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It came our way as it often does in a purchase and we were fortunate enough to buy very much under price 50 dozen Men's Handkerchiefs at one third less than their real worth and we offer them as long as they last.

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The Daylight Store

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CRISIS DUE IN LAWRENCE STRIKE

MARLIN E. PEW WRITES FEELING
STORY OF WRONGS PERPE-
TRATED ON STRIKERS

LAST STRAW YESTERDAY

Interference With Their Constitutional
Rights Is Charged and Brutal At-
tack Upon Women Alleged.

(EDITOR'S NOTE—The following story was written for the United Press by Marlin E. Pew, noted newspaper investigator of the Newspaper Enterprise Association who has spent several weeks in Lawrence investigating strike conditions there and who was an eye witness to several clashes between the police and militia and the strikers.)
Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 24.—A crisis is due in the strike of the 25,000 men, women and children of the textile mills. Following today's savage attack by the police and militia upon the children, who, to escape the wolves of war, were to have left the city to be cared for by the citizens of Philadelphia and Providence, the strikers, tonight, feel that the last straw of oppression has been laid on their backs and that now something outside, probably the federal government, must come to rescue them from State and Federal outlawry.

Those who saw the action today of the police and militia declare that such high-handed, law-defying, un-American practices are intolerable in this country, and that it is inconceivable that the outrage will be allowed to pass unnoticed.
This is what happened: Three weeks ago the strike committee resolved that, while men and women could live on free soup, or even starve, rather than to submit to the salary cut, averaging 22 cents a week, the children must not suffer the pangs of hunger. For several weeks now thousands of the strikers have been dependent for life necessities upon the union or the charities of sympathetic unionists throughout the country.

When the children began to feel the pangs of want and it was decided to send them away, hundreds of sympathizers in New York, Philadelphia and many other cities volunteered to care for them until normal conditions could be established.
The hope of the mill owners is that the strikers will return under the old conditions when the strikers have had enough of free soup. This is common talk among them. They have ordered Mayor Scanlon and Marshal Sullivan to frustrate the child relief plan.
A week ago an attempt, partially

successful, was made to keep the little ones in Lawrence. The police then contending that the children's parents had not consented to allow the strike committee to send them away.
Today this happened: Fifty ragged boys and girls, each wearing a tag, were escorted to the depot. Tickets were purchased for Philadelphia or Providence. Fifty mothers, sisters and brothers of the children were on the station platform or in the waiting room to see them off. The train backed into the depot—then quickly a squad of policemen with clubs drawn menacingly, swooped down on the party.

"You cannot leave town; get out of here and go home," the officers gruffly commanded. A member of the strike committee assured the police that every child wore a tag upon which was written the authorization of the parents.
"That makes no difference," said the police, "the whole batch of you have to go back."

Some of the mothers started with their children for the train. The police shoved them back and then came the soldiers. Stalwart American men in uniform, carrying rifles with glistening bayonets, clubs, with lead butts in their belts, descended on the pathetic panic-stricken huddle of women and children, reinforcing the fifty policemen already present.

The soldiers drew up between the children and the train. The policemen baited the women—the women said they were taunting them into violence. They could not have done better. They were insulting in their language.
"Get-out of here you—you—they shouted, brandishing their clubs. Some of the children began to cry. One little girl frightened half out of her wits screamed, "Mamma, Mamma, don't let them hurt me."

Some of the women ran into the streets, dragging their little ones. Others, undaunted, stood their own ground. These the police finally seized. When the women resisted they were beaten and their clothing torn. A truck in the street was commandeered and backed up to the station platform. Into this improvised patrol wagon eight struggling injured women, ten trembling boys and girls and five men were bundled and thus carted off to the police station like registered criminals.

This is Lawrence, these are the methods of the civic and commonwealth officials, guardians of constitutional rights, but acting for the mill owners, a charge which they do not dispute privately. This unwarranted and outrageous assault upon women and children is an indication of the length to which these men will go to break a strike and prevent the unionizing of employees, who say they have reached the end of their tether, life being impossible at the old wages.
If a thorough going congressional investigation is made of the events

of the past several weeks in Lawrence it will show violations of almost every constitutional right of the people who compose the string element.
From the start of this industrial war, the whole effort by the army of private detectives, the police and militia, as well as unscrupulous city and state officers, has been to precipitate violence, to discredit the strike leaders. It is notorious that dynamite was planted in three places by detectives working for the mill owners. When the explosives were found the police announced that the strikers were planning dynamite outrages. This plant has been fully exposed and the man whom the police finally arrested as the planter is out on bail.

Despite all statements to the contrary, the facts is that the strikers have been peacefully disposed from the start and any violence by individuals (Continued on Page Seven.)

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY LACKING

Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—Senator Wm. D. Borah, author of the Children's Bureau bill and recognized as one of the greatest constitutional authorities in Congress, today asserted his belief that the action of the authorities at Lawrence, Mass., in forcibly preventing the strikers from sending their children out of the Massachusetts city was an invasion of the constitutional privileges. "I do not know of any authority of law," he declared, "to justify city officials in preventing children from leaving the city with the consent of their parents, except in cases where it would lead to spread of infectious diseases. I know of no authority of law that would prevent parents from sending their youngsters out of reach of strike disturbances. In fact the dictates of humanity would rightly suggest that they should be sent away."

"What warrant—what right did they have to do that?" exclaimed Solicitor General Frederick W. Lehmann, when he heard of the Lawrence, Mass., outrage today. "Unless these children were under arrest, or unless the parents were trying to escape the responsibility of caring for them, the action of the marshal in preventing them from being sent away from Lawrence was in violation of the constitutional guarantee to every citizen of his liberty."

"But it is doubtful whether the federal authorities have any right to interfere unless asked to by the Governor of Massachusetts. This case is one of those on the border land between the federal and state authorities. The constitution guarantees citizens liberty but leaves to the state police powers of making the guarantee good."
Representative Sulzer (Democrat,

New York), today declared that some measure should be taken at once to relieve the Lawrence situation.

"Again today there comes a tale of oppression and sorrow at Lawrence," said Sulzer, "men and women endeavoring to send their little ones away from the squalid conditions that the strike has brought about were held up and arrested by policemen and militia. The State of Massachusetts for the honor of the State should do something at once to relieve the situation."

The Lawrence textile strike was not a pleastant subject of conversation among Massachusetts representatives in Congress today. No one could be found who would venture to discuss the subject. Representative Thayer (Democrat, Massachusetts), declined to be questioned on the subject but declared he would talk it over with the other members from Massachusetts with a view to having the entire delegations issue some sort of a statement.

WILL GIVE \$500 TO SICK OF WICHITA FALLS AND VICINITY

Indiana Scientists Who Originated the Now
Famous "Home Treatment" Offers \$1.00
Treatment Free to Sick and Ailing.

In order that every reader of the Wichita Times who needs treatment may have an opportunity to test this celebrated medicine, the now famous Indiana scientist has come to the front with an offer to give absolutely free a full size \$1.00 package to five hundred persons to prove the wonderful claims which have been made for it. In making this offer the scientist said: "I know that there are many people who have been suffering for years with some chronic disease and many of them have spent large sums of money seeking a cure. I know that these people hesitate about investing money in medicine because they have despaired of ever getting well. Thousands have told me that story and many thousands of the same people have told me afterwards that my treatment had cured them after doctors and everything else had failed. I want to show these despairing people that all the newspaper talk about my treatment is absolutely true. I want to prove to a limited number—no matter how long they may have suffered,—that my treatment really and actually does accomplish the wonderful results that have been reported."

People who suffer from Rheumatism, Kidney Trouble, Stomach Trouble, Liver or Bowel Disorders, Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma, Chronic Coughs, Weak Lungs, Lumbago, Piles, Urinary Disorders, Female Weaknesses of any kind, the weak, worn out, broken-down and despondent will be delighted at the effect of a few doses. This wonderful treatment creates a fine appetite and helps the digestive organs to carry on their functions as they should. It strengthens the kidneys, too, and drives rheumatism poisons from the blood as if by magic. That is why people who try it become so enthusiastic. Any reader of the Wichita Times who will try this extraordinary medicine that has created so much excitement by its cures can obtain absolutely free a full \$1.00 treatment by simply filling in the coupon below or writing a letter describing their case in their own words, if they prefer, and mailing it today to James W. Kidd, Ft. Wayne, Indiana. No money need be sent and no charge of any kind will be made. As this offer is limited, you should write at once, in order to be sure to receive your free treatment.

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Give any other symptoms on a separate sheet. Correspondence in all languages.

White Slavery Charged.

By United Press.
Paris, Texas, Feb. 24.—United States District Attorney J. W. Owenby returned to Paris today from a trip through East Texas and Louisiana, where he has been investigating one of the boldest and most pitiful cases of white slavery that has ever reached its way into the courts of this county.

A few weeks ago, Jessie and Walter Fowler, two brothers of Texarkana, were arrested on the charge of dealing in white slavery. They made bonds for their appearance before the coming federal grand jury in that city and Mr. Owenby is just now completing a chain of evidence that when laid before the court will unravel the details of the affair which will affect the homes of two of the best citizens of Bowie county, one of whom was for years a resident of Lamar county.
Several months ago there lived in Texarkana and worked in a telephone office of that place a young woman who was enticed from her home. She had a sister who shortly after the elder one's disappearance followed. The father searched in vain for his daughters and finally with the aid of the federal authorities located them in a house of ill fame of Shreveport, to which place it is alleged the young man had caused them to go. Judge Gordon Russell, of the Eastern federal district of Texas, is the father of the white slave law, and it will be in his court that the cases will be tried.

GAS REGULATION HOUSE BURNED AT PETROLIA

Flames of Burning Gas Shot High into
the Air—Damage Is
Light.

A leak in the main of the Wichita Gas Company at Petrolia last night caused the destruction by fire of the regulator house, and the apparatus that governs the flow of gas from the well to the mains.
The loss is nominal, but the burning gas, as it shot high into the air, made a sight that caused many to believe the well itself was on fire. The reflection of the fire could be seen from this city for a short time until the gas could be cut off at the well.
The building destroyed was a small sheet iron affair and contained the governor which regulates the pressure of the gas into the mains.
It is thought the damage can be repaired without inconveniencing the patrons of the company.

White Sox at Waco.
By United Press.
Waco, Texas, Feb. 24.—Manager James J. Callahan, of the Chicago White Sox and Pitchers Benz, Mogridge, Kreitz, Peters, also Mr. Cruseberry, of the Chicago Tribune, arrived today and will start training Monday. A few others will come tomorrow and the White Sox special with 72 on board comes next Saturday.

See Keil, Perkins & Cravens for all kinds of insurance. Phone 694. Ground floor, Kemp & Keil Building. 52-54

A Victim of the Mormons

Coming to the
Lydia Margaret Theatre
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Three Big Vaudeville Acts

No advance in prices for the extra attraction

A thrilling three reel dramatic picture dealing with the customs and practice of the *Mormon Religion*.

A deeply interesting picture, not a dull moment from the time the first reel is on until the last is off—each reel is better than the other. The photography is perfect, marked by beautiful tones and effects throughout. Over 3,000 feet, sixty exciting scenes. The most talked of picture ever made.

Absolutely nothing that could possibly offend the most refined. Passed by the National Board of Censorship.

MORE VAUDEVILLE

AT THE RUBY

Effective Monday, February 25, the Ruby Theatre will change its policy of one act vaudeville at 10 cents to a three act vaudeville with 4000 feet of the newest and best line of motion pictures at a price of 10 and 15 cents with daily matinee.

In doing this we will endeavor to show nothing but the highest grade of vaudeville with pictures that are all censored by the National Board of Censorship.

Thanking you kindly for your patronage in the past and trusting to deserve a continuance of same.

ANDING & BERGER.

To Drag Roads.

By United Press. Waco, Texas, Feb. 24.—At a meeting this afternoon of the county commissioners, auto owners of the county and others it was decided to spend four thousand dollars dragging six hundred miles of dirt road in the county. The county will furnish two thirds of the money, the rest to be raised by subscription. Gravel road mileage is multiplying rapidly also.

Call at 501 Indiana and get our prices on feed. Phone 229. Erwin-Patterson Feed Company. 244-310



MISS BILLY LONG

with Bert Leigh in "The Man on the Box," Matinee and Night, Wichita Theatre, Saturday, March 2nd.

MORMON GOVERNOR MAY BAR PICTURES

"A Victim of the Mormons" Does Not Suit Religious Fancies of Utah's Governor.

Governor William Spry of Utah, one of the pillars of the Mormon church, threatens to bar from the state of Utah all motion pictures unless the producers of such subjects as "A Victim of the Mormons," refrain from making pictures that do not meet the religious fancies of the Latter Day Saints.

The management of the Great Northern Special Feature Film Co. and backed by the sanction of the National Board of Censorship, in December last, had sold exclusive rights to exhibit the above film, in various states throughout the United States, and it is claimed already spent thousands of dollars in advertising and preparing to put this picture on the market.

It was not until after the National Board of Censorship had placed its O. K. on the above film that the Latter Day Saints began to bombard the stronghold of the censorship board and that of the Great Northern Special Feature Film Company in New York with their walls of indignation. The first came in the form of a four hundred word telegram from the Mormon governor the names of Senator Reed Smoot and Governor Spry of Utah were buzzed in the ears of the censorship board and it is evident that the powers behind the great Mormon organization were truly alarmed for fear the minds of the children of the present generation might be prejudiced against the sacred teaching of Joseph Smith and Brigham Young.

It will be noted that Governor Spry makes it known in no uncertain manner that he will exert every effort and use every influence at his command to bar all motion pictures from Utah if the objectional pictures complained of are not suppressed.

It may be mentioned incidentally that "A Victim of the Mormons," will not be suppressed, regardless of

MAN ON THE BOX HERE SATURDAY

MANAGER M'GRAW WANTS PITCHERS

Giant Chief Has Good Infield Material at Marlin, but is Shy on Slabmen.

By United Press. Marlin, Texas, Feb. 24.—Satisfied that he has in his aggregation of recruits who have been practicing here for the last week not less than five infielders who are of championship calibre, but that he has failed to land even one good pitching prospect, Manager McGraw of the Giants will work these infielders to the limit. Then he will use a couple of them in a trade for a pitcher, something he will want badly, as it is now believed certain Drucker is as good as out of the game for all time with his lame shoulder.

Kilbane Deluged With Challenges

By United Press. New York, Feb. 24.—It developed tonight that Eddie McMahon, Billy Gibson and other managers of local clubs are camping on the trail of Johnny Kilbane, the new feather-weight champion, with offers to appear in their clubs. But Kilbane will take his time. First he will take on ten weeks at \$15.00 per week with a burlesque show, after that it is likely he will be seen in action here with Jim Driscoll, the British crack bantam.

A White Man's Primary.

By United Press. Waco, Texas, Feb. 24.—A movement on here to change the Democratic city primary which is held every two years into a "white man's primary," as the only object is to keep out the corrupt negro vote.

MAN ON THE BOX HERE SATURDAY

No better or more refined play has been put on the American stage than "The Man on the Box," which Marlow and Stone announce will be the attraction at the Wichita Theatre Saturday, March 2, matinee and night, with Mr. Bert Leigh in the leading role. The play is a dramatization of Harold McGrath's popular novel of the same name and has been a wonderful success on tour.

In the first act we find "Robert Warburton" brought before a magistrate, charged with reckless driving and abduction. A friend, Charles Henderson, has secured him a private hearing and during a conversation between the two we learn that on the previous night Warburton, to play a practical joke, had shaved off his beard, borrowed a coachman's livery and jumped on the box of a carriage just as the guests



Scene from Act 2

were leaving from a ball at the British Embassy, in Washington. He supposed it was his sister's carriage and that it would be good fun to fool her by driving to her own door and kissing her as she left the carriage.

He jumped on the wrong box, however, took as his fair passenger Miss Elizabeth Annesley, whom he had seen on board ship coming from Europe and madly loved. He had difficulty in managing the horses and drove so fast he was pursued by mounted police. To save himself he drove to the curb, dismounted, and when Miss Annesley left the carriage he had kissed her, thinking it was his own sister. She has him arrested; the police prefer charges of reckless driving against him. At the trial, Miss Annesley withdraws the charge of abduction. When he is fined and has no money to pay the court, she pays the fine for him and engages him as her coachman and groom. She is confident that "James Osbourne" as he has given his name, is other than he pretends, and she wishes to find out at her leisure who he really is.

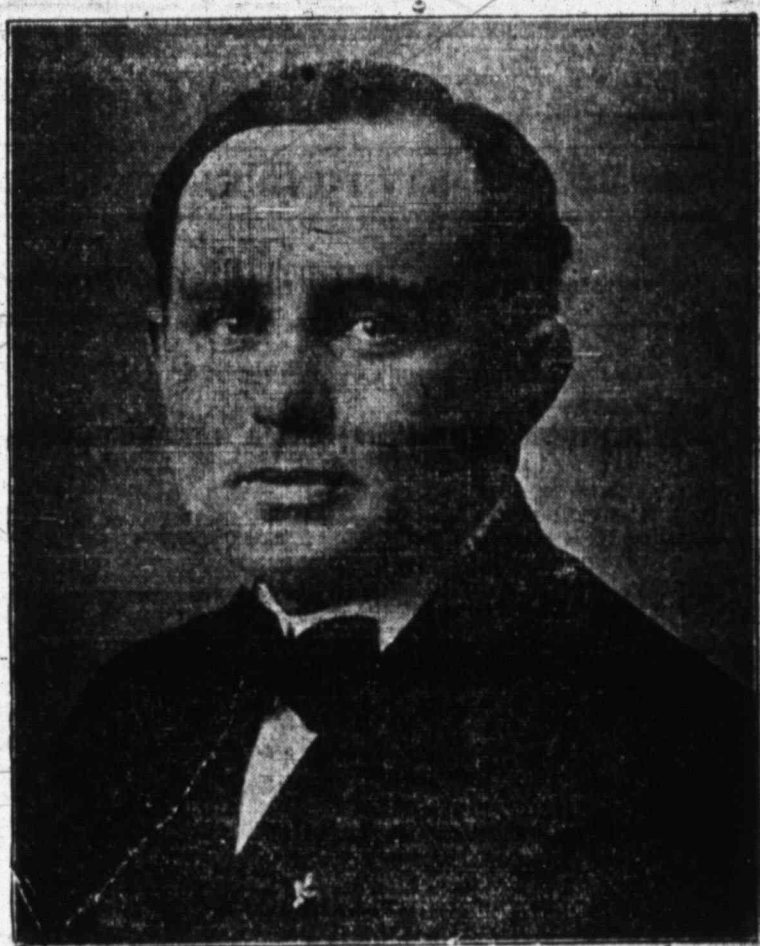
Warburton accepts the position and the remaining acts have to do with his serving her as coachman and butler, incidentally making her love him; discovering the perfidy of her father, who, as a military official, is about to sell the plans of important fortifications to a Russian spy. He succeeds in preventing this, wins the girl and makes good with his own fortune the amount necessary to restore her father's honor.

At the Ruby.

Beginning tomorrow night the Ruby Theatre will show three vaudeville acts each night in addition to their usual excellent motion pictures. Monday night their vaudeville features will include the famous Kesterson Brothers in singing, dancing and fancy paper tearing; Billy House, the big boy with the big voice and the Kestersons, in a novelty mechanical doll act that is said to be one of the best things here recently.

At The Gem

The Gem will have its usual good program of pictures for the coming week with a better than ordinary program for Monday. The Gem's pictures are recognized as the best that are made anywhere in the world, and the subjects are right up to the minute.



HARRY ROQUEMORE with Bert Leigh in "The Man on the Box."

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to the sanitarium. He also stated that Parker did not give him any trouble; in fact, was looking for an officer to surrender when he met him on the sidewalk. Said Haynes was a very large man, weighing perhaps 225 or 230 pounds.

F. J. Seeley, another State witness, after telling his name, where or what part of the city he resided, stated that he heard the screams of a woman, or of women, which attracted his attention, and that within two or three minutes he was on the scene; found several others there; that he telephoned for a doctor or doctors, and that Dr. Walker was the first to respond to the call; was present when Haynes, at the suggestion of Dr. Walker, made a statement as to how the trouble occurred, which corroborated the testimony on that point as given by Deputy Sheriff Hawkins; said that Dr. Walker had requested him to hear Haynes' statement; said Haynes appeared to be suffering greatly at the time he made the statement.

On cross examination and in reply to a question asked by Attorney L. H. Mathis for the defendant, the witness testified that Mr. Haynes did not make any statement to the effect that he had told his wife to go back into the house; that he would settle the matter. Said he was not in the room when County Attorney Dan Boone, was getting a statement from Haynes, and did not know what deceased had told Boone. Said he saw Mr. Boone in the Haynes home.

At the conclusion of the examination of Mr. Seeley, court took a recess until 1:30.

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FORMER PASTOR OF FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUC-CUMBS AFTER ILLNESS

FUNERAL AT BEAUMONT

Deceased Was Pastor of the Local Church For About Six Years Ago

Word was received here this morning of the death of Rev. J. A. Cahill, former pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here, at Madellina, New Mexico, at about five o'clock Sunday evening. Rev. Cahill had been a Madellina about eight months in the hope that the climate would benefit his health. Stomach troubles were the cause of his death.

While no funeral arrangements have been announced it is believed the body will be taken to Beaumont for burial as his wife is buried there. Rev. Cahill was pastor of the church here for about three years ending his pastorate about six or seven years ago, going from here to Port Arthur. He was held in the highest esteem here and his family have the sympathy of many friends in the bereavement.

A son, Roy Cahill, who has been employed at Electra, left last night for New Mexico to accompany the remains to Beaumont. A daughter, Mrs. J. A. Fisher, lives at Electra and another daughter lives at Port Arthur.

