

WILSON MAKES THREE SPEECHES

DELEGATIONS COME TO PLEDGE SUPPORT AND HEAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE

'PARTY HAS CHANCE NOW'

Will Never Be Given Another If It Falls To Make Good On Its Promises, Governor Says

By Associated Press. Seagirt, N. J., Aug. 10.—In the dusty road which fringes the lawn of the summer capitol today Governor Wilson shook hands with many hundreds of Democrats who serenaded him with bands. He made three speeches.

First came the Hungarian National Democratic Club of New York City. The governor assured them he never had intended anything disrespectful in his writings on foreigners and he had always felt a high regard for European people because of his long study of their history. The delegation officially said they would support him.

The Brooklyn Democratic Club came later. To them the governor said:

"I am complimented by your allegiance and I want to assure you that while I think this a high personal compliment I take it to myself simply for the reason that I, for the present at any rate, represent the earnest desires and purposes of the party. Yet it seems to me we are standing in the presence of something higher than allegiance to party. The country has been disappointed in the Republican party and it is turning to us. We are willing to show the way towards those things that must be realized. Some gentlemen find it easy to make personalities out of politics but it seems to me that when that is done politics is debased.

"Men who are in search of reform are now resorting to the Democratic party because for my own part I do not know where else they can turn for results. There is no discounting the strength and service of a united party and the splendid part is that the Democratic party is united. It came out of the Baltimore contest without any personal feeling. I am delighted that whoever we have supported for nomination we are now glad to work together.

To the Wilson club of Orange, New Jersey, Wilson made a longer speech in response to one by Judge Daniel A. Dugan. The governor remarked first that he was glad to be introduced by Judge Dugan because it showed there were "good Irishmen among those Orangemen."

"I was glad," said the governor with a laugh, "to see the north and south of Ireland come together.

"You have tested my qualities because you have known me at close range," he said, "and if you will be kind enough to vouch for me perhaps the rest of the country will be credulous of your report.

"New Jersey was known as the mother of trusts, a very troublesome and questionable family, and I had to spend my time outside of New Jersey assuring the people that it was not the fault of the disposition of the people of New Jersey that there were certain gentlemen who had undertaken to carry the Republican party in their pockets and to administer it independently of the rank and file of the Republicans of the State.

"And yet, it would be hard now to discriminate New Jersey from the rest of the United States, because everybody is sitting up and taking notice. New Jersey is progressive but the United States also is progressive and we have here merely a delightful sample of the people of the United States.

"Now those people are not bent on destroying anything, but they are bent on settling everything in order. They are bent on justice, on seeing to it that the people in general are the partners of the government, as it was then, to show the other day. And the Democratic platform is now pledged under a peculiar responsibility; it has to prove it is the worthy instrument of that zeal on the part of the people of the United States.

"If it doesn't prove it now, it will never be given another chance to prove it. No party that proves unfaithful to that ideal will ever again be trusted by the people of America. And, therefore, we are standing at a turning-point in our politics. We must make good, or go out of business.

In the vernacular, it is a case of 'put up or shut up' because words are going to be discounted and nothing will be honored except actual carrying out of such a program as sensible men may unite in for the common benefit."

An international exposition of horticulture will be held at St. Petersburg in the spring.

SECRETARY KNOX WILL ATTEND FUNERAL OF EMPEROR

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 10.—Secretary Knox was today named by President Taft as a special representative of the United States at the funeral of the late emperor of Japan. Mr. Knox will leave for Seattle and the Orient, Thursday. The funeral will be held September 12.

GERMANY OWNS WIRELESS PLANT

SAID TO BE BACK OF COMPANY BUILDING STATION ON LONG ISLAND

MAY MEAN COMPLICATIONS

Crosses the Sentiment of Lodge Resolution Recently Adopted in the U. S. Senate

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 10.—An inspector detailed to investigate the Teleyken wireless station at Salville, Long Island, declared today that it is "backed by German capital, that all of the apparatus is of German manufacture and intended to work the wireless station at Mauen 3400 miles away." According to a department of commerce report.

OIL TANK IS IGNITED BY LIGHTNING BOLT

By Associated Press. Shreveport, La., Aug. 10.—Lightning struck today a steel oil tank of the Gulf Refining Company at Oil City igniting 3000 barrels of oil. Smoke from the fire could be seen here, 25 miles distant.

ROOSEVELT OR NEGROES THEIR CHOICE

Colonel Said He Put Proposition Very Plainly Before Northern Delegates

By Associated Press. Oyster Bay, Aug. 10.—Because some of the northern delegates to the recent progressive convention were anxious to help the southern negroes in a representation, yet did not know how to go at it, a serious breach in the new party's ranks was threatened, according to Mr. Roosevelt. He said today he had refused to give the negroes a voice in the meeting.

Northern delegates who sympathized with the clamoring blacks told him he was unfair and that they would not abide by his decision. Roosevelt immediately analyzed the attitude of the negro delegates in the Republican convention and said that if the protestants wanted to create such conditions in the new party they must do it without him. His ultimatum was convincing, he explained.

The Colonel today admitted the progressive party had used material from the Democratic platform.

\$35,000 FOR LORIMER TO PAY FOR HIS FIGHT

Submitted Total Claim \$100,000 More Than Allowed—Committee Cut Expenses Down

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Aug. 10.—An appropriation of \$35,000 to former Senator Lorimer to cover part of his expenses in the two fights to retain his seat will be recommended by the Senate committee on privileges and elections.

The total claim for expenses submitted by Senator Lorimer was in excess of \$135,000. It is understood the claim of Detective Burns was also materially cut down.

Chairman Dillingham will recommend an item of about \$2000 as compensation and expense of Attorneys Marble and Healy who represented the committee in the investigation. A large sum will be necessary to pay witnesses. All of the appropriation will be proposed as an amendment to the deficiency appropriation bill.

SULLIVAN WILL 'PEACH' MONDAY

MAN CLOSE TO CONSPIRACY WILL TELL ALL HE KNOWS ABOUT ROSENTHAL'S DEATH

IS SIXTH TO 'SQUEAL'

Jack Rose Has Been Promised Absolute Immunity—More Deposits of Beckers

By Associated Press. New York, Aug. 10.—Jack Sullivan, who is under arrest in connection with the murder of Herman Rosenthal promised tonight he would tell Monday all he knew of police Lieutenant Becker's alleged connection with the murder.

Sullivan made this statement to Assistant District Attorney Smith. He was unwilling to tell his full story until he had seen Mr. Whitman who is out of town over Sunday. Sullivan said to Mr. Smith that he had seen Becker in conversation with Jack Rose and Bridge Webber a few hours before the murder. This corroborates stories of other witnesses and indicates relations between Becker and the men involved in the murder plot. Sullivan denied previous knowledge of the plans to kill Rosenthal and also denied he had driven away in the gray automobile in which the murderers escaped. He was on the scene shortly after the killing and went from the Metropolitan to Webber's gambling house on 42nd street. He saw Becker and Rose converging on the sidewalk, he said. Later they were joined by Bridge and the three had a low tone conversation in which he was not permitted to join.

Sullivan makes the sixth of the line men under arrest for the murder who have "squealed" and the effect of the addition of another "recruit" upon Lieut. Becker who still maintains he has nothing to confess will be watched with interest by the prosecution.

Efforts of Assistant District Attorney Smith to trace Becker's bank deposits resulted today in locating five more banks in which accounts were recorded in the name of Becker and his wife, representing altogether deposits of more than \$25,000. All were made, it was learned, within the last eight months. In one bank Becker was credited with \$13,000. It was also learned that two inspectors recently made deposits totalling \$75,000. Evidence more of graft against one of these inspectors is in the hands of the district attorney who will seek his indictment when the graft evidence of the case is taken up.

Information that Becker turned over to "those higher up" more of his alleged graft collections than he kept was obtained by Attorney Smith today. Becker's receipts according to this evidence, amounted to about \$15,000 a month but of this \$10,000 went to the so-called "system."

Jack Rose, it was learned today, has received absolute immunity. It became known that when Rose confessed before the grand jury a stipulation granting him freedom as soon as he has completed his testimony at the trial was signed by the district attorney and Judge McQueen with the approval of the grand jury.

Rose now is in a penitent mood, according to his lawyers and is anxious to reform. He plans as soon as he is released to leave the country with his wife and two children and begin life over.

RATTLESNAKES THROWN INTO PRISONER'S CELL

Tale of Suffering and Hair-Breadth Escapes Told By Refugee From Mexico

By Associated Press. San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 10.—A narrative of adventure and suffering in Mexico told here today by William Bender of New York, who said he arrived from the Southern Republic by way of Nogales, Arizona. After he had been captured as a spy, held as a slave by his rebel captors and condemned to death, he escaped and traveled 4000 miles to reach the United States. According to his account, he went prospecting in Chihuahua. Rebels arrested him as an American spy. The insurgents held him captive for eight months, he said and made him do the menial work in camp.

"I heard of the foolishness of Mexican prisoners but I never imagined there could be a place as that in which I was thrown," he said. "One day the guard threw into my cell two rattlesnakes with the hope that they would kill me. I killed the snakes. The same performance was repeated later. Finally, he said, he was condemned to be shot but made friends with a guard who aided him to escape.

THREE DETROIT BRIBERS HAVE CONFESSED

By Associated Press. Detroit, Mich., Aug. 10.—Confessions have been made by three of the eighteen men accused in this city's aldermanic bribery scandal. One official's declaration, according to statements given out by the prosecutor today covers history of the common council for years. It was announced that more arrests are likely Monday.

ELECTRA FIELD AGAIN EXTENDED

WELL BROUGHT IN ON MARRIOTT TRACT EXTENDS FIELD OVER MILE EASTWARD

NEW WELL A GOOD ONE

Its Production Estimated at Better Than 100 Barrels—New Wells Going Down

The biggest thing that has happened in the oil business since the strike at the Burk Burnett well six or eight weeks ago came off Friday when Owen and Wilson brought in a well on the J. H. Marriott lease about two miles northeast of Electra and a mile and a half east of any producing well in the field.

The oil was found in the thousand foot sand and is reported to be good for 150 to 200 barrels a day. Such a well in shallow sand is certain to be followed by a great amount of development in that section of the field. The strike further confirms the theory that has been held for some time that a series of connected pools lie along the south side of Red river all the way across the north end of Wichita county into Clay county at Petrolia.

If the other Electra sands are found below the one now producing on the Marriott tract it will mean that the Electra field has just started. Owen and Wilson hold the lease on 68 acres where the well is located and will at once sink other wells. It is probable the next well will be drilled for the deeper sands. These operators who until a few months ago had been drilling for others have been very fortunate and could probably clean out their holdings at a profit at more than a hundred thousand dollars today.

TURKEY'S QUAKE IS DESTRUCTIVE

SEVERAL HUNDRED KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN KILLED—THOUSANDS HOMELESS

FIRE STARTS IN DEBRIS

Flames Add To Terrors of Wrecked Cities—Many Towns Are Reported Wiped Out

By Associated Press. Constantinople, Aug. 10.—Details of the earthquake, which are coming in slowly owing to interrupted wires, indicate the disturbance was widespread. Several hundred have been killed, thousands are homeless and outbreaks of fire have occurred in many towns and villages. The entire district between Constantinople and Adrianople felt the shock.

Fugitives from Mriopholis report three hundred killed and six hundred injured. The town was still burning when they left. Ganoshora has been wiped out, eighty persons being killed and thirty wounded. The wrecked buildings took fire and most of them were destroyed. Sar-Joy was completely destroyed and two nearby villages engulfed.

The center of the disturbance appears to have been in Dardanelles.

EARTHQUAKE KILLED MANY IN DARDANELLES

Town of Tchanak-Kellasi On Narrowest Part of Dardanelles Was Destroyed

By Associated Press. Constantinople, Aug. 10.—Earthquake shocks that smote villages on the Sea of Marmora yesterday killed or wounded many of the inhabitants. Many victims who were not killed outright have been brought here for treatment. More shocks were felt today. The seaport of Gallipoli, 132 miles west of here and the town of Tchanak-Kellasi at the narrowest part of the Dardanelles was destroyed. Many were killed or injured.

WICHITA EXHIBIT AT STATE FAIR

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IS GATHERING SPLENDID AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT

FACTORY PRODUCTS TOO

Brooms, Window Glass, Sheet Metal, Bottles, Pottery, Flour, Iron and Brass Goods, Brick, Auto Trucks

A Wichita county exhibit which will represent this county at the State Fair at Dallas and be kept in this city to show to visitors, is now being gathered by Assistant Secretary John W. Thomas of the Chamber of Commerce. Handsome specimens of the agricultural products have already been secured and many more are desired.

The agricultural exhibit will be supplemented by a display of the factory products of this city, and the oil field will also be represented. Brooms, window glass, bottles, pottery, flour, iron and brass goods, cotton seed products, bricks, culverts, auto trucks and the other factory products of this city will be exhibited, with original samples if possible, or with photographs.

For the agricultural exhibit, watermelons, canteloupes, summer squash, cushaw, onions, peaches, kafir corn, wheat, oats, tomatoes and plums have already been secured and some splendid specimens were brought in. Mr. Thomas is anxious to secure still more and all farmers having vegetables or grain of any sort that they consider exceptional are requested to send it in. Full credit will be given the donor of each sample. Among those who have already responded are Joseph Stephenson, J. W. Campbell, W. N. Connerly and M. L. Thompson.

WANTS CRIMINAL ACTION AGAINST TRUST MAGNATES.

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 10.—Immediate action on his resolution to instruct Attorney General Wickersham to bring criminal prosecutions against officers of the Standard Oil and American Tobacco companies was asked in the Senate today by Senator Pomerenne of Ohio. He presented a motion to have the judiciary committee discharged from further consideration of the resolution pending in the Senate more than a year but finally withdrew after it was arranged that he should have a hearing before the committee Monday.

OROZCO DENIES HE IS SEEKING PEACE.

By Associated Press. Juarez, Aug. 10.—Gen. Orozco, commander of the rebel forces in Northern Mexico, denied flatly today that he had made overtures for peace on the basis that he be allowed to escape from Mexico. He declared last night's report was a ruse by the federal government to cause the impression that he was weak.

"I am tired of repeating that the rebels will stop fighting only on the resignation of Madero and his cabinet," he said.

Mrs. Allen Released On Bond. Houston, Tex., Aug. 10.—Mrs. Catherine Allen, charged with the murder of her husband last Monday has made \$5000 bond, pending grand jury action, and has been released.

THREE WICHITANS WILL PLAY WITH HOUSTON

Myers, Baxter and Kizzlar Will Get Texas League Practice and Some Pocket Money

Three more of Wichita Falls players will play ball in the Texas League this season. Pitchers Myers and Baxter and Outfielder Kizzlar will report to the Houston team this week and will be with the Buffaloes as long as they are needed. They are still owned by Wichita Falls but will be used by Houston, getting the advantage of practice with that team and at the same time earning some money. It is quite likely that some of them will look good enough to Donk Roberts for him to keep them, but Wichita Falls can use them next year if he does not.

Centerfielder Brown leaves today for St. Louis and will go with the Browns on their Eastern trip. Manager Prof. Morris will remain here for several weeks, going to Weatherford in September to engage in the cotton business during the winter. Bill Guthrie will go to Abilene, also to handle cotton. Phillips, Jones, Chapman, White and Stackley have left for their homes, though some of them will probably round out the season with amateur and semi-professional teams.

CHICAGO AMERICANS ARE AFTER MINNEAPOLIS MAN.

By Associated Press. Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 10.—Chas. Comiskey, owner of the Chicago American League club is anxious to get Otis Clymer, Minneapolis' star outfielder, according to Mike Cantillon, president of the local association team. Whether the deal finally will be made Cantillon would not say.

OIL MEN GO OUT TO INVESTIGATE

REPORT OF SHOWING IN WELL NORTHWEST OF IOWA PARK CAUSE OF EXCITEMENT

IS NO DEFINITE NEWS

Buffalo Oil Company Said to Have Had Good Showing On Roberts Place Saturday

A report reaching here late last night that a flow of oil had been struck in the Buffalo Oil Company's well on the Roberts farm northwest of Iowa Park sent a number of operators hurrying out to the scene of the reported strike in automobiles to investigate. Up to a late hour last night no definite confirmation of the report could be obtained although what was learned indicated there was ground for the report.

According to the report the showing developed at a depth of about 500 feet and several barrels of oil were baled out. The slush pit was said to be well covered with oil. Last night drilling had been stopped and it was said to be the intention of the drillers to start under-reaming Monday morning.

The Buffalo Oil Company succeeded in Dismuke and O'Neal who started a well on this farm which was abandoned at a depth of about 800 feet.

The Producers Oil Company which owns the north half of the Marriott lease is at work on one well and will start several others at once. The Guiley Company which holds leases between the Marriott and the Sam Honaker tracts will also start wells at once.

PROGRESSIVES TO HAVE FULL TICKET IN OHIO

Are Beaten In Committee and Resign Positions—Plan Fight For All State Offices

By Associated Press. Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 10.—A full progressive ticket in Ohio probably will result from the defeat of Roosevelt's supporters on the State central committee when a gubernatorial candidate was selected today. Roosevelt men were beaten 11 to 8, and Gen. R. B. Brown named to head the ticket.

Immediately after the meeting the Roosevelt men resigned. The committee is to choose a successor to E. B. Dillon who resigned recently. Gen. Brown was the nominee for lieutenant governor. The committee will meet Tuesday to select a successor for Gen. Brown on the ticket.

Not only did Walter F. Brown who led the Roosevelt fight in the recent primary, withdraw as a committee man but he gave notice of his resignation as national committeeman. He said a full progressive ticket would be named.

REMARKABLE THRIFT DISPLAYED BY BECKER

Alleged Police Lieutenant Put \$23,000 In Bank On Salary of \$25,000

By Associated Press. New York, Aug. 10.—Large sums of money have been deposited in widely separated savings banks by Police Lieutenant Becker who is held in the Rosenthal conspiracy, according to members of the public prosecutor's staff. They assert that Becker concealed his identity under assumed names when he visited the different banks. These deposits were the proceeds, the prosecutor believed, of gambling blackmail. Investigation of the lieutenant's accounts is under way in New York and Rochester. Detectives of the district attorney's office say for \$1,000 and will go to the savings bank in Newark and another in Elizabeth, N. J., belong to Becker. The total of all secreted to him is \$21,000. Becker's salary as police lieutenant is \$2500 a year.

AMERICAN STOPS PEACE PROGRESS

MADERO BLAMES SENATOR FALL OF NEW MEXICO FOR OROZCO'S STAND

REBEL WANTED IMMUNITY

Said To Have Asked Only That He Be Allowed To Go Abroad—Falls' Activities

By Associated Press. Mexico City, Aug. 10.—Mexico blame Senator Fall of New Mexico for the failure to arrange peace terms with Gen. Orozco. Partly by deduction but principally on reports from El Paso by agents of the government, President Madero today came to the conclusion that the senator had blocked the negotiations. The charge was made in a formal statement issued at the department of the interior.

Rafael Hernandez, minister of fomento, who conducted the negotiations with Orozco at El Paso, has left there for Lower California, to study the irrigation question and the situation now is not greatly different from that of several days ago. The only hope of peace the government sees, without complete subjugation of the rebels is in the hazy future.

The administration keenly felt its failure and no effort is made to disguise its resentment against what it fancies to be Fall's officiousness. The El Paso report intimates that Senator Fall has played more than a passive part in frightening Orozco off. Just what this action was the government does not pretend to know.

"It seems that Orozco had accepted the conditions," says the official statement, "when he brusquely and without known cause changed his attitude completely. There is no official data on the causes which brought about this change, but from reports which have been received it seems that the determination of Orozco was influenced by the efforts of an American senator, A. B. Fall, who lately delivered in the Senate a speech filled with criticism of the Mexican government."

Orozco's position was that he be permitted to leave the country but it was not definitely specified where he expected to go. This left the United States as a possible choice and government officials now are inclined to believe that he expected to join his wife in California.

In Senator Fall's speech and other utterances he has demanded that Orozco should be held personally responsible by the United States for acts committed against Americans. That Orozco may have been forced to repudiate his proposition by some of his followers being yet unwilling to surrender.

A new feature in the negotiations came to light today in that Rafael Hernandez, who the president now peace conference, has been authorized to extend to Salazar, Campa Rojas and other leaders the same conditions as were offered to Orozco. The government also offered to assist in procuring work for all of the rebel soldiers who would lay down their guns.

The initiative for the peace conference was taken by Orozco, according to Jesus Flores Magon, minister of the interior tonight.

Huerta May Go to Juarez.

By Associated Press. Mexico City, Aug. 10.—Gen. Huerta commander in chief of the federal troops, it is reported, is not unlikely to go to Juarez to assist peace negotiations. It is even asserted a military train is ready to proceed south from Juarez to convey him to that city under a flag of truce.

At the same time, however, dispatches from Torreon say refugees are pouring in there with reports that the rebels under Gen. Arguemedo and Gen. De la Torre are approaching that town with the intention of attacking the line of communication and harassing the federal troops.

Believed Revolution Nearing End

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Aug. 10.—Despite Orozco's protestation that the Mexican revolution is not over, the State Department advises today lead officials here to believe the rebel leader is suing for peace and that his offer is still open to the Madero government. Senator Dillman, representative here of the revolutionary party, has asked Senator Calero, the Mexican ambassador, for an audience to discuss peace terms. Calero recently refused a similar request.

What action this government would take if Orozco would come to the United States has not been decided. Any agreement he might make with Madero wouldn't bind the department of justice in any action it might take to prosecute him for ab-

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- Stuffed Mangoes
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- Iced Tea

EXPLANATION OF DELAY

The train with quite a good supply of the "Royal Society" stamped goods which should have been here on August 6th or 7th was ditched in South Ohio.

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CAR ACCOUNTANT'S OFFICE WILL BE MOVED TO DENISON.

The Wichita Falls Route car accountant's office will be moved to Denison this month. The change will be effective August 25th. Only two men will be affected by the change

and those who are now employed in that office will be given the option of holding their old jobs when the office is moved to Denison or will be transferred to other districts here. Ed Sanders will remain in this city as chief clerk to Superintendent Sullivan.

Club Life of Women Is Entirely Different From That of Men

By Mrs. CHARLOTTE WILBOUR, English Clubwoman

IFATHER fancy that women's clubs are the outcome of the greater activity which women in the last generation have attained. Of course American women go in for clubs much more than English because they have so little home life.

IT IS CERTAINLY TRUE THAT WOMEN, AS REGARDS CLUBS, HAVE A DIFFERENT IDEAL FROM MEN. MEN GO TO CLUBS TO GET AWAY FROM PEOPLE, WHILE WOMEN GO TO GET IN TOUCH WITH ONE ANOTHER.

The club life of a woman makes her active, but it is because she has become active that she needs a club.

There is no doubt that if women would leave their homes more often and COME OUT INTO THE WORLD they would be all the better for it and the world would be all the better for it too. The fault of many women is that they are TOO DEVOTED TO THEIR HOMES and forget that the world is bigger than their four walls, and their ideas get so narrow that they are unable to look at things in a proper perspective.

Club life stimulates every faculty, and that means health. If more women joined clubs they would learn to take greater interest in life and in themselves. Why do women look old sooner than men? Because they WORRY TOO MUCH. Club life to a large extent dispels worry. It is peaceful and quiet and develops every faculty a woman possesses. That is why women become more beautiful with club life.

Do You Want to Be A Millionaire? Then Follow This Advice

By THOMAS NEACY, a Milwaukee Man of Millions

A MAN MUST BE CLEAN TO WIN. HE MUST BE CLEAN IN MORALS AND IN HONESTY AND CLEAN AS REGARDS TEMPERANCE. THE INTEMPERATE MAN DOES NOT STAND A VERY GOOD CHANCE IN THIS WORLD. IT IS ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL THAT YOU, SHOULD YOU BE SEEKING YOUR FORTUNE IN THE BUSINESS WORLD, MUST LOOK THE OTHER WAY FROM IMMORALITY AND LOOSENESS OF CHARACTER IF YOU ARE GOING TO AMOUNT TO ANYTHING.

BE PUNCTUAL ALWAYS. Many a time has a great victory been won by punctuality. If you say you are going to meet a man at 8 o'clock, meet him at that time. You would not go to catch a train half an hour after its departing time, would you?

And now for the time honored advice—SAVE YOUR MONEY. The saving of money is the foundation upon which you must stand to reach the million mark. If you can show me the man who started with nothing and got anywhere on nothing you'll show me a miracle. A few thousands will get you your start, but YOU MUST HAVE THE MONEY BEFORE YOU CAN DO ANYTHING.

WORK IS THE GREATEST THING IN THE WORLD. I haven't had a vacation since I landed in this country.

And, for goodness' sake, don't get the notion into your head that the world is too full of men who are capable of holding the big jobs. On the other hand, there is a scarcity of them. There's plenty of room in this world for you if you can SHOW THE WORLD THAT YOU'RE WORTHY.

Why Do American Physicians Go to Europe to Study?

By Dr. A. L. SORESI, New York Physician

AMERICAN physicians GO TO EUROPE IN ORDER TO PERFECT THEMSELVES in the different branches of medical science. Few European physicians come to America for the same purpose. European business men, however, come to America to investigate American business organizations. Few Americans go to Europe for that purpose.

Is it only a fad on the part of the American physician to go to Europe and of the European business man to come to America; or IS IT ACKNOWLEDGING THAT MEDICAL SCIENCE IS MORE ADVANCED IN EUROPE than in this country, as business methods are in America than in Europe?

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 No. 2 Ar Elk City 8:55 p.m.

Southbound—
 No. 1 Lv Elk City 6:15 a.m.
 No. 1 Ar Wichita Falls 12:05 p.m.
 No. 3 Lv Woodward 12:20 p.m.
 No. 3 Ar Wichita Falls 11:45 p.m.

Altus Wellington Branch

No. 4 Lv Altus 9:10 a.m.
 No. 4 Ar Newcastle 6:05 p.m.
 No. 5 Lv Wellington 12:35 p.m.
 No. 5 Ar Altus 3:25 p.m.

Wichita Falls and Newcastle

No. 11 Lv Wichita Falls 2:30 p.m.
 No. 11 Ar Newcastle 6:05 p.m.
 No. 12 Lv Newcastle 8:15 a.m.
 No. 12 Ar Wichita Falls 11:50 a.m.

Fort Worth and Denver

Northbound— Arrive Leave
 No. 1 1:40 p.m. 1:50 p.m.
 No. 2 12:20 p.m. 12:40 p.m.
 No. 3 2:30 a.m. 2:45 a.m.
 Electric local departs 7:00 a.m.

Southbound Arrive Leave
 No. 4 3:50 p.m. 1:55 p.m.
 No. 5 2:45 a.m. 2:55 a.m.
 No. 6 12:01 p.m. 12:30 p.m.
 Local from Electric Arrives 6:00 p.m.

Missouri Kansas & Texas

Eastbound—
 No. 272 Lv Wichita Falls . . . 6:20 a.m.
 No. 18 Lv Wichita Falls 1:30 p.m.

Westbound—
 No. 271 Ar Wichita Falls . . . 11:00 p.m.
 No. 17 Ar Wichita Falls 12:30 p.m.



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Sherman, Texas, August 10.—Seventeen carloads of six inch pipe is being unloaded in this city today for use in building the gas line from Petrolia to Sherman. The charter of the gas company calls for completion of the line by January 1st and gas is to be sold to residents at 45 cents and reduced rates for manufacturers. The present rate is \$1.40.

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The Rural High School Law

Austin, Texas, Aug. 10.—The rural high school law has been generally discussed this year throughout Texas; and has been severely criticized, according to State Superintendent Bralley, by some good people who do not understand its provisions. Mr. Bralley today gave out the following statement, in which he says: "It's a good law, because:

"1. It authorizes the county board of education, after conferring with the district school trustees, and the county superintendent, to classify the public schools of the rural districts. To classify a school is to carefully consider the educational needs of the children of the district and then to prescribe a classification that will conserve and promote those interests. Under no circumstances can a child of scholastic age be deprived of its right to attend a public free school; and in the classification of a school if the county board of education should limit the number of grades of work below that of the classification of some individual child then it becomes the imperative duty of the county board of education to provide for that advanced child, to attend a school of proper classification in a convenient or adjacent school district. However, if there be no school of proper classification in a convenient or adjacent school district, then the county board of education must classify the school of the district in which the advanced child lives so that said child can attend the school of the district of its residence. In this way no child of scholastic age or school will suffer in the least, but every child of scholastic age and every country school in Texas will be authorized by this classification.

"2. It authorizes the consolidation of two or more small districts where practicable into one larger district in which may be maintained with business economy one or more schools one of which should offer high school instruction. This consolidation, however, cannot be made without the consent of a majority of the trustees of each district affected; and the district trustees may be relied upon to represent public sentiment, and the public welfare in this matter.

"3. It authorizes the county board of education to prescribe a course of study for use in all the country public schools of the county, and thus establish inter-relation and systematic co-operation among all the country

schools, and enables parents and trustees to judge more accurately the work of the children. In this way steady and sure progress is made from year to year; and the old-time policy of going over and over again the same work each year by the children in the country schools is abolished.

"4. It encourages district school trustees to discontinue the suicidal, foolish policy of demanding one teacher to give daily instruction to from sixty to eighty-five children in from forty to fifty different classes of from three and one-half to ten minutes each in length, and encourages district school trustees to employ a sufficient number of teachers for each school to enable the school to be organized on a program that will guarantee efficient instruction to the children, and personal attention to their needs. This may require the levying of a local school maintenance tax; but who will deny it is worth while?

"5. It encourages the building up of high schools in the country districts in which may be effectively taught industrial as well as other subjects, and it thus makes unnecessary and inadvisable for parents residing on the farm to either send their children away to the city high school or to move from the farm home to the city for high school opportunities. In this way the tendency to deplete the rural sections of our state of its best citizenship and to increase the number of city dwellers who daily feed out of tin cans and paper sacks and depend upon daily jobs, will be checked and a sturdy, self-reliant, educated country citizenship will be promoted.

"6. The law does not, as has been alleged by uninformed persons, prohibit the teaching of the eighth grade in the country public schools. In fact, it encourages the teaching of all of the high school grades, including the eighth, ninth, ten and eleventh in the country schools under conditions most favorable to the children who reside on the farm.

"7. There are more than 600,000 farm boys and girls in Texas, and a wise administration of this law will give them improved and enlarged educational opportunities along such definite lines as have been tested and proved successful and satisfactory by experience in Louisiana, Georgia, Tennessee, North Carolina and other Southern States, as well as in the States of the North and East."

WOMEN BLAMED FOR BAD MORALS

TIGHT SKIRTS, CLERGY DECLARE ARE CAUSING MUCH OF MANKIND'S SENSUALITY

MASHERS NOT AT FAULT

Indecent Suggestive Costumes, A Prime Factor in Much of Everyday Meanness

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 10.—Wide-spread interest in this city was attracted to the recent statement of Rev. Dr. Walter T. Sumner, chairman of the Chicago Vice-Commission, that indecent dressing, particularly tight skirts worn by women, contributing to sensuality, is largely responsible for "mashers."

Ministers and moral censors of the city lauded the stand of the Chicago clergyman and declared that a campaign to change the style of dress should be inaugurated here. They agreed with him that the nation was passing through an era of suggestive dressing.

In discussing the situation, Dr. Sumner said:

"If there be an increase in annoyance to women upon the streets, I am inclined to think that it can be traced to the dress of the women. We are going through a period when women are making many efforts to accentuate those lines which lead to sensuality. The average working girl today is taking, no doubt ignorantly, as her standard of dress that of the diamonds. It is no wonder that she, consciously or unconsciously, invites men's attentions."

Rev. Dr. John W. Sayers, pastor of St. Matthew's Methodist Episcopal Church, one of the leading Methodist ministers of the city, suggested that mothers were responsible in large measure for the risqué styles affected by young women.

Mothers Set Bad Examples

"Girls of 14 to 15 years of age are quick to imitate and when they see their mothers and other women wearing tight skirts and short skirts they naturally consider it the right thing and follow their example," said Dr. Sayers.

"Unquestionably, the styles affected by women are having an unwelcome effect upon the morals of the nation. Many of these styles are decidedly immodest. But, can we blame young girls for adopting them when well-dressed women show them the way? We see young women in almost all walks of life wearing costumes that modest women might call indecent. We see these short skirts and hobble skirts almost everywhere.

"Who is responsible? The girl's mothers. They should use good counsel and their authority with the young women. Mothers should be

honest with their daughters. I always preach that. If the mothers did their full duty we would see less of these outlandish styles."

"I think that the Episcopal authority of Chicago has uttered the truth," commented Dr. Johnson. "Modesty stands in deadly peril because of the supposed striking attire now worn by women. It is time to call a halt. Pure-minded youths are awayed by the brevity of skirts, and I believe that the predominating styles are hideous."

"I am encouraged by the activities of the great papers of the country in condemning the 'hobble skirts' and other forms of sensuous and abbreviated attire. Newspapers can do more good than any other agency, and I see only victory in sight when they enter into the crusade."

DISBROW WON 200 MILE RACE AT GALVESTON.

By Associated Press.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 10.—Making a mile from a flying start in 21.11 seconds, Lewis Disbrow in his Jay-I-See special 290 horsepower racing car led the Galveston beach record by 6.69 seconds this evening in a trial at the close of the 200 mile for all.

Disbrow was also the hero in the 200 mile race, driving his Simplex "Zip" in the first place and winning over thirteen contestants with a time of 3 hours, 6 minutes, 17.19 seconds. Disbrow's driving throughout the race was very sensational. At the finish of the 17th lap he had a tire blowout on the rear tire forming a lump on the rim.

A loose end of the tire struck him on the side of the head bruising his face. He kept his place and stayed with his car, coming to the pit for a new tire. It was put on in four minutes and he re-entered in third place taking first on the 15th lap and held it throughout.

Only four cars finished the 200 mile race, which was over 2 1/2 miles course forty laps being required. Harry Endicott driving a Mason Special, was second 3 hours 8 minutes and 30 seconds and Clark driving a Mercedes was third with a time of 3 hours 50 minutes and 12 seconds. The other car to finish was a Flanders driven by Bob Evans.

ANOTHER ROSENTHAL SUSPECT ARRESTED.

By Associated Press.

Hot Springs, Ark., Aug. 10.—Sam Sheeps, wanted in New York in connection with the Rosenthal murder, is under arrest through private agencies in this city tonight. He is guarded by an officer, who it is reported, is holding him pending the arrival of a representative of the district attorney's office in New York.

Sheeps is reported to have made the statement that he would go back without requisition and en route would make up his mind whether to join the others who have confessed.

According to official figures 1,600,000,000 pounds of butter are made in the United States every year.

MULLINS MADE GOOD SHOWING FIRST GAME

"Lefty" Mullins Pitched For Dallas Yesterday and It Wasn't His Fault Game Was Lost

Although he did not win his game, "Lefty" Mullins began his career with the Dallas team in the Texas League very auspiciously Friday. Beaumont won the game, 2 to 1, but an error by the Dallas first baseman and a passed ball by the Dallas catcher contributed more to the Oilers' victory than did the hits secured off Mullins' delivery. He was nervous, according to reports, but that might be excused on the part of an 18-year-old boy facing Texas League batters for the first time, and his performance on the whole was considered very creditable. Commenting on his work, The Dallas News of Saturday says:

Mullins, a new left-hander from the Wichita Falls club of the Texas-Oklahoma League, pitched for Dallas and deserved to win the game. Perhaps a trifle nervous because he was appearing in faster company than that to which he has been accustomed, yet the youngster used both his head and arm to advantage. He allowed only five hits and got the safeties bunched on him in but one frame. He struck out six Oilers and walked only two.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

National League.

Boston	R H E
Chicago	10 13 2
Batteries: Hess, Donnelly, Dickson, Purdue and Kling; Cheney, Brown, Richie, Reulbach, Lavender and Archer.	R H E
New York	6 10 1
St. Louis	2 7 1
Batteries: Tesreau and Myers; Steele and Wingo.	R H E
Cincinnati	2 8 3
Philadelphia	10 12 1
Batteries: Humphries, Frill and McLean; Severold, Alexander and Killifer.	R H E

SECOND GAME

Cincinnati	4 7 0
Philadelphia	5 8 1
Batteries: Suggs and Clark; McLean, Seaton and Killifer.	R H E
Pittsburg	5 10 1
Brooklyn	7 9 1
Batteries: O'Tolle, Warner and Kelly; Gibson, Curtis, Backs and Miller.	R H E

Texas League.

Austin	0 0 0
Galveston	2 8 3
Batteries: Taylor and Bobo; Dood and Wilson.	R H E
Waco	0 1 0
San Antonio	3 6 0
Batteries: Taff and Carson; Ayers, Rogers and Smith.	R H E
Houston	5 13 1
Fort Worth	2 4 1
Batteries: Ray and Reynolds; Russell, Phillips, Brown and Kitchens.	R H E
Dallas	1 1 0
Beaumont	0 4 2
Batteries: Green and Gibson; Foaster and O'Brien.	R H E

SECOND GAME

Dallas	2 6 0
Beaumont	3 0 0
Batteries: Evans and O'Donnell; Martin and Dawson.	R H E

Baseball Results.

FIRST GAME

Chicago	0 4 1
Philadelphia	8 9 6
Batteries: Benz, Crabb and Kuhn; Pfang and Lapp. Called in the fifth on account of rain.	R H E

SECOND GAME

Postponed; rain.

St. Louis	3 8 2
Washington	1 5 0
Batteries: Allison and Alexander; Grooms, Peltz and Williams.	R H E

SECOND GAME

St. Louis	2 11 1
Washington	1 8 2
Batteries: Powell and Alexander; Hughes, Johnson and Williams.	R H E
Boston	4 9 0
Detroit	1 7 4
Batteries: Wood and Cady; Willett and Stango.	R H E
Cleveland	5 16 1
New York	1 5 2
Batteries: Stein and Livingston; Caldwell and Williams.	R H E

WILLIAMS STOCK COMPANY ENDS ENGAGEMENT HERE.

The Williams Stock Company closed their engagement at the Dreamland Theatre last night by presenting "Wolves of New York" to the largest audience of the week. The innovation of stock plays at the Dreamland has proven highly satisfactory from both a financial and artistic standpoint in spite of the fact that the weather has been detrimental to the theatrical business. This week the Woods-Ray Company will be the attraction opening tomorrow night with "The Valley of Virginia."

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Monarch Preserves, 5-lb. tins only \$1 00
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WANTED

WANTED—Family without children desire small house with modern conveniences located on the hill. Phone 572. 77-31c

WANTED—To meet party with capital who wants to engage in business in Wichita Falls. Address "A," Times, 77-31p

WANTED—Up-to-date sewing by the day. Phone 945. 77-11c

COMPETENT lady stenographer desires position in Wichita Falls. State salary in letter; Stenographer, 1106 Fifth avenue, Fort Worth, Texas. 77-11p

WANTED—To rent by responsible party, a six or more room house, close to business section; furnished or unfurnished. Must be modern. Address "X," care of Times. 77-11p

WANTED—Immediately, to meet party who has vacant inside property or business room, who wants to engage in good paying business, with party who has money to invest in same. Must see you personally, Saturday or Sunday. Address D, care Times office. 76-21p

WANTED—Four or five room house, close in, by September 1st. See E. P. Walsh. 76-31

WANTED—Room and board in private family. Address L. H., care Times. 76-51p

WANTED—Small children to board and care for. Address Mrs. Minnerly, city. 76-51p

WANTED—Second hand safe. S. W. Roberts, Phone 741. 74-tfc

WANTED—Lace curtains to wash; 1019 Austin. 72-71p

WANTED—Secretary of commercial organization in live city of 10,000. Newspaper experience and business ability required. Salary \$100 to start. Address Y, care Times. 68-tfc

NOTICE—The Bessey Furniture Co., has moved to the Ruby Theatre building, corner Ninth and Indiana. 67-tfc

FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—One furnished room; bath. \$6 per month; 1508 Eleventh street. 77-tfc

FURNISHED bed room for rent, close in. Apply 907 Scott. 77-tfc

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1406 Scott avenue. 76-tfc

FOR RENT—One furnished room for gentlemen; east front; modern; \$9 per month. Apply 1308 Burnett. 75-61c

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Modern and strictly sanitary; 909 Seventh street. 74-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms; modern bedrooms. Apply 704 Travis. 72-tfc

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping room; 806 Seventh. 72-tfc

FOR RENT—8 room house, furnished; all modern on 1307 Burnett Street. N. P. Blakemore. 70-tfc

FOR RENT—Several nice, pleasant rooms. Elite rooms on Eighth street. 54-tfc

FOR RENT—The J. W. Roling home-stead at 308 Lamar. T. J. Taylor, administrator. 77-tfc

FOR RENT—All or part of modern six room house on hill, furnished. Phone 565. Apply 1605 Ninth. 76-tfc

FOR RENT—Six room house, modern, 1505 Bluff street. Phone 603. W. W. Brown. 76-31c

FOR RENT—Nice 5 room modern house close in. See E. B. Gorsline. 57-tfc

FOR RENT—Desirable five room cottage; south front, modern. 1710 Tenth street. Phone 120. 53-tfc

FOR RENT—Five room house; modern; between Seventh and Eighth streets; \$30 per month, in advance. See J. C. Mylinger, phone 860. 52-tfc

FOR SALE—A Miami Bicycle. Easy running and good as new. Will sell for \$25. Jerome Stone at Times office. Phone 167. 68-tfdh

FOR SALE OR RENT—Furniture of nine room house at 710 Ninth street. 67-tfc

FOR SALE—Three room house; in Lakewood addition; \$200. Will take \$50 cash, balance \$15 per month. I also have some real nice four and five room houses, well located, that I will sell on extremely easy terms, all me for real bargains. Phone 522, Mack Thomas. 49-tfc

FOR SALE—Combination Davenport Billiard and Pool table, with all accessories. Brunswick-Balke make, cost \$160. Just the thing for home; also Angelus piano player, with 50 rolls of music. 1408 Travis, Phone 917. 77-tfc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—An upright piano, in good condition. Apply 1104 Burnett. 775p

FOR RENT OR FOR SALE—On easy terms five room house 402 Adams street. Marlow & Stone. 69-tfc

FOR SALE—Sulky plow, \$20; disc harrow, \$20 walking plows 10 to 14 inch \$7 to \$9 each. J. P. Jackson, 608 8th street. 71-tfc

FOR SALE—Best bargain in inside business property in town; 109x150 set on Indiana avenue near Seventh. Price \$18,000. Bean, Huey & Gohlke. 61-tfc

FOR SALE—Choice Elberta peaches at my orchard, 1 mile east of city at 75c per bushel; \$1.00 per bushel delivered. J. B. Nicholson, phone 1614, ring 11. 77-31p

FOR SALE—Cheap, second hand lumber, lathes, brick and kindling. C. C. Knight, Moore-Bateman building. 77-31p

FOR SALE—I have about 4000 trees loaded with fine Elberta and Robt. E. Lee peaches, just right for canning purposes. Those wishing same can get them at my orchard 12 miles north of Wichita Falls at the following prices: Elberta 50c per bushel; Robt. E. Lee's 40c per bushel. Jos. Stephenson, Rural Route Phone. 75-31c

FOR SALE—Full-blooded young Jersey cow. A bargain. Phone 546; 1908 Austin. 77-tfc

FOR SALE—320 acres Wichita Valley land, well improved, four miles of railroad station, \$22 per acre one-half cash, balance god terms. E. C. Norwood, Wichita Falls, Texas. 76-61p

FOR SALE—Tomatoes, both kinds: the big red and the little pear, at 213 Lamar avenue. Price 20c and 25c per gallon. 76-61p

FOR SALE—Furniture of four rooms. Party buying can rent house if desire. Apply 805 Fifth street. 74-tfc

NOTICE—The Bessey Furniture Co., has moved to the Ruby Theatre building, corner Ninth and Indiana. 67-tfc

FOR SALE—Account leaving the city, furnishing of nine room house, also sixty gallon gasoline tank. Bargains for quick sale. 1408 Travis, Phone 917. 76-tfc

TO EXCHANGE.

EXCHANGE—Will give room and board in exchange for house painting work. Also housekeeping and bed rooms for rent; 806 Tenth. 76-31p

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

FOR SALE—Six room house, with attic, electric lights and gas. Corner lot, 70x150. Rooms for another house on lot. In good neighborhood. Owner leaving the city and must sell. \$800 will handle the proposition. Other payments on easy terms. For information write Box 115. 77-31c

BARGAIN LIST—We can fix you in a bargain in city property. We have 4 business houses well located; close in residence property, easy terms; vacant lots. If you want anything in town call on us. 172 acres good land, 105 acres in cultivation, fine well of water, 7 room house two miles of railroad station, price \$20 per acre. We have a number of other farms for sale cheap. Oil land for lease. See us and save money; buy before the boom. Marlow & Stone. 76-51c

FOR SALE—By owner, lots 1 and 2, block 3 Floral Heights. Phone 737. 79-61-p

FOR SALE—Three houses and lots in Floral Heights. \$100 down, balance easy, on car line. Phone 532. 65-tfc

FOR SALE—Lots 13 and 14, block 61, Floral Heights, fronting on car line. Price \$900 for the two. See The Jones Land office 721 Indiana avenue; phone 1076. 61-261c

FOR SALE—New modern home; in Floral Heights at a bargain; terms. Will take Floral Heights lot in trade. Phone 305. 21-tfc

If you want to buy sell trade or rent property it will pay you to see or phone J. E. Childers, 404 Indiana, Phone 777. 47-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—38 acres of land, 1/4 mile west of car line; 22 acres under irrigation. Will trade for city property. Price \$100 per acre; easy terms. Ambrose Yeager. 77-51p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good rubber tire top buggy. Will trade for cow or sell for cash very cheap. Phone 1058. 76-21c

WANTED—To trade for all kinds of second hand furniture or stoves. Bessey Furniture Company, 706 Indiana avenue; phone 887. 45-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—The Westland Annex rooming house, over Bennett & Hardy's. Will trade for city residence property. Apply Westland Hotel. 31-tfc

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FOR LEASE—800 acres near oil well at Burkburnett. Call on us at once. Marlow & Stone. 73-51c

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MONEY TO LOAN—Plenty of money to loan on farms and Wichita Falls improved property. Easy terms. F. W. Tibbets. 17-tfc

LOST

LOST—Tan ribbon watch, fob, with Odd Fellows chain and A. F. of M. pin, with initials "K.E.B." Return to this office; reward. 77-tfc

FOUND.

FOUND—Watch fob, with lodge emblem and gold pins. J. E. Frank, Wichita Hardware Company. 77-tfc

COMFORT FOR JURORS IS BEING AGITATED

It is Proposed to Convert Second Floor of Old Jail into Jury Room

Better accommodations for jurors in criminal cases are being demanded by citizens who are passed into jury service and it is probable that definite steps will be taken soon. The complaint seems to be that the present quarters are too hot in summer and too cold in winter, that fresh bedding is the exception and not the rule and that ventilation is not good. It is proposed to convert the upper story of the old jail building into a jury-room and it is thought that by this means many of the disadvantages of the present quarters in the court house can be removed.

SWEEPING INVESTIGATION OF CUSTOM APPRAISING.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Aug. 10.—Plans for a sweeping investigation of methods of appraising importations into the United States, which is expected to increase the revenues of the government millions of dollars annually were completed by Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh today.

The following committee was appointed to make the inquiry: Edwin Wakefield, special attorney of the department of justice; J. W. Wheat, special customs agent at New York; Guy Emerson, private secretary to Assistant Secretary Curtis; J. B. Nevers of the customs division and J. S. Springshead of the appraisers' office of New York.

MANY BUILDINGS CONTEMPLATED RENT HOUSES ARE IN GREAT DEMAND

CONTRACTS FOR A NUMBER OF NEW RESIDENCES ARE TO BE AWARDED SOON

BUSINESS BUILDINGS NEW PEOPLE COMING IN

Are in Demand and Plans Are Being Made For Several New Structures

Building operations, which have been more or less active throughout the summer, are still unabated and many contracts for new residences are to be awarded shortly in addition to the work already under way.

The Central Presbyterian church will soon let the contract for a manse for the pastor, adjacent to the church on Bluff street; this will cost about \$2000.

J. J. Perkins is having plans prepared for two 5-room cottages on the old Yeager property on Aldin street. Monte Stannforth expects to award the contract soon for a brick residence in the Huff addition on South Denver street.

Another residence will be that of F. L. Rhodes in Floral Heights. The plans for all these buildings are by Jones & Orloff.

There is a demand for new business buildings at present and it is expected those desiring locations will be accommodated by new buildings before the end of the year. It was stated recently that tenants could be quickly found for at least four business buildings. There is practically no vacant business property at present. J. J. Knight is having plans drawn for a three-story brick on Indiana between Eighth and Ninth and when the new postoffice building is completed, the building at the corner of Eighth and Ohio will be available for a business house.

Contracts for several new residences in addition to those mentioned above are to be awarded this week.

NEW VOTING BOX MAY BE CREATED

County Commissioners Will Probably Create New Precinct To Facilitate Voting and Counting

A change in the boundaries of the election precincts so as to create one more voting box in the city and possibly make some new districts in the attention of the county commissioners when they convene tomorrow in quarterly session. The principal objection to the present arrangement is the large number of votes cast at the court court box and one change suggested is to cut this district in two so that part of the voters may cast their ballots at some downtown point.

The commissioners will also take formal action on the tax rate. It has already been determined that there will be no change from the present figure, but the action has not yet received official standing.

Collars and cuffs made of the curds of goat's milk, dried and compressed the invention of a Parisian, are said to wear nearly as well as celluloid articles.

FIRST BALE OF COTTON REACHES THE CITY

Was Brought in Saturday Afternoon By T. P. Smith From Scotland, Archer County

Mr. T. P. Smith a farmer living 25 miles south of this city near Scotland in Archer county, holds the distinction of having brought to town the first bale of cotton during the present season. He arrived here with the staple yesterday afternoon and owing to the arrival of the first bale not being expected he was not able to get it ginned Saturday.

The cotton was raised on Mr. Smith's farm near Scotland and he says that he has planted eighty acres that will average probably a third or a half bale to the acre. The cotton brought to town Saturday afternoon weighs 1600 pounds and is said to be of the good grade.

Mr. Smith will no doubt receive a premium for having marketed the first bale.

He says that his cotton was picked by members of his family and that but for the wet weather he could have brought the first bale to town last week.

CALL FOR BULL MOOSE CONVENTION IN ARKANSAS.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 10.—James A. Comer, chairman of the Arkansas progressive republican central committee today called a state convention of the party to be held in Little Rock, Aug. 17. The call was issued immediately on his return from the Chicago convention.

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BIG PANORAMA PHOTOGRAPHS MADE

Factory Addition, Oil Field and Lake Views in Photographs Ten Feet Long

On exhibition in the show windows of the Freear-Birin Furniture Company are large panorama photographs of the automobile plant, glass factories and pottery plant in one group, Lake Wichita and environs in another and the oil field at Electra in a third.

The longest of these photographs is that of Lake Wichita which is ten feet long. All of them are sixteen inches in width and are among the largest photographs ever made in Texas.

They were taken by C. W. Archer of San Antonio, who was brought here by Jack Culbertson to take some photographs for the automobile factory. Mr. Archer is probably the greatest scenic photographer in the world. He is official photographer for the National Railways of Mexico, and maintains four branch offices in Europe.

The photographs are attracting much attention, not only on account of their size, but their excellence as well.

An effort will be made to have these photographs hung in the Union Station at St. Louis and in the Katy and Fort Worth & Denver City passenger offices in some of the big cities.

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PERSONAL MENTION

C. W. Beavers has been in Abilene several days on business for the Wichita Mill and Elevator Co.

W. P. Garity, manager of the Hunt Grain Company, left yesterday afternoon on a business trip to Oklahoma City.

Capt. Frank Johnson, state inspector for the Livestock Sanitary Commission, returned yesterday afternoon from a business trip to Chillicothe.

Newton Maer left yesterday afternoon for Colorado Springs, Colorado, where he goes to join his wife and spend a vacation of several weeks.

Miss Louise Wilson of Petrolia passed through here yesterday en route to her home after a visit with friends in St. Jo, Texas.

Jailor George Hawkins made a trip to Electra yesterday on official business.

Tom Corridon, a travelling man with headquarters in this city, returned yesterday afternoon from Olney, Newcastle and other points where he has been on business.

O. E. Maer left this afternoon for his home in Childress, after remaining here for two or three days on business. He was accompanied as far as Childress by his son, Newton, who will spend two weeks or more in Colorado.

Misses Edith and Lillian Berney left yesterday afternoon for Fort Worth, to visit relatives.

Miss Cora Lee Waggoner left yesterday afternoon for Vernon, to remain until next Friday visiting friends.

Mrs. J. S. Fort, after visiting her sister, Mrs. J. C. Berney, left a few days ago for Colorado Springs, Colorado, to spend the summer.

Miss Ada Lee Harvey and Ray Newman, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Waggoner for several days, will leave tomorrow for their home in Alvord.

S. C. Sealing left yesterday afternoon on a business trip to Ft. Worth, Dallas, San Antonio and other points in Texas.

Mrs. O. A. Brightwell has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Fort Worth.

C. J. Peyton left today for Houston where he will take a position with the G. H. & H. as commercial agent. Mrs. Peyton preceded Mr. Peyton to Houston several weeks ago.

Mrs. Eppie Cox and children left today for Collinsville, at which place they will visit relatives.

Mrs. Maude Irwin and children; Mrs. R. E. Knight and little daughter returned Monday from a visit to their aunt at Indianola, Oklahoma, and a trip to the Wichita Mountains. The most interesting places visited in the mountains was the Hat Cave and Water Lost Lake. Cartersville born, Quannah Parker's home and the graves of Cynthia Anne and Quannah Parker, and the Forest Reserve headquarters.

L. O. Bright has returned from Fort Worth, Dallas and other points where he has been on business.

Rhea Howard, who has been spending a week of his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Howard, will leave tomorrow morning for Dallas to return to work for Blair, Hughes & Co.

City Attorney Bonner left last night for Fort Worth on business.

Dr. J. W. DuVal, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses Fitted, Lady Attendant. We Know How.

Dr. Brown, Dentist, Room 306, Kemp & Kell building, Phone 879. 42-tc

PRES. TAFT YESTERDAY VETOED 28TH BILL

Has Already Planned to Add Half a Dozen More to the Number

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 10.—When President Taft yesterday vetoed the wool bill he stamped with his disapproval the 28th legislative measure sent to him by Congress in his administration. Though most of his vetoes have been on comparatively unimportant schedules, during the special session last summer he began to wield his pen against measures regarded by the legislators with great interest.

Four of his vetoes have been of tariff bills. His one veto of importance last year was directed at the joint resolution admitting Arizona and New Mexico to statehood. This bill met with executive disapproval because of the provision in the Arizona constitution for the recall of judges.

In addition to the wool bill he has returned one other important measure at this session—the army appropriation bill which, as it passed, would have legitimized Gen. Leonard Wood out of office March 4, and made radical changes in the army.

Already, however, he has planned enough vetoes to add half a dozen to the present record. The vetoes of the steel and the appropriation bill abolishing the commerce court will be sent early next week. Messages returning the cotton tariff and excise bills will be prepared when Congress sends them to the White House.

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THE Y. M. C. A. WILL BE RE-OPENED MONDAY

Quarters will be in Charge of J. H. Cooper—Rooms Will be Open to All Members

Since the closing of the Y. M. C. A. quarters on July 1st there has been such a demand on the part of the young men of the city that it be re-opened, that plans have been perfected for the re-opening of the building on next Monday morning. The building will be in charge of Mr. J. H. Cooper of this city.

This arrangement will continue for the months of August and September, at the end of which time the directors will announce definite plans for the future.

During the existence of the association in this city the demand for the service it renders has grown to such an extent that it seems very essential that the work be continued and enlarged. If fact it would be a reflection upon this city, with its other signs of progressiveness not to continue work so universally recognized as that of the Y. M. C. A.

The building will be open to all members on next Monday morning, and access will be had to the reading room the game room the gymnasium, shower baths, etc., and will be conducted under the same rules and regulations as heretofore.

IMPORTANT EXTENSION OF POWER OF THE I. C. C.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 10.—Experts in Congress say the Senate has authorized a highly important extension of the power of the Interstate Commerce Commission in adopting the Bourne amendment to the canal bill. This authorizes the commission to divorce competing railroad and steamship lines whenever they operate to public detriment and would extend regulation over water routes. Little difficulty is anticipated in reconciling the Senate and House differences.

Homeward Bound.

Mr. Denson, proprietor of the Denson photo car, who has been spending his vacation in the east writes he will be home in a few days, ready for business. He has visited the leading studios of St. Louis, Washington and Baltimore and returns with an up to date line of ideas in photography, a full and fresh supply of the best materials and will maintain better than ever his motto, "best photos for the least money." He requests his patrons to wait until he comes. 77-tc

A DRUG STORE.....

is a place that stays open so people can find the city directory and ask what time it is and if Dr. Pakem's Hairtone is guaranteed to grow blond hair on a gas meter. A drug store looks like a cross between a snake show and a curio plant, and smells like everything from limburger to lily of the valley. It is the place where you can hang on the telephone like a pup to a root for hours and give up a line of piffle that would disgust a ten dollar phonograph and the druggist will never swear above a whisper. A druggist is the chief mutt of the universe; he is on the job at all hours and makes nearly as much of the filthy lucre as the chauffeur on a lawn mower. However, don't forget us, we are druggists with a drug store. We sell nearly everything including drugs.

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21 COWBOYS STEAL CHAPERON'S GIRLS

Lasso and Bind Him to Post Then Take Vassar Senior Class on Auto Ride

Cody, Wyo., Aug. 10.—Twenty-one dainty and aristocratic daughters of Eve, all members of the senior class of Vassar, descended upon Cody last week, en route to a six weeks' outing in the mountains near Yellowstone Park. And they had the experience of their lives when the train pulled into Cody.

When they stepped from their Pullmans at the depot there ranged on the platform to greet them were twenty-one of the handsomest cowboys in the Big Horn Basin country, the pick of the Northern Wyoming range.

Each cowboy was wearing a badge pinned on his coat reading "Not Married."

Instead, however, of the picturesque cowboy rig—the blue shirt, the top boots, the spurs and chaps—each man was attired in store clothes. In place of the favorite broncho hitched to a pole in the ground there stood just at the edge of the depot half a dozen automobiles, every "For Hire" machine in Cody.

The girls looked greatly interested. Dr. George H. Shattuck of Vassar, the chaperon, looked plainly worried. The cowboys looked immensely pleased. The boys grinned. The doctor frowned. The girls smiled. When the boys raised their hats in city style.

The handsomest cowboy stepped forward and softly asked the prettiest girl if she wouldn't take a ride around the town while the baggage was being loaded on the wagons. The invitation was extended to all the girls in the name of all the boys. And all the girls in chorus answered "Yes."

Dr. Shattuck objected vociferously, but before he had an opportunity to do more a lasso glided gently from the crowd of cowboys and settled easily about the good doctor's body, pinning his arms to his side. A moment more and in that rope was a twist guaranteed to hold horse, steer or man until released by an expert. Another moment and the loose end of the rope was fast to the depot

falling and then Dr. Shattuck troubled no more.

Into the machines piled the college girls and the handsome cowboys. For half an hour every speed law in Wyoming was broken. Cody had not seen so much dust in the air since Buffalo Bill signed the pledge.

But when the half hour was ended the party brought up at the station, and "good-bys" were said. Dr. Shattuck, released from his bog tie, marshaled the girls to the Irma Hotel and hurried preparations for a continuation of the journey to Hanging Rock, thirty miles up the river from Cody.

But the hunting and the fishing, the mountain climbing and the horse-back riding will not be indulged in solely by the young ladies—so say the handsome cowboys.

Incidentally it may be said that the Big Horn Basin boasts more college-bred men than can be found in any farming community in the country—which may explain the joke on Dr. Shattuck.

RURAL CARRIERS AND GOOD ROADS

Increased Pay for Carriers and Federal Appropriations for Roads Proposed

By Associated Press. Washington, August 10.—Increased pay for rural mail carriers and Federal appropriations for good roads today featured the senate debate of the post-office appropriation bill. Attempts to vote on both subjects were defeated by inability to keep a quorum.

Plan for Federal aid for roads will come up Monday and vote had on several amendments. Then will come a vote on Senator Johnsons amendment to increase carriers pay from \$1000 to \$1200 a year.

The postoffice bill as passed by the house carried the Shaekelford amendment authorizing the government to help defray the expenses of maintaining public roads. The senate committee has urged in its place a federal commission to investigate before any money is given.

Senator Overman of North Carolina offered an amendment for an appropriation of \$500,000 to each state for good roads work, to be available as soon as the state appropriated a like amount.

Local News Brevities

Dr. Du Val, Eye Ear, Nose, Throat. 77-tc

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Dr. L. Mackechney will open a sanitarium in the J. A. Kemp home about September 1 and the building will be converted into a thoroughly modern hospital, according to Dr. Mackechney's plans. Accommodations will be provided for about twenty patients. Mr. Kemp and family will move shortly to their new home in Florat Heights.

Dr. Du Val, Eye Ear, Nose, Throat. 77-tc

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

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

Rev. C. D. Crouch, pastor of the church of Christ, stopped off at home here a few hours yesterday while enroute from Oklahoma points to Belcher where he will assist in a meeting next week. He has been in meetings at Duke and Erick, Oklahoma.

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Seven young men from this section will soon be enrolled among Uncle Sam's fighters. Corporal Jesse Culey, in charge of the army recruiting station established in this city three weeks ago, has secured seven recruits who have come up to the required standards. They are: James R. Parker, of Fargo; John R. Moody, of Seymour; William D. Pearson, of Wichita Falls; James R. Jones, of Childress; William J. Johnson, of Wichita Falls and Frank D. Colyer of Gainesville.

Dr. Du Val, Eye Ear, Nose, Throat. 77-tc

Dr. Prothro, Dentist. Suite No. 1, Ward Building. Phone 186. 62-tc

Marriage licenses issued yesterday to C. G. Whitlock and Mrs. H. O. Whitlock of Fort Worth and H. W. Flynn and Miss Bertha Rogers of Bellevue.

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Dr. Du Val, Eye Ear, Nose, Throat. 77-tc

Dr. H. A. Waller, the dentist, who formerly resided in this city, and who visited here a few days ago, writes the Times from Texarkana, as follows: "Well, I am like the cat—can't stay away. You know the old saying: 'once you drink out of the Wichita river, you will come back. You may tell the people I will be in Wichita by the 20th, ready to work. My offices will be on the fourth floor of the Kemp & Kell Building."

Dr. Waller, while here, was one of the most popular dentists in the city. All his friends and former patrons will be glad to know he is coming back to make this city his home. 77-tc

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Notice.

To those who have not paid their sewer rent, we beg to say the city is having to pay interest on all unpaid sewer accounts.

Now take a look at the city's side of the question and see if you don't feel like you should call and pay at once. It is only a small amount to you but it will be great to the city.

If you are a citizen of the "busiest and best built city in Texas" then show it by this small financial act. Our motto is pay our debts and then boast—what is yours? Your check by return mail will be appreciated.

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FRANK A. WINERICK BUYS STOCK IN WICHITA FALLS MOTOR MANUFACTURING COMPANY

REPEAT ORDERS COMING

One Firm Has Ordered Its Third Truck—Special Order Fire Hose Truck Being Built

Frank A. Winerick, president of the Woodward Carriage Company of San Antonio, has acquired a large block of stock in the Wichita Falls Motor Manufacturing Company and has succeeded C. A. McKiernan as one of the directors of that company. Mr. Winerick is one of the progressive business men of San Antonio and brings many years of experience in the vehicle business with him in his position.

The company is now in control of its own sales organization and is doing a splendid business. The unit control device which was

used on the first machines put out has been abandoned and it is being taken off machines on which it has been in use.

Repeat orders are beginning to come in from firms which have purchased a single truck showing that the Wichita Truck has found high favor and has come to stay. Among the orders recently received was the third repeat order from the Pruitt Commission Company of San Antonio. This company is buying the "Wichita" after a thorough investigation of the merits of all makes.

New orders are coming in daily and it is believed the plant will be worked to its capacity all winter. Five special order trucks are now being turned out. After they are finished they will be taken to Dallas for exhibition at the State Fair after which they will be delivered to the purchasers. Among these orders is a fire hose truck. This will be the first turned out here and the force at the factory will try to make it a credit to the plant.

Notice. All persons having claims against the estate of J. M. Morton, deceased, will please send certified and itemized statement of same to me.

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SOCIETY

SUMMER REFLECTIONS

BY THE SOCIETY REPORTER

The truth and practicability as applied to modern times of the old fable about the contest between the sun and wind is strikingly illustrated this summer by the many Wichita Falls people who have left the city to spend a vacation at cooler points.

As the story goes, the sun and wind set out to determine which could first compel a traveler to take off his coat. The wind made the initial experiment and blew it's very hardest, but with all of it's blustering the traveler only drew his coat around him tighter and quickened his step.

As long as there is a cool breeze blowing over the prairie, Texas weather is not at all unbearable and the harder the wind blows the more content, as a rule, are the people. They pull their coats tighter about them and are perfectly satisfied with home.

with a deadly and menacing expression of heat appears in the sky and once more demonstrates what he is capable of doing—swish! go the coats and we welcome the call. "All aboard for some Summer Resort." In most cases, those who are able to heed this call and immediately ship themselves to a cooler climate, new surroundings and a luxurious life. Those who are left behind don't exactly envy them and probably would not ask for an exchange of places, but they do wish that they could go, too.

What do our friends, the tourists, do to amuse themselves in that land of the wonderful climate that they all tell about when they get back home? We who remain behind might think that it would be amusement and diversion enough to sit around and enjoy the low temperature, but this is generally far from the truth. There must be other attractions and it is a well known and undisputed fact that both Colorado and California have many such to offer.

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by the large number from over the entire state who take trips to these summer resorts every year.

To those who push on to California, the beaches hold out luring and tempting hands. Some of the visitors play in the surf, some take trips of inspection through the immense orchards and vineyards, some play tennis on a cool shady court, and many secure conveyances and make excursions into the dense forests where they can play a veritable game of hide and seek among the giant California shades.

Thus, for some, the hottest months fly swiftly past, and there is not a minute of the whole time that does not afford pleasure and entertainment. The existence of those who tour in summer is filled with luxury to a degree that would indeed be astonishing to those who stay at home.

Among those who have already made trips to Colorado or California and other points or are at present absent from the city at summer resorts are: Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McGregor and daughter, Miss Lillian; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Young; Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Clint Woods; Mr. and Mrs. Newton Maer; Mr. and Mrs. Herm Specht; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Walker; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Moore; Mrs. Nina Butler; Mrs. O. W. Bean; Mrs. C. W. Bean; Mrs. G. W. Keith; Mrs. J. W. Culbertson; Mrs. Wade Walker; Mrs. J. F. Holt; Mrs. S. C. Cook; Mrs. Wiley Robertson and family; Mrs. H. J. Somers and son; Mrs. W. E. Brothers and family; Mrs. W. Stone and family; Mrs. C. E. Bessey; Mrs. T. L. Toland and daughter; Miss Lula Custard; Miss Carrie Daugherty; Mrs. W. B. Shepperd; Miss Bertha May Kemp; Miss Willie May

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The guests included Mrs. Cramer and daughter, Irene, Mrs. R. L. Smith, Mrs. W. R. Gregg, Mrs. H. L. Wilson, Mrs. J. Hutson, Mrs. R. L. Yates, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. H. P. Hodge, Mrs. D. A. Wilcoxson, Mrs. D. Dells, Mrs. C. E. LeBauer, of Corsicana, Mrs. James of Enid, Oklahoma, and the Misses Edna and Viola Huber of Muskogee.

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The hours of the party were from three to six and the offerings to the bird were numerous and varied. One of the entertaining features of the afternoon was a spice contest in which the contestants tasted bits of spice and then guessed the names. In this contest Mrs. Cramer was awarded the prize, a handsome china plate. Another contest which gave much amusement and pleasure was a word contest to see which could find the most words ending in "cater." Mrs. Harrington who was the winner was given a pretty bon bon bowl. The booby prize went to Mrs. Hutson.

Miss Edna Huber presided over the punch bowl in a very charming manner. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The guests included Mrs. Cramer and daughter, Irene, Mrs. R. L. Smith, Mrs. W. R. Gregg, Mrs. H. L. Wilson, Mrs. J. Hutson, Mrs. R. L. Yates, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. H. P. Hodge, Mrs. D. A. Wilcoxson, Mrs. D. Dells, Mrs. C. E. LeBauer, of Corsicana, Mrs. James of Enid, Oklahoma, and the Misses Edna and Viola Huber of Muskogee.

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Dollar Social. The Ladies Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church, South, will give a dollar social at the home of Mrs. Sibert, 1306 Travis street next Monday afternoon beginning at four o'clock. This was planned to have been given at the home of Mrs. J. P. Jackson, but on account of her absence from the city the meeting place has been changed. Next Monday's social is the second of a series of dollar socials that are planned to be given each month during the warm weather. Each member of the Missionary Society is expected to bring to the social a box containing lunch for one, and all friends and members of the society are extended a cordial invitation to be present.

An eight o'clock dinner was served Friday evening at the Lakeside hotel to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Burgess, Misses Dol White and Mary Bryan, Messrs Charles Weismuller of St. Louis, and A. Robinson of New York. Following the dinner, a delightful launch ride on the lake was enjoyed.

The New Bridge Club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. L. Smith on Ninth street.

Mrs. J. C. Harshaw and Sarah Bell Lee of Trenton, Texas, is visiting R. E. Lee and family on Eighth street.

Mrs. M. T. Harrison who has been visiting Mrs. T. C. Page left yesterday for her home in Wolfe City, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kell will leave Monday for Minneapolis and after a visit there will leave for a tour of the Canadian Northwest. They expect to be away several weeks.

Mr. T. S. Ford returned Friday from a vacation trip through the north to take up his duties as auditor for the Texas-Oklahoma Construction Co. Mrs. Ford will remain in the north for the balance of the month.

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Miss Mary Beauchamp has gone to Cleburne where she will spend the remainder of the summer visiting relatives.

Miss Irene Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones, is spending a few days in Electrica visiting friends.

Miss Beth Trimble left Saturday afternoon for points in Ohio, to spend a vacation visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Nolen have returned from a visit with relatives in Kentucky, where they spent two months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Terrell of Los Angeles, California, arrived here last week to spend some time in the city as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith on Ninth street.

Mrs. Pugh and daughter, Miss Lucy, will leave Tuesday afternoon for their home in Portland, Arkansas, after a visit of three weeks in this city as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sherrod on Burnett street.

Miss Hazel Gaston is expected to return this week from eastern points where she has been for the last two or three weeks.

Mrs. George Keith has returned from Fort Worth, where she visited relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Younger of Beaumont are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tyson for a few days.

Miss Effie Colburn left Friday afternoon for St. Louis, and other cities where she goes to visit the millinery markets.

Misses Eddie and Genevieve Carver of Archer City visited friends here for a day or two last week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Boone and family have returned from a vacation of two or three weeks spent at points in south Texas.

Mrs. P. C. Maricle and family have returned from a visit with relatives in Grandfield, Oklahoma.

Mrs. A. D. Anderson left Monday for Long Beach, California, to spend the balance of the summer. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Mark Walker, and by Mrs. M. E. Cary.

Miss Marie Jeffries arrived here last week from her home in El Paso to spend some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Donovik.

Mrs. F. C. Bower of Comanche, Texas, is in the city for a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bower.

Mrs. W. B. Shepperd left last week for Denver, to spend several weeks.

Mrs. J. P. Jackson is absent from the city visiting J. Lee Jackson in McKinney, Texas.

Miss Norma Lee Pace arrived here Friday afternoon to spend three or four days as the guest of Miss Mary Orth.

Mrs. L. E. Stone and family have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Clarinda, Iowa, where they spent more than a month.

Mrs. S. H. Fulton and daughter, Miss Clara, after a visit with Mrs. S. M. Pfoster, returned to their home in Ladonia, Friday morning.

Orders for building sand or gravel promptly filled. MORRIS POORE, P. O. Box 456, 50-170

AT THE CHURCHES

First Methodist Episcopal Church. (Corner Seventh and Lamar) Sunday school 9:45. Preaching 11:00. Epworth League 7:15. Evening worship 8:15.

W. H. M. meeting in the church parlor Monday afternoon 3:00 p. m. All ladies cordially invited to be present.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 8 o'clock.

First Presbyterian. Dr. McKee will not return until Tuesday and there will be no sermon at the morning hour. Sunday school will be held at the usual hour. In the evening there will be a Union Christian Endeavor meeting at which Rev. Bennis of Dallas will speak.

First Church Evangelical Association. Corner Broad and 5th street. German sermon at 11 a. m. and English at 8 p. m., by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Catechism class every Friday at 10:30 a. m.

Rev. J. Welner, presiding elder will preach next Thursday at 8 p. m. and hold quarterly conference. Everybody cordially invited.

C. F. MAYER, Pastor.

First M. E. Church, South. (Corner Tenth and Lamar) Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m., by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League meets at 7:50 p. m. JAS. W. HILL, Pastor.

Christian Church. Bible school 9:30. W. J. Bullock, superintendent. Good teachers and classes for all ages. Each Wednesday evening is conducted a study of the following Bible school lesson to which all are invited. These are helpful, practical Bible studies. Sunday morning sermons at 10:45 will be an exposition of Matthew 5:6, "Blessed are They

That Hunger and Thirst After Righteousness; For They Shall Be Filled."

Evangelical Lutheran Church. (Corner Eleventh and Holliday.) Sunday school (German and English) at 9:30 a. m. German services at 10:30 a. m. English services at 8:00 p. m. Choir practice at 2:30 p. m. Ladies Aid Society at 3:00 p. m. in school room. Everybody cordially invited to attend our services.

C. M. BEYER, Pastor.

First Baptist Church. (Corner Austin and Tenth.) The pastor has returned from his vacation and will preach at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Morning subject, "Be Ye Holy." Evening subject "The Haven for An Anxious Heart." Sunday School at 9:30.

B. Y. P. U. at 7:15 p. m., Burton Staiton, president. Sunbeams at 4 o'clock, Mrs. J. B. Jones, leader. Strangers and friends are cordially invited to worship with us.

JOSEPH P. BOONE, Pastor.

Christian Science services will be held in room 7, postoffice building as follows: Lesson-Sermon Sunday at 11 a. m., subject "Spirit." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The reading room at same address is open Tuesday and Wednesday of each week from 2 to 5 p. m. Here authorized literature on Christian Science may be read or purchased. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

Presiding Elder, W. C. Rose of the Free Methodist church will hold services corner 5th and Adams streets August 12-13 at 8 o'clock p. m. A cordial invitation is extended the public to come and hear him.

H. H. THOMAS, Steward.

Crop Outlook Never Better In the Wichita Country

Cotton is beginning to open in this county now and while it will be a month, probably, before the first bale arrives, the outlook for the crop is declared on every side to be the best in years. Farmers on the irrigated lands in the Red River valley are making open claims of a bale to the acre, while planters on the ridge-lands are scarcely less optimistic. Corn has suffered from the dry weather, but much of it was redeemed by last week's rains; that in the river valleys will make an average crop, but the rest will be light.

Between one third and one fourth of the wheat is still unthreshed and the weather of the past week prevented the threshing outfits from doing much. The threshing will not be finished until the end of the month and possibly not then if it continues raining. Reports from the late feed crops are generally favorable. This month will witness the beginning of the broom corn cutting. There is not a great deal of this in Wichita county, but the Northwestern county will ship many carloads and the harvest will start this week.

Melons shipping is still in full blast at Burkburnett, with considerably less than half the crop gathered. Some splendid specimens are in evidence there, 50 and 60 pound melons being picked. There is a good local demand and 25 cents will buy a fine specimen.

The rains of the past week will make it necessary for farmers to do much hoeing in the next few weeks, as the weed crop will be prolific and will choke out the cotton if not given attention. Cotton needs no more rain, according to the farmers, and is a made crop, so far as this county is concerned, without any more wet weather.

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McKinney Cotton Mill. McKinney, Texas, August 10.—The directors of the McKinney cotton mill announce that they will double the capacity of the plant and construction work and the addition is to begin at once. The new plans call for 5390 spindles and 142 looms and will give employment to 120 additional laborers. The plant has been in operation 18 months and has proved a good investment and the installation of additional machinery will reduce the cost of manufacturing.

The principal products of the plant are denim, bed ticking, shirting, awning, etc., and they sell to the Texas trade.

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LAKESIDE HOTEL SPECIAL 50c SUNDAY DINNER. From 6 p. m. to 8 p. m. Clam Chowder, with Crutons. Home Grown Tomatoes. Spanish Olives. Baked Halibut. Spanish Sauce. Potato Crisps. Smothered Springs Chicken a la Princess. Comfort of Rice with Peaches. Combination Vegetable Salad Mayonnaise. Bottled Potatoes Drawn in Butter. Stewed Sugar Corn. Fettipolis En Tembles. Hot Vienna Rolls. Cream Bread. American Cheese and Salines. Vanitas Ice Cream and Cake. Cafe Noir. Hot Nectarine Pie a la Dunbar. Ice Tea. Coffee. Sweetmilk. Cocoa.

NOTICE! Our New Fall Line of W. L. Douglas Shoes Have Just Arrived. "For Style and Quality" Come in and look them over. The GLOBE Clothiers and Furnishers 703 Ohio Ave.

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Great Summer Sale starts Monday, August 5th, lasting ten days, and during this sale, we are going to give you an opportunity to buy some of the best merchandise at the lowest price ever offered to you before. Every part of this store is contributing to this great sale, so make it a point to be on hand and take advantage of these great bargains.

Every piece of dress goods and all odds and ends will be on sale at a reduced price. A big line of men's and ladies underwear on sale at the great reduction of one-third off on every garment.

Don't fail to come and look at our stock of John B. Stetson hats and all other hats and see what bargains we have in that line. 1000 pairs of men's, ladies' and children's shoes and slippers that must be sold at some price during this sale, come early and get first choice.

We have a very low price on everything in our dry goods department, so don't fail to pay it a visit.

Why not buy your groceries at wholesale price, we will save you 25% to 40% on everything you buy.	Best Cooking Oil, per gallon	70c
17 lbs. Cane Sugar	All 25c cans Baking Powder 3 for	50c
100 lbs. Cane Sugar	4 lbs. Arm and Hammer Soda	25c
5 gallons best Oil	5-lb. Bucket Arm and Hammer Soda	30c
5 gallons best Gasoline	26 bars of Bob White or Cream White Soap	\$1 00
Best Peaberry Coffee	40 bars Busy Bee Soap	\$1 00
Wedding Breakfast and Blanket steel cut	7 bars Lux Soap	25c
Coffee	Washington Corn Crisps, per package	10c
10 lbs. Cottolene	Grape-Nuts, 2 for	25c
5 lbs. Cottolene	Large Bottle Sneliders Catsup	20c
10 lbs. Compound Lard	Best Vinegar, per gallon	25c
Strip Bacon	7 rolls Toilet Paper	25c
Wrapped Strip Smoked Bacon	2-lb. packages of Rolled Oats, 15c size	10c
Picnic Hams	We have just received a car of "White Crest" Flour, made of old wheat, this is the best flour that money can buy, 48-lb. sack	\$1 55
Potatoes, per bushel	High Patent Flour per 100	\$2 75

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DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Henrietta Will Entertain Delegates September 9-11th—Many Will Go From Wichita Falls

Henrietta, Tex., Aug. 10.—A large attendance from Wichita Falls and other towns is expected at the district Sunday School convention to be held here September 9-11. The nearest convention of the same kind will be held at Sherman on the east and San Angelo on the west.

The convention proper begins Monday morning, Sept. 9, at 10 o'clock, but there will be a rally on Sunday night. In addition to the delegates from the various schools in the 29 or more counties comprising the territory of the convention, there will be a number of workers from the state headquarters at Dallas, all specialists and trained experts in some feature of Sunday school work who will deliver lectures along their special lines. Dr. J. L. Blankenship, a noted pianist and song leader, will be one of the headquarters party, and he will have charge of the music. The precise program and the names of the speakers will be named later.

There may be as many as 150 delegates, but Henrietta will have no difficulty in caring for them. Bed and breakfast only will be furnished the delegates free; they will look out for their own dinner and supper at the hotels and cafes. This is the rule with all these conventions, and it was adopted for the two fold purpose of lightening the burden of the home-people and to give them an opportunity to attend the convention without the worry of extra household duties.

Committees have been named to look after the convention as follows:

Entertainment—W. H. Davis, chairman; Meedames C. B. McDonald, T. K. Jones, G. R. Jackson and P. M. Stine.

Place of Meeting—R. E. Taylor, chairman; P. M. Stine, C. B. McDonald, and J. A. Caldwell.

Music—T. M. Liles, chairman; Miss Laura Brown, Mrs. Hugh Dunn, Mrs. G. T. Stevens, L. C. Kelley.

Advertising—Cyrus Coleman, chairman; Rev. N. R. Stone, Rev. J. J. Richardson.

Pulpit—Rev. J. J. Richardson, chairman; Rev. N. R. Stone, Rev. R. L. Rogers and J. W. Gerard.

Rev. W. B. Holland is the chairman of the executive committee, which is composed of the chairman of the several committees named above.

This convention is to be held under the auspices of the Texas Sunday School association which is a cooperative effort of all denominations to extend and improve Sunday school work in our own state. It is the only organization which aims to help every Sunday school in the state. It seeks helpful co-operation and union. Its conventions and institutes discuss methods of work, not church doctrine. It works by way of suggestion not by authority.

CHAFIN NOTIFIED BY PROHIBITIONISTS.

Wenatchee, Wis., Aug. 10.—Prohibitionists from many states were here today at the ceremony of informing Eugene W. Chafin of Tucson, Arizona, that he had been nominated, presidential candidate for the prohibition party. The notification address was by Rev. Charles H. Mead of New York, the permanent chairman of the national convention which nominated Mr. Chafin at Atlantic City.

the cattle had free range in those days. Not many of Wichita Falls' present citizens were here when Mr. Bacon came. R. E. Huff was here and was county attorney, but Mr. Bacon preceded most of the present roster of residents.

UNIVERSITY GRADUATE DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED.

By Associated Press. Austin, Tex., Aug. 10.—With the left side of his face torn to shreds by a charge from a shot gun laying by his side, Howard B. Ayres, a Texas University graduate and son of Frederick H. Ayres and one of the most widely known young men of this city, is in the hospital today. He may die. He was found in a freight car in the Houston and Texas Central yards last night. A loaded 12-gauge Remington shot gun with an empty shell on the floor was near him. Mr. Ayres recently returned from Pittsburg to accept a position. His father was formerly night editor of The Statesman, but is now a member of the staff of the New Orleans Times-Democrat.

County Judge-elect J. S. Melugin and County Attorney R. S. Morrison, of Archer County, were in the city today en route home from Abilene where they had been in attendance upon the State convention of county judges. Before adjourning this body passed a resolution urging the State authorities to enlarge the asylum for the insane, in order that many now confined in the jails of the various counties might be properly taken care of. A resolution was also adopted urging upon the State the necessity of establishing a home or asylum for weak-minded persons who are unable to provide for themselves.

Postmaster Bacon Recalls Former Days In Wichita Falls

If you can imagine a few wooden buildings and shacks along what are now Ohio and Indiana avenues; every other business house a saloon and over every saloon a dance hall or gambling room; cowboys and sure enough Indian roaming the streets or patronizing the many attractions, you have a fairly adequate idea of Wichita Falls over a quarter of a century ago.

It was just 25 years ago yesterday that O. T. Bacon, now postmaster here, reached this city and he was reminiscent yesterday in recalling the anniversary of his arrival here. He came from San Antonio after a trip through the west, and found everything fresh and green and wet, after copious rains. At about the time he came here, Gen. John McClelland, an Indian soldier-statesman was here en route to the Indian territory; the Red River was bank-full, however, and the Indian soldier-statesman could not get across.

"There were four dance halls," said Mr. Bacon, "and I don't know how many saloons and gambling halls. There was a ferry across the Wichita River at the foot of Scott avenue, I remember."

"Gambling was wide open in those days, and it was nothing uncommon to see tall stacks of \$20 gold pieces on the tables. Most of the games were on the square, too; they had to be. Of course, I never played any myself, but you could get any kind of game you wanted, from crackaloo to manslaughter.

"The leading citizens were Judge Barwise and J. Ialonic. Judge Barwise insisted that Ohio avenue was destined to be the city's leading business street and Mr. Ialonic said that Indiana avenue was, so I bought property on both streets."

Mr. Bacon tells of wild turkeys being shot in a thicket where the Cameron lumber yards now stand. "Deer and antelope were frequently seen within a few miles of the city. The Fort Worth and Denver, built by Morgan Jones, had just been completed to Wichita Falls, this city being the terminus. On the ground now occupied by the Denver's yards there was a huge pile of buffalo and horse bones, collected by freighting teamsters.

Comanche Indians were numerous in those times, according to Mr. Bacon, and they frequently performed their tribal rites on the hill where many of Wichita Falls' finest residences now stand. Comanche Jack, one of the richest of the Comanches, was in Wichita Falls one day and was eating breakfast with some white men with whom he was dickering on a land trade.

"How do you want your eggs?" a waiter asked the Comanche. "Cooked," was the reply. Wichita Falls was considerably more of a cattle center in those days than now, 220,000 head being shipped out the first season Mr. Bacon was here. Since then the grass has been plowed up and thriving farms of wheat, corn and cotton dot the landscapes where

I want to talk to the Fathers and Mothers of Wichita County!

To the heads of households who hold the responsibility of bringing into the world the children who are to become the men and women of the future.

Have You Prepared for Their Future?

Or are you jogging along on the strength of a salary or a business that may peter out even while you are alive, and surely will if you should die? In other words,

Is Your Life Insured?

Have you taken thought of their future? Have you prepared for the inevitable that must come to every family?

I Want To Talk Life Insurance!

And the duty a man owes to his wife and children. Any man who owns a dollars worth of property hurrys to have it insured against fire, lest it burn up, or against tornado, lest it blow away—but two thousand men in Wichita County are rearing families without insuring them against the loss of their only source of income, the father's life.

THE ERA OF PROSPERITY HAS SET IN IN WICHITA COUNTY

But it will not be an era of prosperity for the wife or little ones if the father dies without life insurance. Life insurance is the greatest gift of modern finance, and any man who can pass the examination is worse than a criminal who refuses to accept its advantages to protect his family.

I Want To Tell You About The Wichita Southern Life Insurance Company and What It Offers and What it Will Do

The Wichita Southern is an old line company, organized under the very strict Texas laws, by responsible Wichita men. It has total resources of \$276,043.65. In the year and a half it has been operating it has written over \$2,175,000,000 of insurance, every dollar of which is guaranteed by deposits with the state comptroller. It writes policies of every kind written by any reliable, old line company, from ordinary life to 10 and 20 year endowment, or investment policies. Its policies have a loan and surrender value, thus absolutely guaranteeing against loss. Its rates are as low as safe insurance can be written, and are approximately the same as the oldest companies in the world.

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Dairying In Texas

As a result of the agitation carried on for some years for diversification in farming in the South, Texas has become the pioneer of all the Southern States and in the lead in the field of dairying, which is to agriculture what iron is to commerce—a sort of business barometer indicating the condition of prosperity.

Surprise at New Orleans.
A little over four years ago, the manager of a creamery established near Houston, Texas, called on the butter merchants and wholesale grocers of New Orleans to arrange for the sale of some of his creamery product, but the merchants there were almost too surprised to hear that butter was being made in South Texas for sale, and too suspicious that Texas could not make any good butter, that the creamery proprietor had little success on his first trip. The merchants of New Orleans said they did not believe butter could be made in Texas of any favorable market value; that the pastures were too dry in summer, the weather too hot, and they doubted if the Texans, any more than the country people of the southeast states, could ever learn to make really prime creamery butter.

What the opinion of the New Orleans merchants was worth has been demonstrated by a growth of the industry in the state which in some respects approaches the marvels of Alladin and his wonderful lamp, in Arabian Nights.

Today there are upwards of one hundred creameries in the State, and

others starting most every month.

Dairying Centers Change.
Twenty-five years ago New York State and Vermont were the country's greatest butter making sections. These were succeeded by Elgin and Northern Illinois, followed later by Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota, finally spreading to Nebraska, but no one thought that the industry would extend much south of the latter State. Kansas has since acquired some dairying, though the showing there was never great, nor has Oklahoma seemed to progress as much in that respect as in other ways, so that the industry seemed to have jumped or been transplanted from Nebraska to Texas.

Texas Ahead in Dairying.
In one of the Southern States has dairying made as much progress as in Texas. The States from Virginia south have hardly yet got a start in creamery business. What little butter they make is called "country butter," to distinguish it as to name from the regular butter on the market. Such country butter is light colored, poorly made and only brings a small price. Thus it is seen that Texas is in the lead of all South and Southwest States in dairying.

17,000,000 Pounds Annually.
Neither the national nor the State government, apparently, have many late statistics on the industry. Prof. J. W. Ridway, of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College says of the industry in 1900:
"There were produced 16,913,129

pounds of butter on the farm and 170,000 in creameries. Now, the annual production in creameries is about 5,400,000 pounds, an increase of over 4,000,000 pounds in eleven years. It is thought that the next ten years will show as large, if not larger increase in the number of creameries as the past ten years has shown. The dairy and creamery industry in Texas had received a stimulus which has been far-reaching in its effects. All in all, Texas has a wonderful future for dairying."

Creamery Possibilities
Many people in the north and in the southeast seem to imagine that the creameries of Texas are not very modern or cleanly. The following is a sample of what Texas creameries really are and should be, as seen in the following description of the creamery at Bertram, Texas, in a late number of the local paper:
"The possibility that the creamery business offers are so attractive to one who is in search of a good business investment that it is a matter of no little surprise that there is not a greater rush to get into it than there is. The Brenham, Texas, creamery is a case in point, and of it the Crockett Courier says:
"Five years ago the Brenham Creamery Company was established with a capacity of 3,500 pounds of butter per month. Now the plant has a capacity of 3,600 pounds of butter per month, and actually makes 25,000 per week. The grade of butter manufactured is fine, and finds a ready sale in Houston, San Antonio and other Texas cities.
"H. C. Hodde, who is manager, has improved the creamery in every possible way. All the machinery is

modern and of the very best grade. Among the equipments are a thirty-gallon agitator and pasteurizer, and machinery for making 1,000 pounds of ice daily. Bottles, cans and milk vessels are cleaned by steam heat and cold water. A continuous ice cream freezer turns out the very best quality of this delicious confection. There is an abundance of power for any emergency, with a twenty-five horse power boiler, so there is no room for complaint.
"There are three cold storage rooms. Every part of the creamery is kept spotlessly clean and in fine sanitary conditions. Cream is shipped to this creamery from many points on the Central and Santa Fe roads. The farmers of Washington county have profited much by the building of the creamery. In addition to the revenue which they derive from the sale of their stock and then the standard of their milk cows has been raised considerably. Many thorough Jersey herds make the cream business a paying one for the farmers, and there are always the hogs to be raised, and fattened on the separated milk."

TWO OF CONVICTED GRANTED NEW TRIALS
Jack Marshall and George Steffan Will Be Tried Again in the District Court
Two motions for new trials were granted yesterday by Judge P. A. Martin. In the case of Jack Marshall, given two years for theft in connection with the taking of Piner Avis' automobile, it was shown that the jury has discussed Marshall's failure to testify in his own behalf. The defense introduced no witnesses when this case was tried and it was shown that the jury took this fact into consideration.
A new trial was granted in the case of George Steffan, who was given a two-year sentence on the charge of getting money under false pretenses. The indictment against Steffan alleged that he received "United States currency to the value of \$55;" the failure of the State to show that the money he received was of the value of \$55 resulted in his getting a new trial.

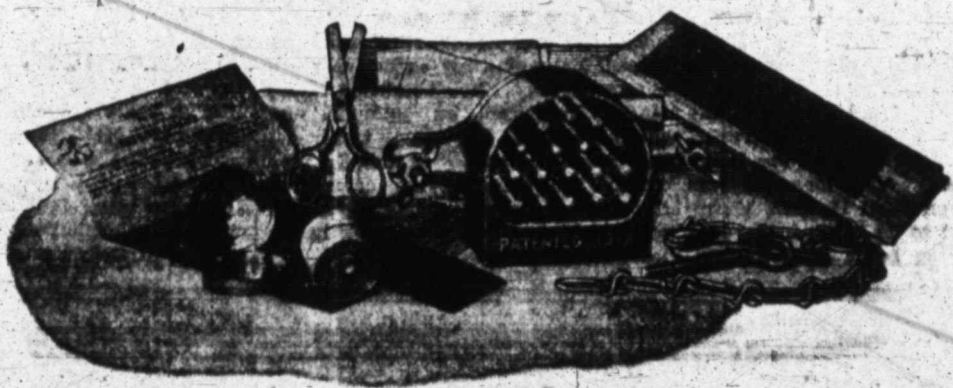
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Judge J. J. Lory.
Paysonville, Minn., Aug. 7, 1912.
Editor Times:
You will please send my paper to Racine, Wisconsin, as I will be there in a week or ten days. I will be in Minneapolis on the 8th and spend a week there and then go into the country a few days, after which I will visit Racine, Wisconsin.
The weather here has been quite cool and we had a little frost one night, not enough however to do any damage to crops.
Crops of all kinds are good and farmers are now busy harvesting and by the end of this week will be pretty well through. This is an ideal place in the summer season. There are so many beautiful lakes and pleasure resorts. Eish abounds in these lakes, and when the hunting season opens prairie chicken and other game are going to be plentiful.
Farmers are prosperous and money plentiful at a low interest, and in the northern portions of the state lands are comparatively cheap.
But the winter: Deliver me from them. So I shall turn my face toward old Texas before that time arrives.
I see by the papers and otherwise, good reports for Texas this year, and hope to find everything in a flourishing condition this fall and winter.
J. J. LORY.

CAKE OVEN EXPLOSION:
MANY SERIOUSLY BURNED
By Associated Press.
Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 10.—While a change in a big gas leak was made at the Tennessee Coal & Iron and Railroad Company's cook oven at Corey this morning the gas was ignited and a terrific explosion resulted. Seventeen men were seriously and several perhaps fatally burned.

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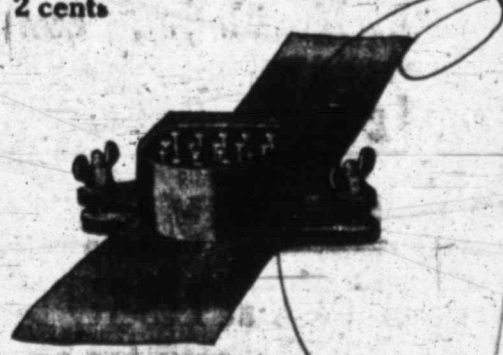
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THE HANGING OF VINES AND MAXEY

EXECUTION OF TWO NEGROES WITNESSED BY LARGE CROWD IN SHERMAN

HISTORY OF THE CRIMES

Vines Killed Constable at Sherman and Maxey Paid Penalty For Murder of White Man

Sherman, Texas, Aug. 10.—Wood Maxey dropped exactly at 2:07 o'clock. His neck was broken by the fall. Dr. J. F. Jones, Dr. W. R. Hoard, Dr. J. O. Matthews and Dr. J. F. Stein of Denison examined the body and pronounced life extinct in about five minutes. His body was taken down and turned over to relatives. Sheriff Lee McAfee pulled the drop. Maxey made a talk saying he had no enmity toward any one. He prayed just before the trap was sprung. He did not struggle after the fall.

Vines dropped through the trap at exactly 3 o'clock and was pronounced dead in 8 minutes, and his neck was broken by the fall. His body will be buried by the county.

Sellers Vines retired at 12 o'clock last night and slept soundly until 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

Wood Maxey did not retire until 2 o'clock, spending his entire time during the night writing.

He wrote a letter for the Dallas Express, a negro paper, and also several letters to friends and relatives.

At 7:30 o'clock last night when the storm came up, both of the blacks fell on their knees and prayed aloud asking Almighty God to send a storm and wreck the jail.

When Wood Maxey retired at 2 o'clock he asked Jimmie Gee, the night watchman, to awake him every hour. This M. G. Gee did and Maxey would get out of his cot and spend ten minutes on his knees praying.

This morning when Mr. Gee left the jail both negroes thanked him for the courtesies he had extended them, and assured him that they would step on the deathtrap today without a flinch.

Both men ate heartily at breakfast.

Shortly after 8 o'clock when the condemned men had eaten breakfast, Rev. George H. Bell, their spiritual adviser, called on them. He conducted a short religious service and both men prayed fervently. They also joined in the singing.

At 10:30 o'clock the colored undertaker, Tatum, called on Wood Maxey and brought him a neat suit of clothes, the pants and coat being a blue serge; also new underclothing.

A Herald reporter was admitted to the jail at 9 a. m., and spent the entire day at the cell. Both of the men talked freely, and both expressed their thanks to the press for treating them kindly.

Sheriff McAfee, Jailer Steele and all of the deputies extended the newspaper man every courtesy.

At 11:30 o'clock the condemned men were given a bath and a shave, and put on clean clothing.

During the morning hours Sheriff McAfee and Jailer Jeff Steele permitted the colored friends and relatives of the condemned men to visit them. After this quite a number of citizens who called at the jail were admitted, and called at the death cell. Deputies Arthur Vaughan and Claud Eatherly stood watch at the cell. All spoke kindly to the men, and Vines and Maxey assured all that everything was right with them, and that the highest tribunal to which man can appeal had looked on them kindly. Vines said: "Men, I have taken my case to the highest court there is, the throne of God, and for Jesus sake he has forgiven me."

Maxey wrote a long letter for the local press yesterday afternoon, and last night, but decided this morning that he would not publish it, and destroyed the letter.

By 9 o'clock several hundred people had gathered about the jail door and in the yard, and at 10 a. m. the crowd was estimated at 1,000. There was quite a sprinkling of blacks in the crowd.

The black caps were brought out at 10 o'clock and examined by Sheriff McAfee and Jailer Steele. They were made according to the measurements, and it was decided they would fit. They were made by a negro woman.

Promptly at 12 o'clock Sheriff Lee McAfee went to the death cell and read the death warrants to Maxey and Vines. He read the one for Maxey first, and while he was doing this Vines talked and laughed with a negro girl who had called to see him. As soon as the sheriff had ceased to read the warrant to Maxey he commenced to shine his shoes, and shortly after he commenced to read to Vines. Vines took the brushes from Maxey's hands and completed the job as the sheriff read.

Maxey then asked: "When is it going to come off, Mr. McAfee?" and the sheriff told him at 2 o'clock. Sheriff McAfee then said: "Boys, which one of you wants to go first?" Maxey answered: "It makes no difference with me." Vines spoke up and said: "Take me last. I want to stay here as long as I can."

At this juncture Sellers Vines' sister, Ella Anderson of Dallas, came to the cell. She greeted her brother affectionately and asked: "Dear brother, how are you?" Vines answered: "All right, sister; I am happy and all right."

At 12:30 p. m., Sheriff Ben Brandenberg of Dallas county, accompanied by Sheriff J. W. Freeland of Hill county, arrived at the jail. They called on Vines and Maxey. Vines seemed to be glad to see the Dallas county officer, and said to him: "Well Mr. Brandenberg, they've got me in a pretty tight place, but I am glad to tell you that I am all right." Then turning to Wood Maxey, he said: "This is the man I walked off from. I wish I had stayed with him."

Vines last request to Sheriff McAfee was that none of Fred Mounger's people be permitted to see him, executed.

Just before the execution the crowd in the jail yard grew until it covered almost all of the available space. In the crowd were a number of ladies, and many small boys and girls of tender age were also in the crowd.

The rope used today is the same rope with which Sidney Spears, a negro who murdered his wife, was hanged with just twelve years ago.

At 1:15 Wood Maxey called for a Herald reporter and said: "I ask you more favor of you. Please thank all the people, white and black, who have shown us kindness. Tell everybody I go without any grudge to anyone. I do not blame any officer for doing his duty. The jailer and sheriff, Mr. Steele and Mr. McAfee, have always treated me good."

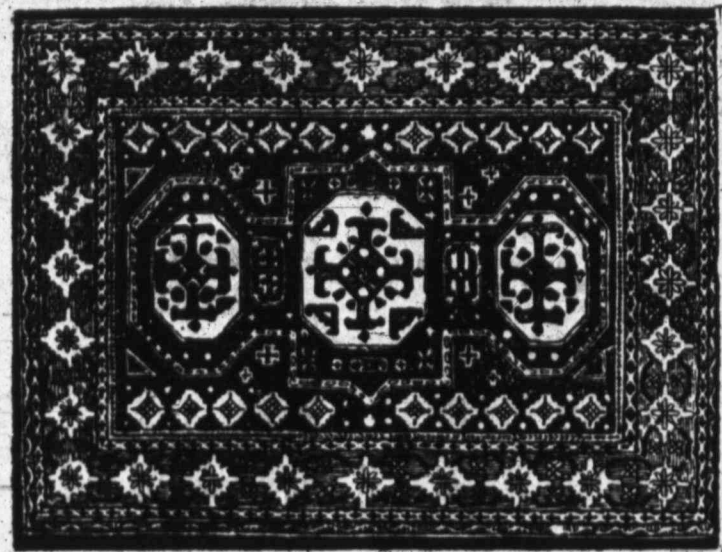
Sellers Vines said: "All I can ask is that all of you send a message up yonder (and he pointed upward) for me. It is about all over here. I do not hold any grudge against anybody, either. I certainly can say that."

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on the night of Sept. 27, 1911. The shooting took place in the Houston & Texas Central yards here. Vines was a fugitive from justice and was hiding in a box car near the freight depot. Mr. Mounger who held a commission under Constable Ross Stark as a deputy, was also employed by the railroad company as a night watchman in the yards here.

He had been informed that a strange negro was in one of the cars and the car had been pointed out to him. While on his rounds he approached the car and flashed a light in it. The negro was sitting in the car and as the officer flashed the light he got up and came to the door. The officer was not prepared to shoot and warned his companion to "look out," that the negro was going to shoot. The negro shot him in the back, killing him instantly.

As soon as he shot Vines sprang from the car, leaving one of his shoes, his hat and a belt, and escaped.

All night officers looked for the negro, but he was not captured until the next day.

That night Sellers Vines stole a horse from Jack Rylant in South east Sherman, but he could not get the animal out of town. The horse was an animal which Mr. Rylant used to a meat cart, and Vines, speaking to a Herald reporter about the horse said: "That horse must have thought I was going to deliver meat, for he struck out to the market first and then loped out east, sliding up to houses in spite of all I could do. I soon found that I had to holler 'meat' to get him along and I jumped off and let him go."

The following morning after the killing Vines was captured about six miles south of Sherman by Sheriff Lee McAfee, Chief of Police DeSpain and Patrolman Will Corder, all of whom had been in the hunt all night

and had learned of his whereabouts about the same time.

He was lodged at the Grayson county jail and at the November, 1911 term of court was placed on trial in the Fifteenth District Court.

On Saturday evening, June 29, 1912, one week before he was sentenced, Vines made a break for liberty from the county jail. When Jailer Jeff Steele went to lock the prisoners in for the night, Vines rushed past him and down the stairs of the jail. Arthur Vaughan was then on duty at the jail as death watch over Wood Maxey, the other condemned negro. Mr. Vaughan heard the noise made by the fleeing negro and ran after him. The negro reached the jail yard and just after jumping over the fence into the horse lot he was shot by Mr. Vaughan. The bullet struck the negro in the side of the face, passed through his mouth, tore away a portion of his jaw and cut his tongue in two.

The crime for which Wood Maxey today paid the penalty on the railroads, was one of the most cold blooded assassinations that ever occurred in the State.

On Sunday night, October 26, 1910, he had been to the colored Methodist church, where he professed religion and had received the ordinance of baptism. On his way home he stopped at the Crystal Cafe, in the Dock King building on South Tarris street. W. J. Jenkins owned the place and had in his employ for cashier and manager in his absence Ernest Johnson, a young man well known and highly esteemed.

Maxey's entrance into the place was such as to warrant Johnson in asking him to pull off his hat and deposit himself as a negro should in entering a white man's place of business. Maxey took exception to Johnson's request and not only refused to pull off his hat, but attempted to strike Johnson with a ketchup bottle. Johnson grabbed a pistol, struck Maxey over the head and put him out of the house.

Maxey went to the office of Chief of Police DeSpain where he found Patrolman Buck Blaylock on watch. He demanded that the officer go and arrest Johnson at once. After questioning the negro, the officer explained to him that he would have Johnson in the city court the next morning at 9 o'clock and told Maxey to be on hand as a witness. Maxey grew very mad when the officer did not go at once to the restaurant after Johnson, and left the police officer murmuring against the officers and the law. He then went to the home of a negro on South First street, near his own home, borrowed a single-barrel shotgun and came back up town. He came on Travis street at Jones street, crossed over to the dark side of the street as far as the Denison Herald branch office and crossed to the restaurant, hiding himself behind a telephone post.

Johnson sat at the counter in the restaurant, with his side to the front. He was talking with Walter Jenkins, son of the proprietor of the restaurant regarding his (Johnson's) approaching marriage. The negro fired from behind a telephone pole where he had hidden. The shot struck Johnson in the side of the neck, killing him instantly. The negro ran and hid in an outhouse in the vicinity of his home, where later he was found by Sheriff Lee McAfee, then a private citizen, and Constable Ross Stark, who placed him in the county jail. He did not deny the killing but stated he shot Johnson because he was mad at him and did not believe the officers would arrest him.

At the December, 1910 term of

court Maxey was indicted and tried, the trial resulting in a hung jury. Eleven of the jurors were for giving him the death sentence and the twelfth held out for life imprisonment.

Again at the April, 1911 term of court Maxey was tried, found guilty of murder in the first degree and his sentence fixed at death. Attorneys for the defense at once made a motion for a new trial, which was overruled. The case was then taken to the court of criminal appeals, the motion for a new trial overruled there and the sentence of the lower court affirmed. The mandate was returned and on April 17, 1912, Maxey was sentenced to be hanged, the date of the execution being fixed for Friday, May 24, 1912.

On May 9, 1912, Governor Colquitt, at the request of the Board of Pardons, granted a stay of execution for three months in order to give the board time to fully investigate petition for commutation of sentence to life imprisonment.

After the stay of execution was granted further efforts were made for commutation but without avail.

One of the principal reasons assigned for asking for executive clemency was then since childhood Wood Maxey had been an epileptic and subject to fits. For nearly two years that Maxey remained in the Grayson county jail after having committed the murder he never had an attack of epilepsy and was never sick in the least for a single day.

Many improvements at Sherman. Sherman, Texas, August 10.—There will be over three million dollars invested in improvements in this city during the next twelve months. A million dollars will be spent in building roads, streets and other city improvements. A million dollars will be put into the cotton oil business and another million will be spent piping gas from the Electric field. A good soaking rain has insured the best cotton crop in years and an era of unprecedented prosperity is upon us.

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