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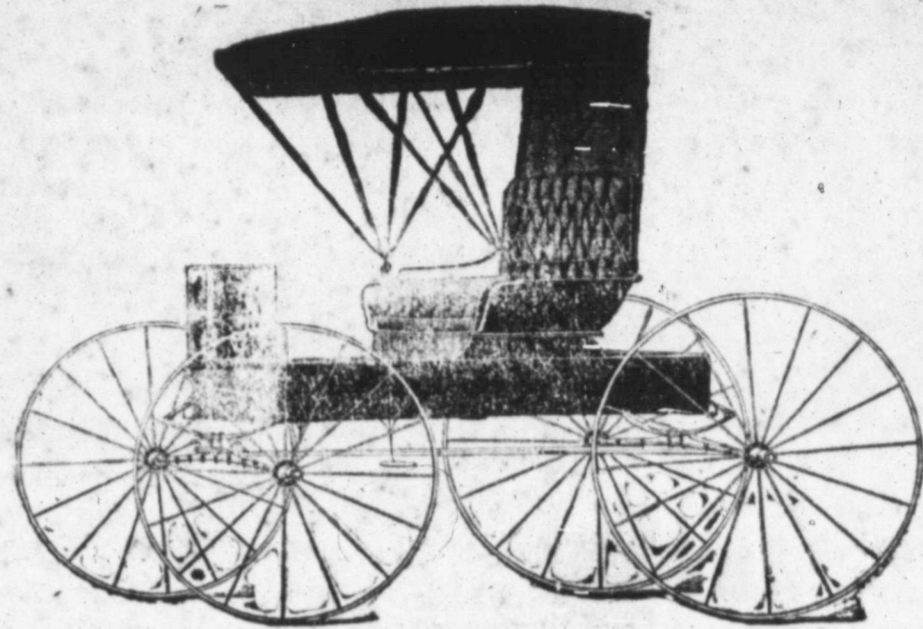
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Shall U. S. Fight Germany?

It looks serious, the problem of war with Germany. We had to tell Germany to don't do that. Germany said she is right and will do that again. Then we said it will be taken as an insult. Germany simply went on, as if to say help yourself. So the problem now is not simply theoretical. It is direct and physical. It seems like the dispute can't be reasoned out, but must needs be fought out. Would that prove who is right? Or would it prove who will fight, or that might makes right?

This illustrative story may be applied to the case.

A man wanted to get his name up as a fighter. So, he challenged the fighting governor of Kentucky. Receiving no reply, after repeating it, he spoke to the governor about it, and the governor declined his challenge. He told the governor that he would publish him as a d— coward. The governor smiled and said "Well, every body in Kentucky will know it's a d— lie". So, if we refuse to fight Germany every body on earth will know it is good sense. We don't have to prove our bravery or patriotism.



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Battle in Air.

Paris, Aug. 21.—Italian aeroplanes defeated an Austrian air squadron off the Adriatic coast, according to a dispatch to the Figaro from Turin. Three of the Austrian machines were brought down and their crews were either killed or made prisoners. The Figaro's correspondent

says that the Italian squadron forced an engagement upon the Austrians after a long, stern chase. The Italian aviators returned to their base without loss or injury.

Italy has declared war on Turkey. The Dardanelles will be attacked by Italy in addition to the attack already made by Great Britain.

ADVANCED STYLES OF LADIES' FALL PATTERN HATS ARE NOW ON DISPLAY

Come and inspect them



Ladies' Tan Hosiery on sale

Monday and throughout all the week we will offer a large assortment consisting of about 600 pairs of ladies' Tan Hosiery at the following reduced prices:

Ladies' Tan Lisle Hosiery, regular 25c sellers
Special per pair **15c**

Ladies' Tan Silk Hosiery, regular 50c seller, special per pair 23c or 5 pairs for **\$1.00**

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Sale of Ladies' Neckwear

Clearance prices prevail on the entire stock of ladies' Neckwear, including Fronts, Frills, Shields, Guimpes and other popular style collars of organdy and net. Reduced for this sale as follows:

Ladies Neckwear, which formerly sold at 25c and 35c.
Clearance price **10c**

Ladies' Neckwear, which formerly sold at 39c and 45c.
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Ladies' Neckwear, which formerly sold at 50c, 59c and 65c.
Clearance price **25c**

MEN'S PANTS---20 Per Cent Discount

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Your unrestricted choice of any pair of Pants in the house, usual prices range from \$2.00 to \$6.00 per pair at **ONE-FIFTH OFF** the former prices.

Mayer & Schmidt, Inc.

Ominous.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 21.—President Wilson and Secretary Lansing late this afternoon conferred over the sinking of the liner Arabic.

It was announced at the State Department today that Ambassador Gerard probably will be directed to call the German government's attention to the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic and to invite an explanation.

Officials here made no attempt to minimize the situation. Everywhere the possibility of a severance of diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany was discussed as likely if it develops that the Arabic was deliberately torpedoed without regard to the question as to whether she made an hostile approach on the plunger.

No Laborers Needed For Galveston

Austin, Tex., Aug. 21.—Fearing that there will be an influx of laborers at Galveston and Houston as a result of the storm, Max Andrew, editor of a Houston labor journal, Friday afternoon wired Commissioner of Labor C. W. Woodman to use his best efforts to keep laborers from flooding those two points as there are now more than enough workmen on hand to repair the damage.

Joe P. Clevenger is still quite sick at his home on North street. He has some kind of a chronic internal disease.

Weekly Cotton Letter

Thorn & McGinnis, Cotton Brokers, New Orleans, La. say:

The question of making cotton contraband of war by the Allies still hovers over the market, and it is said that a decision has been reached to put the staple under the ban. When this decision is officially announced, a decline is possible, but to what extent depends upon how the news is received in the South.

At the moment we see nothing with which to bull cotton. On the other hand there are features sufficiently bearish to occasion a good decline when least expected, such as political developments and while we favor short sales at present, buying on sharp breaks may prove profitable. In other words we anticipate scalping market for awhile.

Cotton Status

Washington, Aug. 23.—Plans for helping the cotton situation in the South were discussed today by President Wilson with W. P. G. Harding of the federal reserve board, who has investigated the cotton question thoroughly.

The president is preparing to protest to Great Britain against making cotton contraband. Mr. Harding made recommendations today for further steps, but refused to make them public.

Mesdames Ida Cottingham and E. D. Williams will open a full line of millinery in the Williams Building on East Main Street Sept. 1.

A Farmers Luck.

Richmond, Texas, Aug. 22. To The Sentinel:

I left dear old Nacogdoches, Dec. 3rd, 1912, and landed at Richmond, Dec 6th 1912. I came here to get a start, as I had lost out in the sawmilling business, in Nacogdoches, and I have many friends, who would like to know how Winder is making it here.

In 1913, I had a fine crop. It commenced raining in Aug. 1913, and it got the crop. On Dec. 9th of same year there came a flood and got what was left.

So I hit it the hardest in 1914. It rained all summer and the crop was no good.

This year 1915, I thought it would be the lucky year, so I tried hard to make a crop. In May we had another flood, which destroyed my fine crop. And as I did not like to be a quitter, I planted again in May and June, and had another good crop. Then on the 16th and 17th of this month, there came a storm and got my crop again, tore down my barn, killed one mule, and ruined 10 or 15 tons of good hay. I am glad it was not any worse, as none of my folks got hurt.

I like the land here and the people, but do not like the rain and storms we have here.

I wish the Sentinel the best of luck, and all of my friends over there.

R. D. Winder.

Julius Eichel left Saturday, for New York, where he will buy his fall and winter merchandise.

HALTOM & HALTOM, PROPRIETORS.
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First Man From Galveston
From Thursday's Daily:

Mr. W. H. Broker, of Mabank, Kaufman county, was here today on his way home from Galveston, accompanied by three friends who were with him in Galveston, during the storm. He gave the Sentinel an interview as to the storm as he saw it and heard of it.

He and his friends tried to leave Galveston, Monday p. m. but were unable to do so. They boarded an overcrowded train that tried to leave but could not do so, because of the severity of the wind and water which put the railroad out of use.

Then he took his grip and made for the Tremont hotel about 7 p. m. Monday, and got separated from his three companions, and never saw them again until Tuesday evening when he had just stepped out on the front walk, and they were passing on the opposite side of the street. He hailed them and they had a joyful meeting they had remained at the Union depot until Tuesday evening, and they had been to Tremont looking for him before. Mr. Broker himself had to wade water, waist deep to reach the Tremont. He tarted there when the waters had risen around the Union depot, and he had a difficult experience. At one time he stepped into a hole and fell and went under water with his grip. At the hotel he sat all night on the stairway half way up from the lobby, deciding that to be the safest place, doubting if there was a safe place anywhere. He felt the building shake. His companions felt the depot rock. The wind was said to have a velocity of 92 miles for 18 consecutive hours. It was strong for 30 hours in all. The rain poured all the while, and this rain and the water in the streets kept the town from burning up. Fires occurred in several places, and there was no water works for the fire company, on tap.

He knows but little of the loss of life, but understood that there were 15 or 20 deaths in Galveston, but many more at Texas City and Virginia Point. At these two places the destruction of building was great. The seawall saved Galveston from being washed away completely.

He visited the sea wall, but did not observe the 20 foot gap in it, reported near the Galvez hotel. All the houses of light structure about the seawall are gone. Some large granite rocks at the foot of this wall were thrown up on top of the wall as large as a wagon bed.

A large vessel at sea was so disabled that it drifted and the folks on it did not know where they were. It broke into halves and one half with five clinging people was thrown over the wall, and then learned where they were. Vessels were tossed around like toys and left out high and dry.

Mr. Broker says he ought to be called broke, to tell the truth, for he is truly broke. He is a merchant. He had to stop over here for the T. & N. O. train. He left Galveston at noon Wednesday, by boat to Texas City, walked four miles to Lamarque, then took train and made close connection at Houston.

The destruction of property at Galveston alone will amount to millions. Other coast cities worse.

There was considerable damage to the Tremont hotel chiefly to the roof, parts of which were blown away.

The jam of people who were trying to leave was great. And the places of refuge were also jammed.

Shooting of looters was heard now and then. Martial law declared, and military rule prevailed.

People suffered for drinking water. Mr. Broker was 30 hours without water, but he went out among residences and found a good hearted woman named McLane who said she had 7000 gallons and sufferers were welcome to it all. He went back and brought his friends to drink. The lady said she had been there in all the storms and is not going to leave.

The names of the three men who were with Mr. Broker in Galveston and came out with him and registered here at the Banita hotel are W. L. Paschal, P. P. Pearson and John Osborne, all from Mabank.

George S. King, writes to his brother, Senator S. M. King here, that he had a most frightful experience from the storm at his home in Houston. The wind and rain were not alone. Lightning struck the house and set the roof on fire, but rain put it out. The chimney was blown and tumbled into the house through the hole made by the lightning, which also let the rain pour in. The house shook, and outhouses were overturned. Trees were blown down and things were in a calamitous uproar. His damage is estimated at \$400. He was just ready to start to California.

Funeral of R. O. Watkins
The funeral services of R. O. Watkins will be held at the family residence tomorrow morning at 9:30 conducted by Rev. F. H. Ford. At 10:30 a special train will leave the Cotton Belt depot for Rusk where the interment will be had. The train will carry a baggage car for the corpse and two coaches for members of the Masonic lodge and other friends of Mr. Watkins who wish to attend the funeral at Rusk. —Jacksonville Progress, 18th.

A Witty Rejoinder.
Barry Sullivan, the tragedian, was playing in "Richard III" at Shrewsbury on one occasion. When the actor came to the lines, "A horse, a horse! My kingdom for a horse!" some one in the pit called out—"Wouldn't a donkey do, Mr. Sullivan?"

"Yes," responded the tragedian, turning quickly on the interrupter. Please come round to the stage door."

A Close Get Away.
"I had gone to Galveston Monday morning," she said, "despite the persuasions of friends who told me that it probably was not safe. When I reached Galveston, there was a feeling among the people that something out of the ordinary was brewing and I became somewhat frightened. Hundreds were leaving and I decided that I'd better leave, too. At that time the wind was blowing 70 miles an hour, roofs were being blown off and telephone poles were beginning to fall. Rain was falling in torrents and the streets were being flooded."

"I went to the interurban office, only to find that on account of waves rushing up against and over the causeway, the company was about to discontinue service. There was such a crowd of us—and more coming each moment—that the officials gave in and consented to run one more car and take chances on its getting across the bay. We all crowded in, there being more than 100 in the 60-passenger car."

"The run across the long causeway I shall never forget. Every window and door was closed. Huge waves were dashed against the concrete sides of the structure, sending spray and water clear up and into the car ventilators. Every one of us was drenched and every minute we expected the motor to be put out of commission by water. It held, however, and we reached the mainland and began pelting our way through the down-pour. Every little while the car stopped to allow the motorman and conductor, assisted by men passengers, to clear obstructions off the track. By the wayside we saw numbers of autos that had gone dead by water, and we saw people staggering through the gloom toward country houses that were tottering on their pillars. Some of these signalled the interurban and we managed to allow them to squeeze in."

"It took four hours to make the run to Houston—ordinarily an hour and half's run. At Houston, we found panicky conditions. I reached there near 8 o'clock and the city was in darkness, except for a few straggling lights in buildings lighted by private plants. Shingle and tin roofs were hurtling through the air and street car service and all traffic was totally demoralized. Broken wires stretched across the streets and it was dangerous to be abroad.—Ex.

University of Texas Aug. 17
—The terrific wind-storm here today has, according to the estimate of Manager Lochridge, done from \$500 to a \$1,000 worth of damage. Two gables on the west wing of the main building were blown in, the roof of G. Hall stripped off, and many tile from the Library Building were dislocated and hurled to the ground. Limbs of many of the campus trees were blown down and several trees uprooted. This damage was done by noon Tuesday, when the storm was still increasing in fury.

Thrilling Escape.
The following is taken from the Houston Chronicle:
Rev. T. J. Sloan was accompanying Sheriff Kemp to Galveston Monday afternoon to conduct funeral services over the grave of the sheriff's daughter-in-law. They reached the causeway in an Interurban car, but could get no further. That was shortly after 3 o'clock. Three hours later they were forced to leave the car and soon after that it disappeared in a swirl of angry water.

From the Interurban car they went to the Goss Hotel, owned by J. W. Goss. About 40 persons were on the last car that tried to reach Galveston and all of them went to this house.

They had been there a few hours when the underpinning was jerked from the building by gigantic waves and they felt it settling to the ground. All of the refugees were in the second story and they thought they still would be safe from the water.

But when the first story touched bottom the building began to crumble. Then there was a wild scramble for life.

Rev. Mr. Sloan and Sheriff Kemp leaped from the falling building through windows. For what seemed hours, each of the men battled for his life in the waves, one thinking the other had drowned. Great was the mutual surprise when a short time later they found themselves face to face on a raft.

They clambered aboard the raft and abandoned themselves to the mercy of the waves. Queer pranks their impromptu craft played with them, first plunging them swiftly in one direction and as suddenly sending them in an opposite course. But with all its changes in direction the raft was headed out to sea, and for seeming ages the men drifted, farther and farther away, thinking all the time they would go into the gulf and meet death horrible beyond imagination.

After seeming hours the course of the raft changed and their joy they noted they were going back in the direction of land, solid if not dry. Several hours after they had plunged through the windows of the Goss Hotel they landed about a quarter of a mile from the point where they started on their unwelcome journey out to sea.

The Note to Austria.
Mr. Lansing's note to the dual monarchy of Austria-Hungary is quite long, as it had to be to contain the whole of the argument relative to neutrality as the United States understands the subject. It is to be hoped its length has not prevented or will not prevent its perusal by every American—especially by every American who has questioned in the slightest degree the legal and moral justice of this nation's position on the question of exporting munitions.

If anything were needed to demonstrate Mr. Lansing's fitness for his post, this note supplies it. His argument is clear as crystal. It needs no

interpret its phrases. Although couched in the language of diplomacy, it is simple and understandable to the most untrained layman.

Perhaps the secretary of state had in mind, when he wrote it, not only his duty to make the United States position clear to the dual monarchy, but a necessity for settling right some citizens of his own country, who have seemed unable—or, in some cases, unwilling—to understand that the United States would not only violate neutrality by putting an embargo on arms to one side, after a war has begun, but would be making a precedent that might result in ruin for this country in some future war in which it were a belligerent. It so, he has succeeded—presuming those most in need of the information read it.

There are perhaps three thousand words in the note and not one is wasted. It is fervently to be hoped that those who have been shouting for an embargo on arms have it from its first line to its last. If so, and if they have sound minds and can understand clear and unequivocal English they will forthwith seek a new subject for their criticism of the administration and cease trying to distort exact neutrality into unneutrality.—San Antonio Light.

Council Silliman Reports
Washington, Aug. 17.—The I. W. W. is adding to the annoyances of Venustiano Carranza at Vera Cruz, according to a dispatch to the State Department from American Consul Silliman.

"Highly inflammatory placards," said Silliman's dispatch, "have been widely circulated through Vera Cruz by the I. W. W. calling a mass meeting to protest against American interference or intervention by the A B C Powers.

The authorities protest ignorance of the movement, and General Carranza has forbidden the mass meetings, but the placards still adorn the walls throughout the city.

Many "shocking executions" by General Villa have occurred at Chihuahua within the last few days, the American Consul there reported to the State Department.

Wounded have been arriving at Chihuahua, presumably from Torreón, where it is believed a battle of major proportions is taking place between Villa and Carranza forces.

The storm destroyed a large number of water craft, of various kinds, near Galveston. The loss of life was greater on water than on the land.



John Hancock—“Father of the Revolution”
UPON the Declaration of Independence his name may be read without spectacles. His signature was the first subscribed to the world's most famous State document. In the most realistic sense John Hancock pledged his life and his fortune to the cause of the Revolution. He was one of the richest men in the colonies, holding investments in banks, breweries, stores, hotels, and also owning a fleet of vessels. The seizure of one of these precipitated the Boston massacre. In Revolutionary days and until his death he was a popular idol. When it was proposed to bombard Boston, though it would have resulted in greater personal loss to him than to any other property owner, he begged that no regard be paid to him because of his financial interests. While Hancock did not sign the Constitution of the United States, he used his great influence in its behalf, which awakened the gratitude of Washington. "He was prepossessing in manner, and passionately fond of the elegant pleasures of life, of dancing, music, concerts, routs, assemblies, card parties, rich wines, social dinners and festivities." Until the end of his life the people of Massachusetts loved to honor him. In the stirring events preceding the Revolution he was one of the most influential members of the Sons of Liberty. To this tireless worker for American Independence Liberty was the very breath of life. He would have frowned upon any legislation which would restrict the natural rights of man, and would have voted NO to prohibition enactments. It was upon the tenets of our National Spoken Word that Anheuser-Busch 58 years ago founded their great institution. To-day throughout the length and breadth of the Free Republic their honest brews are famed for quality, purity, mildness and exquisite flavor. Their brand BUDWEISER has daily grown in popularity until 7500 people are daily required to meet the public demand. Its sales exceed any other beer by millions of bottles. ANHEUSER-BUSCH ST. LOUIS, U. S. A.

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"Dodson's Liver Tone" Starts Your Liver Better Than Calomel and You Don't Lose a Day's Work

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; undo your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the most, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver

Tone tonight. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working; headache and dizziness gone; stomach will be sweet and bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of Calomel is almost stopped entirely here.



A STATE FAIR PRIZE WINNER.

Dallas, "The Show Window of Texas Industries"—that's the 1915 State Fair of Texas in a nutshell. The State Fair begins Saturday, October 16, and closes Sunday, October 31.

All of the important activities of the State will be represented as never before—agriculture and kindred industries; livestock and the dairy interests; manufacturing—in fact, a splendid array of exhibits mirroring the progress of Texas and the achievements of her people.

The State Fair will furnish an education so practical and so broad as to appeal to all—and particularly does this apply to the splendid exhibits now being prepared by the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, the College of Industrial Arts; and other educational institutions of the state.

The girls and boys of the State are interested in judging contests and in the prizes offered for boys' and girls' club work; and in the splendid building housing the textile, culinary and fine arts departments there will be much to interest the women and girls of the State.

County exhibits filling to overflowing a mammoth building; three thousand head of registered stock; twenty-five hundred blue-blooded fowls; ten acres of machinery and implement exhibits; an automobile show of 1916 models; a fine art exhibit valued at more than \$100,000; an industrial arts exhibit that will interest the housewife; a superb showing of styles and fashions in women's wear, millinery, jewels; in fact, something to interest every man, woman and child in the state—this gives some idea of the 1915 Exposition.

Offerings in the livestock department are the richest of any in the country. This year approximately \$20,000 in premiums and specials will be awarded for exhibits of cattle, horses, sheep and swine. All of the big organizations in the country with livestock men as members are offering special premiums. Applications for stalls and pens received indicate that the display will be mammoth in proportion.

The dairy and creamery interests will be represented in three divisions—dairy cattle, dairy demonstration and dairy products departments. These three features are of special interest to dairymen and dairy cattle breeders; the awarding of the American Jersey Cattle Club's special premium for the best Jersey cow, get of sire, breeder's young herd, grand champion bull and grand champion female; the twelve days' competitive dairy test for butter fat; and educational displays and lectures dealing with the dairy and creamery business.

A staff of experts from the A. and M. College will spend their time at the Fair giving attention to helping Texas farmers with their home problems. The A. and M. exhibit for the coming Fair is being entirely reorganized.

Storm Worse Than 1900.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 19.—With information from Galveston and other points on the Texas southeast gulf coast slowly sitting through, it seemed certain early today that the terrific tropical storm of this week had exacted only a comparatively small number of human lives and that the toll on property in the city of Galveston, at least, was small as compared to the storm of 1900.

That the great two and a half million dollar seawall saved the city of Galveston from even a worse horror than that of 1900 was evidenced by the outstanding fact that the storm of last Monday and Tuesday caused property damage estimated at \$2,000,000 in Houston, which is nearly four times larger than the damage resulting from the 1900 hurricane. The damage in Galveston this week, based upon meager reports, is placed at \$3,000,000, with the loss of fourteen lives.

In 1900 eight thousand persons met death and the property loss reached \$15,000,000. First reports yesterday placed the Galveston death list as 500 and the damage as high or even higher than the 150,000,000 mark, but this apparently was disproved last night by later advices brought out by couriers, newspaper men and other persons who spoke with more authority.

It is possible, however, that the number of dead at Galveston and other points may be increased somewhat by the finding of bodies as the water recedes.

A Cough Remedy That Relieves.

It's prepared from the healing Pine Balsam, Tar and Honey—all mixed in a pleasant, soothing Cough Syrup called Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Thousands have benefited by its use—no need of your enduring that annoying Cough or risking a dangerous Cold. Go to your dealer, ask for a 25c original bottle Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey, start using at once and get rid of your Cough and Cold.

Villa Men Take Aguas Calientes.

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 18.—Villa officials on the border tonight claimed to have reports that Aguas-Calientes had been occupied by Villa forces under General Rodolfo Fiera, commanding 12,000 Villa and Zapata troops. Coincidentally Carranza advices received by Con-ul Andres G. Garcia, declared that Torreón had been captured by General Alvaro Obregon. No confirmation of either report was available.

A Good Household Salve.

Ordinary ailments and injuries are not of themselves serious, but infection or low vitality may make them dangerous. Don't neglect a cut, sore, bruise or hurt because it's small. Blood Poison has resulted from a pin-prick or scratch. For all such ailments Bucklen's Arnica Salve is excellent. It protects and heals the hurt; is antiseptic, kills infection and prevents dangerous complications. Good for all Skin Blemishes, Pimples, Salt Rheum, Eczema. Get an original 2-ounce 25c box from your Druggist.

Wilson Promises Aid For Cotton.

Washington, D. C. Aug. 17.—President Wilson today assured Chairman Lever, of the House agricultural committee, that definite steps soon would be taken to better the cotton situation in the South.

The first step will be the forthcoming note to England protesting against interference with neutral commerce.

An arrangement has been made to have President Wilson meet a committee of cotton growers Monday, but after his visit to the White House, Mr. Lever said he was so well satisfied with the president's plan that he would recommend that the engagement be cancelled.

Tired, Aching Muscles Relieved.

Hard work, over-exertion, mean stiff, sore muscles Sloan's Liniment lightly applied, a little quiet, and your soreness disappears like magic. "Nothing ever helped like your Sloan's Liniment. I can never thank you enough," writes one grateful user. Stops suffering, aches and pains. An excellent counter-irritant, better and cleaner than mustard. All Druggists 25c. Get a bottle to-day. Penetrates without rubbing.

Married.

On Aug 15, 1915, at the residence of Rev. H. M. Hutson who officiated Mr. S. R. Avery and Miss Ruby Pierce. The wedding was quiet, there being only a few friends and relatives present. The parties are both of high standing in their neighborhood, and their friends wish them well. This was in the Trinity Church neighborhood.

An Easy, Pleasant Laxative.

One or two Dr. King's New Life Pills with a tumbler of water at night. No bad, nauseating taste; no belching gas. Go right to bed. Wake up in the morning, enjoy a free, easy bowel movement and feel fine all day. Dr. King's New Life Pills are sold by all Druggists, 36 in an original package, for 25c. Get a bottle today—enjoy this easy, pleasant laxative.

Waco Men Blown 150 Miles To Sea.

Waco, Tex., Aug. 18.—Overtaken on Galveston Bay by the storm Sunday, W. W. Woodson, cashier of the Central Texas Exchange National Bank; William L. Elmond, cashier of the First State Bank & Trust Company, and H. R. Risher, vice president of the Behrens Drug Company, all of this city, drifted 125 miles in the storm in a small fishing boat, landing safely at Sabine Pass Monday night, according to a telephone message received by relatives here. The party of Waco Business men left Galveston for a fishing trip Sunday morning. They will return to Waco Wednesday.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; also cases out of ten are caused by catarrhs, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

New York was treated to an interesting sight the other day when Sperry, in his stabilized flying boat, swooped across the bay and circled around a big harbor dredge.

To our people in the windows of our New York office, this performance had an interest aside from the spectacular. Sperry was using Texaco Motor Oil; the dredge was using Texaco Crater Compound—and to complete the circle, the very building in which our offices are situated gave another instance of Texaco service.

For in this carefully-run power plant, one of the largest isolated plants in New York City, Texaco Engine Oils lift the friction load and keep the big bearings cool.

Do you wonder we were impressed?

Here were Texaco Products used on land, and water, and in the air—used on the light, powerful engine of the aero—on the heavy Corliss engines and dynamos downstairs—and as a protection against wear and salt water on the cables of the dredge.

In each case we were able to meet the condition with a lubricant exactly suited to the purpose. We can do the same for you in engine room, mill, or machine shop, on tractor, or in harvester—wherever oil is needed. There is a Texas Company agent near you. Let him tell you which oil you need.

The Texas Company
General Offices, Houston, Texas

Mrs. C. F. Lee entertained the first of the week, a few of her friends in honor of Mrs. Bateman and Miss Tarbutton. There was the usual facination of needlework, a tempting course of cream and cake, and the cordiality of the hostess to make the morning a real pleasure.

Don't neglect the warnings of nature. If your appetite is poor, breath bad tongue coated, you will be sick unless you take steps to put your system in good condition. Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy you need. It cleanses the entire system. Stripling Haselwood & Co., Special Agents.

Post Master Donegan has another letter from Mrs. Donegan's brother, Will Parker, who is in Rumania. He says that where he is there is nothing to remind him of a war. If Germany goes after Rumania there will be a remainder of a hurricane in force and effect.

Fortify the body to resist malarial germs by putting the system in perfect order. Prickly Ash Bitters is a wonderful system regulator. Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Special Agents.

Prof D. T. Turbyfill, of Edna, Tex. is here to take the place Prof. H. P. Eastman in the Nacogdoches High School.

Keep the body healthy at this season by using Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a necessary condition to successfully resist malarial germs. Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Special Agents.

Mrs. Bob Edwards and daughter left for Tyler today after a pleasant visit with relatives.

Miss Lydia Phipps has accepted the position in Miss Lena Justice's sewing department, which was formerly occupied by Miss Compton.

David Lee and wife and two children are here from Memphis, for a few days visit to his father D. Lee and family.

Mrs. J. C. Douglass, who has been the guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Eason returned to her home in Dallas, Friday.

Mahlon Levy of Shreveport, spent two days of this week with his sister, Mrs. Jno. Baker, during the illness of Miss Louise Baker.

Mrs. Roscoe Hauser and son of Runge are visiting in the home of J. F. Summers. Mr. and Mrs. Hauser are considering the idea of moving back to Nacogdoches.

J. H. Openshaw has returned from Houston. He went down Wednesday to see about his mother and her family. He reports Houston awfully torn up by the wind.

It is said that ducks destroy mosquitoes in water, or their young beginnings. It is one more point in favor of ducks. But they must get to the water, to get the mosquitos seed.

The instances of heroism given in the reports of the big storm are numerous, and many of the rescues appear miraculous.

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That "Million Men."

It sounds well to say that the defense of the United States must always lie in a volunteer army.

They cheered Mr. Bryan that time when he said that it a call to arms came in the United States, a million men would be ready to fight between sunrise and sunset.

How long would it take to train the million so that they would be anything more than food for cannon? A year, probably. Six months, certainly.

Who would train them? Officers, of course.

How many officers?

General Leonard Wood answered that question a few days ago in his to-the-point talk to the thousand business and professional men who have gone into training at Plattsburg, N. Y.

It would take 40,000 officers.

Would these, too, be made "between sunrise and sunset?"

Or would it be our policy to ask power which had decided to make war upon us (and which would be disposed to strike immediately upon the declaration of war it recent history be any criterion) to please wait two or three years until we could train some officers to drill our armies?

The trouble with those enthusiasts who head "The League of the White Feather" is that they do not seem to use their heads for purposes of this thinking.—San Antonio Light.

Compulsory education is now in now in some form or other, the law in all the states except Georgia, Mississippi and Alabama and they are agitating the question also. The weak spot in some of their laws is: If the parents need their labor they are exempt from the law. The poor little devils ought to have to support pa and ma, because they had no business fetching pa and ma into this unfriendly world. Paraphrasing shakes per what fools our law makers be.—Ex.

The Jacksonville Banner has a lengthy account of the sad death of R. O. Watkins, giving minute details of how it happened. He was with a fishing party out at Carey lake, an isolated locality over ten miles from Jacksonville. A large tree was blown down on the tents where they were camped, and several parties were badly hurt. To add to the distress, it was pouring rain in torrents and the wind was blowing hard. He was a most excellent and lovable man.

The Sentinel is in receipt of a circular letter from the Salt Lake City Commercial Club, soliciting support of a move to have the California Expositions continue all the year. This move meets the hearty approval of the Sentinel. Many people who have not yet had the chance will be glad to go. All who have been are loud in their praises.

Swear Words.

When things go wrong, the man who's strong avoids all futile fussing; "It doesn't pay," you hear him say; "there's nothing gained by cussing. Though I may know all kinds of woe, have ill luck on me saddled, I won't despair, or rant and swear, or hand out language addled. The children near, my words would hear, and then, of course, repeat them, with trills galore, and parents sore would round them up and beat them. And women, too, would hear me chew the rag profane, unpriestly, and they would sigh, as they went by, 'That blink-blanked guy is beastly!' Let troubles rise and black my eyes, I'll bear them all with meekness; wrath never helps—the whines and yelps betray a spineless weakness. I may say 'darn' if someone's barn falls down and pins me under: I may say 'gosh' if with a squash you knock my dome asunder; but I won't try the words that fry, and smoke and smell of sulphur; 'tis using these, go-as-you-please, we reach the brimstone gulf for."—Walt Mason.

Major Sam Dixon's Home at Houston Damaged

Austin, Tex., Aug. 21.—B. F. Chapman, chief clerk in the department of agriculture, has just received a letter from Major Sam H. Dixon, former member of the Legislature from Houston, and now connected with the department of agriculture, whose home is at Houston in which he advises that he suffered severely as a result of the recent storm. Major Dixon wrote that his residence was practically destroyed, the roof having been blown off and also a part of the second story, rain poured into the interior of the house greatly damaging the furniture. His loss will exceed \$1000. This does not include the loss on his farm situated between Galveston and Houston, barns having been blown stock killed, and Mrs. Dixon found 123 dead chickens the morning after the storm. As to Houston, he said the people appear dazed and that it will take several weeks to repair the damage done by the storm.

The terrible war in Europe seems to gain in volume each week and the volume of suffering woe and misery it brings to millions of homes each day is also increasing. It is a God's pity that the men who bring on such do not have to stand in the front ranks until killed off. As our socialist friend say, capitalism and greed are the real cause of all wars and people are beginning to realize it more and more.—Huntington Herald.

The Neches river went to the highest mark at Beaumont. This is caused by heavy rains above there. In San Augustine county the rainfall was over 17 inches. Streams all went on the rampage.

The number of lives known to be lost by the late storm is 256. There are 65 missing.

As To President of U.

The following is from a formal letter in the Austin Statesman, and shows that something is wrong, somewhere Unanimous, should be a leading requisite in such case:

"It is no secret that Governor Ferguson will oppose the election of W. J. Battle as president of the University of Texas to succeed S. E. Mezes resigned. Since the resignation of Mr. Mezes and the choice of Professor Battle as president pro tempore of the University it is reported there has been on the board of regents of the University a feeling of dissatisfaction on the part of some member.

The choice of Professor Battle did not voice the unanimous sentiment of the membership of the board of regents according to reports and even preceding the open statements of Governor Ferguson against Mr. Battle there has been some agitation over his choice.

Before leaving for Chappell Hill, North Carolina, where he is spending the summer, Professor Battle, it is said, had five votes out of the membership of nine on the board pledged for the choice of himself as president of the University. With the conditions that have since arisen Governor Ferguson is now determined that this action shall not be taken by the board."

State Lands Go On Sale September 1

Austin, Texas, Aug. 21.—Approximately 1,000,000 acres of state lands will be placed on the market on September 1, the list of which land, giving the location, etc., having just been issued by J. T. Robison, commissioner of the general land office.

This land is situated in the counties of Andrews, Banderis, Brewster, Cameron, Concho, Coryell, Crane, Crockett, Culberson, Dallam, Ector, Edwards, El Paso, Gray, Kerr, Kimble, Hartley, Loving, Marion, Hutchinson, Jack, Jeff Davis, Kinney, Haskell, Marion, Montague, Motley, Newton, Pecos, Polk, Presidio, Randall, Real, Reeves, Starr, Sutton, Taylor, Terrell, Travis, Tyler, Upton, Uvalde, Val Verde, Walker, Ward, Webb, Wilbarger, Willacy, Winkler, Wise, and Zapata.

In order to stimulate the sale of lands situated in certain counties and classified as rough lands, the last Legislature amended the land laws so as to provide that such lands may be sold without the condition of actual settlement.

It is plainly stated, however, by the state that this land is unfit for residence, being rocky and mountainous.

The law remains the same, however, as to land suitable for agricultural purposes, the period of actual settlement being three years.

The maximum amount of land that may be purchased by one person is eight sections of 640 acres each. One-tenth of the purchase price is payable in cash and the balance in 40 years with 5 per cent interest.

There are more than 409,000,000 people in the British Empire.

Billy Sunday at San Diego.

Going back to his first love, the great national game, Billy Sunday, noted evangelist, umpired a baseball game between teams of San Diego bankers played for sweet charity at the San Diego Exposition, Saturday August 7th, and then on the following Monday conducted a revival service at the mammoth out-door organ. Sunday spoke to a crowd of 20,000. Church people of San Diego turned out en masse to hear Sunday, while thousands of others were drawn to the meeting out of idle curiosity.

"Butterfly chasers," roared Sunday, "are the gay lite people who put off religion for the more convenient pursuit of pleasure. They think that the day of reckoning can be indefinitely postponed to suit their convenience, and they bow and scrape to the call of the devil."

Leaning far out over the rostrum, Sunday stretched out his arms in an inviting gesture, and pleaded, "now is the time." For a few seconds a stillness which would have made the discharge of a cap pistol seem like the detonation of a German siege gun swept over the vast throng. In the stillness, Sunday shoved his arms out a bit further and repeated "come to Jesus." Singly at first, began the march down the "concrete path." An aged woman lead it. Then the revival spirit was caught by hundreds more, and soon a young army man was marching to the platform. A mighty shout went up as hundreds proclaimed faith.

"If the Lord can get a few more good hitters like we have here today, we will soon bat the devil out of the box," declared Sunday who pronounced the meeting one of the most successful revivals he ever held in the West.

Pathetic Indeed

Hearts of the members of the Texas Fourth Estate will go out tenderly to Miss Florea 19-year-old daughter of the editor of the Richmond Coaster, who is the only surviving member of the family and who clinging to a door of the house in which the remainder of the family were drowned, floated on it eighteen hours was finally rescued in a state of delirium on the end of Galveston Island. Mr. Florea and his family were taking their outing at Surfside when the house in which they were located was overturned Monday night. Only the young woman escaped.—Waco News

Submarine Terror.

London, Aug. 21.—The White Star liner Arabic was not being conveyed when she was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine, according to a statement passed by the Press Bureau this afternoon. The statement, it was said was authorized by the Admiralty.

The great storm went through Texas, and on up through Arkansas, Missouri, and far beyond. White river, Ark., was highest in 65 years. Newport, Ark., was badly hurt. Lives were lost all along the path of the storm.

Nacogdoches Storm Victims.

In Monday's Daily Sentinel brief mention was made of the loss of life of two parties from Nacogdoches in the big storm, Frank Kirkland and a lady. The particulars were not known then and mistakes were made. The accident was not at Port Arthur, as stated. Frank Kirkland's father is Ben Kirkland, as stated, and lives down beyond Tubbe's, in the vicinity of Poe. The following is the report of the facts, as given in the Press reports.

The lawyer Hugh Jackson was known here.

Galveston, Texas, August 22.—One of the most dramatic and terrible stories which has yet been told of storm sufferers comes from the sole survivor of the wreck of the Jackson ranch on the mainland, about 15 miles east of Galveston.

Mrs. Frank Kirkland with her husband, daughter and niece was among those who sought refuge in the ranch building when the water and wind began to rise Monday afternoon. It was early in the evening that the waves began to break upon the building and carried it from its foundations and it crumbled over the heads of its inmates. With water many feet deep on all sides it was death for the most of them, but Mrs. Kirkland, how she was unable to, say, was cast with a mass of wreckage into the branches of a tall tree.

Here she clung throughout the long night while the wind screamed and the waves and spray lashed her body, stripping it bare of clothing. Morning brought only a worse horror than the night had contained. For with the dawning of daylight there was revealed to the eyes of the castaway a sight that chilled her blood. At the foot of the tree floated faces upward in the underbrush and clearly recognizable, the bodies of her husband, Frank Kirkland, and her niece, Miss Mary Baker.

All day Tuesday Mrs. Kirkland clung to her swaying perch in the tree top, sometimes dropping into a stupor of semiconsciousness, sometimes wide awake to the horror of her position. It rained hard during the day and the wind blew in great gusts over that tossing water which stretched away as far as her eyes could reach on every side with no sign of human life. She cooled her parched lips and tongue with drops of rain water which fell on her hair. And still she clung to her place in the branches.

Darkness fell again and another night of black terror was passed and another morning broke to reveal the gruesome bodies floating there at the foot of the tree.

Rescue came at last. At noon Wednesday a boat manned by Clause Roberts of Beaumont and Henry Sullivan of High Island, who were searching the vicinity, located the woman in the tree top and took her down with just a bare spark of life and consciousness left and unable to tell for a long time the details of her terrible suffering.

The Peanut Assists Diversification.

Recent experiments with the peanut have led to discoveries which tend to show that we have been overlooking one of the best opportunities in agriculture in Texas. According to the Extension Service Bulletin E. S. 8 issued by the A & M College of Texas, the peanut produces abundantly in many sections of the state and is cultivated easily and at very little expense. But about the only market so far developed is the peanut-stand man on the street corner, so our acreage has been low.

The School of Domestic Economy at the University of Texas has been experimenting with the peanut as an article of food. It has been found that by devious means of preparation many delightful and nutritive dishes for the table can be made from peanuts. Not only are these dishes pleasing to the taste, but they have a food value more than six times greater than beefsteak, and three times greater than milk.

A book of receipts ranging all the way from peanut biscuits to peanut candy has been prepared by the School of Domestic Economy, which are distributed upon request free of charge. It is hoped that this will result in a greater variety for the table, cheaper food and an increased demand for an agricultural product that will aid materially in carrying out the proposed u.ve. education program.

Hats Off To This Man.

Mr. Bill Joell, formerly a citizen of Hill county, living at Midway and Pluto, but of late years in the saw mill business at Reese, Texas, was in Hillsboro the other day shaking hands with the old timers. In conversation with a group of old friends on the steps of the handsome new post office building he remarked he had six sons and each one had nine sisters. Among the girls is one pair of twins, Amy and Annie, and one set of triplets, Cora, Dora and Flora. He has fifteen living children, three grandchildren—two of his daughters being married. He has lost one child by death.

Among the hands that operate his saw mill none use tobacco or whiskey, and excepting one son-in-law who smokes a pipe, none of his immediate family use tobacco or whiskey.—Hillsboro Mirror.

Col. Bill Joell is kindly remembered in and around Italy by the residents of this community of a dozen years ago. He was a hustling and hard working man and we are glad he has gotten up in the world, for he deserves success.—Italy news-Herald.

Once Lived Here.

J. W. Shipman of Weldon was in the city this morning. He is from Galveston and reports everything in pretty bad shape down there.—Jacksonville Progress.

Advertisers are the same to a town that fans are to a baseball team. The game is dead if not boosted by public favor.

The Bailey Banquet.

As it has been announced throughout the state generally there will be given in honor of Ex-Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey, by his friends in Dallas on the 27th inst. a banquet at the Oriental hotel.

We, as Ex-Senator Bailey's friends, have noticed that our local papers have overlooked to give this event publication; and, therefore, we now ask that this article be published in the next issue of our local papers, in order that any of Mr. Bailey's friends who desire to attend this banquet may be able to do so.

The affair was originated in Dallas by the Ex-Senator's friends, and Mayor Lindsey, of Dallas, was made chairman of the committee, and we have been informed that Mr. Bailey has assured the committee of his presence and that accommodation will be prepared for all of those who desire to attend, and should there be any of his friends here who desire to go, they can get the proper information regarding the event by communicating with S. M. Adams or L. G. King.

This is going to be a big affair and we wish to insist that as many of Mr. Bailey's friends as can take advantage of this opportunity to be present on that occasion.

It has been indicated to some here by Mr. Bailey that he could likely make a speech here while on this visit to Texas, and we would like for his friends to think and talk over the matter as to whether or not we shall arrange a date and invite him to speak.

B. F. Hardeman,
S. M. Adams,
L. G. King,
Committee.

The lasting fame.

I'd like to leave behind me some work that will endure, but briny teardrops blind me, the prospect is so poor! Man hates to think of sleeping through ages of four or five, with nothing brilliant keeping his memory alive. But there is no foretelling whose fame for aye will stand, or who has built his dwelling up on the shifting sand. The lions we're adoring, the great men of today, whose bright renown goes soaring from Juneau to Cathay, whose voice gives direction to all our projects here, may pass from recollection when they've been dead a year. Perchance some humble plodder, who seems to cut no grass, or other kinds of fodder, will, when the ages pass in peoples hearts be living, his fame secure and strong, immortalized for giving the some simple song. No man can say "It's certain, as taxes, and as sure, that death, drops the curtain my fame will still endure." To make our best endeavor, what is the only way; let fame live on forever, or die in half a day.

Walt Mason

The bible says something like this: "There shall be wars and rumors of wars." What we want to hear is rumors of peace and the practice of peace. There are such rumors in the papers now. And they are said to come from the right source, Germany—the strongest side.

Peanuts, Pinders, Goobers and Ground Peas

A bulletin published by the University of Texas on "The Uses of the Peanut on the Home Table" is as rich in food for thought as the peanut is rich in food for the body.

"The peanut is not a nut," the writer, Miss Jessie P. Rich of the School of Domestic Economy of the University, declares. "We have too often thought of the peanut as a part of the circus or street parade, and have been misled by the latter half of its name and used it as we would use nuts," she says.

But for all that the peanut is a pea, and belongs to the same family as the common pea or bean. True, its flavor is similar to that of a nut, from whence comes the term "nut" applied to it; but no one who reads what the aforesaid interesting bulletin has to say about it will doubt its high food value.

In justifying the classification as above given it is stated that 25.8 per cent of the peanut is protein, or tissue-building food, compared to 21 and 25.5 per cent, respectively, of protein for the dried pea and dried bean, while the peanut's fuel value amounts to 2500 calories for the dried pea and 1565 calories for the dried bean per pound.

Moreover, we learn that 10 cents worth of peanuts have a food value equal to 62 cents worth of steak, 84 cents worth of milk, 20 cents worth of cheese, 18 cents worth of potatoes, and 9 cents worth of beans. These figures reveal an important fact to the hungry world, which, since the price of meat has broken the altitude record, has been looking for a substitute for meat. The peanut, when it comes into its own, will go far towards solving this vexing problem.

The best thing about the bulletin quoted is it not only tells what to do, but it also tells how to do it, as will be seen by a list of the receipts given, the very names of which will make a hungry man's mouth water.

This list of receipts includes Peanut Butter, Nut Bread, Peanut Biscuits, Peanut Buns, Peanut Milk Toast, White Sauce, Peanut Sandwiches, Peanut Soup, Baked Peanuts, Peanut Turnips, Peanuts and Rice, Potatoes and Peanuts, Peanut Loaf, Brown Sauce, Peanut Chops, Peanut Cake, Peanut Cookies and Peanut Candy.

Questions!

Do you want a good town?
Do you want a good paper?
Do you know that without a good paper you can't have a good town?
Do you know that it takes good patrons to make a good paper and a good town?
Do you know that the support of a paper is advertisers?
Be wise and get busy.

Cotton has been declared contraband. This means that it shall not be sold to any nation at war. It also means a black eye to the price of the commodity. In plain words cotton will go down.

Down Fear At Missouri.

St. Louis, its suburbs and neighboring Illinois towns suffered most from flood. The unprecedented downpour—seven to nine inches in 24 hours—converted brooklets into raging torrents which tore away bridges, levees, dams, homes and everything in their paths. At East Alton, Ill., a 300-foot section of the new levee gave way and a wall of water from the Wood river rushed toward the towns of Wood River, Ben Bow and East Alton, but two horsemen raced a hundred yards ahead of the oncoming water calling out: "Run for your lives!"

In less than an hour the three towns were covered with ten feet of water, but not a soul had lingered. Two trains—a Chicago & Alton from Kansas City and a Big Four from St. Louis—which were caught between two branches of the flood, gave shelter for the night, to scores who had been rescued from roofs and upper windows of flooded homes. The water began to recede somewhat today. Washouts and landslides were reported all along the Missouri Pacific, Iron Mountain and St. Louis & San Francisco systems. A dozen cities spent the night in total darkness.

Houston Going Some.

The big snip, Saltilla, steamed right up to Houston, and that "do settle it" Houston is a deep water sea port. And Houston wants the world to know it, like the small boy when he gets into long trousers. Big man now. Yes, Houston is the "Hub City" now—with "Magnolia City" trimmings. Forget the destructive fire and the great storm. Houston is still "on the map." Sit up and take notice. There's something doing at Houston.

Shreveport Rates Problem

The papers are full of talk about the problem of freight rates in many shapes. One is the interstate rate, and there has been a decision made by the state commissioners to conform to the interstate rulings, that came about in a Shreveport question, and this seems to hurt many mercantile interests very heavily, and it is causing an uproar. The Texas railroad commissioners are soon to go after this problem, and others of similar character, amounting to a larger value than others not interested would suppose. For instance, Sanger Bros. of Dallas, say they will suffer a loss of \$50,000 a year.

It is estimated that an average of 25 people die daily from starvation in the City of Mexico. But you see the national honor necessitates war. It reminds us of the devils philosophy when he argued with Jesus on the mountain top. Honor indeed. If that be honor what is dishonor.

For Sale—75 acres red and black land, 50 in cultivation with house and barn 6 miles east of town. Apply to Whit Muckelroy, Route 2, Nacogdoches, Texas. 26-47w

County Wookmen of the World Membership Campaign Now on

On the first of August a campaign to procure new members for the Woodmen of the World in this county was begun. Already applications are being received from the various camps, and the committee in charge of the campaign believe it will be the greatest and most profitable campaign ever had in this county.

Like effort to increase the membership of the order were put forth in 1911, 1912, and 1913, and the membership was increased during the three years from 1000 members in the county to more than 2200. This year more valuable prizes are offered than were during those three years. Below is given a partial list of the prizes.

INDIVIDUAL PRIZES

First Prize—To the member securing the largest number of applications in the county, from August 1st, to December 1st \$250.00, in cash.

Second Prize—To the member securing the second largest number of applications \$25.00 in cash.

Third Prize—To the member securing the third largest number of applications—one 20 year Elgin watch.

Fourth Prize—To the member securing the fourth largest number of applications one Gillette Safety razor complete.

CAMP PRIZES

First Prize—To the Camp securing the largest number of applications on a percentage basis, one beautiful silver set.

Second Prize—To the camp securing the second largest number of applications, one silver set.

The Campaign will close with an initiation at Nacogdoches, on Tuesday December 7th, and it is the plan of the committee to have a trades day on this date, and they feel sure that the merchants will co-operate with said committee and make the closing day a success. The degree work will be contered by the Garrison Degree team and the initiation will begin promptly at 10:30 o'clock a. m., so every one may go home before night.

It will not be necessary for for the policies of candidates for initiation to be held until the close of the Campaign, but they will be delivered all applicants by the respective camps where they join.

A low rate of \$3.00, is now in effect throughout the county, this means a person can join by paying \$3.00, to the Camp, and \$1.00, to the physician who examines.

It would be well for each member to see his clerk and learn all the details of the contest.

Position in Vermont

Sherman, Texas, Aug. 21. J. C. Pyle, superintendent of the public schools, who was offered the presidency of Norwich University, the state military of Vermont has declined the offer and, will remain at the head of the schools here.

Miss Ora Weaver has accepted a position with the firm of Tucker, Hayter & Co

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B Hardeman Family Reunion.

The invitation cards were sent into the different counties, to the brothers and sisters of Maj. Black Hardeman's children, to meet at Jacksonville on the 30th of July in that lovely home of Mrs. Anna Gillespie. When that morning came, quite a number of us were on the trains, rumbling over the red hills, sandy roads, beautiful rivers and valleys, with the lovely green grass and foliage of our own lone Star State, enjoying every mile of the way to that longed for reunion.

The first day brought Sam Hardeman of Corsicana, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Fall, Mrs. Cate Collins, all of Chireno, Mrs. John Wilson of Melrose, Mrs. Cora Engledow of Froup, with her two married daughters from Longview. The next day Dr. H. A. Hardeman from Melrose, arrived giving us a pleasant surprise.

Mrs. Gillespie met us at the train with her sweet welcome smile. The jitney cars had the honor of the day, quite convenient to our large crowd.

We enjoyed the company of only one of Mrs. Gillespie's children, Mrs. Bertha Holland.

We laughed and chatted until supper time, then the long table was spread so we all could eat at the same time. You can imagine how hungry we were, and with what enjoyment we ate, for Mrs. Gillespie had killed the fatted calf. You might think we would kill our selves eating, but none were hurt, for the jolly crowd had so much real joy mixed with it that our food only held us ready for the next scene, which took place up stairs, with the jolly crowd sleeping up there, who talked and laughed until midnight, disturbing much the slumber of the down stairs occupants. Each night they were disturbed with pure happy revelry, from up stairs.

We feasted on watermelons, figs, peaches, and one morning the express man brought us a box of cake from Mrs. Allie Smith of Chireno, Mrs. Fall's daughter.

My poor little pencil can't describe the great pleasures of that reunion. We talked

of our childhood days, in the old home at Melrose, never to be forgotten, with our dear parents. We talked of our married lives, companions, and precious children, who have gone forever from our homes, never more to dwell with us around the old hearth, where we sat so many times, in the long ago. We spoke of our dear old friends we loved so well—we talked of our school mates and realizing that "But few are left to greet us now, and few are left to know, who played with us upon the green, just 50 years ago."

That was the 5th reunion of the brothers and sisters, and seems that the last was the best. We are gaining ground and trust all the absent ones will come in next time.

"God be with us till we meet again,
Keep love's banner floating o'er us,
Smite death's threatening wave before us,
God be with us till we meet again." L. W.

Mexico.

It is now asserted that Carranza, the Constitutional leader has control of 21 states in Mexico, and a strong hold on two others, one held by Villa, and one by Zapata, both claiming to represent the conventional government. And Carranza also holds the City of Mexico and the Federal District in which the city is located.

But news from Mexico is all ways to be taken with doubt. And Carranza may not be so powerful as reported. He appears to be somewhat more inclined to listen to plans for peace. This brightens the outlook.

Now, it he and Villa will come up to the Rio Grande and exterminate those Mexican trouble makers they can take the praise.

To Those Growing Black Eye Peas:

Prices have declined to \$1.25 per bushel

We advise all who are not compelled to sell to thrash peas and treat with "high-life" and hold until prices justify selling.

J. M. GREENE
204 East Main Street



"Buffalo Bill, where do you get saddles and pads for your Rough Riders?"
"From Waco, Texas, made by Tom Padgitt Co—Forty-eight years in business—they don't hurt your horse."

(Padgitt's ad has been carried by the Haltom papers 40 years)

EXPULSION—every poison and impurity of your blood, by Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Then there's a clear skin and a clean system. Eczema, Salt-rheum, Erysipelas, Boils, Carbuncles, Enlarged Glands, Tumors and Swellings, and all Blood, Skin, and Scalp Diseases, from a common blotch or eruption to the worst scrofula, are perfectly and permanently cured by it.

In building up needed flesh and strength of pale, puny, scrofulous children, nothing can equal it. In liquid or tablet form.

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Camp Mabry Offered.

Austin Texas Aug. 20.—Camp Mabry, situated about three miles northwest of Austin, has been tendered to the war department for quartering such troops as may be desired to send here. This tender was made in a telegram sent on behalf of Governor Ferguson by Adjutant General Henry Hutchens. This is the text of the telegram:

"Secretary of War, Washington, D. C.: By direction of the Governor, use of Camp Mabry, near Austin, is tendered for such United States troops as may be desired to send here."

The troops who lost their quarters in the gulf storm at Texas City are the ones referred to in the message.

Instead of ten or a dozen demonstration farms in this state, there should be not one less than ten dozen such farms. Next of importance to good roads easily comes the demonstration farm as a country builder. It often happens that those in charge of the demonstration farm take leaps in the dark in making certain tests of soils and plants, but the man who lives adjacent to such farm is spared the trouble of taking any such leaps, for if he observes what is taking place on the farm he knows what he can and what he can't afford to grow; and he knows when and how he should grow it. The demonstration farm is one of the greatest instrumentalities for the development of any country where farming is practiced. Yes, it is next in importance to good roads to any growing country or to any country whose inhabitants would have it grow and flourish and prosper. — Cherokee Sun.

Baseball Technicalities

Being shy on backstop material, Manager Bresnahan had to hire a semi-pro catcher to warm up the pitchers when the Cubs were in Boston. This cutting down stuff prescribed by big yard mogula certainly adds to the woes of major league pilots.

As to the situation on the Rio Grande border of Texas, the bandit Mexicans are vanishing. Only now and then is one found, and he soon disappears, in one way or another. But he is gone and gone to return no more. See jué.

Halt Curiosity Seekers

In a letter addressed to Mayor Ben Campbell, Major General J. F. Bell, in charge of Texas City, urges that the travel of people from Houston to Texas City and Galveston be prohibited unless they are concerned in the welfare of relatives in either city.

Stay Away.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 20 1915. To the Chronicle, Houston, Texas.

Please publish notice to people not to come to Galveston and Texas City. They will simply be in the way and can not find accommodations.

Lewis Fischer, Mayor.

Miss Maurine Mills, of Center, is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Shindler.

Miss Dorthey Hardeman of Melrose spent the first of the week with relatives in the city.

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WHEN YOU ARE CONSTIPATED

Don't paralyze the bowels with a harsh, drastic cathartic that gripes and binds you up tighter after its effect is gone. Take

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

It does the work just as thoroughly as the strong cathartics. Yet it acts mildly and naturally, and what is still better, it leaves the bowels in a healthy state promoting regularity in the bowel movements.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers in Medicine.

Price \$1.00 per Bottle

Prickly Ash Bitters Co. Proprietors St. Louis, Mo.

Stripling, Haselwood & Co. Special Agents

Rio Grande Border

Corpus Christi Aug. 20.—A letter was received in Corpus Christi from one of the valley refugees from the Brownsville country this morning, the foreman of a ranch owned by a man who rather be in Corpus Christi than on a bandit hunt. The letter stated that the rangers and United States troopers were keeping a vigilant guard and were "planting Mexicans daily." The advice was given, however, to remain away from that country until things had become absolutely peaceful.

No Lives Lost at Sabine

Sabine and Sabine Pass miraculously escaped without loss of life in the hurricane, both coming through the frightful storm badly scathed, according to Dr. Pollock, who reached Port Arthur from there Wednesday and who came to Berumont Thursday.

Trinity Will Reach Flood Stage.

Dallas Aug. 20.—The Trinity river it is predicted; will reach the flood stage of thirty feet at Dallas by Saturday, and the local weather bureau has sent warning to farmers in the lowlands of both the Trinities to move out today and take out their live stock, as both streams will be flooding in the next day or so.

Twenty-five feet is expected at Dallas tonight.

The big celebration at Houston which was billed for the 19th, on account of the arrival of the first ship from New York via Houston ship channel, was called off because of the storm. But the big ship the Satilla, was on time. She had to hold up at Galveston to get soundings of the ship channel to Houston.

Miss Sweeney, returned Wednesday night from New York, where she went to buy the fall millinery for Mayer & Schmidt. Miss Sweeney visited her mother in Cold Water Mich.

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DESTROYS SLEEP

Many Nacogdoches People Testify to This.

You can't sleep at night With aches and pains of a bad back—

When you have to get up from urinary troubles.

It the kidneys are at fault Set them working aright with Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here is Nacogdoches' proof of their merit.

Mrs. H. M. Reid, 412 S. North St., Nacogdoches, says:

"Some time ago I gave a public recommendation for Doan's Kidney Pills and I am now pleased to again say a good word for them. Backache hindered me at my work and sometimes was so intense as to keep me awake at night. My kidneys were irregular in action, I tried many medicines and finally I took Doan's Kidney Pills. They gave me relief."

Price 50c, at all dealers.

Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Reid had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Brother Dead At Trawick.

Dr. J. A. Birdwell of Overton was in the city this morning en route to Trawick, a small place near Nacogdoches, where his brother, J. P. Birdwell died Wednesday morning at 2 o'clock very suddenly.

Dr. Birdwell told a reporter of the Daily Progress that his brother went to bed Tuesday night feeling all right and about thirty minutes before his death he had waked up with a little cramping spell and told his folks to give him a dose of Watkin's liniment, which they did and he died as above stated.—Jacksonville Progress.

Hugh Jackson, well known wealthy attorney of Beaumont and his grandson, C. C. Roberts Jr. were drowned in Galveston bay, and their floating bodies found near Jackson's ranch in Chambers county.

There is very little fighting going on in Mexico now. The factions are killing time. Villa suggests a truce and a conference. Carranza teints a refusal, but this is done to gain time and reputation for effect. It looks like he may win out, but he will have to step down and out to let Mexico have peace and law and order.

The prohibitionists are getting an awful back slap in the reports coming from Germany. Germany is now about the only warring nation that has not prohibited alcoholic stimulants for its soldiers, and yet Germany seems to be making the best record. The solution of the problem is passed on to the prohibitionists.—Ex.

The continued unsettled weather is unsatisfactory. But it does very well for a change of subject from the Galveston hurricane, at least it leaves off from it. And we can always say to the man we meet, when do you think the weather will break.

"Forty-Two" Party

Misses Emma and Lonnie Dee Power entertained with a forty-two party Thursday evening, in honor of Misses Lou Smith of Center and Mary Lou Boren of Dallas.

After a number of interesting games were played, the guests were given aprons which they put on, and went to the kitchen, where the remainder of the evening was spent in making fudge and taffy.

Citation.

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Nacogdoches County Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Albert Wheeler, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Nacogdoches county, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Nacogdoches, on the 1st Monday in September 1915, the same being the 6th day of September, 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of August 1915 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 365, wherein Amanda Wheeler, is Plaintiff, and Albert Wheeler, is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on or about June 1911 Plaintiff and Defendant were lawfully married to each other and thereafter lived together as husband and wife until on or about the 12th day of July 1912 when Defendant, without cause or provocation on the part of this Plaintiff, abandoned her, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

That during the time they so lived together Plaintiff made Defendant a kind and dutiful wife, but not withstanding his marital vows, Defendant abandoned Plaintiff as aforesaid, and has not returned to her, which said abandonment has been for a period of more than three years.

That as a result of said marriage there was born unto her a girl now about two and one half years old, name Fannie. Plaintiff alleges that Defendant is not a suitable person to rear and educate said child, but that she is able and willing to care for and support said girl.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that Defendant be cited in terms of law to appear and answer this petition, that upon a final hearing hereof she have judgement dissolving said bonds of matrimony, for custody of said child, for cost of suit and such other relief that she may be entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, on the said first day at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Claud C. Watson, Clerk of the District Court of Nacogdoches County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Nacogdoches this the 12 day of August 1915.

Claude C. Watson, Clerk.

District Court, Nacogdoches, County.

NOT ENOUGH CHILDREN

ever receive the proper balance of food to sufficiently nourish both body and brain during the growing period when nature's demands are greater than in mature life. This is shown in so many pale faces, lean bodies, frequent colds, and lack of ambition.

For all such children we say with unmistakable earnestness:

MOTHER OF SCHOOL GIRL

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Daughter's Health.

Plover, Iowa.—"From a small child my 13 year old daughter had female weakness. I spoke to three doctors about it and they did not help her any. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had been of great benefit to me, so I decided to have her give it a trial. She has taken five bottles of the Vegetable Compound according to directions on the bottle and she is cured of this trouble. She was all run down when she started taking the Compound and her periods did not come right. She was so poorly and weak that I often had to help her dress herself, but now she is regular and is growing strong and healthy."—Mrs. MARTIN HELVIG, Plover, Iowa.

Hundreds of such letters expressing gratitude for the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished are constantly being received, proving the reliability of this grand old remedy.

If you are ill do not drag along and continue to suffer day in and day out but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a woman's remedy for woman's ills.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Seven Mistakes Of Life

"Everyman," writing editorially in the Jeweler's Circulars, begins his essay by enumerating the seven mistakes of life; then he treats each individually in paragraphs that are short but right to the point. He declares the following to be the seven mistakes:

1. The delusion that individual advancements are made by crushing others down.
2. The tendency to worry about things that cannot be changed or corrected.
3. Insisting that a thing is impossible because we ourselves cannot accomplish it.
4. Attempting to compel other men to believe and live as we do.
5. Failure to refine the mind by acquiring the habit of reading good literature.
6. Refusing to set aside trivial preferences in order that important things may be accomplished.

The failure to establish the habit of saving money.

To The Teachers Of Nacogdoches County

Prot. J. A. Evans, the greatest peacan expert of Texas, will be in Nacogdoches Friday, August 27th. He can show you how to bud or graft peacans so that you will be able to understand it and not only that, but you will be able to show the boy in your community who is interested how to do this work. Why not make Nacogdoches county the Banner East Texas Peacan County. You can help in this, but you must be instructed first. We will not be excusable if we miss this. We have A. & M. College and Clarence Ousley, of the same institution to thank for this opportunity.

Respectfully,
R. F. Davis.

No. 666

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Colocyn and does not grip or sicken. 25c

Ex-Georgia Governor Bitter
San Francisco, Cal, Aug 18 —
Ex-Governor George M Slaton of Georgia can not find words strong enough, he says to condemn the lynching of Leo M. Frank whose life Slaton once saved by commutation of death sentence.

"Every good man and woman in Georgia will condemn this cowardly abduction," said Slaton who is an exposition visitor. "The English language is not strong enough or broad enough to designate this courage appropriate. It is an attack on civilization.

"I know Georgia well enough to believe that every power of the State will be brought to bear to punish the malefactor who have so disgraced the commonwealth. Men who would do this sort of thing are the same sort that would kill women and children and murder men from behind a fence.

"The words I speak here I will repeat at home."

"Thank God, He is Dead," Mother Says

New York, Aug. 17.—"Thank God, he is dead and through with his troubles," said Mrs. Rudolph Frank, mother of Leo M. Frank, when informed at her home today that her son's body had been found.

"If he had lived, his life would have been a torture to him and they might have killed him in a worse way."

Mrs. Frank said she had received no messages from Georgia regarding the kidnaping of Leo from the prison.

Frank's wife had been at the prison farm since her husband was wounded by William Creen last month. She did not know that Frank had been kidnaped until a short time after the lynchers had left with him.

She was not told of his danger until it was known that he had been slain. Before the prison official had finished his first sentence she swooned and went into violent convulsions.

It was only with the greatest difficulty that she was revived.

Mrs. Frank at Athens

Milledgeville, Ga., Aug. 18.—Mrs. Leo M. Frank, although still prostrated, left here at 11 o'clock today for Athens, where she has an uncle.

Frank's last Message

New Orleans, La. Aug 18 —"Surely God has let me live and aided me in this dark hour for a brighter day which must be near at hand."

That was the message of Leo M. Frank to Dan Lehon southern superintendent of an irrigation company which had aided him, received by Lehon today. The message in the belief of Lehon was the last ever written by Frank.

It is related that several parties at Houston went down to Galveston to be present at the storm. A man and woman who went over on that marooned Interurban car have not yet been heard from. A young man got into Galveston. He reports fullest satisfaction, wants no more.



The Telephone Road to Every Market

Are you up on current dairy prices during the scarce season?

The farmer with a Bell Telephone is "wise" and he sells at the market's height. Why not share your telephone-connected neighbors advantages.

Apply to our nearest manager for information, or write

THE SOUTHWESTERN TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE CO. DALLAS, TEXAS.



Willie waughts

When corks are popping and youths are yawping a bacchanalian song, we gray-beard relics, old, world-worn alecks, remark, "They're starting wrong." The voices raucous that jeer and mock us, and sing of joy today, will wail in sorrow, some dark tomorrow, for chances thrown away. For wine's a mocker, a plexus shocker that ruins nerves and brain, it sets heads aching and hearts breaking, and fills your bones with pain. Strong drink is raging and when you're aging, you realize this truth; oaths being handy, you curse the brandy and gin you drank in youth. Old age discloses empurpled noses, and hands that shake and twitch, and maudlin grouches, and midnight couches in alley or in ditch. The gilded fellows whom was sail mellows in gilded booze saloon, some day may grovel in squalid hovel, and pray for just one prune. Where are the singers, the gay hum-dingers, who with me drank and spied? In countless numbers they have their slumbers out in the potter's field. The fellows gifted, who nightly litted the glass, where folly flies, who might have risen—but died in prison with none to close their eyes! Walt Mason.

Guns Pass Through Austin

Austin, Texas, Aug' 17.—Artillery from Fort Sill, Ok, enroute to Brownsville passed through Austin this morning on two special trains of the Katy.

German Storm and Capture Kovno Forts

Berlin, via Wireless to London, Aug. 17.—The forts defending Kovno have been stormed and captured by German troops under General von Eichhorn, it is officially announced.

The Gulf waters did not rise to the top of the sea wall by four feet, but the huge waves rolled over the wall and the boulevard.

RUB-MY-TISM

Will cure your Rheumatism Neuralgia, Headaches, Cramps, Colic, Sprains, Bruises, Cuts and Burns, Old Sores, Stings of Insects Etc. Antiseptic Anodyne, used internally and externally. Price 25c.

Epworth-by-Sea Changed
Corpus Christi, Tex. Aug 17 —All that remains of Epworth-by-the-Sea, the picturesque spot on Corpus Christi bay, where the Epworth league of Texas has held assemblies and encampments for the past twelve successive summers, is the memory of many pleasant seasons there.

The tents that dotted the bay shore have been taken down; upwards of 1200 leaguers have left for their homes; there are several cottages vacant; padlocks appear on some of the buildings and Epworth Inn, the frame buildings on the grounds which is open for the whole summer, has a few remaining guest. But Epworth, as it is known to hundreds of Methodists throughout the state, is no more. With next six weeks the buildings will have been torn down, the ground leveled and platted and the process of welding this portion of the city into the residential district will have commenced.

The sale of the lots in this new residential addition commenced the morning after the league closed its encampment. E. C. Frank, a prominent business man, has the honor of buying the first, paying \$2000 for one of the beach front lots

Mickwitz May not Come This Year

Harold von Mickwitz may not head the department of music at the Southern Methodist University when that institution open this fall. According to advices from Kenneth M. Bradley, president of Bush Conservatory at Chicago, Mr. von Mickwitz is under contract with the Bush Conservatory several yerys and cannot come here. Mr. Bradley further states that the contract with Von Mickwitz prohibits the use of his name in connection with any other institution during its term.

"Mr. von Mickwitz was in Dallas last winter and we arranged for him to head our music department," said Dr. R. S. Hyer, president of the University. "This was done with the understanding that he was under contract in Chicago, and would be for some two years. It was understood he was to come here as soon as that contract expired.

"We have organized our entire musical department. The presence of Mr. von Mickwitz here or his absence will have nothing to do with the operation of this branch. As soon as he is released from his contract in Chicago he will be here, but when this will be I do not know."

Troops Rushed To Brownsville

Two batteries of United States artillery and the Aviation Corps of the United States Army are being rushed from Fort Sill, Ok., to Brownsville for service in connection with Mexican raids in that section.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas received the troops from the Rock Island at Fort Worth last night with a request to move them as rapidly as possible. They were delivered to the San Antonio & Aransas Pass to San Antonio this morning.

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The Longview Times-Clarion has a double-page display ad, to boost a big Fair, or Exposition to be pulled off there, beginning Sept. 25, and lasting till Oct. 2. It gives a lengthy tabulated statement of the premiums etc. Admission is 25c for adults, 10c for children. Nothing said about tramps and dead heads being welcome.

Citation

The State of Texas.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Nacogdoches County, Greeting:
You are Hereby Comanded to summon John Mitchell, by making publication of this Citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Nacogdoches county, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Nacogdoches, on the 1st Monday in September 1915 the same being the 6th day of September 1915, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of July 1915 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 357, wherein Josie Mitchell, is plaintiff, and John Mitchell, is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on the 12th day of May 1906 Plaintiff and Defendant were duly married to each other, and lived together as man and wife until on or about the 25th day of July 1912 when the defendant abandoned this Plaintiff with the full intention of permanently abandoning her, and they have not lived together as husband and wife since the date of their separation.

Plaintiff alleges that she at all times made Defendant a true, kind and affectionate wife; that three years have elapsed since said abandonment, therefore Plaintiff pleads the Statute of three years abandonment.

Plaintiff further alleges that during their marriage relations that there were born to them five children to-wit: Ruth a girl age 12 years, Nora a girl age 10 years, Nina a girl age 8 years, Carl a boy age 6 years, Vera a girl age three years, and that Plaintiff asks for the care, custody, raising, maintaining and educating of said children; that she is able and willing to support said children and she prays that the Court grant her the further custody of raising and maintaining said children.

Premises considered Plaintiff prays that the Defendant be cited in terms of law to answer this petition upon final hearing that she have judgment dissolving said marriage contract, for the care and custody of said children for all cost and for such other and further relief as she in law and equity may be entitled.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, on the said first day at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, C. C. Watson, Clerk of the District Court of Nacogdoches County. Given under my hand and the Seal of said court, at office in Nacogdoches this 26th day of July, 1915.

Claude C. Watson, Clerk.
District Court, Nacogdoches County.

Where the big hurricane started and when is an interesting question. There was a very destructive tornado in the southern part of the island of Haiti about the 15. It may have traveled on to Texas.

Oh Joy!

Some calves are very shapely. Yea! Some calves look mighty queer. Just study them yourselves today. The see-more skirt is here.

That was a terrific shock a St. Louis young man received the other day, when he assured his sweetheart he would die for her, before permitting his sacrifice she asked him how much life insurance he carried and to please make out whatever it was in her favor.

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The Interscholastic Meet

For several years the schools of Nacogdoches county have conducted a meet in intellectual and athletic events under the auspices of the University Interscholastic League. The results have been good. The teachers of the county however as a body have never taken hold of this matter as they should, considering its importance in developing the school system and encouraging the youth of the state.

No thinking man or woman today questions the statement that the duty of the school is to develop boys and girls physically as well as mentally and morally. It is also agreed that rivalry tends to arouse interest among pupils without which work becomes a drudgery and results are usually mediocre.

In order that this rivalry be of the proper kind and that there be a goal at which to aim the University of this state has seen fit to ask the schools of Texas to co-operate with her in organizing the Interscholastic League. This league has been a great success. The schools have entered enthusiastically into the work and hundreds of boys and girls have been encouraged to realize themselves in a way that they probably never would have except for this organization and the healthy rivalry it has inspired.

The contests of the League are for every white school boy and girl in Texas. Somebody has fallen short of his duty if the benefits are not realized to some extent by all the children. There are contests in debate, declamation reading, spelling and composition. The athletics includes track and several well known games. Of course there are certain regulations governing entries to the events. Possibly no pupil can become eligible to every event but he can become eligible to one or more and by so doing develop himself and encourage others to develop themselves.

Any school may become a member of the League by paying to Director A. J. Robinson, Austin, Texas, \$1.00.

It is the business of the teacher to see that his school becomes a member of the League Nacogdoches County with about 80 schools probably has a half dozen members of the league. Falls county, which we don't admit is a better school county than ours, carried the banner of the League this year. Every school in Nacogdoches county should join in the League and thereby give its pupils the opportunity offered by it.

The county superintendent has been asked and has agreed to give time during the Teacher's Institute for discussion and organization of the Interscholastic League in Nacogdoches county for next year. Let every teacher at the head of a school in this county determine to enter his school in the League and begin at once to co-operate with the executive committee to be elected at the Institute and banner of the University Interscholastic League for next year will float over Nacogdoches county where it should.

Yours for a better Meet.
Geo. E. Adams.
Chireno, Texas.

To All Concerned.

Nacogdoches, Tex. Aug. 25.
To The Sentinel:

I have just been notified by the Department at Washington D. C. to inform the patrons on R. F. D. 4, that, unless the roads are immediately put in better condition, that the advisability of discontinuing the service on that Route will be seriously considered.

Rural Routes are a great convenience, and I trust that all of the patrons of all of the Routes will see to it that the roads are kept in good condition. A. Y. Donegan, P. M.

Again the Sentinel regrets to have to decline a lengthy religious article, which is composed largely of scriptural quotations. Such writings are foreign to the purposes and capacity of this paper, and to admit one would bring volumes. However, the Sentinel desires to give space to religious news and to items along that line.

Miss Flora Boyington, is visiting relatives at Fairview.

Mr. McKewen of Huntington, at Sweatlands Sanitarium is doing nicely.

John Skeeters and Alonzo Mangham of Appleby were in the city Monday.

Ford Traweck of Lutkin, is in the city visiting his sister, Miss Bernice Traweck.

Mr. N. E. Beavers, of Nat neighborhood, made the Sentinel a friendly visit, Tuesday.

Normal Hall returned to Appleby Monday where he is in the grocery business with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hamilton, of Center, are guests of Mrs. E. D. Williams, who is a sister of Mrs. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Seale left Tuesday for St. Louis and Chicago, where Mr. Seale will buy his fall merchandise.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Scafe, of Fisher, La., are at the home of Mrs. Scafe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Cox. Mr. Scafe has resigned his position in Louisiana, and will make Nacogdoches his home.

Will Power is just back from a visit to his mother now in San Antonio. He also visited Jim McCuiston at his country home near Medina in Bandera county. He reports all well. A big hail destroyed crops about Medina. He gives a glowing account of the great artificial Medina lake, as a pleasure resort.

Morris Sheppard

United States Senator Morris Sheppard, of Texas, at the Southland Hotel in Dallas, who was attending the encampment of the Woodmen of the World, delivered the address of the day at the unveiling of the Woodmen Monument.

Among other things, Senator Sheppard said, "I do not think this country should go to war except in self defense. We are a long way from war with Germany, in my opinion. And I am willing to leave the matter entirely in the hands of Woodrow Wilson, our president.

The president is going to use every honorable means to avoid trouble. He might deem it better to take insult from a madman than to involve this country in a tragedy which would cause the citizens blood to be shed. I still have faith in universal peace, ultimately."

Referring to the Mexican situation he said "We must allow the president to work unhindered. The Pan American plan for the salvation of Mexico, will, I feel sure, be a wise solution."

Buried At High Island

The Sentinel learns through Mr. John Kolb, who was at High Island, that Frank Kirkland and the young lady, who lost their lives at the Hugh Jackson ranch not a great ways from there, in the big hurricane, were buried at High Island by the Woodmen. The difficulties of getting here caused by the destruction of the storm, were the reason. Every one at the ranch was lost except Mrs. Frank Kirkland, whose terrible experience and escape has been told in the Sentinel.

From Melrose

Rev. Campbell is conducting a protracted meeting which began Sunday at eleven o'clock.

Miss Zeffie Daniels and Mr. Tom Parrish of Woden attended the meeting Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Annie Holmes of Martinsville, who has been attending school here, returned to her home Friday afternoon. Garland Fitzgerald, another one of the boarding pupils, returned to his home at Denning Monday morning.

Mrs. Price is visiting her son, Arch of Trinity community.

Mrs. J. S. Rose and Mrs. John Thomas returned Sunday after an extended visit of several days among relatives at Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Risinger entertained the young folks Saturday night with a party. Different games were the sources of amusement.

Miss Jessie Lee Mims is the guest of Miss Jewel Smith for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. (Whit) Matthews returned from Rock Island Saturday. They had been visiting their son, Will of that place and had been gone about three weeks.

Swift and Melrose played a game of ball Friday afternoon. The score was nine to eight in favor of Attoyac. Umpire—Spence.

Attoyac and Melrose played a game of ball Saturday afternoon. The score being thirteen to two in favor of Attoyac. Umpire—Carnley.

Prof. Risinger went to Martinsville Saturday to make arrangements to show "The Passion Play" next Friday night. It is a Magic Lantern play illustrating the life of Christ and is well worth going out to see. E.

From Sacul

The Sentinel is in receipt of a lengthy letter from a lady friend at Sacul, who was at Galveston during the storm, in which she relates her terrible experience, and also her pleasant hours previous to the storm, and her delightful extrication and return. The letter is well written and is quite interesting. But the Sentinel cannot use it, for several reasons. One reason is that the Sentinel published the same story, substantially, in an interview with a Mr. W. H. Broker, from Mabank, the first to get here. He was at the very place where she was, till he fled to the Tremont hotel, and he came out just the same way, and he related it almost precisely the same. Moreover the tale has been told over and over again in many papers, and other tales more harrowing are too numerous to repeat. They would tire our readers and fill up our space.

We invite local correspondence from points like Sacul, the news of the neighborhood. And we thank the lady friend for her letter all the same.

Mrs. R. R. Wilson motored to Chireno Sunday. Her granddaughter Louise Moore returned with her, and will be the guest of Mrs. Wilson for two or three weeks.

Mrs. D. D. Smith Safe.

Mention has been made in the Daily Sentinel of the anxiety for the safety of Mrs. D. D. Smith, whose present residence is near Hoya Switch, about four miles below this city, but who went down to her former home at San Leon on the bay 12 miles from Galveston, just before the late big storm, and was there all through it. Her fate was not known until Sunday morning when she arrived here from Houston.

She had been shut in and cut off from the world all this time. She could not get out, nor send word out sooner.

The destruction of life and property all around her was great. The crops on her place and all around were completely destroyed. The waters went over the high lands. Live stock was drowned, and things all went to the bad in general. Mr. Smith had waited because he really supposed how it was with her. He met her here and of course there is joy in the family.

New Hope Church.

The Sentinel man was regretful Sunday to have to decline a seat in a buggy to attend the meeting going on at New Hope church under the lead of two lady preachers. This church is three miles east of town on the Melrose road, and this meeting is attracting great interest on account of the special ability of the women preachers. They are reported to be very fine.

Their text was the scripture in which occurs the words "God is not mocked". The speaker applied it to honesty in small matters, saying that a short pound of butter, or short measure of milk, is not honest, and God knows it. Better get right.

Our New Post Office

The Post Office Department has bought and paid for the ground in our public square on which to erect the federal building for a post office and other purposes.

Plans and specifications have been in course of preparation for years, and are probably ready for the work of construction.

Such matters are taken up in regular order, as per docket, and our case may not be reached soon. But the Department has been informed that there are strong reasons for haste, and this may advance the case.

Woodmen Unveiling Sept. 19.

Harmony Camp No. 2265 will unveil the monument of Sov. Josh Collins at Harmony, in the forenoon of Sept. 19th, 1915.

In the afternoon of the same day the Woodmen will unveil the monument of Dr. M. C. Castleberry at Alazan.

All Sovereigns are especially invited to attend.

Marriage Licenses.

Fletcher Primer and Laura Tucker.

Reuben Walker and Lena Booth.

A. A. Meadow and Etta Murdock.

S. W. Coats and Willie Hona.

J. Calvin Martin and Olive Stewart.

Joe Brown Arrested

The Grand Jury at last district court returned a true bill of indictment against Joe Brown, colored, for a criminal offense near Douglass. He made a hasty get away and has been dodging the officers since. He returned to his old home near Douglass a few days ago, and the officers there got a tip. Justice John McKnight and his two sons went to where it was reported that Brown was hiding, and when they neared the house where Brown was he appeared with a shot gun. A negro woman grabbed the gun and the McKnights got the drop on him and forced him to surrender. He was brought to town Tuesday night by Deputy Sheriff V. L. Grimes and Charley Yarbrough and lodged in jail.

W. A. Lang Home.

Ben Lang has a letter from his brother Will Lang's wife saying that they arrived at home in Houston, Monday, and found that the storm had not greatly damaged their home. Will was badly mashed up in the rail road wreck in Colorado some weeks since. He had to be brought home on a stretcher.

Attoyac River high.

The Attoyac river, which is the dividing line between Nacogdoches and San Augustine county, about 22 miles east of here, has been higher than ever known before. All bridges are washed away. The valley overflowed beyond all records, and crops were damaged in the overflow.

Back From California

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Black whole at Frost Johnson front and have charge of the commissary business etc, are back from a big California tour, including Yellow Stone park, Salt Lake City and other points of interest. They are jubilant over their trip and its grandeur. Tom is a cousin of Dr. J. H. Reagan, and met him and his family at Manitou, Colo. unexpectedly. Both were on the way home and had been near together all along.

Jimmie the 3 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. T. Nagle of Woden died Saturday night and was buried at Jacobs, the family burying ground Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Evangelist W. E. Stamps of Tyler will preach at the Christian church, (Ideal Theatre) next Sunday morning and evening.

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