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RATE MAKING POWERS OF STATES AGAIN SUSTAINED

Supreme Court Decisions Today Spell Further Defeat For The Railroads. Court Adjourns

By Associated Press. Washington, June 16.—Decisions handed down today by the supreme court upheld the rate-making powers of commissions and legislatures of several States, including two new measures in some instances. The railroads met defeat in nearly every case upon which the court passed. At 2:15 o'clock the supreme court adjourned until next October without announcing a decision in the intermountain rate cases or passing on an application for a review of the Compers et al contempt case. Application for a rehearing of the cut rate patent decision was denied today.

Partial Victory For Missouri.
The decision is a partial victory for Missouri, as the lower courts had held the rates confiscatory on all the roads. In the cases in which the rates were held confiscatory, the supreme court today modified the lower court's decree so that the railroad commissioners and the attorney general of the State may apply to the court for further action whenever it shall appear that by reason of a change in circumstances, the rates fixed by the State's authority are sufficient to yield reasonable returns.
Because of a provision in the law arbitrarily fixing \$500 damages to each violation of the supreme court's decision, the lower court's decision was annulled as unconstitutional. The Kansas statute of 1905 which fixed maximum rates for transporting all by rail. The objectionable clause was held to prevent railroads from testing whether the rates were confiscatory.

Missouri Decisions.
In the Missouri rate cases the supreme court held the rates confiscatory on the St. Louis and Hannibal, Kansas City, Clinton and Springfield, and Chicago Great Western railroad.

The rates were held valid as to the St. Louis Southwestern, the Missouri Pacific, the St. Louis Iron Mountain and Southern, the Wabash, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and Chicago & Alton.

The decision was made upon the two-cent passenger law and the minimum freight law. Justice Hughes, who announced the decision held that the point sought to be made by the railroads to the effect that the Missouri rates were an interference with Interstate Commerce must be decided against them for the same reason given by the court in the Minnesota cases.

The court also sustained the rates of the Missouri law as to the Chicago and Quincy, the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, the Kansas City Southern, Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Chicago Rock Island & Pacific, and the St. Louis & San Francisco.

Other Decisions.
In each of these cases the decree of the lower court in favor of the railroads was reversed. The Arkansas maximum freight rate

NO GRADUATED TAX ON TOBACCO

SENATE COMMITTEE VOTES DOWN PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO TARIFF

FREE CATTLE AND GRAIN

Countrypalling Duty is Provided. Except Oats Which Carries Ten Cent Rate

By Associated Press. Washington, June 16.—A graduated tax on tobacco as an amendment to the tariff bill was unanimously rejected by majority members of the Senate finance committee today, who voted down Senator Hitchcock's amendment suggested by Attorney General McInerney.

The committee approved placing livestock and grain on the free list with a countervailing duty, except oats, which remains dutiable at ten cents a bushel. Citrus fruits were unchanged. The committee voted to take bananas placed from the free list and impose a duty but how much was not decided.

CHICAGO CATTLE PRICES REACH NEW HIGH MARK.

By Associated Press. Chicago, June 16.—The price of cattle reached a new high mark for a fortnight year ending at \$9.25 for steers, which were eighteen thousand against average receipts of 25,000. The market here today recalled attention to the recent bulletin of the department of agriculture on beef shortage.

The law and the two-cent passenger fare law were upheld as valid. The West Virginia two-cent passenger law was upheld which affirms the supreme court of appeals of West Virginia.

The court upheld as valid rates imposed by the Oregon railroads commission thus affirming the federal courts of that State.

WILSON TO READ MONEY MESSAGE

WILL LIKELY DELIVER IT IN PERSON TO BOTH BRANCHES

PROBABLY NEXT MONDAY

President Says Bill to Be Introduced Is From Common Council of Reform Advocates

By Associated Press. Washington, June 16.—President Wilson probably will read his currency message personally to both branches of Congress assembled in the hall of the House as he did his tariff message. He finished writing the message today. It is about 1200 words long and urges immediate revision of the banking and currency laws. The president expects the currency bill to be launched in both Houses of Congress some time this week.

It represents the administration views and according to Mr. Wilson himself will be "no man's bill," but the results of common council among currency reform advocates. The impression prevails that the bill will be introduced in both Houses by Wednesday or Thursday, and the president will pronounce his views to Congress about June 23.

The president declared today there were no essential variations among the leading Democrats with whom he had consulted concerning currency reform. As to the intimation from the capital that currency legislation was not desired at this session, the president declared no such information had been conveyed to him. Harmony of purpose, but perhaps not harmony of opinion, is the way the White House sizes up the currency situation.

Opposition is voiced. A session of the Senate currency committee was held last week and the open antagonism voiced by Representative Henry of Texas against present action has served to emphasize the opposition that has developed within the party ranks against the president's program of immediate action. While the Senate committee took no definite action many members, including influential ones, openly expressed the opinion that no currency law would be enacted at this session.

The tariff is to come into the Senate for the second stage of revision within ten days. The Senate finance committee will complete work upon it early this week and an immediate call will be issued for a democratic caucus. It is believed the bill will be formally presented to the Senate ready for debate by Wednesday, June 25.

The arbitration treaties sent in some time ago extending existing agreements with Great Britain and several other countries have not been touched in the Senate for nearly ten days. In the meantime the president and Secretary Bryan are understood to have urged Senators Chamberlain and O'Govern to withdraw their opposition to the British treaty and allow its ratification.

Both senators have stated openly within the last few days, however, that they do not propose to permit the extension of the British arbitration pact unless it is forced upon them by a two-thirds vote of the Senate.

Would Exempt Canal From Arbitration.

Their opposition is based on the belief that the United States should not again bind itself to a treaty that Great Britain construes as forcing this country to submit the Panama Canal dispute to arbitration. If the British treaty is to be renewed both senators demand that a clause be inserted exempting the Panama Canal from arbitration.

This will be a busy week among the Democrats in charge of tariff bill.

Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee, and the majority members of the committee, will sit all day and late into the night passing on subcommittee reports. Last week in four days the committee approved about half of the bill and Senator Simmons proposes that the committee complete the rest of the measure by Wednesday night. Then will come the caucus of the Democratic senators.

STEAMER WHICH COLLIDED WITH ANOTHER IS SAFE.

By Associated Press. Chicago, June 16.—The steamer Jessie Spaulding fears for whose crew were entertained and which was in a collision on Lake Superior early Sunday at Sault Ste Marie today with her bow stove in but with the crew safe, according to a telegram. The steamer collided with the Wilpen of Cleveland.

DR. CHARLES S. AKED IS NOW AMERICAN CITIZEN.

By Associated Press. San Francisco, June 14.—Rev. Dr. Charles S. Aked, a clergyman of international reputation, forewore his allegiance to King George of England and became a citizen of the United States. Dr. Aked came to this country six years ago to be pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church in New York which is attended by John D. Rockefeller. In 1911 he became pastor of the First Congregational church here.

AMERICAN TROOPS ROUT MOROS TODAY; WAR DEPARTMENT TO PROBE PHILIPPINE AFFAIRS



By Associated Press. Manila, June 16.—Complete rout of the rebellious Moros on Mount Banasag was accomplished by the American forces during the night, with the loss of six men killed and seven wounded. Reports from the island of Jolo are very meager. All the American killed were members of companies of scouts.

Last night's battle began just before dark. The fighting was fierce, but the American advance was so determined that the Moros stole away and left the mountain clear. They were pursued by General John Pershing's leading the American forces.

Major General J. Franklin Bell, commanding the Philippine division of the army, was called upon by the

war department for a report in regard to the operations which General Pershing is conducting against the Moros in the island of Jolo. First reports indicated that several American soldiers had been killed or wounded. Some apprehension was felt by General Wood, chief of staff, over the report that the sultan of Jolo was leading the Moros. If this is true, he said, the sultan, who has been relied upon by the American authorities, has been guilty of treachery, and this might mean a serious menace to General Pershing's command. After further reflection General Wood was inclined to doubt the report, placing strong faith in the sultan, whom he knew very well when he was in the Philippines. The present uprising in the island of Jolo represents the re-

sentment that is felt by some of the Moros over an effort on the part of General Pershing to bring about the complete disarmament of the tribe in the southern Philippines. General Pershing concluded more than a year ago that this was necessary as a final step toward permanent peace in the archipelago. In the north disarmament has been effected peacefully, and it had been hoped that through the good offices of the sultan of Jolo, the Mohammedan tribes in the Jolo group, including Mindanao might likewise be induced to give up all their weapons. There have been, however, small groups that have insisted on retaining their weapons and General Pershing has been obliged to resort to force.

EMPEROR WILHELM OF GERMANY WHO HAS REIGNED JUST TWENTY-FIVE YEARS TODAY



By Associated Press. Berlin, June 16.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of the accession of Emperor William to the imperial throne was celebrated today throughout the German empire as a general holiday. The commemoration which had been deferred from its actual date out of respect to the memory of the Emperor's Father, Frederick coincided with the forty-second anniversary of the triumphal return of his grandfather at the head of a victorious army after the Franco-Prussian war and was marked with much mili-

tary display. Presentation of an address from the American peace societies by Andrew Carnegie gave the emperor an opportunity of bringing out this aspect of the occasion. He responded to Carnegie's congratulations with an emphatic "I hope we will have twenty-five years more of peace."

Emperor Wilhelm of Germany is here presented at various stages in his life. Today he completes twenty-five years of his reign as the war lord of Europe. He has long been Eu-

rope's most important figure, and under his rule Germany has developed wonderfully in civic, industrial and commercial fields. Its army and navy are the admiration of the world. Key to illustration: 1, the Kaiser as he looks today, from his latest picture; 2, as he looked five years ago, mounted on horseback; 3, at the age of thirty-five; 4, as he looked with whiskers several years ago; 5, at the age of twenty-one; 6, at the age of twelve; 7, at the age of two. The emperor is now fifty-four years old.

HEARING OF OIL SUIT AT DALLAS

TAKING OF TESTIMONY WILL BE RESUMED TOMORROW MORNING

WICHITAN WILL TESTIFY

George Harrington is Among Those Subpoenaed—Prices to be Investigated

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, June 16.—Hearings in the Texas \$99,000,000 oil penalty suit began here today. Dallas is the head of the marketing department of the Magnolia Petroleum Company of Corsicana, the Texas oil refining concern involved.

State's attorneys said they would investigate prices and selling contracts, the state contending that the Standard Oil companies of New York and New Jersey or some of their stockholders who also are stockholders in the Magnolia influenced the prices charged by the Texas concern and controlled its selling department for the benefit of the Standard oil interests.

No testimony taken today the session adjourning until tomorrow to enable the attorneys to investigate the books and correspondence of the sales department.

Among the witnesses called was George Harrington who left the employ of the Magnolia about a year ago. Attorney Richard Maury for the State said he believed Mr. Harrington now residing in Wichita Falls, will give testimony through an independent commissioner. Mr. Maury did not say whether this would be done.

Harrington in West Virginia.

George Harrington who is mentioned in the above dispatch from Dallas is now in West Virginia and is expected to be there for some time visiting relatives. It is possible that he will give testimony by deposition, though it is considered more probable that the commissioner will await his return, as the hearings will not be ended for some time.

RUMORS OF WAR IN WEST VIRGINIA

REPORTED MINERS ARE PREPARING FOR ANOTHER OUTBREAK

MORE TESTIMONY TAKEN

Score of Workmen Give Evidence Relating to Troubles of Last Winter

By Associated Press. Charleston, W. Va., June 16.—Rumors of war from mining camps in the Pine Creek and Cabin Creek districts today came to Charleston. The Senate mine investigating committee was in session. Only the most meager information was available, but it was generally accepted that no serious outbreak had occurred.

There was, however, considerable anxiety over the effect renewal of trouble might have on the New river district a few miles away where 1,000 men have been considering strike orders.

The committee today continued taking a vast amount of testimony. A score of miners testified that the trouble was caused by activities of the mine guards.

Elizabeth Fish, a nineteen year old girl, described how a party of guards forced her and another girl to wade Cabin Creek at the point of a gun, meantime taunting them with obscene remarks.

NEW SEAMEN'S BETHEL OPENED AT GALVESTON.

Galveston, Texas, June 16.—The Astor Seamen's Bethel, gift of the late philanthropist of Galveston to the seamen of the world coming in touch with the helping hand of the local Seamen's Friend Society, has been formally presented to the seamen by Louis A. Aduce, son of the giver, A. Aduce.

The building is constructed similar to buildings of the Young Men's Christian Association and contains everything for the benefit and uplift of the seaman. It affords a splendid place in which the seamen can spend their time ashore under the observation of the chaplain.

SAYS NEW SUGAR TRUST WILL FORM

HENRY T. OXNARD DECLARES TARIFF WILL MAKE IT NECESSARY

PREDICTS FEW SURVIVALS

Declares Only the Best Managed Sugar Companies Will Survive The Tariff

By Associated Press. Washington, June 16.—Henry T. Oxnard, vice president of the American Beet Sugar Company, told the Senate today that the tariff on free sugar would result in the formation of a new "sugar trust." Only the best managed sugar factories would be able to survive free sugar, he said, and a combination would result.

"Then you are going to form a new trust," asked Senator Root.

"I have that in mind," said the witness.

"In violation of the anti-trust law?"

"No sir; there is no law to prevent it; I have been so advised by counsel."

Oxnard told how he assisted in organizing the "off shore" trust in 1899.

PROMINENT BRAZILIANS TRIBUTE TO WASHINGTON.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 16.—The homage of Brazil to George Washington, was the description on a large wreath of roses and orchids which Dr. Lauro Muller, Brazilian minister of foreign affairs, here on a special mission, placed on the tomb of the great American. Dr. Muller was impressed by the three overshadowing tomb, which was planted in 1876 by the late emperor Don Pedro of Brazil, last of the royal rulers of that country.

WEATHER FORECAST
Tonight and Tuesday generally cloudy

The Globe

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SUNDAY GAME IS LOCALS' VICTORY

HABO HITTING WINS FROM SHERMAN BY SCORE OF NINE TO THREE

UMPS PARKS TWO PLAYERS

Back Talk Causes Visitors To Lose Pair of Men—Scoggins Allows

The Drillers really can win from Sherman. They did so yesterday afternoon by the considerable score of nine to three. No, that's wrong. The final score was Wichita Falls 9, Sherman 3. Umpire Vitter.

The features of the game were the hard hitting of the Drillers and the chasing by Umpire Vitter with Crosby and Lawrence of Sherman at the bases. They were chased for failing to remember the great truth (that when you are in uniform the umpire is always right, always, of course, if you aren't in uniform and have a seat in the grandstand, that's different).

As we said before, the Drillers really did win a game from Sherman. They jumped on Mr. Eke and the score was six runs in the fifth inning; they jumped on Mr. Albright and the score was nine runs in the ninth inning. They got fourteen hits, four of them for extra bases and they ran around the bases until it was any use. And while all this was going on, Scoggins was doing the best he could with ragged support; his best was to allow six hits and fan nine batters.

Drillers Hit Hard.
The Drillers found much that pleased them in the deliveries of Black and Albright and such runs were cleanly batted out to win the game. Four of Sherman's hits came in the sixth inning, but the net result was only one run. Errors and a hit, however, gave them two more in the next inning.

The locals fielded better than on Saturday but the errors that were made were costly and of the sloppy, drizzly variety. Phillips got away with some hard chances and then fooled a dinky little grounder that Bill Guthrie sent to him. The real feature of the game in the fielding line was the catch made by G. Allen of Sherman in the first inning when the bases were full. Phillips lifted one over third that seemed to be a safe Texas leaguer, but the left-fielder ran, then dived under the ball, getting his glove between it and grass just in the nick of time. It was one of the prettiest catches of the kind this circuit will ever see.

Allen's Brilliant Catch.
This catch snipped the Drillers' scoring chances in the first, after Brown had hit for two bases and then got caught off second on Nicholson's grounder. Lawson singled and Workman walked, but Allen's catch prevented scoring. Two errors and a hit gave two scores in the second. Brown was safe when Porkney dropped Humphries' throw. Nicholson hit to Black who threw the ball away, allowing Brown to score. Lawson singled, scoring Nicholson.

The real exhibition of pyrotechnics came in the sixth. Brown and Nicholson led off with singles and both scored when Lawson hit to deep right, being caught at third when he tried to take too many. Workman started all over again by singling and Phillips scored him with a three bagger. Dupuy fanned and Duke Morris sent one over second that scored Phillips. Sherman did not get a hit until the fifth and scored her first run in the sixth. Black singled and was forced at second by Reed, who scored on singles by Humphries and Bettison. Snee Lawrence fanned, but Porkney singled, filling the bases. G. Allen sent a grounder to Dupuy, forcing Bettison and retiring the side.

How They Scored.
Sherman got two more in the seventh. Guthrie was safe on Phillips' error and took second on a passed ball, going to third on R. Allen's single. Albright fanned and Reed walked, filling the bases. Humphries sent a long fly to Workman, scoring Guthrie. Bettison sent an easy pop-up to right field but Morris did not decide that it was his until too late and then it wasn't. Allen scoring. Lawrence fanned for the third out, which so displeased him that he said so. Out he went.

Remembering Sherman's unpleasant habit of winning games in the last inning, the Drillers put the action in a sack in the seventh. Phillips and Dupuy walked, Phillips scoring on Morris' single. A single by Nevitt and a two bagger by Brown scored Morris and Nevitt after Dupuy had been caught at third. The score: Sherman 3, Wichita Falls 9.

AB R H PO A F	
Reed, 2b.	2 0 1 0 5 0
Humphries, ss.	2 0 1 0 5 0
Crosby, c.	1 0 0 2 1 0
Lawrence, 3b.	4 0 0 2 1 0
Porkney, 1b.	4 0 1 0 0 0
C. Allen, cf.	4 0 0 0 2 1
Guthrie, rf.	4 1 1 1 1 0
R. Allen, lf.	4 1 1 1 1 0
Black, p.	2 0 1 0 4 1
Bettison, c.	3 0 1 2 0 0
Williamson, 3b.	2 0 0 1 0 0
Albright, p.	2 0 0 1 1 0
Totals	34 3 6 24 17 2
Wichita Falls	
Nevitt, 1b.	1 1 0 2 1 0
Brown, 2b.	2 3 2 0 0 0
Nicholson, 3b.	2 2 6 0 0 0
Lawson, c.	0 3 0 1 0 0
Workman, lf.	3 1 3 0 1 0
Phillips, 2b.	4 2 1 5 0 1
Dupuy, 3b.	3 0 0 1 2 0
Morris, rf.	3 1 2 1 0 1
Scoggins, p.	4 0 0 3 0 0
Totals	30 9 14 27 8 3
Score by Innings:	
Sherman	000 001 200—3
Wichita Falls	002 040 302—9
Summary—Hits—Off Black 9 in 6 innings, off Albright 4 in 3 innings. Stolen bases—Guthrie, Lawson, Workman, Phillips, Morris 2. Sacrifice hits—Workman, Morris. Sacrifice fly—Humphries. Batted runs—Sherman 1, Wichita Falls 6. Two base hits—Brown 2, Lawson. Three base hits—	

BASEBALL CALENDAR.
Wichita Falls 9, Sherman 3.
Paris 3, Denison 1.
Texarkana 7, Durant 0.
Ardmore 6, Boshart 5.
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Sherman at Wichita Falls.
Paris at Denison.
Texarkana at Durant.
Boshart at Ardmore.
Bonham at Ardmore.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Club	P	W	L	Pct.
Paris	59	39	20	.661
Texarkana	58	37	21	.632
Denison	62	35	27	.565
Sherman	60	32	28	.533
Bonham	63	32	31	.510
Wichita Falls	59	26	33	.443
Ardmore	60	20	40	.333
Durant	62	20	42	.323

Texas League.
San Antonio 4-3, Dallas 3-2.
Galveston 10, Austin 1.
Houston 2, Fort Worth 1.
Beaumont 5, Waco 1.
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Fort Worth at Galveston.
Waco at San Antonio.
Austin at Houston.
Dallas at Beaumont.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Club	P	W	L	Pct.
Houston	65	38	27	.585
San Antonio	66	37	29	.561
Dallas	66	35	31	.530
Waco	67	34	33	.507
Galveston	65	31	34	.477
Austin	66	30	36	.455
Beaumont	64	29	35	.451
Fort Worth	65	28	37	.431

National League.
St. Louis 4, Philadelphia 3.
Brooklyn 9, Chicago 2.
Cincinnati 2, Boston 1.
Pittsburgh New York, not scheduled.
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Boston at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Club	P	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	46	32	14	.696
New York	47	28	19	.596
Chicago	53	28	25	.528
Brooklyn	47	24	23	.511
Pittsburgh	51	24	27	.471
Boston	48	21	27	.438
St. Louis	53	23	30	.434
Cincinnati	53	18	35	.352

American League.
Washington 10, Cleveland 5.
No other games scheduled.
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Chicago at Washington.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Detroit at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Club	P	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	51	39	12	.765
Cleveland	54	36	18	.667
Washington	50	29	21	.577
Chicago	55	29	26	.527
Boston	50	25	25	.500
Detroit	56	32	24	.573
St. Louis	59	21	38	.354
New York	50	13	37	.260

Phillips. Base on balls—Off Black 2, off Albright 2, off Scoggins 1. Struck out—By Black 3, by Albright 1, by Scoggins 5. Left on bases—Sherman 7, Wichita Falls 9. Passed ball—Lawson. First on errors—Sherman 3, Wichita Falls 2. Hit by pitcher—Lawson (Albright), Reed. Time of game—1 hour and 57 minutes. Umpire—Vitter.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Duke Morris was felling his bats yesterday. He got two hits and stole two bases, which is pretty fair for an old man.

Isn't it hard to feel sorry when the umpire gets hit with the ball? Lawrence drew a fit and fair fine for his conduct yesterday afternoon. Dupuy hasn't been cutting any notches in the hit column lately, but has been covering third like the real article.

Lawson and Brown got three hits each yesterday. Workman, Nicholson and Morris got a put each, while Dupuy and Scoggins drew walks.

It took just a minute or two under two hours to complete the nine innings yesterday.

Scoggins was giving the Lions the work in all six degrees in the first few innings, butting four straight strike-outs in the first two frames. There was not even a suggestion of a hit until the fifth inning.

20 YEARS AWAY AND STILL A FAN

WICHITAN GOES TWO DECADES WITHOUT SEEING A SINGLE GAME

RESIDENT OF VENEZUELA

Never loses interest in National Pastime, Though Miles From Ball Park

To spend twenty years of one's life several thousand miles from a ball game and yet remain an ardent fan, is a feat which is the experience of a Wichita, Francisco Garcia, who moved here about a year ago from Venezuela. He spent twenty years of his life in that South American country.

When a boy in this country, Mr. Garcia played ball, of course. But he became a resident of Venezuela before he had been as much of the national game as he desired. But his interest in the game, instead of waning, increased all the time that he was away and he never lost track of the leagues.

Think of it, you fans! Twenty years away from the crack of the bat and the yell of the fans and the bark of the umpire! Twenty years away from squeeze plays and high flies and home runs! Twenty years away from the grandstands and the soda pop! Twenty years without hearing the "pop" of the ball in the catcher's glove or the "Thud" get 'em, big boy" of the players! Twenty years of it, and still a fan!

Mr. Garcia kept track of the big league races in all the twenty years

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Opening Gun Is Fired With Importation of 3,000,000 Gallons of Gasoline

San Francisco, June 16.—With the arrival here of the tank steamer J. B. August Kessler, laden with nearly 3,000,000 gallons of gasoline from Sunatra, the opening gun of a new battle in the war between the R. & the Standard Oil was fired. These two great interests dominate the oil industry of the world, and their marketing operations penetrate to the uttermost parts of the globe.

For years they have fought for supremacy in the far East, and now the Rothschilds intend to carry the fight into the Standard Oil's own domain, the richest field of its domains—California and the Pacific coast.

The American Gasoline Company is the corporate name under which the Rothschilds will compete on this coast. This is a subsidiary of the Shell Petroleum Company and the Royal Dutch Petroleum Company, the two great companies controlled by the Rothschilds, whose operations extend throughout the world.

Already the American Gasoline Company has established a \$1,000,000 depot and distributing plant at Martinez, at the upper end of San Francisco Bay, and it is there that the vessel will unload the initial cargo of gasoline, which arrived today. Through subsidiary distributing arrangements in San Francisco and vicinity this gasoline will be placed upon the local market at about 16 cents a gallon.

Already other steamers of the Rothschilds fleet are on the way to

POLICE COURT REGULAR ARRESTED FOR STABBING

Noah Bennett Carved By Arthur Williams In Affray Early Sunday

Arthur Williams, a negro better known as "Old Blue" and who has been in police court so many times that he gets his mail there, has taken a step which the officers think will promote him from the jurisdiction of the police court into county court and may perhaps get him a penitentiary sentence. The officers hope it will. They have had so much trouble with him that they hope he will be transferred to Rusk.

This time Noah Bennett was the victim of Old Blue's fighting propensities. Noah was stabbed twice in the back in a melee near Mackechny's salarion, where Bennett lives early Sunday morning.

The trial of Williams will be held tomorrow in police court and if there is ground for a state charge against him he will be turned over to county officials.

Boy Survives Fall.
(Newcastle Register)
Wesley Cribbs, the five year old son of W. D. Cribbs fell from a tree on the edge of the mill pond last Saturday and landed on his head. He fell a distance of about twenty feet and it seems as if he would have broken his neck. Erection, red-headed kids are apparently guarded by a special providence.

At this port, the American company has completed plans for active competition with the Standard Oil.



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FIRES BECOMING QUITE REGULAR

EIGHT ALARMS IN SIXTEEN DAYS, THIS MONTH'S RECORD

HODGES BUILDING AGAIN

Small Blaze Early Today—Fred Dunham Residence Scene of Sunday Blaze

Like the republican convention in Kansas which was said to be "a peacefully harmonious" the fire record in Wichita Falls is becoming suspiciously regular, and the fires are becoming frequent.

Two more fires occurred Sunday. This makes a record of eight fires in sixteen days—the greatest number of fires to be burned in this city in a similar period of time for the past seven years and possibly longer.

A fire yesterday afternoon did a little damage at the home of Fred Dunham at 1008 Scott. The paper and muslin on the wall had caught with a gas flame in the chimney, and it was the presence of mind of Mrs. Dunham that prevented a big loss. Although the blaze gained such headway that at one time it covered two walls and the room was full of smoke, Mrs. Dunham continued throwing water on the flames until she really had the fire extinguished by the time the firemen got there. J. J. Moran owns the building.

A fire started at 3 o'clock this morning in the second floor of the Hodges building. This building was partially destroyed by the big fire a few days ago, but the firemen in this case were so quick that the second fire had any connection with the first.

Mr. Bland, who had bought out the Bond grocery on the first floor, had just put in a stock of new groceries and he suffered some loss from damage by water, but he carried insurance.

At the Dunham fire, Chief of Police Winn suffered an injury that will keep him from active duty for several days. As he ran into the house he tripped over a barrel in the yard, and fell on the concrete walk, badly spraining his wrist.

WARM WEATHER DANGERS SET FORTH IN BULLETIN

The dangers of warm weather are set forth in a bulletin issued by the Chicago Board of Health recently, the rules laid down being as applicable in Wichita Falls as anywhere else. They follow:

"Beware the ice cream" is one of the warnings included in the bulletin of the health department. If the ice cream is clean and made in a factory with sanitary precautions are taken, there is no food better for the hot weather. It is the dirty cream, made in unclean factories, against which the health department sounds its warning.

Flies, "agents of untimely death," are made a special target for the shafts of the health department, along with dirty milk, dirty food, uncooked fruit and vegetables, unless thoroughly washed, street soda fountains, ice water and impure drinking water.

The health department also advises against bathing in polluted water, saying that the danger of the practice lies in swallowing some of the water. Open garbage cans, which are breeding places for flies, are dangerous, "the fly line bringing the dingy table in close touch with the garbage can."

The warnings close with the statement "Keep clean. That's the way to avoid summer diseases." Infant mortality, "which in Chicago usually reaches its height during the months of July and August, is made the basis of a special bulletin by the health department. "Now is the time to fortify the babies against the dangers of the coming summer," says the bulletin.

Keep Babies Outdoors.
Mothers are warned of the dangers to the babies which arise from over-feeding, improper food and impure milk in the summer.

"Keep the babies in the open air as much as possible," the bulletin says. If you are feeding the baby cow's milk be sure that the milk comes from a clean dairy. Learn how to pasteurize the milk at home, or modify for feeding the baby in hot weather and how to keep it properly.

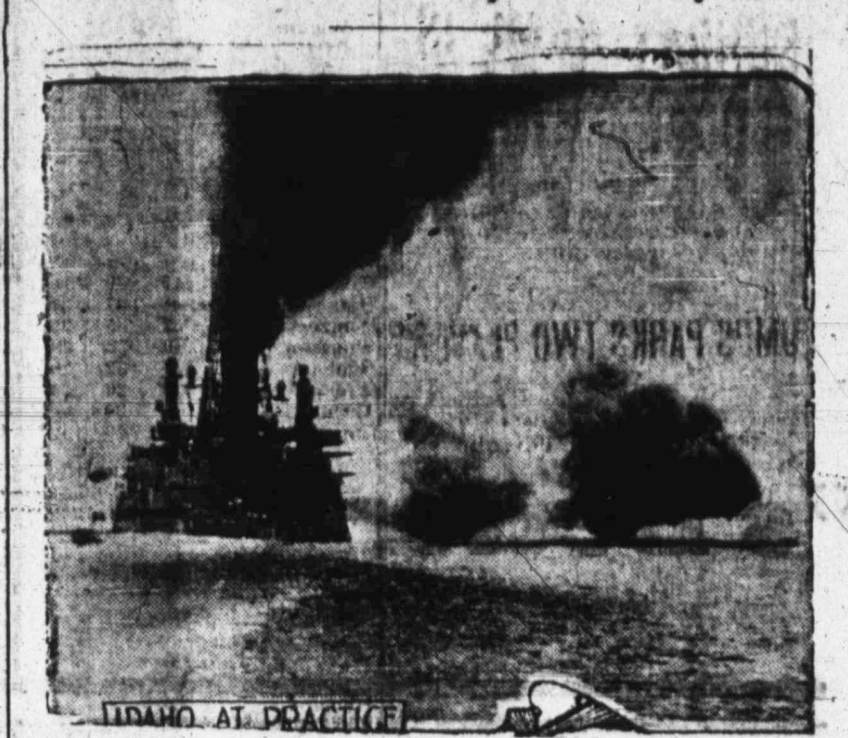
"Keep the home and surroundings scrupulously clean. Screen every door and window to keep out the flies and screen the baby while it sleeps.

"Don't be ashamed to let baby toddle about the house in its thin white without shoes and stockings. The baby looks cute that way and is more comfortable."

Sanitation is wrecking the theory advanced by Dr. Osler, who advised that all men over 60 be chloroformed according to the health department. In countries in which sanitation engineering has reached an advanced stage the onset of old age is being deferred and the working capacity extended to the time of death, say the health authorities. At the present men are retaining their faculties until the age of 90 or 100 years.

RAIN IMPROVES CONDITIONS IN THE BYERS COUNTRY
(Byers Herald)
The Byers country has just received a big rain, which is worth thousands of dollars to everybody it comes as nice as anyone could wish and at a time that was more than welcome. Harvesting is practically over and the fine rain, with the cool weather since is exactly what it takes to spoil the nubbins. Wheat and oats are good and prospects for a bumper corn crop were never brighter and of course we always make cotton. This Byers country is in fine shape every way. And this is going to be the best all around crop year in her history—mark our prediction.

Boom! Boom! Idaho's Guns Roar Most Accurately In Yearly Trials



Washington, June 16.—It is likely that the battleship Idaho will carry off the trophy for gunnery in this year's competition between the sea fighters of the United States navy. She leads at present in a general average for all forms of practice. She is commanded by Captain William L. Howard and Lieut. C. P. Huff.

SILK WORKERS WAITING FOR INCREASE IN WAGES

Over 25,000 Are on Strike in New Jersey but There is No Violence

Paterson, N. J., June 16.—An industrial workers' strike without violence is a good deal of a novelty, but here in Paterson, where 25,400 silk workers are waiting for the mills to open on their terms there has been a singular lack of disturbance. The strike has closed 300 shops, where various kinds of silk are made and has brought the business men of the town to realize how thoroughly they are dependent upon the silk industry.

The nucleus of the strike is the membership of 10,000 in the Industrial Workers of the World. "Bill" Haywood is directing the strike and Elizabeth Gurley Flynn has been active as an agitator. They have caused picketing and more than 300 strikers have been arrested for doing picket duty. But there is now law against picketing and these persons all have been released.

Only one death is directly attributed to the strike, that of a striker named Modestino, who was shot by a detective as he stood in the front door of his home holding his baby. That night another baby came to the home.

Increases That Cut Wages.
The strike followed a demand for abolition of the three and four boom system, a 25 per cent increase in wages and an eight hour day. The actual cause of the strike is the shrinking wage scale. The employees in many cases comprising entire families, quit work in February and there has been no work done in the shops since.

The shop owners say the average pay, including foremen is \$9.60 a week. This figure they say, is obtained by dividing the total pay roll by the number of workers. The employees, however, declare that the average pay is less than \$7 and that the shop owners, in fact, are averaging, never including those dropped for a week because of illness.

Big Bill at Lydia Margaret Tonight
Owing to rain today the excellent program at the Lamar Alrdome will be moved to the Lydia Margaret theatre tonight. The bill has two feature acts, one is "Baby Doll," the original Esnary Moving Picture child, featuring songs, stories, and dances, while the others is the Royal Male Quartette, who come from the big time with flattering press notices complimenting their harmony singing in classic and ragtime songs.

UNCLE JOE PHOTOGRAPHED, BUT NOBODY KNOWS HIM
Washington, June 16.—Uncle Joe Cannon has had his picture taken again, but there are many who will fail to recognize him. The familiar cigar tilted at an angle of 90 degrees is missing. The former Speaker is for a group photograph of the Lincoln Memorial Commission, of which he is a member.

"You haven't any cigar in your mouth," said former President Taft. "No, nor any deck of cards in my hand either," replied Uncle Joe, who has not lost his reputation as a poker player.

FORT WORTH CHILDREN GO TO PASTEUR INSTITUTE.
By Associated Press
Fort Worth, Texas, June 16.—Following the attack on five little children by a mad dog Friday police authorities gave orders to rid the city of all stray and untamed dogs. All of the children have been hastened to the Pasteur Institute at Austin.

NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE CHARGES FOLLOW AUTO ACCIDENT.
By Associated Press
Dallas, Texas, June 16.—A charge of negligent homicide was filed in justice court this morning against M. A. Crane in connection with the death Sunday morning of J. T. Smith from injuries received when he was run down by an automobile driver. It is charged by Crane. A charge of negligent driving also has been filed in the corporation court against Crane.

GOVERNMENT TO REDUCE DEATH RATE OF BABIES

Children's Bureau Will Take Steps to Prevent Diseases Causing Infant Mortality

Washington, June 16.—Warning every community in the nation that the great death rate of babies is due to diseases which to a large extent are preventable, the children's bureau of the department of labor has prepared a compilation of the steps which various up-to-date cities are taking to protect child life and will circulate it in a national campaign of diffusing child welfare ideas.

This bulletin, which will be a feature of the children's bureau, exhorts every locality to wage summer campaigns to save the babies' lives. In wards in such cities as New York and Philadelphia, where systematic summer baby-saving campaigns were undertaken, the death rate of infants decreased between 30 and 40 per cent.

A baby nursed by its mother, the children's bureau declares, has approximately ten times the chance to live that a bottle fed baby has. The bulletin describes various municipal and philanthropic activities in the direction of child welfare such as inspection of milk supply; municipal milk dispensing stations; baby clinics; visiting nurses; inoculations of mothers; the destruction of the death distributing fly.

REBELS AS KURRENDER OF SAN LUIS POTOSI

City of Mexico, June 16.—The rebels have demanded the surrender of the town of San Luis Potosi, the key to communications with Tampico and the oil fields. There are said to be 4,000 rebels between San Luis Potosi and Saltillo, and to the east and northeast. Practically all of Tamaulipas, with the exception of Tampico, is at the mercy of the rebels.

Gen. Balquet, the new Minister of War, is promising to protect San Luis Potosi, Nuevo Leon and Tamaulipas. He said today that he was planning an expedition from Vera Cruz, consisting of three vessels, which will be sent to Matamoros. He expects co-operation from the South and will also make an effort to open the Laredo route.

CRIMINAL DOCKET IN BOTH COURTS TAKEN UP.

The case of May Keyes, charged with keeping a bawdy house, is on trial in county court this afternoon. A jury is hearing the evidence. The grand jury returned fourteen indictments against May and Pat Keyes, but Pat has not yet been apprehended.

Elmer Adkins pleaded guilty to a charge of swindling in county court today and was fined one dollar and given one day in jail.

The case of Dr. McGee and Aycock to stand trial on grand jury indictments, is set for Thursday morning. Casey Jones is to be tried Wednesday morning.

Real Estate Transfers.
Mrs. Minnie May Adickes to Wilbur L. Sutton, lot 7, block 36, Floral Heights, \$650.

Mrs. Minnie May Adickes to Fred Sehnman, Jr., lot 6, block 36, Floral Heights, \$650.

Highland Land Co. to Mrs. A. J. Durham, lots 5 and 6, block 19, and lots 7 and 8, block 16A, \$300.

S. E. Moore to G. E. and S. W. Ragland, lot 3, block 67, Electric, \$135.

J. A. Kemp, Frank Kell and J. B. Stokes to Mrs. A. J. Durham, lots 5 and 6, block 13A, Highland addition, \$200.

Undergone Operation.
Herman, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellinger, was operated upon for appendicitis today by Doctors Wade Walker, Jones and Lane. This is the third member of this family to be operated upon for appendicitis within the past year or two.

RAIN CAUSES POSTPONEMENT OF BASEBALL GAME TODAY.
It was announced at three o'clock this afternoon that the field at City Park was too soft for a game today and the third contest with Sherman will be postponed until the Lions return here. Denison comes tomorrow for a series of three games.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, June 16, 1913

The Houston Post has adopted the plan of running the pictures of its editorial contributors at the heads of the columns over which they preside. That is all very well for the Post, but we shudder for our readers when the Times adopts the idea.

In delivering the baccalaureate address to the graduating class of the State Agricultural and Mechanical College, Tuesday, Judge Gordon Russell of the Federal district court at Sherman, said: "I am a citizen of Texas; a believer in higher education; a friend of all State educational schools, and I am unalterably opposed to any movement that would cripple or tend to injure the Agricultural and Mechanical College in Brazos county. I am opposed to any movement that has for its aim the merging of the University and the greatest Agricultural and Mechanical College, and I believe that these two institutions can be most nearly realized if they are maintained separately." The sentiments expressed by Judge Russell are creditable as voicing a patriotic interest in the up-building of all of the State's educational institutions. This serves to remind us that in but little more than a month the people will be called upon to vote on a constitutional amendment will have on the future of the Agricultural and Mechanical College especially. It behooves the voters to make a careful study of the propositions involved, to the end that they may be prepared to go to the polls and vote intelligently. The fate of the amendment should not be settled by chance decision.—Houston Post.

CHANGE THE PROGRAM

Scoring the Waxahatchie Light a few days ago, for its timid protests against reckless lady chauffeurs, State Press stated that his own method of correcting the bad practices of the chauffeur is to whip their husbands. Now a correspondent at Wichita Falls whose name is Long, but who seems to be short on nerve, writes to ask what S. P. does about it when the lady driver's husband is a champion athlete and can shoot out the eye of the eagle on a silver quarter tossed in the air. Of course, when a lady automobilist is backed up like that, it may make some difference as to the treatment accorded her. State Press' plan in cases analogous to the one submitted is to ignore the lady's husband and beat up her old father instead.—Dallas News.

WINGS ARE TIRESOME

There will be autos in heaven, a Tennessee preacher is quoted as saying. It may be the place for them, and some of us might have to wait until we get there to be the proud and happy possessor of an auto, but what's the use of riding when you can fly?—Wichita Falls Times.

Well, it does seem that an auto in heaven is what is sometimes called by good spellers "a work of supererogation," but there is no telling for sure. We all know that riding in an

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automobile is pretty nice, whereas we don't know a blooming thing about flying. It may be fine or it may not be. Personally, we imagine that a long rip on wings—would be tiresome.—Dallas News.

State Press should not worry. After all, he may not have to make the trip.

MORE ABOUT S. J. RESOLUTION

Having already published the address issued to the people of Texas by the Regents of the State University, giving their views on Senate Joint Resolution No. 18, the Times, while it has its own views on this matter, desires to be perfectly fair and give both sides of the controversy, and therefore feels that it should give space to the following reply to the statements made by the Regents:

Austin, Texas, June 9.—The following statement has been issued from the headquarters of the State Organization which is opposing the adoption of the amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution.

"An address issued by the Regents of the University, which has been extensively circulated makes the statement that the adoption of the bond amendment.

"Will provide the funds necessary for the proposed expansion of the University without any addition whatever to the taxes borne by the people. The income from the University permanent endowment is amply sufficient to pay the interest and provide a sinking fund for the bonds proposed."

"This is a very clever, but a very misleading statement, in that it does not inform the reader of the fact that nowhere in the amendment is there anything which compels the Legislature, or says that the Legislature shall use any part of the permanent fund to pay off either the interest or bonds. It is left to the Legislature entirely. Besides the permanent income of the University will not pay the interest, or say nothing of the bonds, for the five or seven millions dollars which he Regents said in their report for 1911 that the University would soon need. Again, there is no mention in the address of the fact that if bonds are issued for other State institutions that the tax payers have got to pay them. Any person who will secure a copy of the amendment and read it in and for himself that the statement that the adoption of the Constitution amendment providing for unlimited bonds will not cost the tax payers a cent is not based upon anything in the amendment itself. All bonds must be paid by the tax payers. The adoption of the bond amendment will cost the tax payers in interest and in increased appropriations more than a quarter of a Million Dollars each year, and it means the destruction of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the farmers school. This, within itself would destroy a Million and a Half Dollars of property, paid for by the tax payers."

STELLA FOX, FAMOUS SINGER, DIES IN HOSPITAL

New York, June 16.—It was announced today that Stella Fox, famous as a vocalist and musical comedy actress died suddenly of acute indigestion in a New York hospital. She was a native of Texas.

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W. E. Clark pleaded guilty to a charge of theft in county court this morning and was assessed a fine of \$40, and given a sentence of one day in jail.

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An informal reception will be given at the College of Music and Art tonight meet Miss Rose Telfair Howard of Fort Worth. The patrons and friends of the college are invited.

The Tuesday Priscilla Club will meet with Mrs. Milton Erwin tomorrow afternoon.

The Royal Male Quartette at the Lydia Margaret tonight.

Drs. Kearby and Kearby, dentists, office over Morris' drug store.

The Royal Male Quartette at the Lydia Margaret tonight.

Meet me at the social dance at Lake Wichita Tuesday night. Admission 50 cents.

Miss Pauline Langford fell down stairs as she was leaving the hall at which the O. R. C. memorial service, was held last night and suffered an unusually severe sprain of an ankle.

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Baby Doll, original Essanay moving picture child, featured in song, stories and dances at the Lydia Margaret tonight.

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Local News Brevities

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At two o'clock this afternoon a party of Wichita Falls motorists went up to the county line just northwest of Electra to meet Mr. Dodd, the official logman for the Blue Book, who is making a log of the Denver to Galveston auto route, more commonly known as the Colorado-to-the-Gulf. In the party were Walter Reid, one of the directors of the county association, W. L. Dalton and several others. This party will escort the Dodd auto to the southeastern county line, following the Denver road for the greater part of the distance. This line of railway is closely followed by the highway from Colorado to Fort Worth.

The purpose of the Colorado to Gulf association is to bring about the construction of a good road over the path mapped out by their pathfinder. Mr. Dodd. Each county will then bear the expense of improving that part of the road within that county. Mr. Dodd and the Wichitans who went to meet him are due to reach this city sometime this afternoon and Mr. Dodd will spend this evening here. It is probable that his visit

ber will be marked by conferences with local parties who are interested. From here Mr. Dodd will go to Fort Worth by way of Jacksboro and Weatherford, and will later come back up the road by the Bowie-Hendricks route.

Wichitans who went to Electra this morning to meet the party included W. A. Reid, Mayor J. M. Bell, A. J. Huey, W. L. Dalton, Sam T. Scallan, P. P. St. Clair, O. L. Williams of Bowie, president of the association accompanying the Blue Book man on the trip.

MEMORIAL SERVICE BY O. R. C. AUXILIARY HELD

Second Annual Program of This Kind Rendered at Moose Lodge Sunday Night

The second annual memorial service of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Order of Railway Conductors was held at the Moose hall last evening. There was a good attendance at the services. The principal address was delivered by Mrs. George Hurst, president of the Harvard District of the organization. C. C. Shelton and J. E. Miller both made talks also. Music was rendered in accordance with the ritual of the Auxiliary followed these exercises.

Resolutions.
Whereas, Almighty God has seen fit to take from our midst our worthy brother and treasurer, Fred J. Little, on June 13th, 1913, we the members of St. Joseph's Society pledge our heartfelt sympathy and condolence to his bereaved widow, parents, brothers and sisters and furthermore, we will remember him in our prayers.
COMMITTEE.

BASEBALL SUBSCRIBERS REQUESTED TO PAY UP

Considerable Amount is Still Outstanding and Directors Ask That Checks be Sent

A number of the subscriptions to the baseball fund have not been paid in and the directors ask that all who subscribed send checks for the full amount without delay. A number of those who subscribed for the first fund have not yet paid and several of those who contributed to the second fund are still delinquent. The baseball directors held a session this morning and discussed several matters relative to baseball affairs, but announcements were deferred until later.

MEXICANS CROSS BORDER ARRESTED BY U. S. TROOPS

By Associated Press.
El Paso, Texas, June 16.—A small group of insurgents was sighted yesterday opposite Tinley, Texas, by a troop of United States border patrol. The Mexicans are of the Ojunga command which is marching toward Juarez. Five Mexicans who crossed into Texas were arrested by a trooper. They later were ordered deported.

NECK SHAVES FIVE CENTS; SAFETY RAZORS IN DEMAND.

By Associated Press.
Houston, Texas, June 16.—Union barbers have about won their demand for 10 o'clock closing Saturday night and five cents extra for neck shaves, effective July 1. Only one union shop owner is standing out against the men now. Local hard war dealers report a big safety razor sale in anticipation of the changed order.

SUFFRAGISTS FROM TWENTY-SIX COUNTRIES READY FOR ANNUAL BUDAPEST CONVENTION



Budapest, Austria-Hungary, June 16.—Delegates from twenty-six countries, including South Africa, China, Burma, Persia and every European country except Turkey, meet at the sixth convention of the International Woman Suffrage association, to be held here from June 15 to June 20. Among the delegates will be writers, lecturers, artists, actresses, women prominent in politics, as is Mrs. Charles Lees, mayor of Oldham, England and women of wealth, like Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont of New York. The Countess Szechenyi, formerly Gladys Vanderbilt, will be one of the Hungarian delegates. The congress will be presided over by a New York woman, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, the international president. The fact that so many countries have before represented in a suffrage congress is sending delegates is due to a trip around the world from which Mrs. Catt returned last January. In the course of which she organized the suffragists in Iceland, India, Persia, Gallacia, South Africa and other countries where the movement is in its infancy. The American delegates (each country is allowed to send twelve) will be Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Mrs. Frederick Nathan, Mrs. Henry Villard and Mrs. William Todd Helmuth of New York, Miss Jane Adams, Mrs.

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T. C. U. WILL TRY TO RAISE FUND OF \$50,000. Fort Worth, Tex., June 16.—President Kernner of the Texas Christian University this morning started the organization of a \$50,000 campaign. The money which will be raised among the Christians of Texas will be to pay off debts on buildings and to increase the endowment fund.

Automobile Registrations.
The following automobile licenses were issued during the past week:
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HOUSTON A. & M. ALUMNI TO HOLD MEETING TUESDAY.
Houston, Texas, June 16.—Local alumni of the A. & M. College several hundred strong today canvassed for a meeting to be held in the near future to take action on the successor to Col. Milner as president. Sentiment seems to be crystallizing in favor of an educator of national reputation.

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On a thousand miles in all directions—except to the south, where wallowed and shimmered the slinking Gulf of Guinea—lay the tangled, steaming West African jungle. Durand and Schwesker knew this, yet they hated each other. They sat in the darkness in front of Schwesker's mud house. To-morrow night they would be sitting in the darkness in front of Durand's mud house. They were punctilious in such matters. Durand, as the latest arrival, had called on Schwesker first, naturally; but as soon as he had his house built he had received a visit from Schwesker, and then, next night, Durand had returned the call. It had been going on like that ever since. The jungle sounds no longer interested them. The booming of night-flying beetles or the occasional scream of a night bird were unnoticed incidents in the damp and sultry oppression of darkness that shut them in. Natives were crooning in some hut at the end of the street. Now and then a weird halloo floated in to where they sat from the edge of the forest as a woman frightened a prowler from her sheepfold. But the two white residents of Bondoukou sat together in mutual distrust, thinking of other things.

"I suppose that these boundary commission is to come already," said Schwesker gloomily.

"He spoke no French and Durand spoke no German, so they conversed in English."

"Yes, Diez! But why do you speak always of that? They are in Paris, on the boulevard, where it is sweet and cool, where there are no insects, no miasma, no jungle, and only beautiful

women to look at, and absolute freedom to drink. Diez! Why do you speak always of that?"

Schwesker did not reply at once to Durand's peevish rebuke. "Or in Berlin," he mused audibly. "In a pleasant bierkeller, with a music playing and a breeze in the branches overhead. Ach, Gott, that boundary commission!"

The commission had passed through Bondoukou six months ago—a German lieutenant, a French lieutenant, and three civilian engineers, German, French and English, with an escort of two hundred native tirailleurs, choppers and chalmers. For two days they had paused there, during which time Bondoukou was becoming the Fifth of the City of Gold. The commissioners brought whisky with them, and cognac, and kummul, and the illustrated papers of the Latin and the Goth. For two days Schwesker and Durand had revelled each in his native language. It was a talk-fest, an orgy of language, the Clash of Gold. The commissioners alone showed moderation. Then the commission had cut its way into the jungle again, leaving two flapping flags behind it—the blue, white and red of France over Durand's mud shack, and the black, white and red of Germany over Schwesker's. But which had the better right there? Was Bondoukou French or German? Was it in the domain of Dahomey, and thus an appanage of the Third Republic? Or was it in Togo territory, and thus a city of the empire?

Lieutenant Delafosse had privately informed Durand that the place was French. To Schwesker's agitated query, Lieutenant Hufnagel had whispered an unmistakable "Hoch der Kaiser!"

Durand and Schwesker had each kept his secret to himself for a week after the commission left. Then the truth seeped into the open. Some one had lied.

Durand was cynical about it. He was a dark little Frenchman who he



A QUESTION OF EMPIRE

PERLEY POORE SHEEHAN

spent most of his life on the West Coast. His ideas of patriotism were sordidly objective. All he cared for—and he avowed it shamelessly—was plenty of money to pamper his West Coast conception of life. If he could secure this as a citizen of France, all right. If he could not, well, for his part, he would just as lief be a citizen of Liberia. It was all the same to him. He would keep right on delivering his company's goods and collecting his share of the profits. He was a German or French or English or American or whatever, he was going to Algeria (he called it Alger) and live like a prince. There would be no more Dahomey for him.

But with Schwesker it was different. He was the original settler. He had arrived there a year ahead of Durand. He also had come to trade and barter. He also was the agent of a commercial company. But he had made Bondoukou his home. He liked to think of it as an outpost of the Empire. He tried to make it a little of the Fatherland. He was beginning to love it. And Bondoukou was not a lovable place as he had found it. There was only one street, lined with square mud houses. The street was broad enough, but evil-smelling. Refuse of passavans, coconut husks, shells of palm kernels, nondescript garbage generally littered it and made it a natural grazing ground for the long-legged native sheep. It was here that the Bondoukousians held their weekly markets, when palm oil and palm nuts, peppers and foot-cases, cassava and dumplings lay exposed for sale under a tropical sun in the midst of sweat, dirt, dust and flies.

Schwesker planted him a garden with geraniums in it. He had his "boy" clean the street in front of his house. He introduced the shelter of Nuremberg for the open market place—only here it was palm-thatch instead of umbrella. He cured the head man of kraw-kraw. He taught him the Lord's Prayer in German. He organized a school, and tears used to come into his eyes when the naked pickaninies grinned and shouted, "Ein, zwei, drei." The muddy, sluggish river that waddled past the village to unite finally with the Mono he rechristened the Isar.

He was going to make this a German city, worthy of German genius, and—*namus nicht!*—a German wife. "Why do I always speak of that boundary commission?" asked Schwesker. "I'll tell you why. Because Bondoukou is German. I was the first settler here, and the commissioners know it. You wait. It's part of the German Empire."

Schwesker's voice trembled as he said it.

Durand's only reply was: "Oh, la, la!" and again, while an occasional boom or croon or scream or weird halloo came from the immensity of black jungle around them: "Oh, la, la!"

But that night when his door was shut and he had pulled off his boots, Durand broke his revolver, to see that it was loaded; then he pulled off his hammer once or twice, to make sure that it was in good condition. "I don't know the way he's beginning to talk," he told himself.

Schwesker, left alone, also examined his revolver. Behind him some place was the Fatherland, the great German Empire. He felt that, in a way, it was all dependent on him. Toward children and grave burghers, princes and princesses, the Kaiser and Kaiserin, were sleeping under the sparkling northern sky, but he was the only one who was awake. He was a keeper of the frontier.

He vaguely suspected the approach of trouble—what, he did not know. But he was going to be prepared.

It is to be surmised that neither the French nor German foreign offices were greatly concerned about the exact geographical position of Bondoukou. The Togo-Dahomey boundary was the least of their troubles. When the report of the minor surveying expedition came in, it was decorously referred to a commission—along with other things—that was to meet in Paris, and then the commission had gravely referred this part of its labors to two of its youngest attaches. Whereupon the commission had gone to dine.

The attaches, being young and exuberant, undertook their part of the work joyfully. They had both been to a ball that night in the Avenue Marceau. They had dined with the same women, flattered the same statuesque

and expressed the same tastes in literature and art. From the perfect French they spoke, it would have been impossible to tell that while one had been born in Paris, the other was from beyond the Rhine.

"I wanted to go to Pierrefonds to-morrow," confessed the young Frenchman gaily, "but I suppose that we must finish up that wretched boundary question."

"And I was invited to shoot at Versailles, but I suppose we must wait."

"Work on Dahomey," said the Frenchman lightly. "Do you suppose it really matters?"

"Oh, Togo," added the German, "I doubt if it really exists." They both laughed.

"I tell you," suggested the Frenchman, "Come over to the Quel d'Orsay now, and we'll settle it up to-night. It will be a mere matter of fifteen minutes."

"Bravo!" cried the German. "Then we'll have to-morrow to ourselves." Their session was longer than fifteen minutes for they had much to talk about. They would work out a paragraph of their report, then stop to chat about the way some woman they had seen at the ball was dressed. Then they were invariably mislaying their cigarettes, or matches, or "handing around for more paper. It was amusing to work like this, without a secretary, but it took time.

"And now, about that cursed village," said the French attaché. "What is it? Timbuctoo, Bondoukou?"

"Bondoukou," answered the German, leaning over the map. "It seems that those confounded surveyors simply dodged the place altogether."

"The Frenchman yawned. "The devil! It's getting late. You take it."

"No, you take it."

"Oh, here," cried the Frenchman at last, pulling a coin from his pocket and slipping it to the broad table. "Heads or tails?"

That was the way two great powers settled the question of Bondoukou. After a few weeks, the news reached the waiting world that an international commission had come to a friendly agreement as to the location of the

place of Europe. There was a rumour on the Bourse. And a month later the news had reached the Guinea coast and begun to trickle through the jungle toward Bondoukou.

In the meantime, the white population of that flourishing factorie continued to go armed. Durand and Schwesker kept up their nightly interchange of rifle shots, but their mutual hatred and suspicion were barely disguised. Durand was more cynical than ever. He scoffed at Bondoukou and anyone who manifested an interest in it—meaning Schwesker. As soon as the place was properly allotted on the map, he said, he would have the governor send him a company of tirailleurs to teach the neighborhood a lesson. He kept his flag flying day and night. He boasted that it would never come down. It was all the same to him, only it would never come down.

Schwesker was less eloquent, but he also kept his flag flying. He also kept his revolver clean. But day by day he was becoming more melancholy. Why was he left in doubt? Was the Fatherland forgetting his outpost? Was the Kaiser forgetting his sentinel? He sought relief in extra work. He got the head man to have the entire village cleaned. He started Bondoukou's first public building, a combination council chamber and schoolhouse. He moved about with a sort of awful fatality. Some of the pickaninies could now repeat the first stanza of the "Lorelei," and pronounce such phrases as *Schrei, mein herr, or Wie geht es Ihnen!* but they were grinning less.

And one afternoon Schwesker called on the head man and explained what should be done if he (Schwesker) should happen to die.

The head man liked Schwesker, and went that night to consult a witch-doctor. The witch-doctor said that the big German was in grave danger, and that to protect him he would be necessary to sacrifice a goat. The head man, who had his suspicions, wanted to know whether the danger didn't come from the other white man. The witch-doctor said no—that the forces of evil lay beyond the wide waters. The head man suggested that they sacrifice a black hen. The witch-doctor spat into the ashes, and said that the danger was drawing near. The head man paid for the goat.

Sure enough, the danger arrived late on the following afternoon. It came in the form of two packages, brought by the same courier, one for Schwesker and another for Durand. On their reception the white population of Bondoukou withdrew each to the privacy of his own house.

Durand counted much that interested him; for his friend, the chief clerk at Abomey, wrote him a note containing information that drew from him an exultant "Et, et!" And then, the very next sentence read: "And it's a pity, because we understand that forsaken post of yours has been tentatively declared French."

Durand broke into a chuckling laugh that made his black "boy" show his white teeth in a grin. That would be news for Schwesker. Durand lit a cigarette and strolled to the porch, feeling better-natured than he had been for months. It was the German's night to call, and he awaited his coming complacently. But Schwesker did not appear. Durand became first impatient

and then suspicious. When it was three dark he re-entered his house, unlocked a drawer and took out his revolver. It was just as well to be cautious. Then he tiptoed across the vacant ground separating his house from Schwesker's.

The German's house was distinguished from every other house in Bondoukou in that it had a window—not a window with glass, but a square hole covered with a palm-thatch shutter. Toward this Schwesker cautiously made his way. The familiar sounds and smells of the jungle village came to him, and then the half-forgotten odor of geraniums and the scratching of a pen on paper. It was almost as though he were back in France.

He peered through a crevice in the thatch, and saw Schwesker seated at his table writing by the light of a candle. Scattered over the table were the contents of the package he had received that day, and there, at the side of the candle, was a revolver. The Frenchman peered alertly at Schwesker himself. What he saw startled him. Never had he seen such sadness in the face of man. What was it? What was the matter with him? Was he sick? Had someone died? Again the odor of geraniums came to him, and Durand felt vaguely homesick.

But just then he saw something that startled him more than ever. The German had picked up his revolver with a sigh, and was pointing it at his own temple. "Ach, Gott!" he was murmuring. "Ach, Gott!"

Durand's wavering hatred and cynicism fled from his heart before an instant of sorrow. "Wait! Wait! He believed. 'I—I—ah, now de—' He had forgotten his English. 'A moment! A moment!' He sternal around to the front of the house, and a second or two later was holding Schwesker's revolver in a grip of steel.

"You are bete, you are bete!" he panted. "Fool! Fool!" Then he continued: "When I had something to tell you. I go back to Paris. My company wishes to see me. You have Bondoukou all to yourself. I pull down my flag."

Schwesker's voice sounded like a sob. "But Bondoukou was French!" he cried.

Durand's jaw dropped in amazement. So that was why! Bondoukou was French. This dirty, God-forsaken clearing in the jungle with its fever and kraw-kraw, its heat and dust, its flies and beetles and ants, was French. And for this Schwesker had wanted to kill himself. Wasn't it ridiculous? Wasn't it German? And then he remembered the geraniums, his school-boy tales he had read of Alsace-Lorraine. He began to understand.

"Listen, Schwesker," he said softly as he took the German's revolver. "It isn't definitely French. They didn't know. Leave it to me. I'll take care of it."

"No," he broke Schwesker's revolver and shook the cartridges from it. "When they know—" He paused, at a loss for words, then burst out: "Ah, what do they matter? It's what you're doing that counts. It's your score of civilization no mine. This is your neighbors. Me they hate. You they love. Bondoukou is German."

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He was holding Schwesker's revolver, in a grip of steel.

I GUESS you never were a lamb person. I never knew anyone but one who was. It's very pleasant, especially if you are only a month old and have just been taken away from your mother.

The way it happened was this: A colored boy took me and my brother to a basket to a house where a black woman sat in a white dress. She told the boy to wait, because "they was at dinner." She and the boy talked and my brother slept, but I wanted to know; so I climbed up on the side of the basket and howled, but enough so let people know I was there.

I heard a rustle and a white woman in a black dress came in. There was another one with her, only smaller. I decided she must be the white woman's puppy—I liked her. She always made you feel that she was wagging her tail. Poor thing! I found out afterward that she didn't have one, but if she had I know she would have wagged it all the time. She took my brother, and the white woman took me into another room, where a man with a shiny top sat eating cake.

The white woman put me on the table, and the shiny man laughed. "Haw, haw!" Then the pup put my brother on, too; and the shiny man laughed. "Haw, haw!" again. "Which one?" he asked, and the pup said to keep my brother. They put us on the floor, and brother whined and went to sleep; but I wanted to know, so I took a corner of the table cloth and gnawed and gnawed. Then the shiny man laughed. "Haw, haw!" and said, "Look at the little rat."

The pup said, "Oh, father, look at mine!" And he did look, and said he was a "buster and no mistake."

Then the white woman took me up under her chin. "But, Sam, look at mine; he is his mother's lamb person."

The shiny man laughed again. "Of course that makes all the difference in the world. A lamb person is something no lady should be without."

She made a face at him, and told me in confidence that she had to put up with his rudeness because she was financially embarrassed and was hoping he would buy me. He said that when I knew her better I would find that financial embarrassment was her chronic state.

They fed me lovely puppy cakes and soup and carrots, and all things healthy for youngsters. The only trouble was that I never got enough. They gave it to me in a little dish, and every time the white woman fixed my food she hammered the cakes to bits on the corner of the sink. It was very misleading. Of course, I thought every time anyone hammered it was time to eat. I know I walked a thousand miles around the table while the cook was beating biscuits, but I never got a crumb. One day a carpenter came and did some work on the sink. He hammered, and I wagged my tail and smiled. Then he hammered some more, and I wagged again. It went on half a day. And do you think he gave me a morsel? Not he—my tail was tired for a week.

The week after I came the family expected company, so the white woman put on a long apron and got some laundry soap and carried me up to the bathroom. She wet the soap and rubbed it all over me. I didn't mind that. I tried to bite her fingers, and we had a good time; but when I was all soapy she put me down in the water. It nearly scared me late. She rubbed me and scrubbed me. The pup came and helped to hold me, and I wished I was dead; and I forgot that bullterriers never whined, and I whined and whined. It was over at last, and she wrapped me up and sat by the fire till I stopped shivering. Then she held me up before the mirror; I was all pure white with a black nose. She told me that I was a beautiful thing and a lamb person, and that my name was Boscoe. This surprised me, but I was so sleepy I just burrowed under her arm and went to sleep.

I was always hungry. There was a pleasant-smelling can in the back yard where the black woman put lots of good things, but she would never give me a taste. It sat up on a box and I couldn't reach it; but I was growing, and I knew that before long I was going to have one square meal. One day the white woman went to town and the black woman came out with some delicacies for the pup, when a friend called her. She set the dish on the ground and went to the fence. My, oh, my! There was pie and lemon peel and meat (ham, I think) and coleslaw and coffee grounds. I ate it all. It was a rapturous time. When she came back she called me a greedy thing, and said, "I speak. I'm going to catch it now for sure."

We went in the kitchen. I lay down, but I wanted to get up. When I was up I wanted to lie down. Inside I felt like I'd swallowed a high wind, everything seemed so upset. I felt like something awful was going to happen, and it did. The black woman put me out of doors, and lay down and growled till the white woman came. She said it served us both right, and took me upstairs. I didn't even bite her fingers, but just lay still. She said she thought I'd better have pie often if it made me so quiet. I didn't care; I was so glad to be a lamb person again that nothing mattered.

I was growing very fast, but sometimes I got lonely for someone to play



with me. One moonlight night I came round to the front of the house and found a lot of pantries. They had a lot of things, and I went up to make friends. They hadn't the first idea how to play, so I taught them. I'd take a mouthful of them and growl and throw myself backward, and the pantries and I would roll over together.

It was great fun, but I didn't want to hurt anyone's feelings, and I figured out all up—every one. It took me nearly all night, and when daylight came I began to feel quite nervous. I wondered what the white woman would think. You see, we didn't always think alike. It was very uncomfortable, so I crawled back under the veranda. It was almost providential that I did, because very soon she came out. Gracious, she was mad! I never saw a wet hen, but if it could get madder than the white woman, I didn't want to meet one. The shiny man came out and asked if she would like a new lamb person for her birthday.

"If you are going to talk like an idiot, you may go downtown." Then the pup came out and looked so pleasant I almost wept. "Oh, muzzler!" she cried. "He's so little. I know he's sorry."

"He'll be sorer still when I get him."

I crawled back in the dark and hid. The black woman came around from the kitchen. She had a broom in her hand.

"He certainly do need to be whipped, Miss Lucy; he's plum spoiled, that dog," she said. "He just needs the life hammered out of him. That's what he needs."

"If you can crawl under the house and get him, I'll whip him; but if you can't, you can go in the house and mind your own business." "Yesum." And the black woman went in the house. The white woman began to plant the pantries, and I felt so lonely I nearly died. I crawled over to the hole I had used to get under the porch and looked as pleasant as I could. She didn't seem to see me, and I growled. She looked at me and I wagged my tail. She frowned, and I wagged some more.

The LAMB PERSON

Florida P. Sumnerwell

"I guess you think I love you," I started to crawl out. "But you are a bad dog, and I don't love you." I wrote and back.

"Muzzler, he hungry." The pup put her arm around her mother's neck and acted like a lamb person herself. I stuck my head out of the hole and tried to catch the white woman's eye. She looked at me a minute, and I sat up and begged. She laughed out loud, and I threw myself upon her and we rolled each other in the mud. I did. We went around to see the black woman, and I had a bone.

Soon after that we went to the seashore, and I grew up. I don't think much of the seashore. People who don't have to do it go in the water every day, and it makes me sick.

I got big and strong, and my legs and back were all aches. They taught me a lot of tricks, but I hated to play the muzzler. I learned all right, but I never would do it if I could help it. When I wouldn't play, the shiny man looked at the white woman and said it was a plain case of heredity.

She leaned her cheek on my head and told me that nothing but her low financial state made her stand the things he said. He laughed. "Haw, haw, and he's sorry." She looked the other way, and said she was a broken woman, and thought she must have lost some of it this time. He suggested that she might find it in the little shops along the boardwalk.

It was a sea way the white woman had such trouble keeping her money. I wanted to suggest to her to bury it as I did my bones, but I couldn't make her understand. We came home when the weather was getting cold. The white woman and the black one cleaned the house, and the shiny man's mother fixed the billiard room up as a den for his birthday. It was lovely, with a green carpet and lots of books. Once I ate a book, but the shiny man said doing that was a bad habit. He certainly had a heavy hand. I have never cared for books since then.

lay in the hall dozing, when right through the front door walked a large black cat. One with green eyes and long tail—just such a cat as I would have selected.

She arched her back and spit as soon as she saw me; and I bristled and snarled and got ready to jump, but she slipped by me and ran up stairs. I was there to protect the white woman's house, so I rushed after the cat, determined to see that no harm came to anything under my care.

Oh, dear! It didn't turn out at all as I wanted it to do, but I know my intentions were the very best. If the cat had gone down in the cellar, where things did break so easily, I feel sure my family would have a much higher opinion of me than they now have.

I wasn't my fault that she jumped on the dressing table, where all the white woman's knickknacks were littered around. I jumped after her, and must have caught her by the tail (fell off and broke. The mirror struck a chair and there were bottles and brushes and lots of stuff. There really was no room for a dog, so as soon as the cat jumped off I let her go.

She went up on the mantel and I called after her, but she couldn't get quite up, but I caught her tail and swung all my weight on it. What do you think happened next? The glass behind the mantel leaned over so I could see myself, and then it fell and split all to pieces. It was a mercy I got away unhurt; but the cat lit off for the third floor, and I went, too.

I wasn't thinking very much about protecting anything now. I just wanted to get the cat and kill her a few times, and then go out for a walk before the family came home. In all the fun and excitement, I still felt the most curious nervousness about the family. It was worse than when I taught the pantries to play.

The cat made a bee-line for the new den, and I tore after her, upsetting everything I passed. She leaped on the table, and I was up nearly as soon as she was. There was a pint bottle of ink, which went over as soon as I touched it. She flew for the closet, and I took a short cut under the table.

I felt positively tame.

All the ink in the bottle poured over me as I came out, but the cat was on the closet shelf, spitting and making faces at me.

I shook the ink off my back and made a lunge. She saw me coming and backed out of sight, but when I fell I brought down a lovely playing thing, a new white chiffon dress. I never played with one before, but I would recommend it to anybody with a playful disposition. I took up great mouthfuls, and when I hit down on it there was nothing there. It was soft and slippery, and I pulled and tore it all to bits. Then I got it all off the silk lining and ran round the room with it. I rolled in it and got some more ink off my back. After that I made it into a ball and jumped on it and gnawed.

I was fearfully tired and I must have gone to sleep, for I awakened when I heard the white woman coming in the front door. I ran and put my paws in the closet and pushed the door shut; then I went up in the corner and sat down.

I was very uncomfortable. You see, I couldn't tell them that the cat had done it all, and I felt pretty sure they would blame me. I hate to be blamed at any time, but to have to stand for the wrong-doing of a cat was very depressing.

The white woman came up to her room and stopped. Then she said, "For heaven's sake! Annie, Annie, come up here at once and tell me what this means!"

The black woman came running, and she stopped. She said she had been in the laundry and hadn't heard a word, but of course it was Boscoe. "He was so plumb 'runt for a whipping." He'll tear the house down if he gets his breath, she said, and she told me to tell her what she meant.

This hurt my feelings so that I growled, and they came running up to the new den. I really thought the white woman was going to burst. I never saw anyone so mad.

"I wouldn't mind so much," she said, "if her mother had fixed the room. What will she think of me?"

"She's going to think you're a mighty big excuse, Miss Lucy. She also is."

woman stood up and took off her slipper. I doubled up against the wall and tried to swallow myself. "Boscoe, come here!" Her voice was awful. Just like the dog catcher before I got my license. I didn't come. I really could not.

"Boscoe, come here at once!" I didn't budge. The voice froze my blood. "Come, you brute, or I'll come over there and then—"

I started to crawl to her. I couldn't look at her, and I dragged myself toward her very slowly. Just as she laid her hand on my collar, I had the inspiration of my own haunches, folded my paws over my nose and prayed. My, how I'd pray!

The white woman took her hand away from my collar, and the black woman said: "For the land's sake! Look at that!"

The white woman took my collar again, and lifting the slipper, said: "I'll whip you just the same, because you are a wretched beast and have spoiled everything." Before she could hit me the black woman broke in:

"Don't you do it, Miss Lucy, honey. You mustn't do it. He ain't nothing but a poor dumb beast, and he didn't know no better. 'Sides that, he's er prayin', and nobody can't do more than pray. You knows yourself that his mighty easy to stray from the right way, but if you whip him, his poor dog is going to have a moment sent on to you. That's what you is, a shoo!"

I opened one eye and looked at the white woman, but she still looked fully mad. My tail was numb, sitting on it, but it was no stink myself on prayers, so I eyes tight and sat up and howled. I heard her say, "He's er prayin', and nobody can't do more than pray. You knows yourself that his mighty easy to stray from the right way, but if you whip him, his poor dog is going to have a moment sent on to you. That's what you is, a shoo!"

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"Take the horrible thing away, Annie. But wasn't he smart to do it?" "Yesum, that's a powerful fine dog, and we is mighty lucky to have him." I climbed into the white woman's lap again, and she held me close, and I put my head up under her chin and was a lamb person for a long time. Then we all went to work and cleaned up. Fresh milk took the ink off the carpet, and we put a big picture up behind the mantel. It didn't take long, and I liked it better. Some of the things were gone. Some of the black woman and I went down to the kitchen. She sat in a chair, and I sat on the floor in front of her. I put my head on one side and winked slowly with my left eye; she said: "Go 'way from here, you nasty dog! No winking at me—a settled woman. You is scoundrel! That's what you is, a shoo!"

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COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY TO HAVE PROHIBITION ELECTION
(Wellington Leader)
The commissioners court this week ordered an election for July 19th for the qualified voters of Collingsworth county, to vote upon the question as to whether intoxicating liquor be permitted to be sold within the confines of this county. The former election held several years ago, it seems, is invalid as no record of the official declaration of the result of the election can be found. The election held now the same as the former one will be under the felony act.

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POLICE RESPLENDENT IN NEW UNIFORMS OF KHAKI

City's Guardians of the Peace Equipped With Regalia With Silver Buttons

The new uniforms for the city policemen arrived today and at noon most of the officers donned their new khaki. The uniforms are of the popular khaki color and with their silver buttons look very natty.

They cost the policemen \$19 apiece, which each individual has to pay. The officers felt that the city should pay for these uniforms but they didn't manage to so convince the city councilmen.

BIG ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN BY WOMAN RANCH OWNER.
(Wellington Leader)
Mrs. Adair of England, owner of the J. A. ranch near Clarendon, is spending the summer at her rock mansion on the ranch and last week threw her doors open and invited the public in to have a good time. Two bands were engaged for the occasion, and dancing, tennis, baseball and other amusements were featured. The program, at the conclusion of which a thousand dollar supper was spread. It is estimated that about seven hundred visitors were present.

REBELS TRYING TO FLOAT LOAN OF 100,000 PESOS.
By Associated Press.
Brownsville, Texas, June 16.—Ex-

LODGE DIRECTORY

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. F. meets every Monday night at 8 o'clock. J. T. Young secretary.

Rebekah Lodge No. 236 meets second and fourth Wednesday at 8 p. m. and first and third Wednesday afternoons at 3 o'clock. Clara Brooks, Secretary.

Wichita Council No. 2361 Knights and Ladies of Security meets second and fourth Tuesday nights, Odd Fellows Hall. G. M. Small, Financier.

Wichita Camp No. 456, W. O. W. Meets every Friday at 8 p. m. 800 Ohio avenue. J. T. Young, Clerk.

Woodman Circle meets first and third Fridays at 2:30 p. m. Pearl Somers, clerk.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 12006, M. W. of A.—Meets every Thursday at 8 p. m. 713 1-2 Indiana Avenue. R. S. Dunaway, Consul; E. G. Cook, Clerk.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001, W. O. W. meets every Friday night at Moose Hall. All visiting Woodmen invited. W. B. Collins, C. C. T. W. Scott, clerk.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, O. E. S. meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights. Mrs. Alice Cockrell, Sec.

Loyal Order of Moose—Meets every Wednesday night and Sunday afternoons. A. C. McKeen, Dictator.

Lockhard Lodge No. 2800 Knights & Ladies of Honor meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 8 p. m. Moose Hall, Ira D. Brown, Secretary.

Ruling No. 2137, Fraternal Mystic Circle meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 8 o'clock, p. m. at K. P. Hall, Ohio avenue and 8th street. All F. M. C's invited. L. A. Henry, S. E. D. F. W. R.

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loan of 100,000 pesos from the citizens of Matamoros. Twenty citizens of Brownsville, approached on the matter and attorney representing several succeeding in obtaining promises of 50,000 pesos. It is believed the balance will be raised.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. W. L. Dillard left Sunday for two or three weeks visit with friends at Mineral Wells.

Attorney John Davenport of Grand-bury, Texas, is in the city today and has decided to practice his profession here, having formed a partnership with Bernard Martin, with offices in the Ward building on Eighth street.

W. B. Reeves has returned from Dallas where he has been in a sanitarium for the past three weeks recovering from a surgical operation.

Mrs. W. J. Howard, Jr., and daughter returned this morning from a month's visit to Corpus Christi.

John Albritton has returned from Decatur, where he has been visiting friends and relatives, and has taken up his position in the Pennington store.

S. A. Roberts of the Burk Burnett Star, was in the city today.

Mrs. A. S. Stinson and daughters, Misses Felice and Daphne of Amarillo are visiting at the home of Major Cobb and family. They are on their return from San Antonio where the young ladies have been attending school.

Mrs. J. T. Vance of Vernon is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Douglas of 1104 Denver.

Silas Steinback, formerly of Geraldine but now a successful farmer of Rall, Oklahoma, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cook, on his return from Mineral Wells.

Mrs. P. C. Maricle and daughter left Sunday for Battle Creek, Mich., to join Mr. Maricle who is taking treatment at a sanitarium there.

George Simmons arrived home today from a two weeks trip to Chattanooga, Knoxville, Winchester and Nashville, Tenn., and Terrell, Texas.



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TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Kansas City Grain.

By Associated Press. Kansas City, June 16.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 87 and 92 1/2; No. 2 red 85 and 96. Corn No. 2 mixed 61. No. 2 white 60 3/4. Oats No. 2 white 43. No. 2 mixed 38 1/2.

New York Cotton.

By Associated Press. New York, June 16.—Cotton spot closed steady. Middling uplands 12.35. Middling gulf 12. Sales 23,900 bales. Futures closed steady. January 11.53 and 54. March 11.63 and 64. July 12.11 and 12. September 11.76 and 78. October 11.69 and 61. December 11.58 and 59.

Fort Worth Cattle.

By Associated Press. Fort Worth, Texas, June 16.—Cattle receipts 5000. Steers slow and steady to ten cents lower. Best steers \$8. Hog receipts 1100, active and steady; tops \$3.85. Calf receipts 5000.

VICTIMS OF FORRESTON TRAIN CRASH BURIED

Sherman, Texas, June 16.—The bodies of Capt. and Mrs. Frank A. Ryan, who were killed at Forreston when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Katy train, arriving in Sherman Sunday at 1:10 o'clock in a special car over the Interurban, and internment was made in West Hill cemetery.

The bodies were accompanied from Dallas by members of the family and several friends. Services were conducted by Dr. T. A. Wharton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and the funeral was one of the most largely attended ever witnessed here. Both were laid in one grave.

BROWNWOOD OIL MEN WILL SINK NEW WELL.

Brownwood, Texas, June 16.—The Brownwood Oil & Development Company, an organization of local business men and capitalists who recently located a "dry hole" in their efforts to find a gusher near Brownwood city limits, are preparing to test the new field twelve miles north-west of the city, where a strong gas well was brought in recently.

The rig is being moved to the new field this week and work will begin within ten days.

WEEK OF SUNSHINE IN STORE FOR WEST.

Washington, June 16.—Warm weather with clear skies over the greater part of the country is predicted for the coming week by the weather bureau.

There will be scattered thunder showers the first part of the week.

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