggoner, ranch owner, oil man and capitalist. The wedding took place in New York Monday. The honeymoon will be spent in Europe.

That some statement regarding the Klan would be made was admitted by the party leaders this morning, when it became known that delegations from several counties will submit resolutions on the subject. It is considered probable, however, that the resolutions may take the form of condemnation of sectarianism in politics and attempt to pledge the party against the Klan after the opposition brings up the question. It is known that the Klan opponents would have the convention go on record as opposing religious bigotry, race prejudice, without making an open statement against the Klan, if such compromise would be accepted by the Klan delegates.

Klan supporters and party leaders announced that they would follow this course: if suitable to the anti-klan forces, altho the Klan supporters prefer to conduct the affairs of the convention without injecting the Klan question.

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CUT OUT COTTON TO KILL WEEVILS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—A proposal for a year's suspension of cotton planting in the United States as a means of eliminating the boll weevil, was suggested in the senate today by Senator Smith, Democrat of South Carolina. Senator Smith predicted the wholesale abandonment of the cotton farms of the South, unless governmental action was taken to destroy the parasite.

Aubrey Dunn had business in Coleman Tuesday, going down in his car.

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MORE CONGRESSIONAL
TIMBER SPROUTING

The Brownwood Bulletin of Monday says: "Mark McGee of this city stated Monday that he had been authorized to announce that Hon. Walter Woodward, of Coleman, would be in the race for congress from this district two years hence, against whatever candidate, or candidates might enter the ring. He promises in advance to announce a platform worth while and will make a thorough canvass of the district."

If Mr. McGee is correct in his statement this will give Coleman two candidates in the congressional sweepstakes next campaign. Judge Joe Dibrell, it will be remembered, recently gave out a lengthy interview that he would be in the race again, and Oscar Callaway, who also ran, says he is still running, and Judge Harvey Baugh left Ballinger to make his home in Brownwood with friends soliciting him to throw his hat in the ring, and he virtually agreed to do so, and there are no doubt others in the district who will find themselves fighting the political bee to keep it out of their bonnets before the time for formal announcement rolls around.

Congressman Blanton, who has just been sent back with the handsome "clean up" of more than twelve thousand majority over his opponent, has made no announcement for the future, but is still at Washington sawing wood.

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For County Judge:

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For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:

JOHN J. BUGG

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:

E. F. BATTS

COTTON MARKET
DROPS \$5 BALE

After a two days' holiday—Saturday and Monday, the cotton market glided rapidly down Tuesday, breaking from eighty-five to one hundred points. No cause was attributed to the slump, unless it comes as the natural consequence of the manipulators who fix and unfix cotton markets.

Summer weather continues to prevail throughout the cotton region as far Eastward as South Carolina, with temperature at many stations registering 100 during the last seventy-two hours.

Scattering and heavy showers are reported throughout the various cotton states Monday and as far East as South Carolina. Widely scattered showers are reported in South Texas and East Texas.

Heavy rains are reported at points in South Carolina, Alabama and Georgia Monday. The forecast for the next twenty-four hours calls for partly cloudy weather with little or no change in temperature.

MAKING COAST
TO COAST FLIGHT

(By Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 5.—Lieut. James H. Doolittle landed here at 7:10 o'clock this morning on his one stop flight from coast to coast. He hopped off again for San Diego at 8:20 after replenishing with gasoline and oil. He left Jacksonville, Florida, last night, declaring that he would fly from coast to coast, making only one stop. The first lap was made without mishap.

LOCAL LAUNDRY
TO CHANGE HANDS

A. B. Stobaugh, of Brady, an experienced laundry man, is here arranging to take over the Home Steam Laundry, purchasing same from Miss Bertha Gorman. The papers are being drawn and as soon as title is perfected the transfer will be made, and Mr. Stobaugh stated that he expects to take charge between the 15th of Sept. and the first of October.

In the meantime Mr. Stobaugh will move his family to Ballinger and occupy the Mrs. Rosa Scott place on Ninth Street, and will make repairs and improvements in the laundry and perfect plans for refiltering the water. Mr. Stobaugh has been operating a laundry at Brady and was formerly in the laundry business at Brownwood. Ballinger will welcome him as a citizen.

DALLAS — The Executive Board of the Texas Women's Press Association will meet Oct. 9 at the Dallas Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Mamie Wayne Cox, of Dallas, is president of the association.

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BALL SQUAD BUSY

Those interested in seeing Ballinger have a winning football eleven during the coming season are requested to meet on the High School campus Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock. The team will be selected and other preliminary work put over in arranging for the season. All those who wish to wear a uniform are requested to meet for a caucus and discuss plans for the season. Be prompt and line up at four o'clock sharp.

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LIVE STOCK SALE
AT COUNTY FAIR

Present indications are that several thousand dollars worth of livestock will change hands at the Live Stock Sale to be held in connection with the Runnels County Fair, 1:00 p. m., Saturday, September 16th.

The Fair Association has secured the services of Col. E. F. Heriff, of Oklahoma City, one of the leading live stock auctioneers of the Southwest, who will conduct the sale in the most approved style.

A small per cent of the sale price, not to exceed four or five per cent, will be charged by the Fair Association for making the sales.

Live stock owners in this section of the state desiring to sell animals at the auction should write at once to the Secretary of the Fair at Ballinger, listing the stock they desire to have sold. As most of the stuff offered for sale will be thoroughbred or high grade animals, the sale is expected to draw a large number of interested buyers who will welcome the opportunity to purchase good stock over the auction block.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Pittman and baby left for their home at Cotulla Tuesday morning. Mr. Pittman was formerly manager of the Western Union office here, and he came back to look after the shipping of his household goods to Cotulla and they spent a week with friends.

Clean up before county fair.

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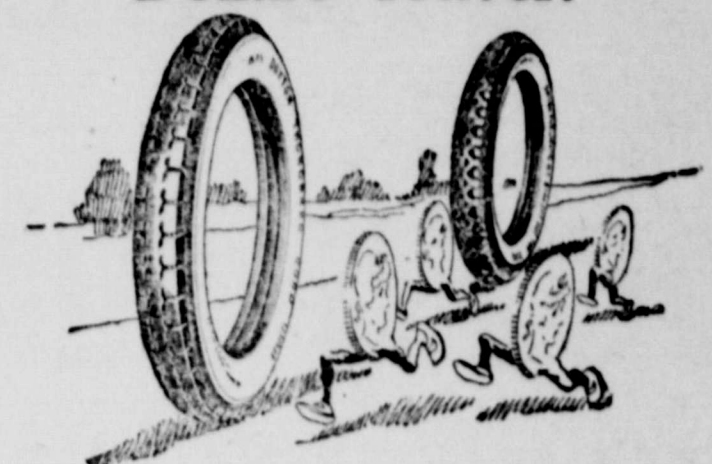
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BRIDAL COUPLE LEAVE FOR THEIR NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert B. Clappitt left Sunday night for their new home at Rising Star. They expected to spend Sunday night in Coleman and go to Rising Star Monday, where Mr. Clappitt has a position, and where they will make their home.

The bridal couple stole a march on friends and relatives, or at least attempted to and were caught in the stealing Sunday evening, when they went to the home of the bride's brother, Leroy Nicholson, where Rev. Alfred Crager, pastor of the First Christian Church, performed the ceremony which united as man and wife, Elbert B. Clappitt and Miss Ruth Nicholson.

The wedding was scheduled to take place Monday morning, but the contracting parties changed their plans and went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nicholson about seven o'clock Sunday evening. Just as the wedding was about to take place the relatives who had learned of the plans, appeared on the scene in time to witness the ceremony, taking the bride and groom by surprise.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. R. A. Nicholson, and a graduate of the Ballinger High School, having spent all her life here. She attended Ward Belmont College two years ago, and last summer toured Europe with a party of friends. She has a host of friends here who will wish her an abundance of happiness.

Mr. Clappitt is the son of J. W. Clappitt, also native of Ballinger, having been born and raised here. He is a graduate of the Ballinger High School and had been in Ranger until recently when he accepted a position at Rising Star. He is numbered among the popular young men of Ballinger and also has a host of friends here to wish him well in married life.

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Miss Lucy Stephenson left Monday for Brownwood, where she has accepted a position with a law firm as stenographer. After accepting the Brownwood position Miss Stephenson was elected secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Chillicothe, and she will go to that place on October first.

Rev. Jess. Mitchell left Monday for Sweden, where he will attend the fall meeting of the Brownwood Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. Sweden is a rural community Southeast of Brady, where the Presbyterians have a church.

Clean Up and Paint Up.

This is "Clean Up" Week.

Clean Up—Rake Up—Burn Up.

Clean Up the alleys.

SCHOOLS BEGIN BUSY SESSION

The Ballinger public schools began the 1922-23 term Monday morning with all teachers answering roll call for institute work. The teachers met in the auditorium of the High School for a general session and to hear a talk by Superintendent Skinner, and explanation of the program for the first week, which is being devoted to the institute.

Other questions discussed at the general session were rules governing sectional meetings, noon hour rules, "keeping in," time to be at building, etc.

Monday afternoon the teachers assembled again for sectional meetings, the high school teachers meeting with the superintendent, West Ward with the principal of that school and Central teachers with the Central school principal.

Tuesday morning the children assembled for enrollment in all the ward schools and were classified. All children in the 5th and 6th grades reported to West Ward, and the other grades up to the 8th, except the South Ballinger 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades which were enrolled in South Ward.

Tuesday afternoon was devoted to adjustment of numbers, enrollments, etc., by the teachers of the ward schools, who met with the superintendent at Central.

Wednesday morning the teachers from the ward schools will draw books for their respective grades, and high school pupils will meet for classification and enrollment. Wednesday afternoon the time will be devoted to

examinations for irregulars and their classification.

Thursday morning the high school students will draw their books, and the ward teachers will devote the time to making out book cards and distributing books to the desks of pupils. This work will be continued and completed Thursday afternoon.

Friday morning all pupils will assemble at nine o'clock for the assignment of lessons and preliminary work for making ready the regular program of study to begin Monday morning, Sept. 11. Pupils will be dismissed for the week Friday afternoon.

Friday afternoon the teachers will be in general session for institute, completing the institute week which is required by law, and the schools proper will open for a full term without further interruption by institute work.

It is indicated that all buildings, except the South Ward, will be crowded, every room being occupied and all seats occupied, and the board and faculty will have problems to deal with which will demand the co-operation of the patrons of the school.

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J. O. Smith returned to Sweetwater Monday to resume his duties as fireman on the Santa Fe. He had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith at Wingate.

THRILLING CAFE SCENE SHOWN IN "GREAT DAY"

One of the most thrilling scenes ever pictured, is that of the cafe of the underworld along the Seine in Paris, in which the culminating action of Hugh Ford's great Paramount picture, "The Great Day," which will be shown at the Maeroy Theatre next Friday, transpires.

Frequented by a crowd of Parisian riff-raffs, girls and men of the lowest type, the place and the people represent the Parisian "underworld" with grim reality, true to the least detail. It forms the background of one of the most stirring scenes in "The Great Day," that in which Frank Beresford, the hero, has been lured to see his sick friend, Dave Leeson, only to find on leaving that he and his friend Dave are caught in a trap of an international conspiracy, and have to put up a hopeless fight against overwhelming odds, until finally thrown by the thugs of the cafe down thru a trap door into the great sewers leading to the Seine. The incident has a surprising result.

The cast is excellent, the principals being Arthur Bouchier, Bertram Burleigh, Marjori Hume and Meggie Albanesi.

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Never attempt to relieve your baby with a remedy that you would use for yourself.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Comfort—The Mother's Friend.

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AUTOMOBILES COLLIDE;
MAN SLIGHTLY HURT

A collision between L. B. Stubbs' Hudson, driven by his son, Harold, and a Ford car driven by George Pridecker, of the Miles country, occurred in front of the M. G. Justice garage on Hutchings Avenue shortly after noon Tuesday. Harold Stubbs was backing out from the curb and Mr. Pridecker was driving up the street, and the rear end of the Hudson and the front of the Ford crashed together with a jolt which sent a boy riding on the front seat with Pridecker to the ground. The boy caught on his hands and was not injured. Mr. Pridecker was thrown against the windshield and over the door on to the ground. He suffered a cut about the mouth and the loosening of several teeth and a slight bruise on the face. The Ford was pretty badly smashed and the rear of

the Hudson suffered some damage.

WASH KIDNEYS
IF THEY HURT

Take Salts to flush Kidneys if Back pains you or Bladder bothers.

Flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority, who tells us that too much meat and rich food may form uric acid, which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken; then you suffer with dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To help neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste, get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days, and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous Salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer irritates, thus often ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink.

BALLINGER COTTON
EXCHANGE REPORT

New Orleans				
Oct.	Opz.	High	Low	Close
Jan.	21.34	21.42	20.37	20.43-46
Mar.	21.62	21.62	20.69	20.69
Dec.	21.61	21.63	20.62	20.62-65
Dec.	21.42	21.54	20.50	20.55-58
New York				
Oct.	Opz.	High	Low	Close
Jan.	21.88	21.95	21.02	21.10-13
Mar.	22.01	22.05	21.10	21.15-18
Dec.	22.10	22.16	21.17	21.23-25
Dec.	22.12	22.15	21.20	21.30-37

Liverpool—13.34				
Spots				
	New Orleans	—21.00		
	New York	—21.35		
	Houston	—20.85		
	Galveston	—21.00		
	Dallas	—20.30		

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.

FALL FAIR TO BE
AN 'OPEN HOUSE'

There is doubtless nothing which the Ballinger people could foster which would better serve to entertain the people of Runnels county and to serve as an "open house," or "house warming" to our trade territory than the Annual Runnels County Fall Fair.

The picnics and barbecues which this city has staged in the past have been successful ones and extremely popular with our friends over the county, but had the disadvantage that they carried no educational features, no element of competition and but limited opportunities for amusement.

The free fireworks exhibit alone is expected to attract thousands of people to Ballinger on the night of the 15th, and to entertain them with an exhibition that is rarely seen in this part of the state. The beautiful set pieces, bombs, rockets, pinwheels and other devices which make up the exhibit constitute one of the best county fair fireworks shows offered by the manufacturers.

A free open air aerobic act on the streets each day is also expected to entertain and please the crowds which it will attract.

The opening day parade and the livestock parade are additional free attractions, as is the daily radio demonstration in connection with the Merchants Exposition. A free exhibition by the fire department, including races, contests, water fight, etc., is guaranteed to keep the crowds highly entertained for a few hours on the second afternoon of the fair.

The Donald McGregor Shows and the American Legion dances constitute the only attractions to which an admission fee will be charged, no entrance fee being placed on any of the livestock, poultry, agricultural, domestic arts, automobiles, or merchants' expositions.

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.

Fulton Lane is moving his insurance office from the P. & M. Bank building to the building recently vacated by Stone & Thorp, next door to the Ideal Barber Shop.

Clean up this week.

TO MAKE CLEAN
UP INSPECTION

The first inspection of premises in connection with "Clean Up" Week will be made Wednesday by committees from the Civic League.

The ladies will make a tour of the entire city to determine just what co-operation is being given in cleaning yards, alleys, and vacant lots, and to determine what methods of publicity will be necessary in order to induce every property owner in the city to line up in the move to make Ballinger a clean town before the opening day of the Runnels County Fair.

This inspection will be followed by another staged on Monday of next week, and all owners of premises which have not been cleaned up by that time will be specially requested to give the matter their immediate attention.

The Civic League points out that thousands of out-of-town visitors will be in Ballinger during the last three days of next week and that much of the beneficial effect of the gathering will be lost if the town is found in a dirty and unkempt condition.

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Secretary Williams is signing up the merchants for space in the Merchants Exposition, which will be one of the leading features of the Runnels County Fair. It is planned to hold the exposition in the same building used last year, with several of the booths in the National Guard Armory, if it can be secured.

Space in the Exposition is open to every merchant or manufacturer who contributes to the expenses of the Fair, no further charge being made for the space in the building, and every Ballinger merchant is invited to enter exhibits in the Exposition.

Merchants whom Mr. Williams does not get to see in person are urged to see him at his office, write him a letter or leave a note on his desk, stating whether or not they wish space in the building.

Space in this exhibition is also open to the merchants of other cities in Runnels county upon the payment of a small charge for booth space.

Clean Up—Rake Up—Burn Up.

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.

Cut down the weeds.

Burn up the trash.

The Only First-Class
Confectionery
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FOR SALE—Candy and sandwiches during Fair, by Methodist Ladies. 1td

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, light house keeping, 706 Eighth Street. Phone 309. 5-2td

FOR RENT—Two dwellings in West End. E. Sheppard. 4-2td

FOUND—Box of ladies hats. Owner can get same at Ledger office by paying for this notice. 4-3td

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FOR SALE—Two hundred Ram. Bouillet Bucks—registered and pure-bred. W. O. Shultz, Paint Rock, Texas. 1-45td

WANTED—All your fall sewing. Mrs. W. B. Page, 205 8th Street. 1-6td

BOY WANTED—Delivery boy who can devote entire time to work. Apply Weeks' Drug Co. 1-4td

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

WANTED—Two or three girls to board during school. Phone 433. Mrs. John Rhuman. 25-d&w-tf