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## QUARTER OF MILLION SHOPMEN ARE IDLE Government Ownership of the Railroads is Proposed

### SOLUTION OF RAILROAD PROBLEM SUGGESTED IN BILL PROPOSED IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Organized labor's plan for peace-time operation of the railroads—complete government ownership, was introduced in congress today, with the promise that its adoption will bring lower rates and reduce the cost of living in general.

The plan was submitted in a bill introduced in the House by Representative Simms, Tennessee, rating Democrat on the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, and has the approval of all the railroad brotherhoods and the American Federation of Labor.

The bill provides:

- 1—Purchase by the government of all the railroad systems on valuations determined finally by the courts.
- 2—Operation by a directorate of 15, five to be chosen by the President to represent the public, five to be elected by the operating officials and five by the classified employees.
- 3—Equal division of surplus, after paying fixed charges and operating costs, between the public and the employees.
- 4—Automatic reduction of rates when the employees share of the surplus is more than five per cent of the gross operating revenue.
- 5—Regional operation of the lines as a unified system.
- 6—Building of new lines at expense of the communities benefited, in proportion to the benefit.
- 7—Payment for the roads made through the government bonds bearing four per cent interest.
- 8—The plan will be considered by the House committee next week with various other proposals made.

"I believe the plan of organized labor," said Simms today, "would establish harmony between the public interest and the interests of the wage earners and capital. It would protect the public against exploitation for the benefit of either capital or labor."

"It would assure the public reduction in rates equivalent to any increase in earning power which the employees might create for themselves by the efficiency of the organization or the skill in management. This would be the first step in solving the high cost of living, as the cost of transportation enters into the price of every commodity."

"Protection against increased rates, assurance of reduced rates would insure industry with confidence, would increase the purchasing power of the dollar and would break the vicious cycle which now exists whereby every increase in wages is reflected in an increase in the cost of production."

By RALPH F. COUCH  
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Hopes of three of the four big railroad unions today condemned placing in the hands of congress the demands of their members for immediate wage increases proportionate to increased living costs.

The union heads were W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen; L. E. Sheppard, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Conductors and Timothy Shea, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers.

Organized railway workers will refuse to be controlled, the officials said, if they become convinced their demands must be met upon by a commission which must first be created by special legislation in congress.

No Money for Increase.

That the railroad administration has no money to grant immediate increases was made clear by President Wilson in letters to House and Senate committee in which he proposed creation of the commission to survey the wages of all rail workers and decide on increases which will be mandatory upon the interstate commerce commission for increased freight and passenger rates.

"Putting the demands up to congress would mean a delay of six months and perhaps a year," said Sheppard, who has asked an average 35 per cent increase for 62,000 conductors. "This would be unsatisfactory in delay. They're immune to it now. I would not recommend such a solution to them."

"I have every confidence in President Wilson and Director Hines," said Wilson in letters to House and Senate committee in which he proposed creation of the commission to survey the wages of all rail workers and decide on increases which will be mandatory upon the interstate commerce commission for increased freight and passenger rates.

"I don't know whether this is the President's answer to our statement to him that the cost of living must be lowered or we will be forced to demand wage increases. If it is intended as the answer I can see nothing in it that means a reduction in living costs."

"If the government would act to suppress the profiteers so that living costs will leave our men enough to live on decently, we would not press our wage demands," said Lee.

Near a Break.

Lee declared the wage situation is now near a break, which may cause within a few weeks, a strike of all organized railworkers. There are nearly one million organized workers.

If the rest of the 450,000 railway shop workers follow the lead of some of their men who walked out yesterday, all other rail unions may be forced into immediate action, Lee declared.

Heads of the shop workers today were declaring what action they will take on the special wage commission plan submitted to them yesterday by Railroad Director Hines.

Orders Are Discarded.

President Bert M. Jewell of the railway department of American Federation of Labor, today declared officials can hold the shop workers from an unauthorized strike despite the fact several thousand walked out yesterday, disobeying orders.

The shop workers' organization is the only one of the big rail unions to which Hines has submitted the President's special wage commission plan.

"We will wait until October 1 for an answer," said Lee. "If a favorable answer is not received by that time, or if no answer is received, the matter will be placed by the men in the hands of their representatives. They will decide what must be done to gain the increases we must have."

### LEGISLATIVE GUNS TRAINED ON THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—In the face of growing unrest over the high cost of living as indicated by the spreading strike of railroad workers, many government agencies moved today in efforts to effect a return to normal price levels.

Immediate sale of all surplus foodstuffs purchased for the army instead of only canned goods, was ordered by the war department. Millions of pounds of meat, beans, pumpkin, squash and other commodities will be offered to the public Monday, August 18, through the parcel post system at prices materially lower than those now prevailing in the market.

Pay Postage Charges.

Buyers will have to pay postage charges from the place of storage. Director General Hines, Commissioner Colver and Assistant Secretary Leffingwell, appointed by the conference assembled by Attorney General Palmer to recommend steps to reduce living costs, were engaged today in an exchange of memoranda.

The impression went out that the committee had agreed that steps should be taken by the government which would alleviate the situation at once, but it was said at Mr. Hines office that nothing final had been decided upon. The committee was instructed particularly to deal with profiteering and to suggest how law enforcement agencies should proceed to bring to justice men guilty of extortion through unreasonable prices, made to congress. It is believed most likely that it will deal with sale of the wheat crop at market prices and the absorption by the government between the price and the \$2.25 guaranteed to the farmer. Many officials have indicated that this is most practicable step to be taken.

Disunion in Congress.

Congress continued to discuss the living question and at the White House President Wilson was said to be receiving full reports on all phases of the situation. A resolution asking the banking committee whether reduction of the currency inflation would help the situation. In the House an attempt to repeal the Federal Reserve Act was blocked by Representative Igoe, democrat, of Missouri, because his resolution to have the federal trade commission investigate the price of shoes was not accepted.

Demands of railway employees for more wages drew fire from Representative Blanton, democrat, Texas, who said the railroad men were acting like "big game hunters" in attempting to obtain "another unfair billion dollar" raise. Introduction in the House of a government ownership railroad bill will give the employees participating in the control and profits of the railroad, brought a statement by leaders of the four brotherhoods, who declared that any basic change, to be made must commence with the railroads, the backbone of the industry on which all others are dependent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Sales of surplus army food to the consumers through the parcel post will begin August 18, the war department division of sales announced.

Prices at which army surplus canned vegetables and meat will be offered to municipalities were announced today by the war department.

These prices, sales officials said, will form the basis for the price that is to be charged consumers when the surplus army food is sold through the parcel post as authorized in a House resolution.

The parcel post prices can not be determined definitely until postoffice and war department officials settle their differences over how much postage is to be charged for the food sold in this way.

Number one cans contain slightly less than a pound. Number two cans contain twice as much as number one. Prices per dozen cans of vegetables are:

Baked beans: No. 1 cans, 89c; No. 2 cans, 82c; No. 3 cans, 72c.

String beans: No. 1 cans, \$1.34; No. 2 cans, \$1.10; No. 3 cans, \$1.00.

Corn: No. 2 cans, \$1.44.

Peas: No. 2 cans, \$1.26.

Squash: No. 2 cans, \$1.25; No. 3 cans, \$1.50; No. 3 cans, \$1.80.

Pumpkin: No. 2 cans, 74c; No. 3 cans, \$1.13; No. 10 cans, \$2.55.

Meat prices are per dozen cans:

Roast beef: No. 1 cans, \$3.48; 1 lb. cans, \$4.32; 2 lb. cans, \$7.92; 6 lb. cans, \$26.40.

Corned beef: No. 1 can, \$3.50; No. 2 cans, \$6.96; 6 lb. cans, \$24.00.

Corned beef hash: 1 lb. cans, \$2.76; 2 lb. cans, \$4.80.

These prices are on board cars at storage points. Where overhead expenses are incurred in distributing food, or appointing a supervisor, the government prices in order to cover the cost of the food.

The war department is determining prices of other commodities. These will be announced early next week.

Because charter restrictions prevented some cities from buying food after the original war department plan, the department has made it possible for such cities to become practically government agents.

If a mayor or head of a local government will act as the government agent and supervise distribution of food, or appoint a supervisor, the government will ship food upon consignment in not less than one case or one carton lot. The goods must be paid for or returned within 30 days.

Food may be distributed to civic bodies, groups of citizens or individuals who present credentials certifying they are authorized to distribute food under supervision of the local government.

In addition to cities, municipal, state and county institutions may buy the food. Purchases by such institutions will be on a ten day extension of credit.

The war department's decision to sell the food in case or carton lots, it is believed will make the food more for such cities as municipalities. Formerly the minimum quantity was a carload lot of 30,000 pounds.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Differences between the war and postoffice departments threaten to hold up the sale of army surplus food, according to information gathered today.

Although they refused to be quoted, war department officials today claimed the postoffice wants to charge regular postage rates for handling the food and that this would make the prices nearly as high as ordinary retail prices.

It is claimed that the war department has in many cases the food is hauled by rail to local postoffices and distributed by local carriers from there.

Under the system by which the postoffice department planned to handle the food shipments by mail train would not play a part and only local carriers and postmasters would participate in the distribution.

It was stated at the office of Assistant Postmaster General Blake, who is in charge of the postoffice's work of food distribution that special postage rates could not be granted for the food, as it is forbidden by law.

Postoffice officials said they were in conference with war department officials but they could not predict when food sales would begin.

WANT PACKERS TO  
RELEASE FOODSTUFF

By RAYMOND CLAPPER  
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Demands that the packers immediately release millions of pounds of foodstuffs to bring down the high cost of living were made today by the National Consumers League through Miss Jessie R. Hart, legislative agent.

These stocks have been officially declared the largest in years.

The Farmers National Council, representing 75,000 farmers, through its director, George P. Hampton, declared that the Kenyon bill to regulate the packers should be passed immediately.

The packers claim they did a patriotic service in supplying the government with meat during the war," said Miss Haver, "but if they wish to show true patriotism they will turn over their high stores of meat they are holding."

"Control of the meat packing industry," said Hampton, "through the Kenyon bill, will help the consumers as may be found necessary at the hearings, is a very important measure for the reduction of the high cost of living and will help the consumers as well as producers."

The farmers, he declared, would save millions a year alone through the adoption of the bill.

### REPORT STRIKE IS SPREADING WITH NO INDICATION THAT AN EARLY SETTLEMENT IS POSSIBLE

CHICAGO, ILL., August 2.—More than 250,000 railway shop men of the country were idle today as a result of the strike called yesterday by the Federated Railway Shop Men's Union, leaders of the organization said tonight, with the strike spreading and no indication of an immediate settlement in sight.

The men are out to remain on strike until their demands for 85 cents an hour for machinists, and sixty cents for helpers are granted, John B. Saunders, secretary, said.

Regardless of what the international unions may be doing at Washington, the men have determined not to recede from their demands with back pay to January 1, according to Saunders.

No men will be removed from the wrecking crews, Mr. Saunders said, and no violence will be tolerated. Plans for a huge mass meeting of thousands of strikers at a baseball grounds at Seventh and La Salle streets on Monday, August 11, at 10 o'clock to morrow morning were completed tonight.

In the meantime, union committees are touring the railway systems to see that the strike orders are carried out, while hundreds of telegrams are being sent out. By Monday, Mr. Saunders are being sent out. By Monday, Mr. Saunders said, every railroad in the country will be affected.

Results Claimed.

Secretary Saunders said his advisers showed the following results:

Southeastern lines, 36,000 men out.

Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, all out at Chicago.

Chicago, Burlington and Quincy—all out at Chicago, all points wired.

Chicago Junction railway—all out.

Wabash—all out at Danbury, Ill.

Chicago and Eastern Illinois—Dokton and Danville, 600.

Rock Island—all out at 47th street, Chicago.

Chicago and Northwestern—Chicago, 3,000; Boone, Iowa, 550.

South Pekin, Illinois, 150; Cedar Grove, Iowa, 150; DeWoods, S. D., all out.

Amtrak, Wisconsin, all out.

Chicago and Alton—3,000.

Chesapeake and Ohio—all out at Huntington.

Ann Arbor, 6,000.

Nickel Plate, Chicago—all out.

Altoona, 30,000.

Pennsylvania Lines, Chicago and Norfolk and Western, 10,000.

Northwestern, Chicago, 7,000.

Wheeling and Lake Erie, 3,000.

Great Northern, Superior Wisconsin—all out.

New York Central, Chicago—all out except car repair men.

### SCOTT FERRIS MAY OPPOSE GORE FOR A PLACE IN SENATE

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA., Aug. 2.—Representative Scott Ferris, here today for a brief visit before returning to Washington, declared for strict law enforcement against profiteers and for swift action toward reducing the cost of living.

"The cost of living is the biggest question before the country," he asserted. "Something has to be done at once. There are about as many plans before congress as there are congressmen, but out of them some relief should come. My own plan is still immature."

He indicated he would announce within a few days whether he would oppose Senator Gore for reelection.

Ferris had planned to spend the 3-week proposed House recess in a trip to Alaska but will return to Washington after a two days visit with his wife at Lawton.

### BLANTON CLASSES RAILWAY EMPLOYES WITH HIGHWAYMEN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Representative Blanton, democrat, of Texas, charged in the House today that the railroad brotherhoods were "holding up congress, much the same as highwaymen, for another unfair billion dollar wage increase."

Representative Blanton said this was the fourth time the railroad men had asked increases and that congress must continue in session until the increases are granted.

"The first threat," Mr. Blanton said, "resulted in the Adams law becoming effective. Then the four great brotherhoods forced Mr. McAdoo to grant an increase of \$754,811,000. Not satisfied with this, Director General Hines has held up for another annual increase of \$67,500,000 and now we must legislate so that they will get another billion dollars."

"They come like highwaymen and threaten to destroy the railroad activities of this country after October 1 unless their demands are met."

### CONGRESSMAN PARRISH COMES TO RESCUE OF ALVORD MELON GROWERS

Special to The Times.  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Shippers of watermelons at Alvord, Texas, will be given railroad equipment to carry their products to markets as a result of the work of Representative Parrish, West Gulf States, today. A concentration today that 20 cars were needed for movement of the accumulated melons.

### WANTS AN INCREASE FOR GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Representative Fitzgerald, democrat, of Massachusetts, called at the White House today to advocate increased wages for all government employees.

"In view of the President's standing order for a 10 per cent increase in wages for railroad employees," said Mr. Fitzgerald, "something should be done for all classes of government employees, all of whom are notoriously underpaid."

### NEW GERMAN FLAG FLOATS FIRST TIME OVER THE ASSEMBLY

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—The black, red and gold flag of the new German republic floated for the first time over the national assembly at Weimar today, the fifth anniversary of Germany's first republic.

The constitution of the new regime, adopted yesterday provides the basis of a genuine democracy with men and women voting alike. Workers and employers' councils are a feature. The processes for free economic department are outlined, to be elaborated further with respect to financial and taxation questions at the next session of the assembly.

Theodore Wolff, writing in the Tageblatt on the occasion of the war anniversary, declared today the Germans are "no longer a nation of subjects, but a free people."

"The nation needs development," he said. "But this can not be obtained by the mere expression of attractive phrases. We must pass indistinctly through the difficulties inherited from the war. Germany will not remain in the depth forever, but she must never return to events like those of August, 1914."

### FOURTEEN KILLED WHEN AN AIRPLANE FALLS TO EARTH

ROME, Aug. 2.—A Coptical airplane flying from Venice to Milan today lost 14 persons on board as it fell to the ground from a height of 1,000 meters near Verona. All on board were killed.

### Legislature of Oklahoma May Convene to Stage Fight on High Living Cost

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA., Aug. 2.—The state will act against the profiteer and in behalf of lowered living costs and act soon, Governor Robertson said today.

A special session of the legislature may be called—in fact it looks as if that may be the method of proceeding, Robertson added.

"I have this matter of living costs and profiteering under consideration," he said. "The immediate problem is that is the best plan. You may say,

### WEATHER FORECAST FOR COMING WEEK

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Weather conditions for the week beginning August 4, are:

West Gulf States: Temperature normal, generally fair but with occasional local thunderstorms.

There are no indications of a disturbance in the West Indies at this time.

### FREE MILK AND ICE FUND STILL GROWS

Following additional contributions to the Free Milk and Ice Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Federal Missionary Societies:

Mrs. M. D. Rowe..... \$100.00

Previously reported..... 105.00

Total..... \$205.00

### POLICE ENJOINED FROM INTERFERING WITH 2.75 BEER

LOS ANGELES, CALIF., Aug. 2.—An injunction restraining the police department from interfering with the sale of 2.75 beer in cafes here was granted by the superior court on application of restaurant men. The injunction was temporary and an appeal to the state supreme court will be heard August 15.

### HAMMERSTEIN FUNERAL TO BE HELD ON MONDAY

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The funeral of Oscar Hammerstein, veteran opera manager who died last night, will be held Monday. Death came in Lenox Hill hospital, following a long illness with diabetes and a complication of diseases.

Hammerstein was born in Berlin in 1847. He came to this country when 16. For several years he worked as a cigar maker. A number of inventions connected with that trade gave him his first fortune. He entered the theatrical business in the early seventies. He built eleven theatres, besides opera houses in New York, Philadelphia and London. He made and lost several fortunes.

Hammerstein's son, Arthur, is a theatrical producer. His daughter, Stella, was on the stage for a short time.

### Hundred Houses Burn In the City of Chicago Incendiaries Charged

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—An incendiary fire which the police declared was started by negroes early today swept through the district bounded by West 43rd, West 46th, South Lincoln street and South Hermitage avenue, destroying 100 homes of Polish and Lithuanian employes of the stock yards and causing a property loss of more than \$200,000. Three persons are missing and a score were injured in the conflagration.

The buildings destroyed consisted chiefly of one and two story frame dwellings. Three thousand men, women and children have been rendered homeless by the fire and the bad feeling between the whites and negroes greatly aggravated. State troops were sent to the scene of the fire to disperse the crowds and prevent a renewal of race riots. A number of witnesses have been found by the police who say they saw several automobiles of negroes with burning torches in the district shortly before the fire was discovered. The fire broke out in three different sections of the district at the same time, ac-

Special to The Times.  
MUNDAY, TEX., Aug. 2.—S. A. McKinstry, farmer living four miles northeast of Munday, was shot today, while plowing in his cotton field, four bullets taking effect. He started towards the house after being shot and was met in the nearby pasture by his wife, aroused by the sound of the shots, and died in her arms.

W. A. Cooke, known to McKinstry as a neighbor, followed McKinstry to the scene of the shooting and was shot in the chest. Cooke has eight children. Both men were surrounded by a number of negroes and troubles are assigned to the tragedy.

NINE KILLED  
LONDON, Aug. 2.—A date of August 1, says that during fierce rioting at Bristol, in connection with the following groups of strikers were killed: a number of strikers, and wounded a large number.



# CONSTRUCTION WORK TIED UP AS A RESULT OF A FAILURE TO REACH AGREEMENT SATURDAY

After conferences lasting practically all day Saturday representatives of the contractors and owners of the principal buildings under construction here and representatives of the electricians failed to reach an agreement, following which the former parties abandoned the carrying into effect of their announced intention of stopping all construction work until a settlement was reached. Every important bit of building construction in Wichita Falls will be affected by this action, although it is stated that some of the smaller construction may not be affected.

Following the news that an agreement had not been reached on this matter, many workmen declared their intention of leaving Wichita Falls. Many union men were in the action of closing down the buildings the beginning of a long and bitter fight here between employers and trades unionism. "We are ready for the fight, if they want to start it," said one prominent labor leader here in this connection. "We intend to just sit steady in the boat, and let them come and take us out as long as the public can do without this construction. We have done nothing to start a fight, but it has been brought on us by the other side and we intend to fight it to a finish."

"The crux of the whole situation is that they want the unions to recognize the Wichita Falls Builders Exchange, which we will not do. We intend to have our dealings direct with the various contractors and not with any builders' organization."

The situation was explained by J. C. Jopling, president of the Wichita Falls Builders' Exchange as follows: "In March the electrical workers demanded a wage scale of \$7.20 per day. In return the contractors granted them 80 cents more than they demanded, or \$8 per day, in consideration of which they made a contract for one year. Recently the workers abandoned this contract and demanded \$10 per day. They were unable under their contract to strike as an organization, so accomplished this result by agreeing to the terms of the contract and then to defend the action on their part is not even endorsed by the international office of the electrical workers."

"After a series of conferences lasting practically all day Saturday, in which we made strenuous efforts to bring both factions together, we learned that the electrical workers would not consider any effort towards an adjustment by arbitration. This attitude on the part of the electrical workers, we very much regret to state, will be the means of stopping an immense amount of construction work in this city, pending a settlement with the electrical workers."

## BOY PREACHER WILL DISCUSS BATTLE OF ARMAGEDDON TONIGHT



**CLARENCE HECKENDORN**

Crowds are filling the tent nightly at the evangelistic meetings now being held in this city at Fifth and Van Buren streets by Clarence Heckendorn, the Boy Preacher.

Saturday night he preached on real salvation drawing comparisons between "Churchnianity" as he expressed it and real Christianity as it should be, emphasizing his desire to see more people of the present age take up the old-time religion of yesterday.

Sunday evening at 8:15 p. m. the Boy Preacher will preach on the battle of Armageddon and urges all that wish to hear him to come early as the seating capacity of his tent is somewhat limited.

## SPEEDY DELIVERY OF LIBERTY MOTORS WAS CAUSE OF SLOW-UP

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Promises of speedy delivery of Liberty motors in sufficient numbers to supply the needs of the army and navy were abandoned this week by members of the committee appointed by the War Department to investigate the slow-up of production of the Call Field post hospital building as a means of affording temporary relief has not been finally abandoned by the committee, and the disposition of the buildings, on the bids recently made, is being awaited by the committee. In the meantime, however, the work of raising the necessary funds will be taken up, for the permanent institution, and from the favorable sentiment among the church members there seems to be doubt that the necessary amount will be readily secured.

**LOCAL BREVITIES.**

Henry Zimmerman and Hugh Kaehery of Sherman were business visitors here and in the Burk Burnett fields Friday and Saturday.

Joe L. Art left Sunday morning for Colorado Springs to spend two weeks with his family, who have been there during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wither returned home yesterday after several days' visit in Mineral Wells and Brownwood.

John O'Neill returned home last evening after spending several weeks with his mother, Mrs. C. L. O'Neill in Houston.

F. P. Williams will leave today for Colorado Springs, to accompany his wife and daughter, Camille, and her grandmother, Mrs. C. C. White, then return to Wichita Falls.

C. O. Walkup of Dallas arrived Saturday morning for a visit with relatives and friends here. He will return to Dallas tonight.

John Brown of Arkansas, noted aviator, who conducted revival in Wichita Falls last summer, was a visitor in Wichita Falls on Friday, being the guest of C. W. Snider.

## SHOE PRICES ARE INVOLVED IN FIGHT ON PROFITEERING

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Appearing before the House Rules Committee today to urge that his resolution directing the Federal Trade Commission to investigate the price of shoes made a special business of the House. Representative Igoe, Democrat, Missouri, said prices of shoes increased from 75 per cent to 125 per cent in the last three months, as compared with the prices of the last ten years.

He also read a statement of the National Boot and Shoe Manufacturing Association, issued July 31, at Boston, which said shoes to be sold in the spring of 1920 must bring still higher prices.

Mr. Igoe presented a statement which placed net earnings of the Central Leather Company for the quarter ending June 30, last, at \$4,239,348 and told the committee this was an increase of more than 100 per cent over the preceding quarter and a gain of 50 per cent over the corresponding period of 1918.

Chairman Campbell told the committee that a dealer in Washington bought a barrel of potatoes this week for \$4.80 and within an hour sold the potatoes for \$20.45.

## LOCAL SHOPMEN NOT AFFECTED BY STRIKE

So far the shopmen's strike has had no effect locally, the men in the local shops of the Northwestern not having notified offices of any intention to strike. The shopmen returned to work Friday after a strike of a few days duration on a local grievance, which was settled on a satisfactory basis.

The unqualified satisfaction which deposits of the National Bank of Commerce gain from the bank's service is being evidenced by the liberal and steadily growing patronage with which the institution is favored.

J. A. Kemp and son-in-law, Newton Maer, left Saturday for Chicago.

Max M. Buchanan, assistant city engineer, is spending a week in Kansas.

## "WHITE BOOK" HAS STATEMENT OF THE FORMER EMPEROR

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Thursday, July 31.—The former German Emperor's statement on October 27, 1918, that he had reached an unalterable determination to sue for a separate peace within 24 hours and to demand an immediate armistice is one of the many revelations of German war diplomacy contained in the "white book" published at Weimar today.

The former Emperor's decision to seek peace immediately according to the statement in the white book, he considered necessary because he believed he people both unable and unwilling to continue the war. The former Emperor's conscience was said to forbid him to permit further bloodshed.

In September, according to the documents, General Ludendorff heard that Bulgaria had offered to sign a separate peace. In the official discussion it was agreed that Washington should be designated as the center of peace negotiations, as a matter of politeness. Austria was consulted by telephone regarding the proposed appeal.

Von Hindenburg telegraphed to the vice chancellor stating that if Prince Max of Baden should form a government he would agree to the appeal for peace being delayed until the next morning.

On the same day General Groener reported that General Ludendorff had declared that the formation of a new government should not be awaited and that a break in the military line was possible at any minute.

Prince Max immediately inquired if Von Hindenburg was unable to hold the front. He received an answer that the army stood by its demand for an immediate peace.

Held It Was Premature.

Prince Max still held the matter of peace was premature but other members of the cabinet sided with Gen. Ludendorff and maintained that the military verdict must be adhered to because if the situation should be made worse by President Wilson's answer the army would seek to dodge the responsibility.

Conflicts of opinion continued between Berlin and the army command, and the cabinet opinion was the second note on the peace terms, however, brought a stormy protest from the supreme army command which wanted to break off negotiations. General Ludendorff looked at the matter more hopefully.

After President Wilson's third note on October 25, General Galtwitz and Miers and other officers of the staff show that Germany's position was not as bad as it was described but their attempts in this way to prevent Austria making a separate peace failed.

News of the Turkish armistice followed and since the Allies agreed to President Wilson's fourteen points the German people believed the war was ended. The white book points out that wherever an attempt to delay the armistice was suspected, troops rose in protest and all differences between Berlin and the supreme army command were dropped.

## PRINTERS ON THE TULSA WORLD ARE STRIKE FOR RAISE

TULSA, OKLA., Aug. 2.—The Tulsa World tonight announced it would not issue tomorrow morning because of a walkout of its printers tonight, following a refusal of demand for flat scale of \$42 for day work and \$45 for night. The demand was not made on any other paper in Tulsa, it was announced. World officials said they had been paying \$38 for day and \$41 for night work, under a contract calling for \$23.50 weekly.

**SEEKS WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS FROM ARCHANGEL**

PARIS, Aug. 2.—Nicholas Tschakovsky, president of the provisional government of North Russia, left yesterday for London. He will endeavor to induce the British Government not to withdraw its troops from Archangel.

Stop in at the National Bank of Commerce—one block from the post office—and get acquainted with its officers. A talk with them may reveal some distinctly helpful manner in which they can assist you in your business and financial matters. 70-lte

## FRENCH SOLDIERS KILLED IN RIOTING NEAR THE RHINE

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—Revolutionary demonstrations were reported yesterday to have occurred at Strasbourg. Several French officers and soldiers were reported to have been killed in the disorders and some of them thrown into the River Ill.

Martial law was threatened today.

Strasbourg, two miles west of the Rhine, is the capital of lower Alsace. French troops have been quartered there since the armistice.

## CHILD RETURNS TO HOTEL AFTER ALL NIGHT SEARCH BY THE POLICE FAILED

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—Returning unscathed to her apartment in the Fairmont hotel today, after having been absent throughout the night, nine-year-old Virginia Byington, daughter of a New York manufacturer, ended an alleged kidnaping mystery which had busied every policeman in the city.

The girl said she had "been visiting friends in Berkeley." Her mother faintly when she entered the room.

## SEARCH CONTINUES FOR MAN WHO STABBED HIS WIFE WITH A HAT PIN

HOOVER, OKLA., Aug. 2.—Search continued today for Jesse Ironhart, held by the coroner's jury to have stabbed his sloping wife through the heart with a hat pin.

Mrs. Ironhart, it is said, came here from Peoria, Ill., with a former boarder. Her husband followed, promising if she would take a walk with him she would never see him again. He kept his promise.

For her lifeless body was found on the railroad tracks with two small pin holes over the heart.

## FORT WORTH FIRM SELLS COTTON TO THE GERMANS

FORT WORTH, TEX., Aug. 2.—A Fort Worth cotton firm announced this morning of 1,800 bales of cotton to Germany. It will be shipped from Galveston. Payment is guaranteed by three Berlin banks.

## YORKSHIRE MINERS TO SUBMIT STRIKE ISSUE

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The Yorkshire miners' council representing more than 200,000 miners who remained on strike, refusing to accept the government's offer of settlement, decided today to submit to its branches the question of continuing the strike.

By placing a turbine in front of an automobile a French inventor believes he utilizes the air resistance met by the car in running to increase its power.

## REFUSAL OF U. S. TO ACCEPT INDEMNITY RAISES A QUESTION

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—The reparations committee must decide whether the refusal of the United States to accept indemnity from Germany shall benefit Germany or the allies, Bernard M. Baruch, economic adviser of the American peace delegation today told the Senate foreign relations committee.

Committee members tried to learn whether, if the United States declines to accept a share of the German reparations, the share that would have come to this government will be cut off Germany's bill or whether it will be collected and divided among the other allied nations.

Baruch said "this is a matter for determination."

The American members of the committee, he said, ought to learn which course this government favors before joining in any decision by the committee.

"This government can't cancel such a debt except by an act of congress," Senator McCumber pointed out, "so if congress should pass a law limiting this government's share of the reparations fund the commission can only adjust the remainder."

Senator Knox declared that "the United States commissioner ought to see that the sum fixed for reparation is on the basis of acceptance of our share of the indemnity. Then we can, if we wish, do the generous thing by Germany and remit our share. But what I'm afraid of is that the impression will be created that we won't accept any, and the other powers, not Germany, will get the benefit of our generosity."

## CHARLES V. DERDEN IS BACK FROM OVERSEAS

Charles V. Darden, former Wichita Falls boy, who has been with the Third Army of Occupation, and has completed a year's service overseas, landed on Saturday, according to a telegram received by Mrs. Darden yesterday night. He is now at Garden City and expects to be discharged by August 6, and will join Mrs. Darden in Wichita Falls. His wife was formerly Miss Frances Allen of this city, and since her husband has been overseas she has been at home with her parents. After a short visit with relatives here and at other Texas points, Mr. and Mrs. Darden will return to California, where they are making their home at the time Mr. Darden entered the service.

## NEGRO WOMAN IS CHARGED WITH THEFT

Loraine Wayne, a negro woman employed as a servant in a local white family, was arrested Saturday by members of the local police department charged with stealing a diamond from one of the family. The woman was turned over to the county authorities to whom she delivered the diamond.

Prosecution having been dropped on the charge of stealing the diamond, she was held on a charge of petty theft. The woman was later released under a \$50 bond.

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**REPORT ON CONDITION OF CLEARING BANKS**

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold \$67,139,890 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of \$37,530,480 from last week.

**FRENCH SERGEANT WAS EXECUTED**

PARIS, Aug. 2.—(Havas.)—Sergeant De Brabant, of the French cavalry, condemned to death on a charge of having had communication with the German secret service of Berlin, was executed today.

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Burk 88	100	80
Burk Imperial	85	25
Burk Crest	50	50
Jensen Oldham	450	270
Burk George	100	100
Burk Lucas	200	200
British American	75	60
Burk Reserve	50	50
Burk Extension	150	150
Burk Dreher	95	80
Cale	75	50
Double P	75	75
Endwell	20	20
East Wichita	107.50	107.50
Fowler No. 2	150	150
Ford McConkey	90	90
Goldman	100	100
Goldonda No. 2	170	170
Goldonda No. 1	180	180
Goldonda No. 3	180	180
Goldonda No. 4	180	180
Harvester	135	115
Harford	100	100
Jewel V	75	75
Jewel V Junior Allen	115	90
King 2	140	140
Lucky 2	125	125
MacFowen	140	140
Mona Marie	140	140
McAdoo	75	75
Nashua	100	100
Northeast Burk	110	70
New Pool No. 1	120	120
Northwest Burk	100	100
Northwest O. & G.	140	140
O'Boy	30	30
Boughton	100	100
Summit Pet.	275	275
Tenn. No. 1	100	100
Tenn. No. 2	100	100
United	100	100
Waukena No. 1	100	100
Wimple	75	75
Waukena No. 2	100	100
Waukena Globe	170	170



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### T. M. LESLIE NEW MANAGER FOR RILEY FURNITURE STORE



T. M. Leslie, formerly manager of the C. T. Bumgarner furniture interests in Tulsa and West Tulsa, Oklahoma, has accepted the managership of the E. F. Riley Furniture Company's new establishment at 814 Ohio avenue. Mr. Leslie is an experienced lawyer, manager and salesman. He is familiar with the northern and eastern furniture markets, and the new store under his management should have a prosperous future.

### ASSEMBLED SHIPS IN FLYING SHAPE TO GO OUT THIS WEEK

All assembled ships, in flying condition, will be delivered from Call Field to Love Field, Dallas, by the middle of this week, according to Major Russell, commandant of the local field. Work of crating the planes and parts, and the other government equipment is continuing with good progress, but it will be September 15, before the field is ready for permanent abandonment, Major Russell added. There are 97 men engaged in the dismantling and packing work, but even with this force it will be impossible to have the government equipment all out and the camp ready to be closed before the middle of next month at the earliest.

### LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN

Girls! Make bleaching lotion if skin is sunburned, tanned or freckled

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

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Bathe the affected part with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Dry gently and rub on Cuticura Ointment. This treatment is usually best on rising and retiring. For every purpose of the toilet, bath and nursery the Cuticura Toilet Trio is ideal. The Soap to cleanse, the Ointment to soothe, Talcum to powder and perfume.

### FURTHER MEETINGS CHARTER COMMITTEE HAVE BEEN DEFERRED

Further meetings of the charter committee have been deferred for a period of 30 days, it was announced following Friday night's meeting of this committee. This action was taken on account of the absence or proposed absence of nearly half the members of the committee.

### "MARY'S ANKLE" IS BILL AT THEATRE THIS WEEK

Much credit is due the local company which has just completed their first production of "Common Clay," a comedy play of merit. It is the aim of the management to afford the theatergoers of this city only what is original and newest in New York's best plays.

### LOCAL FREIGHT AGENT GOING TO TULSA, OKLA.

It is reported that H. K. Rea, who has been local freight agent of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway for some time past, will be leaving Wichita Falls for Tulsa, Oklahoma, next week. He is to be relieved by E. L. Wilkinson of Parsons, Kansas.

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### NEW FORT WORTH TRAIN ON THE DENVER IS INAUGURATED TODAY

On Sunday, August 3, the additional train service between Wichita Falls and Fort Worth on the Fort Worth & Denver begins, the official announcement of the time schedule being made by W. F. Sterley, general freight and passenger agent. The train will carry only passenger coaches and baggage cars, and will make stops at all stations between Fort Worth and Wichita Falls, leaving Wichita Falls at 6:30 a. m. and arriving at Fort Worth at 11:00. The train out of Fort Worth will leave that station at 8:00 p. m. and will arrive in Wichita Falls at 10:30.

Southbound (Head down.)		Northbound (Head up.)	
Train No. 6	Wichita Falls Ar.	Train No. 6	Wichita Falls Ar.
6:30 am	July	10:30 pm	July
7:10 am	Henrietta	9:45 pm	Henrietta
7:22 am	Dickensham	9:30 pm	Dickensham
7:35 am	Kola	9:15 pm	Kola
7:47 am	Bellevue	9:10 pm	Bellevue
8:15 am	Bowie	8:45 pm	Bowie
8:27 am	Fruitland	8:35 pm	Fruitland
8:37 am	Sunset	8:25 pm	Sunset
8:57 am	Alford	8:05 pm	Alford
9:10 am	Cowan	7:45 pm	Cowan
9:25 am	Decatur	7:35 pm	Decatur
9:37 am	Herman	7:25 pm	Herman
9:57 am	Home	7:05 pm	Home
10:12 am	Avondale	6:50 pm	Avondale

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- Lot 367—Hose, black silk, out size. . . . \$1.55
- Lot 368—Hose, full fashioned silk, lisle garter top black and Havana brown. . . . \$2.05
- Lot 725—Hose, full fashioned, all silk, white only. . . \$2.95

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# Hungarian Soviet Government Ends With the Resignation of Bela Kun and the Red Cabinet

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 2.—The strictest martial law is being enforced in Budapest by the war minister of the new government, Joseph Haubrich, according to the Hungarian capital, today state. The city is reported quiet.

VIENNA, Aug. 2.—The new Hungarian cabinet includes the following names: Premier Jules Poldoski; minister of foreign affairs Peter Agostoni; minister of war Joseph Haubrich; justice Paul Garami; finance Joseph Miskolc; food, M. Kuttelcher; premier Poldoski is said by those who know him to be a courageous and simple habitué. He has been a typographer, an editor and a model worker. Minister of War Haubrich formerly was chief of police at Budapest and is reported to be an able and capable administrator. Minister of Justice Garami was a member of the Karolyi cabinet.

By Associated Press. VIENNA, Friday, Aug. 1.—Bela Kun, the Hungarian Communist dictator, has resigned and the new cabinet, a socialist government, according to a telephone message from Budapest.

On receipt of news from the front that created consternation in Budapest, Kun fled to the Soviet Union. The communists became pale of face and with his back to the wall declared: "Very well, if you demand it, I must resign. I made the best fight I could."

The overturn of the Bela Kun regime at Budapest has been impending for some time. The peace conference, as it made clear in a recent statement, had found it impossible to deal with him because of his failure to keep promises and his refusal to accept his role as not truly representative of the Hungarian people.

These facts led the peace conference, though its president, Premier Clemenceau, to issue an appeal July 26, to the Hungarian people to substitute a new government for that of Bela Kun, pointing out that the lifting of the blockade, economic reconstruction and the granting of peace to Hungary could only be brought about with a government which represents the Hungarian people and not with one that rests its authority upon terrorism. This appeal was long in bringing results. Colonel Cunningham mentioned in the dispatches and other representatives of the Allies were sent to Vienna by representative Hungarians to whom the Allied position was made clear. Communication with Budapest was kept up by wire and Bela Kun was brought more directly into the negotiations at a later period when he traveled from Budapest to the Austrian border and met with the representatives who had been consulting with the Allies in Vienna.

The military situation in Hungary worked in a way that favored the Allies in securing Bela Kun's retirement, as the attack made by the red army on the Rumanians recently, apparently in an effort by Bela Kun to cut his way through to get into touch with the Russian Bolsheviks, resulted in a severe defeat for his red army. His military prestige shattered when the Rumanians turned and routed his forces, he indicated that all he could do was to succumb to the inevitable.

The Russian soviet government was deeply interested in the Hungarian regime and frequent communication took place between Bela Kun and Lenin and the lesser Russian Bolshevik officials.

FOUR WHITE MEN AT GILMER ARRESTED RESULT LYNNING

GILMER, TEX., Aug. 2.—Charged with lynching Chilton Jennings, negro, here on July 24, four white men were taken into custody today by Texas Rangers after thorough investigation had been made by the Upshur County grand jury. The report of the investigation disclosed that less than fifteen persons actually participated in lynching the negro, who was charged with assaulting a woman.

The men under arrest charged with murder by grand jury indictment are Willis Powell, Tracy Flannagan, Charles Lansdale and Fritz Boyd.

In a statement today Captain C. A. Hanson of the Texas rangers, who are in charge of the investigation, declared the better element of Upshur County were not involved but heartily condemned the lynching.

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Secretary of State Will Be Questioned by Committee Regarding Treaty.

COMPLETE HEARINGS ON THE ECONOMIC SECTIONS

Advisers to the American Peace Delegates Are Heard on Saturday.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Public hearings on the economic sections of the Versailles treaty were completed today by the foreign relations committee and early next week Secretary Lansing probably will be questioned by the committee regarding the treaty's political features.

At today's session Bernard M. Baruch and F. W. Taussig, economic advisers to the American peace delegates, explained that the peace conference reached some of its decisions regarding German customs regulations and indemnity. Their testimony largely was technical in character. The last of the economic advisers to be called under present plans will be Norman Davis who will appear Monday.

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SIXTEEN HUNDRED STRIKE ON THE CHICAGO AND ALTON

BLOOMINGTON, ILLS., Aug. 2.—Sixteen hundred employees of the Chicago & Alton railroad shops here struck today. All except two departments were affected.

MASSACRE OF JEWS IN ODESSA LASTS THREE DAYS AND NIGHTS

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Semi-official Polish sources have received reports that General Gregorieff's troops which are occupying Odessa, surrounded the Jewish quarter and began a massacre which lasted three days and nights. Russian soldiers of Gregorieff's command, it is stated, carried out the massacre. The Jews of Ukraine and Bessarabia have proclaimed a mourning period of four days.

General Gregorieff entered Odessa early in the present month after severe fighting and at the time was quoted as saying that he was ready to join the Allies in a combined attack on the bolsheviks if the latter began an offensive on the Dnieper River.

Cecil H. Harmsworth, British under-secretary for foreign affairs, said in the house of commons on July 8 that General Gregorieff was stated to be strongly anti-Jewish in his sympathies. The under-secretary made this declaration in announcing that many Jews had lost their lives in the course of the operations between the Russian soviet forces and those of General Gregorieff, who was in command of an Ukrainian anti-bolshevik army.

ROCK ISLAND FREIGHT TRAFFIC TIED UP BY SHOPMEN'S STRIKE

FORT WORTH, TEX., Aug. 2.—Freight traffic on the Rock Island into and out of Fort Worth had to be suspended this morning because of the strike of the shopmen, who went out last night, following orders from general headquarters. All repair work here has ceased.

SHOPS CLOSED DOWN AT MAILEYVILLE, OKLAHOMA

MAILEYVILLE, OKLA., Aug. 2.—Rock Island shops in this city were closed today, 300 men refusing to report for work. There is no attempt at violence. The 90 M. & E. T. shopmen in this city are still at work.

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Surface Development. The committee's meeting was virtually the only surface development of the day in the treaty situation. The committee will make plans for the treaty fight only once. That was when, without debate or a roll call, it adopted a resolution by Senator LaFollette, republican, Wisconsin, asking the President why Costa Rica "was not permitted" to sign the treaty.

MEANWHILE the undercurrent of private discussion among senators continued to revolve about the program of four reservations presented by seven senators as a basis for ratification of the League of Nations. Plans were made for a conference Monday at which the sponsors of the plan hope to get the accession of other republicans who have been friendly to the league.

READY TO CONCEDE. It was made plain next that it was not the intention to try to preserve the exact form of the four reservations as the negotiations to increase the number of their supporters continues. All efforts to resolve about the program to make some concessions in phrasing in order not to handicap the effort to bring into a final agreement enough republicans to hold the balance of the power.

Should the number of republicans subscribing to this agreement reach 23, it was pointed out, the group would be in a position to place in the hands of the President a definite offer of support for a reservation program insuring ratification of the covenant.

Two shipping days each week, instead of only one as inaugurated, will be carried on at least one freight train for Wichita Falls out of Houston, through Fort Worth and Denver. Every effort will be exerted to move these merchandise cars so that they will reach Wichita Falls unloading on the fourth morning out.

Shipments will of course be accepted at Houston on any day of the week, but if the Wichita Falls freight car is not ready to receive their orders with the Houston jobbers so that advantage may be taken of these regular through cars, it is felt that a great deal better service can be assured than formerly. It was found necessary to double the one car a week service for I. C. I. freight out of Houston and the railroad administration is anxious to increase the tonnage in these package cars so as to make their continued operation a success. And, Mr. Arnold adds, if it is found that two cars per week are not sufficient to care for the freight offered, additional equipment will be added to move north on Tuesday and Friday from Houston.

TRIAL OF BROKER IS SCHEDULED FOR MONDAY

TOPEKA, KAN., Aug. 2.—The preliminary trial of Felix Brooker on the two state warrants served last week which had been set for Monday for August fourth, will be postponed a week at the request of the state. The state auditor has not yet completed their examination of the books of the companies involving the transactions for which Brooker is held responsible and the state's principal witness can not be summoned to appear on the first date set.

LOOKING FOR A STRIKE

ZURICH IS IN THE GRIP OF A STRIKE

ZURICH, SWITZ., Aug. 2.—Zurich is in the grip of a strike movement which has become so serious as to call for action by the state council at a special session. The state council decided at this meeting to request the federal council to send troops to Zurich.

SEVEN HUNDRED OUT AT VALLEY JUNCTION

DES MOINES, IA., Aug. 2.—Approximately 700 railway shopmen in the Rock Island yards at Valley Junction, near here, went on strike today in response to the call for a nationwide strike.

SIXTEEN HUNDRED STRIKE ON THE CHICAGO AND ALTON

BLOOMINGTON, ILLS., Aug. 2.—Sixteen hundred employees of the Chicago & Alton railroad shops here struck today. All except two departments were affected.

MASSACRE OF JEWS IN ODESSA LASTS THREE DAYS AND NIGHTS

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Semi-official Polish sources have received reports that General Gregorieff's troops which are occupying Odessa, surrounded the Jewish quarter and began a massacre which lasted three days and nights. Russian soldiers of Gregorieff's command, it is stated, carried out the massacre. The Jews of Ukraine and Bessarabia have proclaimed a mourning period of four days.

General Gregorieff entered Odessa early in the present month after severe fighting and at the time was quoted as saying that he was ready to join the Allies in a combined attack on the bolsheviks if the latter began an offensive on the Dnieper River.

Cecil H. Harmsworth, British under-secretary for foreign affairs, said in the house of commons on July 8 that General Gregorieff was stated to be strongly anti-Jewish in his sympathies. The under-secretary made this declaration in announcing that many Jews had lost their lives in the course of the operations between the Russian soviet forces and those of General Gregorieff, who was in command of an Ukrainian anti-bolshevik army.

ROCK ISLAND FREIGHT TRAFFIC TIED UP BY SHOPMEN'S STRIKE

FORT WORTH, TEX., Aug. 2.—Freight traffic on the Rock Island into and out of Fort Worth had to be suspended this morning because of the strike of the shopmen, who went out last night, following orders from general headquarters. All repair work here has ceased.

SHOPS CLOSED DOWN AT MAILEYVILLE, OKLAHOMA

MAILEYVILLE, OKLA., Aug. 2.—Rock Island shops in this city were closed today, 300 men refusing to report for work. There is no attempt at violence. The 90 M. & E. T. shopmen in this city are still at work.

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# TIMES DAILY MARKETS

New York Stocks, Grain and Provisions, Cotton and Livestock.

Market Review. GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Violent price-smashing in the grain and provision trade has gone hand in hand this week with chaotic labor conditions, the breaking of the drought in the corn belt, and with determined new attempts to reduce the cost of food and of other necessities of life. Compared with a week ago, corn prices this morning were lower 5/8c to 9/8c, oats were lower 3/4c to 4/8c and provisions less expensive by 40c to 52c.

Before the downward plunge of values began in the corn market, the December delivery had risen to the highest price yet this season. Heavy arrivals of new oats added decidedly to the weakness of the oats market.

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# GRAINS CONTINUED DECLINE ON MARKET THROUGH SATURDAY

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Grain dealers, whose delicately balanced trade trembles at a hint of frost or the appearance of a rain cloud, tipped violently at the government's drive on high costs. Cash grain continued dropping today. Futures naturally reflected the cash.

Chicago's cash grain men were convinced prices were due for a drop. They were certain the government has begun a move destined to bring sharp reductions in the cost of living. A few dealers clung to the "bullish" side. They said declines in the grain market resulted from an overbought condition and from the rains of the week which made certain a great corn crop.

Julius Barnes, president of the grain corporation, will meet zone officials, bakers, millers and representatives grain men in New York August 20.

Big dealers here said there still are large holdings of first class corn in the country. They believed many qualities early, holding the other farmers had disposed of their poorer crops, the belief that it would bring \$3 or better.

Beyond predictions that reductions would continue there were few prophecies around the board of trade. None placed a limit on the descent which began yesterday. It drops of five to six cents and continued today with sharp breaks from the opening.

Fortunes were made and lost in the selling of yesterday and today. The session was in a turmoil throughout the week.

Provisions were untouched by many traders, uncertainty as to what the government will do with meats leading many to stay away from them.

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### PLAN COMPLETION OF NEW KATY BUILDINGS AT AN EARLY DATE

Completion of the new buildings and dormitories in the north yard of the Missouri Kansas & Texas railway for the accommodation of their employees is expected by the officials of the company within the next two or three weeks. A new restaurant being constructed for the benefit of the men is also nearing completion. At present the company is using two dining cars to feed the men at the shops.

Work has also been completed on the extensive track construction to relieve the congested conditions here and in the district around Burkburnett. Four miles of double tracking is now under construction through Burkburnett. It is estimated that the improvements in Burkburnett should take care of more than 250 cars of crude oil daily.

Also additional storage tracks are nearing completion at each end of the yard in this city. Two new passing tracks have been completed between here and Frederick.

Work on the Henrietta division is going ahead rapidly where the track is being ballasted throughout and laid with heavier steel.

### MUCH WHEAT WILL BE HELD ON FARMS BY CAR SHORTAGE

A shortage of railroad cars will probably result in a considerable quantity of the wheat in this section being held on the farms for at least a part of the coming year, according to J. C. Mytinger, manager of the Wichita Mill and Elevator Company. According to Mr. Mytinger's information it will be impossible for the railroads to provide rolling stock in anything near the quantity which will be required for the wheat crop in this section. Empty cars for handling grain which is now moving are already hard to obtain, with an immediate prospect of their becoming even more so.

The wheat crop in this section is about 40 per cent harvested, said Mr. Mytinger, but further up the Denver road, and along the Northwestern the harvest is only about 10 per cent completed. Labor is apparently rather plentiful in this section, but it is practically all inexperienced labor. Little damage was incurred by wheat in this section from the recent rains, the damage being estimated at only about five per cent. The quality of wheat being offered on the local market continues to be good.

### MATTER OF SECURING HOMES FOR TEACHERS COMES UP TUESDAY

At Tuesday morning's session of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce the question of securing homes for the teachers of the Wichita Falls public schools during the coming school year will be taken up. Secretary Hubert M. Harrison stated on Saturday, Lee Clark, superintendent of the city schools has stated that unless the living conditions become better, and the teachers can find reasonable room and board this coming term, many of them will be unable to return. The full complement of teachers for the city has not yet been secured, according to Mr. Clark's recent letter to the Chamber of Commerce, and the board is experiencing a difficulty in securing the minimum adjudged necessary.

The request is repeated that all who will have rooms that will be available for school teachers at a reasonable price phone their names and addresses to the Chamber of Commerce. One very acceptable offer has already been received, it is stated.

Edward Harrison left last morning for a few days visit in Dallas.

### START CONSTRUCTION WORK ON THE DENVER SIX STORAGE TANKS

Construction work has just been started by the Fort Worth & Denver railway on six storage tanks in the local yards to facilitate the handling of oil. These tanks will be capable of handling 600 cars daily and it is expected that they should be completed within the next thirty days.

A seventy five car team track is also under construction west of the river in order to better serve the northwest district. The amount of freight handled by the Fort Worth & Denver railway continues to increase with no indication of a let up which has caused the building of these additional tracks and sidings.

On the large and steadily increasing list of its depositors, the National Bank of Commerce numbers many salaried men and women who make regu-

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### TODAY'S GAME WITH HENRIETTA WILL BE HARD FOUGHT ONE

Today's game with Henrietta, in addition to being the deciding one of this season's engagements with the Clay county aggregation, is anticipated with no little interest as it will afford local fans an opportunity of seeing the new faces in the batting order of Leopold's Leopards in action. As the count stands at present, each of these clubs has a couple of victories over the other to its credit, and each is braced for a hard fight to take the deciding game of the season.

The game will be called at the Katy park promptly at 4:00. The management of the Leopold club announces that the grounds are in first class shape for this match. Among the things done for the comfort of the spectators are the cleaning of the grandstand and the sprinkling of the grounds to lay the dust.

### IMPROVEMENTS ARE BEING MADE BY THE ELECTRIC COMPANY

Improvements now being made by the Wichita Falls Electric Company on their plant at the foot of Burnett street will be completed within the next two weeks.

In the construction of the new plant it was necessary to build an immense concrete smoke stack which rises to a height of 175 feet, the largest in northern Texas, and which may be plainly seen from the surrounding country as it looms up above the buildings of Wichita Falls. A new 5,000 h. p. dynamo has also been installed which will be entirely adequate for the present needs of this city and the surrounding country.

A new transmission line has been run to Burkburnett and to the new oil field which makes a duplicate power line to this field. The company now furnishes power to Burkburnett, to the Northwest Extension and has lighted up New Town within the last week.

Numerous applications are being made daily to the company for power and so far about 50 wells are now operating in the Burkburnett field by electric power which has been proving much cheaper and more efficient than other methods. A large force of men is employed constantly on new pole line extension work to supply the increasing demand for light and power through the oil districts.

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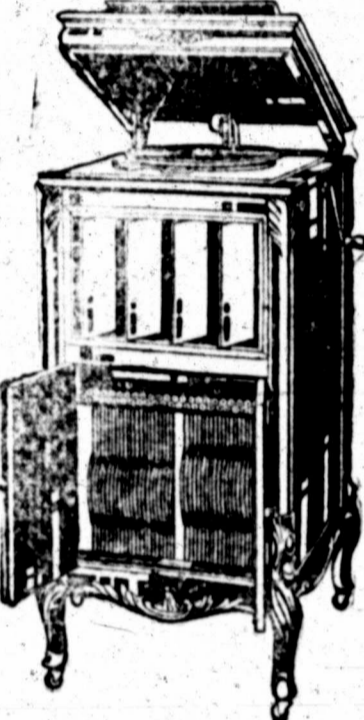
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### DISCONTENT AMONG AMERICAN SOLDIERS FIGHTING IN SIBERIA

DALLAS, Aug. 2.—Every American soldier in the Siberian expeditionary force wants to come home. Sent to combat bolsheviks the men are being turned bolshevik by harsh treatment, poor food and inaction. Many American soldiers have committed suicide because of brutal treatment by officers and hardships.

These statements were made by Corporal Robert Scott, Dallas, who claims to be one of the first units of discharged men from the Siberian expeditionary force to reach the United States.

The men recently landed at San Francisco.

Discontent is universal among the Americans, Scott said. The only reason there has not been mutinies, is because the Americans will not see their flag disgraced before the Japanese, with whom they are co-operating.

Scott who served with the 27th Infantry and was in Siberia 10 months, said drunkenness was common among American officers, but was rigidly suppressed among enlisted men, military police having instructions to "smell the breath" of any man believed to have been drinking.

The Japanese and Americans generally get along well together, Scott said, declaring the Japanese good soldiers who have been inflicting crushing defeats on the Siberian bolshevik forces.

### ONLY ONE BIDDER ON HIGHWAY PAVING

VERNON, Aug. 2.—H. K. McCollum of Fort Worth was the only bidder for the paving of four and two-thirds miles of the Vernon-Oklahoma highway. Bids were opened Wednesday but as yet no contract has been closed by the Commission on the ground that the material that will stand the required test can be obtained. The commissioners have decided to satisfactory contract for concrete pavement can not be had the work will be done with brick.

### UNITED STATES IS NOT THE ONLY "DRY" NATION ON THE MAP

BRUSSELS, Aug. 1.—The United States is not the only prohibition country, Belgium having followed suit so far as whiskey, gin and other highly alcoholic liquors are concerned. Soon after the armistice was signed a law was passed forbidding the manufacture and sale of such beverages.

The making of alcoholic drinks ceased almost immediately but no attention was paid to the rule so far as the selling of liquors in the larger places was concerned. The authorities confiscated big stocks and bars had on hand. While these stocks had been sold openly they are said to have been secretly acquired from soldiers and smugglers. The largest hotels now are unable to stir up a single drink other than light wine for thirsty American and British officers passing through the city.

### DISCONTINUE ENLISTMENTS FOR NEGRO INFANTRY

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Instructions were issued by the war department today to discontinue enlistments for negro infantry because the authorized number of enlistments of negroes has been exceeded.

### WANT HELP TO SOLVE FORD HOUSING PROBLEM

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 2.—The Ford Motor Company has asked Mayor Charles P. Allen to solve the problem of housing 7,000 employees for its new plant being built here. The Ford company plans to aid employees financially to obtain homes, it was said.

### Uses Head Work

CHICAGO.—Miss May Hyland used her head to break through the iron vault door that had imprisoned her. Shouting the combination to federal building employees outside, she freed herself.

### Signs Are Convincing

NEW BRITAIN, CONN.—A local liquor dealer has come up smiling from the dust of prohibition. Two signs in his window read as follows: "No near beer sold here," and "No beer sold near here."

### Knights and Ladies of Security

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### INSURANCE AGENTS MUST RESIDE IN KANSAS IF THEY OPERATE IN STATE

TOPEKA, KANS., Aug. 2.—Hereafter agents writing insurance policies must be bona fide residents of Kansas to do business in the state. Notice has been sent out by Frank Travis, insurance superintendent, that the 1889 law is to be enforced, also that corporations must procure a license before writing any policies. When agents move away their license to write policies will become void in Kansas.

### MUSKOGEE STREET CAR MEN RESUME STRIKE

MUSKOGEE, OKLA., Aug. 2.—A plot to have the Muskogee street railway system valued by the state board of equalization at junk rates was charged today by union car men who yesterday resumed their intermittent strike of two months.

Last year's assessment of the lines was \$350,000.

Recently under plea of the company that the lines were unproductive and valueless because of labor troubles except as junk, the men declared the tax value was reduced tentatively to \$200,000.

A committee of union men will appear before the board Monday, it was announced today to expose what they assert was deliberate provocation by the company of yesterday's resumption of the strike.

Manager Long of the railway company said the walkout was caused by the trainmaster's misconstruction of orders with regard to seniority rights of the car men.

### YOUNGEST OF DRUG ADDICTS IN KANSAS CITY HOSPITAL

KANSAS CITY, MO., Aug. 2.—The youngest of drug addicts is in the general hospital here today. It is a 10 months old baby, a confirmed addict through morphine administered on the tongue and assimilated through milk from its mother, according to police.

The baby was among 15 other patients found in the office of a negro physician, Dr. B. B. Jackson, when police raided the place late yesterday. The father of the child is Ed A. Hogue, 26, waiter, and Mrs. Rhea Hogue, 23, is a mother.

Mrs. Hogue stated her husband had been an addict for seven years and she had used morphine since their marriage years ago.

### ANNOUNCE INCREASE IN KANSAS TAX RATE

TOPEKA, KAN., Aug. 2.—An increase of five hundredths of a mill in State taxes is announced today by the State Tax Commission. The smallness of the increase after the appropriation of the eleven million made by the legislature is explained by the commission on the grounds of increased valuation in personal property and the amount re-appropriated. The levy of the last biennium was .0017, and this year it will reach .0075 or 88 cents the thousand.

### Refused to Take the Money

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—There are at least four honest policemen on the San Francisco force. They refused to accept the extra \$20 given with their monthly pay until informed all copers' wages had been raised.

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Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of Othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength Othine; it is this that is sold on the money back guarantee.—Adv.

### EDITOR IS WILLING TO SERVE SENTENCE AS WARNING NOTE

MEMPHIS, TENN., Aug. 2.—"If my case serves to warn newspaper editors of the dangers confronting them from judiciary tyranny I shall feel well repaid for spending 10 hot August days behind the bars," said Edward T. Leech, editor of the Memphis Press today on the eve of his 10 day jail term for alleged contempt of court.

"I don't hanker for a vacation in the ramshackle county jails on the banks of the Mississippi," continued Leech. "but I am happy that I had a chance to refuse to buy freedom by apologetic for something that I never did.

Furthermore, if my sentence spurs newspaper editors to the determination to fight such abridgements of free speech and free press until the peril passes, I shall be well compensated for my experience in a cell."

Leech is 27 years old, married and has one baby son. He comes of a long line of newspaper men and was born in Denver. He was educated at the University of Colorado and did his first newspaper work on the Denver papers. His father, a former newspaper man, has been chief clerk of the United States mint at Denver for many years.

### KANSAS OFFICIAL DIES AT HOME IN TOPEKA

TOPEKA, KANS., Aug. 2.—Harry W. Doyle, special assistant secretary of the state board of agriculture, died suddenly at his home here early Friday evening. Heart and kidney trouble following a nervous breakdown of several months ago is believed to have caused his death. He had been sick less than a week. He is survived by his widow and four children, also his father and mother.

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# NEWCASTLE LOOMS LARGE ON OIL MAP

## Another Promising Field Added to Wichita Falls District

### CITIZENSHIP AWAITS FUTURE WITH GREAT EXPECTATIONS AS TO RESULT OF DEVELOPMENTS

(Staff Special to The Times.)

NEWCASTLE, August 2.—The Times representative visited the Arnold well of The Texas Company this afternoon and found good progress being made in cleaning the well and starting the drill for deeper work. During one of the periodical flows today the column of oil shot up to two-thirds of the height of the derrick, the most notable of all the ebullitions thus far. A large quantity of oil was run into the big tank but the flow was not gauged. The utmost care is being observed by the drillers to insure that control does not slip and progress will be slower for this reason.

Every time the baller strikes the sand an immediate flow results and it is hoped that caving will cease in a day or two, enabling the drill to test the thickness of the sand vein. At about 4,000 feet a stratum of oil sand was encountered 53 feet thick that gave promise of a good yield. The opinion of the geological experts was that the lower sand would equal or exceed this stratum. It is estimated that since Wednesday morning the well has produced nearly 1,000 barrels of oil, more than 700 of which is now stored in the tanks.

NEWCASTLE, TEX., Aug. 2.—Newcastle awaits the future with great complacency, destined to be a city of considerable importance because of its natural resources and advantageous location. As a banker said yesterday, the extension and rebuilding of the railroad from Wichita Falls to Ranger and the south will of course add largely to the population and wealth of this city. An outlet for our coal to the southward will create a demand for a larger output. It is only a question of time when the Rock Island will build westward from Graham to junction with the Wichita Valley and possibly K. C. M. & O. railroad, through Newcastle, giving an east and west connection of great value to our agricultural and mineral resources. We have the best crops in Young county harvested in 10 years and prices for most of our products are double the normal of a few years ago. These facts make the entire community severally confident as to the ultimate future.

If the oil development progresses as it now appears, of course we shall build a larger and better city and do it quicker than seemed possible before the Arnold well struck the deep sand. If the new pool proves to underlie a considerable area we shall progress by leaps and bounds instead of at the lower pace we are now maintaining—slow and sure.

Newcastle is well equipped to undergo rapid expansion, having advantages over many other oil centers of an important character. There is a main road here today, but a few miles over fairly good roads from the oil field, as at present marked by the Arnold and Graham wells, six miles apart, the former only four miles by air-line from the city.

There is no indication that the townsite will be invaded by the derricks of well drillers. The active territory

### EASTLAND FIELD IS EXTENDED SOUTH BY CONNOLLY NO. 2 WELL

EASTLAND, TEX., Aug. 2.—An extension of the Eastland field was opened up today when the Connolly No. 2 was brought in with an initial flow estimated at 2,000 barrels. The well is three miles south of Eastland.

### BEAVER-ELECTRA TO BUILD A PIPE LINE

ELECTRA, TEX., Aug. 2.—The Beaver Electra Refining Company will soon have begun the construction of a 4-inch pipe line from its plant here to Electra, a distance of about 18 miles, with a pumping station at the Burk end of the line, the cost to be around \$100,000.

Other additions are being made at the plant, which when completed, will bring the daily capacity up to 5,000 barrels. The new pipe line still, just completed, will bring the daily capacity up to 2,500 barrels within 10 days and the company hopes to have the plant up to the maximum within 90 days.

### OPERATIONS SUSPENDED ON WELL NEAR VERNON

VERNON, AUG. 2.—The Home Oil & Refining Company of Fort Worth have suspended operations on their well south of Vernon on account of a shortage of casing and rig irons. The company's Guy Waggoner No. 1 was 500 feet deep when operations were suspended several days ago while a depth of 500 feet had been attained on Paul Waggoner No. 1. A third location has been made and Guy Waggoner No. 2 is expected to be spudded in some time in the near future.

### WILBARGER-FOARD WELL GETS A BLAZE

VERNON, TEX., Aug. 2.—Gas escaping from Wilbarger-Foard well, located about a half mile from Rayland, was ignited about 10:00 o'clock Wednesday night and for several minutes a flame about 20 feet high issued from the mouth of the hole, according to reports reaching Vernon from that section yesterday morning. Ignition occurred when some of the drillers lighted a torch and held it over the well for the purpose of examining the casing. Residents in that section say the report was heard several hundred yards from the well.

Workmen who were standing near rushed away to a safe distance and no one was injured. None of the machinery was damaged.

Wooten Bros. of Fort Worth, who have the drilling contract for this well, have been rushing the work and have attained a depth of 300 feet, according to E. W. Rice, sales manager for the company.

### AMERICAN OIL AND GAS DRILLING SECOND WELL

The American Oil and Gas Company is drilling at 800 feet on their second hole in Block 59, Red River Valley Lands. The first hole was lost at 1642 feet, when a drill stem was broken off in the hole and the rig was skidded over and a new hole started.

If you want a real home call N. O. Monroe.

### MANY REALTY DEALS MADE DURING WEEK

#### Actively is Manifest on Every Side as Result of Influx of People.

(Staff Special to The Times.)

NEWCASTLE, TEX., Aug. 2.—From positive statistics indicate unprecedented activity in 24 hours is the tale of the realty market in Newcastle since 4:00 p. m. Wednesday. Before the office of the Perkins Townsite Company closed Wednesday afternoon, it had been disposed of, including several of the choicest unimproved business locations. During Thursday transactions were completed, mainly for residence property, embracing 140 lots.

The outstanding feature of this business is the fact that the townsite company has not advanced the price of residence lots, desiring to build up the town and induce people to make their homes here. Business property has been advanced but little, merely to equalize the unimproved with the value of adjacent improvements.

Our purpose is to encourage people to come here and help us build up the kind of a city it was originally planned to be," said Manager W. F. Nance today. "The price list of 10 years ago is now in effect for the major part, though of course we reserve the right to change at any time.

Of course as the choice locations are sold and improvements made, values will be enhanced materially. A temporary halt was called this morning, and the list withdrawn, but about noon the old prices were again made effective. Of course the property that has been sold by the townsite company is held by present owners at a considerable advance.

Inquiry for leases was active again Thursday, and several small parcels changed hands. The highest price paid, so far as learned, was \$135 per acre bonus, and the block was small. Many scouts are in the field investigating parcels under offer, but the price of the week, and a day are obtainable. The "mysterious stranger" tribe is numerous out on the country roads leading to the various drilling operations and centers, about the Arnold and Hog Town pools. Many new residences are being built with maps, compasses and prepared to sleep in the open, if necessary. The banks and realty offices are thronged with busy buyers and sellers, and the sidewalks here the active throng of townsite and lease salesmen, on the job from early to late.

The hotels have reached their normal limits, are bringing in city and about the Arnold and Hog Town residences throughout the city. And "the boom" is three days old.

A new hotel building is nearing completion, though it may not be ready for occupancy for 60 days. The structure is 75 by 100, two stories, of hollow tile and art brick, in modern design. The hotel is to contain 55 guest rooms, with connecting baths, hot and cold water and thoroughly equipped. The ground floor will be occupied by a moving picture theater, cafe, drug store and hotel lobby.

Plans have been prepared for a two-story building 25x50 feet in dimensions, to be erected by the "Masonic lodge of this city. The location is on the main street, half a block from the postoffice. The ground floor will be utilized for business purposes, with lounge rooms, etc., on the second floor.

Several new residences of attractive appearance have been erected, and others are now in course of construction and under contemplation, probabilities of the near future.

Activity continues. In the realty market continued without a halt to the close of the week. Sales of property by the townsite company to Friday night totaled over \$40,000 and the culmination of interest came with the announcement that all tractage owned by the company had been leased for a term of years for loading tracks and oil well supply storage. This clinched the nail of confidence that had been driving the week, and now the spirit of optimism has been fixed firmly—a town asset of much value.

Two concerns well known in the pipe line and refining business are looking into the possibilities, and have secured the assurance that their efforts will be met with warm support if they decide to locate in or near the city. Inquiries are flooding the city, and business opportunities offerings, both in the oil game and various lines of commercial business.

The answer is that every store in the city is occupied and their character obtainable. Stores must be built if new stocks of goods are to be opened up; buildings must be erected if hotels, restaurants, rooming houses, etc., are to be established, but that is a matter that will quickly adjust itself. Meantime the people are willing to open their homes to newcomers, everybody seemingly inclined to help out in the various circumstances and no disposition of profiteer has been in evidence to this time.

The business of the farmers, merchants and mining are not interrupted and regardless of the oil excitement the city is enjoying a healthy boom. The banks are disbursing from \$5,000 to \$10,000 a day to the farmers for wheat and the banks are open from 9:00 a. m. until the last load of grain is settled for.

Seventy-five cars have been shipped thus far this season, the smoke of threshers can be seen at dozens of points in the northern and every country road is dotted with grain land teams. The maturing feed crops of all kinds and the splendid stands of cotton visible along the railroad and country thoroughfares, betoken an unusual prosperity throughout Young county, and the section tributary to Newcastle compares most favorably with any other portion of Texas.

Driller's Notice. 50-50 contract in proven territory to parties owning rig and who can commence operation at once. I own the property and can deliver acre for sale. Terms if desired. J. Lee Costly, 703 Ohio-ave. 70-1tp

If you want property in Wichita Falls, look over N. O. Monroe's ads. 70-1tp

### PRESIDENT TO SPEAK AT CAMP MEETING

OLD ORCHARD, ME., Aug. 2.—President Wilson has accepted an invitation of the Old Orchard Meeting Association to deliver an address on the League of Nations at the camp ground on August 25, or three days later, it was stated today by an officer of the association. The grounds have a seating capacity of about 10,000.

On the large and steadily increasing list of its depositors, the National Bank of Commerce numbers many salaried men and women who make regular deposits in its Savings Department at 4 per cent compound interest. Such deposits, whether small or large, are heartily welcomed by the bank. 70-1tp

### CONTRACT HAS BEEN LET AND WORK STARTS ON WICHITA FALLS RANGER & SOUTHERN RAILROAD

Contract has been let and construction started on approximately 10 miles of the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Southern, according to an announcement made Saturday. This is that part of the railroad being built by Frank Kell and associates to the Ranger and Desdemona oil field lying to the south of Breckenridge. Contract for the remainder of the construction, between Breckenridge and Newcastle, will be let as soon as the survey between those points is completed.

Three surveying parties, under the direction of Col. J. R. Holman, chief engineer of the road, are now in the field rushing this survey to completion.

Newcastle is the present terminus of the Wichita Falls & Southern, to which the new line will serve as an extension.

Maney Bros. & Co., widely known railroad contractors, have the contract for the part of the line now under construction. The contract is constructed by this firm are the Wichita Falls and Northwestern, and the old Choctaw line which is now the Rock Island line through Oklahoma.

The material required for the new construction has been ordered and is in process of delivery. The construction work will be pushed with all possible dispatch. The contractors are said to have 234 teams now at work on the project and to have as many more within a few weeks.

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The new line will traverse practically all of the proven oil fields in Northwest Texas, among which are numbered many of the most wonderful pools in the United States.

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### PLAN LEGAL ACTION AGAINST COMPANIES WITH 50-50 DEALS

Legal action to compel promoters in a number of oil companies in the Burk Burnett field to assign their remaining interest in leases where companies have made 50-50 drilling contracts when the proposition was represented as a seven-eighths interest proposition in the sale of stock, may be taken following a meeting of the Oil Investors Association Friday night.

A movement in this direction was started at the conclusion of a warm discussion of the operations of certain promoters who have promoted five well known companies in the townsite pool, all of which drilled production on a 50-50 basis. Several affidavits were introduced to show that stock in these companies were sold on the representation that the companies would have seven-eighths interest in the lease.

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### LAKE MICHIGAN HOLDS BODY OF THREE PEOPLE - DROWNED ON FRIDAY

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Lake Michigan today held the bodies of three drowned yesterday at Chicago beaches. All were due to the heavy surge. Life Guard Thomas J. Craddock lost his life after fighting for four hours against the rolling waves. His boat was overturned off a breakwater. Several times he reached the edge of the breakwater, only to have his hold broken by the waves. Rene Bellive, 26, was swept off the pier and dashed to death by the waves against the pilings before help could reach him. Bruno Kruger was seen to sink off a down town beach.

Stop in at the National Bank of Commerce—one block from the post office—and get acquainted with its officers. A talk with them may reveal some distinctly helpful manner in which they can assist you in your business and financial matters. 70-1tp

Buckling Bath Tub. NEW YORK—Major H. W. Insley, has not seen a real porcelain bath tub while he was in France. He attempted to buy one on the transport Zeeland, but it bucked and broke two of the pier and dashed to death by the

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FOR RENT—Bedroom. 1909 Tenth-st. 70-3p

FOR RENT—Beds to gentlemen only; \$3.50 per week at 114 Jalonic. 70-3p

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ONE large front room furnished for light housekeeping to couple with children. 1000 Filmore. Phone 1275. 70-1p

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms. Call Sunday, 1700 1/2-16th-st. or phone 2168. 70-1p

LIGHT housekeeping room for rent in advance for man and wife without children, or not more than one child, at 1003 Travis-st. Phone 1660. 70-1p

FOR RENT—Modern furnished light housekeeping rooms. 300 Scott. 70-1p

FOR RENT—Furnished walking distance from light housekeeping, walking distance from light housekeeping, walking distance from light housekeeping. Apply 1004 Sixteenth-st. Phone 1000. 70-1p

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment; modern; on car line; for two or three weeks; to couple only. 1200 Broad-st. References exchanged. 70-1p

STEWART & VENS, building contractors. Leave job number at Moore & Richert R. A. Bailey, auto vacuum carpet and rug cleaning. Phone 1228. 60-61p

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS. FOR RENT—Two furnished bedrooms. 1415 Sixteenth-st. 60-61p

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms. 2007. 60-61p

FOR RENT—Two or three unfurnished rooms for rent in new house. Apply at Cash Garage and ask for Morrison for information Sunday morning. 70-1p

HOUSES FOR RENT. FOR RENT—5-room house, well furnished, close in on Tenth-st., near car line. Rent \$10.00 per month. Apply 1405 Tenth-st., between hours 8 and 9 p. m., or phone 551. 60-61p

HAVE 7-room house, close in, nicely furnished and good lease; will sell furniture and lease; a snap; good location for office or business. Phone 240. 60-61p

FOR RENT—Furnished new bungalow, 5 rooms, bath, two screened porches, garage, electric range, refrigerator, sink, hot water, etc. Call for location. 60-61p

FOR RENT—Eight-room house, 2 blocks from business part of town; buy furniture and get possession 1. once. Phone 2100. 60-61p

FOR RENT—Five-room furnished home with two sleeping porches. Will give immediate possession. 1210 Eleventh-st. Phone 1087 after 7 p. m. 70-1p

FOR RENT—Partly furnished, two-room house; nice sleeping porch on south, to nice people. At 1649 Kilbuck. 70-1p

FOR RENT—Four-room house with rent will suit. 1400 Tenth-st. Phone 1550. A real bargain. 70-1p

FOR RENT—Furnished five-room house, one bedroom reserved; also kitchen and dining room. Phone 1707. 70-1p

FOR RENT—A furnished house, close in, with all modern conveniences. Will rent to couple. 1400 Tenth-st. Phone 1550. A real bargain. 70-1p

FOR RENT—5-room house furnished to parties without children; references required. Apply at 412 Lamar-ave. 70-2p

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED. YOUNG MAN of refinement will pay ten dollars week for single room and board in central business part of town; breakfast included. Phone 1000. 60-61p

WANTED—Furnished house for 8 months business part of town; breakfast included; no children; best references. 60-61p

WANTED—Hall for school of music and dancing; rent for one year. Possession about September 1. Address M. L. Doan. 60-61p

WANTED—Furnished house or apartment; business exchanged. Phone 1433. 60-61p

WANTED—To rent garage or small rear building for storing, repairing, painting and manufacturing oranges, drugs, light and water must be close in. 60-61p

WANTED TO RENT—Two rooms suitable for doctor's office. Address Dr. J. W. Powers, Westland Hotel. 60-61p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in bath, modern conveniences. Phone 1576. 60-61p

FOR RENT—Partly furnished room, 1402 Scott-ave. 70-3p

TWO furnished rooms for 4 or 6 men; adjoins bath. 1415 1/2-16th-st. 70-3p

FOR RENT—Nice bedroom furnished; garage. Phone 2307. 70-3p

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, delightfully cool; one block west car line; off at K-ave. Reasonable rent. 2010 Buchanan-st. 70-3p

FOR RENT—Nice cool bedroom suitable for one, two or four men; privilege of bath; on car line. 1217 1/2-16th-st. 70-3p

FOR RENT—High class rooms for gentlemen, modern. 1500 Eleventh-st. Phone 487. 70-3p

FOR RENT—One large front bedroom for gentlemen only. 1308 Tenth-st. Phone 272. 70-3p

FOR RENT—2 1/2-rooms. 1306 Scott. Phone 1087. 70-3p

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FOR RENT—One nice cool bedroom joins bath. 1415 1/2-16th-st. 70-3p

FOR RENT—Seth bed. 1500 Filmore. Phone 2014. 70-3p

FOR RENT—Cool bedroom, connecting with bath, gentlemen or men and wife. 1119th. Phone 1708. 70-3p

FOR RENT—Refined gentleman, Southern association, Superior furniture, electric car line. 1204 Broad-st. Phone 2124. 70-3p

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room with garage. See R. K. Thornburgh, 716 Well-st. 70-3p

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished bedroom for one or two gentlemen. Phone 70-3p

ROOM for rent, \$5 per week. 1808 Eleventh-st. 70-3p

NICE cool bedroom for two girls. 1708 Eleventh. Phone 2211. 70-3p

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE. FOR SALE—By owner, furniture and lease of 13 rooms. 707 Austin-ave.; phone 2879. 60-61p

FOR SALE—Baby grand piano. \$10 Ninth-st. 60-61p

FURNITURE for Sale—Apply 1700 61 1/2-st. 70-2p

FOR SALE—Photograph, large size, wall-hung; highest offer takes it. 60-61p

GOD sold oak dining room suite for sale; excellent condition; early English; 8 pieces. E. G. Hill. Phone 225. 60-61p

ONE ICE BOX for sale or trade. Phone 1000. Call at 704 Burnett. 70-2p

FOR TRADE—Good piano and might pay reasonable price for good Ford car. 70-1p

FOR SALE—Furniture for two rooms, reasonable price for the piece. 1204 Seventh-st. Phone 2007. 70-1p

FOR SALE—Good gas stove, four burners, large oven and broiler, good bargain. Call for location. 60-61p

FOR SALE—New household furniture to sell. Can arrange so party buying can rent 6-room house with sale. Call at 800 Tenth-st. Phone 1707. 70-2p

FOR SALE—Seven large rooms of furniture, also good car. House for rent; reasonable price. Phone 1707. 70-2p

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous. FOR SALE—Cheap, one tent, boxed and floored, furnished for two. Inquire at 1004 Tenth-st. Phone 1707. 60-61p

FOR SALE—One acre of sorghum, sowed thick, fine; near Ft. Worth & Denver street pen. S. A. Haines. Phone 901016. 60-61p

ELBERTA peaches at McSpadden orchard, phone 9010. 12. 60-61p

ONE roller top desk, good as new; one table, 18-inch rubber bed 3 feet long; new chair; will sell at bargain. 1717 Triumphant. 60-61p

J. E. TEAT'S peaches at the orchard, 25c and 50c a bushel. Thornberry. 60-61p

FOR SALE—Good tent, floored and furnished, for two. Inquire at 1004 Tenth-st. Phone 1707. 60-61p

FOR SALE—Young yellow head parrot. 60-61p

WANT to sell barbeque and cold drink stand at Lake Wichita doing good business; if you are not afraid of work you can do business and make money. See W. L. Johnson, 1004 Tenth-st. Phone 1707. 60-61p

FOR SALE—Two tents, furnished or unfurnished. Mrs. Lving. 611 Lee-st. 60-61p

WE HAVE just received several hundred fly swatters; will be pleased to give them away; call at our office, 702 Tenth-st. O. W. Hines. 60-61p

FOR SALE—Three-room tent, floored, screened, gas, water, close in, good location; long lease on ground; for \$10 per month. A. T. Taylor, Marion Hotel. 70-1p

FOR SALE—Second-hand freight elevator and several good size boxes made of heavy material; also a large quantity of shipping machinery and are in first class condition and would be very useful in the home or office. Address Dr. J. W. Powers, Westland Hotel. 70-1p

FOR SALE—New tent 18x50, full 10 ft. C. foot, gas, water, poles and ropes included. Call at 1004 Tenth-st. Phone 1707. 60-61p

FOR SALE—Habbit, chickens, pigeons, bicycle and Smith motor wheel—cheap. 60-61p

Elberta peaches at orchard, 50c per bushel; one mile east and one mile north of Thornberry. E. P. Rans. 70-1p

FOR SALE—Cheap one tent, boxed and furnished, located on First and Indiana. Mrs. Weaver. 70-1p

BARGAIN—in gas engine, Fuller & Johnson gas engine, cylinder, in good running order. Will sell at a bargain. Apply at 602 1/2-16th, booth 16, or corner First and Indiana. 70-1p

FOR SALE—Tents, cots, chairs, light fixtures, pillows, blankets, etc. Tent City, between







# MAER IS APPOINTED SUPERINTENDENT OF DENVER AND VALLEY

O. E. Maer, superintendent of the Wichita Valley railway has been appointed as acting superintendent with the Port Worth & Denver railway. He relieves R. G. Fitzpatrick who has been away on an indefinite leave of absence for some time because of ill health. This is the first time that one man has served in the capacity as superintendent over the two lines. Mr. Maer's jurisdiction will now extend from Port Worth to Texline, and of the Valley. The new appointment became effective August 1.

# MARRIAGE CEREMONY IS ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN BY A "FAKE" MINISTER

Testimony that the defendant had gone through with a marriage ceremony with her, performed by a man introduced by the defendant as a preacher, all of which she had since been told by him was a fake, was given Friday afternoon by the prosecuting witness in the examining trial of Wilford White, charged with rape. The defendant was placed under a \$3,000 bond to await the action of the next grand jury by Justice R. V. Gwin.

# MAN ARRESTED IS WANTED IN DALLAS

Fred B. Crain was arrested Saturday by members of the sheriff's department on information that he was wanted on a felony charge at Dallas.

# ARREST IS MADE ON CHARGE OF FORGERY

Joe Westriter was arrested at Parkburnett Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Lee Carter on a charge of forgery.

# EXAMINING TRIAL ON A MANN ACT CHARGE

Earl Woods, charged with violation of the Mann act in transporting

# TILLMAN COUNTY ACREAGE

lease on 320 acres in 17-3-17. Must be sold I own and can deliver this week.

C. M. KEELER  
Phone 2494

# Tuesdays, Women's Day Swimming Pools

Every Tuesday for the rest of the season has been set aside at the Lake Wichita Natatorium for women and children exclusively. The water will be only 4 feet deep on these days and women and children will have exclusive use of the grounds from 6 a. m. until 6 p. m.

# Small Proven Lease

With a 50-50 drilling contract on it. Already closed. Actual drilling to commence soon. Sure of a gusher near south line of block 96 just a few hundred feet from the Waurika gusher reported making 4000 barrels.

Lyons & Kleinman, Owners  
703 1/2 Seventh Street, Room 5, WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS. Office open evenings.

# TEXAS CRUDE

Monarch of the Independent Companies. YOUR CHANCE! Oil is the supreme investment in the world today and Texas is the supreme oil field. Texas crude is the supreme opportunity for investment in oil in the Texas fields. It occupies dominant positions in the great fangier and Parkburnett pools. It already has paid two dividends. It has fourteen new wells under way now. Two of these are on the sand and should be brought in even before this ad gets into print.

# New Wells Mean More Dividends

Every new well means added earnings—means more income and more profit to be distributed among the stockholders. Your share in it. The price now \$2 a share but two can't guarantee to keep it there. Gushers govern the price. We expect the price to be \$3 in a few weeks and to go to \$10 as our fangier wells come roaring in this fall. We have over 50,000 Texas acres to develop. Big companies make big profits. Buy now. The opportunity is slipping by fast.

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# THIRTIETH TAKES RECESS FROM CRIMINAL BUSINESS

A recess for all criminal business has been taken by the 30th district court until August 25. The setting of cases to be taken up at that time will be announced during the coming week.

# CHARGE OF FORGERY AGAINST YOUNG MAN

Wilburn Rhymes, a young white man, was arrested by members of local police department and turned over to the county authorities on a charge of forgery. Rhymes is charged with forging a check on a local construction company and attempting to pass same at a local mercantile establishment.

# DR. STRONG TO OFFICE WITH DR. E. E. BAILEY

Dr. Thos. J. Strong, recently surgeon in the United States army in France and now a resident of this city, has secured temporary offices with Dr. E. E. Bailey, suite 4 in the Ward building, Eighth street near Ohio avenue. Consultations, surgical operations and the general practice of medicine will engage his attention at present. Consultations daily from 6 to 10 o'clock p. m. except Sunday.

Stop in at the National Bank of Commerce—one block from the post office—and get acquainted with its officers. A talk with them may reveal some distinctly helpful manner in which they can assist you in your business and financial matters.

Elbertas, while they last at 75c per bushel Rigby's Orchard, Thornberry.

# NO SUMMER SLUMP THIS YEAR SAYS FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

DALLAS, Aug. 2.—There has been practically no summer slump in trade and financial circles in the Eleventh federal reserve district this year, according to a summary of agricultural and commercial conditions compiled by W. F. Ramsey, federal reserve agent here, and made public today.

The agricultural position of the district, the review states, shows the effects of climatic conditions during the past six weeks, and what appeared to be an exceedingly favorable outlook for the cotton crop now seems to be below normal.

Heavy Business Reported. Heavy business is reported in both wholesale and retail trade, despite the gradual rise of prices. Grocers report the demand for luxuries and higher prices decreasing noticeably. Collections in both lines are reported "quite good."

Higher prices for raw material and labor and are meeting a demand for their products which is unusual.

The livestock situation remains good, although there is much complaint about decreased prices. The movement now, however, is rather light, and in some quarters prices for fat shipments are expected to be approaching winter and the heavy rains of the past six months have put all the ranges in good condition.

There seems to be a considerable diversity of opinion regarding present prices and a strong demand for lumber, but many of the principal mills report they are having much difficulty in filling orders from low stocks.

Industry has served to sustain trade throughout the usual dull period.

The wholesale dry goods trade still holds first place in its condition of prosperity, volume of business and outlook for the remainder of the year. The price situation in this line seems to have settled down into a well-defined conviction that there are no important changes in prospect.

The wholesale hardware business is in a somewhat conservative position, having had only normal sales for some time past.

Information now obtainable from wholesale drug circles is quite favorable, but the most noticeable reports in this regard are coming from those sections now being affected favorably by the petroleum industry.

The well known ability and integrity of the men directing the affairs of the National Bank of Commerce, and the genuine interest which those men have in the welfare of the bank's customers is the best assurance that you will always receive satisfactory service and unquestioned protection for your money.



The Adjuster C. P. HARVILL California Insurance Co. The Assured RICHARD STONE 606 Lee Street The Agent J. WILKIE TALBERT Stevens-Talbert Co.

### WE PAID THE FULL AMOUNT OF THE FIRE INSURANCE POLICY

On this Oldsmobile "8" only seven days from date of report of loss to the company and the proofs of loss had to go by mail to El Paso, Texas, and return within this time of one week. This is the kind of insurance service that our agency is noted for. This is but one single instance of the many automobile losses that we have paid during the years that we have been in the insurance business in Wichita Falls, but the opportunity for a photograph of this fire was good and we present to you this most forcible argument that we know for you to protect your investment in an automobile by insuring with us who specialize in automobile insurance of every character. For your better protection in any line of insurance see, "The Agency of Service."

# Stevens-Talbert Co.

Ground Floor First National Bank Bldg. Telephone 201.

## Small Proven Leases

South line block 96. A close neighbor to the Waurika and the Grey Gander gushers. Absolutely proven. A well here should bring \$250,000.00 out of production in 90 days.

Price, \$5,500.00 per lease—

Come up and talk it over.

We have the facilities and connections to serve you best.

We deliver.

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## Another FEDERAL 1 to 5 Tons

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### TWO WELLS NEAR TOWN OF HENRIETTA ATTRACT ATTENTION

ONE IS DRILLING AND THE OTHER IS GETTING READY TO DRILL.

NOW DRILLING AT 800 FEET

Location Three Miles South of Henrietta For a 4,500 Foot Deep Test.

Two wells near Henrietta, one drilling and the other getting ready for drilling are attracting much interest. One of these is the Miley Mining Co. on section 7, M. E. P. and P. R. H. Company on the A. B. Edwards ranch. This well is four miles north of Henrietta. It is now drilling at about 800 feet. It is between the town of Henrietta and the Petrolia pool and is said to be on a highly looking structure.

The other well is being drilled by the Gas company's well which will soon be drilling on block 31, of the Grava subdivision of the W. E. Collins and This location is three miles south of Henrietta and preparations are being made for a 4,500 foot test. Denver men are interested in the company.

National Oil Fields Company on Standfield ranch, Wiley Morse survey, fifteen miles northeast of Henrietta is drilling at 1,100 feet. Lugg & Saunders of Denver, Colo., are superintending the drilling of this well, and a thorough test will be made of all sands.

Peters-Yeager oil and Refining Company, on Poe Doughty ranch, northeast quarter section 21, Montague County school land, twelve miles northeast of Henrietta, is drilling at 150 feet.

Greenlee & Warren, on Tom Harrison farm, block 146, Byers Bros. subdivision, twelve miles northwest of Byers, are drilling at 1,200 feet. Southwest National Petroleum Company, on R. L. Ligon land, block 130, Byers Bros. subdivision, two miles northeast of Byers, is drilling actively. This rig is of the California type and one of the heaviest ever brought to the Clay County field. A twenty-two inch hole was started and the well will probably begin the latter part of this week. Location has been made two miles southeast for another well in order to test the gas under lease by the company from the Scaling ranch interests.

Weymann Oil Company is rigging up a Rotary on block 11, Stringer survey, Standfield ranch, fifteen miles northeast of Henrietta. Drilling will begin by July 15.

C. E. Drilling and associates of Tulsa, Okla., have derrick on the pipe on ground for test Peter Harness survey, Standfield ranch, twenty miles northeast of Henrietta. Drilling has been delayed on account of the high water in Red River. The Western Drilling Company has contract for drilling and will spend in within the next few days.

Cuba Dome Oil and Gas company has a derrick on the M. Cuba farm, nine miles northeast of Henrietta and will soon begin active operations.

Elias Pool Oil and Gas company has derrick on block 22, Angelina County school land, H. Boddy ranch, nine miles northeast of Henrietta. Drilling will be pushed forward on this well within the next few days.

H. H. Temple and associates have erected a derrick on block 44, Angelina County school land, H. Boddy ranch, ten miles northeast of Henrietta. Drilling will be pushed on this well within the next few days.

Eliana-Petrolia Oil company is building a derrick on W. Doughty lands, eighteen miles north of Henrietta.

Three miles west of July, the 380 Oil Company has a derrick on the Robert Elliott farm, and will drill to a depth of 2,000 feet. This company has been formed by Plumbers' Local No. 359 of Wichita Falls. Prudential Oil Company of Houston has derrick and tools on block 39, Kemp & Newby subdivision, George Keith lands, eleven miles west of Henrietta. Drilling are on the ground and the well will spud in Friday.

Luna Oil Company is erecting a derrick on block 43, Clark & Plumb

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Booth 11

### PLANNING TO DRILL WELL ADJOINING THE TOWN OF HENRIETTA

Special to The Times. HENRIETTA, TEX., Aug. 2.—During the current week a sum aggregating \$12,000 has been subscribed by numerous local people for the purpose of taking oil and gas leases on a large scale close in to Henrietta and later form a company to drill a well on it, within a mile of town.

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## CINCINNATI ADDS STRENGTH TO HOLD ON NATIONAL LEAD

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 2.—Cincinnati strengthened her hold on first place by beating New York again today, 6 to 4. Slates pitched one of his best games, allowing the giants only five hits. Benton made only five innings and Duouc, who succeeded him, was wild and ineffective. The Chicago bunched four hits off Benton after two men were out in the third inning, scoring three earned runs. In the sixth, Duouc walked Koush, the first man up, threw wild to first on Neale's sacrifice and then walked Kopf, filling the bases with no one out. Bressier forced Kopf at second, Roush scoring on the play. Neale was caught at the plate on Rariden's grounder to duouc but Salles tripped to right field driving in Bressier and Rariden. Koush's three bagger in the seventh was the longest hit made on the grounds this year, the ball bounding into the right field seats, but Umpire Klem refused to allow a home run on it.

It was Knight's Columbus day and before the game Governor Cox presented Manager Moran of the Cincinnati club, a member of the order, with a costly diamond studded watch and fob, and an order on a local jewelry house for Mrs. Moran. Manager McGraw of the Giants was also presented with a bouquet of flowers.

Score: New York .....000 000 000—0 5 4 Cincinnati .....003 003 002—6 9 1 Benton, Duouc and Snyder; Salles and Rariden.

**HERZOG PAYS LAST GAME WITH BOSTON**

PITTSBURGH, PA., Aug. 2.—Pittsburgh defeated Boston today 4 to 2. Herzog played his last game with the Boston, having been traded to Chicago for players Mann and Pick.

Score: Boston .....001 001 000—2 5 2 Pittsburgh .....000 000 04x—4 5 1 Fillingim and Gowdy; Cooper, Mayer and Blackwell.

**ERRORS LOSE GAME FOR ST. LOUIS TEAM**

ST. LOUIS, MO., Aug. 2.—A wild throw by Clemens to catch Konetchy, who had singled, stealing in the seventh, put the runner on third and Tornab's fumble of Ward's grounder allowed Konetchy to score the deciding run of Brooklyn's 3 to 2 victory over St. Louis today.

Score: St. Louis .....000 000 200—2 7 2 Brooklyn .....100 000 200—3 6 3 Cadore, Tuero and Smith; M. Wheat and Clemons.

**DOUBLE HEADER GOES TO PHILADELPHIA TEAM**

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Philadelphia defeated Chicago in both games of a double header today, winning the first game 2 to 1 in 14 innings and the second 4 to 2 in ten innings. As a result of the double victory the visitors advanced from last to sixth place in the league standing.

Score: First game: Phila. ....000 001 000 000 01—2 9 4 Chicago. ....000 000 100 000 00—1 9 3 Smith, Meadows, Alexander; Adams, Traggesser and Kill fer. Second game: Phila. ....000 000 300 1—4 12 2 Chicago. ....010 001 010 0—3 10 0 Rixey, Carter and Traggesser; Bailey and Ofarrell.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE. TIMELY PLACING HITS WINS FOR CLEVELAND**

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Cleveland took today's game from Washington, 12 to 6, by timely placing of hits, although outbatted by the locals.

Score: Cleveland .....203 030 310—12 10 2 Washington .....300 000 300—6 13 2 Myers and O'Neil; Erickson, Gill and Picinich.

**SECOND STRAIGHT GAME FOR ST. LOUIS BROWNS**

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Aug. 2.—St. Louis took its second straight game from Philadelphia here today, 5 to 2.

Score: St. Louis .....200 010 011—5 10 0 Philadelphia .....000 001 001—2 9 3 Sothoron and Severell; Rogers, Johnson and Perkins.

**BOSTON AND CHICAGO DIVIDE DOUBLE HEADER**

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—Boston and Chicago divided honors today, Boston winning the first game 5 to 3 and losing the second 10 to 1.

Score: Boston .....000 020 20x—5 11 0 Chicotte, Russell and Schalk; Musser and Schang. Second game: Chicago .....000 000 131—10 14 2 Boston .....000 100 00x—1 7 1 Williams and Schalk; Pennock and Walters.

**TEN INNING GAME IS ANNEXED BY DETROIT**

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Detroit defeated the New York Yankees here today in an exciting 10-inning game, 14 to 8. Hellman won the game in the tenth inning, hitting his second home run of the day with the bases full after Veach had been purposely passed. In the eighth inning Veach and Hellman hit home runs on successive pitchers.

Score: Detroit .....105 000 020 6—14 15 1 New York .....130 201 010 0—8 9 3 Leonard, Embry and Alramith; Quinn, Nelson and Ruel.

**TEXAS LEAGUE.**

At Houston 3, Dallas 9.  
At San Antonio 9, Fort Worth 1.  
At Galveston 8, Shreveport 6.  
At Pasmont 18, Waco 2.

**WESTERN LEAGUE.**

O'Lehorns City 5, Wichita 4.  
Joplin 3, Tulsa 4.  
Des Moines 7, Sioux City 2.

**SOUTHERN LEAGUE.**

New Orleans 2, Chattar 2.  
Memphis 4, Birmingham 1.  
Atlanta 4, Little Rock 4.  
Nashville 7, Mobile 3.

## SISLER IS LEADING AMERICAN LEAGUE; CRAVATH NATIONAL

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—George Sisler is now tamping with Ty Cobb's crown. Averages published here today show the St. Louis star leading the batters of Ban Johnson's circuit with an average of .361 while Cobb was in second place with .355. Veach, Detroit, was third with .351.

Gravvy Cravath, who has turned in to a manager and pinch hitter, was still heading the National Leaguers, not having done anything to decrease his average. His figures now are .352 with Hi Myers giving him a sort of battle at .325. Myer's teammate, Zack Wheat, was only one point behind.

Cleats leads the American League pitchers with 19 victories and 56 defeats. Sothoron, St. Louis, is second with 14 and 5, and Williams, Chicago, is third with 13 and 6.

The pitching honors in the National fall to Barnes of New York, who has won 16 and lost 4 games. Routhier, Cincinnati, is in second place with eleven and 3, while Tony, New York, stands third with 9 and 9.

Chicago is doing the best American League hitting as a club, having accumulated 375. Cleveland and Detroit follow in the order named.

The same order in the National League falls to New York with 279, with Cincinnati and Brooklyn following.

**WACO GETS FOUR MEN IN EXCHANGE FOR KOY LESLIE**

BEAUMONT, TEX., Aug. 2.—Charles Barrett, scout for the St. Louis Cardinals, was in Beaumont today to conclude the deal with the Waco club whereby the Cardinals get Roy Leslie, first baseman. According to Doc White, owner of the Waco club, he is to obtain four players for Leslie. Paske, a youthful first baseman, is one of the players White is to receive. He will report to the club when it reaches San Antonio Monday. The others will report next season.

**PLAN MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR JUNE CASS**

DES MOINES, IOWA, Aug. 2.—Arrangements were completed today to hold special public memorial services here August 19, at the Western League baseball park in honor of June Cass, Des Moines outfielder, who died recently following an attack of tonsillitis. Cass was the leading base stealer of the Western League.

**KANSAS CITY WOMEN WIN TENNIS DOUBLES**

KANSAS CITY, MO., Aug. 2.—Defeating Miss Katharine Voorhes of Evanston, Ill., and Miss Carrie B. Neely, Chicago, in a hard fought 2 set match, Miss Marjorie Hires and Miss Evelyn Seavey, both of Kansas City, won the women's doubles championship of the western tennis tournament this afternoon the scores were 7-5, 4-6, 7-5.

**HERZOG NOW MEMBER OF CHICAGO NATIONALS**

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Charles (Buck) Herzog, star infielder of the Boston Nationals, today became a member of the Chicago American League team as the result of a deal in which Leslie Mann and Charles Pick, infielders, are exchanged for the eastern player. Herzog will report to the Chicago team tomorrow.

**JOHNSON TO DISCUSS SUSPENSION OF MAYS**

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—Jacob Rupert, president of the American League club, was informed today by Ban Johnson, president of the League, that he would arrive in New York next Monday to discuss with owners of the New York club the indefinite suspension of Carl Mays, acquired by New York from the Boston Americans.

**BOARD OF MANAGERS CONFEDERATE HOME REFUSE TO RESIGN**

AUSTIN, Aug. 2.—Five members of the board of managers and the superintendent of the Confederate home refused to resign their positions as was recommended in a committee report adopted by the house during the recent special session of the legislature.

**TEXAS AVIATORS CLUB WILL MEET IN WACO ON SATURDAY, AUG. 9TH**

WACO, TEX., Aug. 2.—The Texas aviators club will meet in Waco Saturday, August 9, to consider a proposal which will be presented to the War Department looking to the establishment of an aero service in connection with the Texas National Guard. Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth and Wichita Falls will be represented at the meeting and the delegates will be the guests of the local flight. The national guard has its cavalry and artillery branches and it is now proposed to add the airplane service branch.

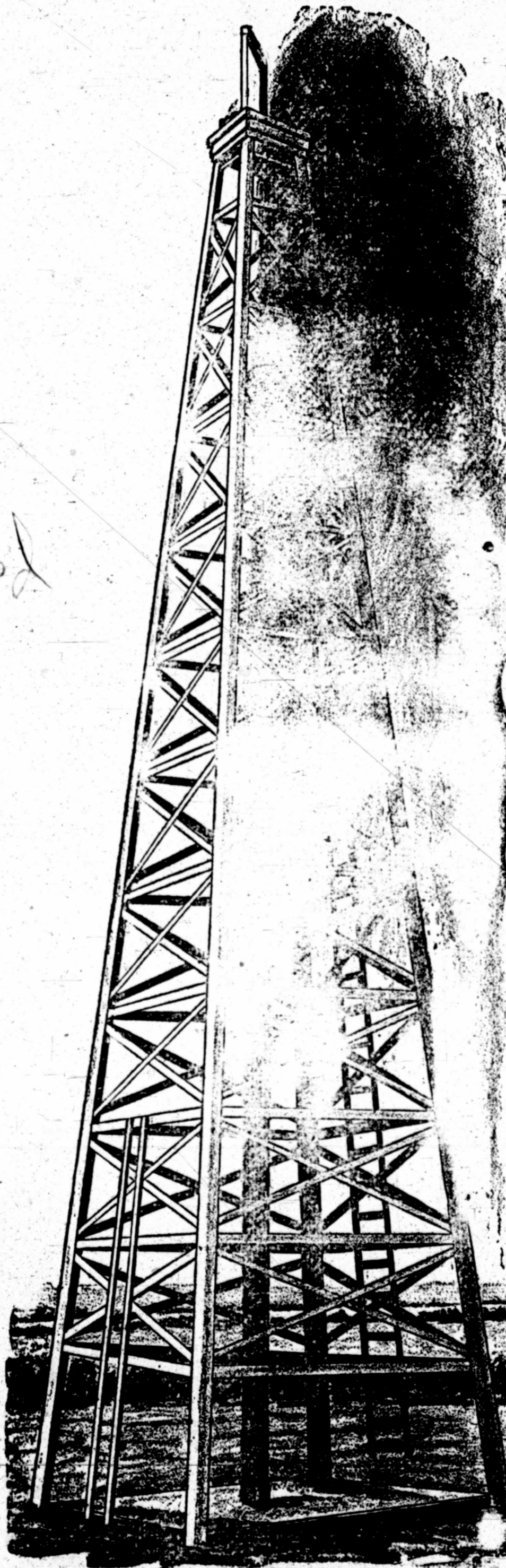
**Exchange to Be Closed.**

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The exchanges here and in Liverpool will be closed Monday.

If you want property in Wichita Falls, look over N. O. Monroe's ads. 70-119

# EAST WICHITA WELL Next Big Sensation

## Opportunity right at your door. Only three and one half miles East of Wichita Falls



This well is being financed and drilled by shrewd oil men. Started with a 20-inch hole and prepared to go as deep as the Newcastle well, 4,600 feet. Most everyone in Wichita Falls is anxious to see this well come in; it means Hundreds of Millions in DOLLARS, and a hundred thousand population for Wichita Falls.

This well was started after a careful survey was made by three world famed Geologists. IT IS CLAIMED that this well is on a DOUBLE STRUCTURE dipping southeast and northwest. One of the Geologists thought so well of the proposition that he bought an interest in the Company.

## This Well is a Guarantee Deep Test

### Money in the Bank to Finance it

**FORTUNES ARE MADE IN ACREAGE BEFORE A WELL COMES IN.** We are offering acreage close up to this famous well and positively on the same structure for \$75.00 per acre. Acreage in Burk Burnett that sold for \$30,000.00 had no better chance than the acreage around East Wichita, today at \$75.00. NOW is the time to buy, don't wait until this well comes in. Don't be like the fellow who tells everyone he meets that he could have bought acreage around Burk Burnett for a song before the Fowler well came in.

It won't be long before this well is in, as she is down about 1,200 feet and already drilled through three oil sands. The next sand is expected at from 1,600 to 1,800 feet when they may strike a gusher, then it will be too late for cheap acreage around this well. BUY NOW. TODAY. Five acres may make you rich.

Send for a descriptive map and the story about East Wichita and why it should be the next big oil sensation.

Cut this out and mail to **The G. S. Keller Oil Co.,** Dept. 5, 721 1-2 Ohio Ave., upstairs. Phone 174.

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WICHITA FALLS STYLE & QUALITY STORE



The demand for Fall Wearables has been insistent for some time and this week we are in a greater measure able to serve our patrons needs. Women who are planning vacations naturally wish the new and authentic styles before going on their trip. We are prepared to gratify their desires. Summer wearables are here to care for one's immediate needs and are now marked at the very lowest prices.

This store is alert to serve you with the newest Midsummer Merchandise and the very latest in early Fall Merchandise.

We are enthusiastic over the stunning new Fall Suits, Dresses and Coats that are arriving daily. Our buyers have selected apparel of the utmost individuality and style perfection and we can safely say that in a few weeks' time our stocks will fill every demand of the most exacting shoppers. From the garment of moderate price to the most exclusive models our Fall Stocks will represent the very best we can obtain in clever style, variety of selection and good value, and will surpass any showing made since we have been in business.

Viewing the new things as they arrive will be of interest to you and a pleasure to us.

## NEW FROCKS FOR FALL

Our Ready-to-Wear Section is receiving new shipments of everything new in Dresses for Fall wear. We have them in Satins, Charmeuse, Crepe Meteor, Crepe de Chine, plain and Moire Taffeta and combinations of different materials. In colors of taupe, pekin, Burgandy, navy, Japan blue, and brown, with all the new trimmings. Prices range from **\$22.50 to \$75.00.**

Dresses fashioned of Wool Jersey, Tricotine, Serge and Tricolette are here, too, in a wonderful range of colors and the very latest styles of the East are represented in this wonderful showing.

Moderately priced from **\$22.50 to \$75.00.**

## SUMMER ORGANDIE AND VOILE DRESSES AT A FOURTH OFF

- Girls' and Misses' \$12.50 values, reduced to ... **\$9.35**
- Girls' and Misses' \$15.00 values, reduced to ... **\$11.25**
- Girls' and Misses' \$17.50 values, reduced to ... **\$13.10**
- Girls' and Misses' \$20.00 values, reduced to ... **\$15.00**
- Girls' and Misses' \$22.50 values, reduced to ... **\$16.85**
- Girls' and Misses' \$25.00 values, reduced to ... **\$18.75**
- Girls' and Misses' \$27.50 values, reduced to ... **\$20.60**
- Girls' and Misses' \$30.00 values, reduced to ... **\$22.50**

### WHITE WASH SKIRTS

Reduced for This Week's Selling Wash Skirts in materials of Cotton Tricotine, Surf Satin and other popular materials for summer wear. —Youthful types with rippling, fullness, but tailored lines. —Pocketed and buttoned in many instances with large white pearl buttons for ornamentation. —The kind that do not lose their lines after being laundered.

- \$ 4.50 values reduced to.....**\$3.95**
- \$ 5.00 values reduced to.....**\$4.05**
- \$ 6.00 values reduced to.....**\$4.95**
- \$ 6.50 values reduced to.....**\$5.45**
- \$ 7.50 values reduced to.....**\$6.15**
- \$ 8.50 values reduced to.....**\$7.45**
- \$10.00 values reduced to.....**\$9.95**



**FLUTTERING** Sashes and softly Feminine Tucks mark the New Summer Frocks.

There is an infinite variety of truly adorable models in

**PICTORIAL REVIEW PATTERNS FOR AUGUST**

**Millinery Special**—One lot of Ladies' Hats for Summer wear, new colors, new styles, new and best shapes, values to \$12.50. Special for Monday **\$1.00**

**Ladies' Silk Hose Special**—One lot of Glove Silk Hose in white, regular \$3.75 value. Special for Monday **\$3.29**

**Remnants**—Large assortment of Remnants of materials selected from all departments. We will make a special effort to have a very large display and then you will find wonderful values. Special for Monday **One-Half Price**

**Special in the Shoe Section**—Ladies' Patent Leather and Kid Pumps, \$3.00 to \$3.50 values. Special for Monday **75c**  
Men's Oxfords, values from \$4.00 to \$6.00. Special for Monday **\$3.65**  
Boys' Oxfords, values to \$3.50 and \$4.00. Special for Monday **\$2.55**

**Men's Suits in Palm Beach and Cool Cloth**, best styles, waist line and conservative models, colors brown, tan and shades of green. \$22.50 values. Special for Monday **\$16.45**

**Men's Dress Shirts**, good patterns, best quality materials, \$2.50 values. Special for Monday **\$1.95**

**Men's Khaki Shirts**, good quality Poplin, a splendid value at \$1.50. Special for Monday **\$1.29**

**Men's Union Suits**, a good value at \$1.50. These are athletic style. Special for Monday **\$1.29**

**Boys' Straw Hats**, all black—\$2.00 value. Special for Monday **\$1.65**

\$3.00 value. Special for Monday **\$2.25**

\$3.50 value. Special for Monday **\$2.75**

One lot of **Men's Socks**, 85c and 90c grade. Special for Monday **75c**

### SPECIAL SALE OF LADIES' WHITE VOILE WAISTS

A wonderful assortment of WEL-WORTH, WIRTHMORE and WIRTH-OVER BLOUSES, on sale Monday and Tuesday.

Many good things might be said about these new Blouses; it can only be summed up, however, in the statement that they are made by the L. N. Gross Co., makers of the only waist of this kind. There are only three prices in this line and every one a bargain.

- Wirthover Waist, \$1.00 values. Special **89c**
- Wirthmore Waist, \$1.50 values. Special **\$1.29**
- Welworth Waist, \$2.50 values. Special **\$2.05**

**WHAT** smartness lies in the well-cut Gingham Frock is shown by

### Pictorial Review

Designers. Ever so many Charming Styles in the **AUGUST PATTERNS**

## AUTUMN MILLINERY

The smartest creations in distinctive headwear are now on display in our Millinery Section. In loveliest modes to please the most fastidious. An early inspection is cordially invited. Clever individual styles of Velvet, in small and medium shapes. Some in combinations of Crepe and rich Silks, others smartly trimmed with ornaments, embroidery and ostrich. These modes are in brown, navy, black, taupe, Pekin and combination colors. Priced **\$5.00 to \$25.00.**

Attractive modes fashioned of Panne and Paon Velvet and Beaver. In combinations of Silk and Velvets. The favored Fall shades are represented, also navy and black. These modes are appropriate for street and dress wear. Priced **\$10.00 to \$25.00.**

Tailored and elaborate models in fine grades of Paon, Panne and Lyons Velvet, Duvetyne and Moire Silk. **\$8.50 to \$25.00.**

In fabric combinations and solid colors. In most attractive shapes. You must see these Hats to appreciate their beauty. Priced **\$8.50 to \$25.00.**

Lovely Hats fashioned of rich Silk Velvet for dress wear. Smartly trimmed with ostrich, metallic stitching, etc. In large and medium shapes. Priced at **\$8.50 to \$25.00.**

Feather Hats—A wonderful assortment of Feather Hats in turbans, all the new colors for Fall wear. Priced **\$10.00 to \$22.50.**

## New Arrivals in Summer Footwear QUEEN QUALITY

We know you will welcome the announcement that we have received additional shipments of Summer Footwear.

Our range of sizes has been materially enlarged and the styles are now more varied than they have been for some time.

Very stylish and fashionable Pumps in Black Satin, Kid and Patent leather. Patent Leather Pumps, full Louis heel, a splendid value at.....**\$11.00**

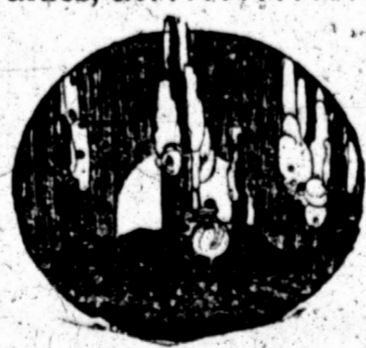
Black Kid Pumps, full Louis heel.....**\$11.00**

Black Satin Pumps, full Louis heel.....**\$11.00**

We have a limited number of White Reinskin Pumps and Oxfords that will be put out at a special price for this week.

Pumps, \$7.50 values, at.....**\$6.25**

Oxfords, \$8.00 values, at.....**\$6.75**



## BATHING SUITS REDUCED FOR THIS WEEK'S SELLING

Bathing Suits in the very best colors and combinations. Specially reduced for this week.

Men's Bathing Suits, \$2.25 values, reduced to ... **\$1.75**

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All Ladies' Bathing Suits and Caps go at **One-Fourth Off**

### WASH SKIRTS, WHITE AND COLORS, WILL BE SOLD AT A GREAT SACRIFICE

We have a limited number of Wash Skirts in white and colors that must be moved out in order to make room for new merchandise. There are Skirts in this lot that are worth up to \$6.50. In order to clean them up, we will sell them Monday at.....**98c**



THE WICHITA DAILY TIMES

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CYCLE OF INCREASING PRICES.

Where will the cycles of increasing prices of wages and commodities land us? And when the cycle is completed when will another start?

These are some of the vital questions that grow out of the situation arising from the increased cost of the necessities of life and the demands for higher wages.

The railway brotherhoods are asking for increased wages for their members. Doubtless they will be able to show that increases are justified by increased living costs.

Wage earners and everybody else, The Times believes, would welcome a stabilization of wages and the prices of the necessities of life.

INVITING PLACE, BUT SUCH A ROAD.

During the hot weather the one cool, inviting spot close to Wichita Falls is Lake Wichita.

The condition of the road to the lake at this time makes a trip to this refreshing spot entirely too hazardous.

Too many deep holes in the lake road exist. This is due to many things. Wear and tear for one thing.

Some of these holes are in the city proper. Some are in the country. A couple of teams can put this road in good shape for dry weather use in a very short time.

Messrs. Authorities, your attention is invited to this condition.

THE AMERICAN AGE. An English Journalist, Frank Dilnot, says of us after a visit of two and a half years that we are slowly but surely developing into a race, distinctive

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

A MAN MUGHT LOOK NACHUL ROUN' HOME WID OLE CLOES ON, BUT DE TROUBLE BOUT 'IM WEARIN' 'EM WAY FUM HOME, DEY MAKES 'IM LOOK JES' A LEELE TOO NACHUL !!!



OUT OF LUCK



Carl Meyer

Tabloid Sermon

THE PORTRAIT OF JESUS.

In the Revelation of John and the Prophecy of Isaiah is to be found the strong strokes of a portrait that all of us shall see in reality at that day!

Look again: "With twain he covered his face" and see reverence! Here is the unseemly spirit that impels us to reverence as sacred the virtues of life, honor, character and a good name.

Look again: "With twain he covered his feet" and behold service, the quiet deep power in the heart that puts self last and others first.

Do you in your following drag the train of petty pride, selfish jealousy, insane lust, unjust living or what? The word on your lip is as good as the walk of your life—no more, no less!

In this day of ours, the day of so-called peace with all of the aching problems of reconstruction not only is there a restless spirit of feverish activity, but there is also an irreverent arrogant spirit abroad in all the land.

How do we need to hold before the eyes of our understanding this vivid word portrait of Jesus who is called the Christ that we may become like Him. It is a sweet fact of life that men and women long wedded in the ties of a sacred love become like each other.

How potent is vigorous and confident youth, the hope of our race! And youth an vigor are the chief national characteristics.—Denison Herald.

All kinds of real estate. See Wolfe Brothers, 2010 Kemp Blvd. We have all of the real estate in town, but we have lots of it and we will try and give you good service. Phone 1347. 65-tfc

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

SUGGESTS HOSPITAL AS A SUITABLE MEMORIAL

Editor The Times: Our conflict with the Central Powers has been brought to a successful conclusion after nineteen months of war.

Let us assume that Wichita wants to build a memorial, then our next thought is what form it shall take. Many cities have erected statues, arches, works of art that called forth the combined skill of labor, art and genius.

Some mention has been made of building a Y. M. C. A. and now I suggest the idea of a modern well equipped hospital as our memorial.

No undertaking in this progressive city of ours has ever yet failed, and shall we let the subject of our memorial pass from notice?

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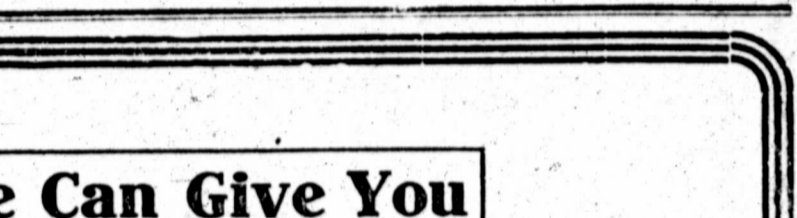
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adequate. Our city is increasing in population and the demand for hospital services is growing imperative. Why not furnish a means whereby Wichita Falls may serve the sick and afflicted, setting aside a ward for the use of all ex-soldiers and dedicating the whole as our form of memorial? M. M. WALKER, M. D.

Young Men's Clothes That Satisfy

Young men know exactly what they want in clothes, yet they're not hard to satisfy. We've made a study of them; know what they're looking for; we get it for them; put the fairest prices on it; guarantee their satisfaction.

Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes for young men fill the bill; waist-seam models; double breasted styles; new fabrics.



Why We Can Give You Good Service: We have the very latest and best equipment that it is possible to buy. Call and see the latest model of Burroughs Bookkeeping Machines. The only ones in Texas. Before starting on your vacation get a supply of Travelers Checks. Cashable anywhere without identification. City National Bank

Westinghouse COOL HOMES FOR BETTER HEALTH. Make your home a real pleasure these intensely sultry days. Put a Westinghouse Fan in every room—kitchen, dining room and bed rooms. Be comfortable at your meals, at your work, at your rest. Westinghouse Fans for the home will do it. Comfort, coolness, convenience—make it your practice this Summer.

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HEADLINE HISTORY WORLD WAR

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1914 German army crosses Luxembourg, invades France—Ultimatum to Belgium demands free passage—Russia crosses German border—King George signs Proclamation of Moratorium—England and France establish censorship over all cables.

1915 British submarines sink four ships—Germans bring huge siege guns to bear on Warsaw—Germany answers U. S. note in Frye case, combats our arguments—President summons "A B C" Ambassadors to discuss Mexican question—German press mocks Lusitania dead; predicts no reparation.

1916 Sir Roger Casement executed in London for high treason—French advance in Verdun drive—Six Zeppelins raid English coast—German General Hindenburg placed in command of entire eastern front; Russians flanking Teuton Armies—"Peace" meetings at 35 German cities; speakers urge revival of submarine war.

1917 British labor threatens cabinet crisis—Crisis in French cabinet—Germans fight vainly for ground lost in Flanders—Kaiser summons war council—Halg gains again at Ypres—Russia renounces pledges to Allies; now retreating in north; Korniloff succeeds Brusiloff as commander-in-chief.

1918 Americans sweep on; French enter Soissons; gain 2 to 5 miles on whole Marne Salient—Germans speed their retreat, burning towns, abandon River Crise and Chaudun Plateau.

from any other race, ancient or modern. In other words, we are told that instead of continuing as an assortment of races living together in one country, we are gradually blending into one, new and different.

We owe our original origin for the most part to Great Britain, and we are still indebted to her for our language and most of our laws and customs.

How, then, does the new American race differ from the old Anglo-Saxon? The chief difference lies in qualities of mind and in the expression of mental activity.

The American is given to pointed and witty expression. He is lively, resourceful, always on the qui vive, always keenly interested in novelties and ready to try new ways and new implements.

The Englishman turns naturally to softer forms of thought and expression. He is quiet when an American is lively. He is apt to be a closer and deeper thinker, and he prefers thoroughness in executing old methods to experiment with the new.

The American race is faster in action than any other. It plans and executes with greater facility and rapidity. This is due to two great underlying influences in national life. 1. Unfettered privileges for individual advancement and achievement; 2. Unprecedented opportunities for organizing and developing the resources of a great country.

These causes have quickened and inspired the national mind. In America, any youth may go as far as his abilities warrant. Caste does not fetter him. The stimulating influence of this greater opportunity enlivens and enriches American life, character and personality to an almost incalculable degree.

While the national conscience still reflects the influence of the Pilgrim fathers, the American race must own to many imperfections. The melting pot has a scum. We are young and a bit raw, crude and unpolished. As the race matures, we shall put a greater valuation upon the less showy but more worthwhile virtues; a truer and deeper culture of mind and heart, more temperate speech, a higher quality of intellectual honesty, more generous judgments, more thorough-going knowledge of mankind and world affairs.

It is easy to distinguish members of the American race from others in a foreign capital, like London. Americans appear more hopeful, more receptive to impressions, more democratically inclined to make friendships. They go about in an atmosphere of bright-eyed anticipation, as though expecting each moment to step into some fateful new adventure.

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THE SCIENCE OF BEING USEFUL

Business is the state of being busy.

American Business is the entire American people in the business of providing itself with a living.

Only through the usefulness of all can everything be done which must be done and everyone rewarded who does it.

THE AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK, like other American institutions, interprets its mission as more than the mere science of making money.

It realizes the surest way to make money is to prove its usefulness; that the more useful a business is the more successful it must be, because it is a greater benefit to mankind.

The splendid progress the American National Bank has made since it opened for business February 10, 1919, is a measure of the quantity and quality of its usefulness—of the number of people it helps and the number of ways and degrees in which it benefits them.

The American National Bank "The Bank Service is Building"

R. S. NIXON, President. F. L. M'COY, Active Vice-President. H. G. BURLEW, Cashier. H. MATHEWSON JR., Asst. Cashier. L. Z. BROWN, Asst. Cashier.



# NEW ARRIVALS FOR FALL

## *Furs, Coat Suits and Dresses*



Mr. Mack Taylor, who returned from New York a few days since, says: "Every fur dealer of prominence is convinced that there will be a shortage in the supply of genuine furs for the coming Winter season. Fur buyers were in New York from all over the world, buying heavily in anticipation of the shortage and the consequent advance in prices which they consider inevitable. I plunged on the fur market and secured a wonderful assortment of Capes, Animal Scarfs, Stoles, Ball Muffs and Coats in Seal, Sealine, Marmot, natural Raccoon, Fox, and Siberian Wilfox. Furs will advance soon. The time to buy your Furs before that advance comes."

## FURS ON DISPLAY MONDAY!



Monday morning we will have on display Hudson Seal and Sealine Stoles, also capes and shawl effects of the same material. Taupe grey coney coats, marmot, natural raccoon, poiret fox, vampire fox, taupe fox, natural red fox, Russian black fox, black Siberian wool fox and many other rare furs

*They are well worth seeing. It will pay you to buy furs now. They will be much higher in the fall*



### *A Full Line of Coat Suits and Dresses*

#### "What Are We Going To Wear This Fall?"

A visit to this store will answer this question. Here are the very first of the new and authentic Coats, Suits and Dresses, marvels of modishness, many of them simple in mode and trimming—others rich in embroidery or button and braid trimmings.



#### Tailored Lines Are Popular

And no wonder Fashion and smart women are unanimously in favor of tailored lines. They know what marvels of modishness Tricotines, Serges, Broadcloth and Silvertones become under this treatment. We have them in all these materials and the new modes and trimmings are worth your inspection.

We selected this line from the new, fresh stocks of the largest manufacturers in the United States and guarantee to you that every model is a new one.

#### SILK UNDERWEAR

Fashion decrees Silk Underwear and we have an alluring assortment in white, flesh tint and other shades. There are Teddies, Camisoles, Slumber Robes. A bewildering assortment of Kimonas.



## MACK TAYLOR'S

### *Department Store*

812-814 Ohio Ave.

Phone 184



MORE THAN TWENTY MILLION FRUIT JARS SHIPPED THIS YEAR

EIGHT HUNDRED CARS HAVE GONE OUT FROM BALL BROS. FACTORY.

EXPECT RUSH TO CONTINUE

Dealers inclined to wait until Demand for Supply for Immediate Use.

Twenty millions, one hundred and sixty thousand glass jars, made in Wichita Falls at the Ball Brothers Jar Factory, have already been sent all over Texas this year, to be filled with a part of the bumper crop of fruit and vegetables, and play an important part this winter in cutting down the well known high cost of living, and more jars are being shipped each day. Tom B. Smock, the manager of the local factory, has already shipped out 300 cars of fruit jars, containing an average of 2,100 dozen jars, assorted in the proportions of 15 per cent pints, 50 per cent quarts and 35 per cent half gallons. Since May 1 the demand from Texas wholesalers, especially in South and East Texas has been so heavy that the Wichita Falls factory has kept fired up and running at top speed all the time, and has even at that been only able to supply the Texas demand. Hitherto shipments have been made to numerous out of state points from the local factory.

Truck Load Up. Saturday morning a big truck went to the Ball Bros. factory and loaded up with jars to go to Burk Burnett, where in spite of the oil fever the housewives are thriftingly putting up their fruit crops and some vegetables. This was the second load to go from the factory direct this week, the wholesalers not being able to supply the great demand in the oil town by rail shipments. Quite frequently hurry calls come from one of the local wholesale houses and a truck will load up at the factory, not waiting for a car to be loaded and shipped.

Northwest Texas is just beginning to preserve and sell and can, as the big fruit and vegetable crop is just coming in, and from this time on until September 1, and even later, Mr. Smock is anticipating the big rush from Wichita Falls and adjoining country. The wholesalers and retailers alike are waiting until the orders come in, as with a factory handy it is not necessary to try to anticipate the demand and lay in a heavy stock. So when the commence shipping their orders in it means "hitting 'em up" for all concerned, and short sleeping hours for the manager, who is thankful that the East and South Texas fruit and vegetables mature earlier than those in North and West Texas, so that the rush is sort of spread out, instead coming in all at once, as that would mean swamping certain.

"Ideal" is Popular. Outside the enormity of the demand from Texas this year, the feature of the fruit jar trade is the increased popularity of the "ideal" jar, made by Ball Bros. Mr. Smock states. The old reliable Mason jar, with the screw on metal cap, is being rivalled in favor strongly by the new model jar, with the glass stop that snaps on and seals automatically. There is still a great demand for the metal cap jars, despite the extra elbow grease that is needed.

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AMUSEMENTS

PLAZA AIRDOME CALENDAR.

Monday and Tuesday: Marion Davies in "Getting Mary Married." Wednesday and Thursday: Elvidge in "Social Pirate." Friday: "The Witch Woman." Saturday: "Words and Music."

EMPRESS CALENDAR.

Monday and Tuesday: Louise Huff in "Oh, You Women." Wednesday: George Walsh in "Putting One Over." Thursday: Billy Rhodes in "Search of Arcady." Friday: Theda Barra in "A Woman There Was." Saturday: Dorothy Gish in "Nugget Nell."

CALENDAR FOR GEM.

Monday: Marvel Walcamp in "The Red Glove," also good Vitograph Comedy. Tuesday: Lillian Gish in "The Little of the Rose," also good comedy. Wednesday: Carmel Myers in "The White Savage," also "Mutt and Jeff Comedy." Thursday: Harry Morey in "The King of Diamonds," also Universal Current Events. Friday: Wm. Russell in "High Play" also "The Iron Test." Saturday: L-Ko Comedy and Bison Western Feature, also Hearst News.

MAJESTIC CALENDAR.

Monday: Hale Hamilton and Marguerite Snow in "In His Brother's Place." Tuesday: Monroe Salisbury in a six part Jewel special "The Men in the Moonlight." Friday: Alice Brady in "His Bridal Night." Thursday: Anita Stewart in "Mary Regan." Friday: Jack Pickford in "Bill Apperson's Boy." Saturday: Ben Hilson, Neva Gerba and Rosemary Theby in "When a Woman Strikes."

"THE SOCIAL PIRATE" AT THE PLAZA THURSDAY

"The Social Pirate," the new World-Picture, stars June Elvidge, the famous and immensely popular actress, in a strongly emotional and dramatic story. June is seen in the character of Jose Fernandez, a young anarchist, the orphaned daughter of a refined South American paragon who comes to the United States to make her living and to try to win fame and fortune for herself. In making this attempt she runs into all sorts of thrilling, surprising adventures and also falls in love.

The Plaza airdome takes pleasure in presenting to its patrons "The Social Pirate" for showing on Thursday, and it takes added pleasure in inviting all those who are looking for the best in screen entertainment to see this production at this time. Miss Elvidge is superb in the role of Dolores as it is just the sort of a role that fits her to perfection. She is also supported by a super excellent company including Allan Edwards, who is seen in the role of her leading man, George MacQuarrie, and others.

"GETTING MARY MARRIED" ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY

An amusing and entertaining high class comedy, "Getting Mary Married," is offered by Select Pictures on Monday and Tuesday at the Plaza airdome, as Marion Davies' latest vehicle.

"Getting Mary Married" is the story of Mary, step-daughter of the ultra-wealthy John Bussard. He has kept her a prisoner in his large, elegantly furnished house and has branded every girlish impulse as "unlady-like." He does not think she has enough fitness, as yet, to appear in the world as a Bussard. He dies, and at the reading of the will it is learned that Mary inherits his entire fortune on the condition that she goes to Boston to live with his brother's family—the Bussards of Boston—for one year, so as to acquire a "little more veneer."

Mary has no intentions of being held in subjugation for another year. She decides to go out into the world and make her own living. Just as she

is about to leave the house, however, the maid ushers in a poor widow, who asks Mary if she will not give her back some of the money Bussard took from her and lost in speculation. Mary has no money that she can call her own and knows that she will never be able to earn enough to pay the widow back, so she decides to go and live with the Bussards of Boston for one year and thus return the money to the widow.

The Bussards of Boston—aristocratic but with little money—know the will stipulates that if Mary leaves their home on marries before the year is up, the entire fortune is to go to them. How they do all in their power to make life miserable for Mary and how she stands her ground and wins the catch of the season—the man the Bussards have been trying to capture for their own daughter—is all very amusingly told in this delightful comedy of aristocracy and youth.

MARGUERITE SNOW SUPPORTS HAMILTON IN METRO PICTURE

Among the players whom Metro has engaged to support Hale Hamilton in the screen version of Mr. Hamilton's story, "In His Brother's Place," is Marguerite Snow at the Majestic Monday. It is some time since Miss Snow has appeared under the Metro banner.

A character actress whose stage experience dates back to a time before many of us spoke our first words is intrusted with the lovable part of the mother of the star in Hamilton's new story, "Ruby La Fayette" is her name. Among some of the stage's most famous parts assumed by Miss La Fayette were Lucretia Borgia, Ingonar and Lady Audley.

Ward Wing has one of the principal parts in the picture. Emmett C. King appears as the elderly father, Little Mary MacIvor, Ingonar, and Jessie De Jarette, another character actress, are also in the cast, with the last of the important parts assigned to Howard Crampton.

"THE LITTLE WHITE SAVAGE" AT THE GEM WEDNESDAY

A new entertainment for the tired

business man and woman—and everybody else, has been conceived for the silver-sheet in "The Little White Savage," which is coming to the Gem Theatre Wednesday.

"The Little White Savage," which stars Carmel Myers, is neither drama nor comedy, nor is it burlesque as we know it. But it is a combination of the three with a dash of delicious satire and a bit of ridicule at everybody thrown in for good measure. Indeed the theme is Shawarian in tendency and like the famed G. B. S. "The Little White Savage" makes fun of everybody, including its characters.

It all happens when a country editor doubts the genuineness of "The Little White Savage," the "greatest show's" star freak, supposedly taken from Sir Walter Raleigh's "Lost Island" in the Atlantic. Then Larkey, the owner, and Kerry Byrne, "former New England pastor," but now the circus partner, tell the newspaperman the story of "the little white savage's" abduction from the island and how she disrupted the peace of Kerry's New England parish by her startling appearance there.

In Miss Myers' support are Harry Hilliard, John Cook, Richard Cummings, and William Dyer. Paul Powell directed the Bluebird production.

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PLAZA AIRDOME - MONDAY - Marion Davies in "GETTING MARY MARRIED" - Smiles, laughs and shrieks in the high-class comedy. The most beautiful bride of the year, the most exquisite bit of feminine loveliness that ever wore a bridal gown. "RUBY DARBY'S RAGTIME REVIEW" Musical Comedy Tabloid. MUSIC BY SIX-PIECE ORCHESTRA. ADULTS, 35c CHILDREN, 25c

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Where To Go MAJESTIC EMPRESS MONDAY Hale Hamilton AND Marguerite Snow -IN- "In His Brother's Place" A play of life's music, a lavender-scented romance of golden youth. -INTERNATIONAL NEWS. MONDAY-TUESDAY Louise Huff AND Ernest Truex -IN- "Oh You Women" Six-part special PARAMOUNT picture that's different. -PATHE NEWS.

Baum & Gardner EXCLUSIVE STYLES This store has been in the hands of the contractors for some weeks, while an addition was being made to the rear of our building. The worst is now over. The new fixtures are being placed and the stock is being rearranged. Our patrons have been generous in overlooking our torn-up condition and have bought just as liberally as before. While there are still some finishing touches to be added, we will be prepared to greet you Monday morning with a better displayed stock and a larger and better lighted building. Many new shipments have arrived during this remodeling period. Dresses, Coat Suits, Furs and Wraps—and those of you who come down Monday will be richly repaid, as these new goods, bearing the very latest stamp of fashion, will be ready for your inspection. There will be numerous specials in Summer Apparel. Baum & Gardner EXCLUSIVE STYLES

SUNDAY M... SC... WOODMEN CI... INT... Grove 1449. Last Wednesday... E. Naolz in... Loring the bu... ception and b... honor of Mrs... manager. All... Friday, Augu... the with bod... their new ball... on Scott aven... quated to be... SOCIA... Mrs. H. H. H... Margaret, retu... two months... son in Tilmar... Mr. and Mrs... urday noon fo... Louis and New... luth. They wil... September. Mrs. J. J. Sa... have been vis... Mrs. W. H. De... Amario, who... her sister for... The Civic L... Tuesday aftern... brary at 3 o'cl... requested to b... A. H. Britain... day morning fo... will spend two... lar the trip th... their car. NEW BOOKS... KEI... Miss Mary C... pounces receipt... Wells at the K... Gray—Anato... Hodgdon—I... Science. Irving—Conqu... Boynton—Natio... Kifmer, Joyce... Letters. Elson—Woma... Nelson—Natio... Burton—Liten... sca. Klipping—Year... Fort—Song... James—Trave... Hayes—Boy... Flanders. Richmond—Se... Richmond—R... Gay Street. Chambers—Per... Manites—Per... Wells—Patty... Gregory—Judi... anch. Dixon—Way... Wells—Unde... Huges—Cup... London—Litt... House. Davies—Blue... Wemyss—Orat... Galsworthy—S... Galsworthy—B... Malone—Plebe... Malone—West... Tarbell—Ristin... Whitehill—Pol... Boarding School... Whitehill—Pol... tion. Whitehill—Pol... Boarding School... Whitehill—Pol... War. Widdemer—W... Spearman—Mo... Comstock—Val... Curwood—Non... Fyfe—Mea or... Warde—Betty



# SOCIETY

## WOODMEN CIRCLE HAS INTERESTING MEETING

Grove 1449, Woodman Circle, met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. Naez in a business session. Following the business discussions, a reception and banquet was given in honor of Mrs. Eula Durland, district manager. All reported a "good time". Friday, August 8, the Woodman Circle will hold their first meeting in their new hall in the Swartz Building on Scott avenue. All members are requested to be there at 2:30.

## SOCIAL BRIEFINGS

Mrs. H. B. Hatton and daughter Miss Margaret, returned yesterday from a two months visit with the former's son in Tillman County, Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ciancy left Saturday noon for an extended trip to St. Louis and New York, Buffalo and Duluth. They will not return home until September.

Mrs. J. J. Savoy and little son, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Davis, left yesterday for Amarillo, where she will visit with her sister for a few days.

The Civic League will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the Kemp Library at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

A. H. Britain and family left Saturday morning for Galveston, where they will spend two weeks. They are making the trip through the country in their car.

## NEW BOOKS AT THE KEMP PUBLIC LIBRARY

Miss Mary C. Roberts, librarian, announces receipt of the following new books at the Kemp Public Library:

Gray—Anatomy of the Human Body. Hodgdon—Elementary General Science.

Irving—Conquest of Granada. Boynton—American Poetry. Kilmer, Joyce—Poems, Essays and Letters.

Woman's Work in Music. Elson—National Music of America. Burton—Literary Leaders of America.

Kipling—Years Between. Porter—Song of the Cardinal. James—Traveling Companions. Hayes—Boy Allies With Haig in Flanders. Richmond—Second Violin. Richmond—Round the Corner in Gay Street.

Chambers—Moonlit Way. Mantase—Penny of Top Hill Trail. Wells—Patry's Motor Car. Gregory—Judith of Blue Lake Ranch.

Dixon—Way of a Man. Wells—Underlying Fire. Hughes—Cap of Fury. London—Little Lady of the Big House.

Davies—Blue Grass and Broadway. Wemyss—Oranges and Lemons. Galsworthy—Saint's Progress. Galsworthy—Beyond. Malone—Flebe at West Point. Malone—West Point Lieutenant. Tarbell—Rising of the Tide. Whitehill—Polly's First Year at Boarding School. Whitehill—Polly's Summer Vacation. Whitehill—Polly's Senior Year at Boarding School. Whitehill—Polly Sees the World at War.

Widdemer—Winona's War Farm. Spearman—Unstable. Comstock—Valley of Vision. Curwood—Nomads of the North. Wyle—Mea or Iron. Ward—Betty Wales, Freshman.

Ward—Betty Wales, Sophomore. Ward—Betty Wales, Junior. Ward—Betty Wales, Senior. Mathews—Boy Scout Book of Stories. Conrad—Arrow of Gold. Stratmeyer—Dave Porter's War Honors.

## AT THE CHURCHES.

**First Christian Church.**  
Bible School at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:30 p. m. Evening service at 8:30 p. m. The musical program at both services. The minister, J. Lem Keevil will preach both morning and night. All members are urged to be present. J. LEM KEEVIL, Pastor.

**Fourth Street Baptist Church.**  
Sunday School at 10 a. m., followed by the regular preaching service at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7:30. Rev. I. W. Rogers of the Seminary at Fort Worth will occupy the pulpit at both the morning and evening services. You are cordially invited to come and worship with us, and bring someone with you. We need you and you need a church home.—A. J. HOLT, Pastor.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Dr. J. C. Hardy, president of Baylor College, Belton, Texas, will preach morning and evening. Dr. Hardy is one of the most able speakers we have in the South. All are cordially invited to hear him.—CHAS. O. COOK, Associate Pastor.

**Fioral Heights Baptist Church.**  
Located corner Tenth and Kemp Blvd. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:45 p. m. Woman's Alliance Monday 4:00 p. m. Topic for the morning hour, "The Fruit of the Spirit." Dr. John Carney, the noted prohibitionist, will preach an illustrated sermon at the evening hour. Come and bring your friends.—R. W. McCANN, Pastor.

**First Methodist Church, South.**  
Corner Tenth and Lamar. Services at the First Methodist church Sunday, August 3, will start promptly at 9:30 a. m., with a fine Sunday school. A good orchestra will accompany the singing and a fine class awaits you at this service. Preaching by the pastor at the morning service which begins at 11:00 o'clock. Junior League at 4:00 p. m. Senior League, Miss Opal. Shaver, leader, will hold the fourth of their very interesting programs for the hot summer weather at 7:15 p. m. The league is doing fine work and you will miss a treat if you miss this service. Evening service at 8:45 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Your presence is desired if you want to come to a service that will inspire and help you for the rest of the week and through life. The church for the people is the church where you are welcome. We invite you to our services.—S. A. BARNES, Pastor.

**Epworth League.**  
We are doing business at the same old stand, corner of Tenth and Lamar. Follow the young people this evening at 7:15 p. m. and we will be glad to welcome you to the Epworth League. Miss Opal Shaver is the leader in the great missionary program that has been prepared. If you are going to come to any of the services, you should be sure that the Epworth League is on your calendar for the Sunday services. Are you young enough to live? If so you are just ready for the Epworth League. That is the place that we will take you and give you a thorough training and then give you to the world. Epworth Leaguers make good in the world. Are you one of them? If not, why not? 7:15 p. m.

## NEW TEXT BOOKS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE ABOUT AUGUST 15

Arrival of text books to be furnished the schools under the new State law is expected about the 15th of August. It is estimated that about \$30,000 will be the amount of books furnished the county for the ensuing year. Of this

amount about \$18,000 will be allotted to the Wichita Falls independent school district. The allotment covers all text books used in the school. The pupil will receive a ticket from the teacher specifying what books are needed. The ticket will be then presented at the depository, which will probably be the high school, where the pupil will receive the books. Each pupil will be held personally responsible for the books received and will be compelled to make good in the case of loss or destruction.

The National Bank of Commerce is always particularly pleased to extend helpful service and co-operation to Oil Men, and as the bank's officers know the oil business thoroughly, this service is rendered intelligently and understandingly.

## NEXT MEETING OF WOODMEN WILL BE ON FRIDAY NIGHT

The Woodmen held the first meeting in their new hall last night. Quite a few of the older members were present, and new life for a bigger and better lodge than ever was inspired by

a very able address by H. A. Fine, one of the organizers of the local camp. The next meeting will be held Friday night August 8, at which time the organizing of a drill team will be taken up.

**KANSAS CITY PHYSICIAN TO LOCATE IN CITY**  
Dr. J. W. Powets, formerly of Kansas City, Mo., who has recently returned from France where he was a captain in the medical service of the United States army, is in the city and will locate here in the practice of his profession as soon as he can find a suitable location.

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**COST MORE TO KEEP COOL IN KANSAS CITY TODAY**  
KANSAS CITY, MO., Aug. 2.—A twenty per cent increase in the retail price of ice delivered to the consumer went into effect here today. The new price is 60 cents a hundred pounds. No reason was assigned for the hike.

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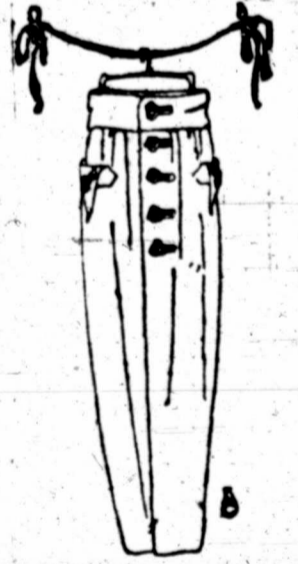
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### Monday Decisive Reductions in Women's and Misses' Smart Voile and Organdie Dresses

Summer Dresses are such a comfortable pleasure, especially so when you wear one with the assurance that it is of the season's most attractive styles. The wardrobe of a woman is not complete without an ever-ready organdie or voile dress.

**Dresses up to \$35.00 on sale Monday, \$12.50**

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One doesn't see how rusty the old luggage looks, when it is way back in the closet. But you grab it in a hurry, just when ready to pack up, and never know how disreputable it is until your friend takes it away from you, or the hotel boy gives it too much prominence.

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### U. W. CHANCELLOR DISCUSSES BAILEY AND HIS NEW PARTY

It seems that there is to be a new political party born in Texas, championed by the Honorable Joseph W. Bailey of Washington.

Mr. Bailey has received unusual political preference and honor from the democracy of Texas, but now it seems, according to press dispatch and in his letter to Clyde Essex of Ciebunne, secretary of the new party, that the former senator, being disgruntled at the drift of political affairs, not only in Texas but in the nation, has decided to launch forth a new party, which is to have its first meeting in Fort Worth, Texas, on August 14.

Mr. Bailey seems to have accumulated a vast store of grouches. He seems to think that it is sufficient to arouse all mankind against the man or measure for him to say that this one or that one has departed from the faith of the fathers.

Mr. Bailey is not specific in his charges of socialism against his party or against the individual whom he attacks. We are, therefore, forced to look to the measures, advocated by the party, and the things done by those whom Mr. Bailey denounces as socialists, to ascertain just what Mr. Bailey is opposed to and what he denounces as socialistic.

In a speech in Newark, N. J., and as further amplified in his letter to Leon O. Bailey, under date March 23, Mr. Bailey accused the administration of being socialistic and used this language with reference to President Wilson: "I am fully persuaded that in the next two years the democratic party must repudiate President Wilson or it must embrace practically all of the socialistic doctrines. When a man of nation-wide prestige speaks, his words should not be regarded lightly but due consideration should be given to ascertain whether his expression emanates from pure and unselfish motives, or whether they are actuated by motives, either selfish or ulterior. Having supported Mr. Bailey from the time I was old enough to vote until his retirement from public life, I loathe to believe that his views are tainted with either ulterior or selfish motives. President Wilson was attacked by many men of prominence and from many angles.

The democratic party and Mr. Wilson have been responsible for many things in the last years, and I desire to call attention to some of these things.

#### 1.—Railroad.

When the United States declared war upon the Central Powers, it was found that the Railroads of the country were inadequate and powerless to adequately handle the transportation necessities of our country; they were not in a position to adequately finance themselves. Under the colossal amount of transportation, as was at that time being demanded, they found themselves utterly unable to move the freight and passengers over their lines within a reasonable time. They were powerless to move and mobilize our army. Soon after the declaration of war and before the additional burdens of transportation became acute, our government took charge of the roads. Under its management, our army was mobilized, the freight and passenger demands were met in a substantial way. Few complaints were heard against governmental supervision. I remember one man who complained that he was unable to secure Pullman accommodations on a journey, that he was making, and lamented governmental supervision, when thousands of our soldier boys were riding in

day-coaches to the training camps. This work of efficiency was maintained, notwithstanding the fact that the managing heads of the Railroads were at that time and still are in open rebellion against our government.

It is doubtless well known to all that the managing heads of the Railroads have used the power in their hands to imperil governmental supervision of the roads; the purposes in this are many fold: First, they desire to make a demonstration of the futility of governmental management and ownership of these utilities; second, they realize in abnormal times, like these, when service and not economy is the watch-word, that more money would be expended in the operation of them, than in normal times, by these examples; they expect to show, when the roads are returned to private control, that it is necessary for the life of the roads, that the wages of their employees be reduced to former level; making the claim that the increased operation has been occasioned by the increase in wages.

If it was socialistic for our government to take charge of these utilities for the prosecution of this war, then I desire to be called a socialist; if it is socialistic for our government to pay the men, who shovelled the dirt and drove the spikes into the cross-ties, a reasonable and self-supporting wage, then again I desire to be denominated a socialist; if it is socialistic for our government to reduce the compensation of the Presidents and General Managers of the roads, and place it at an amount commensurate with the services rendered by them, then I again desire to be called a socialist.

If the desire of President Wilson to form a League of Nations, embracing all nations, having for its scope the lessening of the possibility of mortal combat between men, is the thing referred to as being socialistic, then with all my heart I desire to be placed in that class. Or perchance the language used in Article 8, herein given, may be considered socialistic, which article reads as follows:

"The members of the League agree that the manufacture by private enterprise of munitions and implements of war is open to grave objections. Or they might denominated as socialistic that further part of Article 8, which reads as follows: "The members of the League undertake to interchange, full and frank information as to the scale of their armaments, their military, naval and air programs and the condition of such of their industries as are adaptable to war-like purposes." In our day of trial, when the nation and the world were in the throes of turmoil and mortal combat, President Wilson saw munition factories and enterprises engaged in the manufacture of implements of war, grow rich and powerful. He saw the necessity of asking for two dollars in Liberty Loans, where one would have been sufficient had the government exercised its right of conscripting the munition plants of the country. With a pure heart and unadulterated love for right, he advocates this doctrine. For the want of the provisions, contained in Article 8, he has seen the German Empire amass store of arms, unparalleled and undreamed of in the annals of civilization. Had the nations of the earth had the opportunity and privilege of looking into the Kaiser's war chest, so that they might have

been apprised of the preparations of Germany against the rest of the world, then this war would not have been fought, for the very good reason that the Central Powers would not have dared to have prepared themselves for it. It is true that if this had been done, the Krupp Steel Trust would not have amassed the colossal fortunes, equal to that of an empire. This idea of secrecy and preparation seemed right to them and it seems right to others now. "There is a way which seemeth right unto man, but the end thereof are the ways of death." Prov. 14:12. If these are the things which are deemed by Mr. Bailey to be socialistic, then socialistic let me be. But such are not, in my opinion, socialistic, nor tainted with socialism, but are the teachings and edicts of supremely intelligent Creator and likewise they portray the doctrine of "Equal rights to all and special privileges to none."

Or it may be that the Senator and his new party denominated as socialistic the fact that a loan bank which has enabled tenant-farmers, through the nation, to acquire homes, at a reasonable rate of interest. Or might it be that the National Reserve Bank, that institution and idea of legislation, which has disrupted the greatest money trust on earth, is the thing that Mr. Bailey denominated as socialistic. Or could it be the activities of the Federal Trade Commission, which has so clearly shown the grasp which the great Packing Industries have upon the throats of every man, woman and child in the Nation, which Mr. Bailey denominated as socialistic.

Senator Lodge and his coterie of Republican henchmen, in order to pay the men, who shovelled the dirt in loud acclaim against the Democratic party and Mr. Wilson. This chorus has been entered into by lesser lights of disgruntled faith and creeds, who would build for themselves a party of their own liking.

It may be that Joe's grouches is occasioned by the great prohibition have which is sweeping the country, but I desire to say that there is a democratic principle involved in this far greater than the idea of any person upon the subject. It may be that an individual believes that his personal liberty has been taken away from him, but the people of Texas and the nation have spoken in no uncertain terms upon this subject. "This being true, it is the duty of every man, pro or anti, to submit to the will of the majority of the people of this state and nation. When majorities are disregarded and minorities seek to have their way despite the majority, then that minority is following in the footsteps of despotic governments, where the few control the many. If this democracy is to stand, majorities, and not minorities, must control.

I believe, and here assert, that the special interests of our country would give any sum of money, however great, to keep the mind of the people directed to the prohibition issue, or the woman's suffrage question, in order that they, the special interests, might multiply their nefarious gain, unmolested by public sentiment. They know, as well as any, that if they are able to keep the mind of the people diverted from their business, that they will be able to accomplish their nefarious plans.

Let no one be deceived by the threats of those who would usurp power for their own selfish ends, but let the democracy of Texas and of the nation stand firm in its resplendent power, transmitting to mankind and posterity the beneficent influences for which it has ever stood; assisting it to higher and more sublime deeds of valor and accomplishment. Let the Port Worth convention, on August 14, be a frost, reflecting the desire of Texas as democracy, that our affairs shall not be handled by the disgruntled few.

but that we may march onward and upward in our efforts to serve humanity.

Let Senator Bailey and his new party be specific in the things, which he charges against the democratic party as being socialistic, and not deal in invectives and generalities, then we will be able to meet them face to face upon the issues raised.

J. W. CHANCELLOR.  
Bowie, Texas.

### GERMAN CATECHISM OF HATE IS ISSUED FROM MEXICO CITY

MEXICO CITY, July 3.—A "Catechism of Hate" was printed in the Deutsche Zeitung Von Mexico and revenge was threatened in an article accompanying it on the day when the delegates of the German republic signed the peace treaty at Versailles. The paper printed in German, is generally believed to voice the opinions of the Pan-German, irreconcilable element of the German colony in Mexico. Translations in part of the article follow:

"The day of revenge of the German people is not far off. We shall do good to practice patience until the day of revenge has arrived. Revenge must be coldly consummated. In order to prepare ourselves quietly for it, we need a 'Catechism of Hate'."

The "twelve commandments" of the catechism summarize in brief form many of the protests which have been heard from German sources since the terms of the Peace Treaty became known. They deny that Germany wanted war, assert Germany was right in invading Belgium, attack Eng-

land for the Blockade of Germany, aver that Germany's armies were never defeated and declare that German honor is insulted by making Germans sign admission of their guilt.

In conclusion, the article says: "These twelve commandments will suffice to prepare us mentally for 'The Day' on which the hour of revenge will strike."

Asked if the sentiments expressed in the Deutsche Zeitung's article were those of the entire German colony in Mexico, one of the leaders of the German socialist party in Mexico declared that they were held only by the older and wealthier colonists, who dominated both the paper and the colony, but that a large part of the colony were willing to accept the verdict of the war and give their support to the new German government and to reconstruction policies.

### NEBRASKA ADDED TO THE LIST OF STATES TO RATIFY SUFFRAGE

LINCOLN, NEB., Aug. 2.—Nebraska today joined the list of states that have ratified the federal woman suffrage amendment when the House of the state Legislature by a vote of 24 to 0 passed a joint resolution providing ratification. The Senate voted for ratification on Thursday of this week, 27 to 0. Nebraska, whose legislature was recently called into special session by the Governor to act on the amendment is the fourteenth state to ratify.

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# The Making of a Rotarian

By REV. GEORGE DUGAN, D. D. Governor of the Third District.

### FOREWORD

This is not offered as an Essay on Rotary. It is just the extempore utterances of an earnest Rotarian before several clubs in the Third District.

The address is published because of the persistent demands of Bill Gettinger, a member of the New York Club, who thought he saw in it something that would serve the best interests of Rotary.

—G. D.

Not long ago I read of a father who visited a University where his son was an undergraduate. Among those with whom he had the privilege of speaking was the Professor of Mathematics. The anxious father saw an opportunity to enquire with regard to his son's standing in the Professor's classes. "Did my son take your algebra?" asked the father. "No," replied the Professor, "he was sufficiently exposed, but didn't take it."

It is my earnest hope that as I speak to you about "The Making of a Rotarian" I shall so sufficiently expose you all to the Rotary infection that those of you who have heretofore developed some temperature may have your condition magnified, and those of you who, up to the present, are strangers to the passions which Rotary arouses may undergo a change of heart and willingly subject yourselves to the experiences and processes to which I shall make reference.

Perhaps the best place to begin what I have to say is at the beginning. The beginning of Rotary is both interesting and illuminating. Briefly the story is this. Two or three men living in the crowded life of our great middle Western metropolis were impressed with the fact, which has often impressed you and me, that a man never feels so lonesome as when he is in a crowd. The old Irish woman who stole her way back from the beautiful country estate into the crowded streets of the big city said that she did so because "Peoples are more company than trees." And so, without casting any disparagement upon the companionship of the woods, it still remains true that human hearts crave the comradeship of other human hearts. It was to make companionship and comradeship possible in the business world that Rotary came into existence. The tendency of cut-throat competition has always been toward the avoidance of intimate business friendships. Rotary set out to take away this curse and show to men the more excellent way of comradeship and co-operation.

To give visibility to its moral and spiritual purposes it adopted the cog-wheel as its emblem. Now the significance of the cog-wheel is that by its very construction it is useless if alone. It is built to run in gear with other cogs of other wheels. Any man with imagination can see what are the implications of such an emblem. It means that the unity of the world and the oneness of mankind are just as real and just as potent facts in the understanding and solving of the problems of this progressive age as is the system of gears which distributes power from the source down to the lowest unit in the vast manufacturing plant.

The Rotary emblem visualizes for you and me the greatest moral and intellectual revelation of the last century, to-wit: that humanity is one and not many, and cannot be cut up into detached units each complete in himself and each sufficient unto himself; that you cannot live by yourself alone and be a man.

Say not, "It matters not to me,  
My brother's weal is his behoof,"  
For in this wondrous human web,  
If your life's warp, his life is woof.

Woven together are the threads,  
And you and he are in one loom  
For good or ill, for glad or sad,  
Your lives must share one common doom.

"Am I my brother's keeper?" You may answer that age-long question with a formal affirmation or with a cynical sneer, and yet not attain unto the heart of Rotary. For Rotary affirms that a man might just as well try to evade the law of gravitation as to evade the law of the unity of community life and its resultant responsibilities.

But Rotary not only devised an emblem—it perfected a motto: "He profits most who serves best." Now this motto is significant. To many men who had lived in the atmosphere of a virtuous materialism this motto was hailed as a sort of enlightened selfishness that served to take the condemnation out of the "dog eat dog" way of making a living, but left a man free to "work for his own pocket all the time."

Now that we have grown in mind and spirit, we have come to think of our motto not as an infallible rule for increasing the profits of one's particular business, but as a call to the modern merchant, and manufacturer, and professional man, to save himself and his business by making of both, not ends to be selfishly pursued, but means to be employed for the furtherance of interests and institutions, without hope of gain.

Then if your business grows, as it surely will, you will have the joy of knowing that while your trade was expanding your heart was being enlarged; that while you were making customers you were also making friends; that while your income was growing, your influence was becoming more and more helpful. That, whereas you were accustomed to say that the day's work was "just one damned thing after another," now you bear testimony to the fact that every day, lived in the growing mind and spirit of Rotary, is its own reward.

This is the profit which Rotary proclaims, and without which the mere making of money is a rather mean and unsatisfying thing.

Now the processes by which all this is worked into the intellectual and moral life of the Rotarian are very simple and withal very practical.

The first stage in the process is the cultivation of an intimate personal acquaintance with your fellow Rotarians. Two simple facts are stressed in connection with this promotion of acquaintance. One is that you must attend regularly the weekly meetings of the club, and the other is the calling of each by our first names. Of course, it goes without saying that nothing of any serious consequence can be accomplished in the way of becoming intimately acquainted with our fellow Rotarians unless we meet often. No occasional meeting, no indifferent attendance, no slackness in the matter of regularity and standing can by any possibility accomplish the thing that we mean when we speak of acquaintance.

Then, in order to give intimacy to acquaintance and to save it from the icy stiffness of conventional forms and give it spontaneity and warmth, we have hit upon the simple expedient of dropping the mister and calling the man by his familiar Bill, or John, or Tom. Some have looked upon this as an intrusion of an overworked democratic zeal, and have objected to its informality and lack of dignity. With all due respect to the sensibilities of such persons, I am not impressed with the grounds of their objection. If I am going to meet a man every week with the understanding that one of the things to be accomplished by such meeting is the promotion of intimate personal acquaintance, then I see no reason why in the world the calling of each other by our first names is not a perfectly appropriate thing to do. Of course, I can see how inappropriate such a proceeding might be if we met only once in a month or once in six weeks or once in two months. But on the basis of regular attendance at weekly meetings, where we meet informally and often and where "everybody's doing it," I can as easily justify to my own mind this familiar form of address.

And then when all has been said and done, the beauty about that Bill and Tom and John stuff is that it works. It does the thing it was designed to do, and does it so beautifully that none of us who are regular attendants at Rotary gatherings would like to see it omitted.

And then besides all this, any man who knows the serious loss to the community and to the best interests of business through widespread lack of acquaintance will agree with me that anything that can be done to spread throughout the community the cement of acquaintance and mutual understanding and friendly interest among the business and professional men of the city is worthy of our best effort.

The second step in the process of which I am now speaking is that of the finding of friendship. "Friendship," says a well known author, "is to be valued for what there is in it, not for what can be gotten out of it. When two people appreciate each other because each has found the other convenient to have

around, they are not friends; they are simply acquaintances with a business understanding. To seek friendship for its utility is as futile as to seek the end of a rainbow for its bag of gold. Let us beware of thinking of our friends as brother members of a mutual benefit association. A true friend is always useful in the highest sense."

Listen to these lines by Walt Whitman:

"O tan-faced prairie-boy,  
Before you came to camp came many a welcome gift,  
Praises and presents came and nourishing food,  
till at last among the recruits  
You came, taciturn, with nothing to give—we  
but looked on each other,  
When lo! more than all the gifts of the world  
you gave me."

Perhaps this homely little story is also to the point. One night a man stopped at the door of a farmhouse to inquire the direction and distance to a certain town. The kind-hearted farmer accompanied the inquirer to the gate and after giving the directions, dismissed him with the remark, "It's quite a ways to travel in the dark," to which he received the cheery reply from the wayfarer, "Oh, I don't mind it; there are two of us." Some day a man will set down to the credit of Rotary this wonderful accomplishment that it helped men to be and do their best by finding friendship for them.

Still another step in the process is known as investments. Now if by investments were meant the placing of your money in good securities where it would bring you the largest possible returns, I should hesitate to speak to you men. You have forgotten more about the matter of investing funds than I have ever known or ever will know. But this spoke in the wheel of Rotary does not make it necessary for me to speak about financial investments. Every man has a considerable capital other than that known as money or collateral. Besides the means which we possess, we have powers and talents, and influences, and energies, and abilities, and affections which, if wisely invested, will yield the largest returns. And it is of such investments that Rotary takes account. It gives a man a chance to put his heart to school. We have schooled the brain and developed it to the very utmost, but the poor affections we allow to grow wild or to wither. Men, there are hearts in the world that have never been visited by a generous impulse. Men enter into relationships in life and assume obligations and go through the workaday performance without a spark of the divine fire of a deep or tender emotion. One of the great literary men of the last century describes one of his characters after this fashion: "Meadows never spoke of his mother, but paid her a small allowance with the regularity and grace of clockwork." Rotary comes to men and attempts to save them from that sort of thing by saying to them, "Have a heart, old man; stop listening to the sound of your own wheels of commerce for a moment and listen to the cry of need from whatever quarter it comes, and if you have anything of love, or labor, or hope, or faith, or influence, withhold it not and help yourself by helping others." It is never said of any one of us, "He was born a man and died a manufacturer." The practice of Rotary's investments saves you from this disgrace.

Still another spoke in the Rotary wheel or stage in the process of making a Rotarian is known as dividends. Naturally, after what has been said with regard to the other spokes of the Rotary wheel, you will not be likely to think of dividends in the sense of clipping coupons from bonds or receiving cash dividends from stock investments. It is my firm conviction that Rotary is profitable if considered from the point of view of returns upon invested capital, by reason of the fact that it enlarges the business man's capacity for making good. But tonight we have in mind a particular kind of capital to be invested, and the appropriate returns that such investment yields. Probably some of you have heard Ed. Kelsey's moving story of Alvah Bunker, the armless and legless boy, who was redeemed from a life of hopeless dependency to a life of independence and self-support because the Toledo Rotarians invested certain values for the purpose of reclaiming this helpless boy. I wish you could have heard Jim Hobbins, of Montana, tell of the Rotary "flu" squad that operated in the city of Great Falls and fought the ravages of the epidemic, not by hiring people to do the work for them, but by actually doing with their own hands whatever work needed to be done. Think of the marvelous work that Rotary is performing in the interests of national health, in the promoting of the Americanization program and in getting behind the welfare work for boys. Think of these things, men, and tell me whether or not there aren't other dividends coming to a man above and beyond those of a money value.

This leads me to the last step in the processes which I am now describing, known among Rotarians as happiness. I hope it has become plain to you by this time that happiness never has consisted and never can consist of the things that a man possesses. This is the philosophy of experience so beautifully set forth by Bobby Burns, the Scottish Bard. Now you fellows recall Burns. He was a man who sought happiness, just as many of us do, in places where it never has been found. After he had grown weary in the pursuit of a selfish happiness, if there can be such a thing, he wrote these words:

"It's no in titles, nor in rank,  
It's no in wealth like London bank,  
To purchase peace and rest."

"It's no in makin', muckle maist  
It's no in books, it's no in lair  
To make us truly blest."

"I happiness hae not its seat  
And center I the breast,  
We may be wise or rich or great,  
But never can be blest."

"Nae treasures nor pleasures  
Could mak' us happy lang,  
The heart's eye, the part eye,  
That mak's us richt or wrang."

In the familiar phrase of Harry Lauder, "You canna beat it." And you can't beat it, for the very simple reason that it is eternally true. And Rotary challenges you to accept the truth and make appropriate response to it in your daily life and practice. These, then, are the processes by which a man "takes" Rotary. However, it is worth while considering not only the way in which Rotary is worked into our thinking and doing, but the ways through which it expresses itself.

And the first of these ways is in the individual himself. No man can go through the processes which we have been describing without experiencing a positive lift to a higher intellectual and moral level. You might just as well hope to plunge your hand in a dye vat and bring it out untouched by the coloring as to hope to pass through these Rotary stages without receiving some positive improvement of mind and heart.

Some years ago I heard the late Lindsay T. Woodcock, of the great Marshall-Field house, speak on the subject of "getting and keeping employees." At the close of his address a man asked this

question: "Mr. Woodcock, what are the requirements in point of character necessary to secure employment in the Marshall Field store?" To which Mr. Woodcock replied: "The Marshall Field house is not in the business of making character. It expects every employee when they come to work to bring character with them. But the Marshall Field house does give opportunity and encouragement to all its employes to develop and express the character which they have."

By the same token Rotary is not an evangelical association seeking for business and professional sinners whom it may convert from the errors of their ways; it is just an organization with certain ethical ideals seeking men who have moral and spiritual affinity with these ideals and offering them the opportunity and encouragement of developing and expressing the characters which they have.

And here, again, the method is justified by the obvious results secured.

Moreover, Rotary, once it is worked into a man's intellectual and moral life, expresses itself in his business. Rotary is a friend of business. It hopes that the day may never come when American business will be deprived of its enterprise and initiative and ingenuity. But it believes further that a man's business is never lessened, but greatly increased, by giving heed not so much to *business*, as to *bettersness*. To argue that the enthronement of the Golden Rule in business hurts business, even in the sense of money profits, is to argue against the moral order of the world. Just so soon as your business and mine begins to reflect the principles of Rotary, which we have worked into our intellectual and moral selves, the public will make a beaten path to our doors. The man most sought and the man the people eventually find is the man who justifies his business to himself and to the public, not on the grounds of profit, but on the grounds of service. Rotary, therefore, offers to every man the high and happy privilege of putting his personal imprint upon the business in which he is engaged, and staking the success of his business on the character which he imparts to it.

Finally, the Rotarian expresses himself in the free and frank recognition of his responsibilities as a member of the community. In saying this Rotary recognizes the fundamental truth that all real character is produced by the sense of responsibility. Responsibility makes men. Without responsibility we never become more than mere butchers, or bakers, or candlestick makers.

Perhaps I can illustrate for you what I mean. One Sunday evening not long ago I thought I would step to the door of my church, just to take a deep breath of fresh air. As I looked toward the street a delivery wagon of an ice-cream company, which had been going around collecting the empties, pulled to the curb-stone almost opposite to where I stood. The driver went across the street to a delicatessen store to get his empty. No sooner had he left the wagon than the horses walked forward toward a little sapling maple which the city had planted there to beautify the street. Indeed, I think this particular tree represented the third attempt of the city to make a tree grow in that spot. When within striking distance of this toothsome morsel the horses began chewing off the bark. This munching and ruining of the tree went on in the presence of a man who by simply reaching out his hand could have saved this piece of city property. Instead, however, of recognizing his responsibility in the premises he called across the street to the driver, "Hey, there, your horses are eating up this tree." And the driver called back, "Why the hell don't you push their heads away?" Now, Rotary comes to a man and says to him in the spirit, if not in the language of this driver, recognize your responsibilities to the community. There are values in every community which need saving, but which never can be saved so long as men care for nothing but their selfish interests and go about in utter disregard of their social obligations.

One of these community values to which Rotary has called particular attention is the boy. One day a New York business man was rushing down Broadway, threading his way in and out among the pedestrians, when suddenly he collided with a little newsboy. The impact was so great that the man actually lifted the boy clear off his feet and carried him for several paces. Then he set him down upon the pavement and gave vent to his anger in this fashion: "Get out of the way, you little urchin. What are you good for, anyway?" To which the little boy quickly and cleverly replied, "They make men of stuff like me, mister." Now, men, here is a profound fact: we never have had and never will have any other kind of stuff out of which to make a man than a boy.

I have heard of a preacher who was passing by some of the little people of his congregation who were busily engaged in working in clay. The preacher stopped to inquire what they were making. One little fellow said: "We are building a church, and here are the steps, and here is the front door, and here are the windows, and in there are the pews, and those little things you see there are the people in the pews, and away back yonder is the pulpit." "Well," said the minister, "that's fine. Are you going to put a preacher in the pulpit?" "We will," said the little boy, "if we have enough mud left." Some of you may think that you can make a preacher out of mud, but in the economy of God you can't make a man out of anything but a boy. And Rotary affords a man a chance to discharge his obligations to the community by helping save the boys who are the coming men.

Now the mention of these two or three community matters will suffice to open the way for your consideration of a long list of community facts that demand from you your full share of responsibility. There are clean streets, and pure water, and better housing, and safe factories, and model schools, and adequate playgrounds, and necessary charities and philanthropies, thrift and Americanization, every one of which will never be what they ought to be until men like you and me justly measure our obligations and heartily perform our whole duty.

So, then, it all comes to this, that Rotary comes to men and says, "There's a better way; there's a finer spirit; there's a wider vision; there's a nobler work to do." It says to you and me that the day has forever passed when a man can discharge his obligations by voting in favor of a resolution. Rotary shows its faith by its works. It asks men to identify themselves with the big things of life that we all believe and love in common. It holds out the reasonable hope that men are not to be welded into a common life by argument, but by being made sharers in a common task.

Members of the New York Rotary Club, to you has been given the signal honor of promoting this practical ideal. May I exhort you to rise to the glory of your calling? The work is going on. Here and there groups of men are building up the wall opposite their own doors. Slowly but surely the temple grows, and one day, by the grace of God, the cap-stone will be placed on the finished work. Even now we can see its beautiful perspective and its divine symmetry. It's a great thing to be co-laborers in such a work.

One day a man stood before a great European Cathedral. He was solemnized by its beauty. Its gilded arches, its turrets and towers, its stately windows, all combined to provoke his enthusiastic admiration. He turned and asked of a working-man who stood near by, "How long were they building this Cathedral?" "Oh," said the man with obvious pride, "we were a good many years building it." "We? Why do you say 'we'?" asked the traveler. "Because," said the man with increasing delight, "I helped to mix the mortar."

So may it be with you and me, as more and more men come to see the growing beauty of the noble works of noble men, may each of us have the unalloyed joy of knowing that we had some part in it all, even to the humble extent of helping spread the mortar of the Rotary mind and spirit.

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# Oil News

## KIMMEL & DILLARD WELL THE FEATURE OF WEEK IN THE FIELD

Developments in the northwest Waggoner pool this past week were featured by the bringing in of the Kimmel and Dillard well, some little distance north and west of the proven line of production in Block 37, and though there has yet been no opportunity for testing the capacity of the well, the short runs that have been made seem to indicate a sensational production.

The Chenault, Rowe and Company, No. 1 Taylor, between the Kimmel-Dillard well and the Texas Chief, was completed on Friday, also a very good well, and these developments increase interest in this section of the field.

There are several dry holes reported this week from the field, all of them on the southern edge. Three dry holes on the edge of Block 75 are dry at 1800 feet, the Burk Eastland, Burk Jack and Burk Ranger, No. 1 Renner. The Burk Bethel, No. 1 Vogel is dry below 1500 feet.

The drilling operations continue as steadily as conditions permit in the northwest, and as usual there are a number of wells standardizing elsewhere in readiness for completion.

A partial report of drilling operations in the Waggoner pool follows:

Jewel V Oil Co. No. 1 Taylor, standardizing at 1550 feet.

Kenbrook Oil Co. No. 1 Blama, underpinning at 1570 feet.

Hartford Oil Co. No. 1 Brannon, preparing to complete.

Iowa Burk Oil Co. No. 2 Renner, drilling at 1570 feet.

Imperial Oil Co. No. 1 Taylor, standardizing at 1550 feet.

King Eight Oil Co. Lease B, No. 2 Waggoner, drilling at 800 feet.

King Eight Oil Co. Lease B, No. 3 Waggoner, drilling at 800 feet.

Grey Gander Oil Co. No. 2 Elses, drilling around 1650 feet.

Grey Gander Oil Co. No. 3 Elses, drilling around 800 feet.

Hill & Roberts, No. 4 Waggoner, standardizing at 1650 feet.

Howard Weber Nos. 5 and 6, Brannon lease A, standardizing.

Howard Weber Nos. 6, 7 and 9, Brannon lease B, standardizing.

Howard Weber No. 1 Elses, lease A and No. 1 and No. 2 Elses, lease B, standardizing.

Gulf Production No. 1 Schmissner, drilling at 1650 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 11, 12 and 14 Hermann, standardizing.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 2, 3 and 4 Brannon, standardizing.

Falcon Oil Co. No. 1 Taylor, standardizing.

DeRoss Oil Co. No. 1 Renner, standardizing.

Diamond D. Oil Co. No. 1 Elses, drilling around 1100 feet.

Contractors Oil Co. No. 1 Vogel, block #4, drilling at 800 feet.

Burk Crest Oil Co. No. 1 Taylor, drilling at 250 feet.

Burk Lehmer Oil Co. No. 1 Taylor, drilling at 1200 feet.

American Refining Co. No. 2 Waggoner, drilling around 1100 feet.

American Refining Co. No. 3 Waggoner, drilling around 1600 feet.

Block #1 Oil Co. No. 1 Waggoner, temporarily shut down at 1650 feet.

Burk #3 Oil Co. No. 1 Elses, standardizing at 1650 feet.

Associated Development Co. No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 300 feet.

Austin Oil Co. No. 1 Taylor, drilling around 1250 feet.

Adams, Brown and McAlester, No. 2 Elses, drilling around 1100 feet.

Waggoner Green Oil Co. No. 1 Waggoner, drilling around 1500 feet.

Wichita American Oil Co. No. 1 Morgan, drilling around 1300 feet.

West Virginia Oil Co. No. 1 Elses, drilling around 1400 feet.

Southwestern Petroleum Co. No. 3 Elses, drilling around 500 feet.

Southwestern Petroleum Co. No. 4 Elses, drilling around 900 feet.

Southwestern Petroleum Co. No. 5, drilling around 900 feet.

Ryan Petroleum Co. No. 11, 12, 14 and 15, Waggoner, standardizing.

### LOGS OF RANGER WELLS SHOW MUCH PROGRESS

RANGER, Aug. 2.—W. M. Myers No. 4 of the Prairie Oil & Gas Company which was shot with eighty quarts of nitroglycerin, is cleaning out. The sand runs from thirty-three hundred to thirty-three hundred feet, and the present depth of the well is thirty-three hundred feet. It is standing two thousand feet in oil. This may be a good well when cleaned out. No. 3 Myers, the most recent completion, was good for a thousand barrels June 1. No. 2 made thirty five hundred barrels on completion in February and the No. 1, completed in April, produced 600 barrels. No. 4 is the last operation of the company on the tract.

No. 3, E. H. Layne No. 3 of the Mid-Kansas Oil & Gas Company probably will be in a 200 to 250 barrel producer following its being put on the pump. It is 1,500 to 2,000 feet in cil. No. 5 is fishing for tools, at 3,230 feet.

Of the 1,116 barrels that the Sinclair Gulf W. T. Davis No. 1 showed in the first 24 hours, about 30 per cent was water, which was coming up from the bottom of the hole. It will be plugged in a few days.

There are two new locations on the W. T. Davis tract. No. 2 is a rig No. 3, a new one, is 932 feet west and 300 feet north of the southeast corner of the tract. It is west of the No. 1. No. 4 is 602 feet east of No. 2 and 200 feet south of the north line of the tract.

Other new locations of the Sinclair Gulf Oil Company are the J. R. Harris No. 1, one mile west of the Coody, and the B. L. Danley No. 3, west of Ranger. The Harris is 225 feet north and 300 feet west of the southeast corner of the tract.

The Coody No. 3, which was due for a shot, was held up with water and is underreaming six-inch casing. No. 2, which was shot and cleaned out, is fishing for the bailer.

The Sinclair will not develop the shallow sand struck in the C. P. Jones No. 1, five miles north of Ranger. The sand, which was the same as that encountered in the Holleman, ran from 1741 to 1750 feet and brought 120 feet of oil in the hole. It will be cased off and drilling continued for deep pay sand.

The W. T. Davis No. 1 of the Sinclair Gulf Oil Company, completed Monday, is making 1400 barrels. It is the first completion of the company on a 122 acre tract five miles west and a little north of Ranger. First showing was at 3325 feet, but the heavy yield was 200 feet deeper, the present depth of the well being 3,541 feet. When the flow tank ran over Monday night, rumor circulated that it was making 5,000 barrels.

C. P. Jones No. 1, five miles north

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To say that the investing public is enthusiastic would be a mild statement; subscriptions are coming into this office at a rate that even exceeds our most optimistic predictions of a week ago.

### TRUTHFUL STATEMENTS

Now what we want to say is this: Most of the subscriptions received so far have been from our old stockholders or from those who fully investigated Henry H. Hoffman's past record and found all our statements in regard to same to be true.

At the same time, many realize that our statements in the past regarding the probable outcome of Mr. Hoffman's operations have been very conservative; our statements in regard to the future of the Ranger and Burk Burnett Oil Company No. 2 will also be conservative, but it is our firm belief that this company will be even a bigger success than its predecessor.

### A BRIGHT FUTURE

The future looks bright. Drilling will soon begin at Desdemona on a proven inside lease not far from the Famous Churchyard lease of the Ranger and Burk Burnett Oil Company; negotiations now under way will probably secure for the Ranger and Burk Burnett Oil Company No. 2 additional proven inside acreage that will further assure success.

Better not wait. Send in your application now and later, when stock advances to perhaps several times its present price, you will congratulate yourself. Send the coupon today.

P. S. Mr. Hoffman announces to the stockholders of the Ranger and Burk Burnett Oil Company that the oil is now being run, and dividends will probably begin in a short time; No. 2 will be completed soon as arrangements to handle the oil can be completed; No. 3 is ready to set casing, and will be finished shortly.

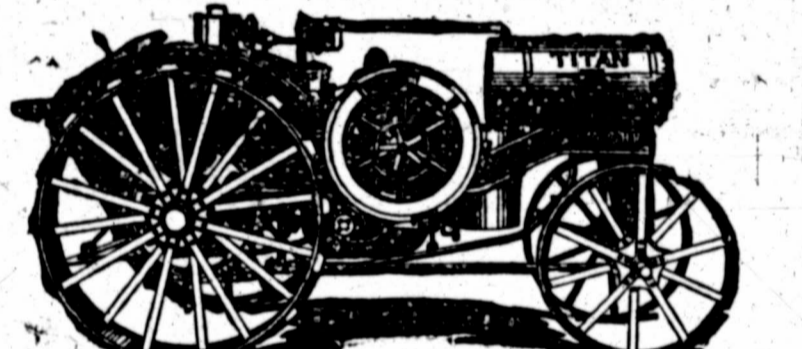
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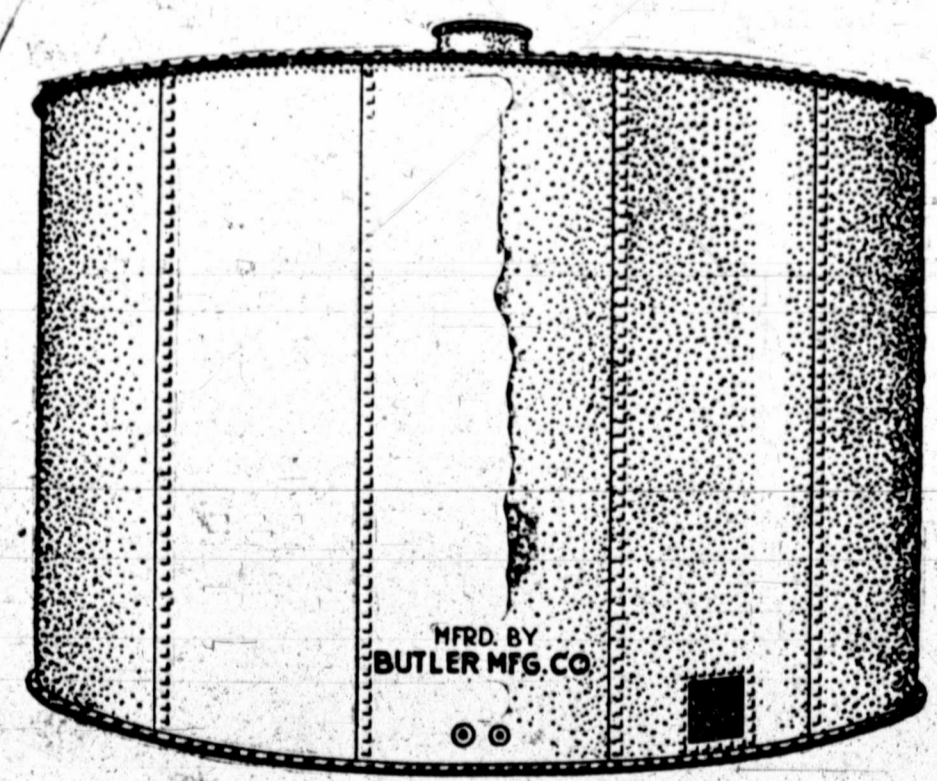
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"I was all run down in general and was so nervous that I couldn't get but an hour or two of sleep at night without waking and being so restless and shaken up that I couldn't to sleep again. I was awfully constipated and everything I took to relieve it just helped me for a little while and I was worse than ever after a while. I didn't have any appetite at all, and what food I had to cram down me just worried the life out of me, because I didn't digest it properly. I read so much about this Orgatone Treatment in the papers and some of the people who told me what it had done for them, had cases like mine, so I thought it would benefit me and save it a trial.

"Well, sir, I feel a hundred per cent better in every way since I finished that second bottle of Orgatone. Why, I can just eat like a farm hand and I have already gained a lot in strength. I began to pick up strength and to improve after the first bottle I took and now I can go to the table three times a day and enjoy the biggest feast put before me as we" as any man. When I go to bed at night I can drop off right away and sleep like a healthy baby and when I get up in the morning I feel as full of life and energy as I ever did in my life. Orgatone is the only thing that is responsible for the remarkable improvement in me, and I gladly recommend it to anyone suffering from a general run down condition like I was. I am sure glad I found it when I did.

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RANGER PLAYS THROUGH ITS FIRST THREE MONTHS IN SHOESTRING FASHION

Special to The Times. RANGER, TEX., Aug. 2.—In the center of a field whose value is conservatively estimated at half a billion dollars, Ranger played through its first three months after incorporation on a shoestring. Without a cent to its credit, it planned and started the expenditure of over a million in improvements.

Bulletin 658, and available on request from the Director. A barrel of oil obtained in Allen County was sold in Bowling Green in 1850, but oil in Kentucky has only recently become a product of great commercial value, the production in 1918 having been ten times as great as in 1915.

DRILLING RESUMED IN LIBERTY HOLE NEAR BY ELECTRA, TEX., Aug. 2.—The Liberty Oil & Development Company has resumed drilling operations five miles northwest of Electra after having been shut down for several weeks.

MAGNOLIA BUILDS MODERN HOME FOR LEASE FOREMAN ELECTRA, TEX., Aug. 2.—The Magnolia Petroleum Company has just had a modern residence and bank house completed on the Hamilton farm for H. L. Gilger, lease foreman, and the crew of men he keeps on the lease.

THESE GO TO HEAVEN, THE OTHERS TO RANGER. A PREACHER SUGGESTS

RANGER, TEX., Aug. 2.—Sudden wealth is a magnet that draws from all classes and from all sections. Ranger has been such a lodestone—just as Bisbee, Ariz., and Goldfield, and Tulsa, Okla., in years past.

"An Ill Wind, Etc." CHICAGO.—Chiropractors were the only ones who sorrowed at the end of the car strike. Business was beginning to pick up, one of the said.

TILLMAN COUNTY LEASES

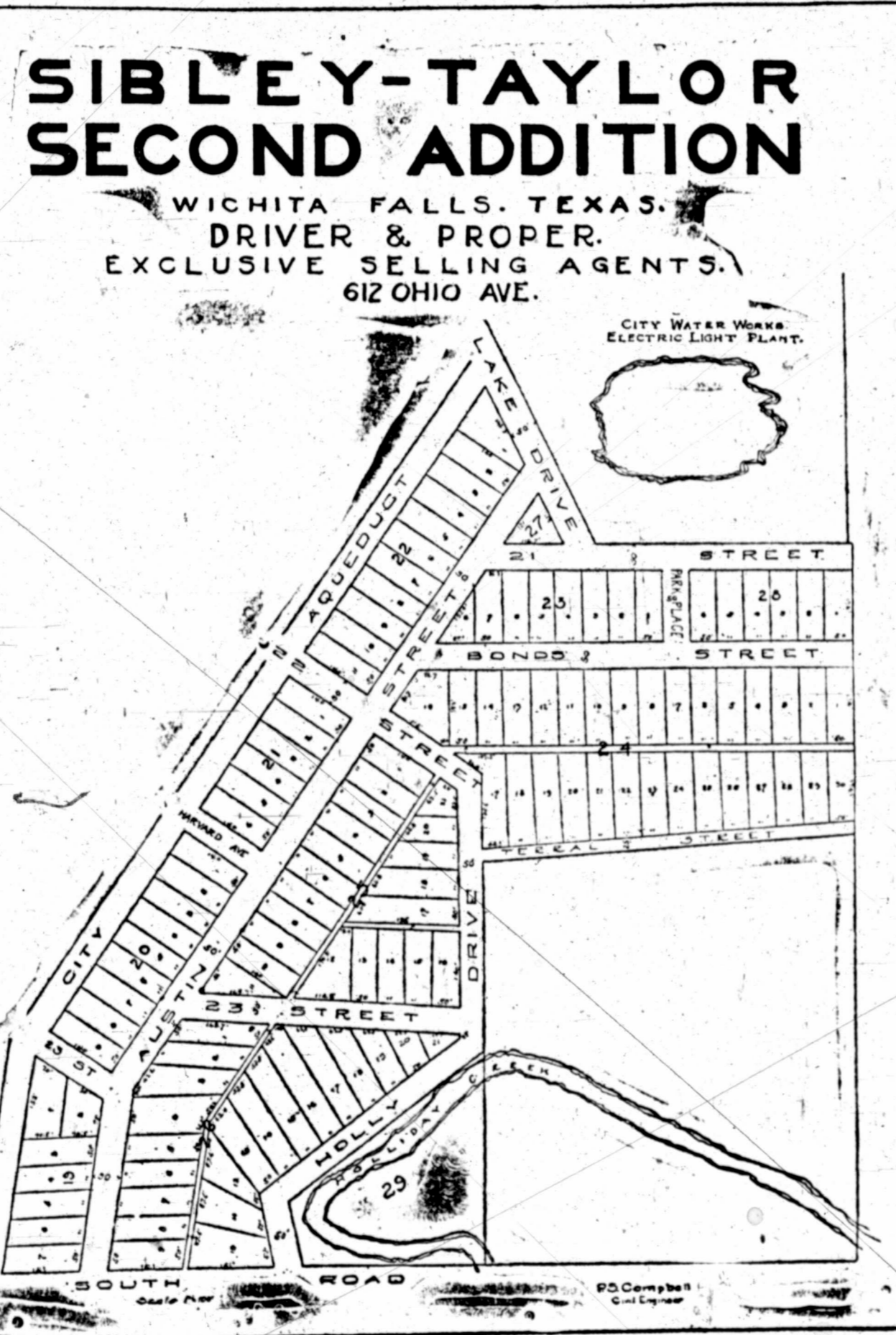
Albert L. Moser and M. D. Moser to D. Rector, south 80 acres of northwest quarter of section 28, township three south, range 17.

Take Joke Seriously.

ST. PAUL, MINN.—Oscar Lonsinger knows all about antidotes today but still doesn't know how it feels to take poison. Playing a joke on his wife he left a suicide note and despite protestations was rushed to a hospital for treatment.

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HAPPY HUNTING GROUND FOR THE OIL PROSPECTOR WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—The State of Kentucky is the happy hunting ground of the oil prospector of small means, yet the outcome of his endeavors does not always make him happy.

Notice to Our Patrons And The Public. We will resume the delivery of water Tuesday morning, July 29th, and our patrons will find that the water is 100 per cent pure. G. J. ROHATSCH.

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### RECORD AT AUSTIN GIVES COUNTY NO PUBLIC WEIGHERS

AUSTIN, TEX., Aug. 2.—According to the records in the office of the Secretary of State there are no public weighers in Wichita County.

Under the act passed by the Thirty-sixth legislature early this year, provision is made for a public weigher in each of the seven justice precincts in the county, if in the judgment of the Commission Court that number of weighers is necessary. Weighers heretofore elected are to continue in office, and in precincts where there are no weighers the appointment is to be made by the County Commissioners within sixty days from June 15, 1919. The new law requires that each public weigher must give a bond in the sum of \$2,500, must be reported to the Commissioner of Markets and Warehouses and from him receive a commission, must have a seal and take an oath of office. The law provides that no person can act as weigher for the public for hire without being appointed or elected, and that he must qualify as stated, and before that only as an individual and as a quality.

If the new law is followed to the letter, it will make more important the office of public weigher. The Public Weighers' Association of Texas, recently organized with Ed K. Marratt of Galveston, president, is co-operating with the Department of Markets and Warehouses to see that weighers are appointed in each county and to bring about the enforcement of the letter of the law. This association has established headquarters at Austin, and every public weigher in the state is being urged to join. The organization will hold a state meeting at the Oriental hotel in Dallas, August 21, 1919, at which all these things will be discussed. Information regarding the new association can be had by inquiry addressed to P. O. Box 447, Capitol station, Austin, Texas.

#### Disolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the drilling partnership of Twaddle & Jones Drilling Company has this date been by mutual consent dissolved. O. L. Twaddle retiring from said partnership, and S. D. Harper and J. E. Jones, the remaining partners, assume all obligations of said partnership and no one else, except the last named persons, to-wit: S. D. Harper and J. E. Jones, shall hereafter create any debt, liability or obligation of said partnership.

Witness our hands at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 31st day of July, 1919.

O. L. TWADDLE,  
J. E. JONES,  
S. D. HARPER.

#### Box Supper.

The League of Nations is here to stay and will be ratified on Wednesday evening at Lake Wichita, 8:30 o'clock, August 6, 1919.

All members of the league are urgently requested to be present.

All lady members are requested to bring boxes, for you will need a lunch before you get home.

As this is our first annual meeting, let all come out, spend a pleasant evening and get acquainted.

WICHITA BENEVOLENT LEAGUE,  
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#### Unfortunate Stoop.

ST. PAUL, MINN., Next time Patrolman William Miller drops a flashlight he won't stop to pick it up. When he did it first time he also dropped his gun, and got a bullet in the arm.

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**Wichita Falls Chapter No. 222, W. M. M.** Stated convocations second Friday night in each month. E. V. Friberg, E. C. M. Dodgen, Sec.

**Wichita Falls Chapter No. 55, Regular convocations** fourth Friday night in each month. E. V. Friberg, E. C. M. Dodgen, Sec.

**Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, Meetings** first and third Tuesday night in each month. Mrs. Emma Richardson, W. M. Miss Cora Karrenbrock, Secretary.

**Wichita Falls Lodge, B. P. O. E.** Meets first and third Monday nights of each month at Elks' Hall. D. W. Colley, Secretary.

**Knights of Columbus, Wichita Falls Council No. 1172,** meets every second and fourth Tuesday at 8 o'clock, Catholic church hall, 1310 Ninth St. Visiting Knights welcome.

**The Brotherhood of American Women** meets every second and fourth Tuesday night at new O. H. Fellows hall, 708 1-2 Seventh. Mrs. E. L. Richardson, Secretary.

### GOMPERS SELECTION NAMED TO HEAD THE WORLD FEDERATION

AMSTERDAM, Friday, Aug. 1.—W. A. Appleton, secretary of the General Federation of Trades Unions of Great Britain, who today was elected president of the International Trade Union Federation, was proposed for the office by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. Appleton was chosen by 21 votes as against 14 for President Gudegeest of the Dutch labor federation. Leon Jouhaux, the French labor leader, was chosen first vice president, receiving 30 to 19 for Carl Rudolph Legien, president of the German federation of trades union. Legien declined to accept the second vice presidency or any other office, as he said the meeting appeared to despise the Germans. The Austrians also refused to participate as officeholders.

M. Marons, the Belgian leader, was elected second vice president. Twenty-eight votes were cast for him, the German, Austrian and Scandinavian delegates not voting.

Mr. Gompers declared later that Americans might accept office in the new organization when the South American membership becomes better organized.

The German delegates stated that the defense of their attitude during the war, made at a previous session, had been received badly because it was not well translated. They said they did not agree entirely with the resolution offered by Herr Sassenbach, the German Socialist leader, which was criticized by the American delegates as being "unrepentant" but they did not repudiate it.

The subscriptions to the international were fixed at twelve ducats florins (about \$4.80) for each thousand members.

If you want property in Wichita Falls, look over N. O. Monroe's ads. 70-11p

### PEACE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS THAT TREATY BE RATIFIED

PARIS, Aug. 2.—The peace committee of the Chamber of Deputies which by a vote of 34 to 1 yesterday recommended to the Chamber that the German peace treaty be ratified, before balloting listened to Georges Leygues, minister of marine. The minister stated that the efforts of the Government tended toward the recovery of entire tonnage lost by the French during the war, and also the tonnage which the Government had been unable to construct in the same period.

Unfortunately, M. Leygues said, part of the guarantee disappeared at Scapa Flow, but the sinking of the German fleet was a vindication of the armistice and thus involved the responsibility of Germany which might be called upon to answer with what ships remained or by the delivery of naval material.

After recalling the magnificent role played by the French navy during the war and especially in the Mediterranean, the minister said France could not rival England or the United States but must have a fleet assuring her naval position.

The committee unanimously recognized that the peace treaty meant the disappearance of the German fleet. Former Premier Viviani, who presided, called upon the commission to vote on the treaty. Deputy Louis Martin, who later voted against acceptance of the treaty, proposed four motions against it. One was rejected, the others postponed for discussion and the vote taken.

The report of former Premier Louis Barthou will be read next Tuesday.

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### DISCUSS BELGIAN INDUSTRIAL AND FINANCIAL NEEDS

BRUSSELS, Friday, Aug. 1.—Belgian industrial and financial needs are being discussed in a series of conferences between Belgian and American officials. The first meeting today was attended by representatives of the Guaranty Trust Company, National City Bank, American International Corporation and the Foreign Banking Corporation, all of New York and Henry H. Morgan, United States consul general, Harry Colling, American trade commissioner, and M. Thuis, representing the minister of economic affairs.

The meeting revealed the fact that Belgian industry has taken only \$14,000,000 of the \$50,000,000 credits established several months ago because the loans are too short in proportion to the high rate of interest. The Belgians desire long term credit at reasonable rates.

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### EXPECT PRESIDENT TO AGAIN VETO THE DAYLIGHT REPEAL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 2.—Friends of day-light saving were confident today that President Wilson will again veto the repeal act passed by congress. The Senate late yesterday, by a vote of 41 to 12, approved the bill the House passed, abolishing the day-light saving plan October 26. If the President does veto this bill, and another repeal attempt is made, a parliamentary battle is in prospect. Day-light saving friends will raise the point of order that the legislation has twice been defeated, they said, in an effort to prevent further agitation of the question at this session.

#### ABOUT ONE-FOURTH THE NUMBER OF DRUNKS

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—Records of the Central Municipal Court, through which pass approximately one-fifth of the commercial cases of the state, show that 764 persons were arrested for drunkenness during July, 1919, as compared with 2,964 in July, 1918. The records show, however, that the number of commercial cases is again increasing.

### NOTICE TO OIL MEN

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# INSURANCE RATES HANG IN BALANCE SAYS FIRE CHIEF

Insurance penalties on many business houses will amount in the neighborhood of 50 cents on the \$100 of insurance carried if conditions found on the recent inspection are still in existence at the reinspection of premises to be made during the coming week, says Fire Chief J. L. McClure.

Reports on the reinspection will go to the office of the State Fire Commission at Austin, and action can be expected immediately, as Chief McClure has had some difficulty in holding the fire commission off as long as he has in the hope that conditions here will be improved.

"Conditions, instead of growing better seem to be getting worse," said the chief. "I have used all the persuasion that I know how to get the business men to clear up around their premises, but have had no success. There is nothing that I can do now except render the long overdue reports to the commission and let them take their own action."

"Failure to remove those hazards can be quite an expensive matter. Take for an instance boxes and barrels of trash near a store building. That will call for a penalty of 25 cents on the \$100 of insurance, and in the case of a business house with several thousand dollars worth of insurance that can amount to a right respectable sum. Blocked aisles and rubber hoses connections call for a 10 per cent penalty.

"These are only instances, and some of the business houses here will be penalized for these and many additional hazards."

# PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO BE BADLY CROWDED AGAIN NEXT TERM

Crowded conditions will exist in the Wichita Falls schools this year, according to a statement by W. W. Brown, business manager, and it may be necessary to let the children in the lower grades on half day sessions for a while.

Although a six room addition has been made to the Alamo school and a six room addition to the Austin school, as well as a four room frame structure across the river, it is not believed that even these additions will materially relieve conditions caused by the great influx of people into Wichita Falls in the past year.

# WIFE AS SHIELD NEGRO SHOOTS AT CHIEF OF POLICE

Hiding himself behind the body of his wife an unknown negro man Friday afternoon opened fire and emptied his pistol at Chief of Police Fred Smith and Patrolman Morgan, who had hurried to the Wichita river at the western edge of the city, in answer to a call stating that the negro was about to kill his wife. Although the firing was at short range, neither of the officers were hit. Both returned the fire, but the presence of the woman handcuffed the firing of the officers, and they emptied their revolvers without result, the negro making his escape.

# TENANTS MOVING INTO SWARTS-WOOD BUILDING

Quarters of the Odd Fellows and Modern Woodmen are being moved to their new home in the recently completed Swarts-Wood building between Sixth and Seventh on Scott avenue. In addition to the two lodges part of the second floor will be occupied by the St. Paul apartments, with several office rooms in the front part of the building. The entire first floor is to be occupied by the Excelsior Motor Co.

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# TUBERCULIN TEST REQUIRED BY CITY FOR DAIRY CATTLE

On August 25, certificates of tuberculin test must be filed by all owners of dairy cattle furnishing milk for sale in Wichita Falls, with the city food inspector, according to notice issued by Dr. J. F. Reed, chairman of the board of health. Under the city milk ordinance, the city veterinarian makes the tests, at the owners expense.

"Dr. Reed's notice follows: 'The City Milk Ordinance, section 16, reads as follows: 'All cows fresh or dry, and all cattle over one year of age, in dairies from which milk or cream or milk products are furnished to persons residing in the city of Wichita Falls, for consumption shall be tuberculin tested and inspected for all contagious or infectious diseases at owners expense. 'You are hereby notified that you must have your cattle tested and certificate filed with the city food inspector by August 25, 1919. This applies to the owner of one cow as well as to a herd of cows.

"Upon conviction of such offense be fined in any sum of money not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars, and each day constitutes a separate and distinct offense.

"Phone 15, City Veterinarian, and arrange for testing.

(Signed) DR. J. F. REED,  
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# "Karakule Bill" McCalister Going to Entertain His Friends with Barbecue At the Goodnight Ranch on Labor Day

"Karakule Bill" McCalister, formerly celebrated as an oil man of the first water, but now a full-fledged ranch man, is going to stage a party on his ranch, the famous Goodnight ranch, in Armstrong county, on Labor Day, September 1, that will be the biggest event of the year for the oil fraternity, for "Karakule Bill" is inviting all his friends, honest to goodness folk, every one of them, to a buffalo barbecue on the Goodnight ranch. The feed will have as its feature a fine bull buffalo, one year old, and there will be a program of entertainment, such as has never before been staged, and the old west will be combined with the new west, by the oil men, taking part in contests and games that are accompaniments of ranch life.

**Given Name is Changed.**

When Mr. McCalister bought the Goodnight ranch, paying \$200,000 for 13,000 acres of grazing and agricultural land, splendid ranch house, one of the finest private fishing lakes in the State, to say nothing of the best privately owned herd of buffalo in the United States, the only herd of cattalo, bred by Colonel Goodnight, and 200 head of pure bred Karakule sheep, he talked so much about his newly acquired livestock, especially his Karakule that his name was changed from William J. to "Karakule Bill." And to his friends, who have been taming the wildest in Wichita county oil fields, he will be nothing but "Karakule Bill" henceforth and forever.

**To Celebrate Possession.**

This party will celebrate Mr. McCalister's becoming master of the west, as Colonel Goodnight, friend of Buffalo Bill and one of the most prominent figures of pioneer days, has made the name of Goodnight synonymous with the vigorous, picturesque life of the early days in Texas. The colonel has preserved a wonderful herd of buffalos and has

also evolved an original breed, called cattalo, a cross between the Texas longhorn and the buffalo, and has also a herd of 200 pure bred Karakule sheep. All of these Mr. McCalister acquired as well as all other ranch properties, with the exception of "ong old grey horse named Dick," as was specified in the contract. This old horse was Mrs. Goodnight's buggy horse, and it alone of all the various animals on the big ranch being reserved by the former master and mistress.

**Making Elaborate Plans.**

Elaborate plans are being made for this Labor Day party to which Mr. McCalister will be host. In the first place his scores and scores of friends in the oil fraternity are going, and a number of them are taking charge of the program. The host's chief concern will be seeing that there is sufficient barbecued buffalo, shorts, cattalo and young Karakules, as well as all the accessories that tradition says must accompany a real Western ranch barbecue (staying, of course, strictly within the law). Mr. Norton says "He's good in going around in circles." "Fres" Lea has issued a challenge to all cowboys in the State, or in this section of the country, to a roping contest for "stake and side money." Mart Rowe has already commenced placing bets on Pres, as he says he is sure he's a good lariat thrower, he has such a beautiful pair of cowboy boots.

One of the features of the program will be Pink Hammond's fight with a wild ram. This ram and Pink fought a previous battle, round after round to a draw, and the oil man's "dander was up" to a considerable extent because he didn't put the animal out of

the ring. Mr. McCalister states, and he guarantees to vanquish him on this second exhibition.

Other events are being arranged, similar in novelty and excitement to the foregoing, with similarly prominent oil men as principals. These will be announced later. Only one other additional feature is made public at this time, and that is that Jack Farabee has promised, on his honor as an oil man, that he will remain quiet through the entire day if he is permitted to attend.

Arrangements have been made for Col. Early Dean of Fort Worth to have moving pictures made of the affair. Captain Erwin, American ace now head of a commercial aerial transportation company, will be present and will stage a flying exhibition.

# DR. SCHARFF TO BOULDER TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

Dr. A. O. Scharff has gone to Boulder, Colorado, to attend the Rocky Mountain Osteopathic conference, after which he will go to Denver, to take a four weeks course in the Denver Polytechnic and Post Graduate College.

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