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DE MOLAY BUILDS CITIZENSHIP Order Is Not Junior Masonic Fraternity.

Quite a number of persons labor under the false impression that the Order of DeMolay is a Junior Masonic fraternity. This is not the case, however, as Masonry prohibits addressing any man along the lines of affiliation. Free Masonry is interested in its success, just as it is interested in the success of schools, churches and good citizenship.

DeMolay is a boy's fraternity for the sons of Master Masons and their chums, between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one, teaching love of parents, reverence, patriotism, purity, courtesy, comradeship and fidelity. Its purpose is to make better boys, better men and better citizens. It is rendering a real service in the community life by insisting on a practical application of the ideals exemplified in the degrees.

The present day tendency of the average American boy to live in a world apart from his parents is occasioned by the mad rush of modern civilization.

The complexity of modern life, especially in the larger cities, requires the constant time, attention and interest of the average school boy in the affairs of his school, his classes, his clubs and other fraternal organizations. He has so many outside interests that his time and attention are taken away from the environment of the home, with the result that the old type of family life, of close association between parents and their children, tends to disappear.

It is the aim of DeMolay and should be the object of every organization interested in boys, to inculcate in their minds a wholesome affec-

tion for home and family and a regard for the institutions of respectability.

TRIBUTE TO A GOOD MAN

At Chireno, Texas, on July 22, 1923, at 8:30 a. m. the soul of Mr. Frank T. Posey was wafted to the eternal land of light and love.

It has been my joy to know this good man ever since he was a boy. The simple story of his life is that he had been a Christian about 40 years and a Mason for more than 20 years.

He was born in South Carolina on November 15, 1856. He came to Texas in 1873, and was married to Miss Mary Williams on December 25, 1881. To this union were born three children, two of whom survive him, Will and Witt.

Bro. Posey was laid to rest beside his wife in the cemetery here with Masonic honors.

May the blessings of heaven rest upon his many friends and loved ones.

Written by a friend and brother Mason, G. A. Gunning, Chireno, Texas, July 30, 1923.

Messrs. Lee Pringle, E. L. Higgins and W. E. Cronshaw, all of Mt. Enterprise, were callers at the chamber of commerce offices today to make arrangements to enter three students in the college. The young ladies who will enter the college are Miss Vera Higgins, Miss Lena Pringle and Miss Ollie Mae Jones. Prospects are that the Mt. Enterprise country will furnish a large quota of students for the opening of the college.

Don't the gentlemen usually in charge of presidential nominations realize that the surest way of getting one to park there is to put up a "No Parking" sign?

PRESBYTERIANS TO HOLD STATE EDUCATIONAL MEET

Plans are being completed by the Southern Presbyterian church of Texas for a statewide educational movement, having as its object the raising of a fund for endowment and equipment of a number of educational institutions under the control of that church. A special meeting of the synod of Texas will be held in Dallas on September 11 to consider plans for this work, according to J. S. Baird, who was in the city for a conference with the Presbyterian minister and other church leaders with reference to the work. At this meeting the amount to be secured and the distribution of the fund will be decided and active work will begin. In the meantime in order that there may be no delay a number of those interested in the movement are visiting various sections of the state and consulting with the leaders with a view of obtaining all necessary information and reporting back to synod.

The movement will be conducted by the committee on Christian education of the Southern Presbyterian church of which Dr. Henry H. Sweetser of Louisville, is executive secretary. Offices have been opened at Dallas at 1004 1/2 Elm Street by Mr. S. P. Hollnrake, state director and representative of the committee. No active work will be done, however, until synod takes some official action, it was stated.

A similar movement has just been completed in Arkansas where about \$485,000 was pledged to Presbyterian institutions on a quota of \$406,000. Texas is the thirteenth synod in which this work has been started and in the other twelve successfully completed. Other synods include Arkansas, Appalachia, Alabama, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee, Missouri, Kentucky and West Virginia.

AT COL. MILNER'S FUNERAL

Judge V. E. Middlebrook, Prof. R. E. Davis, Prof. A. W. Birdwell, John Perkins, Wm. B. Wortham, H. L. McKnight, Mrs. H. L. McKnight and Morris McKnight attended the funeral of Col. Robert Teague Milner at Henderson Tuesday evening.

Col. Milner was one of the outstanding men of his day and time. He was probably best known as an editor, although he had served as speaker of the Texas Legislature, president of the A. & M. College of Texas and also commissioner of agriculture of Texas.

The funeral exercises of this distinguished citizen were in keeping with the democratic simplicity of his great life. At his own suggestion the funeral was held under the shade of the great trees in the yard of the Milner country home two miles north of the town of Henderson. For several weeks prior to his death, Col. Milner had known the end was near. He had given directions as to many of the details of his funeral. He had requested that Judge Ned B. Morris of Houston, Judge John R. Arnold of Henderson, H. L. McKnight of Nacogdoches and Henry Edwards of Troupe should each make a talk at that Rev. Dempsey Sparkman.

Each of these parties were present and complied with the request made by the deceased. Several hundred of Col. Milner's friends and neighbors were seated in chairs under the shade of the trees he loved so well and heard the words of eulogy so feelingly uttered by each speaker.

Col. Milner leaves, beside his widow, a daughter, Miss Tabitha, and two sons, Robert and Drinkard, both of whom are teachers.

ROY MITCHELL HANGED

Waco, Texas, July 30.—Roy Mitchell, negro, convicted of six murders, paid the extreme penalty here today for the murder of Mrs. Ethel Dene-camp in January of this year. The trap was sprung at 11:02 and Mitchell was pronounced dead at 11:24. He accepted the responsibility for eight murders, and the Concord triple murder, for which two other negroes were convicted. Mitchell was exonerated for these two, but he said another man helped him commit the crimes.

The world's champion trouble-maker is responsible for the failure of the dawn-to-dusk flight—oil!

NACOGDOCHES MAN GETS IMPORTANT APPOINTMENT

Austin, Texas, Aug. 1.—J. C. Harris of Nacogdoches was named by the governor as the third member of the State Codifying Commission. (This good news reached the city in the forenoon of Wednesday and caused much satisfaction to the friends of Attorney Harris. The place to which he was appointed is an important one—the codifying of the laws of Texas—and calls for grilling work on the part of those engaged in it. That Governor Neff's selection of Mr. Harris was a good one is averred by all who know the appointee.)

GOOD NEWS FROM HARDING

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 1.—President Harding awoke shortly after 6 o'clock this morning, having had an almost normal amount of sleep and rest, which was described as the most natural of any during his illness, which began before 11 o'clock last night.

Physician's Statement

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 1.—An informal statement issued at 8 o'clock this morning by Brigadier General Sawyer said Mr. Harding spent a very restful night, and his pulse was 114, temperature 99 and respiration 40. These figures represent a decrease in the pulse rate as compared with the last bulletin, the pulse rate being less by 2 and temperature 1.2 degrees lower. The respiration rate was given as the same in each bulletin.

Official Bulletin

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 1.—An official statement issued at 10 o'clock this morning by the five doctors attending President Harding said Mr. Harding still was much exhausted but maintains buoyance of spirit. The president is fairly comfortable this morning after a few hours' sleep, the statement said. His breathing was less labored and there was little cough; lung condition about the same as yesterday. His temperature was 99, pulse 114 and respiration 40. While progress is being made, every care is necessary to assume freedom from further complications, the statement added.

COTTON CARRY-OVER

New Orleans, La., Aug. 1.—The smallest carry-over of cotton into a new cotton year since the South became an important producer of the staple was announced in the annual report for August 1 issued today by the New Orleans Cotton Exchange through its secretary, H. G. Hester. The world's carry-over of American cotton is placed at 2,573,000 bales as against 4,879,000 bales a year ago, the report added.

Consumption of American cotton during the year ending yesterday was placed at 12,631,000 bales as against 12,829,000 bales during the preceding year.

STILL COMING

Yesterday's issue carried a long list of firms that will be represented on the Good Will Tour to be made August 7 and 8. Since this list was published W. Y. Hall of the Post Office Filling Station and Douglass Patton of the Star Market have asked for places in the big caravan of cars that will leave the Redland Hotel at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning for the first day's run of this tour.

There is still room for any business or professional man who feels grateful for the many years patronage the country has given our town, and who wants to have a part in going to the various communities with so message of appreciation for this patronage.

If your business or firm hasn't signed up for this tour, see Horace Wilson, Holloway Muller, Marvin Echols, Jonah Bailey or Secretary McKnight for particulars.

C. I. A. OPENING

Denton, Texas, July 30.—Registration for the regular session of 1923-24 at the College of Industrial Arts will begin September 17. Dormitories will be open on September 16 so that students wishing to come early to make arrangements for entrance requirements may be accommodated.

Excuse the Minnesota G. O. P. a minute, while it goes out back of the barn and kicks itself.

PRESIDENT'S CONDITION IS GREATLY IMPROVED

San Francisco, Cal., July 31.—President Harding was so far refreshed by sleep which lasted more than six hours last night that he said this morning he felt able to look at the news of the day and sent out for the morning papers, all of which were devoted largely to accounts of his illness.

Physician's Statement

San Francisco, Cal., July 31.—President Harding has had the best night, comparatively, since he has been ill, Brigadier General Sawyer, his personal physician, said in a statement made at 8 o'clock this morning. That augurs well, the statement continued, and seemed to warrant the statement that he had gotten into a clear state. General Sawyer confined his announcement to a brief statement coming out from a consultation with other attending physicians to meet the newspaper men. Word from the president's sick room from another source supported the belief, that grew during the night, that the president was getting a rather good night's sleep. He took some more sleep this morning.

Vice President Concerned

Plymouth, Vt., July 31.—Vice President Coolidge received word here yesterday of the president's illness. The news came to him by phone at the home of his father, John Coolidge, where he and his family are spending a vacation. The vice president is keeping in close touch with the situation at San Francisco, following developments with the keenest solicitude.

Hopeful Bulletin Issued

San Francisco, Cal., July 31.—Definite indication of an improvement in the condition of President Harding was contained in an official bulletin issued at 10 o'clock this morning by the five attending physicians. The bulletin said the president expresses himself as feeling better and less exhausted. His temperature at 9 o'clock this morning was 100, pulse 120 and respiration 48. There has been no expansion of the pneumonic areas and the heart action has definitely improved.

GOOD WILL SCHEDULE

Schedule of the Good Will Tour to be made by the business men of Nacogdoches Tuesday and Wednesday, August 7 and 8:

Leave Nacogdoches 7 a. m.
Arrive Woden 8 a. m.
Leave Woden 8:30 a. m.
Arrive Melrose 9 a. m.
Leave Melrose 9:30 a. m.
Arrive Chireno 10:15 a. m.
Leave Chireno at 10:45 a. m.
Arrive Denning 12 m.
Arrive Edgar Ennis' Farm and lunch at Artesian Well 12:45 p. m.
Leave Ennis Farm at 1:30 p. m.
Arrive Attoyac 2 p. m.
Leave Attoyac 2:30 p. m.
Arrive Spring Hill 3 p. m.
Leave Spring Hill at 3:30 p. m.
Arrive Martinsville 4 p. m.
Leave Martinsville 4:30 p. m.
Arrive Grigsby 5 p. m.
Leave Grigsby 5:30 p. m.
Arrive Swift 6:15 p. m.
Leave Swift 6:45 p. m.
Arrive Nacogdoches 7:30 p. m.
Schedule for Wednesday, August 8:
Leave Nacogdoches 7:15 a. m.
Arrive Appleby 8 a. m.
Leave Appleby 8:30 p. m.
Arrive Garrison 9 a. m.
Leave Garrison 10:30 a. m.
Arrive Mt. Enterprise 10:30 a. m.
Leave Mt. Enterprise 11:30 a. m.
Arrive Beech Creek 11:45 a. m.
Lunch hour.
Leave Beech Creek at 12:15 p. m.
Arrive Caro 1 p. m.
Leave Caro 1:30 p. m.
Arrive Trawick 1:45 p. m.
Leave Trawick at 2:15 p. m.
Arrive Cushing 2:45 p. m.
Leave Cushing 3:30 p. m.
Arrive Sacul 4 p. m.
Leave Sacul 4:30 p. m.
Arrive Libbert 5:30 p. m.
Leave Libbert 6 p. m.
Arrive Nat 6:30 p. m.
Leave Nat 7 p. m.
Arrive Douglass 7:30 p. m.
Leave Douglass 8:30 p. m.
Arrive Nacogdoches 9:30 p. m.

The administration will not permit the showing of the Dempsey-Gibbons fight films. Compared to the one it has on its own hands, it probably considers they would not be worth to know it yet.

THE GOOD WILL TOUR ARRANGED AT MEETING

An enthusiastic meeting of business men who are going on the Good Will Tour next Tuesday and Wednesday, August 7 and 8, met at the City Hall at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon to hear a report from the committee having the matter in charge. This committee is composed of Horace Wilson, J. G. Bailey, Marvin Echols and Holloway Muller.

The report was made by Horace Wilson, who was named director of the tour. The itinerary for the two days follows:

Tuesday, August 7—Woden, Melrose, Chireno, Denning, Attoyac, Martinsville, Grigsby and Swift. The start will be made from the Redland Hotel at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning. Woden will be reached at 8, and a band concert will be given immediately on arrival. Thirty minutes will be spent at Woden, Melrose, Chireno, Denning, Attoyac, Spring Hill School, Martinsville, Grigsby and Swift will be made in the order named here, which will enable the trippers to reach home by 7:30 Tuesday evening.

Wednesday morning the start will be made from the Redland Hotel at 7:15, reaching Appleby at 8 o'clock, where a 30-minute concert will be given, interspersed with five minute talks by some rapid-fire speaker.

Among the speakers for the trip will be Prof. R. F. Davis, Rev. H. T. Ferritte, Dr. A. W. Birdwell, E. H. Blount and others.

From Appleby the caravan will go to Garrison, Mt. Enterprise, Tawick, Cushing, Sacul, Libbert, Nat and Douglass, returning about 9 p. m. Wednesday.

The Partin Band, one of the best brass bands in the country, will give a concert at each stop, and some speaker will tell about Nacogdoches' appreciation of the many years of good business patronage she has enjoyed from all these communities.

On Tuesday, the first day out, the trippers will stop for lunch at the artesian well on the road between Chireno and Attoyac. On Wednesday the lunch hour will be spent at Beech Creek four miles south of Mt. Enterprise.

Among the firms who have signed up for the tour are:

Marigold Creamery, A. Y. Donegan, insurance; F. A. Beal, Hummobile car, Southern Ice & Utilities Co., J. G. Bailey, Orton Furniture Store, McLain-Adams Co., Brewer & Mintz, Cason, Monk & Co., J. Eichel Dry Goods Co., Thomas & Richardson, Mayer & Schmidt, Commercial Guaranty State Bank, Tucker, Hayter & Co., R. M. Isaacs, J. W. Kennedy, Mast Motor Co., Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Tucker-Sittin Hardware Co., Swift Bros. & Smith, J. D. Bright, Baker-Williams, Goldberry Bros., Ford Service Station, Co-Operative Furniture Co., W. P. Yates, T. C. Spencer, Stone Fort National Bank, Burrows Bros., C. L. Farr, Guaranty Bank & Trust Co., J. F. Summers & Sons, Elmo Bright, C. M. Bailey, E. M. Roberts & Co., W. Y. Hall, G. N. Bright, J. W. Tarrance, Nacogdoches Grocery Co., Walling Electric Co., Armour & Co., Slay Bros, Sentinel.

STATE SENATOR RESIGNS

Austin, Texas, July 31.—The resignation of J. H. Baugh of Brownwood as state senator was tendered the governor today and accepted. He resigned to accept appointment by the governor as a member of the Third Court of Civil Appeals here.

TRAIN CRASH IN GERMANY

Berlin, July 27.—Twenty-seven persons were killed and 25 injured in a collision today between the Hamburg-Munich express and a stationary train near Cassel.

IRENE CASTLE NOT DIVORCED

New York, July 30.—Irene Castle, the dancer, today added another touch of mystery to her matrimonial affairs, when, returning on the LaFayette, she announced, contrary to cable advices, that she had not obtained a divorce from Robert Treman in Paris, whom she married shortly after the death of her first husband, Vernon Castle. She said that she had not instituted proceedings for a divorce.

The paving of Postoffice Square is progressing with a rush and that part of the project will be completed early in the coming week.

No. 1264.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION of the

GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY

at Nacogdoches, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1923, published in the Sentinel, a newspaper printed and published at Nacogdoches, State of Texas, on the 6th day of July, 1923.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$189,809.29
Overdrafts	1,954.27
Bonds and stocks	165.00
Other Real Estate	19,577.94
Furniture and Fixtures	12,870.80
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	89,823.79
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	2,681.67
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	4,735.27
Other resources	2,458.81
TOTAL	\$224,376.34

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,292.22
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	14,635.20
Individual deposits, subject to check	154,523.64
Cashier's Checks	2,465.28
Checks Deposited	550.00
TOTAL	\$224,376.34

State of Texas, County of Nacogdoches:

M. V. Wynne, as president and G. E. Stripling, as cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

M. V. Wynne, President,
G. E. Stripling, Cashier.

PANCHO VILLA

Houston Chronicle

Men acquire fame in peculiar ways, some as scholars, some as politicians, some as bandits.

Pancho Villa was not a scholar, but whether he was a politician, bandit, or both, posterity must decide.

Certainly, he acquired fame, to such an extent that we shall miss him from the front page.

For the last ten years he has been a solid, though an increasingly occasional source of news.

Whatever may be said about his career, it was obviously picturesque.

History will record him as one man the United States did not get, and that distinction, we believe, is sufficient to compel history to record him.

But, apart from this, he played a conspicuous, if a troublesome, role in Mexico.

There must have been something in the man, though we may disagree over what it really was, for him to rise from such obscurity and hold his own against such heavy odds.

At times he seemed like a creature hunted by the whole world. At other times he seemed on the point of becoming dictator of his country.

It is pathetic to behold such a man, after surviving so many adventures, after contending with so many giants, shot down like a dog.

Still, and because of the peculiar part he played, there were hundreds of ghosts pursuing Villa, hundreds of violent deaths to be avenged, hundreds of children taught to fear him.

It is rather consistent that he should have fallen a victim of the trade he knew so well how to follow—rather appropriate that he should fall by the assassin's hand.

EQUALIZATION, NOT INCREASE

In our published statement in Thursday's paper that the city equalization board was sitting in an effort to increase city taxes we were unfortunate in our language, if not downright mistaken.

The worst tax kicker in our community would be hard put to make out much of a case against our city government on the score of high taxes. As a matter of fact, the city tax rate in Nacogdoches is considerably below the average for cities of our size and our facilities. The city tax rate in Houston is above \$2. In Dallas it is \$2.25. When our pavement is finished, neither Houston nor Dallas nor any other big Texas city will have anything on Nacogdoches in the matter of civic betterment or public service. It costs more, it is true, to live in a city than in the open country, or in a tank town; but at last reports the roads leading to the country and to the tank towns were all open and with plenty of holdings on the market for those who prefer to live there.

RIGHT TO CONTRACT UPHOLD

Kansas is the land of political experiments and it has taken three years to find the weak spot in the famous Industrial Court Law of that state.

As a result of a U. S. Supreme Court decision it seems not even Kansas can tell the employer how to run his industry, fix the wages he is to pay his employees, or to make the latter what a benevolent and intelligent state thinks they should take.

It seems that the paradise of industrial peace can only be reached through the straight way and the narrow gate of constitutionality.

In the opinion of ex-Governor Allen, the Supreme Court decision "only denies the right to fix minimum wages in contemplation of an emergency. The power of the Industrial Court to act is left intact. The Industrial court still has power to fix wages in business of transportation and production of fuel. It still has power to restrict strikes in general industries. It has all other powers it had before, with regard to general operation of the court.

Chief Justice Taft in his decision says the law "curtails the right of the employer on one hand, and of the employee on the other, to contract about their affairs. This is part of the liberty of the individual protected by the guarantee of the Due Process Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment."

The decision is extremely valuable in defining limitations of a state's power to control private business, and

It is a warning to those who seek by law and regulation a remedy for all things that they cannot go much further in their indiscriminate regulation of business.

The big thing about the court's decision is in drawing the line on state legislatures declaring that this business affects the public interest and is therefore subject to state regulation. The question, "What is public interest," must be determined by the courts and cannot be decided by the legislature.

A PRESSING NEED

The housing problem in Nacogdoches is one that must engage the serious attention of our business men, if the town is to enjoy that constant growth our situation warrants.

It is true that within the past two and a half years we have built more than 200 residences, but it is also true that not one of these is now vacant, and the constant, steady daily demand for rent houses for families that want to move here for the benefit of the school ought to challenge the serious attention of every public spirited citizen of our community. The seized every day with from one to five and six people from other counties who want to rent houses here. Most of these visitors are asking for large roomy houses that will accommodate a small family and 10 to 15 student boarders. Dr. Birdwell and Secretary McKnight give it as their opinion, based on actual visitors to their office, that 10 such houses could be rented to the very best class of people by the time the houses could be gotten under way.

What are we going to do about it Mr. Citizen? Do we want these people to become citizens of our town and patrons of our college? If so, we must offer them suitable residence property on a living rental basis.

ONE EFFECT OF TAX-EXEMPTS.

Investments in tax-exempt securities have resulted in a reduction of more than \$4,000,000,000 in the total net income reported for last year.

In 1916, 206 persons were reported in the million-dollar income class, and last year this had shrunk to only 21 persons as a result of billion dollars or more of tax-exempt securities being issued every year and grabbed up by the investors.

With an estimated \$30,000,000,000 of tax-exempts absorbed by investors, taxpayers with \$3,000 incomes or less pay 46 per cent of federal income tax.

Between the excess profits tax and reducing incomes by investing in tax-exempt securities, we are not making the rich poorer but the poor are made poorer, for more and more the burden of the federal income tax is falling upon those with small incomes.

JUST A SORT OF HABIT

Ralph E. Heilman, dean of Northwestern University School of Commerce says Americans spend \$75,000,000 a year for face powder, cosmetics and perfumes and \$50,000,000 a year for chewing gum.

The former bill is 50 percent more than the total endowment of all the universities and private colleges of the country. But the users of these non-essentials do not complain of their costs.

It is the chief essentials of life that the people have been educated to complain about. The combined monthly bill of the gas, telephone, light, street cars, water and railroad service, is the smallest necessary expense with which the family has to meet.

WE ARE ALL INTERESTED

Arthur Brisbane says editorially: "The condition of the cotton crop is the best for this time of the year of any crop within three years." That's good news for the South, also the North. It shares in southern prosperity.

"The North should not grudge a fair price for cotton, but pay it intelligently. Too low a price will mean emigration and loss of southern labor, then a crop cut down and much higher prices."

In these two paragraphs Mr. Brisbane sums up the reason for every section of the country to support reasonable policies which encourage industrial development in other sections. No part of this land is sufficient unto itself."

We have never had a better president than Warren G. Harding, sartorially speaking.

We can judge a man by the amount of piety required to make him conceited about it.

There's one nice thing about European nations. They usually take turns getting revenge.

Well, perhaps the strain of being a movie star necessitates dope. Getting married is always an ordeal.

The two influences that persuade a man to keep his word are a high sense of honor and a dotted line.

THE FUTURE OF OUR ROADS

R. M. Hubbard, chairman of the State Highway Commission, speaking for the entire commission, stated today that the failure to publish in time the proposed Constitutional Amendment, would in no way affect the funds of the State Highway Department for the next three years, and that it would not interfere with the present program of highway construction or maintenance, and that all unexpired federal appropriations, including those for 1924 and 1925, would not be endangered. Mr. Hubbard stated emphatically, that the Highway Commission would try out its plans, and the will of the legislature in maintaining all state highways, and to further carry on the construction as rapidly as possible. "We will continue in the future, as we have in the past, to co-operate with the various counties in the state in the construction of a state system of highways," continued Mr. Hubbard. Mr. Hubbard authorized the following statement:

"There is no need of undue alarm at this time on account of our failure to secure the proposed amendment to the constitution, for fear we will lose Federal Aid. The main idea the proponents of the Amendment had in mind was to comply with the provisions of the Federal Aid Act as nearly as possible in order that Texas might continue to receive the hearty co-operation of the Federal Government, and in order that we would have ample time to make the necessary adjustments in our statutes. The amended Federal Aid Act gives us until November 9, 1926, to comply with the provisions of the Act, requiring the state to provide state funds for the construction and maintenance of Federal Aid Roads, such funds to be under the direct control of the state, provided, however, that we carry out the provisions of this Act as nearly as our existing Constitution and laws will permit.

Maintenance

The recent legislature directed the State Highway Department to take over the maintenance of all state highways and provided funds therefor. It is the intention of the State Highway Commission to carry out these directions to the fullest extent. We are making our plans to take over the maintenance of all roads in the state highway system January 1, 1924, and unless something of a more far reaching effect than the failure of the Constitutional Amendment takes place, we will carry out these plans.

Will Continue Present Policy

The State Highway Commission will continue to co-operate with the various counties in the State in the construction of the State highways. We will continue to aid them in the future as we have in the past, but on a larger scale, due to the fact that the 38th Legislature provided additional funds for this purpose. These increased funds will be used to good advantage by increasing the allotments to those progressive counties that have provided county funds for the purpose of constructing more durable roads. This will be a distinct advantage to these counties. A connected state system is only delayed. In this connection, we would like to state that the legislature in submitting the proposed amendment and the Texas Highway Association, and the Texas Highway Commission in advocating it, had not the remotest idea of proposing at this time an increase to the tax burdens of our state.

The advocates of this amendment take sharp issue with those who contend that the adoption of the amendment would have been prejudicial to the educational interests of Texas. In fact, the staunchest supporters of the educational program in the last Legislature were the strongest supporters of highway legislation, including the amendment. It is true if the Amendment had been adopted the legislature could levy a gasoline tax, exclusively for road building purposes. Under our present constitution one fourth of the gasoline tax, which was primarily intended as a road tax to be paid by the consumer, must go to the school funds. Many of the strongest friends of education believe it is unjust to tax the automobile owner in this special manner for educational purposes. They believe that the gasoline tax is a just and equitable road tax, and that it should be used for this purpose exclusively. Under our present constitution even the three-fourths of the funds realized from the gasoline tax have to be appropriated every two years by the legislature for road construction. The amendment would have made it possible to make it a settled policy of the state for the money raised by this tax to go to the road funds.

It is a regrettable fact that the proposed amendment was not published in proper time, but it is possible that the failure to publish the amendment at this time will eventually result in good. Unfortunately, in the rush of the closing hours of the 38th Legislature, the proposed Amendment was not worded as carefully as it should have been, and we feel that the next regular session of the Legislature will

The Searchlight
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CARVES OUT A VIOLIN WITH A POCKET KNIFE

Lufkin News, 26th. J. H. Largent, who operates a shoe repairing shop on Lufkin avenue, has made a violin or "fiddle" with a pocket knife. He has been showing it to his friends. It is a wonderful piece of workmanship. From the sounding box to the ornamental scroll on the neck of the instrument the work shows the skill of a consummate workman. Mr. Largent secured his material for the sounding box and main body of the instrument from dry goods boxes. Sweet gum was used for this. The neck he admits he secured from a woodpile and is made of maple. The bridge, the bars of cow's horn and all show the utmost care and precision on the part of the maker. Mr. Largent has never made a violin before but decided he would try it. His product has been complimented by all who have seen it.

The man who sets his ideas in concrete is likely, sooner or later, to crack something. If there is no system of government between insects, how do all the mosquitoes know where the lawn sets is to be held? It seems to be an opinion in the party that the return from Alaska would be a bit more triumphant if it wasn't for those returns from Minnesota.

BIG DEVELOPMENT IN ELECTRICAL INDUSTRY

The relation of public utilities to the increase of population is brought out in statistics recently published by the bureau of the census in Washington.

In 1880 the population of the United States was 50,000,000; in 1920, four decades later, it was 105,000,000 an increase of 110 percent. In 1880, the entire capital invested in the electric light industry was less than one million dollars; it is now approximately \$5,000,000,000, an increase of 500,000 percent. The annual gross returns upon the investment is about \$1,000,000,000, and 1,750,000 persons own the securities of the industry.

It is estimated that 8,500,000 homes in this country, out of a total of 22,500,000, are wired for electrical service, and that this service is at present available to 5,000,000 additional homes. In 1922, approximately 1,000,000 new homes were wired and equipped for the use of electrical energy, and it is expected that 4,000,000 additional homes will be wired within the next five years.

There are at present in the United States 287 cities of 25,000 or more each, with a combined population of 37,000,000, forty years ago it was 8,500,000.

The unparalleled growth was possible only because of the ability of the utilities to keep ahead of the growing demands upon them, says a bulletin of the New York state committee on public utility information reporting the figures. To house this increasing population towns and cities had to expand and build suburbs. Suburbs cannot exist without adequate transportation and telephone service. Houses are not habitable without electric wires and gas pipes; thus the electric railway, the electric light and power industry and the gas industry served the growing communities by anticipating and preparing themselves for demands for service in advance of the need of it.

This demand upon public utility service to keep ahead of the development of the community it serves, together with the increasing per capita use of gas, electric light and power, telephone and other utilities, has necessitated a constant inflow of capital for new plants and equipment.

The city that doesn't need wider streets is dead.

COMMERCE APPRECIATES A GOOD TELEPHONE OPERATOR

Service is a personal thing even if it is a function of a big public service organization. The Commerce Journal refers to an example of this in discussing the work of a telephone operator in that town:

"No use to call her by name. Every individual in Commerce who for the last fifteen years had occasion to talk frequently over the telephone will know immediately for whom the bouquet is intended. And yet I seriously doubt if she herself knows how much her services has meant to the citizenship of the town.

"Through all the years so far as the writer knows not one complaint has been registered against her service in the gossip of the homes, streets and business shops. At the switchboard she answers with that well-known soft, almost musical 'Number, please?' In a brief space she is back on the line: 'Did they answer?' frequently calling you by name when she comes back.

"Hundreds in Commerce, accustomed to her soothing, almost caressing, 'wait a minute, let me try again; I bet I do make them answer if they are there,' have praised her in office, shop and household, but she does not know it. She is too busy serving. Here's to Commerce's sweetheart telephone operator."

Oddly enough, the increase of fivers in Mexico hasn't jarred the seat of government.

Sometimes life seems to be just a proposition of finding the kind of trouble you can stand.

President Harding has, promised ed Mangus Johnson, but doesn't seem never to mistreat a horse. Does this include the dark kind?

Somehow or other the farther north the president went the less for his speeches seemed to cut.

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MULLINS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF BAPTIST ALLIANCE

Stockholm, July 26.—Dr. E. Y. Mullins, of Louisville, Kentucky, was unanimously elected today as president of the Baptist World Alliance by the third congress of the alliance in session here.

Dr. Edgar Young Mullins is president of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, at Louisville, Ky., and the Southern Baptist Convention. He began his professional life as a telegraph operator at Corsicana, Texas, but decided to enter the ministry. He attended the theological seminary at Louisville and was also a special student in Johns Hopkins University. It is as author that Dr. Mullins is most widely known.

TEXTBOOK AMENDMENT NOT PUBLISHED ALL OVER STATE

Austin, Texas, July 26.—The records of the state comptroller's office show that the free text book constitutional amendment was not published in 29 counties as is required by the constitution. Representative John Smith of Austin stated today on the completion of the investigation into the free text book amendment. It was said that a suit will be filed to prevent the transfer of \$7,000,000 appropriated for rural and supplemental school aid on the basis of the discovery.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT

Springfield, Ill., July 27.—Troops were ordered to Tamm, Alexander county, by the adjutant general today at the request of the sheriff of Cairo. He feared popular indignation would result in the lynching of James Hazelwood and Andrew Corbett, who are held in the Tamm jail in connection with an assault on a girl there.

Soldiers Go Home

Tamm, Ill., July 27.—The National Guardsmen who arrived here today when an outbreak was feared following the arrest of James Hazelwood and Andrew Corbett for alleged assault upon a young girl, returned home several hours later when quiet and order were restored.

HEALTH ON WHEELS

Austin, Texas, July 26.—The Texas Public Health Association with the use of their Motion Picture Automobile have been able to instruct thousands along public health lines. The car has traveled from the northern border to the southern border of the state.

Every night a motion picture show is given in the open air on such subjects as tuberculosis, mosquito control, typhoid fever, and child health. This has proven to be a most interesting manner of presenting health truths. No charge is made for these shows and City Health Officers have found them to be of great service. By holding these shows in the open air it is possible to reach the general public at the same time. This of great advantage as it is necessary for everyone to co-operate if better health conditions are to be had in Texas.

The services of the Texas Public Health Association are free to any community in the state that desires them. It is hoped that every county may be visited and an interest in better health conditions aroused. All the various activities of this association are financed by the sale of Tuberculosis Seals.

ACTRESS GETS DIVORCE

Paris, July 26.—Elsie Ferguson, American movie actress, was granted a divorce today from Thonas Clarke, who she married in New York in June, 1916. The divorce was granted on grounds of extreme indifference, desertion and failure to provide.

INDICTMENT WAS SECURED

(By Associated Press) White Plains, N. Y., July 26.—Walter Ward, wealthy baker's son, today was reindicted on a charge of first degree murder and is held without bail.

VISITS GERMANY

Dusseldorf, July 27.—James Davis, American secretary of labor, arrived here today for a brief visit in the Ruhr district. He will return to Paris tonight.

FIRST U. S. PRESIDENT TO SPEAK IN CANADA

Vancouver, July 25.—President Harding in an address here today, the first ever made by an American president to Canada, pointed to the century-old friendship between Canada and the United States as proof to national Europe that public will rather than public force is the key to international peace.

With his emphasis upon the long friendship between Canada and the United States, President Harding coupled advice to the people of the Dominion to guard against encouragements to any enterprise looking to Canada's annexation to the United States. "Let us go in our own gait along parallel roads, you helping us, and we helping you," he added.

OKLAHOMA OUTLAW ESCAPES FROM OFFICERS

Little Rock, Ark., July 26.—Eules Sullivan, the Oklahoma outlaw, who shot and killed former Deputy United States Marshal Walter Casey at Harrison, Ark., two weeks ago, escaped from three officers who were bringing him to the penitentiary to await electrocution, early today at Kensett, Arkansas. Sullivan was convicted of Casey's murder last week at Harrison, and sentenced to be electrocuted September 21.

PRICELESS PAPERS

Austin, Texas, July 27.—What is known as the ritual of the original organization of the Ku Klux Klan of Civil War days has been found by Miss Sue Moore of Hubbard in a collection of old manuscripts belonging to J. B. Long of Rusk.

Miss Moore is writing a Masters' thesis in history on the life of Mr. Long, a Texas pioneer, and has discovered many valuable papers and letters in the material he has given her for reference. A first edition of Webster's dictionary, which she found in the collection some time ago, has no duplicate in the Library of Congress at Washington or in the British Museum.

She has also what is probably the last letter written by Jefferson Davis addressed to Reverend D. W. White of New Birmingham, Texas, and dated November 3, 1869. Reverend White was a friend of Mr. Long's.

RESISTANCE MUST CEASE

Paris, July 27.—The French reply to the British reparations note will be delivered in London tomorrow or Sunday. It accepts some of the British suggestions and asks for further light on others. It also maintains the principle of the Franco-Belgian declaration to the effect that the passive resistance must cease before negotiations with Germany are undertaken.

WHERE BAPTISTS MEET NEXT

Stockholm, July 27.—Toronto, Canada, was chosen today by the Baptist World Alliance for its meeting place five years hence. The choice was made before the final adjournment of the present congress at noon today after representatives from Washington, D. C., and Atlanta Ga. had withdrawn in favor of Toronto.

A POOR PROPHET

Little Rock, Ark., July 27.—Herbert Sease, a Baxter county man, convicted of the murder of R. H. Davidson, was electrocuted in the state penitentiary this morning. Sease maintained up to the last minute that "an act of God" would prevent his execution.

KILLED HIS FATHER

St. Louis, Mo., July 27.—Burton Barrett, 41, a watchman, was shot and killed by his son, Harold, 21, as he sat in the lobby of a bank building in the business district. The son was arrested. According to the police, he shot his father because the latter had been abusive lately, threatening to kill him and other members of the family last night with a hammer.

GREAT GOLF TOURNEY

San Antonio, Texas, July 27.—Nic Morris, marathon golfer, had put 126 holes behind him at 8 o'clock this morning in an effort to set a new record. He started playing at 12:40 this morning. The present record is 257 holes.

HEAT PROSTRATIONS IN DALLAS

Dallas, Texas, July 26.—Five prostrations from heat occurred in Dallas yesterday. It was said by local weather bureau officials to have been the hottest day in the year.

L. Elwood, who was prostrated last night, is in a serious condition. An aged watchman for the Dallas Railway Company also is in a serious condition. The other victims are less seriously affected.

Mr. Harding on his present tour has tried his hand at everything from driving a tractor to handling a locomotive, but he hasn't yet approached the versatility of the modern drug store manager.

HARDING'S BOAT RAMS THE DESTROYER ZEILIN

Seattle, July 27.—The heavy transport Henderson, carrying President Harding and party returning from a tour of Alaska, rammed the destroyer Zeilin in Puget Sound, according to a wireless message received here from the Henderson.

HARDING FAVORS NAVY

Seattle, July 27.—President Harding, appearing before the Seattle Press Club after a review today of virtually the entire United States battle fleet, declared until the day comes when the nations will abandon the use of armed forces, America shall find her assurance in a navy of first rank. The president said he believed it to be our duty to ourselves to maintain the equality provided by the arms conference until the new baptism of international conscience prescribes a joint action toward a reduction or complete abolishment. In addition to his observation on the naval question, the president said those of us who think we know a lot about newspaper making may learn some very simple fundamentals by going to Alaska. He said he found himself involuntarily doffing his hat to the editor and publisher who succeeds in maintaining a daily paper in a town of 800 to 1,200 people where the maximum circulation can not exceed 200 to 300 copies.

FRONTIER OPENED

Dusseldorf, July 26.—The frontier separating the Ruhr Valley from the rest of Germany was opened at midnight.

Thousands of Germans were passing in and out of the occupier region today, making haste to transact urgent business and are anxious to accomplish all possible during the present opportunity because reports are that the frontier would be closed again within the next few days.

OIL PRICES CUT

Houston, Texas, July 26.—Prices of all grades of Gulf Coast crude oils were cut 25 cents per barrel, effective yesterday, it was announced today. All purchasing companies are in unit on the new quotations except the Texas Company. The latter is expected to be in line within the next few days.

FRENCH AND BELGIANS REACH AGREEMENT

Paris, July 26.—The French and Belgian governments have reached an entire agreement on all the essential points respecting the British note, it was announced today. It was not made known whether it would be a separate or joint reply.

WANTS SPECIAL SESSION

Eldon, Iowa, July 28.—United States Senator Smith Brookhart of Iowa, speaking at the Farmers Union picnic here today, again strongly advocated a special session of congress to avert an impending calamity in the agricultural industry by a speedy, drastic action in establishing a government marketing agency. Only temporary relief would be found in such an agency, however, he asserted that a complete remedy was coming from co-operative control in production and marketing by the farmers themselves.

BAD STORM AT SHERMAN

Sherman, Texas, July 28.—More than three inches of rain fell here last night, being general over the county. High winds accompanied the rain, doing minor damage to trees and small outbuildings over the city and in the country. During the rainstorm a portion of the plant of the Pittman-Harrison Company, a milling and grain concern, was burned. It was thought the plant caught fire from lightning. The loss was estimated at \$40,000 or \$50,000.

STEAMERS IN COLLISION

Seattle, Wash., July 28.—The Japanese steamer Mandasan Maru, inbound from the Orient, collided this morning in the Strait of Juan DeFuca with the steamship Ranier, outbound from Seattle. According to a wireless from the Japanese steamer, the Ranier, badly damaged and in a waterlogged condition, is adrift in the strait. No lives were believed. The collision occurred in a heavy fog.

A LICKING FOR JACK

New York, July 28.—Jack Dempsey will meet Luis Firpo, the Argentinian, in a 15-round fight for the decision of the world's heavy-weight championship at the Polo Grounds on September 14. Promoter Tex Rickard announced today.

Strange how pronunciations change. For instance, the accent used to be on the second syllable of prize-fight.

OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE CALLED IN EXTRA MEET

Topeka, Kas., July 28.—Executive proclamations calling the Kansas legislature to convene in special session on August 6, were issued today by Governor Davis. It stresses but one issue as constituting the emergency which prompted the executive action, that is to consider voting additional soldier bonus bonds sufficient to make it possible to pay war veterans in full at a dollar a day for time in military service.

FAIRS IN TEXAS

Austin, Texas, July 28.—Sixty-seven fairs and expositions will be held in the state of Texas between the dates of August 1 and December 1 of this year, according to information compiled here. This includes county, district and statewide fairs.

In the latter class the State Fair at Dallas will be held this year from October 13 to 28. The Texas State Exposition at Austin will be held one week before the State Fair, starting October 1 and lasting until October 6. The large Amarillo Tri-State Exposition will be held one week before the Texas State Exposition, the dates for this fair being September 25 to 30. The Cotton Palace at Waco is scheduled for October 20 to November 4, and the South Texas State Fair at Beaumont will be held November 1 to 10.

Dates of other fairs with the names of the towns where they will be held are as follows: Bertram, August 1 to 3; Lampasas, August 6 to 11; San Saba, August 13 to 18; Temple, August 21 to 25; Fredericksburg, August 20 to 25.

Boerne, Sept. 1 to 3; Gatesville, Sept. 3 to 8; Greenville, Sept. 3 to 8; Hondo, Sept. 3 to 8; Memphis, Sept. 3 to 8; Childress, Sept. 10 to 15; Hamilton, Sept. 10 to 15; Seymour, Sept. 10 to 15; Teague, Sept. 10 to 15; New Braunfels, Sept. 15 to 17; Canyon, Sept. 17 to 22; Colorado, Sept. 17 to 22; Tulia, Sept. 17 to 22; Flatoonia, Sept. 19 to 22; Vernon, Sept. 21 to 24; Abilene, Sept. 24 to 29; Crosbyton, Sept. 24 to 29; Hillsboro, Sept. 24 to 29; Seguin, Sept. 25 to 29; Linden, Sept. 24 to 29; Tyler, Sept. 24 to 29; Wellington, Sept. 24 to 29; Alice, Sept. 26 to 29.

Carrollton, Oct. 1 to 6; Corsicana, Oct. 1 to 6; Franklin, Oct. 1 to 6; Gonzales, Oct. 1 to 6; Lobbeck, Oct. 1 to 6; Sherman, Oct. 1 to 6; Uvalde, Oct. 1 to 6; Wichita Falls, Oct. 1 to 6; Lamesa, Oct. 2 to 3; San Antonio, Oct. 4 to 7; Childress, Oct. 5 to 7; Ennis, Oct. 8 to 13; Kennedy Oct. 8 to 13; McKinney, Oct. 8 to 13; Paris, Oct. 8 to 13; Pearsall, Oct. 8 to 13; Timpson, Oct. 8 to 13; San Angelo, Oct. 8 to 13; Karnes City, Oct. 9 to 12; Beeville, Oct. 15 to 20; Nixon, Oct. 15 to 20; Floresville, Oct. 22 to 27; Yorktown, Oct. 22 to 27; Victoria, Oct. 22 to 27; Cuero, Oct. 29 to Nov. 1; Denton, Oct. 29 to Nov. 3; Houston, Oct. 29 to Nov. 3; Pittsburg, Oct. 29 to Nov. 3; Lockhart, Oct. 31 to Nov. 2.

Cisco, Nov. 5 to 10; De Leon, Nov. 6 to 8; Bay City, Nov. 8 to 10; Ballinger, Nov. 12 to 17.

BROTHERS TRIED FOR MURDER

Cumberland, Va., July 30.—Pleas of not guilty were entered in Circuit Court here today by Robert and Larkin Garrett, prominent officials, on trial for the murder of Rev. Edward Pierce, pastor of the county's five Baptist churches. Pleas followed a motion by the commonwealth that the brothers be tried before a jury summoned from another county. On objection by defense counsel, the motion was overruled by the presiding judge. Larkin Garrett will be brought to trial first.

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GOD WILL TOUR AUGUST 8 AND 9

The Chamber of Commerce has arranged for a "Good Will Tour" of business men to cover the trade territory of Nacogdoches and to be made on August 8 and 9.

The route for August 8 will be Woden, Melrose, Chireno, Denning, Attoyac, Grigsby, Martinsville and Swift.

August 9 the trip will include Garrison, Appleby, Mt. Enterprise, Trawick, Cushing, Sacul, Lilbert, Nat and Douglas.

Arrangements have been made to secure the Partin Brass Band of Nat to give concerts at each one of the above places, where stops will be made to meet the citizens and hold a good old handshaking and get-together conference for 30 minutes.

The Partin Band is one of the best musical organizations of its size in the country. It is composed of eight pieces, seven of which are played by the Partin boys from whom the organization gets its name.

The band will give a concert on Post Office Plaza on the evening of August 7, from 8 to 9 o'clock.

The object of the tour is to give our business firms an opportunity to express their appreciation for the splendid patronage Nacogdoches has so long enjoyed from the good people of these various communities.

The following firms will be represented on the trip:

Southern Ice & Utilities Co., J. G. Bailey, Orton Furniture Store, McLain-Adams Co., Brewer & Mintz, Cason, Monk & Co., J. Eichel Dry Goods Co., Thomas & Richardson, Mayer & Schmidt, Commercial Guaranty State Bank, Tucker, Hayter & Co., B. M. Isaacs, J. W. Kennedy, Mast Motor Co., Stripling, Haselwood & Co., Tucker-Sitton Hardware Co., Swift Bros. & Smith, J. D. Bright, Baker-Williams, Goldsberry Bros., Ford Service Station, Co-operative Furniture Co., W. P. Yates, T. C. Spencer, Stone Fort National Bank, Burrows Bros., C. L. Farr, Guaranty Bank & Trust Co., J. F. Summers & Sons, Elmo Bright, C. M. Bailey, E. M. Roberts & Co., W. Y. Hall, G. N. Bright, J. W. Tarrance, Nacogdoches Grocery Co., Walling Electric Co., Armour & Co., Slay Bros, Sentinel.

TWENTY-ONE KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION

Sheffield, England, July 28.—Twenty-one men are believed to have been killed by an explosion in the Maltby colliery. Fire has been causing trouble in the workings for some weeks.

TO MEET OVER-PRODUCTION

Chicago, July 28.—Oil men today had initiated two methods of action in stemming the tide of over-production of crude oil. The decision of some 25 larger refiners in the mid continent oil field yesterday to shut down their plants for the month of August, automatically removing 112,000 barrels of gasoline daily from the market. The decision was followed today by the appointment of a committee of jobbers, producers and refiners as a cost and fact finding commission. The leading refiners who adopted the drastic shut down decision have called a general meeting of all midcontinent refiners to be held in Kansas City July 31 to complete the plans.

U. S. Will Investigate

Chicago, July 28.—The agreement of some 25 leading refiners in the midcontinent field yesterday to close their plants during August will be investigated by the United States district attorneys office here, it was learned today.

THREE DEATHS FROM HEAT

Dallas, Texas, July 28.—Three deaths have resulted from heat prostrations here within the past 48 hours with two fatalities, it was reported last night.

J. C. Dowdy died at a hospital where he had not regained consciousness since being stricken last Wednesday. An unidentified Mexican also died at a hospital last night. L. Fielschmidt died Thursday.

Small showers yesterday and last night in various parts of the state brought somewhat lower temperatures today.

KATY WANTS TO BUY ROAD

Washington, July 30.—A further question as to the policy of refusing railroads the authority to construct new lines into new coal fields was put before the Interstate Commerce Commission today by the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad in the form of a proposal to purchase the Oklahoma Northern in Oklahoma.

AN EXHILARATING EFFECT

A bottle of Hobbins on the shelf at home is like having a doctor in the house all the time. It gives instant relief when the digestion gets out of order or the bowels fail to act. One or two doses is all that is necessary to start things moving and restore that fine feeling of exhilaration and buoyancy of spirits which belongs only to perfect health. Price 60c. Sold by SWIFT BROS & SMITH

RIVER'S COURSE DIVERTED TO RECOVER BOYS BODY

Cisco, Cal., July 28.—The crippled body of little Clyde Patnoe, 12 years old, was buried here yesterday with simple ceremonies. Nearby and audible to his grief-stricken widowed mother and the men employees of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, was the hum and road of the Yuba river, as its swiftly flowing waters dashed onward toward the sea.

It is a popular belief that corporations lack a heart and possess little of the milk of human kindness, but one corporation disproved this belief here today. Two weeks of Herculean efforts by hundreds of workmen ended today. The course of the Yuba river was completely changed and diverted into a new channel in order that the body of a little drowned cripple boy might be restored to his mother's arms and laid by her in a last flower strewn resting place.

Fifteen days ago, little Clyde fell into the Yuba river and was swept over a 30-foot falls. Because of a terrific rush of water below, it was impossible to recover his body. The boy was the only child of a widowed mother. He had come into life pitifully handicapped because he had not been "born equal" with other boys his mother showered upon him a love even greater than that given most children by their mothers. Then he was gradually taken from her under the waters and alone. An eye witness to his death, she had tried to throw herself into the river, but she was restrained.

Engaged in hydro-electric development work along the same stretch of river were engineers and laboring crews of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, one of the West's great power concerns. They were preparing to harness for electrical power the same falls over which the little boy was swept. The crippled boy had frequently played among the workmen and had a laborer, straw boss or engineer but had heard his childish mattle and loved him for the cheerful smile that always was seen on his drawn and twisted face. So when Mrs. Patnoe knelt before them on the river bank and prayed that God might permit her just once more to hold the broken little body in her arms, little time was lost in reaching a decision to divert the river's course. Officials of the corporation readily sanctioned the move.

Engineers quickly planned the feat and workers sweated day and night with steam shovels, dynamite, picks and wheelbarrows to carry out the plans. Enormous rocks were rinded and thousands of tons of earth moved. With a snarl of angry waters the Yuba was turned into its new channel and the boy's body recovered from between jagged rocks just below the falls.

Today the river goes back into its "channel" and the Pacific Gas and Electric Company will set down an item of more than \$20,000 on the red ink side of its ledger. That is what it cost to recover the body of little Clyde Patnoe. It is an investment which will bring no dividends in dollars and cents but already it has brought all the gratitude of the mother's heart and the value of that can not be computed in the sordid terms of money.

FATAL AUTO CRASH

Lubbock, Texas, July 28.—J. M. Weatherford, Post City, was killed, and three others were injured near here last night when an automobile plunged down an embankment. Mrs. Grace Stahl was injured internally, the physicians at a local hospital did not expect her to recover. Miss Eugene Jackson and M. T. Mitchell were slightly injured.

CONFESSES WIFE-KILLING

Pittsburg, Pa., July 30.—Patrick Coyne, whose bride of a few weeks was found dead at their home at Port Perry on July 17, today confessed to Robert Braun, a detective, that he killed her. Coyne's confession was made in a hospital, where he was taken shortly after he had lost his legs in a railroad accident after the crime was committed.

PAYROLL ROBBERY

Scranton, Pa., July 30.—Three bandits held up the paymaster of the Avoca Coal Company on a Laurel Line train at Moosic today, using revolvers freely, killing one man, named Murphy, and wounding two others. The men escaped, getting away with the mine payroll amounting to between \$85,000 and \$90,000.

HARDING'S CONDITION

San Francisco, July 30.—President Harding spent a fairly comfortable night, according to a bulletin issued at 11 o'clock this morning by Brigadier General Sawyer, his personal physician. His condition is acute. He has temporarily over-strained the cardiovascular system by carrying on speaking engagements while ill, the bulletin said.

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THE CRUSHING TASK OF THE PRESIDENCY

Houston Post.

Learn from the statements concerning the condition of President Harding issued by his attending physicians, that his case is the more stubborn because of the mental and physical strain he has been under during the trip to Alaska.

While it has been called a vacation, in reality it has been only a change in the duties of the president. His program has been much more strenuous than had he remained at Washington, and it would have saved the strength of any man in robust health.

The president's delay in recuperating is a reminder of what an exacting task the presidency is. With the multiplication of duties imposed upon the nation's chief executive during the years, the presidency of the United States has come to be a position no man who is not in a high state of physical condition should dare to accept. Even then, the chances are it will consume his energy and leave him depleted in strength, if not a physical wreck.

With the collapse of President Wilson fresh in his mind, President Harding has made special effort to keep fit. He has taken frequent vacations and has lived as much in the open as he could find time to do so. He has been criticised for taking time to play, but his purpose was to conserve himself for the mighty task at hand. His present illness is in the nature of an accident, to which any person might fall victim, but it is noticeable that all other members of the party who were so affected, recovered speedily.

The presidency is the most coveted honor in the world, but the man who wins it pays a heavy price for it.

The sympathy of the nation goes out to the president in his present indisposition. Political lines vanish as the citizenry generally convey to him their regret at his misfortune, and their hope that he will speedily recover to re-enter the White House the same smiling, genial, robust specimen of manhood that he was when he assumed the office.

NOT IN VERMONT!

A strange and unbelievable report comes from the Green Mountains. The republicans are worried. The governor has called a special election to choose a successor to the late Senator Dillingham. And responsible republican leaders express alarm.

True, these are not days of regularity. Old party colors are somewhat soiled. But that Vermont should fail to return a republican to the United States Senate! It will take more than what has happened thus far to convince us.

In rock-ribbed republican states, the electors have been busily removing the ribs in recent elections. Stalwart republican Michigan has sent a democrat to the senate. Republican Minnesota has sent two farmer-laborites to the same body. Republican Iowa, Republican Wisconsin and republican North Dakota have a peculiar variety of republicans as senators. But Vermont—it is too much!

In 1912, Vermont joined with Utah in giving those eight electoral votes to Taft. Of unflinching republicanism there can be no greater proof. The last non-republican governor of Vermont was John S. Robinson. He was a Whig whose term of office expired in 1854.

The present G. O. P. leaders in Vermont profess fear that a strike in the anthracite industry might defeat the republican candidate for senator at the special election. Vermont's industries depend on hard coal, and the shortage last winter was felt keenly. Vermonters took the lead recently in urging an embargo against the exportation of anthracite until domestic needs were taken care of. The republican leaders say they fear the administration will be blamed if a coal strike occurs.

Vermont is the last word in republicanism. The country will be slow to believe it will repudiate its party. But, then, the country did not expect Manguis Johnson to be elected.

HELPING ALASKA

According to reports from newspaper men who accompanied the president to Alaska, the official representatives of the United States government are not so sure, now that they are on their way home, that they put their finger upon the exact method of revitalizing the Alaskan country. These things are mentioned, of course, unofficially. Neither Mr. Harding nor Mr. Hoover has given out any statement of their views on the subject. It is said, too, that the general im-

pression among the official party is that Alaska can be helped best by helping itself. That is what these same officials said about Europe, by way of attempting to avoid any definite program for relief, but in Alaska's case this sort of talk will not go. Alaska belongs to us and is under our governmental direction. We have hedged the country about with red tape so that it is almost impossible for it to make progress or attract more population. Her natural resources largely are untouched and must remain so until Uncle Sam gets busy in earnest and determines upon a plan to uncover the great wealth that lies buried there.

If, after a trip of two weeks, during which time ample opportunity was afforded officials to study the situation, they are still in the dark, Alaska's case is well nigh hopeless. She cannot help herself to the proper measure of her needs any more than a man can lift himself by pulling on his own bootstraps in an effort to rise.

THE RIGHT TO WORK

Employers in the building industry in New York have decided to undertake establishing the open shop in the entire country.

Unionism has accomplished much for the workers in this nation and contributed greatly to the common welfare. If it has a legitimate place in our highly systematized industrial machine, but just as the power of capital can be abused if manipulated by unscrupulous persons, so can the power of labor organizations become a tyranny when controlled by radical labor leaders who ignore all thought of the public interest in carrying out their holdup programs.

If any union tries to set itself above the constitution which guarantees a man protection in his right to work regardless of his religion, political or labor affiliations, it is headed straight for the rocks of public condemnation.

THE TAX PROBLEM

We believe the greatest problem before the American people today is the problem of taxation, says the Shenadoah, Ia., Sentinel Post.

Two sane methods of relief are open. First discourage new governmental fads and fancies which add unnecessary laws to our statute books with increased numbers of employees and more government overhead. Officialism spreads like the green bay tree if left to its own course, so trim it down to essentials.

Second, see that all property pays taxes equally, which it does not do at present. Under our existing laws any person is at liberty to convert his property into non-taxable bonds and thus escape all forms of taxation.

The necessity (if it ever existed) for tax-exempt bonds is past and the day is here when no such loophole as this should remain to enable those most able to pay to escape taxation.

Every dollar that tax-exempt bonds absorb cuts two ways—it doubles the tax on other people and removes a dollar from industries which need it for expansion and development.

Don't go so far on your vacation as to be out of touch with your bank.

Every youngster passes through an age when it seems that the cross old world can't understand.

Wisdom is merely the reaction that follows contemplation of receipted bills.

A woman's declining years come before the age of 30, after that she is glad to accept.

An educated man is one who can name the cabinet members and give a reasonable explanation.

Sometimes a senator goes abroad for light on a subject and comes back just as light on the subject as ever.

The meek shall inherit the earth. But there won't be any fun in a world peopled exclusively by henpecked husbands.

Most words are reasonable. "Tintinabulation" would remind you of a Ford, even if it didn't mean a jingling sound.

It might be worse. Suppose there were cooties to afflict us while paying for the war.

A pipe is really cheaper, and is much to be preferred if you don't mind solitude.

A boy learns to swim at once, a girl learns four of five times a summer.

California sleeps under blankets every night. Wards off the falling plaster.

The way to abolish war is to remove the conviction that we could win any other country without striking ourselves.

SEEMED A Milder EPITHET

Small Boy's Humorous Idea of Toning Down the Enormity of His Offense.

The Youngest Teacher in a certain Brooklyn school felt that a crisis had arisen, when little Bobby, aged six, called little Mary, aged five, a "dumbbell"—called her the impolite name before witnesses and refused to apologize.

Little Mary, being a bright child, naturally resented the epithet, and the rest of the class took sides. Feeling ran high, and discipline went by the board.

In vain the Youngest Teacher tried to impress on Bobby the enormity of his offense. He refused to see that he had done anything very terrible.

"Very well, Bobby," she said finally. "I am going to send you to the principal, and you can tell him what you have called Mary."

This was more serious. Bobby was clearly awed. He ever, having taken a stand, he refused to give in, and to the principal's office he went. Some time later he came back, chastened in spirit, and apologized to Mary.

"I told him that I had called Mary a slob," he confessed to the teacher after the apology. "I was afraid to tell him I had called her a dumbbell."

And the Youngest Teacher, wise in the ways of children, realized that Bobby had chosen from his limited vocabulary a word which he considered a shade more refined than the one he had actually used.

VINEGAR MAKERS LIVE LONG

Surely Seems to Be Some Connection Between That Particular Occupation and Longevity.

Is there any connection between vinegar-making and longevity?

"If you want to live to a ripe old age be a vinegar maker," said one member of a vinegar manufacturing firm. The abnormal longevity of the employees of other firms which produce vinegars, sauces, and condiments confirms the statement in a remarkable manner.

In some instances the workmen engaged in the distilling of vinegar have been in the service of their respective firms for between 60 and 70 years.

"The average age of the heads of departments here is seventy," said an employer. "To have three or four generations of a family at work in the vinegar distillery at the same time is quite common."

Recently, at a birthday dinner party in connection with the firm, the combined ages of four of the guests totaled 335 years. The oldest was nearly ninety and the youngest nearly seventy.—London Tit-Bits.

Striving and Failing.

Life is not designed to minister to a man's vanity. He goes upon his long business most of the time with a hanging head and all the time like a blind child—full of rewards and pleasures as it is—so that to see the day break, or the moon rise, or to meet a friend, or to hear the dinner call when he is hungry, fills him with surprising joys—this world is yet for him no abiding city. Friendship falls through, health fails, weariness assails him; hard after year he must thumb the hardly varying record of his own weakness and folly. It is a friendly process of detachment. When the time comes that he should go, there need be few illusions left about himself. "Here lies one who meant well, tried a little, failed much"—surely that may be his epitaph, of which he need not be ashamed.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Oldest Confection.

The greater part of black licorice is derived from Spain, where it is made from the juice of the plant and mixed with starch to prevent it from melting in hot weather. The licorice plant is a shrub that attains a height of three feet, and it grows wild where its roots reach the water. It flourishes especially on the banks of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers.

Since the valley of the Euphrates contained one of the earliest civilizations in the world, the probability is that licorice is about the oldest confection of all, and the taste which the boys and girls of today like so well was enjoyed by the youngsters of 3,000 years ago.

Sometimes Quite Short.

A professor of dancing gave a public hop every Saturday night, the public being admitted at 50 cents a head. But he was punctilious about introductions. These he made himself. As he circulated around he always kept saying, elegantly: "A ballroom introduction lasts only for the evening."

One Saturday night pocket flasks were much in evidence, the professor coming in for a goodly share of cheer. Soon he was saying: "A barroom introduction lasts only for the evening."

And, as the fight broke out, he added: "Sometimes not that long."

Got His Answer.

The martinet of a sergeant passed slowly along the line, closely inspecting the equipment of each man as he went.

At last he paused before Private Tibbs.

"Everything complete?" he asked.

"Yes," was the reply.

"Yes, what?" barked the sergeant.

"Do you think I'm a dog or what?"

"Yes, sergeant," came the mild response, and the sergeant wondered why the company laughed.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Nacogdoches County—freeing:

You are hereby commanded to summon Lottie Mae Flippin Boatman 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 first Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3d day of September, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1017, wherein George I. Boatman is plaintiff, and Lottie Mae Flippin Boatman is defendant, and said petition alleging:

That on or about the 28th day of August, A. D. 1922, in Nacogdoches county, Texas, plaintiff and defendant were legally married; that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 15th day of January, A. D. 1923, at which time on account of the action, demeanor and conduct of the defendant, plaintiff was compelled to quit and leave the defendant without any cause, excuse or provocation on the part of the plaintiff; that plaintiff, during the time he lived and cohabited with the defendant as aforesaid, conducted himself properly and was kind and affectionate and thoughtful to and concerning the defendant, but the defendant wholly disregarding her marital vows, some months before their said separation became and commenced a course of unkind and harsh treatment towards the plaintiff in this: that plaintiff and defendant lived with the mother of the plaintiff, a highly respectable and refined lady, and more than middle age, and the defendant abused and mistreated the plaintiff's mother, who was sick in the bed by jeering and abusing his mother who was bedridden and say that plaintiff's mother was feigning and simulating pains to keep from assisting defendant in doing the house work and defendant would refuse to do anything about the house and would become cross, morose and sullen towards the plaintiff, never at any time giving the plaintiff a kind word but demeaning and abusing the plaintiff and applying to him all kinds of unmentionable names; that this conduct lasted on the part of the defendant at the home of the plaintiff abused his mother who was sick until it became unbearable and the plaintiff quit the defendant, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. That the conduct on the part of the defendant renders their further living together as husband and wife insupportable; that said marriage relations still exist between plaintiff and defendant, but plaintiff is desirous of having same determined and declared to be at an end by this Court.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays the Court that the defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, that plaintiff have a judgment declaring said marriage relations between plaintiff and defendant dissolved, for cost of suit and for such other and further relief, both special and general, in law and equity, that he may be entitled to, etc.

Herein Fall Not, but have before said court at its aforesaid next regular term this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said court, at office in Nacogdoches, Texas, this the 31st day of July, A. D. 1923.

I. R. PRINCE, Clerk, District Court, Nacogdoches County, Texas.

1-4w Bosen H. Wells, Deputy.

E. W. Nation of Hemphill, sheriff of Sabine county, and his chief deputy, Mr. G. W. Russell, accompanied by the latter's father, A. B. Russell, were in the city Friday on official business. Mr. Nation brought up a trained bloodhound for the use of Captain John Spradley in educating his pack of dogs for trailing criminals, who will in future have a hard time evading the officers in this county.

The thermometer at the home of Postmaster Cooper registered 104 in the shade during the warmest part of Tuesday, which was one degree higher than the day before. This is somewhat unusual temperature for this section. Of course, up north is gets hotter, but down here in East Texas—not often.

The peace that passeth all understanding is that possessed by the man who first puts in his coal and then goes on a vacation.



Give your Horses a Chance

How are you getting more milk from your cows or more pork from your hogs? Isn't it by balancing their rations?

Then why not give your horses the same chance? They deserve it, and will deliver the results.

You can save money by selling your grain and feeding Purina O-Molene. It is not a stock medicine, but a special preparation of oats and corn that produces wonderful results.

Two thirds of a ton of O-Molene goes further in actual feeding than a ton of oats or corn. Call us up and let us tell you how to feed it, and name your price.



Sold in checkerboard bags only, by G. L. SHERRY BROS., Distributors

RISEING AUTO CONCERN

J. A. Warner & Company have aided the Chevrolet agency in the Reo business and re-organized the concern until it now ranks among the first of the auto dealers of this section of the state. Besides selling these two leading makes of splendid cars, they are prepared to sell all necessary parts and make any repairs which may be necessary for either machine. Their place is equipped with the latest appliances, and the work of repairing or replacing broken parts has been reduced to a fine science. They are enabled to put both speed and accuracy into their work, with the result that every job brings them a satisfied customer.

Mr. C. C. Carroll, who has been with the Ford people here for several years, is in charge of the sales department. Every buyer knows he may depend confidently upon any representation Mr. Carroll may make.

Arthur McCall is in charge of the bookkeeping and service departments, and here, as elsewhere in this popular establishment, efficiency is the rule. Your account will be kept straight and purchase of parts supervised by him, and in either case you may be sure of the best.

The service department is in charge of Paul Tachhaus, a master workman, whose every effort will be in the interest of the patrons of the house. You will get courteous and satisfactory service in this department.

The fact is, it is not often that so capable a force can be assembled by one concern—men enthusiastic and altogether loyal both to their employers and the patrons of the station. If you are uncertain about these statements, a single transaction with this firm will convince you that we have told nothing but absolute facts.

The G. O. P. old guard really elect the price of admission.

From whence came this idea that we haven't enough congressmen?

Leonard Wood seems to have an unbreakable habit of just completely spoiling his own or someone else's summer.

Self-control is the quality that keeps you from wearing out your legs putting on imaginary brakes when the other fellow is driving.

There's one consolation. After the birds are all killed off, hunters will have an unlimited supply of insects to try their prowess on.

Another of life's dismal failures is the effort of a fourteen-year-old daughter to correct the grammar of her parents.

People who live all year at a summer resort must be surprised when they see the place described in an advertising folder.

This drug "scopolamin" that makes a man tell the truth should revolutionize things in the weather bureau.

Mr. B. M. Hall, an old-time resident of Nacogdoches, who for some time had made his home in Dallas, has returned to the city and probably again will become one of us.

CARD OF THANKS

The Singing Class of the West End Male Glee takes this method of expressing its appreciation and thanks to those who so generously helped it in purchasing a piano which was so greatly needed.

Those who contributed were:

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| Robert Lindsey |\$5.00 |
| Charlie Richardson |\$1.00 |
| Edison Mopk & Co. |\$1.50 |
| Tom Crawford |\$1.00 |
| Gayle Dean |\$6.00 |
| Mr. E. D. Moore |\$3.75 |
| Mrs. Bill Allen |\$2.00 |
| Edna H. Moore |25 |
| W. D. Ambrose |\$2.50 |
| Dallas Feszel |\$1.00 |
| Summers Furniture Co. |\$2.00 |
| Mr. Wilson |50 |
| H. R. Mast |\$2.50 |
| W. O. Stewart |50 |
| A. T. Mast |50 |
| W. G. Rehl |\$1.00 |
| G. W. Morris |50 |
| R. Mucklevey |50 |
| Comstock Motor Co. |1.00 |
| J. R. McKinney |\$5.00 |
| Mr. A. W. Birdwell |\$1.00 |
| Mr. Hornbuckle |\$1.00 |
| June C. Harris |\$1.50 |
| Miss Hattie Bogan |30 |
| Mr. Will Mitchell |\$2.00 |
| Mr. Lewis Mullins |\$1.00 |
| Mr. Harold Mitchell |20 |
| Mr. Pat Jenkins |50 |
| Lawrence Loden |\$2.00 |
| Lawrence Hunt |25 |
| Emory Monk |\$1.00 |
| C. W. Butt |25 |
| Guy Stripling |\$1.00 |
| Joe Langston |\$1.00 |
| Mr. Simpson |\$1.00 |
| Clarence Thompson |50 |
| Mr. Yates |75 |
| J. Eichel |25 |
| A Friend |50 |
| Mrs. Hattie A. Hall |50 |
| Mr. James |25 |
| Felix Weaver |25 |
| Mr. Griffin |\$1.00 |
| Tucker Sitton Hdw. Co. |\$2.50 |
| A. D. Parnell |\$1.00 |
| Floy Boatman |\$1.00 |
| Norvel Bright |\$1.00 |
| Mr. Greve |50 |
| Mr. Tarrance |50 |
| W. S. Beeson |\$1.00 |
| Geo. H. Davidson |\$1.00 |
| Ollie Grimes |\$2.00 |
| Mr. Arch Walling |\$1.00 |
| Mrs. Emmons |\$1.00 |
| Mrs. Frank Edwards |\$5.00 |
| Earl Beach |\$1.00 |
| R. W. Hazelwood |25 |
| John Perkins |25 |
| Floyd Brantley |\$1.00 |
| T. Tilford |\$2.00 |
| Frank Sharp, Jr. |\$1.00 |
| C. A. Hodges |\$1.00 |
| J. H. Muller |\$1.00 |
| Ernest Muller |\$1.00 |
| Sam Stripling |25 |
| Mr. Cranford |\$1.00 |
| Joe Barron |\$1.00 |
| Mrs. Pittman |50 |
| Mrs. George Massey |\$5.00 |
| A Friend |\$2.00 |
| A Friend |50 |
| A Friend |50 |
| Miss Ollie Givens |70 |
| Frank Tucker |\$1.00 |
| J. Thos. Hall |50 |
| Mrs. June C. Harris |\$1.00 |
| C. J. Maddux |\$1.00 |
| Mr. W. H. Campbell |50 |
| A Friend |\$1.00 |
| A Friend |\$1.00 |
| Mrs. Burns |\$2.50 |
| Dr. M. W. P. Pool |\$5.00 |

On Friday of Mr. and Alfred Me family reunion held in Flat, in C turned to where they Meador fa All of cept Mr. Mr. Car was a v who wen a specially bride and At the dinner wa feasted s rows, Joe proved th in the ar of crowdin les, cakes, say nothi things, no In the ice cream Throughout ment of a There w en grande few friend ent were: family, Ed J. A. Day Mr. John Alfred M Mr. Oscar ton, Tom Hardy an Fla. and ogdoches. The gu with happ with best groom wh in the Lil We adv special to I retur Worth a f ceeded in bargains time and bargains We hav goods we show you We hav that we h and are r are anxio Will me special. We see silk hose them, wh to send of them for their regi These l with the and many by close I boug ffin and I could l these hos usually s cents to and they cents a p We hav pair of t but have the dema Do not our line. 2-1w TEAC There tion on F 17th and the exam before A A tele this mor there of of Melro was one ers, a B a gentler was borr practical never m Beside and Mrs. six brot and G. J of Yoak Mary R Mattie G SING There and dim at Holly singers Much so much

A FAMILY REUNION

On Friday, July 27th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tannery, Mr. Alfred Meador's family enjoyed a family reunion. The day before the reunion Mr. Meador was happily married to Mrs. Martha Willis of Sand Flat, in Cherokee county. They returned to Mr. Tannery's Thursday, where they met the remainder of the Meador family for a reunion.

All of Mr. Meador's family except Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parker and Mr. Carl Hardy were present. It was a very enjoyable affair for all who were present. It seemed to be a specially enjoyable day for the new bride and groom.

At the noon hour a very delicious dinner was spread from which all feasted sumptuously. W. P. Burrows, Joe R. Day and E. L. Tillery proved themselves unusually skillful in the art of getting on the outside of crowder peas, fried chicken, pickles, cakes, pies and butter milk, to say nothing of the dozens of other things, none of which they passed up.

In the afternoon a big freezer of ice cream was served to the guests. Throughout the day jokes and merriment of all kinds prevailed.

There were five children and eleven grandchildren present besides a few friends. Those who were present were: Mr. C. W. Tannery and family, Ed Tillery and daughter, Mr. J. A. Day and family of Shady Grove, Mr. John Meador and family, Mr. Alfred Meador and wife of Libby, Mr. Oscar Briley and family of Houston, Tom Briley of Swift, Mrs. Carl Hardy and children of Tallahassee, Fla., and Mr. Willis Burrows of Nacogdoches.

The guests departed at 5 o'clock with happy thoughts of the day and with best wishes for the bride and groom who will make his future home in the Libby community.

A Guest.

WHEN

We advertise we have something special to offer you.

I returned from a trip to Fort Worth a few days since, where I succeeded in getting some of the best bargains that I have seen in a long time and I am going to pass these bargains on to you.

We have received most of the goods we bought and are ready to show you.

We have the largest stock of goods that we have ever had in the house and are really crowded for room, and are anxious to sell.

Will mention a few articles as very special.

We secured another lot of those silk hose that have little mends in them, which the factory did not care to send out as perfect goods and sold them for less than a fourth of what their regular goods were sold for.

These little mends do not interfere with the appearance, nor the wear and many of them can only be found by close inspection.

I bought every pair of these I could find and would have bought more if I could have gotten them. Most of these hose are the same grade, which usually sell from one dollar and fifty cents to two dollars and fifty cents and they only cost you thirty-five cents a pair.

We have sold about three hundred pair of these in the last year or so, but have never been able to supply the demand.

Do not buy shoes before you see our line.

C. W. BUTT.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

There will be a teachers' examination on Friday and Saturday, August 17th and 18th. Those wishing to take the examination must register on or before August 6th.

EXETER M. LEWIS,
County Superintendent.

ERNEST W. MATTHEWS

A telegram from San Angelo came this morning announcing the death there of Ernest Whitfield Matthews of Melrose. Ernest was 42 years old, was one of the county's leading teachers, a Baptist, Knight of Pythias and a gentleman of the highest type. He was born at Melrose, where he lived practically his entire life. He was never married.

Besides a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Matthews, he leaves six brothers, John D., E. L., E. E., and G. A., all of Melrose and G. E. of Yoakum; and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Risinger of Beaumont and Mrs. Mattie Grimes of Alto.

SINGING AT HOLLY GROVE

There will be an all-day singing and dinner Saturday, August 11th, at Holly Grove. All are invited, singers especially.

Committee.

CAPT. STURDEVANT'S LETTER

Oakland, Cal., July 27, 1923

Sentinel:

So many things afoot, with irresistible force, crowded themselves into notice and attention during the past week that spare time is going at a premium. We left the beautiful city of Los Angeles and its lovely suburban resorts and headed up the coast for Frisco, via the Yosemite Valley.

We saw Hollywood, the "Universal City" and the hames and places of many famous movie actors. They speak of a hundred thousand dollars out here as if they were talking about "chinquapins." The most beautiful scenic road over which we have yet driven is between Los Angeles and Bakersfield, 28 miles of which is called the Mountain Way. It rises 3,500 feet in the most wonderful curves and sweeps imaginable, all pike and double-tracked—no danger, but trouble begins at 100 miles from Yosemite. We were nearly a day on the last 54 miles, as this world's wonder and beauty spot is not on the highway and only for the fact that hundreds of autos go over it each day it would soon be impassable, but tourists are a jolly set and willing to help if needed.

Going in on the Wywona road we passed through the "Big Tree" national reservation. Here again a ranger calls for your fire arms, which they unload and seal and hand back to you. The trees are so high that it makes you dizzy to look at their towering height. The road passes through several of these trees. Just think of driving a car through a tree and lots of room to spare. One of the largest of the "Grizzly Giant" is said to be the oldest living thing in the world. After passing through this forest we take a sky-scraping drive over the wildest and most rugged mountain tops to the "Government Control" station. Here you are again "checked in" by rangers and here you look down into the Yosemite Valley proper and drop 3,500 feet in four miles over a "one-way" pass. You put your car into low gear, set both your brakes and shut your eyes and trust to Providence. When you strike the bottom you find everything there under government control, and is a net-work of cement roads. Admission fee \$5.00 per car, which entitles you to a free camp place (pointed out to you by a ranger). It is all just like the pictures and beyond description. The road coming out toward San Francisco is much better. We left at noon and reached Stockton that night. We visited with our little friend and former neighbor, Miss Charlie Stinson. The next day we loafed into Oakland and visited with Mrs. Oscar Gowing, nee Fanteo Stinson. She has a beautiful little home in this residential portion of Frisco—across the bay. Fannie has two lovely children, the eldest a very bright and handsome boy three years old. Calls me "Uncle Link." We established headquarters at the Royal, an apartment hotel in Oakland and visited the city of San Francisco (by ferry boat) which is the only city of its kind in the world. We took it in, all day yesterday and its famous "China town" last night and are going about "dead on our feet" this a. m.

We are all well—and as Bosen Hardeman would say, "I am feeling as fine as a fiddle."

I contemplate starting to school on my return and learn several more languages, as the English fails to give superlatives enough for many occasions.

Truly, etc.,

L. L. Sturdevant.

MISS LACY TO BE ON PROGRAM

Lufkin News, 30th.

A meeting of the East Texas Old Fellows Association to be held in Nacogdoches on August 9. Miss Jennie Lacy of Lufkin appears on the program for a reading. J. W. Perritte of Nacogdoches is president of the association and states that many prominent Old Fellows will be in attendance. The morning session will be held in the Palace Theater and will be open to the public. Only the morning session will be open to the public, it is emphasized. Lieutenant Governor T. W. Davidson of Marshall is to deliver an address on Old Fellowship. The makers of the program are to be congratulated on securing Miss Lacy of this city for a reading inasmuch as her ability as a reader and impersonator is instantly recognized wherever she is heard.

Officers of the sheriff's department made an anti-liquor raid at Maytown Saturday night and arrested Harrison Perrymore, charged with possessing and selling liquor; G. W. Furlow, possessing equipment and having mash in his possession; and Dock Johnson, selling and possessing liquor.

A woman accustomed to street car manners must be surprised when she gets to the legislature and finds no straps provided for women.

PREPARE TO MAKE MONEY HANDLING COTTON THIS YEAR.

This year's cotton crop will be at least twelve million bales. Prepare to help handle this enormous crop. It requires only four weeks in our institution to become thoroughly familiar with the classing and handling of this most important product of the South. If you act quickly you can be ready.

We have the largest and best equipped sample room in the state, with a solid glass wall on the north to afford proper light. This room was constructed on top of our big three story building especially for teaching the grading and marketing of cotton.

With the ever increasing demand for help along this line, you should prepare immediately. A number are now taking our cotton classing course because they realize what an opportunity is open to the expert on cotton. The farmer would make much more than he does if he could grade and staple his product, because he is completely at the mercy of the buyer when he does not know one grade from another.

Read What Some of Our Recent Graduates Say About Us.

Tyler, Texas, May 23, 1923.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that we, as cotton classers, are but a few of the number that come to the Tyler Commercial College to learn the cotton business. Our respective counties have sent us here and we feel that they have made no mistake in selecting Tyler Commercial College as the school is second to none in efficiency and equipment, climatical and healthful conditions are the best.

Public cotton classers, farmers and business men who handle cotton should attend Tyler Commercial College and learn to class, staple and sample cotton in a practical manner so that they may be in a position to handle their cotton in a more intelligent and profitable manner. We highly recommend Tyler Commercial College to anyone desiring a commercial training and especially in cotton classing.

Yours for the Farmers Labor Union of America and the Tyler Commercial College.

Paul Cisco, Collin County, Texas.

G. A. Floyd, Cherokee County, Texas.

J. B. Smith, Wood County, Texas.

J. G. Hewlett, Collin County, Texas.

J. C. Houston, Collin County, Texas.

J. A. Long, Collin County, Texas.

C. Warrin, Collin County, Texas.

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LUFKINITES TAKE LEAD

Zeno Cox informed a Sentinel man today that Mr. J. E. Hambrick of Lufkin is the first to begin actual construction on a college boarding house. Mr. Cox reports that Mr. Hambrick is building a 10-room house on Elm street in Northmound Place, and that when the building is completed Mr. Hambrick will bring enough boarders from his own community to fill his house.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

Nothing unusual about that. Lufkin and Angelina county citizens, at home and elsewhere, have taken the lead so often and so persistently, that it would really be surprising were there none of them leading off over in Naughty Nacogdoches.—Lufkin News, 28th.

John L. Cook, a progressive farmer east of town, was here Tuesday and reported his cotton in good condition—much better than last year—which he attributes to the intensive cultivation he has given it. He "laid by" Monday. Mr. Cook said he knew of quite a number of farmers who had poor crops because they had not plowed deep enough. "Work" is his watchword, and if all farmers would properly cultivate their crops, there need be no failures in this section. In other words, "elbow grease" is the lubricant which makes the wheels go round, and if this is not applied liberally there is bound to be a slowing down in production. He has no worms in his cotton, Mr. Cook stated. He will soon begin picking.

In the absence of any report or statement from Henry Cabot Lodge it is assumed he is too busy on his vacation to comment on recent political events.

RUNNING HORSE RACES FEATURE OF STATE FAIR

Seven Days' Program, With Six Races Daily, Announced for 1923 Exposition

Horse racing will be revived at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 13-23 this year.

The races are to be an added attraction of the amusement program. There will be six running events daily, for seven days, beginning Saturday, Oct. 13 and ending Saturday, Oct. 20.

For the second week of the Fair, each afternoon before the grandstand, a great rodeo and "stampedo," detailing ranch life in Texas, as it was in pioneer days, will be a feature.

Total purses of nearly twenty thousand dollars will be offered for the several racing events, including "The Texas Derby" and two handicaps, dates for which will be announced later. The Texas Derby will probably be run on Dallas Day at the Fair.

The greatest interest has been manifested in the races, and some of the best horses in the country will be entered. New quarters to accommodate at least two hundred thoroughbreds are now being constructed, and additional bars will be completed well before the opening date of the Fair and race meet.

STATE FAIR POULTRY SHOW HIS HOBBY



WALTER BURTON

Superintendent Poultry Department

Walter Burton, superintendent of the State Fair Poultry Department, has made the annual Poultry Show at the State Fair of Texas, his hobby. It has been his ambition to make the State Fair show each year, one of the leading shows in the country. Increased show space and better facilities will be found this year, thanks to his effort.

SAV'S MANY HOLSTEINS COMING TO STATE FAIR



OTIS BROWN

Secretary Holstein-Friesian Club of Texas

Holstein-Friesian breeders throughout Texas will attend the State Fair, Oct. 23-28 next in greater numbers than ever before, according to Otis Brown of Irving, Secretary of the Holstein-Friesian Breeders' Club of Texas. Mr. Brown expects an exhibit of Holsteins at the 1923 State Fair that will eclipse any previous showing of the popular breed.

CALIFORNIA TO JUDGE SHEEP AND GOAT SHOW

B. F. Miller of the University of California, will judge sheep and goats at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 13-23. Mr. Miller is a recognized authority, and comes highly recommended by the animal husbandry department, A. & M. College of Texas. Before coming to Dallas for the State Fair, he will have judged at the San Angelo Fair.

Boys and girls of the State Farm Clubs had a wonderful time during the State Fair encampment of 1922. They'll have a far better one at the 1923 encampment. Fair dates this year, Oct. 13-23. See premium lists for dates and details.

"Jim Hogg," a Texas-bred horse, won a famous running race on the State Fair track some years ago. At the 1923 State Fair races, Oct. 13-23, the name of some other famous Texas may figure among the winners.

July Anniversary Sale

Shoe Specials in Anniversary Sale

700 pairs Ladies' Strap and Lace Oxfords, \$3.00 to \$3.50 values, On Sale at ----- \$2.45

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During the Sale there will be reduced prices on our entire stock of high grade slippers and oxfords. They will be sold at reduced prices, regardless of style.

Men's Black Dress Shoes, on Sale at ----- \$2.95

Men's \$4.00 to \$5.00 Walkover Oxfords at ----- \$3.95

Men's and Boys' Tan Work Shoes on Sale at ----- \$1.95

Special Hosiery Sale

Ladies Silk Hose; colors of black, cordovan, white, grey, flesh and champagne; 75c to \$1.25 values ----- 50c

Ladies' Pure Silk Hose, all colors, \$1.25 value ----- 95c

Children's Socks, white with colored tops, 50c value ----- 25c

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The jury probably wouldn't call it correct this sentence: "My dear," murder when the man at the next said the other woman, "I positively desk begins his hard hour of whist—didn't know it was a made-over dress ling, "Yes, We Have No Bananas." until you told me."

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PRESIDENT BE RUSHED
BACK TO WASHINGTON

San Francisco, Cal., July 30.—President Harding will be rushed back to Washington on a special train as soon as he recovers from his present illness sufficiently to travel—probably within two weeks. Further developments in the condition of the president, who is ill as the result of an attack of ptomaine poisoning, are being awaited today by his physician.

There's always a darker side—Jackie Coogan's parents can't use him as an income tax exemption.

The choke helps to start the car. If only the thing had an appliance to choke the driver and stop it.

RESTAURANT OWNER
RUNS AMUCK, KILLED ONE

Fort Worth, Texas, July 30.—Tony Hernandez, a cafe owner who ran amuck last night, killing one employee and probably fatally injuring his wife and her brother, was captured by the police today. He had cut his throat but succeeded to recover.

Rev. M. L. Farr, pastor of the Methodist church at Chireno, and Rev. C. H. Adams, pastor at Timpson, were in the city Monday morning. These ministers closed a very successful revival meeting Sunday night in the Methodist church at Chireno.

DESERT GOLD

by ZANE GREY
Author of Riders of the Purple Sage, Wildfire, Etc.



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(Continued from Last Week.)

CHAPTER XVIII
Reality Against Dreams.

Dick Gale was standing bowed over Nell's slight form, almost hidden in his arms. Belding hugged them both. He was like a boy. He saw Ben Chase and his son slip away under the trees, but the circumstances meant nothing to him then.

"Dick! Dick!" he roared. "Is it you? . . . Say, who do you think's here—here, in Forlorn River?" It was then three more persons came upon the scene—Elsie Gale, running swiftly, her father assisting Mrs. Gale, who appeared about to faint.

"Belding! Who on earth's that?" cried Dick, hoarsely. "Quien sabe, my son," replied Belding; and now his voice seemed a little shaky. "Nell, come here. Give him a chance."

Belding slipped his arm round Nell, and whispered in her ear. "This'll be great!" Elsie Gale's face was white and agitated, a face expressing extreme joy.

"Oh, brother! Mamma saw you—papa saw you, and never knew you! But I knew you when you jumped quick—that way—off your horse. And now I don't know you. You wild man! You giant! You splendid barbarian!"

"Mamma, papa, hurry! It is Dick! Look at him. Just look at him! Oh-h, thank God!" Belding turned away and drew Nell with him. In another second she and Mercedes were clasped in each other's arms. Then followed a time of joyful greetings all round. Diablo found his old spirit; Blanco Sol tossed his head and whistled his satisfaction; White Woman pranced to and fro; and presently they all settled down to quiet grazing. How good it was for Belding to see those white shapes against the rich background of green! His eyes glistened. It was a sight he had never expected to see again. He lingered there many moments when he wanted to hurry back to his rangers.

At last he tore himself away from watching Blanco Diablo and returned to the house. It was only to find that he might have spared himself the hurry. Jim and Ladd were lying on the beds that had not held them for so many months. Their slumber seemed as deep and quiet as death. Curiously Belding gazed down upon them. They had removed only boots and chaps. Their clothes were in tatters. Jim appeared little more than skin and bones, a long shape, dark and hard as iron. Ladd's appearance shocked Belding. The ranger looked an old man, blasted, shriveled, starved.

About the middle of the forenoon, on the following day the rangers hobbled out of the kitchen to the porch. "I'm a sick man, I tell you," Ladd was complaining, "an' I gotta be fed. Soup! Beef tea! That ain't so much as wind to me. I want about a barrel of bread an' butter, an' a whole platter of mashed potatoes with gravy an' green stuff—all kinds of green stuff—an' a whole big apple pie. Give me everything an' anything to eat but meat. Shore I never, never want to taste meat again, an' sight of a piece of sheep meat would jest about finish me. . . . Jim, you used to be a human being that stood up for Charlie Ladd."

"Laddy, I'm lined up beside you with both guns," replied Jim, plaintively. "Hungry? Say, the smell of breakfast in that kitchen made my mouth water so I near choked to death. I reckon we're gettin' most onhuman treatment."

"But I'm a sick man," protested Ladd, "an' I'm a-goin' to fall over in a minute if somebody don't feed me. Nell, you used to be fond of me." "Oh, Laddy, I am yet," replied Nell. "Shore, I don't believe it. Any girl with a tender heart just couldn't let a man starve under her eyes. . . . Look at Dick, there. I'll bet he's had something to eat, mebbe potatoes an' gravy, an' pie an—"

"Laddy, Dick has had no more than I gave you—indeed, not nearly so much." "Shore he's had a lot of kisses then, for he hasn't hollered out about this treatment."

"Perhaps he has," said Nell, with a blush; "and if you think that—they would help you to be reasonable I might—"

"Well, powerful fond as I am of you, just now kisses'll have to run second to bread an' butter." "Oh, Laddy, what a gallant speech!" laughed Nell. "I'm sorry, but I've dad's orders."

"Laddy," interrupted Belding, "you've got to be broke in gradually to eatin'. Now you know that. You'd be the severest kind of a boss if you had some starved beggars on your hands."

"But I'm sick—I'm dyin'," howled Ladd. "You were never sick in your life, and if all the bullet holes I see in you couldn't kill you, why, you never will die."

"Can I smoke?" queried Ladd, with sudden animation. "My Gawd, I used to smoke. Shore I've forgot. Nell, if you want to be reinstated in my gallery of angels, just find me a pipe an' tobacco."

"I've hung onto my pipe," said Jim, thoughtfully. "I reckon I had it empty in my mouth for seven years or so, wasn't it, Laddy? A long time! I can see the red lava an' the red haze, an' the red twilight creepin' up. It was hot an' some lonely. Then the wind, and always that awful silence! An' always Yaqui watchin' the west, an' Laddy with his checkers, an' Mercedes burnin' up, wastin' away to nothin' but eyes! It's all there—I'll never get rid—"

"Chop that kind of talk," interrupted Belding, bluntly. "Tell us where Yaqui took you—what happened to Rojas—why you seemed lost for so long."

"I reckon Laddy can tell all that best; but when it come to Rojas' finish I'll tell what I seen, an' so'll Dick an' Thorne. Laddy missed Rojas' finish. Bar none, that was the—"

"I'm a sick man, but I can talk," put in Ladd, "an' shore I don't want the whole story exaggerated none by Jim." Ladd filled the pipe Nell brought, puffed ecstatically at it, and settled himself upon the bench for a long talk. He talked for two hours—talked till his voice weakened to a tusk whisper. At the conclusion of his story there was an impressive silence. Then Elsie Gale stood up, and with her hand on Dick's shoulder, her eyes bright and warm as sunlight, she showed the rangers what a woman thought of them and of the Yaqui. Nell clung to Dick, weeping silently. Mrs. Gale was overcome, and Mr. Gale, very white and quiet, helped her up to her room.

Early in the afternoon of the next day Belding encountered Dick at the water barrel. "Belding, this is river water, and muddy at that," said Dick. "I've known I'm not kicking. But I've dreamed some of our cool running spring, and I want a drink from it."

"Never again, son. The spring's gone, faded, sunk, dry as dust." "Dry?" Dick slowly straightened. "We've had rains. The river's full. The spring out to be overflowing. What's wrong? Why is it dry?"

"Dick, seeing you're interested, I may as well tell you that a big charge of nitroglycerin choked my spring." "Nitroglycerin?" echoed Gale. Then he gave a quick start. "My mind's been on home, Nell, my family. But all the same I felt something was wrong here with the ranch, with you, with Nell. . . . Belding, that ditch there is dry. The roses are dead. The little green in that grass has come with the rains. What's happened? The ranch's run down. Now I look around I see a change."

"Some change, yes," replied Belding, bitterly. "Listen, son." Briefly, but not the less forcibly for that, Belding related his story of the operations of the Chases. With deep voice that had many a break and tremor he told Gale how Nell had been hounded by Radford Chase, how her mother had been driven by Ben Chase—the whole sad story.

"So that's the trouble! Poor little girl!" murmured Gale, brokenly. "I felt something was wrong. Nell wasn't natural, like her old self." "It was hard on Nell," said Belding, simply. "But it'll be better now you're here. Dick, I know the girl. She'll refuse to marry you and you'll have a hard job to break her down, as hard as the one you just rode in off of. I think I know you, too, or I wouldn't be saying—"

perhaps there was a sad error—but the thing you fear is not true. But, hear me, dearest; even if it was true it wouldn't make the slightest difference to me. I want you all the more to be my wife—to let me make you forget—"

"She rose swiftly with the passionate abandon of a woman stirred to her depths, and she kissed him." "Oh, Dick, you're good—so good! You'll never know—just what those words mean to me. They've saved me—I think."

"Then, dearest, it's all right?" Dick questioned, eagerly. "You will keep your promise? You will marry me?" The glow, the light faded out of her face, and now the blue eyes were almost black. She drooped and shook her head.

"They had forgotten Belding, who stepped back into the shade. 'I love you with my whole heart and soul. I'd die for you,' whispered Nell, with clenching hands. 'But I won't disgrace you. Dick, you give not one thought to your family. Would they receive me as your wife?'"

"The surely would," replied Gale, steadily. "No, oh no!" "You're wrong, Nell. I'm glad you said that. You give me a chance to prove something. I'll go this minute and tell them all. I'll be back here in less than—"

"Dick, you will not tell her—your mother?" cried Nell, with her eyes streaming. "You will not? Oh, I can't bear it! She's so proud! And, Dick, I love her. Don't tell her! Please, please don't! She'll be going soon. She needn't ever know—about me. Please don't go!"

"Nell, I'm sorry. I hate to hurt you. But you're wrong. You can't see things clearly. This is your happiness I'm fighting for. And it's my life. . . . Wait here, dear. I won't be long."

Gale ran across the patio and disappeared. Nell sank to the doorstep, and as she met the question in Belding's eyes she shook her head mournfully. They waited without speaking. It seemed a long while before Gale returned. Belding thrilled at sight of him. There was more boy about him than Belding had ever seen. Dick was coming swiftly, flushed, glowing, eager, erect, almost smiling.

"I told them. I swore it was a lie, but I wanted them to decide as if it were true. I didn't have to waste a minute on Elsie. She loves you, Nell. The governor is crazy about you. I didn't have to waste two minutes on him. Mother used up the time. She wanted to know all there was to tell. She is proud, yes; but, Nell, I wish you could have seen how she took the—the story about you. Why, she never thought of me at all, until she had cried over you. Nell, she loves you, too. They all love you. Oh, it's so good to tell you. I think mother realizes the part you have had in the—what shall I call it?—the regeneration of Richard Gale. Doesn't that sound fine? Darling, mother not only consents, she wants you to be my wife. Do you hear that? And listen—she had me in a corner and, of course, being my mother, she put on the screws. She made me promise that we'd live in the East half the year. That means Chicago, Cape May, New York—you see, I'm not exactly the last son any more. Why, Nell, dear, you'll have to learn who Dick Gale really is. . . . But I always want to be the ranger you helped me become, and ride Blanco Sol, and see a little of the desert. Don't let the idea of big cities frighten you. We'll always love the open places best. Now."

"Point out this Radford Chase to me," said Gale. "There! The big fellow with the red face. His eyes stick out a little. See! He's dropped his cards and his face isn't red any more."

Dick strode across the room. His heavy boot shot up, and with a crash the table split, and glasses, cards, chips flew everywhere. As they rattled down and the chairs of the dumfounded players began to slide Dick called out: "My name is Gale. I'm looking for Mr. Radford Chase."

A tall, heavy-shouldered fellow rose, boldly enough, even swaggeringly and glowered at Gale. "I'm Radford Chase," he said. His voice betrayed the boldness of his action.

It was over in a few moments. The tables and chairs were tumbled into a heap; a pool table had been shoved aside; a lamp lay shattered, with oil running dark upon the floor. Ladd leaned against a post with a smoking gun in his hand. A Mexican crouched close to the wall moaning over a broken arm. In the far corner upheld by comrades another wounded Mexican cried out in pain. These two had attempted to draw weapons upon Gale and Ladd had crippled them.

In the center of the room lay Radford Chase, a limp, torn, bulging, bloody figure. He was not seriously injured. But he was helpless, a miserable beaten wretch, who knew his condition and felt the eyes upon him. He sobbed and moaned and howled. But no one offered to help him to his feet.

Backed against the door of the hall stood Ben Chase, for once stripped of all authority and confidence and courage. Dick Gale confronted him. He shook a huge gloved fist in Chase's face. "Your gray hairs save you this time. But keep out of my way! And when that son of yours comes to, tell him every time I meet him, I'll add some more to what he got today!"

"Dear Nell, I'm sure the worst of your trouble is over," he said, gently. "I will not give you up. Now, won't you lie down, try to rest and calm yourself! Don't grieve any more. This thing isn't so bad as you make it. Trust me. I'll shut Mr. Radford Chase's mouth."

As he released her she glanced quickly up at him, then lifted appealing hands. "Dick, you won't hunt for him—go after him?"

Gale laughed, and the laugh made Belding jump. "Dick, I cannot keep you back?" "No," he said.

Then the woman in her burst through instinctive fear, and with her eyes blazing black in her white face she lifted parted quivering lips and kissed him.

Gale left the patio, and Belding followed closely at his heels. They went through the sitting-room. Outside upon the porch sat the rangers, Mr. Gale, and Thorne. Dick went into his room without speaking.

"Shore somethin's comin' off," said Ladd, sharply; and he sat up with his keen eyes narrowing. Belding spoke a few words; and, remembering an impression he had wished to make upon Mr. Gale, he made them strong.

"Better stop that boy," he concluded, looking at Mr. Gale. "He'll do some mischief. He's wilder'n a—"

Just then Dick came out of his door. "Richard, where are you going?" asked his father.

"I'm going to beat a dog." Then Dick strode off the porch. "Hold on!" Ladd's voice would have stopped almost any man. "Dick, you wasn't agoin' without me?"

"Yes, I was. But I'm thoughtful just now, Laddy." "Shore you was. Wait a minute, Dick. I'm a sick man, but at that nobody can pull any stunts round here without me."

He hobbled along the porch and went into his room. Jim Lash knocked the ashes out of his pipe, and, humming his dance tune, he followed Ladd. In a moment the rangers appeared, and both were packing guns.

"Where will we find these Chases?" asked Dick of Belding. "They've got a place down the road adjoining the inn. They call it their club. At this hour Radford will be there sure. I don't know about the old man. But his office is now just across the way."

They passed several houses, turned a corner into the main street, and stopped at a wide, low adobe structure. The place was a hall, and needed only a bar to make it a saloon. A large table near a window was surrounded by a noisy, smoking, drinking circle of card-players.

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WOOD IN THE WRONG PLACE

The merit of various elements that have combined to produce the latest explosion in our imperial conduct of Philippine affairs can not be clearly ascribed at this distance. Governor General Wood, in reinstating a civil servant, without consulting native ministers, may have acted as a wise civil administrator would or he may merely have acted as the letter of the law permitted him to act, which is something else entirely.

In any event, it is not necessary to be thoroughly familiar with circumstances preceding the present storm nor to attempt to weigh the wisdom of the governor general or of the cabinet and council of state which have resigned. It was a fact before the president rumpus, and it still is, that a military officer is the last man on earth to send to a land ostensibly being prepared for self-government.

Wood is such a man. We may or may not be a valuable public servant where an iron hand and the military technique are requisite. He is out of place in purely civil office because his career has equipped him for nothing but administration in the military manner. Our government, through other governors and in such legislation as the Jones Bill, has assiduously fostered the dream of impending freedom in the islands; the man to direct that dream is not Leonard Wood.

The fault lies in that "he" has brought an atmosphere, a spirit, to the islands, that is unwholesome and irksome to a race with pride and high intelligence. Filipino complain that he wishes "to intervene and control even to the smallest details our government both insular and local in order to disregard of native officials." It is easy to believe that military for the military in civil authority is a standard type.

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Walter Daniels of Cushing was here on business Thursday.

J. B. Lilly was here Friday from his farm home near Appleby.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Whitebread have returned from a trip to the coast country.

Mr. J. W. Cariker, well-known merchant and business man of Cushing was here today on business.

Editor George Watford of Lufkin, with Mrs. Watford, visited in our city today.

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D. W. Filler, owner of the Urbana Sand & Gravel Co., Urbana, Texas, was here today on business.

Oliver Skeeters, leading merchant of Appleby, was on our streets Friday.

H. E. Sparkman of Dallas, representing the Texas Mutual Insurance Company, was a visitor here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Beeson have returned from Tyler, where the latter had been on an extended visit.

J. O. Newberry of the S. P. family was here on business Friday.

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Judge E. A. Berry, with the legal department of the S. P. Lines, Houston, was busy here yesterday in our courts.

Mrs. P. H. McLain returned Thursday afternoon from a visit of several days with her parents and other relatives at Moscow.

Dewey Fountain and Miss Winnie Humphreys of Garrison were married at 9 o'clock Thursday night by Judge Frank Huston at his home here.

Andy Legg, alcalde of the Eden and all the surrounding country, was here on business Friday. He reports a light rain in his section Thursday morning, and that cotton prospects are fair.

Rev. J. D. Kelly of Shelby county and Rev. Sam H. Davis of the Union Cross community are holding a successful revival meeting at Rock Springs church, 3 miles south of Douglass.

Rev. L. D. White of Crockett was a caller at the Chamber of Commerce office Friday. Mr. White is thinking of sending his daughter to the college when it opens in September.

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Prof. R. G. Upton of Port Arthur is here today in conference with Dr. Birdwell.

Harry Hewitt from Nac-Luf, was here today with a nice lot of catfish caught out of the Angelina river near the old Spradley crossing.

Mr. M. D. Dewberry and Misses Ora Vella Dewberry and Bertha May Treadaway, all of Sacul, were callers at the chamber of commerce office today, asking for information about the opening of the college.

Mr. George Grimes of Alto, an experienced salesman, has accepted a clerkship with Mayer & Schmidt, taking the position formerly occupied by Mr. Richard Hall, whose friends hope he may remain in the city.

Mrs. J. D. Sanders of DeRidder, La., who has been visiting with the family of Mrs. Will Sanders, left Friday night with Mrs. R. L. Perry for New York.

Messrs. H. H. Powell and B. L. Burkett of White City were callers here today looking for a suitable location for the establishment of a college boarding house. Messrs. Powell and Burkett are also prospective students of the college.

O. D. Smith of the Spring Hill community had business at the county superintendent's office Saturday morning. He is one of the strong school boosters of the county and never lets an opportunity pass to further our educational interests.

C. C. Gage of Minden and Dr. D. P. Deason of Henderson were visitors here Friday. Dr. Deason is the father of our fellow-townsmen, Dr. Kin Deason. The Deason family has been prominent in Rusk county for 60 years.

A. A. Meador of the Newell's Mill neighborhood and Mrs. Martha Willis of Alto, were married by Judge F. D. Huston at 7 o'clock Thursday night at the judge's residence in this city.

Miss Exier Lewis, county superintendent of schools, returned Thursday from the meeting of the National Educational Association at Oakland, Cal. She reports a most delightful trip through the wonder land of America and feels well repaid for the journey.

Miss Edna Baxter and Mrs. Lovet from Camden were callers at the Chamber of Commerce office Wednesday afternoon. Miss Baxter came up to select a lot on which her mother plans to build a large boarding house for college students. Miss Baxter is a daughter of Ed Baxter, who once lived in Nacogdoches.

CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES
Worms and parasites in the intestines of children undermine health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the health or activity of the child. Price 35c. Sold by SWIFT BROS & SMITH

A GENTLEMAN OF THE OLD SCHOOL

Through the courtesy of Mr. Orland Patton the Sentinel man was privileged to meet Mr. P. R. Ward, representing A. E. L. Hasse & Company of St. Louis. Mr. Ward has been "making" Nacogdoches for 44 years. When asked about the difference between the Nacogdoches of 1879 and the Nacogdoches of 1923, Mr. Ward said: "From the standpoint of my business, your city was just about ten times as good when I first made it in 1879 as it is today." The Sentinel man gasped for air and braced himself to keep from toppling over. Here stood a square built, up-standing Hibernian who declared that the Nacogdoches of '79 was ten times as good for his business as the 'Doches of '23. "You sold Old Forrester or Coon Hollow or Four Roses or Hill & Hill," or—the reporter was rushing his memory for certain names and brands of the long ago, when the visitor interrupted to explain that his principal line then as now was salt mackerel. "Yes, sir, your town in common with all towns throughout this section, and even with the cities, used practically ten times as much salt mackerel forty years ago as you use today."

Asked for an explanation of this fact, Mr. Ward stated that it was due almost entirely to the fact that in the pioneer days the average family consumed staple products only and neither knew nor cared about knickknacks, dainties, etc. Your townpeople, as well as your country customers, used to buy staples that would "stick" to the ribs. They didn't know about a hundred and one of the dainties that are daily found on the tables of Mr. Average Citizen. Salt mackerel is good, staple food.

"It is surprising how appetizing a well cured one-pound salt mackerel really is."

When asked about the source of the best quality of mackerel Mr. Ward explained that more than half of all the mackerel on the market comes from Norway. The mackerel of our southern waters while very fine when eaten fresh, will not keep when packed, Mr. Ward explained.

"But I must not leave any wrong impressions about your little city. It is one of the most attractive and one of the liveliest towns in all the country. I know I make the whole country south of St. Louis. And I'm not spoofing you one bit when I say that your city is really a very charming place."

Mr. Ward consented to tell one Irish joke. Rather it was a typical Irish incident, and not a joke. Here it is:

"Joe Murphey was one of the famous comedians of Hibernian extraction whose popularity among the Irish Biddies and Paddies of the eighties ran high. I recall that on one occasion when Joe was entertaining a big St. Louis audience he said:

"I was born in the county of Donegal, where they eat pertaties, jacket and all. A big Irish Biddie down in the front row arose and, shaking her big red fist at Joe, shouted, 'Y're a liar, sir! A big liar. I was born near Donegal and its many a pertatie I've peeled myself in the old country!'"

Jim Christian, Horace Spradley, John Baugh, Mr. Shumway and other melon growers have shipped two carloads of good melons and are today loading out a third car. The first car averaged 38 pounds per melon and sold for 90 cents per hundred pounds. It will require but a little calculation to prove that melons at this price are more profitable on our light sandy soils than almost any other crop we can grow.

Zeno Cox reports the sale of an 8-acre tract lying west of Henry Miller's place to Frank M. Elackwell of Houston. Mr. Blackwell looked the property over Thursday afternoon and closed the deal with the statement that he wanted to build a home in some high class community where he could spend the evening of life in quiet and contentment. Mr. Blackwell has been in the employ of the Gulf Pipe Line Company of 22 years.

The historic Old Stone Fort corner is undergoing some important changes. Under the direction of City Engineer Forsgard the curb and sidewalk at this corner are being cut back three feet which will just give that much added and much needed width to the street at that point. The big stone marker that stands on this corner will be set back to correspond with the new curb.

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MRS. D. Y. DOWLING

The friends and acquaintances of Mrs. D. Y. Dowling of Ozark, Ala., will regret to learn that she passed away on July 20, 1923, after a short illness.

She was visiting her married sons in Shreveport and was to have visited relatives and friends in Nacogdoches before returning home.

She died at the home of Tolbert Dowling in Gloster, La., having gone down there for a short visit before leaving Shreveport for Nacogdoches.

She passed away about 2:45 Friday morning.

She died from an acute attack of facial erysipelas, which went to her heart.

She was buried in Ozark, Ala., by the side of her husband, who preceded her one year and one month.

Mrs. D. Y. Dowling was born July 13, 1846, and died July 20, 1923.

Mr. Dowling and family were old residents of Nacogdoches. He was in the furniture business here and later sold out and moved back to Ozark, Ala.

IMPROVING HOLDINGS

Dr. Louis Munzeshheimer of Dallas, manager of the Caro Land & Cattle Company, is spending some time in Caro making needed improvements. The beautiful lake belonging to this company is being enlarged and reinforced by the addition of a concrete dam. Mr. Munzeshheimer reports that some miscreant has been dynamiting the lake. It would seem that the small percent of our people who yet believe in this wasteful practice of getting fish would at least be willing to confine their efforts to the streams and natural bodies of water, and would refrain from destroying private property.

IT'S OUT NOW

A. B. Stoddard, farmer and merchant of Appleby, was here Friday. When seen by a Sentinel man, Mr. Stoddard was holding one side of his face in his hands. In reply to the question, "What's the matter, A. B.," he replied, "Bad tooth. It's out now. Tooth ache ought to be limited to the women. They have nerve to go to the dentist. Men don't; at least, I didn't. Wife made me go. Said I'd been acting like a sore-headed bear for three days. I told her that a bear with the sore head had a picnic compared to a man with toothache. It's so, too, Don't think she believed me. Doctor says it'll feel good when it quits hurting. Hope he's right."

WANTS SECRET KEPT

In his rounds Friday the Sentinel man met Miss Susie Massey, our charming and efficient deputy county clerk. When asked for an interview Miss Susie cheerfully consented.

"When will your wedding be announced?"
"O, my goodness, gracious," she replied, "don't do that. You see, it's this way. I have several handsome fellows on the string and I'm busy giving 'em the O. O. If I should announce a date, every one of 'em would want to know right away if he was the lucky guy. Don't do it."

And Miss Susie went on her way, scattering sunshine and good cheer that goes far toward sweetening life's every day tasks.

A WELCOME NEWCOMER

Floyd Bone, one of the representative farmers of the Douglass community, was a caller at the Chamber of Commerce office Friday. Mr. Bone is thinking of moving to Nacogdoches about the first of the year. When asked about crop conditions in the western section of the county Mr. Bone said:

"We had a light rain Thursday morning which will benefit cotton considerably. The rain was much heavier in the little Loco community than in the Douglass community. Some crops have suffered for lack of rain. My own crop is the best I have made in five years."

Mr. Bone stated that he understood a number of the young people of his community would enter the college in September.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Santa Cordway of the Harmony community died at 3 o'clock Friday morning after a brief illness. Interment was arranged for Friday afternoon in the neighborhood cemetery.

Mrs. Penman, wife of the doctor so brutally murdered at Beaumont a few days ago, was well known in the Melrose community, this county, where her grandfather, Charles McRae, resided during part of his life. The people of that neighborhood will sympathize with the good woman in her terrible bereavement.

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ELECTED DEAN OF WOMEN AT ALEXANDER COLLEGE

Mrs. V. L. Perry has been elected Dean of Women at Alexander College at Jacksonville, Texas, and will leave the last of August for Jacksonville to have everything in readiness at the girls' dormitory for the opening of school on September 18. Mrs. Perry will have entire charge of the girls' dormitory at the college, the board having recently combined the offices of dean and matron. Her son will accompany her to Jacksonville and will be entered in Alexander College this fall.

The many friends of Mrs. Perry will be interested to learn of her new work and their best wishes will follow her to her new location. She is a most excellent christian woman of high ideals and well fitted for the position to which she has been elected.

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Calotabs are sold only in original, sealed packages, price 35 cents for the large family size; ten cents for the small, trial size. Your druggist is authorized to refund the price as a guarantee that you will be thoroughly delighted with Calotabs.—(Adv.)

W. R. Wilson of Chireno was here today on business. Speaking of conditions in his little city, Mr. Wilson said: "You can say that Chireno is looking forward to the biggest volume of fall business in her history. Our prospect for cotton was never better. We are installing new and up-to-date gin machinery. Oscar Buckner's gin that has stood on the highway 7 miles north of Chireno, is being moved to our city. This will give us two splendidly equipped ginning plants. Also we are having the Chireno-Etoile road and the Chireno-Black Jack-Martinsville road put up in good shape. We are going out after business and expect to give the service that will get it. Come to Chireno."

MOSQUITOES ARE DYING BY THE BILLIONS!

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W. P. Faulk and Oscar Floyd, two of Garrison's hustling young business men, were here today. When asked about conditions in the north end of the county, Mr. Faulk replied, "We didn't get as much rain as you Nacogdoches fellows got." The reporter attempted to pull the old gag about the necessity of paying the preacher if you expect rain, when Faulk shot in with something that sounded like Scripture. Not being very familiar with sacred lore, the reporter didn't quite catch the exact words, but they sounded something like this: "He sendeth rain to the just and the unjust alike." Oscar Floyd and W. P. Faulk are always welcome to Nacogdoches whether they come on business or pleasure.

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From Waco, Texas, made by Tom Padgett Co.—Over fifty years in business—they don't hurt your horse.

(Padgett's ad has been carried in the Halton papers for over forty years.)

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All soaps will cleanse, but they will not destroy disease germs. Germicidal Soap not only removes grease and dirt from the hands, but it destroys disease germs and perspiration odors.

Germicidal Soap is three things in one: a cleanser, a germicide, and a deodorant.

Germicidal Soap is a good general soap for toilet and bath purposes. It frees the skin from perspiration odors, from the germs of infection, as well as the tiny parasites that cause skin eruptions.

Get a cake of Germicidal Soap today. Price 25 cents.

Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Dr. Harrison of Appleby was here today on business.

Senator Fairchild of Lufkin was a visitor here today.

Charlie Heitman made an auto trip to Wills Point Sunday, returning in the evening.

Miss Myrtle Mathews of San Augustine was a visitor in the city Sunday.

Miss Margaret Houston of Alto was among the visitors in the city Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Booth, accompanied by her children, is at Center for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Ellis Hall.

Misses Clara Belle and Vera Lou Bright returned Monday to their home in Longview after a week's visit here with their cousin, Miss Vallie Bright.

Miss Mary Lee Walton is spending a week in Houston, a guest of the families of her uncles, John and Ralph Walton.

Mr. Hal K. Brown, the well-known cotton man, returned Sunday afternoon from a visit to Waco, Dallas and other points.

Mr. Charles E. H. Pearsons left Monday for Jasper to pack and ship his household goods to Nacogdoches. He expects to return Friday.

Ernest Nobles, colored, was brought in the first of the week by Constable Ragland of Chireno, who had arrested him on a charge of carrying a pistol.

Oscar Strahan, superintendent of a big compress at McKinney, accompanied by his son, Eugene, was a week-end visitor with relatives and old-time friends in Nacogdoches.

R. L. Jordan and Miss Birdie Johnson of the Alazan community were married at 2:30 a. m. Sunday by Judge Frank Huston at his home in this city.

Mrs. William B. Chandler of Ida, La., was expected to arrive in the city Monday afternoon for a visit with her sister, Miss Dorothy Washburn.

Mr. J. P. Sharp of Cushing was a caller at the chamber of commerce office Monday. Mr. Sharp is the father of Mrs. F. A. Beall of our city and is one of the leading farmers of the county.

Mrs. L. D. Crecelius and daughter, Miss Vida, were callers at the chamber of commerce office Monday in quest of information about the college and the opportunities it offers.

Hall Smith, job artist in the Redland Herald office, has gone to Longview to visit homefolks and join his company of the Texas National Guard on the trip to Camp Mabry for two weeks' instruction.

We have several Tyler Commercial College scholarships on hand and can save some young lady or young man several dollars on any number desired. Call and investigate this chance. Sentinel Office. d&wtf

FOR SALE—My residence and 11 vacant lots on Irion Hill, also 97 acres of good land near the normal school. Apply to M. A. Burnham at shop on North street. 31-6dwl

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. King of Houston are in the city, Mr. King on legal business and Mrs. King and the children for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Louis Muller.

Attorney C. C. Watson made a professional trip Tuesday to Rusk and Jacksonville. He informed the Sentinel that the Boozer case had been set for trial August 9th at Rusk.

Mr. Dunk Propes of Pine Hill left for home Tuesday after a stay in the Mound Street Hospital, where the treatment he received won his gratitude and good-will. The institution certainly has a warm booster in Mr. Propes.

Miss Louise Buchanan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Buchanan, was stricken with appendicitis Sunday afternoon and was operated upon at the Mound Street Hospital at 11 o'clock Monday morning. Reports at noon said she was doing as well as could be expected.

Miss Lula Oxford of Doucette, who is a guest of Mrs. John James, on South Fredonia Hill, left Sunday for Lufkin to visit for a day or two with Miss Bessie Wiggins, who came up after her. She will return for the completion of her visit here.

Mrs. E. B. Williams, who has been confined in a hospital at Galveston for some time, came home last night much to the gratification of her many friends. Her condition is greatly improved.

Prof. J. V. Dean, one of Gregg county's progressive teachers, was a caller at the Chamber of Commerce offices today. Mr. Dean was accompanied by his wife and the two were in search of living quarters where they can attend the college.

Leonard R. Lyles of McAlester, Okla., is visiting his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Lyles of Cushing. Leonard holds a responsible position with one of the leading business firms of McAlester. His Nacogdoches friends are pleased to know of his success and are glad to have him back among homefolks for a while.

Former Sheriff G. W. L. Woodlan was seized with acute rheumatism in his right arm, shoulder and breast while at work in his meat market Monday. He was compelled to relinquish his work and go home, but was reported as resting somewhat easier Wednesday morning.

A case of heat prostration reported on the streets here Wednesday morning turned out to be convulsions of a colored epileptic, who frequently is the victim of such seizures. Real heat prostrations are practically unknown in this section.

"Uncle Billy" Wood, mention of whose illness was made in Tuesday's paper, is reported still very low. His children living at a distance have been summoned and grave fears for the beloved old gentlemen are entertained. We would have it otherwise if we could.

A telegram Monday morning from Mrs. J. H. Buchanan at Colorado Springs, Colo., stated all of her party were well and enjoying the trip very much. They were to leave on Wednesday for Denver.

FEELING BETTER NOW EVERY DAY

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"I wish I could tell every woman in Texas what a wonderful tonic Stella Vitae is," said Mrs. Willie D. Brown, 308 Archie St., Waco, Texas. "My head ached something awful, pains in my back and around my stomach nearly killed me, my legs hurt and would swell like I had dropsy. I had no appetite, what little I did eat soured and caused gas and great distress in my stomach. I was terribly nervous and could hardly sleep at all when I went to bed.

"Stella Vitae helped me right from the start and I am feeling better every day I live. I haven't been taking it long-enough to get the full effects yet, but if I keep on improving like I am now it won't be long before I will be as strong and well as I ever was."

Stella Vitae may be obtained from any druggist and the purchase price will be refunded if it fails to bring relief.

REPORTED TROUBLE AT 'DOCHES

It was reported in Lufkin this afternoon on what appeared to be good authority that three negroes were in jail at Nacogdoches today following an alleged assault upon a white girl in that vicinity this morning. No names of any of the parties could be learned, a telephone message to a Lufkin citizen stating the above meager facts.—Lufkin News, 30th.

Merely another case of the "Three Black Crows," Bro. News. The report originated from a very commonplace occurrence. A negro was arrested in the suburbs of the city for thrashing his wife. Deputy Sheriff Chandler arrested the man on a charge of assault and battery and lodged him in jail. The woman had disappeared and could not be found. From this small beginning grew a story of gigantic and dangerous proportions. A misunderstanding of the facts caused the ugly rumor to be telephoned to Lufkin, where it continued to grow in the telling. Soon the Sentinel learns, it was stated that an assault had been made by a negro, or negroes, upon a young white woman, and that the victim had died. Such a story is, of course, certain lead to trouble. The people of Lufkin who had been misled were merely answering what they deemed a call to wreak vengeance upon the perpetrator of an outrage against a defenseless white girl. This feeling is as certain to arise as such an act is committed, and relentless punishment always follows. Fortunately for the good name of the community, the report was groundless and the necessity for swift vengeance did not exist. No crime had been committed beyond the chastisement of his wife by an enraged negro husband.

Three white men had been arrested on Saturday night by the sheriff's department on charges of illegally making, possessing and transporting liquor, and it is probable this fact was twisted into the rumor of the arrest of three assailants of a girl. Our people were surprised when the news of the excitement in Lufkin began to trickle in. The Sentinel heard something of in the late afternoon and delayed going to press for a short time while the report was being investigated. It was soon discovered from the sheriff's office that the rumor was entirely without foundation. Hence no mention of the incident was made in Monday's paper.

RURAL CARRIER EXAMINATION

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Nacogdoches, Texas, on August 25, 1923, to fill the position of rural carrier at Nacogdoches and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from that post office. The salary of a rural carrier on a standard daily wagon route of 24 miles is \$1,800 per annum, with an additional \$30 per mile per annum for each mile or major fraction thereof in excess of 24 miles. The salary on motor routes ranges from \$2,450 to \$2,600 per annum, according to length. Separate examinations to both positions will be made from the same register. THE EXAMINATION WILL BE OPEN ONLY TO CITIZENS WHO ARE ACTUALLY DOMICILED IN THE TERRITORY OF THE POST OFFICE WHERE THE VACANCY EXISTS and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form 1977. Both men and women, if qualified, may enter this examination, but the appointing officers have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Women will not be considered for rural carrier appointment unless they are the widows of U. S.

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soldiers, sailors or marines, or the wives of U. S. soldiers, sailors or marines who are physically disqualified for examination by reason of injuries received in the line of military duty. Form 1977 and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be forwarded to the Commission at Washington, D. C., at the earliest practicable date.

Rev. H. T. Perritte, presiding elder of the Nacogdoches district, embracing seven counties in whole or in part, will have as his guests at a noon lunch Thursday all the ministers of his churches in the district. The lunch will be served in the dining room of the new district parsonage on North Street. Rev. Walter Mills of Beaumont, formerly pastor here, will be among the guests and will make a brief address following the dinner. Rev. Perritte is expecting between 20 and 25 preachers here for the occasion. The afternoon will be spent in looking over the city and the college building and grounds. The object of the visit is to acquaint the pastors with the new district parsonage and the surroundings and to discuss the interests of the church in every nook and corner of the district. The people of Nacogdoches, irrespective of church affiliations, are proud of the new district parsonage as well as its occupants, Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Perritte. These people of God are a distinct addition to the religious and social life of the community.

A revival meeting is being held at New Hope church by Rev. D. G. Carnes. Everybody is invited to come and join in these services. Mrs. Alton Smith.

R. E. George, the genial traveling passenger agent of the "Route of the Sunset Limited", was shaking hands with his old friends in Nacogdoches today and making new ones at the same time. Eugene George is one of the best known passenger men in Texas. He is a typical representative of the S. P. family. Quiet, modest, courteous, efficient and always agreeable, he is a distinct asset to his road and the traveling public as well.

Golf is a great boon to business, because it removes from busy offices gentlemen who talk about golf.

Justice of the Peace Cash of Cushing was a business visitor in the city Tuesday and stated to a Sentinel man that things were dull and dry in his section. The rain which fell copiously Sunday all around Cushing, left that little place still suffering from the prolonged drought. But the 'squire is game, and a little thing like a shortage of rainfall isn't going to discourage him and the people of his community.

Rev. B. G. Carnes and wife are holding a very successful revival at New Hope church this week. Rev. Carnes is a home boy who gives great promise of a large field of usefulness in the ministry. He has only recently returned from Ashbury College, Wilmore, Ky. Ashbury is one of the leading interdenominational colleges in America.

H. B. Powell and H. V. Foster, both of Denson Springs community, Anderson county, were callers at the chamber of commerce office Monday. Both these gentlemen are anxious to move to our community on account of the college. They are both good farmers and will make us very desirable citizens.

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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$517,860.54
Commercial Paper, Purchased	100,000.00
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation	25,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	4,500.00
Other Bonds and Stocks	4,025.00
City of Nacogdoches Bonds	113,000.00
Banking House and Fixtures	16,637.25
Real Estate Owned	12,409.20
Liberty Bonds Owned	\$91,650.00
Cash and Exchange	162,779.51
TOTAL	\$1,047,862.10
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock Paid In	\$75,000.00
Surplus Fund	\$75,000.00
Undivided Profits	32,270.74
Circulation	24,800.00
DEPOSITS	\$841,891.36
TOTAL	\$1,047,862.10

L. B. MAST, Cashier.