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## FLOODS ISOLATE WICHITA FALLS WATER COVERS PARTS OF CITY

### HOLLIDAY CREEK AND RIVER ARE STILL RISING

#### THOUSANDS DOLLARS DAMAGE IS DONE

#### WHEAT FIELDS DEVASTATED BY WATER, WIND AND HAIL SUNDAY

#### WORST FLOOD KNOWN HERE

#### Many Families Forced to Move by Rising Water—Considerable Damage From Wind

Extensive damage has been done and a rather uncomfortable overflow situation confronts Wichita Falls today, as the result of heavy rains and high winds Sunday afternoon. The entire southeastern portion of the city as far north as Tenth and Eleventh streets and as far west in some places as Lamar avenue is under water. To relieve this situation, Fort Worth & Denver officials, early this afternoon decided to destroy the embankment at the Denver crossing of Holliday creek, which is largely responsible for the backing up of the water.

Many families were being moved out of the inundated area this afternoon, boats being employed in some cases. The situation at noon today may be summarized as follows: Holliday creek is out of its banks and backed up to the deep gully at the foot of Scott avenue, flooding a large portion of the southeastern part of the city, making life deep on Indiana and Scott avenues and extending as far as Tenth street on Scott. Water is over the floors of many homes and industrial plants, while others are surrounded by the overflow.

Water is over three and a half feet deep at the Lake Wichita spillway and has partially destroyed the fishing pier and boat pier rose all night and at noon was apparently stationary, with an additional rise of one to two feet required to make it dangerous. Above the city the river is out of its banks and overflowing the lowlands.

East Lake is several feet up and the water is up to the floors of the houses on the far side. Considerable live stock and poultry has been drowned in Holliday creek. Trees, awnings and fences are down throughout the city, while damage has been done to warehouses and industrial plants, which were unroofed by the wind.

Water is standing in the basement of the Southwestern Telephone Company's basement and for a time threatened to put every telephone in the city out of commission, as the storage batteries are in the basement. Water in the storm sewage system had backed up to within a foot of the surface, but rose no higher during the morning.

Rain falling 2.25 inches fell during Sunday afternoon and Sunday night, accompanied by a high wind, a severe electrical display and some hail. Additional damage has been done to the wheat and in many places the wind and rain have beaten the straw as flat as if a roller had passed over it.

#### Families Moved Out

It was necessary to move families out from some of the houses, however, and this was effected by teams which were able to wade through the water. In the houses along East Lake some of the families moved out yesterday afternoon and went back later, believing the water was past. During the night it was necessary for them to move out again.

The view from the Kemp and Kell buildings shows Holliday creek overflowing a wide section of territory, but the aspect is not as serious as it appears, as the water is quite shallow over most of the overflowed section. Thousands of chickens have been drowned and some cattle have also lost their lives.

Several dairies are located along Holliday creek and some of the cows were unable to reach their customers today, being cut off from town. Some of them could not even milk their cows on account of high water which cut the stock off from the houses; there may be a milk shortage as a result.

The water was over most of the lower railroad tracks, but the rails themselves in most places were not overflowed. At the Katy crossing on Holliday creek, the bridge is probably six inches above the water. The wagon bridge, ten yards down the creek is just above the water level. In the middle of the morning a train on the main line was stopped by the water, and a number of wagons made their way across. Half a dozen automobiles were bogged on the west side of the bridge.

At Electric about 25 derricks have been blown down and there was some damage at Petrolia. Conditions in the wheat fields are said to be deplorable. In many places the straw has been leveled by the wind and rain and a heavy loss is certain. Young cotton plants were washed away and the crop damage will be very extensive.

The Wichita River has been a cause of considerable concern, but so far has done but little damage. There has been a steady cutting at the east bank of the river, however, and a situation that may prove serious some day is being formed. Large rocks visited the river this morning, but found it well within its banks all along the front. Above this city the stream has overflowed considerable low ground and it is possible that the crest of the rise has not yet reached the city.

So far as outward appearances go it is from Holliday creek that the chief danger comes. More than a mile wide in places and covering a wide section of the city, it presents a spectacle today that is decidedly sad. The distance east of the spillway is a deep ravine that extends from the foot of Scott avenue through the industrial section to the creek and the overflow, back flowing rapidly up this depression, overflowing into lower Scott, Indiana and Ohio avenues, on Scott avenue the water is about five feet deep. The gutters are full of the back water from the creek as far as Tenth street. From Eleventh street on Indiana and Twelfth street on Ohio and down Indiana, Ohio and Scott to the Wichita Valley tracks the streets are under water and below the full street many houses are surrounded on the north side of the Wichita Valley tracks.

East of the Wichita Valley tracks the situation is still more uncomfortable. The distance east of the spillway would be more extensive had this structure not been installed.

#### Damage at Lake Wichita

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### HOLLIDAY CREEK RISING STEADILY.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon there was no improvement in the situation. Holliday creek rose slowly but steadily during the morning and the water crept further and further toward the business section.

Lake Wichita appeared to be practically stationary at 3 o'clock, and despite numerous reports that the dam was in danger, no fears were entertained by water company officials. The Big Holliday overflowed but is still a foot or more from the danger point.

There was some additional rain during the morning, but not enough to increase the floods. The temperature was about 60 degrees at three o'clock. The weather early today was 52 and the cool weather caused some discomfort. No reports of additional damage had been received during the afternoon up to three o'clock.

held up traffic for a week; all of the work done in repairing that damage will now have to be done over again. On the Wichita Falls & Northwestern bridge across Red River, the situation is serious. The structure is still standing, but is said to have been washed several feet out of line; its condition makes the running of trains out of the question.

The situation on the Wichita Valley is more hopeful; there is a wash-out on this line near Seymour, but Superintendent Maer was expecting to get a train through late today. This wash-out cut out this city's only remaining means of communication with the outside; until traffic was stopped there, mail was being delivered by way of Abilene, but this cannot be done at present.

North of Vernon on the Denver, there are four bridges washed out on the Peace River bridge; but it is believed this damage can be repaired in time to get a train through Saturday. Passengers were being transferred yesterday, but a two foot rise came down the stream last night and it was not possible to make the transfers today. At noon the Peace River was reported receding slowly.

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### ITALIANS CROSSING THE ISONZO RIVER

#### KING IMMANUEL'S MEN ADVANCING ALONG A FRONT OF FORTY MILES

#### HEAVY FIGHTING AT CRADISCA

#### Austrian Resistance Becoming Stronger Daily—Strong Italian Forces Concentrated

London, June 7.—A general Italian advance in the Isonzo valley today across the Isonzo of about 40 miles. The movement is one of importance and hard fighting is taking place at Gradisca and in the vicinity of this town. The Italian authorities are drawing tighter the meshes of secrecy as to the Italian operations. Nevertheless, it may be said that masses of Italian troops have been concentrated on the roads of Cormons, Palunova and Jurligiano. The resistance of the Austrians daily is becoming stronger but the Italian generals declare that this has had the effect of making their men the more determined. Palunova of the east side of the Isonzo is one of the Italian objectives.

### RUSSIAN CRUISER SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

#### Vessel Attacked and Sunk in Gulf of Riga—Details Of Raid On England

#### AGED HORSE TRADER DIED SATURDAY NIGHT

Petrograd last night said the Russian warship Yenisei had been sunk in the Gulf of Riga by a German submarine. The Amur, a mine layer of 236 tons displacement, was a sister ship of Yenisei, and it is probable that the names of these have been confused, apparently one of them having been sunk. The raid of German dirigibles over the east coast of England on the nights of June 4 and 5 was announced on Saturday in a brief statement made officially at London, but no details of the places visited or damage done were given.

### CREWS REFUSE TO GO ON TRIP THROUGH WAR ZONE

#### Crews of Norwegian Steamers at Galveston Decline to Hire For Return Voyage

Galveston, June 7.—All members of the crews of Norwegian steamers Kronstadt and Ronnald, except the deck officers, have declined, it was learned today, to ship for the return voyage insisting they will not again go on a vessel through the war zone. The Kronstadt was attacked by a submarine while on the voyage here and narrowly escaped destruction.

### CONDITION OF KING OF GREECE SERIOUS

#### His Temperature Today 101.3 and He Passed a Restless Night

Athens, June 7.—The bulletin issued last night regarding the condition King Constantine said that his temperature was 101.3, his pulse 1.5 and his respiration 26. The king's sleep was broken last night. A telegram this afternoon from Athens by way of Berlin declares the condition of King Constantine of Greece to be very serious.

### ALLIES DRIVEN BACK TURK REPORT SAYS

#### Official Statement Declares French and British Driven Back to Old Positions

Constantinople, June 6, via London, June 7.—The allied troops on the Gallipoli peninsula have been driven back with heavy losses, according to an official statement issued today by the Turkish war office which says: "Stubborn fighting on the Seddul-Bahr front has been successful for us. This was achieved by us by a right wing counter attack which drove the enemy back into his old position after suffering heavy losses."

### ANOTHER ZEPPELIN RAID ON ENGLISH COAST

#### Five Killed and Forty Wounded in Zeppelin Raid Last Night—Several Fires Started

London, June 7.—It was announced at the admiralty this afternoon that a Zeppelin visited the east coast of England last night dropping incendiary and explosive bombs. Five persons were killed and forty were injured. Two fires were caused by the incendiary bombs.

### ZEPPELIN BLOWN TO PIECES OVER BELGIUM

#### German Aircraft Attacked by British Airmen and Is Destroyed

By Associated Press. London, June 7.—The admiralty announced today that a Zeppelin had been blown to pieces over Belgium by British airmen.

The statement follows: "This morning at 2:30 an attack was made on the airship's shed at Evere north of Brussels by Lieut. J. C. Wilson R. N., and J. S. Mills R. N. Bombs were dropped and the shed was observed to be in flames. It is not known whether a Zeppelin was inside. The flames came out from both sides of the shed. Both pilots returned safely.

### LOT SECURED FOR CHURCH OF CHRIST MEETINGS

#### Until Weather Conditions Improve Meetings Will Be Held In Church On Bluff

We have secured the lot, corner of Tenth and Scott for our tent meeting. The tent will be erected as soon as the weather will permit. Meetings began Sunday at the church on Bluff, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. There was a large attendance at the morning service. Meetings will continue at the church until the weather is favorable for a tent meeting. The public is invited.

### TEMPERATURE DROPS 30 DEGREES AT SNYDER

Snyder, June 7.—A norther struck here early today, the temperature dropping nearly 50 degrees.

### BREWERY SUITS WILL BE TRIED IN AUGUST

Austin, Texas, June 7.—The anti-trust and other suits of the State against seven of the largest breweries in Texas will be tried in August in the district court at Sulphur Springs, according to an announcement.

### GRAIN RATES DISCUSSED AT HEARING TODAY

Austin, Texas, June 7.—Grain shippers and dealers are opposed to any changes in the rates on grain and its products, according to the testimony of three shippers before the railroad commission at the hearing on the railroad's application for advanced rates. The entire morning session was consumed in discussing grain rates.

### COURT REFORM CONFERENCE MEETS WITH FAVOR

Austin, Texas, June 7.—The proposition to hold a conference at Dallas next fall during the State Fair to discuss court reform was being discussed with interest here today. Former State Senator E. G. Senter, who has been studying court reform and practice in Texas for many years, has announced he proposes to make the matter a state issue and will stump the State endeavoring to have legislators elected pledged to vote for court reform.

### TEUTONIC ALLIES MAY TAKE LEMBERG

#### AUSTRO-GERMAN FORCES WITHIN FEW MILES GALICIAN TOWN HELD BY RUSSIANS

#### TAKE 7,000 AT PRZEMYSL

#### Austro-German Booty at Latter Place Comparatively Small—Fighting East of Przemysl

London, June 7.—Telegrams from Vienna say that Lemberg, capital of the Austrian court of Galicia, now in the hands of the Russians may be taken at any moment by the Austro-German forces. The message from the Austrian capital says that Austrians are 25 miles from the town and other advisers estimate the distance only 10 miles. The telegrams came by way of Copenhagen.

#### ONLY 7,000 PRISONERS TAKEN AT PRZEMYSL

Special dispatches say that the Germans captured 7,000 prisoners at Przemysl, 31 cannon and 20 machine guns and that the Russian garrison there had been ordered to hold the fort to the last man, but a terrific artillery fire overwhelmed them.

The official announcement today says the total prisoners captured in the various battles around Przemysl numbered 20,000.

The official statement also says that the French also made heavy but unsuccessful attacks at and around the Lorette hills.

East of Przemysl the Teutonic allies continue their victorious battle. Part of the army under Von Linsingen has crossed the Inclster and taken by storm a hill on the eastern bank of that river.

#### GOVERNOR LEAVES FOR HOUSTON TODAY

Before departing for Houston today Governor Ferguson signed the Port Arthur Independent school district bill. This clears the governor's desk of the various bills passed with the exception of the educational and departmental bills. Plans for the renovation of the state house will be taken up in a short time, the governor having approved the item of 125 in the budget of appropriations for this purpose, for the department of state superintending public buildings and ground. The governor vetoed the item of \$415,000 for the same purpose which had been carried in the miscellaneous appropriation bills.

#### BARON DE REUTER PRIVATE IN KITCHENER'S ARMY

London.—The new Baron de Reuter is a private in Kitchener's army. He has the title because by permission of Queen Victoria his grandfather was granted the right to it though conferred in Germany.

#### BUSINESS AS USUAL SIGNS ARE TAKEN DOWN

London.—The sign "Business as Usual" which appeared all over London at the beginning of the war has now vanished. It was deemed a patriotic manifestation of British pluck when hostilities began, but now it is seen to conflict with the popular state of mind.

#### SENIOR CLASS PUPILS MAKE WAR MUNITIONS

Leeds, Eng.—The local board of education, in response to an appeal from the Leeds manufacturers of war munitions, has released the entire senior class in the public schools from their studies and the students will at once be put to work in a body in one of the factories. They will make shell rings.

#### WILL NOT PASS ON FRANK'S APPLICATION THIS WEEK

Atlanta, Ga., June 7.—The Georgia prison commission announced today that it does not expect to pass on Leo M. Farnk's application for a commutation of sentence before next Monday.

#### FRENCH MINE SWEEPER HITS MINE AND SINKS

#### French Admiralty Announces Loss in Aegean Sea—Part of Crew Rescued

Paris, June 7.—The French admiralty issued the following statement today: "The French mine layer Casa Bianca struck a mine in the Aegean sea. The captain, another officer and 64 sailors were picked up by a British torpedo boat destroyer. It is possible that other survivors reached the coast and may have been captured by the Turks.

The French mine Casa Bianca carried a complement of 73 men.





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With the breaking out of the great war the city of York, England, true to its ancient traditions, once more became an armed camp, for many of Great Britain's soldiers were sent there for training, and modern troops have drilled and marched where Carismandus ruled over an ancient British camp in the time of the Druids, where the Romans held sway and where Danes and Saxons fought.

City Walls and Their Bars. There are the city walls, for instance, with their famous bars. All of the bars formerly had barbicans and portcullis, but the exigencies of "trade" have demanded the abolition of all the former except the one at Walmgate, and there are even super-vandals who have essayed to have this one removed also!



MICKLEGATE BAR

many years for cleaning purposes, it proved such an attraction that hopes were entertained that it might be frequently lowered when the requirements of traffic permitted. Micklegate bar has the weird notoriety that belongs of necessity to the spot commonly selected for the display of the gory heads of the fower of the nobility, which had been cut off by the headsman to ally the fears of a king, or to appease the rancour of rivals. Hard by the Minister is the renowned treasurer's house, once the abode of the chosen representative of the king to govern the North. To the skill and enterprise of Mr. Frank Green England owes a debt for having rescued this splendid specimen of medieval architecture from the degraded state into which it had fallen, and for restoring it again to a near approach to its former glory.

sacre of the Jews. The ancient royal palace, now occupied as a school for the blind, takes one back with its courts and alleys to the storied period of the Tudors and Stuarts. Inside the museum grounds can be studied the splendid ruins of St. Mary's abbey, while the patched up state of the round tower at the top of Margate tells eloquently of the siege when it was blown up with gunpowder.

Honored by Kings. In the old days royal visits were frequent to York. King Richard II was an especially gracious patron of the old city, and it was he who bestowed the title of lord mayor upon its chief citizen. According to Drake, King Richard took his sword from his side and gave it to be worn before William de Selby, as first lord mayor.

the occasion of his visit in 1388. And in 1396 the king confirmed to the citizens and their successors forever that "the mayor of the said city and his successors for the time being may have carried, or may cause to be carried, before them their sword which they please, out of the presence of us and our heirs, with the point erect, both in the presence of other magnates and lords of our Kingdom of England." That sword is, unfortunately, no longer among the city treasures, having disappeared towards the close of the eighteenth century.

Contents of Shark's Stomach. I have received from W. F. Cameron of Zamboanga, P. I., a Stanford engineer, a photograph of a rare shark, rhinodon typicus, a specimen about twenty feet long, taken on the island of Cebu. A notable feature about this shark, which has a very big mouth and small teeth, is that it had in its stomach seven leggings, forty-seven buttons, three leather belts and nine shoes. He had probably captured the cast-off garments of some company, otherwise the question arises: What became of the legs and the odd shoe?—David Starr Jordan in Science.

SEEK TO SPREAD KNOWLEDGE

Anti-Tuberculosis Association Has Plan for Further Training of Doctors and Nurses.

For the purpose of securing more co-operation from physicians and nurses in the anti-tuberculosis campaign, the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis has inaugurated a movement to bring the importance of these two groups to the attention of these two groups. Among the first things which the association is trying to do is to induce the medical colleges and schools of nursing to give more instruction, particularly of a clinical nature, on tuberculosis. An effort will be made also to reach the individual practitioners and nurses by special booklets prepared for this purpose.

Mrs. Gumbridge. I do not know whether Dickens seriously intended Mrs. Gumbridge to be taken as a portrait of Queen Victoria, but there is not the slightest doubt that there is a strong likeness between the illustrious sovereign who mourned so faithfully for Prince Albert, and the charming old lady in "David Copperfield," who was always "thinking of the old 'un."

Queen Alexandra has set all widows a splendid example of cheerful fortitude and energetic social service. The modern woman is far more practical than her mother or her grandmother. It is the modern man who wallows in unhealthy sentiment, and who revels in gloom and melancholy. Nearly every man relies on some valiantly optimistic woman to revive his drooping soul.—London Opinion.

Dire Fate. Nancy Jay of Richmond is four years old and full of wisdom—and some Scripture.

Nancy's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jay. The parents belong to a coterie that gathers every so often to agitate the feet in the new dances. Recently the dancing club adopted the plan of meeting at Mr. and Mrs. Jay's every other Monday evening. The Jays have a house well adapted to dancing. The members of the club bring their suppers as it bound for a picnic. They eat, then dance.

Rough on the Marquis. Gallant Dublin is telling this little story about the departure of the marquis and marchioness of Aberdeen. Just before they left they paid an informal farewell visit to a female national forewile in one of the slum districts of the city. In the infants' room, while his excellency was talking to the teachers, Lady Aberdeen had gathered all the little ones around her to give them some motherly advice about their folk dances, which she hoped they wouldn't neglect when she had gone away. Then a tiny little mole of four began to finger her blb uneasily and, sidling up to Lady Aberdeen, piped: "Please, ma'am, why can't you stay in Dublin and let your father go alone?"—Manchester Guardian.

Rescue. Molly—Writing to Charlie? Polly—Yes. Molly—I thought he was engaged. Polly—He writes to me that his best girl has thrown him overboard, so I'm dropping him a line.—Weekly Telegraph.

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NEW FORMATIONS USED BY GERMANS IN GALICIA

Petrograd.—For the first time in this war, the Germans in their latest advance into Russian territory, have adopted a new tactical formation for attack. The new formation is likened by military experts here to the Macedonian phalanx—with this difference, that it is composed not of individuals but of divisions and army corps.

The phalanx, in the advance from Cracow, moved along the line of the Galzic Jaslo-Passoff railways, and included ten full army corps, of which five, forming the main striking head, were picked troops withdrawn specially for the purpose from the French front. The phalanx was superbly provided with artillery, including a large number of heavy batteries. The units were also in many cases brought across Germany from the French front. For example, twenty-four battalions of the Prussian guard corps had with them forty batteries, half of which were of heavy calibre.

The rate of movement of the phalanx in a forward direction cannot have exceeded four miles a day, in the opinion of Russian experts. But the momentum was irresistible, and it was this phalanx formation which forced the crossing of the San River at Lezachow. It was assisted by an immense flotilla of aeroplanes. The Germans, in withdrawing many of their best troops from the French front, filled the gaps necessarily left here, with overpowered technical superiority. Thus where the Germans met themselves opposed by a thousand men and two machine guns, they met a hundred men and twenty machine guns, confident that by continuing on the defensive, with an extended use of the machine gun, they would win the war.

Colonel Colomonoff, the best known newspaper military expert in Petrograd, discusses the French position in his latest article. Presumed from two sides, he says, is an elementary principle of coalition warfare. In the lighting of the present month, the Russians have drawn upon themselves enormous masses of first grade German troops withdrawn from the West front. Naturally, the French have tried to reply by putting renewed pressure upon the weakened enemy (facing them). But extra rapid fire, extra artillery, and the use of gases, are taking the place of men in the German lines on the West, and for this reason the French attempts at exerting pressure have shown no sign of relieving the Russians.



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### IN THE OFFICE.

Hour after hour, she rattles at the keys. With head bent low and furtive smiling lips; Blind to the world that through her ribbon the subject. Each member in Dreaming girl-dreams, re-living memories. Hour after hour, the hands of little ease. Know that their soul—flash from their finger tips. Strong words that rear a tower or launch great ships. Voyaging for miracles upon strange seas; Strong worlds that crush in steel and blaze in fire; Startle a myriad arms; give life to wheels; Fashion men's destinies and wing desire; Levy earth's tribute; guide the golden stream; She weaves the magic... yet weary feels. Dead monodies... and dreams her greater dream. —Simon Barr, in the Independent.

### D. A. R.'s ADJOURN FOR SUMMER MEETING SATURDAY.

With the meeting of Saturday with Miss Helen Beavers hostess, the Daughters of the American Revolution, Major Francis G. Gumpert adjourned until next fall. The program led by Mrs. J. R. Hyatt, was rather unique in form, the inventions of the period between the close of the Revolutionary war and the beginning of the Civil war forming the subject. Each member in answer to roll call gave a detailed description of some one invention, this form of program proving very interesting and instructive. The year books for the coming year were on hand, the chapter to take a course in civil government next winter. An important part of the business session was planning for Flag Day to be celebrated June 14th and detailed accounts of this celebration will be given later on. After a social half hour, during which time refreshments were served, the chapter adjourned with the singing of "America." The members present were Misses Beavers, Young and Burnside, Mesdames Miller, Whitney, Wiley Blair, Hyatt, Watts, Jackson, Ben Bell, Burnside, Beavers and S. Y. Ferguson.

### GOOD PRECEDENT FOR LEGALIZED POLYGAMY

Proposal As Result Of War To Allow Man More Than One Wife Not New

Berlin.—The suggestion, already broached in some quarters, of a serious consideration of a limited legalized polygamy to replace the human material destroyed by the present war is by no means new. The Frankish Archives, published in Ansbach in 1793 contain an official protocol of a meeting of the "Krisen" or local diet-hold at Nuremberg on February 14, 1650, which was considered the problem of replacing the men "lost through the Thirty Years' War and also through sickness." The protocol reads: "Inasmuch as the unavoidable needs of the holy Roman Empire require the replacing of the men totally lost through this bloody Thirty Years War, and those incapacitated by sword, sickness and hunger, and that it shall in the future be equal to meeting all its exigencies, and particularly the holiday enemy of the Christian name, the Turk and that all means, ways and methods shall be considered. "Therefore, upon ripe deliberation and consideration, the following three ways were held on all sides to be the easiest and most fruitful: 1. That for the next ten years be forbidden to take into cloisters young men or such men as are under 60; marriage shall be permitted to such priests and pastors as are not members of orders or in cloisters or prebends; every manly person shall be permitted to marry ten women, but all and every mate person shall be thereby often reminded, also from the pulpits, that an honorable man who ventures to take ten women, shall not only provide for them all necessaries, but shall also prevent all dissatisfaction among them."

### THIS WAR STORY RIVALS MOVING PICTURE DRAMA

Cafo.—A tale that outdoes a moving picture melodrama is told here by a wounded Australian soldier now in a hospital at Cafo, who met a Turk in a hand to hand struggle on a cliff's edge. The cliff where the two women met was at Sarikair. Closely matched they knocked the rifles from each other's grips. Without attempting to regain his weapon, the Australian flew at the Turk bare handed. The Turk was a good wrestler. Each tried to throw the other over the cliff into the sea. They both went. The struggle continued in the sea, where the Australian managed to get a choke hold on the Turk's neck and keep his head under the water until drowned.

## Milady of The Motor Car

New York, June 5.—In days of old when sporting held meant frockish clothes and goggles big as window lights, Women looked perfect rights. But now that sense reigns over fashion, Milady fair of the limousine wears clothes in the car that are fit to be seen. Thanks to the friendly jingle, we have the whole repertoire of motor-ing, so far as clothes are concerned, before us. It does not mean, however, that garments for this particular purpose have lost one whit of distinction. Today, when every man and his neighbor owns a car, motoring apparel falls into a natural place, being fashioned, like other sports clothes, first for comfort and then for style, but never to advertise the fact that father, husband or brother owns a roadster, a seven passenger, or an electric. What a contrast the trim coats and modish hats of the present times are to the paraphernalia we donned for the first ride in the little high seated collar and cuffs were faced with Hain blue velvet. There was also an inner collar of organdy flaring over the revers. The hat was soft, leather with a black and white checked, knitted band that showed through the changeable veil of blue and brown chiffon, hemstitched together. Among the other weather proof top coats, mottled English worsted in heather mixtures predominated, and there were a few two toned whipcoris and olive covertis with suede belts. The medium sized sailor hat was a favorite, with these coats; usually with the brim of black straw and the crown of taffeta, satin or silk beaver. The number of pongee, shantung and Tussah silk coats was really surprising for the early season. There is no doubt these will be even more popular as the summer advances. Unlike the woollens, they are made full length. Some have such touches as carved ivory buttons, but there is no color to mar the shade of the natural pongee. Even the hats are the same material, in small soft shapes, trimmed with silk scarfs and tassels. The taffeta coat is another practical mode for motoring. Here the Norfolk and three quarter length styles are followed. The silk is usually dark blue, or black, touched with mustard at the collar and cuffs. One woman who motors a great deal has adopted a costume of this type; by wearing a fine net over her hair she is always presentable when she



leaves the car. The small sunshade is another convenience. These come in all colors and really save a person from tanning. If the motorist remembers these little essentials, and carries cold cream and powder in her bag, there is no excuse in this day and age for being anything but fresh and becomingly groomed. Grain rates taken up at commissioners' hearing. Austin, Tex., June 5.—At today's session of the railroad commission on the proposed advance in freight rates, the discussion of the rates on wood and wood products was concluded. The rate on grain and grain products was taken up and considered and the commission partially reset its docket. In discussing the grain rate it is developed that the grain dealers and shippers had no objection to an advance of rates if it is found necessary, but they objected to certain portions of the proposed tariff. They also objected to any charge in the differential territory and expressed the hope that the commission would make such rates as would encourage the building of elevators. The commission adjourned until Monday morning. An effort will be made to catch up next week with its schedules. Saves daughter. Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End. Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months. I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles. Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me. At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead, and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing. I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health. If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years. At all druggists. Dr. J. C. Chatanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "The Best Remedy for Women," in plain wrapper. N. O. 128



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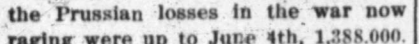
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According to an Amsterdam report the Prussian losses in the war now raging were up to June 4th, 1,288,000.

England, France and Germany, it is safe to assert, have losses fully as great, if not greater.

Though the Wichita river is not as high by four or five feet as it has been on several occasions during the past twenty-four years.

Holiday creek, which empties into the river a half mile below the city is higher than was ever known, the back-water reaching as far up on Scott avenue as Tenth street.

Should the dam at Lake Wichita give way now there is no doubt that the main business section of the city would be flooded.

Just what causes this is not known, but some attribute it to the fact that there are one or two bridges spanning Holiday Creek that are holding the water back, preventing it from flowing into the river as rapidly as it would if there were no bridges to interfere with the flow.

Many families residing in that part of the city have been forced to move out to higher grounds.

The esteemed Dallas News, in commenting on the defeat of the Gibson bill, and also on Governor Ferguson's position, says among other things in commending the position of Governor Ferguson:

"Once he saw the hypocrisy of the Robertson act, he took the course of an honest and courageous man and opposed what he had previously sanctioned."

Now, as a matter of fact, when Governor Ferguson went before the legislature and urged the passage of the Gibson bill it was not the first time he had seen "the hypocrisy of the Robertson act."

He was opposed to the Robertson law in 1913, and in 1914 he was in favor of it, (that was when he was before the people of Texas asking their votes for the governorship), and in 1915, after he had been safely elected governor and knows that he is practically assured of a second term, he again shows his opposition to the Robertson law.

If the whole truth were known it would probably show that Gov. Ferguson was never really and sincerely in favor of the Robertson law, and he simply gave it his unqualified approval during his campaign for votes because he thought he could not afford to oppose it.

HE WAS MORE THAN SATISFIED. He was deeply in love with his wife but awfully careless about money matters.

He started away on a long trip, leaving her short of money, and promised to send her a check—which he forgot to do. The rent came due and she telegraphed: "Dead broke. Landlord insistent. Wire me money."

Her husband answered: "Am short myself. Will send check in few days. A thousand kisses. Exasperated, his wife replied: Never mind the money. I gave landlord one of the kisses. He was more than satisfied."—New York evening Post.

WHY TEXAS WAS DIVIDED INTO EIGHTEEN CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.

The Waco Tribune, of which splendid newspaper Senator A. R. McCollum is editor in the following article explains why the legislature failed to redistrict the State into eighteen congressional districts and places the blame for the failure to do so (in the opinion of The Times), where it properly belongs:

As a rule, in legislative bodies, whether state or national, the agreement reached by a conference committee is accepted by both House and Senate, and with good reason. For a conference committee is the last resort, the only way for a mutually fair settlement of differences. It is exceedingly rare, as before said, that either body rejects the agreement

reached by its members on the conference-committee. The Senate did not do so this time. Twice in succession, on last Friday, did it accept the compromise agreement and send it to the House.

"All right, gentlemen of the House. This compromise agreement is not just what we of the Senate wanted, but we will accept it in order that redistricting may be accomplished. The state ought to be re-districted, and in agreement with us let us perform this duty, which the people of Texas have commanded us to perform."

But the House said in effect: "No, the compromise does not suit us and we will not agree to it, even if we did have equal voice on the conference committee." The House refused to sign blank once. Then, the second time, when it had to face the music, it got out of the matter, at midnight on Friday, by breaking a quorum, so no vote could be had, and then adjourned.

This ended, though redistricting will have to be delayed until 1917—unless another extra session is held and Governor Ferguson shall again bring the matter to the attention of the legislature.

Will the executive do that? It is open to doubt. There are many forceful reasons why he should not do so, and I shall be surprised if he does. Thus the matter is left as it was, as it has been for four years.

Why was the House obdurate? Why did it balk the redistricting movement? These are the questions I assume that could be best answered by members of that branch of the legislature—notably those members who opposed the conference agreement and finally those who jumped the town or at least absented themselves from the Capitol that night and thus broke the quorum and effectually prevented any further legislation. The general belief at Austin, expressed freely in and out of the Capitol, was that such action was chiefly, if not entirely, due to the vaunting ambition of certain members of the House, who want to go to congress from certain sections of Texas.

Why should they act thus, why prevent redistricting? Because the districts as shaped did not suit them. They feared the result of an election in those districts would not be as they desired, and they were willing to prevent any redistricting at all.

That is what many people called it and that is what I call it. Texas should have been divided into eighteen congressional districts, no matter what the ambition of any man in or out of the legislature or of his friends—a matter whether a district contained a "pro" or "anti" majority. The failure and at this particular time, to redistrict was in marked degree reprehensible.

Who are the legislators who stood in the way? I do not care to risk the name of the Texas libel law by printing names in the Tribune. Times are hard enough without inviting the probability of having to pay money damage. The men who are said to be chiefly responsible are fairly well known. Some men joined in the work who I did not believe would do so. But they did, and if public opinion does not hold them to account I shall always think it should.

But it is over now and let us drop the subject for the present. As said above, it is not very likely that the governor will recommend action by any subsequent special session of the legislature. He will have good reasons for not bringing the matter up again, and I expect to see it lie dormant until the Thirty-fifth legislature meets in January.

The Eleventh and all the other districts will notice and they are until further notice and favorite sons who want to go to congress can get busy. So can Jeff McLemore and Cyclone Davis at large.

But you may expect to see some new and untalked of men in the races next year. It is said the Senate has no less than thirteen members who are in the House I do not venture to guess.

CAN GERMANY BE BEATEN? Millions of lives have been sacrificed and billions of money have been squandered, but no invading foe has placed foot upon German soil, and no reversal at arms has served to temper the German spirit. The anticpated disaffection of socialists and peace-seekers has failed to materialize, and the military machine seems only to have hardened into a yet greater efficiency. Prussia still dominates the empire, and the certainty of quick triumph which at first possessed the minds of her people has been supplanted by a determination never to be beaten which is even more formidable.

There is no lack of money or munitions of war; new submarines are being built in greater numbers and more rapidly than by the allies; despite pretenses to the contrary for political effect, food is plentiful and exceptional harvests seem assured; briefly, the possibility of conquering Germany is more today than it was at the beginning of the war; to feign the contrary is to ignore the facts.

The bitter truth is that in all large essentials the hopes of the allies have been disappointed one after another. France was to occupy her lost provinces forthwith; she is still fighting desperately upon her own soil. Unprepared Britain was to raise and train an immense army for service in Flanders. Time was fighting for the allies. The real war was to begin in May. In point of fact, it began earlier at Neuve Chapelle, where apparent victory was made appallingly disastrous by incompetent British generalship, and June finds Germany a steady gainer in the past six weeks.

At last—and in this there may be a gleam of hope—England is beginning to realize that she can not reasonably expect to "muddle through." Hatred and conscription seems to have become an inevitable necessity. The lower classes are far from enthusiastic; thousands are reconciled to the betterment of their hard lot through the war-time increase in wages; workmen are either scarce or unwilling to perform their part. The government is trying to hold itself up by its boot-strap—George Harvey in the North American Review.

Where the great British fleet is or what it is doing except to bury itself in barnacles nobody knows. It is now generally conceded that adequate preparations for the futile attack upon the

foris of the Dardanelles had not been made and the ships lost were sacrificed to no purpose. The deadly German, wasps circumnavigating the British Isles without let or hindrance. Already ninety-one merchantmen and trawlers have been sent to the bottom, and, despite official warnings from the German government, there could not be or at any rate there was not spared from the great number of warships a single convoy for the doomed Lusitania. It is to be wondered at that the Westliche Post should declare that "never before has the faculty of the British navy been exposed so pitifully," and that Dr. Eugene Kuhlmann, W. of the "Exchange German Professors," should add, exultingly, that "the torpedoing of the Lusitania proves two things: First, that Germany is determined and has the power to crush any nation that tries to starve her out; second, that the prestige of the English navy is gone forever?"

It is still, as we said ten months ago, "inconceivable that Germany shall triumph," but it is no less certain, from the standpoint of the allies, that the prospect is laden with gloom and foreboding and that the end is afar off.—Houston Post.

AN UNDESIRABLE CITIZEN. Nine men get up at break of dawn, and toil with splendid zest, to trim the whiskers from the lawn, and keep the weeds suppressed. They pull up thistles by the roots and sweat all noxious weeds, and softly say, "We'll bet our boots these weeds won't scatter seeds." They to their wives devote their lives; they strive to keep their neat; they know the law, where the blue grass thrives, for a beauty can't be beat. The tenth man does not care a whoop how shabby things appear; the weeds are growing round his coop in regiments, each year. The grass is smothered by the weeds, which sweep each inch of soil, and every zephyr blows the seeds, to queer the goods men's soil. There is no law to make him eat his weeds, or mow them down, although his place will queer the street, and handicap the town. Why doesn't congress kick the tenth man on the pate? For nearly every village block has got this sort of skate.

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BUSCH'S SON-IN-LAW COMMANDS TURK FORT. St. Louis, June 7.—Lieut. Edward Sharrer, a son-in-law of the late Adolphus Busch is in command of Turkish troops in one of the forts at the Dardanelles.

FIVE OF CREW TORPEDOED BY GERMANS LOSE LIVES. The trawler Arlic has been sunk in the North Sea by a German submarine. Five members of her crew were rescued but four lost their lives from the shell fire of the under sea boat.

BURNING LIQUID USED BY FRENCH GERMANS SAY. Berlin, June 7.—An official statement issued here today said the French in an attack on Valenciennes yesterday used burning liquid but the attack failed.

GERMAN NOTE READY TO BE SENT TO BERLIN. Washington, June 7.—The German note, it was announced today, is ready for transmission to Berlin.

WANT SHIPMENT WAR MUNITIONS STOPPED. Portland, June 7.—The confederated German societies comprising more than forty organizations in the northwest last night adopted a resolution calling for the cessation of increasing exports of war munitions from the United States.

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OVERCOATS POPULAR AT SAN ANGELO. San Angelo, Texas, June 7.—In the past five hours there has been a fall in temperature of nearly 40 degrees. Overcoats are being worn today.

NONSUIT TAKEN IN QUO WARRANTO PROCEEDINGS. Judge Nicholson had expected to render a decision in the quo warranto proceedings in connection with the affairs of the Forest Oil Company this morning, but before he finished writing his opinion, a nonsuit was taken by the plaintiff. The plaintiff first moved to reopen the case, but this was denied.

W. F. Weeks, who represents the plaintiffs, Measars, Owen, Wilson, Overby and Weeks, stated that a new proceeding, setting up new grounds for contesting the election of directors and officers, will be instituted at once. He said that the plaintiffs would seek to show that all votes cast by proxy at the contested election were illegal.



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**PENITENTIARY INVESTIGATORS AT HUNTSVILLE TODAY**  
 By Associated Press.  
 Austin, Texas, June 7.—The penitentiary investigation committee was to gather here today to go to Huntsville and investigate the prison there, this being the start of the investigation of this committee appointed by the Texas Senate at the recent special session. Every farm and every

branch of the state prison system will be visited, according to Senator James E. Harley, chairman of the committee, who declared that "this is not a whitewashing committee; it is to make a thorough investigation."  
 Dr. S. H. Burnside and Dr. Everett Jones announce the removal of their offices to suites 208-218 First National Bank Bldg. 17 10c

### Local News Brevities

See our half price display of Wear-Ever American Cooking Utensils in our window Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Wichita Hardware Company. 21-31c.

**Notice.**  
 Dr. Proctor, dentist, has moved up stairs over Morris's Drug Store. 191c

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**Summer School.**  
 Miss Jessie Hickman begins her school June 3rd. Special attention to pupils who have failed to make grade. Phone 221. 17 1c

**Dental Notice!**  
 I have moved to 308 First National Bank Building. Dr. J. S. Nelson. Phone 586. 16-11c

Having moved my offices to the new First National Bank building, desire to announce I am fully prepared to serve the public. Dr. J. W. DuVal. 20-71c

My offices are now located on 2nd floor in First National Bank Building, Suite 212. Dr. H. M. Kearby, Dentist. 21-21c

**Notice to Savings Depositors of the First National Bank.**  
 June the 30th is our quarterly interest figuring period and all accounts that are still open at that date will receive their usual 4 per cent interest. All savings accounts that have previously been carried with the First State Bank & Trust Company will continue to receive the 4 per cent interest and will be figured from the date last credited by them.  
 Do not close your account now because you will lose the interest you have already earned, but add to it and you will own have a balance of which you can be proud.  
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Wichita Falls Undertaking Co., 812 Scott avenue. Phone 292. Prompt ambulance service. Command us. 48 1c

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Dr. A. L. Lane has moved to the new First National Bank building, room 305 on third floor. Phone 586. 20-121c

I have moved my office to 309 First National Bank building. Phone 557. Dr. W. W. Swartz. 15-11c

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Notice is hereby given that the adjourned annual meeting of the stockholders of the Capital Oil & Gas Co., will be held in the office of Smeed & Spoot, Friberg building, Wichita Falls, Texas, at 2 o'clock p. m., June 15th, A. D. 1915, for the purpose of the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it. Done this 1st day of June, A. D. 1915.  
 DAVIS McCULLOCH, Secretary. 18 5c

E. G. Hill, undertaker, office and parlors 900 Scott Ave. Phone 225. Prompt ambulance service. 92-11c

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A few days ago while William and Tom Huff, little sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Huff were playing Tom was struck accidentally just above one eye with a stone. It was thought that the sight might be impaired and Tom, accompanied by his father, went to consult a specialist at Wichita Falls. They returned Thursday morning with the glad information that the sight was not injured in the least. However, the blow on the eye had caused a cataract to form which, if it does not absorb as is hoped, will have to be removed.—Grandfield Enterprise.

### 500 DIE OF HUNGER DAILY IN MEXICO CITY

BEGGAR OF ALL KINDS INCLUDING STARVING MOTHERS THROUGH STREETS CRYING FOR FOOD

THOUSANDS ARE STARVING

Famine Unequaled Elsewhere in World Not Excepting Belgium Is Reported

(Austin American)

Mexico City (delayed), May 23.—All the horrors that have shocked the world since the revolution began are heavily in comparison with the unprecedented famine that has now befallen this cut-off from the world capital.

While the revolutionists of the wretched country are roaming up and down the railroads, sackings, ravaging and destroying with the ferocity of locusts, Mexico City, severed from the still remaining areas of production as completely as from the ports, is literally and rapidly starving to death.

The scarcity of food supplies of the first necessities which began to make itself felt in the early days of the unforgettable second Carranzista regime, has now reached a stage of famine unequalled elsewhere in the world, except possibly in Belgium, and certainly nothing in Belgium can be worse than the suffering and starvation in Mexico City.

The population of the capital is approximately five hundred thousand. If all the corn, frijole, rice and cereals in the cellars of the Spanish commission merchants were commandeered tomorrow by President Lopez Gonzalez Garza for the relief of the hungry men, women and children of the poor and middle classes it is doubtful if each family would receive enough rations to last them seventy-two hours. The reason is that the food supply within the city has been practically exhausted and the so-called armies which possess all the lines of communication to the states of Michoacan, Queretaro and Vera Cruz are confiscating all the incoming corn, frijole and other food-stuffs for their own precious stomachs.

Under foot everywhere in the capital are the most insistent beggars in the world. Since the food situation became acute their number has increased a hundred fold. They haunt the central thoroughfares; every doorway is littered with them, in front of the restaurants and clubs they cluster like flies, and fairly swarm around the well dressed patron, harpooning him with their pitiful appeals until he scatters his cartones among them.

The majority of the beggars in the streets of Mexico, these days are little mothers, so arievoked with hunger that their skins have come to look like cracked leather. Their clothes are rags, nothing more, and they show their breasts unashamedly. Money, food—anything—their eyes or as miserably as the street dog looks a thrown bone. Here they have literally taken the place of the street dogs, for they long since ate them.

Then there are the cripples, which the revolution triumphant has produced so numerously in every city, town and pueblo in central as well as in northern Mexico. They, too, crawl about in shreds of clothing and when you step around or over them, they thrust at you loathsome stumps of arms or legs and whine to you by the gutter to give them the "Virgin" of love you may bear to the "Virgin" of Guadalupe to give them centavos.

And in every street in the central part of Mexico City roam wolfish packs of half naked, incredibly filthy children who are forever darting in and out of the thoroughfares, crying for the skates for carbon—something to eat.

When the starving peons are no longer able to shuffle about the streets, plucking you by the sleeve, entreating you to give them alms, they crawl into the doorways—half a dozen huddled together like dogs—come along and, just as rubbish is collected in an American city, the bodies are picked-up and carried away.

Twice this week the starving women of the city have swarmed into the chamber of deputies where the delegates to the so-called soberana convention (the soviet convention) were exciting themselves into frenzy over pretty phrases for emboldening a new constitution and receiving from the depleted treasury 50 pesos a day for their extraordinary volubility.

In the middle of his peroration on the complete reconstruction of human society yesterday Antonio Diaz Soto Gama, the representative in the convention of Gen. Zapata, was stopped by an inrush of nearly a thousand famished women crying "Corn, corn, help us!" in the name of the Virgin Mary.

Finally the soldiers cleared the elegant building of the intruders and the delegates resumed their opera bouffe.

The convention before it adjourned to spend the rest of the night swirling around the red light district in stolen automobiles, appropriated 500,000 pesos for sending a commission to Washington to ask President Wilson to recognize it as a government and 50,000 pesos for purchasing cereals.

Out in the hills their army is fighting the battle for liberty by holding up food trains, caravans and carts, murdering the occupants and taking the supplies.

From starvation alone since the first week of May the average daily death rate has jumped from scores of hundreds. It is estimated by the ayuntamiento—the town council—that 500 persons are dying every day from hunger. It is also predicted by the ayuntamiento that within two weeks, unless communication is established with the production rates, the total will reach 1000 daily.

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## Proving His Fettle

By JOE BURKHARDT

YOU are always at a loss to go to work," Valadon frowned. "I don't see why I should have to with the governor so disgustingly rich."

"How much money have you," she asked. Somehow her conversation this morning on the Coronado Beach was most unceremonious.

"Enough to pay my bills and get up to San Francisco."

"Then you will have to wait until some one sends you the money to get home on. I don't think you are worth waiting for, Billy."

"You might at least be nice this last day," he said shortly. "Let's talk about something else."

Two days later Valadon stood on the wharf at Oakland. Miss Brockman stood by the sleeper in which she and her mother were to make the trip East.

"I may see you sooner than you expect," he said with a smile.

"Having money telegraphed to you?" she asked.

"No," he answered shortly. "I have an idea that perhaps I can come East in accordance with your approved methods. I'm going to try it, anyhow."

"If you do Billy," said the girl softly, as she mounted the steps.

"If I do, what?"

Mabel shook her head over the porter's shoulder as the train pulled out. She loved Valadon and his absolute dependence upon his father. If she could rouse him to action—

She smiled to herself as the train rolled along the water front and permitted a last glimpse of the bay.

Valadon took the boat back to the city, but instead of returning to the hotel he went to the Barbary Coast. In one of the dives sat a party of men, rough, uncouth and with a most evident smell of the stable about them. Billy went up to their leader.

"I'm ready now," he said.

"Stow the glad rags," commanded the other, "and come back here in half an hour. We don't want silk hats around."

Before the end of the half hour the silk hat and frock coat had been metamorphosed into a cloth cap and a pea jacket, and Billy was richer. The leader marshaled the gang and in an hour later Billy was back in Oakland, but this time in the freight yards.

He clung to a handsome leather suitcase, but this time it carried only necessities, and his baggage was augmented by a soap box containing a whole boiled ham, ten pounds of corned beef, six loaves of bread, a hunk of cheese and a bottle of pickles. There was also a two-quart pail, which, it was explained, was to be filled with coffee when they made their day stops.

On the track before him was a train of twelve yellow cars, at the head of which panted a huge engine. Billy climbed into the third car and deposited his belongings in a corner. There was much hoarse shouting, a blast from the whistle and a jolt as the train pulled out, and the first section of the horse special was underway.

Billy's fellow passengers in the car were another hostler and twelve thoroughbreds being hurried East to the winter sale. The stalls took up most of the room, but there was a tiny space for the two men at opposite ends of the car, and room enough to sleep in if one should be very tired.

Men from the train had accompanied the train as far as San Francisco, and had fed the horses before the train had pulled out. The only

thing to be done during the night was to quiet any horse that might become restless, and at 12 he could go to sleep and turn the watch over to his fellow.

Because Billy had paid over to the foreman \$10 in addition to the padlock him, he was given a car in which the travelers were experienced tourists—racers of the western circuit being sent East to be sold as hunters—and it was not a difficult matter to keep them quiet.

When the train stopped he could hear the yearlings in the cars behind stamping about, and he was glad that he had been given a quiet car.

Even as it was he was kept busy and sleep came quickly to tired eyes in spite of the novelty of the surroundings and the fact that his head was pillowed upon a wisp of hay spread over the grub box, through which the smell of cold ham filtered.

There was plenty of work in the morning, too, feeding and watering six horses and rubbing them down, and he was glad enough when the train slowed down and the welcome shout of "Coffee!" echoed along the line.

There was a full quart of the fatty-colored liquid in each can, and with that and bread and ham Billy made a breakfast that would have surprised the attendants at his favorite club.

By the time the next stop came he had his stalls cared for, and the fresh

For a moment she stared as a well-groomed young man possessed himself of her handbag and turned to help her mother rouse the steps, and it was not until they had headed for the ferry that she found her voice.

"How did you get here so quickly?" she demanded.

"I came the northern way," he explained, "and I had a special."

Miss Brockman turned away to hide her disappointment. "I might have known you would do something like that," she said coldly. "I suppose that you wired for money."

"There was a check at the hotel when I got to San Francisco," he explained wickedly. "I had it in my pocket when I said 'good-by' to you in Oakland. I thought you would like a surprise."

"It was not a surprise; it was the expected," she corrected. "I had hoped my sermon had sunk in."

He made no explanation until they were in the carriage, which had waited at Twenty-third street. Then Billy leaned forward.

"I should have explained," he began, "that the special was for the Ors ranch-horses for the sale at the garden. I was a hostler and I brought the check back with me."

She leaned forward and kissed him to the surprise of her mother.

"Billy!" she cried impulsively, "you may take that check and buy me a solitaire with it."

**Actual Value.**  
 "That swell chap just bought a cigar," commented the lounge in the cigar emporium. "What price did he pay?"

"Bought a twenty-cent straight," responded the clerk.

"Twenty-cent straight, eh? How much it crooked?"

"Crooked? Oh, about a nickel."

**Time to Move.**  
 "There is danger ahead when a woman gets beside herself with rage," shouted the London suffragette, as she waded her blue umbrella.

"You, but there is," chuckled the bachelor member of the commons as he took another seat. "I always watch out to see that she does not get beside me."

**Just Reversed.**  
 "Then you still believe in fighting?" interrogated the tourist in the far northwest.

"Umph, yes," grunted Chief Blue nose, "man live out her must be scrap."

"And if he don't?"

"Why, then he go to scrap heap."

**What Struck Him.**  
 "Did anything about the defendant strike you as being out of the ordinary?" asked the judge of the plaintiff in a case of assault and battery.

"Yes, your honor," was the reply.

"What was it?" queried the judge.

"His fist," answered the plaintiff.

**Sun or Moonlight.**  
 Gritty George—"Dat bloke what gave me de dime said he didn't believe I ever took a bath. I told him I often took an immunity bath."

Sandy Pikes—"And what kind of baths are immunity baths, pard?"

Gritty George—"Why, immune from soap and water."

**Doctor.**  
 "Doctor, I want you to look after my office while I'm on my vacation." "But I've just graduated, doctor. I have had no experience."

"That's all right, my boy. My practice is strictly fashionable. Tell the men to play golf and ship the women out to Atlantic City."

### RAILROAD TIME TABLE

**Fl. W. & D. C. Ry.**  
 Northbound No. 7 to Denver and intermediate points, arrives 1:35 a. m.; departs 3:45 a. m.  
 No. 3 to Amarillo and intermediate points, arrives at 1:50 p. m.; departs 2:05 p. m.  
 No. 13 to Electra, departs 7 a. m. and returns at 6:15 p. m.  
 Southbound No. 8 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 a. m.; departs 2:15 a. m.  
 No. 4 to Fort Worth and intermediate points, arrives at 2:05 p. m., and departs at 2:20 p. m.

**Wichita Valley.**  
 Westbound No. 1 to Abilene and intermediate points, departs at 2:35 p. m.  
 No. 7 from Byers, arrives at 12:05 p. m.; No. 9 from Byers arrives at 6:45 p. m.  
 Eastbound No. 2 from Abilene and intermediate points, arrives at 1:25 p. m.; No. 8 from Byers departs at 8:30 a. m.; No. 10 from Byers departs at 2:15 p. m.

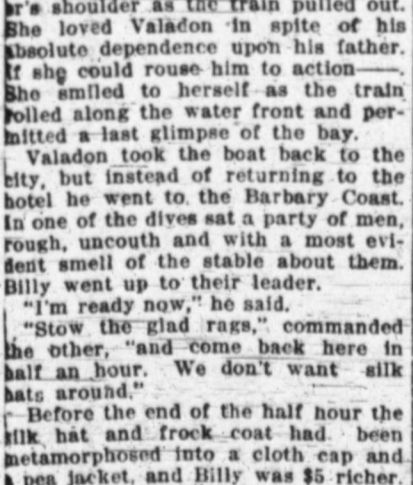
**M. K. & T.**  
 Eastbound No. 14 to Dallas and intermediate points, departs 6:10 a. m.  
 No. 12 to Dallas and intermediate points departs 11:20 a. m.  
 Westbound No. 11 from Dallas and intermediate points, arrives 12:05 p. m.  
 No. 17 from Dallas and intermediate points arrives at 10:20 p. m.

**W. F. & N. W.**  
 Northbound No. 1 to Elk City and intermediate points departs 2:15 p. m.; No. 3 for Forgan and intermediate points departs 6:45 a. m.  
 Southbound No. 2 from Elk City and intermediate points arrives at 11:00 a. m.; No. 4 from Forgan and intermediate points arrives at 8:15 p. m.

**W. F. & S.**  
 Southbound No. 7 for Newcastle and intermediate points departs 2:30 p. m.; No. 55 for Newcastle and intermediate points (local freight) departs 6:45 a. m.  
 Northbound No. 8 from Newcastle and intermediate points arrives at 11:05 a. m.; No. 56 from Newcastle and intermediate points (local freight) arrives at 4:45 p. m.

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 Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. F. J. V. E.

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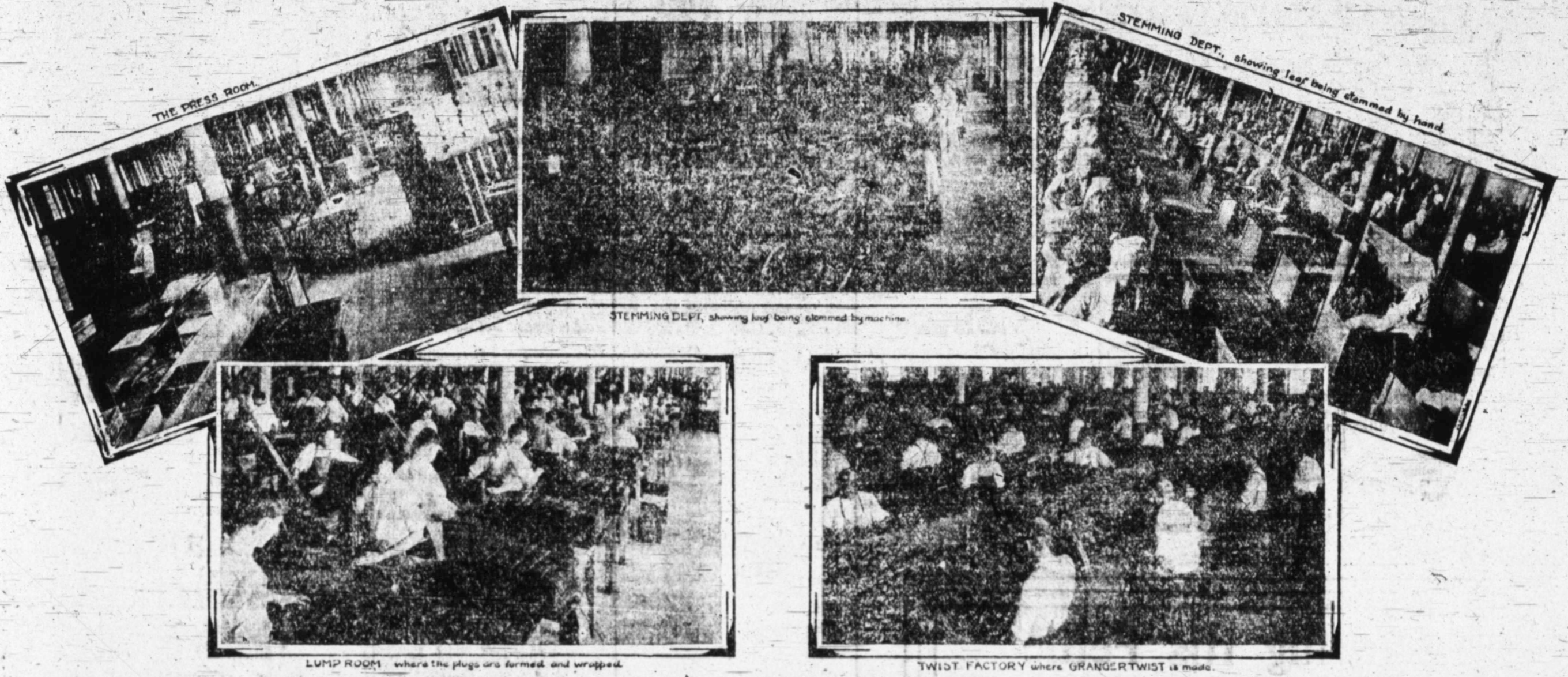


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### A GIGANTIC BUSINESS

#### An Industry, Occupying the World's Largest Tobacco Plant, the Expert Efforts of 5,000 Workpeople, Built Upon a Policy of Perfect Cleanliness and Scientific Efficiency

In St. Louis is located the largest tobacco factory in the world, where the world's largest selling brand and many other famous tobacco products are made. This factory employs about 5,000 people and has a factory output of a full mile. Here chewing tobacco is produced to the extent of about eighty-five million pounds a year, one brand alone requiring twenty-five million pounds a year.

The care that is taken to insure cleanliness puts this plant upon a high plane of sanitary and hygienic efficiency. It would be a revelation to the average user of tobacco to go through a plant of this kind. The most fastidious housewife could scarcely be more careful of her floors, of her tables and culinary equipment than the managers of this tobacco factory are of every detail of equipment.

#### Scientific Methods

One of the first things the visitor observes is a scientific laboratory

which was set up by an expert from a government department, through whose efficiency the most modern mechanical and chemical devices for the testing of tobacco were installed.

Nothing is taken for granted—all "casing" substances used in connection with the manufacture of tobacco are carefully analyzed and must come up to a prescribed standard. By "casing" is meant the sweeteners, such as licorice, sugar, honey, and many delicious combinations which are kept secret. Practically all the work in handling tobacco is done by machinery, where in former years it was a matter of human handling.

In other ways the manufacturers of tobacco has kept pace with modern methods of cleanliness and hygiene. For example, every night the vats in which the tobacco and the "casing" are compounded are cleaned with scalding water until the wood work looks like the wood work in the

cleanest household. All dust is removed by automatic blowers and the tobacco is inspected many times before getting to the mixing. In fact, there is an almost military system of supervision.

#### Care of Employees

Care of the employes is another feature which sets this factory apart from the common run and puts it right in line with modern methods.

There is an emergency hospital right in the building. Here a trained nurse is in constant attendance, and a doctor always on call. It is an interesting fact that in tobacco manufacturing, good health is the rule. Many doctors say that tobacco is an excellent disinfectant—it is certain that epidemics of contagious diseases are practically unknown among those employed in tobacco manufacturing.

The company provides every employe with free insurance. This takes

the form of the payment of bounty to the family of each one who dies while in the firm's employ to an amount not exceeding \$500. This means a full year's salary at \$10 a week to those earning \$500 amount and under.

When the employes of the company use all a doctor's visits, about with out charge. The 5,000 employes who can no longer do active work are given pension jobs. In addition, the "safety first" program is carried out. A complete system of sprinklers guards against fire.

Whenever there is danger of hands coming in contact with machinery, automatic punches are made a permanent part of the equipment.

There are shower baths for all the men and places where they can keep the clothes in which they work, so that they never wear the same clothes in the factory as on the street.

Each building in the St. Louis establishment has light from all four sides, there being eight buildings in all, each with 25 feet frontage.

Another efficiency feature is the maintenance of a corps of mechanics and artisans. The plant has its own plumbers, painters, greasers, blacksmiths, etc.—it is a world in itself.

Eternal vigilance on the part of all these men, from the manager down to the lowest, keeps the plant always in the best of condition. All take a "housekeeping pride" in the

appearance of the place. All "chase out" there are special rewards for vigilance.

Electric, steam and hydraulic machinery has been installed wherever possible in order to make for efficiency. An immense coil storage plant holds all the ingredients that are used—holders on all floors constantly keep the place clean.

The tobacco is put up in wooden boxes that are made on the place. They have machines there that make and nail four boxes an hour each.

#### How the Work is Done

In this, the largest tobacco industry in the world, the same men who have been on the job over forty years—some one hundred—have become the most expert in the world. The "order" men are especially expert. By "order" is meant the condition of moisture. The "order" must be just right—if it is too moist it will not do, and if it is too dry it will not do.

Tobacco quality is judged, first, by the "order" of the wrapper, so that it will not break and yet not be too second, the "order" of the leaf, which is arrived at by the sense of feel; third, that it is manufactured properly—got lumpy, not too much in the center, so that every man who buys a piece may be sure of getting his full

10 cents worth; fourth, seeing that the wrapper is on in good shape, realizing that the heavy pressing the plug will go through will affect its general character; fifth, that the weight is all right—it being necessary always to give full value.

#### Where the Tobacco Comes From

The tobacco comes from Virginia and Kentucky in horseheads and is aged in these loghouses in a large warehouse during a period of several years. From Virginia comes the light-colored leaf, and from Kentucky the famous Burley tobacco, which is probably in greater use than any other type of tobacco grown. Virginia tobacco is used for the wrappers where light plug is required.

The tobacco is first belled in bins and properly dried. It is then stemmed by almost human stemming machines. Certain types of tobacco require hand stripping, which means that the soft part of the leaf is stripped from the woody stem and it is then turned over to the twisters, who roll it and dry it. The tobacco is then raked and searched in order that it will be tobacco, all tobacco, and nothing but tobacco.

It is then carried automatically to the vats, where it is mixed with the casing. The casing is distributed through the tobacco by means of an

automatic sprayer. The tobacco in this form is placed on the automatic conveyors and inspected for the seventh or eighth time, in the meantime permitting the casing to work into the leaf. Then it is fed into machines which turn it out in the plug form, and the plug is wrapped with Virginia wrapper if that be the color and texture desired. In other cases Kentucky Burley leaf is used.

#### The Plugs Are Automatically Pressed

After they have been wrapped, the plugs go into the dryer for an hour and a half, where surplus moisture is removed. They are then weighed and checked, and from this go to immense hydraulic machines, where, automatically, they are pressed into the right shape and the tags attached.

The average man who goes through the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company's factory comes out amazed not only at the care that is exercised in the manufacture of the brand and the determined observance of cleanliness—more, he is astounded that he can buy a plug of tobacco for 5 cents or 10 cents after having seen the many processes through which it goes, from its growth in the field to its final boxing and shipping. It is in this great factory that STAIR—the world's largest selling brand—is made.

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### Speaker Pays Tribute To Motives Of Jefferson Davis

By Associated Press. Richmond, Va., June 7.—A tribute to the character and motives of the president of the Confederate States of America was delivered at the Confederate veterans' reunion here today by General B. W. Green of Little Rock, Ark., in an address on "Jefferson Davis." Gen. Green declared that "misjudged" in life and disgraced until his death, Jefferson Davis is finding his true place in history. He suffered as no other Confederate. He met every crisis dauntlessly and measured up to every just expectation and demand of his people.

The speaker related incidents in Mr. Davis' life as a soldier, planter, statesman, senator, president of the Confederacy and as a prisoner after the war between the States. "With such a varied and wide experience," said Gen. Green, "his character at all times exemplified gentleness and unselfishness. He was unassuming and rigidly truthful, combining a life of patriotism, nobility and sincerity with an honest desire to serve his fellow men, which challenges the world's admiration."

"Having served in public life more than thirty consecutive years until 1861 found him with the highest honors his state could bestow (as a U. S. senator) there was nothing more he could wish, and yet at the call of duty, the voice of his state, he laid aside his honors voluntarily in order to serve his people's interest. He was not at any time a secessionist. He urged on all occasions forbearance and patience when political wrongs were heaped upon the South, but when the vote passed the ordinance of secession he tendered his resignation as senator, choosing rather to take his lot with his own people as a private citizen. Mr. Davis never

gave up the hope of a satisfactory compromise until the war was had a guarantee of equal rights under the Constitution would restore the Union immediately."

The speaker mentioned that after Mr. Davis returned to Mississippi from Washington, the governor asked him to command all the military forces of the state and on February 9, 1861 he was unanimously elected president of the provisional government of the Confederate States of America.

Mr. Davis regarded the Confederate constitution a model of freedom and liberal statesmanship, said General Green, and as his election was unanimous he accepted, though he greatly preferred active military service. He was in no sense a candidate for the presidency and was greatly disappointed that he had been elected. The provisional government having expired February 22, 1862, the Confederate congress re-elected Mr. Davis to the presidency.

Gen. Green referred to Davis' conduct of affairs of the Confederacy, of his efforts on behalf of the soldiers of the South and on behalf of prisoners of war of both the North and South, of the removal of Mr. Davis and his cabinet from Richmond to points farther south, and of the forces closed about them, and of the removal of Davis of the secretary of the Confederate generals.

"At Washington, Georgia, Mr. Davis received the first official information of the surrender of Gen. J. E. Johnston," continued the speaker. "He at once ordered the secretary of war to pay off the soldiers and dismissed all of his military escort, asking for only ten volunteers to accompany him. He formally dissolved his cabinet and told each member to

look out for his own safety. Mr. Davis intended to go west and cross the Chattahoochee and attempt to fall in with troops in Alabama and so cross the Mississippi and join Gen. E. K. Smith and continue the war on that side of the river with the ultimate purpose that the seceded states should return to the United States with all rights of the states unimpaired."

"Three days after leaving Washington Mr. Davis found his family, encamped with a small wagon train and traveled several days with them. He still intended to cross the Mississippi. He had his horse saddled one night and he laid down to rest shortly before dawn. Soon afterward his negro coachman reported to him that he heard firing nearby. Mr. Davis left his tent and saw some union cavalrymen. His wife urged him to escape. His horse was hitched near by. As it was still dark he picked up in his tent what he thought was his rifle coat and later found it was his wife's. Mrs. Davis threw a shawl over his shoulders to protect him from the cool morning air. He had advanced from the tent but a few steps when he was ordered to halt. Mr. Davis threw off the rain coat and shawl and advanced upon the trooper, but his wife rushed up and threw her arms about him and there was nothing to do but surrender. Many false statements have been made by his enemies as to the dress he wore when arrested but Mr. Davis' soldierly character and courage give the lie to all such stories and those of his household who were present bore him out in his statement that he wore a gentleman's morning wrapper."

Gen. Green related stories of Mr. Davis' life in Fortress Monroe as a prisoner of the United States and quoted statements of a fort physician concerning the prisoner's patience and gentleness during his confinement.

General Green told of Davis' release from Fort Monroe, of his going to Canada and in closing said: "President Johnson's anxiety to convict Jefferson Davis of treason was such that he employed the greatest

criminal lawyers of the age to assist the attorney general in his investigation of the case. Johnson also sent for the chief justice of the U. S. supreme court and asked him to look into the matter on the part of the United States."

#### SPECIAL ROAD TAX VOTED PETNOLIA PRECINCT

(Henrietta Independent)

We keep the ticks and we get rid of the prairie dogs. That is the result of the election held in Clay county last Saturday. In commissioners' precinct No. 2, the northwest quarter of the county, they voted on a proposition to levy a special 15-cent road tax, which carried by a road majority more than 2 to 1. The light vote cast is another knock on the initiative and referendum, less than half the voters of the county taking

part in the elections. The tick matter polled the heaviest vote according to the semi-official returns printed below, totaling 342. Only 800 votes were cast on the dog-eradication matter. Of the probable 600 voters in commissioners' precinct No. 2 only 150 seem to have had interest enough in the proposed tax of 15 cents on the \$100 valuation to cast their ballots. Some of the boxes are still missing and some of the figures making up the totals printed are not of final, and the complete returns will not be available until the committee next week, but these figures are approximately correct.

For extermination of dogs ..... 342  
Majority for ..... 224  
Majority for ..... 218  
For tick eradication ..... 428  
Against ..... 514  
Majority against ..... 86

For 15c road tax .....	125
Against .....	55
Majority for .....	70

STUDENTS REUNIONS ARE BEING HELD AT AUSTIN

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, June 7.—Two reunions of former students at the University were to be held here today of commencement. The law will discuss "Needed Improvement in the State Judiciary and Court Procedure." This association was organized last June with 200 members.

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WANTED—Highest price paid for men's old clothes and shoes. Phone 354. 10 12p

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WANTED—April number of Travel magazine. Phone 1294. 20-2t

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WANTED—Responsible tenant for 5-room house at 1006 8th St. Rent \$25 per month. R. E. Huff, ground floor, First National Bank Bldg. 20-2c

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FOR RENT—Two of three furnished light housekeeping rooms. Sink and pantry in kitchen; modern and close in. Phone 1672; or apply 1206 Scott. 1 1c

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. 904 Scott avenue. 10 1c

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. 1407 Burnett. Phone 1573. 11 1c

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, down stairs, modern. Phone 1437. 202 Sixth. 14 1c

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished rooms, modern. 704 Travis. Phone 460. 19-1c

FOR RENT—Two furnished room for housekeeping. 1313 Scott. 20-3p

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FOR RENT—Two modern, furnished rooms for housekeeping. Phone 1153. 1110 9th St. 20-3p

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, connected with bath. Call at 1404 17th St. 20-3p

FOR RENT—One housekeeping room, \$8.00; two, \$15.00, three, \$20.00; modern, everything furnished. Apply 709 Austin. 20-1c

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, \$2 per week. Wichita Rooming House, 504 Scott Ave. Phone 842. 20-2p

FOR RENT—Two south rooms, furnished for housekeeping, modern, close in. 711 Austin. 20-3p

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished light housekeeping rooms; all modern. 1602 Lamar. Phone 422. 21-3p

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WANTED—White lady to take charge of small boarding house. To do cooking and general house work. Two months work. State salary in first letter. Address W. H. Smith, Megargel, Texas. 18-1c

WANTED—Girl for general house work. No washing. German preferred. 911 8th street. 19-1c

WANTED—Woman to help with work in rooming house. The Elite Rooms, phone 539. 20-3p

WANTED—Girls to room and board while attending normal, phone 1852, 1511 14th St. 20-3p

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FOUND—Gold watch with fob. Owner can have same by calling at Times office and paying 30 cents for this ad. 19-3c.

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FOR SALE—McCormick-Sisal Binder Twine. Best on market. Jamison Hardware & Implement Company, 410 Indiana Avenue. 18-8p.

FOR SALE—Two rooms of nice furniture used only three months, good as new. Leaving town. Will sell at a bargain. 1109 Eighth street. 18-3p.

FOR SALE—Good second-hand furniture wagon cheap. Phone 84

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FOR RENT—Modern 5 room house; 1003 Travis. \$16.00. W. E. Freeze. 4-1c.

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AUSTRIAN CROWNLANDS INVADED BY ITALIANS

Description Of Country Through Which Italians Pressing For Invasion Of Austria

Washington, June 7.—Paralleling the mighty drive from west to east that the Germans are making in Galicia, hundreds of thousands of fresh, well equipped Italian troops are pressing a rapid invasion against vital points in Austria's Mediterranean empire and, according to news dispatches, the early great battles in this new war theatre will end the Italians widely spread over the first of the coastal provinces, well on their way toward Trieste, a port more valuable to Austria than is New York to the United States. A bulletin dealing with the Austrian crownland Goetz and Gradisca, prepared by the National Geographic Society says of this region:

"Through Goetz and Gradisca runs the valley that forms the main artery of traffic of the northwestern Austrian coastlands with the interior. From the Austrian province of Carinthia, in the north, Goetz and Gradisca is bordered by Italy to the Gulf of Trieste. In the northern and central parts, this boundary is very mountainous, a way almost impassable for armies and their supply trains, a way of sharply developed ravines and gullies of precipitous and bare rocky summits, and a way broken through by a few wild, indifferent passes. In the south, is a coastal plain which allows of far easier access into Austria. It is in this plain that the Italian troops captured the first Austrian towns.

"Caroliola, Istria and the Trieste territory bound the province on the east and south, excepting its 25 miles of coast along the northern shore of the Gulf of Trieste. The crownland has an area of 1125 square miles, all the southern part of which is exceedingly fertile and abundant in wine grapes and in fancy fruits. Silk production is, also, one of the rich industries of the plain. Vineyard are everywhere, and the wines rival any of those produced in the Dual Monarchy. The climate of the valley which almost bisects the crownland is one of the mildest, languorous and delightful along the Mediterranean, famed for its many lovely northern stretches where the softest weather reigns.

"In the west and north and in the east, the country is mostly mountainous or bewilderingly broken and hilly. Higher mountain ranges almost enclose the crownland, the Julian Alps crossing it in the north, the Venetian Alps breaking deeply into its eastern border and mountain series running along its eastern boundary. Within the province are a number of peaks of more than 8,000 feet. The chief rivers of the province are the Sontzo and the Timavo, the last named, the river that issues fully formed from the mountain side, the mysterious river to which the ancient said wholesome respect.

"The Goetz and Gradisca crownland is not inhabited principally by Italians. More than two-thirds, about 68 per cent of the people are Slovenes, and the remainder are Italians, with an intersprinkling of some 2,400 Germans. The population, according to most recent statistics, is 235,000 people. The population is mainly an agricultural one, being distributed through the provinces in small villages. Goetz, the capital of the crownland and its largest city, only has a population of 26,000. Other principal towns are Cormons, Monfalcone, Kirchheim, Gradisca and Aquileia. Not one of these places counts 6,000 citizens."

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Personals

H. R. Hanks and family are planning to leave for Gatesville on the first train for a visit with his parents there. George W. Whitten, a former resident here who left for California more than a year ago, is spending a few days here. Mr. Whitten is now located at Amarillo and represents a Wichita, Kansas, cash and door house in this section. Dr. Hartsook is in Fort Worth on professional business. Frank Kell returned Sunday morning from Austin, where he attended the freight rate hearing.

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Market Reports

**New York Cotton Futures.**  
By Associated Press. New York, June 7.—Cotton opened firm at an advance of ten to eleven points today in response to higher cables, firmness in the stock market and apprehension that further rains in the western belt would be followed by increased shortage particularly in Oklahoma. The market became slightly easier early in the morning owing to failure of the demand to improve. The market was quiet in the middle of the afternoon with active months seven to ten points higher. The close was steady. July 9.63; Oct. 9.90; Dec. 10.16; Jan. 10.20; March 10.43.

**Fort Worth Livestock.**  
By Associated Press. Fort Worth, June 7.—Cattle receipts 500, steady; hogs \$6.25 to \$5.25. Hog receipts 1200, strong to five cents higher; lights \$7.85 to \$7.90. Sheep receipts 700, slow; lambs \$7 to \$9.50.

**Kansas City Cash Wheat.**  
By Associated Press. Kansas City, June 7.—Wheat No. 2 hard 1.20 to 1.24; No. 2 red 1.24 to 1.21. Corn No. 2 mixed 69 1/2 to 70. Oats No. 2 white 46 1/2 to 47.

**Chicago Grain Market Closed.**  
By Associated Press. Chicago, June 7.—The grain market was closed today on account of an election of state judges.

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