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WILL ORGANIZE TRADES COUNCIL

MOVEMENT FOR CENTRAL LABOR
ORGANIZATION IS UNDER
WAY HERE.

ARE TO MEET TONIGHT

Past Few Months Have Witnessed
Considerable Activity Along
Union Lines.

Representatives of the various trades unions of the city will meet tonight for the purpose of forming a trades council, with which are to be affiliated practically all of the labor organizations in this city. The movement has been planned for some time and those interested in it hope to see it consummated tonight.

It is not unlikely that the trades council, when organized, will arrange some more elaborate celebration of Labor Day than has been had here heretofore and other matter touching upon the general welfare of the union men will be given attention.

The past few weeks have seen some little activity in union matters. The painters of the city have organized again and the new local promises to meet with better success than its predecessor, which was forced to disband for lack of interest.

The various railroad trades here are organized and enjoy good memberships but these organizations will not affiliate with the trades council, it being against their custom to do so. All of the building trades, with one or two exceptions, are now organized and will doubtless join in the movement now being inaugurated.

BATTLESHIP CONTRACT.

Philadelphia Firm Outbids New York Contractors.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Aug. 18.—Wm. Cramp & Sons of Philadelphia were the lowest bidders for constructing the battleships Wyoming and Arkansas. The New York Ship Building Company of Camden, New Jersey, was the next lowest. Only one ship is allowed one firm of builders. The vessel will be the largest ever undertaken by the navy, being twenty-six thousand tons.

HOT IN FORT WORTH.

Thermometer Registers One Hundred and Eight There.

Texas News Service Special.
Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 18.—The heat wave which struck this city yesterday is broken today. The mercury at noon in various parts of town registered a hundred and eight degrees.

Theodore Mack, former democratic county chairman, and T. B. Freeman were overcome by the heat. Several other prostrations are reported. Cooler weather is expected tomorrow.

COOL AT CHILDRESS.

Drop of Twenty Degrees in Temperature is Noted.

Texas News Service Special.
Childress, Tex., Aug. 18.—The temperature today fell twenty degrees from yesterday's high mark and the change in the weather is very noticeable. A cool breeze is blowing from the north and the sudden drop is making the weather seem almost chilly.

STRIKE LEADERS GUILTY.

Charge of Criminal Conspiracy is Sustained Against Them.

By Associated Press.
Honolulu, Aug. 18.—After being out six hours, the jury in the case of the four Japanese strike leaders charged with criminal conspiracy brought in a verdict of guilty.

COLORADO CLOUDBURSTS THREATEN MANY CITIES

By Associated Press.
Pueblo, Colo., Aug. 18.—Cloudbursts last night at Howard and in the Ute Pass made raging torrents of tributaries of the Arkansas River, causing the worst flood in years along the main stream. At Canyon City, the river was five feet higher than ever known before. At Florence it is feared that the entire town will be submerged. The extent of the damage at Howard is not known, as communication is cut off by the storm. The flood is expected to reach here some time today.

POLITICS IN COLLIN.

Many Prominent Speakers Heard at Confederate Reunion.

Texas News Service Special.
McKinney, Tex., Aug. 18.—The Collin County Confederate and Old Settlers' Reunion opened today and Senator Willacy spoke this morning.

Cone Johnson, J. D. Shaw and Tom Wells are on the program for speeches this afternoon.

A feature today will be a joint debate between Bascom Thomas and Fitzhugh Hill. Bailey speaks tomorrow.

HARRIMAN TO RETURN.

Is Not Well Yet and Will Not Be Very Active.

By Associated Press.
Paris, France, Aug. 18.—E. H. Harriman left Paris today. He will embark at Cherbourg for New York on the steamer Wilhelm III. Harriman says he is going home and at Arden will complete the cure inaugurated in Europe. He has no intention of resuming his business activities.

BELTON GIN BURNS.

Alleged Incendiary is Promptly Taken into Custody.

Texas News Service Special.
Belton, Tex., Aug. 18.—The Vernon-Cobb Cotton Gin, in the north part of the city, burned last night and the loss is about six thousand dollars. The origin is believed to be incendiary, as a bucket containing kerosene was found near the building. A young man was suspected and was arrested last night.

INHERITS HALF A MILLION.

Katy Railroad Employee Inherits Large Fortune.

Texas News Service Special.
Muskegee, Ok., Aug. 18.—Informed by a New York attorney that he was heir to an estate worth half a million, George Gibson, employed in the Katy coal chutes here, quit his job this morning and left for New York.

APPLY WHITWASH BRUSH IN SUTTON INQUIRY

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Aug. 18.—The naval court of inquiry into the death of Lieutenant Sutton of the marine corps, found that the officer came to his death either by accidental shooting or suicide, but just which it is not able to determine.

The court also decided that no possible charge of criminality lies against any of the participants except Sutton and that Sutton is directly and solely responsible for his own death, which was self-inflicted, either intentionally or in an effort to shoot one of the persons restraining him, and that his death was not due to any other injury whatever.

Multi-Millionaire Dead.

By Associated Press.
Hopkinsville, Ky., Aug. 18.—Word was received here today of the death in New York of John Latham, a member of the banking firm of Latham, Alexander & Co. of that city. He was a multi-millionaire and was born in this city.

MOSQUITO PLAGUE NOW BEGINS TO BE SERIOUS

Texas News Service Special.
Galveston, Tex., Aug. 18.—Cities of the Gulf Coast country are threatened with a milk famine unless there is an abatement of the mosquitoes. Dairy-men on lower Galveston Island stayed up all night burning hay around cattle pens to drive away the mosquitoes. Cows are driven frantic by the pests and run wildly over the prairies.

By Associated Press.
Lake Charles, La., Aug. 18.—Reports received here from the Cameron parish, bordering on the Gulf Coast, state that the mosquito plague which began three weeks ago, shows no sign of abatement. The insects are working greater havoc among the cattle than the charbon epidemic, and scarcely a calf is alive in the herd.

PINCHOT TALKS.

Address on "Commercial Conservations" is Feature at Denver.
Denver, Colo., Aug. 18.—The headliner of the Trans-Mississippi congress bill today was Gifford Pinchot, chief forester. Pinchot is booked for a talk on "Commercial Conservations."
John Noble, former secretary of the Interior, also delivered an address.



LAYING TRACK ON INDIAN AVENUE

for Wichita Falls Street Railway, to be in operation from Wichita Falls to Lake Wichita by August 27th, a distance of six miles.

LIVE STOCK BURNS IN CENTRAL WRECK

EXPLOSION OF GASOLINE TANK
NEAR CORSICANA BURNS
BRIDGE AND CARS.

CARLOAD OF HOGS BURNED

Total Damage From Fire is Estimated
at Twenty Thousand Dollars.
Trains Being Detoured.

Texas News Service Special.
Corsicana, Tex., Aug. 18.—Houston and Texas Central freight train No. 1 was wrecked at midnight last night near Carl, six miles north of here, when a gasoline tank car exploded, wrecking and burning the bridge. Ten cars were ditched and burned with their contents. A carload of hogs were incinerated and the total damage is more than twenty thousand dollars.

J. C. Varnel, who was on the train, was badly burned and taken to the hospital at Ennis. Trains are being detoured over the Trinity and Brazos Valley, as the tracks cannot be repaired for traffic before 12 o'clock tonight.

A Woman of Wonderful Achievements.

Mme. Curie, who since the death of her husband has taken his place at the University of Paris, was recently elected a fellow at the Academy of Sciences at Crocow. In 1903 she received, together with her husband and the late Professor Becquerel, the Nobel prize for chemistry. "but," says the Paris correspondent of a German paper, "she has lost nothing of her enthusiasm. She is still working industriously, and those who know her best say that honors and decorations, fellowships and professorships are of less moment to her than the scientific problems to the solution of which she is devoting her life."—New York Tribune.

DALLAS HOT, TOO.

Hundred and Ten is What the Thermometer is Registering.

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 18.—The government thermometer registered a hundred and ten at noon today, four degrees hotter than at the same hour yesterday. Thomas Carrary of Goshen, Indiana, was sunstruck and taken to the hospital in a precarious condition. It is predicted that the mercury will rise to 112 before the day is over.

CONE JOHNSON COMING.

Tyler Man's Mission is Not Political, However.

Hon. Cone Johnson of Tyler, candidate for gubernatorial honors, is scheduled to be in Wichita Falls on next Saturday, August 21. His visit to this city, however, has nothing to do with politics, it being strictly a social call on his friend, W. W. Perry, of Wichita Falls.

'BRYAN DAY' AT SEATTLE.

Commoner Will Visit Exposition Some Time During the Fall.

By Associated Press.
Seattle, Wash., Aug. 18.—W. J. Bryan has announced his intention of visiting the Alaska Exposition and plans are under way for a celebration of Bryan Day, with excursions from all over the Northwest. It is proposed to make October 16th the closing day of the fair, "Bryan Day."

Very Hot at Sherman.

Texas News Service Special.
Sherman, Tex., Aug. 18.—A temperature of one hundred and six degrees was registered at 1 o'clock this afternoon, the highest in twenty years.

SMALL RIOT AT PITTSBURG.

McKee's Rock Trouble Breaks Out Again This Morning.

By Associated Press.
Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 18.—One man was shot and several others slightly injured by stones during a small riot today in the vicinity of the Pressed Steel Car Company's works at McKee's Rock, where a strike has been in progress for six weeks. The strikers attempted to prevent the strike breakers from entering the plant when the latter fired into the crowd. The State constabulary dispersed the strikers.

NO INDICTMENT.

Alleged Assaulter of McGregor Girl May Go Free.

Texas News Service Special.
Marlin, Tex., Aug. 18.—The grand jury today failed to return an indictment against Lockett Randall, the negro who was arrested for an assault upon Miss Ida Pratt several weeks ago near McGregor. Twenty-five witnesses were examined.

FANS AT HENRIETTA.

Large Number Went Down to See Yesterday's Game.

The following Wichita fans went down to Henrietta yesterday to see the game between Wichita and Henrietta. M. J. Stinson, Harley Heath, Walter Reid, Emmett Stevens, Morris Marcus, Don McCauley, Sam Scalling, Will McAbee, Ben Williams, M. Stanforth and Oda J. Pickle.

MASSEURS INDICTED.

Belton Grand Jury Acts Upon Unlicensed Practitioners.

Texas News Service Special.
Belton, Tex., Aug. 18.—The grand jury returned indictments today against W. J. Dankworth, of Belton; B. Kellogg and J. E. Nell of Killen and J. R. Smith of Belton, charging the practice of medicine without a license. Those indicted are masseurs.

FAR WESTERN TOWNS VISITED BY COMMISSION

The normal locating committee is spending today at Big Springs, the farthest west of the applicants for the school, having been at Lubbock and Plainview yesterday. They were at Tulsa Monday and were given a very demonstrative reception by the citizens there.

Tomorrow will be spent at Colorado, which, owing to the very substantial bonus put up, is considered an active candidate. Then Sweetwater will be visited.

Secretary Gohlke of the Chamber of Commerce received a letter from Secretary Homer Wade of Stamford recently, stating in a postscript, evidently as a mere afterthought, that he regarded that Stamford had the school clinched.

Negroes in Session.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 18.—The National Negro Business league, with Booker T. Washington as the chief figure, began its sessions here today. Thousands of the most representative negroes in the world are present.

GREEK FLAG AT CRETE LOWERED BY "BIG FIVE"

By Associated Press.
Canea, Crete, Aug. 18.—The Greek flag raised here three weeks ago by the people in defiance of the sovereignty of Turkey, was lowered at sunrise today by a party of international bluejackets. There was no disorder.

It was later learned that a well directed shot fired by one of the parties of bluejackets brought down the flag-staff from Canea Fort, and with it the Greek flag. Four warships of the protecting powers, Great Britain, Russia, Italy and France, assembled in Canea harbor yesterday.

LUMBER COMPANIES EXTEND.

Moore & Richolt and Cameron Company Put Up Buildings.

Moore & Richolt have started work on a new and blind warehouse on Ohio avenue near the broom factory, where they will erect a commodious building for this branch of their business.

The Cameron Lumber Company is building a new warehouse and office at 6th and Indiana avenue, where they will move their business as soon as the new structure is completed.

PROHIBITION FIGHT IN AMARILLO WARM

TEST SUIT NOW IN PROGRESS
WILL BE BITTERLY AND
HOTLY CONTESTED.

QUESTION OF VALIDITY

Parties Unable to Agree What Judge is Qualified to Preside at the Case. Interest is High.

Amarillo, Tex., Aug. 18.—The contestees motion setting up that Judge Browning has jurisdiction and is not disqualified to try the case of Z. Z. Savage et al. vs. Hugh L. Humphreys et al. involving the validity of the local option election held in Potter county December 3, 1907, was promptly overruled yesterday by Judge D. B. Hill of Dalhart, named by Governor Campbell to try the case in Judge Browning's stead.

The contestees, through their attorneys, filed a demurrer asking that R. E. Underwood, the present county attorney, be made a party to the suit, Humphreys having since the filing of the answer of contestees, retired from the office of attorney for the county. Argument upon this proposition, pro and con, was heated and lasted through the day. It was stated by attorney for the contestees that the proposition to make Underwood a party to the suit was a scheme on the part of their opponents to get a continuance in the case.

The argument begun this forenoon will be carried over until tomorrow. It is the belief, generally expressed, that Judge Hill will overrule the contention of the contestees with regard to the induction of the new county attorney into the case, and go forward with the hearing that has already been delayed. It is probable that the hearing may now be completed during the present week.

GOVERNOR TOO BUSY.

Will Probably Not Attend Picnic at Canyon City.

Texas News Service Special.
Austin, Tex., Aug. 18.—On account of being unable to spare the time, Governor Campbell may not be able to accept the invitation to speak at the picnic at Canyon City on August 20th, when Bailey and other distinguished citizens are expected. All speakers are to talk on "Patriotism." If the governor refuses to attend it will be a disappointment to politicians here, as they expected declarations from Bailey and Campbell on their attitudes toward each other.

INVESTIGATING DEATH.

Bloody Find Near Terrell is Being Probed.

Texas News Service Special.
Terrell, Tex., Aug. 18.—Sheriff Crane of Kaufman was here today assisting the authorities here in the investigation of the death of Mrs. Georgia Brady, whose body was found near her home yesterday afternoon with the head split open. There is no clue to the murderer. One of the theories advanced is that she was kicked by a mule.

Fatal Fall From Window.

Texas News Service Special.
Houston, Tex., Aug. 18.—A. Scholandi, aged 53 years, a jeweler of Columbus, Texas, fell from the second floor window of the Tremont hotel early this morning and was instantly killed. It is believed he went to sleep in the window and lost his balance and fell. The body was sent to Columbus today.

Fresh grits at King's store. Phone 261. 82-tfc

GIRL SHOTS MAN WHO CAUSED HER DOWNFALL

By Associated Press.
Augusta, Ga., Aug. 18.—Richard Watson, aged 24 years, cashier of the Central Georgia railroad, was shot and fatally wounded in his office here today by Miss Elvira Todd, aged 22 years. Six shots were fired at Watson from a 32 calibre revolver, three of them taking effect. Miss Todd accused Watson of her downfall.

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Is there a limit to extravagance in Manhattan? If there be such there is no indication of it in the \$2,500,000 dining room venture at Forty-second street and Broadway, New York, which is now engrossing the attention of every gourmet in the metropolis.

Millionaires dreaming of the sybaritic luxury of Babylonian days and of the wonder workings of Haroun al Raschid through the might of a staggering outlay of money are rapidly transforming the famous old Hotel Rossmore into the most luxurious eating place in the entire world, to open in September. The caravansary, which at one time harbored every class and type of Broadway life, from the sportsman with the plethoric bank roll to the latest goddess of the green-room, is now being changed into a dining resort where those who will be served who can pay the price, where price is the least consideration. Where soups will cost probably \$1.50 a portion, game birds from \$10 up and cafe noir at prices prohibitive to those who do not look like ready money, it would surely seem that the limit of metropolitan extravagance had again been set at a high water mark with which the price scales of the St. Regis, Delmonico's, Sherry's, Martin's and other show places of the greater city pale into insignificance. Times and customs change, and the new Murray's marks the transition.

Will such a place representing so enormous an outlay pay? Yes, say the capitalists backing the venture. And it is the consensus of opinion, moreover, of the shrewdest public entertainers in New York city that there will be a legitimate and growing interest on this unique and remarkable investment devised to meet the aesthetic requirements of the most voluptuous city on the globe. The backers of the enterprise figure rightly, it is believed, that every woman visiting New York will insist upon her escorts taking her to this marvelous dining place at least once on her sojourn.

And was there ever a place of such Neronic allurements designed to meet the languorous requirements of my lady of fashion? Would she smoke? That will be provided for. A luxurious smoking room for her is now building, let alone a maucurist, French hairdressers and maids imported from Paris. She may be reperfumed, repowdered and redressed. Furthermore, she may enjoy a Turkish bath, be gowned by maids as expert as her own at home and with her coiffeur rearranged may take her jewels from the safe and after a Lucullan repast be ready for the opera.

Solomon in all his glory or Sardanapalus the magnificent but feebly realized the splendors which are now in the last stages of a certain making in that section of uptown which is bounded between Broadway and Seventh avenue in the eight story structure between Forty-first and Forty-second streets. Here in truth is a veritable palace of the senses. The tone throughout is Assyrian and modeled after the palace of Sennacherib.

A splendid staircase sixty-five feet high of yellow and black marbles imported direct from the site of Babylon and costing \$50,000, marked on either side by a series of small crouching bronze Assyrian lions, is one of the features of this splendid building. This staircase forms the base of the enormous painting "The Fall of Babylon," occupying a large part of the wall. The illusion is such that the painting will seem part of the architecture. The central dining hall will form a great temple of music built of the purest Carrara marble fifty feet high. From this temple will run pergolas to the balcony. Eight floors of 12,000 feet each will be used entirely for the preparation and consumption of food. An adjoining building on the south, facing Seventh avenue, seven stories high, will be used for the conveyance of food alone. The waiters will never leave the floors on which they serve, but will send their orders through pneumatic tubes and electric conveyances to the kitchens.

Perfect service is promised, for if the guest desires he merely presses a button at his table, and, speaking to the table, sounding boards carry his message to the steward. From the table with no visible means of communication will come the reply telling him that proper attention will be immediately given.

To add a twentieth century touch to the reincarnated luxury of ancient days the upper dining room will have no waiters. The center of the table will be so constructed as to form a conveyor which will sink through the floor, leaving the rim on which the plates are to rest. To avoid mistakes on the part of the servants the check for a dinner will be inclosed in a sealed envelope and handed to the guest who will open it, the waiter not knowing the amount, as it will be compounded by the checking clerk in the pantry. The private dining rooms will seat from 400 to 1,500 people.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

For Wichita Falls and Vicinity
—Tonight and Thursday, fair,
cooler tonight.

GOOD NEWS FROM ILLINOIS.

According to Harper's Weekly, Joe Cannon authorized the statement that he will not be a candidate for re-election, possibly. That promise would sound better without the "possibly" but even as it is, it has a refreshing sound. Even a tariff-darkened cloud may have a silver lining.

Harper's goes on to suggest that Cannon doesn't fear being defeated for congress as much as he does being defeated for speaker. If he should run for the senate, as he threatens, that wouldn't be so bad. He certainly wouldn't be any worse than some already there, and he and Lorimer would make a good pair.

These reflections are hopeful, but not so much as is the suggestion of an appropriation to buy Joe an automobile. Fatal auto accidents are quite numerous and a dead congressman revises no tariff.

Live squirrels are now adorning the society hats in the North, according to reports, and it is suggested that it isn't as bad as using dead ones. The same rule might be applied to the use of Texas horned toads for headgear adornment.

The story that mosquitoes are impeding trains in South Texas will not be doubted by anyone who has ever come in contact with the vicious, virulent, vehement, vengeful and voluble specimens that infest that section of the globe.

Government experts have said that Wichita county cotton is the best they have seen and that one farm will average a bale to the acre. How strange that must sound to East and South Texas.

The Wichita pessimist says he can't enjoy the cool nights for thinking of the hot tomorrow; the optimists say they forget the heat of the day in anticipation of the cool night coming.

It is well to remember, when boll weevil reports are being circulated broadcast, that that specimen of insectivora is practically a stranger in the Wichita country.

The statement that it is the "hottest day in the history of the town" at Oklahoma points will doubtless be vigorously disputed by the respective oldest inhabitants.

The congregation that paid its pastor four dollars for three months work doubtless went on the theory that salvation is free, even if groceries and clothing aren't.

The Wellington Leader, the newest North Texas publication, gets out eight six-column pages, without a line of "boller." These West Texas towns do go some.

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Taft has already talked thirteen volumes on the tariff, but that isn't a marker to the talking he will have to do when the time for explaining comes.

Mayor Davis of Fort Worth is in bad. The club women of the town jumped on him and he is actually talking back.

Dallas evidently is not going to let the lack of horse race gambling prevent her having as good a Fair as ever.

Dr. C. C. Young has returned from a trip to northern points.

NOTED SHORT STORY WRITER

Sarah Orne Jewett's Explanation of How She Became an Author.

Sarah Orne Jewett, who recently died at her summer home in South Berwick, Me., was known for forty years as a writer of brilliant short stories of New England country life. She was a pioneer in the field. It was she who made story lovers feel at home in the stiff New England parlors and the prim village streets trodden by the descendants of the Puritans.

Indeed, this clev not merely to her quality as a writer, but her character as a woman, is best expressed in her own explanation of how she came to write. "When I was perhaps fifteen," she said, "the first city boarders began to make their appearance near Berwick, and the way they misconstrued the country people and made game of their peculiarities fired me with indignation. I determined to teach the world that country people were not the awkward, ignorant set those persons seemed to think. I wanted the world to know their grand, simple lives, and so far as I had a mission when I first began to write I think that was it."

Miss Jewett was a woman of charming personality. Although her early education was obtained entirely in her little country home town, it was under the best auspices, for her people were well descended and educated. To this early education and her own natural gifts were added the broadening influences of travel and association. Her intimacy with Mrs. James T. Field at an early age opened to her the doors of the most cultured society in Boston and in Europe, and therefore she was enabled to look upon the people of whom she wrote from a dual point of view.

The author's birthplace and home is a beautiful colonial house, built over 150 years ago, in the old town of South Berwick, Me. She was born in 1849. Her father, Dr. Theodore H. Jewett,

was a highly educated physician and a professor in the medical department of Bowdoin college. In "A Country Doctor" is found a glimpse of their happy companionship. Indeed, it was under her wise father's supervision that she obtained most of her education. Much of her time was spent in browsing in his excellent library.

Miss Jewett's first story was accepted by the Atlantic Monthly purely on its merits when she was twenty years old. "Deephaven" was her first success. Since then she had published a long list of books. She traveled extensively in the United States and abroad.

In personal appearance Miss Jewett was tall and dignified, with a well bred grace and courtesy of manner. She had a bright and piquant face and a low, musical voice. In conversation she was bright and interesting, selecting her words with a quick discrimination. She possessed a keen wit.

INDIAN'S EXPLOIT ON TRAIL

Bloodhounds Baffled, He Followed and Captured Bandits.

Willie Bryant, a full blooded Cherokee Indian boy, nineteen years old, taking a trail that bloodhounds refused to follow, led the way for fifty miles through rough timbered country and, with a posse, surrounded and captured the two remaining robbers who made a futile attempt to hold up a train at Bragg, Okla., a few days ago, resulting in a fight in which one officer was killed and one of the robbers badly wounded.

The feat of Bryant is considered remarkable. He has inherited all of the instincts of his forefathers in the craft of the trail. Sheriff Ramsay took bloodhounds in an auto to the scene of the holdup before the trail was six hours old, but the dogs refused to follow it. Then Deputy Sheriff Clark put young Bryant at the head of the posse. The Indian was given his head. The course is in the foothills of the Ozark mountains and very difficult for travel. This distance was covered unerringly and swiftly by the Cherokee. Though the task of keeping the trail was difficult, the members of the posse found the greatest trouble in keeping in sight of Bryant. When Proctor was reached the posse men were utterly exhausted.

Strictly Business.
Theorist—You believe in giving credit to whom credit is due, don't you?
Practical Man—Yes, but I make everybody else pay cash.—Chicago Tribune.

There are no small steps in great affairs.—De Retz.

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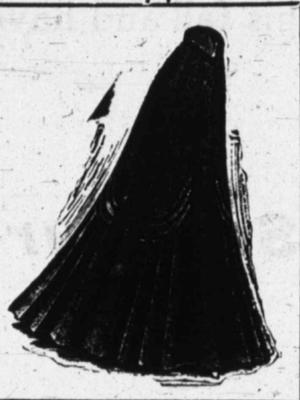
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If so, remember we carry at all times a large and complete stock of LUMBER and BUILDING MATERIAL and are in a position to supply you in this line and save you money. We sell "TEXACO" Roofing, the best prepared roofing on the market.

Let Us Figure on Your Bill

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PHONE 26

What Olive Oil Will Do.

Suppose you knew that the use of a gallon or two of olive oil in your cooking during the next 6 months would improve the health of each one in your family and would actually keep them from sickness and a doctor's bill. Do you think you would hesitate about spending the few dollars that the oil would cost? Of course you wouldn't. Well there are a great many cases on record where the regular use of Olive Oil has improved the health and weight of people who were not at all well, has given them more energy for their work and has actually helped some people to get well when doctors and medicines have failed.

Olive Oil has no magic about it but it feeds the blood and drives out of it impurities by putting into it just what the body needs to keep it strong, well and healthy. You can't afford not to use it constantly. We sell more of Monarch than any other and have it in 1-2 pt. bottles at 40c, pint bottles at 75c. We also have Heinz's Olive Oil in 50c bottles.

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PHONE 371

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All ads in classified column, except those carrying regular accounts with this office, must be accompanied by the cash to insure insertion.

A Want Ad placed in the "Want" column of the Daily Times will cost you just One Cent a Word for one insertion; half a cent a word for each following insertion.

If you have anything to sell, advertise it; if you want to buy anything, advertise for it; if you want boarders or board say so in a Want Ad.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—Everyone needing prompt messenger service to phone 626 or call at Nickle Store. 68-1f

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Four room house. Phone 566. 74-1fc

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room, 1208 Lamar. 83-3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom at 907 Travis ave. Board convenient. 82-1fc

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms close in. Phone, lights and bath. 811 Indiana avenue. Phone 145. 75-1f

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with board, to gentlemen. 808 Sixth street. 79-1fc

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms. Modern conveniences. Apply at 701 Austin. 83-1f

FOR RENT—Three good four-room houses, close in, \$15 per month; nice 5-room house, \$20. All practically new and well located. Floral Heights Realty Co. 32-1fc

FOR RENT—My farm and pasture of 903 acres; 300 acres in cultivation; balance in good grass; plenty of water. Situated at the town of Jolly, Texas. Address William H. Jolly, P. O. Box 127, Mineral Wells, Texas. 81-3tp

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Gas range at a bargain. Address 1604 Austin, phone 402. 83-1p

FOR SALE—Good milk cow, fresh; age four years. Call on or address J. E. Lee at Ziegler's Tin Shop. 81-6tc

FOR SALE—Perfectly gentle driving horse and new buggy. Phone 317. 85-2tp

FOR SALE—Horse and buggy. A bargain for cash. Lee Simmons furniture store. 82-3tp

FOR SALE—Tent 14 X 16, nearly new, 12 ounce duck. Fields Furniture Co., 908 Indiana Ave. 81-3tc

WANTED—Roomers and boarders at 1307 Burnett. Modern conveniences. 83-26tc

FOR SALE—Bargains in second-hand pool tables. Address Box 252, Wichita Falls, Texas. 58-26tc

FOR SALE—Cow and calf. Good milk-er. 3 1/2 gallons per day. Price, \$60. Mrs. O'Neill, 511 Scott avenue. 82-3tp

FOR SALE—National cash register, almost new. A bargain for cash. Dolan & Moran second hand store, 723 Indiana avenue. 77-1f

FOR SALE—Cheap, one 2-disc Moline plow; one 2-bottom gang; are almost new. Charter Oak cook stove No. 8. W. W. Brown, Box 983. 80-7tc

REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—We have decided to place on market five and ten acre tracts, close in, at low prices and small monthly payments. Place your money in something safe. Derden Land Co., Room 3 over City National Bank, city. 55-1f

WANTED.

WANTED—Table boarders at 511 Scott avenue. 82-3tp

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at the Times office; 4 cents per pound. 80-1f

WANTED—Two boys between the age of 12 and 16. Commission proposition. Apply at 714 Ohio ave. 83-2tc

WANTED—At once, by young married couple, upstairs bedroom in modern house. Best of references. Address Box 536. 82-6tp

WANTED—Young woman desires position as general housekeeper for family. For information call at 1000 Indiana avenue or ring No. 311. 83-4tp

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It is impossible for the Times to get display ads in the paper when they are not in the office by 9 a. m. Patrons of the paper will confer a favor and, at the same time, get better service by getting their ads in earlier than the hour above named. 121c TIMES PUBLISHING CO.

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Niggerhead egg. Phone 437. Marble Coal Co. 85-1f

The Softened Fourth of July.
"How is our little Johnny celebrating the Fourth?" asked the father on Independence day, 1912.
"He's making as much noise as the law will allow," replied his wife. "He's down cellar cracking peanuts."—Judge.

The Gate Ajar.
Open the door to heathen?
It never yet was closed.
The God who lights the heavens
Has left the key exposed.

In every cross capped temple
A guide to heaven stands.
On every altar burns a lamp
Not lit by human hands.

Monogolans may enter
And kneel in silent prayer
To learn the word of wisdom
The angels whisper there.

Open the door to heaven!
'Tis not a young girl's part,
Save as her bedside prayers may
reach
Some distant heathen heart.
—W. P. Babcock in New York American.

Going to Build?

If so, let us figure with you. We believe we can save you money, and even if we do not succeed in selling you your lumber bill we will charge nothing for making estimates.

Brown & Cranmer

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The "TIMES"

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These items are the foundation of the meal. If they are poor, nothing else makes up for them. We are not butchers or bakers, but we are agents for Chase & Sanborn's high grade coffee, the best that money can buy. We have them in four grades at 20c, 25c, 27 1/2c per pound and in 2-lb. cans for 75c. Try them.

J. L. Lea, Jr.

If You Want Your Stock to Pick Up Feed them Erwin's Home-Ground Chops

When you are in need of feed of any kind, come to see us, or phone 33. We always keep a full supply of the very best of feed for either cows or horses. We also keep a big supply of the very best grades of coal, and can supply your wants in that line. Our prices are right and our weights are correct. We will give you a full 2000 pounds to the ton. We want your business and will always treat you right.

For the convenience of our customers, we will gladly book the account until the first of the month to those whom we know to have an established credit; otherwise we demand cash. Yours for business,

Wichita Grain & Coal Co.

J. M. ERWIN, Prop. Phone 33. *Alfalfa, Millet, Prairie and John son Grass Hay*

The Filgo Market

is the place that carries a complete stock. Such as beef, pork, mutton, veal, dress or live chickens, fish, cured meats of all kinds, pig feet, chili, brick cheese, wieners, and bologne. We will appreciate your trade.

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728 Indiana ave. WOODALL & MOTTLEY, Proprietors. Phone 168. Highest prices paid for fat Cattle and Hogs. We want your trade.

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 erinary Hospital**
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 Calls from any part of the country
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 Rooms 4 and 5 Over Nutt, Stevens &
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 Wichita Falls, Texas.

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 Store, 710 Indiana avenue.

Dr. Li. Mackechney

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NEW BATTLESHIPS.

Bids for Their Construction Will Be
 Opened Today.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 18.—Bids
 for the construction of the two battle-
 ships, Arkansas and Wyoming, author-
 ized by the last congress, were opened
 at the navy department today. These
 two battleships are to be among the
 most formidable fighting machines
 afloat. They will carry as heavy arm-
 or-and as powerful armament as any
 known vessel of their class, which is
 believed to be the highest practicable
 for vessels of their type and class,
 and will have the highest practicable
 radius of action. The defensive qual-
 ities of the two battleships, other than
 those dependent upon armor protec-
 tion, will be such as to give the max-
 imum degree of protection to all the
 vital portions by means of unusually
 effective compartmental subdivisions,
 so that in conjunction with their ar-
 mor-protection the defensive qualities
 of the two vessels are expected to be
 distinctly superior to those of any bat-
 tleships hitherto designed.

"This is My 63rd Birthday."

Rear Admiral Kobley D. Evans, U. S.
 N., retired, one of the best known offi-
 cers of the United States navy, was
 born in Floyd county, Virginia, August
 18, 1846. He was educated in the pub-
 lic schools of Washington and ap-
 pointed to the United States Naval
 Academy from Utah in 1860. He grad-
 uated from the academy in 1862, was
 promoted to the grade of lieutenant in
 1866, lieutenant commander in 1878,
 captain in 1895, and rear admiral in
 1901. In the civil war he participated
 in the two attacks on Fort Fisher and
 was severely wounded. In 1891 he
 earned the title of "Fighting Bob"
 while in command of the cruiser York-
 town at Valparaiso, Chili. In the war
 with Spain in 1898 he commanded the
 battleship Iowa and took an active
 part in the destruction of Admiral Cer-
 vera's fleet off the harbor of Santiago.
 After the Spanish war he commanded
 the Asiatic fleet for three years, and
 upon his return home was given com-
 mand of the North Atlantic fleet. In
 the famous world cruise of American
 battleships Rear Admiral Evans was in
 command from the time of departure
 from Hampton Roads until the arrival
 of the fleet at San Francisco. A year
 ago he was placed on the retired list
 on account of age.

"This Date in History."

1609—The Half Moon arrived at the
 entrance to Chesapeake Bay.
 1713—Louisburg founded by French
 settlers from Newfoundland.
 1771—Nicholas Bolyston, a famous
 Boston merchant, died. Born in
 1716.
 1807—The Danes attacked the British
 before Copenhagen.
 1830—Francis Joseph, emperor of Aus-
 tria-Hungary, born.
 1864—Seizure of the Weldon railroad.
 1891—Earthquake in Martinique; 340
 lives lost.
 1908—Persia appointed diplomatic rep-
 resentatives at Athens, Greece,
 for the first time in 2,399 years.

Great School for Cooks.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 18.—The del-
 egates to the convention of the Inter-
 national Stewards' Association, now in
 session in this city, have arranged for
 the breaking of ground for the school for
 cooks and general hotel service, which
 is soon to be added to the Winona
 Technical Institute. The school is to
 cost a quarter of a million dollars and
 will be the first great institution of its
 kind to be established in America. The
 school will be operated as a model ho-
 tel and the guests will be the students
 and faculty of the technical institute.
 Adolph Meyer, former chef to the
 Czar of Russia, and now steward of the
 Knickerbocker Club of New York, has
 been offered the position of superin-
 tendent of the school.

Real Estate Transfers.

Miss Johnnie Gardner to G. B. Isler,
 lot 6, block 222; \$800.
 T. S. Fisher to S. J. Ashmore, lot 9,
 block 16; Barwise and Jalonic addition;
 \$150.
 J. S. Bridwell to J. S. Maxwell, lot 7
 of Bridwell subdivision of lots 4 and 5
 in block 250; \$550.

Fresh Colorado lettuce, celery, rad-
 ishes, parsley, green onions, beans,
 fresh peppers, Rocky Ford melons,
 beets and turnips. Phone 177.
 83-3tc **SHERROD & CO.**

Go to Miller's drug store for your
 prescription work and for pure drugs.
 44-1f

Military Wedding in Denver.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 18.—The First
 Baptist church of this city was the
 scene of a brilliant military wedding
 today, when Miss Edna Vosburgh, the
 daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George Bedell
 Vosburgh, became the bride of Lieut-
 enant Bernard Lentz, U. S. A. A
 number of Army officers attended in
 full dress uniform and the music for
 the occasion was furnished by the
 Twenty-First Infantry band. Lieuten-
 ant Lentz is attached to the Twenty-
 First Infantry, now stationed at Fort
 Logan, and will sail with his regiment
 for the Philippines next month.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that we have used
 Carter's Mineral Water for the past
 two years and have found it to be a
 first class mineral water in every re-
 spect. Very respectfully,
BURNSIDE & WALKER,
 83-1f Physicians.

For cigars, fancy stationery, etc., go
 to Miller's drug store. 45-1fc
 44-1f

Plumbing

I have had 17 years practical
 experience in the plumbing and heating
 business in this city. Will be
 glad to figure with you on any
 thing in my line. Will give a
 strict guarantee, if necessary, on
 all work. We can furnish you
 with goods made by any of the
 leading manufacturers of the
 United States.

Am now making a special
 price of \$2.50 on Porcelain Bath
 Tubs, which can't be bought for
 the money by any of my com-
 petitors.

Will open up for the present
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A complete line of up to date
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With total resources of nearly ONE QUARTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS,
 we are in a position to meet the reasonable needs of all customers.



Don't Believe Everything You Hear

The chap in the picture up there, believed when he heard the
 "honk, honk" of an old gander behind him, that he was about to
 be smashed in the back by an automobile. The result spelled
 disaster to his mill of milk.
 And so, if anybody happens to tell you that they can give you
 a good lumber bargain as we can, you just look around before
 believing that. Get our prices and see our stock, and be con-
 vinced that there's only one really right place to buy economi-
 cally, and that place is right here.
 Figures talk. So get our prices.

MOORE & RICHOLT, Lumber and Building Material

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Opened for business August 2, 1909, in the new Vree-
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We have the finest safe made, making our fixtures
 the most modern and up-to-date in the State.

Our depositors will be protected by the guarantee
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We solicit the accounts of firms, corporations, indi-
 viduals, ladies and children, who may rely upon courteous
 treatment and the very best terms that are consistent
 with sound and conservative business methods. Our
 officers are experienced bankers.

If we have your business it is appreciated, and if not
 remember that we want it, whether large or small.

We specially desire you to call and see us and re-
 member that our officers are at the service of our custo-
 mers.

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REAL ESTATE

Fire, Tornado,
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Office 2 Lory Building, 508
 7th St., Wichita Falls, Texas

GASOLINE STOVE EXPLODED.

Girl Dead and Mother Badly Burned at Sulphur, La.

Sulphur, La.—Francis Keat, aged 20, a pretty Greek girl, is dying tonight and her mother, Mrs. Cetemine Keat, is seriously burned about the neck and arms as a result of a GASOLINE STOVE EXPLOSION. The girl's clothes caught, and her mother, in trying to save her, was also badly burned.

YES MAM THIS IS THE NOBLE GAS CO. 703 - INDIANA AVE.





COOK WITH GAS SAFE-SURE-SIMPLE GAS RANGES EASY PAYMENTS CONNECTED FREE

THIS THE GAS CO. THIS IS MRS X. PLODE 23 GASOLINE ST. SEND ME A GAS RANGE RIGHT AWAY, MY GASOLINE STOVE AND COOK JUST LEFT

HICKMAN LUMBER COMPANY
-Dealers in-
High Grade Lumber and Building Material

Get our prices on lumber and building material before you build. No bill too small for us to figure on. We make deliveries to any part of the city.

CORNER OHIO AVE. AND 12th **OFFICE AND YARD** CORNER OHIO AVE. AND 12th
PHONE 597

Are You Being "Hunted?"

One of today's want ads. may have a message for you of urgent personal importance--one that, when you get it, and heed it, may change the immediate current of your activities, of your interests--may even place around and about you new environments, new associates; may give you an entirely new start in a business way.
Isn't it worth while to try to find out whether this may not be true--today, tomorrow or very soon?

Opportunities Presented Each Day

German Day at Seattle.
Seattle, Wash., Aug. 18.—German Day at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition was a pronounced success. Thousands of Germans of Seattle and of other cities of the Northwest were present. The program was begun this morning with a downtown parade of German societies, interspersed with floats typical of German historical scenes. The streets traversed by the procession were ablaze with colors and crowded with spectators. Flags and banners were profusely displayed, and some of the decorations were most elaborate. The line of march extended to the exposition grounds, where exercises were held in the Auditorium. The remainder of the day was given up to entertainment.

Auto Trip Across Continent.
New York, Aug. 18.—M. E. Parrott of Poughkeepsie, a private in the New York National Guard, started from New York today to make the trip across country to San Francisco in a four-cylinder automobile. The courier carries dispatches from Major General Leonard A. Wood, commanding the department of the east, to Major General John F. Weston, commanding the department of California. Private Parrott will endeavor to overcome numerous obstacles and adhere to a fixed running schedule, which provides for stops at a number of military posts along the route.

For Promotion of Agriculture.
Portland, Ore., Aug. 18.—The twenty-third annual convention of the Association for the Promotion of American Colleges and Experiment Stations began its sessions in this city today with a large attendance. This morning Dean L. H. Bailey of Cornell university delivered an address on "Better Preparation of Men for College and Station Work." M. A. Scovell of Lexington, Kentucky, president of the association, delivered his annual address this afternoon. Addresses and discussions will make up the program tomorrow, and on Friday morning there will be a final session, with reports, election of officers and the transaction of unfinished business.

South Dakota Druggists.
Lead, S. D., Aug. 18.—With an attendance representative of the retail drug trade of the entire State, the South Dakota Pharmaceutical Association met in annual convention here today. Features of the initial session were an address of welcome by Mayor Blatt and the annual address of the president, H. A. Sasse. The afternoon was given over to entertainment. The gathering will continue until Saturday.

POOR WICHITA FIELDING GIVES HENRIETTA GAME

Henrietta, Tex., Aug. 18.—Henrietta took Wichita's measure in the game yesterday to the tune of 2 to 0, the home team winning on untimely errors by Wichita Falls. Collier pitched for Wichita and the six hits that he allowed were well scattered. Both of the runs were made on bobbles by Wichita's fielders. McAlester, who rejoined the team here, dropped two flies in left field, and Carson let an easy one fall.

Wichita's hitters repeatedly slammed out long drives to the outfield, only to see them fall unerringly into the fielders' hands. Wray, the old Denton pitcher, was in the box for the home team and he allowed four hits. He was very effective in pinches and several times was able to pull out with a Wichita man on third base. The score:—
Wichita000 000 000—0 4 5
Henrietta000 001 01x—2 6 3
Batteries—Collier and Kellough; Wray and Hornbuckle.

HENRIETTA TEAM HERE Will Play Three Games Latter Part of Week.

The Henrietta team, following the final game of the series there with Wichita Falls this afternoon, will be here tomorrow for three games. This team seems to have improved considerably since it was here last and three good games may be expected.

The Farmersville games on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of next week, promise to be the best of the season. Excursions will be run here from near by towns for the games and the supremacy of North Texas, now lying between this city and Farmersville, will be strenuously contested.

STILL SCORCHING HOT.

Cooler Weather, However, Is the Prediction for Tonight.
The thermometer dallied around the one hundred mark from ten o'clock this morning on through the afternoon and the day was almost as hot as yesterday, when the one hundred and three mark was reached. Cooler weather is the bureau's prediction for tonight and if the forecast is accurate it will mean a pleasant relief for Wichita Falls.

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CHRISTIAN REVIVAL BEGINS THURSDAY

THE MEETING OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH AT THE BIG TABERNACLE.

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And Leonard Dougherty, at 10th and Travis Streets—Aug. 19th, at 8 O'clock.

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Palestine and the First church at Ft. Worth, but for the past three years has been an evangelist. He has accepted the pastorate of the church at this place and begins his work in this city with this meeting.

Leonard Dougherty is a singer of the Sankey type, who has sung successfully in every part of the country, and is the author of several books of music. He has the reputation of being one of our finest singers of gospel songs.

All the Christian people and all the singers are earnestly invited to come and help us in these services. We expect a great meeting.

NEGRO BUSINESS MEN.

National League is in Session Today at Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 18.—The Tenth annual meeting of the National Negro Business League began its session in this city today and will continue until Saturday. The meeting is attended by more than 600 delegates from twenty-five States. The opening session was held in the Chestnut street church and was devoted to routine business. The session tomorrow night, at which President Booker T. Washington will deliver his annual address and at which Hon. Henry Watterson is also expected to speak, will be held in Macaulay's theater.

The program for the three days session is one of more than ordinary interest. On the list of speakers are negro bankers, cotton growers, town builders, farmers and gardeners, real estate dealers, contractors, lawyers, editors, druggists and merchants, who will tell the story of how they got their start and of the struggles that brought ultimate success.

The league was organized in Boston nine years ago, with Booker T. Washington as its president. The object of the organization is to inform the world of the progress the colored race is making in business and to stimulate local business enterprises and to encourage the organization of local business men for the purpose of furthering commercial growth. There are now about 500 local leagues which are doing the work of the national league in different parts of the country.

Archbishop Farley Coming Home.

Queensdown, Aug. 18.—Archbishop Farley of New York, who has spent the last three months in Europe, sailed home today on the Caronia, accompanied by his secretary and several priests of his diocese. The archbishop came over to attend the golden jubilee of the American college at Rome, and after the celebration he toured Switzerland, Germany and France and spent a fortnight with Cardinal Logue at his see in Armagh.

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Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. George Myers of Jolly were in the city today.

Miss Lela Morgan is visiting Miss Jennie Huggins of Loveland, Okla.

Miss Ruth Patterson of Petrolia was visiting friends in the city today.

Preston Brown left yesterday to visit relatives at Goodnight and Clarendon.

W. G. Eustis, a prominent citizen from Henrietta, was here on business today.

Miss Edith Slaten returned this afternoon from her visit with friends at Iowa Park.

Mrs. Ed. Howard and sons returned last night from Wolfe City, Texas.

Mrs. R. E. Clopton and daughter, Miss Mabel, have returned from a trip to Chicago.

Mrs. J. E. Williams of Iola, Kansas is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Sidwell.

Mrs. Fred Carter and children are visiting Mrs. Carter's sister, Mrs. P. C. Hundnall at Smithville.

George Knight, a prominent real estate man from Iowa Park, was transacting business here today.

Misses May and Minnie Beauty of Hico will arrive tomorrow to be the guests of Mrs. Fred Householder.

Misses Irene and Hazel Jones, who have been visiting relatives in Arkansas, returned home this afternoon.

Prof. J. J. Morgan, president of the Terrell University, is in the city, the guest of Mr. J. P. Jackson and family.

Floyd Bates, yard clerk for the Fort Worth and Denver, left today for Hawley, Texas, to look after business interests.

Mrs. E. P. Walsh and daughter, Miss Annette, left this morning for Fort Worth to visit Mrs. Walsh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Russell.

Mrs. W. L. Anthony and daughters, Misses Nola and Laura, of Davidson, Oklahoma, left for their home this afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Norwood.

Dr. L. C. Tyson returned yesterday from Dalhart, where he had been called to attend the wife of his son, Mrs. Walter C. Tyson, and reports her condition as somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Darden returned this morning from Carlsbad, New Mexico, whither they had been called by the serious illness of their daughter, Mrs. E. H. Beard, who died in that city recently.

Mr. J. C. Dalmon, who has been at his home at Weatherford for the past six weeks recovering from an attack of typhoid fever, has returned to this city and accepted a position in one of the undertaking and furniture store establishments of this city.

Arrivals at the St. James.

Calvin M. Rosser, Elk City, Ok.; Mrs. Thos. Self, Crockett; J. C. White, Chicago; T. Denton and wife, Bartlett; E. D. Lee, Mexico, Mo.; D. W. Nowlin, Dallas; W. A. Lane, Sherman; G. S. Alkey, Cleveland; S. L. Robertson, Haskell; W. H. Francis, Seymour; B. F. Rupe, Seymour; F. W. Swan, Dallas; G. E. Blewett, Gritt; J. K. Shelton, Cleburne; W. N. LeCompt, Fort Worth; Thos. Self, Crockett; S. Duffey.



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MUFF FOR SUMMER USE.

"Vigee le Brun" a Fashionable Novelty in Paris.

One of the fashionable novelties of women's attire this season will be summer muffs, or, rather, a scarf and muff, which is dignified by the name of "Vigee le Brun," the famous woman artist of the revolution. The style consists of a wide chiffon scarf worn on, not off, the shoulders and a large chiffon muff which buries the arms to the elbows. The "Vigee le Brun" scarf and muff will be made of an entirely different shade of chiffon from the dress and will generally match the hat.

The scarf must be very wide, but so soft that it will crumple up into the smallest space, and must be bordered with an accordion plaited frill. The muff must be as large as a feather pillowcase, edged also with frills and adorned with a large bow of soft satin ribbon.

Newsboy's Letter in the Senate.

Probably for the first time in the history of the United States senate a communication from a newsboy was read in open session a few days ago. It was signed by Arthur Prague, manager of the Spokane Newsboys' association, expressing regret upon learning of the death of the Rev. Edward Everett Hale. Senator Piles of Washington asked that the communication, which was written on a postal card, be read to the senate, thus insuring its publication in the Congressional Record.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Cotton—Liverpool.
Liverpool, Eng., Aug. 18.—Spot cotton, 6.75d. Sales 7000 bales. Receipts, 8,000 bales.
The future market opened steady and closed quiet.

	Open	High	Close
Oct.-Nov.	6.50	6.50	6.49
Dec.-Jan.	6.50	6.50	6.48 1/2

Cotton—New York Spots.
New York, Aug. 18.—Market for spot cotton opened quiet. Middlings, 12.30. No sales reported.

Cotton—New York Futures.
The future market opened firm and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
October	12.38	12.38	12.24-25
December	12.35	12.37	12.23-24
January	12.33	12.38	12.22-23

Cotton—New Orleans Spots.
New Orleans, La., Aug. 18.—Market for spot cotton opened steady; prices unchanged. Middling, 12.5-16c. Sales 500 bales. To arrive 200 bales.

Cotton—New Orleans Futures.
The future market opened very steady and closed steady.

	Open	High	Close
October	12.33	12.33	12.19-20
December	12.31	12.31	12.16-17
January	12.33	12.33	12.19-20

Chicago Grain Market.

Wheat—	Open	High	Close
September	100	102	102
December	97	98 1/2	98 1/2
May	100 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2

Corn—

September	67 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
December	55 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
May	57	57 1/2	57 1/2

Oats—

September	38 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
December	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
May	40 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Pi'd	Won	Lost	Pct
Houston	119	69	50	.580
Oklahoma City	118	68	50	.576
Dallas	120	67	53	.558
San Antonio	117	64	53	.547
Fort Worth	123	63	60	.512
Shreveport	120	61	59	.508
Waco	120	45	75	.375
Galveston	121	42	79	.347

Results Yesterday.

Dallas, 2; Galveston, 1.
Oklahoma City, 5; Houston, 1.
Fort Worth, 16; Waco, 7.
San Antonio, 11; Shreveport, 10 (called at end of eighth inning, darkness.)

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"Yep."
"Any defense?"
"Temporary insanity, and I expect to prove it by the love letters I wrote."—Washington Herald.

Utter Contempt.
"I s'pose you wouldn't marry me if I were the only man on earth?"
"I wouldn't even be engaged to you," responded the girl, "if you were the only man at a summer resort."—Kansas City Journal.

The Pins.
"Oh, dear," sighed her husband's wife, "I can't find a pin anywhere. I wonder where all the pins go to anyway?"
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