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## PENNANT COMES TO WICHITA FALLS

ARDMORE GIVES UP THE FIGHT WHEN OILERS TAKE THIRD GAME OF SERIES

### WILL NOT COME HERE

Effort Being Made to Get Games With Texas League Teams—Players Home Today.

Facing the necessity of winning two out of three games here to get an even break for the pennant, the Ardmore team yesterday decided that their chance was too remote and yielded the honors to Wichita Falls. The Drillers won yesterday, and needed only two games out of the remaining four to clinch the flag.

Efforts are being made to stage exhibition games with some team tomorrow and Sunday and a nine from Fort Worth may be secured. It is possible that one of the Texas League teams can be brought here on a barn-storming tour.

The Drillers returned this morning and will keep together for a few days before disbanding. Wichita Falls won yesterday's game in the first inning, securing three runs on Dierdorf's wildness. Baxter was invincible in the pinches and Ardmore was shut out. After the game, Ardmore announced that she would waive her pennant claim and hot come for the series here.

While the pennant for last year was never formally awarded, this is the second season that Wichita Falls has won first honors in the Texas-Oklahoma League. Cleburna would probably dispute the claim to the 1911 pennant, but there is little doubt that were the matter settled, the flag would have been awarded to Wichita Falls. So that this is in reality Wichita Falls' second pennant.

The blowing up of Ardmore is a disappointment to local fans who had anticipated the pleasure of seeing the Drillers take the rag by force instead of being meekly presented with it. Arrangements had been made to run excursions here and this will yet be done if exhibition games can be staged here.

Yesterday's score at Ardmore was: Wichita Falls—AB-R-H-P-O-A-E  
White, c. 3 1 0 11 1 0  
Morris, cf. 3 1 0 2 0 0  
Brown, ss. 2 1 0 3 3 1  
Guthrie, lf. 4 0 1 1 0 0  
Phillips, 2b. 3 0 0 1 3 0  
Kizzlar, rf. 4 0 2 0 0 0  
Steakley, lb. 4 1 1 5 1 0  
Jones, 3b. 3 0 0 0 1 0  
Baxter, p. 4 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals 29 4 4 27 9 2

Ardmore  
Sullivan, cf. 5 0 1 1 0 0  
Gray, 2b. 5 0 1 1 2 1  
Naylor, rf. 5 0 1 0 0 0  
Robinson, lf. 4 0 0 2 0 0  
Caldwell, lb. 3 0 0 1 1 1  
Dierdorf, p. 3 0 2 0 0 0  
Woodward, 3b. 3 0 2 0 1 1  
Ballew, c. 2 0 1 1 1 0  
Totals 34 0 8 27 12 3

Score by Innings:  
Wichita Falls 300 100 000—4  
Ardmore 000 000 000—0  
Summary: Home run—Steakley. Two base hit—Kizzlar. Sacrifice hits—Morris, Jones, Brown, Ballew. Stolen bases—Kizzlar, Naylor, Woodward. Struck out—by Dierdorf 11. Baxter 11. Bases on balls—off Dierdorf 2, off Baxter 2. Hit by pitcher—Brown and White. Left on bases—Wichita Falls 6, Ardmore 14. Umpires—Myers and Schultz.

## GET ACQUAINTED EXCURSION PLANNED

Representative Business Men of Towns Along Northwestern North of Elk City To Be Invited Here.

Plans for a "get-acquainted" excursion from the points on the Wichita Falls & Northwestern north of Elk City, to be a feature of the Labor Day and anniversary celebration, are being formulated and will receive the attention of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce at their next meeting.

It is proposed to invite a number of representative business men from each town along the line from Elk City north and bring them here as guests of the Chamber of Commerce for the celebration, just as was done with the towns south of Elk City when the Northwestern was first completed to that place. The plea is advanced that the business men of these towns have had little occasion of opportunity to get in close touch with Wichita Falls and it is believed that an excursion along the lines suggested would do much to bring about better relations, commercially and otherwise.

## PURE GOLD STOCKINGS IS LATEST SOCIETY FAD

New York, Aug. 2.—According to a fashion paper, women's stockings made from real gold thread and silk are to be the proper thing abroad this autumn. They come from Vienna and cost \$25 a pair.

Another novelty will be the black or white silk stockings which, above the ankles, will be worked in elaborate designs such as a peacock with its tail outstretched in gorgeous colors.

## BASEBALL CALENDAR

Texas League.  
Dallas 12, Galveston 2.  
Houston 4, Austin 1.  
San Antonio 2, Fort Worth 1.  
Waco 1, Beaumont 0.  
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY  
Galveston at Dallas.  
San Antonio at Fort Worth.  
Houston at Austin.  
Beaumont at Waco.  
STANDING OF TEAMS  
Clubs— P W L Pct.  
Houston 107 66 41 .617  
San Antonio 112 68 44 .607  
Waco 111 63 48 .568  
Dallas 108 55 53 .509  
Beaumont 108 48 60 .444  
Austin 111 49 62 .441  
Fort Worth 109 45 64 .413  
Galveston 110 45 65 .409

American League.  
Chicago 2, New York 1.  
St. Louis 2, Boston 1.  
Washington 6, Detroit 3.  
Philadelphia-Cleveland; rain.  
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY  
Washington at Detroit.  
Boston at St. Louis.  
Philadelphia at Cleveland.  
New York at Chicago.

STANDING OF TEAMS  
Clubs— P W L Pct.  
Boston 98 67 31 .684  
Washington 98 61 37 .622  
Philadelphia 96 55 41 .573  
Chicago 95 49 46 .518  
Detroit 92 48 51 .485  
Cleveland 97 45 52 .464  
New York 93 31 62 .332  
St. Louis 95 30 65 .316

National League.  
New York 57, Cincinnati 45.  
Pittsburg 1, Boston 0.  
Philadelphia 4, St. Louis 3.  
Chicago 9, Brooklyn 3.  
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY  
Pittsburg at Boston.  
Cincinnati at New York.  
Chicago at Brooklyn.  
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF TEAMS  
Clubs— P W L Pct.  
New York 93 69 24 .741  
Chicago 92 58 34 .630  
Pittsburg 90 53 37 .590  
Philadelphia 89 46 48 .517  
Cincinnati 98 45 51 .469  
St. Louis 97 41 56 .423  
Brooklyn 95 35 60 .368  
Boston 92 25 67 .272

## 500 CARLOADS OF WHEAT SHIPPED.

Wheat shipments from Tiffin county have passed the 500 mark and are still growing. Of this number 205 cars have been sent from the city of Frederick. More than half a million bushels have already been sent out, and although it yet to be brought to market to make many train loads—Frederick Leader.

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## SENDS OUT LETTER ABOUT INSTITUTE

Secretary Forester Urges Secretaries To Attend Meeting Here This Month.

Secretary Forester of the Chamber of Commerce is sending out letters to the commercial secretaries over the State calling their attention to the secretaries' institute to be held here the last week in August. His letter follows:

Dear Sir: The summer institute of the Texas Commercial Executives' Association will be held at Wichita Falls the last week in August. You will be advised of exact date later.

Every secretary in the State should make a special effort to be present at this meeting for the following reasons:

First. These meetings are conducted for the purpose of a free discussion and interchange of ideas regarding how best to promote the welfare of our respective communities and our State.

Second. By attending these meetings, the officers of the organizations in the smaller cities get the benefit of the experience and advice of the brightest minds in commercial organization work, and those of the larger cities can get many a helpful hint from his less conspicuous brother. Good things frequently come in small packages.

Third. There is no investment any commercial organization can make as likely to bring prompt and satisfactory returns as that involved in the expense incident to sending one or more representatives to these meetings. They will surely return to their work with greater enthusiasm and determination.

Fourth. This particular meeting will be held at Lake Wichita where you will have first class accommodations, where business sessions will be held in the pavilion overlooking the lake and open on all sides to every breeze, "gulf" or otherwise, combining pleasure with serious work and where as much entertainment will be provided as you can in justice to your work accept.

The next annual meeting will be held at Kingsville and the officers have wisely fixed the place of this meeting at Wichita Falls to make it more accessible to many who would not probably go to Kingsville, in the belief that after attending one of these meetings, you will be more likely to appreciate their worth and go further to attend subsequent meetings.

Insist on your organization being represented at Wichita Falls and we will do our utmost to make your visit both pleasant and profitable.

Respectfully,  
W. C. FORESTER, Sec.

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If you figured out the cost of a given number of glasses of lemonade and the same number of glasses of grape juice, you would find that there was so little difference in the cost and so much more food value and satisfaction to grape juice that you would no doubt use grape juice oftener at least. Pint bottles 25c; quart bottles 50c; half gallons 90c and this is Welch's, the best that can be produced.

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by a few hundred votes over Waltham. In the race for the unexpired term of railroad commissioner, Wortham, a Colquitt appointee, has been defeated by Mayfield. Nelson Phillips, another Colquitt appointee and candidate for re-election to the long term as associate justice has probably been defeated by Townes. It will require an official count to determine the winner. For the short term Hawkins has defeated Dibrell. For justice of criminal appeals, Prendergast is running neck and neck with Muse, and for congressman-at-large Daniel E. Garrett of Houston and Hatton Summers of Dallas seem to have won over Jeff McLemore, an anti whom the anti in several counties attempted to "put over" by single-shotting—voting only for one—McLemore, instead of two candidates, one for each of the positions. Last, but not least, both Graham and Preler, appointed to judgeships in the Amarillo court of civil appeals by Gov. Colquitt, have been completely snowed under by a vote of something near two to one by Huff of Vernon, and Hendricks of Amarillo. It is also certain that the pros have lost nothing in the election of senators and representatives, and their majority in the next legislature will be fully as great as it was in the last. The pro and anti lines were drawn more tightly in the race for the United States Senatorship, and the plurality by which Sheppard won, which may yet turn into a majority, gives the pros fully as much if not more to crow over than have the anti, and both probably have enough. Therefore, let it go at that, and all come together as Wilson and Marshall Democrats, instead of pro and anti Democrats.

**THE GOVERNOR'S OPPORTUNITY.**  
 Governor Colquitt has an opportunity, during his second term, to correct many of the mistakes which featured the first eighteen months of his service as governor, and it seems to the Times that he should, above all else, cooperate with the legislature to secure still further regulation of the liquor traffic. If he will sign a daylight closing measure, he will not only win many friends among the prohibitionists, but will be doing the saloon men an actual service in that he will delay indefinitely, if not altogether, the enactment of a prohibition amendment to the Constitution. There are thousands of anti who favor such a measure—the anti-from-principle wants it, of course the anti-from-appetite does not—and there is no doubt that early closing would go far towards reducing the evils of the open saloon. It is to be hoped that the next legislature will keep its eyes more on its duty to the people and less on its desire to embarrass the chief executive. It can have no object now in putting him "in a hole," and there should be an earnest, sincere desire to pass wholesome measures. We are not advised as to the extent of Gov. Colquitt's political ambitions, but if he entertains any further hopes of public favor, he must make a better governor in his second term than in his first. We do not believe that his re-election can be considered an unqualified indorsement of his administration. Three of his chief appointees—Phillips, Dibrell and Wortham—are either defeated for re-election or re-elected by narrow majorities. The governor has a great opportunity; let us hope that by keeping out of quarrels with other state officers, by favoring sane, necessary legislation and by subverting his personal animosities to his duty as governor, he will make the most of it.

**ABILITY TO FORECAST.**  
 The Herald notes in the columns of one of its exchanges where it has figured out that in the election to occur next July, the prohibition question will be the sole issue and that Judge Ramsey will get all of the Democratic prohibition votes, and Governor Colquitt the anti-prohibition Democratic votes. It figures further that there are about 75,000 negro and Mexican voters that figured in the last prohibition election who will not be permitted to participate in the Democratic primary, therefore it is easy to figure out how the election will result. If our contemporary's size up of the situation is correct, there is no need of Judge Ramsey nor of Colonel Johnson losing any

time from their arduous official and personal duties in making any canvass of the State. The die is cast. The race is won and all is over save the shouting. However, Judge Ramsey evidently does not share the same optimism that our friend does, judging from his activity in renewing old acquaintances and lining up old schoolyard friends.—Denison Herald.  
 Just clip out and save the above for reference on the night of July 27, and then pass judgment on the abilities of your "exchange" to forecast the result of a Texas political scrap.—Wichita Falls Times.  
 The above appeared in the columns of our esteemed contemporary on March 5 of this year. In obedience to the suggestion that it be clipped and saved until the night of July 27, we did so and here now present it as evidence of our friend's ability to "forecast the result of a Texas political scrap."  
 Being on the opposite side of the question from the Times, naturally we feel elated over the result showing Governor Colquitt to have been successful by 40,000 or more majority over Judge Ramsey and that, too, being largely made up by majorities received in the North Texas counties where the "negroes and Mexicans" don't vote, we will be pardoned for "romping on our good-natured friend by resurrecting from the heap of political contributions to the campaign of 1912 his forecast of the result, his belief in the certainty of which is evidenced by the request to preserve. Perhaps the Times can tell us more accurately why its forecast failed to materialize; if it will, we will gladly give it space in these columns.—Denison Herald.  
 The only defense the Times can make in the above is that its forecast of the gubernatorial and senatorial contests were nearer correct than that made by either of the principals in the two contests. The Times also will take the Herald to task for quoting only a part of its forecast, made on July 10th. Had the Herald wanted to treat fairly, it would have published the forecast as made by the Times in full. For fear the Herald might have only clipped that part which it reproduced, the Times will give its forecast in full, and will ask that the Herald do likewise. Here it is:  
 "Colquitt makes the assertion that his majority in the July primaries will be at least 100,000, while Ramsey says he is sure to lead his opponent by a majority equal to that claimed by Colquitt. The real truth of the matter as it appears to the Times, is this: The race for gubernatorial nomination is a very much mixed affair, and neither Colquitt nor Ramsey can hope to win by any such figures they are claiming. A majority of from 15,000 to 20,000 in favor of either is about as near correct a guess or forecast of the result in that contest as could be made. As for the senatorial race it looks very much as if Morris Sheppard was going to win not only by a plurality, but by a majority vote. Now just clip this out and paste it in your scrap-book. After the fight is over you will be able to judge to what extent the Times has been accurate in summing up the result in the two political contests.  
 By the above it will be noted that while the Times missed it on the governor's contest, 10,000 or perhaps 15,000 votes, it came much nearer forecasting the result of the senatorial contest. The winner in that contest is yet claiming a majority of all the votes cast, and it looks very much as if his claims will be verified by the official count.

**Mike Amazed.**  
 Jerry was treating Mike to a trolley ride, says Judge. The conductor, a good looking young Irishman, came through, collecting the fares. Mike watched his progress with great interest. Presently he turned to Jerry with tears in his eyes.  
 "Jerry," he said huskily, "I've a lump in me throat."  
 "What for?" demanded Jerry.  
 "It's the gladness of me that's too big to swally!" said Mike. "Every American has the big, generous heart! D'ye mind the poor young fella who the blue-coat? 'Tis beginn' his livin' he is. I saw him hold out his hand to twenty-seven people, and every blessed was of them gave him a nickle!"

**Those Pleasant Questions.**  
 (Harper's Weekly)  
 Dubleigh's car lay flat on its side and deep in the mud in the freshly plowed field, having skidded off the road, through the low stone wall, to get there.  
 "Ah!" cried a passerby from the roadside. "Had an accident?"  
 Dubleigh tried to hold his tongue, but the strain was too much for him.  
 "No, of course not," he replied, coldly. "I've just bought a new car, and have brought my old one out here to bury it. Got a pick axe and a shovel in your pocket you could lend me? I can't seem to dig very deep with my motor horn."  
 A Commodious Bath.  
 (Lippincott's Magazine)  
 A certain surly, old Yankee who runs a small summer hotel on the Massachusetts coast once received a rambling letter from a prospective "guest," who wrote to engage "two large, sunny rooms, overlooking the ocean and connecting with private bath." One may imagine the woman's surprise at getting the following curt reply:  
 "Dear madam: All rooms face the ocean and that's your bath."

According to an English authority metals have diseases, tin crumbling into a gray powder when long exposed to severe cold and yellow phosphorus turning red.  
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**ODDITIES.**  
**Doctors Unable to Take Bee From Boy's Windpipe.**  
 As Aubrey Personius, a boy living at Brooklyn, N. Y., was playing near his home a bee flew into his mouth and lodged in his windpipe.  
 His parents kept him from choking to death with home remedies, but doctors called later could not remove the bee. They said it probably would be absorbed in time and cause the boy no further trouble.  
**Pacific Coast Society Girl Rides 102 Miles in 14 Hours.**  
 Miss Marion Crocker, a San Francisco society girl, has established a new record for women by riding 102 miles in 14 hours. The army officer test is 90 miles in three days.  
 Miss Crocker traveled on three thoroughbred horses and never once used a whip.  
**Biggest Baby in Missouri Is Raised on Whiskey Diet.**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fox of Joplin, Mo., have what it is believed is the largest baby in the world. At 15 months it weighs 77 pounds, can wear a six hat and a woman's No. 8 glove.  
 Since it was two weeks old it has been fed diluted whiskey and now drinks a wine glass of whiskey daily. In addition to whatever other food it wants. The child weighed three pounds at birth.  
**Cow Climbs Three Flights of Stairs to Eat Vegetables.**  
 Mrs. James Solomon of East St. Louis, Ill., laid in an unusually large supply of fresh vegetables, which were put on a table on the third floor.  
 The family cow in the back yard smelled them, climbed the stairs, ate everything in sight and waited to be helped back to the yard. They had to do it by roping her, taking out a window and lowering her by a block and tackle.

**Pleasant Valley Notes.**  
 Cotton is looking fine and there is fine corn, also good feed stuff.  
 Miss Alta Morris of Missouri, arrived Sunday morning on a visit to see her brother, E. M. Morris of this place.  
 Mrs. McClure and Miss Pearl Conwill spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Darris and Mrs. Bowling, near Iowa Park. They report a nice time.  
 Rev. Bowles filled his regular appointment at Pleasant Valley Saturday and Sunday. Sorry to say that the crowd was smaller than usual.  
 Rev. Cornwall is worse at this writing.  
 Misses Ona and Lou Rogers, Messrs. Holmes and Otto Ferguson and Pete Rogers called on Mr. Scott and family Sunday.  
 Several enjoyed a singing at Mr. Hirsch's Sunday evening.  
 Mrs. Scott's sister who has been visiting her for some time left Sunday morning for her home in Kansas.  
 The editor and staff have a special invitation to come out and help eat watermelons. (Name the day.—Editor).

**Daddy Meant Well.**  
 Little Eva May was only a baby girl, but she jibbed when bedtime came around, as children will.  
 Finally, father offered to lie on the bed till she fell asleep, and carried her off, greatly to mother's delight.  
 The minutes passed—ten, fifteen, twenty—and at the end of half an hour mother began to wonder what had happened to father. She continued with her sewing, but in a few moments the silence was broken by the pit-a-pat of naked feet.  
 Nearer came the steps and an instant later Eva May stood in the doorway, finger raised for silence.  
 "Hush, hush, mummy!" she said, "I've got daddy off to sleep at last!"  
**Inexperience.**  
 (Youth's Companion)  
 Lizzie, the inexperienced cook, poked her head in at the dining room door. "Please, ma'am," she asked, "how will I know when the pudding is cooked?"  
 "Stick in a knife into it," said her mistress—also inexperienced—recalling the instructions in the cook book. "If the knife comes out clean, the pudding is ready to serve."  
 "I'll do that, ma'am."  
 "And—oh, just a minute, Lizzie. The mistress had a bright idea. "If the knife does come out clean, you might stick all the rest of the knives into the pudding."

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**News From the Oil Fields**  
 The field report of oil operations at Electra during July as compiled by W. G. Long, is as follows:  
 Corsicana Petroleum Company—84 producing wells, gross production 5481 barrels.  
 Producers' Oil Company—78 producing wells, gross 5399 barrels.  
 Independent—20 producing wells, gross 907 barrels.  
 The field gain for the month was 523 barrels. There are now 152 producing wells in the field, with 79 rigs, locations and drilling wells.  
 The W. C. McBride & Company well is now ranked among the field's phenomona. Drilled in about five months ago, it is keeping up to the 40-barrel mark. This, however, does not compare with the record of the Corsicana's Putnam No. 3 which, after fourteen months, is now making 440 barrels per day; it is considered one of the most remarkable wells on record.  
 The record of dry holes for the month is not complete. The Producers, failed to hit pay sand an unusually large number of times and the dry hole total for the month is large.  
 The Corsicana Company's Burkburnett well is now making eighty-five barrels.  
 At a meeting of the stockholders of the Northwest Electra Oil and Gas company, held at the company's well on the Piney farm last Thursday; it was decided that day and night crews should be put on, that the prospect hole might be sunk as rapidly as possible. This has been done. The drill first hit the ground Thursday, in the presence of the assembled stockholders. Near the surface a heavy flow of good water was struck, and some delay has been occasioned by having to shut this off. The officers of the company announce it as their policy to sink the well as rapidly as possible, realizing that this is the most economical way to ascertain what the earth has in store for them.—Frederick Leader.  
 The new driller at the Big Pasture Oil and Gas Development company's Loveland well is making satisfactory progress, and good results are anticipated. President Swartz went to Loveland yesterday for inspection purposes. A good showing was reported to have been made Wednesday.—Frederick Leader.  
 Will Drill At Quanah.  
 Deep well machinery is now in transit from Henrietta to Quanah, and several prominent oil men have entered into contract with Quanah parties to sink seven or eight test wells.  
 The names of these Quanah men, who brought this about, are Drs. Frick and Hargrave, J. A. Kirkpatrick, and J. H. McDonald. They have secured leases on twenty thousand acres of land, and were enabled to interest foreign capital to take up the leases and go to work.  
 Work on the first well will probably be started close to the Acme mill within twenty days.  
 The Henrietta men connected with the enterprise are Myers, Debill and others.—Quanah Tribune Chief.

**MORE DISCUSSION ON HOSPITAL MATTER**  
 Dr. Reed Believes Money For Hospital Should Be Raised By The Churches.  
 Editor of The Times:  
 Against the proposition to build a large hospital for emergency and indigent cases, by being in a somewhat better position to know our bonded indebtedness that most of your readers, in my opinion, we would not be justified in floating bonds for this purpose, even if the plan would prove a working proposition.  
 All surgeons in our cities have their own private hospitals or sanitariums where they can control their patients. I do not think it just that to those owning such places that injured and unconscious people should be picked up on our streets and rushed to these private institutions simply that they may die under roof, when no human help could save life; thus giving the gaping, rasping public some foundation for saying that they come out of that place too often feet first.  
 I do not think that eleemosynary and charitable institutions should in any way be connected with a business commercial one. In this age of greed, graft and gain, should you associate two, more than fifty per cent would crowd under the cloak of sweet charity that covers a multitude of sin.  
 Visit some meeting—of the city council and you would soon be convinced with what your board would have to contend with if every thing could float under charity.  
 While I am of the opinion that the old jail could and should be made into an emergency and charitable hospital for city and county, I do not wish to be understood as opposing a larger hospital for all classes, keeping in view our established public spirit. If we are doing this in a charitable spirit and if it is too much for some one of our protestant denominations.  
 I would suggest the following plan that you take the assessed valuation of the membership of the several congregations in the city, prorate to each pastor and his official board according to the city's or county's assessed valuation of each church's membership, the part of a building fund that that church should raise, and erect a Protestant hospital and place it in the hands of an official board and it would keep them busy to make running expenses out of it.  
 But with all due respect for the financial ability of many of our busi-

**AT THE CHURCHES.**  
**Central Presbyterian Church.**  
 (Corner 11th and Bluff.)  
 Morning worship.  
 Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
 Preaching 11 a. m.  
 Evening worship.  
 Christian Endeavor 7:15 p. m., R. L. Price superintendent.  
 Preaching 8:15 p. m.  
 You are cordially invited to attend these services.  
 FRED L. McFADDEN, Pastor.  
**Christian Church.**  
 Bible school 9:30; W. J. Bullock superintendent; good singing, good teachers and classes for all ages.  
 There will be no evening services during August in the Christian church. Rev. F. P. Walters will conduct the regular morning service, which begins at 10:45 and will be shortened during the hot weather. Sunday's topic "The Twelve Sent Forth." Matt. 10:1-16.  
 Let all attend this only service. Miss Louise Thatcher has invited the Christian Endeavor to meet with her upon the lawn of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thatcher, 1210 Ninth. They will go so, beginning at 7:15 and close so all who desire can attend other church services. Let church members and friends rally to this open air service.  
**Breaking Soil With Steam.**  
 Corpus Christi, Texas, Aug. 2.—Sixty steam plows are now running in this vicinity turning virgin soil at the rate of ten acres per plow each day. The land has been sold to settlers from the North and East and most of it will be planted in cotton. The plows run the entire year.

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**STEEL CORPORATION  
REPORT SUBMITTED**

(Continued from page 1)

the interstate business. Had the character of the steel corporation and the nature and extent of its operations been known to the people and to the President of the United States at the time of the absorption of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Co., it is highly improbable that the Chief Executive would in 20 minutes have given his consent to a merger fraught with infinite injury to the steel industry and to the public alike.

"The enormous earnings of the steel corporation are due not to a degree of integration of efficiency not possessed by its competitors, but to the ownership of ore reserves out of all proportion to its output or requirements, and to the control and operation of common carriers, divisions of rates, and the liberal allowances obtained from other concerns through inequitable allowances. The business of production and transportation should be absolutely separate and distinct, and no industrial concern should be permitted to own or operate an interstate carrier.

"The Attorney General of the United States and his subordinates should not be permitted to exercise an absolute discretion as to the institution or proceedings under the act of July 1, 1890, known as the Sherman anti-trust act, or other acts prohibiting combinations in restraint of trade. The parties injuriously affected by such combinations should have access to the courts and the benefit of adequate and sufficient remedies for wrongs inflicted by such combinations."

The legislation recommended by the majority consists of three bills. One of them, commonly known as the Brandeis bill is designed to give an injured party the right to institute suit to prevent the organization of a combination in restraint of trade. This bill also transfers the burden of proof to the defendant corporation to show that it is a combination within the "reasonable" restraint of trade. The bill recommended by the committee has long been pending before Congress, having been introduced by Senator La Follette and Representative Lenroot.

Another bill would provide that no person who is engaged as an individual or as a member of a partnership, or as a director or other officer, or as an employee of a corporation in the business, in whole or in part, of manufacturing or selling railroad cars or locomotives, or railroad rails or structural steel, or mining and selling coal shall act as a director or other officer or employee of any railroad company which conducts an interstate commerce business.

The third bill is intended to hit at the system of interlocking directorates, and would separate industrial from railroad business.

The Steel Trust investigating committee was authorized to begin its work on May 4, 1911. Since that date it has heard many witnesses and made many trips of inspection and investigation. Among the witnesses heard have been most of the great American financiers of the present age with the

exception of J. Pierpont Morgan, Andrew Carnegie, E. H. Gary, George W. Perkins, James J. Hill, the late John W. Gates and others prominent in the railway and steel world were heard at length. The committee took thousands of pages of testimony and spent many thousands of dollars.

During the progress of the hearings a difference of opinion between the Chairman, A. O. Stanley of Kentucky and Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, caused a near fist fight and at one stage of the proceedings George W. Perkins, of New York, was threatened with a jail sentence for declining to answer a question as to his contributions to the republican campaign in 1908. Later the Chairman of the committee, Mr. Stanley, withdrew the question.

The effort of the committee to master the motives of the financiers who conceived and organized the steel corporation resulted in a mass of figures which showed enormous profits to those who were interested. In speaking of watered stocks, the majority comment is:

"In some instances stocks were 'watered'—in the ordinary acceptance of that term; they were literally devalued. The cost of constructing or reproducing the several plants constituting the combine was inconsequential as compared with the value of the new device for enjoying with immunity an old and hitherto forbidden privilege—an absolute monopoly in a valuable and necessary article of commerce."

From Julian Kennedy, an engineer the committee traced the development of the National Tube Company, subsidiary of U. S. Steel, by J. Pierpont Morgan. He told the committee that he investigated the condition of the tube trade and found that the "actual" value of these plants did not exceed \$19,000,000, and that the owners were demoralized and disheartened. The committee comments on this situation as follows:

"Undismayed by this dismal prospect, J. P. Morgan & Co., with an amazing audacity, launched this new \$19,000,000 monopoly on its course with a total capitalization of \$80,000,000, and received as compensation securities of this concern aggregating \$20,000,000."

Representative McCullough who studied the labor condition in the steel mills found that the corporation was opposed to organized labor and preferred foreign labor.

"The result," he says, "is that about 80 per cent of the unskilled laborers in the steel and iron business are foreigners of these classes. With the benefit of a skilled American foreman such a crew can work out results in unskilled labor production. The profits of this system of labor employment go to the Steel Corporation, while the displaced American workman shifted as best he could."

In discussing the ownership of railroads and steamship lines by the Steel Corporation the report says:

"There is no question that public interest requires a segregation of railroads and the Steel Corporation. The control of such public agencies by an industrial corporation carries with it, in addition to the advantages which this record discloses, possibilities of even greater abuses."

The part that United States Steel, the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Railroad Company, President Roosevelt and Wall street financiers played in the panic of 1907 are covered

in the report and the insinuation is made that the panic was an artificial one designed for the benefit of the Steel Corporation.

In its comment the committee says: "How a panic which had persistently resisted the combined efforts of the Federal Government and John D. Rockefeller and J. P. Morgan & Co. and remained unabated after Morgan and Rockefeller had turned over \$60,000,000 and the Federal Treasury \$25,000,000 more should suddenly be stilled by this manipulation of Grant B. Schley's loans has not been explained either by Mr. Roosevelt or by any other witness. Yet it is urgently maintained that the panic continued prior to this magical scop of securities and that the instant the steel corporation acquired the Tennessee Coal & Iron Co's. Stock it subalated instantly and permanently."

The committee reports that on October 26, 1907, President Roosevelt issued a statement congratulating Secretary Cortelyou and the business men who headed off the panic. The committee says of this:

"Up until the time of this interview the Steel Corporation owed its success and its permanency to the power and the skill of the financiers who had created and the iron masters who had dissected its operations. Since that time its dominance has been due in no small measure to the sudden, ill-considered, and arbitrary fiat of the Chief Executive."

"The President's refusal to interfere was an absolute warrant to proceed. A suggestion from him to the Attorney General was equivalent to a command; and upon a refusal of the Attorney General to act, the corporation was immune. This is admitted by Col. Roosevelt, and he unhesitatingly assumes full responsibility in the matter."

The report occupies more than 200 pages and much of it is criticism of the methods of the trusts. Andrew Carnegie's steel making methods and his desire to extend his business are held out as the motives which compelled J. Pierpont Morgan and his associates to organize the Steel Trust."

**A Minority Report.**

A recommendation favoring the legalization and regulation of big industrial concerns, instead of their dissolution, is in a report by three Republican members of the steel investigating committee. The report was signed by Representatives Gardner of Massachusetts, Young of Michigan and Danforth of New York. Representative Young submitted an additional statement and Representative Sterling of Illinois, who believes in dissolving the big combinations will submit a separate report.

The report advocates the creation of an interstate commission of industry to be clothed with extensive powers of regulation and with power to fix reasonable prices for the output of corporations. The report would require that all corporations capitalized at \$50,000,000 or more, operate under a charter to be issued by the United States before engaging in interstate commerce. Smaller corporations might avail themselves of the Federal charter of their own option.

All corporations availing themselves of the United States charter would be recapitalized at their actual value. The report commends the work of the bureau of corporations. It also approves the so-called Brandeis bill, which would transfer the burden

of proof to defendant corporations to show that they are in "reasonable" restraint of trade. It approves the measures calculated to prevent interlocking directorates and of the Democratic members' legislative program, the Republican say:

"The principles contained in the bills drafted by the majority are distinctly worthy of commendation and we give them our approval. But if the policy of dissolution favored by the majority is to be pursued, much additional legislation is required before proper dissolution can be obtained. This legislation the majority has scarcely outlined."

The Republican members make it plain that the report is not an expression of Republican policy or dictated by the Republican administration, insisting that the committee members stand on their own bottom in enunciating their views.

**GANGSTERS STOP AT  
SIGHT OF DETECTIVES**

It is Believed They Had Intended Attempt to Rescue Whitey Jack Lewis From Officers.

By Associated Press.

New York, Aug. 2.—Whitey Jack Lewis, one of the four men accused of shooting down the gambler, Rosenthal, underwent a third degree grilling today. Lewis, whose real name is Frank Seldenshue, was picked up yesterday on the station platform at Fleischman, New York just as he was about to take a westbound train. He was brought here this morning. This trip was without incident until the train entered the Wehawken terminal. There a band of six or seven East Side gangsters leaped over the gates and started toward the train. Suddenly their eyes fell upon several detectives who had been sent across the river and the gangsters slunk back to the station. No move was made to rescue the prisoners.

This annual yield of \$2,400,000 protection money was equally divided, according to the story told by Rose among four high officials of the police department, one of them being Becker and from other evidence the district attorney has collected, he has reason to suspect that each \$600,000 was further distributed. In other words, there were four separate systems or bureaus of graft collections, each headed by a high police official.

Mr. Whitman, it was learned, has the names of the other three police officials whom Rose has named and his further efforts in this now most sensational "police exposure" that New York has ever seen, will be directed toward strengthening the evidence which points against them. One of the officials named, it was learned, holds a position at headquarters and is, in a strict sense, a civilian employee.

The name of a former prominent city official has been brought to the attention of the district attorney as having been closely connected with the "graft system" but it was learned that the evidence thus far obtained against him is not of a tangible nature. The evidence, however, is being closely followed by detectives in the employ of the district attorney.

It also became known recently that if Lieutenant Becker will tell all he knows, not only in respect to his own alleged complicity in the murder, but will unfold the inner workings of the graft system, insofar as it may involve

the "men higher up" no effort will be made to enforce the extreme penalty for the crime of which he now stands accused—the murder of Rosenthal—but he will be granted leniency on that condition only.

The alleged fact of the \$2,400,000 graft fund was told to him by Becker, Rose said, in a sworn statement today. Becker, he said, told him that he handled \$600,000 a year and that equal amounts were handled by three other officials. This, he said came in collections from gambling houses, pool rooms, houses of ill repute and the like.

Rose said he had collected gambling graft for Becker for months and he promised the district attorney that he would obtain for him the rates paid by gambling houses, make a tabulation of what these receipts amounted to monthly and yearly and how the money was handled. That there were other collectors beside Rose is the assumption of the district attorney, who hopes to identify them.

"Becker told me that he was the prince of the police department," Rose said. "He paid me liberally out of my collections but I never was able to keep what I got, I was a fool gambler and gambled it all away."

Part of the business between the gamblers and the police, the district attorney was told, was boldly done through checks, although his efforts to secure evidence in this form have proven fruitless.

"Bridget" Webber, the gambling house keeper, who has also confessed and whose story largely resulted in the arrest of Becker, promised Mr. Whitman, it was learned, to corroborate Rose's statement in regard to the collections. "Incidentally, Webber today admitted to the district attorney that \$2000 was the sum which he received to pay the men who actually fired the shots which killed Rosenthal."

In regard to the murder itself, Rose stated to Whitman that the reason why it was done so openly and that no effort was made to cover the number of the big automobile as it drove up to the Hotel Metropole "to get" Rosenthal, was that Becker was "relied upon for protection."

In addition to the men "higher up" District Attorney Whitman is investigating records of two members of the "strong arm squad" who helped Becker in some of his so-called "fake" gambling raids. They will be asked to appear "voluntarily" before the grand jury, and if they refuse, Commissioner Waldo will be requested by District Attorney Whitman to suspend them.

Although Mr. Whitman realizes with whom he is dealing, he believes the corroborative evidence is strong. He plans, it was learned, to go slowly in the case, and it appears likely the grand jury investigation will continue all summer.

**WICHITA COUNTY FARM  
LAND AT \$80 PER ACRE**

S. L. Fowler of Burkburnett Receives Highest Price Ever Paid Outside Irrigated District.

Perhaps the highest price ever paid for Wichita county farm land (outside of the irrigated district) was that sold by S. L. Fowler of Burkburnett to A. A. Cord of Mulky, Kansas, at \$80 per acre for 130 acres.

This body of land is located one mile east and north of Burkburnett. Mr. Carl was in the city today having the abstract of title examined preparatory to closing up the deal.

**200 Handsome, Stylish, Well-made Kimonos, regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50, on sale Saturday, at**

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**40 Splendid House Dresses of Percale and Gingham, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 dresses, now only**

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Special bargains in Men and Women's low quarter Shoes.  
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**WOMAN INDICTED FOR FALSE SWEARING.**

Of the new indictments returned by the grand jury, the following have been arrested:

Mrs. Lizzie Knight, false swearing; Mrs. T. J. Roach, false swearing; George Steffan, obtaining money under false pretenses; B. A. Lester, selling liquor in prohibition territory; all of these are on felony charges. Of those indicted for alleged misdemeanors—Chambers charged with running a disorderly house, Lowell Smith, theft and Hiney Voss, theft, have been arrested. There are several other indictments in which no arrests have yet been made.

Mrs. Lizzie Knight who resides in the country near Wichita Falls was indicted for false swearing in connection with the taking out of a marriage license by her son.

These cases will come up for trial next week. Judge Martin will swap seats with Judge Joe J. Dickson of Seymour and the latter will preside over the court here. Both Judge Dickson and Judge Martin are disqualified in several cases in their respective courts.

**For Saturday Selling**

**Miller's Bargain Store**

Ever since I have been in Wichita Falls, I have been under selling the other fellows, and proving the truth of my motto: "Miller Sells It for Less." Now I am going to under sell my self even, and tomorrow you can buy a number of items of necessity at less than half the manufacturer made them for, and any article in the house at an exceptional low figure. Here are a few sample prices:

One lot Ladies and Misses' Oxfords, made to sell up to \$3.50;	
Saturday per pair	<b>\$1 25</b>
One lot Ladies' and Misses' Oxfords, made to sell for \$2.00;	
while they last, per pair	<b>75c</b>
One lot Babies' and Children's soft sole Shoes;	
worth up to 90c, per pair	<b>25c</b>
One lot Children's low heel Shoes, per pair	<b>40c</b>
Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps in all the season's best styles, in nubuck, tan, velv and patent leather, button, tie and strap. On account of lack of room I am compelled to close them out right now, and will sell	
\$3.50 Styles for	<b>\$2 50</b>
\$2.00 Styles for	<b>\$2 25</b>
\$2.75 Styles for	<b>\$2 00</b>
\$2.00 Styles for	<b>\$1 38</b>
Am also making a big reduction in Men's and Boy's Oxfords.	
<b>MEN'S PANTS.</b>	
I have a very large and particularly desirable stock of Men's Dress and Work Pants, in every wanted weave or color.	
Prices range from	<b>\$1 00 to \$5 00</b>
<b>MEN'S NECKTIES.</b>	
An extra special offer in Men's Neckwear; offering	
75c Silk Ties for	<b>60c</b>
50c Silk Ties for	<b>50c</b>
50c Silk Ties for	<b>40c</b>
A splendid long Silk Four-in-Hand for	<b>20c</b>
Silk Poplin 25c Ties for	<b>15c</b>
<b>MEN'S STRAW HATS.</b>	
If you want a straw hat, just come in and pick one out and make us an offer—if it's reasonable at all we'll take it, and you'll get the hat at your own price.	
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More goods for same money; same goods for less money.	
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\$5.00 Oxfords	\$3.75	\$5.00 Pants	\$3.90
4.50 Oxfords	3.40	4.50 Pants	3.75
4.00 Oxfords	3.10	4.00 Pants	3.30
3.50 Oxfords	2.90	3.50 Pants	2.90
		2.50 Pants	1.90

These values are hard to equal—Don't let them get by you.

## "THE MODEL"

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### JUDGE SPEER DECLINES TO TRY THE HUFF CASE.

Macon, Ga., Aug. 2.—Judge Emory Speer declined to try the contempt charge against Col. W. A. Huff who, yesterday was arrested on an attachment issued by Judge Speer because of a letter in which Judge Speer's official and private character was attacked. The judge overruled a demurrer of Col. Huff's counsel that he was without jurisdiction as the matter was one for a grand jury to indict and a grand jury to try. Judge Speer entered into a long defense of himself and made a vigorous denial of all the charges, saying that none of Col. Huff's charges were true. He wound up by saying he refused to try the case and that it would be necessary to get another judge. This means that Judge Don. Pardee of the United States circuit court will have to designate the judge to try the case and it will hardly come up before next fall. A demonstration is being planned here tonight for Col. Huff.

The court room today was thronged with spectators and feeling in the matter was intense.

### Harvesting Pea Crop.

Athens, Texas, Aug. 2.—The peach crop is about harvested and practically all the fruit has been disposed of and now the farmer's attention will be taken up in marketing the pea crop which is expected to be nearly one hundred cars. The price on peas will probably run from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per bushel.

### FOR SICK HEADACHE AND CONSTIPATION

After Old Time Remedies Fail Try Gentle, Blissful Hot Springs Liver Buttons

Don't condemn this wonderful bowel, liver and stomach remedy just because pills, salts, waters and oils have not given satisfaction.

Hot Springs Liver Buttons are a scientific remedy; the formula of the best medical brains in Hot Springs, Ark. One little button, easily taken, will do the work and do it so well that you will be joyfully astonished.

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### WARNING IS ISSUED AGAINST ARMY WORM.

Washington, August 2.—A two page circular telling of the millions of dollars damage done by the army worm in the South this year, and giving warning of its spread along with instructions for combating the advance was issued today by the department of agriculture. This circular will be sent to farmers throughout the Southern States. The army worm is rapidly usurping the place of the boll weevil and the gypsy moth as the greatest agricultural pest and menace in the United States.

In the circular Secretary Wilson calls upon all cultivators of the land to co-operate and to exercise the precautionary measures cited, in addition to making an active campaign of extermination.

### MURDER CASE ON TRIAL IN CORPUS CHRISTI COURT.

Corpus Christi, Texas, Aug. 2.—The jury that will try John McGregor, who is charged with murder, was completed in the district court at noon today. The venire of 150 men had been exhausted.

The introduction of testimony began this afternoon. McGregor is a young white man of this city and is charged with killing Tom Priour, also of this city, on Christmas eve night, 1910. McGregor and Priour were attending the firemen's carnival, then in progress. Both sides have an array of legal talent and the trial will require a number of days to complete.

### Texas Cotton Figures.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 2.—The Department of Commerce has just issued its report showing the cotton production of the United States for 1911 by states. Texas produced 27.4 per cent of the crop of the United States in 1911 and 26.4 per cent in 1910. The Texas crop last year was 4,297,243 bales, an increase over the preceding year of 1,224,316 bales or 39.6 per cent. The total production for the United States in 1911 was 16,250,276 bales, which is an increase over 1910 of 4,244,588 bales or 25.4 per cent.

### 209 Cotton Counties.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 2.—A report issued today by the Department of Commerce and Labor shows there are 209 counties in Texas which produced cotton last year. Ellis county is the banner cotton producing county, the yield being 136,427 bales in 1911, an increase over the preceding year of 31,922 bales or 30.8 per cent. The total production for the state in 1911 was 4,297,248 bales, an increase over the preceding year of 1,224,316 bales or 26.4 per cent.

### NEGROES WANT TO KNOW ATTITUDE OF NEW PARTY.

New York, Aug. 2.—The attitude of the national progressive party on the race question was inquired into today by a delegation of negroes which called on Colonel Roosevelt on his arrival in New York from Oyster Bay. Representatives of three states were in the delegation. New Jersey sent C. R. Branch, John C. Love and J. Churchman. James H. Hayes came from Richmond, Va., and W. P. Hayes Jr., R. Glees and Isaac B. Allen were the representatives of New York. Col. Roosevelt assured them he would do all in his power to secure for the negro full rights under the constitution. The question of "Lily White" movement in the South was brought up, but Col. Roosevelt postponed a definite answer as to this phase of the question, saying that in a few days he would make a public statement of his idea of the attitude the national progressive party should take.

### HUGGING UNBIDDEN IS A CRIME IN MONTANA.

St. Paul, Aug. 2.—Hugging a girl in Minnesota is just as dangerous as hugging one in Montana, according to General Attorney Lindon. A. Smith, and the presumptuous hugging makes himself liable to imprisonment either in the county jail or in state's prison unless he is urged to the act by the girl herself.

This informal opinion was given by the state's attorney following a dispatch from Great Falls, Mont., where a man 29 years old was arrested charged with hugging a 15-year-old girl on the Missouri river bridge and a charge of assault in the third degree placed against him.

### DANIEL WEBSTER NODS; TUB OVERFLOWS; ARRESTED

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Daniel Webster who lives in Darlington, Wis., came to Chicago yesterday and between the flowing bowl and an overflowing bathtub got into trouble. Webster's room in a hotel at 1025 West Madison street was broken into in the morning. It was discovered that water was trickling from it. In his bathtub with the water turned on full force Webster was sitting upright sleeping. The floor around about the tub was more than an inch deep in water. Webster was arrested.

### Texas Cottonseed Mills.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 2.—There were 209 establishments in Texas engaged in crushing cottonseed during the year 1911, according to a report recently issued by the United States Department of Commerce and Labor. The Texas mills crushed approximately one and one half million tons of seed during that year. Seventeen new cottonseed oil mills were opened for operation during the year.

### Offers Bonus For Hotel.

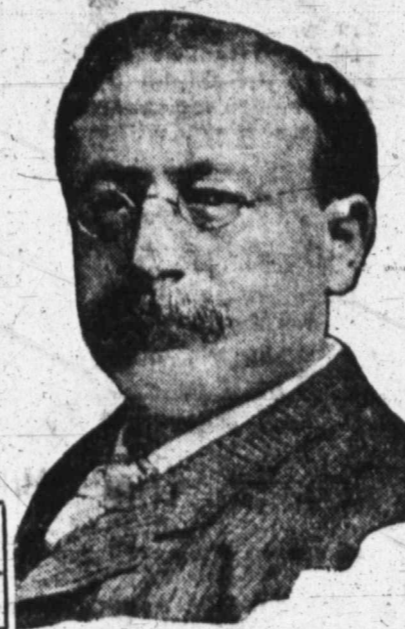
Waco, Texas, Aug. 2.—In order to relieve the lack of hotel facilities existing here the Young Men's Business League has offered a bonus of \$20,000 to the individual or corporation that will erect a modern hotel of not less than 190 rooms in the business district.

### To Erect Warehouse.

Austin, Texas, Aug. 2.—The Business League, in co-operation with the Southern States Cotton Corporation, will erect a warehouse to accommodate 20,000 bales of cotton. Representatives of the two bodies are now engaged in looking for a suitable site. The plan is to hold the cotton for 15 cents and advance the farmer money until the market price meets their expectations.

## Trusts Have Stirred Up Present Feeling of National Unrest

Their Greed Has Moved the People



Big Profits Criminal Abuse of Privilege

By VICTOR L. BERGER

Socialist Congressman From Wisconsin

THE commercial and industrial octopus commonly called the beef trust has been a potent factor in BRINGING UPON THIS NATION THE VICIOUS ECONOMIC CONDITIONS WHICH NOW AFFLICT IT. These economic conditions have in turn given birth to the ominous cries that issue from the lips of thousands of poor, needy and downtrodden fellow Americans pleading for something to alleviate their conditions.

There are no more powerful recruiting media to the cause of socialism in the United States than our monopolistic corporations, thriving as they do on an abnormal share of the pittance which the great mass of our manhood call their YEARLY EARNINGS.

THE RULE OF PROFITS AS INTERPRETED BY THESE TRUSTS IS A CRIMINAL ABUSE OF PRIVILEGE.

You might attempt to remedy the Sherman anti-trust law—a good statute so far as it goes, but one that no matter how many amendments are added to it cannot remove the root of the evil. It does not and cannot regulate the avarice of man. An ABSOLUTE DISSOLUTION OF THESE MONOPOLIES WITH AN HONEST RENEWAL OF HEALTHY COMPETITION or their complete nationalization, wherein profits sink to a minimum, are the only solutions of the problem.

## Unification of China Must Come From Within



Japan Has No Designs on the New Republic

By Prince TARO KATSURA, Japanese Statesman

CHINA is now assuredly the GREATEST PROBLEM. Unthinking people have asserted that Japan sought for and hoped for a revolution in China. Nothing could be more unjust.

The great powers should concertedly adopt measures to assure better world conditions pledged to the integrity of China. Japan no more seeks to violate such a pledge than any other nations bound by similar agreement. Perhaps each one of the powers differs from the others in minor details, but I hope each will sacrifice individual desires in order to achieve the common object, which is the INTEGRITY OF CHINA.

THE UNIFICATION OF CHINA MUST COME FROM WITHIN, BUT UNDER THE GUARANTEE PROVIDED IN THE PRESENT PROJECTED AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE SIX GREAT NATIONS CHINA CAN PROCEED TO ORGANIZE AN ADEQUATE ADMINISTRATIVE SYSTEM.

A conflagration broke out in China—across the river, as it were. We did no more than take ordinary precautions, although the conflagration certainly threatened Japan more than any other country.

## Universities Safety Valves of the Nation

By President CHARLES R. VAN HISE of the University of Wisconsin

NOWHERE in the world do free universities and despotism, either of might or of spirit, DEVELOP PEACEFULLY side by side. In consequence of this unalterable fact those who hold fixedly to the practices of the past have again and again denounced universities as the "nurseries" of revolution, of social democracy, of anarchy.

AS A MATTER OF FACT, THE VERY REVERSE IS THE CASE. THE UNIVERSITIES WHICH GIVE FREE EXPRESSION TO PROGRESS ARE THE SAFETY VALVES OF THE NATION.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Mae Googer and little daughter, Florine, left this morning for a month's visit to friends at Herford.

F. J. Forcher and two sons left today for Pueblo, Colo., where they will visit for a week or more, and go from there to San Francisco. They expect to be absent about one month.

Mrs. C. L. Fontaine left last night for Denver, Colorado, to spend the remainder of the summer.

Miss Mary Smoot is absent from the city spending some time with relatives in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford of Holliday were visitors in the city today.

Dr. H. A. Waller, formerly a resident of this city where he was engaged in the dental business, arrived here this afternoon on a short business trip. His home is now in Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook left this afternoon for their home in Frederick, Oklahoma, after a visit with S. A. Cook and wife.

Miss Lucy Gibbs of Navasota, Texas, passed through here today en route from her home to points in Colorado, where she will spend the summer.

J. C. Bourne, state manager for the National Supply Company, left this afternoon for his headquarters in Houston, after remaining in this city on business for a few days.

M. Dobson returned to his home in Burburnett, this afternoon, after a short business trip.

W. F. Woodrum, a ranchman living near Dundee, returned to his ranch this afternoon, after a business trip to this city.

S. Mittenthal, formerly a merchant here, left this afternoon for his home in Dallas, after remaining here for a day or two visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tomlinson and children and Mrs. W. D. Nelson will arrive here tonight from their home in Ruston, Louisiana, and will remain in this city visiting relatives for some time.

Merrill Blair, after attending a house party in Dallas for the last two weeks returned to his home in this city last night. Wiley Blair, Jr., will return Sunday.

Mrs. R. Malone of Quanah and Mrs. Gachet wife of Dr. Gachet of Memphis, Tennessee, arrived here this afternoon to visit relatives for some time.

Dr. J. W. Du Val Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses Fitted. Lady Attendant. 402-404-406-408-410-412-414-416-418-420-422-424-426-428-430-432-434-436-438-440-442-444-446-448-450-452-454-456-458-460-462-464-466-468-470-472-474-476-478-480-482-484-486-488-490-492-494-496-498-500-502-504-506-508-510-512-514-516-518-520-522-524-526-528-530-532-534-536-538-540-542-544-546-548-550-552-554-556-558-560-562-564-566-568-570-572-574-576-578-580-582-584-586-588-590-592-594-596-598-600-602-604-606-608-610-612-614-616-618-620-622-624-626-628-630-632-634-636-638-640-642-644-646-648-650-652-654-656-658-660-662-664-666-668-670-672-674-676-678-680-682-684-686-688-690-692-694-696-698-700-702-704-706-708-710-712-714-716-718-720-722-724-726-728-730-732-734-736-738-740-742-744-746-748-750-752-754-756-758-760-762-764-766-768-770-772-774-776-778-780-782-784-786-788-790-792-794-796-798-800-802-804-806-808-810-812-814-816-818-820-822-824-826-828-830-832-834-836-838-840-842-844-846-848-850-852-854-856-858-860-862-864-866-868-870-872-874-876-878-880-882-884-886-888-890-892-894-896-898-900-902-904-906-908-910-912-914-916-918-920-922-924-926-928-930-932-934-936-938-940-942-944-946-948-950-952-954-956-958-960-962-964-966-968-970-972-974-976-978-980-982-984-986-988-990-992-994-996-998-1000

VICTORY OVER REBELS WAS COMPLETE

By Associated Press. Ojitos, Chihuahua, Mexico, Aug. 1. via Douglas, Ariz., Aug. 2.—The victory of the federals over the rebels in the battle of Ojitos and the fighting that followed has been complete. The rebels advancing from Casas Grandes were confident of victory thinking that only General Blacoco was present. They brought a photograph with them to use for a dance and concert after the battle. The federals used it to furnish music for the wounded. The rebels were repulsed with several killed and wounded. The federals lost two killed and nine wounded.

Colquitt's Expenses.

Austin, Texas, Aug. 2.—Governor Colquitt said today that he found on calculation his personal expenses during the campaign were \$468.35. This does not include the expenses of maintaining his headquarters, a statement of which will be filed within the next few days. In the campaign the governor traveled 4,300 miles by rail and several thousand miles farther than that by automobile. His principal expenses were for railroad fare and meals. The statement will be filed with the county judge of Kaufman county. This makes about \$5 a day spent by the governor, during the 90 days of his campaign.

Dr. Brown, Dentist, Room 306, Kemp & Kell building. Phone 872. 42-tfc

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Rev. Shelby King will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church Sunday morning and Sunday night.

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

New York Spots. By Associated Press. New York, Aug. 2.—Spot cotton closed steady, middling upland 13.10; gulf 13.35. Sales 2721 bales. Kansas City Grain. By Associated Press. Kansas City, Aug. 2.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 88 and 91; No. 2 red 97 and 98 1-2. Corn No. 2 mixed 77. Oats No. 2 white 42.

Fort Worth Cattle. By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Texas, Aug. 2.—Cattle receipts 1400. Market strong Steers tops \$6.10. Hogs receipts 100; tops \$8.35. Sheep receipts 450; market steady.

Galveston Spots. By Associated Press. Galveston, Texas, Aug. 2.—Spot cotton steady. Middling 13 5-16. Sales on spot 30. F O B 50. Receipts 318. Stock 21,248.

Crop Report Causes Jump in Price. By Associated Press. New Orleans, Aug. 2.—The August condition report on the cotton crop from the government issued this morning was lower than expected and caused heavy trading and a rise of about \$1 per bale in the cotton future market. October jumped to 13.95.

Ordzoo Will Evacuate Juarez. By Associated Press. El Paso, Texas, Aug. 2.—Gen. Pascual Ordzoo is preparing to evacuate Juarez today. He stated to the Associated Press correspondent that he was engaged in destroying certain papers of the revolution and that he would leave as soon as possible. He said Gen. Salazar was coming to Juarez this evening from Casas Grandes, and that he would return south with Salazar. It is rumored in Juarez that Salazar is coming up to join Ordzoo and try to escape to the United States.

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Local News Brevities

Dr. R. T. Bolya, veterinary surgeon, Office, McFall Barn; phone 14; residence phone 1976. 293-tfc

Five alleged transgressors of city ordinances were on the mourners' bench when Mayor Bell looked over his specs this morning and declared the court to be in a receptive mood. Four of the defendants admitted that they had reached the point where things were not what they seemed and were fined. The fifth demanded a jury and his case was set for this afternoon.

My motto: Miller sells it for less.

Dr. Du Val—Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. 63-tfc

Collier & Hendricks are showing the first of the party campaign apparel in the shape of a series of four-hand neckties, each bearing the emblem of their favorite party.

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225 Prompt ambulance service. 306-tfc

Dr. Nelson, dentist. Phone connections. 63-tfc

J. A. Miller has added improvements to the interior of his store by building a deck that gives him a considerable additional floor space.

Jesse J. Dolman, licensed undertaker and embalmer, with Freezer-Brin Furniture Co. Day phone 136, night phone 132. 17-tfc

C. N. Franklin, an old time knight of the grip is in town calling on the trade in the interest of the J. C. C. corsets.

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Mollie A. Bailey's "great southern railroad shows" will exhibit in Wichita Falls Thursday, August 8. In former years Aunt Mollie's show was treed across the country from town to town and nobody ever knew anything about its coming until the wagons reached the place. Now flaming flyers herald the coming of the show which travels in Aunt Mollie's own Pullman palace cars. Still the show is just as good as it always has been.

We receive a fresh shipment of Colorado vegetables three times each week. If you want the best, phone 64 for your orders. Prompt delivery. 70-tfc

The case of Bridges vs. the Wichita Falls Motor company is on trial before a jury in the district court this afternoon.

A jury commission consisting of M. F. Yeager, J. L. Browning and T. B. Roberts is at work today selecting jurors for the December term of the district court.

The epidemic of horse-theft which has been prevalent lately in this section resulted in another arrest last night when Jud Stiles was arrested following the theft of a horse from an oil company at Petrolia. Stiles is said to have admitted that he knew the horse had been stolen, but avers that he did not steal it himself. He is in jail.

Sherrod & Co., grocers, are now occupying the store room vacated by the Bessey Furniture Co., on west side of Ohio avenue in the White block, one door south of the Favorite Shoe store.

The Dreamland Theatre will put on a stock company next week instead of motion pictures, opening Monday night with the Williams Stock Company in "Kentucky Hills."

Sparkling Diamonds!

Illustration of a woman with diamonds, text 'Art Loan Co JEWELERS AND BROKERS 706 Ohio-FINE WATCH AND JEWELRY REPAIRING-706 Ohio'.

CULBERSON VISITS GOVERNOR WILSON

Texas Senator Will Discuss Publicity of Campaign Expenditures Before Election.

By Associated Press. Seagirt, N. J., Aug. 2.—Three visitors from the South saw Governor Wilson today. They were Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia, Culberson of Texas, and Representative Henry D. Clayton of Alabama, chairman of the House judiciary committee.

It is said Culberson who is a member of the national campaign committee will discuss with Wilson pending legislation requiring publicity before election of all campaign contributions. Notwithstanding the demands on his strength Governor Wilson says he is in good health. Joseph E. Davies, secretary of the national committee who was here for a conference, suggested another sea trip but Gov. Wilson answered with a blunder.

"I wish that my room had a floor. I don't care so much for a door. Without touching the ground is getting to be such a bore." Through stacks of correspondence the governor continues to pick his way facing constant interruptions. "I fell about my correspondence very much like the frog that tried to get out of the well. Every time it jumped up one foot it fell back two," he said. Letters about the campaign flow in by the hundred. Wilson intends giving his personal attention to all of them.

Formal announcement was made today by Governor Wilson that he will not resign the governorship of New Jersey during his campaign for the presidency. Leading Democrats of the State have urged him to follow the precedent of Grover Cleveland who was nominated for the presidency but continued in the office of governor of New York. Governor Wilson is keenly interested in the prospective result of committees investigating the tax problem and the efficiency of state affairs in New Jersey, and prominent Democrats have asked him not to forsake his office unless called to a higher one.

Pre-Cooling Plant. San Benito, Texas, Aug. 2.—The pre-cooling plant has closed down until the next season opens up, which will be about December 1st. The plant handled two hundred cars of vegetables during the two months it has been in operation and the vegetable reached their destination in perfect condition.

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