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Contributions to the society column are invited. phone 1471 or send to this office. Contributions must be in by 12 o'clock to appear in that day's issue. All contributions for the Sunday society page and the Social Calendar must be in by 12 o'clock Saturday morning.

RECEPTION BY MOTHERS CLUBS IS POSTPONED

Owing to the inclement weather the reception planned for tonight by the mothers clubs of the city has been postponed until Friday, October 1 when it will be given at the high school.

ELKS' DANCE THURSDAY EVENING AT CLUB

The Elks dances which are always a feature of the social life of the young people during the winter will occur weekly this season and the first dance held Thursday evening was a pleasant forecast of the gayeties in store for the dancing set this winter. The music was furnished by Katz orchestra and the director made up his program exclusively of the newest dance music. Some twenty or more couples were present, including Misses Bess Kell, Genevieve Carver, Bertha Mae Kemp, Lillian Avia, Louise Fox, Myrtice Stringer, Agnes Reid, Mabel Simpson, Lillian McGregor, Virginia Nanz of Owensboro, Ky., Blanche Kahn, Louise Bullitt, Messrs. John Thomas, Jerome Stone, Harry Baum, Clarence Barnett, John Humphreys, Carter McGregor, Hickman, Fay Gober, Burns, Marvin Smith, W. N. Bonner, Jonette Bonner, Miller, Marin, Linn Boyd, Jack Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith.

A Smart Riding Habit For The Girl A-Horseback



This very stunning riding habit is remarkably well-cut. The severely tailored black serge coat flares below the waist line and is finished with a black velvet collar and tailored pockets. The black and white checked breeches are reinforced at the knees. Please notice the drooping brim of the black felt sailor to keep sun-glare out of the eyes.

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MOTHER OF ELEVEN GIRLS TESTIMONY

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 8.—"Several weeks ago when I was laid up in bed, one of the young men in the house whom I live asked me if there was anything he could do for me. I replied that I would like to see a copy of the Nashville Tennessean, my home paper. He very promptly brought it to me and I read of Tanlac first in that paper," said Mrs. Martha Allen, who resides at 1801 Ross Avenue, Dallas. "When I saw that Mr. Ben Rippeote, the manager of the DeMottville Drug Company, of Nashville, said about Tanlac, I resolved to try a bottle for I have known Mr. Rippeote for some time and I knew that he would not be selling a medicine that was not first class in every respect. I consequently, phoned Skillars & Sons for a bottle of Tanlac and began taking it regularly. "I had been badly troubled with rheumatism and my limbs were so swollen that I could not walk up the steps at my home. Owing to the pain I could not get a full night's sleep and I became badly run down. "I have taken just one bottle of Tanlac and it did me so much good and helped me so much I felt very grateful and decided to come here today and tell you how much good your medicine has done me. You can see how well I can get-around now, and if you could have seen me several weeks ago when I was almost helpless and could hardly walk, you would not have believed it possible that I could be here today walking around as well as I do. I felt that I just must tell others what this wonderful medicine has done for me. I am the mother of eleven children, and have lived in Dallas since October, 1914." Tanlac will continue to be explained at the Palace Drug Store.

At The Theaters

The Empress. Charles Chaplin is featured in "The Face on the Barroom Floor" a travesty on the drama by the same name that had highly emotional popularity some time ago. Ed Coxen and Winifred Greenwood are featured in a two part American drama, "Detective Blinn" a synopsis of which is given.

A series of mystifying Jewish thefts have baffled an able police force. Hardly a day passes that a wealthy society woman does not report the loss of her gems. At length the master detective, Blinn, is put on the case. Meanwhile Judge Page, a wealthy jurist, enters the palatial store of Shaw, who is known as an exclusive jeweler for exclusive people. Judge Page's daughter, Adele is with him. Adele sees a wonderful pendant and her indulgent father buys it for her.

Adele is to be introduced to society and the event is to be marked by a ultra-fashionable ball. Meanwhile, by a clever ruse, Detective Blinn, has worked himself into the good graces of a pair of men whom he knows to be crooks, and whom he suspects are minor accomplices of the jewel thief. By great patience and diligence, Blinn becomes the criminals' confidant. At length his persistency is rewarded. The men of the underworld include him in their game, while plotting robbery at the Palace ball. Blinn, himself, poses by the way, as a crook from San Francisco, and is chosen to steal Adele's pendant. He does so artfully and then his pals lead him to the "jence" where he can get a good price for his booty. After this master stroke all is simple. One by one, Blinn takes his men in custody. The police—the whole city, in fact—is startled when Jeweler Shaw is arrested and proved guilty of being the leader of the thieves.

The Gem. The ninth installment of "The Goddess" is the feature of today's program, which includes several other reels of excellent pictures. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew are featured in a Vitagraph comedy, "Following the Scout."

Deeply infatuated with the Widow Styvesant, a society matron, Mr. Astorbilt, a millionaire, neglects his charming young wife, who cares nothing for society's artificialities. Count Hasno-Colsky, a Russian nobleman, almost comes to blows with Astorbilt over the woman. An account of the affair, greatly exaggerated, appears in the morning paper. Deeply hurt, Mrs. Astorbilt now goes into society herself, and by reason of her charming personality, becomes the center of attraction. Astorbilt finds he has quite a bump of jealousy and tries to get back into his wife's good graces, but she has determined on a plan to teach him a good lesson. After letting him smell her latest perfume, "Breeces of the Orient" for which she has purchased exclusive rights to use, she tells him when he finds the one who uses that perfume by her leave he will know the only man she loves. Wild with jealousy Astorbilt makes himself ridiculous among his friends and acquaintances in his wild goose chase after the evasive agent. He fails, however, to find the guilty man. The idea becomes almost an obsession with him until he has a stic encounter with Percy Vanderpool, then his wife decides that he has been punished enough, so she plays the trump card. When Astorbilt returns home, and goes towards a closed door, she frantically stops him. Of course, that strengthens his desire to see what is in there, particularly when he smells that wonderful scent of the Orient he has so long sought. Yanking open the closet door, prepared to pounce on the despoiler of his home, there stands his little son with the perfume bottle, laughing as hard as he can laugh.

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There was a tragedy in the flats on Thursday night—almost. All the elements of tragedy were present, except the corpse, which showed up alive and well. The husband of one of the inmates of the flats visited her last night and went to sleep in the rear of a room in the house. Later when the woman went back there, she found blood on the bed, and the window screen torn out. She immediately decided that her

husband had been murdered and notified the officers. They responded and soon located friend husband, quite alive.

No explanation of the affair was forthcoming and the husband was locked up. No charge was filed against him, but he is being held pending an investigation. Officers have been at work on the case today in an effort to clear up some features of it which have not been explained.

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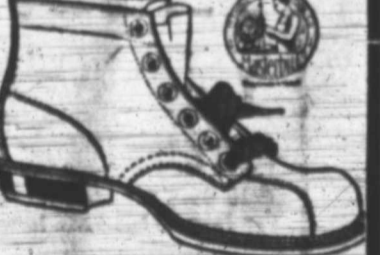
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FAILURE OF WATER COMPANY TO SUPPLY METERS ADDS TO COST INSURANCE

HAULING AWAY RIVER BANK

Council Orders Ordinance Drawn To Stop Removal of Dirt From Bank of River

Architect Field reported to the city council last night that the joint city and county hospital would be ready for occupancy not later than October 1st. He made this report in connection with a request for instructions concerning the sidewalks to be laid on the grounds. City Engineer Hinckley was instructed to prepare an estimate of the sidewalks that might be laid together with an estimate of their cost to be presented to the council for confirmation.

J. C. Ward, president of the fire department, urged the purchase of a motor hook and ladder wagon. He said the investment would almost save the insurance payers the cost of the apparatus in a single year through the reduction in the key rate that would result. He was told that the council was already considering the matter.

Lack of Meters Costly. Mr. Ward also called the attention of the council to the one cent charge in the insurance key rate for not having seventy-five per cent of the water connections on meters. He said he had learned from the water company that it had 2656 water users on its books of whom 1708 had meters. This number being less than 75 per cent. An addition of 300 meters would make the 75 per cent, he said, and would result in a reduction in the key rate. Many of those not having meters lived outside the city limits, he said, and the water company did not feel inclined to supply them with meters because they were light users of water, and the cost of installing the meters would be considerable. Mr. Ward estimated that the failure to supply meters had cost the insurance payers of Wichita Falls more than \$9,000 in the last few years. He cited the fact that the city was paying out \$2850 to the water company annually for fire plugs and was ordering new fire plugs installed whenever it had the money to pay for them and believed the water company ought to install the meters to save the insurance payers the extra tax.

No action was taken on this matter but several fire hydrants were reported located in such a position

DIGGER GOT TWO OF THREE FALLS

BEN PARRISH, CLAY COUNTY SCHOOL TEACHER LOSSES IN WRESTLING MATCH

WAS A CLEVER EXHIBITION

Crowd So Small That Other Matches that Had Been Planned Are Called Off

Danny Digger of Chicago defeated Ben Parrish of Texas in two out of three wrestling falls at the Moose hall Thursday night. The match was staged before a crowd that was so small that it was announced the other matches which it had planned to hold here would not be held in this city. Both wrestlers showed considerable cleverness and the match was a very pretty exhibition of the wrestling game. Parrish appeared to be the heavier of the two, but the Chicagoan who was a welter weight champion before he got too heavy, proved able to discount the disparity in weight. He won the first fall in thirteen minutes and 20 seconds, with a head scissor and bar arm. The second was won by Parrish, with a head scissor, in seven minutes and 40 seconds. Digger won the third, with an arm chancery in ten minutes and 50 seconds.

MEETING TO ORGANIZE ROTARY CLUB TODAY

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500 PATIENTS ADMITTED TO SOUTHWESTERN ASYLUM

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 24.—Approximately 500 new patients have been admitted to the Southwestern insane asylum, according to George Leavy, state purchasing agent, who has just ended a visit to the institute here. Those patients have been placed in the new ward recently completed and there is room for 200 more but the furnishing and equipment have not been installed, consequently it may be a week or more before they may be admitted.

W. F. N. W. SECTION FOREMAN MAN SUFFERS BAD INJURY

(Grandfield Enterprise) George Perdue, section foreman at this place for the Wichita Falls and Northwestern railroad, had the misfortune Monday of being badly crushed and one leg broken when a heavy safe fell on him, which he was helping unload at the depot. He is reported as getting along well.

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The curb along and adjacent to proposed sidewalk to be raised to grade; sidewalk to be concrete with sand foundation; 30 feet wide and 4 feet wide, and to be constructed so that it will be a continuation of the sidewalks in front of lots Nos. 1 and 3 of said block No. 142.

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Personals

E. W. Grogan of Byers spent the day here. F. L. Morris of Walnut Springs, Texas, is in the city looking over the situation with a view of locating. Mr. Morris is a lawyer and abstractor. District Judge Akis returned this afternoon to Graham, where district court is in session. Judges J. T. Montgomery and A. H. Carrigan left this afternoon for Vernon, where argument will be heard in the case of Collett vs. H. & T. C. R. et al. Henry N. Pope of Fort Worth, president of the Farmers' Union of Texas, left for home today after attending the district convention here. Mrs. R. C. Miller returned this afternoon from Fort Worth. Sid Webb of Bellevue was in the city today. Judge W. E. Fitzgerald left this afternoon for Quanah on business. Mrs. R. B. Statton returned this afternoon from a trip to Fort Worth. Mrs. Frank Griffin returned this afternoon from Fort Worth, where she has been visiting relatives. Contractor J. Dyar left this afternoon for Quanah, where he is one of the bidders on a new church to be erected. Joe H. Jones went to Fort Worth this afternoon on business. Superintendent H. A. Gausewitz of the Denver, is in the city today. Mrs. T. J. Waggoner returned this afternoon from a visit to Dallas. Attorney J. H. Barwise Jr. came up from Fort Worth this afternoon. He reports a heavy rainfall all the way between Fort Worth and Wichita. A. A. Gillson, travelling passenger agent for the Fort Worth & Denver was here today en route to Fort Worth after spending several days at Wichita Valley points. Rev. Morris, presiding elder of the Bowle district, was here today en route to Byers and Petrolia at which places he will hold quarterly conferences. R. A. Martin was here from Vernon today. S. T. Thompson and T. E. Whaley of Bowle, are here today. S. German and W. E. Herndon of Seymour, were among the visitors here today.

GRANDFIELD BOY KICKED IN STOMACH BY A MULE (Grandfield Enterprise) On Sunday afternoon while playing in the horse lot, Robert Potts, ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Potts, was kicked by a vicious mule and it was thought for a day or two the accident would prove fatal. The boy received the blow in the pit of the stomach, which caused vomiting and spitting of blood for about 30 hours. A specialist from Lawton was called in consultation with Dr. Rosenberger of this city. The little boy is getting along first rate now and is practically out of danger.

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BALKAN STATES ON BRINK OF WAR

BULGARIA ABOUT TO ENTER WAR ON SIDE OF CENTRAL POWERS

BELIEVED AT SOFIA THAT HOSTILITIES NOW IMMINENT

Government Has Taken Over Railroads And Ordinary Traffic Suspended--Troops Mobilizing

By Associated Press:
Sofia, Bulgaria, September 22.—Bulgaria apparently is on the brink of war. The people generally believe that hostilities are imminent, the military authorities have taken possession of the railways and ordinary traffic has been suspended. Diplomatic representatives here of the entente allies generally recognize that their cause is a lost one and that Bulgaria is manifesting clearly a tendency towards the Central powers. This is due to the dissatisfaction of the government at Serbia's reply in the negotiations for territorial concessions in Macedonia and at the conduct of Greece in this connection.

None of the representatives here of the entente allies cherishes longer the hope that Bulgaria can be prevented from joining with Germany, Austria and Turkey. In government circles the statement was made today that all the military measures which have been taken are of a preventive nature, designed solely to guard against circumstances which might threaten Bulgaria's position in the present situation, which is developing with extraordinary rapidity. These measures consist in turning over the railroads to the military authorities and suspending ordinary traffic.

Reports from many parts of Bulgaria tell of many demonstrations for the government. This is considered symptomatic of public feeling which does not ignore the fact that the country is near to war.

The formal cession by Turkey of the territory along the Deadhatch railroad has been delayed by the actions of the entente powers in notifying Bulgaria that acceptance of this territory would be regarded as an unfriendly act which would invite counter measures.

TRIAL OF OSCAR WELLS IS SET FOR TOMORROW

Negro Who Fatally Wounded Two Others in Barber Shop to Be Tried for Life.

The trial of Oscar Wells, charged with murder in connection with the death of two other negroes, is set for tomorrow morning in the 75th district court. A special venire of seventy-five men has been summoned for the trial. Wells is alleged to have entered a barbershop in the negro quarters of the city and started shooting, wounding the two men who died later. He has been in jail since the shooting. Wells has retained P. B. Cox to represent him.

B. OF R. 7. WILL STAGE WRESTLING MATCH HERE

Ben Parrish Will Go on Mat With Danny Digger of Chicago Next Thursday Night.

A wrestling match will be staged tomorrow night at the Moose hall under the auspices of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, with Ben Parrish of this city and Danny Digger of Chicago as the contestants. The match will start at 8:30. The two wrestlers are said to be very evenly matched and an interesting exhibition is expected. This is the first wrestling bout here in some time, and it is hoped to revive interest in the mat contests. There will be some interesting preliminaries before the main bout.

TRAINING CAMP WILL BE OPENED AT FORT BLISS

Artillery Corps Will Be Organized and Recruits Trained to Handle Artillery.

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 22.—Preliminary arrangements for the establishment of a citizens' training camp at Fort Bliss were announced today. The camp is to be opened at Fort Bliss and is to be the place of the 1916 session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows now in convention here. A complete new code of laws was adopted by the grand lodge last night.

RUSSIAN LOSSES IN MEN AND GUNS WILL BE HEAVY

WHILE MAIN BODY TROOPS HAS PROBABLY ESCAPED IT HAS DONE SO WITHOUT ENORMOUS LOSSES

RISKED MUCH FOR VIENNA

Russians regarded position as possessing great strategic value—German Encircling Movement Held up—Mackensen Halted at Priepet

By Associated Press.—London, Sept. 22.—Special dispatches from Petrograd agree that the Russians have withdrawn safely from the Vilna salient, the strategic value of which was considered so great that the Russian staff felt justified in risking some of the best troops to defend it to the last possible moment. In their withdrawal the Russians are said to have destroyed everything of military utility, which has been their tactics since the gigantic retreat began.

NO GERMAN SUBMARINE RESPONSIBLE

By Associated Press.—Amsterdam, Sept. 22.—A semi-official statement issued in Berlin today says: "After inquiry the German admiralty contradicts the statement of the British admiralty and it can now be stated that no German submarine was responsible for the attack on the *Hesperian*."

TEXAN HIRED BY CHINA TO TEACH COTTON GROWING

College Station Expert Enters into a Three Year Contract With Chinese Government.

By Associated Press.—Washington, Sept. 22.—The Chinese government through the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce has employed an American cotton growing expert to encourage the growing of the staple in China, the bureau announced today. H. Johnson, assistant agronomist of the Texas agriculture experiment station at College Station, Texas, has entered into a three year contract with the Chinese government.

VILLA MOVES TROOPS FOR AN ATTACK

By Associated Press.—Washington, Sept. 22.—Advices to the state department today confirm reports that General Villa is moving all available forces in northern Mexico into the state of Sonora with the evident purpose of attacking the Carranza troops there. Reports say that more than a dozen Villa troops have reached the outskirts of Juarez and proceeded to Sonora.

BERNSTORFF LETTER FOUND ON ARCHBALD

GERMAN AMBASSADOR CHARGED U. S. WITH UNFAIRNESS IN PROTEST LETTER.

ARCHBALD IS COMMENDED

Appears That Supposed Newspaper Man Was Engaged in Pro-German Propaganda.

London, Sept. 22.—Of the thirty-four Austrian and German papers found in the possession of James F. J. Archbald, the American newspaper correspondent, when he was apprehended Aug. 30 at Falmouth while proceeding from New York on board the steamer Rotterdam for Rotterdam, seventeen are described as having been made public and the other seventeen as being "insufficient to warrant publication."

Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador to the United States, in one letter says that Mr. Archbald "is proceeding to Germany to collect material for lectures in the United States in the interest of the German cause."

In a letter addressed to Mr. Archbald, Count von Bernstorff says: "I have heard with pleasure that you wish once more to return to Germany and Austria after having promoted our interests out here in such a zealous and successful manner."

WILSON MAY CALL SENATE IN SESSION

By Associated Press.—Washington, Sept. 22.—The advisability of calling a special session of the Senate within the next month is being seriously considered by President Wilson. It was said today at the White House. If the session is called it will be primarily to give the Senate an opportunity to revise its rules in order to curtail debate. The president, it was said, would reach a decision in the matter within a week or ten days.

CHATTANOOGA GETS THE SOVEREIGN LODGE I. O. O. F.

By Associated Press.—San Francisco, Sept. 22.—Chattanooga, Tennessee, was announced today as victorious over Oklahoma City as the place of the 1916 session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows now in convention here. A complete new code of laws was adopted by the grand lodge last night.

STREET DROPS IN SUBWAY 6 KILLED, OVER 100 HURT

DYNAMITE BLAST CAUSED ACCIDENT

STREET CAR, PASSENGERS, PEDESTRIANS AND VEHICLES PRECIPITATED

MANY ARE BADLY CRUSHED

Gas and Water Pour Into Hole From Broken Mains Adding to Danger—Rescue Work Prompt

By Associated Press.—New York, Sept. 22.—Six persons were killed and between eighty-five and one hundred others injured today when a dynamite blast in a partly constructed section of the Seventh Avenue subway caused an entire block of pavement and a portion of the sidewalk to collapse, engulfing a street car, several vehicles and numerous pedestrians.

The accident occurred shortly before eight o'clock and more than half of the injured were women and girls on their way to work.

STREET CAR DROPPED INTO HOLE.

There were seventy-eight passengers on the car which dropped fifteen feet into the subway excavation when the entire block on Seventh Avenue between 24th and 25th streets collapsed. Although the car remained upright it was buried in under an avalanche of concrete, timber, rails and earth and many of the passengers were severely crushed.

Persons who were in a large office building close to where the car went down said there was a great roar as the pavement and portions of the sidewalk sank. This was followed a moment later by the cries of the passengers and of pedestrians who were either thrown into the excavation or dropped down. Men and women smashed the car windows with their hands in an effort to escape while pedestrians who had been thrown into the hole struggled to avoid the falling debris and regain the street level.

RESCUE WORK PROMPT.

Police reserves were called out, two fire alarms were turned in and fifty ambulances with thirty surgeons were rushed to the scene. The hospital corps of a large cloak and suit house directly opposite the cave in turned out. The cave in broke water and gas mains and the water threatened the lives of the one hundred or more persons in the excavation.

**100 DUTCH STEAMER HITS
MINE AND GOES DOWN**

By Associated Press.—Amsterdam, Sept. 22.—The Dutch steamer, Koninkgen Emma, a 9000 ton vessel from Batavia, Java struck a mine while on her way to this port. Her passengers and crew were rescued.

POWER LINES MAY BE READY OCTOBER FIRST

Poles Have Been Set to Burkburnett and Electra and Wires Are Being Strung

The electric power lines to Electra and Burkburnett will be completed by October 1, according to the construction company in charge of the work, poles having been set for the entire distance and considerable headway made on placing the wires on the Burkburnett part of the line. It is expected that within another month everything will be in readiness for supplying current to Burkburnett and Electra patrons.

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MYRON T. HERRICK DISCUSSES SUBJECT OF RURAL CREDIT AT SAN FRANCISCO.

STATE AID UNDESIRABLE

Associations for Farmers Along the Lines of Building and Loan Organizations Urged.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—This was Rural Credits Day at the exposition with one of its features an address by Myron T. Herrick of Cleveland, formerly Ambassador to France, in which he discussed in detail many phases of the rural credit movement.

The grand purpose of the rural credit movement, said Mr. Herrick, had been overlooked by those who expected of it only lower interest rates. Cheaper money, he declared, is not its only aim; it rises higher than that and proposes to enable home seekers to accomplish their wish, land owners to secure adequate funds to develop their holdings, and farmers to mobilize their resources so that American agriculture may become modernized and properly financed and keep pace with progress in every other industry.

Reviewing the five years that the movement has been in course, Mr. Herrick declared that legislation in various states looking to the formation of credit unions and land credit institutions had little merit. State aid, he believed, to be undesirable in the United States if private enterprise could be efficiently regulated, and rural co-operation intelligently practiced. Among other things he said:

Danger in Half-Truth.
"The cause of much of the misunderstanding about co-operative banking and credit is the mistaken notion that co-operation is an altruistic or benevolent means of helping the down-and-out class of persons who are individually weak and incompetent. This half-truth is alive with dangers. Co-operation can never help anybody except him who is able and willing to help himself—and his neighbor also. True co-operation is the quickest way to success for the humble as well as for the high, but its liberal interpretation is to be placed in Heidelberg. The games that men will work harder, frayer, and better together than when standing alone; it requires a spirit and an ability to both give and receive; and it can reach its fullest development only among persons who are capable and honest and who will be no-such persons who ask in favor, who spurn charity and state

aid, and rely solely upon their own talents, toll and resources.

"There is more co-operation in the United States than in any other country, and it is used here even for the largest undertakings. The gathering and distribution of news by The Associated Press is the most striking example in the world of co-operation conducted on a grand scale without lucrative object. The life insurance companies, with their millions of policy holders and billions of dollars of assets, and the mutual savings banks and building and loan associations with their stupendous totals of deposits, savings and reserves put most of their funds of organized thrift under co-operative management, while trade unionism (the oldest kind of co-operation) permeates the laboring classes. These are city-centered, but do not constitute all the co-operative activities. Co-operation appears in innumerable varied and innumerable enterprises. The protection of the levees from breaks is in some of the states bordering the Mississippi river a co-operative work. Farmer's organizations for safeguarding mutual interests are numerous, while rural co-operation for business has already made substantial progress, but chief for marketing fruits and the manufacture and disposal of milk products.

Modify Anti-Trust Laws.
"If American farmers should seek to the full realization of its possibilities, they would soon be using co-operation in all their industrial, commercial and financial affairs, relating to agriculture. With the splendid examples in the city before them, it is strange that they have lagged so long. Co-operation may, of course be practiced through a corporation or in a partnership, but the association is its best breeding ground and nursery in the United States, however the purposes and ordinary banking have been content with the corporation and partnership. The progressists should broaden their views and strive to make lawful for associations whatever may now be done through these other two forms of organization. Furthermore, if they wish to see rural co-operation reach its highest development they should advocate such a modification of the anti-trust laws as would permit co-operative associations to combine."

WILL ERECT WILHELM II'S STATUE AT HEIDELBERG

Heidelberg, Sept. 21.—The latest statue of Kaiser Wilhelm II, the plans for which are already complete is to be placed in Heidelberg. The architect is Hans Pries, the well-known Heidelberg sculptor. The statue will be erected near the new "altstadt" station. The memorial is an equestrian statue, showing the Kaiser in battle dress, his right hand grasping a field marshal's baton and his left the reins.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE BLIND SCHOOL LOCATION

Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Sept. 21.—It was announced today in the executive department that the board created by the last legislature to select a site for the location of the state blind institute will meet tomorrow when the board will give full consideration to the proposition. The board is composed of Gov. Ferguson, Lieut. Gov. Hobby and Attorney General Looney.

The Chamber of Commerce has invited the committee to come to Wichita Falls at its expense to look over prospective sites here. It is believed Wichita Falls would have a fair show to get the institution if the committee would come here.

PLANS NEARLY COMPLETE FOR ANGLO-FRENCH LOAN

Associated Press. New York, Sept. 21.—Negotiations for the floating of a credit loan to Great Britain and France of from six to eight hundred million dollars are rapidly nearing conclusion, it was reported today. Announcement that a definite agreement had been reached was expected by the American financiers within a few days possibly at the close of the week. There are several minor matters to be yet decided upon. One of the chief of these was said to be the exact amount of the loan which may not be agreed upon until the last minute.

The Anglo-French finance commission continued today its negotiations with American bankers over details of the proposed loan including the government privilege in the five or ten year bonds to be issued by Great Britain and France for the loan by which the short term bonds might be turned into four and one-half per cent bonds of a longer term was reported under discussion.

The life of the long term bonds, it was said, was yet to be agreed upon. It is understood positively, however, that they would not run for fifty years as suggested. It was thought that twenty years possibly twenty-five would be the period.

The commission were guests today at a luncheon given by A. Barton Hepburn, chairman of the Chase National Bank of the Bankers Club. A report that there had been a hitch in the negotiations was authoritatively denied by bankers in touch with the negotiations.

W. W. SILK MAKES LOCATION ON THE GOETZ TRACT

Well Will be Drilled About 2,000 Feet North of Mertens No. 4, West of Burkburnett.

From Tuesday's Daily. Location has been made for a new well in the district west of Burkburnett on the Goetz tract, where W. W. Silk and associates are now rigging up, preparatory to drilling. Mr. Silk has a lease on 125 acres of the Goetz farm, adjoining the Mertens tract, on the west. The well will be drilled about 2,000 feet north and west of Mertens No. 4, which had an initial production of 700 barrels.

FROST MONDAY NIGHT IN KANSAS AND NEBRASKA

Light Frost Prevails Over Large Portions of Two States, but Damage to Corn is Light.

Associated Press. Omaha, Neb., Sept. 21.—There was a light frost here and over all parts of northern Nebraska last night. It is not believed to have damaged corn.

LIGHT FROST IN NORTHERN AND WESTERN KANSAS

Associated Press. Topeka, Kan., Sept. 21.—Light frost prevailed in north and west Kansas last night, according to the U. S. weather observer here. No damage has been done it is thought.

OGDEN WILL LITIGATION IS PRACTICALLY ENDED

Associated Press. Houston, Tex., Sept. 21.—Litigation over the two million dollar estate of Francis A. Ogden, who died in Houston, June 6, 1914, was practically ended by the Harris county court today when a purported will filed by Miss Maud Holt of Mebane, N. C., was held invalid since the claimant did not appear and after her counsel had resigned from the case. The Leave Harper will claim all the estate will be disposed of Wednesday, counsel for the claimant intimates. Counsel for Mrs. M. J. Sellers, heir of Leo Harper, announces that investigation shows his will to have been executed by another Ogden, a horse trader and teamster in the hills of North Carolina when the original Ogden was in Wisconsin.

MANY VISITING MASONS HEAR SAM P. COCHRAN

Past Grand Master Texas Grand Lodge Masons Delivers Interesting Address Before Local Lodge

From Tuesday's Daily. Visiting Masons from Burkburnett, Electric, Iowa Park, Archer City, Henrietta and Petrolia joined with Wichita Falls Masons in extending a warm welcome to Hon. Sam P. Cochran of Dallas, past grand master of the Texas Grand Lodge of Masons, who was an especial guest of the local lodge last night. The lodge hall was crowded. After work in the third degree a high interesting address was made by Mr. Cochran. Earlier in the evening Mr. Cochran was the guest of members of the Consistory at an informal luncheon at Lake Wichita. While here Mr. Cochran received a number of applications for membership in the Consistory.

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London, September 21.—Now that 10 shilling notes have come into circulation and the people are reconciled to their use, it seems likely that the half sovereign gold piece of this value may not be coined again. At least, there is a popular agitation against the small gold piece. According to a well known banker, if a thousand pounds in half sovereigns were shipped from London to Petrograd, gold equal to one of the pieces would be lost by abrasion on the way. Thus a large amount of gold is lost daily through the wear and tear on these coins. Before the war, the five pound Bank of England note was the smallest piece of paper money issued. Pound and half-pound (10 shilling) notes were issued on the outbreak of war, and since the decline in American exchange, gold has disappeared, almost entirely from circulation. It is not paid out by the banks in any case. The small gold piece, which loses

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