

SOFT COAL STRIKE ENDS WITH 48 HOURS

TRAINMEN WALK OUT JOLIET ILL.; PROTEST PRESENCE OF TROOPS

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Twenty-five thousand rail shop craft workers through David Williams, secretary of the eastern strike committee today sent a telegram to E. M. Jewell, president of the union, putting themselves on record as refusing to accept President Harding's proposal for submitting the seniority question to the railroad labor board.

BRANDON LEADING AS NOMINEE FOR GOV. IN ALABAMA

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 9.—The apparent sweeping victory of Judge Brandon over E. H. Graves in yesterday's primary has given Brandon a majority today in all sections of the state as the tabulation of returns proceeded.

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OTHER BROTHERHOODS TO JOIN IN CONFERENCE

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Leaders of the striking railroad shop craftsmen in the country occupied themselves today with preparations for the meeting of the railroad union officials they expect to hold Friday with the issuance of statements declaring railroad equipment to be a dangerously deteriorated condition.

WILL BE EMPLOYED IN SUCH INSTANCES, SAYS STONE

CLEVELAND, Aug. 9.—Chief executives of the "big four" transportation brotherhoods have taken active steps in their campaign to have the lives of brotherhood members through the alleged actions of armed guards in connection with the strike.

FURTHER ARRESTS ARE PROBABLE AT GAINESVILLE

GAINESVILLE, TEXAS, Aug. 9.—Indications around a district court room here this morning where Ranger Captain W. L. Wright, County Attorney Gettys and Texas Rangers were in session, pointed to some action today in enforcing the open port law in Gainesville.

GIANT AIR CRUISER WILL START 8,500 MILE JOURNEY AUG. 15

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—The giant air cruiser Sampo Corveta will take off from the Hudson river on the first leg of its 8,500 mile journey to Manaus, Brazil, at 4 p. m. August 15, it was announced today.

DIG EXTENSION FOR HERRON CITY POOL IN YOUNG COUNTY

HERRON CITY, Aug. 9.—The Herron City field was extended a mile farther to the south and east this morning when the Xyrell Oil corporation No. 1, W. A. Riddle, came in making 500 barrels from depth of 2400 feet.

AMARILLO PLAYER SOLD TO CHICAGO CUBS

AMARILLO, Aug. 9.—Howard N. Fitzgerald, center fielder for the Amarillo club, of the Central Texas league, has been sold to the Chicago Cubs.

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PLEA OF INTERVENTION FILED IN RECEIVERSHIP SUIT OF STONE COMPANY

CLAIM PRIORITY SHOWN IN PAYING ACCOUNTS

Hercules Powder Company Cites County Commissioners as Parties to Suit

Contending that Wichita county is being shown priority in its claim of 40 cents on each ton of rock shipped, the Hercules Powder company has filed a plea of intervention in the receivership suit of J. A. Kemp at against the Lone Star Stone company.

In a petition filed Tuesday afternoon the powder company cites the county judge and the county commissioners as parties to the action and asks that it be required to file a statement of the alleged account with the stone company prior to the appointment of the receiver and also subsequent to the appointment.

The intervenor claims that the Lone Star company is indebted to it for merchandise sold on open account in the sum of \$5,016 and it asks judgment for this amount.

The petition recites that the judge of the 29th district court on June 5, 1922, appointed C. E. Peider as receiver of the assets of the company and that on June 19 the receiver entered into a contract with Hal Moser and W. W. Hyde for the operation of the quarry.

It is claimed in the petition that the operators are to receive half of the profits remaining after operating expenses are paid out of the 25 cents received from Wichita county on each ton of rock shipped the county on which the county is credited 40 cents for the loan made the stone company when it was opened for operations.

As a further contention the intervenor recites that if the Lone Star Stone company has a contract with Wichita county and that if the contract made and entered into by the receiver and Moser and Hyde is for the purpose of carrying out provisions of said contract, the intervenor alleges that said contract and operations of plant and delivery and payment of 40 cents for each 21.25 per ton in and constitute a preference over the claim of the intervenor.

It further recites that if the company is indebted in any sum to Wichita county that it is a simple unsecured debt and should be so classified by the court and should be held for payment in the due order of the receivership on a pro rata basis with other unsecured claims.

AGED WOMAN FOUND DEAD IN HER BED AT ELECTRA

ELECTRA, TEXAS, Aug. 8.—Mrs. Sabina A. Wendt was found dead in her bed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Magee on Wichita street. She would have been eighty-one years old in a few days. A stroke of paralysis two years ago left Mrs. Wendt practically helpless, keeping her in bed practically ever since that time.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Byron Hester, pastor of the Christian church, and the remains were interred under auspices of the local chapter of the Eastern Star, of which deceased had been a member for years.

The dead woman is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Magee, with whom she has lived since the death of her husband about ten years ago.

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INSANITY PLEA OF UPTON IN TRIAL ON CHARGE OF MURDER

CLARENDON, TEXAS, Aug. 8.—The Upton murder case transferred here from Floyd county charging Houston Upton with the killing of Gladys Solomon, his sweetheart on February 27, started this morning with Sheriff Grigsby of Florida as the first witness. Vera Wilson, the girl who was in bed with the two girls shot, was the second witness who proved to be a very good witness for the state. Important witnesses for the defense this afternoon were: Umberson boy, the brother of one of the dead girls; Mrs. Francis White, nurse of Upton; Newt McGee, who waited on him while in jail; Tom Donahue, his cell mate, and Rev. Horton, pastor of the Baptist church, of which Upton is a member. Also Upton's father, J. M. Upton, who was an important witness.

The court room was crowded until no standing room was available throughout the day. Seventy-five or one hundred witnesses from Floyd county are here for the case. The defense will base its fight on the grounds of insanity, the attorneys said.

The jurors selected for this case are J. W. Blund, J. C. Bellack, C. F. Weaver, J. M. Acord, R. F. Weidman, W. A. Black, J. D. Pope, Fred Ballew, E. R. Atkins, W. A. Gearty, and Ben Bentley.

NEW PASTOR FOR VERNON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

VERNON, TEXAS, Aug. 8.—Rev. Lewis P. Kupp, recently called to the pastorate of the First Christian church of Vernon, filled the pulpit for the first time last Sunday. He came to this city from McAlester, accompanied by his wife and two daughters, Misses Esther and Ruth. The newcomers were tendered a "grounding" last Friday night at the parsonage.

BOND ISSUES CARRY BY SWEEPING VOTE SEYMOUR TUESDAY

SEYMOUR, Aug. 8.—The city election held here yesterday resulted in a sweeping and decisive vote in favor of the four bond issues providing for city hall and auditorium, park improvement, sewerage system and extension of water mains and totaling \$50,000.

Eight thousand dollar bond issue for park improvement carried by a vote of 222 to 21. Seventeen thousand dollars for extension of sewerage mains, carried by 278 to 40.

Forty thousand dollars for city hall and auditorium prevailed by 217 to 104, while \$25,000 for additional water mains received 274 to 51.

Considerable interest was manifested by the voters and a larger vote was polled than was expected. Active work on all of these important improvements will begin at an early date as possible.

FRENCH AND BRITISH DIFFERENCES DISCUSSED AT DIPLOMATIC BREAKFAST

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The differences between the French and British viewpoints on the German reparations problem which seem to be threatening the break-up of the allied conference were discussed at length over their breakfast this morning by Prime Minister Lloyd George and Premier Poincare. This "diplomatic breakfast" which lasted for three hours, was the outstanding feature of the early part of the conference's third day. Premier Poincare went directly from his hotel to the French embassy where he met Mr. Lloyd George and the premier later continued his conversations at the residence of Viscount Paraguar, where the members of the allied delegations had luncheon.

I.C.C. REFUSES TO SANCTION PRICE FOR TEXAS RAILROAD

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Because the New Orleans, Texas and Mexico railroad proposed to pay \$25,000 for \$55,000 in par value stock which constitutes control of the Dayton-Ogess Creek railway in Texas, the interstate commerce commission today refused to authorize the transaction. The price proposed for the Dayton line, the commission said, was "greatly in excess of the physical valuation of the property," and while the larger railroad expected traffic advantage the deal was held to be disadvantageous to general transportation interests.

MOB UNSUCCESSFUL IN ATTEMPT TO STORM VINITA JAIL

VINITA, OKLA., Aug. 8.—A mob of more than 300 persons last night stormed the Craig county jail here in an unsuccessful attempt to take Elias Ridge, young negro, who was captured by a posse late yesterday after stabbing and beating to death Mrs. George Adair, 26, at her home three miles southwest of Pennsylvania. The negro went to the Adair home early in the afternoon and after procuring a drink of water set upon Mrs. Adair with a knife, inflicting several stab wounds. Then he obtained a plow share and crowbar with which he beat the woman into insensibility. She died within a few minutes. Feeling is tense here.



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Exquisitely trimmed in lace ruffles and hand embroidery. Lovely pastel colors of lavender, pink, yellow, blue, orange and white. They were formerly priced as high as \$19.75 but we will sell them Thursday, your choice

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Children's Organdie Hats—Half Price
Dainty Hats for the "Kiddies" in Blue, Yellow, White, Peach and Red—offered in a final clearance Thursday

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TWO SPEAKERS IN SENATORIAL RACE COMING HERE SOON

MAYFIELD TO SPEAK MONDAY NIGHT, SUPPORTERS HERE LEARN

T. H. MCGREGOR WILL SPEAK FOR FERGUSON

Will Be Here Friday Night; Big Crowds Expected to Hear Both

With Earle Mayfield himself coming here next Monday, and with T. H. McGregor of Austin, Ferguson's right hand man, to speak here Friday night, Wichita county will witness a political event in the next few days.

News that Mr. McGregor would be here Friday was received Tuesday evening. Mr. McGregor, candidate for governor in 1920 on the American party ticket, is an able speaker and is expected to follow up the attack which his chief has been making on Mayfield's personal record.

Mr. Mayfield and Mr. McGregor will both speak at the Moore and Richott vacant lot at Ninth and Indiana, and large crowds are expected on both occasions.

JUPITER PLUVIUS STOPS RECORD RUN MADE BY MERCURY

After making a record run of 24 consecutive days in which the fluid in the thermometer bulb reached the 100 degree mark and better, Jupiter Pluvius and his corps of assistants stepped in and ruined it Tuesday. The maximum height reached Tuesday was only 98 degrees.

Furthermore, during the night cover was necessary as the temperature receded to the 72 degree mark, the coldest it has been for many a day.

No rain was reported Tuesday from any source but the cool weather set in Monday night after heavy showers were had north and west of the city.

Partly clouded skies were reported towards the northwest by agents, but locally the sky was clear.

AMERICAN GLYCERIN CO. TAKES OVER PROPERTIES

RANGER, Aug. 8.—The American Glycerin company has taken over the properties of the Illinois Torpedo company in Texas, with exception of plants in Wichita Falls territory, it was declared here today.

ESTIMATE TEXAS COTTON CROP AT 2,600,000 BALES

AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—The Texas cotton crop will be approximately 2,600,000 bales, with a maximum possible production of slightly less than 3,000,000 bales, according to a state-wide summary of crop conditions, issued today by the state department of agriculture under direction of Commissioner George B. Terrell. The cotton production will not average more than one-fourth bale per acre, the report predicts, although some of the acreage may make one third bale.

The condition of the cotton crop on August 1 was 21 per cent normal, the department of agriculture summary states, and it is predicted that the condition will drop to 47 per cent before the middle of the present month, as a result of continued dry weather.

Regarding acreage of cotton, the summary reports an increase of only eight per cent over last year, which is a decrease over the last report of the state department two months ago of four per cent. The total final acreage now stands at 10,156,000 acres, while the last federal report shows an acreage of 12,212,000.

"Continued dry weather has been the greatest drawback to the cotton crop, as well as to other crops," the bi-monthly report declares. "Unless a general rain is received during the next two weeks, there will be a still greater reduction in cotton production and a further deterioration of the condition of the crop."

The state-wide condition of crops other than cotton, as indicated by

the report follows: corn, 57.2 per cent; oats, 51 per cent; wheat, 43.5 per cent; hay, 57.3 per cent; feed sorghum, 58 per cent; peanuts, 76.4; sweet potatoes, 72.1; ribbon cane, 52.5. Cotton is the only one of the major crops still showing an increased acreage over last year. With last year's acreage considered as 100 per cent, the acreage condition of crops on August 1, stood as follows: corn, 94.3 per cent; oats, 57.2 per cent; wheat, 71.5; hay, 57; feed sorghum, 52.1; peanuts, 52.2; sweet potatoes, 55.8; and ribbon cane, 98 per cent. The decreased acreage of cotton as well as other crops is the result of late abandonment of acreage, the report declares.

Condition of the various crops by district follows:

Crop	Western South-West	South-West	Central	Eastern
Cotton	73	59	74	74
Corn	76	59	40	40
Oats	74	42	42	42
Wheat	43	50	47	47
Hay	53	53	75	75
Feed Sorghum	50	50	57	57
Peanuts	56	56	81	81
S. Potatoes	56	56	74	74
Ribbon Cane	44	44	47	47
Cen. East-tral. ara.	73	73	73	73
Corn	73	73	73	73
Oats	62	62	62	62
Wheat	24	24	24	24
Hay	51	51	51	51
Food Sorghum	58	58	58	58
Peanuts	53	53	53	53
Sweet Potatoes	53	53	53	53
Ribbon Cane	49	49	49	49

ONLY 2 CASES DOCKETED IN POLICE COURT WEDNESDAY

The docket for the police court Wednesday morning was very light, only three cases being tried by Judge J. F. Marrs, and the fines collected totaled only \$15.

Two cases of vagrancy were booked, the court assessed a \$25 fine against one defendant, and dismissed the other case for lack of evidence. Running over a fire hose was the case of one young man being fined \$10.

OVER 40 PER CENT MECHANICAL FORCES AT WORK ON KATY

According to statistics compiled by the office force of Z. F. Garvin, general freight and passenger agent of the M. K. & T. at Dallas, 43 per cent of the normal mechanical force on the entire system is at work and this figure is increasing at the rate of one per cent a day.

His report also shows that the freight transportation is improving daily and that each day shows a substantial decrease in the number of loads awaiting movement.

Passenger trains Nos. 35 and 36 have been restored between Houston and Waco, the report states. Mr. Garvin also states that "we will gradually restore all trains taken off immediately after the strike was called."

WEST TEXAS COUNTIES TO EXHIBIT AT FAIRS

STAMFORD, Aug. 8.—Several counties contiguous to Wichita county will send exhibits to the Texas-Oklahoma fair as a result of the tour of those sections by B. M. Whiteaker, exhibit manager of the West Texas chamber of commerce.

Wherever Mr. Whiteaker has gone he has met with hearty response on the part of the chamber of commerce and citizens. A follow-up campaign to gather the best agricultural exhibits in the territory served by the fair will be instituted by Mr. Whiteaker in the next two or three weeks.

Whiteaker will endeavor to assist

the West Texas fair at Abilene to secure a complete line of agricultural exhibits from many counties throughout west Texas. He is also educating the towns and counties to the importance of the Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth next spring, and has great hopes of getting these counties to send large exhibits to it.

REGULAR SERVICE ON WICHITA VALLEY

ABILENE, TEXAS, Aug. 8.—Regular train service was resumed on the Wichita Valley railway here Tuesday, after nearly two weeks mixed freight and passenger service between Stamford and Abilene. For several days only mixed trains have been run, but it was stated from the offices here that two passenger trains daily would leave Abilene, and two would arrive here from Wichita Falls on the schedule used prior to the rail strike.

ter are desirous of contributing their quota of the products and sending along with them descriptive matter to induce thrifty northern and eastern farmers to immigrate to this section.

WEST TEXANS TO ATTEND MEETING AT WACO

STAMFORD, Aug. 8.—West Texas counties vitally interested in solving agricultural problems by adaptation of their sections to irrigation will send large numbers of representatives to the water conservation and flood control congress at Waco August 14, according to the general offices of the west Texas chamber of commerce. It is pointed out that this meeting is one of far reaching importance and one that should be generously attended by representatives of the west.

Texas-Oklahoma Fair, September 30 to October 4, Wichita Falls.

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In our general office files are certified copies of remarkably consistent performance Savage tires are giving in different types of service in this territory:

In City Commercial Service
A concern, operating a fleet of cars and trucks, uses Savage tires exclusively for the past several years, receives 15,000 to 21,000 miles in Savage tires. The unusually high mileage performed brands this service as remarkably and far greater than was previously received from other makes of tires.

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More than 15,000 miles of service as an average from our 30 x 3 1/2 "D" Type tires is the experience of a company sending a salesman over country roads in this territory. The greater part of this mileage is made off the pavement.

We point with no particular pride to 22,000 miles rendered by our fabric tire in competition with other makes—including cord and fabric tires in territorial service—even though that mileage represents the greatest secured from any make. This we class as an individual record and it does not necessarily prove consistency in general average performance such as we are desirous of showing.

The Savage Cord
We have incorporated into the Savage Cord seventeen outstanding constructional features that make it an exceedingly superior article.

Placed on the market in the Northwest last year, original tires shipped into your territory are for the most part still in service. We have numerous reports of Savage Cords that are still in operation having delivered to date 12,000 to 14,000 miles, and even up to 27,000 miles.

perform equally well under every condition—on the short haul of the heavily loaded commercial car, on the heated roads of the sandy desert, over mud and stones of the land of forests or the broad dirt highways of the plains.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

FISH FRY AT HENRY FORD'S LAKESIDE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford and daughter, Miss Katherine, 1201 Lamar avenue, were host and hostesses to about 25 of their friends Tuesday at one of their summer homes on Lake Wichita, the principal feature of the occasion being a fish fry. The camp house is ideally located in a clump of large pecan and poplar trees with Lake Wichita on one side and Holiday creek on the other, making the place almost an island. Cool breezes blow continuously, and the creek furnishes the finest sort of swimming facilities.

The fish was cooked in the house which is equipped with complete camping outfit, and served with fried potatoes, hot coffee, cream and cake and cold drinks. Among those present were Revs. Muller, Ermel, G. L. Trabant and two sons, Messrs. and Mrs. F. J. Mester and son, Harry Mabler and three children, Varner, D. J. Carithers, George Bomar and five children, and Mrs. Fred Moler.

CHICKEN FRY TUESDAY EVE HONORS MRS. W. C. McLEOD

Honoring Mrs. W. C. McLeod of Fort Worth who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. N. C. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith entertained a party of friends with a chicken fry Tuesday evening at Lake Wichita. A camp fire was built on the lake shore near the spillway, and after the fry was done to a turn, they were served with a bountiful picnic lunch topped off with cold watermelon. Those enjoying the occasion were Messrs. and Mesdames R. C. Honea, N. C. Parker and daughter, Mary Kate, W. F. McCurdy, A. W. Wyatt, the honoree, Mrs. W. C. McLeod, Oscar McCurdy, Harry Paul Smith, Martha Jane Honea, Margaret Weaver, and Miss Cecil McCurdy.

GIRLS SPEND EVENING IN GAMES AND CANDY MAKING

A party of young girls met at the home of Mrs. J. J. Ireland Tuesday evening from 8 to 11 to make candy, each one bringing some ingredients. After an hour or more of games and story telling, they took possession of the kitchen, where they made all sorts of sweets, which were served later as refreshments. Those present were Misses Ruth Gaines, Bessie Rowland, Jamie and Opal Buchanan, Ceste Hutchinson, Helen Young, Margie Mitchell, Fay Thompson, Jewel Miller, Agnes Dunson, Roba Ireland and Mrs. Agnes Yerman.

BARBIE MOTHERS TO HAVE MEETING WITH MRS. DALLARD

The Barbie Mothers' club will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. Dallard, 504 Virginia street. All members are urged to be present.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS MARK MUSKRAT HAS 'NOTHINGWRONGATALL'

By OLIVE ROBERTS BANTON



"I'm miserable, doctor," he said wretchedly. "Just miserable." "Ting-a-ling-a-ling" went Dr. Snuffles' telephone. Nancy was washing the dishes and Nick was weeding the flower bed, so Dr. Snuffles, the fairy doctor, answered the phone himself. It was Mrs. Muskrat. "Ray, doctor," she said in a queer voice, "please don't let anyone know I called you up, but Mark, my husband, is on his way to your house and, honest to goodness, there isn't a thing the matter with him!" "That's very strange," answered Dr. Snuffles. "Why should he come to see me then?" "Because," answered Mrs. Muskrat, "he thinks he's sick. He's got a hundred things the matter with him, he thinks, but he says enough for 10 people, sleeps like a log, is as fat as a pig and everything." "But he complains something awful. Just as Dr. Snuffles hung up the receiver, "Just miserable," he said wretchedly. "Just miserable." "I'm miserable, doctor," he said wretchedly. "Just miserable." Dr. Snuffles looked at his tongue and slapped his chest and scouted his pipes and then said: "I know just what is wrong, sir! You're a very sick man. You've got a disease called 'nothing's-wrong-at-all'!" "Goodness!" gasped Mark, turning pale. "Am I as bad as that?" "Yes," nodded Dr. Snuffles, "but I can cure you. And he sent Nick for a special kind of medicine. "Why it was only water!" said Nick when Mark Muskrat had gone. "Never mind!" smiled Dr. Snuffles. "His own imagination will do the rest." (To be continued.) (Copyright, 1922, NEA Service.)

ETHELIND TERRY TELLS SECRET FOR HAVING BEAUTIFUL TEETH

By OLIVE ROBERTS BANTON



(This is the second of a series of beauty articles written for The Times by six stage beauties. In this Ethelind Terry tells you how to care for your teeth.)

BY ETHELIND TERRY.

Star of "The Music Box Revue," "Whose Perfect Teeth Are Celebrated," Mrs. J. A. Kerchner and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Connor, 505 Mississippi street.

Why teeth leave home is a question being thoroughly investigated by dentists.

More than ever before, we are interested in keeping our teeth with us to the end and in making them comfortable and happy in their surroundings.

This, because we know that aside from being unsightly and causing us pain, bad teeth are the cause of many diseases.

The entire beauty of the mouth depends upon the teeth.

You may have a cupid's bow or rosebud lips, but if you can't part them in the middle and reveal nice white teeth, you can't call your mouth your beautiful feature.

A reliable dentist is your first aid. He should examine your teeth twice a year and see that all the cavities are promptly filled, and that the gums are in a healthy condition.

But the daily care, what really counts, is up to you.

Remember to include in your diet a little coarse bread and some foods that require chewing. Then chew. That gives the molars a little healthy exercise and keeps them strong and fit.

Have a session night and morning with the toothbrush, and remember the scientific way to go about this is the up-and-down method instead of the cross-country route. This enables the bristles to pass between the teeth.

After each meal, when you are alone, use dental floss to remove any particles of food that may have found a temporary lodging place in a molar. Left to its own devices, it may gather about it a few germs and start a little decay party.

Use a good antiseptic mouth wash twice a day. That will give any germs you may be harboring the incentive they need to disappear. Also, it will make the breath purer.

Extremes of temperature in food and drink are very annoying to your enamel. So if you will resist the temptation to alternate ice cream and hot coffee or hot soup and ice water your teeth will appreciate it.

And I might add that if you will crack nuts with a nut cracker and not burden your teeth with these responsibilities, your ability to find yourself with a false plate will be lessened.

RUSELIANS HAVE SWIM AND PICNIC CEDAR PARK POOL

Tuesday evening, the members of the Russian class of the First Baptist Sunday school chaperoned by Mrs. W. M. Scott, enjoyed a swim and picnic at Downing's pool. A delicious lunch of fried chicken and all the trimmings was served to Misses Louise and Jeannette Scott, Rosa May Scott, Burch Murphy, Norma Rawlins, Mae Bartlett, Violet Wilson, Cecil McCurdy, Stella Winters, Genevieve Maxwell and Elizabeth Russell of Abilene.

POLYANNA CLASS HOSTESSES TO AGOGA CLASS TUESDAY

The Polyanna class of the First Baptist Sunday school were hostesses to the Agoga class of young men Tuesday evening. The entertainment taking the form of a swim and old fashioned picnic. The young people met at the church at 7 o'clock and motored out to Downing's pool. After spending an hour or more in the water, guests and hostesses sat down to a spread consisting of everything that goes with the old time picnic. There were about 75 present.

MASTERS DEE AND DUTCH KERNSHNER, SONS OF I. KERNSHNER OF VERNON, ARE VISITING THEIR GRANDMOTHER AND AUNT, MRS. J. A. KERNSHNER AND MR. AND MRS. JACK CONNOR, 505 MISSISSIPPI STREET.

JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES—Continued. BY ELTON



JACK KEPT ON WALKING UP THE STAIRS, BUT NOW AND THEN HE PAUSED TO LISTEN, AS HE IMAGINED SOMEONE WAS FOLLOWING HIM. THEN HE SAW A LITTLE GUNNER KNIFE IN A CRACK.

THEN JACK HURRIED ON, AND SOON HE WAS AHEAD OF HIM. A SHARP OF LIGHT. AFTER HE HAD GONE A LITTLE FURTHER HE DISCOVERED THIS WAS A DOG, LEADING OUT.

AT LAST THE LITTLE ADVENTURER MADE HIS ESCAPE FROM GALANTY CAVE. THE FIRST THING JACK SAW WAS FLIP—TIED TO THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF THE CAVE.

THE POOR DOG WAS TIED FAST, BUT WAS TUGGING AWAY AT THE ROPE. AS HE REALIZED THAT HE WAS IN DANGER, AN ENORMOUS EAGLE WAS CIRCLING AROUND HIM.

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It's cheaper to move dollars than goods, and we know it. We want to sell every pair of shoes, and every item in our entire stock, so we can open our new store with brand new stocks. Help us do this and we'll save you big money.

Men's Oxfords and Dress Shoes, choice	\$4.85	Men's Straw Hats,	\$1.95
Ladies Pumps, boots and oxfords	\$1.98, \$2.45, \$3.85, \$5.88, \$6.85	Men's Fall Felt Hats, Half Price	
Men's Shirts, Ties and Caps, 60% off		Hosiery, all grades, big discount.	
Children's Sturdy School Shoes, 40% off		White Shoes, Kid, Linen and Buckskin,	\$3.45 and \$4.85
Men's Winter Weight Union Suits, \$2.75 values, now	\$1.25	Every Item Slaughtered in Proportion.	

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9x12 Axminster Rugs, \$31.75 to	\$62.75
9x12 Wilton Rugs, \$62.75 to	\$131.25
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Leonard Refrigerators, 100 size \$46.75 to	\$89.75

And Many Others

W. A. Freear Furniture Co.

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MURDER CHARGES FILED AGAIN FOR JOLLY

YON NILES AND A FULLER COMPLAINT

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FOR REAL ECONOMY In the Kitchen USE CALUMET The Economy BAKING POWDER

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Mrs. Clint Wood and son, Clint Halley, accompanied by Miss Betty Nuss leave Wednesday afternoon for Colorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pearre and son, C. J. Jr. of Abilene are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fisher this week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Hughes left Tuesday for Colorado points to be gone about two weeks.

MACHINE DAMAGED, BOY HURT IN BURKURNETT ACCIDENT

The Studebaker car of F. M. Bialkowski, well known contractor, was badly damaged, and Francis Bialkowski, aged 11, was bruised about the head when the machine was wrecked on the Burkurnett road late Tuesday. Mr. Bialkowski and his son were returning from Burkurnett at the time. The car struck one of the railings at the bridge in the refinery district, and the rail sheared away the fender and running board from one side of the car and caused other damage. Mr. Bialkowski sustained only slight bruises. The boy was able to be up and around Wednesday morning.

SPRICK O'BARTY RELEASED AFTER PERFECTING BOND

Spick O'Barty, who has been a prisoner in the county jail on a charge of burglary for the past month, was released Tuesday afternoon after perfecting a bond of \$750. His case was scheduled for trial at the last term of court, but was continued on account of the absence of witnesses.

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TOM NILES AND WIFE AND G. A. FULLER NAMED IN COMPLAINTS

RELEASE IS SOUGHT BY HABEAS CORPUS

Judge Holds That He Has No Jurisdiction as to Writ Sought by Prisoners

Murder charges were filed Wednesday in Clay county against Tom Niles and his wife and G. A. Fuller in connection with the mysterious death of Ed Phelan near Jolly four weeks ago.

Habeas corpus proceedings were filed in the 40th district court Wednesday and a hearing had. It was set up in the writ that the parties were being held in jail without a complaint having been filed.

The district attorney announced that a telephonic conversation with the county attorney at Herington Wednesday morning informed him that complaints had been filed there this date.

The court then announced that he had no jurisdiction over the matter in as much as the defendant had not as yet had a hearing before a magistrate and remanded them to the custody of the sheriff.

REFUSED A REDUCTION IN AMOUNT OF BOND

Willis Hinton, held under an indictment charging theft of an automobile was remanded to the custody of the sheriff by Special Judge J. H. Klugore Wednesday afternoon without having been granted a reduction in the amount of bond set. The bond was fixed at \$1500 at the time the indictment was returned.

CURRY APPOINTED ON BOUNDARY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—George Curry, former governor of New Mexico, was appointed today by President Harding to be the American commissioner of the United States-Mexico international boundary commission.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Lee Abrams and daughter, Bernice, left for Colorado for a two months visit with relatives.

George Elbert left Wednesday for Amarillo on a two weeks vacation trip.

Leattie McMillan left Wednesday on a brief trip to Fort Worth.

Miss Aileen Covay of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company, returned from a two weeks vacation spent with relatives in Bowie.

Mrs. Bonnie Havalip of the Texhoma Refining company, returned from a two weeks vacation in Fort Worth.

Lee Pruitt and sister, Miss Dolly Pruitt, and Miss Wright of Thornbury were visitors in the city Wednesday.

Donald G. Cook of this city leaves Thursday for a tour of South America. He will leave on the Malory lines and while in Brazil will attend the centennial exposition to be given at Rio de Janeiro.

Warrie Davis left Wednesday for Amarillo, where he will visit relatives for a few weeks.

G. H. Howard of the Electric Service station has left for points in north Texas for a two weeks vacation.

Dr. W. E. Nelson and Vernon Black will leave Thursday for Yarnes, Okla., for a 10 days vacation.

Misses Katherine and Bernice Ledbetter of Dallas, who have been visiting Mrs. Taylor for a week, returned to their home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Walker and daughters, Rebecca and Betty, returned Tuesday from Hillsboro, Texas, where they have been visiting relatives.

J. D. Raines returned from a week's visit with relatives in Clarendon.

Leon Patterson, formerly of this city and connected with the local office of Louis Oil corporation, is now located in Dallas with the main office of that company. Mr. Patterson was married in Ballinger, Texas, Saturday.

Mrs. Ross Robertson and daughter, Mary Luoma left Wednesday afternoon for Colorado points.

TARIFF ON BOOTS AS RAFT, LENSROOT CHARGES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Senator Lenroot, republican, Wisconsin, charged in the senate today that the five per cent ad valorem duty on boots and shoes had been recommended as a "bait" to get senate votes for the duty on hides.

Opposing the hide rates, Senator Lenroot declared he was convinced that the chief beneficiary would be Chicago meat packers and that the giving of this benefit to the packers would have the inevitable result of driving out of business the 100 independent tanners of the country.

The Wisconsin senator said he also was convinced that 85 per cent of the farmers would have to expand more in increased prices for shoes and other leather goods than they would receive in increased prices for hides.

FORMER WICHITAN IS CHARGED WITH CONCEALING ASSETS

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 8.—Abel Sosland, formerly of Wichita, Falls, Texas, gave bond before the United States commissioner here today to appear in Dallas, Texas, to answer to a charge of concealing assets in a bankruptcy proceeding. It was stated by C. C. Madison, United States district attorney, Mr. Madison said Sosland was indicted in March.

GIRLS! BLEACH UGLY FRECKLES

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents shake well, and you have a quartet of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion whitener.

Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes bleach out and how clear, soft and rosy white the skin becomes.—adv.

Izzy in Dizzy Run Captures Barrels of Rum

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Izzy Einstein, New York's most disguised prohibition agent, who has turned spotted everybody from an Indian prince to coast heaver, nearly got hit on the head today by a policeman who mistook him for a bandit.

Izzy, who hasn't appeared for several weeks, with a spectacular coup this morning staged a thriller for the movies. Spotting a Jerry with six unlabeled barrels, Izzy hopped into a taxi and pursued it down the lower east side.

The driver of the truck was something of a Barney Oldfield, and the taxi's radiator looked like a miniature gyrfalcon when it drew alongside and Izzy leaped aboard the moving truck. One of the three truckmen bellowed "bandit!" and a policeman was raising his club for a smash shot when another blue coat ran up and recognized Izzy.

Izzy took the truck, his three prisoners and the six barrels to prohibition headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thomas have returned from a trip to New York and other eastern points.

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\$300,000 REMAINS IN SPECIAL ROAD FUND OF COUNTY

A total of \$320,000 remains in the special road fund of Wichita county according to figures furnished by County Treasurer Tom McMillan, Wednesday.

At the beginning of the month there was a balance of \$278,104 in the fund and since that time \$50,000 has been expended. Since that date the Clay county and also the Burk Burnett road has been completed. It is believed that the road from the river bridge into Burk Burnett

will be completed before the end of the present week.

The county also will receive more state and federal aid as soon as action is received on estimates that are sent in from time to time.

FIRST BALE MARKETED AT CLEBURNE WEDNESDAY

CLEBURNE, TEXAS, Aug. 8.—The first bale of cotton of the season here brought 25 cents a pound at public auction with a \$2 premium. It was raised by F. W. Albright, weighed 684 pounds, classed strict middling and was purchased by W. H. Goldsmith.

CHILDLESS HOMES MADE HAPPY

Presence of Little Ones a Great Blessing

Four Interesting Letters

Cortland, N.Y.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because I was weak and wanted to become strong and have a child. My husband read about it in the 'Cortland Standard' and thought it might help me. It certainly did for I now have a lovely boy fifteen months old who weighs forty pounds. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to my friends and you can certainly use my testimonial in your little books and in the newspapers, as it might help to make some other childless homes happy by the presence of little ones as it has done mine."—Mrs. CLAUDE P. CAMPFIELD, 10 Salisbury St., Cortland, N. Y.

Married Three Years Brooklyn, N.Y.—"I am certainly very thankful to you for your Vegetable Compound. I was married three years and did not have a child. My husband had often heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and he made me take it and I became the mother of the healthiest little boy I know. When my friends tell me their bad feelings the first thing I say is, 'Take the Vegetable Compound.' I am willing for you to use these facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. ANTOINETTE MARANO, 113 Nestrand Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

St. Louis, Mo.—"I want to tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me seven years ago. I was run down and had a weakness such as women often have. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and after being married sixteen years became the mother of a sweet little girl. I now have four lovely children—three fine boys and the little girl six years old. I had longed for children all the while and wept many a day and envied every woman with a child. I was 36 years old when my first baby was born. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman who is ailing with female weakness."—Mrs. J. NATHAN, 1517 Benton St., St. Louis, Mo.

Was Weak and Run Down St. Louis, Mo.—"My mother took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when I was a girl, and when I was troubled with cramps I took it, and later when I married I again took it to make me strong as the doctor said I was weak and run down and could not have children. I took it and got along fine and now I have three girls. So you know why I keep the Compound in the house. I am a well woman and do my work and sewing too."—Mrs. JULIUS HARTMAN, 3501 W. Dodder Street, St. Louis, Mo.

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ONE ARABIAN NIGHT

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TODAY'S TALK
By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS
SO MUCH TO DO—SO FEW TO DO.
How big a world, how many things to do—how few there are who take to task the heavy, hard things.

MISSOURI
There is a quotation containing 23 letters, indicating the letters by their numerical position in the quotation, new words have been formed with them.
For instance: A domesticated animal—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23.

LITTLE BENNY'S NOTE BOOK
By LEE FARR
Frank Fearnot and the Stranger.
Some, Frank Fearnots front steps.
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THINGS LIKELY TO HAPPEN
Forbes Magazine sees hope in the immediate future.
Here are some of the things it says we are likely to see within the next few months:

CHARLIE
Louis Hellen has returned from a trip to west Texas.
Mrs. Helen Lewis and children of Whitesboro have been visiting her the past few days, have returned home.
Mrs. Clarence Meador, who has been attending school at Canyon, has returned home.

LEARN A WORD EVERY DAY
Today's word is—badinage.
It's pronounced, approximately, for the original French pronunciation.
It means—banter, playful raillery, pleasantry.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE
INSPECTION ABOUT ENGINES
Wichita Falls, Texas, Aug. 7.
Editor The Times:
I noticed in the press news that the engine and treatment are becoming "rotten" in case anybody's in the "ditch," said Antony—and then set down on the bench.



The RED HOUSE MYSTERY
By A. MILNE
(Continued From Tuesday's Issue)
They walked along the edge of the green until they came to a low wooden bank which had been built into one wall of the ditch.
They followed their circuit of the ditch, and then, at the end of the ditch, they found the key to the door.

was sitting out by myself on that seat just before you came along. I went over the whole scene in my mind, and I suddenly saw the billiard-room key there—ostensibly. And I began to wonder if the office key had been outside too. When Cayley came up, I told you my idea and you were both interested. But Cayley was just a shade too interested. I dare say you didn't notice it, but he was "By jove!"

JUST FOLKS
By Edgar A. Guest
THE PURPOSE.
Ten thousand born to hew and haul.
To dig the trench and build the wall.
Face dreary duties day by day.
Fashion the steel and mold the clay.

SMILE A WHILE
By TOM RIMS
Philadelphia won't let Chicago have the Liberty Bell because it might get stolen in Chicago.
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PROHIBITION ISSUE FEATURES FIGHT IN ILLINOIS DISTRICT

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Aug. 9.—Any "wet" and "dry" contests in Illinois this fall are expected to be overshadowed by the fight in the sixteenth congressional district, where W. E. Hull, republican, an admitted "wet," and Jesse Black Jr., democrat, a dry, are entering what their proponents claim will be the big battle of the state on this issue.

Nowhere else in Illinois is the issue definite at present. Where the prohibition issue does occur elsewhere, it is not a "wet" fight, but is involved with other questions.

But in the sixteenth congressional district, which includes Peoria, the fight is of such proportions that the Illinois Anti-Saloon league will use "every ounce of steam" at their command to defeat the "wet" candidate, according to George Yule, district superintendent of the league.

In this district the two principal candidates are running on the defined "wet" and "dry" platforms. Hull, in a written statement, has declared himself as follows:

"While I have been neutral on the prohibition subject, I have been more convinced than ever if America would allow the sale of light wines and beer, our people would be much better off. Liquors of all kinds are sold in all places suitable for dispensing them."

Mr. Black also has presented a platform in which he defines his stand on the prohibition question as follows:

"I believe in an economical administration of government and an impartial and effective enforcement of the laws."

"But a situation has arisen in this district which has attracted national attention. I regard the nomination of Mr. Hull as a challenge which must be met openly. In this campaign I stand unequivocally for the eighteenth amendment, the Volstead act, and the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer. That would mean the return of the open saloon."

Mr. Black said that "upon these issues, particularly the last," he would appeal to voters.

Mr. Hull is a former distiller and a former member of the Illinois legislature. He resides in Peoria, where he has extensive business interests. Mr. Black is an attorney of Peoria.

Mr. Hull defeated Clifford Ireland, member of congress, in the primaries, in which the same issue was uppermost, Ireland having declared himself a "dry."

"The 'wet' are making the fight of their life there," said Mr. Yule. "If they win they will then point to Illinois as having swung back into the 'wet' column."

"We are opposed by all the weight of the old distillery interests, by 35 organizations opposed to prohibition, by the ex-saloon keepers, the ex-bartenders and all their following."

"We have the district organized to the last precinct and we are going to send every speaker and every worker we have into the district. It is going to be a close fight."

In other districts of the state where the prohibition question is not a direct issue the Anti-Saloon league will endorse candidates favorable to their cause.

SAYS TARIFF WOULD ADD \$110,000,000 TO NATION'S SHOE BILL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The proposed tariff on hides would increase the nation's shoe and leather bill \$110,000,000 a year, Senator Walsh, democrat, Massachusetts, declared today in the senate in opposing the fight against the rates proposed by the finance committee majority and supported by the republican agricultural tariff bloc.

Senator Walsh argued that even if the imports were restricted in the price paid to cattle raisers the total benefit to the cattlemen would amount to only \$15,000,000 a year. He declared that only a small percentage of the farmers of the country were engaged in raising cattle.

"Whatever benefit will inure to any individual or group of individuals by reason of a duty on hides," he said, "will be chiefly to the packers as they handle 85 per cent of the domestic hide production."

"The duty will tend to break up if not destroy the independent tanning industry and extend to the packers a growing monopoly of the tanning business."

"The benefit to the farmers by the people insignificant increase in the value of cattle which he receives through the generosity of the packers will be more than offset by the increased cost which he will have to pay for boots and shoes, harness and other leather manufactures."

"The domestic manufacturer of boots and shoes has absolutely no foreign competition and therefore a protective duty on boots and shoes, except for the duties on hides and leather, are unnecessary and will be ineffective. Of course, the duty on hides will increase the cost of production, which the consumer will have to pay."

"The increased cost of boots and shoes and other leather manufactures in the value of cattle which he receives will result in reducing and restricting the substantial and expanding export business developed by shoe and leather manufactures."

"Many of the leading and progressive farmers and practically all manufacturers of boots and shoes desire, and have petitioned for free hides, leather and boots and shoes, and the general public welfare would seem to dictate a policy of free hides, free leather and free shoes."

MANY PROMINENT MEN VISITORS TO BAR ASSOCIATION

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—Delegates to the annual convention of the American Bar Association gathered here from all parts of the country to assemble at Native Sons hall today to open a three day convocation.

The delegates came with the idea of betterment not only of the laws which govern the nation and its component states, but of the benefit and bar as well; revision in many instances of methods of procedure whereby justice may be more surely and rapidly accomplished—in a word, action and discussion that shall tend to strengthen the foundations upon which rest the United States and its people.

Many are the distinguished visitors who have arrived to attend the meeting. Chief Justice William H. Taft, Vice-President Calvin Coolidge, the Right Hon. Lord Shaw, representing the bar of Great Britain; Maitre Henri Aubepin of France, distinguished member of the French bar, and hundreds of other noted judges and attorneys were here for the opening session.

Delegates were discussing today the interesting proposal made yesterday before the judicial section by Judge Curtis D. Wilbur, a member of the California state supreme court, for the abolition of the plea of insanity as a defense in murder cases.

As an alternative he proposed that after conviction on a criminal charge the defendant, upon suggestion of insanity, be examined by a board of alienists with a view to determining whether he be committed to a state hospital or prison or be released on probationary supervision.

AMERICAN KILLED IN MEXICAN MINE FIGHT

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 9.—The body of Thomas Martin, the American who was killed near La Zaca mine by a band of men from a neighbor mine last Sunday, was sent to El Paso yesterday, according to dispatches from Torreon.

Reports to the war office from Captain Martin, commanding the troops in the Torreon region, confirm the previous story that bandits were not responsible for the killing. Martin and his companion, George Mackay, being attacked by a rebellious mining faction.

Ten men have been arrested, several of whom were identified by Mackay as his assailants.

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NEFF APPOINTS DALLAS LAWYER FOR FIFTH CIVIL APPEALS JUSTICE

AUSTIN, Aug. 9.—George L. Barneant, Dallas lawyer, today was appointed chief justice of the fifth civil court of appeals of Dallas by Governor Neff. Sergeant succeeds the late George Anson Rainey.

Hooper Leaves for Washington. CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Chairman Ben Hooper of the United States railroad labor board will leave today for Washington to be on hand during the rail union conference Friday.

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DOY REPORTS THE CROP CONDITION BELOW NORMAL

ROBT. TEXAS, Aug. 9.—The Primitive Baptist association of this district, which convened here last Thursday, closed Monday afternoon, after a very successful and largely attended meeting. There were several additions to their churches that are included in this district.

Local showers are reported in the northwest part of this county, also in the southeast part, from Sylvester to Merkes. Crops are needing rain in every section of the county. Feedstuff in many places has already been harvested and some are harvesting their row feed crops with the row-binder. Cotton, although it has plenty of time to make a good yield, is suffering greatly and in some sections has entirely quit putting on any forms. The general condition of the cotton crop over all the county is far below normal.

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ALL THE NEWS OF ALL THE SPORTS ALL THE TIME

Spudgers Win Two More And Take Undisputed Leadership of League

By PAUL W. BARKIN

While the Spudgers were taking two more contests from the gasping Gasers at Athletic park Tuesday afternoon the Dallas Giants were taking the odd game of the Peasner series and as a result the Wichitans Wednesday morning were leading the Atmen, their closest rivals, not only in the percentage of victories but in the number of runs scored. Spudger's slugger Spudgers now hold the undisputed leadership of the Texas league and judging from the manner in which they trounced Johnny Vann's tribe they have no idea of relinquishing said lead. Their double victory brought their total of consecutive wins up to twenty-one—a modern Texas league record—and gave them the satisfaction of knowing they have completely subdued every club that has faced them since they began their last home stand.

The scores of the latest victories were 13 to 4 and 6 to 1. It took three hurriers to turn the trick Tuesday as Hub Perdue, who started on the hill in the opener, was being belted rather freely when recalled by Sam Babe Ruth worked from the fourth inning on and was invincible in every sense of the word. He held the batsmen in the home run hitting line at all times, only three visitors reaching first base in the six innings he performed. Two of these got on in the fourth by virtue of singles and the third was passed in the final chapter. The Gasers went out in order in the first four innings and only two of these succeeded in getting the ball out of the infield.

"Big" Wheeler was in his usual form in the nineties. He kept the visitors at bay by his strategy though a couple of double plays saved him from being scored on until the seventh. The Spudgers, however, were having little difficulty in getting to "Red" Bird and the outcome of the contest was never in doubt.

Four Gasers Perked.

The Gasers still had chips on their shoulders, but all were able to stay in the park until the sixth inning of the second misrep. Homer Ewell hurried to the mound at Empire Weir in this period when he refused to throw out a ball and he was promptly perked. A few of his mates were also getting on as he was wading his way slowly towards the left field bleachers and they too were giving the air. The catch in the air was made by Wheeler and Johnson. The invaders took peculiar delight in riding Weir all day, though they had no reason for so doing, and they were getting into their playing as they did in their umpire baiting the contests might have been closer.

A White Sox batter hurried most of their misery. The local second baseman had a field day with the bludgeon, collecting six blows out of seven trips to the plate. He also had a chance to get the field, handling three chances without a slipup.

The fielding thrill of the day, however, was furnished by Babe Ruth in the second game. Homer didn't have a very good day with the willow, but confined his activities to keeping the visitors from scoring. He turned in one of the prettiest plays of the season in the first inning of the closing setts when he started a Gasar out at the plate, getting a high fly perfectly and getting the ball away with deadly accuracy. He came in on the dead run for the sphere and without setting a bit out to the ball loose on a line to the plate. Smith was straining every muscle to nose the ball out, but the latter got there a fraction of a second ahead of the runner and Bischoff finished up the play perfectly by laying the sphere on him in one time.

The Spudgers were forced to overcome a four run lead in the first to emerge victorious. The visitors called up three rallies in the opening inning on a base, double, error, wild pitch and sacrifice fly. Another base, error, hit and infield out gave them their fourth in the third.

Four Vasesa Makins were hit, but the Spudgers cared not for a mere trifles for four counters. They started in on Johnson in their alignment of the third inning and counted Johnson's aboriginal tendencies had as much to do with his own defeat as anything on the part of the locals. Five Gasers were gifted by him in the round and these gifts, coupled with Bischoff's double and timely single by Al White accounted for four runs.

The visitors were never dangerous after the third as Ruth had them completely at his mercy. Denny Burns replaced Johnson in the third after the four runs had been scored and he was hammered for five hits in the fourth, which netted the Wichitans four more tallies. Singles by White and Ruth and Bischoff's sacrifice fly gave the home boys another in the seventh, while double by McDonald, Beck and Bischoff

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Club	W	L	Pct.
Wichita Falls	20	13	.714
Fort Worth	20	15	.680
Dallas	18	17	.614
Galveston	18	20	.524
Houston	16	22	.485
San Antonio	14	24	.412
Shreveport	17	28	.446
Beaumont	9	30	.321

Tuesday's Results.

Wichita Falls 11-8 Shreveport 4-1.
Dallas 5, Fort Worth 5 (11 innings).

San Antonio 7, Houston 3.
Galveston 10, Beaumont 1.

Thursday's Schedule.
Dallas at Wichita Falls.
Fort Worth at Shreveport.
Houston at Galveston.
Beaumont at San Antonio.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	43	48	.533
New York	42	49	.523
Detroit	38	59	.537
Cleveland	37	57	.513
Chicago	34	56	.491
Washington	31	54	.500
Pittsburgh	29	52	.471
Boston	41	48	.517

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	42	45	.556
Pittsburgh	36	47	.527
Cincinnati	35	47	.513
Brooklyn	30	52	.490
Philadelphia	29	50	.471
Boston	24	48	.446

GIANTS 6, CATS 5

Dallas, Aug. 9.—Conny's double in the eleventh inning scored White, running for Lingie, with the winning run, the locals winning 6 to 5 from Fort Worth.

DALLAS. AB-R-H-PO-A-E
Rear, ss 3 0 1 2 0 1
Mason, 2b 3 0 1 2 0 1
DeMaggio, cf 3 0 1 2 0 1
Holloman, lf 3 0 1 2 0 1
Vann, c 3 0 1 2 0 1
Bird, p 3 0 1 2 0 1
Totals 21 0 6 12 0 6

WHITE SOX SMARTEST CLUB IN THE MAJORS



Big Gleason (left), Eddie Collins (upper right), Ray Schalk (center), and Johnny Evers (lower right).

By BILLY EVANS

In baseball we hear a lot about the inside stuff. To a large extent it is mere bunk.

This is the era of swat-in baseball. The lively ball has changed the style of play considerably. Clubs seek to get runs in clusters rather than singly.

Managers of runs call for slugging, which eliminates much of the so-called strategy of the ball field.

Inside stuff is another name for playing smart baseball.

The Cleveland club of the American league under the leadership of Tris Speaker has always played smart baseball. Weak pitching has made it necessary for the club to play the game in a certain manner in order to overcome the runs made by the opposition because of inferior pitching.

For 20 Years.

Johnny Evers of the Chicago White Sox is one of the brainiest players in the history of the majors. Evers has been watching major league baseball for nigh on to 20 years.

During the first few weeks of the American league season the Cleveland club was getting pretty good pitching and playing the heads-up baseball for which the club is noted.

After a month or so of play had passed I was interested to know what Evers thought of the American league teams. His reply was but decidedly interesting.

"The Cleveland club plays more smart baseball than any club in the major." On days when Cleveland gets pitching they're close to unbeatable.

Getting back to the inside stuff. One of the big reasons why the Chicago White Sox are winning is because the team is playing smart baseball.

Back of the bat Ray Schalk is catching in his customary brilliant style. His heady coaching has done much to develop the three recruit pitchers, Leverage, Blankenship and Robertson. He has steadied Ferdie Schupp, noted for his tendency to wild. Likewise he has smoothed the rough spots in the pitching of Hodge.

Chicago is getting good pitching. Much of the good pitching is inspired by the brainy Schalk.

In the infield Eddie Collins is handling the situation. On paper the Sox infield may not stand out as some of the other major league clubs, but no infield is playing better ball. Collins is this mastermind.

On the outfield Harry Hooper is the balance wheel for the two clever youngsters, Falk and Mostil. Hooper is a smart ball player.

Red Faber, pitcher in the great form of his career, is also of the White Sox staff, always ready to save the day.

As to the coaching, lines Gleason and Evers are a combination that is unexcelled in the majors. Gleason supplies the confidence and alive, Evers the brains and "popper."

There you have a number of reasons why Chicago, picked to be last by many of the experts, is upsetting the odds in the American League. The directing heads are smart ball players.

GOVERNOR OPPOSED TO BOUT BETWEEN JACK AND BRENNAN

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 9.—Whether holding of the proposed heavyweight championship bout between Jack Dempsey at Michigan City, Ind., will be permitted probably will be determined after an interpretation is placed on the Indiana boxing law by the attorney general of Indiana. It was learned today. If the attorney general finds the contest constitutes a prize fight, it will be prohibited. Governor McCray announced that other attorneys law permits boxing contests, but prohibits prize fights.

Shortly after it became known that negotiations were being carried on for the holding of the bout at Floyd Fitzsimmons' Michigan City arena, the governor asked Attorney General Leach whether attorneys the difference between prize fights and boxing contests as defined by the Indiana law. The attorney general has not yet rendered an opinion.

Governor McCray is known to be opposed to the bout being held in the state. There has been considerable interest among legislators as to whether the executive has the power to place a ban on the match as long as it comes under the class of exhibitions termed boxing contests.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Reds 7, Giants 2.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—After Kelly's second home run had tied the score in the ninth, the Giants lost to Cincinnati today in the tenth inning 7 to 2.

Score by innings: R. R. E. Cincinnati 000 011 100 4-13 9 New York 000 001 101 0-2 13 3
Batteries: Rixey and Hargrave; Wingo; Nehf, Ryan and Snyder, Smith.

Cubs 4, Dodgers 1.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 8.—Brooklyn made its last bid for the pennant kept them well scattered and Chicago won 4 to 1.

Score by innings: R. R. E. Chicago 000 010 000 1-13 9 Brooklyn 010 000 000 1-2 3
Batteries: Aldridge and O'Farrell; Reuther and Miller.

Pirates 10-7, Phillies 5-4.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 8.—Pittsburgh won a doubleheader from Philadelphia in the second game of the second game was the tenth straight victory for the Pirates. The Pirates made 27 hits in the first game, but pitched five. Chicago Pirates made 19 hits in the second game, running their total for the season to 48. In the three games Pittsburgh scored 43 runs.

First game: R. R. E. Pittsburgh 004 300 119 13 27 9 Philadelphia 001 010 000 1-13 4
Batteries: Hamilton and Gooden; Meadows, Singleton; Smith and Henline.

Second game: R. R. E. Philadelphia 001 041 010 7 15 9 Pittsburgh 000 011 001 4 13 9
Batteries: Mitchell and Clegg; Morrison and Schmidt; Winters, Smith and Henline.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Score: R. H. E. Birmingham 4 11 4 Nashville 4 11 4 Whitehall and Brandon: Lucas and Keaster.

Score: R. H. E. Chattanooga 4 15 3 Chattanooga 6 7 0 Fuhr and Morgan: Wingfield, Cunningham and Kress.

First game: R. H. E. Atlanta 0 4 0 Little Rock 5 11 1
Batteries: Mitchell and Robertson; Lapan.

Second game: R. H. E. Atlanta 15 11 9 Little Rock 8 13 4
Batteries: Mitchell and Smith; Crenshaw, Selts, Brown and Lapan.

Score: R. H. E. Memphis 7 5 9 Memphis 6 11 9
Batteries: Fowlkes and Taylor.

WEST TEXAS TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD IN ABILENE

ABILENE, Aug. 9.—Golfers from all parts of west Texas will gather here for the qualifying rounds of the west Texas invitation golf tournament, which will be held at the new course of the Abilene Country club beginning Saturday, September 2, according to a statement given out here Tuesday evening.

According to those in charge of the tournament, any golfer who attends can play in the qualifying rounds, and any club can enter as many as it desires. It was also stated that any club that enters many as eight would be eligible for a permanent gift to the winning club.

Finals will be played Labor Day, Monday, September 4. Arrangements for the tournament are in charge of Roy Morgan, of the Abilene Country club.

Molla vs. Heles.

GLENCOVE, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Mrs. Molla Bursard Mallory, national women's tennis champion, and Mrs. Helen Wills of San Francisco, national girls' titleholder, will meet today in the feature match of the round before the semi-finals in the metropolitan women's singles championship on the courts of the Nassau Country club.

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BEARS 7, BUFFS 2

HOUSTON, Aug. 9.—San Antonio defeated Houston by the score of 7 to 2.

SAN ANTONIO. AB-R-H-PO-A-E
Fuller, 1b 4 1 2 4 0 0
Gross, ss 3 0 1 2 0 0
Brooks, 2b 3 0 1 2 0 0
Beatty, lf 3 0 1 2 0 0
McKee, c 3 0 1 2 0 0
Hiller, 2b 3 0 1 2 0 0
Johnson, p 4 1 2 4 0 0
Totals 25 7 12 16 0 0
X:Brick out for interference.

CRABS 10, EXPORTERS 9

ALVINGTON, TEXAS, Aug. 9.—Galveston won a slugging match from Beaumont 10 to 9. Connelly's batting was a feature, his four hits including a home run. Sibal got his eighteenth home run of the season. Score: R. H. E. Galveston 10 10 0 10 13 9 Beaumont 9 10 0 10 13 9
Batteries: Helmsch and Perkins; Robertson and Yarnan.

Red Sox 2, Indians 6.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 9.—Boston scored at will against Cleveland today and won 6 to 2.

Score by innings: R. H. E. Cleveland 002 000 000 2-10 2 Boston 000 000 000 2-10 2
Batteries: Carr and Walters; Morrison, Lindsey, Edwards and O'Neill, Sewall.

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RESORTING TO STRATEGY TO GET A RUN OVER THE PLATE IS NOW A RARITY

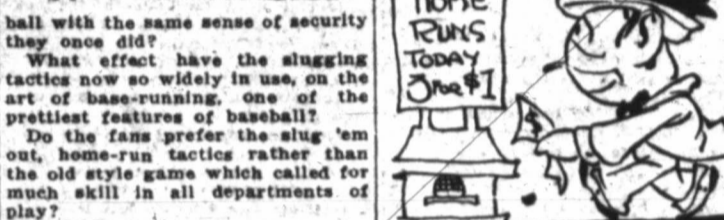
By BILLY EVANS

Are a majority of the major league players on a home-run jag? Has the era of swat which has enveloped the national pastime destroyed much of the science of the game?

It would be surprising if at least 10 players broke the record of 27 home runs made by Ed Williamson in 1914. The record stood until 1919 when Ruth made 28. He has since broken that mark twice. If it isn't the men, it must be the ball.

Players who five years ago were never regarded as home run hitters are daily breaking into print with the select list of the 10 leading home run hitters.

Possibly the pitching of today in the majors isn't what it was 10 years ago, yet the pitching hasn't been so bad. No, you can't blame the pitching, so it must be the ball. Infielders no longer play a ground ball with the same sense of security because of the pile-ups of the ball. Playing them to the side is

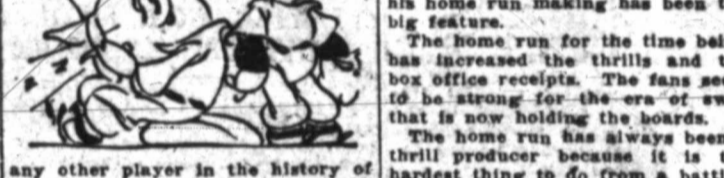


ball with the same sense of security they once did?

What effect have the slugging tactics now so widely in use, on the art of base-running, one of the prettiest features of baseball? Do the fans prefer the slug 'em out, home-run tactics rather than the old style game which called for much skill in all departments of play?

Unquestionably most major league players are on a home run jag. Hitting home runs has become a habit with many of them.

Ability to hit home runs, to swat the ball higher and farther than



poor policy, yet many an infielder is using safety first tactics.

Home run hitting has cut down base running to almost nothing. Why take a chance on stealing bases when a player is liable to crack out a home run at any time? The one big thing in favor of the home run hitting is the fact that the fans seem to like it. All attendance records have been smashed in the last three years. Babe Ruth and his home run making has been the big feature.

The home run for the time being has increased the thrills and the box office receipts. The fans seem to be strong for the era of swat that is now holding the boards.

The home run has always been a thrill producer because it is the hardest thing to do from a batting standpoint. It calls for perfect timing and a healthy wallop. It is the last word in hitting.

Home runs are becoming common. Once they get too common the game is going to suffer.

However, for three years the fans have shown a preference for swat over science. So naturally they are being fed on such a diet.

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Flammarrion Thinks Souls are Solid as Cast-Iron

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A Talk With the French Scientist Who Has Put Years of Research Into Spirits and Now Is Sure They Live On

By E. Percy Noel

THE most unexpected first impression received of Camille Flammarrion, and which afterward seems the most significant, is his abundance of sincerity and his lack of pretension. He has always been so, never seeking degrees and honors, never wanting to be known as a learned doctor. He is no pedant.

Long ago a lady asked him on what he based certain astronomical predictions, and he answered, "Just an idea I had," like the profound philosopher, that he is, without self-conceit.

The other day, in the dome of Juvay Observatory, he said to me: "I have never seen any reason to hide science under a somber cloak. I have loved it for the beauty it has revealed."

And again, as we passed between rows of shelves holding the files of his sixty years' celestial researches:

"Study! I have never wanted anything but to be able to study."

You thought of his books about the heavens which read like romances, but are accurate science, and you realized that in them is the sympathetic soul of this charming gentleman of eighty, with kindly eyes, modest, modulated voice and brilliant, bushy grey hair, who was now showing you his treasures.

In the telescope dome, he halted before a map of the moon, and with such a dry chuckle that you missed the point at first, explained, "You might like to see my estate," and ran his fingers round the chart until it halted on one of the moon spots that astronomers had given his name, "How- ever," he smiled, "it is just as well to say nothing about it these days. Taxes are so high."

Flammarrion's first scientific work was a mathematical treatise about the dimensions of stars, written in his twenties, while employed at the Luxembourg observatory. At about that time, the celebrated astronomer, Berre, had discovered, by mathematical calculation, the planet Neptune. One night, while Flammarrion was at the telescope, he exclaimed, "That's it!" and hurried to tell Berre he had found Neptune and that it was blue.

"Oh, is it?" was the answer.

"Yes, come and look. I have the telescope on it now."

But the great scientist said he was not interested.

For the same reason that Flammarrion was interested in the color of the new star, he was the first scientist to bring up the question, Is Mars inhabited? to which he has given sixty years of scientific study, resulting in maps of the planet, which from year to year have been made more complete.

HIS study of the question of death and its mystery also has been a life-work, but not in the same sense of his study of the heavens. It is a by-product of his concentration upon the celestial bodies, of unflagging efforts to see into space, to learn the secrets guarded by distance.

Soon after he became a qualified astronomer he added to his study of the visible in the heavens a deep interest in the kindred mystery of the invisible spirits. The latter was never a dominant interest, and it is only in recent years that he devoted much time to the question, selecting the best of the material he had amassed in fifty years, chiefly by correspondence, and drawing his conclusions from the most unquestionable evidence.

"The clergy tell us heaven, hell and purgatory are the abodes of spirits; but accepting that doesn't prevent our wishing to know more," he said. Now he declares: "Researches about the nature of the soul after death and an existence after death must be made by the same method as all other scientific researches, without the mind already made up, without any preconceived ideas and beyond all sentimental or religious influence. After my researches in this spirit, I declare that the manifestation of the dead after death exists. I base this on facts which I defy the most skeptical of contradictors to explain without admitting some action on the part of the deceased. Many of the facts I cite are so well authenticated that they are beyond all cavil and those who deny them are either ignorant, illogical or dishonest."

It was not without provocation that he expressed himself so strongly. I pressed him for more and he summed up his conclusions, as follows:

"The soul exists like a real being, independent of the body."

"It is endowed with faculties still unknown to science."

"It can act at a distance, telepathically, without the intermediary of the senses."

"An active psychic element exists in nature, the essence of which is still hidden from us."

"The soul survives the physical organism and can manifest itself after death."

"The most incontestable observations leave no room for doubt that at the moment of death the soul acts at distances of thousands of miles on the minds of the living, making them hear demonstrative noises and showing them the picture of the dying person. These observations also show action after death."

THERE are several propositions which I feel authorized to state as definitely established:

"Deceased human beings, called the dead, continue to exist after the dissolution of the material organism."

"They exist in invisible, intangible substance, which our eyes do not perceive, our hands cannot touch and our senses cannot appreciate under normal conditions."

"In general they do not show or manifest themselves. Their way of existence is quite different from ours. They sometimes act on our mind and in certain circumstances can prove their survival."

"In acting on our mind, and thus on our brains, they are seen by us in sensible forms. We see them as we have known them, with their clothing, their manners and personalities. It is our inner eye which sees them. It is a perception from soul to soul."

"These are not hallucinations, nor imaginary visions. They are realities. The invisible being becomes visible. They can thus manifest themselves under objective forms. In a great many cases apparitions of the deceased are not intentional. They are expressly intended for the person who sees them. The dead person seems to continue vaguely certain habits, wandering about the place where he has lived or not far from his tomb; but we must remember that these appreciations are human and that distance does not matter to spirits. Other eyes emanate from the soul which are transformed into pictures by the receiving brain which vibrates sympathetically."

"Apparitions and manifestations are relatively frequent in the house which immediately follows the decease; their number diminishes as time passes."

"Souls separated from the body keep their terrestrial mentality for a long time. Among Catholics, prayers are sometimes asked for. The latter is a fact of observation which it would be important to analyze from the point of view of human and transcendental psychology."

"We have found that death as such does not exist, that it is only an evolution which makes death the gate to life."

"Where are the souls?" I asked: "What do they do? Are they happy?"

"They are what they have made themselves in this life. The Karma of the theosophists is a reality. Souls who live only for the material and by the material will not enjoy the pleasures of the spirit. The cybernetics of the flesh will be disappointed. The sensual will pass through a delayed evolution. Spiritual is not the same for all. Reincarnations are connected with the spiritual and moral values. The atmosphere is full of unconscious monads, perhaps the majority of the hundred thousand humans who die daily."

"No, on leaving the earthly life the human soul does not become angelic. Death cannot render man omniscient. The soul, we have seen, is not greatly changed the day after the decease of the body. The guillotine does not make a saint of a bandit."

"Heaven? It is universal space, the milky way in which our planet is a tiny village, in which our sun is a star, which is composed of billions of suns. There is no high or low in the universe, no up or down."

"As to the legend of eternal sufferings of hell, we can hardly conceive the possibility of human reason in teachings which we read: 'Always living and always dying, too strong to die, too weak to endure, they will eternally groan on beds of flame.'

"But, remember, space is absolute and there is no time. Each planet creates and there is no time. On Neptune the year is equal to 105 of ours. On Saturn, thirty. On Jupiter, twelve. The day of Mars lasts twenty-four hours, thirty-nine minutes. Our day could last as long or longer, but they would still be days for us."

TIME never having had real existence, the future, like the past, is present. All events are determined by the cause which produces them: Time not existing, what remains of us after death, the soul, the spirit, the psychic entity, whatever you wish to call it and whatever its nature, cannot be a being to what we call time in life."

"There are no more days or years. The relative makes place for the absolute. Besides, space is so more what it appears to be. Our practical measures are based on the three dimensions, on the cube formed by length, width and height. But there is a fourth dimension—hyperspace."

Later the astronomer led the way through the wooded park surrounding the observatory. He pointed out a pine tree planted thirty years ago by James Gordon Bennett and another marked by a Gordon plate of earlier date, planted by the Emperor of Brazil. Finally he stopped before a star-shaped grass plot where his wife is buried.

"This is my tomb," he said pleasantly. "Here among the trees, in this solitude of silence."

While riding back to Paris, I read the dedication in his book "After Death," which he had given me. It was from "your perpetual student, C. Flammarrion."



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The Woman Who Put Manila in Dewey's Way—By James A. Campbell

THE death at Annapolis, Md., not long ago of Mrs. Clara McNair marked the passing from earthly activities of a woman who had a remarkable influence upon the history of the nation.

The realization of Mrs. McNair's social ambition changed the course of the history of the United States Navy in the war with Spain and gave to George Dewey the great opportunity which he seized with avidity at Manila Bay, on May 1, 1898, to become the third Admiral of the Navy.

Prior to the Spanish-American War, the navy had had but two officers who held the rank of admiral, David G. Farragut and David D. Porter. Little did Dewey think when he was promoted, in the regular routine, from captain to commodore in the fall of 1897 that in a few months he would take rank with these two immortals whose elevation to the grade of admiral was the result of their achievements in the Civil War.

When Dewey was advanced to the rank of commodore he made a horizontal survey of the naval situation afloat to ascertain if there was any prospect of his flying his broad pennant. When an officer of the navy reached flag rank, that is the grade above captain in those days, his great desire was to hold his flag and take command of a fleet or squadron. There are no squadrons nowadays, the different sections of a fleet being called divisions, but the ambition of a flag officer is just the same.

No chance presented itself to Dewey's view. The North Atlantic fleet, the Asiatic fleet, the American Naval Forces on the European, South Atlantic and South Pacific stations were under command of rear admirals and commodores, all of whom had more than two years to serve on their assignments and Dewey was due for compulsory retirement on his sixty-second birthday in December, 1899. The retirement age has since been advanced to sixty-four.

Not one of the flag officers flying their flags afloat was dissatisfied with his job. The flag afloat was peace except for the chronic efforts of the Cubans to bring about their independence from Spain and there did not appear to be the slightest possibility that the United States would interfere in that affair. Dewey investigated to find out whether or not any of the fleets or squadrons were functioning improperly so that some rear admiral or commodore might be detected for inefficiency, but his quest was in vain.

The navy then might be regarded as in a state of "watchful indifference." There was no prospect of war in any part of the globe, save the usual intermittent disturbances in the Balkans and the Cuban affair and with these the navy was not concerned. McKinley was in the White House serving his first year and the only man connected with the administration who seemed to sense coming activity for the nation's maritime forces was Assistant Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt, who stirred up all the fleets and squadrons, as well as the individual vessels on detached service, by insisting upon regular and persistent target

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Bidding Good-by to the Great Horned Owl



From the drawing by Audubon

about they dart and strike, now front, now back, some east, some west, in pairs and more they peeter and confuse the great bird that rarely does he turn against this mob of dusky rioters; but when silent contempt has ceased to be a virtue, or endurance, he shifts his perch only to be pursued with tenfold renewed clamor and crowd.

Repetition has long held sway over the destinies of people who may be so unfortunate as to meet up with members of the owl family. Dire disaster is to befall the family living under the roof on which an owl may perch, unless the bird be sought or shot and his toes burned!

The near-by hooting of an owl brings "bad luck" but which may be averted, in some portions of the south, by carrying a cat from the house by the aid of a tong. The southern slave lore was rich in vintners following the appearance or sound of the voice of numerous animals, and the owl was a favorite bird of ill omen. If an owl flew across your path, shut one eye and turn twice around or, better, forgo the journey.

The extermination of the great horned owl would mean immediately a great increase in the population of rats, mice and numerous other predatory animals that would then probably destroy more in value than had previously been taken by the owl.

The edict, however, has gone forth. A broad black mark is opposite the name of this bird and already he has become a rarity where, a few years ago, his call was heard from far across the winter's snows as the sun sank in a heavy blue back of the leafless woods and the rattle of ice-chill boughs and creaking limbs sounded of chilling blasts in the lengthened night to come.

"I could have done it just as well, as could any commodore or admiral, but I am glad that Dewey got his chance and made the most of it and I wish him luck."

Admiral McNair exacted a promise from the writer that the story be not made public until both he and his wife had passed away. He died in December, 1901, and his widow's recent death gives release to this narrative.

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immediately follow the decease; their number diminishes as time passes.

"Souls separated from the body keep their terrestrial mentality for a long time. Among Catholics, prayers are sometimes asked for. The latter is a fact of observation which it would be important to analyze from the point of view of human and transcendental psychology."

LAUGH WITH US!—TIMES' DAILY PAGE OF COMIC FEATURES

BILLVILLE BIRDS

BY HOLMAN



TOOTS AND CASPER

Casper's Willing to Help Aunt Susie Fade Away

—BY J. E. MURPHY



THE BICKER FAMILY

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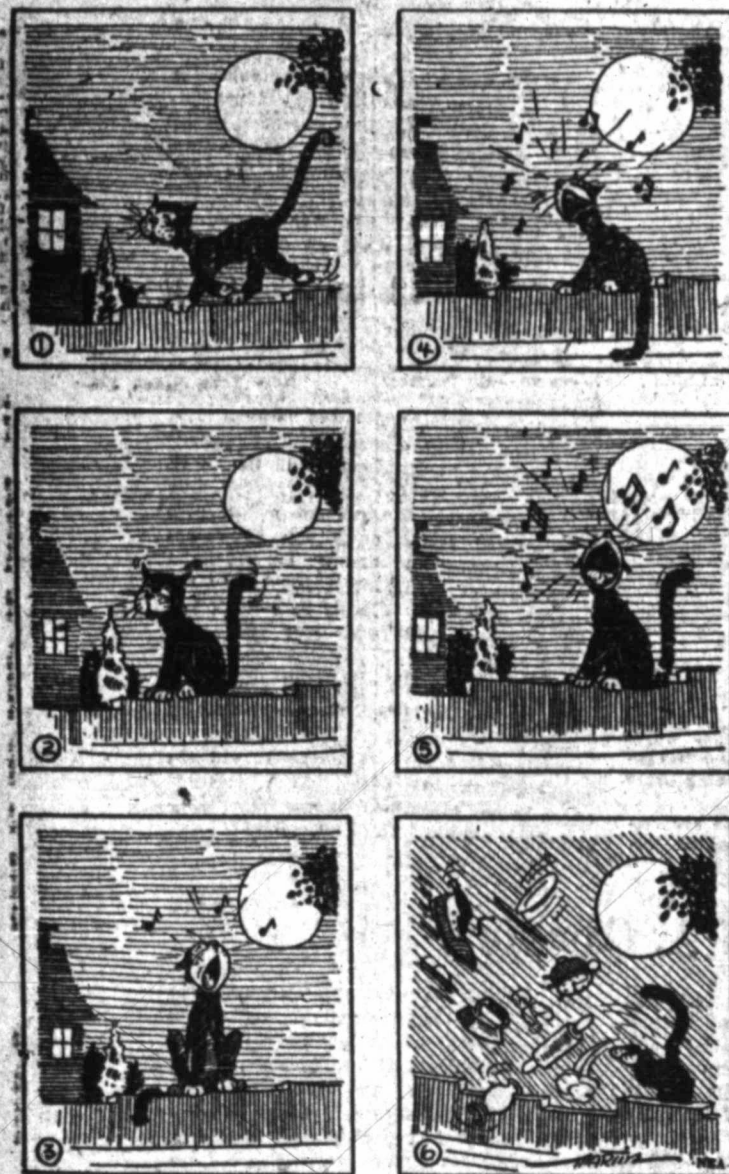
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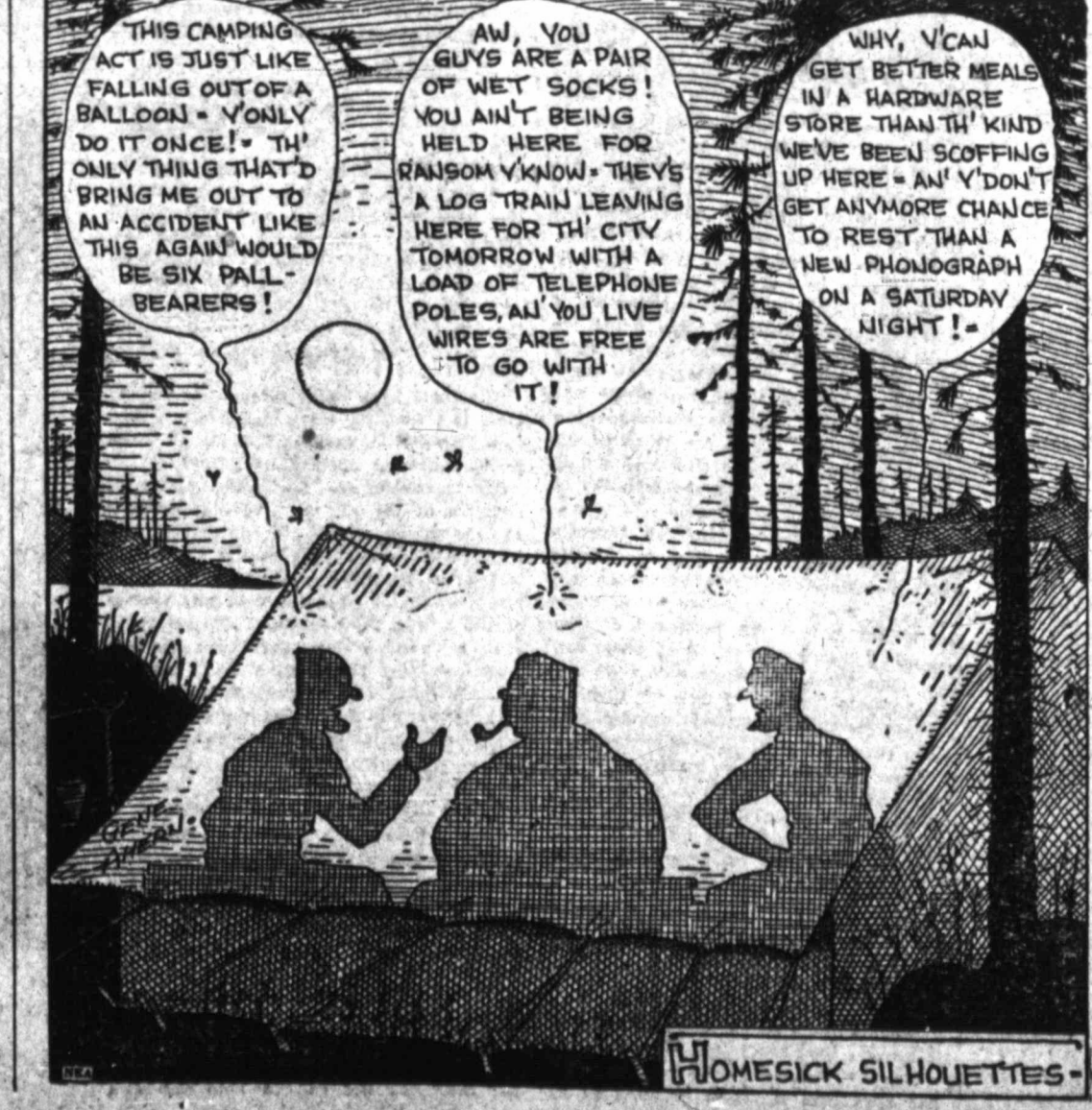
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New York City. NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—There was a further decline in cotton market during today's early trading...

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 9.—Cotton spot increased demand, prices easy. Good middling 12 1/2, fully middling 12 1/2...

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 9.—Spot cotton quiet, steady, 12 1/2 to 12 3/4, to arrive, none...

DALLAS, Aug. 9.—Cotton steady; 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2, 12 1/2...

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Wheat Averaged a little lower in price here today during early trading...

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