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TEDDY SCORES PEACE PLANS

SAYS BATTLESHIP OPPONENTS INVITE NATIONAL DISASTER AND HUMILIATION

CHINA IS A WARNING

Bull Moose Declares Universal Arbitration Incredible Folly—Ridicules Peace Workers

By Associated Press.
Newport, R. I., July 2.—Theodore Roosevelt addressed a gathering of Rhode Island leaders of the National Progressive Party here today on patriotism and national honor and made a plea for the maintenance of adequate naval strength. Congressmen who vote against two battleships a year, he said, were "on a level with men who voted against fortifying Hawaii and our stations in the West Indies. These men are unfit to represent the American people and they by their actions invite national disaster and humiliation."
He characterized as wicked any advocacy of arbitration where national honor and interests are concerned, and said that to enforce the Monroe Doctrine, to retain Panama, Alaska and our insular possessions, to determine what aliens and on what terms they shall come to this country demanded the power to back up our words with deeds.

A Still Lower Depth.
After scoring those congressmen who opposed a two battleship a year policy, he continued:

"There is, however, a lower depth even than that plumbed by the men who seek by their votes in Congress to keep us impotent to protect ourselves. This lower depth is reached by those who, while voting against every measure to provide us with means to protect our honor against any foreign foe, nevertheless, by foolish, brutal and insulting utterances concerning foreign powers, expose us to the liability of a war which they themselves by their own actions have striven to render it impossible for us successfully to undertake.

"There could be no worse type of public servant than those congressmen, who first do all they can to prevent the nation from being able to uphold their interest and honor in the event of war, and then do all they can with wanton and ignorant folly to plunge us into war. Remember always that in such cases these men would not themselves be the ones to suffer. They are very rarely sensitive to national honor and still more rarely willing to expose their persons in the event of their being an appeal to the final arbiter between nations. In such event these men almost always themselves remain in safety, and let their misconduct be atoned for by other men, by brave men who pay for it with their blood, by patriotic men who perforce have to pay for it with shame."

Compare U. S. With China.
Here Colonel Roosevelt took up the situation in China, "which has suffered partial dismemberment purely because she has permitted herself to become impotent in such a question for ourselves; and our claim to decide these questions would be treated with utter derision if we did not have an efficient navy and if we did not possess both the will and the power to back up our words by our deeds."

"Therefore, it seems to me in credible folly that any of our people should wish to put us in the position of China and should believe that by having worthy persons put their names on scraps of paper, or get together at banquets and pass resolutions, we would be able to substitute some patent remedy like universal international arbitration for a navy. This is especially true when we remember that this country would not for one moment permit any of these vital questions of national honor and interest to be submitted to arbitration. To advocate universal arbitration treaties, the arbitration of questions of national interest and honor is folly so great as fairly to be wicked."

"It is even worse to advocate such treaties and at the same time show no intention of keeping treaties already made that can be kept, and no intention of submitting to arbitration questions that can properly be arbitrated. There is nothing more important to our international good name than to have our people once for all wake up to the fact that it is unpardonable to show readiness in making promises that cannot be kept and equal readiness in breaking promises that

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\$250,000 BREACH PROMISE BALM

MARQUIS OF NORTHAMPTON SETTLES SUIT FILED BY VIOLET MOSS, ACTRESS

COSTS OF SUIT ALSO

Damages Heaviest Known in England for this Cause in Recent Years

By Associated Press.
London, July 2.—Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars and all costs of the suit is the price the Marquis of Northampton has agreed to pay to settle the suit for breach of promise brought against him by the actress, Daisy Markham whose real name is Violet Moss. The costs will amount to a considerable sum.
The Marquis is better known as the Earl of Compton, succeeding to the title only recently.
The plaintiff is well known in America under her stage name.
The young Marquis previously offered to settle the case for \$50,000. The damages paid today are the heaviest in many years in a breach of promise suit.

STOLEN JEWELS FOUND AT RAILROAD STATION

Young Repair Clerk Makes Get-Away When Taken to Police Station Following Discovery

By Associated Press.
New York, July 2.—More than \$25,000 worth of jewelry taken last Wednesday from Udall and Bagley Broadway dealers, was found today in the Pennsylvania railroad station in a valise. Among the jewels was a rare blue diamond of great value.
The jewels were stolen during excitement in a fire. No arrests have been made but William Beck, a young repair clerk employed by the firm, when taken to police headquarters jumped from a window and fled. He has not been sighted.

RELIEF PROMISED FROM HEAT WAVE

Hottest Today Around New York and in the New England States

By Associated Press.
Washington, July 2.—General relief from the heat wave east of the Rocky Mountains is believed to be in sight. The area of extreme heat traveled eastward today and forced higher temperatures in the Atlantic coast states but left lower temperatures in states to the westward. It was the hottest day around New York and in the New England states.
"To the humidity," said Prof. Frankenstein, "is due all the suffering throughout the country. Tonight or tomorrow there will be rain almost generally throughout the eastern end of the country and that will help a lot."

BAR ASSOCIATION HEAD PRAISES 9:30 CLOSING LAW

Corpus Christi, Texas, July 2.—The annual convention of the Texas Bar Association convened here Tuesday morning with an attendance of more than 200. Judge John M. Duncan of LaGrange, president of the association, made his annual address, which was devoted mainly to a resume of the acts of the legislature, as being highly beneficial to Texas, especially raising the 9:30 closing law.
The annual report of Secretary "Joe" of Dallas showed a present membership of 742, a gain for the year of sixty members.
The afternoon session was devoted to the hearing of an address by A. G. Andrews of Hillsboro, who spoke on judicial reform in Texas, and to the reports of various committees. The association will be in convention for three days.

New Industries For Mexico.
Mexico, Texas, July 2.—Active building operations have been under way here since the bringing in of the natural gas wells near this city and several new industries have commenced operation. The latest enterprises to locate here are a steam laundry and a broom factory. The capacity of the broom factory is 50 dozen brooms a day.

HITCHCOCK WITHDRAWS FROM CAUCUS

Washington, July 2.—Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, defeated in an effort to attach to the tariff bill an amendment for a graduated tobacco tax, withdrew from the democratic Senate caucus this afternoon. The vote was 23 to 15.

FORMER FOES MEET AS FRIENDS ON FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF BATTLE



RAILROADS MUST NOT DISCRIMINATE

Federate Attack Rebels Near Gaudalupe But Worst of Engagement

By Associated Press.
Washington, July 2.—Unjust discrimination of railroads in shipments of cotton to Texas ports must cease under a ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission today. The Arkansas Pass Channel and Dock Company had brought proceedings against the Galveston, San Antonio and Harrisburg railroad alleging that it had refused to establish rates from interior Texas points on cotton intended for export and had refused to issue through bills of lading on export cotton although these advantages were given other Texas ports.
The commission in its ruling said: "The issuance of through bills of lading to one Texas port while refusing them to another on like traffic is unjust and discriminatory."
The defendant and other roads are ordered to furnish like facilities for Arkansas Pass by September 13.

FIRST SKIRMISH IN JAUZES ATTACK

The Interstate Commerce Commission Rules Roads Must Give Ports Same Facilities

By Associated Press.
El Paso, Texas, July 2.—The first skirmish in the rebel attack on Juarez was fought last night at Guadalupe, forty miles east of Juarez. The rebel troops under Otego were fired upon by 100 federal volunteers. The federalists were defeated in the fighting which continued until 8 o'clock this morning.

DENTON CITIZEN DIES SUDDENLY LAST NIGHT

By Associated Press.
Denton, Texas, July 2.—R. S. Taylor, president of the Taylor Hardware Company, and a prominent citizen here aged 60, dropped dead here last night from apoplexy.

BURLESON'S BROTHER NOW POSTMASTER AT LOCKHART

By Associated Press.
Lockhart, Texas, July 1.—James G. Burleson assumed the duties of postmaster here today. He is an older brother of Postmaster General Burleson.

HEAVY DAMAGE IN HUNT COUNTY

RAIN AND STORM CAUSES NEARLY MILLION DOLLARS LOSS TO FARMERS THERE

RAINFALL HEAVIEST IN RECENT YEARS AND MANY FAMILIES DRIVEN FROM HOMES BY WATER

ALMOST A CLOUDBURST

Special to the Times.
Greenville, Texas, July 2.—One of the heaviest rains in recent years fell here last night and this morning, putting the city light and water plants out of commission, flooding the lowlands and driving more than 100 families from their homes, besides sweeping away railroad tracks and damaging telephone and telegraph wires.
The crop damage in Hunt county is estimated at nearly one million dollars.
The Sabine river is now higher than for years, the rise coming within a few hours. Between 4 and 5 o'clock this morning following heavy rains during the night almost a cloudburst fell. The river became a torrent within half an hour sweeping everything in its path. Greenville citizens immediately organized for the relief of those made homeless.
On the Shreveport branch of the Katy near here nearly half a mile of track was washed out. The Katy limited was delayed three hours. Near Commerce the Cotton Belt lost a quarter of mile of track.
"There is sufficient water in the standpipe here for the present needs of the city. Many buildings in this section were set afire by lightning last night. No fatalities had been reported up to noon today."

Sulphur Springs.—The Retail Merchants' Association held a trades day June 28, with a balloon ascension from the public square. Special bargains were offered by each merchant.
Two Inch Rain at Childress.
By Associated Press.
Childress, Texas, July 1.—A two inch rain Monday and last night has benefited crops greatly throughout the Panhandle section and prospects for a great crop were never better.

WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight and Thursday unsettled.

SHORT FLASHES FROM THE WIRES

William F. Brown and Frank B. Hayne of New Orleans, and Eugene G. Seales of Texas have been indicted by a federal grand jury in New York charged with criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law in connection with an alleged conspiracy to restrict the sale of cotton. Morris Rothschild of New York was also indicted.

The two cent passenger rate will become effective in Missouri on August 1.

Street cars in St. Louis are being operated with current generated at the Keokuk, Iowa dam across the Mississippi.

Five Waco preachers and several church officers accompanied by four policemen raided the red-light district there Sunday night and arrested twenty women. A considerable quantity of liquor was also seized.

A grand jury at Fort Worth is investigating alleged irregularities concerning the red-light district made in connection with the dam at the city waterworks there.

The Mohave desert is now dry in more ways than one. The saloons which dotted the desert for miles went out of business at midnight. Needles is now the only wet town in the desert.

It is declared in the City of Mexico that President Huerta is preparing to take the field in person.

Twenty-two divorce suits were filed in the district court at Beaumont yesterday.

F. E. Hefring of Elk City, has announced his candidacy for governor of Oklahoma before the democratic primary.

The Oklahoma legislature will adjourn Saturday. It will have been in session 140 days.

U. S. Government two per cent bonds sold at 95 1/2 in New York yesterday.

Former President Taft has lost so much in weight that he passed almost unrecognized in the Grand Central Station in New York City en route to Canada yesterday.

Uncle Sam's surplus for the fiscal year 1913 just closed was \$40,983,225. Total receipts for the year were over \$723,000,000.

ONLY TWO WILL BE UNPLEGGED

RANSDELL AND MARTIN ONLY SENATORS WHO WILL NOT TAKE CAUCUS PLEDGE

OTHERS SUPPORT BILL

Measure Will be Through Caucus Tomorrow and Then Goes Before Senate

By Associated Press.
Washington, July 2.—Senate democrats are to be bound by caucus pledges to the tariff bill as approved finally tomorrow.

With the exceptions of Senators Ransdell and Martin, of Louisiana, all of them will accept pledges binding them to vote for the bill as reported by the caucus and to condone themselves to amendments the caucus has passed upon. The pledge will probably include a provision not to vote for amendments advocated by Republicans.

ITALY'S CROWNED HEADS ENROUTE TO KIEL

There They Will be the Guests of Emperor and Empress of Germany

By Associated Press.
Berlin, July 2.—The King and Queen of Italy passed onto German soil this morning on their way to Kiel to meet the Emperor and Empress of Germany. It is generally assumed that the changed conditions in the European political and military situation arising from Balkan developments will be the subject of discussion between the rulers and their ministers.

ROOSEVELT SOUNDS PROGRESSIVE KEYNOTE

In Speech at Newport, Colonel Attacks President Wilson's Views With Vigor

By Associated Press.
Newport, R. I., July 2.—The demand made in the first national platform of the Progressive Party for regulation of corporations and combinations to "insure their doing justice to their rivals, to their customers and to their employees," has been emphasized. Theodore Roosevelt declared this afternoon at the clamor which opened the National Conference of the Progressive Party by what has occurred since election in the West Virginia bituminous coal fields.

In opening his speech, Colonel Roosevelt pointed to the Progressive platform upon which he ran for the presidency last fall as a document which upholders of social and industrial justice in the future will recognize as one of the great documents of American political history. From the cited two demands—the first that the national government undertake on a gigantic scale the work of harnessing the flood waters of the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers, using for that purpose the outfit that has been used in the construction of the Panama Canal. The second demand already referred to, Colonel Roosevelt dwelt upon at considerable length. He quoted from court decisions and declared that he wished he could make the men of property understand that in fighting such decisions and such conditions as in West Virginia he was fighting against, he was in favor of law and order and for property.

"The utter futility of the plan of action or rather non-action, advocated in both the Republican and Democrat platforms last year, and christened by President Wilson with magnificent vagueness 'The New Freedom' has been strikingly shown by what has thus occurred in West Virginia," Colonel Roosevelt declared. "The New Freedom is nothing whatever but the right of the strong to prey on the weak, of the big men to crush the little men, and to shield their iniquity beneath the cry that they are exercising freedom."

Colonel Roosevelt's speech this afternoon sounded the keynote of the Progressive policies and opened the discussion of party ideals and ideas that will continue two days. Referring again to President Wilson's article on the New Freedom, Colonel Roosevelt said:

"A careful study of the articles that have appeared by President Wilson dealing with this subject since he was president has left me somewhat puzzled as to what he really does mean, but of course I assume that there must be meaning, and if this assumption is warranted then the New Freedom means nothing whatever but the old license translated into terms of pleasant rhetoric.
"There is but one way to interfere with freedom to inflict slavery upon

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LAMAR STARTLES LOBBY PROBERS

\$22,000,000 FORGERY ON W. P. BOOKS ALLEGED BY WITNESS BEFORE COMMITTEE

HARRIMAN PROFITED

Forgery Was Fulcrum by Which Great Fortunes Were Lifted by R. R. Manipulators

By Associated Press.
Washington, July 2.—David Lamar, Wall street operator and at one time confidante of Cassatt Sage and James R. Keene amazed the Senate lobby in investigating committee by frankly testifying that it was he who impersonated Representative Palmer and Rorand in a telephone conversation with Lewis F. Ledyard, Robert Scott Lovett, Paul Gray and other prominent financiers, telling them that Edward Lauterbach, a New York attorney could do great things for them in Washington.

Lamar astonished the committee by making a detailed and circumstantial charge that the Union Pacific railroad's books had been forged on items for over \$22,000,000 in 1911 and that through these forgeries, Kuhn, Loeb & Company and E. H. Harriman had laid the foundations for immense fortunes.

When Lamar had finished Paul V. Cravath of the counsel for the Union Pacific put a prepared statement before the committee alleging that Lamar's charge concerning the \$22,000,000 connected with the Union Pacific was part of a bear-campaign against the securities of that company, of which it has had knowledge for several days.

Lamar amused, entertained and astounded the committee as he freely testified as to his impersonation of congressmen over the telephone.

He did it all, he said, to instruct the financiers with the abilities of his friend Attorney Edward Lauterbach, but stoutly denied that he had ever made any suggestion of compensation for other than purely legal services.

Lamar's statement of the \$22,000,000 on the Union Pacific books in part follows:

"In the summer of 1901 some one forged the Union Pacific books to the tune of \$22,000,000. Who it was I do not know. As a consequence the men connected with the company immediately got \$22,000,000 in cash as the profits from that forgery and it was the fulcrum for all the giant monopolies and conspiracies fastened on the lines of railroad serving the territory in the Rock mountains and from the Pacific to the Missouri river and from the Missouri river to the Gulf and more than that. It was the fulcrum by which this group, Harriman to the extent of \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000 and Kuhn, Loeb & Company and one or two others to the extent of from \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000 were enabled to acquire these gigantic fortunes."

The alleged forgeries were in connection with the treasure of debt certificates on the Union Pacific books connected with securities issued for the taking over of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company and the Oregon short line.

Lamar said he did not know whether the erasure was made by the office boy or the chairman of the board.

WOMAN ACQUITTED ON BAWDY HOUSE CHARGE

In the county court late yesterday, Florence Hughes was acquitted on a charge of running a bawdy house. The state was unable to prove that she owned or leased the house in question and consequently could not establish her responsibility for the conduct of same. W. F. Weeks represented the defendant.

This morning the case of Kid Humphries was tried, going to the jury at noon. No verdict had been returned at 3 p. m. This afternoon the case of Rose Humphries is on trial. Both Kid and Rose Humphries are charged with permitting bawdy houses to be run on premises controlled by them.

Shades of Bacchus!

1081 Barrels Beer Poured Into River

By Associated Press.
Mendota, Ill., July 2.—One thousand and eighty-one barrels of beer were poured into the Mendota River here last night because of the failure of a local brewery to pay government taxes. Thousands of fish were killed by the beer and farmers were compelled to drive their stock away from the river to prevent them from drinking the polluted water.

Earthquake at Messina

Messina, July 2.—A slight earthquake shock lasting several seconds caused considerable alarm here this morning. The alarm was increased by underground rumblings that followed. Many inhabitants fled to the open fields.

WILSON WILL GO TO GETTYSBURG

WILL ATTEND BATTLEFIELD RE-UNION AND DELIVER SHORT ADDRESS

IS PERSUADED TO ACCEPT

Had Previously Announced That he Would Not Go But Palmer Secures Acceptance

Washington, June 23.—President Wilson tonight decided to attend the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the battle of Gettysburg on July 4. He telegraphed Governor Tamm that he had reconsidered his previous declaration and would make a brief speech to the veterans. The president's decision followed a conference with Representative A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania. The president had taken the position previously in declining to go, that he would be breaking his rule establishing a precedent and would not leave Washington for a speech making occasion while Congress was in session. Mr. Palmer told the president of the importance of the Gettysburg celebration, of its national significance and of the patriotic spirit of sympathy that would result from a speech made by a southern-born president between the North and South. A statement from the White House said: "The president has felt constrained to forego his chance for a few days, of much needed rest in New Hampshire this week, because he feels it his duty to attend the celebration at Gettysburg on July 4."

LOUISVILLE TO ARREST WEARERS OF SLIT SKIRTS

Chief of Police Issues Blanket Order Providing That all Shall be Put in Custody

Louisville, Ky., June 23.—Chief of Police Lindsey today issued a blanket order for the arrest of wearers of slit skirts which are minus protecting undergarments. He said: "Several women have been appearing in dresses which the laws of decency forbid, and I believe this is without doubt a disorderly act." Chief Lindsey said that women who have the nerve to appear on the streets in slit dresses will not mind a little thing like police court trial.

HOUSE COMMITTEE WORKS ON CAMANETTI CASE

By Associated Press. Washington, June 23.—After struggling for two days with a mass of documents furnished by the attorney general in the Camanetti white slave case, the House Judiciary committee was forced to recess today. Its investigation was private. Chairman Clayton said that Mr. McReynolds had submitted all the papers in the case and he added: "Among these are many which, if made public, might prejudice the trials of these cases. Until the committee has waded out all the papers relating to the postponement, the case will not be made public."

ACTUAL TESTS BY WATER GIVEN GATES AT PANAMA

By Associated Press. Panama, June 23.—The large lower gates at Gatun are being put to the actual test of full pressure for the first time. The Atlantic waters have been allowed to flow gradually against the gates and they reached the sea level yesterday afternoon. Engineers are watching the test with interest and report that the gates are firm and water tight. The water now is at the 50 foot stage.

600 INCREASE IN SCHOOL CENSUS

TOTAL OF 2537 PUPILS ARE FOUND BY ENUMERATOR BROWN

170 OUTSIDE THE CITY

Negro Children Number 170 Also Only Two Foreigners are Found in School District

City Censuraker Brown has finished his work. The figures show an increase in the school census of 600 during the past year. The total number of school age in 2537. This amount includes 170 outside the city but within the school district. The census shows 2567 white children of school age, of which 1166 are male and 1401 female. The total number of children under 7 years is 284; under 8 years, 287; under 9 years, 282; under 10 years, 257; under 11 years, 272; under 12 years, 270; under 13 years, 239; under 14 years, 231; under 15 years, 232; under 16 years, 131. The only foreigners found were one Mexican and one Bohemian child. There are two deaf and dumb children in the district.

4,734 CHILDREN OF SCHOOL AGE

WICHITA COUNTY SCHOLASTIC CENSUS SHOWS MATERIAL INCREASE

GIRLS OUTNUMBER BOYS

Seventy-five German, Twenty-four Bohemian and 4 Russian—No Negroes Outside City

Wichita county has 4734 children between the ages of seven and seventeen, according to the school census just completed for the entire county, the results of which were announced today by County Superintendent R. M. Johnson. This is an increase of about 500 over last year, which is considered a remarkable gain. Most of this increase is in the Wichita Falls district, the figures for which were published in The Times of yesterday. Besides the 2539 children in the Wichita Falls district, there are 510 at Electra, 313 at Burkburnett, 203 at Iowa Park and 1170 in the rural districts. Electra has 253 boys and 253 girls, Burkburnett 143 boys and 154 girls, Iowa Park, 110 boys and 107 girls, and the rural districts 253 boys and 271 girls, the totals outside this district being 1065 boys and 1163 girls. The 170 negroes in the Wichita Falls district are the only ones in the county, none being found in the other districts. In the rural districts there are seventy-five German children, two at Iowa Park, one Russian and twenty-four Bohemians are also included in the enumeration of foreigners. The figures by ages, outside of the Wichita Falls district, are as follows: Seven years, 294; eight years, 247; nine years, 239; ten years, 218; eleven years, 207; twelve years, 241; thirteen years, 174; fourteen years, 210; fifteen years, 200; sixteen years, 257. The new state law extending the age limit to twenty-one makes no difference in the enumeration; in the first place, it is not yet in effect and in the second place, it simply gives young men and women sixteen the right to attend school without paying tuition; this right is accorded them already in many places, where trustees admit them without tuition.

LOCAL CONTRIBUTORS TO JEFFERSON DAVIS FUND

Eighteen Dollars Raised in Tis City for Memorial Judge Edgar Scurry

A total of \$18 has been raised by Judge Edgar Scurry for the Jefferson Davis monument fund, as follows: W. C. Sherrard, \$1.00; St. Clair, \$1.00; Perkins, \$1.00; J. L. Jackson, \$2.00; J. W. Stone, \$2.00; T. R. (Dan) Boone, \$1.00; J. T. Montgomery, \$1.00; A. H. Carrigan, \$1.00; E. H. Brittain, \$1.00; Eugene Sherrard, \$1.00; L. H. Mathis, \$1.00; R. L. Randolph, \$1.00; Robt. A. Jahn, \$1.00; T. B. Noble, \$1.00; Wm. M. McGregor, \$1.00; Reese & Allen, \$1.00; Howard, \$1.00. The national committee has requested me to raise what I could at least as much as \$25 and as much more as our people are willing to give. Those who wish to give will please send a check at once as I wish to close the matter up and remit the money at the very earliest moment. If you desire and will give any thing please send in your contribution. I have the time to hunt you up. Yours truly, EDGAR SCURRY.

PROMINENT NEW YORK BANKER DIES SUDDENLY

By Associated Press. New York, June 23.—Anson Phelps Stokes, banker and member of one of New York's most widely known families, died suddenly today of apoplexy. Mr. Stokes, aged seventy-five, retired several years ago. He was at one time a partner in the banking firm of Phelps, Stokes & Company.

SHRINE NOBLES FEAST AND DANCE

BANQUET AND BALL AT LAKE WICHITA ENJOYED BY LARGE THROU

PLEASING TABLE SPREAD

Toasts are Suspended to and Dancing Follows—About 150 Nobles and Ladies in Attendance

Nobles of the Mystic Shrine from Wichita Falls and neighboring towns gathered last night at Lake Wichita for one of the most sumptuous and enjoyable affairs ever given in this city; a banquet followed by a dance, was the evening's program and about 150 Nobles and their ladies partook of it. The good fellowship of the Shrine and the hospitality of Wichita Falls proved an admirable combination last night's entertainment one long to be happily remembered by all who were fortunate enough to be bidden to the banquet ball. Although Wichita Falls has not a Shrine of her own, a large number of her citizens have crossed the burning sands to the Oasis of Dallas, becoming members of Hells Temple of that city, and it was felt that these should be an occasion such as that of last night where all the Nobles might gather for an evening of enjoyment, elaborately planned and elaborately carried out, the affair fulfilled its mission, and brought the Nobles of each section together in a joyous reunion. The ample pavilion at the Lake was selected as the theatre for the gathering and its interior was transformed into a radiant arena of color and brilliancy for the occasion. United States flags and the Shrine colors of blue and white were draped about the structure in pleasing array and made the structure an appropriate setting for the occasion. Two special cars left town at eight o'clock, both filled with Shrines and their ladies and these passed the time dancing historically until 12 o'clock, when they arrived at the ball. The program was ready for their arrival. Four long tables were set and those present seated themselves to eat and drink to the following array of specialties: Turkey, Ham, Roast Beef, French Fried Potatoes, French Dressing, Pickled Cucumbers, Pickled Onions, Pickled Tomatoes, Pickled Peppers, Pickled Apples, Pickled Celery, Pickled Carrots, Pickled Parsnips, Pickled Turnips, Pickled Beets, Pickled Cauliflower, Pickled Eggplant, Pickled Zucchini, Pickled Cabbage, Pickled Broccoli, Pickled Asparagus, Pickled Green Beans, Pickled Lima Beans, Pickled Kidney Beans, Pickled Navy Beans, Pickled Pintos, Pickled Black Beans, Pickled Chickpeas, Pickled Lentils, Pickled Mung Beans, Pickled Soybeans, Pickled Tofu, Pickled Tempeh, Pickled Miso, Pickled Soy Sauce, Pickled Sesame Oil, Pickled Sesame Seeds, Pickled Sesame Nuts, Pickled Sesame Flour, Pickled Sesame Honey, Pickled Sesame Butter, Pickled Sesame Oil, Pickled Sesame Seeds, Pickled Sesame Nuts, Pickled Sesame Flour, Pickled Sesame Honey, Pickled Sesame Butter.

AGREEMENT REACHED ON DISSOLUTION OF MERGER

Has Results, However, Are Seant—Other Reports of the Merger's Status

Washington, June 23.—Disclosures that promise to follow the reopening of the Senate-lobby investigation tomorrow are expected to be among the most important developments of recent years in congressional inquiry. Since publication of part in Mithall's story of how he had operated to influence legislation and election in behalf of the National Association of Manufacturers, scores of labor leaders present and former congressmen and others have come forward with testimony and ask that they also be heard by the investigating committee. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who figured prominently in Mithall's story as the object of a long continued attack by those who attempted to bribe him and force him to give up his fight in behalf of labor legislation, has made public a detailed report of the attempted bribery. It confirmed Mithall's story. The Gompers statement is a report that the labor leader prepared in 1907, after his experience with Broughton-Brandenburg, an attorney now a convict in Sing Sing who claimed to be employed by the National Association of Manufacturers. Efforts to secure private interviews with Gompers aroused the latter's suspicion, he said, and he took a number of labor leaders into his confidence and later made a full report to them of the nature of the confession, should stand for re-election as president of the American Federation of Labor in 1908, and then resign, leaving the Federation of Labor crippled by his retirement and the exposure of the leaders. Brandenburg is quoted as saying: "I don't want to save you, and while I don't want to express in specific financial terms what the National Association of Manufacturers is willing to do, yet I can guarantee that you will be financially safe for the balance of your life." The Gompers report states that the interviews terminated there. President Gompers and other officials of the federation probably will testify before the Senate committee that the alleged activities of the lobbyist bore directly upon national legislation.

DAVID LAMAR NOW CHIEF FIGURE IN PHONE LOBBY PLOT

Washington, July 1.—David Lamar, the Wall Street stock operator who was brought into the nation Pacific hold-up plot by Edward Lauterbach, the New York lawyer, agreed to testify before the state committee investigating the "insidious lobby." Lamar, after a long conference with Lauterbach, agreed to appear without being subpoenaed. The lobby hunters thought Lamar would be able to shed light upon the identity of the mysterious man who impersonated Representative Rioridan of New York and Representative Palmer of Pennsylvania in telephone conversations with Robert S. Lovett and Lewis Cass Ludford regarding the retaining of Mr. Lauterbach as special counsel for the Union Pacific in the dissolution matter. Lamar has many enemies in Wall Street who are outspoken in their attacks upon him.

MONTHS RAINFALL TOTALS 2 7-10 INCHES

Last Night's Precipitation Was Eight-Tenths of an Inch—Crops Flourishing

Eight-tenths of an inch of rain fell here last night bringing the total precipitation in June up to two and seven-tenths inches. The rain last night as others that fell during the month came down gently and all soaked in. Early reports indicate that last night's rain was a local shower but that most of this and surrounding counties was covered. Old timers say the crop prospects are the best since 1891.

CONFIRMATION OF MULHALL CHARGES

MANUEL GOMPERS MAKES PUBLIC DETAILED REPORT ON ATTEMPT TO BRIBE

FAR REACHING IN EFFECT

Expected Disclosure Promises Most Important Developments in Years at Washington

Washington, July 1.—Disclosures that promise to follow the reopening of the Senate-lobby investigation tomorrow are expected to be among the most important developments of recent years in congressional inquiry. Since publication of part in Mithall's story of how he had operated to influence legislation and election in behalf of the National Association of Manufacturers, scores of labor leaders present and former congressmen and others have come forward with testimony and ask that they also be heard by the investigating committee. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who figured prominently in Mithall's story as the object of a long continued attack by those who attempted to bribe him and force him to give up his fight in behalf of labor legislation, has made public a detailed report of the attempted bribery. It confirmed Mithall's story. The Gompers statement is a report that the labor leader prepared in 1907, after his experience with Broughton-Brandenburg, an attorney now a convict in Sing Sing who claimed to be employed by the National Association of Manufacturers. Efforts to secure private interviews with Gompers aroused the latter's suspicion, he said, and he took a number of labor leaders into his confidence and later made a full report to them of the nature of the confession, should stand for re-election as president of the American Federation of Labor in 1908, and then resign, leaving the Federation of Labor crippled by his retirement and the exposure of the leaders. Brandenburg is quoted as saying: "I don't want to save you, and while I don't want to express in specific financial terms what the National Association of Manufacturers is willing to do, yet I can guarantee that you will be financially safe for the balance of your life." The Gompers report states that the interviews terminated there. President Gompers and other officials of the federation probably will testify before the Senate committee that the alleged activities of the lobbyist bore directly upon national legislation.

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Relief to only part of the country from four days of intense heat was predicted today by the weather bureau. A marked change to cooler from the plains eastward to the Mississippi River and south as far as Kansas and Western Missouri followed low pressure last night in the upper Mississippi Valley. The heat wave continued in the Ohio valley, being most intense in sections of Illinois, Indiana, West Ohio and Kentucky. Temperatures of 100 degrees were reported today from many points in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys, while in Western Kentucky they ranged from 100 to 107. The forecast this morning gave promise of relief from the heat wave by Wednesday morning.

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FORTY MEXICAN WOMEN END OWN LIVES AT DURANGO WITHIN A WEEK

CITIZENS ARE TERRIFIED

Victorious Rebels Reported to Have Indulged in Excesses—Foreigners Suffer

Mexico City, July 1.—Forty women, mostly of the better class have committed suicide in Durango since its occupation last week by the rebels after a long siege. The women have become desperate, it is said, because of their treatment by victorious rebels. Consular advisers say that rebels who entered Durango conducted themselves like bandits, burning a large portion of the business section after looting it and joining in the wildest excesses. The report says foreign flags were not respected. A few American citizens were wounded during the fighting while one Englishman was killed, according to reports. Private advisers say several women in Durango were forced to submit to indignities from rebel adherents.

KIRBY AND PARRY WILL TESTIFY

President and Former President of Manufacturers Association Abandon Trip

TESTIMONY TODAY CENTERED ON ALLEGED SALES OF DURANGO

San Francisco, July 1.—Half an hour before the liner Ventura was due to sail for the Antipodes, John Kirby, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, and Richard Parry, former president of the National Association of Manufacturers, cancelled their reservations and engaged transportation for Washington where they will appear as witnesses before the Senate committee investigating lobbying. The change of plans will cost each about \$3,000.

OPPOSES LOWER COTTON RATES

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE GOES ON RECORD IN RESOLUTION TUESDAY

TEXAS RATES LOWEST

Resolution Offered Adopted After Little Discussion—Differential is Discussed

Opposition to any action by the state railroad commission that would operate for a reduction in freight rates on cotton was voiced this morning at the session of the Chamber of Commerce directors, when a resolution was adopted putting that organization on record to that effect. The railroad commission has been asked to consider the question of abolishing the Houston-Galveston differential, and the Chamber of Commerce, while keeping its hands off the differential itself, asked the commission, in effect, to equalize the rates by the differential by permitting an increase in the common point rate.

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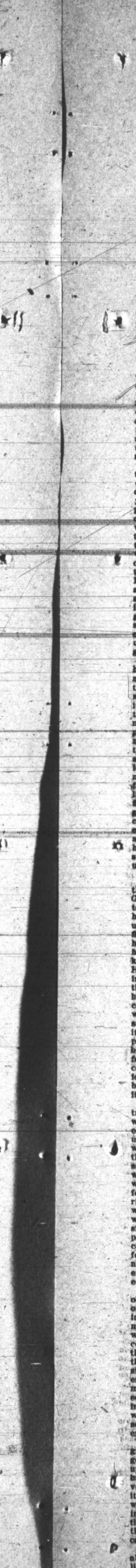
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HE PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE

Emphasizes Spiritual Significance of Three Historic Gatherings at Gettysburg

By Associated Press. Gettysburg, Pa., July 1.—Veterans of the Civil War, Union and Confederate, gathered together here today to commemorate the mighty battle fought on Gettysburg fifty years ago...

"In the name of the nation, I bid you welcome. In the name of the whole people of a united country, I bid you welcome..."

"Once again is Gettysburg the center of the world's attention. Once again does this field tremble under the tread of armies..."

"Gettysburg has become the field of amity. You have trodden under your feet the bitter weeds of hate and anger; and in their places have sprung up the pure flowers of friendship and love..."

"Fifty years ago today there began here one of those conflicts between man and man, marked by such exhibitions of valor, courage and almost superhuman endurance as to engrave itself upon the tablet of history..."

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"We must recall that the settlers of our country came from all parts of the world, actuated by no common impulse, and associated for no common purpose..."

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HEAVY FIGHTING IN THE BALKANS

BULGARIANS REPORTED TO HAVE BEGUN GENERAL ATTACK UPON SERBIANS

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News of Fighting Awaited With Intense Interest in Capitals of Balkan States

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"It is through pain that we attain our knowledge. It was through pain that this nation found itself; and upon the great foundation thus secured and established, proceeded to advance with giant strides to the forefront of the nations of the earth..."

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PATRONS ARE SURPRISED

Those Accustomed to Early Merrett's Mornins Rudely Shocked by Closed Doors

Devotees of John Merrett who butted their heads into the door before six o'clock this morning in their eagerness to relax the droop that had existed ever since Sunday didn't learn for some time why the saloons that had been opening at five a. m. were closed until after six...

"What kind of an election are they having today?" is reported to have been the query in the vicinity of more than one saloon between five and six a. m. today...

"According to a late message, the Bulgarians have attacked the Greek troops along their whole front and large masses of troops are participating in the hard fighting..."

"GREEKS ATTEMPT TO CUT RAILROADS TO BULGARIA. Sofia, June 30.—More fighting occurred today between the Bulgarian and Greek troops east of Saloniki. According to the Bulgarian account, the Greek soldiers tried to cut Bulgarian railroad communication, but were driven off after they had burned one village..."

"REPORTS OF HOSTILITIES RECEIVED AT BERLIN. Berlin, June 30.—Heavy fighting is in progress in Macedonia according to dispatches received here. Hostilities between the Bulgarians and Serbians in the vicinity of Drina have been resumed..."

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TOOK HINT FROM NEWSPAPER

How One Woman Kept Clippings on All Subjects in Which She Might Be Interested

A young wife who was always well informed and brimful of ideas, stories, and current topics, explained her method thus: "I formerly worked on a daily newspaper where they had a morgue which I happened along for a filing cabinet..."

"In pigeon hole No. 1 I placed Gift Suggestions, Holiday Celebrations, Parties and Entertainments, High Cost of Living, Household Economics, Dress, Attractive House Plans, Home Decoration and Applied Art, Gardens, Fancy Work, and two envelopes for Receipts..."

"In pigeon hole No. 2 I placed Book Reviews and Authors, Art, New Plays and Plays, Prominent People, Current Events, Anecdotes, Poems, Family History, Data, Nature Study, Vacation Suggestions, and two blank envelopes for other subjects in which I might become interested..."

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BOOKS HELD AS BEYOND PRICE

VOLUMES IN WHICH VISITORS TO ROYALTY HAVE INSCRIBED THEIR NAMES ARE MOST CAREFULLY PRESERVED

TEDDY SCORES PEACE PLANS

ONE OF THE MOST VIGILANT AND BOLD OF THE PRESIDENT'S ADVISERS HAS BEEN HEARD TO SAY THAT HE BELIEVES THAT THE PEACE PLANS ARE A TRIP TO RUIN...

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"MISCALCULATED. Though the devoted young man had been at her home for nearly an hour, the presence of the family in the adjoining room, with only a large doorway intervening, had prevented him from risking a kiss..."

"When the big clock just above where they sat on the sofa struck 5, rolling off the hours with a loud gong and much rumbling of mechanism, he received an inspiration. "What, dear?" "What, dear?" "When the clock strikes again I shall kiss you..."

"After the proverbial age, he heard the warning rattle of the clock in exact union with the first stroke he gave the girl a resounding smack, following it up with others carefully timed, until he had counted alone. "The next time I'll have ten," he sighed when it was all over. "But, dear," she protested, "that was only the half-hour stroke..."

"Mrs. F. P. St. Clair left this afternoon for her former home in St. Jo, Missouri, to spend some time as the guest of relatives..."

COTTON CORNER MEN ARE RE-INSTATED

NEW YORK, July 2.—William F. Brown and Frank B. Hayne of New Orleans and Eugene G. Seales of Texas, and Colonel Robert M. Thompson of New York were re-indicted by the federal grand jury Tuesday, charged with criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, in connection with an alleged conspiracy to restrict the sale of cotton during the crop year of 1909-10...

"The new bill covers practically the same allegations as the former indictment returned in July, 1910, and de-natured to by the defendants. It omits however, the specific charges that the defendants conspired to operate a corner..."

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HEAT WAVE OVER COUNTRY SEVERE

DEATHS AND PROSTRATIONS ARE REPORTED FROM NUMEROUS SECTIONS

MINNESOTA QUITE COOL

Duluth People Wear Overcoats While Most of Rest of Country is Sweating

By Associated Press. Washington, June 28.—The intense heat wave continued over a great portion of the country today, being the severest in sections from Chicago on the north to Cairo and Memphis on the south and from Kansas City eastward to the Atlantic seaboard except the Appalachian mountains. No relief is promised for a day or two.

SEVERAL VICTIMS CLAIMED BY HEAT IN CLEVELAND

By Associated Press. Cleveland, June 28.—Three deaths of adults in addition to the usual quota of infant deaths were added to the toll of heat victims here today. Last night thousands slept on benches in the public parks.

CHICAGO ALSO SWELTERS, FREE ICE DISTRIBUTED

By Associated Press. Chicago, June 28.—Charity organizations distributed free ice in the tenement districts today and every public bathing place was crowded. Numerous heat prostrations were reported during the day.

BUT DULUTH SHIVERS IN TEMPERATURE OF 42

By Associated Press. Duluth, Minn., June 28.—Smoke rolling from the stacks of big buildings spoke convincingly of the resumption of steam heating here today the coldest June 28 in years. Thermometers registered as low as forty-two degrees at 6 a. m., and at forty-five at 9 o'clock. Pedestrians wore overcoats and men and women in automobiles wore furs. A high wind off Lake Superior carrying a thick fog added to the chill.

NUMEROUS PROSTRATIONS IN CINCINNATI ARE REPORTED

By Associated Press. Cincinnati, June 28.—Three deaths and numerous prostrations this forenoon marked the hottest day Cincinnati has had so far this summer. The temperature jumped to almost fifty by 11 o'clock. Resumption of ice delivery in spite of the fact that the strike continues, probably prevented more fatalities.

DRY WEATHER CAUSING DAMAGE IN KENTUCKY

By Associated Press. Louisville, Ky., June 28.—Kentucky has sweated for three days. Eastern sections of the State reported a protracted drought which is damaging corn. In the vicinity of Pikeville three deaths from heat within five days are reported.

CLEVELAND MOTHER CRAZED BY THE HEAT, SUICIDES

By Associated Press. Cleveland, June 28.—Mrs. Jessie Burkan, the mother of three children, committed suicide today while crazed with the heat.

KANSAS AND MISSOURI IN MIDDIST OF HEAT WAVE

By Associated Press. Kansas City, June 28.—All Kansas and Western Missouri suffered from heat today with temperatures close to one hundred.

RAIN AND SNOW IN UTAH REPORTED SATURDAY

By Associated Press. Salt Lake City, June 28.—Rain and snow continued in Utah and overcoats were in order. In Salt Lake City, the temperature was fifty-three degrees, twenty-nine below normal. Snow storms were reported from the higher altitudes.

KAISER PUTS O. K. ON NEW GERMAN AMBASSADOR

Berlin, June 30.—The emperor today announced his approval of Justice James W. Gerard of the New York supreme court as ambassador to the German court.

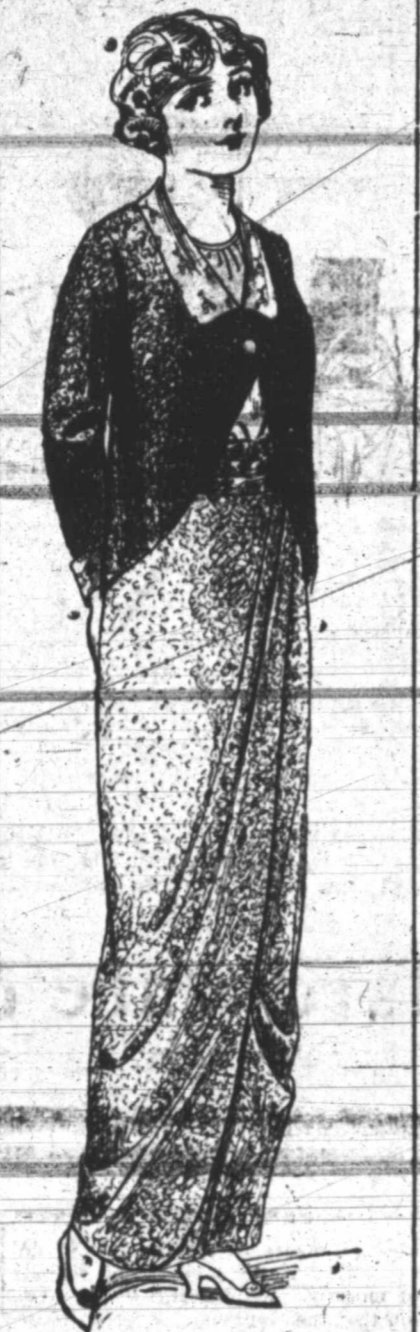
SEVERE PUNISHMENT

Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Advertisement for Cardui medicine, describing its benefits for various ailments and providing contact information for the manufacturer.

Skirts are Wrapped Instead of Slashed, in Summer Styles

New York, June 27.—The once popular but now waning vogue of the slash and the prevailing tube like appearance of the female figure have been food for amusement and comment for some months. But now a fresh theme engages the public mind. The new wrapped over skirts are so constructed that their staying qualities are entirely dependent on strap or spring fasteners and as fashion decreases that only the sheerest and scantiest of undergarments be worn, in many cases "knickers" doing duty for "intimate" outfit, think of the predicament of the woman who finds herself at a street corner on a windy day! Should the fastening immediately lose its moorings, the chagrin of midday and the public may be imagined. These wrapped over skirts are not only in vogue for evening, but for afternoon year also they are highly approved. The overlapping material is held down only half way.



The summer girl, whether debutante or full blown rose, knows the value of dress as a contribution to her summer happiness, and shall I say it? to her conquests. The various accessories play no small part in enhancing her dainty charm. Her ruffles, collars, belts and fans are more important than her gowns—they are the piece de resistance of her wardrobe. It is really remarkable what smart summer costumes some women can acquire by picking up remnants here and there. Materials are now much reduced and may be obtained at about half the previous cost. Odds and ends of ribbon and lace may be had in the same way and fashioned into fichus, draperies, frills and flounces, make most fascinating trimming.

But of first importance to many women is the costume for morning and early afternoon wear. The frock of the second illustration is charming for this purpose. It was developed in that exquisite material—silk ratine, of mustard shade with white dots. Ratine lace of similar shade was used for collar and cuffs. A girle of tan and purple silk is brought well over the left hip, where and hangs free. The waist is made in kimono style and the skirt on the prevailing closely fitted, lines, with back laid in inverted pleat. For short trips out of town and for all practical purposes this frock is most attractive.

Those who spend the summer by the sea may appreciate a word about the bathing suit. It is impossible to improve on black satin as material for this suit. Preferably, it is severely plain, with deep yoke skirt and slash on either side the hem, showing a deep-pile material of the same material. Collar and cuffs of dotted foulard brighten the suit effectively. A suited cap of this material is a pleasing addition. With the smart bathing suit silk stockings, of course,



leaving the remainder free. To be sure, drapery is used to conceal this fact, but this may frequently prove inefficient. Conservative women, however, contends with none of fashion's freak manifestations. She recognizes discretion as the better part of valor, and rounds the breezy corner in mind while still fashioning her costume. To this end she chooses for her street suit a model on the lines of our first illustration. The costume was developed in two tones of sponge, the blue jacket contrasting effectively with the white skirt. Collar and cuffs are of white satin brocade, and the girle, appearing between the cutaway lines of the jacket, was made of Bulgarian silk with blue for its predominant shade. The jacket has the fashionable one-piece back, with slightly rounded lower edge. The one-piece skirt is caught into stylishly draped folds at front and sides, the front fulcrum lying in graceful curves, apron fashion. The lower folds lie well to the hem of the skirt on the opposite side. For travel or wear in city or country the costume is equally charming. The white fabric of the skirt, although liable to soil easily, may be easily tubbed and not ironing is required.

are worn. The shoes may be high with crossed lacing, or low coming only to the ankle. In making a trip to the beach it is always advisable, too, to take along a loose cloak or long coat, which may be worn over the bathing suit to and from the water. This offsets the necessity of using the bathroom as an economy, and more in conformity with midday's sense of exclusiveness.

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REBELS MAKING GAINS IN NORTH

FEDERALS LEAVE GUAYMAS PRACTICALLY UNGUARDED AND ESCAPE

By Associated Press. San Diego, Cal., June 28.—With accommodations for fifty passengers the Mexican steamer, Benita Juarez arrived today from Matlan and Guaymas, Mexico, with 115 refugees. Smalbox was raging in Guaymas the price of food was prohibitive and the Mexican troops made life unbearable for Americans, the refugees said. Five members of a party of thirty-five Americans who walked 250 miles to Guaymas through the war zone, arrived on this steamer. They asserted they were escorted into Guaymas by troops robbed of all their money and left to shift for themselves. According to their count, there were about thirty-five hunted rebels in the territory through which they passed. Thirteen women and children of the Yiber family of Guaymas said to be the wealthiest on the west Mexican coast, arrived for an indefinite stay in the United States.

CONTROL MANY TOWNS

Constitutionalists in Possession of Many Points in Northern Part of Republic

By Associated Press. Douglas, Ariz., June 28.—Gen. Ojeda's federal army has been scattered and Ojeda himself is a fugitive. The state troops are victorious after a seven days' battle around Ortiz, and expect to enter Guaymas today, the last federal stronghold in Sonora. These reports came to constitutionalists representatives here today. Col. Francisco Chiapa, alternately leader of the administration and rebel forces in Mexico since the beginning of the original revolt against Diaz, was executed by state troops near Guaymas yesterday according to advices received here. He was captured in a recent battle at Ortiz and a court martial ordered him shot for carrying on a guerrilla campaign. The hope of Mexican constitutionalists of entering Guaymas without a struggle ended today when the federal garrison numbering 700, refused to surrender. The rebels, numbering 2000 and headed by Obregon, immediately began an attack. Three federal gunboats had left Guaymas and only meager firing greeted the insurgent attack. It is said the water supply of Guaymas has been cut off by the constitutionalists.

REBEL AIRSHIP MAKES FLIGHT OVER GUAYMAS

By Associated Press. Nogales, Ariz., June 28.—The constitutionalists began an attack on Guaymas this morning, according to dispatches here. Didier Masson, the French aviator, was reported to have

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BURKBURNETT TRAGEDY RESULTS IN ONE DEATH

J. S. Dixon Killed—Shooting Alleged to be Accidental, But Arrest is Made

J. S. Dixon of Burk Burnett, is dead and W. G. Chilton of Burk Burnett, is out on \$1250 bond, as the result of a tragedy at Burk Burnett in which a shot gun was discharged. The load struck Dixon in the left breast, at close range, killing him instantly. Chilton claims the shooting was accidental and this claim was more or less sustained by the evidence adduced yesterday afternoon at his examining trial before Justice Morris at Burk Burnett. According to Chilton, he and Dixon and a third man were in a rooming house, when the conversation turned on the subject of firearms. He says he took his automatic shot gun from his trunk to exhibit it to the others, when it was discharged. According to Chilton, about a foot from the muzzle of the weapon and the load caught him in the chest, death resulting almost instantly. Sheriff Randolph took Chilton to Burk Burnett yesterday for the examining trial, after he had been placed in jail here. His bond was fixed at \$1250 which he gave. All of the parties involved are members of drilling crews. Dixon's body is being held at Burk Burnett.

MANY NEW LAWS SOON IN EFFECT

ACTS OF LAST LEGISLATURE WILL BE IN FORCE TUESDAY

MANY SUBJECTS COVERED

Those of Most Interest Locally Affect New Charter and the Liquor Traffic

About 150 new laws, passed by the last legislature, will go into effect Tuesday, July 1, and Texas will then be unable to do a good many things they can do now.

Among the laws of particular interest to Wichita Falls are those prohibiting shipment of liquor into dry territory, the early closing law, the law providing for pool hall local option, and the law prohibiting wasting of natural gas.

Wichita Falls is of course vitally affected by the enabling act under which the new charter will be voted upon.

For intra-state shipment of intoxicating liquor into prohibition territory, a penitentiary sentence from one to three years is provided for individuals. Corporations are subjected to a \$500 fine.

Saloon must close at 9:30 p. m. and remain closed until 6 a. m. daily, except Sunday. Unlawful to be found drunk in a public place. Fine \$1 to \$100.

Unlawful to sell intoxicating liquors in a city or town after it has fixed the limits in which they may be lawfully sold, outside of the limits prescribed. Penalties: Confinement in the penitentiary from one to three years.

Wholesale liquor dealers must pay a tax of one-half of one per cent on their gross receipts. Penalty for not doing so, \$1000 fine.

When 10 per cent of the qualified voters of an incorporated city having a population of from 1000 to 5000, petition the mayor shall order an election to determine whether the consolidation form of government shall be adopted; in unincorporated towns, the county judge shall order the election.

Common School Districts—No common school district shall be organized in counties of less than 10,000, with the more than four miles from the center of county.

Courts—When judge dies, session shall continue by election of special judge. Estates of Wards—Guardians may make mineral leases.

Intermediate Sentences—Jury shall find only guilty or not guilty in certain felony cases; judge shall pronounce prisoners sentence indeterminate if guilty. Parole may be granted after service of part of term.

Game Laws—New provisions to protect fish, game, oysters, etc. Confederate Pensions—New provisions under which pensions may be obtained.

Deputies Salaries Increased—Court deputies to receive increased salaries. Girls' Training School—State shall erect girls' training school for delinquent girls.

Train Dispatchers—Train dispatchers must furnish information regarding trains to station agents. Failure subject to \$200 fine.

Felony Case Witnesses—To secure witnesses in felony cases application must be made under oath. Ward and Guardian—New provisions regarding bond and acts of guardian.

Reports by Corporations—Corporation reports must be filed with secretary of state between January and February 1, of each year.

School Lands—Owners of public school lands forfeited for non-payment of interest may re-purchase.

Duties of Railroad Agents—Railroad agents must furnish to public information as to probable arrival of trains. Failure punishable by fine of from \$50 to \$100.

Submerged Lands—Submerged lands may be leased for oil and mineral prospecting.

12 COMPLETIONS 15000 BARRELS

PAST WEEK HAS BEEN PRODUCTIVE 'ON THE OIL' COUNTRY

NEW BURKBURNETT WELL

Three-day Run Brought in During Week—Other News in Oil Circles

Twelve completions, with a total new production of 15,000 barrels, is the showing of the Northwest Texas field for the past week, it being an active one in the matter of new production. Nine completions were at Electric and two at Burkburnett.

These wells keep the field's daily production above the 35,000 barrel mark which it attained several weeks ago. Without considerable new production the field's showing steadily diminishes. The new wells are:

Forest Oil Co. No. 10 Marriott thirty barrels.
Reed River Oil Co. No. 18 Brywarses, eighty barrels.
Coriscans No. 15, Brown and Cross, 400 barrels.

Producers No. 15 Marriott, 500 barrels.
Producers No. 19 Bickley, sixty barrels.
Producers No. 30 Bickley, 100 barrels.

Producers No. 31 Weggoner, 100 barrels.
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Producers No. 43 Weggoner, seventy-five barrels.

Coriscans No. 2 Sands (Burkburnett) seventy-five barrels.
Coriscans No. 1 Guillot, (Burkburnett) twenty barrels.
Burkburnett Oil Co. No. 2 Harding, fifteen barrels.

Twenty-five new locations were made last week, but all are inactive, and there is very little testing of unproven territory at present, in the new week.

The Producers Company is still drilling on the Waggoner brothers ranch, being now below two thousand feet.

On the wells south of town, the Monitor is now about 100 feet deep and the Hirschke (Canadian Oil Co.) about 600 feet. The Producers well on the Duckett is about 2100 feet deep; this was contracted for 3000 feet, but it was decided to keep going after reaching that depth.

Northwestern No. 4 Eads is down about 100 feet. This test will be watched with interest from the fact that with all the dry holes at Eads No. 2 was a paying well and No. 4 is close to the discovery well than any other.

In re the estate of J. T. Nelson, deceased. Pursuant to an order of the probate court of Choctaw county, Oklahoma, I will sell at private sale the following personal property belonging to the estate of J. T. Nelson, deceased, to the highest bidder for cash:

Twenty (20) shares of the capital stock of the First State Bank and Trust Company of Wichita Falls, Texas, of a par value of \$100.00 per share. Sealed bids will be received by me up to and including the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., July 5th, 1913, to be opened in the office of County Judge W. T. Glenn.

Bids must be accompanied with a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of the par value of said stock. The rights is reserved to reject any and all bids.

A dividend of \$100.00 will be due on the above stock in August, 1913. J. J. NELSON, Administrator. F. M. Alton, Attorney for Adm. Hugo, Okla., June 19, 1913. 2c

NO AMERICAN MONEY IN THE MADERO REVOLUTION

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., June 28.—Senator For Fall gave the Senate its first indication of the report of the committee which investigated the Madero revolution in Mexico in a speech urging the repeal of the law of 1912, which permitted former President Taft to forbid by proclamation shipments of arms across the border.

A member of that committee, Senator Fall declared, was convinced that not an American dollar was used in financing the Madero revolt.

MANY NEW INSURANCE COMPANIES IN TEXAS

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, June 28.—B. L. Gill, commissioner of insurance and banking announced today that 253 certificates have been granted this year to companies licensed by his department. Of this number, seventy-five were fire and marine insurance companies, fifty-two foreign fire and marine companies, forty-eight domestic and foreign accident companies and the remainder scattered under several classes.

SEARCHING PROBE OF MULHALL'S CHARGES

HOUSE MAY JOIN SENATE IN INVESTIGATION OF SENSATIONAL DISCLOSURES

COUNTRY STIRRED

Manufacturers Association "Lobby Field" Agent Tells Startling Story of Invidious Influence

Washington, June 30.—A searching investigation of the so-called underground system, not only by the Senate lobby committee, but by a special committee of the House also, promises to be the next result of the sensational charges by Martin H. Mitchell, who claims to have been the general lobbyist for the National men named in the published statements, and that the lobby conducted its operations from a room in the capital paid money to employ there and took an active hand in making up committees and went actively into campaigns to defeat congressmen who opposed legislation the lobby wanted, have thrown congressional circles into an uproar.

Statements From Those Named. Congressmen named in the Mulhall charges are issuing statements. Some of them denounce the allegations as "slandering lies." Speaker Clark last night issued a statement confirming the charges that the lobby had worked for his defeat. Many congressmen mentioned, however, who feel that they have been brought in without any specific charges against them, declare they will be battled with the committee's investigation alone, but will insist on a special committee of the House to sift the charges. The Senate committee, however, intends to lose no time. A subpoena already served on Mulhall is to be followed by others for the names named in the published statements.

To Spread Drag Net. Chairman Overman believes that when his process servers get through they will have spread a drag net to bring in material for an investigation covering the past ten years, starting at the capital at least. If there is any doubt of the Senate committee's authority Chairman Overman intends to have the Senate extend its powers.

President Wilson's Attitude. Discussing the Mulhall statements today, the president is believed to have said that he believed with the committee's investigation alone, but will insist on a special committee of the House to sift the charges. The Senate committee, however, intends to lose no time. A subpoena already served on Mulhall is to be followed by others for the names named in the published statements.

The President said the accusations in the Mulhall statement had been called to his attention just before their publication. He learned that Senator Overman's attention also had been called to a portion of the charges. Mr. Overman announced a full investigation of the Mulhall charges has been agreed upon by his committee.

Senate Committee to Resume July 5. It was during the meeting of the committee will be held until July 5. Charges by Chairman Lovett of the Union Pacific, that certain men in New York had been impersonating congressmen will be taken up first and the Mulhall charges next.

Representative Bailey said today he proposes to ask the House on Wednesday to authorize an investigation of its own, and that he will bring up the question as a matter of the highest privilege, affecting the House membership. Chairman Henry of the rules committee declared that any resolution for investigation of the Mulhall charges referred to his committee, undoubtedly will be acted on immediately. He favors an investigation.

Nature of Disclosures. The nature and extent of the disclosures in an article published over the sworn signature of Mr. Mulhall in the New York World and the Chicago Tribune. The statement reports to be Mr. Mulhall's personal history as the representative from 1903 to 1912 of the National Association of Manufacturers and briefed with names of Congressmen whom he alleged were "subversive" or who were hostile to the opposition to the legislation favored by the association. Allegations that he helped defeat Congressmen who opposed the manufacturers, that his organization had spent thousands of dollars to elect men expected to be sympathetic to their interests—that he had aided in securing favorable members that handled labor, and that his assistants had used great efforts to secure the establishment of a Federal tariff commission in 1908 as a means of delaying tariff revision are contained in the long article under Mulhall's name.

Publicity First Information. The facts alleged in the striking story of legislative lobbying and political campaign were not told here. Chairman Overman prior to their publication. He declared today, however, that the story was so circumstantial in its detail that he expected the committee to go to the bottom of the allegations and to uncover any new angle of "invidious lobbying" or "slandering political campaigning" that might be disclosed.

The Mulhall article named many former and present members of Congress who were alleged to have been active agents in support of legislation desired by the National Association of Manufacturers. It specified employees of Congress who had been retained to secure information and stated that even the page boys of the House of Representatives were

HEAT CAUSES WRECK IN WHICH 25 ARE INJURED

Rails Spread Near Fulton, Indiana and C. & O. Passenger Train Leaves Track

NEW RULES FOR KEEPING COOL ARE QUITE NOVEL

By Associated Press. Paris, Ind., June 28.—The intense heat which caused falls to spread is blamed for the wreck of Chesapeake & Ohio passenger train No. 8 known as the fast flying Virginian, in which twenty-five persons were injured near Fulton, Indiana today. Two Pullman cars and a diner turned completely over while the train was running about 40 miles an hour.

Being cool is largely a condition of mind. Keep still. Watch what you eat and drink. Avoid meat ventilate your clothes as well as your home. Bathe freely and avoid extremes of heat and cold in the water. Sweat the fly and don't get chilled at night.

"If you are a blonde avoid the bright lights, because they are rich in chemical ether waves. In persons that have considerable pigment in their skin, in brunettes, these short rapid rays are transformed into long and slow heat waves. These waves have a deleterious effect on the nervous system, of those whose skin cannot resist their potency. Blondes should avoid sunlight as much as possible and when they do go out they should wear colored glasses, hats with orange lining and their clothes outside should be white to reflect the hot rays. Their underwear should be colored, preferably orange or blue. This is to protect the skin."

ESTIMATES WHEAT CROP AT 13,000,000 BUSHELS

Frank Keil Revises Former Figures on Texas Production—Local Crop Better

The Texas wheat crop will reach thirteen million, possibly fourteen million bushels this year, according to Frank Keil, whose estimates are generally accepted in the grain business. Several weeks ago, Mr. Keil's estimate was eleven million bushels, but he has had reason to change his figure.

"It would not be surprising to see a twenty-bushel average for the State," said Mr. Keil, "that would be about fourteen million bushels. Wheat is making little or nothing in the plains country, but is showing up well in other parts of the State. In Wichita county crop will average seventeen bushels, the best since 1910 and it will grade and test unusually high. Last year, much of the Wichita county wheat did not test over fifty-eight, but it will be much better this season."

Mr. Keil's indication is that while the crop in this section is poor, the acreage has been reduced to such a point that this will hardly be a factor in the state at large. The oats yield will be smaller than 1912, he believes, but there will be more oats in the state on account of the fact that the black land farmers are much better stocked up on feed and will market a larger part of their crop this year.

TENNESSEE COMPULSORY EDUCATION LAW

Nashville, Tenn., June 30.—Tennessee's compulsory education law enacted by the present legislature, is effective tomorrow. By it, all children between eight and sixteen must go to school.

DEVELOPING PLAN TO STOP PARCEL POST CONGESTION

Washington, June 28.—Efforts to relieve the railroad mail service of the congestion resulting from the parcel post have been partly completed by Postmaster General Burleson and by Alexander H. Stephens, superintendent of railroad mail service.

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The first step will be a request of Congress for an appropriation of \$200,000, with which to establish forty new terminal railroad postoffices.

These will assist toward giving special facilities with which to handle the most bulky parcels. The project contemplates handling the larger parcels in the "blue tag service" disposition of the bulk of second-class mail shipments.

A terminal railroad postoffice exists in St. Louis, and this, it is believed, will serve to carry out the new plan there. Similar offices are to be installed in Kansas City and St. Joseph, Omaha, Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth, Denver, Pueblo, Memphis and Lubbock, Neb.

The smaller parcel post packages will be transmitted along with regular mail in mail cars, although it was found the packages cannot be carried conveniently in these cars.

The idea is to assemble the larger packages at the points of origin in a separate room, and to dispatch them in baggage cars.

The mail cars are not built to meet the demands of the large size parcels. On many routes, because of the heavy burden of large packages, delay and

SURVIVORS OF AUTO ACCIDENT MAY RECOVER

Fort Worth, Texas, June 30.—Evelyn Absher, eight months seriously injured in the survivors in yesterday's auto accident, is still alive today and has a chance to recover, physicians say. How the car became unmanageable and plunged over the embankment is still a mystery. For the examination of the steering gear shows it was intact.

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NORTH AND CENTRAL TEXAS TEST WELLS.

The Stamford Oil & Gas Company is drilling at 1475 feet.
The Guffey test on the Smith land north of Iowa Park is drilling at 1950 feet.
The Bus. Company is testing its fine well between Iowa Park and Burkburnett, at 1910 feet.
The Riverside Oil Company, No. 1, Beaver, northeast of Potosi, is fishing at 3000 feet.
The Producers Oil Company's test on block 14, Denton county school land, is shut down at 290 feet.
D. R. Bailey is drilling on the Barnes land in the Holloway mountains, near the northwestern corner of Brown county on leases acquired from Ch. Huffman. The present depth is over 600 feet.
Eulinger, Propper, & Rogers, near Iowa Park, had a streak of sand at 445 feet, which, they estimate they can make a 5 to 10 barrel well. In the Brokaw, Friend & Balston test near the hole was ruined by shooting.
The Brownwood Oil & Development Company No. 1, Brooke Smith, within the city limits of Brownwood, was recently abandoned at about 1820 feet, having found no oil showings of any importance except the customary shallow oil found at about 175 feet.
Disquieting rumors were afloat for a time relative to the Producers test on the Vargoner Brothers ranch, about miles southeast of Electric. The story went out that oil had been struck, but this could not be verified. It was finally learned that the test was about 1750 to 1800 feet deep, with 100 feet of open hole below the casing. A flow of salt water prevented making a test of the formation and work is at present shut down.
The Texas Company's second test on the Matthews land in southwestern Tarrant county is down 1650 feet and has shown no signs of the gas found in No. 1. The same company has made a location for a test on the Reynolds land, five miles northeast of No. 2 Matthews.
The Neodessa Oil & Gas Company during the latter part of May brought in a gas well on the Jennings farm, north of Bangs in Brown county, which is estimated at about two million feet. The well is about 14 miles west of Brownwood on the Santa Fe main line to San Angelo. It is capped and no information has been given out, though the depth is reported to be about 1150 feet.
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FOOD FOR SKEPTICS

By JOHN BARTON OXFORD



JUST as the first gray streaks in the sky to the east were heralding the approach of day, the vast, nerve-racking walls, which had assumed intermittently since midnight from the branches of a maple close to the bedroom windows, began again. Suddenly the first melancholy note shattered the frosty stillness when the back door was opened suddenly, and down the steps came Captain Solomon Beale, the collar of his hastily donned overcoat turned up about his neck and his bare feet slipped into a pair of well-worn carpet slippers.

As he stepped to the foot of the maple, he was aware of a saucer of cream, which he balanced gingerly as he stepped to the foot of the maple. He stepped up in the branches above his head, a furry donkey, crouched on one of the spreading limbs, showed him the position of the enemy.

The captain's lips set in grim determination. He held out the saucer of cream in enticing fashion, the while he strove to work something like blandishment into a voice of unusual softness.

"Come, kitty, come!" he coaxed, but the black ball above him, possessed, seemingly, of some inkling as to the true inwardness of the captain's sudden hospitality, refused to venture from its retreat. A pair of green eyes stared down at him, as if already they more than half suspected the treachery he was planning.

Captain Beale put down the saucer at the foot of the tree and moved away a few paces. There was a light movement of the branches, the sound of outspread claws upon the bark, and down the trunk came the cat, sniffed suspiciously the contents of the saucer, and then began to lick the cream with a relish that was most apparent.

The grim expression upon Captain Beale's face became more pronounced.

He took one cautious step forward, and then another. Engaged in the least attention to the stealthy approach. It was only when the captain was close beside it, that it condescended to turn its attention from the cream, and then it was too late for the captain, with an agility surprising in a man of his years, suddenly leaped forward and caught the black body by the nape of the neck.

Vainly did the cat give vent to its outraged feelings; vainly did it struggle to effectively use its teeth and claws. In a trice the captain had thrust it into the gummy sack, the neck of which he tied with a piece of stout twine.

Panting, but triumphant, he laid the wriggling bundle, from which came the sounds of a lost soul in the deepest woe, upon the ground. He turned to cast a hurried and guilty glance at the windows of the house next door, half expecting to find there numerous protesting witnesses to his perfidy, but the windows of the house next door remained discreetly curtained.

Thanking his lucky stars for this alleviation of his enemy into his hands, Captain Beale picked up the sack, bore it into the house, and went upstairs to array himself somewhat more fully.

It was only too obvious that a man, bearing a bundle of such liveliness as the sack bore, fair to be, could never hope to go through the village streets in broad daylight without attracting unpleasant attention to himself. Therefore, as soon as the captain had completed a hurried toilet, he came into the kitchen, took up the sack, and while yet the town was wrapped in slumber, made his way to the water-front, where his schooner, a fit craft of some hundred tons, lay at the dock, her cargo of potatoes aboard, all ready to sail with the morning tide. But even in the half-light of early

morning, the captain was not without a certain breathless anxiety as he hurried along the silent, deserted streets, the gummy sack over his shoulder and the cat within it sending out soulful protests every step of the way.

Indeed, it was only when he gained the dock, scrambled aboard the Lucinda, and tossed his burden unceremoniously into the spare stateroom of the little cabin, that he found courage to draw a long breath.

"There, drat ye!" he apostrophized the sack, "squall yer ins'ards out now for all I care or for all the good it will do ye. I'll learn ye to come squeakin' round that maple by my bedroom every night I try to stay ashore, keepin' me awake with yer infernal yowlin'." So on; keep it up now; don't mind me! Have your fun while you can. I call ye you're pretty high jowled your last yowl, and spit your last spit. I am, I'd leave you overboard now. If it wa'n't for the tide takin' you ashore and them Ruder folks next door gettin' suspicious that I drowned ye, I'd just keep ye trussed up in the bag till we get outside, and then I'd let ye swim."

He slammed the door of the spare stateroom, crossed the cabin, and threw himself into his own berth to snatch what sleep he might before it was time to start for Rockville with the cargo.

He was awakened somewhat later by the sound of heavy footsteps on the deck, and he started up to find his two foremost hands, and Joe Blair, his cook, but not come aboard.

"All right, boys," he greeted them cordially. "Glad you got here bright and early. May as well get under way right off. Tide's settin' just right for us now. Git breakfast goin', Joe. Look alive there, for'ard. Cast off them lines."

In a few moments the Lucinda was drifting with the tide away from the dock, and presently, with all full sail, she was well on her way toward the open sea.

It was after he had eaten one of Joe Blair's excellent breakfasts that Captain Beale's mind returned to the spare stateroom and the sack therein. He arose from the table, and, thrusting his head out of the companionway, mentally noted the schooner's position. Far away the shore was but a hazy blue line; while just over the port bow loomed the gray shaft of the lighthouse on Flat Island. The captain chuckled.

"This is as good a say place," he told himself, "as I can find. I'll never wash it ashore from here."

He descended to the cabin, opened the stateroom door and drew out the sack. With much vocal effort, the wriggling mass of furry shag, gummy hair, but at last, the cat lifted its muffled sufficient spirit to send up a last wail that would have killed the last spark of pity in the captain's heart, had such a spark existed.

As it was, he stolidly carried the bag to the deck, and looked about for a convenient piece of scrap-iron to serve as a sinking-weight.

He was intent on his task of securely lashing a piece of agarine chain to the neck of the bag when Joe Blair, with a basket of dirty dishes on his arm, came up from the cabin. He spotted the captain seated on the bitts forward and made his way thither.

"What you goin' to do with that, cap'n?" he demanded.

Captain Beale went on with his work without so much as looking up.

"I'm goin' to leave this bag overboard," he said.

"So? What yer got in the bag?"

The contents of the bag, answered for itself. There came from its depths a wall of misery that would have melted the heart of an idol. Joe Blair started perceptibly. He set down the basket of dishes and looked accusingly at his superior.

"It's a cat," he said.

Captain Beale bristled. Hard lines appeared about the corners of his mouth.

"Well, what of that?" said he.

"What you goin' to do with that cat?" the cook questioned in a tone that boded trouble.

"Do with it?" the captain snapped. "What do you s'pose. D'yer think I was goin' to use it for aigger-head? I'm goin' to let it swim."

Joe Blair's brow darkened. He pushed back his soiled cap and scratched his head in doubtful fashion. He picked up the sack and slouched toward the galley. Captain Beale, with a grunt of disgust, as much for his own weakness as for the cook's, stalked aft to the wheel.

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luck to have a cat over no matter what it came from, but it got aboard. Say, what's that?"

"Black," said the captain with incautious truth.

Joe Blair fairly gasped. "Black!" he cried. "Say, you don't mean you'd leave a black cat overboard, do ye?"

"I ain't so terrible partial as to colors," was the captain's sardonic response. "You go to—hearin' no black cat off'n this schooner!" the cook said in a shaking voice.

Beale stiffened. "So here, you blasted grease-skimmer," he belittled. "I'm cap'n of this craft. You want to s'pose that I shall most probably be about as I'm mind to, and that I'll be about as I'm mind to—see?"

"It's the cook," the cook threatened. "I'll git out of this schooner—see? I'll git out of her as soon as we git to Rockville—if we ever do," he added gloomily.

The threat struck Captain Beale in a vulnerable spot. The one boast of his otherwise modest nature was the superiority of his cook. All too well he remembered the galley regime before Joe Blair had shipped with him. All too well he pictured the soggy biscuits and the greasy hash of Joe's predecessor. What mattered the cat's presence for a few days, anyway? He could manage to take the pest ashore when they arrived at Rockville and lose it somewhere. The main thing was to get rid of it.

Where or how were secondary considerations. Therefore, Captain Beale unobtrusively.

"Well, if you're so terrible touchy about it, take the critter into the galley, then," he commanded, "and keep her there out of my sight until we get to Rockville."

"I tell ye I ain't what you'd call a superstitious man," the cook retorted. "but you'd got into some kind of a scrape if you'd drowned her. He picked up the sack and slouched toward the galley. Captain Beale, with a grunt of disgust, as much for his own weakness as for the cook's, stalked aft to the wheel.

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weather that Joe Blair ascribed to the cat's presence. When they discovered the old leak that had caused them to stop, it was the cat—according to Joe. Nothing but the cat saved one of the foremost hands from serious injury when he fell from aloft, and by something in the nature of a miracle, landed unhurt upon his feet on the deck. Again it was the cat that observed them into a school of pollock and brought the cook the luck of landing some hundred and fifty pounds of them as he trolled a line astern.

Day by day the cat's benign influence grew apace; and day by day Captain Beale waxed more wrath and disgusted.

"Say, after the luck we've had this trip, I duno as I should want to go to sea again in this schooner, if the cat wa'n't along," the cook confided, and the remark set Captain Beale to thinking and planning.

Plainly the cat was becoming all too popular. She bids fair to be a permanent fixture unless something was done to shadow her with disrepute. Somehow or other suspicion must be brought to rest on her. Captain Beale meditated long and deeply.

"I don't want to lose such a cook, and I'll be eternally cursed if I'll have a cat aboard," he ruminated. "I guess likely the best way out of it is to have something unlucky happen while she's aboard. Something unlucky, that's the ticket," he repeated with a chuckle, a plan already beginning to unfold itself in his mind.

Long that evening Captain Beale sat before the little table in the cabin, musing laboriously.

"She's got to go on the way before long and have some new plank in her bottom, anyway," he mused, the while a smile of satisfaction wreathed his homely face. He consulted an almanac at his elbow. "Now, if she was to hit Shovel Rip Ledge to-morrow, say about six in the evening, the wist she'd go would be to hang there till high tide, long about nine, and maybe, pound out a plank or two. She might just as well go on the way this trip as any. That's the ticket; let her pound out a couple of plank while she's hanging on the ledge. Just enough to git her leakin' 'most 'till hair's, includin' the cook, will have to work the pumps for dear life the rest of the way to Rockville, and then let's see what becomes of that cursed critter. I'll bet they'll have 'er over themselves."

To aid the captain in his plan, the next afternoon a gray mist began to rise from the sea. Steadily it thickened, until by five o'clock it was an impenetrable pall. In the bow the foghorn in the hands of the lookout boomed and bawled in a hoarse, guttural fashion, sending out its hollow wail

through the dun-colored walls, that had closed about them. Captain Beale glanced into the mainmast headed the schooner a point farther to the southward, and grimaced.

Presently by the light he could see the lookout straining his ears between the bluffs of the horn, evidently listening intently. Full, well the captain knew to what he was listening, for already through the mist he could hear the distant moan of the whistling-buoy, which marks the outer edge of Shovel Rip Ledge.

The sound grew steadily plainer. Captain Beale's first wisest. At last the lookout bawled:

"Whistlin'-buoy dead ahead, sir!"

The skipper made a great pretense of listening. "I don't hear it," he declared, and held his course. In a moment he was halting once more.

"There it goes again, sir. Whistlin'-buoy dead ahead!"

Captain Beale affected a fine scorn. "I don't hear no whistlin'-buoy," he maintained, "but I can hear some old freighter groundin' off here."

The lookout's next hail, which followed almost immediately, was a wild yell, while he tore aft at his best speed.

"Breakers, sir, right under her bow!" he howled. And then the schooner struck.

—There was a shock, a jolt, a grinding sound. The little craft shivered from stem to stern. Up the galley companionway came tumbling the cook.

"Lord help us!" he yelled at the freighter groundin' the whistling-buoy smote his ears from close quarters. "We've hit Shovel Rip Ledge!"

There was another bump—a series of bumps; the schooner stopped, surged ahead, then stopped again, then the grinding beneath her keel began once more; slowly she forged ahead. They could plainly hear the surge under her bows.

"Judas Priest!" shouted the amazed skipper. "What do you make of that? Dummied if we ain't hit Shovel Rip Ledge, and can't swim over it! Start the pumps, quick!"

In a trice the pumps were shrieking their protests.

—How soon water's she takin' the skipper demanded.

"Not a drop, sir," the men at the pumps answered.

Captain Beale wiped his forehead. For a time he stood staring stupidly at the binnacle before he put the schooner back on her course.

Then the cook came running aft with a black, furry body in his arms.

"Say, will you believe it now?" he shouted. "Ain't there something in it? Would you ever get on'n that ledge, much more gone over it, if it hadn't been for the cat? Ain't it a special providence you fetched her? I'll tell ye one thing, I ain't goin' to see again on this schooner, no other, without a black cat aboard."

The skipper burst into a great roar of laughter, which left the cook staring at him in open-mouthed wonder.

"You win," said Captain Beale, when he had somewhat recovered his breath. "An most begrinatin' to think myself there's somethin' in it. That cat stays aboard."

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HOOKS AND EYES

By Henry M. Hoyt, Jr.

THEY are one of the white man's burdens. I have no doubt that we have all come under the yoke, at one time or another—either as sons, brothers, or husbands. Nobody is immune, unless it be such lucky creatures as orphans and old bachelors. The masculine mind rebels and lurches again it with surprising unanimity and great forcefulness. But woman will wear what Dame Fashion and the dressmaker create, and the laws of the universe are not lightly to be set at naught, as was discovered, all too good time, by young Mr. and Mrs. Hayward.

They had been married a little over a year, and had fared extremely well, considering. Naturally, there had been differences of opinion, slight quarrels due to the instinctive independence and intolerance of youth, but nothing of any serious import. Withal, the fates had been kind and conditions favorable. Their worldly circumstances were, to say the least, perfectly satisfactory; in fact, the very circumstances of the average bride-to-be who expatiates to her friends in such words as these: "Of course, we'll be as poor as church mice, you know. We won't go out at all, and we've taken the tiniest flat, etc." Little humbugs, whose airs of sham poverty give to their hearers complete assurance of at least five thousand a year. But I digress.

In Mr. Hayward, even the most caring mother-in-law could have found very little at which to cavil. To all outward appearance, he was the sociable husband par excellence. Also, he was undoubtedly generous. But beneath this shining exterior was concealed a grave fault, as yet unknown to his wife. Let it be breathed softly—he did not like to "hook her dresses up the back," in the parlance of the day. As a matter of fact, in the opinion of an expert, the operation is more easily performed from the top

October had come and gone, in its glory of golden earth and sky; with it, almost all of Mrs. Hayward's dress allowance for the following month. The riches of her trousseau had given out, and, besides, there were so many fascinating things in the modistes' shops. In spite of her financial condition, she had set her eyes and her heart upon a certain light-blue creation in the establishment of a certain window her husband mentally noted the schooner's position. Far away the shore was but a hazy blue line; while just over the port bow loomed the gray shaft of the lighthouse on Flat Island. The captain chuckled.

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RELIC OF BARBARISM

Prison System Connecting Civilization and Savagery Declares Speaker

By Associated Press. Portland, Ore., July 2.—The only solution for the problem of crime—which is estimated to cost the country six billions of dollars a year—is the suspended sentence or probation, in the opinion of McKensie Chelard, of Chicago, who addressed the Sectional Conference on Prison Reform today in connection with the World's Christian Citizenship Conference in session here.

"The prison is the connecting link between civilization and savagery," Mr. Chelard asserted. "Were there no prisons now in existence it is inconceivable that enlightened society would adopt such an unnatural and unscientific system for the treatment of its defective members."

"It is unquestionably true that to the prison has been assigned the most difficult and the most important task in organized society, viz: the prevention of crime and the rehabilitation of the criminal. Upon its success depends to a large degree the happiness and contentment and prosperity of the nation. It is expected and required to take the hereditary criminal, the physical, mental and moral defective, the educated delinquent, the ignorant and unlearned, the convict whose only offense is his poverty, and with the crudest of equipment—for the most part unclean and unventilated cells, striped suits and perchance a few ill-sorted books—hand these unfortunate back in a few weeks or a few years to society freed from their hereditary taints, healthy, useful citizens in love with their country and its laws."

"The largest single item of cost in every civilized nation is now the cost of crime. In the United States the investment in prisons exceeds five hundred million dollars, while the annual cost of maintenance is upward of two hundred million dollars. No accurate estimate of the cost of crime is obtainable, but it has been placed by excellent authority as high as six billion dollars per annum for the United States, a sum ten times in excess of the total cost of the government. In twenty-six years the number of homicides in the United States has increased over twenty per cent in proportion to the population."

"It has built up a professional criminal class. In every country there is a large and increasing class of professional criminals, practically all of whom have served one or more prison terms. It is estimated that the yearly earnings of these criminals in the United States exceeds eight hundred million dollars. Every person is

necessarily a school for crime and in the United States alone approximately 800,000 persons who are thus imprisoned annually are given a compulsory education in crime. If there were no jails there would be no schools for crime.

"It has increased disease and poverty. The Creator did not intend that man should live in prison. The most deadly disease known to civilization is tuberculosis, whose greatest aids are darkness, dirtiness and dirt, the special characteristics of most prisons. It is insisted by the highest authorities that there is three times as much tuberculosis among prisoners as among others. No estimate can be placed upon the amount of this disease disseminated by prison-made goods and discharged prisoners. "It punishes the innocent as well as the guilty. The greatest wrong committed today is the imprisonment of the bread winner and the sale by the State of his labor to prison contractors. The family of the convict is left to suffer. This crime against innocent womanhood and childhood is as disgraceful as it is unnecessary."

"It does not reform the offender. Forty per cent of all prison graduates are again imprisoned, many of them scores of times. Petty offenders in cities serve as many as two hundred or more sentences. No process in the arts of manufactures, 40 per cent of whose product is defective, would be tolerated. Its failure is logical and inevitable. Not until roses can be grown in a cellar can character be developed in a cell."

"As a means of reform the prison has been the most colossal failure in civilized society. The indeterminate sentence and parole now adopted in twenty-nine States are attempts to remedy a system whereby it is sought to reform one man and punish another by locking them both in the same cell for the same term.

"Because of the inherent impossibility of improving subnormal men in subnormal surroundings, the duty of reforming delinquents must be removed from the prison and placed elsewhere, and the prison be made what it was intended to be and what it is fitted only to be—a place of detention where irremediable offenders may be deprived of their liberty and required to labor in order to make restitution to their victims and furnish support to those dependent upon them."

"The one institution of the State which is qualified and equipped to deal with offenders capable of reformation is the court. Possessing the necessary power and intelligence to determine causes and effects, it can bring to bear upon every delinquent the particular process by which his deficiency—physical, mental or moral—may be removed and he may be restored to his proper place in society without the disgrace or contagion of a prison term. This is the economic reformatory principle of probation or the suspended sentence, which is as old as Christian civilization and which has been adopted in two-thirds of our States and many foreign nations."

"Wherever put into operation by judges in sympathy with it, it has been greatly successful in reducing crime.—It appeals directly to the most powerful reformatory instrument known, the delinquent's own honor and self-respect and constitutes the only process by which the problem of crime and the criminal may be solved."

ELEVEN AUTOMOBILE LICENSES IN JUNE.
Licenses have been issued in Wichita County for 528 automobiles. Of these 11 were issued in June.

Recent licenses that have been issued are:
Miss Maud Stonecipher, Oakland; G. M. Kohler, Electra, Ford; Dave Johnson, Iowa Park, Buick; J. F. Riggs, Case; H. E. Wilson, Krit; O. L. Green, Case; Corsicana Petroleum Company, Buick; Geo. B. Orr, Electra, Oakland.

NEW HIGH MARK ASSESSED VALUES

TOTAL IN COUNTY EXCLUSIVE OF INTANGIBLES AND ROLLING STOCK \$16,767,920

INCREASE IS \$1,818,325

Burkburnett Independent School District Next to Wichita Falls in Increase

Assessed valuations in Wichita county exclusive of railroad rolling stock and railroad intangibles show an increase in 1913 of \$1,818,325 over the valuation of 1912.

Figures have just been compiled in the county tax assessor's office showing the total assessed valuations in the county exclusive of railroad intangibles and rolling stock to be \$16,767,920. This is the high mark for Wichita county. Last year's valuations totalled \$14,949,595. Every independent and common school district in the county contributed to the increased valuation.

In the Wichita Falls independent district this year the valuations total \$7,232,185, an increase of \$864,520 over 1912.

Burkburnett shows the next largest gain with values of \$817,715, an increase of \$295,430.

Other valuations and increases are: Electra—Valuations 1913, \$2,856,115; an increase of \$119,300. Iowa Park—Valuations 1913, \$511,430; an increase of \$31,400. Common school districts—Valuations 1913, \$5,350,525; an increase of \$900,950.

CONSUMPTION CURES HARVEST MILLIONS

Over 500 Fraudulent Remedies Sold Cheating People Out of \$15,000,000 Annually

The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis has issued a bulletin warning against fake consumption cures as follows:

Within the last five years, no less than 500 fraudulent cures for consumption have been tried upon thousands of victims in the United States, and the exploiters of these nostrums have reaped a clear profit of not less than \$5,000,000. This is an estimate made by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in a bulletin issued today.

The National Association estimates that not less than \$20,000,000 is invested in the business of manufacturing and exploiting fake cures for tuberculosis.

NOBODY SPARED.
Kidney Trouble Attack Wichita Falls Men and Women, Old and Young
Kidney ills seize young and old. Often come with little warning. Children suffer in their early years. Can't control the kidney secretions. Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.

Women worry, can't do daily work. Men have lame and aching backs. If you have any form of kidney ills you must reach the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys. Have brought relief to Wichita Falls people. Wichita Falls testimony proves it. Willis Holston, barber, 1011 Indiana avenue, Wichita Falls, Texas, says: "One of my family occasionally has an attack of kidney trouble and always find Doan's Kidney Pills a fine remedy at such times. They do all they are advertised to."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

berciosis, and that the annual income from these concerns and individuals is \$15,000,000. About one-third of this amount is spent for advertising, leaving a profit of \$10,000,000 a year, which is "bold money" taken from ignorant consumptives.

Three kinds of consumption cure frauds are distinguished by the association, the first being the "institute" fraud, where a pseudo hospital or dispensary is established and the wily doctor or professor administers treatments at so much per head.

These concerns also carry on a mail order business with great profit. The second group of cures contains over a hundred different kinds of drugs and patent devices, any of which may be purchased at a drug store. Usually the consumptive is charged from \$1 to \$5 for these and the institute cures when he could make them up himself in exactly the same form for from one to five cents.

The third group of cures includes home made remedies which certain self-declared individuals believe will cure tuberculosis. Among them are such things as onions, lemons, coal smoke, pig's blood, alcohol, dog oil, teas of various kinds and other things. These are not usually advertised for profit, but are usually given publicly in various ways.

The consumptive is the most hopeful individual in existence when the question of a cure is suggested. The National Association has stated that no specific cure for tuberculosis has been discovered.

Animals Remember Abuse and Frequently "Get Even."

The following is taken from a little article entitled "Teasing the Horses" in the current issue of Farm and Fireside.

"To tease any animal is unwise, and even dangerous. Animals never forget."

"I know of two little boys and an old family mare, not an unusual combination on most farms. This old mare has often been teased by one little boy, and when he comes near she lays back her ears and with flashing eyes and snapping teeth tries to get at him. Some time when he is off guard perhaps the chance will come, and who knows what will happen."

The other lad always petted and played with the old mare and talked to her, and she will come to him and follow him about anywhere. When she is hitched up he can drive her any place, and she obeys every word he says. But he never teases her, and she knows her gratitude in her own way.

"Teasing colts, horses or other dumb animals shows a streak of hidden meanness and should not be permitted. It also spoils the disposition of the animal; and it would be utterly useless for them in after years to try to do anything with the embittered animal and expect entire success. Brute force may compel obedience for a time, but how much better to have them act from motives of affection rather than fear."

'BULLETIN' RULE IN EFFECT AT STATION

"See Bulletin Below." This cryptic note now appears on the board at the Union Station when a train is late.

The bulletin tells how late the train is, and it would be utterly useless for them in after years to try to do anything with the embittered animal and expect entire success. Brute force may compel obedience for a time, but how much better to have them act from motives of affection rather than fear."

Formerly, when you went to meet the 1:40 train and found it marked twenty minutes late you walked up the street to see a sick friend or something of the kind; in twenty minutes you came back to find another ten minutes tacked on to the time. This experience was particularly enjoyable when you had a night train to meet.

Yesterday when northbound Denver No. 1 was ten minutes late, there was a bulletin posted on the time table, stating that the train was ten minutes behind time when it passed Belle vue, which was the last station reporting. That seems to be about as near as the railroad care to guess at the time the train will arrive, and is the best they can do, as the public knows just as much about when the train will arrive as the railroad company does; this may not be much, but it helps some.

Mrs. E. C. Brown and children of Waco are now in the city visiting W. T. Carroll, 104 Walnut street.

BOY SERIOUSLY BURNED TUESDAY

GUN POWDER IN POCKET IGNITED AND CLYDE LIVINGSTON MAY DIE

CONDITION IS SERIOUS

Ante-Fourth of July Demonstration Comes Near Being Fatal for Boy

Clyde, the eleven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Livingston, corner Sixteenth and Broad streets, was seriously and perhaps fatally burned Tuesday evening through the premature explosion of some gunpowder with which he and some companions were playing.

It seems that some powder which the Livingston boy carried in his pants pockets was ignited by the explosion of a charge of powder in a can. This set afire to the boys clothing and with his clothing aflame he ran wildly down the street until pedestrians caught him and beat out the fire.

The boy was found to be deeply burned over the stomach and down his legs to the knees. Doctors Coats and Meredith were summoned and did what they could to alleviate the burns, but the boys condition is regarded as very serious.

W. J. SHELDON WEDS IN SOUTH DAKOTA

Romance Begun Years Ago Culminates in Marriage at Pierre Tuesday

W. J. Sheldon, one of the publishers of the News at Electra, was married yesterday at Pierre, South Dakota, to Miss Jessie Brown of that city. The wedding was the sequel to an interesting romance which had its inception many years ago when Mr. Sheldon resided in South Dakota. The wedding took place on the front steps of the state capitol building at Pierre, and after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon left for an automobile trip through the Northwest. They will visit many points of interest, returning to Electra in September.

"Gramp" Sheldon, as he was affectionately known to young and old at Electra, came to Texas some years ago, like many another from the northern states, to seek his fortune in the Southwest. He left behind him the sweetheart of his younger days, feeling that he was not ready to offer her a home. Then came the oil boom days at Electra and "Gramp" undertook the sale of some lands for a colonization company, taking his commission in hand instead of money. The oil territory spread and broadened and the time came when oil leasers looked longingly at the Sheldon tract, which was right in line of production. The drills probed the land and found oil, then more oil and it was not long before fortune smiled upon Sheldon; today he is one of Electra's most well to do citizens.

Then it was that he went back to the girl who had held his promise through the years and then came the wedding, on the front steps of the South Dakota capitol building yesterday. "Gramp" Sheldon's many friends in Electra and Wichita Falls will extend heartiest welcome and sincerest good wishes to him and his bride.

How to Prevent People Looking Through Your Screens.

In the July Woman's Home Companion a department called "The Exchange" which is a collection of practical household ideas contributed by readers. Following is one of the suggestions:

"For the screened door or window which is so situated that the curious passer-by can look into the room, simply paint the screen wire with white paint (not too thick). It does not obstruct the view from the room at all, but anyone on the outside cannot see in unless nearly against the screen. Of course the paint makes no difference when the lamps are lighted."

"Smaller and Better Families" Is New Slogan of Eugenics Crusade



New York, July 2.—Lady Francis Cook, formerly Miss Tennie Claglin, who recently returned to America, says there are too many people in the world. She has taken up the eugenics cult, and in a lecture to New York society women at the home of Miss Hattie Darling, 210 West Seventy-eighth street, she advised them to have children, but not too many. She berated the childless society matron, but defended those who declined to have large families unless they found time to devote all their attention to the bringing up of the little ones. "We have enough people in the world today," she said. "What the future needs is smaller families and better quality. I want the intelligent men and women of this country to pledge themselves to a propaganda of education—that is, form an endless chain to keep up the race standard."

BRIDGES GO OUT TRAINS STRANDED

WASHOUTS ON ORIENT-STAMFORD AND NORTHWESTERN AND QUANAH ROUTE

A THREE INCH RAIN

Special Carrying Members of R. R. Commission and Officials Stranded

Eight bents of the Stamford & Northwestern's bridge across the Salt Fork of the Brazos forty-four miles west of Stamford went out late yesterday leaving a passenger train on the other side of the washout. All the streams in that section are raging torrents following a three inch rain there Sunday night and rains again last night.

Several bridges are out on the Orient-Sweetwater and Chihuahua and trains are being detoured via the Texas & Pacific and Wichita Valley. Some of the trains will be through here this afternoon and tonight.

Passengers coming in at noon over the Wichita Valley report that the Brazos is out of its banks at the bridge near Seymour. Railroad officials, however, apprehend no danger at this bridge.

A bridge went out on the Quanah, Acmo and Pacific yesterday afternoon leaving a special train carrying members of the State Railroad Commission and officials of the railroad stranded eighteen miles west of Paducah.

Heavy Rainfall Over Oklahoma By Associated Press. Oklahoma City, July 1.—The State of Oklahoma was flooded last night by the heaviest rainfall in several years. The heaviest precipitation is reported from Weatherford where the government gauge recorded a rainfall of seven inches. Many bridges were washed out in that vicinity. In Oklahoma City the rainfall was 4.61 inches.

Many of the state's records stored in a downtown building were covered with water and probably ruined.

MAN FALLS NINETY FEET; STILL LIVES.
St. Louis, Mo., June 30.—Benjamin Jordan, 25 years old, fell ninety feet from the top of the cross on St. Mary's Roman Catholic church in Edwardsville and landed apparently unharmed, save for a bruise in his side, where he struck a cornice.

The cornice was at the bottom of the spire. From this he bounded into a maple tree near the church and crashed through the branches. After being examined by physicians Jordan walked about the church yard saying he felt no pain except in the bruised side.

AN AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT TO BE HELD

Chamber of Commerce Appoints Committee to Plan Details for Fall Exhibition

At the Chamber of Commerce directors' meeting this morning, plans were put on foot for an agricultural exhibit here next fall, with prizes to be offered for the best farm specimens. This will probably not be as elaborate as the county fair which was at first proposed, but will, it is believed arouse sufficient interest to secure keen competition. The matter was brought up by J. W. Campbell, district agricultural agent, who thought such agricultural agents, if suitable exhibits are to be obtained to send to the large fairs.

A committee consisting of M. J. Gardner, J. W. Campbell and J. A. Kemp was appointed to consider the matter.

C. E. Anderson, postoffice inspector in charge of the Texas-Louisiana division, answered the invitation of Postmaster O. T. Bacon and the Chamber of Commerce to visit this city, saying that he would be glad to come here but could not name any time.

It was announced that subscriptions to the fund for buying Ball Brothers factory site were now due and it was decided to take steps to collect this amount at once. Directors present today were R. E. Huff, H. B. Hines, J. A. Kemp, Frank Kell, Miles O'Reilly, F. M. Gates, P. H. Pennington, A. L. Huey, M. W. Stanforth, T. J. Taylor, J. M. Bell, E. P. Haney and Patrick Henry were also present.

WANT TELEPHONE POLES REMOVED

Tenth Street Property Owners Enlist Support of Chamber of Commerce in Campaign

With the plans for paving Tenth street at a stage where that great improvement is almost a certainty, residents on that thoroughfare are now asking for what some consider a still greater improvement—the removal of the telephone poles.

P. H. Pennington, one of the active workers for Tenth street paving, brought the matter up at the Chamber of Commerce directors this morning and a committee consisting of Mr. Pennington, Wiley Blair and C. W. Snider was appointed to take the matter up with the telephone company and the city council. With Tenth street paved, the telephone poles removed and the curb lines made uniform, that thoroughfare would be without an equal in the State, and the property owners hope to see these things achieved.

Saving Money on Glasses

It is false economy to wear cheap glasses.

The only way to get glasses that you can safely wear is by having your eyes properly examined by a competent Oculist. Testing your sight alone is not sufficient.

Our examinations are authoritative and we charge no more for glasses than we guarantee to be right than many people pay for the wrong kind.

No "drops." We know how

Dr. J. W. DuVal

Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat

We will be closed all day the **FOURTH**
We trust you will enjoy the day
We know you will if you let us supply the eats

Phones 35 and 604

O. W. Bean & Son

608-610 Ohio Avenue

DRINK IT KID! There will be no morning after the day before on the fifth

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IF THIS bank is able to make your handling of money safe, convenient and simple, will you not give us the opportunity?
City National Bank
Capital and Surplus \$410,000

TRAVELERS' CHEQUES
LETTERS OF CREDIT
FOREIGN EXCHANGE
Issued by
City National Bank

PERRY'S VICTORY COMMEMORATED

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OPENED AT PUT-IN-BAY—WILL CONTINUE UNTIL OCTOBER

100 GUNS FIRE SALUTE

Celebrations Will Follow at Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, Buffalo and Other Lake Ports

Put in Bay, O., July 4.—The Perry Centennial celebration commemorating Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry's victory over the British on Lake Erie, the campaign of General William Henry Harrison and the one hundred years of peace that will have ensued since the signing of the Treaty of Ghent on December 24, 1814, was formally opened here today. It will continue until October 5, with celebrations at Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, Milwaukee, Buffalo, Erie, Pa., and other lake ports and Louisville, Ky.

The Centennial was begun at daybreak with a salute of one hundred guns. A similar salute was given to the naval militia ships: Essex of Ohio; Duquesne of Michigan; Wolverine of Pennsylvania, and the United States revenue cutter Morrill. Following the ceremonies today, these boats prepared to leave for Erie, Pa., where they will form the escort of the historic old flag ship Niagara, which recently had been raised and refitted, and which will visit the cities on the Great Lakes holding Perry celebrations this summer.

At 10 o'clock a. m., the program called for decoration of the graves of the American and British officers killed in the Battle of Lake Erie by the school children of Put in Bay. Simple religious services with music by a military and concert band and prayer by the Rev. J. M. Forbes, characterized this ceremony.

At 1 o'clock p. m., the corner stone of the magnificent Perry Memorial was laid under the auspices of the Ohio Grand Lodge of Masons. The officers of the Grand Lodge participated in this ceremony in conjunction with the Ohio Commissioners and the Inter-State Board of the Perry's Victory Centennial Commission.

The officers of the Grand Lodge and the Commissioners representing the National Government and the States of Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Rhode Island, Kentucky and Louisiana, constituting the Inter-State Board, were escorted to the site of the Memorial by the Seven Commanderies and Knight Templars from Cleveland, Toledo and Sandusky, numbering more than one thousand, one company of the Ohio National Guard, and militiamen from the ships in the harbor.

Following this ceremony, the oratorical program of the day was carried out in the large coliseum at Put in Bay, which was taxed to its full capacity of four thousand people. John H. Clark of Cleveland, president of the Ohio Commission, formerly presented the Memorial reservation to Commodore George H. Worthington, president general of the Inter-State Board. The Inter-State Board will complete the memorial, when it will be transferred by them to the National Government. Colonel Henry Waterson of Louisville, Ky., has been selected to deliver an address and the oration of the day was delivered by former Senator John M. Whitehead of the Wisconsin Commission.

A display of fireworks with fire portraits and numerous elaborate displays was on the program for the evening. Following this, a banquet given by the Ohio Centennial Commissioners in honor of Ohio State officials, members of the legislature, the supreme court, the Masonic fraternity and other guests, had been planned. President John H. Clark will act as toastmaster and responses will be made by Hugh I. Nichols, Lieutenant and personal representative of Governor Cox of Ohio, Representative John Cowan, for the House of Representatives, State Senator D. F. Mooney, for the Ohio Senate, Most Worshipful Grand Master E. S. Griffiths for the Ohio Grand Lodge of Masons, General Warren Keller of the United States Centennial Commissioners, Timothy S. Hogan, Attorney General of Ohio.

The principal feature of today's celebration was of course, the laying of the corner stone of the memorial which is to be the permanent monument to Perry's victory. When completed

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TRAIN ROBBERY NEAR MEMPHIS

FOUR BANDITS HOLD UP AND ROB EXPRESS TRAIN WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT

THEY AWED TRAIN CREW

Compelled Trainmen to Uncouple the Baggage, Express and Mail Coaches—Blow Safe

Memphis, Tenn., July 4.—Without firing a shot, four bandits held up and robbed a southbound passenger No. 1 on the Illinois Central early this morning, one and a half miles south of Batesville, Miss.

After compelling the engineer to uncouple the baggage, express and mail coaches the bandits forced the trainmen to run them some distance down the road where they blew the safe of the express car and rifled the sacks on the mail car. The bandits then ran the engine to Pope, Miss., where they left it, and made their escape.

Bloodhounds have been secured and have been placed on their trail. After the dead engine was found at Pope the train was reassembled and the line opened for traffic. The robbers had cut the telephone and telegraph wires.

Express officials say the robbers did not secure over \$5,000. Fifty pieces of registered mail were taken. It is said a reward of \$3,000 will be offered for their apprehension.

YOUTH STEALING RIDE IS KILLED

ON WAY HOME TO SPEND THE FOURTH BURNS WOOLBRIGHT OF QUANAH MEETS DEATH

HE FELL BETWEEN CARS

His Body Cut in Two By Wheels—Father Notified and Rides From Quanah to Auto

Bevins Woolbright, the sixteen year old son of J. E. Woolbright of Quanah fell off a northbound Denver extra freight No. 251 last night two miles north of the city at 10:45 and was instantly killed.

He had been employed here in town for several weeks and was attempting to get a ride home to spend the Fourth of July with his parents. He was riding on a car of lumber about the middle of the train and is believed to have been fighting a cigarette when the train gave a sudden lurch, throwing him off the end of the car between the wheels. Conductor Shaw felt the jar as the wheels passed over the body and stopped about the middle of the train and he believed to have been fighting a cigarette when the train gave a sudden lurch, throwing him off the end of the car between the wheels.

The body was carried to Hill's Undertaking parlors and held until his relatives could be communicated with. His father came down this morning in an automobile and took charge of the body which was conveyed to Quanah on the noon train and will be buried tomorrow.

Justice W. E. Brothers was notified of the accident last night and conducted an inquest.

DEAD MAN'S RELATIVES LIVE IN THIS CITY.

Plainview, Texas, July 4.—L. B. Meadows dropped dead near this city yesterday. The body is being held at the undertaking parlors of E. R. Williams until relatives can be communicated with. It is said that he has an uncle, Hugh Meadows and several cousins living in or near Wichita Falls.

WOMAN THROWS PETITION AT KING GEORGE.

Britool, Eng., July 4.—While King George was driving to the Royal agricultural show here this morning a woman, believed to be a suffragette rushed at his carriage and threw a petition at his majesty. She was placed under arrest.

GOVERNOR DUNNE'S SIGNATURE GIVES VOTES TO 1,600,000 WOMEN IN ILLINOIS



This picture is a part of the suffragist history of America. It shows Governor Edward Dunne of Illinois signing the bill passed by the state legislature granting the vote to 1,600,000 women. Those in the group are: (1) Governor Dunne, (2) Miss Margaret Haley, (3) Mrs. Dunne, wife of the governor, (4) Secretary Sullivan, (5) Speaker McKinley, (6) Mrs. Antoinette Funk, (7) Frederick Rinck, (8) Mrs. Grace Wilbur Trout, president of the Illinois Equal Suffrage association, (9) Mrs. Sherman Booth. The suffragists of Chicago made elaborate plans for the celebration of their victory on July 4 and announced that a state celebration would be held in the early fall. Illinois is the first state east of the Mississippi to grant the vote to women. This makes the eleventh state to grant the vote to women.

CLOSE CALL FOR FOUR AUTOISTS

GASOLINE TANK OF AUTOMOBILE EXPLODES WHILE GOING AT 15 MILES PER HOUR

ALL ESCAPED UNHURT

Car Runs Seventy-Five Yards After the Gas Tank Explodes, Takes Fire and is Total Loss

M. D. Rowe, superintendent of the Gulf Refining Company of this city, and J. E. Cobb, J. H. Hawkins and J. C. Beckham of Electra, had quite an exciting and somewhat dangerous experience coming from Electra to Wichita Falls last night in an automobile.

When about three miles this side of Iowa Park and at a time when the machine was making at least fifteen miles an hour, the gasoline tank exploded. When this happened the entire party jumped from the blazing car; the driver, however, did throw on the emergency brake before leaving his seat but had failed to stop the engine and the car, which burst into flames immediately after the explosion, continued down the road for about 75 yards, stopping just before it struck a wooden bridge, where it burned up.

The accident occurred at 9:30 last night. The entire party escaped without sustaining any hurts beyond a few bruises and scratches received in their hasty exit from the burning car. The car burned was a 7 passenger Kiesel, the property of a garage at Electra and is a total loss.

After the accident Mr. Rowe went to a farm house and used the telephone to get an auto from this city to come out after the party.

HEAVY DAMAGE FROM HIGH WATER AT WYLIE

Railroad Tracks Washed Out and Crops in That Vicinity Badly Damaged

Wylie, Texas, July 4.—Heavy damage was caused in this vicinity by the heavy rains which fell Wednesday and Thursday. The precipitation was the heaviest on record. Pilot Creek rose thirteen feet in one hour.

Thursday the Santa Fe track was washed out five miles from here. Four hundred feet of Cotton Belt track was washed out east of this city. Practically all the crops in this immediate vicinity were ruined and much livestock drowned.

Marooned Katy Trains Still Unable To Move.

Royce City, Texas, July 4.—Three M. K. & T. trains, the Katy Flyer, local passenger No. 9 and freight train marooned by washouts Tuesday are still unable to move. It was

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MRS. STETSON SAYS SHE IS REAL HEAD OF X-SCIENTISTS

King Constantine Confirms Reports of Massacres.

PANICKY BULGARS JUMP INTO RIVER

ROUTED BY GREEKS HUNDREDS OF BULGARIAN SOLDIERS LOSE LIVES BY DROWNING

ATROCITIES REPORTED

Retreating Bulgarians Loot Villages Along Route and Torture Inhabitants

By Associated Press. Salonica, July 4.—Since the battle of Kilkish, the Greek troops have been successful in a number of smaller engagements in which the fighting was very severe. They are driving the Bulgarians before them northward and eastward.

During the fighting at Ghessell the Bulgarians became panic stricken and many of them jumped into the river and hundreds were drowned.

About two thousand Greek soldiers have been brought to Salonika furnishing evidence of the heavy fighting.

The Greeks claim that the Bulgarians have looted villages and tortured the inhabitants who will not sign a petition asking the Bulgarians to continue their occupation.

King Constantine Confirms Reports of Massacres.

London, July 4.—King Constantine of Greece in a letter to the Greek minister here confirms the reports of massacres by the Bulgarian soldiers in Macedonia and asserts the most horrible atrocities in the territory through which the Bulgarians are retreating.

Bulgarian Prisoners Reach Uskup.

Belgrade, July 4.—The first convoy of Bulgarian prisoners taken by the Serbians comprising 1160 rank and file men and seventeen officers passed through Uskup today.

NO HOLIDAY FOR THE THE TARIFF MAKERS

Democratic Members of Senate Finance Committee Continue Labors on the Bill

Washington, July 4.—There was no holiday today for the hardworking democrats of the Senate finance committee who met to smooth out the tariff bill as revised by the caucus. They expect to have it ready for final approval by the caucus tomorrow.

After tomorrow's meeting Senator Simmons will submit the bill to the committee as a whole either Monday or Tuesday and will have it ready to report to the Senate as soon as possible thereafter, either Wednesday or Thursday.

ANOTHER BIG GASSER STRUCK AT MEXIA TODAY.

Waco, Texas, July 4.—A telegram received this afternoon from Mexia tells of another big gas well struck this morning near that place. The new well is about a mile west of the proven territory.

At the regular meeting of Pioneer Lodge No. 49 all the old officers were elected for the balance of the year.

The records for the past six months show a decided improvement in the general attendance and this fact together with the interest shown by the officers account for their enthusiastic re-election.

The plans for the next term call for social meetings once a month, and for fraternal visits to the nearby lodges. Henrietta, Iowa Park and Electra being the lodges mentioned.



Mrs. AUGUSTA E. STETSON

INDIGNITY TO AMERICAN FLAG

DISPLAY OF AMERICAN COLORS STARTS RIOT AT WINNIPEG DURING SOLDIERS PARADE

WAS TRAMPLED AND TORN

Several Persons Hurt During Riot—Civilians Angered by Enthusiasm of American

Winnipeg, Canada, July 4.—The waving of an American flag here today while thousands of persons were watching a parade of soldiers precipitated a riot during which the flag was trampled and torn and a number of persons injured.

The soldiers who were returning to Winnipeg from their annual camp at Sewell where they had been under the instruction of Ian Hamilton, the famous British general in the South African war, were met by a local American appeared on the curb waving an American flag and shouted "Hurrah for the American flag."

J. B. Mitchell, colonel in command of the regiment, ordered one of his men to request the American to put away the flag but before the soldier could reach him angry civilians had plucked the flag from the American's grasp, torn it and trampled it under foot.

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BALL TEAM MAY GO TO HUGO, OKLA.

REPORT FROM PARIS SAYS TRANSFER MADE TODAY—NOT CONFIRMED

IS A LOSING VENTURE

Still Some Hope Expressed That Wichita Falls May Retain Berth in League

By Associated Press. Paris, Texas, July 4.—The Wichita Falls baseball team in the Texas-Oklahoma League was transferred this morning to Hugo, Oklahoma.

Several stockholders in the local ball team when interviewed concerning the truth of the above message refused to confirm or deny it. They say that the team has never paid and has lost over \$2000 this season. Several times before this there has been a threat to transfer the franchise but local fans who wanted the team to remain here put up enough money to keep it going in the hope that the attendance would get better during the summer months.

Instead of getting better it has steadily grown sadder and the local stockholders have become disgusted and will no longer support the team. Hugo, Oklahoma has asked that the franchise be transferred there and while they say it has not been definitely transferred they admitted that it was very unlikely that Wichita Falls would have any more baseball.

J. L. Art, president of the club said that he believed that the team would be a money-maker if there was a downtown park but that those behind the team did not feel like putting up the necessary money to make the change after losing so much already.

He said that if any local man or a number of men wanted to buy the franchise from them they would be willing to sell it cheap and it now looks like that is the only way this city will have any more baseball this summer.

CITY COUNCIL CHECKS UP TREASURER'S REPORT.

Checking of the monthly report of City Treasurer Walkup took up most of the time of the city council at its session Thursday night. The report was approved.

Several other matters were discussed but no action taken. After the routine business had been disposed of Mayor Bell called the council into executive session when it is understood paving matters were discussed informally.

One Hundred And Fifty Four Burned To Death In Russian Village Fire

St. Petersburg, July 4.—One hundred and fifty-four persons were burned to death here this morning in a fire which destroyed the village of Astrabamozkoo in the district of Astravay.

J. W. Bradley left this morning for Sulphur, Oklahoma, to spend the holiday with relatives.

Anderson County Stays in Wet Column

Palestine, Texas, July 4.—By vote of twenty-three Anderson county remained in the wet column yesterday in one of the most closely contested prohibition elections ever held in this county. Interest in the outcome was intense and the results eagerly awaited by thousands.

WILSON SPEAKS AT GETTYSBURG

TEN THOUSAND VETERANS IN BLUE AND GRAY HEAR PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

A STIRRING MESSAGE

Simple Elegance and High Patriotism of Words Recall Lincoln's Memorable Speech

Gettysburg, July 4.—The army of veterans in attendance at the reunion here began to dissolve today and only the presence of President Wilson held thousands upon to the battlefield. Before noon close to 15,000 had departed for their homes.

The grand rush will begin tonight and tomorrow afternoon will see practically the entire army gone. The president spoke to a crowd estimated at 10,000. His speech was brief and he was frequently interrupted by cheers. President Wilson left on a special shortly before noon for the north.

His address follows: "Friends and Fellow Citizens—I need not tell you what the battle of Gettysburg meant. These gallant men in blue and gray sit all about us here. Many of them met here upon this ground in grim and deadly struggle. Upon these famous fields and hillsides their comrades died about them. In their presence it were an impertinence to discourse upon how the battle went, how it ended, what it signified. But 75 years have gone by since then, and I crave the privilege of speaking to you for a few minutes of what those 75 years have meant."

"What have they meant? They have meant peace and union and vigor and the maturity and might of a great nation. How wholesome and healing the peace has been! We have found one another again as brothers and comrades in arms, enemies no longer, generous friends rather, our battles long past, the quarrel forgotten—except that we shall not forget the splendid valor, the manly devotion of the men who arrayed against one another, now grasping hands and smiling into each other's eyes. How complete the union has become and how dear to all of us, how unquestioned, how benign and majestic, as State after State has been added to this our great family of free men! How wonderful the vigor, the maturity, the might of the great Nation we love with undivided hearts; how full of large and confident promise that a life will be wrought out that will crown its strength with gracious justice and a happy welfare for all people, all alike with deep contentment. We are debtors to those 50 crowded years; they have made us heirs to a mighty heritage."

"Days of Sacrifice Not Closed. But do we deem the Nation complete and finished? These venerable men crowding here to this famous field have seen us a great people of devotion and utter sacrifice. They were willing to die that the people might live. But their task is done. Their day is turned into evening. They look to us to perfect what they completed. Their work is handed on to us, to be done another way but not in another spirit. Our day is not over; it is upon us in full tide. Have affairs passed? Does the Nation stand still? Is what the 75 years have wrought since those days of battle finished, rounded out, completed? Here is a great people, great with every force that has ever beaten in the lifeblood of mankind. And it is secure. There is no one within its borders, there is no power among the nations of the earth, to make it afraid. But has it yet squared itself with its own great standards set up at its birth, which it made that first noble, naive appeal to the moral judgment of mankind to take notice that a government had now at last been established which was to serve men, not masters? It is secure in everything except the satisfaction that its life is right, adjusted to the utmost to the standards of righteousness and humanity. The days of sacrifice and cleansing are not closed. We have harder things to do than were done in the heroic days of war, because harder to see clearly, requiring more vision, more calm, balance of judgment, a more candid searching of the very springs of right."

"We Cannot Break Camp. Look around you upon the field of Gettysburg! Picture the array, the fierce hues and agony of battle, columns hurled against columns, battery following to battery! Valour? Yes!"

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BASEBALL CALENDAR.

Texas-Oklahoma League.
Wichita Falls-Paris, wet grounds.
Texarkana 6, Durant 1.
Denison-Bonham, rain.
Sherman-Ardmore, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Denison at Bonham (morning).
Bonham at Denison (afternoon).
Wichita Falls at Paris (double header).
Ardmore at Sherman (double header).
Durant at Texarkana (double header).

STANDING OF TEAMS

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct.
Paris	76	48	27	.645
Texasarkana	75	45	29	.606
Denison	75	44	31	.587
Sherman	77	42	35	.545
Bonham	78	42	36	.538
Wichita Falls	75	31	44	.413
Ardmore	75	26	49	.347
Durant	79	25	54	.316

Texas League.
Dallas-Houston, wet grounds.
Waco 4, Beaumont 0.
Galveston 3, Austin 2.
San Antonio 4, Fort Worth 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Waco at Dallas (double header).
Austin at Fort Worth (double header).
Galveston at Houston (double header).
Beaumont at San Antonio (two games).

STANDING OF TEAMS

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct.
Dallas	81	46	35	.568
Houston	79	44	35	.557
Waco	84	45	39	.536
San Antonio	83	44	39	.530
Galveston	83	39	44	.470
Fort Worth	83	39	44	.470
Austin	82	38	44	.463
Beaumont	81	33	48	.407

American League.
Chicago 4, St. Louis 3.
Washington 1, Boston 0 (15 innings).
Philadelphia 3, New York 1.
Cleveland 3, Detroit 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	68	51	17	.750
Cleveland	73	44	29	.603
Washington	72	40	32	.556
Chicago	75	41	34	.547
Boston	67	34	33	.507
Detroit	75	29	46	.387
St. Louis	70	20	50	.285
New York	68	19	49	.279

National League.
Pittsburg 4, St. Louis 0.
Chicago 5, Cincinnati 1.
Boston 17, Brooklyn 4.
New York 4, Philadelphia 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
New York at Brooklyn.
Boston at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at Chicago.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Clubs	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	66	43	23	.652
Philadelphia	62	38	25	.603
Brooklyn	64	35	29	.547
Chicago	69	37	32	.536
Pittsburg	68	31	37	.456
Boston	66	28	38	.424
St. Louis	69	29	40	.420
Cincinnati	69	26	43	.377

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Some Of The Principals In The California White Slave Case Involving Department Of Justice



Washington, July 4.—After President Wilson's action in upholding United States Attorney General McReynolds, but at the same time ordering that the prosecution of the California white slave case proceed without delay, further interesting developments were looked for. Some even went so far as to say McReynolds might not stay in the cabinet, although others claimed that his explanation of the delay he ordered in the case of Diggs and Caminetti in California was sufficient to clear him of the accusation brought by District Attorney McNab of San Francisco. The situation was one of national interest. Briefly the facts seem to be as follows: Farley D. Caminetti, son of the new commissioner of immigration, and Maury I. Diggs, both of Sacramento, Cal., both about twenty-seven, married and of good families, took Martha Warrington and Lola Norris, each nineteen, also of Sacramento, to Reno, Nev., and lived with them there under assumed names for three or four days, when they were arrested for violation of a state law. This was in the middle of March. The pair were proceeded against under the Federal white slave act. United States Attorney General McReynolds, when he received a report of the case, wired to District Attorney McNab on May 27 to go along and prosecute the cases. On June 19 Secretary of State Wilson

asked the attorney general to delay the cases so that the elder Caminetti, father of the accused, could continue his duties at Washington owing to a pressure of business in the new department of labor. Mr. McReynolds granted this request and ordered McNab to postpone the case until fall. This also applied to the action of the two directors of the Western Fuel company who were accused with several officers of the concern with participating in a conspiracy to defraud the government on coal drawbacks. Mr. McNab had been advised by Assistant Attorney General Harr to delay action against the two, but to prosecute officials of the company. After both cases by McNab and after a conference with the president Mr. McReynolds decided that both matters should be prosecuted without delay by special counsel despite Secretary Wilson's request and despite the report of Assistant Harr, and the president accepted McNab's resignation, at the same time publicly stating his confidence in Mr. McReynolds.

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CONSTRUCTION WORK IN JUNE

BUILDING ACTIVITIES IN LEADING CITIES IN JUNE BROKE ALL RECORDS

DALLAS LEADS ALL OTHERS

Reports Show 512 Miles Steam Lines and 426 Miles Electric Road Under Construction

Fort Worth, Texas, July 4.—During the past month all building records were broken in the leading cities of Texas and activities in railroad, interurban and public highways construction were very brisk. The building permits issued by the leading cities of the State totaled \$2,810,460, which is a record breaker for the year.

Good roads bonds were rather small during the month, amounting to thirty-seven miles of line have been added to the mileage of Texas.

There are 318 miles of steam lines and 426 miles of electric line under construction in Texas at present.

Building Permits During Past Six Months

The principal cities in Texas issued a total of \$2,810,460 in building permits during June. This is an increase over May of \$251,682. Dallas leads all other cities in Texas during the month with a total of \$300,011.

During the past six months a total of \$12,351,162 in building permits were issued by nine leading cities in Texas. Dallas was well in the lead with a total of \$5,123,565, while Houston with \$2,878,601 and Waco with \$1,399,029 come second and third respectively. Dallas maintained her lead during the entire period with the exception of January, and in April reached the highest point with a total of \$1,207,835 in permits. The month

of June was the heaviest in the six months in permits issued with a total of \$2,810,460, while February was the smallest month with \$1,596,917 in permits.

Following is a statement of the permits issued by the leading commercial centers in the State during the past six months:

Dallas	\$5,123,565
Houston	2,878,601
Waco	1,399,029
Fort Worth	1,081,990
Galveston	1,065,206
San Antonio	1,068,001
El Paso	979,896
Austin	234,197
Beaumont	139,449
Total	\$13,863,107

Good Road Activities in Texas During June

As a result of good roads bond elections and special appropriations, a total of \$135,000 was made available for highway improvements during June. Elections were held in three counties, in which one election carried and two elections were defeated. Special appropriations were made by three different counties during the month.

The commissioners courts in eight counties have called elections to decide on a total of \$1,540,000 in bonds for road improvements. All the contests will be decided in July.

With the bonds voted and appropriations made during June, the total good roads bonds voted favorably since the first of January amount to \$2,357,000.

Following is a table showing the good roads bond elections held in Texas during June:

Cottle \$50,000; defeated.
Denon \$125,000; postponed.
Harris \$15,000; appropriation.
Hidalgo \$200,000; defeated.
Navarro \$75,000; carried.
Parker \$20,000; appropriation.
Webb \$25,000; appropriation.
Dates have been set for the following good roads bond elections:
Bee—\$100,000.
Halt—\$50,000.
Hardin—\$65,000.
Nueces—\$500,000.
Navarro—\$75,000.
Montgomery—\$250,000.
Red River—\$200,000.
Smith—\$300,000.

Railroad Construction

The H. & T. C. railroad which is building an extension from Stone City to Glidings, reports that all the

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grading has been completed on the line and that thirty-one miles of steel has been laid. The total length of the line, when finished, will be thirty-nine miles.

The Santa Fe railroad's extension from Lubbock to Texico is progressing slowly owing to scarcity of laborers. The grading work on the line has been completed and about thirty-eight miles of steel laid. The entire length of the line will be eighty-nine miles when completed.

The San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf railroad reports that fifteen miles of grading has been completed and twelve miles of steel laid on its line to Mathis. It is reported that the line will be extended from this point to Corpus Christi, a distance of about

thirty-five miles. The total length of the system is two hundred and seventy-eight miles.

The Nacogdoches & Southeastern railroad which is building a line from Lufkin to Chireno, reports that two miles of grading has been completed and that work will commence about July 15th. Construction work on a new depot at Nacogdoches will start at once.

The Matador & Northern railroad reports that surveying and cross sectioning has been completed and that the contract has been let for grading. Work has begun on the line about three miles east of Rural Springs. The four and one-half mile extension north of Matador, making connection with the Q. A. & P. railroad.

The San Antonio, Fredericksburg & Northern railroad reports that nine miles of steel has been laid and all bridges but two completed. The entire line will be in operation by August 15th. The line will run from Waring to Fredericksburg, a distance of about 35 miles.

The Quanah, Arme and Pacific railroad completed its extension from Paducah to Hoising Springs, and the formal opening of the road was held June 19th. The line is twenty-four miles in length. It is reported that further construction westward is contemplated.

The Temple, Northwestern railroad has new offices at Temple and has re-incorporated under the name of the Temple, Northwestern & Gulf. The line from Temple to Gatesville, a distance of about thirty-five miles, was graded two years ago. Steel will be laid about July 10th.

Reports concerning the Dallas-Palestine railroad indicate that progress is rather slow, but expectations are that the working force will be increased in a few weeks. About eight miles of grading has been completed.

Interurban Construction. The Beaumont-Port Arthur interurban line reports that nine miles of grading has been completed. The line will connect the above cities and will be nineteen and one-half miles in length.

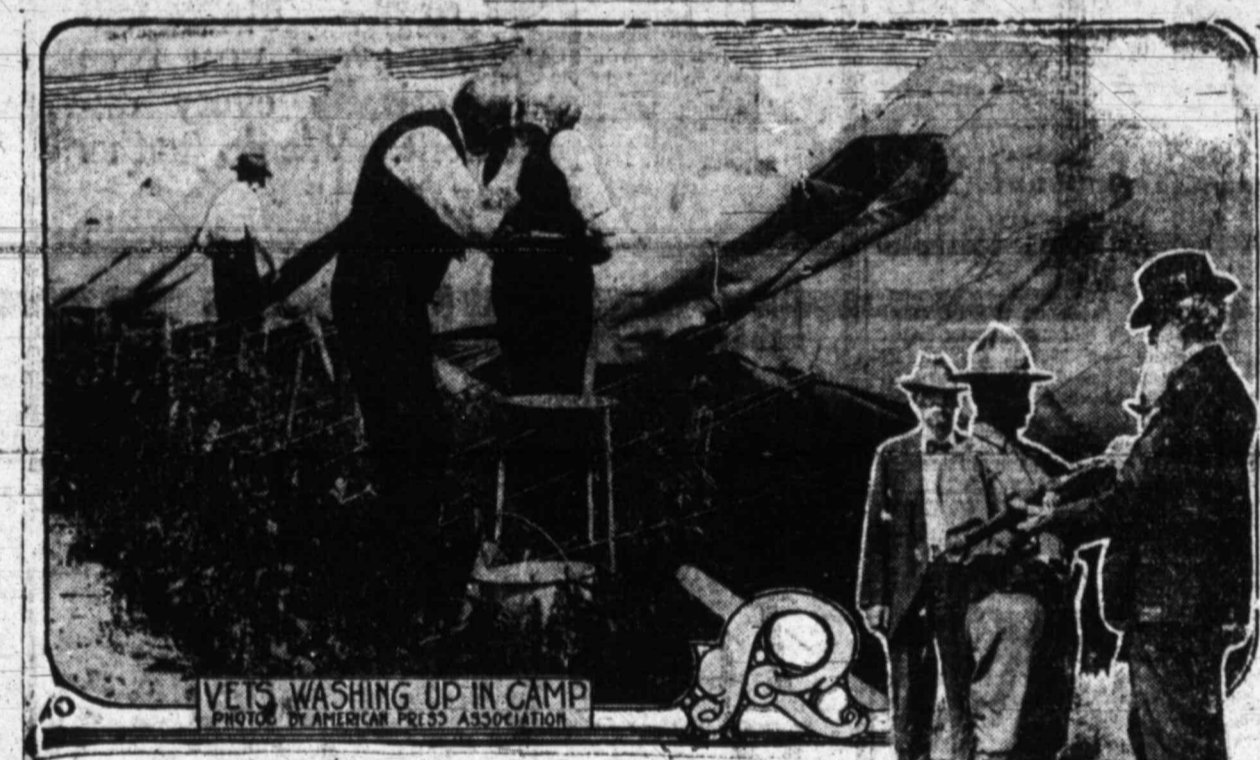
No construction work has been done on the San Benito & Rio Grande railroad during the month of June. It is reported that the line will be extended twenty miles from Rio Hondo.

Considerable material was received for the Bryan College Interurban during the month. Twelve miles of road bed has been graded and three bridges were constructed during June. The line will be thirty-two miles long when completed.

The interurban line between Yates and El Paso has been completed and will be in operation at an early date. The length of the line is thirteen and one-half miles.

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ago shook hands with smiles on their faces and warm sympathy in their hearts for each other's growing infirmities. They lived over again those bloody thirty hours of the three day fight. But there was a practical side to their experience. They camped out as in days gone by, using com-

nion tin basins and roughing it in many ways. The regular army soldiers made it as comfortable and as hospitable as possible for the vets. One of them is seen in the picture showing an aged fighter of '63 how the modern rifle now in use in the army works.

PERRY'S VICTORY IS COMMEMORATED

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pleted, the memorial will consist of a Doric column of granite 350 feet high and 45 feet in diameter surmounted by a spectators gallery reached by elevators, above which will tower an immense tripod holding a beacon light, flashing its rays heavenward and visible for miles over Lake Erie. This column will stand in the center of a plaza 250 feet long and 40 feet wide, which will rise to a gradual ascent from the water's edge with Put in Bay on one side and Lake Erie on the other to a height of 12 feet.

At one end of the plaza will be an historical museum containing relics of American historical events, particularly of the War of 1812, and at the other end, a building emblematic of a century of peace between Great Britain and the United States. This will be the highest monument in the world, excepting the Washington monument at the National Capitol, and the highest column without exception. It will cost approximately one million dollars, which is being contributed by the national government and the ten states affiliated in this centennial.

Watterson Speaks

By Associated Press. Put in Bay, O., July 4.—Henry Watterson, vice president general of the Interstate Party Centenary Commission, was a speaker at the Perry celebration here today. Colonel Watterson announced that this was the last public address he intended to make. In the course of his address, the speaker took occasion to dwell upon what he declared to be a peril menacing the future of the Republic. He said:

"We are told, and most of us believe, that those are bear governed who are least governed. Yet we have one big Congress in the Nation's capital, and forty-eight little congresses in the several state capitals, constantly in session, to make and unmake laws to vex the people and confuse the courts. Inevitably, respect for law is lowered, and here, as elsewhere, familiarity breeds contempt.

"The danger is admitted. Clearly seeing the evils of too much legislation, we call for more. Through chance majorities, stable in nothing, we would regulate the tastes, morals and habits of the people by Act of Assembly.

"Perennially reproaching Congress, we would nevertheless suggest to the powers of Congress:—We are creating a system of centralized bureaucracy and supplementing the civil service with multifarious commissions. We have a standing army of officials. Collectivism, robbing man of his individuality, is substituting for the force of nature, the genius of our institutions and the providence of God.

"Yet we disdain alike experience and forecast. We are threatened with government by hysteria, displaying its excess on the one hand by the valoristic assertion of our grandeur, puissance on the other hand, exposing its humanity through the exploitation of visionary schemes of impossible relief.

"Do I overpaint the picture? Is it but the mocking effigy of an old man's pessimism? Let us not be too sure of ourselves. Let us remember that which Washington and Franklin and Jefferson contemplated; that which Jones and Perry, Harrison and Shelby fought for; that which each side in the War of Sections claims it aimed at—intelligent freedom—we shall have done well.

"We have not been so well governed that we may not be better governed. But I would summon reform through reason, not emotion. I would have regeneration come by growth, not by spasms; and so, despite the impatience and unthinking, I look for them to come in their own good time and order; because I have faith in that people who seem chosen of God; in that fabric which seems ordained of God; in the destiny of that land under the blessing of God, who in its darkest hour raised up Washington to defend and Lincoln to save for his own all our purpose, and will never suffer the empiric or the sacrilegious to undo the work of his hand.

"Perry nailed to his masthead the brave words of the unconquerable Lawrence: 'Don't give up the ship; may we not amplify and extend them to embrace the sweep and reach of our institutional system?—On land and sea, in glory and in peril, whenever the republic rides the waves too proudly or is threatened by foes within or without, let us take them as a message from Heaven, and pass them on to our neighbors and teach them to our children. Don't give up the ship.'"

TAILOR BURNED IN GASOLINE EXPLOSION AT VERNON.

John Thornton, a young man, solicitor for the Panhandle tailoring firm, was seriously burned about the neck, chest and shoulders, arms and hands Tuesday afternoon about 6 o'clock when a small amount of gasoline exploded and ignited a bottle of wood alcohol. Young Thornton's top shirt was almost completely burned from his body before employees in the meat market next door to the tailor shop could remove it.

At the time of the accident Thornton had started to light the burner under the steam presser, which had been cut off only a few minutes before and it is supposed that the heat of the burner ignited the fluid which caused the explosion. At last reports the young man is resting as well as could be expected considering the extent of his injuries. It is not known whether he inhaled the flames and in case he didn't the injuries are not expected to prove of a very serious nature.—Vernon Record.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, July 4, 1913

Rather than intervene in the Mexican affair, it has been suggested that Uncle Sam send arms to both of the belligerent forces and let them fight it out, and it is not an altogether bad idea. They have been fighting now for the past three or four years, and judging from press reports, are no nearer a settlement of their differences than they were at the beginning.

Parcel post stamps can now be used on all mail matter, it being deemed by the postoffice department no longer necessary to limit their use to packages.

The change in the income tax bill makes incomes of \$3,000 and over taxable, except in cases where a man is married. In that instance the married man is given \$1,000 advantage over the old bachelor or man who is not married. This change, however, does not touch very many newspaper men. It could be dropped a thousand or two lower and yet miss most of 'em.

In Oregon there is what is known as "the lazy husband law," and under its provisions the wife is given the privilege of having her lazy husband sent to the county farm and put to hard work for which he is to receive \$1.50 per day, the proceeds of his labor to be turned over to his family. It is said the workings of the law is having the proper effect on lazy husbands. One short term generally is sufficient to convince them that it is far better to work for the support of their families than to be forced by the law to work. It is a good law—one that every state in the Union could well adopt.

THE GERMANS AT BABYLON

(Review of Reviews) The excavation of Babylon is not yet completed. A good deal of the ancient city still lies beneath some forty or fifty feet of later ruins. The city being excavated by the Germans is chiefly the capital of Nebuchadnezzar. In fact, nothing preceding the time of Sennacherib has been found. That monarch boasted that he completely destroyed the first Babylon throwing even its foundations into the river Euphrates. On one of the larger mounds known as Babil, Dr. Koldewey believes there stood the ancient structure known in the Bible as the Tower of Babel. The excavators have already revealed huge arches of passage ways leading through the ruins. These arches, modern scholars believe once supported the famous Hanging Gardens. The explanation is that the overhanging of the different terraces gave the appearance of being suspended in the air.

The German zeal for investigation in this is undoubtedly due primarily to scholarship. In fact, funds for the work have been subscribed, as has already been said, by the Deutsche Ost-Asien-Gesellschaft. However, it may be that there is also a political motive behind the work. The ambition of the German government to dominate in the Near East is well known. When the Baghdad railroad is completed across the northern desert, which will be a triumph of German diplomacy and engineering skill, this land of vast mineral wealth, agricultural possibilities and ancient ruins may then become all its intents and purposes German territory.

COURT KEPT BUSY WITH WOMEN'S CASES

Following Conviction Yesterday Ross Humphries Arrested Again Last Night

Convicted in the county court yesterday and given a \$200 fine and twenty days in jail for running a lady house. Ross Humphries was arrested together with another woman and three men on charges of vagrancy. She exhibited bond for her own appearance and of several others arrested with her, and this morning her case was continued in the city court until tomorrow morning.

Wednesday night her house was raided by the county officers and several persons arrested therein paid fines in the justice's court yesterday for vagrancy.

She has taken an appeal from the ruling in the county court yesterday and awaits trial on fourteen similar charges and in addition has been indicted charged with attempt to murder in connection with a shooting affair in the Mulberry row district recently.

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709-711 Tenth Street Is now running with new machinery and experienced help. We do all kind of laundry work, all work guaranteed. We mend garments and sew your buttons on. Give us a trial and we will prove good. Phone 714 SNOW & ARTHUR Props.

Plenty of Flags And Little Noise Mark Celebration of Fourth



The celebration of the Fourth in Wichita Falls this year is of the safe and sane kind. The sun rose this morning upon a flag and bunting decorated town, but was not greeted with the usual salvo from crackers and school cannons which have hitherto made the day hideous. The small boys seemed to have transferred their energies from powder to flags judging by the ingenious draping of bunting on bicycles.

FAVORS S. J. RESOLUTION NO. 18

The Times: Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 ought to be adopted for the following reasons: To help build good roads. To erect warehouses, and help the farmer secure a better price for what the farm produces. To build irrigation ditches, and drain the marsh lands of Texas. To take the insane out of our county jails, and provide room for them in our insane asylums. To take the deaf, dumb, blind and orphan children out of the fire traps they now occupy. To give for industrial and normal schools the room and equipment needed for those who are to be our teachers and home builders. To remove from the University grounds temporary wooden structures and erect suitable buildings that are a credit and not a disgrace to the state.

To take care of the penitentiary system in a business like manner and to place the state as security behind the \$2,000,000 of bonds already authorized to be issued, so that they will bring a better price in the market when offered for sale. To erect buildings for our boys at the A. & M. College so that the use of tents will be unnecessary. To apply business principles to State institutions, as we now apply same in the building of jails, court houses and school buildings, by counties, cities, and districts of the state. The temporary improvements at our State institutions are disgraceful and proves beyond question that it is a waste of money to pursue our present policy of appropriating funds to add to them from year to year. When we undertake to make additions to public buildings by piece-meal each year as we are now doing, we can expect nothing but a botched job and a makeshift. You cannot make a building modern by building it in sections, covering say a period of fifteen years. All our buildings ought to be modern fire proof structures in keeping with the wealth and advancement of the state, and the superior business policy of distributing payment for such permanent buildings, over many years, by the issuance of bonds at a low rate of interest, just as towns and cities do for school and other public buildings can not be doubted.

But we are told the legislature is authorized to issue unlimited bonds at unlimited interest. Such a statement is not true. The bonds for the University are secured by the income from the permanent fund of the University, and are limited to the amount of that income. The penitentiary bonds are secured by a lien upon its physical property, and are limited to the value of this property.

The greatest bugaboo in the minds of some, is the amount of bonds to be issued for "other institutions." Such bonds are absolutely limited to the amount required for necessary buildings, and not one cent for maintenance, or deficit, or any other thing can ever be paid out of these bonds. It would be a terrible calamity for any of the children at the Blind Institute to lose their lives by fire, yet we are told it would be foolish and unwise to trust the governor and the legislature to issue bonds and erect proper buildings for their protection. The only way we will ever get modern fire proof buildings for the insane asylums and for the deaf, dumb, and blind children of Texas, is to quit our present patchwork system and issue bonds to erect such structures. The bond method is the only one that is available, or possible, and is the method successfully employed by communities making public improvements in every part of the state.

The legislature and the governor, amenable as they are, to the people, are always anxious to make a record for economy, and will never take on the burden and risk of any bond issue unless they are sure that the very reasons that our institutions are in their present condition is that no appropriation made by the legislature has ever been sufficient, and in the very nature of things it cannot be so under the present system. Every proposition contained in Resolution No. 18 is in the interest of progress, and sound public policy, and for the advancement of Texas and it should be adopted at the polls on July 19th. Present conditions at the public institutions of the state, all will admit, are unworthy of this imperial commonwealth, and I for one, am anxious by my vote, to say a change is desirable, and that I am willing to trust the governor and the legislature to see that the interests of the people in the balance of the resolution are not affected.

WILSON SPEAKS AT GETTYSBURG

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Greater no man shall see in war; and self-sacrifice, and loss - to the uttermost; the high-recklessness of exalted devotion which does not count the cost. We are made by these tragic, epic things to know what it costs to make a nation - the blood and sacrifice of multitudes of our countrymen lifted to a great stature in the view of all generations by knowing no limit to their many willingness to serve. In armies thus marshaled from the ranks of free men you will see, as it were, a nation embodied, the leadership and the led, and may know, if you will, how little except in form, its action differs in days of peace from its action in days of war.

"May we break camp now and be at ease? Are the forces that fight for the Nation dispersed, disbanded, gone to their homes forgetful of the common cause? Are our forces disorganized, without constituted leaders and the might of men consciously united because we contend, not with armies, but with principalities and powers and wickedness in high places? Are we content to be still? Does our union mean sympathy, our peace contentment, our vigor right action, our maturity self-comprehension and a clear confidence in choosing what we shall do? War fitted us for action and action never ceases.

That Host is the People.

"I have been chosen the leader of the Nation. I can not justify the choice by any qualities of my own, but so it has come about, and here I stand. Whom do I command? The ghostly hosts who fought upon these battle fields long ago and are gone? These gallant gentlemen stricken in years whose fighting days are over, their glory won? What are the orders for them, and who rallies them? I have in my mind another host whom these set free of civil strife in order that they might work out in days of peace and settled order the life of a great Nation. That host is the people themselves, the great and the small, without class or difference of kind or race or origin; and I divided in interest, if we have but the vision to guide and direct them and order their lives aright in what we do. Our constitutions are their articles of enlistment. The orders of the day are the laws upon our statute books. What we strive for is their freedom, their right to lift themselves from day to day and behold the things they have hoped for, and so make way for still better days for those good families in Sacramento, Cal., shortly to face trial for violating the Mann white slave act in sleeping with Lora Norton and Martha Washington, alleged Sacramento, Cal. women, who were arrested in Reno, Nev. on charges of being white slave girls. Diggins and Caminetti are the new United States

DIGGS AND CAMINETTI, PRINCIPALS IN THE CALIFORNIA WHITE SLAVE CASE, AND VICTIMS

of justice to grant a postponement of the cases till fall that caused President Wilson to be so angry.



Here are the principal figures in California's white slave case, in which Attorney General McReynolds was involved. From left to right: Diggins, Caminetti, and the woman who was the victim of the crime.

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whom they love who are to come after them. The recruits are the little children crowding in. The quarter-master's stores are in the mines and forests and fields, in the shops and factories. Every day something must be done to push the campaign forward, and it must be done by plan and with an eye to some great destiny.

"How shall we hold such thoughts in our hearts and not be moved? I would not have you live even today wholly in the past, but would wish to stand with you in the light that streams upon us now out of that great day gone by. Here is the nation God has built by our hands. What shall we do with it? Who stands ready to act again and always in the spirit of this day of reunion and hope and patriotic fervor? The day of our country's life has not broadened into morning. Do not put uniforms by. Put the harness of the present on. Lift your eyes to the great tracts of life yet to be conquered in the interest of righteous peace, or that prosperity which lies in a people's hearts and outlasts all wars and errors of men. Come, let us be comrades and soldiers yet to serve our fellow men in quiet counsel, where the blare of trumpets is neither heard nor heeded and where the things are done which make blessed the nations of the world in peace and righteousness and love."

RAILROAD BROUGHT IN MANY VISITORS

Low railroad fares or the new anti-shipment law or possibly both made Wichita Falls the Mecca for an influx of several thousand visitors today. Most of the visitors were from Oklahoma, points, although the adjacent cities and towns of Texas contributed their quota and a noticeable feature was the fact that most of the men folk carried suits, cases for an apparent employees that boded business for some wet goods establishments. More than five hundred passengers came in on the Northwestern and a good crowd also came in on the Southern, while the Wichita Valley train was loaded to capacity. The 9:40 train on the Northwestern Thursday night also brought a big bunch, mostly men who with apparently a single thought made a stampede for those places that deal mostly in joy water. On their faces were a sickening dread lest the new closing law be in force and a hope that it would not be. But it was and many a tired, thirsty Oklahoman who had come to Wichita to quench his thirst found that he would have to use the same old water, at least until this morning.

The new shipping law may have put a crimp in the business of Wichita saloon men who made a specialty of mail orders, but it certainly brought many of their customers directly to their doors to buy of the stuff that cheers and lubricates.

Many of the visitors to the city are taking in the pleasures at the lake and the cars have been crowded all afternoon carrying the merry crowds back and forth. The picture shows are also reaping a harvest of nickels and dimes from the travelers.

McGrattan-Millsaps Co.

FOR SATURDAY



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IT will be possible for you to make a saving of from 20 to 40 per cent in this department. We have cut the price very deep on every fancy dress or suit. Many real bargains await you here in practically every department. We do just as we say.

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If you are planning a trip, if you wish to go to a theatre, a lecture, to church, if you need to buy practically any article of ordinary use, spend your nickels for a good newspaper and turn to the advertising columns for the latest information on the subject you have in mind. Make a practice of doing this and you will find that you save yourself both time and trouble and that many a dime might have been wasted had it not been saved or spent in such a way that you have obtained the maximum of value from it.

Headless spending wastes more money than willful extravagance.

In justice to yourself, you must keep in touch with what is in the market. Buy a newspaper and save your dimes by reading the advertisements regularly.

Special Feature Saturday
MARY STEWART
Featuring Mary Fuller

Local News Brevities

Dr. Garrison, Dentist, First National Bank building, Phone 19, 21 tlc

While celebrating the 4th today don't forget the Lamar Air-dome tonight. 45 tlc

My motto: Miller sells it for less.

Try the St. James Barber Shop for service. R. M. Johnson, Prop. 42 tlc

Dr. Nelson, dentist, Phone 44, 15 tlc

My motto: Miller sells it for less.

If you miss the first show at 8:15 go to the second at 9:30. Lamar Air-dome tonight.

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Go to G. A. Dunn, 692 Ohio Avenue, for second hand furniture, cheap 45 tlc

Ladies of the Christian church will give a market at the North Texas Furniture Co. Saturday, July 5th, 1 p. m. 45 tlc

A big car of watermelons received Thursday. Phone us your orders. From 25c to 40c each. Trevathan Brothers. 45 tlc

The meeting of Just Sewing Club for tomorrow afternoon has been postponed.

A benefit performance for the Major Francis Grice chapter D. A. R. will be given at the Lydia Margaret on the evening of July 4. A program appropriate for the occasion will be shown and the proceeds will be devoted to patriotic purposes. 45 tlc

Good music and lots of good dancing at Lake Wichita 4th of July, afternoon and evening. 42 tlc

Have a nice watermelon for Sunday. We have just received a big car. 25c to 40c each. Phone 64. Trevathan Brothers. 45 tlc

Dr. Boly, veterinarian, McFall's barn, phone 14, residence 1076. 45 tlc

Clyde Livingston, the boy who was badly burned by a premature explosion of fire works, is resting much easier today and while his condition is still critical Dr. Meredith believes that unless some complication sets in like intestinal ulcers from the burnt flesh toxin he will recover.

Everything in fresh vegetables for Saturday. Phone us. Trevathan Brothers. 45 tlc

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Beginning June 29, Mrs. J. P. Smith will serve meals at 708 9th street. 42 tlc

Eleven hundred melons just received. 25c to 40c each. Phone us your requirements. Trevathan Brothers. 45 tlc

DEWEES GETS CONTRACT FOR 56 DWELLINGS

Contract Calls for Completion of That Number of Houses in Fairview Addition Nov. 1.

Mr. Thos. H. Peery, secretary and treasurer of the Fairview Addition yesterday awarded contract to John Dewees of this city for fifty-six dwelling-houses to be erected on their addition just north of the glass and bottle factory and in near proximity of the Ball Brothers fruit jar factory, which is now nearing completion. These houses are being built to supply the demand for houses in this part of the city this fall when all the glass plants will be running again.

As the contract calls for the houses to be completed by the first day of November, they will readily be seen that by time the material can be set on the ground, Mr. Dewees will have to employ an army of men to carry out this work, as he will have to make an average of a house every

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DUDLEY HORN was an orphan. He lived with his uncle, Hy Rooker, foreman in a local "motion" factory. Mr. Rooker was a wisened, sour-faced little man, of old Puritanical stock. He even regarded laughter as unseemly and sinful. Dud's attitude was broad, and just the antithesis of his uncle. His big, round, merry face was usually stretched in a vast smile. He had a rich, resonant, infectious laugh, that would set all a shuddering who came within earshot.

Though Dud was cursed with extreme good nature, he was always in more or less trouble. If anybody wanted help that necessitated sturdy muscles, Dud was to the fore, no matter what real duties were neglected in the interval. If errands were to be run, if bait had to be dug, if the neighbors' children or dogs or chickens had strayed from home, if wood was to be cut, if anybody wanted a companion or a burden-bearer on a hunting expedition, if rabbit pits were to be sited or birds stupefied, or coal to be shoveled in, or snow to be shoveled off, Dud was there, willing, smiling and cheerful.

In a letter which the Rev. Wright Egglesey, rector of St. Mildred's, the Episcopal Church in Tiverton, wrote to the Public Entertainment Bureau, he laid stress on the fact that both the lecture and the lectures which he desired must have the saving grace of humor. The churchgoers of Tiverton had certain hereditary tendencies, the seed of which was sown in those times when the struggle for life in New England necessitated a thrift that became habitual, and that, as a result, the collection plates of the church usually came back to the altar sprinkled with a thin dressing of nickels, pennies, and infrequent dimes, and the new rector soon discovered that in spite of his plain speaking on the virtues of generosity, habit was stronger than conviction, and use stronger than conscience.

The bureau sent a man to Tiverton, Charles Emerson Prinkle was his name. His lecture was on "Certain Phases of Life in the Metropolis," illustrated by a whole lot of stereoscopic pictures.

The night of the affair came. Mr. Prinkle arrived, also his assistant, ditto the magic lantern and other paraphernalia. The school room of St. Mildred's was ready, and when its doors opened a good-sized crowd took possession of the front seats, and gave promise of a full house. At about this time, the Rev. Wright Egglesey reappeared, the church, fearing, as he hoped, in regard to the attendance. He sighed a little sigh of relief as he saw a fairly steady line of people making their way to the school room entrance. Then he caught sight of Dud, who, leaning against the railing, watched the others with a wistful grin on his face.

"Well, Dud," asked the rector, "are you coming in?"


Dud shook his head, and his grin broadened.

"Ain't got the price, sir?"

The rector looked grave. "A big fellow like you shouldn't be without a nickel. I thought you told me the other day that you were going to get a steady job at the Fairley Works."

The Mirth Manufacturer

BY ROBERT MACKAY



Dud smiled inquiringly.

"Sure," went on the other. "I heard him tell the man that he was going to make slides of your mug and show it on the music."

"All right," said Dud, "I'm willing."

"It's a pity he can't make slides of the sound that goes with the mug," said the bland assistant.

Mr. Prinkle, ever on the alert to boom his business, had been seized with an inspiration. It occurred to him that he might permanently and profitably use Dud as a sort of hilarious clique. Mr. Prinkle knew the value of a reputation as a mirth manufacturer, and he was determined to lay claim to it. He had a laugh counted more with an audience than wisdom or information.

Mr. Prinkle explained at length to Dud, just what he wanted him to do, laying stress on the fact that while his laugh could be as copious and frequent as he pleased during the lecture, he must not laugh in the wrong place, and must never let the public know that he was in any way identified with the show. Then he briefly recited the other duties of the position, asked some questions about how the boy was placed in regard to his relations, and wound up by offering him traveling expenses, board, and three dollars a week for his services.

Dud, if he had been alone, would have literally jumped for joy; but, as it was, he restrained himself, grinning cavernously. The job, as Mr. Prinkle pictured it, was almost too good to travel, fun, and plenty of excitement. Nevertheless he hesitated.

"Can I take Snoop with me?" he asked.

"Who's Snoop?" queried Mr. Prinkle.

"Snoop" was a disreputable white cur that Dud had rescued from some youngsters who were playing lynch with it. The dog was knowing and affectionate, and loved Dud with a love unspokeable. Dud reciprocated. The two were inseparable, and it was only on those somewhat rare occasions when Dud was working that Snoop was not with him.

"I am afraid it cannot be managed," said Prinkle. "That would be extra transportation to pay, and in some places they would not let you take a dog into your room, and there would be a whole lot of trouble besides."

"No, the dog must stay at home if you come with me," Dud said.

Dud's features fell and he heaved a sigh.

"Look here," said Prinkle, "I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll give you an extra quarter a week; perhaps that will pay for Snoop's board while you're away. I guess you know somebody who will take care of him."

Dud perked up instantly. "It is a go, sir," he said. "Jim Cordy will take care of him. When do you want me to start?"

"This morning," said Mr. Prinkle. "I have to reach—be named a Com-scient town—by seven o'clock this evening, and there is work to do in the interval."

"I ain't got much to pack up," replied Dud easily, "so I'll be back in a jiffy."

Dud fell into the vortex of his profession like a rifle-ball into its socket. He not only laughed all the phases of laughing gusto, but if the audience were composed largely of children, he would giggle like a school-boy at his first circus. On the other hand, if the audience were more austere and gray-headed, he would emit a dignified growl, baffling the occasion. Whenever Mr. Prinkle went, he could rely on Dud with absolute assurance. He never failed to put in an appearance, and he studied the lectures carefully, and the audiences also.

It was only once, while trying to arouse the members of a young ladies' society, that an unseemly vision of a frisked Snoop flitted before him.

"The invited guest of one of these feasts," said Mr. Prinkle, "who won't eat dog stew, puts a grave affront on his host. In some cases his refusal is looked upon as a declaration of defiance, or even warfare. On the other hand, if the visitor eats heartily and dips his hand again and again in the dish, hunting for choice morsels, he is credited with showing deep regard for the host of the feast. In fact, the Indians give a literal meaning to the old maxim, 'Love me, love my dog.'"

This, of course, called for a laugh, and Dud was there with one which had the strength of misery in it. But even as it was issuing from his lips, a slip, he came into collision with the "light of good" and he was a laughing stock.

However, it had to be, and with a

two days to turn them over at the contract time.

This will give employment to a large number of men through the summer which is always regarded as a dull season of the year, especially in building and will help Wichita Falls to keep up her reputation of paying a large payroll the year round.

These houses when completed will be distributed among the applicants for lots in this addition as their trustees may elect.

Mr. Prinkle peering through the door in his direction, and as his employer's face caught the ray of the reading lamp, it seemed as if a twitching smile passed over it. The lecture was coming to the conclusion that Dud was "trying it on the dog."

The lecture was about half over when Mr. Prinkle began a story about a dog who was seen baying along another dog whose leg had been broken. Dud, casting his eyes on the screen, saw pictured thereon the incident, the hurt dog being cruelly like Snoop.

This was the last drop in poor Dud's cup of sorrow, which proceeded to overflow like a bubbling font. Covering his face with his hands, he sobbed aloud, while the hot tears trickled between his fingers. Mr. Prinkle paused for a moment, hesitated, and attempted to go on again, but Dud had done its work. From around a behind and in front of him, arose sob after sob, while scores of handkerchiefs began to dab at wet eyes. Evidently there were a whole lot of people in the audience who had lost pet dogs, and who were in sympathy with the weeping, wailing Dud.

Just how the balance of the evening passed, Dud never quite knew. He was conscious, in a hazy way, of laughing at times, and he remembered that the lecture had been a success. One thing stood out clearly in his mind, and that was—Snoop. Prinkle as he did, Dud was for a moment but that his sorrow meant his improvement. He charged and he wept, and he thought this would mean the annihilation of his bright future. It was precisely he reflected, to lose Snoop for good in one evening.

Dud walked slowly to the door. Arriving there he found a gentleman awaiting him from Mr. Prinkle. He wanted to see him in his room that night. Dud, with a sigh and a sinking heart, obeyed. Somewhat to his astonishment, Mr. Prinkle seemed to be in a very good humor. "Sit down, Dud," he said. "I want to talk to you about what happened at the lecture to-night."

Dud took the proffered seat, but spoke not, wishing that Mr. Prinkle would put him out of his growing agony as soon as possible.

"I did not know before, Dud," began Mr. Prinkle slowly, "that you were such a capital actor. More than that, it was a perfect inspiration, an entirely proper innovation under the circumstances. It did more for the lecture than any amount of laughter could have done. By the way, your committee tells me that I, or rather we, so touched the hearts of the audience that the latter responded most liberally in a financial sense. And I don't mind admitting that much of the credit of the success of the lecture belongs to you. Take this ten dollar bill as a small token of my appreciation of your clever interest in your work. We will add a few more to this lecture to the extent, Dud, of a dollar."

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A MISAPPREHENSION IS CORRECTED

Wichita Falls people are taking a great deal of interest in the proposed Colorado-Gulf Highway, and the local organization has been quite active in spreading information concerning the movement and the work already done. Scarcely a day passes but that routes are being proposed, and the way from Wichita Falls.

Some misapprehension as to the attitude of Wichita Falls seems to exist in some quarters. The following letter from D. P. Talley to a Memphis man seeks to correct this misapprehension.

Mr. A. W. Reed, Memphis, Texas, Dear Sir: Upon my return home after two weeks absence I find your favor of the 28th in which you enclose newspaper clipping stating that recently two automobiles came into Memphis from the south en route to Colorado Springs and that the occupants of the cars stated that they were told by some garage at Wichita Falls that they could not get through your country and were advised to go via the Oklahoma route.

I am very much surprised that this should be the case here and am sure that this advice must have been given by some employe of a garage here who has not kept posted on the highway development. When you consider the fact that it was Wichita Falls people, through me as their spokesman, who first approached Colorado Springs and Amarillo and inaugurated the movement to establish the Colorado Gulf highway via Amarillo, Memphis and Wichita Falls, you will realize that we certainly would not throw any obstacles against the route we had helped to open.

I shall take pleasure in mailing a copy of this letter to our garages and hotels here with request that they post all their employes on this matter so that tourists will be properly advised in accordance with their destination.

Until after the organization of the Panhandle division of the Colorado-Gulf highway and until we were assured that the very objectionable stretches of road between Goodlet and Clarendon would be promptly improved and turned into good roads, we did route the Colorado travel through Oklahoma and Kansas, but we were always anxious that the route should be up the Denver and now that we have a splendid organization and the roads being improved we believe the Denver route is much the best in many ways. We are members of your organization and so long as we are such we certainly are obligated to cast our influence with you in boosting that route to Colorado travel. If Amarillo has the impression that we are not loyal to that route will you not kindly advise them of this above assurance from Wichita Falls. Yours truly, D. P. TALLEY.

Possible Watery Death Holds No Terror For Oscar Straus, Though Brother Died On The Titanic



New York, July 3.—Oscar S. Straus, who ran for governor of New York last autumn and whose brother was one of the Titanic victims, had no hesitancy in risking his life when he went up in a hydroaeroplane owned and run by L. A. Vilas, a rich Chicago aviator. Though Mr. Straus was reported recently so ill when he returned from a trip to Europe that he had to be carried from the ship, he showed little signs of weakness during the night over Pelham bay with Vilas. The latter had assured him that there was no danger. Many of Mr. Straus' friends wondered why he should place himself in any position of danger as regarded a possible death in the water because of the fate that befell his brother on the Titanic. Vilas' hydroaeroplane is luxurious as flying boats go. It is fitted up in Pullman car style, with glossy mahogany finish and nickel plated fittings. It is forty feet wide and twenty-six feet long. It has a 100 horsepower motor and can go fifty-five miles an hour in the water and sixty-five miles an hour when aloft.

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In these days of doubtful medicines and dangerous drugs, a statement like the above is a pleasant assurance that Dodson's Liver Tone is a reliable remedy for both children and grown-ups. In buying a bottle for immediate or future use it is well to make sure you are getting the genuine Dodson's Liver Tone and not some spurious imitation that has copied our claims, but do not stand back of their guarantee. You may be certain of getting the genuine if you go to Miller's Drug store for it. (Advertisement)

FEWER HORSES ON TEX. FARMS AND RANGES

Automobile Held Accountable for Decrease of 39,364 Head as Shows By Census

The number of horses on the farms and ranges of Texas has decreased 39,364 head during the past ten years, and the automobile is said to be responsible for these conditions. An argument in favor of Bobbin is that his value has increased 74 per cent during this period while the average value of an automobile has depreciated 88 per cent.

The horse has practically held his own in Wichita county although our records show a large increase in cars in this county. We have in Wichita county 5242 horses according to the latest census reports and their total value is given at \$430,040.

OKLAHOMA MEN ON LONG MOTORCYCLE TRIP

Party Passed Through City Enroute to Galveston—Encounter Heavy Rain on Road on Way

Four of them, Doc B. D. Taylor of Blair, Fred Watson of Granite, C. C. Green of Altus and Henry Lantz of Blair, passed through the city today on their motorcycles en route for Galveston. They left home last evening, spent the night at Burkburnett and expect to make Fort Worth a time for supper. They said the roads from Altus to the bridge were very bad on account of the recent rains. Just before reaching the bridge they had to get off and drag their cycles through the mud. So far the Texas roads have been excellent and if they continue good they are going to try and make Galveston by Sunday night. They are not trying to make any records or anything like that, but Motorcycle Mike isn't going to have anything on them.



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PERSONAL MENTION

M. Dodson of Burkburnett, was in the city today. He says wheat crops in that section are threshing out all the way from 10 to 25 bushels per acre.

Mazah Barwise of Beaver Creek neighborhood, came down to spend the Fourth with relatives in this city. In that part of the county wheat crops suffered greatly from the drought and the average yield will not be much above 10 bushels per acre.

Councilman John Bradley is spending several days in Fort Worth.

Councilman John Young received a telegram from Killeen last night saying that his brother, R. A. Young, there, was critically ill and was not expected to recover. Mr. Young left for Killeen on the first train.

R. M. Jameson of Austin is in camp at Lake Wichita. He is accompanied by the Messrs. Falner of Fort Worth.

W. A. McCutchen of Denver is in the city, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Coffield in Floral Heights.

Rhea Howard, cashier at the Times office, is making a short trip with a party of friends through the Panhandle country.

E. E. Jewell and family of Lancaster, Ohio, are registered at the Westland.

M. Komer and wife of Electra are spending the Fourth in Wichita Falls.

Afternoon trains have brought a number of visitors from nearby towns. In spite of celebrations at various other places they would rather be in Wichita Falls to celebrate the Fourth with their families than any other of these towns with everybody in Texas.

Joe and Sam King, Walter Wilson and Driel Mercer of Electra are celebrating the Fourth by a trip around Wichita Falls.

J. L. Art returned this morning from a visit to relatives at Sherman. Mrs. Art remained there for a more extended visit.

Tom Weidman is in New York taking in the convention of moving picture show owners.

Dr. Wade Walker went to Fort Worth on business.

Mrs. M. F. Gupton returned last night from a visit with relatives at Dallas.

Mrs. W. S. Haid went to Flowing Springs yesterday with Mrs. J. V. C. T. Christensen who is to deliver an address there today.

Mrs. Frank Griffin went to Fort Worth this afternoon to spend the week-end with her mother.

Mrs. S. M. Porter of Clarksville, who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Joe Daniel, left this afternoon for a few days visit with her sister at Qingy.

Deputy Sheriff Barbsch of Austin stopped over for a short time today with a prisoner named Carl Schroder, whom he captured in Oklahoma. Schroder is wanted in Austin for embezzlement.

City Attorney Douner left for Fort Worth this morning on legal business.

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Flood Recedes at Greenville. By Associated Press. Greenville, Texas, July 4.—The heavy rains which for two days caused the inundation of parts of this city have ceased and the flood waters have receded within the river banks leaving all the country roads impassable because of the wrecked bridges and piles of debris. It is expected that railroad communication will be re-established tonight.



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