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RACE PROGRAM DRAWS BIG CROWD

CROWD OF 2500 PEOPLE WITNESSED YESTERDAY'S HARNESSED AND RUNNINGS EVENTS

CONTESTS ARE INTERESTING

This Afternoon's Program Will Consist of Two Harness and Two Running Races

Yesterday afternoon's racing program at Lake Wichita proved one of the chief drawing cards of the attractions; the improvised grandstand was loaded to its capacity and there were hundreds in automobiles and vehicles probably 2500 people being spectators.

Two harness events, two running events and two foot races constituted the program. No records were broken and the time was poor on account of the dusty track, but there was no lack of interest on the part of the crowd.

John Carr of Frederick, acted as starter, while M. N. Curry, Mr. Miller and Dr. Walker were the judges.

The first event was a half-mile trot for three-year olds, with three entries, M. Baby Unit, Ty Keeno and May Shteland. Baby Unit won the first and third heats and Ty Keeno the second. May Shteland was third in all three heats. The time was 1:25, 1:20 1/4 and 1:22 for the three heats. Baby Unit and Ty Keeno were both well driven and all of the heats were close enough to be interesting. In the second heat it appeared for a time that Baby Unit would nose out a victory in the stretch but Ty Keeno held the lead.

Willy Watts made an easy thing of the second event, a Wichita county free-for-all, winning the first two heats. Floyd Toga was second and Bonham Gratton third in each heat. Willy Watts walked away with both heats in easy style.

Before the running races started there were two foot races. The first, a 100-yard dash, was won by Jerome Stone of Wichita Falls, with Morgan of Oklahoma second and Jalonic of Wichita Falls third.

In the half mile foot race, Johnson, a Tipton, Oklahoma product, won in the stretch from Ralph Mathis of Wichita Falls. Ralph held his own until the stretch, when the Oklahoma man's long legs carried him into the lead.

Next was a running race in which Apron Pace was first, Fred Tennant second and Toney C. third. This was six furlongs and closely contested. Skinny Walker rode the winner, McDowell the second and "Tootsy" the third. All are old jockeys.

The last event was the best of the afternoon. It resulted in Billie Brambles first, College Widow second and Inexhaustible third. The distance was five furlongs and the purse \$100. The horses were all under the whip in the stretch and a blanket would have covered the three who were in the money. The time-keeper was so interested in the finish that he forgot to stop his watch and the time was not recorded.

All of the gate receipts went into

BURKBURNET MAN KILLED BY HORSE

CLAUDE BRANNAN SUCCEMBS TO KICK ON HEAD THAT FRACTURED HIS SKULL

WAS DRIVING SULKY CART

Accident Happened at 8 p. m., and Victim Died Before Midnight—Was 35 Years Old

Claude Brannan, aged 35 years, a well known farmer living near Burkburnett, died at 1 o'clock last night as the result of injuries sustained at 8 o'clock last night when a horse which he was driving kicked him in the head.

Mr. Brannan was driving a sulky cart about three miles from Burkburnett, when the horse became fractious and kicked, one of its hoofs striking Mr. Brannan over the right eye, fracturing the skull. The injured man was conscious for about an hour, but soon lapsed into insensibility.

Doctors Wade Walker and Everett Jones were summoned from this city and went to the farm, arriving at midnight, but death had already ensued. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at Burkburnett.

BURKBURNETT FOLKS ADVERTISE CARNIVAL

Delegation of Nearly Hundred Came In On Morning Train To Tell About Their Celebration

Each decorated with a ribbon badge bearing the invitation "Come to Burkburnett to the Watermelon Carnival on the 6th and 7th," about one hundred citizens of Burkburnett stepped from the train here this morning, having made the trip from Burkburnett to this city in a special car for the purpose of advertising the celebration designated as the Texas Watermelon Carnival and Oil Field Jubilee which will be held on the 6th and 7th of this month at that place.

The visitors will spend today in the city and will probably attend this afternoon's races at Lake Wichita. They expect to mix with the people wherever the crowds are thickest, and the day will be spent in advertising the events which will take place at Burkburnett at the celebration.

According to those who arrived here this morning a splendid list of attractions have been secured for the celebration and a large premium list has been made up for the livestock and agricultural exhibits. Two days of entertainment are promised for all who may come. Watermelons fresh from the fields of the famous Red River Valley will be furnished free on both days of the celebration.

NO ACTION BY GREAT BRITAIN

BRITISH GOVERNMENT DISAVOWS ANNOUNCEMENT IN MORNING PAPERS

REPORT IS INCORRECT

Panama Canal Case Remains In Exactly Same Position It Has For Some Time

By Associated Press.
London, Sept. 3.—A complete disavowal is given this morning by the British office of the so-called official announcement that the British government will formally demand arbitration of the Panama toll question.

"The lines of action which lie before the British government are now being considered and any announcement of the plans is premature." The above is the full text of the formal statement given out by the foreign office this morning in reply to requests for details about the reported demand for arbitration.

The officials of the foreign office said the report was wholly incorrect for no announcement of any sort had been made or even decided on by the British government.

The statement which seemed to be official was issued last night by the Press Association and the Central News, two of the leading news agencies. It appeared when it was too late to obtain independent confirmation or denial and all the London newspapers printed it this morning as a fact.

Instead of this being the case, however, the Panama canal case remains in exactly the same position it has occupied for some time. The government probably will propose its reference to the court of arbitration at The Hague but the method of submitting it to that tribunal has not been decided on.

ONE MAN KILLED TWO OTHERS INJURED

Driver Forgot Turn and Big Automobile Dashed Into Ditch at High Speed

By Associated Press.
Houston, Texas, Sept. 3.—One man was killed and two others seriously injured last night at Stella on the Richmond shell road, when the driver of a big touring car forgot a curve and dashed into a ditch.

The dead:
DR. M. H. RICH, of Richmond, death instantaneous.

The injured:
Hamilton Whitten of Richmond, broken arm, mangled hip and internal injuries.

Ashby Rich of Richmond, broken shoulder, arm and thigh badly bruised.

Almost by a miracle the driver, Charles St. John, was unhurt, although the steering wheel was wrenched from his shaft and remained in his hands after the accident.

The car was completely wrecked.

J. J. Koenig of Richmond, was killed by this same car in an accident last October. The dead man last night was twenty-two years old and the son of Sheriff Rich of Nacogdoches county. The party was en route to Houston.

ANOTHER RIOT IN MICHIGAN PRISON

Unruly Prisoners Liberate Men From Bull Pens, Scramble For Walls and Set Fire to Buildings

By Associated Press.
Jackson, Mich., Sept. 3.—Unruly convicts in the Michigan penitentiary went on a rampage again today and before they were cowed by the Jack militia and by deputies and guards they had destroyed considerable prison property.

One convict was shot and it is said two or three escaped. The rioting began when leaders of the unruly prisoners liberated seventy-five men from the bull-pens. These scrambled for the walls, setting fire to buildings as they dashed for liberty. Guards broke up the mob before it had effected organization, but not before militiamen carrying wicked looking rifles reached the riot scene. The fleeing convict who was shot failed to halt when ordered by a guard. He was running across the yard.

In addition to the two local militia companies, numbering about 160 men now on guard, the Lansing militiamen have been ordered here. Every person who can be induced to act as a special guard is being rushed to the prison, first being given arms.

PIONEER CITIZEN STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

G. A. Soule Painfully Injured Tuesday Night—Automobile Reported To Have Been Without Lights

G. A. Soule of 907 Travis was painfully injured last night when an automobile struck his buggy on the lake road in the western part of the city, wrecking the vehicle and throwing Mr. Soule out. The automobile was running without lights and did not stop after the accident. Its driver was said to be a citizen of Henrietta.

Mr. Soule was badly shaken up and bruised and one of the spokes of his buggy was driven deep into his thigh, causing considerable loss of blood. A passing buggy was stopped and he was taken home where he was said to be resting easy this morning. Owing to his advanced age, it is probable that he will be confined several days.

The same automobile that struck Mr. Soule's buggy collided with another buggy before it reached the lake, it was learned. No one was hurt in the second accident.

ORGANIZING NEW BANK AT BURKBURNETT

Papers Issued at Austin Authorizing Organization of State Bank at That Place

Papers have been received from the State Banking Department at Austin authorizing the organization of a new State bank at Burkburnett. Its capital will be \$25,000.

Among the stockholders in the new bank will be Shields Fowler, R. E. Moore, W. C. Myers, W. J. Johnson, W. T. Willis, A. J. Shultz, T. P. Roberts, William George, James George and many other prominent business men and farmers of Burkburnett and vicinity.

The new bank will open for business in a few weeks, it is stated. The officers have not yet been selected.

SEELY HAS ACCEPTED SERVICE.

By Associated Press.
Galveston, Texas, Sept. 3.—John Seely, president of the Magnolia Petroleum Company and one of the men named in the indictments returned by the federal grand jury at Dallas last week, has accepted service and promptly made the required \$5000 bond for his appearance.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

By Associated Press.
Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 3.—Cattle receipts 3500, steady. Steers, tops \$5.60. Hog receipts 1272. Steady, tops \$9.20. Sheep receipts 554, steady. Lambs \$6.

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight and Wednesday unsettled.

WITNESS FOUND AT LIVERPOOL

ONE OF ROSENTHAL MURDER EYE-WITNESSES WAS ON LASITANIA

HAS REFUSED TO RETURN

Declares He Knows Some Things and Has Made His Plea—Says Most Policemen Venal

By Associated Press.
Liverpool, Sept. 3.—Thomas Coupe, formerly night clerk at the Elks' Club in New York and an eye witness to the murder of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, was met by two local detectives when the steamship Lusitania docked here today. He was not placed under arrest, but was accompanied to a hotel, where he refused to make any statement until he had consulted with friends. The detectives informed him that District Attorney Whitman of New York wanted him to return as a witness for the trial of Lieut. Becker.

"I am not going back to America," Coupe declared, when the plain clothes men informed the former night clerk of the New York Elks' Club that District Attorney Whitman wanted him to return to America and testify as an eye witness of the Rosenthal murder.

Coupe emphasized his reply by saying, "The only people who could protect me are really my enemies and I doubt very much whether they are really anxious to get me back."

"I have been night manager at an expensive hotel in New York and I know some things. I can tell you, there is scarcely a policeman to be relied upon. In any case, I have made my plea and am glad to be home among my friends. Certainly, I am not going back to America unless my friends advise me to do so."

Coupe went to Preston about 28 miles from this city where his father has a large dry goods business.

Coupe An Eye Witness.
By Associated Press.
New York, Sept. 3.—Thomas Coupe is one of the few actual witnesses to the murder of Herman Rosenthal. He left New York last Tuesday at midnight. Two days later word reached District Attorney Whitman that he had disappeared. Mr. Whitman said he feared this was the beginning of an attempt to spirit away witnesses, but he said he had no legal way of detaining Coupe. Coupe has testified before the grand jury and had been counted upon to take the witness stand at Becker's trial.

GREAT ACTIVITY IN COTTON MARKET

After See-Sawing Back and Forth Market Closes With Price Up Nearly \$2 Per Bale

By Associated Press.
New York, Sept. 3.—The government's cotton report published at noon today was both preceded and followed by sensational activity and excitement in the local cotton market. A general covering movement developed on the report, but that crop prospects were deteriorating rapidly because of dry, hot weather and prices were about \$2 per bale above Friday's closing before the report was issued.

The official report of 74.8 per cent through fully anticipated and was followed by a sudden break of about \$1.50 per bale, but an enormous demand was encountered on this setback and in half an hour the market had recovered all but ten or fifteen points of the loss.

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Burdett O. & D Co. 115
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Marriott et al 15
Warrachie Oil Co. 20
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FIRST MONTHLY TRADES DAY BIG SUCCESS

Three Carloads of Stock Sold—Buyers Here From Important Markets in Southwest

Wichita Falls first monthly livestock sales and trades day was a complete success. Over three carloads of horses and mules changed owners. Buyers were here from Houston, Fort Worth, Louisiana, Gainesville and Holdenville, Okla., and good prices were paid. Stock was brought here from distances farther than a hundred miles. One bunch of horses was brought from Ardmore, Oklahoma.

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FOOD SENT BY CARAVANS

Railroads Washed Out and Many Towns Cut Off From Food Supplies

By Associated Press.
Lynchburg, Va., Sept. 3.—A total of forty are dead and a property loss of two million dollars, probably measures the final figures of Sunday night's flood in lives and money, but the effect of the cloudburst will be felt for several days in many of the stricken communities.

The death list this morning was: Colliers, West Virginia, 18 dead; Cherry Valley, Pennsylvania, six dead; Burgesstown, Pennsylvania, four dead; Avelia, Pennsylvania, three dead; Cannonburg, Pennsylvania, seven dead; Woodland, Pennsylvania, one dead; Wellsburg, West Virginia, one dead.

Fifteen bodies have been recovered from debris in the Valley of Harmon's Creek near Colliers, West Virginia. Searchers are working in other valleys of the district digging in the hope of finding bodies, but in many instances the rush of water was so strong that it is believed the victims were carried far from the places where they met death.

Food in some sections is scarce because railroad communication has been cut off, but caravans are making their way over badly washed roads, bearing needed supplies. In some villages entire families are shoveling mud out of their homes. In the Therpis Valley in Pennsylvania, 10,000 acres of growing corn has been ruined. Thousands of tons of hay floated away on the muddy water there.

HARD RAIN FALLING IN VERMONT TODAY

Polls in State Election There Will Close at 5 O'clock—Result Will Be Harbinger

By Associated Press.
White River Junction, Vt., Sept. 3.—Vermont is electing a governor today and which ever party wins will accept the result as a harbinger of success at the presidential contest on November 5.

Storm was beating down on both sides of the Green Mountains today when the polls opened at 8 o'clock. Many politicians pointed out the fact that while the total registration in the State at such election in the last five years was close to 120,000, it has been seldom that more than fifty or sixty per cent of those enrolled have gone to the polls. The polls close at 5 o'clock.

The candidates for governor are: Republican, A. M. Fletcher; Democrat, Harland Howe; Progressive, Rev. Frazer Metzger; Prohibitionist, C. F. Smith; Socialist, F. W. Suiter.

Gov. Report Shows Cotton Condition Above Average

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Sept. 3.—The condition of the growing cotton crop of the United States on August 25 was 74.8 per cent of a normal, compared with 76.5 per cent on July 25 this year, 73.2 per cent on August 25 last year, 72.1 per cent in 1910 and 73.6 per cent the average of the past ten years on August 25. This estimate was announced at noon today by the Crop Reporting Board of the United States Department of Agriculture from the reports of the correspondents and agents of the Bureau of Statistics.

Comparisons of conditions on August 25 by states follow:

State	'12	'11	'10	10-yr av
Virginia	80	96	82	82
North Carolina	75	76	76	78
South Carolina	73	74	73	77
Georgia	70	81	71	77
Florida	73	85	74	79
Alabama	75	80	72	74
Mississippi	70	70	71	75
Louisiana	74	69	69	69
Texas	76	68	69	69
Arkansas	77	78	78	76
Tennessee	76	88	78	84
Missouri	78	88	78	82
Oklahoma	84	62	85	75
California	95	100	95	

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PERSONAL MENTION

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Z. Holbert returned yesterday from Dallas at which place Mrs. Holbert underwent a successful surgical operation at the Baptist Sanitarium.

Miss Dufay Brooks has returned after a visit of several months in the North.

Miss Everett Boarding is the guest of Miss Grace Hall, daughter of Frank Hall. She is from Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. C. C. Shelton and daughter, Marie and son, Forest, have returned from a very pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Nashville.

County Tax Collector, Harry Daugherty and family have returned after a visit with relatives in Illinois and Missouri.

W. C. Zehnder of Shreveport, La., has been appointed rate clerk in the traffic department of the Wichita Falls Route.

Mr. Zehnder comes from the Katy offices at Shreveport and is a rate man of long experience.

E. R. Greenwood left Sunday for Chicago to attend the convention of American Life Insurance men.

Mrs. Nat L. Ingle returned this morning from a visit with friends at Dallas.

Mrs. L. W. Rutland of Commerce, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Ed Howard, 1100 Lamar.

Mrs. T. S. Ford returned yesterday from a visit among relatives in the North.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Parker from Iowa Park, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Starr from Albany, were among the local visitors in the city today and made The Times office a pleasant call.

S. B. Franklin of Fort Smith, Ark., is visiting in the city.

Mrs. D. C. Walker and son have returned after a visit with relatives at Rochester, Texas.

J. B. Stokes is over from Mineral Wells for a visit with his family.

J. V. C. T. Christenson returned Sunday after a short stay at Mineral Wells.

Mrs. J. W. Stone, daughter and son, Robert, returned yesterday afternoon from Denver, where they have been since May for the benefit of Robert's health.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Piner Avis, J. W. Thomas, Miss Lilian-Avis, Will Shelton, Miss Ahlberg, and Robert Avis spent yesterday at the Avis ranch in Clay county.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beavers who have been in Alva, Okla., for the past several days, returned here this afternoon.

Tom Burnett, living near Electra is here today for the celebration.

Dr. Brown, Dentist, Room 306, Kemp and Kell Building, Phone 333-4276

REMINDED HER OF OLD DAYS Real Old-Fashioned House Cleaning in the City Interesting Because of Its Novelty.

"There's a real old-fashioned house-cleaning going on next door," said the girl who lives on the top floor, "and it's so long since I saw anything approaching it that it seems mighty interesting. People move so much in New York that there doesn't appear to be any more reason for housecleaning. They have rugs instead of carpets and they hang pictures on tacks and leave their curtains up all summer, which no self-respecting woman would do in the old days.

The Hat Question in 1790. The Handel festival was originally given in Westminster Abbey, and the official notice of 1790 announced that "no ladies will be admitted with hats, and they are particularly requested to come without feathers and very small hoops, if any." As ecclesiastical law demands that female worshippers shall cover their heads in church, this regulation was curiously anomalous. A suggestion in regard to ladies' headgear was also made by Sir Frederic Cowen in 1906, when he gave it as his opinion that the ladies might discover in their wardrobe some "extremely fascinating flat hats," which would not obstruct the view. The "fascinating flat hats" were, however, chiefly conspicuous by their absence, owing presumably (we write subject to feminine correction) to the fact that the flat hat was not among the fashions of that year.—London Globe.

BIG ATTRACTIONS

Lamar Airdome

Beginning Monday, LABOR DAY, Matinee at Lydia Margaret Theatre, 2:30.

The following is a telegram received today from looking agent:

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NEED OF FRESH FOOD SHOW!

Scientific Name Given to Disease Which Afflicted Members of Polar Expedition Party.

In an address recently given before the Zoological Society of France, Dr. Jacques Louville, the physician and naturalist who accompanied the Peary expedition on his antarctic expedition stated the chief physical troubles with which the crew had to contend were three in number, all, in his opinion, springing from the lack of fresh food. He therefore terms this polar malady "the disease of conserved food." The malady comprised symptoms of scurvy, polar anemia and severe frost bites or chilblains, which frequently bled constantly. The underlying cause of all the affections is an alteration in the chemical composition of the blood—or "dyscrasia." The heart functioned badly, and the patients suffered from terrible shortness of breath, frequent drowsiness, and oedema of the lower extremities. They were easily exhausted and unable to march, while the slightest movement brought on intense palpitation. However, all these morbid symptoms disappeared within ten days when fresh meat was obtainable, and did not appear again after the fresh wild celery obtained at Tierra del Fuego had been enjoyed for some time. Dr. Louville took as his title the fact that this was the first polar expedition which ever restored all its members to their homes in a state of perfect health. He had three surgical cases to handle. Recovery was highly satisfactory, which he ascribes partly to the entire absence of pathogenic bacteria and partly to the fact that there was not a trace of alcoholism in the patients.—Scientific American.

Intercity Meal Tickets.

Restaurants where the meal ticket system prevails adopt various devices to attract trade. A New York proprietor recently posted this sign above his desk: "Meal tickets purchased here good in restaurants in Boston, Baltimore, Washington and Chicago."

"No, I have no interest in those houses," the proprietor said, "but I know the owners, and we concluded that it would be a good plan to exchange tickets so that customers going from town to town could make sure of a square meal in case work was slack or they got extravagant and spent all their money."

Our Friends Are Coming!

Next Monday in honor of the American laboring man we celebrate a day that should be considered among the greatest of National holidays, in fact it is next to the birthday of American independence. It is a day when the workers of the greatest nation on earth take a holiday.

Out of courtesy to the men who are the backbone of industrial America we open the gates of our city and the doors of our homes to our friends from sister cities who come to visit and celebrate with us.

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FORMER WICHITA MARRIED IN DALLAS

The following account of the marriage of Jerry B. Frey, a former resident of this city to Miss Sophie M. Blakeney is reproduced from the Southern Messenger, a Dallas publication:

On Friday morning at 8:30 in the chapel of the Dallas University, Miss Sophie Marie Blakeney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Blakeney, became the bride of Jerry B. Frey, Rev. Marshall Le Sage, C. M. performing the marriage ceremony. The chapel was decorated with ferns and palms, intermingled with tube roses. Preceding the service Mrs. B. V. Brasher of New Orleans, La., sister of the groom, sang "O, Promise Me," accompanied by Miss M. White. Knight Spooner played the wedding march from Lohengrin and during the ceremony Mrs. Brasher sang "Ave Marie."

The bride entered on the arm of her father, followed by her sister, Miss Annie Blakeney, as her bridesmaid. The groom was attended by Joseph F. Ludwig, while Thomas J. Blakeney and Edgar J. Davoren acted as ushers.

After the ceremony the intimate friends of the family went to the home of the bride for an informal reception.

In the dining room where the wedding cake was placed, the decorations were very effective, the dome being lined with pink rosebuds and similar. From this table streamers were caught at the table by baskets of pink rosebuds. In the library sweet-peas were used, banded around the punch bowl, presided over by Misses Kathleen and Beatrice Blakeney, sisters of the bride.

Miss Orlean Boren of Ennis, Texas, presided over the bride's book. The out of town guests were Mesdames S. G. Smiggs and Baby Ruth of Los Angeles; Lena Fisher and son of Tyler, B. V. Brasher and son of New Orleans, sisters of the groom and Miss Orlean Boren of Ennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frey left for a short trip to the coast. After August 1 they will be at home in New Orleans, La.

Local News Brevities

Dr. Waller, Dentist, Room 207 Kemp and Kell building. Phone 836-8976

My motto: Miller sells it for less.

Persons desiring instruction in the art department of the Wichita Falls College of Music and Art should apply at once to Mrs. J. L. McKee, 1005 Tenth street.

The little town of Loving, on the Gulf Texas & Western in Young county has a big cotton crop to pick, and nobody to pick it. It is sending out calls for five hundred pickers at once. Cotton will make a bale to the acre in many parts of Young county and there are not nearly enough pickers to gather it.

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W. A. Carrigan has sold his hotel at Mineral Wells and is here for a visit with his brother, Judge A. H. Carrigan and family. He has lately been visiting in Louisiana and Arkansas.

Mrs. Carrigan is now at Lafayette, La., visiting relatives. Mr. Carrigan is now looking for a location in Northwest Texas, but will not re-enter the hotel business. Wichita Falls, he says, is the best town he has seen anywhere. His friends are hoping he will locate here again.

Mrs. Harry Robertson's class in China painting, water colors, etc., will open September 11th. China fired. Phone 309, 1310 Thirteenth street. 95-76

Mrs. M. E. Lane has taken her place off the market for a while. 95-27

Bids will be received until noon, Sept. 9, 1912 on one 12x20 foot cistern for Byers Independent school district. Bids complete with nine inch filter wall in center, concrete top with opening on each side of wall. Board of Directors, by E. W. Grogan, secretary. 91-76

Dashing at break-neck speed through a maze of vehicles at the corner of Seventh and Scott, the horse and rig of Prof. G. H. Carpenter furnished some little excitement for the Labor Day parade participants, who were just breaking line. The horse became frightened by the parade and ran headlong across the

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street, threading in and out of the buggies and automobiles and continuing down Scott to Sixth where the trap was overturned. The buggy struck the fender of Dr. Burnside's automobile, damaging it slightly, but there was no other damage except to Prof. Carpenter's rig which was considerably torn up.

An increase of over fifteen per cent is shown by the postoffice receipts for August over those of the same month last year. The figures, as given out by Acting Postmaster J. T. Gibson, show a total of \$3280.09, an increase of \$481.29 over the same month last year, when the receipts were \$2838.80. The increase is better than fifteen per cent and indicates that Wichita Falls will have no trouble in remaining in the first class of postoffice, to which it was elevated last April. The increase is particularly gratifying in view of the fact that August is considered a dull month.

The offices of the Producers Oil Company have been moved from room 309 in the Kemp and Kell building to enlarged quarters on the fourth floor of the same building.

The Sun Company is shipping out a rig today for the second well on the Luke Wilson ranch in Archer county. The location for this well is within a mile of Luke Wilson station on the Wichita Falls & Southern.

Mayor Bell this morning asked the co-operation of every saloon man in the city in an effort to keep down saloons and offenses that are ordinarily produced by over-indulgence in liquor. The saloon men promised the mayor that they would not only keep within the letter of the law but would

try to draw the line in the sale of intoxicants before the fighting stage was reached by their patrons. Up until the middle of the afternoon there had been no arrests and the crowds were very orderly.

The Wichita Hardware Company's float in today's parade was an unusually large and artistic display of that concern's wares. The front end represented a comfortable living room, with furnace; the center showed an extensive display of edge tools and the rear was a replica of a kitchen with a colored mammy presiding over the range, making biscuits which she tossed out to the crowd.

M. M. McGinley of Mineral Wells has purchased the Howard Hotel in this city and took possession yesterday. Mr. McGinley owns the Hexagon Hotel at Mineral Wells, but expects to close it out this week and devote his entire attention to the Howard. He is known as a first class hotel man to all the commercial travelers and should do a fine business.

Work On Frisco Extension Houston, Texas, Sept. 2.—Sixteen miles of new railroad will be completed by the Frisco lines on the Port O'Connor branch and will be opened for traffic within the next 30 or 60 days, according to announcement made Thursday at the Houston offices of the Frisco.

The new road will run from Heyser to Tivoli, a distance of ten miles and from Tivoli to Austwell, six miles distant. The town of Austwell has just been opened and was named by the railroad officials. The new road will be opened, it is stated, in time to handle the fall crops in that territory.

Advertisement for Velva Syrup featuring an illustration of a child and text: "If words could describe a flavor, we would have your mouth watering for a taste of The New VELVA Breakfast Syrup in the red can. It makes such good cakes and candies—gives such a delightful flavor to waffles, griddle cakes and hot biscuit. But it must be tasted to be appreciated. Ask your grocer for a 10c can of the new Velva with the red label. He also has the Velva you know in the green can. PENICK & FORD, Inc."

Large advertisement for O. W. BEAN & SON: "We Have Received Another Shipment Of those Sure Seal Jars. The sale is so heavy its been impossible to keep them in stock. They are the last word in fruit jars. If you don't know about them, get acquainted. We have also received some sure enough good jar rubbers. We have everything you need for the canning season. Hello your orders—we'll do the rest. Phones 35 and 640 O. W. BEAN & SON GROCERS AND COFFEE ROASTERS 608-610 Ohio Ave."

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RACE PROGRAM DRAWS BIG CROWD

CROWD OF 2500 PEOPLE WITNESSED YESTERDAY'S HARNESSED AND RUNNING EVENTS

CONTESTS ARE INTERESTING

This Afternoon's Program Will Consist of Two Harness and Two Running Races

Yesterday afternoon's racing program at Lake Wichita proved one of the chief drawing cards of the attractions; the improvised grandstand was loaded to its capacity and there were hundreds in automobiles and vehicles probably 2500 people being spectators.

Two harness events, two running events and two foot races constituted the program. No records were broken and the time was poor on account of the dusty track, but there was no lack of interest on the part of the crowd.

John Carr of Frederick, acted as starter, while M. N. Curry, Mr. Miller and Dr. Walker were the judges. The first event was a half-mile trot for three-year olds, with three entries, M. Baby Unit, Ty Keeno and May Shetland. Baby Unit won the first and third heats and Ty Keeno the second. May Shetland was third in all three heats. The time was 1:25, 1:20 1-4 and 1:22 for the three heats.

Baby Unit and Ty Keeno were both well driven and all of the heats were close enough to be interesting. In the second heat it appeared for a time that Baby Unit would nose out a victory in the stretch but Ty Keeno held the lead. Willy Watts made an easy thing of the second event, a Wichita county free-for-all, winning the first two heats. Floyd Toga was second and Bonham Gratton third in each heat. Willy Watts walked away with both heats in easy style.

Before the running races started there were two foot races. The first, 100-yard dash, was won by Jerome Stone of Wichita Falls, with Morgan of Oklahoma second and Jalontick of Wichita Falls third.

In the half mile foot race, Johnson, a Tipton, Oklahoma product, won in the stretch from Ralph Mathis of Wichita Falls. Ralph held his own until the stretch, when the Oklahoma man's long legs carried him into the lead.

Next was a running race in which Apron Face was first, Fred Tennant second and Toney C. third. This was six furlongs and was closely contested. Skinny Walker rode the winner, McDowell the second and "Tootsy" the third. All are old jockeys.

The last event was the best of the afternoon. It resulted in Billie Brambles first, College Widow second and Inexhaustible third. The distance was five furlongs and the purse \$100. The horses were all under the whip in the stretch and a blanket would have covered the three who were in the money. The time-keeper was so interested in the finish that he forgot to stop his watch and the time was not recorded.

All of the gate receipts went into

the purses, which made it financially interesting for all the horsemen. This afternoon there will be a program of two harness races and two running races. It is also probable a foot race between the Oklahoma youth who won yesterday's half mile event and a local runner.

BURKBURNET MAN KILLED BY HORSE

CLAUDE BRANNAN SUCCUMBS TO KICK ON HEAD THAT FRACTURED HIS SKULL

WAS DRIVING SULKY CART

Accident Happened at 8 p. m., and Victim Died Before Midnight—Was 35 Years Old

Claude Brannan, aged 35 years, a well known farmer living near Burk Burnett, died at 1 o'clock last night as the result of injuries sustained at 8 o'clock last night when a horse which he was driving kicked him in the head.

Mr. Brannan was driving a sulky cart about three miles from Burk Burnett, when the horse became fractious and kicked, one of its hoofs striking Mr. Brannan over the right eye, fracturing the skull. The injured man was conscious for about an hour, but soon lapsed into insensibility.

Doctors Wade Walker and Everett Jones were summoned from this city and went to the farm, arriving about midnight, but death had already ensued. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at Burk Burnett.

BURKBURNETT FOLKS ADVERTISE CARNIVAL

Delegation of Nearly Hundred Came In On Morning Train To Tell About Their Celebration

Each decorated with a ribbon badge bearing the invitation "Come to Burk Burnett to the Watermelon Carnival on the 6th and 7th," about one hundred citizens of Burk Burnett stepped from the train here this morning, having made the trip from Burk Burnett to this city in a special car for the purpose of advertising the celebration designated as the Texas Watermelon Carnival and Oil Field Jubilee which will be held on the 6th and 7th of this month at that place.

The visitors will spend today in the city and will probably attend this afternoon's races at Lake Wichita. They expect to mix with the people wherever the crowds are thickest, and the day will be spent in advertising the events which will take place at Burk Burnett at the celebration.

According to those who arrived here this morning, a splendid list of attractions have been secured for the celebration and a large premium list has been made up for the livestock and agricultural exhibits. Two days of entertainment are promised for all who may come. Watermelons fresh from the fields of the famous Red River Valley will be furnished free on both days of the celebration.

NO ACTION BY GREAT BRITAIN

BRITISH GOVERNMENT DISAVOWS ANNOUNCEMENT IN MORNING PAPERS

REPORT IS INCORRECT

Panama Canal Case Remains In Exactly Same Position It Has For Some Time

By Associated Press. London, Sept. 3.—A complete disavowal is given this morning by the British office of the so-called official announcement that the British government will formally demand arbitration of the Panama toll question. "The lines of action which lie before the British government are now being considered and any announcement of the plans is premature." The above is the full text of the formal statement given out by the foreign office this morning in reply to requests for details about the reported demand for arbitration.

The officials of the foreign office said the report was wholly incorrect for no announcement of any sort had been made or even decided on by the British government. The statement which seemed to be official was issued last night by the Press Association and the Central News, two of the leading news agencies. It appeared when it was too late to obtain independent confirmation or denial and all the London newspapers printed it this morning as a fact.

Instead of this being the case, however, the Panama canal case remains in exactly the same position it has occupied for some time. The government probably will propose its reference to the court of arbitration at The Hague, but the method of submitting it to that tribunal has not been decided on.

PIONEER CITIZEN STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

G. A. Soule Painfully Injured Tuesday Night—Automobile Reported To Have Been Without Lights

G. A. Soule of 907 Travis was painfully injured last night when an automobile struck his buggy on the lake road in the western part of the city, wrecking the vehicle and throwing Mr. Soule out. The automobile was running without lights and did not stop after the accident. Its driver was said to be a citizen of Henrietta.

Mr. Soule was badly shaken up and bruised and one of the spokes of his buggy was driven deep into his thigh, causing considerable loss of blood. A passing buggy was stopped and he was taken home where he was said to be resting easy this morning. Owing to his advanced age, it is probable that he will be confined several days.

The same automobile that struck Mr. Soule's buggy collided with another buggy before it reached the lake, it was learned. No one was hurt in the second accident.

ORGANIZING NEW BANK AT BURKBURNETT

Papers Issued at Austin Authorizing Organization of State Bank at That Place

Papers have been received from the State Banking Department at Austin authorizing the organization of a new State bank at Burk Burnett. Its capital will be \$25,000.

Among the stockholders in the new bank will be Shields Fowler, R. S. Moore, W. C. Myers, W. J. Johnson, W. T. Willis, A. J. Shultz, T. P. Roberts, William George, James George and many other prominent business men and farmers of Burk Burnett and vicinity.

The new bank will open for business in a few weeks, it is stated. The officers have not yet been selected.

Sealy Has Accepted Service. Galveston, Texas, Sept. 3.—John Sealy, president of the Magnolia Petroleum Company and one of the men named in the indictments returned by the federal grand jury at Dallas last week, has accepted service and promptly made the required \$5000 bond for his appearance.

Fort Worth Livestock. Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 3.—Cattle receipts 3500, steady. Steers, tops \$5.60. Hog receipts 1272. Steady, tops \$9.20. Sheep receipts 584, steady. Lambs \$6.

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight and Wednesday unsettled.

ONE MAN KILLED TWO OTHERS INJURED

Driver Forgot Turn and Big Automobile Dashed Into Ditch at High Speed

By Associated Press. Houston, Texas, Sept. 3.—One man was killed and two others seriously injured last night at Stella on the Richmond shell road, when the driver of a big touring car forgot a curve and dashed into a ditch. The dead: DR. M. H. RICH, of Richmond, death instantaneous. The injured: Hamilton Whitten of Richmond, broken arm, mangled hip and internal injuries. Ashby Rich of Richmond, broken shoulder, arm and thigh badly bruised.

Almost by a miracle the driver, Charles St. John, was unhurt, although the steering wheel was wrenched from its shaft and remained in his hands after the accident. The car was completely wrecked. J. J. Koenig of Richmond, was killed by this same car in an accident last October. The dead man last night was twenty-two years old and the son of Sheriff Rich of Nacogdoches county. The party was en route to Houston.

ANOTHER RIOT IN MICHIGAN PRISON

Unruly Prisoners Liberate Men From Bull Pens, Scramble For Walls and Set Fire to Buildings

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 3.—Unruly convicts in the Michigan penitentiary went on a rampage again today and before they were cowed by the Jack-millia and by deputies and guards they had destroyed considerable prison property.

One convict was shot and it is said two or three escaped. The rioting began when leaders of the unruly prisoners liberated seventy-five men from the bull-pen. These scrambled for the walls, setting fire to buildings as they dashed for liberty. Guards broke up the mob before it had effected organization, but not before militiamen carrying wicked looking rifles reached the riot scene. The fleeing convict who was shot failed to halt when ordered by a guard. He was running across the yard.

In addition to the two local militia companies, numbering about 160 men now on guard, the Lansing militiamen have been ordered here. Every person who can be induced to act as a special guard is being rushed to the prison, first being given arms.

GREAT ACTIVITY IN COTTON MARKET

After See-Sawing Back and Forth Market Closes With Price Up Nearly \$2 Per Bale

New York, Sept. 3.—The government's cotton report published at noon today was both preceded and followed by sensational activity and excitement in the local cotton market. A general covering movement developed on the report that crop prospects were deteriorating rapidly because of dry, hot weather and prices were about \$2 per bale above Friday's closing before the report was issued.

The official report of 74.8 per cent through fully anticipated and was followed by a sudden break of about \$1.50 per bale, but an enormous demand was encountered on this setback and in half an hour the market had recovered all but ten or fifteen points of the loss.

Death of Mrs. O. R. Rigbee. Wednesday afternoon at her former home in Hartford City, Indiana, will occur the funeral of Mrs. O. R. Rigbee, aged 31 years, who died at her home in this city, 1600 Travis street, at five o'clock Sunday morning, having been ill for more than six weeks with typhoid fever. She has been very low for the last two weeks and several days ago all hopes for her recovery were given up.

The body was prepared for burial by Jesse Dolman of the Freer-Brin Undertaking Company and was shipped yesterday afternoon for Hartford City, Indiana. The remains were accompanied to that city by O. R. Rigbee, husband of the deceased, and by a sister, who has been at her bedside for several weeks.

WITNESS FOUND AT LIVERPOOL

ONE OF ROSENTHAL MURDER EYE-WITNESSES WAS ON LASITANIA

HAS REFUSED TO RETURN

Declares He Knows Some Things and Has Made His Plea—Says Most Policemen Venal

Liverpool, Sept. 3.—Thomas Coupe, formerly night clerk at the Elks' Club in New York and an eye witness to the murder of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, was met by two local detectives when the steamship Lusitania docked here today. He was not placed under arrest, but was accompanied to a hotel, where he refused to make any statement until he had consulted with friends. The detectives informed him that District Attorney Whitman of New York wanted him to return as a witness for the trial of Lieut. Becker.

"I am not going back to America," Coupe declared, when the plain clothes men informed the former night clerk of the New York Elks' Club that District Attorney Whitman wanted him to return to America and testify as an eye witness of the Rosenthal murder.

Coupe emphasized his reply by saying, "The only people who could protect me are really my enemies and I doubt very much whether they are really anxious to get me back."

"I have been night manager at an expensive motel in New York and I know some things. I can tell you, there is scarcely a policeman to be relied upon. In any case, I have made my plea and am glad to be home among my friends. Certainly, I am not going back to America unless my friends advise me to do so."

Coupe went to Preston about 28 miles from this city where his father has a large dry goods business.

Coupe An Eye Witness. New York, Sept. 3.—Thomas Coupe is one of the few actual witnesses to the murder of Herman Rosenthal. He left New York last Tuesday at midnight. Two days later word reached District Attorney Whitman that he had disappeared.

Mr. Whitman said he feared this was the beginning of an attempt to spirit away witnesses, but he said he had no legal way of detaining Coupe. Coupe has testified before the grand jury and had been counted upon to take the witness stand at Becker's trial.

Plea of Not Guilty Entered For Becker. New York, Sept. 3.—After Charles Becker, the New York police lieutenant accused of murdering the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, had refused to plead guilty to the indictment against him today, a technical plea of not guilty was entered at the direction of the court. Then Justice Goff set Tuesday, September 12 as the date for Becker's trial.

To the surprise of all, Becker's lawyer did not ask for a change of venue but he requested that the trial be set for some time about the middle of October, when the "present hysteria and clamor" will have subsided.

Becker came into court non-chalantly and greeted several friends. He stood erect with his arms resting on the railing of the bar and followed the proceedings closely.

ANOTHER GASSER STRUCK AT PETROLIA

Captain Andy Gartland Has Again Demonstrated That You Can't Always Fool An "Old Head"

A new gasser was brought in yesterday at Petrolia by Shaffer, Smathers and Gartland on the Brummett and Elliott tract about four miles south of the town of Petrolia. The pressure cleared the hole of mud and water and the well will probably be drilled in this afternoon. It was struck in the 1525-foot sand and is said to be a good one. It is slightly over a mile from the famous Miller gasser.

Capt. Andy Gartland had been under going some good natured ragging about this well, which the talent did not pick for a winner. But the captain has been in the game a good many years and apparently has not lost all his judgment. Bill Long says that when he was an infant his father wheeled him out in a go-cart to see an oil well, and that Gartland was drilling it. That may or may not be true, but anyhow, the captain has been in a long time and is still guessing 'em right occasionally.

The Five Rivers Company is hauling timber for a new rig on lot No. 6 in the Byers addition to Petrolia.

INDICTED MANUFACTURER PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Boston, Mass., Sept. 3.—William W. Wood, president of the American Woolen Company, pleaded not guilty in the superior court today to an indictment charging him with conspiring to distribute dynamite in Lawrence during the textile strike.

PRODUCTION IS 12,921 BARRELS

ELECTRA FIELD SHOWS GAIN OF 1134 BARRELS PER DAY OVER JULY REPORT

1305 BY INDEPENDENTS

Coriscana and Producers Combined Have Total of 11,616 Barrels Daily

The field report on Electra wells, as compiled by W. G. Long, shows the daily production for the month to be 12,921 barrels, a gain of 1134 barrels per day over July. The August production shows 1305 barrels by independents and a total of 11,616 by the Coriscana and Producers companies. The figures by companies follow:

Producers	5846
Coriscana	5770
R. W. Ramsey	6
Scott & Wood	8
Five Rivers	130
W. C. McBride	470
W. W. Johnson	65
Oklahoma Oil Co.	60
Guaranty Oil Co.	60
Badgett O. & D Co.	115
Baker & Kalst	31
Sheldon Oil Co.	15
Marriott et al.	15
Waxahachie Oil Co.	20
Owen & Wilson	160
Northwestern Oil Co.	150
Russell & Flanigan	20

FIRST MONTHLY TRADES DAY BIG SUCCESS

Three Carloads of Stock Sold—Buyers Here From Important Markets In Southwest

Wichita Falls first monthly livestock sales and trades day was a complete success. Over three carloads of horses and mules changed owners. Buyers were here from Houston, Fort Worth, Louisiana, Gainesville and Holdenville, Okla., and good prices were paid. Stock was brought here from distances farther than a hundred miles. One bunch of horses was brought from Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Other than horses and mules no livestock was offered, but next month an effort will be made to bring in stock hogs and stock cattle for sale to the farmers who have an immense feed crop. It is certain that the monthly trades day will be continued and with the auspicious beginning already made it is believed it will grow into an event of much importance.

Labor Day Crowds Broke Record, It Is Believed

The first day of Wichita Falls' Labor Day and Anniversary celebration was participated in by probably ten thousand people, who gathered at Lake Wichita yesterday afternoon. While even approximate figures on the attendance are not yet available, it is believed that all records for Lake crowds were broken.

In addition to the thousands who went out on the street cars—and every car was in use and loaded to capacity—there were thousands who went out in automobiles and other vehicles. A continual procession of these was to be seen on the Lake road and there were scores of farm wagons parked in the grove at the Lake.

The horse races proved the principal center of attraction in the afternoon, but the trap shoot, the baseball game and other features also drew their share of patrons. At noon when the barbecued meat and fried fish were dispensed one could obtain a good estimate of the crowd's size at that time, for everyone was trying to get to where the eatables were being dispensed.

Early in the afternoon some of the visitors tired and, by 3 o'clock the incoming cars were crowded as the outgoing ones. This condition continuing practically all afternoon and the street car company is believed to

FORTY DEAD AND \$2,000,000 LOSS

THIS IS BELIEVED TOTAL TOLL OF LIVES AND PROPERTY LOSS

FOOD SENT BY CARAVANS

Railroads Washed Out and Many Towns Cut Off From Food Supplies

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 3.—A total of forty are dead and a property loss of two million dollars, probably measures the final figures of Sunday night's flood in lives and money, but the effect of the cloudburst will be felt for several days in many of the stricken communities.

The death list this morning was: Colliers, West Virginia, 18 dead; Cherry Valley, Pennsylvania, six dead; Burgesstown, Pennsylvania, four dead; Avelin, Pennsylvania, three dead; Cannonsburg, Pennsylvania, seven dead; Woodland, Pennsylvania, one dead; Wellburg, West Virginia, one dead.

Fifteen bodies have been recovered from debris in the Valley of Harmon's Creek near Colliers, West Virginia. Searchers are working in other valleys of the district digging in the ruins of demolished houses in the hope of finding bodies, but in many instances the rush of water was so strong that it is believed the victims were carried far from the places where they met death.

Food in some sections is scarce because railroad communication has been cut off, but caravans are making their way over badly washed roads, bearing needed supplies. In some villages entire families are shoveling mud out of their homes. In the Therpis Valley in Pennsylvania, 10,000 acres of growing corn has been ruined. Thousands of tons of hay floated away on the muddy water there.

HARD RAIN FALLING IN VERMONT TODAY

Polls in State Election There Will Close at 5 O'clock—Result Will Be Harbinger

White River Junction, Vt., Sept. 3.—Vermont is electing a governor to-day and which ever party wins will accept the result as a harbinger of success at the presidential contest in November. A three days' rain storm was beating down on both sides of the Green Mountains today when the polls opened at 8 o'clock. Many politicians pointed out the fact that while the total registration in the State at such election in the last five years was close to 120,000, it has been seldom that more than fifty or sixty per cent of those enrolled have gone to the polls. The polls close at 5 o'clock.

The candidates for governor are: Republican, A. M. Fletcher; Democrat, Harland Howe; Progressive, Rev. Fraser Metzger; Prohibitionist, C. F. Smith; Socialist, F. W. Suiter.

Gov. Report Shows Cotton Condition Above Average

Washington, D. C., Sept. 3.—The condition of the growing cotton crop of the United States on August 25 was 74.8 per cent of a normal, compared with 76.5 per cent on July 25 of this year, 73.2 per cent on August 25 last year, 72.1 per cent in 1910 and 73.6 per cent the average of the past ten years on August 25. This estimate was announced at noon today by the Crop Reporting Board of the United States Department of Agriculture from the reports of the correspondents and agents of the Bureau of Statistics.

Comparisons of conditions on August 25 by states follow:

State	12	11	10	10-yr. av.
Virginia	80	96	82	82
North Carolina	75	76	76	78
South Carolina	73	74	73	77
Georgia	70	81	71	77
Florida	73	85	74	79
Alabama	75	80	72	74
Mississippi	70	70	71	75
Louisiana	74	69	60	69
Texas	76	68	69	69
Arkansas	77	78	78	76
Tennessee	76	88	78	84
Missouri	78	88	78	83
Oklahoma	84	62	85	75
California	95	100	95	

For the purpose of comparison, the condition of the cotton crop in the

United States monthly for the past ten years is given below:

Year	May	June	July	Aug	Sept
1912	78.9	80.4	76.5		
1911	87.8	88.2	89.1	73.2	71.1
1910	82.0	80.7	75.5	72.1	65.9
1909	81.1	74.6	71.9	63.7	68.5
1908	79.7	81.2	83.0	76.1	69.7
1907	70.5	72.0	75.0	72.7	67.7
1906	84.6	83.3	82.9	77.3	71.6
1905	72.2	77.0	74.9	72.1	71.2
1904	83.0	88.0	91.6	84.1	76.8
1903	74.1	77.1	79.7	81.2	65.1
1902	95.1	84.7	81.9	64.0	58.3

Rebels Capture Ojinaga. Marfa, Texas, Sept. 3.—Ojinaga was captured by rebels today without firing a shot. The federal forces commanded by General Sanchez, fled to the hills and a small garrison he left behind failed to fight.

With the capture of Ojinaga, the rebels have secured badly needed provisions, arms and ammunition.

Service Secured On Ebie. Dallas, Texas, Sept. 3.—Service was secured today on A. C. Ebie, manager of the Magnolia Petroleum Company of Texas, who was indicted with other officers of the company on a charge of violating the Sherman anti-trust law. Mr. Ebie furnished \$5000 bond.

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BOXING EXHIBITION A PLEASING AFFAIR

FAIR CROWD OF FANS SEE PLEASING SESSION OF FAST GLOVE WORK

TARVER A FEATURE

Big White Hope, "Jinx" Mode, Tom Dysart, Bell Thomas and Hubert Lewis Participate



CASS TARVER.

The first boxing exhibition of any consequence ever given in Wichita Falls was staged at the Wichita Theatre last night in the presence of a fair crowd of fans. No blood was shed, nobody got hurt and no damage was done, but there was a pleasing session of fast glove work that was worth seeing.

Cass Tarver of Anson, Texas, hailed as the "white hope" was the piece de resistance of the program. A bevy of local boxers also took part, including "Jinx" Mode, Tom Dysart, Bell Thomas and Hubert Lewis. There were several one-round preliminaries and a four round bout, before the principal event of the evening, the Mode-Dysart mill, was pulled off. Under the Texas law, no decision could be made and the crowd had to pick its own winners.

Tarver is a strapping big human, well past the six-foot mark in height and with a powerful appearing set of muscles. He is well proportioned and active, his big telegraph-post legs tapering down to a pair of almost lady-like feet. Last night he was still somewhat stiff from his bout with Beverly at Clovis, New Mexico, but was able to show the crowd some nice work.

The curtain rose at 8 o'clock and Dr. Platt, Tarver's manager, addressed the fans briefly. He said that Tarver had challenged Jack Johnson and that there was a chance that the two would be matched. Tarver was six inches taller, had six inches longer reach and weighed 40 pounds more, he said, than the "culud person." Beverly, he said, was about the gamest fighter ever.

"In the eighth and last round," said Dr. Platt, "Beverly was completely blind and his upper jaw bone was broken, but he stayed in the ring. Tarver did not hit him, but just pushed him over and he took the count."

Tarver then came on the stage and was cheered. His first stunt was to go through a series of callisthenics. He would hold his breath and go through a series of convulsions. Then the big chest would relax like a blacksmith's bellows and with a sound like the exhaust on a Wichita Valley engine. Next he went through with some "shadow boxing." The writer has acted the same way on waking up from a bad dream. Tarver punched and mauled an imaginary opponent all around the ring, his big arm working like piston-rod.

E. M. Dean, Tarver's press agent was then introduced to act as referee for the Tarver-Mode round. Mode came on the stage and went to his corner, being heartily received, and a minute later the bout started.

Mode was disposed to carrying the fight to his big opponent, who towered far above him and had all the advantage of reach and weight. The two clinched so often that at times it resembled a wrestling match. Mode's lesser weight served him well in his foot-work and he side-stepped Tarver's rushes in good style. Once or twice the hope got in close enough to slap a few good ones to Mode's head and shoulders, and the conductor slipped in a few healthy licks himself. Both were cheered as the bout ended. Mode's weight is 195 pounds.

Tom Dysart, a local butcher weighing 196 pounds, was the next to go up against Tarver. The disparity of weight seemed much greater, but the local man gave a good account of himself. He had a short-arm jab that he used to slip in a few licks with, keeping his left arm well in reserve. The two mixed it quite actively, Tarver waiting for the other at nearly all stages. Some good healthy swats were given and taken by both boxers and the Wichitan showed an ability that was pleasing.

Hubert Lewis, 165 pounds and Bell Thomas, 155 pounds, were then introduced for a four-round mill. Mode acted as Thomas' second while Dysart was in Lewis' corner.

Thomas, who spent six years in the Navy, showed some clever work all the way through, but Lewis improved with each round in spite of the fact that he seemed to be short on wind. Lewis tucked his head to one side, cooly, like a girl. He was wonderfully quick and his glove would dart through Thomas' guard like a streak. There was a great deal of clinching. Both were tired after the second round and it was much tamer. Lewis used an uppercut to good advantage, while Thomas got in several hard swings to the head and face. There was no decision, and it probably would have been declared a draw.

"Young Pitsimmons," a 115-pound bantam weight of Springfield, Ohio, was presented to the crowd. He is on a vaudeville tour in Texas, but has fought a great deal, with never a decision over him. "Mare" Hester, a 125-pound middleweight, was the main bout of the evening between Mode and Dysart.

The men were almost evenly matched in weight and mixed things in good style. Mode had a decided advantage in wind. There were very many clinches. The conductor got in the first healthy lick after a few seconds fighting but Dysart kept his distance the rest of the first round.

There was still more clinching in the second round and it was while the two were locked that some heavy blows were exchanged before Referee Dean would unclip them.

In the third, Mode appeared to good advantage, getting in several good blows on the face. Dysart was on the defensive but closed in actively several times and gave a good account of himself.

Dysart was clearly winded in the fourth and last round and Mode also seemed to be getting tired, so that things were rather tame, with frequent clinches. That ended the evening's program.

From here Tarver will go home for a week to train for his bout with "Denver Jack" Geyer a Pacific coast heavyweight who has never been knocked out. They will fight at Clovis on September 28.

Last night's events aroused considerable interest in boxing here and it is possible that efforts will be made to stage more bouts at later dates. Everyone seemed pleased with the exhibition and liked the looks of the big Texas boy who hopes to wear the championship belt some of these days.

TAXED BY PHYSICAL WEIGHT

Novel Scheme of French Town Authorities That Met With Bitter Opposition From the Women.

A small French town in the Pyrenees district has struck a novel way to increase revenue from taxation. The ordinary channels not bringing enough to carry out certain projected improvements, the municipal council decided to place a tax on the physical weight of the citizens, arranging the following scheme: Below 135lb., no tax; from 135lb. to 200lb., 12s. annually is demanded; from 200lb. to 270lb., 18s.; for all weights above this figure the tax increases at the rate of 2s. for each 20lb.

Trouble came when the local authorities tried to collect the tribute. Most of the fat people formed a committee to appeal to the prefect, who represents the federal authority in the district. Thus a stay was gained. But it appears probable that the town could put into execution the new law if it should fight the case in the courts. Most of the opposition came from the women, who held meetings and torchlight processions to signify their opposition to the measure, which struck them harder than their husbands.

One of the Knox Knocks.

Phlander C. Knox, the secretary of state, received one day in his office a bunch of high-browed newspaper correspondents. In the number was William Hostler, who stepped to the front with a copy of his paper in which was one of his dispatches under big, black headlines. The dispatch dealt with the affair of the department of state, and ran along glibly as if the writer had enjoyed the confidence of Mr. Knox regarding the whole matter.

"What do you think of this article," asked Hostler, exhibiting no modesty as he handed the paper to the secretary of state.

"After looking this over," said Mr. Knox graciously, "I must say, Mr. Hostler, you are the nestor of Washington correspondents."

At this Hostler took on the aspect of a balloon and looked exceedingly pleased until Knox added softly: "Mare" Hester's Popular Magazine.

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Condition of Famous Leaning Towers in Italy Excite Apprehension of Antiquarians.

Reports have been current for some time concerning the safety of the Leaning Tower of Pisa, and the Italian papers announce a similar state of things with the Garisenda of Bologna and the Ghirlandina of Modena. The former dates from 1110, and the latter from 124 to 1319. The Tower of Pisa, which is about 157 feet in height, is 14 feet 6 inches beyond the perpendicular. It is accentuated from the base, but diminishes half way up and onward. The inclination is said to be greater today than it was in 1817. This has been marked in later years. But there are other disquieting signs. Some of the stonework of the windows is giving way, and the steps are said to be cracking. The soil upon which Pisa's Tower was raised, a Paris contemporary points out, is "permeable and friable," and subsoil water is believed to be penetrating beyond the masonry. Architects and other experts are now engaged in a close observation. They fear that below the foundations there are some considerable voids, and they are of opinion that the inclination of the tower has increased since 1859. The commission appointed to deal with the matter concludes that there is no immediate danger, yet there must be no delay in remedying matters. The Garisenda is about 161 feet feet in height, with an inclination of just 14 feet. The Ghirlandina is said to be the highest of the towers, being 331 feet. It is slightly inclined toward the Cathedral, which itself is in a feeble state.

FINE LINEN 6,000 YEARS OLD

Fruits of the Looms of Ancient Times Have Defied the Passing of the Centuries.

In one of the apartments at University college, London, Professor Flinders Petrie has placed on exhibition some remarkably interesting antiquities unearthed at Tarkhan, Heliopolis and Memphis under the auspices of the British School of Archaeology in Egypt.

The great cemetery of Tarkhan, which occupied a mile of desert 40 miles south of Cairo and which dates from the earliest historic age until the race of the pyramid builders, has proved to be exceedingly prolific in antiquities.

What has struck Professor Petrie is the extraordinary preservation of the woodwork and clothing unearthed from these places of interment of long ago.

A great sheet of linen which is placed on exhibition is as fresh and as firm as when cut from the original length—and it is some 6,000 years old. So, likewise, with the woodwork, which, in but few instances, shows signs of decay. Here are boxes that serve their purpose as funeral caskets, built of planks of acacia and siltim wood, and as firm and secure as when lowered into the bosom of the earth in dim antiquity.

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No. 2 Lv Wichita Falls	2:40 p.m.	
No. 2 Ar Elk City	8:55 p.m.	
Southbound—		
No. 1 Lv Elk City	5:15 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.	

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No. 6 Ar Wellington	11:59 a.m.
No. 6 Lv Wellington	12:35 p.m.
No. 6 Ar Altus	3:25 p.m.

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No. 11 Lv Wichita Falls	2:50 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. 3	12:20 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
No. 5	2:30 a.m.	2:45 a.m.
Local		7:00 a.m.
Southbound—	Arrive	Leave
No. 2	1:45 p.m.	1:55 p.m.
No. 4	2:45 a.m.	2:55 p.m.
No. 8	12:01 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
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Peaches Badly Handled.
Now just recently, within the last few weeks, further blunders in marketing and distribution methods were exhibited in the disposal—or attempt at disposal—of the great East Texas peach crop—as fine and luscious fruit as any grown in the world, and yet, sad to relate, only part of the crop was anything of account realized, because of faulty distribution and marketing.

Well, well! To bad, too bad! How long is Texas—supposed to be one of the most progressive States in the Union, and so it is—going to stay back in the woods or where the tall grass grows, in its marketing methods, just because some other sections of the South are slow in that respect?

Modern Methods Needed.
The Scriptures say that men should put away childish things. It is not about time that Texas farmers should stop their child's play and be men of full measure in marketing methods, as California has been for the past forty years and more.

Texas needs great men, says the publication of the Texas Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association. But it does not take much of a man to put up well graded, sorted and inspected goods in a fine, neat standard packing, and so distribute them around to the smaller as well as larger market centers to get a good price for all. Even the Italian and Greek strangers who come over to this country by conforming to prescribed methods of growing, packing and shipping can make a success, where without methods, smarter men would fail.

Want Unity and Harmony.
Anyway, Texas men are as capable, no doubt, as those of California. That being true, why is it they do not make out as well with their marketing? The reason, evidently, is because our growers and shippers are not as well organized, and also sometimes fail to pull together.

The disposal of the great onion crop of South Texas, this spring, is an example of the latter trouble, when the Southern Texas Truck Growers and the independents got into active competition. At the annual meeting of the Southern Texas Truck Growers Association at San Antonio on August 28th and 29th, an effort was made to eliminate the disastrous competition which occurred during the present season between the independents and the association which cost the members of the association and others, thousands of dollars during the marketing of the onion crop.

Should Combine For Help.
The above association is the largest and most important grower's and shippers league of Texas, and it is hoped that they may get together so that they can be a real big brother in example, practice and advice in the formation of growers and shippers associations throughout the entire State, and especially in fathering the league efforts of peach growers of East Texas and other shippers of the State.

While the East Texas growers made some money on part of their crop it was commonly reported that they were giving much of the other part to their hogs—just think of a peach fed, hog—or giving them to any one who would take them away. All of this crop might have been turned into good yellow American gold, instead of only part of it, with the right methods. And this applies to all of the products of the State including cotton and grain, but particularly fruit, truck, baled hay, etc.

Information Needed.
A. R. Sprague of San Benito, says: "Producers should co-operate in buying seed, growing, packing and grading and shipping in car lots. It is one thing to grow things and another to market them. In Texas, as a rule, no method of disposing of farm products in a business like way has been generally adopted, hence the complaints of wastage that multiply with recurring seasons—one grower get poor returns on his stuff; another finds no one at all to take his produce off his hands. Fruit and vegetables rot on the hands of those who grow them, although, not over one hundred miles away there are consumers who would be delighted to buy them at remunerative prices. The fault is in the system of distribution and in fixing standards of packing and quality."

A Central Clearing House.
As farmers, newspaper writers and others have agitated a closer co-operation between growers and the local commercial clubs in their section as to the best market, prices and buyers' needs of products, the commercial clubs, associations and chambers of commerce throughout the state are establishing market bureaus and committees to aid in the

successful marketing of the products of their section, to bring buyers in closer touch with growers and their holdings and as to general plans of procedure.

One suggestion was that the growers furnish local commercial clubs accurate information with respect to what they might have to sell at all times said information to be in turn communicated to some centrally located commercial bureau, or other central organization.

An Opportune Time.
Now that the millions of our fruit trees will soon be bearing, the coast, and larger areas of plums, peaches, pears, apples, grapes and berries in both coast and interior sections are being brought into fruit it is high time that Texas should get busy and throw off the old-time Southern lack of system and get into the progressive shoes of the southwest, as exhibited here in general development.

Should Have Standard.
About four years ago the produce dealers of New Orleans found it almost impossible to get Louisiana farmers to train their cabbage nicely and put in neat, light uniform crates made from machine sawn material, with something of the appearance of the Dubuque, Iowa, district cabbage which comes to New Orleans in such splendid shape later on in the season.

Although Florida has for years tried to match California in packing and packages for their fruit and vegetables, it is well known in the great market centers that Florida has not yet got quite up to the standard set by her rival of the Pacific coast—California. There is no reason, however, why Florida should not be up to the highest standard, except the lack of better league co-operation and a desire to still hang on to the good old way.

Something Doing in Texas.
How is it going to be with Texas? She's going to win out because she is going to get busy with her marketing methods the same as it has with general development, to show the world there's something doing from the Red to the Rio Grande and from the Sabine to El Paso.

What has been said of fruits, vegetables, hay, grain, cotton, etc., is also true of canning factory needs in Texas, an industry which is still in its infancy in this State.

Canning and Evaporation.
Other propositions to be tried out here are fruit and vegetable conservation and evaporation, especially the latter. A wholesale grocer's agent in the State says that fruit evaporation is far better for Texas and Texas products than canning, until the fruit industry progresses further at least, and more skilled canning factory help are available, more products grown for the canneries giving a longer season, and more money to put into expensive modern canning plants to lie idle a part of the year.

In comparison, also evaporation is a very much cheaper process.

Another Industry is the evaporation of onions and then pulverizing into onion salt, a most tasty table condiment.

Early Marketing Best.
The best hold, however, for Texas is to market her vegetable including corn, beans and asparagus, and our fruits as fresh fruits and vegetables at the earliest crop seasons, and get the high prices paid in the North at those times.

Another proposition not often considered at all in marketing and generally ruled out as in bad order, is the suggestion that there is any such thing as asking or getting too high a price for wares or products. But it is not true, especially for goods sold in the State, though also in some measure for goods sold out of the state. For when people get the idea that living in some certain district or state is unreasonably high and unfair in cost, they will be sure to go elsewhere to live or to buy. Thus it is possible for a section to get so high in their prices that it will be only a matter of a short time before they will wake up to the fact that they have cut their own throats and that some other district has got the people and business they formerly had.

Fair Price the Best.
A fair and honest return—a live and let live price—will in the end pay best, give the other fellow a chance to live, too, and relieve your own town, county or state of the stigma of being out to charge the last cent possible to obtain, regardless of market value. Inflated prices never can command any permanent trade or residence relations. A good fair reputation applies in trade as well as in personality. Right methods and a square deal will win for Texas.

TEXAS COM. SEC.

Unforeseen Complication.
Jimpson, in London, had rung up a well known shop in Paris by telephone to communicate an order on behalf of Mrs. Jimpson. After waiting two hours for the connection to be made, he entered the booth and began. Two minutes later he emerged.

"Say, mister," said he to the attendant, "can't you put me on a wire that'll translate what I have to say in to French? I can't make that darned jackass on the other end of the line understand a word I say.—Harper's Weekly.

WHERE THE WORLD LAGS

In Arts, Literature and Science It is Progressive—Why Not in Humanity?

In the acceptance and appreciation of the latest developments in the arts, literature, philosophy and the sciences, the modern world is truly cosmopolitan. It recognizes no boundary line of race or nationality where genius in these fields reveals itself. So closely are the various countries now bound together through international communication and commercialism and the universal diffusion of intelligence, that competition in the search for knowledge has been tremendously stimulated, says a writer in the Metropolitan Magazine. In the realm of the intellect and the senses emulation is encouraged, and each promises greater progress for mankind is hailed with impartial enthusiasm. The world is ready to pay homage equally to Marconi, Lister, Rodin, Reinhardt, Tolstoy, Loeb, Peary or Amundsen. None will be denied the acknowledgment due him because he was born in one country and not in another. It is the patience, daring, endurance, persistence, wisdom and passion for truth and knowledge as manifested in his works that are accepted as the measure of his worth. It is only when economic and political supremacy is in question that the nations and races maintain hideous and barbaric relations toward one another. Then envy, suspicion and thoughts of mutual destruction are accepted as natural, logical and inevitable. Then the world divides itself into armed camps and group alliances are made as safeguards of one nation against the other. In everything but the one vital, human essential of the welfare of the people, who sustain out of their poverty the armaments in times of peace and give of their lives when war is rampant, the world's rulers are content to see amity and brotherhood prevail.

QUESTION FOR MUSIC LOVERS

Just What Do You Hear When You Attend a Concert or Listen to an Orchestra?

The above question was put to me many years ago, under circumstances that made it worth more to me than a full year of instruction under any master of the old world or new. I was coming away from one of my first symphony concerts, when I met my violin teacher, and told him I had just heard the great orchestra. "Is that so?" he remarked. "Well, what did you hear?"

"Oh, the Unfinished Symphony, and

"But you are only telling me what was on the program. What I asked was of more importance. I wanted to know what you heard."

I started to say that there were nearly a hundred musicians, that they played all kinds of instruments, but he interrupted again. "Yes, I know, but what did you hear? Was it a great noise or did it say something to you?"

Now I began to understand, and of course I had no words to express my feelings. But I thought about it very often for some time, and wondered what music really was; what other people heard; whether any one ever heard what I did; if they ever found themselves powerfully moved at a great climax in the music; if they preferred to go to concerts alone and sit in a dark corner and listen without looking in the direction of the stage. And as I gained more experience as a listener there were thousands of questions that arose from that one simple question. What did I hear? What did you hear when you listened to good music?—Exchange.

Roads Were Not Public.

A century ago all the larger towns in eastern Massachusetts were to be reached substantially only over toll roads, or turnpikes, along which one paid to pass. The roads were built and owned by corporations chartered by the commonwealth, and the fares, or tolls, were taken up every few miles at toll gates, which were usually established on the bridges, so that no one could get by without paying. There were turnpikes to Concord, Worcester, to Dedham and Providence, to Neponset and Quincy, to Lynn and Salem, and to Newburyport. At the first toll gate out of Salem toward Boston, \$5,300 was taken in the year 1805, but the day of greatest travel on the road was June 1, 1813, when 120 stages and hundreds of carriages went over the road that their occupants might get a glimpse from hilltops of the light between the Chesapeake and the Shannon, in which the dying Lawrence uttered his immortal words, "Don't give up the ship."

Russia's Hunting Bag.

The hunting season in Russia, has come to an end, and the following particulars, says a St. Petersburg correspondent, relate to the booty, which has far surpassed that of the preceding year.

The largest number of animals killed are squirrels, which head the list with 4,625,500 victims. The most sought after fur is of course black sable, of which 12,250 were caught. Last year a clear profit of 2,500,000 francs was made on sables, which fetched as much as 1,000 francs apiece.

The remainder of the "bag" was composed of 200,000 ermine, 1,500 brown bears, 180,000 skunk, 100 blue foxes and 16,500 gray wolfs.

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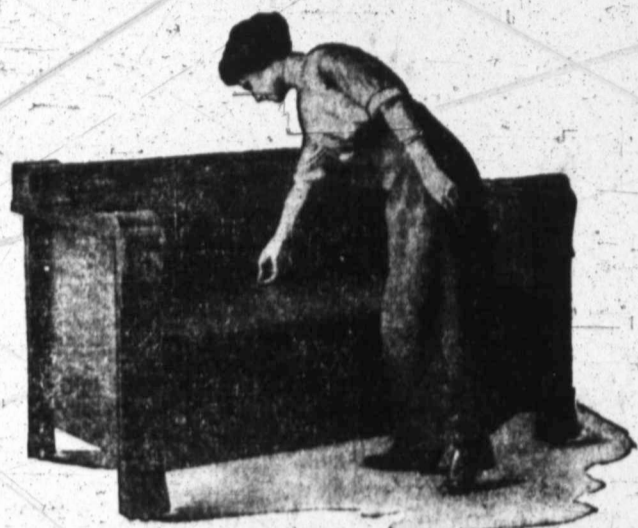
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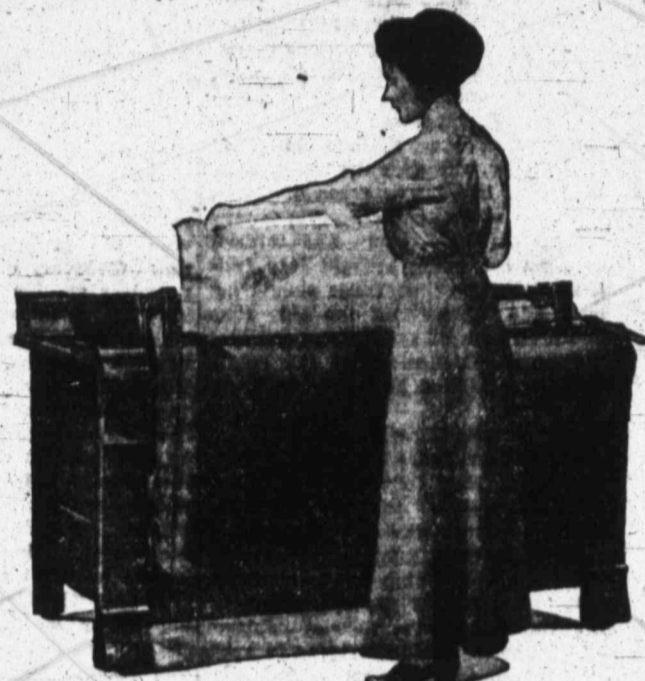
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R. P. Babcock, state register of vital statistics, reports for the month of July 4364 births and 2343 deaths, or 2021 more births than deaths. Of the July births there were forty-five sets of twins, thirty-nine of which were born to white parents and six to negro parents. Only one set of triplets were reported. They were born to white parents in Coleman county. Of the deaths for the month, sixteen persons lived to see their 90th year, and one white woman in El Paso lived to see her 110th year. An ex-slave in Harris county died at the age of 119 years, and an old negro "mammy" in Burleson county lived to be 107, while another old negro man in Grayson county died at 105 years of age. Of the deaths there were sixteen suicides, twenty-nine drownings, fifty-seven accidental deaths, five died of the effects of heat, one by lightning and twelve were murdered. The leading cause of the natural deaths were diarrhoea and enteritis (under 2 years), 362 being the number of victims. Next comes the great white plague, tuberculosis with 309 deaths. Pelagra claimed 37 victims.

DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN FUND.

Carl Sells, Democratic National committee man for Texas, thinks it is possible to raise \$50,000 in this State for the campaign fund needed to promote the election of the presidential ticket nominated at Baltimore. This looks like a small amount for five hundred thousand Democrats to contribute, even if none of them gave more than \$1 and half the number gave nothing at all. Mr. Sells is not asking anyone to contribute more than a dollar, nor intimating that even a smaller sum will not be duly appreciated by the committee, but he realizes that only a comparatively small percentage of the voters can be relied on for campaign contributions in any amount, wherefore, it is made known, that larger contributions than \$1 from loyal Democrats anxious for the success of their party ticket will be gratefully accepted. "The desire of the leaders is that the Democratic campaign shall be financed by the people—not by the interests which might expect special favors in return, and to that end popular subscriptions are being solicited, not alone in Texas, but throughout the Union. It is not unlikely that the rank and file of the Democratic party might be relieved of the

necessity of contributing any money whatever to the campaign fund which is needed for legitimate expenses if certain moneyed interests were permitted to do the financing, as seems to have been done in Roosevelt's 1904 campaign and is now being done, apparently by George W. Perkins and Bull Moose. These men are multimillionaires, identified with the steel and harvester trusts or with other big business, and it would be no trick at all for this quartet to raise \$2,000,000 or \$3,000,000 for campaign purposes from the trusts with which they are associated or from their own private purses. The Democratic committee would not accept contributions from such sources and hardly looks for support from such quarters. It does not require a vast sum to meet all legitimate needs, not more than the people can give in a small way. But loyal Democrats must come forward with their mite promptly or the ticket may suffer for lack of the financial support it must have.—San Antonio Express.

BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TO MEET AT BURKBURNETT

Session Will Open Tomorrow With Sermon By Rev. Shelby King—Annual Reports Expected.

The Wichita County Baptist Association will convene with the Baptist Church at Burkburnett, Texas, commencing Thursday, September 5, at 3 o'clock. The introductory sermon will be preached by Rev. Shelby King. All of the Baptist churches of this county will give a full report of the work done during the past year. Each department of the work of the Baptist General Convention of Texas will be discussed during the association. Committees will be appointed to report on the following lines of work: Christian Education, State Missions, Associational Missions, Foreign Missions, Home Missions, Buckner-Orphan's Home, Sunday School, B. Y. P. U. work, Religious Literature, Southwestern Seminary and Old Ministers' Relief.

The missionary of the association, Rev. McKenzie, and the chairman of the executive board, W. L. Robertson, will give full reports.

The Woman's Associational Union will hold their annual session during the association. Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock is the hour set apart for their work. The following program will be carried out: Meeting presided over by Mrs. A. B. Womack, Iowa Park. Devotional service—Mrs. Will Burnett.

Reports of corresponding secretary and treasurer from each organization in the association.

"How May We Increase the Efficiency of Our Associational Union?"—Mrs. A. B. Womack.

"The Blessings of Co-operation in the R. W. M. W. of Texas"—Mrs. S. J. Clabey.

"The Power of the Local Organization in the Churches"—Mrs. W. H. Davis and Mrs. G. W. Burns.

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Brown. Election of Officers. The executive board of the association will meet Saturday at 8 a. m. Each church in the association should be largely represented. J. P. BOONE, Secretary.

DIVER SAVES SHIP

Goes Under Water Amid Sharks to Fix Propeller.

Boards Up a Hole Made in Boat by Storm in the Gulf of Mexico and Enables British Vessel to Reach its Port.

San Francisco.—One of the most remarkable feats ever performed by a diver is related by the officers and crew of the British sloop of war Shearwater, which is undergoing repairs at the Union Iron works. J. P. Lingane, a young Irish shipwright, boarded up the propeller well while the vessel was rolling in heavy seas and so enabled her to make the voyage to this port.

The Shearwater was cruising off the coast of Mexico when in a storm she lost her propeller. Resort was immediately had to her sails, but it was found that steering was almost impossible, because the big arch or well under the stern in which the propeller had revolved made the rudder's work ineffectual. The officers decided that if they were to bring the ship to port this well must be boarded up.

Lingane was sent down to do the work. Though hampered by his heavy diving suit and by the weight of water, he was able to adjust himself to the bad rolling of the ship and to handle the heavy timbers that were passed to him. He fastened the boards so securely that they had only shifted in one place when the Shearwater reached this port, even though she had been battered by heavy seas on the way. Naval men have given high praise to the young man for what he did and a special report on it has been sent to the British admiralty.

A trial to the nerves of the young diver while he was at work was the presence of several sharks, which at times swam close to him. Armed men on the warship, however, kept them from attacking him.

New York Spots. By Associated Press. New York, Sept. 3.—Cotton spots closed quiet. Middling upland 11.50. Middling gulf 11.75. Sales 11,600 bales.

VERMONT RESULT HARD TO FORECAST

Believed That None of Candidates For Governor Will Have a Majority Tomorrow

Burlington, Vt., Sept. 3.—If a man were to take three cards, each card bearing the name of a republican, progressive and democratic candidate in the gubernatorial race which is to be decided at the polls here on today and if he were to submit these cards to the first small boy he met upon the streets of Burlington for the selection of a winner, the wisest political sharper in the state would not be that of the next governor of Vermont.

This is the state of politics in Vermont today. Progressives, democrats and republicans profess equal confidence in the election of their man, while those in that know are wagering even money that the election will be so close that it will be thrown into the legislature where the honorable Allyn M. Fletcher of Cavendish, retiree of the White Mountain State.

Through its long established position as pre-election barometer of the national struggle that takes place every four years in November particularly wide attention has been given chaotic state of Vermont politics, both local and national political wise-aces tacitly admitting of secretly believing that this state of affairs reflects the uncertainty that will ensue through national issues in the coming struggle between the great parties.

In years gone by the republican organization of Vermont, well-oiled and smoothly running, rolled up a majority that reflected with minute accuracy the opinion of the national electorate at the polls in November. Two years ago, however, trouble arose over campaign expenditures and the publicity then given the alleged use of large sums of money in gubernatorial contests threw a horde of political leaders into a panic. This agitation was further increased by the death last year of former Governor Fletcher D. Proctor, son of the late Senator Redfield Proctor.

With Proctor's hand no longer steering the republican ship of state disintegration rapid followed. The disension among the republicans was heightened by the injection of Rooseveltism and the action of C. F. Smith of Morrisville, master of 20,000 state grangers, who in emulation of the sage of Sagamore Hill threw his farmer's hat into the ring and declared himself a gubernatorial candidate on the prohibition ticket.

This action has alienated no small fraction of the grangers from hide-bound republican rule. Many of them have decided to follow Smith in his war upon the liquor interests, and many others have fused themselves with the progressives.

This war among the republicans gives color to the confident assertion of the progressives that their poll in Vermont on Tuesday will far exceed 16,000 ballots, and if this prediction proves true, the election will undoubtedly prove so close that it will be given to the state legislature to decide an action which means the virtual election of Fletcher, the republican nominee.

Against republican chaos, however, is arrayed unbroken strength of a democracy hungering for the spoils of office and headed by Harland B. Howe of St. Johnsbury. Two years ago the democratic vote in Vermont

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was 17,425 against a republican vote of 35,265.

This showed a gain of about 2000 votes for the democrats and the loss of about 10,000 for the republicans over the presidential year of 1908. On this ratio of loss and gain, Howe's supporters today made claim to victory, stating that the republicans lost in the last election were certain of attaching themselves to the democratic ticket and that the confusion in the republican ranks would not give a meaningless additional ballot to insure a safe majority.

Further weight is lent to this prediction by the dissatisfaction prevalent in labor circles over their treatment by Vermont's senators and a congressman on the eight hour bill and other matters affecting labor. The unionists are known to be anxiously looking for an opportunity to express their dissatisfaction. The democrats are also attacking Fletcher, whose wealth is estimated at \$20,000,000, on the score of taxes, stating that his property is undervalued and that he is escaping taxation.

C. F. Smith, the prohibition candidate, while professing to be certain of a large following in the coming election, will in reality have little weight upon the result except through the vote of discord he has injected into the republican ranks.

The big fight it may be said, lies between the republicans, progressives and democrats with the most interesting portion of this three-cornered conflict in the field of progressive-republicanism. Roosevelt has attained great popularity with a considerable portion of the G. O. P. electorate, but is cordially hated by the other members of the republican faith. Taft on the other hand is anathema to the Roosevelt republicans and these two divisions of the once G. O. P. have indulged in the most bitter pre-election campaign personalities.

ENTOMOLOGIST COMPLETES FLY INVESTIGATION

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Sept. 3.—E. A. Miller, assistant state entomologist, has returned from North Texas, where he investigated the fly situation. Until he makes public his formal report, he

will make no statement with regard to the matter except to say that the pest is a bad and dangerous one, with which it is difficult to cope.

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Women and the Ballot

Frances A. Kellor, a member of the National committee of the Progressive party, is doing good work with the distribution of literature. She says:

"The party constitutes an unparalleled training school for women who have not participated in political affairs, at the same time offering women every opportunity within the party before they have the ballot."

Miss M. Eleanor Brackneridge of San Antonio, who is now in New York, writes that suffrage headquarters are as thick in that city as saloons are in San Antonio.

And now the suffragists have been invited to vaudeville. William Hammerstein has asked the even large suffrage organizations with headquarters in New York to take a day apiece at the Victoria Theatre, beginning on September 9.

The suffragists have agreed to give a twenty minutes act afternoons and evenings inside the theatre, and Mr. Hammerstein will let them supplement this with street meetings just outside his door. The National Suffrage Association will do a turn calculated to make the most hazy minded vaudeville goer realize that woman suffrage is a world-wide movement.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward, the English novelist, who is quite as strong an anti-suffragist as her sister, Miss Arnold, has now turned her attention to constructive work in the interests of women and is striving to secure the election of women to the local government bodies. Suffrage leaders are much pleased over this new activity of Mrs. Ward and say that this attempt will be sure to make an ardent suffragist out of her, as she will discover that it is extremely difficult for anyone, whether a man or woman, to secure election without the support of one of the political parties.

Mary Steele Harvey has received a commission as policeman in Baltimore, has a regulation badge and has been sworn in by the police department. On August 16 Mrs. Lillian A. King was appointed a member of the Topeka police force by Mayor Billard. Mrs. King has done effective work with the Kansas State Temperance Union. She has been detailed to take charge of wayward young girls. San Antonio and Houston are both contemplating adding women to their police force.

When We Meet Our Kind. "Attendants in European museums look to it that no American may escape meeting his compatriots," a traveler said. "At Mme. Tussard's wax works exhibition the custodian let me wander around alone for an hour, puzzling helplessly over British royalty, but when I got in the neighborhood of Harry Thaw he woke up. How he discovered then that I was an American I do not know; I hadn't said anything. But I coughed, and perhaps that betrayed me. Anyhow, 'That's Harry Thaw,' said he. 'I thanked him and passed on. At my heels came the guide. He followed me to the staircase. 'Crippen's down stairs,' he said. Three steps further along he halted me again. 'And Guiteau,' he announced. 'The trio of my fellow countrymen excited no thrill of patriotic pride, but the custodian had done his part.'"

Warren, Ohio, the town where the State suffrage headquarters are located, has discovered a unique plan for calling attention to amendment 23. On Monday morning sixteen delivery wagons started out from the largest grocery store having both sides covered with display ads in black letters on yellow canvas. This way of advertising election is one of the best yet devised, as the wagons visit all parts of the town all day long and are seen by everybody. A number of the delivery autos have suffrage pennants, large and distinct enough to be seen at a distance.—San Antonio Express.

Clifford Howard, writer, editor and president of the Los Angeles Evening City Club, to whose efforts much of the credit for the California suffrage victory is attributed, is campaigning for votes for women in Ohio.

One of the most interesting features of the Ohio campaign is the lectures of a cultured Chinaman, Wong De Qi, who in his native costume speaks from chairs, soap boxes and automobiles.

Occasionally one reads that, when human bodies are thought to be in rivers and cannot be found, "a loaf of bread has been floated down the stream." But very few people have the least idea what connection there is between bread and the finding of bodies. When the river has been dragged without result, a loaf of bread is cut in two, a place hollowed out in the middle, and a quantity of quicksilver inserted. The two halves of the loaf are then fastened together again, and the bread is thrown into the water in the place where the body is supposed to be. Without fail the loaf floats along until it reaches the vicinity of the body, and then revolves quickly, heaving over the spot.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Eppa Cox returned last night from Collinsville. She was accompanied by Mrs. J. B. Raines and children who will visit her.

Mrs. H. M. McFarland has returned home after spending the summer at Canyon City, Colo.

Miss Ruby Childs of Bowie, is visiting her brother, L. A. Childs.

E. L. Vance, formerly of Coleman, arrived today and will have charge of the English department in the High School which opens next Monday, the 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McSpadden of Moody, Texas, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McSpadden and other relatives.

C. E. McCarty and wife have returned from a trip to St. Louis, Chicago and other markets where Mr. McCarty has been buying goods for his string of stores.

Tom Dysart left this afternoon for Clovis, New Mexico, where he will help train Cass Tarver for his bout with Jack Garver.

Dr. R. L. Miller returned yesterday afternoon from Fort Worth, where he has been in a sanitarium for several days to be treated for blood poisoning.

Miss Esther Bussey has returned to her home in Sherman, after spending several days in the city as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones on Ninth street.

BIG ATTRACTIONS at Lamar Airdome

Beginning Monday, LABOR DAY. Matinee at Lydia Margaret Theatre, 2:30.

The following is a telegram received today from booking agent:

Messrs. Wren & Berry: For Monday's celebration am sending you THE NEW YORK NEWS BOYS, Zoe Fritz & Romo Duo.

Three thousand feet of new pictures. Don't miss this bill.

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Let us demonstrate their value as time and temper savers, and quote you prices.

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Next Monday in honor of the American laboring man we celebrate a day that should be considered among the greatest of National holidays, in fact it is next to the birthday of American independence.

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ELKS' BOOK SHOWER WAS A STERLING SUCCESS The Elks' book shower held at the club rooms yesterday morning was a sterling success.

LIKES OLD-FASHIONED HOUSE Belgian Consul at Boston Refuses to Make Changes in His Picturesque Abode.

USE FOR SHOPPING GLOVES Mr. Compton's Simpler Method at Bargain Counter Rejected With the Scorn It Deserved.

YOUNG AGRICULTURISTS MET HERE TODAY Members of Boys Corn and Cotton Clubs and Girls Tomato Clubs

Local News Brevities

Dr. Waller, Dentist, Room 207 Kemp and Kell building. Phone 836. 89-tfc

A marriage license was issued today to Clarence L. Morris of Wichita Falls and Miss Ellice Leach of Columbus, Ohio.

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

The Thornberry W. O. W. camp will give an all day basket picnic in Pools Grove about ten miles down the river from Wichita Falls next Friday.

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

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225

Mrs. Harry Robertson's class in China painting, water colors, etc., will open September 11th.

In giving an account of some of the floats in the parade yesterday, The Times made it appear that the bricklayers display was headed by the McAbee float.

Not Even Praise of His Own Handwork Availled to Soften Old "Uncle Jake."

"Uncle Jake" was one of the characters of Dunbury. He was as deaf as a post—when he wanted to be—and as contrary as a bundle of sticks.

Clay Had Campaign Banners. Jerome Carter Hosmer, president of the Dorchester (Mass.) Historical society, at the next regular meeting of that society will present a banner which was carried by the adherents of Henry Clay through the New England states at the time of Mr. Clay's candidacy for president of the United States.

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