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WILL NOT REPRESENT HIM IN PEACE NEGOTIATIONS, AS HUERTA REQUESTED

AN ARMISTICE WILL BE ASKED

Peace Envoys Notify U. S. and Huerta Such a Decision Had Been Reached

By Associated Press. Washington, April 29.—An armistice in the difficulty between the United States and Mexico has been asked by the South American envoys who have undertaken to avert war.

Ambassador De Gama of Brazil today notified Secretary Bryan that such a step had been determined upon and that General Huerta had also been notified.

The proposal for an armistice was telephoned to President Wilson at the White House and although no announcement has been made it is reported that the United States will accept an armistice agreement on the condition that there would be no civil uprising in Mexico or other untoward incident.

The Brazilian ambassador today presented Secretary Bryan Huerta's answer to the Brazilian minister in Mexico City regarding mediation.

The report persisted today that the envoys had seriously considered plans for a provisional form of government for Mexico. No suggestion has been made to this government from any government other than Brazil, Argentina and Chile.

The Japanese government, it was learned today, was asked and declined to act for the Huerta administration in the negotiations. It was also reported that prior to Huerta's application to Spain to have its consular representatives in the United States act for Mexico, similar application was made to Japan which declined to allow its consuls to act.

VESSLS BELIEVED LOST IN STORM
WRECKAGE FROM THE BENJAMIN NOBLE PICKED UP ON LAKE SUPERIOR
FIVE VESSELS ARE OVERDUE

San Francisco, April 29.—A regular army olive drab uniform and orange red lined plink, was the uniform formally adopted today for the guards at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Breaches cut on lines of the United States Infantry uniform, leather puttees, military caps with tan leather visors, and olive drab overcoats will complete the uniforms. There are at present less than 100 guards on the exposition grounds, but this number will be increased to about 200 after the gates are opened.

TENTS WILL BE SENT FOR PEACOCK RELIEF
Austin, Texas, April 29.—In response to an appeal for aid for the cyclone sufferers of Peacock, Stone-wall county, Gov. Ferguson directed the adjutant general's department to forward at the earliest possible time twenty tents to be used in sheltering the homeless.

The appeal came from G. A. Gray, chairman of the relief committee at Peacock, who advised that about 200 people have been left homeless as a result of the storm.

EASTERN RAILWAYS ADOPT REVENUE RAISING PLANS
Washington, April 29.—Railways operating in Eastern classification territory have adopted the evident suggestion given them by the Interstate Commerce Commission and have begun to file tariffs providing for a charge for "spotting" cars.

The provisions and charges contained in the tariffs are identical in all instances, indicating concerted action on the part of the roads.

Man Files Suit For Recovery Of His Own Hand

Suit for possession of his own hand, which he had carried all his life until a short time ago and to which he probably became very much attached, has been filed in the justice court at Electra by J. E. Hooker against the Producers Oil Company.

ARREST SOCIALIST AUTHOR AND WOMEN

UPTON SINCLAIR AND FIVE WOMEN WERE MAKING DEMONSTRATION AT JOHN D. JRS OFFICE

By Associated Press. New York, April 29.—Upton Sinclair, his wife and four other women were arrested today after a demonstration in front of the office of John D. Rockefeller Jr. in the Standard oil building this morning.

They had come to protest against the conditions in the Colorado strike district.

One of the women invaded the inner office occupied by Mr. Rockefeller where she sought to interview him. Mr. Rockefeller's secretary told her that he was attending a conference.

The woman carried an American flag and gave her name as Belle Zilerman. She was joined on the sidewalk by Sinclair and the other women who were crepe in pursuance of a plan announced before the demonstration for the lives lost in the strike.

WILSON ATTEMPS STRIKE SETTLEMENT
CALLS IN KENTUCKY OPERATOR AND ALABAMA MINE WORKER AS ARBITRATORS
THEY WILL GO TO COLORADO

By Associated Press. Portland, Ore., April 29.—At least four people lost their lives in a fire which started early today in a thick woodshed in the rear of a building.

A number of others were severely injured. Four bodies have been recovered and search for other victims is in progress.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY RETAIL CLERK'S UNION
Officers were elected and installed Tuesday night at a meeting of the recently organized Retail Clerks Union of this city. A number of new members were enrolled and an interesting session held. The officers are:

More Fatalities in Colorado War
SEVEN KILLED WHEN STRIKERS ATTACK BOARDING HOUSE AT ROCKY MINE
QUIET AT OTHER POINTS

By Associated Press. Denver, Colo., April 29.—The militia will be withdrawn as soon as the regular troops arrive and we will cooperate in every way with the federal government for the re-establishment of order in the strike districts, said Governor Ammons today in reply to a question as to what he intended to do.

Quiet prevailed generally throughout the Colorado fields with the one exception at Forbes where the sheriff reported strikers had attacked a boarding house occupied by guards and had withdrawn after firing upon the house.

In Fremont county where Companies E and H of the Twelfth Cavalry have arrived no disorder is reported.

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WORE MOURNING EMBLEMS

Woman Carrying American Flag Invaded Inner Offices Seeking an Interview

CATCHING FISH WITH USE OF PITCHFORKS

High Water Permits Fish from Lake to Pass Over Spillway—Holiday Creek Fishing Good

Fishing with the bare hands, with pole, line, hook, bait or snake bite medicine is now possible below the spillway at Lake Wichita, and is being taken advantage of by a number of people. Carp and croppie, getting out of the lake through the spillway, swim into the shallow water in the morning and evening to feed and it is no trick at all to catch them with a pitchfork or even with the bare hands.

The fish fence which was constructed across the spillway proved too short, there being deep water extending beyond each end. As a result many fish got out of the lake while the water was at the high stage, and fishing has been good since. Holiday Creek for the past several days.

CLASSIC ENGLISH RACE RUN THIS AFTERNOON
Newmarket, Eng., April 29.—The two thousand Guinea, first of the season's big Classics, three year old races, was run today over the usual mile course here. The race, being its name, was worth \$2,000 to the winner and as might be expected with regard to an event which is considered a dress rehearsal of the all important Derby (run at Epsom a month from now) interest centered on the way in which the cracks had wintered.

King George was present to see his colt Sunny Lake endeavor to follow in Minto's footsteps and place the race to the credit of a monarch, and the royal colt was much liked on account of his stylish display at the Newbury recently. Unfortunately Sunny Lake is not entered in the Derby. King George had not won a classic race up to today. Americans plumed their hopes to Durbar, France American bred son of Rabelais Armenia, belonging to H. B. Duryea Duryea made no secret of his belief that Durbar would repeat the victory of his good colt Sweeper II, a couple of years ago. Betting however has taken but a narrow range owing to the uncertainty as to the well being of Durbar and other factors.

Merely Spectators
Chihuahua, April 29.—Generals Carranza and Villa have met and canvassed the political and military situation in Mexico, with special reference to the attitude to be assumed toward the United States in its controversy with Gen. Huerta and upon the highest authority. It is stated that they have reached the conclusion that so far as matters have thus far progressed, the constitutionalists are only interested as spectators.

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Refugees Praise Britisher
The refugees from Soledad are enthusiastic in their praise of General Tweedie, whose determined stand they believe saved them from probable death.

PRESIDENT ORDERS FEDERAL TROOPS SENT INTO COLORADO

PROCLAMATION COMMANDS ALL VIOLENCE TO CEASE

Secretary Garrison Prepares Order For Movement Of Troops Into Strike Torn Districts

By Associated Press

Washington, April 28.—President Wilson today ordered United States troops to take charge of the strife torn scenes of the industrial war in Colorado. In a proclamation to the people of the United States he commanded that all violence and disorder cease.

The proclamation reads: "By the President of the United States of America, a proclamation. Whereas, it is provided by the Constitution of the United States that the United States shall protect every state in this Union, on application of the legislature, or of the executive, (when the legislature cannot be convened), against domestic violence;

"And whereas, the Governor of the State of Colorado has represented that domestic violence exists in said state which the authorities of said state are unable to suppress, and has represented that it is impossible to convene the legislature of this state in time to meet the present emergency;

"And whereas, the laws of the United States require that in all cases of insurrection, whenever in judgment of the President it becomes necessary to use military force to suppress such insurrection or obstruction to laws, he shall forthwith by proclamation command such insurgents to disperse and retire peaceably to their respective abodes within limited time.

"Now, therefore I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, do hereby admonish all good citizens of the United States, and all persons within the territory and jurisdiction of the United States against aiding, countenancing, abetting or taking part in such unlawful proceedings and I do hereby warn all persons engaged in or connected with said domestic violence and obstruction of laws to disperse and retire peaceably to their respective abodes on or before the thirtieth day of April, Instant. Signed, "WOODROW WILSON, President, "WM. J. BRYAN, Secretary of State."

The Text Of President Wilson's Proclamation

By Associated Press

Washington, April 28.—President Wilson has decided to order regular troops into the strike zone in Colorado.

This decision was reached after the President had gone over the Colorado situation with his cabinet during the greater part of a two hours' session and a proclamation will be issued later today ordering the troops into the district where industrial strife is in progress.

The number of troops will be decided upon in a conference with Secretary of War Garrison.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon Secretary of War Garrison left the White House to go to the war department where he will prepare the order for the movement of the troops. A proclamation was being prepared by the President in the meantime.

650 State Militiamen Face Force Of 2000 Armed Strikers

By Associated Press

Trinidad, Colorado, April 28.—A force of 650 state militia split into four divisions today was facing a body of strikers estimated at more than 2,000 men. The strikers were concentrated in Las Animas, Huerfano counties and in the southern field in Freeman county where on Monday the Chancellor mines was seized.

Explosion Entombs 250 West Virginia Miners

By Associated Press

Breckley, W. Va., April 28.—(Bulletin)—Two hundred and fifty men are reported entombed by an explosion in the mine of New River Collieries Company at Eccles, West Virginia.

ODD FELLOWS OBSERVE 35TH ANNIVERSARY

From Tuesday's Daily

Join With Rebekahs In Social Session at Which Addresses Made By Members

The ninety-fifth anniversary of the establishment of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in the United

States was celebrated Monday night by the local lodge, with exercises in their hall. The affair was in the nature of a social session, the sister organization, the Rebekahs, taking part. Judge P. A. Martin spoke on "Odd Fellowship," others who spoke were Messrs. Rye, Harris, Newman and Willard. At the close of the program refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The order of Odd Fellows was first established in Pennsylvania in the early part of the last century, April 28 being observed as the actual birthday of the organization.

HUERTA ACCEPTS MEDIATION PLAN

SPANISH MINISTER REPORTS HUERTA'S UNCONDITIONAL ACCEPTANCE

PEACE ENVOYS IN SESSION

Try Some Middle Ground Upon Which Both Sides Can Unite As Basis For Peace

By Associated Press

Washington, April 28.—Spanish Ambassador Riano in charge of Mexico's affairs at Washington today informed Secretary Bryan that General Huerta had unconditionally accepted the principal of mediation as involved in the proposal of the Brazilian, Argentine and Chilean ministers. The envoys of the three governments also have the acceptance of the United States.

They met at the Argentine legation this morning in an effort to compose the Mexican crisis. With the acceptance of the three envoys occupied themselves with considering the attitudes and desires of each side and seeking to find some middle ground on which both sides could stand.

The sessions are all private and are surrounded by every safeguard to prevent premature discussion. The sessions are expected to continue this afternoon and tonight.

The White House declined to make any statement as to what proposal it had submitted to the envoys. It was announced that nothing would be said which might in any way embarrass the mediators.

At the regular cabinet meeting this morning the matter was a subject of discussion.

LAKE HIGHER THEN FOR PAST SEVERAL YEARS

Another Good Shower Friday Afternoon Puts Everything Here In Good Shape

From Sunday's Daily

Some damage was done in Wichita Falls Friday afternoon by a rain and windstorm which prevailed for half an hour. No serious damage was done by either wind or rain, but a number of trees were uprooted, several signs were blown down and two cut houses in the factory addition were wrecked. Several ventilators on the jar factory were blown down and some other damage of a similar nature was reported from the western part of the city where the buildings are more exposed.

About half an inch of rain fell during the windstorm, the water being blown almost horizontally and giving the appearance of a much heavier rain than really fell.

Lake Wichita yesterday was pouring over the spillway in greater volume than that of last December and there were no indications of subsiding. The water company is keeping close watch on the dam and has a force ready to repair any break that may be made, though there is little fear of any damage. The rains served to make the water supply doubly sure, although the lake was already at a stage that left little to be desired.

Friday's rain reached several parts of Northwest Texas that were not visited by Thursday's rain, all stations on the Denver from Quinter to Fort Worth reporting good rains; Burkburnett, which was missed Thursday, got a good shower. Valley points as far south as Weiner were also visited.

Reports from Olney say that a small cyclone did considerable damage about seven miles northwest of that place Thursday night. One man whose name could not be learned was reported seriously injured.

MEXICANS OFFER \$500 TEXAS RANGERS HEADS

Gov. Colquitt Will Not Withdraw Militia Until Regiment of Regulars Arrive

By Associated Press

Austin, Texas, April 28.—There is a standing reward of \$500 among Mexicans for the heads of any Texas rangers brought over the Mexican border, according to information received today by Gov. Colquitt. The information came from the Madero ranch on the Rio Grande. Gov. Colquitt said he would make an investigation of the report.

Gov. Colquitt said today that he proposed to keep the state troops at Brownsville on duty until the actual arrival of the regiment of infantry promised by Secretary of War Garrison; that while conditions were apparently quiet the withdrawal of the militia before the arrival of the regulars might result in an attempt by Mexicans to cross the border.

FEDERALS ATTEMPT TO CROSS BORDER

SOLDIERS WHO DESTROYED LAR. EDDO RAN AWAY BEFORE REBELS

U. S. SOLDIERS ON LOOKOUT

Mexicans Will Likely Get Hot Reception When They Attempt To Cross Rio Grande

By Associated Press. Laredo, Texas, April 28.—Two federal generals and their commands who were driven back by the constitutionalists after fleeing from Nuevo Laredo are attempting to cross the United States border about thirty miles north of Laredo, according to a state department report today. It is supposed here that the federals are part of the company which attempted to dynamite the international bridge between the Mexican town and Laredo. They afterwards left for the south to join other federal forces.

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United States troops at Minero have been advised to keep a sharp lookout. Army officials said that nothing had been seen of the federals. The federals left a trail of destruction behind them as they moved away from Nuevo Laredo according to the reports brought in by the engineer of the locomotive which pulled the abandoned troop train back into Nuevo Laredo this morning. He said they had completely destroyed the towns of Sanies and Lajira. The inhabitants of these towns fled to the hills.

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Orders Coming In Slowly at Ball Bros. Plant But Big Rush Is Expected Later On

From Sunday's Daily

From Sunday's Daily had their effect on the demand for fruit jars in Texas and the Southwest this spring and shipments from Ball Brothers plant here have been considerably below the figure expected. Dealers evidently are slow to get the jars as the cold weather of March and until the fruit begins to make its appearance the demand for jars is apt to be light. While it is not believed that the crop was hit as hard as market think, the effect on the jar market at present is very noticeable.

Work is nearly finished on the jar furnace at Ball Brothers, and it will be ready for operation within less than a month. During the summer the jar factory will be installed here so that next fall will see the jars and their appointments manufactured in this city. At present the zinc cans are shipped from Indiana.

Machinery will be installed at Denison within the next few weeks for the handling of the glass sand which has been discovered there. The plant and other equipment will be placed for loading the sand on the cars for shipment to this city.

Another piece of work planned by Ball Brothers for the coming summer is the installation of what are known as the jar furnaces. These are an improved type of jar making machine doing six times the work of those now in use. They will not, however, result in any material reduction in the force of men employed.

Work is well under way on the improvements at the window glass plant where the new equipment is being installed.

ORGANIZING VOLUNTEERS TO RESIST STRIKERS

Boulder and Longmont Business Men Preparing to Move Toward Helga Mine

By Associated Press

Boulder, Colo., April 28.—Aroused by the seizure of the Helga mine near Louisville which the strikers continue to hold the business men of Boulder and Longmont are organizing volunteer companies to move against the strikers providing the commission appointed to negotiate with the strikers fails to end the fighting.

Arrangements are being made to move the volunteers to Louisville. The strikers are reported to be advancing to the west end of the Helga mine.

No word has been heard from Sheriff Buxter at the mine since early forenoon as all telephone and telegraph wires have been cut. Armed telephone linemen have been sent out to repair the wires.

CONTINUANCE DENIED ALSO CHANGE OF VENUE

Fort Worth, Texas, April 28.—In the Seventeenth district court Monday, Judge James W. Swayne overruled both motions made by the county attorney in the case of the State

vs. J. Frank Norris, charged with arson, for a continuance and for a change of venue. The judge ruled that the county attorney had not used diligence sufficient to obtain the two important witnesses named in his motion for a continuance as being necessary before the state could go to a change of venue on the ground that as fair trial could be obtained in Tarrant county as in any other county, and that the case was as widely discussed in other counties as in Tarrant county, but said, "When the examination of witnesses begins, should it appear to the court that a jury cannot be obtained, the court may change its ruling, but testimony of witnesses must first be heard."

In the motion for a continuance the county attorney alleged that K. K. Taylor and Mrs. K. K. Taylor, who reside in Tarrant county, Texas, are witnesses in behalf of the state, and that they, K. K. Taylor and Mrs. K. K. Taylor, are absent from this court and that the diligence which has been used to obtain their attendance and the attendance of each of them as witnesses at this trial was made by the suing out of a subpoena in behalf of the state and having the same issued by the clerk of this county and that the subpoenas were turned over to William Rea, sheriff of Tarrant county, who made the return on the subpoenas that these witnesses cannot be found. That the testimony of the witnesses, K. K. Taylor and Mrs. K. K. Taylor is material for the state.

Witnesses Allowed on Visit. It is further alleged in the motion that the witnesses, without knowing this case had been set for trial, went on a temporary visit to the state of Louisiana, and that they will return within thirty days, that the evidence of both witnesses is most material in the interest of the state, and to be forced into trial at this time without their testimony that the interests of the state would be neglected.

In support of the motion, and made part of the records of the case, the county attorney had attached to the papers a clipping from the Pelliciana Record, a newspaper published in Jackson parish, Louisiana, of date March 28, showing that the two witnesses were guests of friends and relatives there.

In the motion for a change of venue, County Attorney Haskin alleges that because of an existence of a combination of influences in favor of the accused, that the state cannot safely go to trial and that the ends of justice will be subserved by a change of venue in the case.

Allegations, on which the county attorney based the charges are that the defendant appeared before the grand jury and was indicted for perjury and also that a subsequent grand jury indicted the defendant for arson and also that another indictment for arson was returned against the defendant. That his honor, after two grand juries had returned indictments against the defendant, instructed the grand jury not to investigate only one side, but to investigate both sides, if any investigation was had, and that said grand jury that was convened indicted the defendant on the charge of burning the Baptist church parsonage, the other indictments were for burning the Baptist church and for perjury.

That the defendant was acquitted of the charges of perjury and burning of the Baptist church. That the trial of the two cases was generally discussed among the people of Tarrant county and that the people of Tarrant county took sides, one way or the other and that it will be impossible to get a qualified jury in this case.

Expelled From Conference. It is further alleged in the application for the motion for a change of venue that since the court received a verdict of not guilty and that since the trials for perjury and arson, the defendant has been expelled from the Baptist conference of ministers of Fort Worth, Texas, and that by reason of such expulsion he is no longer a member of said Baptist conference, and that by reason of said expulsion a great deal of discussion has been going on among the people of Tarrant county to such an extent that the county attorney shows to the court that in all probability neither the state nor the defendant can obtain a fair and impartial trial, to which the defendant is entitled. That since the trials of the defendant and since his expulsion from the Baptist conference of ministers of Fort Worth the defendant has circulated over the county among citizens who will necessarily have to serve as jurors, if they qualify in this case a paper printed and written advocating what purports to be his side of the issue for which he was expelled from the Baptist conference of ministers of Fort Worth, and that the circulation of said paper, edited by the defendant, has created considerable discussion among the people in this county and that the people in this county have formed and expressed opinions as to the guilt or innocence of this defendant to such an extent that a fair and impartial trial cannot be had of this case in this county.

Another allegation in the motion alleges the indictment of three other parties and that this case will have a bearing on the case against the defendant. Wherefore the county attorney prays that a change of venue be granted so that the ends of justice may be subserved.

FIFTH ARMY BRIGADE REACHES VERA CRUZ

Fourth, Seventh, Nineteenth and Twenty-Eighth Infantry Regiments Land There

By Associated Press

Vera Cruz, April 28.—The transports bringing the Fifth Army Brigade comprising the Fourth, Seventh, Nineteenth and Twenty-Eighth infantry regiments arrived this morning and were made fast to the docks before 10 o'clock.

Youths Seek Work In Vain; Arrested For Vagrancy

From Tuesday's Daily

There were five boys, strangers in the city, looking for work. Broke, they went to a hay loft at a local lumber yard and curled up in the straw for their night's rest. Officers intercepted their slumbers and hauled them to the city hall, where this morning they were arraigned on charges of vagrancy. One of them was from Electra, another from Bowie, one from Big Springs, one from Houston and one from Fort Worth. The testimony showed that each had been trying to find work here, and one of them had a job promised for this morning. In spite of this and in spite of the recommendation of City Attorney Nutt that they be released, each was fined five dollars. All went to jail in default of the fine.

One of the boys said that he had a position in a restaurant here some days ago but before he got paid off he ran short of funds and went to sleep in this same hay loft. He was arrested and lost his job as a result. Since then he has been looking for work and last night he went to sleep in the lumber yard again.

W. F. LABOR COUNCIL MET AGAIN MONDAY NIGHT

Close to 500 Union Men Represented at Meeting at Which Committees Were Named

From Tuesday's Daily

Eight unions with a membership close to 500 were represented at an enthusiastic meeting of the Wichita Falls Trade and Labor Council held in the old jail building Monday night. The unions represented were the Broommakers, Printers, Machinists, Barbers, Musicians, Carpenters, Electricians and Clerks. There are twenty local unions in the city and it is expected that by next Monday night every one of these will have representatives at the meeting.

Organizer Van Vant, who is here in the interest of the Clerks' union, addressed the council. A committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws and an organization committee was also appointed. A grievance committee will be appointed next Monday night.

The next meeting will be held next Monday night at the same place which will be the regular meeting place until a suitable hall is secured.

WANTS OPERATIONS OF FEDERAL TROOPS LIMITED

By Associated Press

Washington, April 28.—The president in a telegram to Gov. Ammons requested that the state legislature which is to be convened May 4th consider the whole situation so that means may be provided for the state to reassert its authority and to limit the operations of the federal troops. The president also asks that the state militia be withdrawn temporarily while the federal troops occupy the district.

PLACES BIG ORDER FOR BINDER TWINE

W. S. CURLEE, MANAGER OF DALE RANCH, ORDERS 12,000 POUNDS FOR WHEAT CROP

6,000 ACRES SOWN IN WHEAT

Harvest Expected to Start Between 20th and 25th of May—Outlook is Promising

From Tuesday's Daily

W. S. Curlee, manager of the Dale ranch, located twelve miles east of the city has placed an order for 12,000 pounds of binder twine that figures will be required to bind the wheat on that ranch this year.

Mr. Curlee says there are 6,000 acres planted to wheat this year on the Dale ranch and he is confident it will make an average yield of from 15 to 20 bushels per acre. He expects the cutting of the grain on this ranch to start between the 20th and 25th of May.

The grain will be hauled to Mable Dean and Petrolis, placed in box cars and marketed in this city.

The Dale ranch is the property of I. H. Kemper of Galveston and is rented to farmers on the halves system; the landlord furnishing the seed wheat and the binder twine in addition to the land.

Mr. Curlee is also the manager of the large farm located on the north side of Lake Wichita, known as the Lysacht farm and belonging to J. A. Kemp and associates. On this farm there are 1,000 acres of wheat which is even better than the wheat on the Dale ranch.

Fort Worth, April 27.—Capt. Burke Burnett, a local capitalist and owner of the famous Four-Six ranch in King county is making preparations to begin a new enterprise. His plan is to raise cavalry horses for the United States army and has already begun the stocking of his ranch with blooded animals of the cavalry type. There is no doubt but what the new venture will prove successful.

ENVOYS CONTINUE SESSION UNTIL 2

NO ANNOUNCEMENT FORTHCOMING AS TO THE NATURE OF THEIR DELIBERATIONS

COMMISSION IS SUGGESTED

Some Diplomats Believe Commission Will Be Appointed to Govern Mexico

By Associated Press

Washington, April 28.—The Cabinet held a session of more than two hours but no announcement was made as to the progress of the mediation negotiations.

"The tension seems to be lessened," said Secretary Bryan as he returned to the state department. "Americans are being moved out of Mexico City without interruption."

Secretary Garrison insisted the negotiations did not affect the orders of the troops at Vera Cruz. General Panfili's instructions were to land immediately upon arrival. The South American envoys were in continuous session until 2 o'clock this afternoon. In the absence of any definite statement speculation took a wide range among the diplomats not directly connected with the negotiations. Some of them suggest that one of the possible plans would contemplate a commission representing all factions to take charge of Mexico pending the election of a president and the founding of a stable government.

FLETCHER SEIZES BRITON'S PROPERTY

TAKES POSSESSION OF TERMINALS WHICH HE CONSIDERS ESSENTIAL

GEN. MAAS DRAWING BACK

Federal Commander and His Men Are Making Their Way Into Interior

By Associated Press

Vera Cruz, April 28.—Rear Admiral Fletcher last night seized the piers, yards and buildings of the terminal company here, a British concern, control over which he regarded as essential to the reestablishment of order and normal business in Vera Cruz.

The admiral had been endeavoring to rent the property but considered the rental quoted by the management as exorbitant. Prior to the seizure the superintendent ran up a British flag over the water station but it availed him nothing.

That Huerta has decided to try conclusions with the American forces in the vicinity of Vera Cruz is indicated by reports brought to Vera Cruz today by refugee passengers from Mexico City, who report General Maas, former commandant at Vera Cruz and his men making their way farther into the interior.

Sleeping on the bare stone flagging of the jail, with insufficient food and threatened every night with assassination by the drunken guards, the experience of Americans and other foreigners confined in the Corlova prison. Their release today was promised by General Maas in reply to a request sent by American Consul Canada whose messenger returned this morning. W. H. Meschling of the geographical survey of Canada, who is in Mexico in behalf of Harvard University brought the story of the prisoners after spending three days at Corlova. Among the prisoners, he said, was an American woman with a three months old infant. There were several other women and children and the total of all nationalities held in the prison was 85, he said.

BRITISH GOVT. SAYS ADMIRAL WITHIN HIS RIGHT

London, April 28.—The seizure of the English-owned terminals by Rear Admiral Fletcher at Vera Cruz last night is accepted by the British government as quite within the admiral's rights. It is stated today that if the terminal company presents its claims to the British foreign office they will be laid before the American government in the regular course of events.

HEAVY WINDSTORM AT OLNEY SUNDAY NIGHT

Special to the Times

Olney, Texas, April 27.—Several storms were blown down and old warehouses demolished by a heavy windstorm here last night but no one was seriously injured. The rainfall was heavy. At Padgett ten miles from here two or three houses were blown from their foundations.

Wheat is now heading out and only much rain or hail can now prevent the harvesting of a big crop.

Grenham to Get Overall Factory Brenham, Texas, April 27.—The Young Men's Business League of this city is negotiating with a concern for the establishment of an overall factory at this place. Local capital is interested in the project and it is thought the enterprise will be located with but very little delay.

DIPLOMATS PLACE SMALL HOPE IN NEGOTIATIONS

Few Foreign Representatives Expect Mediation Effort Will Meet With Success

BIG POWERS ADVISE HUERTA TO ACCEDE

Belief Prevalent However, That He Will Not Accept Invitation To Commit Political Suicide

By Associated Press.

Washington, April 27.—European diplomats in Washington are pessimistic over the successful outcome of the mediation by the South American governments to prevent war with Mexico. While the action of Great Britain, Germany and France urging Huerta to accept the good offices proffered by the three republics has had an encouraging effect on officials here there are few who believe that success can eventuate from the negotiations.

At two o'clock Brazilian Ambassador De Gama, Ministers Suarez and Maon entered a protracted conference as to future procedure.

Although no announcement was made it was reported that no definite plan for a abasis for the negotiations had been agreed upon.

Diplomatic experts not directly interested do not share the optimism shown by some state department officials in the tender of good services of the intermediaries.

No basis on which negotiations were to go forward had become known in diplomatic circles, where the belief was prevalent that no such basis had yet been evolved and that the South American diplomats would find the formulation of the plan the most difficult part of the negotiations. While the utmost good will toward the effort is manifested it was said by one of the diplomats it looks "as if Huerta is to be invited to step out and commit political suicide and expects him to accept the invitation."

100 American Oil Workers Cut Off 75 Miles From Tampico

By Associated Press.

Washington, April 27.—The navy department today received a request from the oil interests in New York with oil properties in the Tampico district that an American force be sent to rescue 100 employes now in the oil field about 75 miles southwest of Tampico.

The request states that all of the men are well armed but are unable to get through the lines of the rebels and Federals who are fighting about Tampico.

Three European Nations Advise Huerta To Accede To Demands

By Associated Press.

Berlin, April 27.—Germany, England and France have advised Provisional President Huerta through their ministers in Mexico to accede to the demands of the United States. This was announced this morning by the German foreign office.

Population Of United States In Excess Of 98,000,000

By Associated Press.

Washington, April 27.—Continental census experts have calculated that the population July 1, 1914 will be 98,781,324 against 91,972,266 on more than 29,000,000 acres and the whole April 1, 1910 when the last census territory of the United States and its possessions has a population of 109,000,000. Estimated population of Texas on July 1 was 4,257,854.

AMERICANS PERMITTED TO LEAVE MEXICO CITY

None Have Been Anywhere In Mexico Within Past Few Days According to Reports

By Associated Press.

Washington, April 27.—After a conference with President Wilson, Secretary Bryan announced that all arrangements had been made to permit Americans to leave Mexico City. Seven hundred American men and women are preparing to leave. Secretary Bryan said he knew of no American citizens having been killed in Mexico City or elsewhere in the Mexican republic in the last few days.

Through the efforts of the British minister at Washington and British legation at Mexico City the impression that Mexicans were detained at Vera Cruz has been removed. Mr. Bryan said that efforts were still being made to secure the release of the

eighty-three Americans held at Aguas Calientes and those held on the railroad between Mexico City and Vera Cruz.

Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee conferred at length with Secretary Bryan following the latter's conference with the president.

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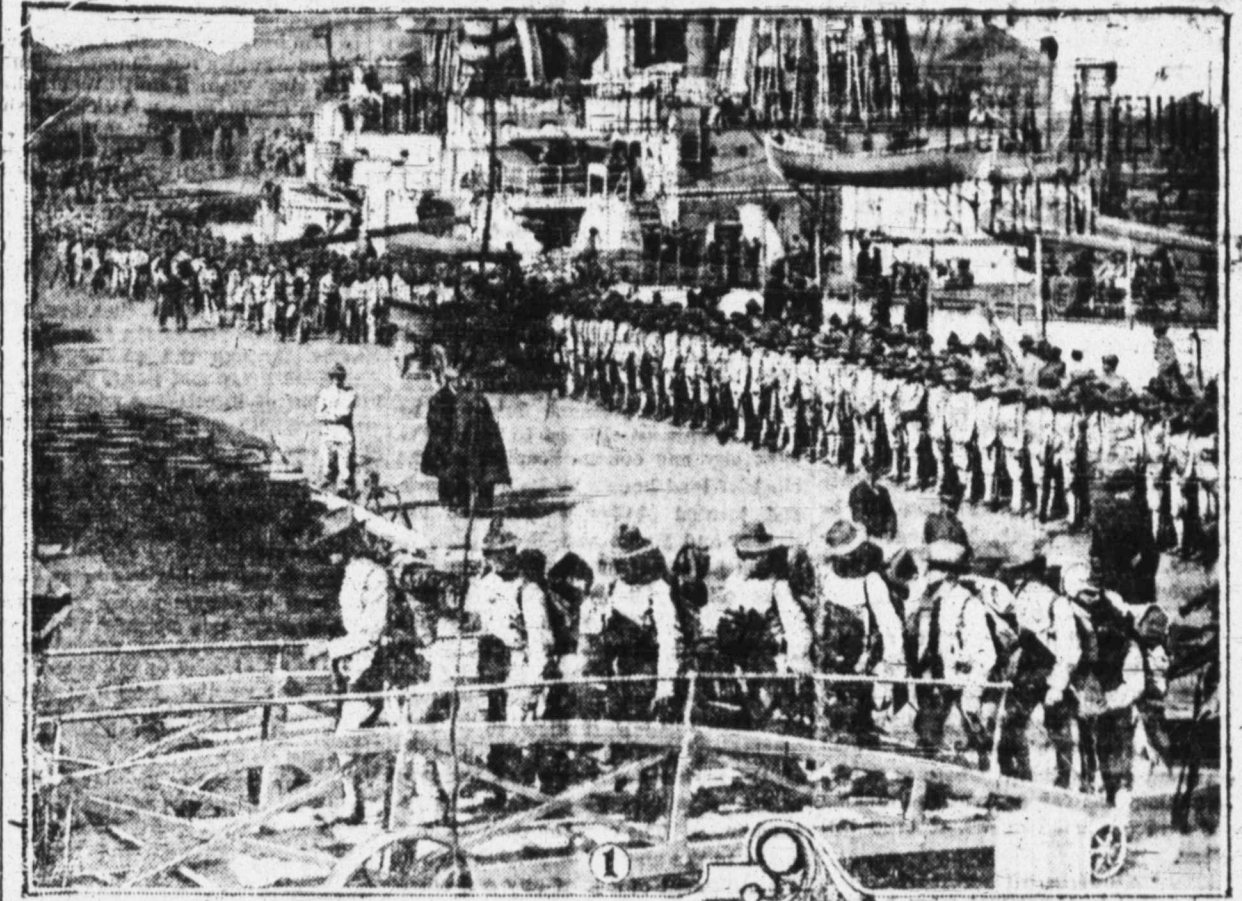
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U. S. MARINES BOARDING S.S. MORRO CASTLE AT PHILADELPHIA. SCENE ON MEXICAN RAILROAD.

ALL STOCK SUBSCRIBED CLUB HOUSE PROJECT

From Sunday's Daily.

The \$4,000 capital stock of a company organized for the purpose of purchasing forty acres of land on the western limits of the city to be used for a lake and country club grounds has been fully subscribed and the stockholders are soon to meet and elect a board of directors. After that the contract for the construction of the dam across a deep ravine will be let and also for a club house. The following are the stockholders:

Reece S. Allen, Marlow and Stone, O. T. Bacon, C. E. Menzie, P. P. Langford, J. L. Jackson, M. J. Rowe, R. E. Huff, H. B. Hines, G. E. Davis, Mrs. K. H. Anderson, Mrs. M. M. Addicks, Frank F. Schnell, M. F. Walker, L. C. Hinkley, P. B. Pennington, J. T. Montgomery, A. H. Carleton, J. W. Bond, W. B. Ferguson, S. H. Burnside, J. W. Stringer, J. W. Culbertson, M. Standforth, C. W. Hendricks, Frank Collier, J. F. Reed, J. L. Art, W. Lee Moore, E. P. Walsh, Frank Kell, J. C. Ward, T. R. Orth, Mrs. C. O. Joline, J. A. Riehl, J. S. Stone.

CROWELL COMPANY HERE ENROUTE TO BROWNSVILLE

Company F, Fourth Infantry, Texas National Guard, Passed Through City Yesterday

From Sunday's Daily.

"What's your company?" queried the reporter of the uniformed National Guard who was forming for a sandwich while the south-bound Fort Worth & Denver passenger train stopped at the station yesterday.

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Automobile Registrations

- J. I. States, Burkhardt, 750.
- F. E. Walters, Wichita Falls, 751.
- Overland.
- Warner Drilling Co., Electra, 752.
- Marvin Smith, Wichita Falls, 753.
- Cadillac.
- J. A. Riehl, Wichita Falls, 754.
- W. Lee Moore, Wichita Falls, 755.
- Cadillac.
- J. Rinefold, Wichita Falls, 756.
- Overland.
- Lincoln and Slayter, Electra, 757.
- Ford.
- E. L. Maxey, Burkhardt, 758.
- Hupmobile.
- G. W. Bailey, Wichita Falls, 759.
- Ford.
- John O. Banks, Wichita Falls, 760.
- Ford.
- B. A. Terton, Electra, 761.
- Ford.
- S. C. Massengill, Electra, 765.
- Ford.
- A. J. Brainard, Wichita Falls, 762.
- Ford.
- Leera's Mays, Burkhardt, 763.
- Ford.
- J. C. Daniels, Electra, 764.
- Ford.
- M. D. Walker, Wichita Falls, 765.
- Ford.

ABILENE ENTERTAINED GUESTS DELIGHTFULLY

Twelfth Annual Session First District Women's Clubs a Splendid Success

From Sunday's Daily.

The twelfth annual session of the First District Federation of Women's Clubs of Texas held in Abilene on Thursday and Friday, April 23 and 24 was one of the most successful that this district has enjoyed. Every courtesy possible was shown to the visiting club women by the ladies of Abilene and the citizens in general and something was planned for every minute of the two days. A number of social functions were given in honor of the visitors and everything undertaken for their pleasure was characterized by genuine hospitality and a notable lack of formality and extravagance in dress.

The program carried out was very interesting, consisting of reports from different clubs, papers and addresses on subjects of special interest and, last but not least, a number of musical selections.

Mrs. S. H. Burnside of this city, president of the meeting and the vice president, Mrs. Carter of Ansonport gave an address. Mrs. Burnside gave last but not least, a number of musical selections.

"The Pursuit of Happiness," Mrs. George Harrington, also of this city is secretary of the District Federation and a number of other Wichita club women had important parts in the program of the two days meetings.

One of the most interesting addresses of the meeting was the address of Mrs. Stayer of Fort Worth on "Social Science." This paper aroused a great deal of interest, the

MISS AUDREY GIBBONS DIED HERE LAST NIGHT

From Sunday's Daily.

Miss Audrey Gibbons, aged about seventeen, daughter of Mrs. Emma Gibbons living at Kemp Court died at about 11 o'clock last night in a local sanitarium where she was taken several days ago. She underwent an operation last winter but the operation did not give permanent relief to the trouble from which she suffered.

Miss Gibbons was a bright young woman who was much loved by those who knew her best. She was a teacher in the First Christian Church Sunday school where she was recognized as one of the most useful workers in that organization.

She is survived by her mother, and three sisters, Mrs. R. D. Lee and Miss Gail Gibbons of this city, and Mrs. Graham Gibbons of Fort Worth. Mrs. J. B. Jones of this city was an aunt.

Funeral arrangements were not announced last night.

DEBS SAYS GUNMEN RULERS OF COLORADO

Socialist Leader Declares Flag is not Worthy of Being Respected—Denounces Militia

Terre Haute, April 27.—"The war in Colorado is of far greater concern to the American people than the threatened war with Mexico," said Eugene V. Debs in a statement here Sunday. Continuing he said: "The heinous atrocities perpetrated by our own soldiers and under our own flag in Colorado during the past week are a disgrace to the nation and a crime against civilization. If the American flag stands for the butchering of helpless women and the roasting alive of their babies then not only is Huerta justified in scorning it but every decent, self-respecting American citizen should repudiate it with loathing contempt."

Constitution is Dead

"The constitution of the United States is dead in the state of Colorado. Government by gunmen has been set up there by the mine owners backed by Rockefeller and Standard Oil; the state militia is under the command of notorious man killers in the pay of the mine owners and with the American flag flying over them these mercenary assassins in uniform turned their machine guns on the tented colony of the miners at Ludlow, mowing down women and children indiscriminately and to make the horrible massacre complete they set fire to the tents and literally roasted alive a score of women and children who were unable to escape.

"There is not a vestige of lawful government in the mining district of Southern Colorado. The mine owners are the state and the people are absolutely at their mercy. To protest is to be threatened with violence, or silenced by the bullet of a gun. My own speaking of my own personal knowledge, having myself covered the ground. The press as a rule is quite subservient to the mine owners and the reports which go out of there are censored so that the country at large is kept in blissful ignorance of a state of affairs which if known to the people would shock and horrify them and provoke a storm of revolt."

Spectacle is Revolting

"Neither Huerta, Villa or Zapata have been guilty of the unspeakable outrage of charging upon a parade of unoffending women and slaying them with sabers nor of seizing an old woman 82 years of age whose only crime is her sympathy with the suffering miners and their half starved wife and children and flinging her into a foul dungeon and guarding her as if she were a wild beast.

"And yet, the Wilson administration is blissfully unconscious of the fact that the mine owners of Colorado have repealed the constitution of the United States and set up a government of their own; that the soldier of the state are Rockefeller's private army; that the flag of the nation has become the symbol of murder and rapine and that there is no more liberty for the common people in Colorado than there is for the people in Mexico and the serfs of Russia. Bryan and Wilson are extremely sensitive about the flag in Mexico, but the mine owners can use it with impunity; a black flag of their piracy and assassination.

"When the national administration restores the constitution and civil government and suppresses the monstrous crimes that are perpetrated under its own flag and within its own border it will be time enough to order on the army and navy to command the respect of other nations for our flag."

"EUGENE V. DEBS."

COLQUITT CONSIDERING OFFER OF VOLUNTEERS

L. P. (Pink) Hammond, the oil contractor who last week wired Gov. Colquitt offering to raise a company of volunteers for the border or Mexican service, has been notified by the executive that his offer is under consideration at Austin. Mr. Hammond believes that a large company could be raised in this area if needed. The report is true, however, that such troops would be on the same footing as the regulars, requiring all members to enlist for three years. It is not likely that anything will be done here. Mr. Hammond says he would be unwilling to agree to enlist for that long, wishing to remain in service as long as needed, but no longer.

Recruits in the naval office here and in the infantry company being organized continue numerous, although not as brisk as last week when there were more prospect of early service.

LIGHTNING STRIKES OIL TANKS NEAR ELECTRA

Nine Tanks and About 1,000 Barrels of Oil Burned in Storm Sunday Night

Nine oil tanks in the Electra field were struck by lightning and destroyed during Sunday night's storm about 1,000 barrels of oil being burned.

The Corsicana Petroleum Company lost eight 250 barrel tanks and one 1600 barrel container; the Producers Company lost three 200-barrel tanks. The Guffey's tanks and those of the other concerns escaped injury.

The tanks had been emptied for the most part, hence the loss in oil was quite small. The Corsicana lost about 700 barrels and the Producers about 300.

CHAMBER COMMERCE IN BUSY SESSION

ENTERTAINMENT AND INVITATION TO CONVENTION ARE DISCUSSED

A NOW INDUSTRY PROPOSED

Committee Appointed to Investigate Merits of Gin Machinery Proposal

From Tuesday's Daily.

Several matters received the attention of the Chamber of Commerce directors at their session this morning. The entertainment of the two conventions to be here this week being one of the main things. The editors and the district convention of Mothers' Clubs will draw freely on the city's own supply of automobiles, as fifty will be required for the former and fifteen for the latter.

The condition of the roads over which the editors will ride in the city was also brought up and it was decided to ask the commissioner of each precinct to have the roads in his section dragged Thursday or Friday so as to be in as good shape as possible by Saturday.

The directors decided to ask the Modern Woodmen of America to hold their next triennial state meeting in 1917 in this city. A proposition to all the moving picture films to the number of Commerce was referred to the advertising committee and a proposition to establish a plant for making improved gin machinery was referred to a special committee.

Secretary Miller reported that everything was in readiness for the editors, except that some more machines were needed and he asked all the directors to help in securing the full number of fifty which will be required from this city. This led to a discussion of the condition of the roads and it was decided to ask the commissioners to act individually so as to have the highways in as good condition as possible. The city will be asked to repair the stretch of road in the south side of the river bridge, which is usually in bad condition. It was announced that the Katy's egg special would reach this city at noon and it was decided that an effort should be made to have as large a representative gathering as possible present to hear Mr. Evans.

District Deputy McConnell of the Modern Woodmen of America asked the support of the directors in bringing the 1917 meeting of that order to this city. He was promised the backing of the organization and was authorized to take the secretary or assistant secretary to Temple with him to help land the meeting.

Messrs. C. W. Snider, J. W. Leonard and J. W. Culbertson appeared before the directors to ask for assistance in giving the delegates to the District Mothers' Congress here Friday and Saturday, an automobile ride over the city. It was thought that these machines could be secured outside of those going on the Electra trip and the directors pledged \$200.

Mr. Bell, representing the concern which has been taking moving pictures in this city, asked the directors to buy the films, saying he believed they could be used as a basis in advertising Wichita Falls. The matter was referred to the advertising committee with power to act.

R. P. Webb of this city explained the workings of a new machine to angle ball cotton, saying it seemed to him to be nearer perfect than other inventions of the kind. The inventor, he said, was willing to build a machine in this city for demonstration and if it worked satisfactorily, to organize a company here. The directors went into the matter at considerable length, then referred it to a special committee of J. A. Kemp, B. Noble and A. L. Huey. Adjournment followed. Those present were Messrs. Huff, Hamilton, Hovey, Gardner, Snook, Noble, Hines, Kemp, Taylor, Blair, Hardy, Boyd, Bridwell and O'Reilly.

LOTTERY CASES HAVE NOW BEEN DISPOSED OF

From Sunday's Daily.

The cases over acquittals were brought in by juries in two of the lottery cases and the remaining case will not be prosecuted. Late Friday the jury which Wiley Blair acquiesced a verdict of not guilty, yesterday Sol Williams was given a second trial, with another acquittal as his result. County Attorney Boone stated that the remaining case, that against Tom Hoxie of Electra would be dismissed. W. C. Young of Archerly, against whom a complaint was filed was acquitted several weeks ago.

These cases grew out of the sale of 500 Fairview Heights last December. Messrs. Blair, Young and Hoxie were trustees for the purchasers and had Williams was auctioneer.

The first trial of Sol Williams resulted in a hung jury. Yesterday, after its second trial, County Attorney Boone filed for conviction with a speech that would have brought tears to the eyes of an onlooker, if an onlooker had any eyes. The jury was out only a short time, returning with a verdict of not guilty. Wiley Blair was acquitted late Friday. When the case of Tom Hoxie is called for trial, Mr. Boone will move to dismiss, he says.

GENERAL FUNSTON FLIGHTS REAR ADMIRAL VESCHER

Vera Cruz, April 28.—Brigadier General Funston accompanied by Captain Huse, chief of staff of Rear Admiral Fletcher, immediately came ashore to confer with Rear Admiral Fletcher before sailing on Rear Admiral Badger.

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All things considered, Villa with all his meanness is decidedly a more honorable man than Huerta...

Clarence Ousley has wired Colonel Ball that he will support him for governor...

Just think about it. One wheat farm alone in the Wichita Falls county will require at least 12,000 pounds of binder...

Other news services in Mexico have about as much chance to scoop the Associated Press as a one-legged man has to win a hundred yards dash against a Marathon meet champion...

instances during the past few days the "kill" orders following the receipt of a right juicy front page story has justified our policy.

There have been excessive rains in many parts of Texas. As a result the streams are bankful with water and many are out of banks.

The question as to whether or not the people of Texas shall again vote on statewide prohibition will be voted on in the July primaries...

The wheat fields of Wichita and adjoining counties now present a most beautiful sight. The rains have come, it seems, just at the right time...

A letter to the Times from a Frederick grain dealer says: "General rains throughout Southwest Oklahoma insure a bumper wheat crop."

This is certainly a great country for free speech. Last night a man stood on one of our most prominent streets with a crowd around him...

It now appears that Cyclone Davis is not to accept that appointment over in the Philippines. He turned it down with the understanding that his son, Valton Davis, should get the job...

HERE'S A CHANCE TO DO A KIND ACT. The Times is in receipt of the following letter from one who needs work and seems willing to work.

prohibition may coincide with theirs more than do the views of Col. Ball, but Ferguson disagrees with them on nearly everything else...

The population of Texas is now 4,257,854, according to an estimate just issued by the census bureau at Washington, which is a very substantial increase over the census of 1910.

There is a movement favored by many prominent citizens to locate the joint city and county hospital on the block of land known as Bellevue park, and located between 8th and 9th streets and Broad and Brook streets.

CONDEMNED WRITTEN SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS. Next month the final examinations of school children begins. How many children, do you suppose, are already beginning to "dread" these examinations?

Written examinations are relics of barbarism. They rank along with racks and thumb-screws, birch rods and leather straps as a method of "cruel and unusual punishment."

A child might be taken by an intelligent instructor into the fields and woods daily and learn to know intimately plant life, the habits, laws of growth, and relationship of all things...

draw its armed forces from Vera Cruz ought to be glad that they are there. If Huerta is half as bad as he is painted, he should be removed from power...

count, and let it be judged in sympathy, fairness and appreciation. DR. J. W. DUVAL.

NO QUARREL WITH CONSTITUTIONALISTS. In the breach that has finally come between the United States and that of General Victoriano Huerta in the republic of Mexico...

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vision for permanent maintenance of our state schools, the solution of the farm marketing question, and other questions of this type challenge far more the wits of our statesmen than do the questions of prohibition and anti-prohibition.

The Statesman believes that both Colonel Ball and Mr. Ferguson realize that Texas needs discussion of other matters far more than it needs discussion of prohibition.

Cyclone Davis, the wiley and waspy-tongued foe of the liquor evil, has been appointed by President Wilson to a lucrative government job in the Philippine Islands.

The Fort Worth conference as we predicted went up in smoke and didn't amount to anything. Didn't even get started. It was called off.

The conference of democrats at Fort Worth Tuesday was a flash in the pan. The Ferguson people were there in numbers and proceeded to break up the conference by withdrawing.

We have his word for it that Mr. Ferguson is going to spend his own money in this campaign. He said that he decided to spend about \$20,000 running for governor instead of taking a trip abroad.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including "The purchase of...", "The killing...", "The beating...", "The robbery...", "The murder..."

The National Government recently purchased a new postoffice site in Dallas for which it contracts to pay the neat sum of \$250,000. Forty-two years ago that plot of ground sold for an even \$1000. The object of making mention of this deal is to illustrate how fast real estate enhances in value in cities that are growing. Forty-two years ago Dallas was not much, if any larger than Wichita Falls is today, and Dallas, at that time, was not surrounded with the many natural advantages that count in the building of great cities and commercial centers that surround Wichita Falls today. Yet, if Wichita Falls continues to grow in wealth and population at the rate she has been growing during the past four years, it will not be too much to expect or predict a city of 30,000 population in the next five or six years.

So far twelve Americans have been killed and sixty wounded in the fighting at Vera Cruz and Tampico, and it now looks as if nothing short of a real sure enough war is going to settle that Mexican affair. Carranza has addressed a note to President Wilson regretting the landing of an armed force at Vera Cruz and requesting that he withdraw them at once. This, of course, will not be done, and it may mean that Carranza will make an attack on El Paso. The raising of the embargo on arms and munitions of war gave to the Constitutionalists the opportunity they sought. They took advantage of it and laid in a supply of arms. American soldiers will now be their targets. Today's Washington dispatches say that the embargo on arms is again in effect, and that ought to prevent the Constitutionalists from securing more arms. They already have sufficient, however, to put up a good strong fight, and that means that many Americans will be sacrificed. It is now clearly up to the United States to conquer Mexico or show the white feather.

PROGRESSIVEISM JUSTIFIED

The guarantee of bank deposits law belongs in the class of "progressive measures." It is a new application of the co-operative principle and to the ultra-conservative mind it was an unwarranted invasion of the field of individualism and an undue extension of the functions of government. When it was passed there was much shaking of heads and many prophecies of disaster. It was said that it would encourage irresponsible men to engage in the banking business; that it would rob careful and prudent bankers of the just reward of hard-earned reputation and generally, that it would unsettle and disturb the state banking system and drive many state banks into the national system. After a brief experience all these fears have proven to have been without foundation. The law has worked successfully. Wildcat banking has not resulted, old and conservatively managed banks have not suffered, there have been no wholesale desertions from the state bank system. The aim and purpose of the law to protect depositors has been accomplished. There have been a few bank failures, but none of the distress which usually follows bank failures. For proof of this

statement contrast the two quotations below. The Wichita Daily Times says: A few days ago there was a bank failure at Amarillo. It was a state guarantee bank, however, and the depositors will not lose one cent. The state guaranty fund has in it \$961,000, and the closing of the Amarillo bank will take from it the sum of \$89,000 with which to pay the protected depositors. The more we see of this law the better we like it. Every depositor who trusts his hard-earned money to a bank should be protected to the limit, and that is what has been done in every instance where a bank operating under this law has failed or closed its doors. And the El Paso Times says: According to a statement made by Receiver Arnold, depositors of the defunct Arizona Bank and Trust Company will receive 75 per cent when its affairs are finally wound up. The first dividend of 50 per cent will be paid on May 4, it is said. The patrons of the Texas bank will get their money promptly. The patrons of the Arizona bank will only get 75 per cent, and will have to wait for that. As it has been with the guarantee of deposits law, so it will be with respect of other progressive measures, such as land reform, prohibition of the traffic in liquor, more effective control of corporations, more direct participation of the people in government and the extension of the functions of government in the field of public health, morals and education.—Waco Morning News.

For the information of those interested the Times will state the killing of plover is strictly prohibited by the Federal law, and there is no "open season" for the killing of this game. The law is very strict, and those who wish to avoid trouble had best not violate it. Subscriptions of stock in the twelve Federal reserve banks to the amount of \$71,998,600 has been fully subscribed. There are a total of 7,484 banks, and the stock was subscribed for by 4,042. The reserve banks, it is said, will be ready for business by August 1st.

PLEADS FOR A BETTER MARKETING SYSTEM

To the Times: I am trying to truck farm in the rural district on the irrigation plan. I am an infant in the business and a stranger in the rural land, as I am to the Times and city. While I have had but little experience in raising and selling garden produce since I came to this rural district, I can see that something is needed to be done in the way of bringing about a system by which the producer, dealer and consumer may handle produce raised for the market in and around Wichita Falls. When I load my truck wagon with vegetables and carry them to this market it is a difficult matter to dispose of it at a living price. When I approach the wholesale men they say they have no time to lose with my little stuff, and when I call upon the grocery dealer he informs me that he is already supplied by the wholesale men. And I often find a car load on the side track which the job-

ber or peddler can put up a plea he can buy or be supplied at prices cheaper than I can afford even to gather out of some other man's patch and haul to town, much less spending money for land and seeds, valuable time and irrigation water to raise the stuff. This makes me think I would have been better off had I never located here, and instead of giving \$400 per acre for land to raise truck to sell on the Wichita Falls market, I would not give \$10 per acre for it. When a fellow sends off to Sears-Robuck or to any mail order house for articles the cry is: "Why don't you patronize home industry," and at the same time when I have my wagon full of stuff to sell which the soil produces at Wichita Falls I can't sell it from the fact that the dealers are well supplied from other sections. I wonder if it is a fact that we truck growers around this city will have to resort to some other market to dispose of our produce, when at the same time there is more consumed here than we can make? I tried this market with sweet potatoes. We will hold up this article as a sample of the business. I would go in with a load of eight or ten bushels and offer them to the dealer at \$1.00 per bushel. He refuses to buy, while at the same time he is selling the same grade for \$1.50 per bushel that he had bought from the wholesale dealer or the car on the side track. Then when I get out in the streets and offer my produce to the consumer for the same price the dealer threatens to boycott me. We truck growers would like very well to bring about co-operation with the dealer or peddler and consumer by which we might dispose of our products. We must have a market for what we produce even if we have to resort to some other market. If we cannot sell what we raise, the irrigation water rents and high-priced lands will go out of business, as well as the truck growers. Our motto should be: "Cut out the expense between the producer and the consumer." By so doing it will enable the consumer to buy more and create a greater demand for our stuff. It seems to me that there are several parties who should be interested in the matter of the welfare of Wichita Falls. The man who orders produce from other sections when he can get it here is building up and creating high priced lands where the stuff grows. If I cannot sell my produce I cannot afford to buy lands and pay irrigation water rents, for seeds and tools in order to produce stuff for the market, and the man who sends the water down the ditches, the wholesaler, the retailer and the consumer as well as the producer who places it on the market should be interested in bringing about a plan of living and let live for all. Let us look around and see how things are working. I can say to the readers of the Times and the con-

sumers of produce that I drove in the city of Wichita Falls with a little stuff to sell after trying the retail dealers. Failing to sell them, I went to the wholesale dealers and they informed me they didn't want my stuff. Then I began to sell to the peddlers and the wholesale men ordered me away. He was selling them stuff that was raised in some other land. How does that strike the man who has come to Wichita Falls and paid from \$300 to \$400 per acre for irrigated land? It makes me wish I was where the produce was raised that is being shipped here. Let us all get together and work together for the best interests of all concerned. If the editor approves this, I will come again, asking all who are interested along this line to come together at some specified time to discuss ways and means by which to dispose of produce raised in and around the city of Wichita Falls. P. A. BERRY, R. F. D. N. 2, City.

THE LAND TENANCY PROBLEM.

While attending the State Press Association at San Antonio last year the late Col. Henry Exall accepted an invitation to address that large body of newspaper men. At that time there was considerable talk of Col. Exall making the race for governor, but during the course of his address he made it plain that under no circumstances would he accept the nomination. That afternoon and the next morning we looked over the San Antonio papers to see if the speech had been reported in full, but never could find a part of it—the part we considered at the time was by far the best. Ever since that time it had been a matter of regret to us that a copy of that address, particularly that part which is reproduced below, was not secured at the time of delivery. It might have been that Col. Exall had made use of it in former addresses delivered by him, but if so, it had escaped our notice. As we remember it, Col. Exall vouched for its truthfulness. After waiting for almost a year the story has at last found its way into print. We find it in a marked copy of the Houston Telegram, which paper gives credit to the Henry Exall Farm Book, just from the press, and is as follows: "I was to speak at a beautiful country town one afternoon. In the morning the committee took me for an auto ride to see the beauties of the surrounding country, and I did see many things that gave me great pleasure. There was a poor, anemic woman, sallow-faced, destitute, miserable, that ought not to exist. I saw a house in which no human being ought to live and as we approached it I said, 'I am thirsty; stop a minute and I will go in here and get some water.' The owner of the auto and of the land said, 'But you can't get any water here. There's a good well down the road.' But I said, 'I can't wait. I am choking; chauffeur, stop the wagon!' and I grabbed him and forced him to stop. As I got out of the car I noticed that the house stood two feet above the ground and that weeds completely encompassed it. I said to the landlord and his companion, 'I am afraid to go into this house by myself; there might be a dog under it. Come, go with me.' He didn't want to go, and declared it was useless to expect to get a drink of good water at that house, but I insisted and finally forced him to go. I found inside just what I expected to find—a poor, anemic woman, sallow-faced, destitute, miserable. There were three baby children, from four to eight years old and one little fellow two or three in a soan box by the wall, who has surely been put into another box long, long ago. I said, 'Madam, can you give me a drink of water?' 'Yes, sir,' she said 'if you can wait till the children can go and fetch some.' I said, 'How far do they have to go?' She looked at the landlord and answered, 'Not so very far.' 'Good woman,' I said, 'you have sometimes heard how far it is to the well, haven't you?' 'Yes, sir, it is somewhere 'twixt a quarter and a half mile.' I said, 'When these baby children bring all the water that this family consumes during the year between a quarter and a half mile?' 'No, sir,' she said, 'when the baby ain't so sick I brings the most of it myself.' I said, 'The baby is very, very sick, isn't it?' 'Yes, sir,' she said, 'he is monstrous sick; I am fearful about him.' I said, 'What do you feed him?' She said, 'It's hard to find anything to feed him since we lost the cow.' I said, 'Did the cow die?' 'No, sir, she didn't die, but we owed on her.' I pointed to the landlord and said, 'Did this man take the cow away when the baby and the children were feeding for the milk?' 'No, sir, he didn't do it,' he answered. I said, 'Did his hired man take the cow away by his direction?' 'Yes, sir, but we owed him.' I turned to that man and said, 'Get away from me. Don't stand near me. I would not ride back to town with you. I would walk ten miles first.' Every man who knows of such a condition and does not help to change it and smoke out the cruel perpetrator is really a party to the crime.

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OFF-COLOR JOURNALISM.

John R. McLean, who owns the Cincinnati Enquirer and the Washington Post, has been co-operating with William R. Hearst in the effort to discredit President Wilson's administration in the matter of canal tolls. The methods to which these high-minded (?) journalists resort to get material to fire the public mind is well illustrated in the following telegram: Cincinnati, Ohio, April 10, 1914. Some Reliable Newspaper, Elkhart, Indiana. Please file early Friday evening, 300 words showing unfavorable sentiment your section toward President Wilson's stand on Panama canal tolls. Interview big business men and get them to say something hot. ENQUIRER. The telegram fell into the hands of a "reliable" newspaper man, but not the kind the Enquirer was looking for. He sent it to Senator Kerr, who read it in the Senate and revealed the scheme to cook up a lot of alleged public sentiment against the president. As a matter of fact, an overwhelming majority of the people of the United States are opposed to subsidies of all kinds and have no sympathy with the effort to subsidize the owners of coastwise ships. There is much indignation among these ship owners and small-calibre politicians who are looking for an issue to discredit the president, but now that the methods by which the anti-administration newspapers get their "hot stuff" on canal tolls has been revealed there will be a slump in the market for "hot interviews" condemning the president's stand.—Waco News.

TRAFFIC ORDINANCES WILL BE ENFORCED

Automobile Drivers, Bicycle Riders, Teamsters and All Others Are Put On Notice. From Sunday's Daily. "I want to put automobile owners on notice that the speed limit is ten miles in the business district and eighteen miles in the residence section, and that the law on this is going to be enforced strictly. Also, they must comply with the law regarding lights and numbers and driving to the right. We are going to make an example of the first violation we find. We are also going to enforce the bicycle ordinance and the riding of bicycles on sidewalks must stop unless the riders want to be fined. Teamsters and drivers of horse vehicles must either hitch their teams or use a weight not less than fifteen pounds." This statement was given out Saturday by Chief of Police Hall as the policy of the administration with reference to traffic regulations. He says that he is going to be enforced impartially and without favor and that the enforcement is going to apply not only for today but permanently. "This is my last word," said the chief.

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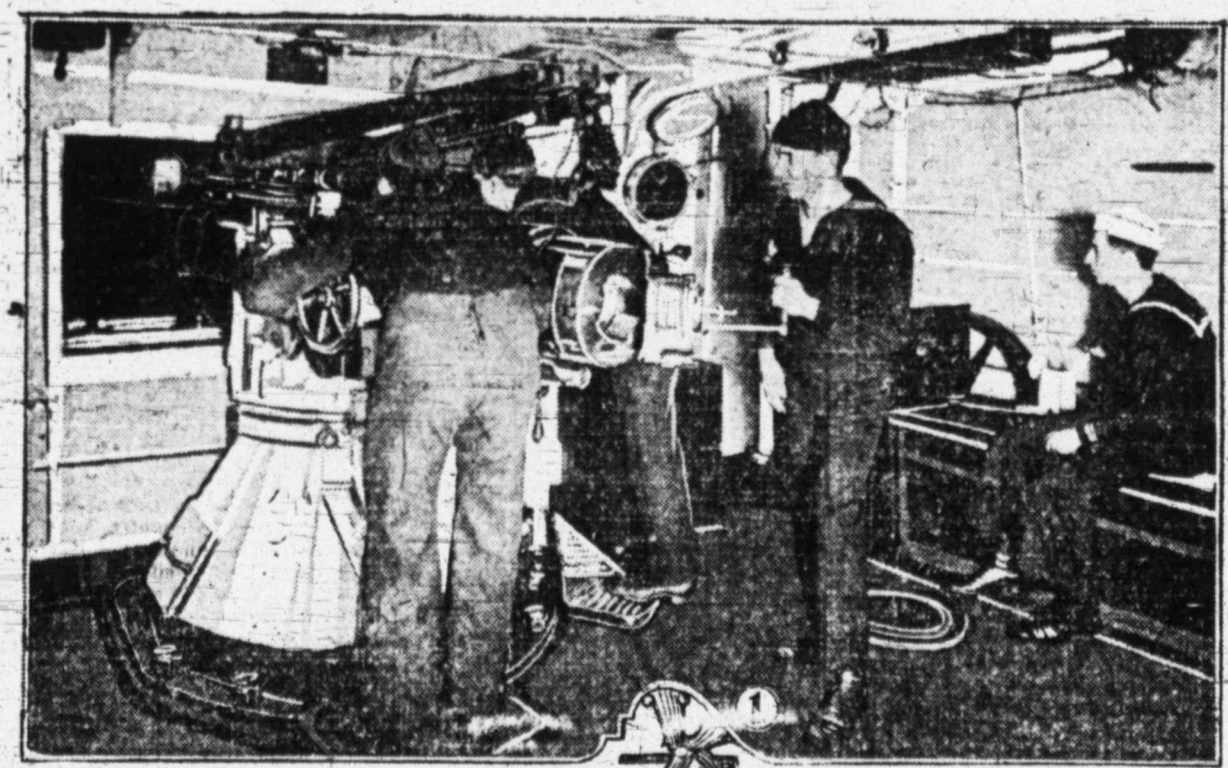
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1. SIGHTING GUN ON NORTH DAKOTA... 2. BREAKING CAMP AT GALVESTON

PLENTY OF PLACES FOR SAVING MONEY

MAY BE DIFFICULT TO GET MONEY BUT PLENTY OF PLACES TO KEEP IT

MANY SAVING PLANS HERE

Regular Savings Accounts, Christmas Clubs, School Savings Plan and Other Methods

Wichitans wanting to save money may have trouble in getting money to save, but there ought to be no difficulty in finding a place in which to save it after one has it. Each of the four banks now doing business here has provided special facilities for those desiring to save money within the past few months it is probable that hundreds of people have opened savings accounts who never thought of doing so before.

The school children have been enlisted in the movement, with the aid of the teachers and are entering into the spirit of the thing very thoroughly.

It isn't a money making proposition for the banks, according to those who ought to know. The additional cost of book-keeping and extra trouble on the four per cent interest to be paid amount to more than the savings themselves are able to earn. But the banks figure that if they get people in the habit of saving money, they will profit by it in the long run.

Two of the banks, the Wichita State and the City National, have Christmas savings clubs. In these clubs each savings depositor pays a small amount each week, to be repaid to him with four per cent interest, shortly before Christmas. The Wichita State's plan runs for thirty-eight weeks with nine different methods. In one of the deposits may start with a penny, increase to deposit a penny each week and at the end of the thirty-eight weeks will have \$1.41 to his credit, or he may start with a nickel and increase to that much each week; the last week he would pay \$1.90 and would have \$3.50 to his credit.

At Mrs. Glance, it doesn't look as if money would amount up that way, but it works out that much in arithmetic, handed different. Each day the teacher receives any amount, a child wishes to deposit with her and keeps books on it, making deposit with the bank weekly. When a child gets as much as five dollars to his credit, a regular savings account is opened for it. In some of the rooms every child has something in the bank and the pupils have taken up the idea quite generally.

The Christmas savings club at the City National works along the same lines as that of the Wichita State running for forty weeks. You start with a nickel and increase the amount that much each week, bringing you an even \$40 on December 1. You may start with a nickel, raise it a nickel each week until it gets to be a dollar, then decrease it a nickel bring you \$20 on December 15; the chances are, of course, that you will be needing money on December 15 and you won't have missed the small payments you've made during the year.

The First State Bank and Trust

85,000 ACRES IN WHEAT ESTIMATED

CONSIDERABLE MORE THAN MILLION BUSHELS PROMISED FOR THE HARVEST

CROP WAY ABOVE AVERAGE

Out Crop Acreage Less and Yield Will be Below Ten Year Average

From Wednesday's Daily. More than a million bushels of wheat will be produced in Wichita county this year, local grain men estimate. If the crop pans out as good as the present outlook, that is the largest crop this county has ever raised and means, in round numbers, a million dollars for the farmers of the county.

It is estimated that about 85,000 acres are planted to wheat in this county and if the yield is as good as ten year average in Texas—that is, about eleven bushels—it would make a crop of 925,000 bushels for the county. However, it is thought from the present outlook, that the county will average at least fifteen bushels and some piece the average still higher. At fifteen bushels to the acre, the yield would be over 1,275,000 bushels.

The present condition of the crop is placed at 110, that is to say, ten per cent above the ten year average. The acreage is about twenty per cent more than last year.

The out crop is not nearly so good, its condition being estimated at 85 and its acreage at 75, the late frosts doing considerable damage to this crop.

HOT NEGRESS BECAUSE WOULDN'T GIVE MONEY BACK

From Sunday's Daily. From a distance of less than ten miles Calvin Johnson, negro, Saturday afternoon fired a shot at his wife, Lizzie Jackson, negro, the shot did not inflict a fatal wound.

Calvin told County Attorney Dan one Saturday after he had been seen firing a shot at his wife, because she would not give him back \$50 dollars, which she had gotten from him that morning.

He said that he had been living with the negro about a year. Yesterday morning she got three dollars from him and later in the morning sent word to him where he was at work that she had married another negro.

"The reason I shot her," he said in a statement to the county attorney, "was because when I got up this morning she asked me for \$2 and I gave it to her. About 10:30 o'clock this morning I heard she was married. I went to her and she asked me for \$3 more. I asked her if it was true she was married after I gave her the money and she said yes. I asked her to give me my money back. She said she would not do it because she expected to live with me again as she did not care for this nigger. Then we went to quarreling."

The negro said he came up town and rented a shot gun to go hunting. When he returned to the house where the negro was staying and had a talk with her and then shot her because she would not give him money back.

Officer Towery was the first to see the body and the negro surrounded him as he walked out of the house where the shooting took place.

Uncle Sam's Men Will Show How To Pack Poultry And Eggs

On a tour of the Texas poultry and egg shipping stations a demonstration car of the United States department of agriculture will stop at Wichita Falls, Thursday, May 4th.

The car which is in charge of two government specialists in handling poultry and eggs is a complete refrigerating laboratory on wheels. It contains two chilling rooms—one for preliminary chilling of warm eggs or poultry and a second room in which to hold the chilled stock. The reason for the chilled stock is for generating the electric lights used in the cold rooms. The engine drives a fan the shaft of which pulls air through the false walls and mappers of the bag and forces this fresh air through 20 large blower and for generating the electric lights used in the cold rooms.

The first step in the demonstration will be the scientific candling of the eggs to determine their freshness. Those interested will see exactly how the specialists candle eggs and grade them as fresh, light floaters which are eggs that have been kept too warm with the result that the yolk is towards the top and shifts easily; bloodings in which incubation is far enough advanced to show a system of blood vessels about the embryo chick; white rots where the yolk is mixed with the white and black rots where no light can be seen through the egg. The demonstration in white rots is regarded as especially important for the reason that many expert candlers cannot tell white rots from fresh as the candle gives a somewhat similar appearance to both. After the tests for freshness are completed, the demonstrators will grade the eggs by size, cleanliness of shell and soundness of shell according to the standard gradings used by the egg commission men in the great centers of egg consumption. The eggs after they have been tested and graded and all below shipping grade have been eliminated, will be removed to the inner cold room and brought down to a temperature of 40 degrees and at that temperature will be packed in cases ready for shipment. Especial emphasis will be laid by the government demonstrators on the new method of pre-cooling the eggs before they are shipped in an ordinary refrigerating car. Eggs can be cooled at 40 degrees Fahrenheit in 24 hours

in such a refrigerating plant as that on board the car. This checks deterioration. If they are loaded warm in a refrigerating car it takes them five or six days to get down to a temperature at which they do not spoil and during this time they are deteriorating rapidly.

Crating of Eggs For Long Shipment. Then will come a practical demonstration in skilled packing of eggs for long shipment. The most effective use of wires (the paper partitions) flats layers between the partitions) and buffers (the springy excelsior or cork used at the top and bottom of the cases to prevent the eggs from being broken by jarring), will be shown. The demonstrators will then discuss the best kind of wood and nails for cases and the number and placing of nails needed for each case. At the conclusion of the tests the local owners of the eggs will be free to ship them to their customers. This demonstration in packing eggs is regarded as very important for the reason that nine per cent or over 11 million dozen eggs shipped to New York arrive there broken and unfit for food. The fault lies partly with the packing. The losses are so great that the price of eggs is abnormally high and railroads are complaining that egg shipping is not a profitable business.

To Demonstrate How To Ship Dressing Turkeys and Chickens. While the main object of the summer trip of Uncle Sam's car is to deal with the egg situation, the demonstrators also will show those who wish such information, the most approved method of dressing, grading, packing and packing of poultry for the distant Eastern markets. Where poultry is properly refrigerated and chilled before being placed in a refrigerator car, the government specialists assert, it not only does not lose flavor, but also keeps its weight and food value which runs off in water in the case of egg packed shipments. Poultry shipped under these methods therefore commands a higher price per pound and does not lose a heavy percentage of food material as is the case with the old method.

The car spent last year in Missouri and demonstrated modern methods of handling poultry and eggs to the shippers in a large number of towns. The season before, the car spent in Kentucky, where the demonstrators showed Kentucky shippers how to ship carloads of turkeys to the New York Christmas market in such a way that they arrived in prime condition, in spite of abnormally warm weather at that season.

GRAVES OF CONFEDERATE DEAD WERE DECORATED

From Monday's Daily. Sunday was Confederate Memorial Day and was observed as such by the W. R. Scurry Chapter of the U. D. C. A committee of ladies accompanied by W. J. Howard, a Confederate veteran, visited the cemetery. It was intended to decorate the graves only in the morning, but on account of the rain the ladies were obliged to wait until the afternoon. Wreaths of evergreen with Confederate flags interspersed were placed on about thirty-five graves.

Building Permits.

Building permits have been issued as follows: W. J. Jonte, one story frame on lot 29; block 262, \$2990; Blankowski, contractor. Pope and Jordan, one story frame, lot 7, block 139, \$250. E. M. Harris, one story frame, lot 4, block 26, Kenip addition, \$1200; Hayes, contractor. C. L. Wilson, repairs on residence, lot 7, block 20, \$500; High, contractor. Mrs. E. M. Brown, repairs on residence, lot 18, block 18, \$300; Shaver, contractor. Mrs. E. M. Brown, one story frame, lot 1, block 2, Spivey addition, \$1550; Shaver, contractor.

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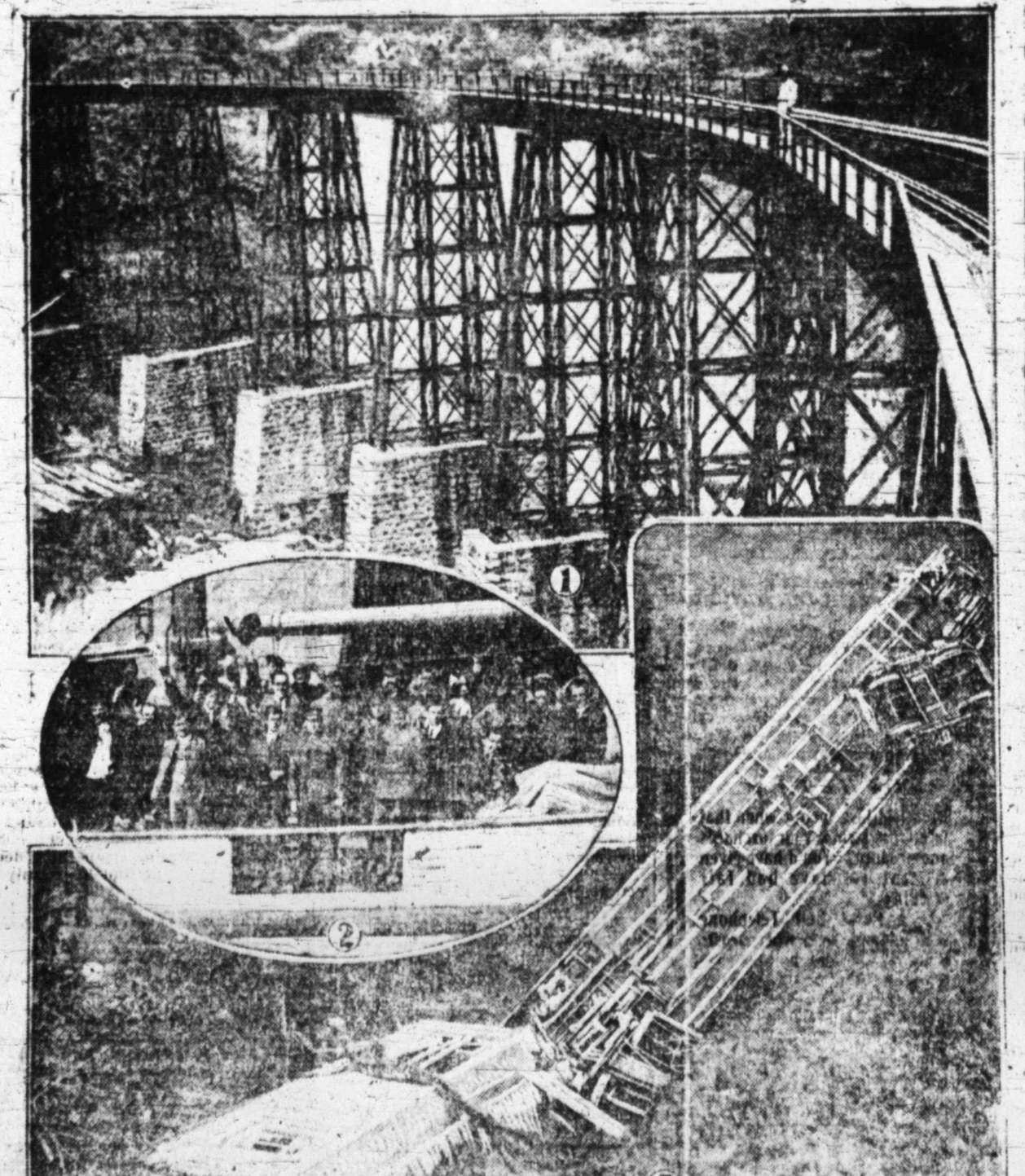
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BEYOND CONTROL OF STRIKE LEADERS

VIOLENCE SPREAD TO NORTH-SOUTH COLORADO MINES AND MORE BLOOD SHED

THE AUTHORITIES ARE BLAMED

Strike Leaders Declare Conspiracy to Precipitate Trouble Led to the Violence

By Associated Press. Denver, Colo., April 28.—Conflicts in the Colorado strike zone are more serious than at any time since the inception of the strike last September. Violence has spread from the southern fields to those of the extreme north...

Gov. Ammons today faced another large committee of women. They asked the appointment of a large commission of women to go and search the old strikers' tent colony at Ludlow...

CYCLONE HITS PEACOCK, MUCH DAMAGE IS DONE

Business Section of Town Destroyed in Storm Sunday Afternoon—No One Killed

From Monday's Daily. Advice received at the Wichita Valley headquarters today tell of cyclone damage at Peacock on the Stamford & Northwestern branch in Stonevale county.

CONSTITUTIONALISTS ARE NOW ATTACKING TAMPOCO

Washington, April 27.—Constitutionalists at Tampico are renewing their attack on that city according to a dispatch from Admiral Fox...

Additional Entries For Leagues Tin Can Contest

In addition to the two names published in yesterday's paper the following names have been entered in the tin can collecting contest for the CHIC League prizes:

More Automobiles Needed To Carry National Editors

Wichita Falls is nearly ready for the members of the National Editorial Association who will be her guests next Saturday and in the few days remaining, the final details will be closed up.

LAKE DAM IN DANGER PRECAUTIONS TAKEN

FORCE OF FIFTY MEN STRENGTHENING THE WATER SOFTENED EMBANKMENT

DANGER IS NOT IMMEDIATE

Even if Dam Breaks There Loss Would Not Be So Great—High Wind Might Cause Break

From Monday's Daily. With the water almost up to the high stage of last December, a force of fifty men is on duty at Lake Wichita this morning, strengthening the west end of the dam with earth-filled sacks and otherwise taking precautions against any breach.

Little apprehension is felt for the safety of the main structure of the dam, but at the west end where the lake is nothing more than an earthen fill, there is some danger, especially if a high wind should come up after the rain stops.

LOCAL CONTESTANTS WILL GO TO AUSTIN

High School Speakers, Debaters and Athletes Will Participate in State Meet

From Wednesday's Daily. A number of high school boys who were winners in the district meet that took place several weeks ago will leave Thursday to take in the interscholastic track meet at Austin.

Roosevelt Expected at Manassas

Manassas, Va., April 27.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt was expected to reach here today when he planned to form a junction with members of the various groups into which his South American expedition was broken up.

CHURCH WORKERS PLAN FOR SCOVILLE MEETINGS

From Monday's Daily. Preliminary organization of workers for the Scoville revival meetings which are to start next week was perfected at a meeting of church workers at the First Christian Church Sunday afternoon.

MALE NURSES WANTED BY THE NAVY SERVICE

From Wednesday's Daily. Five recruits have been sent from the naval recruiting station here recently by F. M. Kraus, recruiting officer here.

CHATTERTON BOOSTING FOR WICHITA FALLS

W. A. Chatterton of Waco and Wichita Falls, Texas, arrived in town Saturday night and will make his headquarters here for a couple of weeks. He is the traveling man who had the temerity to enter the race for governor of Texas.

TWILIGHT LEAGUE OPENS SEASON MAY 5TH

From Wednesday's Daily. Next Tuesday evening will mark the opening of the Twilight League of baseball clubs and the opening game will be between the Irish Lads or clerks team and the postoffice team.

COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS POULTRY SHIPPING EXHIBIT

Arrangements for the visit of the "egg special" of the federal department of agriculture were completed yesterday when long W. W. Evans, of the Katy, conferred with Chamber of Commerce officials regarding the visit.

NEUVO LAREDO FEDERALS HAVE DISAPPEARED

Laredo, Texas, April 27.—Retreat federalists who burned Neuvo Laredo seem to have disappeared leaving the border in suspense due to the skirmishing with the border patrol here and the attempts to burn the international bridges.

MEXICANS SAW DOG DIE THEN WENT ON STRIKE

Mine Superintendent Who Was Describing Employer Had Hard Work to Prove Not Poisoner

Vera Cruz, April 29.—Why Jim Montague—that is not his real name—had a strike of his Mexican miners at Monterey goes like this: Yellow fever appeared in the city, and of course, the first effort of the doctors was to guard against its spread.

TARIFF ON TRITE WORDS

The range for such a tariff schedule on literary pretentiousness in words and phrases is indeed broad. Its possibilities touch more than the mere matter of length. Trite and hackneyed words and phrases should certainly not be on the free list.

HE SETTLED IT

Two club friends returning home were having a keen but good-natured argument over the probable make-up of the next house.

FAMOUS ENGLISH MONOGRAM

The monogram was not in England, always composed in Latin, though it was a device borrowed from the later Romans, revived during the Renaissance. Perhaps the most famous monogram in English was that on the death of Queen Elizabeth: "My Day is Closed in Immortality."

THE MODERN WEATHER PROPHECY

Recalled last spring when that late frost struck your orchards and produce? You'd have given a mint to have had fair warning.

WITH BULLET IN HEART MAN RECOVERS INJURY

Vienna, April 27.—Alive and well with a bullet in his heart, is the report made of an unusual if not unprecedented case in medical annals, by Dr. Finsterer, to the Viennese Society of Physicians and Surgeons.

MEXICAN OUTPOSTS WITHIN EIGHT MILES VERA CRUZ

Vera Cruz, April 27.—Efforts to repair the cable line between Vera Cruz and the capital, which is cut a short distance from Vera Cruz, developed the fact that the federals have an outpost only eight miles away.

DEPENDANT WANTED TO HIRE COUNTY ATTORNEY

The examining trial of George Calvin, the negro charged with assault to murder in connection with the shooting of Lizzie Harris last Saturday was held this afternoon.

YOUNG MEN'S FORUM WILL DISCUSS ULSTER TROUBLE

In spite of unfavorable weather a number of members of the Young Men's Forum were out for the weekly meeting Monday night. The program consisted of five minute talks on timely topics by all of the members present.

BIG CREAMERY ASSURED FOR BROWNSVILLE

Brownsville, Texas, April 27.—A number of local capitalists have sanctioned the feasibility of establishing a large creamery in this city and are making preparations toward that end.

FLOOD DAMAGE IS FEARED AT DALLAS

TRINITY RIVER AT 30 FOOT STAGE AND EXPECTED TO GO TO 38 FEET

THE RAINFALL IS WIDESPREAD

Torrential Rains Extend From Dallas To Childress, Stamford and San Angelo

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, April 27.—Torrential rains which have put streams bank full gave fears over North Texas this morning that the spring gushes soon will reach the promotion of the floods last December.

OH! KING ASKED TO SETTLE MINE STRIKE

"No, it will be reactionary," insisted the other. To settle, or rather, end the argument in good humor they agreed to call in an umpire the first person they met.



John D. Rockefeller

MRS. ROBB'S BODY TAKEN TO GIRARD, KANSAS, TODAY

Capt. H. C. Robb of the Salvation Army left this morning at 6 o'clock to accompany the remains of his mother, Mrs. M. L. Robb, who died yesterday afternoon at Girard, Kan.

RECORDED LAST SPRING WHEN THAT LATE FROST STRUCK YOUR ORCHARDS AND PRODUCE?

Advertisement for 'THE MODERN WEATHER PROPHECY' featuring a weather machine illustration and text about forecasting weather to protect crops.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For District Office: J. W. AKIN of Graham, Young County. EDGAR SCURRY of Wichita County. For District Attorney 30th Judicial District: LESLIE HUMPHREYS of Clay County.

CHILD WELFARE CONFERENCE CLOSES

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HOTEL MEN REACH DOVER

Dover, Eng., April 28.—Two hundred members of the American Hotel Men's Association today were expected to reach Dover, the third stop planned in the forty-eight day tour to include the larger cities of Great Britain and Europe.

Personal Mention of the Week

From Thursday's Daily. J. T. Peak is in the city today from Iowa Park. Walter Denny is here from Burkburnett today. H. C. Smith is in the city today from Iowa Park. Karl Bauch went to Archer City this afternoon. A. M. Bevens of Electra, is in the city for a few days. James R. Hughes went to Fowler this morning on business. John T. Boyer of Houston is a business visitor here today. John Benson of Archer City, is a business visitor in the city. G. L. Hancock of Big Springs, is a business visitor here today. C. I. Maves of Woodward, Okla., is transacting business here today. Miss Nell Thomas of Bowie is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry May. Miss Ruth Neel of Manum, Okla., is visiting friends and relatives here. J. M. Wheeler and wife returned yesterday from a visit in Hobart, Okla. Miss Edith Mathis returned to Burkburnett this afternoon after a few days visit with relatives here. Mrs. W. R. Chapman returned today to her home in St. Louis after a visit with Mrs. C. H. Scott of this city. W. E. Thompson returned this afternoon from Haskell, Texas, where he has been visiting relatives for the past few days. John D. Tewksberry, representative of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen, is in the city today from Chickasha, Okla. O. H. Foster received a message this morning announcing the serious illness of his sister in Sherman and left today for that place. From Friday's Daily. A. C. Cravey of Mangum is transacting business here today. O. C. James and F. A. Smith are in the city today from Dallas. Fred C. Burnett, of Burkburnett is a business visitor here today. J. S. Owens and S. A. Baxter are in the city today from Iowa Park. Miss Lillian Avis has returned from a visit to friends at Fort Worth. E. M. Pyle of Kansas, formerly of this city, is in the city on business. Fred T. Taylor of Waurika, Okla., is in the city today on business. J. D. Kendrick, a prominent ranchman of Byers, Texas, is here for a few days. Mrs. A. L. Staples has returned from a visit with friends and relatives at Tulsa, Oklahoma. Will Richardson returned to his home in Mineral Wells today after spending several days here. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Mathis left this afternoon for Galveston, Texas, where they will remain for several days. A. Katz and wife of McAlester, Oklahoma, are in the city visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. S. Ziskind and family. Judge J. A. P. Dickson of Seymour was her this morning en route home from Paducah where he has been holding court. E. R. Finley and wife, J. T. Finley and wife and J. E. Tucker of Mangum, Oklahoma, are spending a few days here. Miss Dora Landrum left today for Dallas where she goes to accept a position as stenographer with C. C. Huff general attorney for the M. K. & T. Railway. Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Vanoy arrived here Monday from the Isthmus of Panama. They are well pleased with the city and will make their home here with their son, C. R. Vanoy and family. They brought numbers of relief with the government for the past six years and is proud to show a beautiful medal awarded him by the government for good and faithful service. From Sunday's Daily. R. C. Williams is here from Electra. Chas. R. Fuller went to Electra yesterday. A. Webb of Fort Worth, is here on business. E. C. Bradley is in the city from Tulsa, Okla. Dan Powell was over from Archer City yesterday. J. P. DeFord of Needassa, Kan., is here on business. F. E. Murrell of Henrietta was in the city yesterday. M. McGinley has been very sick for the past few days. M. S. Newton of Lawton, is in the city for a few days. Miss Grace Kirley was here Saturday from Petrolia. Dr. R. T. Bolyg returned yesterday from Burkburnett.

W. L. Lunsford of Seymour, was in the city yesterday. H. L. McGregor was in the city Saturday from Petrolia. Fred C. Pearce of Plainview, is a business visitor here for a few days. Irwin Corlett and wife of Henrietta are here to spend Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Scott are here from Denison visiting. T. E. Nunn is in the city from Seymour for a few days. Mrs. D. E. Walcott of Mineral Wells, is here for a short visit. Lee L. Andrews of Archer City, is a business visitor here Saturday. Ed Smith and Ed Mahler of Archer City, were in the city yesterday. Raymond Carter and Gerald Lovell of Petrolia, were here Saturday. J. W. Howard and R. L. Hoarn of Childress are here for a few days. Mrs. S. J. Ashmore and children are visiting relatives in Hereford. Mike Bradley and family of Hollis, Okla., are spending a few days here. Prof. O. C. Brannon and wife of Petrolia, were shopping here yesterday. Miss Vivian Manning of Bellevue, is visiting Miss Farra Martin, 2404 Tent street. Joe Huggins is down from Childress where he is engaged in the coal and grain business. F. C. Cook returned last week from Dallas, where he has been attending a dentistry school. Mrs. J. D. Beggs, 1402 Bluff street, is confined to her room suffering with a badly sprained ankle. Miss Bernice Milligan returned from Mineral Wells, where she has been for the past few weeks for her health. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sapp of Houston are visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. P. Sapp, 704 Travis. Mr. Sapp is an old Confederate Veteran and belonged to Hood's brigade. Lee Johnson, a former resident of Wichita-Falls who has been in Oklahoma for several years, is a visitor here. Mr. Johnson is on his way to Arkansas Pass where he intends to engage in business. Sam Kruger went to Fort Worth in the early morning train to see his wife, who has been in Fort Worth for several weeks, following an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Kruger expected to return home soon. From Monday's Daily. J. P. Hawks of Anson, Texas, spent Sunday here. H. W. Baird is in the city today from Electra. John Paskell and wife were here today from Olney. J. W. Ivy was here between trains today from Cleburne. George M. Goodwin of Tulsa, is in the city today. M. L. Haddock of Oklahoma City, is here today on business. J. T. S. Gant returned today from business trip to Bowie. Ernest Andrews, of Archer City, is in the city today on business. E. C. Harris of Hedley, Texas, is a business visitor here today. G. C. Cable, agent for the Denver at Electra, is in the city today. L. R. Malone of the Mayfield Mills is in the city from Mayfield, Ky. Mrs. L. A. Albright returned yesterday from Decatur, where they have been visiting. A. E. Ball, representative for the Adow Jones Clothing Co., of Boston, is here for a few days. Mrs. J. E. Ferguson has returned from a visit to her son, Markum who is attending school at Waco. C. E. Parrott left yesterday morning for Greenville, where he will transact business this week. R. A. Haggert was called to Gainesville to see the death bed of his grandmother who died at noon today. Mrs. John J. Pike who has been ill at her home at 1309 Scott avenue with pneumonia is much better today. Miss Vivian Manning of Bellevue, Texas, returned to her home today after a few days visit with Miss Laura Martin. O. H. Foster returned yesterday from Sherman, Texas, where he has been to attend the burial of his sister, Mrs. J. R. Dean. G. T. Anderson of Olney, returned to his home this afternoon after a few days visit with his brother, G. D. Anderson and family, 1312 Tenth. Miss Isola Marshall has returned home from Albany, Texas, where she has been visiting her friend, Miss Effie Kellum, who accompanied her home. Mrs. M. McGinley returned yesterday afternoon from Mineral Wells, where she has been for the past few days with her mother who has been very sick. Rev. J. W. Hill left this afternoon for Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio. He will deliver an address at the San Antonio Female College Thursday and preach a commencement sermon there on the following Sunday. From Tuesday's Daily. A. D. Cole is here from Ardmore. H. S. Ziskind is in Dallas on business. S. A. Patterson of Petrolia, is in the city. W. C. Pope is in the city from Webb City, Mo. F. R. Stafford is here from Oklahoma City. Henry Freese is in the city from Iowa Park. G. C. Whitney of Dallas is in the city on business. W. A. Richardson of Mineral Wells, is here on business. Robert Shubert went to Fort Worth this afternoon. M. E. Anderson of Kansas City, is a business visitor here. Mrs. Gertrude Dikis came in yesterday from Honey Grove. H. B. Sanderson and wife are visiting in the city from Petrolia. E. E. Parks and Stanley Field of Fort Worth, are here on business. W. M. McGregor returned today from a business trip to Arkansas. G. D. Anderson left yesterday for a few weeks trip to Chicago and Batavia Creek. Deputy Sheriff Abercrombie of

Archer county, was over today from Archer City. Mrs. C. H. Elliott received a message of the illness of her mother at Memphis and left this morning for that place. Mrs. J. H. Hatcher and children left this morning for Oklahoma City, where they will visit relatives for several days and then join Mr. Hatcher in Twin Falls, Idaho. Mrs. E. M. Winfrey and son, who have been on an extended visit to friends in Dallas and Fort Worth, have returned home. From Wednesday's Daily. W. P. Brown is here today from Friberg. C. C. Cochran of Hillboro, is here on business. J. W. Campbell is in the city today from Holliday. J. H. Dinbon came down this morning from Electra. J. W. Benson is in the city from Altus, Oklahoma. T. J. McGuire of Petrolia is over today on business. T. J. McCulloch of Abilene is in the city on business today. John Dyer of Henrietta is in the city for a few days on business. T. A. Parker of Boyd, Texas, is visiting in the city for a few days. J. W. Patton of Muskogee, Oklahoma, is transacting business here this week. W. J. Howard went to Chillicothe yesterday morning returning this morning. Grady Harrill of Texline, Texas, is in the city for a few days the guest of A. C. Taylor. Miss Murphy Taylor of Stamford is in the city visiting at the home of her uncle, T. J. Taylor. J. M. Denny and Theo Stratton of San Antonio are business visitors here for a few days. C. E. Goodwin, sheriff of Archer county, was in the city today en route to Dundee. W. T. Owen, Jr., of Birmingham, Alabama, is transacting business here this week. J. M. Scott and S. M. Ghose, leading real estate men of Decatur, are transacting business in the city. H. A. Ziskind returned this morning from Dallas where he has been transacting business for the past few days. M. Barclay received a cablegram yesterday of his mother's death, which occurred yesterday in Slough, England. Mrs. J. E. Jackson of Wichita, Kansas, came in this morning for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard. Miss Clara Jensen left this afternoon for her home in Denver after spending a few months with relatives in this city.

DECIDE YOURSELF The Opportunity is Here, Backed By Wichita Falls Testimony. Don't take our word for it. Don't depend on a stranger's statement. Read Wichita Falls endorsement. Read the statements of Wichita Falls citizens. And decide for yourself. Here is one case of it. John Glen, shoemaker, 712 Seventh street, Wichita Falls, Texas, says: "For many years I had various troubles caused by my kidneys and bladder. I had pains in my back and side and was troubled by irregular passages of the kidney secretions. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills so highly recommended, I tried them and found them even better than recommended. They cured me, and now I seldom need a kidney remedy. When I do I take Doan's Kidney Pills and they always benefit me." Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Glen had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. (Advt.)

MAY-THOMAS COMPANY IN CANDY BUSINESS Produce Company Purchases Plant of Lone Star Candy Company On Barwise Street. The Lone Star Candy factory has been purchased by the May-Thomas Produce Company, which is today installing the machinery in its building on Barwise street. H. H. Price, an experienced candy maker, will be in charge of the manufacturing department. W. L. Dillard, who started the factory here, retired from the business which will hereafter be handled by the May-Thomas Company.

IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

SURPRISE HONORING MRS. S. J. CLASBEY'S BIRTHDAY Saturday afternoon the members of Mrs. S. J. Clasbey's Sunday School class tendered her a most complete and pleasant surprise, honoring her sixty-fifth birthday. Arrangements had been previously made by members of the class, in league with her daughter-in-law, and the honoree was invited to dine away from home by one in the class, in order that plans could be carried out as expeditiously. When all of the class and other guests were assembled the honoree was called home and her surprise on arriving home was complete. Mrs. Fairchild, in behalf of the class presented their beloved teacher with a set of pie forks, engraved with S. S. C's 14, and Mrs. J. J. Lory read a toast, to the honoree, an original poem composed by herself, as follows:

In eighteen hundred and forty-nine, The fates did prove most kind, For in quiet old Lexington town, In Kentucky state 'way down, A bright-eyed baby girl was born. This baby grew as babies will, To a girl of five, more wondrous still, Missouri then became her state And there in 1868 she found her mate. The years sped on, as years will do, Bringing joys and sorrows too, But her heart was calm, her trust complete, She laid her all at Jesus' feet In eighteen hundred and eighty-eight They chose Texas as their state. Again the fates were kind, to us she came. Two score years ago we spoke her name, Our teacher dear, our hearts did cheer, And as she taught, her faithful life inspired us all to live aright. She fed us from the "Bread of Life," Taught us to try and shun all strife. We listened to her as she told, Of the many lost ones on of the fold, Our hearts were touched, the longing grew, To serve our Christ, the tried and true. We come tonight our love to show, To keep your birth of long ago. If all of our wishes were in a row, They would most wondrous love show. Happiness, health, friends, love, Everything good from your Father above. This little gift will show in part, The place you hold within our hearts. Use them often, use them well, Let them to you of our love tell. As years roll on we wish you peace, And at life's end a sunset clear, And from your Master, the "Well Done" hear.

Mrs. Clasbey was visibly touched by the gift and the reading and responded in a grateful little speech. For the remainder of the afternoon contests of a Biblical nature were held and a social time was enjoyed. Ice cream and refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Perry, Peeler, Brooks, Wagoner, Roy Taylor, Snider, Shumake, Hall, Fairchild, Moore, Parrish, Amison, Brown, Lawler, Clasbey, Carter, Shepherd, Cundiff, C. Taylor, Ponder, Farmer, Walker, Barnard, Savage, McGregor, McGinnis, Huff, Kemp, Anderson, Simmons, Burgess, Dillard and the honoree, Mrs. S. J. Clasbey.

UNITY CLUB HOSTESS TO CLUBS OF CITY SATURDAY Saturday afternoon the literary and musical clubs of the city enjoyed the privilege of a lecture by Mrs. Magie Barry, vice president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, at the occasion of the home of Mrs. J. A. Kemp. Mrs. Barry is head of the English department of Kidd-Key College and a very fluent speaker, possessing the ability to portray any subject admirably and to hold the attention of her audience. Her discourse of Saturday afternoon was on Browning's "Ring and the Book." Preceding the lecture a short musical program was given by a trio of local artists. Mrs. Walter S. Robertson gave a vocal selection. Mrs. Bruce Greenwood gave a violin number on Barwise street. H. H. Price, an experienced candy maker, will be in charge of the manufacturing department. W. L. Dillard, who started the factory here, retired from the business which will hereafter be handled by the May-Thomas Company.

CALL FOR FORMATION OF CLUBS IN RURAL DISTRICTS

The United Clubs wish to extend an invitation to the women in the rural districts near Wichita Falls to join in the club work and form clubs and ask that all interested communicate with the United Clubs. An arrangement can be effected, whereby Wichita Falls would become the center of club interest for all the surrounding communities and an arrangement of this sort will prove of mutual benefit to both the town and rural club women. Clubs may be organized for literary, music and art study, also domestic science and the United Clubs are concerned with extensions along those above named lines. With the hearty co-operation of both town and country literary clubs much can be gained and Wichita Falls could be made a club center. The constitution of the United Clubs has a sufficiently wide scope to include in its membership women of the rural district and it is hoped that a number of club will be formed soon. The club women of the city are hoping for a large response to this call from the women of the rural districts.

BRIDAL SHOWER FOR MISS MABELLE JACKSON.

Complimenting Miss Mabelle Jackson, a May bride-to-be, Mrs. T. B. Noble entertained very prettily Friday afternoon, choosing a miscellaneous shower for the expression of her hospitality. The house was decorated very fittingly for the occasion with spring wild flowers and greenery. Music played an important part in the afternoon program, among the musical selections being a vocal solo by Miss Mabelle Simpson. Then to the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Ona Bell, little Jimmy Guest, dressed to represent Cupid, entered the room, drawing behind him a miniature red wagon, in which were the dainty articles making up the shower. Late in the afternoon Mrs. Noble served a delicious salad course, accompanied by pineapple ice cream and cake after which the club adjourned to meet with Miss Nina Barwise. The members present were: Mesdames Sherrill, Downing, Jones, Barwise, Barrier, Smith, Rasdale, Martin, Mesdames Jason, Walker, Jackson, Blair, Olive Edwards of New York, Adalyn Gibson, Tressa Lee, Temple Thompson, Florence Sammons, Irwin McClaren, Simpson, Bell, Clifton, Avis, Freear, Mesdames Daugherty, Snider, Guest, Jackson and the honoree, Miss Mabelle Jackson.

MRS. BOONE HOSTESS TO JUST SO CLUB SATURDAY.

The Just So Club met Saturday afternoon in regular session with Mrs. T. R. Boone. The usual pleasant afternoon was enjoyed, diversion being furnished by sewing and conversation. The hostess served a delicious salad course, accompanied by pineapple ice cream and cake after which the club adjourned to meet with Miss Nina Barwise. The members present were: Mesdames Sherrill, Downing, Jones, Barwise, Barrier, Smith, Rasdale, Martin, Mesdames Jason, Walker, Jackson, Blair, Olive Edwards of New York, Adalyn Gibson, Tressa Lee, Temple Thompson, Florence Sammons, Irwin McClaren, Simpson, Bell, Clifton, Avis, Freear, Mesdames Daugherty, Snider, Guest, Jackson and the honoree, Miss Mabelle Jackson.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY MEETING MONDAY.

The Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church held a very interesting meeting Monday afternoon at the church. Two themes, "Social Transformation" and "The New Education" in the study course, "Emergency in China" was the lesson studied with Mrs. J. C. Hunt as leader. Different topics in these chapters had been assigned to the following: Mesdames Gebhart, Patterson, Fowler, Mears, Burnside, Boyd and Miss Jodie Haynes and were discussed in a very interesting and able manner. Following the program a social tea was enjoyed with Mrs. J. A. Fisher and Mrs. J. L. McKee as hostesses.

MISS BURNSIDE ENTERTAINS CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

Monday evening Miss Alice Burnside entertained the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church in a very pleasant social meeting. A short business session was held in which plans for certain phases of the Endeavor work were discussed. Music, conversation and various games furnished amusement and at a late hour refreshing ice cream with wafers was served.

MONTHLY SOCIAL MEETING OF FIRST M. E. LADIES.

The regular monthly social meeting of the ladies of the First M. E. Church was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dalton. The meeting was opened with the usual devotional services and the remainder of the afternoon was spent in a pleasant social manner. The new pastor, Rev. C. C. Smith and wife were present to enjoy this first social meeting.

since their advent here last week. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served. The hostess for this occasion included Mesdames Dalton, Boden, Jenne and Friberg.

THE TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB HELD A BUSINESS SESSION TUESDAY AFTERNOON WITH MRS. M. M. WALKER.

The Tuesday Bridge Club held a business session Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. M. M. Walker. A number of new rules by which the club would be governed during the coming season, commencing next fall, were passed and Mrs. Robert Thorburn was elected president. At the conclusion of the meeting the hostess served refreshing ice cream to the following: Mesdames Robert Thorburn, Everett Jones, Wallace Little, Wade Walker, Charles Hine, Harry May, Newton Maer, and W. M. McGregor.

MRS. J. C. BERNEY, PRESIDENT OF UNITED CLUBS.

The Delphian Society which has recently been organized will meet with Mrs. W. H. Ike, Flat 8, Kemp Court Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. At this meeting a report from the committee on constitution and by-laws will be heard. The club will begin its work with an introductory study of the life and literature of Egypt. The program this week will be as follows: Roll call answered by quotations from "An Old Kingdom Book of Proverbs" by Pish Hotej; Prehistoric Man; (a) stages of progress; (b) discovery of fire; (c) the house; (d) the food; (e) cultivated plants; (f) domestication of animals; (g) dress in prehistoric times; (h) art; (i) religion. Does recent research work prove the prehistoric man of America older than the historic man of Egypt? Son of the Harper; reading. The member of the Delphian Society are: Mesdames Ed Carson, Jones, Turner, Patterson, Maer, Easton, Berney, Basford, Dent, Silk, T. B. Smith, Ike and Miss Lillian Avis.

PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR ORGAN RECITAL THURSDAY

An organ recital will be given at the First Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening, April 30, at eight o'clock by Mr. Duncan, organist of the church, assisted by Mr. Murchison, Mr. Rogers and quartette. The public is cordially invited. The following is the program: St. Ann's Fugue; Bach Largo (from New World's Symphony); (a) Cantilene (b) Marche Solenne; Vocal Solo, "If With All Your Hearts (Elijah) Mendelssohn; Requiem Aeternam; Basil Harwood Marche on a Theme of Handel; Gullmatt; Offertory; Hollins Anthem "Seek Ye the Lord"; Verley Roberts; Mr. Rodgers and Quartette; Andantino; Lemare Marche Pontificale; Lemmens.

MRS. BRAINARD HOSTESS TO OLD MAIDS' AID

The Old Maids' met in regular session Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Bert Brainard. The afternoon was spent in the pleasant manner customary with the Old Maids, the hostess serving chicken sandwiches, nut sandwiches, olives, tea and mints late in the afternoon. The club members present were Mesdames Edle Carver, Agnes Reid, Carrie Kell, Mabel Simpson, Mabelle Clifton, Wadsworth, Vivian Mathis, Mrs. Daugherty and the hostess. Guests were Mrs. Reese Allen and Mrs. McCoy.

WESLEY GIRLS MEET WITH MRS. LESTER JONES

Mrs. Lester Jones was hostess to a delightful meeting of the Wesley Girls Tuesday afternoon. The afternoon's diversions consisted of fancywork and conversation. The hostess served a dainty refreshment course of sandwiches, olives, marshmallow pudding and angel food cake. The members present were Mesdames Gertrude Orth, Grace Nolen, He Cook, Alta Ruffner, Myrtle Humphries, Hazel Robson, Gladys Buregit, Muriel Hickman, Mesdames John Chambers, C. R. Hartsook,

ART LITERATURE CLUB OPPOSES PARK SITE FOR HOSPITAL

At a meeting of the Art Literature Club last week the club members passed resolutions against the plan that has been agitated for the erection of the County Hospital on the City Park grounds, declaring themselves unanimously against the erection of the hospital on the park site.

MRS. D'BERRY HOSTESS TO ART LITERATURE CLUB

The Art Literature Club met in regular session Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. J. J. DeBerry as hostess. The May 1st program for the afternoon was on Belgium art and was ably led by Mrs. Cravens. Mrs. Ed Sanders read an excellent paper on the Grand Canyon and Mrs. G. W. Fligo contributed also to the program, giving an excellent discussion of Southern California. At the conclusion of the program the hostess served a delicious ice cream to the following: Mesdames Sanders, Gebhart, Harry Robertson, Holding, Cravens, G. W. Fligo, E. O. Fligo and Misses Jamison and Kerr.

TACKY PARTY OF EPISCOPAL GUILD A GREAT SUCCESS.

The tacky party given Tuesday evening at the Kemp Court dining room by the entertainment committee of the Guild of the Good Shepherd, proved a success. Both socially and financially, a large crowd was in attendance and the costumes were the cause of much merriment, furnishing amusement for some time. The costumes of years past were assumed for the occasion and every conceivable combination of colors was observed. A short musical program was carried out in the early part of the evening, Miss Gordon giving an instrumental selection, accompanied by Mr. Bradbury on the violin. Miss Simpson sang and Miss Sammons gave a piano number. Then to the strains of "Turkey in the Straw" played by Mrs. Inge, the "Grand March" commenced. Rev. Datson and Messrs. Bibb and Sammons were the judges to pass on the fashions in costumes, and the couples judged by the judges stand in grand review. The ladies' prize was awarded to Miss Mabel Simpson and the gentlemen's went to Mr. Inge. Following the awarding of the prizes the old fashioned dances were indulged in, the Virginia Reel and others and some of the newest dances were introduced as well. The occasion was a very enjoyable one for all present, being free from any restraint and formality and the committee may consider themselves capable entertainers.

MUSICIANS CLUB CANTATA TO BE GIVEN SOON.

The cantata "King Rene's Daughter" which the Musicians Club has been practicing on for the past few months will be presented to the public at the Wichita Theatre some time next week, the date to be announced later. The cantata will be very pleasing to music lovers and much practice on the part of those taking part has rendered it perfect. A number of solo parts are in the cantata also with chorus numbers and the local musicians will appear at their best in this coming presentation.

COUPLE WILL OBSERVE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Cards have been issued for tonight as follows: Travis Edwin Tannedy, Annie G. McCreath married April 29th, 1894. At home Wednesday evening April 24th, 1914. 805 Bluff street, Wichita Falls. 8 o'clock.

GAS LINE BREAKS; DRILLING STOPPED AT FRIBERG

The Corsicana's well drilling on the Friberg farm and the well on the Perry farm are temporarily shut down on account of a break in the gas line which furnishes fuel for the drilling rigs. The Corsicana well is down 1500 feet. A showing of gas has been encountered. The well on the Perry farm is down 475 feet. The gas line was broken at the river by the high water Monday.

Advertisement for Dr. J. W. DuVal, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat. The effects of eye-strain are far-reaching and destructive to mental and physical development. The strain never ceases during waking hours. The only remedy is proper glasses. They correct the defect, relieve the strain and give comfortable, easy vision. We can fit you with glasses that will give satisfaction. No "Drops." We Know How. Dr. J. W. DuVal, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat.

Advertisement for O. W. Bean & Son, Wichita Falls, Texas. Gentlemen:— Enclosed find check for \$3.00 for which please send me ten pounds of ground coffee by parcel post to Sweetwater, Texas. Grind it fine like the other you sent me. I must say it was better than what I have been getting elsewhere. Yours truly, EUGENE LEACH.

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STEAMER SIBERIA ASHORE OFF ISLAND OF FORMOSA

Chinese And Japanese Pirates May Be Responsible For Plight of Big Steamer

PROMINENT AMERICANS ARE ON BOARD

Meager Reports Indicate That Passengers and Crew are In Grave Danger

By Associated Press.
Tokyo, Japan, May 1.—Wireless calls from the Pacific mail steamer Siberia tonight indicated that she was in grave peril off the coast of Formosa. The steamer was enroute to Manila with 80 salon passengers including Mrs. Burton Harrison, wife of the governor general of the Philippines.
Dispatches indicate the Chinese and Japanese pirates may have had something to do with the Siberia's plight. The exact nature of the accident has not been determined nor any details learned and while early wireless reports said the ship was sinking later reports indicate that she is ashore six miles off the southeast shore of Formosa. As soon as news of the ship's peril was received here a Japanese warship was sent to her rescue.
One of the passengers aboard the Siberia is Mrs. John B. Rentlers, wife of the new British consul at Manila.
The Siberia was under the charge of Captain Ceed and carried a crew of 200 men.

HIS WIFE WAS ON BOARD THE ILL FATED SHIP SIBERIA



J. B. HARRISON
NEW GOVERNOR GENERAL OF PHILIPPINES

WHAT'S THE STATUS OF NEW TERRITORY?

PROPERTY OWNERS IN ANNEXED PORTION OF CITY REFUSE TO RENDER PROPERTY

PRESENTS KNOTTY PROBLEM

Council Sought To Remedy Defect But Failed—Securities to Courts Now Seems Probable

The question of where the city's boundaries begin, under the new charter, has never been fully settled and as a result a number of property owners in the annexed territory have refused to render their property for taxation and others have rendered under protest.
The question arose soon after the charter went into effect whether the newly annexed territory was legally a part of the municipal corporation; it was suggested at that time that pending the settlement of the question, the city consider only the old limits. Nothing definite was ever done in the premises. It is seriously doubted whether the annexed territory is legally a part of the city, the charter to the contrary notwithstanding.
It is probable that a test suit of some kind will be brought to test the status of property. The matter might be solved by holding an election in the annexed strips but the results would be in doubt.
The city council sought to solve the question when it first came up by adopting a resolution declaring the annexed strips to be outside the city limits. Later, however, a ruling was received from the attorney general holding that if such action were allowed to stand it would amount to a nullification of the new charter. Accordingly, Tax Assessor Harry Robertson assessed the property concerned for taxation.
Similar cases have arisen in Denver and other cities which adopted new charters under the home rule bill and in each of them the annexed property owner won out, the courts holding that the annexation did not conform to the provisions of the general law on the subject. Until the charter question is finally adjudicated, the council, apparently, must regulate its procedure so as to conform both to the new charter and the general law.

FEDERALS SEIZE AMERICAN BRIG ON FALSE WAR REPORT

By Associated Press.
Washington, May 1.—An American brig was seized by the federal officials at Manizanillo on the west coast of Mexico because they believed that war had been declared. The brig and her crew was immediately released and apologies made upon the command of the cruiser Raleigh after the true situation became known, according to a report made by Admiral Howard in command of the Pacific fleet. Admiral Howard added that the report of an explosion from a burning Mexican steamer, Luella, gave rise to the belief by the federals that war had been declared. Ample apology, he reports, was made by the Mexican authorities.

Governor Ammons Asks For More Federal Soldiers

By Associated Press.
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Spanish Minister in Conference With Argentine Minister This Morning

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Oklahoma City, May 1.—Because of the recent repeated drops in the price of crude oil there is a slump in the business of leasing and drilling. In less than two months the price of crude in midcontinent field has dropped from \$1.05 to 75c and in the Healdton field it has gone from 90c to 55c. Producers recognize that the only immediate way out of the difficulty is to curtail production and this they are trying to do.

All automobile owners who have promised their cars for the use of the editors tomorrow are requested to be at the Chamber of Commerce, A. H. Britain, R. E. Huff, Ed Howard, J. A. Kemp, M. A. Marcus, E. P. Haney, T. J. Taylor, F. P. St. Clair, W. R. Ferguson, C. W. Reid, O. T. Bacon, A. H. Carrigan, A. E. Husey, Reese S. Allen, F. H. Gohlke, C. W. Bean, B. J. Bean, John W. Thomas, R. H. Miller.

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SEN KENYON ATTACKS GEN. EDUCATION BOARD

Would Repeal Act Incorporating Board—C. F. and I. Co. Securities the Cause

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10,000 WEST VIRGINIA COAL MINERS STRIKE

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MONTANA WILL SAIL WITH BODIES SOON

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AWAIT WASHINGTON NEWS

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The future policy of the Washington administration is being debated with much interest and definite word from Washington is anxiously awaited. In the absence of any definite word citizens and business men are trying to interpret from the trend of events whether American occupation is to be permanent. As soon as they are convinced that the American flag will remain until tranquility is restored the vast majority of the citizens will give their hearty support to the American civil government, as they are now enjoying greater freedom and protection than at any previous time in several years past. Some Mexican citizens have even gone so far as to say that American intervention is necessary before peaceful conditions can be restored in Mexico.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAB.

Kansas City, May 1.—Wheat No. 2 hard 86 to 90; No. 2 red 88 1/2 to 89 1/2; Corn No. 2 mixed 70 to 71. Oats No. 2 white 40.

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PROMINENT AMERICANS ARE ON BOARD

Meager Reports Indicate That Passengers and Crew are In Grave Danger

By Associated Press.

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JAPANESE WARSHIP IS ORDERED TO THE SCENE.

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"The governor general of Formosa reports that a Japanese cruiser enroute to the Okinawa islands picked up wireless distress signals of the Siberia which met disaster early tonight in longitude 121.10 east and latitude 22.40 north. She repeated signals which finally became indistinct. The Cantu Maru has been ordered to the scene."

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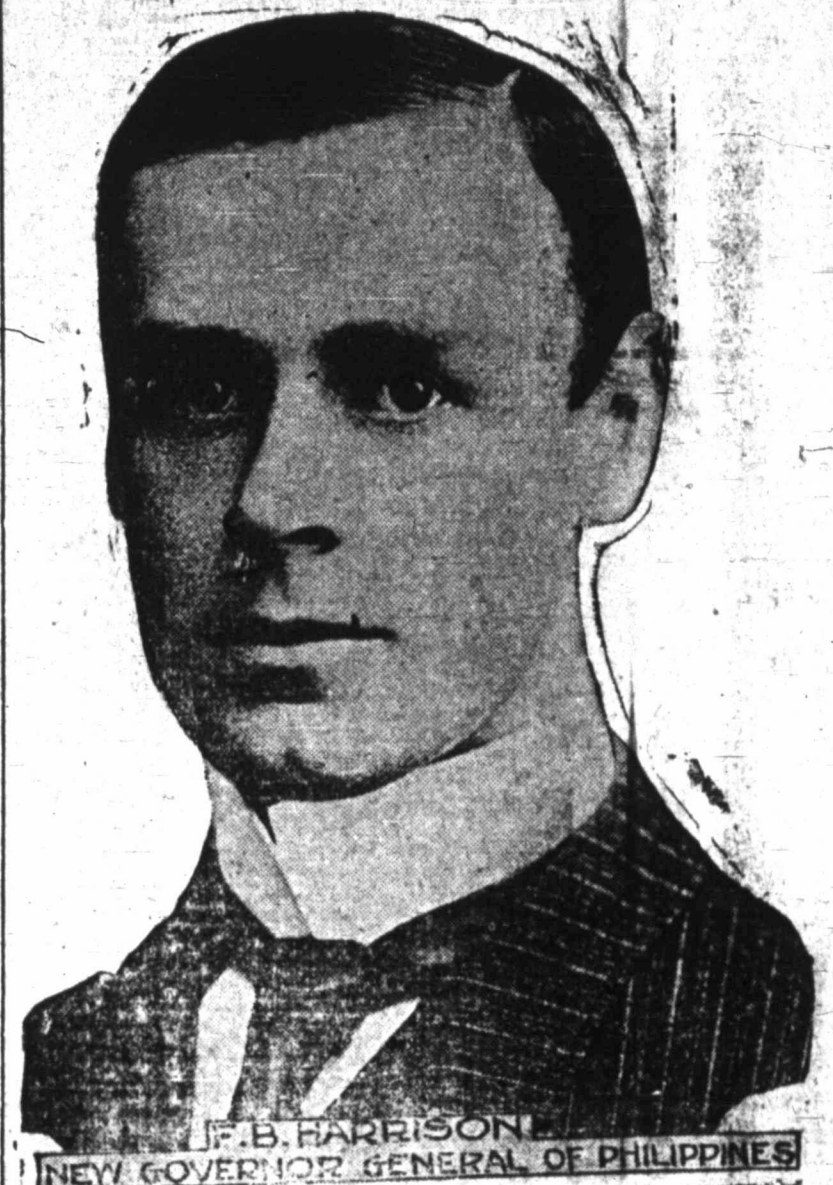
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PRESENTS KNOTTY PROBLEM

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The question of where the city's boundaries begin, under the new charter, has never been fully settled and as a result a number of property owners in the new territory have refused to render their property for taxation and others have rendered under protest.

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It is probable that a test suit of some kind will be brought to test the status of property. The matter might be solved by holding an election in the annexed strip but the results would be in doubt.

The city council sought to solve the question when it first came up by adopting a resolution declaring the annexed strips to be outside the city limits. Later, however, a ruling was received from the attorney general, holding that if such action were allowed to stand it would amount to a nullification of the new charter. Accordingly, Tax Assessor Harry Robertson assessed the property concerned for taxation.

Similar cases have arisen in Denton and other cities which adopted new charters under the home rule bill and in each of them the annexed property owner won out, the courts holding that the annexation did not conform to the provisions of the general law on the subject. Until the charter question is finally adjudicated, the council, apparently, must regulate its procedure so as to conform both to the new charter and the general law.

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DEVELOPMENTS IN THE IOWA PARK FIELD

Iowa Park Herald.

The oil sand was not reached at the Abernathy well at 1,110 feet and it is the intention of the Corsicana Oil Co. to put up a standard rig and make a deep test. This will be done within the next thirty days.

At the Burt & Griffith well on the old Willard farm they were drilling at 300 feet Sunday afternoon, they started drilling on it last Friday. They have a standard rig and if there is any deep oil to be found they will find it.

The Sunday oil well is making about six barrels a day and it is said to be a very good grade of oil. They had not

started on the Sunday No. 2 which is to be a deep well.

A 40 barrel well was brought in on the J. C. Goins farm in the Burkburnett field last week at the depth of 1800 feet with 17 feet of pay. The Corsicana Petroleum Co. have made six new locations in that field and work is to start as soon as the material is on-the-ground.

No. 2 D. E. Holcomb is drilling at 1200 feet. No. 2 on the Thom farm was reported dry at 1950, but drilling will be continued. Andrew Uffman's third test on the A. J. Shultz tract is drilling at 2500 feet. J. M. Guffey Oil Co. is drilling at 1400 feet on the H. Helsermab tract.

IN THE SPHERE OF WOMANKIND

Society Reporter's Phone 1671

Love and Nature.
Lady mine, with sudden dread
Pale the rose, on broken wing
From a heaven whose light hath fled
Drops the lark, no more to sing.
Maggish night, vain glorious gown,
Bodily grasps a beauty's crown
When you frown.

Lady mine, the raindrops fall
As the tear pearls from your eyes,
Earth to ocean's anguish call
Saddest consultation sighs.
Birds their nests more closely keep,
Startled sunbeams fear to peep,
When you weep.

Lady mine, the joyous morn
Breaks the prison bars of night,
Pleasures from the shades reborn
Scatters gloom, wealth, delight,
Man, beneath a subtle guile,
Dreams of Paradise awhile,
When you smile.

—London Chronicle.

WICHITA FALLS RECIPES.

Recipe For Old Fashioned Custard Pie.
(By Mrs. W. C. Kunke)
Line a deep pie tin with a rich crust. Beat two eggs well, add two cups of milk, three rounding tablespoons of sugar and one third teaspoon of ground nutmeg also a dash of salt. Beat all together and bake in the crust in a rather quick oven. (Recipes for this department are solicited. Phone 1671 or send in to Times office).

PIONEER SETTLERS CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

Friday, May 1 Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradley celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, this event being honored with a family luncheon at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. Lee Moore. A three course repast was served, the table decorations carrying out the idea of the golden wedding. Yellow snapdragons and pansies were used in profusion for the centerpiece and on the immense white wedding cake in golden numerals were the two dates figuring in the celebration, 1864-1914. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley, the honorees of this occasion, were married in Lincoln, Mo., May 1, 1864 and came to Wichita Falls in 1881, where Mr. Bradley was connected with the Cameron Lumber Company until he retired from business. They are among the oldest residents of the city, having come here when the town was little more than a trading post. They are the parents of five children, Mrs. W. Lee Moore, Mrs. Emma Marie, Mrs. W. E. Bradley, all of this city and Mrs. A. S. Cockrell of Fort Worth and W. L. Bradley of Washington. All of the children were present with the exception of W. L. Bradley of Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley also have twelve grandchildren. The couple were the recipients of many handsome gifts and congratulatory letters from both friends and in out of the city, who wished them the happiness of many more anniversaries.

MRS. CAREY HOSTESS TO NEW IDEA CLUB.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. M. F. Carey was hostess to the regular session of the New Idea Club. The usual routine of sewing and conversation was engaged in and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Thraikill and Mrs. Thornberry served ice cream, cake, coffee and minis to the following members and visitors: Mesdames E. V. Friberg, J. J. Simon, W. G. Shaw, H. J. Bachman, R. J. Goodale, T. E. Dobson, Lank Thornberry, Crawford of Oklahoma, Hyde, Thraikill and M. S. Coe.

THURSDAY SEWING CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. WAGGONER

The Thursday Sewing Circle met its regular session Thursday afternoon with Mrs. T. J. Waggoner. The club members occupied the time in the usual manner with needlework and conversation. The following were present: Mesdames Waggoner, Hartsook, Pressley, Jones, Montgomery and Misses Huggins and Waggoner.

ORGAN RECITAL FRIDAY NIGHT MUCH ENJOYED.

The recital given by Mr. Duncan organist of the First Presbyterian Church, assisted by Messrs. Murchison and Rodgers and the quartette Thursday evening at the First Presbyterian Church, was well attended and proved very enjoyable. The organist rendered a number of the most difficult of the classics in a manner that proved him to be master of the pipe organ and the vocal numbers were exceptionally good.

MRS. R. E. HUFF HOSTESS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE.

Mrs. R. E. Huff was hostess to a very delightful session of the Thursday Bridge Thursday afternoon. The rooms had been beautifully decorated in the bright colored springtime blossoms, pansies and snapdragons being the favored flowers, the shades were drawn and the shades lights added to the attractiveness of the scene. The guests all in lovely spring toilettes blended harmoniously in the artistic background furnished by the charming decoration. Eight tables of a reception bridge enjoyed the same for the better part of the afternoon. The club favor, a hand painted plate, was cut for, going to Miss Lucile Sherrod, while the guests favor was cut by Mrs. Morris Marcus. At the conclusion of the games the guests were invited into the handsome dining room where they were served a buffet luncheon of salad, bread and butter sandwiches, cake and cream. The hostess was assisted in the dining room by Mrs. William Huff and

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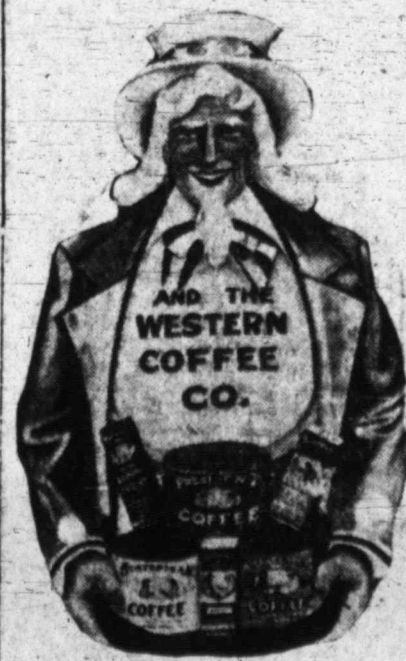
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1st. One pound of raisins equals one and one-third pounds of meat in food value.

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Soak one yeast cake in one and one-half cups of potato water; mix enough flour to make a stiff batter; beat five minutes. Let stand over night. In the morning, scald two cups of sweet milk, into which pour one rounded tablespoon Cottoleone, one tablespoon salt, three table-spoons sugar. When milk is lukewarm mix with the yeast; add enough flour to make a stiff batter; beat about ten minutes; let rise. When sufficiently raised, add two cups seeded or seedless raisins; mix; add more flour and knead until dough is smooth; let rise. Make into loaves and bake one hour. When baked wet top of loaves with sugar and hot water to prevent the crust becoming hard.

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RETURN HERE IN EVENING

Chief Feature of Wichita Falls Entertainment Will Be Banquet at Lake Wichita

About 140 members of the National Editorial Association will be guests of Wichita Falls and Electra tomorrow. They will reach this city about 8 o'clock, spend most of the day in the oil fields, return here in the afternoon for a ride over the city and a banquet at the lake and then leave for Dallas.

Practically everything is in readiness for the visitors, except that a few automobile owners who will permit the use of their cars are wanted. The piece de resistance of Wichita Falls part of the entertainment will be the banquet in the pavilion at Lake Wichita, where F. P. St. Clair, major-domo in charge, has prepared a feast that ought to appeal to even the surfeited appetites the editors will carry after a week's entertainment that will have consisted very largely of auto, Road, turkey will crown the feast, but it will be only one small feature of it.

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Wichita Falls part of the show will depend largely upon how early the editors get back here; it is hoped to take them for an automobile ride over the city and for a visit to the factories, if the time permits. The banquet at the lake will be the big part of 'Wichita Falls' entertainment.

The editors were in Houston last week attending the twenty-ninth annual convention of their association. Early this week they started their circle tour, which will take them successively Sugarland, San Antonio, San Marcos, Austin, Georgetown, Temple, Waco, Fort Worth and Wichita Falls, Dallas, which they will reach Sunday, will mark the end of the Texas tour.

The personnel of the party includes some of the most prominent newspaper writers in the United States and many notables in the newspaper world. A partial list of those on the special train follows:

- E. F. Kemp, Chicago; Homer Harwood, Mrs. Homer Harwood, Warren, Mich.; O. Palmer, Mrs. Palmer, Grayling, Mich.; H. C. Stevens, Mrs. H. C. Stevens, Tonka, Kan.; J. R. Woodring, Peru, Ind.; J. A. Kautz, Kokomo, Ind.; N. W. Savage, Mrs. W. A. Woodring, Peru, Ind.; Mrs. Lillian Edeburn, Miss Edna Edeburn, A. W. Rigby, Mrs. A. W. Rigby, Bloomington, Ill.; L. M. White, Mrs. L. M. White, Mexico, Mo.; John Redmond, Mrs. John Redmond, Burlington, Kan.; M. B. Hall, Georgetown, Texas; L. B. Frazier, Aurora, Ill.; C. J. Johnson, St. Paul, Minn.; Herman Roe, Northfield, Minn.; Louis F. Willoughby, Mrs. Louis F. Willoughby, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. W. A. Sanders, Columbus, Neb.; W. W. Aikens, Mrs. W. W. Aikens, Franklin, Ind.; J. Byron Cain, Mrs. J. Byron Cain, Belle Plaine, Kan.; H. N. Woodmansee, Lansdale, Pa.; F. J. Cramton, Mrs. F. J. Cramton, Montgomery, Ala.; C. Hotaling, Mrs. C. Hotaling, Milan, Mich.; Will H. Mayes, Texas; George Schlosser, Mrs. George Schlosser, Sioux Falls, S. D.; Maurice Seed, Mrs. Maurice Seed, Mount Vernon, Ill.; W. C. Calhoun and son, Mrs. W. C. Calhoun, Denver; W. E. Gleason, Winchester, Ind.; Edward Fox, Mrs. Edward Fox, Chester Fox, Chicago, Ill.; G. W. Tilton, Center, N. D.; J. M. Palmer, Blue Earth, Minn.; O. J. Res, Mrs. O. J. Res, Tracy, Minn.; Edgar A. Higgins, Avoca, N. Y.; Miss Maud J. Allen, Georgetown, Texas; Miss Virginia Bell, Bartlett, Texas; C. Brimblecom, Newton, Mass.; Joe Mitchell Chapple, Mrs. Joe Mitchell Chapple, Boston, Mass.; David B. Clarkson, Chicago; Dietrick Lamada, Williamsport, Pa.; E. H. Tomlinson, Mrs. E. H. Tomlinson, Morris, N. J.; Lee S. D. R. Stacey, Adair, Iowa; Jno. C. Oswald, New York; J. F. Buch, Little, Pa.; Jed Dubose, Wildwood, N. J.; Mrs. George Flemming, Williamsport, Pa.; Miss Dorris Rea, D. H. Evans, Allen Bates, Mrs. Allen Bates, Tracy, Minn.; John R. Elson, Paris, Tenn.; Edward Albright, Gallatin,

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The order for the uniforms has been placed by Chief of Police J. B. Nail and the suits will be here sometime this month. The uniforms are of navy blue, similar to those worn by policemen in all the larger cities. The hats are regular police helmets with each officer's number in front. When the city's new six-footers are bedecked in these suits the force will be truly metropolitan in appearance at least.

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CONGRESSMAN STEPHENS BUYS HOME SITE AT VERNON.

(Vernon Record)

That Congressman John H. Stephens of this city will build a home here in the near future became known in Vernon this week when the papers transferring the Purvis property on Main street, immediately south of the city hall, were filed for record. The price is not made public. The news that Mr. Stephens is to build on the site mentioned will not be surprising to a number of people, it having been known that he has been negotiating for the purchase of the place for something like a year. Just when work will be started on the Stephens home, it is presumed, will be contingent upon the time Congress adjourns to a number of people, the Stephens property is now occupied by a one story house, one of the oldest in the city and its removal to make way for the new home will mark the passing of a landmark. With the erection of Congressman Stephens' new home and the other contemplated improvements, made on South Main that thoroughfare will be one of the most attractive in the city.

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(Frederick Leader)

J. M. Bowman, who lives south-east of Davidson, has begun the construction of three pits silos on his farm. Mr. Bowman is utilizing bluffs for this purpose. He digs the pits from the top of the ground near the edge of the bluff, and makes an opening through the side of the bluff into the pit for the purpose of extracting the ensilage. After digging the pit he makes a form of timbers and pours in concrete, thus making a reinforced concrete pit silo. C. W. Howard will have pit silos constructed on the old Whitley farm at the northwest edge of Frederick, using concrete in their making.

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THE LONG SPIEL IS PASSE

The Evening Journal still hopes that Dean Mayes of the School of Journalism, University of Texas, will open a special course for the instruction in the art of publicity of young men who mean to embark upon the sea of politics.

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MAY RUN FOR SENATE

L. C. Perry of Wichita is being urged to become a candidate for state senator, and may do so. He is at present representing this district in the lower house serving out the time of the late J. C. Hunt, deceased.

Senator W. A. Johnson of Memphis is serving his first term, and is a candidate for re-election. Judge Cooke of Wellington is also announced candidate, and Ben F. Smith of Lockney is being urged to make the race, also.

CARL JUNGK ARRIVES FROM CHIHUAHUA STATE

Refugee Now in Wichita Falls Tells of Conditions in Strife Torn Mexico

To be an American in Mexico or with property in Mexico seems to be a losing proposition just now, according to the statements of Carl Jungk, one of the American refugees from Chihuahua state.

avoid the Americans. Mr. Jungk and his parents had been residents of Minica for fourteen years and were engaged in the general merchandise business, but their employes gave them to understand that if the United States should declare they might expect anything as they were Americans.

On the train with Mr. Jungk coming out of Chihuahua were two hundred American refugees, coming from the towns, mining and lumber camps, all of whom left the country on two hours notice, the time which intervened between Consul Letzer's telegram for all Americans to leave, and the hasty preparation of a train.

"Kill the Gringos," and a little manifestation of the feeling against the refugees occurred when some Mexican soldiers along the side of the tracks threw cinders over the Americans standing on the back platform of the train, using the Mexican slogan, "Kill the Gringos."

At Senes the train went through the forest, falling a number of feet, causing a slight inconvenience for the time being, as it meant a delay for some time until the train could be righted again. No one was hurt fortunately, and all reached the border safely.

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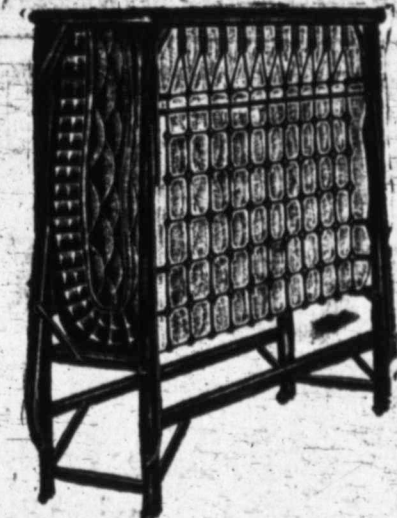
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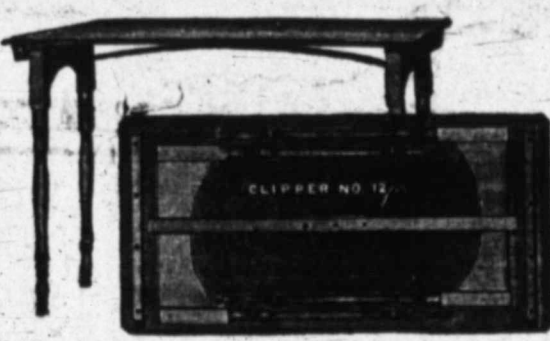
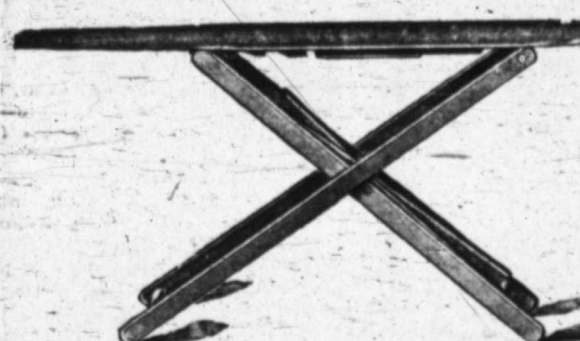


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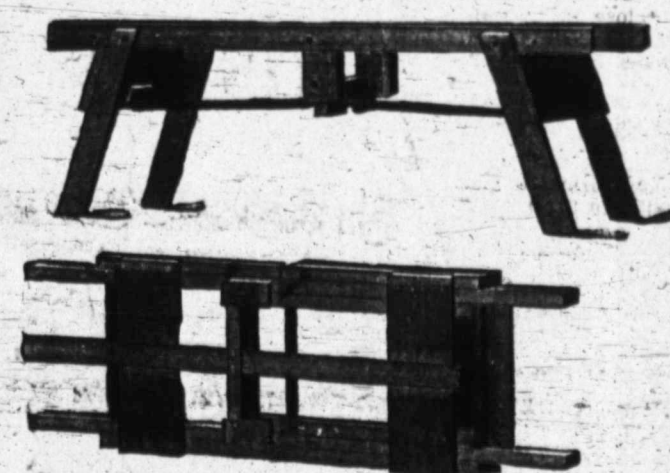
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Size 18 inches wide, 36 inches long, just like cut, regular \$1.50 value, our price any old time ... 85c

The prices on these articles are not on special sale. They are our regular, every day prices. Come Down. Phone down and get as many as you want.



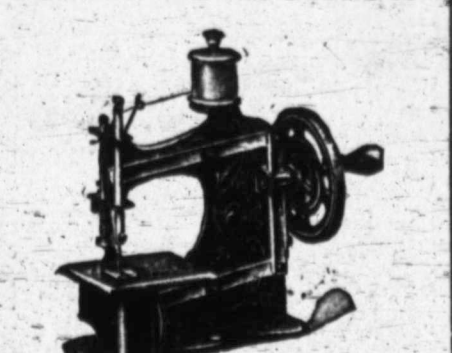
Wash Benches

Just like cut, strong and folds up complete, \$1.50 value 85c

Center Tables

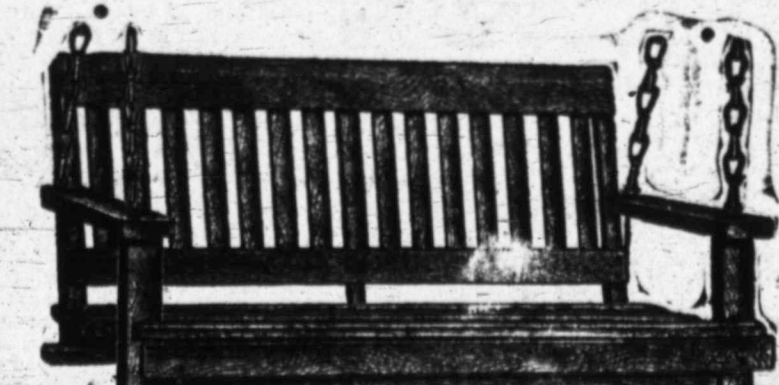
24-inch square, American quartered oak, strong, durable, \$2.00 value, our price any old time 89c

Sewing Machine for little women



We have just received from Germany our own importation 50 little sewing machines that will sew as perfect as a full size machine, just the thing for a little girl to make doll clothes, just like cut.

95c



Porch Swing—just like cut

Solid oak, 42 inches wide, strong chains and hooks, hung on porch, \$3.50 values 85c



Regular 75c to \$1.50 steel scissors, our prices any old time 35c

We Are Busy as Bees Cutting the Prices and Minding Our Own Business

BRIN-DOLLMAN THE STORE THAT CUTS THE PRICES

plant. Denton people who don't subscribe for the state papers unhesitatingly pay for copies of them when they want them. But there are some Denton people who believe the mere fact that they live in this vicinity entitles them to a free subscription every day in the year—Denton Record and Chronicle.

On the Dale ranch, twelve miles east of Wichita Falls, there are 8000 acres of wheat which the manager estimates will make an average yield of from 15 to 20 bushels per acre; an order for 12,000 pounds of binder twine with which to tie the bundles, was placed a few days ago. While we have no such wheat fields as the Dale ranch has, there are more than 50,000 acres in this grain in Hardeman county which promises a splendid yield and lots of early money for our farmers.

Walk Down Stairs and Save a Dollar

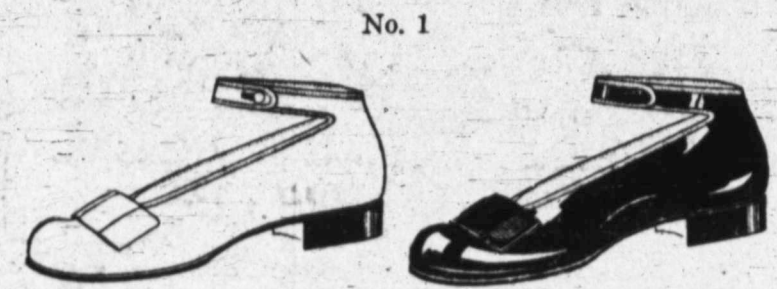
Sample Shoe Store Basement Kemp & Kell Building

\$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Shoes at \$1.95, \$2.50 and \$2.85

FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

I have just got back from the Eastern markets and have purchased a big line of all the newest creations and the best materials. It will pay you to see the new styles.

Here Are Four Specials For Saturday



No. 1
Baby Doll pumps, patent leather, dull leather, satin and white, all sizes, all kinds, worth \$3.50 a pair, special

\$1 95 and \$2 50



No. 2
Colonial Pumps, all styles, all leathers, worth up to \$5 a pair, just came in, all sizes

\$2 50 and \$2 85



No. 3
Pumps in all styles and all sizes and all kinds, worth up to \$4.00

\$1 95 to \$2 50



No. 4
Tango pumps, all leathers, all styles, worth up to \$5.00

\$2 85



Harry's
Sample
Shoe
Store

\$2 50
\$2 85

NEW WELLS BLDG. BASEMENT



Local News Brevities

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 906 Scott Avenue. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 95 ttc

Notice
T. J. Jeffries of Childress, Texas, who will have charge of the race track meet to be held in this city, wishes to announce he will be ready to train all horses at the Lake track the first of May. All persons who have horses to enter should see me at once. Address T. J. Jeffries, City. 1 2tc

Dr. Bolding, dentist, office 206 Kemp & Kell building. Phone 206. 46 ttc

Better insure your wheat and oats against loss by hail. See Creed Bros. & Chancellor. Room 5 old postoffice Bldg. Phone 1315. 98 ttc

Claude Thornton, one of the employees of the Times, is able to be out again after a three weeks' illness.

It will be nice for your Sunday's dinner. Try our South Texas Asparagus, 2 bunches for 25c. Phones 64 and 67. Trevathan's. 4 1tc

The ladies of the Christian church will serve the last dinner of the season on Saturday, May 2nd, in the building formerly occupied by McGrattan-Millsap. 99 ttc

We are going to auction off a whole car load of extra nice ripe bananas Saturday on vacant lot between 6th and 7th street, Indiana. Be there if you want cheap fruit. Sale starts at 11 o'clock. 2 1tp

Automobile Owners
We have just installed a new steam vulcanizing plant. In charge of an expert from the factory. We guarantee his work. Give him a trial. The prices are right. The Alviset Garage, 707 Scott avenue, phone 621. 99 ttc

The Musicians Club will present the Cantata "King Reines' Daughter" at the Wichita Theatre Monday evening, May 11th. This is to be the greatest musical event of the season, and none can afford to miss it. Admission 50 cents. 2 1tc

Hail insurance is reasonable and fully protects your growing crops. Notes accepted as premium. Creed Bros. & Chancellor. Phone 1315. 98 ttc

Dr. H. A. Waller, Dentist, Room 207 K & K. Phone 836. 28 ttc

Gasoline, fine grade, 10c a gallon. The Alviset Garage, 707 Scott avenue. 99 ttc

Board at Kemp Kort dining room will be \$20 per month for three meals and \$17.50 for two meals per day. 1 6tc

The condition of Will Neal, who recently suffered a stroke of paralysis, is reported today as somewhat improved. Neal is a stepson of Chief of Police J. B. Nail. His condition was very grave Wednesday night, but showed some improvement yesterday and today.

The big auction sale on bananas will take place at vacant lot on Indiana between 6th and 7th streets, Saturday from 11 o'clock until night. 2 1tp

South Texas asparagus tips for Saturday 12 1-2c per bunch. Phones 64 and 67. Trevathan's. 2 1tc

Board at Kemp Kort dining room will be \$20 per month for three meals and \$17.50 for two meals per day.

Dr. Prothro, dentist, Ward building, Eighth street. 60 ttc

Osteopathy
We are planning to take our vacation later in the summer and desire to reach a large number before we go away and as an inducement for the next 10 days we offer a card, good for 13 office treatments at a great reduction for cash in advance. Drs. Campbell & Farris. 99 ttc

The depression in the pavement at corner of Wall and Eighth streets, which has been an eyesore for some time, has been filled up and those who were planning to ask for fishing privileges there will be disappointed. The hole would remain full of water two weeks after a rain and was both unsanitary and unsightly.

Just phone us your Saturday's order for fruits and vegetables. We have them all. Trevathan's. 2 1tc

Don't fail to attend the big auction sale on bananas Saturday, May 2nd. 2 1tp

Notice to Farmers
Don't take a chance, take out hail insurance, on your crops in the St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Co. The best company in the world. Cravens, Maer & Walker, agents. Kemp & Kell building, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Notice
To My Friends and Patrons:
After an illness of nearly two years I have recovered my health sufficiently to again practice my profession. My offices are located upstairs in the Moore-Bateman building, corner Indiana avenue and Eighth street. Office phone 89. Residence phone 189. 1 3tc

R. L. MILLER, M. D.

See D. M. Perkins & Co., for bargains in real estate. Rooms 216-217 K. & K. Bldg. Phone 201. 91 ttc

We are writing insurance on growing crops. Creed Bros. & Chancellor. Corner Eighth and Ohio. Phone 1315. 98 ttc

Auction sale on bananas Saturday from 11 o'clock until night; buy them, your price is ours. 2 1tp

A distracted mother called at the city hall Thursday night and called for the mayor, but he was busy and she was finally persuaded to tell her troubles to Night Chief Louis Jernigan. Her fourteen year old daughter had disappeared with a young man and she wanted the officers' aid in breaking up the budding love affair. The police department was able to give her little assistance and she was referred to the juvenile court authorities.

Dr. Nelson, Dentist, Moore-Bateman Building, Phone 686 and 423. 77 ttc

Tomato Plants For Sale
The "Mammoth Prize," the "Matchless," and the "Early-Jewell." Phone J. L. Greathouse, rural phone 9012-ring 12, or leave orders with M. H. Earnest, 711 7th street. Price per hundred, 40 cents. 99 6tp

Buy your cheap bananas at auction sale Saturday at your own price. 2 1tp

The Musicians Club will present the Cantata "King Reines' Daughter" at the Wichita Theatre Monday evening, May 11th. This is to be the greatest musical event of the season, and none can afford to miss it. Admission 50 cents. 2 1tc

South Texas vegetables for Saturday. Phones 64 and 67. Trevathan's.

The Majestic Cafe, 509 Eighth street, will be reopened Saturday morning, after being closed for repairs. The interior has been painted and decorated and new furniture installed, and is now the most modern cafe in the city. We serve the best 25c meals in town. Also short orders and chop suey at all hours. 209 3tc

Hot house lettuce for Saturday. Trevathan's. 2 1tc

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Extra nice bananas 20c per dozen for Saturday. Phone 64 and 67. Trevathan's. 2 1tc

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
CLOSE IN residence lots, fine location, have 10 lots in block 253 on Holliday street, one block from High School, 3 blocks south of the Convent. Very best close in lots to be afforded at reasonable prices and good terms. J. L. Jackson, Phone 274. 2 1tc

WANTED—Sewing in private family or in dressmakers shop. Address 1209 5th street. 2 3tc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room. Hadden Hall, 810 Scott avenue. 2 3tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—L. C. Smith & Bros. typewriter and table good as new, cheap. Apply at Lone Star Candy Kitchen. 302 3tc

JUST One Day Longer

Do you realize that to-morrow (Saturday) is the last day of our Special Buggy Sale? If you are going to buy a vehicle this spring you should buy to-morrow, because it is the last day of this big Special Price Sale on all vehicles in our stock.

WICHITA HARDWARE COMPANY

804 - 806 OHIO AVENUE

While alighting from her automobile slipped and fell, sustaining serious injury to her arm. Medical attention this morning, Mrs. R. F. Patterson was secured and she was able to proceed to her home.

Try a Times want ad for results.

Saturday the Last Day of THE ONE-THIRD DISCOUNT SALE

Come to-morrow SURE if you wish to buy Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silverware, Cut Glass, Trunks, Suit Cases or Handbags. The sale positively closes Saturday Night. After that time the regular prices will prevail.

Art Loan and Jewelry Company

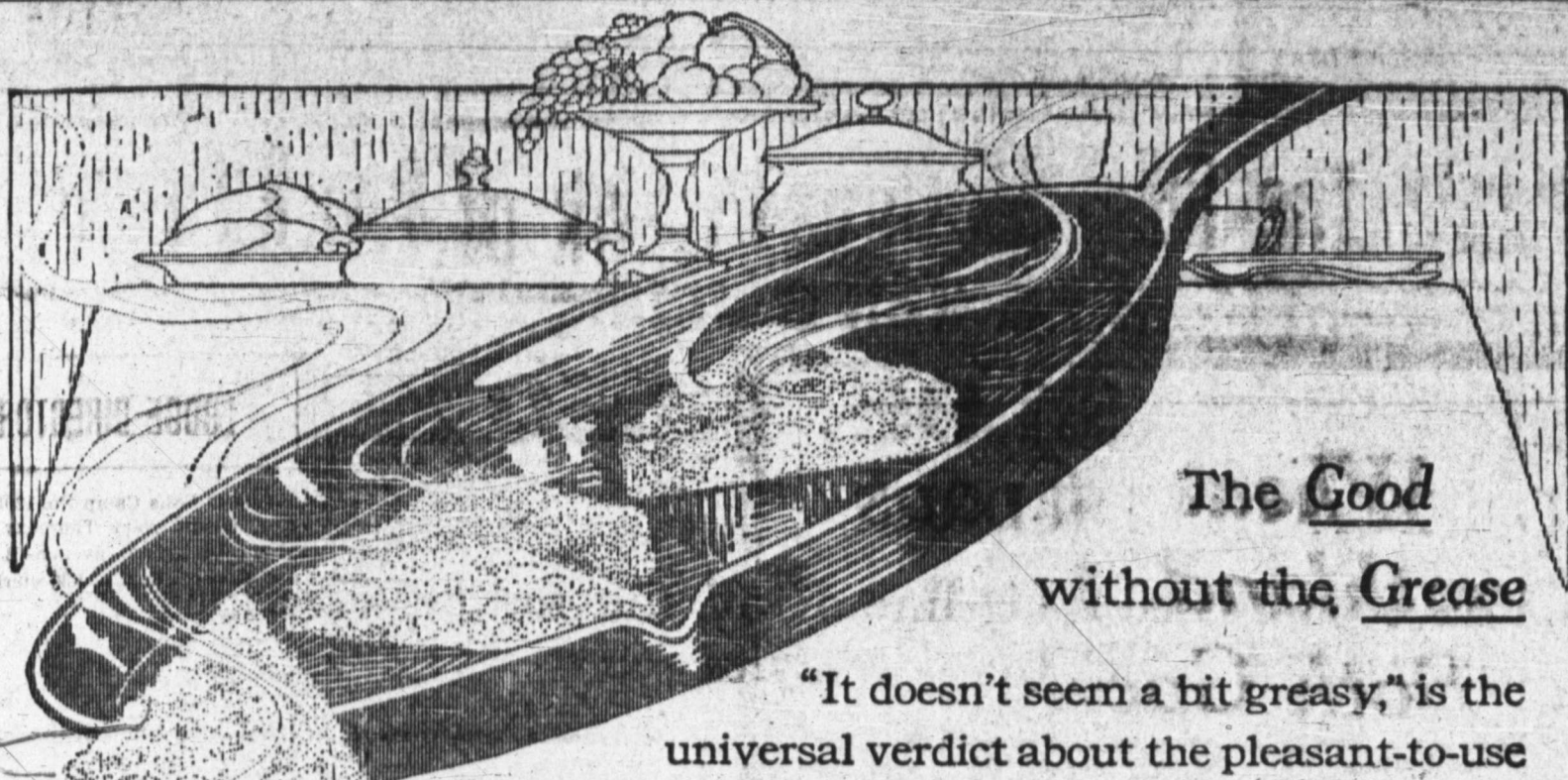
At the Sign of the Diamond Ring. 705 Ohio Ave.

Black Tan and White Best for the Shoes

2-IN-1 SHOE POLISHES

In new patent "Easy Opening Box" 10c Easiest to use

DR. CHAS. R. HARTSOOK
Practise limited to the EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT
802 Kemp & Kell Bldg



The Good
without the Grease

"It doesn't seem a bit greasy," is the
universal verdict about the pleasant-to-use

Cottolene

Because of its purity and high shortening value Cottolene makes foods tender and delicious. It has been a favorite cooking fat for many years.

It "creams up" beautifully when used in mixing pastry. It is a firm fat when cool, but nevertheless is always of just the right consistency to blend evenly with the flour or sugar. You who make cakes, pies, cookies, biscuits and the like know what an advantage this is.

Cottolene is especially excellent for all frying—whether pan frying or deep frying. Foods fried in Cottolene do not absorb grease, neither does Cottolene absorb odors. Using it over and over for frying, you not only find it economical, but you produce food that is wholly digestible and most appetizing.

A prominent physician says of Cottolene: "Cottolene, being essentially a vegetable product, forms the most healthful and nutritious cooking medium known to the food experts and medical profession."—(From an article in the *American Housekeeper*, entitled "The Most Healthful of All Cooking Fats," by Dr. James Paige Emery.)

Every thoughtful mother and careful housewife will be interested in the valuable FREE Cook Book, HOME HELPS. Send for your copy today, also order a pail of Cottolene from your grocer.

THE N.K. FAIRBANK COMPANY
CHICAGO

HOMINY CRESCENTS
Fine hominy or corn meal may be used in the same way to serve with meats or for breakfast with syrup. Cook 2-3 cup hominy or meal in 1 pint boiling water over the fire until thickened, then place over boiling water to finish cooking for about an hour, adding salt and more water if too stiff, also the yolk of an egg, or a little butter. When done, pour into flat pan and when cool cut into crescents, diamonds or strips, roll in egg and crumbs and fry in Cottolene. MRS. HELEN ARMSTRONG.



BOND ISSUE ELECTION ORDERED FOR JUNE 2

PARK SITE AND FIRE PROTECTION

PURCHASE OF SEVEN SISTERS BLOCK AND NEW FIRE STATION ON THE HILL

\$27,500 IS AMOUNT IN ALL

Equalization Board Appointed and Gas Companies Warned About Digging in Streets

Bond issues totaling \$27,500—\$20,000 for parks and \$7,500 for a new fire station will be voted upon by the taxpayers on June 2, the election order being passed by the city council Thursday night. The park bonds, if voted, will be used for purchasing and improving the "Seven Sisters" block at Thirteenth and Lamar; the new fire hall, if planned, will be located somewhere west of Denver street.

The council also appointed a board of equalization and took action on some matters of minor importance.

The bonds will not result in any increase in the tax rate, as the parks are provided for with a special tax of five cents, under the new charter and the \$7,500 issue can be cared for without any additional levy. The park site in question was bought three years ago by a number of local business men, who foresaw the city's need for park space; these men have held the tract for three years and the city now gets it for what they paid for it, plus eight per cent interest on their money, less the rent they have collected from the seven cottages on the block; this leaves about \$17,500; the sum of \$14,000 was paid for the tract in the first place. The remaining \$3,500 of the \$20,000 will be used to improve the block. The bonds are to be forty-year five's, with fifteen year option.

The new fire station will be used to house another automobile engine at some place convenient to the residence section and the western part of the city. It will be at a point where a bad fire in the business section could be reached with a five minute run. It was estimated that to buy a lot and erect a permanent building with quarters for the firemen, would cost all of \$7500 and that amount was decided upon. It is probable that the new engine will be bought and sta-

tioned downtown, without waiting for the completion of the new station.

The council decided to have two polling places, one at the city hall and the other at the court house. At the city hall, J. H. Weidman will be presiding judge; J. J. Manley, assistant judge; Jerome Stone and D. H. Hooker, clerks. At the court house, H. J. Bachman and J. B. Brillwill, clerks. The election was set for Tuesday, June 2.

The appointment of a board of equalization was also effected. Thursday night and that body will start to work in a few days. J. L. Lea, J. M. Bland and C. P. Fowler were elected.

Fire Chief Joe McClure was given five days leave of absence, starting May 10; he expects to attend the firemen's convention at Victoria. Driver Grover Habern's salary was raised to \$75.

City Attorney Nutt was instructed to advise the gas companies that prosecution will follow if they open any more ditches without first securing permission from the city. Sewer and sidewalk matters were also given attention by the council, the city attorney being instructed to see that some gaps on Fourteenth street, concerning which there has been complaint are filled in.

The Rohatch Mineral Water

Acts directly on the digestive organs of the stomach. Strengthening the kidneys and keeps the blood in fine condition. Good circulation is the only cure for constipation, rheumatism and the only way the system has to throw off germs that cause typhoid, smallpox and other loathsome diseases. Four years in the water business in Wichita Falls has taught us precaution during epidemics of loathsome diseases. We are not strangers in Wichita Falls. We have been here fifteen years and are here to stay. We have always met our obligations. We are equipped to furnish our trade with a clean wholesome vessel. And the best water in the state. Fall in line and share good health with us. Special attention given five gallon phone orders. Our wagon leaves the well at 7 a. m. and 2 p. m. Two trips daily except Sunday. Phone line 9801 ring 14. G. J. Rohatch, Prop.

CRAPS AND BASEBALL DIVERSION FOR MILITIAMEN

Texas militiamen on the border are enjoying life and are anxious for real trouble to start, according to a letter received by J. Ross Duke of this city from his brother who is with the Crowell company. When the troops left for the Rio Grande country, the boys were considerably scared, not



There are 5 types of men

WE give a hearty welcome to all of them.

Because we have special models of fashionable designs and fabrics for every one of the five types illustrated above in our

Kirschbaum Clothes

\$15 \$20 \$25 and up
"See the Guarantee and Price Ticket on the Sleeve"

Your perfect fitting Kirschbaum Suit is guaranteed to be all-wool, fast in color, London cold-water shrunk and hand-tailored.

Collier & Hendricks
609-611 Seventh Street

knowing just what they were up against. Since their arrival at Brownsville they have been taking life easy in camp. The two national games, craps and baseball, are indulged in freely and there are other diversions. The boys have gotten over their scare the letter says, and are now ready and anxious for scrap.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

A. Nussbaum Dry Goods Company

TWO BIG BARGAIN DAYS

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Two Big **RIP-ROARING** selling days this week, that offers you an opportunity to buy good, seasonable Merchandise at prices that will surprise you. Be here on these days and get your share of these bargains.

- All Men's Clothing, including the celebrated Hart Schaffner & Marx and Fitwell makes; good styles and patterns; Friday and Saturday at **COST**
- Men's Trousers, good patterns, \$2.00 to \$2.50 values, on sale Friday and Saturday at **\$1.45**
- All other Trousers, values up to \$7.00 at **COST**.
- One lot **Men's Shoes** and **Oxfords**, good styles and leathers, \$3.00 to \$5.00 values; we sell them Friday and Saturday at **\$2.75**
- 50 Doz. Wilson Bros. athletics union suits; regular dollar sellers, Friday and Saturday **69c**
- Walk-Over and Nettleton Shoes, \$5.00 and \$6.00 grades; we sell them Friday and Saturday, per pair **\$4.85**
- 25 Doz. Men's Shirts, real good patterns, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, on sale Friday and Saturday **98c**
- One lot Men's and Boy's Straw Hats, worth \$1.00 to \$2.50. They go Friday and Saturday for **78c**

- 2 Doz. Misses Middy Blouses, sizes 6 to 14, made of good material nicely trimmed with blue and red, 50c sellers, on sale Friday and Saturday, only **29c**
- One lot Hamburg and Swiss Embroidery; a real good value at 10c; Friday and Saturday, **5c**
- One lot Val. Laces, match sets, beautiful designs; values up to 10c, Friday and Saturday **5c**
- 200 pairs of Ladies' Shoes at **COST**
- 3 Doz. Ladies' Waists, black and white; values up to 75c, sold Friday and Saturday at **29c**
- 200 Parasols, beautiful designs and colors; priced from \$1.00 to \$10.00, Friday and Saturday **1/4 Off**
- 25 Doz. Men's Felt Hats, good colors and styles; \$2.50 and \$3.00 values; Friday and Saturday **\$1.90**
- Special display of Moire and Taffeta Silks in all colors.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Hereafter, every Thursday will be a Special Bargain Day at our Store. Get in the habit of coming here! You'll always find Bargains.

A. Nussbaum Dry Goods Co
W. J. NOLEN, Manager
724 Indiana Ave.

DON'T MISS

These two Big Bargain Days! You'll find many more bargains than the ones listed above!

4 per ct. interest, compounded quarterly will be paid on all accounts in our savings department The First National Bank of Wichita Falls

...CLASSIFIED ADS...

SITUATIONS WANTED

Ads under this heading are free to persons out of employment.

WANTED—Work on farm the year round by small family. Call at Texas wagon yard or Chas. Keran, North Wichita.

WANTED—Position by competent bookkeeper and office man, thoroughly experienced. No objection to outside work. Address Ability, care Times office.

WANTED—By a married man with family of four, work on farm or ranch. Can furnish best of references. Address J. M. Faubion, 200 1-2 Seymour street, Wichita Falls, Texas.

WANTED WORK—Clerk, bookkeeping, office work or anything you have to offer. Best of references, not afraid of work. Address B. P. O. box 304, Wichita Falls.

WANTED—Position as stenographer or bookkeeper. Phone 1532. Lora Reace.

WANTED—To do general housework. Address Box 54, R. F. D. No. 2, Wichita Falls, Texas.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl for general housework. White. Two in family. Mrs. A. B. Huff, phone 809.

FOR RENT—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 213 Lamar.

FOR RENT—Nice cool housekeeping rooms. 1305 Eleventh street. Phone 1702.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms. Mrs. Simmons, 1404 Broad. Phone 244.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms. 904 Scott.

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished or unfurnished for housekeeping, or one bed room. 1185 Thirteenth.

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms close in. Phone 1286 or 23.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. References. 905 Scott avenue.

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. 1304 Fifteenth street.

FOR RENT—Two or three furnished or unfurnished rooms with bath. Everything new. Half block of Southland car line. 1608 Ave. A. Call after five o'clock.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished housekeeping rooms, back and front entrance. 1009 Ninth street.

FOR RENT—Two housekeeping rooms, 1515 Tenth street. Phone 1387.

FOR RENT—Two south furnished light housekeeping rooms. Modern. 1106 Lamar.

BOARD AND ROOMS

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room with good board in private boarding house. 904 Austin.

ROOMS—With or without board. 1103 Scott. Phone 705.

The dining room of the Scott Avenue hotel will be open Thursday, May 30. This hotel has changed hands, Mrs. C. L. Labeth taking charge. Good meals and nice clean rooms.

FOR RENT—Front bed room, 707 Sixth street.

Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., 512 Scott avenue, phone 202. Prompt ambulance service. Command us.

J. J. SIMON Real Estate and Exchange

FOR SALE—All kinds of property, houses, lots, farms. Be pleased to show you what I have to sell. Room 2 Ward Building, phone 472.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

WANTED—To pack, crate and repair your furniture. We buy anything and sell everything. Wichita Furniture and Second Hand Co. Phone 528.

WANTED—To trade new furniture for old. McConnell Bros., phone 723.

WANTED—Stock to pasture, plenty of grass, shade and fresh running water. \$1.50 per month. Irving Fair. Phone 263.

WANTED—To rent small house near car line. Suburban acreage preferred. Address Responsible, Times office.

WANTED—My cow to give a richer and a better quality of milk. Put her on the grass. Only 5c per day will feed her. Phone 263. Irving Fair.

WANTED—Piano to keep for storage or will pay reasonable rent. Call 778.

FOR RENT—Three modern furnished housekeeping rooms, 1501 Travis. Phone 17.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Modern. 1613 Lamar. Phone 422.

WANTED—A horse to work to grocery delivery wagon. Must be cheap and gentle. Apply to Model Grocery, 514 Scott.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at this office. Will pay 3c per pound.

FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN—Cravens, Maer & Walker, phone 694. Kemp & Kell building.

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

MONEY TO LOAN—On farms and ranches, usual terms and quick action on applications. Don't fail to see us before you place your loans. Fowler Bros. & Co. Kemp and Kell Bldg.

PLENTY OF MONEY—At 8 per cent to loan on Wichita county farm lands. Otto Stehlik, phone 692. Room 10, old postoffice building.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity of \$550.00 in five-room house on Seventh street valued at \$17.50. Balance payable \$15 per month or house near Ball Bros. Factory, for house in Philippines. Arlington Bros., 510 Ohio avenue, telephone 1640.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Three pair work mules. Robertson Transfer Co., Electra, Texas. Inquire at Robertson Furniture Co., 805 Indiana Avenue, Wichita Falls.

LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Half or three-fourth Jersey cow with first calf, heifer, one week old. 2404 10th street, phone 1250.

FOR RENT—Lower floor of old Kemp residence. Modern conveniences. Servants house and garage. Apply on premises.

FOR SALE—Nice young horse, combination harness or general purpose. He is a black, 4 years old, stands 16 hands high, weighs about 1200 lbs, very gentle disposition, will sell reasonable, cash or terms. Phone 598. J. B. Marlow, phone 63.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Scotch Collie pups. Route 4, City. D. E. Bentler.

FOR SALE—22 acres of land, one mile from Union depot adjoining townsite on north side, best chicken and truck farm in this vicinity, would make a nice plat to cut into town lots, money-maker anyway it is handled, present owner leaving city only reason for sale. See us at once. It can be bought right. Fowler Bros. & Co. Kemp & Kell building. Phone 325.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five acres land, fenced, small house, storm house, etc. Six dollars per month. Joins Floral Heights, five minutes walk to car. Fine location, camp for summer. Sam J. Harting, phone 1499.

Bumper Wheat Crops and Southland Lots are Both Good

Have you been to Southland Addition lately? Go out and see what it looks like since all sidewalks have been completed and new homes being built. You can get your choice of lots and restrictions, and know in advance what your surroundings will be. You can either build a home for \$1,000, \$1,200, \$1,500 or \$2,500, according to location. EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE IN SOUTHLAND ADDITION.

IT'S YOUR FAULT IF YOU DON'T OWN A HOME. SOUTHLAND ADDITION WILL LEND YOU THE MONEY TO BUILD IF YOU PAY CASH FOR LOT

Bean & Gohlke, Agts. 617 Eighth Street Phone 358

FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—Several houses. See E. B. Gorgline. Phone 720.

FOR RENT—Modern five room house, Fifteenth street. Phone 532.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Seven room house at 306 Burnett. F. W. Tibbets.

FOR RENT—Modern five-room house in Floral Heights. One block from car line, side walks. Phone 1913.

FOR RENT—East front modern house in Floral Heights. M. D. Walker.

FOR RENT—Modern five-room cottage, 1206 Taylor, Floral Heights. Mrs. E. M. Brown, phone 608.

FOR RENT—New, modern and up-to-date five-room bungalow, corner of Seventeenth and Travis, Fowler Bros. & Co. Phone 325. Kemp & Kell building.

FOR RENT—The old J. A. Kemp home Twelfth and Indiana. This is one of the best homes in the city and is modern in every respect. Also one modern five room cottage between Twelfth and Thirteenth on Scott avenue. Call in person 508 Kemp and Kell Bldg. J. C. Mytinger.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, close in, furnished for light housekeeping. Suitable for two families. Will rent one or both parts to right parties. Phone 158 or call at 509 Scott.

FOR RENT—Six-room furnished cottage, foot of Ohio avenue. J. B. Le-gois. Phone 594.

FOR RENT—Lower floor of old Kemp residence. Modern conveniences. Servants house and garage. Apply on premises.

FOR RENT—16-room boarding house, close in, also 5-room residence, both within block of business district. J. B. Marlow, phone 63.

FOR RENT—Modern six-room house, 1211 Eighth street. Phone 1182.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 906 Austin. Phone 134.

FOR RENT—Four-room house. Phone 586.

FOR RENT—Nine-room furnished house or would rent upper and lower separate. 1408 Travis. 2 3p

THERE ARE A FEW FOOLISH PEOPLE in this world that would rather have a home than an automobile, that would rather pay out their money for good insurance protection than to spend it for gasoline and rubber tires. To those few I want to say that I have a few homes that I can sell on easier terms than you can buy an automobile, and can insure that same house or H. H. Goods for less money than the gasoline would cost you. If you are in need of either of the above call me at phone 533 or office over 710 1-2 Indiana avenue.

FOR RENT—BEDROOMS

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished large front room. Phone 1094. 600 Scott.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern conveniences, 909 Seventh street, opposite court house.

FOR RENT—Three large unfurnished rooms, with bath; all modern. Phone 1722, or 1535.

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Next Monday is "First Monday" and in view of conditions in this section is expected to be one of the best attended affairs of that kind in some months. The event is always largely attended by horse traders, farmers, street salesmen and others and is getting to be more and more of an occasion. On First Monday in April, several carloads of horses changed hands in trades and the haunts of the traders presented a very lively appearance.

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Wiley Wyatt came up last night from Dallas.

F. S. Katz is transacting business in Dallas this week.

L. L. Hancock is in the city today from Big Springs.

B. B. Holmes is here today from Tulsa, Okla.

Mike P. Wilson of Kansas City is in the city today.

John W. Graves of Olathe, was here this afternoon.

H. H. Fowler of Fort Worth is in the city today on business.

Thomas Halden of Electra is transacting business here today.

Miss Florence Turner of Archer City, is in the city today.

Miss Annette Gant of Archer City, is in the city for a few days.

T. E. Baker of Altus, Oklahoma, is a business visitor here today.

Miss Julia Parria of Electra is in the city visiting friends for a few days.

H. E. Sherman, of Electra, was a visitor here yesterday and this morning.

Mrs. N. C. McIntyre of California, is here looking after business interests.

Tom Waggoner and wife of Gainesville, Texas, are in the city for a few days.

Robert Sansbury returned this morning from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Kelly Ross who underwent an operation a few days ago is rapidly improving.

Miss Emma Wagoner of Denison, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. J. P. Biss, 1119 Ninth street.

Miss Hazel Slaughter went to Electra this afternoon where she will visit friends and relatives for a few days.

John Purcell came over this morning from Archer City, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Margaret, who will leave tonight for Jacksonville, Fla., to attend the Confederate reunion.

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