

PLAN TO CURTAIL DRILLING UNTIL THE PRICE IS ADVANCED

DUTY OF EDITORS TOWARD FARMERS TOLD AT MEETING

TRAINING OF SPECIAL AGRICULTURAL WRITERS IS URGED BY SPEAKER

MANY PROBLEMS ARE BEFORE CONVENTION

ACTIVE MANAGERS OF BIG COMPANIES SLATED IN HEARING

JEFFERSON SMITH TO SPEAK HERE IN INTEREST OF MARRS

Cullen Thomas and Campaign Manager Opposite in View

HOLD MIXED TRAINS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FULL CREW LAW

TULSA, OKLA., Aug. 12.—Five hundred independent oil producers of the Mid-Continent field in convention here this afternoon adopted a resolution intended to curtail the drilling of all wells until the price of crude advanced.

The present overproduction is caused by the maintenance of a large production capacity in the face of the continual bringing in of large wells, the overproduction of which is between 150,000 and 200,000 barrels daily, in the state of Oklahoma alone, it was stated at the meeting.

Two-thirds shut down of present wells now being drilled would probably bring the necessary readjustment in overproduction, it was declared.

Limited storage facilities was given as one reason for the rapid fluctuations in the price of crude. The meeting was called by the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, National Association of Independent Oil Producers.

Northwest Texas editors started something last year when they met at Electra that they will be called upon to finish, it developed at the closing session of the annual convention Saturday morning.

Saturday morning A. D. Jackson of the U. S. experiment station at A. & M. told the editors that their action may result in the establishment of a course at A. & M. for the training of agricultural writers.

Publishers could charge \$15 a year, Jackson said, for the publication of their papers. He said that the papers worth that much to the readers, Mr. Jackson said.

The newspaper editors of the English, of the Standard Oil company, who departed somewhat from the subject of his paper, "Accounting," and collected for the editors that it was one duty of editors to help make the farm home so attractive that young men and women would be induced to leave it and seek the city's doubtful ways.

Mr. English told of his own experience in the "bookkeeping" field; he hired a good bookkeeper to do the accounting, he said, and adopted for himself the plan of keeping accounts by means of making collections. He took the view, however, that accurate and involved accounting systems are not at all necessary to the success of the Saturday morning session.

Col. Bill Edwards of Hamletta entertained the editors all too briefly with some reminiscences of early times in this section. Edgar McShroder of Vernon; the latter also discussed the writing of features and George McGowan also contributed some hints on the subject.

Porter Whaley of the West Texas chamber of commerce described the work of this organization and thanked the editors for the support and help they had given it.

Although the editors did not formally adopt the suggestion of Hubert Harrison and others to make Wichita Falls the permanent meeting place for the association, they selected this city for next year, and it is probable that future meetings will all be held here.

MAYFIELD BUOYS FERGUSON'S HISS

CRITICISES CANDIDATE FOR ATTACKS ON PARTY

WILL REACH CRISIS IN RAILWAY STRIKE DURING THIS WEEK

LEADERS PREDICT THAT AN AGREEMENT WILL FOLLOW CONFERENCE

SITUATION HINGES ON ATTITUDE OF TRAINMEN

GOVERNORS OF FIVE STATES WILL MEET TUESDAY TO DISCUSS MATTER

JOINT STATEMENT IS ISSUED ON SATURDAY

CROWDED PAVILION FALLS AND WENTY PEOPLE ARE INJURED

THREE ARE KILLED 21 INJURED WHEN TRAIN HITS TRUCK

STATE CONVENTION IN OKLAHOMA MAY DEVELOP DISCORD

YANGUISHED IRISH BURN SIX BRIDGES

DUBLIN, Aug. 12.—Yanquished Irish rebels burned six bridges and three barracks as they were driven from Cork today by free state troops.

The loyal troops of Michael Collins were enthusiastically received by the populace.

PROTEST GAME AND CLAIM THAT BALL WAS DOCTORED

By Associated Press. DALLAS, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—The Dallas baseball team has protested today's Wichita Falls-Dallas game, it was learned here tonight. In a long distance conversation with the sporting editor of the Record, George White, a Dallas baseball writer, said that Manager Galloway had protested the game for what he termed the "dirty baseball deal in the history of the Texas league."

Manager Galloway and Pitcher Conley charged the Spudders "dipped the ball in creosote, a fluid used to dip cattle and soak railroad ties in, in order to cause Conley to lose the effectiveness of his spitball." The pitcher complained to Umpire Weir in the third inning and the umpire examined the baseballs. The Wichita Falls manager, Walter Salm, claimed the odor of the creosote was that of tar from the bats of his players or the ground. Conley's mouth became irritated and he again complained. The balls were thrown from the game and new ones ordered.

Umpire Weir will send the balls to President J. Doak Roberts of the Texas league. Roberts, in Paris, Texas, tonight, said over long distance that he will investigate the case fully as soon as he receives the umpire's report and will prosecute the guilty party to the fullest extent of the Texas league baseball law.

That is the dirtiest deal I have ever been the victim of in my ten years of professional baseball experience, Conley said. "There is one sportsman on the Wichita Falls club, but I won't mention his name. He came to me after the game, and said: 'Conley, I don't want you to think I am mixed up in this thing,'" the pitcher concluded.

Both railroad and union officials here tonight predicted that the strike, now in its seventh week, will be decided on the basis of developments now under way.

The outcome of the stand by trainmen is refusing to operate in territory protected by armed guards or to use equipment not up to standard is the main factor on which the strike situation hinges.

Walkouts by members of the Big Four Trainmen's Brotherhoods have already been reported in three transcontinental lines running into southern California—the Santa Fe, Union Pacific and the Western Pacific.

Other lines in the mid-west hit by the strike are the Missouri, Chicago & Northwestern, although the latter was not seriously affected.

The conference is in no sense a meeting of the operators, but a conference and does not undertake to represent the operators of any particular state or district or any particular interests not represented herein.

"Its sole purpose is to promote mutual understanding as between the operators participating and the representatives of their employees."

By Associated Press. ST. PAUL, MINN., Aug. 12.—Three persons were killed and more than a score injured when a train struck a truck at Annandale, Minn., late today.

The locomotive and several passenger cars were derailed. A wrecking train carrying doctors and relief workers is being rushed to the scene from Minneapolis.

FERGUSON SCORES HIS OPPONENT SPEECH SATURDAY

DISCUSSES FEDERAL RESERVE BANK AND LABOR QUESTION

DELIVERS ADDRESS TO GAINESVILLE AUDIENCE

MANY FARMERS AND RAILROAD MEN LISTEN TO APPEAL OF FORMER GOVERNOR

RESUME MONDAY EFFORT TO SETTLE THE COAL STRIKE

RESUME TRAIN SERVICE ON UNION PACIFIC LINE

REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY TO QUIT THEIR JOBS

FIRST BREAK IN TIE-UP TRANSCONTINENTAL LINES

ODGEN, UTAH, Aug. 12.—The first break in the tie-up of transcontinental lines by "big four" trainmen came tonight when over 4000 men in the Utah Pacific district announced they would return to work.

FOUR BROTHERHOODS ON KATY TO DECIDE ON STRIKE PROPOSAL

RANGER FORCE IS NOW SUFFICIENT AT TEXARKANA

AUSTIN, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—An announcement of action of the strike situation at Texarkana will not be made before Monday, Governor Neff stated this afternoon. He indicated the situation at that place has become more serious and that the ranger force there is now sufficient.

The governor refused to discuss reports he may have received from Ranger Captain Tom Lambkin, stationed at Texarkana.

ORDER TO THIS EFFECT ISSUED BY THE U. S. ATTORNEY GENERAL CHARGE CONSPIRACY INDICATED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The federal government tonight took steps to check the complete breakdown of transcontinental train service, seriously threatened by the walk-out of Big Four Brotherhood members in the far west.

As President Harding struggled unsuccessfully in a series of conferences throughout the day to find a solution of the strike, Attorney General Daugherty sent orders to United States district attorneys directing immediate prosecution of those responsible for holding up the trains if federal agents find any evidence of a conspiracy to intercept handling interstate commerce or the handling of the mails.

The attorney general stated that there was strong indication of a conspiracy and warned that federal officials will take all necessary steps to prevent its continuation. Prompt prosecution for any violation of strike injunctions was authorized.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Representative of the Brotherhood of Railway Executive and leaders of the non-striking railroad labor organizations met in a suddenly summoned conference at the White House today to discuss the strike situation.

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TOTTER ON VERGE OF DESTRUCTION SAY ACTING PRESIDENT ENGINEERS.

SAYS DANGER LURKS IN THE LOCOMOTIVE BOILERS

Predicts Many Months Will Pass Before Equipment is Back to Normal.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Aug. 12.—Seventy thousand giant locomotive boilers on the verge of destruction, according to the acting president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, charged tonight.

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CALIFORNIA SENATORS RACE COMES TO FOREFRONT IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST

TARIFF ISSUE CAUSES TROUBLE TO HIRAM JOHNSON

TO PLEASE CONSTITUENTS HE HAS DEALT WITH OLD GUARD.

NATURAL BORN SURGER HASN'T INSURGED

Progressive Friends Are Dubious While Regulars Have Little Affection.

By MARK SULLIVAN National Political Correspondent of the New York Evening Post and Wichita Daily Times (Copyright, 1932, by the New York Evening Post.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 12.—The next senatorial primary likely to have anything approaching the public interest that needs to be kept in mind is the race for the California primary on October 29.

There is in Washington, our country, a campaign for renomination resting on more than one of its aspects. One of the most conspicuous is the one which the administration seems to be exercising, not only to avoid taking sides, but to keep clear of the race. It was anticipated that the republican party in California would give him his renomination without a contest.

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Another reason why Johnson should be unhappy lies in the series of changing positions he has found himself in since he has been elected to the Senate.

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TEXAS FURNISHED TALLEST SOLDIERS FOR U. S. IN WAR, AND RHODE ISLAND SHORTEST

They were 'em big in any other state, which of course is fitting. The average man of military age from Texas, during the late war, was five feet, eight and two fifths inches tall, or about a twelfth of an inch taller than his compatriots from Tennessee and Mississippi.

According to the figures, the average American soldier was 5 feet, 7.49 inches tall and weighed 141.54 pounds. Per Texas the average height was 5 feet, 8.46 inches and the average weight 143.22.

The figures showing average stature of soldiers by states were compiled by the war department from official records, and form the basis of an interesting article in the New York Times.

only 35 per cent of them having ailments recorded. Kentucky, South Dakota and Arkansas rank next to the Sunflower state in this particular, Texas being fifth with slightly over 40 per cent.

One curious feature of the report is that Mexicans from the southwestern states had the highest percentage of tubercular or suspected tubercular cases, and the lowest percentage of mentally deficient men.

The man of the Mississippi valley states, as a whole, would appear to be more nearly physically perfect than those of any other section of the country.

The native American is physically the superior of the average citizen born under other flags.

SALE G. E. FANS

While they last we will sell every fan in our stock at a specially reduced price. This sale includes a few of each size, 9 to 16 inch, oscillating and non-oscillating.

JUST ARRIVED a shipment of percolators that are selling at a very popular price.

REMEMBER we are giving an ironing board free with every iron sold during August. Wichita Falls Electric Co.

Monday Another Big Day GREAT REMOVAL SALE Our Bargains Speak for themselves. Read these Prices and be here. 10-4 Bleached and Brown Pepperell Shetting, Monday, yard one-half price. 50c Fancy Turkish Towels, Monday. 50c All Organdy and Voile Dresses \$1.98, \$2.98 to \$3.98. Boys' Hose, 60c values. 50c Children's Middy Blouses, Dresses, Unions. 50c 10c Hair Nets. 5c Pearl Buttons, card. 5c Brass Dress Pins. 5c Birdseye Cloth, Red Star, 37 and 38-inch, 10-12 yard.

MONDAY IS BARGAIN DAY AT Winston's Department Store Extraordinary Values Offered For This Day Only Monday Only—Special! Black Satin One Strap Spanish and Baby Louis Heel, at the extraordinary price of \$3.95 ASK TO SEE THEM Specials in the Shoe Dept For Monday New white canvas, in Baby Louis and box heels, regular \$4.50 values. Monday only \$1.95 Combination Patent Leather and Suede Oxford for Monday \$7.45 Men's and Boys' Good Work Shoes \$1.95 Patent Leather Oxford Novelty, the latest fall footwear, for Monday only \$7.50 The very newest in fall footwear, plain satins, brocaded satins, two tones, combinations, at \$6.95 Blue Work Shirts, 69c and \$89c Special Kiddies Rompers, 3 for \$1.00 Reed Craft Purses \$12.50 up

Saul's August Clean-Up Sale Unusual value-giving in all lines remaining summer goods. Choice of Our Best Summer Dresses \$4.98 Pretty Voile Dresses On Sale at \$1.98 FOR MONDAY ONLY 26-Piece Silver Plated Sets 6 Tea Spoons \$2.60 6 Medium Forks 6 Table Spoons 1 Butter Knife 6 Medium Knives 1 Sugar Shell Total of 26 Pieces for \$2.60, just 10c for each piece. Can You Beat It? In the Men's Department Men's 75c Athletic Union Suits 44c Men's \$1.50 Corded Madras All White Shirts 98c Men's Ivory Garters 19c Complete Men's Work Cloth Dept. in the Bargain Annex Saul's Store Prices that Prove—We Sell For Less.

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**ELECTRA BRINGS
 IN NEW PRODUCTION
 DESPITE HANDICAP**

**SEVERAL GOOD COMPLETIONS
 REPORTED—DEEP SAND
 IS EXTENDED.**

**NO IMPROVEMENT IN
 WATER SITUATION**

**Drouth is Hampering Development
 in Nearly All Fields—Young
 County Continues Active.**

The week's review of operations in the north and central district shows a slowing up of drilling in nearly all sections, due to the recent cuts in crude and the fast diminishing water supply. Wichita, Young and Eastland counties furnished the majority of completions and additions to the producing areas; production showed a loss of over 4,000 barrels from the previous week's run, the daily average being approximately 130,000 barrels. The loss was attributed to the cleaning up of stocks the first of the month and not enough flush production to take its place.

In Wichita county pools nothing out of the ordinary happened except the adding of over half a mile to the north to the 1000 foot sand through the completion of the No. 3 test of the Harvey-Culloms company in section 31 Waggoner land. This test came in early in the week, making 300 barrels.

To the south in the Waggoner the Carteret company completed their No. 6 on this tract and is reported good for 100 barrels from the 1500 foot sand. Another good producer was brought in on the Gibson survey on the Waggoner tract by the completion of the Shamrock Oil company's No. 6 which is making 300 barrels from the 1500 foot level. On the H. & T. C. lease the Magnolia Petroleum company completed No. 55 in the shallow sand at 350 feet and it is producing 60 barrels. No. 56 on the same lease is drilling at 400 feet.

The No. 1 well of Stanley McGregor No. 1, J. and J. Waggoner, has been put on the pump and is making 50 barrels from the 1500 foot sand for this section of the field. Several others are drilling in this vicinity at various depths. Fitzgerald and others have set casing on the sand in their No. 2 and expect to drill in early this week. The Texas company with eight strings of casing on the company with a like number are showing the greatest amount of development work at the present time. On the Waggoner tract the Texas company has set casing on No. 229 at 1625 feet preparatory to drilling in at once.

The Electra pool also showed a gain of 2000 barrels in daily runs and with the flush production from recent completions a further gain is looked for.

Sunshine Hill is doing very little in the way of drilling and with the exception of a few machines going to the shallow sands, the field is all but deserted. The Texas company's No. 1 on the Emma Everett tract southeast of Burkburnett is the widest territory is drilling at 1275 feet.

Nothing of importance is reported from the W. M. A. field where several wells are drilling after a shut down period.

Clay county is to have several tests drilled within the next 30 to 60 days. On the Byers tract in Petrolia the Texas company has started drilling on their No. 45 and are down 150 feet and about five miles east of Petrolia, Keuhn-Tollst-Kuhn have their derrick up and are moving machinery to start a 2000-foot rotary test.

Archer Needing Water. Archer county operations remain practically the same with a number of tests in the wildcat sections closing down on account of the lack of water to continue drilling. The Texas company completed the third well on the Chance tract and it is making 100

barrels from the usual 1000 foot sand. No. 4 of the same company is drilling 12 to the top of the sand at 5125 feet to complete. No. 5 is drilling at 200 feet and a derrick is up for No. 6 on this tract.

On the Goss land the Texoma company are drilling on their No. 37 and 28 test. On the O. T. Matherson, adjoining the Goss to the south, this company has spudded in their No. 3 and are down 100 feet.

The Texoma company test on the Young land south of Archer City is drilling around 1530 feet.

Several locations have been made, but the actual drilling has been held up until assured of a sufficient amount of water to continue when once started.

In Eastland County, developments in Eastland county during the week centered in the Lake district and in the territory surrounding Pioneer and Cross Plains, where several good producers were completed. Drilling has been curtailed to some extent due to the drop in the price of crude and several of the larger companies have announced that as soon as the wells now drilling are completed they will cease operations until the market takes an upward trend.

The most important development for the past few weeks was made by the Gordon Petroleum company on the Caudle tract in the Lake Eastland pool, which came in last week, making 700 barrels from the 2500 foot sand and is considered in widest territory being 40 miles west of the Gulf's Kenabrew well. It is the opinion of many oil men that another gusher field exists in this territory. So far this is the biggest producer brought in from the lake district.

Two miles southwest of the city limits of Burkburnett, Southern and others on the Robinson farm have touched the Lake sand at 2210 feet and the well is making 1,000,000 feet of gas. Drilling has ceased

while a flow line is being laid preparatory to drilling in. Present indications point to another good producer and with it will mean the opening up of a big undeveloped territory for drilling. On test No. 1 on the Williams land the Gulf Production company's well on the Williams land is being drilled to a depth of 2000 feet.

Another interesting test to be drilled is that of Clark and Dougherty on the Lorels farm about five miles south of Eastland. The derrick is built and machinery is being installed.

Extension in Young. Southeastern Young county received considerable attention last week owing to the extension across the river of the producing sands in the Herron-Williams district. Colcord and Weekly have a 500 barrel producer at the northwest corner of the John A. Hill survey in the 2500 foot sand. The well has been flowing naturally by heads and making 200 barrels in an hour. This is located on the Kinsinger land which has been favorably regarded for some time and overcome the old superstition that oil did not exist in paying quantities north of the river. Whitehead and Hinson have completed their well west of the Herron pool on the Falkerson survey in the 2500 foot sand which lies across the river also. After giving the well a shot it is producing from 120 to 200 barrels.

A large gas well was encountered on the Lynn land at 2450 by the Detroit-Mexia and Cheney and De-Freest interests. south of the Gulf's Kenabrew well, which was encountered in an entirely new sand. This gas is ample to supply the Dalton field and the Ranger Gas company are now perfecting plans to pipe it there in the near future. It is reported that the Young County Drilling company have a well at 2700 feet in their location on the A. E. Foster three-acre tract adjoining the Ming Bend school house on the south. This makes another exten-

sion of the Williams pool to the southwest. A noteworthy extension across the river is the well being drilled by the Tyrrell Oil corporation on the W. A. Ribble land, which was found in the 2500-foot sand and is flowing by heads every few minutes. It is estimated to be good for 500 barrels and extends the Williams field about one-half to the southeast. A location has been made by Clark, Harrison and Gatewood to the east. Tyrrell Oil corporation have a 12,000,000 foot gas well at their Q.No. 1 location on the Williams land. This company has made application to drill ten wells in the Williams district and are carrying on an active drilling campaign.

Several wells are expected to reach the Roark pay which include the following: MacKenzie Oil company on the Grosswade survey, Balco No. 2 Roark on the J. E. Rogers survey; Texas company Jake Jones on the J. E. Rogers survey offsetting the Roark No. 1 on the north; Brooks et al. on the S. L. Ribble survey. Nash and Windfor are trying to recover a joint casing lost in the hole on the Rubanks land where they encountered a sand at 2350 feet that looks like a good producer. This well is expected to extend the field 2 miles and one-half from the Roark No. 1. The Halmark Oil company are reported to have a large amount of gas in the well on the J. F. Hall land southeast of Graham at 4,000 feet.

All operators in Young county are curtailing their development work and only drilling necessary wells already under contract or required by orders, recognizing that only through retarded development will the price of oil be restored this fall and winter. A month ago Young county oil was bringing \$1.25 at the well and the price is now \$1.50 a barrel. The oil of this district was a high gasoline content and much of it tests 43 gravity Baumé, making it most desirable for refining purposes and just a little under the gasoline content of the oil found in Pennsylvania.

A bridge will soon be started over the Brazos river leading to Herron City which will be a great convenience for operators in the Herron, Williams and Costello districts. Private subscriptions have been taken and the bridge is assured. Repair work is progressing satisfactorily on the bridge over the Brazos going to the Bunker field.

Officials of the Humble Pipeline company made a tour of inspection of the Herron City field this week for the first time, leaving in the evening for Houston. The party was composed of W. S. Parrish, president; James Anderson Jr., vice-president; D. H. Trel, superintendent. The party also visited the Ibea field in Shackelford county, but was especially impressed with the great amount of activity being

shown in the Herron City and surrounding fields. Stephens 8088 Active. Stephens county has so far not felt the effect of the recent cuts in the price of crude to any great extent, although it is expected many wells now drilling in the widest territories will shut down until the market makes an upward trend. Some of the larger companies will they are in use on are completed. Without any great amount of flush production this county has been able to keep up its daily runs around 40,000 barrels.

What is considered one of the most interesting developments at Breckenridge for the past year was the bringing in of the Miller Brothers well on the Guernsey tract about ten miles southwest of that town which opens up a big scope of land lying between the Curry pool and the Ibea field, and extends the producing area of the former at least two and one-half miles to the southwest. The well not only extends the field, but is producing from an entirely new sand for that section of the county, the top being encountered at 2384 feet. The sand was barely touched when it started gushing heavily and spraying oil at the rate of 150 barrels. The fact that this new sand has been discovered means much to this locality and the next week or so will see

the rush for choice acreage by many operators now developing other sections, and a brisk drilling campaign is looked for. The Humble Pipeline company has completed their four-inch oil line from their Chaney pumping station two miles north of Breckenridge to the Ibea pool, a distance of 10 miles, and have made several connections in this pool, the biggest being that of the Pindexter No. 1, which is still producing around 700 barrels daily. Several small wells were completed in the developed or proven fields, but nothing out of the usual drilling is going on.

**TEXAS FRANCHISE LAW
 ATTACKED IN COURT BY
 KIRBY PETROLEUM CO.**

AUSTIN, TEXAS, Aug. 11.—The case of the Kirby Petroleum company vs State of Texas for an injunction to prevent the state from collecting franchise tax was tried in the Travis

county district court today and taken under advisement. The Texas franchise law is attacked as being unconstitutional. The suit is of importance to many out of state corporations.

Wall papers at cut prices during August at Decorators Co., 715 Ninth St.—Ad.

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 The better way is to bring it to this bank which belongs to the Federal Reserve System and operates under
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August Furniture Sale

Will Continue Through This Week

Now is the time for you to save money on your purchases of Home Furnishings for Fall. This August sale event comes forward with some remarkably low prices on high grade furniture.

Items that will add much to the pleasure of every wife who appreciates the beautiful of refined, yet useful furniture in this important room of the home.

Three piece cane back, brown mahogany, velour upholstered, 1000e cushions throughout, extra pillows for chairs and rockers... **\$138.50**

Such a wonderful opportunity to work out an attractive bed room at very little cost, but at no sacrifice of quality. Every article offered is fully guaranteed. Five piece walnut or mahogany bed room suite including 1 dresser, 1 bed, 1 chiffonet, 1 rocker, and 1 chair for... **\$88.00**

There are few homes but can use some of these handy kitchen items. And now while they are under priced is the time to get them. Selections are very complete. Special price reductions on all

New Method Gas Ranges and Landau Kitchen Cabinets.

It will cost comparatively little to add new furnishings to your dining room since at the prices quoted you will receive an unusually large measure of value for each dollar spent. Eight piece mahogany suite consisting of 1 buffet, 1 oblong table and 6 straight chairs... **\$109.50**

If it would be more convenient for you to take advantage of our liberal credit plan in paying for your selections we will be very glad to arrange payments as you wish them.

Be sure to inspect our complete home furnishing outfits which have been marked at exceptionally low prices for this sale.

NO MATTER WHAT YOU MAY WANT IN THE FURNITURE LINE WE HAVE IT HERE AWAITING YOUR INSPECTION. It may be you need furnishings for the home complete, we have some very special prices on them, or it may be that you only need a few items to fill in. Come in and make your needs known and we will be glad to show you through the store.

Now is the time to buy. Don't fail to take advantage of this great sale and save from 20 to 50 Per Cent.

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ALL BUT 700 FEET OF ROAD HAS NOW BEEN CONSTRUCTED

CONCRETE ALL POURED FROM CLAY COUNTY LINE INTO CITY OF BURKURNETT.

GAP IN PAVEMENT IS TOWARDS RED RIVER

Await Grading of Road to Clara Before Operations Begin There.

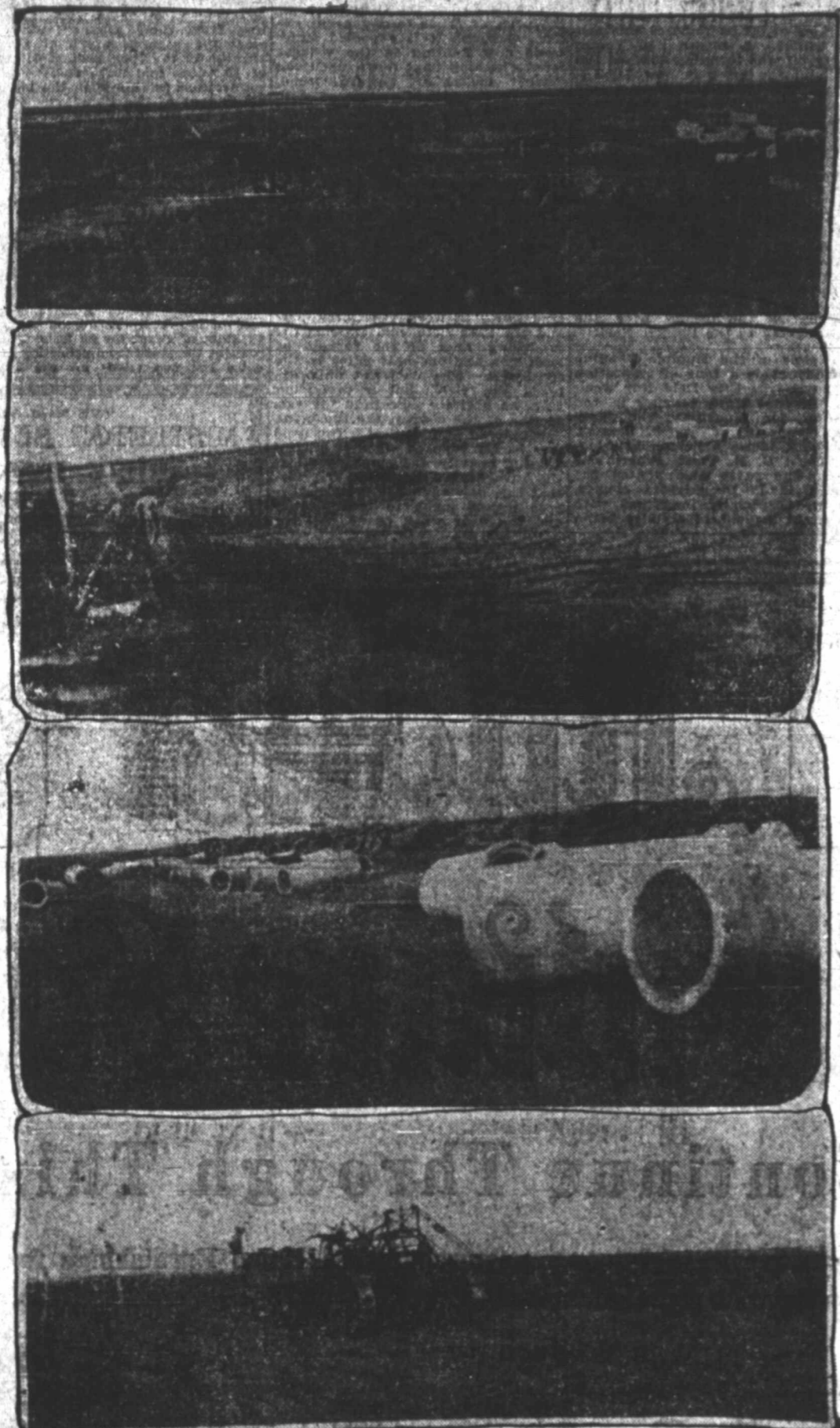
A gap of only 700 feet now exists in a solid stretch of concrete pavement from the Clay county line to the river bridge across Red river.

Potts and Frantz announce that this stretch will be completed sometime during the first part of the coming week.

Shoulders are now being placed on the road to Clara out of Burk Burnett has not been broken or graded as yet and as a result the one large mixer of Potts and Frantz is in this. Preparations have been made to move the machinery just as soon as the grading is completed.

The Whitman Construction company has graded over a mile of the road leading out of Iowa Park to the southward.

LAYING OF STEEL ON BYERS-WAURIKA LINE TO START SOMETIME IN NEXT TEN DAYS



Work is progressing steadily on the Byers-Waurika railroad project and laying of steel will start within the next ten days.

The two top pictures above show two portions of the grade between Byers and the river. The third picture shows a small part of the material stacked up in the yard at Byers. The bottom picture shows one of the big power graders in operation.

F. W. McCabe, sub-contractor for the steel work, will start moving in

with his outfit this week, and expects to start laying track by August 20 or 22. Mr. McCabe, who is one of the best known track laying contractors in the Southwest, will take a few more miles to the thousand he has already put down in Texas and Oklahoma.

DALLAS MAN SHOT BY STEP FATHER OF WAXAHACHIE GIRL

By United Press. DALLAS, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—Edward Johnson, 25, former Dallas musician, was at St. Paul's sanitarium here tonight suffering from seven bullet wounds, most of them in his abdomen, as the result of a shooting in the Southland hotel shortly after 1 o'clock today.

Physicians stated that Johnson has only a slight chance to recover. Following the shooting, C. T. Harp, of Rockwell, and J. M. Hamilton, of Waxahachie, were charged with assault to murder and released on \$5,000 bonds each.

Harp made a formal statement to district attorney Hughes in which he accused Johnson of improper relations with his daughter who is also the step daughter of Hamilton. The father, who has been living at Waxahachie with her step father, was declared to have been induced to leave home recently by Johnson, according to Harp's statement.

Harp stated that following his daughter's disappearance from home, Hamilton and himself made a vain search for her. When they heard she was living in Dallas with Johnson they came here today. The shooting followed a meeting between the three men in the hotel. It was stated.

Johnson, who was separated from his wife several months ago, was forced to flee from his home in Indiana after the shooting that he formerly lived in Indianapolis and asked them to notify his wife here.

Johnson went to the bedside of his wife immediately on hearing news of the shooting. Police records show that one Howard Johnson was arrested here by federal officers a week ago, charged with transporting a girl from Waxahachie to Dallas. This case was pending against him here.

WILL AWAIT RETURN THE BELGIAN CONTESTANT BEFORE NAMING WINNER

By Associated Press. GENEVA, Aug. 12.—Word was received today that M. Demuyter, the Belgian contestant in the James Gordon Bennett balloon race, was in Bucharest, preparing to return to Geneva.

The race committee will await his return before deciding whether he is fit to start. He has already put down in Texas and Oklahoma.

Many returning pilots today expressed hope that the Belgians would be given the famous cup and that he would not be disqualified because his balloon after landing escaped minus the pilot and sailed away for a much greater distance.

Returning pilots were exchanging stories about the difficulties they experienced, with ignorance and sometimes hostile passions. The Italian pilot, Gugliemotti, was especially harassed in Bayaria, where he said he was forced to throw away his revolver on a number of peasants who stole several sacks of his ballast in the belief that they contained sugar.

PLAN TREATMENT FOR WHITES AND NEGROES AT HOSPITAL AT MUSKOGEE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Probability of arrangements being made for treatment of both white and negro disabled former service men at Muskogee, was indicated today at the veterans' bureau.

The hospital has not as yet been leased by the government but it is expected that the institution will be materialized as it will be conducted as any other general hospital and probably negro patients will be received as well as white former service men, veterans bureau officials said.

MOTHER! Clean Baby's Bowels with "California Fig Syrup"



Hurry Mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again. Even a cross, feverish, constipated child loves its "fruit" taste, and mothers can rest easy because it never fails to work all the sour bile and poisons right out of the stomach and bowels without griping or upsetting the child.

Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottles. Mother, you must say "California." Refuse any imitation, adv.

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BELIEVE ROBBERY PROMPTED KILLING OF MUSKOGEE MAN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Detectives endeavoring to clear up the murder of E. H. H. McBride, a three capitalist and oil man of Muskogee, Okla., today expressed the belief that robbery prompted the killing, having learned that McBride, when last seen alive, had in his possession travelers' checks and jewelry valued at \$1,000. Only four pennies were found when the body was examined.

The identity of the slain man was definitely established last yesterday by Villard, district attorney of Muskogee and friend of McBride. Police said they had virtually determined that the man was killed in the district of Columbia Wednesday night and the body was then taken in an automobile to the culvert a mile from Meadow, Md., where it was concealed. Detectives were of the opinion that the killing was the act of one man, though they were investigating the statement of a witness that a party of four men, who were in the car at the point where the body was found, had been awakened early Thursday morning by a man traveling in an automobile who asked to be directed to Washington. A woman, she said, remained in the car and displayed marked signs of excitement and haste.

ARIZONA BANK CLOSED FOLLOWING CLOSING OF A BANK IN OKLAHOMA

COALGATE, ARIZ., Aug. 12.—The Parker Valley bank at Coalgate, Ariz., has been closed because of the closing of the First State bank of Clarita, this county, County Attorney E. K. Holland announced today. He had been advised by the bank commissioner of Arizona. A warrant has been issued there, according to Holland, for information of Alvin E. Smith, vice president of the Parker institution. Holland was informed by Arizona authorities that they believe Smith is en route to Oklahoma.

An investigation of the affairs of the Clarita bank, according to Holland, shows that G. L. West, former Oklahoma City real estate dealer, bought the bank about 30 days ago with funds purporting to be in the Parker Valley bank. West, who is in jail here on numerous criminal charges growing out of the failure, became vice-president of the Clarita bank.

Smith, the investigation shows, according to Holland, bought the Parker Valley bank with funds supposed to be in the Clarita bank. Neither instance did the money stay, Holland says.

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STATEMENT ABOUT SPIZ MINERAL WATER

I feel like every man and woman in Wichita Falls should know of the medicinal and health giving properties of Spiz Water, and it is only because I can sincerely recommend it that I allow my name to be used in its endorsement and it has helped me as no medicine could do, of the last is pleasant. I suffered with my kidneys for many long years and it was impossible for me to get a night's rest. I have only been drinking Spiz Water six weeks and now my sleep is uninterrupted and I awake each morning feeling that I have a new lease of life. I expect to drink Spiz Water as long as I live in Wichita Falls—Mrs. M. S. Covas, 1425 Ninth.

This testimonial is only one of many. E. H. Hall, manager of the Spiz Water, has received from Wichita Falls citizens, who are weary of the water. The water is distributed in quart sterilized bottles; every precaution is taken to safeguard against germs or contamination of any kind and to insure the approval of the health authorities and the public. Those who are interested in their health should get a bottle of Spiz Water.—Adv.

TO DECIDE WHETHER "KU KLUX KLAN" IS A POLITICAL PARTY

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Aug. 12.—Whether the Ku Klux Klan should be rated as a political party and the county ticket endorsed by that organization in last Tuesday's primary in Pulaski county certified to the democratic state convention next week as the Klan ticket with next highest candidates declared democratic nominees, was, in effect, before the democratic state central committee today for decision.

Oscar Winn, who withdrew from the race for sheriff of Pulaski county several days before the primary, has filed a contest generally on those grounds, contending that two tickets should be certified to the convention. The state committee as now constituted differed as to the right of Mr. Winn to file a contest in view of his withdrawal, and some held that the matter was over the court to decide. After brief discussion at a meeting of the committee, the whole matter was ordered referred to the new committee to be selected at next week's convention.

MAN WANTED ON AN EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE ARRESTED AT LAREDO

LAREDO, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—A man arrested this morning as he emerged from the river, coming from the Mexican side was said by authorities to have admitted he was Edwin Frederick Morse, wanted in Denver, Colo., on a charge of absconding with \$75,000 from the International Trust company last August. He first gave his name as Herbert M. Smith. He was accompanied by a woman who is definitely located in Mexico.

The man agreed to waive extradition proceedings, the authorities said, and return to Denver to answer the charge. He was turned over to department of justice officials. Morse was taken to San Antonio on the noon train. He refused to talk while here.

ALLEGED TO HAVE TAKEN THE MONEY AT DENVER

DENVER, COLO., Aug. 12.—Edwin F. Morse, reported arrested at Laredo, Texas, today, was alleged to have absconded with \$75,000 currency on August 12, 1921, from the International Trust company here. Morse had been employed as a teller at the bank and was alleged to have taken the money from his cage after the close of business on Aug. 11, a Saturday.

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Boy Scout News

The scout executive, J. Chester Powell, states that he has heard it rumored that "scouting in Wichita Falls is on the standstill," but he says that the public is under the wrong impression when they believe that the scout troops are not doing anything just at this time, but it is not the fault of the members of the troop.

"I wish every man who is a member of a troop committee would come to the scout office and investigate what his troop is doing. Some members of the troop committee do not know they are actually on the committee. They have not been to a troop meeting since the troop was organized. The success of a troop of scouts depends a great deal upon the backing given by the troop committee. The committee is responsible for many things they do not take any personal interest in, and think the troop can progress just the same without them doing their duty, but the troop committee does not seem to realize how much 'pep' it puts into a troop when the boys know the committee is backing them."

In the past two or three months about 100 merit badges have been awarded to the boys of various troops of the city. Two Eagle Scout badges have been awarded the past month and two more Eagles are in the hands of scout executives. They will be awarded when a meeting of the court of honor can be called. Many other tests of the lower ranks have been passed and the badges awarded. It appears that several of the troops of the city are not full to capacity and boys who have reached their 13th birthday should take advantage of the opportunities offered the scouts by joining the troop nearest his home or the troop with which he is acquainted.

Scout Day at Fair. Mr. Powell says arrangements are being made to have a scout day at the Texas-Oklahoma Fair to be held in Wichita Falls September 23 to August 4. He says: "I would like to issue notice to the boys to be ready for the scout field day which will be held on scout day at the fair. The prize for field day is the living cup now held by troop one. It is the rule that the troop winning the cup three consecutive times will be entitled to hold the cup as their permanent trophy. Troop one won this cup by a very small margin, in fact, another troop had one or two points ahead, then forfeited by leaving the field. Mr. Powell says: "The boys should take notice that it will require a little more team work than they had in the last field day; decisions will not be made by bystanders but by special judges to be appointed for the occasion and there will be no crowding over the

lines by those scouts who are not taking part in the event. The field will be properly marked and special scout police appointed and the scouts not taking part in the event must remember to stay at his post." Games and Athletics. Some of the scout baseball stars demonstrated that they were still in good trim, defeating the Iowa Park scouts by a score of 17 to 1. The boys pulled some real "leagus stuff" in the games, the Wichita check is being made of the records of each scout and those who are now second class or tenderfoot scouts must reach the next rank before they can make the team. First class scouts must pass the merit tests and have a certain number; to be decided upon, before they can make the team. Those who are lagging behind in their scout work must realize that the football season will soon be here and if they expect to make the team, some of them will have to do quite a bit of work, according to their records in the executive's office.

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Clean-Up Sale Begins Monday

Mrs. Augusta South, has just returned from the fall buying trip to New York and eastern markets. Mrs. South made large selections from some of the leading designers in the east and these purchases are now on the way. In order to make room for them and to completely clear the stocks of all summer merchandise we announce a great sale at most sensational reductions. The high standard of quality maintained by The Parisian at all times in your assurance that this sale merits your attention.

Sensational Sale Price On All Sheer, Summer Cotton Frocks to Effect Complete Clearance CHOICE OF DRESSES, formerly priced up to \$24.75. Delightful styles consisting of the entire stock of organdy, dotted Swiss, imported voiles, tissue ginghams and linares. \$10

Entire Stock of Summer Silk Dresses in Three Groups

With the one idea of completely clearing the entire stock of summer dresses we have placed them in three groups at exceptional sale prices.

- \$16.50 to \$22.50 SILK DRESSES at \$7.75
\$24.75 to \$39.50 SILK DRESSES at \$10
\$42.50 to \$59.00 SILK DRESSES at \$20

These lots consist of the season's favored fashions in printed crepe de chine, krepe knit and sports silks in a great assortment of models for selection. White and light shades or dark colors included.

Dark Colored Taffeta Dresses, Formerly up to \$49.50 \$10

The low sale price is by no means an indication of the styles. Charming models in distinctive styles are included.

Choice of All Summer Hats in These Two Groups

- SUMMER HATS Up to \$10.00 \$1.95
SUMMER HATS Up to \$29.50 \$4.95

Sports styles, street styles and dressy models in a great variety. Pattern hats included. Novelty braids, straws, silks and combinations in trimmed and tailored modes.

- \$3.00 Cotton blouses
Georgette Blouses
Gingham, organdy, voile and dimity in plain colors, checks and stripes. \$1
Shirt waist and over-bouse styles in a generous assortment of embroidered and tailored styles. \$5

The Parisian FOR SMART STYLES Indiana Near Eighth

RAIL PROBLEM ON PACIFIC COASTS MOST SERIOUS ONE

ONLY ONE LOAD OF EASTERN MAIL TO CALIFORNIA SATURDAY.

EXPRESS SHIPMENTS ARE BEING DELAYED

Estimated Two Thousand Passengers Are Marooned at Western Points.

By M. D. TRACY

United Press Staff Correspondent. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—The Pacific coast tonight was face to face with the most serious transportation problem in its history.

All day long the strike of railway employees kept eating its way into the very heart of the transportation problem.

Only one load of mail reached California today. Express shipments were delayed and accepted only subject to delay.

Passengers estimated to number 2,000 were marooned on trains at points in California, Arizona, Nevada and Utah.

Tonight the strike threatened to spread into the Pacific northwest and strangle the transportation lines which connect the coast at Portland and Seattle.

Walkouts, chiefly by railroad firemen at Stockton and Oakland, California, on the Western Pacific; Las Vegas, Nevada, on the Union Pacific; Needles and Barstow, California, and Seligman and Ashfork, Arizona, on the Southern Pacific; and the four transcontinental railroads which connect California with the east.

Conferences held at Los Angeles, Fresno and Bakersfield, Cal., and Ogden, Utah, between railroad officials and brotherhood leaders brought no definite results pointing to relief.

Railroad brotherhood chiefs at Sacramento, Cal., declared they feared their men would walk out at Roseville, near Sacramento, where five bombs were exploded last night.

A strike there would cripple communication between California and the Pacific northwest.

Santa Fe officials tonight announced that they would make an immediate effort to bring trains stalled on the desert at Barstow and Needles, California, into San Bernardino.

With the temperature at 120 degrees at both points today, passengers in the Pullman berths are understood to be nearing prostration.

Train crews are being recruited tonight and will be sent by automobile into the deserts with a large force of guards in hope of rescuing the desert-bound trains.

They admitted that even though their roads are not directly affected it was improbable that they could even relieve the situation in California by handling additional freight and passengers.

Should the strike become effective in the northwest, the California Pacific railway running through Canada would stand as the one remaining rail line operating between the Atlantic and the Pacific.

In southern California deep anxiety was felt over predicament of passengers on Santa Fe trains stalled at Seligman, Arizona, and Needles, California. Plans to send automobiles to bring these passengers to Los Angeles had not been carried out tonight.

Private telegrams from marooned passengers appealed for aid. At least two of these telegrams declared women and children are suffering.

Reports from Needles, where the trains carrying between 400 and 450 passengers were tied up for 48 hours, said supplies of ice were running low under the heavy demand prompted by a relentless desert sun beating down with fierce intensity.

QUEISSER RESIGNS AT MOTOR FACTORY T. B. SMOCK NAMED

The resignation of Frank E. Queisser as domestic sales manager of the Wichita Falls Motor company was announced by him late Saturday.

Mr. Queisser will sever his connection with the plant early this week, and while his plans have not been announced, it is known that he will continue as a resident of Wichita Falls.

Tom B. Smock, now manager of Ball Brothers, will succeed Mr. Queisser at the truck plant. Mr. Smock came to Wichita Falls about nine years ago when the fruit jar plant was first established here and has been prominently identified with civic activities during his residence here.

Mr. Smock will assume his duties about August 15. It is not yet known who will succeed him as manager of the fruit jar plant.

Next Development is Case from El Paso

PORT WORTH, Aug. 12.—Next developments in the north Texas drug ring raids will come from El Paso, it was said here today, following the departure of Will Wood, district narcotic agent, for the border. He is directing the campaign. In one raid here yesterday 4,360 grains of morphine were captured and five arrests made.

L. Z. Timmons of Throckmorton, Texas, is in the city on business for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bowman left Thursday morning enroute for points in Kansas and Missouri, to be gone about 10 days.

ANOTHER STOP ON THE LONG, LONG TRAIL



LOCAL VOTERS TO GET CLOSE UPS OF SENATORIAL RACE

MAYFIELD TO SPEAK HERE MONDAY NIGHT IN INTEREST OF CANDIDACY.

REPRESENTATIVE OF FERGUSON WEDNESDAY

T. M. McGregor of Austin to Appear in Behalf of Temple Candidate.

Local voters will be informed of the merits and claims of the two senatorial candidates this week.

Large crowds are expected to hear both speakers. Both Mayfield and Ferguson received large votes in this county, Mayfield leading and Ferguson being third, in this county's returns.

On Tuesday, Jefferson Smith, recent candidate for state superintendent of public instruction who is now actively supporting E. M. N. Marrs in the run-off, will speak here in behalf of Mr. Marrs' candidacy. Mr. Smith will visit a number of West Texas points and is said to be campaigning along lines that will attract interest to the Marrs-Bentley contest.

So far as is known now, no other candidates are planning to visit Wichita Falls before the run-off election on August 25.

SCORES OPPONENT SPEECH SATURDAY

(Continued from Page One.)

means the sacrifice of much happiness and usually one's financial resources. Abraham Lincoln, Jefferson Davis, Robert E. Lee, U. S. Grant and our immortal Sam Houston died poor and penniless after serving their country. If providence decrees, I am willing to do so. Don't let these fellows get the idea that because I am broken in purse I am broken in spirit."

Ferguson then recited briefly the stinging rebukes and embarrassments forced on him by his political enemies and declared that before I get through with this campaign I was put so much high life on the tails of the designing politicians that I never run against another broke man."

Discusses His Demeracy.

"They are all talking about me running on the democratic ticket after I ran on the American ticket," Ferguson said. "If you had faced the same conditions you would say I did right in leaving the party and that I also had a right to return. After I retired to the privacy of my farm it seemed that they wanted to pursue me farther. They passed legislation saying Jim Ferguson's name can go on no ballot in Texas hereafter. When they said that I told myself, 'Jim, you cannot be fair to yourself. You can never hold an office within the gift of the democrats.'"

"Being an independent man and not caring to go where I was not wanted, I left the democratic party for good reasons. They cannot say I ever left as an independent politician. I had as much right to return as the old-time politicians. I have a better right to organize the American party than the politicians did go organizing the Ku Klux Klan."

"Sam Houston left the democratic party three times. He voted against it twice as an independent, then he resigned. History records him as one of the greatest men in this country. Woodrow Wilson voted against William Jennings Bryan two times. Why should I be condemned because I voted against the party one time?"

"Earle Mayfield has employed Cyclone Davis to make speeches for him. Cyclone has been in every party for the last 140 years. The speaker then recalled political characters in the days of the Confederacy who had abused the demo-

crats, later being taken into the fold.

Denounces Reserve System.

Entering into discussion of the federal reserve system, Ferguson said: "Money is something in this country of which a few people get too much and many people get too little. Every day I see traveling men and business men with long faces looking at the farmer wondering when he will be able to buy something again. One cause for this condition is lack of money. Uncle Sam got busy on the job, let a law get on the statute books creating the federal reserve bank system. The nation's money is now controlled by a board upon which sit the most contemptible, most unreasonable men who ever administered a law. This law gives more power to a few men than ever given a single group. They can tell your local banker how much money he can loan you, for how long and at what rate of interest. The board has the power to make you pay whether you are able or unable to pay, and whether your banker was 'Pro' or 'Con.' That's too much power. Earle Mayfield wants to preserve that law. I want to destroy it. There is no middle ground."

The banker who sat on the throne in Germany never had such power as the federal reserve board in Washington. It has the power to create panics when the big financial interests want to make a haul. "Say, some of you railroad men go over there and tell those carpenters I will pay them \$10 for their time if they will stop hammering until I get through with this campaign," Ferguson said, when the noise of a nearby construction job interrupted his hammering.

"I cannot compete against their hammering."

He continued identically the same line of attack on the reserve banking system as elsewhere in this campaign, detailing the cost of some of the bank buildings and the enormous salaries paid the officials.

"When you farmers went to the bank to borrow money, the banker told you they had none they were merely repeating what Washington had told them. It was one of the most infamous lies ever practiced on the human race. At the same time they were loaning seven banks in New York more money than the states of Texas and Oklahoma have ever been permitted to borrow. These banks bought \$150,000,000 in Liberty bonds below par and the American people were fleeced of millions of dollars in interest and lost billions of dollars during the panic through decreased value of their products and merchandise."

Worse Than Jesse James.

"The damnable board at Washington took from the people the right to issue their own money. Jesse James was a bad man, but he is a Sunday school boy compared to 'W. P. and God Harding' of the federal reserve board. Jesse always gave a man a chance to shoot it out with him, but that board never gives a chance."

"I notice in today's papers where that man McKinney, of the Dallas reserve bank, is going to give the state of Texas they ought to defeat me because I have attacked their system. And yet you know they broke you three years ago. He has the privilege of opposing me, but he ought to do it openly. Let them put their candidate, Earle Mayfield, on the stump with me. I'll meet him anywhere and debate the federal reserve law. The board is operated by damnable soundbills and crooks, and I defy them to meet me and defend their record." This was greeted with applause and cheering.

"Water Power" Hobby. Thomas Duncombe Love and Pluto Sells are supporting Mayfield. If each of them will make three speeches for Earle, I'll win by 100,000 majority."

The candidate then related circumstances connected with a Dallas bank in which Hobby and his brother are interested, charging that the institution was in a precarious condition some months since and that Judge Ramsey of the federal reserve bank allowed them to hire a president at a salary of \$100,000 a year. It is worth that much unless he steals or helps somebody else steal something. He dared the Dallas reserve bank officials to deny over their own signature that the charges he makes are untrue.

Farmer and Laborer.

Taking up the labor plank, Ferguson said the interests of the farmer and the union man are identical; that most of the money made by the railroad laborer is spent for the products of the farm, and that when the farmer takes a stand that the laboring man should work for less wages, in effect he says he must sell his crops for less money. He urged the farmers to stand by the

railroad men in their present fight. "We must take our stand beside the 'dying masses.' That's why I am on the side of union labor and eternally against the damnable open shop." Deafening applause followed these remarks.

"When I was governor and they asked me how I stood on the Adamson law, I told them to write it down that Jim Ferguson wanted the railroad men to have eight hours work, eight hours for sleep, eight hours for recreation and \$1 per day. If you union men vote for Earle Mayfield you have no right to complain later about what that crowd does for you. It is just a proposition of whether you will stand by your friend or the other man who is shaking hands with big business."

"Our constitution gives a man the right to his own religious beliefs. If some of these politicians would get hold of the state constitution and reconsecrate themselves to its teachings they would not have to couldn't join the Jewish church, we would have less trouble. I wouldn't join the Catholic church because I don't believe like they do. I couldn't join the Jewish church. If they would turn out these Methodist politicians I think I would be willing to join the Methodist church next week. But I may have to join the Hardshell Baptists."

The candidate then scored the Ku Klux Klan and kindred organizations, saying it was formed by designing politicians to control the voters. He unapologetically criticized the prohibition reason of Mayfield and defended his own. He said Mayfield's charges that he did not favor union labor on the state railroad while governor were false and referred those interested to Charles Hurstford or Roger Byrnes, union railroad men.

He closed with a touching appeal to the voters to elect him and thus remove the stigma of the impeachment now hanging over him and his family.

Ferguson left immediately for Decatur, where he spoke tonight.

SOUTHERN PART OF YOUNG COUNTY GETS BIG WELL SATURDAY

Flowing at the rate of 800 barrels after barely touching the sand, the Texas company's No. 1 well on the Jake Jones tract in the southern part of Young county came in Saturday.

The well is an offset to the north of the famous Roark well which was completed about two months ago with a production of 2,500 barrels and which is still producing over 1,900 barrels daily. Arrangements are being made to drill deeper in the line within the next two or three days.

LITTLE GIRL IS HIT BY AUTO IN NORTH WICHITA AND SERIOUSLY INJURED

Edna Bell Cox, 7-year-old daughter of Mrs. Moody, 400 Cowin street, was seriously injured when she was struck by an automobile at 512 Wichita street, just north of the river bridge, at 8 p. m. Saturday afternoon.

The little girl ran from behind a car parked in front of his Wichita street and started across the street to a grocery store as the automobile turned the corner. She was struck and knocked under the left rear wheel which passed over her body. It is said. The car was said to have been going about 25 miles per hour.

MISS WAINWRIGHT SETS NEW WORLD'S RECORD

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 12.—Helen Wainwright of New York established a new world's record for 600 yard free style swimming, according to an announcement made here today by the national A. U. Her time for the distance was 7:05 3-5. The old record, made in a closed pool, was 7:19 2-5.

Miss Wainwright also established a new American record in the same race for 300 yards. Her time was 4:18 2-5, while the previous American record was 4:13 2-5. This record also was made in a closed pool.

Eugene Beckman of New York is visiting Elmer Ayresworth for a few days.

SCHOOL TEACHERS TO HOLD INSTITUTE HERE NEXT MONTH

School teachers of Wichita, Archer and Clay counties and of the city schools of Vernon, will gather in Wichita Falls, September 4 to 8 for the annual institute. Superintendent Lee Clark announced Saturday.

From 500 to 600 teachers are expected. The joint institute plan was tried for the first time last year and met with such success that the same counties will participate this fall.

Among well-known educators who will attend are P. W. Horn, president of Southwestern University; M. H.

Moore, superintendent of the Fort Worth schools and former president of the State Teachers' association; Dr. H. T. Musselman of Dallas, editor of the Texas School Journal, a representative of the state department of education, and a representative of the state health department will also be present.

Mr. Clark said that Wichitans who can provide sleeping quarters for the teachers during their five-day stay here are urged to do so.

"Last year most of the teachers stayed in private homes, where they obtained a place to sleep and breakfast for a reasonable charge," Mr. Clark said, "we hope the same arrangement can be made this year."

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BONUS BILL TO BE TAKEN UP BY SENATE AUGUST 21

By United Press. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The soldier bonus bill will be taken up by the senate on August 21, with its proponents claiming a speedy passage for it.

Its opponents, however, were prepared to fight its passage every step. Their first move probably will be to raise the point of "no quorum" in the senate.

With the tariff bill disposed of many senators will leave Washington next Saturday to attend to political affairs in their states, while others, wearied

with the long tariff discussion will seek relief at vacation resorts. For this reason, it appeared likely that unless the bonus measure's friends were able to keep enough senators here to insure a quorum at all times, the bill might face serious delay.

GENERAL SOLICITOR TO SUCCEED HERBERT AS HEAD OF COTTON BELL

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—Daniel Upthegrove, general solicitor of the St. Louis and Southwestern railway company, has been appointed temporary president to succeed James H. Herbert, who died last Saturday. It was announced today. He will continue in the position until the election of a permanent president.

Mr. Upthegrove entered the employ of the road at Dallas, Texas, in 1898 as assistant general attorney and was made general solicitor in December 1916.



Sale Specials Monday we place some extra specials for sale. Chairs, Rockers, Benches, Chiffoners, Beds, Etc., of standard finishes and patterns and at prices which will surprise you. A few are listed below.

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Look at the generations of old, and see; did ever any trust in the Lord, and was confounded? Or did any abide in His fear, and was forgotten? Or whom did He ever despise that called upon Him? Ecclesiastes 5:10.

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

LET US REAFFIRM THE BILL OF RIGHTS.

Religious liberty is one of the foundation stones of this republic of ours. It is one of the first things which the fathers of our country attempted to make sure when they wrote the charter of our liberties.

Every true American believes in these things. They are taught in our schools, proclaimed from our platforms and in the press of the country.

There is mutual suspicion between different religious elements of the country that certain elements are trying to destroy religious freedom, or at least pursuing a course that will end in its destruction.

The constitution of Texas says: "No religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust in this state, nor shall anyone be excluded from holding office on account of his religious sentiments—provided he acknowledges the existence of a Supreme Being."

A resolution reported to be almost identical with this was laid before the Harris county democratic convention last week but a motion to reaffirm it was rejected.

"The language just quoted (Section 4 of the Bill of Rights)," says the Chronicle, "does not express a legislative opinion and purpose which may change as days come and go, but it is part of the unamendable and unreplicable Bill of Rights, no paragraph, line or word of which the legislature can change."

"It is a solemn and imperative declaration of that religious freedom to obtain which has cost suffering, sacrifice and many a noble life."

"It was a part of the constitution of Texas before nine men out of ten in that convention were born, and it will be a part of the present constitution, and of any which may be framed in years to come, and when the amendment it gives and the command it carries cease to be heeded and obeyed, liberty as our forefathers understood the term will be no more."

"That freedom of conscience and belief and worship which are the very essentials of constitutional liberty and which are prerequisites to political and social peace, will disappear when it is disregarded, and strife and bitterness and persecution will take their place."

"If those who voted to reject the resolution knew what they were doing, and it must be presumed they did, then their action reveals the existence of a sentiment which, if given expression in action, will preface the banishment of freedom in its highest and truest sense from Texas."

"Differences of opinion regarding men and measures are to be expected, because they are the inevitable concomitants of politics—indeed, without them there would be no politics, and what men or what politics prevail is rarely a question of enduring concern, but it is a matter of profound concern and one full of menace when even such a deliberative body as a county convention rejects a resolution which embodies in its terms the very essential principles of liberty and constitutional government."

"Such action is capable of but one construction, and that is that the majority favors a religious test as a qualification for office."

"Such a policy would be the direful spring of woes unnumbered."

Since the Indians struck oil "Lo! The poor Indian lives high."

One might say the man who stole a cornet belonged to a robber band.

Cheer up! Only 29 days left September.

A SIGNIFICANT ACTION.

This paper some time ago pointed out that levity was threatening to destroy the prohibition amendment.

In the press, on the stage, in clubs, on the street cars and everywhere violations of the prohibition laws are being treated as jokes. This paper itself has been guilty in this matter. Nearly every newspaper in the country has had a share in the guilt. It is not right and it is something that will be stopped if given sober and serious thought.

And the press is beginning to look at the matter in that light. The jokes about prohibition are becoming fewer, although this may not be as a result of virtue but because the public wants a change of subject. The announcement has just been made that no jokes about violations of the prohibition laws will be staged in any of the Keith circuit vaudeville theaters. There are Keith theaters in every large city in the United States and the announcement reflects the changing view of the stage and the public as well regarding the prohibition amendment.

The attempt to ridicule prohibition out of existence has failed. The action of the management of the Keith theaters is significant.

TODAY'S TALK

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

SORROW AND TROUBLE.

These two little words have more to do with the shaping of character and the world than any other two.

In pain were you born and given to time and immortality. "All great literature," says Hearne, "has its source in the rich soil of sorrow."

The Chinese and Japanese have a custom, so I have read, of composing poetry in time of pain and sorrow. Milton wrote his immortal "Paradise Lost" while blind. Tennyson produced "In Memoriam" to soothe his grief. It is said that when Goethe was told of the death of his son he replied: "Forward, across the dead," and plunged into his work, realizing more than ever before its healing and rewarding power. It was the same Goethe who has given these lines to the world:

Who ne'er his bread in sorrow ate— Who ne'er the lonely midnight hours, Weeping upon his bed has sat— He knows ye not, ye Heavenly powers!"

Call the names of the great in literature—Scott, Byron, Poe, Longfellow, Twain, Hugo, Carlyle, Keats, Hawthorne, Stevenson, Irving—in sorrow, bodily suffering and through trouble were their greatest works conceived.

Look into the lined face of Abraham Lincoln. Is any other biography necessary? He who has influenced and sweetened character and human history more than any other human being who ever lived, is known as "The Man of Sorrows," whose last breath was expelled upon a cross as He spoke to a criminal crucified at His side.

Only as we are sobered in darkness are we able to see the light.

God walks around with folks who are burdened with sorrow and trouble—without their knowing it, in most cases.

Silent heroism is never published. You who sorrow and are in trouble, here is a stanza that will help you. It is an old English proverb:

For every trouble under the sun There is a remedy, or there is none. If there is one, try to find it. If there be none, never mind it.

Few men have ever lived who have uplifted life more by their courage of thought than Emerson. Here is his contribution to those who sorrow and are in trouble:

When the half-gods go The Gods arrive!

JUST FOLKS

By Edgar A. Guest

THE LAY OF THE TROUBLED GOLFER. His eye was wild and his face was taut with anger and hate and rage.

And the things he muttered were much too strong for the ink of the printed page.

I found him there when the dusk came down, in his golf clothes still was he, and his clubs were strewn around his feet, as he told his grief to me:

"I'd an easy five for a seventy-nine—in sight of the golden goal— An easy five and I look an eight—an eight on the eighteenth hole!

"I've dreamed my dreams of the seventy men, and I've worked year after year, I have vowed I would stand with the chosen few are the end of my golf career;

I've cherished the thought of a seventy score, and the days have come and gone and I've never been close to the golden goal my heart was set upon.

But today I stood on the eighteenth tee and counted that score of mine, And my pulses raced with the thrill of joy—I'd a five for a seventy-nine!

"I can kick the ball from the eighteenth tee and get this hole in five, But I took the wood and I tried to cross that ditch with a mighty drive—"

Let us end the quotes, it is best for all to imagine his language rich, But he stopped that hell, as we often do, and the ball stopped in the ditch;

His third was short and his fourth was bad and his fifth was off the line, And he took an eight on the eighteenth hole with a five for a seventy-nine.

I gathered his clubs and I took his arm and alone in the locker room I left him sitting upon the bench, a picture of grief and gloom,

And the last man came and took his shower and hurried upon his way But still he sat with his head bowed down like one with a mind astray.

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LITTLE BENNY'S NOTE BOOK

By LEE PAPE

The Park Ave. News.

Weather. All right. Excitement! Big Hunts father got a new horse for his automobile and gave his old one and Sid has his walking around blowing it over state, some of the neighbors complaining about it and others saying they are going to tell the police.

Sister. Mr. Skinny Martin has named his new terrier Spot, naming his last Saturday afternoon, and among those present at the christening was Mr. Benny Potts, Mr. Charles (Bud) Simkins, Mr. Larry Wheeler, Mr. Reddy Mery and Miss Loretta Minor.

Foam by Skinny Martin

Slow Hat Says

When you see a little acorn slowly growing to a mighty oak, his heart is set on taking his course instead of trying to hurry it with a pole.

Intriguing Facts about Intriguing People. Sam Crosses baby sister Udeen has 3 teeth and 2 expectations.

Music Notes. A petition signed by 10 of the fellows was stuck under Loretta Minor's front door last Wednesday saying on it: The Undersecretary of the State is to take your singing lessons with the windows down. Among those signing their name was Benny Potts, Arthur (Art) Potts, Harry Cross, Reddy Mery and Law Davis, Jr. and an Loretta Minor accused them of it they all said their names must of big a forgery.

GERMS ON YOUR HANDS

By DR. T. H. BISHOP

Every time I see someone mousing their hands, I have a feeling of sorting papers or counting currency. I wonder how long it will be before he realizes that germs are on his hands.

It is important to remember that at all times your fingers are literally plastered with germs, unless washed with soap and water. These germs may be no disease germs among them, but how are you to know?

Do you realize how many things you touch with your hands during the day? The dirty hand-rail, strap-hanger on the street car, door knobs, soldered paper money, library books, the typewriter in the hall, the door knob, the dirt and dust.

The common, familiar old habit of handshaking often leads us to exchange germs with persons we would rather avoid, but whose feelings we do not care to hurt.

The solution isn't to stop petting dogs or shaking hands or putting dirty paper money, but to be careful what we do with our fingers afterward, until they have been thoroughly scrubbed.

Unless your hands are scrupulously clean, it is dangerous to rub your eyes, pick your nose, or put your fingers in your mouth. Otherwise you'll be transplanting germs where you want them least in just about the most dangerous places.

YOU AND I

By ALBERT APFEL

William Jennings Bryan gets a real hair curling iron in his mouth today. The barber had an easy job on top. At sides and back, Bryan still is able to grow locks like a prophet of old. The curling iron, Bryan says, is a better prophet than most people realize at the hair curl, by habit, in the dirt and dust.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

AN INTERPRETATION OF DEFEAT OF REFORM FORCES

Editor The Times: The recent defeat experienced by the reform forces in the Tennessee primary, with resultant postponement of the well laid plans of the Sunday law advocates, was needless due in part to the fact that many of the voters of Tennessee still remember the wave of persecution that swept over certain portions of the state, when scores of honest, industrious, God-fearing, law-abiding citizens were arrested, fined, incarcerated in prisons where they were compelled to serve out their terms of imprisonment in the name of justice for the crime(?) of holding their Bibles and worshipping God according to the dictates of conscience, and thus becoming the victims of the Sunday law upon the statute books of the state of Tennessee.

Under the heading "A Stupendous Wrong" the Dayton Republican in a stirring editorial of March 22, 1919, had the following to say concerning the oppression then perpetrated in Rhea county and in other parts of Tennessee: "Do the good citizens of Dayton and Rhea county fully realize the enormous wrong being perpetrated upon the sacred rights of individual citizenship as guaranteed by our blood-bought constitution, in the imprisonment in the county jail of eight of the Christian citizens of this county, because, forsooth, they have worshipped God according to the dictates of conscience?"

Look on your quietly and complacently look on this startling nineteenth century paradox being enacted? Will God approve of this oppression of a branch of his devoted followers and will he not rebuke in the day of judgment the persecutors of these people are undergoing for opinions held at the hands of others of his professed followers and will he not further hold to a strict accountability the passive indifference of others of his followers who quietly allow this great wrong to be perpetrated?"

"Christians all, Presbyterians, Methodists, Catholics, Baptists, Episcopalians and every denomination that worships in the name of the Lord of Hosts, and whose hearts have imbued the humanity and love illustrated in the life of Christ, put yourselves in these men's places. They have been taken from their families, deprived of liberty, the rights of man, and placed upon their business broken up and a portion of their property virtually confiscated by the state, and for what? For worshipping the God of their fathers."

"Shades of Washington and Jefferson, look down upon us and rebuke us for our inaction in the Declaration of Independence! Are we insensate blocks of wood, that we shall quietly allow this persecution to proceed? The very walls of the jail cry out in thunder tones of eloquent indignation against this offense. Do we need a new Declaration of Independence, in order to quicken our sense of liberty and justice?"

"In the broad light of the closing nineteenth century, with all the facts of the past ages serving as warnings, are Christians to still suffer a martyrdom for the faith which our fathers have inherited from Wesley and Whitfield and Rogers lived in vain, that we have not yet learned the lesson that the truth which we profess to believe?"

The foregoing is but one of many protests that were made by the people, both religious and secular, against the oppression which resulted from the persistent enforcement of the Tennessee Sunday law by the reform forces against non-conforming citizens during the ten years of special activity, from 1815 to 1825. Those days have not been forgotten by the citizens of Tennessee, who show the disapproval of our regime by their ballots in the recent primaries.

GEORGE W. SPIES. SAYS EXAGGERATIONS DO NOT PROMOTE CONFIDENCE

Editor Times: The Ku Klux Klan of Wichita Falls and vicinity held a celebration at the ball park Friday evening.

The grand stand seats about 1,200 people, and in a pinch may hold more. Allowing an extra 200 for those around the park and sharing in the program, there was present about 1,400 or more, and it is estimated a good ball game in an interesting series. The klansmen participating in the program were counted at about 120 in the file with an additional 20 as ushers, probably, making about 140. Reports have been circulated that the membership is near 1,000 or more, and it is probable that those who conveniently could so arrange were present last evening, indicating that reports on membership are somewhat exaggerated.

The address by the Rev. Montgomery of Burk Burnett was very good, with possible exception in selection of authorities for statements made. His comment included the statement that the Catholics numbered about 12 per cent of population and yet held 62 per cent of all elective and appointive offices. No one familiar with existing facts in Texas (or attempting to dominate the comparison of the Klan to the former Klan, the Boston Tea Party, Patrick Henry, Martin Luther, etc. and said

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I repeat that insofar as platform openly stated, the great and large majority of people adopt ideals stated without mask or concealment. And as before stated, recognizing the tendency to exaggeration even in open politics, I have not the faith to credit 100 per cent sincerity and idealism of government as actual motives entirely for secret political parties. Repeated statements in exaggeration by Klan speakers supposedly attempting to make good impression, weaken that faith if first granted. Sincerely, F. G. SWANSON.

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Bughouse Fables



LITTLE HERMAN WILL BE A GREAT ARTIST SOME DAY. I'M HERE TO ENCOURAGE HIM.

Sketches by J. H. STRIEBEL

FOLKS BACK HOME

Uncle Gus chuckled as he emptied and refilled his blackened corn-cob pipe. "The was a travellin' man here while ago," said he, "tryin' to sell me some 'small towns'."

Disgrace is society's best weapon. Men who could violate a moral at without hurt of conscience will walk in paths of virtue to avoid public contempt. Standards have lost their authority because public opinion has become tolerant of rottenness. Mere law cannot keep men decent.

THE GIRL ACROSS THE STREET

Teach a boy that honesty is the best policy and you will make him prudent. Teach him that dishonesty is disgraceful and you make him honest. Neither boy nor man is easily persuaded to do that thing that will earn him the scorn of his fellow.

How wonderful it is to be a Helen of Troy! To sit amid cushions, innocently out of harm's way, while strong men do battle for the honor of kneeling at one's feet.

Well, well; if battle there must be, it will be worth the seeing. The victor may have an advantage in weight and youth, but Lawyer Davis carries a stout stick and there is a spring in his step despite the years that he has taken away. His hair, the girl tries to be neutral. "Oh, course I love Hiram and like to kiss him and everything," she confessed, "but Lawyer Davis is an awfully guileful and it's so thrilling to be loved from afar by a man like that. I hope they don't fight about me."

Little Willie Willie has discovered the secret of philosophy. When the preacher called him over to play with the good little boys and girls, he replied: "Because I can lick nearly all of the good ones."

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BACK-TRAILING ON THE OLD FRONTIERS

Alexander Harvey, the First "Bad Man" of the Northwest Fur Trade, and the Crimes He Committed in the Upper Missouri River Country a Century Ago.

Drawing by CHARLES M. RUSSELL

The history of the west contains the names of many "bad men," who feared neither God, man nor the devil, and whose records are written in the blood of their victims. The fur trade furnished its quota of this type, and of those whose names were held in terror along the reaches of the Upper Missouri nearly a century ago, the boldest and most reckless desperado undoubtedly was Alexander Harvey.

Harvey came up the river as an employe of the American Fur company in the early 30's, about the time the western branch of that concern, including Fort Union, was sold to Pratts, Chouteau & Co. and was placed under the management of Major Alexander Culbertson, who later built Fort Benton, and who, more than any other, held the confidence of the Blackfoot Indians. Six feet tall and powerfully built, Harvey was wholly devoid of fear, and while often he was disposed to be fair and reasonable, he had a perverse and unruly temper which, once aroused, made him a brute. As an employer he was relentless and unrelenting.

Major Culbertson, admiring the man's fearlessness, found a place for him at Fort McKenzie, the most remote of the company's posts, where he remained for several years and in 1849 was left in charge for a time. Here he committed his first murder, shooting an inoffensive employe of the company, Potts, after forcing his victim to kneel before him. Harvey reported that Potts had been killed by a Blackfoot Indian, and none had the temerity to contradict his statement.

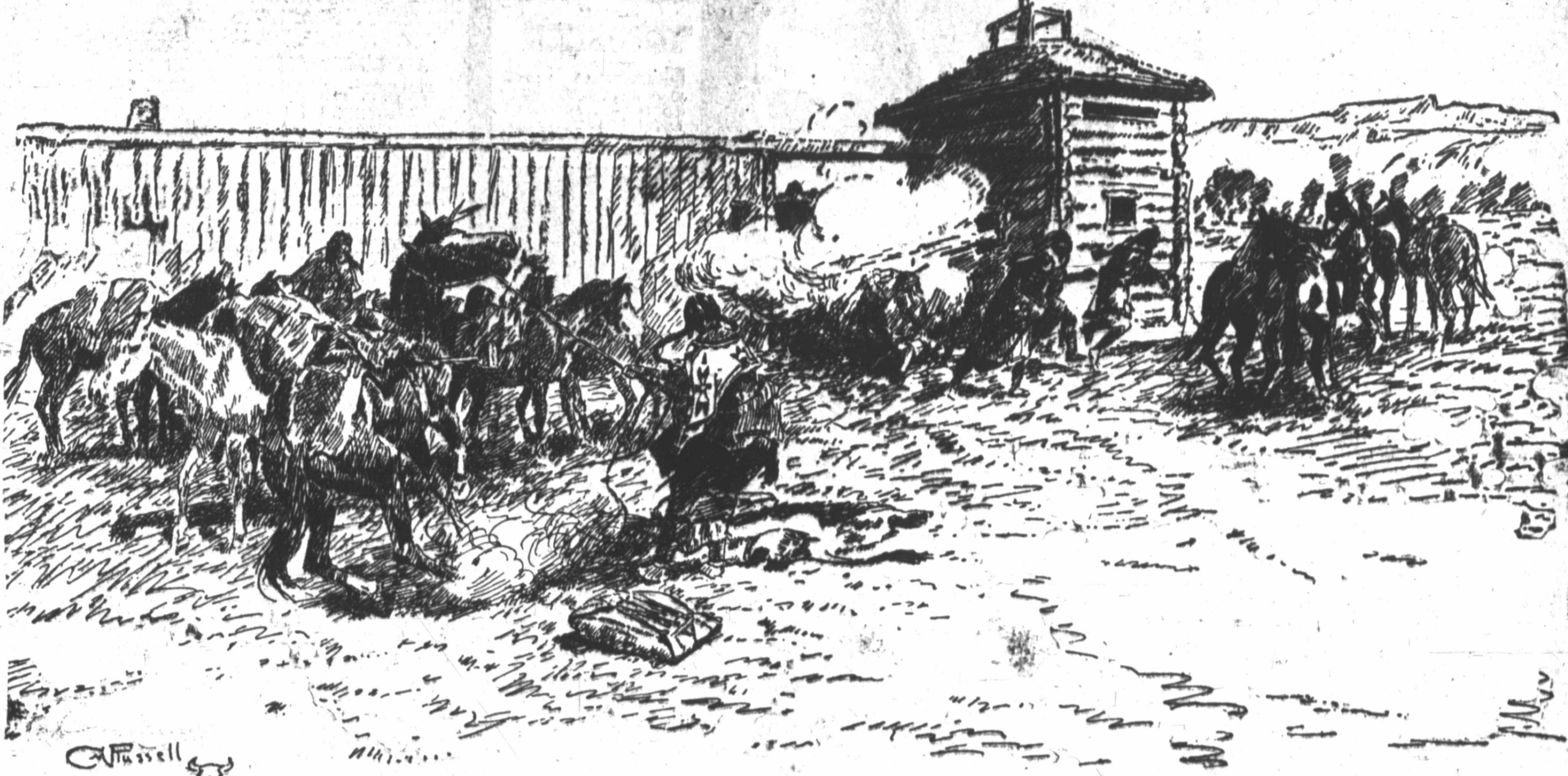
Later in that year Harvey was sent to Fort Union with the accumulation of furs from Fort McKenzie. He had with him an employe of the company, Sandoval, with whom he quarreled. After reaching Fort Union, while in the company's store, Sandoval turned to a counter to find himself looking into the muzzle of Harvey's pistol. He begged for mercy, but received none. Harvey shot him through the head and he died in a few hours.

Returning to Fort McKenzie, his behavior toward the other employes of the firm continued to be brutal and intolerant that all refused to remain there with him, and word was sent to St. Louis that he would have to be removed in some way. Pierre Chouteau, one of the members of Pratts, Chouteau & Co., sent him his discharge, and in order to insure his early departure requested Harvey to report in person at St. Louis.

It was Christmas time before the discharge arrived, and at that season of the year it was considered madness to undertake a long journey through the wilderness. Harvey, in spite of the dangers of the undertaking, prepared at once to start on the journey of 2,500 miles through a hostile country, taking his rifle and a large dog to carry his blankets, he set out and reached St. Louis early in March. Chouteau was so pleased that he actually renewed Harvey's engagement. As it was then about time up the river for Fort Union, Harvey made ready to return at once. On his way up the river he remarked several times that he had several settlements to make with the gentlemen who had caused him his long winter's tramp.

Arrived on the Upper Missouri once more, Harvey kept an eye out for those whom he suspected of any complicity in the movement against him. He found one man at Fort Clark and gave him an unmerciful beating. At Fort Union he found several more, and as fast as he could single them out he would knock them down and beat them almost to death.

Possessing real ability as a trader, Harvey remained in the employ of the company for some years, but he had aroused the hatred of most of the other employes, and there were no doubt numerous plots to take his life, all of which, however, failed. In 1841 he was sent down from Fort Union to Pierre with mackinaw boats laden with furs. With him was sent a Spaniard, one Isodoro, who was a bitter enemy of Harvey. The latter kept a careful watch on the Spaniard's actions and gave him no chance to carry out any plan to kill Harvey that he might have made. But on the return to Fort Union, Isodoro opened hostilities in earnest and threatened to shoot Harvey. Harvey, in the presence of Major Culbertson and others, shot and killed Isodoro while the latter was unarmed, and then challenged any one



ATTEMPTED MASSACRE OF BLACKFEET INDIANS AT FORT MCKENZIE

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to take up the Spaniard's quarrel. No one dared to do so, however.

Later in the year Major Culbertson, who had been successful in the difficult task of building up a trade with the warlike and hostile Blackfeet, was ordered to leave the Upper Missouri and go to Fort Laramie to revive the declining fortunes of that post. He protested against being sent there, pointing out that he had the Blackfoot situation well in hand and that the valuable trade with that tribe might be easily lost if it was not given careful attention. His protests were not heeded, however, and his place at Fort McKenzie, where he was then established, was taken by an unscrupulous and desperate character, Chardon, who was a close friend of Harvey. Their murderous policy in dealing with the Indians almost wrecked the company's fur trade with the Blackfeet.

In January, 1841, a war party of these Indians, who were friendly to the whites, however, called at the fort and requested admission, but Chardon and Harvey locked the gates against them. Incensed at the treatment they received they killed a pig that had escaped from the fort. Harvey and Chardon, with half a dozen men, set out after the Indians. The latter waited in ambush on the Teton river, and when a negro servant of Chardon was sent forward to scout, the Blackfeet opened fire on the men, and at the same time a terrible revenge and Harvey gladly agreed to carry out the details.

The plan was to have the cannon on the bastion trained outward along the wall upon the door of the fort when the next band of Blackfeet came in to trade. Two or three of the chiefs would then be admitted, and while the door was crowded with Indians, the cannon would be opened fire on the chiefs, and at the same time the chiefs would be shot down within the fort. The plan only partly succeeded, Chardon opened fire on the chiefs, but before Harvey could set off the cannon the Indians had begun to scatter. Three Indians were killed and three

wounded, including one of the chiefs. Harvey killed the wounded man with his knife and scalped him.

Another of Harvey's atrocious deeds was the killing of an Indian in a particularly brutal and cold-blooded manner. It happened that a party of five Indians were suspected by Harvey of having shot at some cattle belonging to the post. He took a horse and went in pursuit, overhauling one of the Indians he shot and broke the man's thigh. The Indian fell to the ground and lay there, and when Harvey reached him he sat down beside him. He then proceeded to light his pipe and made the wounded man smoke with him. He then said: "I am going to kill you, but before you die I will let you take a good look at the pleasant land you are leaving." The Indian begged for his life, but after a time spent in taunting his victim, Harvey killed and scalped him.

After the attempted massacre of the Blackfeet with the cannon, described above, Chardon and Harvey, knowing that they had started a bloody feud with the Blackfeet, prepared to abandon Fort McKenzie, which had been one of the most profitable outposts maintained by the company. They sent a detachment to the mouth of the Judith river, some distance down the Missouri, to build another stockade. In six weeks it was completed and Chardon named it after himself, Fort A. Chardon. They then burned Fort McKenzie, the site of which is still known as Fort Brule, or Burned Fort.

Not a particle of trade was carried on the next winter with the Blackfeet, and after considerable difficulty Major Culbertson was persuaded to return to the Upper

Missouri to straighten out the Blackfeet trade, which he was finally able to do. Harvey and Chardon were discharged and in 1845 Chardon died of scurvy.

Harvey went down the river and returned the following spring as a rival trader of the company. He was so despised and hated by the Blackfeet, however, that he was never able to build up a trade with them. He was constantly in fear of his life, both from Indians and whites. He sought revenge against Major Culbertson by informing the government that Pratts, Chouteau & Co. were selling whiskey to the Indians. This caused an investigation that nearly ruined the company, but a compromise was finally effected by which a fine of \$12,000 was paid.

Harvey after that continued to skulk in the Missouri river bottom. He was known to have committed half a dozen murders at various times, but he escaped punishment and died in 1851 in a small trading post he had built at Cracon du Nez, a few miles below the site of Fort Benton.

The old men of the Blackfeet tribe still remember the stories they heard as boys of Harvey's deeds, and his reputation survives as the worst white man the northwest knew in the fur trade days.

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The Faith Optical company, which will open for business at 211 South on August 21, is a new and distinctive institution in Wichita Falls. Dr. J. W. Duval, who has been a practicing physician here for many years, and Fred Goss, who has been in charge of the optical department

at Kruger's for some time, are the proprietors of the new company. It will offer a complete optical service to the public. Dr. Duval will devote his entire time to treatment of eyes, and large comfortable rooms for reception and treatment of patients are provided. A special room for negro patients is a feature of the establishment. The company will carry a complete stock of optical goods and will grind its own lenses. Mr. Goss being in charge of that feature of the

business. It has a plant equipped for both refractive and diagnostic work, and will be prepared to provide "everything for the eyes," according to the proprietors.

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ALL THE NEWS OF ALL THE SPORTS ALL THE TIME

Spudgers Come From Behind and Vanquish Peacocks in Fourth

By PAUL W. LARKIN. For a brief spell Saturday afternoon at athletic park...

The contest was one of those heart-rending affairs which keep the spectators on the edge of their seats from start to finish.

There was no outstanding hero of the contest. Practically every Spudger had a finger in the pie.

Al White has been a thorn in the Giants' side ever since the series opened, but he pulled his play in the fourth inning.

McDonald started something in the seventh when he threw Segrist's grounder away.

At this juncture McDonald broke into the lightning. He started the Salmites' allotment of the second with a crashing double against the right field fence.

When Bischoff smacked his first foul over the wall...

BIG LEAGUE RECRUITS

-By Wood Cowan



George is one of the leading hitters in the National League. He's all bat and glass.

Because of the absence of Milton Block, Hornsby was shifted to third and the "guy" with the cheaters...

Here's a youth with cheaters who has upset all scientific theories that good eye sight is essential to good hitting.

Hailing from New York, but of Hungarian parentage, George practically jumped from backlot baseball into the majors.

In 1920 this bespectacled youth got a tryout with the Cards through Bert Daniels who believed the training would develop Toporec into a good man for Syracuse.

Two base hits, Kraft, Sears; three base hits, Hoffman; home run, Sears; double play, Hollahan to Hartford...

MEYERS POLES ONE WITH BASES FULL FOR VICTORY

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—San Antonio overcame a seven run lead of the Exporters here today in the last half of the ninth inning.

Table with columns: Club, W, L, Pct, Games Behind. Lists teams like St. Louis, New York, etc.

Stolen bases, Anderson 2, Gross, Booe, Doyle; sacrifice, McKee, Brennan; three base hit, Gross; home run, Allen; errors, innings pitched by Johnson & Lewis 2, Couchman 1.

Another sparring partner was added to the Jack Dempsey retinue here today by Manager Jack Kearns.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Table with columns: Club, W, L, Pct, Games Behind. Lists Texas League teams.

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KNIGHT HOLDS BUFFS AND SAND CRABS WIN

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PANTHERS TURN TABLES ON SHREVEPORT CLAN

SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 12.—Fort Worth hit Burns and Slappey hard and won from the Gashers 8 to 3.

At this juncture McDonald broke into the lightning. He started the Salmites' allotment of the second with a crashing double against the right field fence.

When Bischoff smacked his first foul over the wall...

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—The Cardinals lost today to Chicago, 4 to 6, and dropped to second place in the pennant race due to New York's double victory over Brooklyn.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

CLEVELAND, Aug. 12.—Detroit hit Cleveland hard and defeated Cleveland 10 to 5 here today.

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ALL THE NEWS OF ALL THE SPORTS ALL THE TIME

Latest Batting Averages Show One Reason Why Salmite's Lead League

Only a superficial glance at the batting averages released today by the official statisticians of the Texas League is necessary to convince the most skeptical that the Spudders are justly entitled to the position which they now hold in one of the greatest leagues ever staged in the Lone Star loop. These averages reveal the fact that Salmite's sluggers are leading their opponents in practically every offensive department of the game.

It is no wonder that the Spudders have set a modern Texas League record and have a world's record within their grasp when one stops to consider the unprecedented number of sluggers that have been assembled by Walter Salmite. The Spudders skipper has not only built up one of the greatest starting lineups in the Texas League, but he has rounded out a hurling staff that is second to none in the league.

(Abbreviations used—G, games; AB, at bat; R, runs; H, hits; TB, total bases; 2b, two base hits; 3b, three base hits; HR, home runs; SB, sacrifice hits; SH, stolen bases; BB, bases on balls; SO, hit by pitcher; RBI, runs batted in; WP, wild pitch; S, strike out; BA, batting average. No longer in Texas League.)

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Maney, W.F.	101	24	41	69	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.406
Conroy, W.F.	101	24	41	69	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.406
Wells, W.F.	101	24	41	69	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.406
Jackson, B.	101	24	41	69	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.406
McDonald, W.F.	101	24	41	69	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.406
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BUSINESS DAY 60 DAY as the Government sees it

Table with columns: COUNTRY, PERCENT OF INCREASE, PERCENT OF DECREASE. Includes entries for England, France, Italy, etc.

STOCKS AND FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Railroad stocks were the main feature of the week, were subjected to some selling pressure in today's market...

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Foreign exchange rates were steady. Demand for British pounds was 4,464,000...

TIMES DAILY MARKETS

COTTON MARKETS

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—An opening record was followed by sharp declines in the cotton market this morning under liquidation of selling...

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—New low figures for the season were made in all grains today. September wheat and corn were included to be a little higher...

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth Livestock. FOR WORTH, Aug. 12.—Cattle: 500 head; 25,000 lbs; 25,000 lbs...

OBSERVE MAXIM NOTHING FOR SALE ON STRIKE NEWS

ATTITUDE FEATURES RECORD ON STOCK MARKET FOR WEEK

GOVERNMENT FORECAST HAS BENEFICIAL EFFECT

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Wall Street's maxim, never sell stocks on strike news, was religiously observed by important investors...

RENT HOUSES

We have none. We have thought, a very complete selection of homes in any price home that you desire...

FILMORE STREET

An east front on the pavement, consisting of five nice size rooms with garage and driveway, \$4850.

HUFF AVENUE

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We have been open for business one week. Our modern plant is thoroughly equipped to produce for you a highly pure tested milk...

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MONDAY, AUGUST 14. Billy Green singing 'Jabo Blues' and Miss Emma Johnson singing 'The Blues'...

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Do You Walk while others ride in an automobile?

Do you miss the companionship of a splendid piano in your home?

Have you always wanted a blue-white scintillating diamond?

Has your one supreme desire been to spend a month at a noted resort or take a trip abroad?

These and many other things that might occur to you may be easily accomplished if you will but save a little money for a while...

Wichita Falls Building & Loan Association

Ground Floor Morgan Bldg. Phone Fifty-Fifty. Come to the Texas-Oklahoma Fair, Sept. 30-Oct. 4.

LEGAL NOTICES. Notice is hereby given that the Grissold Oil Company, a joint stock association, has transferred all of its assets to Grissold Oil Corporation...

LEGAL NOTICES. Being a triangular strip of land out of block four (4) of the Kemp & Newby subdivision, situated on the east side of the highway...

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NORTH SIDE SURVEY PARTY MOVING TO NEAR THORNBERRY

WILL CONTINUE LOCATING DITCH LINE DOWN RIVER VALLEY.

WORK IS PROGRESSING AT BOTH DAMSITES

Topographical Crew Moves Its Headquarters From Holiday to Iowa Park.

Headquarters of the surveying party which is locating the north side irrigation canal were moved from Iowa Park to near Thornberry Saturday and the party will this week continue at work on the line down the river.

MAYFIELD QUOTES FERGUSON SPEECH

(Continued from Page One.)

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Electra News Budget

ELECTRA, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—After a delay of nearly two weeks, work has been resumed by the Magnolia Petroleum company on its machine shops and foundry.

Effort is being concentrated on the completion of a railroad switch which will extend 1,000 feet through the entire trace of seven acres purchased for the foundry site.

At present the Magnolia company maintains nine plants similar to the one being erected at Electra.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Beulah Lee Brunow at the First Baptist church.

The legion is backing a band for Harris Dry Goods company left Thursday night for St. Louis and other eastern markets.

Having completed its task of erecting an ornamental iron fence in front of the local cemetery, the local post of the American Legion is now engaged in a campaign to secure funds for building a similar fence on the other three sides.

Two fires were reported in Electra Thursday. Early in the day a call was received to extinguish a fire in the city garage wagon in south Electra.

Water Situation Improved. Although it has not been possible to connect the new 18-inch water main up with the reservoir north of town, because the strike of railroads, yet Mayor W. M. Calvert reports that as a result of close cooperation by the citizens the water situation is materially improved.

Order Street Sweeper. Street sweeping will be in vogue in Electra within a few days, as the city commission has ordered a street sweeper.

Transportation Question. The candidate declared that the most important issue before the people in this race, "Having been a member of the state railroad commission for 12 years, I naturally have had ample opportunity to make a close study of the rate question and all the pending threats."

"I have served on the Texas railroad commission for 12 years, and Jim Ferguson is the only man who says aught against my record. He is going around the state shouting, 'Down with the house of Mayfield,' and he then goes off behind the tree and whistles in the way of a red nosed snail."

"Real substantial prohibition in this country will never be accomplished as long as the penalty is a mere fine. The bootlegger does not care for a fine. He will pay his fine when apprehended and then go back and ply his trade and pay an income tax on his earnings. I would amend the Volstead act but Jim Ferguson would amend it. I would put teeth in it and send the bootlegger to the penitentiary for his first offense."

He told of Ferguson's speech at Georgetown, where he blasphemed the God which gave him being. He declared that Ferguson has been abusing the Methodists. Not long ago he was abusing Dr. Brooks and the Baptists. We must settle him this time, for I am afraid it won't be long before he will be abusing the Presbyterians.

He charged that Ferguson fought Woodrow Wilson's draft law in 1917. He said that Ferguson made his speech at the colliseum in Dallas opposing the selective draft act. He said that Ferguson himself had said that if he were elected president of the American party ticket one of his first official acts would be to pardon the soldiers who were convicted and sentenced to the federal penitentiary for obstructing the draft.

He declined to meet Ferguson in joint debate because he said he and Ferguson did not speak the same language.

He also said that while he had fought for woman suffrage, Mr. Ferguson had opposed it, for he knew the good women of this state would never vote for him. They are against the open saloon and they are against Jim Ferguson.

This fellow Ferguson is a great destroyer. He is always trying to destroy everything and not build up anything. He is the greatest destroyer since Atilla the Hun.

He tried to destroy the democratic party. He wants to destroy the federal reserve act and many other things. He is an expert destroyer, so if you want the federal reserve banks destroyed he can do the job, for he wrecked the Temple State bank, the only bank that he was ever president of.

OUT OUR WAY



By WILLIAMS

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LOCAL BREVITIES

Mrs. Florence B. Harris, 1105 Travis street, left Friday for Denver and other points in Colorado. She will be joined by Miss Craig in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Price left by automobile for Colorado Springs, where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

Misses Doris Humphreys and Doris Ryan of Seymour, who have been attending school at Canyon City, Texas, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbs.

T. B. Noble was confined to his room at the Kemp Saturday, with an attack of grippe.

P. A. Rogers will leave today to join his family in Colorado.

Mrs. Reed of Electra was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. H. Yager, Friday.

Mrs. W. N. Arthur with her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Goodman and son, and her sister, Mrs. J. W. Cole of Henrietta visited friends in the city Saturday.

Walter Bennett left Saturday for the Woodmen encampment at Galveston. He expects to be gone a week.

A. M. Liddell of Fort Worth returned Saturday after a short visit here with relatives and on business.

George Gore of Thornberg was a visitor in the city Saturday morning.

E. C. Davenport of Peapack and J. R. Walker left Sunday morning for Seymour to visit relatives Sunday.

Charlie Gregory of Pipe Station No. 4 has returned from a 10-day vacation trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

M. W. Stanforth has left for Denver, where he will join his family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Straghart and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bartosh left Saturday by automobile for Waco.

C. D. Walker, manager of the Peapack store, left Friday for the Pacific coast. He will be gone six weeks.

Leo Markowitz returned from a several weeks business trip to New York and the east.

Burt Brant, superintendent of schools in the county, left Saturday

for Austin where he will be on the summer normal examining board. He expects to be gone two weeks.

Irene Castle At Strand Theater Starting Monday

Irene Castle, dainty dancer and film star, who appears in the forthcoming Hodkinson-Hollywood production, "No Trespassing," at the Strand theater Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, was treated to a real rescue by down East life savers a few months ago.

Some of the action in Mrs. Castle's forthcoming picture takes place on the sand dunes, and in order to shoot these scenes by water the proper backgrounds, Director Hollywood, Mrs. Castle and the other members of the company went to Cape Cod and remained several weeks.

One day when they were out on the dunes, a heavy storm came up. Within a few minutes the wind had lashed the water into heavy waves.

Still the company worked on, as the wind and waves made the backgrounds very realistic. Neither Mrs. Castle nor Mr. Hollywood realized, however, that the section of the dunes on which they were working had become so steeply inclined.

When finally they realized the seriousness of the situation, Mrs. Castle and Lillie Campbell, her secretary, were enabled to reach the mainland. Their only hope of reaching shore was by swimming or signaling the life-saving station, located about a half mile distant. As none of the company wanted to risk a swim in the heavy surf, unless absolutely necessary, Mrs. Castle removed her outer skirt and used it to signal to the life-saving station.

In a few minutes a boat was launched and a crew of stalwart men, who were waiting for the signal, reached the side of the imperiled actors.

That was as near as Mrs. Castle ever came to being rescued at sea, but she says it is not enough. Stories of thrilling rescues by the Cape Cod life savers are very interesting, and Mrs. Castle, but she doesn't want to take part in any of them.

W. B. GARMANY DIES IN HOSPITAL AT HOUSTON

W. B. Garmany, aged 25, died at a hospital at Houston Friday from meningitis. The body was sent here Saturday for burial.

Mr. Garmany had been employed by the Fort Worth & Denver as a car man, and had been a resident of this city for seven years. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Garmany, and three brothers, C. C. Garmany, L. J. Garmany and Hugh Garmany. Funeral services will be held at Riverside cemetery at 2 p. m. Saturday.

Superbly satisfactory spectacle service supplied by Fred Ooms, optometrist, with Kruger Jewelry Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. Advertisement.

Paint now, Decorators Co.—Adv

Window glass at Decorators—Ad

FERGUSON TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE KEMP HOTEL SUNDAY P. M.

SENATORIAL CANDIDATE WILL SPEND SUNDAY IN WICHITA FALLS.

ASKS ALL HIS FRIENDS TO MEET HIM THERE

Ex-Governor Is On His Way to Amarillo, But Will Stop Over For Day.

Ex-Governor James E. Ferguson, candidate for United States senator, will hold open house at the Kemp hotel from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon and asks that all his friends and supporters come and shake hands with him.

Mr. Ferguson is on his way from Decatur to Amarillo and intended to stop over here on Sunday to meet his friends. The request was made by Guy R. Jofolomb, chairman of the local Ferguson club and Saturday night at 7 o'clock Mr. Holcomb received a telegram announcing that he would gladly spend the day here.

Several strange votes were taken Saturday afternoon at various up town street corners and in every instance it is claimed, the result showed that Ferguson led his opponent Mayfield by a substantial majority. In one instance the vote was nine to one for Ferguson.

IRISH INSURGENTS FIRE ON U. S. SHIP PRESIDENT POLK

By United Press.

PLYMOUTH, ENG., Aug. 12.—Passengers landing from American steamer President Polk today confirmed reports that Irish insurgents fired upon the steamer at Queenstown.

The passengers related harrowing stories of insurgent activities at Queenstown where the armistice broke and war hospital were burned.

NEAREST EXPULSION OF GERMANS FROM DISTRICT

PARIS, FRANCE, Aug. 12, 1922.—A note from the German government protesting against the expulsion of Germans from Alsace-Lorraine was delivered to the French government late today.

The note also protests against the French attitude with regard to compensation payments, saying it is contrary to the spirit and letter of the Versailles treaty and the subsequent agreement.

Mrs. A. E. Hatcher of 1011 Tenth street, who has been seriously ill for the past five weeks was reported considerably improved Saturday and is now believed to be out of danger.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

Wichita People Visit Many Places of Interest in Europe; See Passion Play; From London to Brussels in Airplane

The Wichita people who are touring Europe this summer all report a wonderful trip with enough thrills and interesting experiences to last a life time. France, Germany, Italy, Austria, Spain, Switzerland, Holland, Belgium and the British Isles will be visited by the various parties, and most of them have already seen the Passion Play at Oberammergau.

LADIES HAVE ORGANIZED EARLE B. MAYFIELD CLUB

Under the leadership of Mrs. J. C. A. Guest, recently appointed by the Mayfield county chairman to head the movement, a committee of ladies met at the guest home, 1801 Eleventh street, Saturday morning and organized a Mayfield club. Those attending the meeting were Mesdames Walter Curtis, Fred C. Barron, M. H. Moore, Walter Friday, T. L. Coplin, M. M. Adickes, M. J. Dasher, John Marra, C. C. Knight and M. H. Glover.

MARRIETT BRADLEY HOSTESS GARDEN PARTY THURSDAY

Marietta Bradley entertained about 20 of her friends with a garden party at her home on Eleventh street Thursday afternoon from 4:30 to 8:00. After the guests had enjoyed outdoor games and numerous exciting contests, Miss Marietta presided by her mother served ice cream and cake to Mesdames Sarah Beth Hoggess, Margaret Bond, Margaret and Lucie Shiers, Helen and Emily Johnson, Marion, Emily and Evelyn Rittenburg, Charlotte and Ruth Keovil, Frances Tyson, Grace Becket, Mrs. J. C. Barron, Thon, Martha, Seglman, Vern Mashburn, Vera Potran, La Verne Hart, Mrs. J. T. Gant and son Jack.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE FOR MARGARET HELGERTSON

Margaret Helgertson was delightfully surprised Saturday morning when a number of her little friends came to her home, 1638 Elizabeth street to help her celebrate her seventh birthday. The party lasted from 10:30 to 12:00, and luncheon was served at noon. Many beautiful gifts were received by the birthday girl, and she was very happy to receive the gifts of her friends. Mrs. J. C. Mann Jr., James Smith, Raymond Gaines, Laura Pattillo and Henry Helgertson.

YOUNG UNMARRIED FOLKS TO ORGANIZE B. Y. P. U. SUNDAY

Mrs. Homer McGregor, director of young people's work in the First Baptist church, announces that a young B. Y. P. U. for unmarried people from 20 to 30 years of age will be organized Sunday evening at the church at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the organization is to give the young people a chance to meet and get acquainted with one another.

WOODMAN CIRCLE HAS A MEETING ON WEDNESDAY

The Woodman Circle, group 1887, held a regular business session Wednesday with a number of members present. One new officer was installed and one application was accepted. A social hour was then enjoyed followed by a course of brick tea cream and cake. A special invitation was extended to all members to attend the meetings regularly.

BARWISE BROTHERS HONOR MRS. BLACKWELL THURSDAY

The Barwise Mother's club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Blackwell, Virginia street in honor of the birthday of Mrs. M. B. Blackwell, club president. A number of gifts were received by the honoree. White ribbon badges on which were printed "Vote for Mayfield" were given to each guest of the hostess. After a social hour, lunch was served to Mesdames W. L. Nelson, R. L. Delemater, Henry Brodthorn, R. M. Blackwell, R. J. Ireland, F. J. Angel, Tom Hatchless, L. W. Abby, and C. Ballard.

MR. AND MRS. S. H. WARD OF ALVORD ARE HOUSE GUESTS OF MR. AND MRS. R. D. SARTIA

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS HOW DUCKBILL GOT JEALOUS

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YOUTHFUL HIGH DIVER



CHARLES VEROS

The Wichita grown-ups who think they know how to swim and dive have lost their souls to a sixteen year old boy, Charles Veros, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Veros, 1604 Tilden. Charles just celebrated his eighth birthday on the 12th of July. While he has been going to the water since he was two years old, he began to swim only a little over a year ago; yet he does everything the grown folks do and beats them at it. To see him dive 20 or 30 feet, one can scarcely realize that he did his first high diving this summer.

DEBUT BRIDE HONORED

Complimenting Mrs. C. J. Smith, a bride of less than a week, Mrs. H. A. Withers entertained with a surprise shower at her home Wednesday afternoon from 4:30 to 6. The house was attractive in a color scheme of pink and white. Special musical features of the occasion were provided by Misses Dorothy Stanberry and Ida Mary Taylor and a violin solo by Miss Blanche Beckner.

MRS. BROWN HOSTESS B. B. CLUB IN HONOR OF GUEST

Honoring her sister, Mrs. Frank Goets of Abilene, Mrs. A. E. Brown entertained the B. B. Club Friday at a 12 o'clock dinner. Covers were laid for nine, and a six course dinner was served. The guests then enjoyed a social hour, while they enjoyed the afternoon tea.

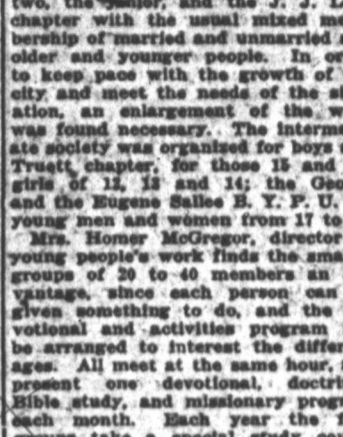
THE FAIRY QUEEN

The Fairy Queen had just told Nancy and Nick that Flip-Doodle, the purple fairy who flew with his ears, had stolen her magic wand. And Nancy and Nick had offered to hunt it for her. "Do you know where he went?" asked Nancy. "No, I don't," answered the Queen. "That's the trouble, Flip-Doodle, he's able to fly so well and everything doesn't have all his hiding holes on this earth. He lives on a star called Tinkly-Winkly, and it's as full of hiding holes as a cream-puff."

BAPTISTS TO ORGANIZE SIXTH B. Y. P. U. SUNDAY

The B. Y. P. U. which will be organized Sunday evening at 8 o'clock for young unmarried people from 20 to 30 years of age, will be the sixth Young People's Union at the First Baptist church. Four of them are seniors, and the other two are junior and intermediate.

HERE'S HOW MARGARET PETIT GAINED HER FAMOUS GRACE



DANCING DRESS

DEEP BREATHING NECESSARY

EXERCISE EVERY MORNING

(This is the fifth of a series of articles on beauty written for the Wichita Daily Times by six celebrated stage beauties. Today Margaret Petit, who originated many of the dances of "Pin Wheel Revue," tells of the beauty of grace.)

HEALTH CENTER NORTH SIDE THURSDAY 9 TO 12

Miss Mary Quinn announces the regular monthly Red Church health center for the North Side, district for Thursday, August 17, from 9 to 12 at the community house, and ask mothers to bring their babies.

LAMAR BAPTIST WOMEN MEET ALL DAY MONDAY

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church meet at the church Monday in an all day session, all the circles being present. The morning was spent in sewing, and in the afternoon a social hour was held.

SHOWER SURPRISE FOR MRS. FOGLE THURSDAY

Complimenting Mrs. Gerald A. Fogle, Mrs. H. D. Pritchard entertained with a surprise shower at her home, 1300 Monroe, Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The gifts were lowered from the ceiling with ropes, and the honoree was seated in the chair of honor, decorated in a color scheme of pink.

LAFY A LOT CLUB PLAYS BRIDGE FRIDAY MORNING

Mrs. O. W. Wilson was hostess to the Laff a Lot Bridge club at her home on Austin Friday morning. There were about 15 players. Mrs. L. E. Stewart won high score for the members and Mrs. Homer Sanderford for the guests and each was presented with a trophy. Mrs. C. C. Rader was low member and Mrs. Tom Fulton low guest, and they were consoled with novelty bridge pads. At the close of the game the hostess served a delightful course. The favors were novelty fans in many hues, and each guest received a fan to match the dress.

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Mrs. J. T. Abbott will leave Thursday for Elicho to spend several days with Mrs. J. B. Withers.

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Mrs. J. B. Collier of Waco spent several days as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Collier, 2414 Ninth street, in visit to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Walter Rawlins, 466 Denver avenue.

MISS ELISE O'NEILL OF VERNON ARRIVED FRIDAY TO VISIT MISS LURLINE TURNER

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Mr. Florence B. Harris of the Goodfriend Grocery company left Saturday for points in Colorado to appeal her vacation. Miss Bessie Han Copeland visit at Amarillo Saturday night.

MISS GRACE AND MARGARET HAYSLIP LEFT SATURDAY FOR A VACATION TRIP TO LAMPAUNA AND CORPUS CHRISTI

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You all know the story we used to tell in the year... the story of the visitor in the white of the violently insane. The visitor says to the guard: "Aren't you afraid all these crazy men may hurt you some day?" "Oh, I'm stronger than the strongest of them," says the guard.



KATHLEEN NORRIS SAYS

Now, for example, let us suppose a community where the business of all the women took them away from home for eight or ten hours every day, and where the men had letters day to take care of the cows and the horses.

No man would spend his life alone, tied to a gas stove and to two restless, captive babies. He would combine with other women...

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But in actual fact no man would ever conduct their business that way. Granted that the stock was plentiful, still the men would have to be three trustworthy members of their number, build a large hay barn, a large sleeping shed, fence off a few acres, turn the stock in together, and be free—70 per cent of them—to go on about other matters.

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Do you suppose for one instant that if 100 men had—let's say (in this baby-poor nation) 150 children to raise, that they would have 100 husbands, 100 dining rooms, 100 bedrooms and parlors and play rooms, 100 bath rooms, and 100 solitary, imprisoned guardians of these children?

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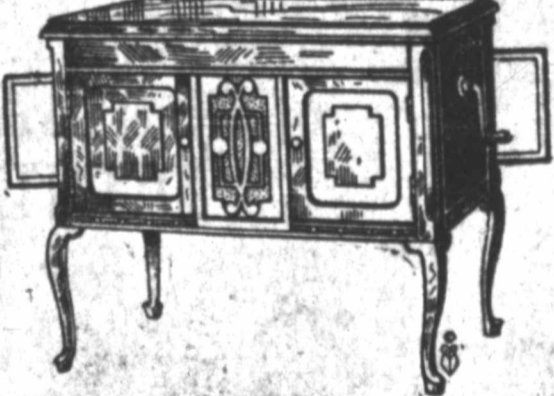
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During the sweltering, stifling torrid heat of July, Wichita Falls and vicinity arid for ice. Three local ice plants supplied the demand by operating day and night and by drawing on a large storage plant that had been filled during the winter months.

These figures are large but the amount of ice that is consumed here when figures are juggled around and fitted into something more practical and real.

ASPIRIN Bayer logo and text: "Say 'Bayer' and Insist! No one waits till FALL HAT fall to get a"

DO YOU KNOW Who tied the can to the old dog's tail? Hear this Columbia record and find out. The Columbia Shoppe BEN P. PROCTOR Owl Drug Store Ninth and Indiana

building located at Eighth and Scott streets.

It requires 244,928 blocks of ice to supply Wichita Falls during the four months. If these blocks of ice were laid end to end they would reach from Wichita Falls to Electra over five times.

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SOCIETY NEWS FROM THE NEARBY NORTHWEST TEXAS TOWNS

Henrietta

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Internal Dance.

The following attended an informal dance at the home of Mrs. Brown at his home Friday evening: Messes Martha Edwards, Louise Allen, Tenna May Kerr, Lorena Proctor of Chickasha, Okla., Dovie Kelsey, Nell Brown; Messrs. Frank Layton, Herbert Cunningham, Jack Hassell, Amanda Drobbs, Tommie Sawyer, W. T. Hines, Claude Gates and Payton Farham.

Sunday School Class Party.

Last Monday night the ladies in Mrs. T. K. Jones' Sunday school class entertained with a party on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Joe Douthett. Sixty-one members of the class had drawn another member's name and had done three acts of kindness for the person whose name had been drawn. Names and kind deeds were related on this occasion. Afterward a regular picnic luncheon with ice tea, ice cream and cake was served to the following class members and guests: Rev. and Mrs. Guy Jones, E. H. Marchant, W. McDonald and children, Doris and Dorothy, G. Wayne Barker and daughter, W. K. Millispe, W. H. Richardson and daughter, E. H. Douthett, W. R. H. Weekly and daughter, Lois Smith, of Post, Texas, J. H. Shelton, Young, Rochell, H. C. Brown, O. A. Otwell, P. H. Boddy and son, Macon, Jack Petro, L. E. Murrell, O. T. Liles, Joe Douthett, L. K. Jones, Richardson, L. H. Thaxton, George Cunningham, J. J. Granger, Leslie Bramer, J. E. Moffett, Bradley, Misses Eva Lester, Naomi Bradley, Mary Sartell, Messrs. Fonso, Greer and Bruce Palmer, Rev. F. H. Crutchfield of Dallas, and Mrs. J. W. W. King, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Douglas and family, Miss Ida Pearl Gill of Fort Worth. Music was furnished by the Sunday school orchestra.

Christian Endeavor Swimming Party.

A Christian Endeavor swimming party was given at the Wortham pool last Friday evening. After enjoyable water sports were enjoyed by the following: Misses Virginia Van Houten, Catherine Carrow, Lois Mangum, Elizabeth Dodds, Dorothy Dale, Maurice Mohart, Nora Richards, Nell Bates, Beulah Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Slagle, Mrs. W. L. Mount, Messrs. Cleburn Dooley, Raymond J. Hughes, Pierce Stine and Clarence Wood.

Younger Crowd Enjoys Swim.

The following young couples enjoyed a picnic lunch and swim at the Wortham pool Thursday evening: Messes Marion Allen, Fay Patterson, Herriette Green, Lois Mangum, Margaret Suddath, Georgia Mayers of Fort Worth, Lillian Howard, Nellie Green, Messrs. Charlie Allen, Harold Younger, Thomas and Lawrence Dawson, Clyde Suddath, Pierce Stine, Henry Edwards, Charlie Percifield, Lee Wells and Miss Winnie Allen.

Personals.

Mrs. Albert Greer has returned from a month's visit to California and other western points. Mrs. Bert P. Schwenck left Wednesday for Dallas and Pilot Point, where she will visit relatives. Miss Caton Graham has returned from a visit with her aunt in Abilene. Miss Dovie Brown has returned from Boulder, Colo., where she has been the past two months. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pirsons have returned after spending several days here with Mrs. Firestone's mother, Mrs. E. G. Galloway. Mr. Tom Hanagan of Wichita Falls spent the week-end here with relatives. Miss Ida Pearl Gill of Fort Worth is visiting relatives here. Mr. Sam B. Cook of Fort Worth is here for a few days. Messrs. Charles Roundtree of Denver, Colo., and Joe Roundtree of Fort Worth are here at the bedside of their father. Mrs. Jess Shaw has returned from Hereford, where she has been visiting relatives. Mr. Loyd Thompson of Electra is here the guest of his brother, Mr. Arch L. Thompson. Mr. Lon C. Kelley is in Dallas this week. Miss Lumay McGlasson has returned after a three weeks' visit in Dallas, Fort Worth and Mineral Wells. Miss Mary Allison has returned after a week's visit in Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burnades and daughter, Evelyn and Mr. Bill Yeager of Abilene are guests of Mrs. Burnades' mother, Mrs. E. F. Weaver. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gilliland accompanied by Mrs. Gilliland's mother visit to Mr. Gilliland's parents in Alba. Mrs. Frank O. Moore left Tuesday for Dallas where she will meet her sister, Miss Cora Neville, who has been visiting in Hillsboro, the past two weeks. They will attend the style show and fall millinery market for Ye Hat Shoppe before returning. Mrs. West Martin and family were in Bowie the guests of Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tucker. They attended the old soldiers reunion. Miss Edna Berner of the district clerk's office in Wichita Falls spent last week here with her mother, Mrs. L. E. Berner. Last Friday night the American Legion entertained with a watermelon feast at the local hall. Many local and out of town guests attended. Miss Bernice Smith is visiting her sister in Arlington. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holiday and children are spending a week in South Texas. Dr. L. K. Jones has returned from a business trip to Dallas. J. W. Smith, a young man 13 years old, gave a recital at the Baptist church Monday night and one at the Methodist church Wednesday night. This young man, who is totally blind, preached at the Methodist church Sunday and is working to earn the means to attend Southern Methodist university next year to study for the ministry. The recitals are composed of numbers on the piano, saxophone and flute.

Stamford

Miss Mary Thurman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Brown, has returned to her home in Dallas. Miss Catherine Bass, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wayne Barker for the past eight weeks, has returned to her home in Carthage, Mo. Miss Una May Coleman visited friends in Bowie several days this week. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wright of Bellevue were here Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Zoe W. Smith. Mrs. Nell Crutchfield of Dallas, formerly of this place, was here Monday to conduct the funeral services of Mrs. Zoe W. Smith. Mrs. M. R. Smith of Paris is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClure. Mrs. Henley Vaughn and son, Tony Kress, are here visiting relatives. Misses Lois Mangum and Catherine Allen have returned after a week's visit with Miss Elizabeth Wilson in Wichita Falls. Dr. J. H. Williamson spent several days' visit with Miss Elizabeth Wilson in Wichita Falls. Mr. Carl Kerbow is here from Perdue. Mr. Will Kasanek of Dallas is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hubbard of California. He is here visiting his sister, Mrs. J. P. Alcorn. Mr. W. W. King, who has been on a two weeks' visit to his parents in McMinnville, Tenn., has returned. Mr. Will Frank of Petrolia was here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Coleman and son, Mr. Clay Coleman, have returned from where they will visit relatives for a week. Miss Mildred Dickerman of Galveston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh Moore. Miss Mildred Allen has returned from a week's visit to Fort Worth. Miss Lois Mangum visited friends in Wichita Falls the first of the week. Mr. Silvan Schlosberg has returned from a two weeks' stay in San Francisco and other points west. Judge R. E. Taylor has returned from where he will visit relatives for a week. Mrs. Dane Harris is in Medicine Park on her vacation this week. Mrs. Cecil Thomas and children, Mrs. Claude Vaughn and Shelly Lovelace of Electra were here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas of Bellevue visited friends in the city last week-end. Mr. Harry Woodward of Antelope, formerly of this place, was here several days last week.

Seymour

Party Honors Three Guests. Misses Bernice and Ruby Sams of Benjamin, Texas, and Miss Mary Sams of Haskell, Texas were the honor guests at a party given Friday afternoon by their hostesses, Misses Lloyd and Thelma Porter, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Porter. The guests were entertained at bridge with tables arranged for five sets of players in rooms tastefully decorated in baskets of roses, carnations and growing ferns. At the close of the games, a pretty sandwich tray was given to Miss Ruby Sams for high score and consolation was presented to Miss Christine Caldwell for low. The honor guests were complimented with pretty remembrances. Refreshments in picnic style were served, each guest being given a basket which contained an appetizing lunch of olives, sandwiches, salad, potato chips and a tin cup of ice tea was passed. Ice cream was served in small flower pots with angel food cake to Misses Ethel Brittan, Georgia L. England, Neva Merritt, Patsy Lively, Pauline Knox, Lois Daugherty, Grace Brooks Caldwell, Christine Caldwell, Mesdames T. H. Buckley, T. C. England, John H. Henson, H. G. Grossman, Mrs. Geo. Owen of Fort Worth, Texas, Miss Leota Tucker of Wichita Falls, Grace Gorman of Winnebago, Louise Lewis of Dallas, Bernice and Ruby Sams of Benjamin, Mary Smith of Haskell. The hostesses were assisted by their mother, Mrs. C. T. Porter.

Outing on Portwood Ranch.

The following enjoyed an outing on Portwood ranch, the hospitalities beginning at seven Saturday evening and lasting until Monday morning: Capt. and Mrs. A. H. Hunt, Misses Ella Schubert, Ethel Williams and Verie Tarver, Messrs. Robert Jones, Nix, Earl Garrison of Dallas, Josiah Easley, Ellis Breedlove and Schubert Breedlove.

Wichita Dam Visitors.

Messrs. Herbert M. Church, R. K. Trigg and H. L. Crowe of the Wichita dam were guests of Capt. and Mrs. A. H. Hunt Tuesday.

Enjoy a Swim.

Misses Lucille Rupe, Hattie White, Ines Francis, Thelma Dickson, Elizabeth Bell, Olive Jane Rupe and Mrs. C. E. Hays enjoyed a happy swim and swim at the pool Tuesday afternoon.

Watermelon Feast.

Miss Ruth Morris' home guest of Miss Anna Briggs, was delightfully entertained at the park last Wednesday evening at a swim and watermelon feast with Mrs. Newell Fink as hostess. After a splash in the pool the young people were invited to a table in the park where the hostess served iced watermelon to Messrs. Billie McFarther, Daley Baakin, Ruth Morris, Anna Briggs, Messrs. Claude Rusey, J. E. Wren, Ernest Doss, P. Mickey, Lee Morris and Mrs. L. Briggs.

Family Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Rhea were host and hostess at a family dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Rhea's sister, Mrs. L. Williams of Lubbock. The following relatives were present: Messrs. and Mesdames H. H. Fink and J. J. Causey, Charlie Peak, B. K. Rhea, Mrs. L. Williams of Lubbock, Messrs. Claude Ray and Lester Southworth of Itasca, cousins of Mr. Rhea.

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Miss Ruth Morris of Austin, who has been spending her vacation with her brother, Guy Morris at his home at Richland community, is a guest of Miss Anna Briggs this week. Mrs. C. Davidson is gradually improving from her illness. Miss Bernice Puyler of Jacksonville, Texas, who is a house guest and niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams, went to Dandee Wednesday, where she was met by her cousin, Mr. Charles Williams, and will spend a few days on the Williams ranch. Mr. Y. P. Yarbough has returned from a business trip in Belton, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Fisher, Messrs. Billie Mae Fancher, Edna Fancher, Florence Britton, Mrs. and Mrs. Horace Lanford and Zona Caldwell returned Friday afternoon from Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. Ector Lanford and children, Jack and Pat, left Wednesday morning for Colorado. Judge J. H. Milam is improving rapidly and is able to be in court house for an hour or so each morning. Mrs. V. T. Sobo of Stamford is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Y. P. Yarbough. Superbly satisfactory spectacle service supplied by Fred Goss, optometrist, with Kruger Jewelry Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. Advertisement.

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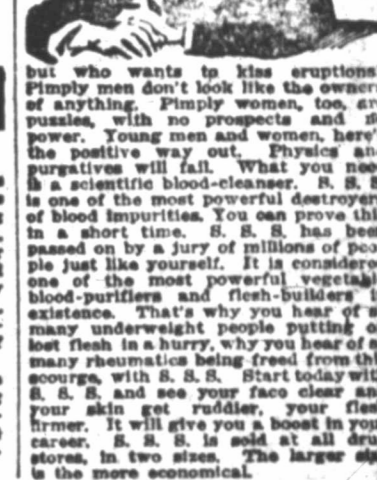
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Pimples Keep Young Men Down!

They Make Women, Too, a Pained How S. S. S. Stops Skin Eruptions Positively.

Pimples and skin eruptions have a price—you pay for worse, not so good. Pimples produce pus and prevent prosperity. Your heart may be gold, but who wants to kiss eruptions? Pimples don't look like the owners of the face. They are ugly, they are painful, with no prospect and no power. Young men and women, here's the positive way out. Pimples and eruptions will fall. What you need is a scientific blood-cleanser. S. S. S. is one of the most powerful destroyers of blood impurities. You can prove this in a short time. S. S. S. has been used on by a jury of millions of people just like yourself. It is considered one of the most powerful blood-purifiers and flesh-builders in existence. That's why you hear of so many rheumatics being freed from this scourge, why S. S. S. Start today with S. S. S. and see your face clear and your skin get redder, your flesh firmer. It will give you a boost in your career. S. S. S. is sold at all drug stores, in two sizes. The larger size is the more economical.



GIRLS! LEMONS BLEACH THE SKIN

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 quarter pint of harmless and delightful lemon bleach. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day, then shortly note the beauty and whiteness of your skin. Famous stage beauties use this lemon lotion to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rosy-white complexion, also as a freckle, sunburn, and skin bleach because it doesn't irritate—adv.

Super Values in Summer Frocks

Sale groups that present values that are truly exceptional are offered here Monday. Garments from the higher priced groups have been added to the groups mentioned below. See them Monday on the second floor.

Group 1 - \$9.95 Group 2 - \$12.95

Organdy, Voiles, Dotted Swiss, Linen and ratine are shown in a variety of summer styles of exceeding attractiveness.

New Dresses For Stout Women

Just received a large collection of dresses specially designed for women of stout figure. Sizes from 38 1/2 to 46 1/2. New, fresh summer styles and very specially priced at

\$8.95

Fancy Voiles, French Gingham and Tissue Gingham in a variety of light shades and pleasing patterns. Trimmed in Organdy ruffling and lace net, collars on some.

Summer Styles in Women's White Shoes Formerly up to \$11

\$4.85



Get the little fellows some of these Wash Suits to finish the season. The styles are attractive, the fabrics are durable and the prices are very sharply reduced now for clearance.

\$8.50 Wash Suits on sale at \$6.35 \$4.50 Wash Suits on sale at \$3.85 \$3.50 Wash Suits on sale at \$2.85

Clearance of Plain and Fancy Organdy Monday

98c



One of the Best Equipped Schools in the South

A campus of forty-three beautiful acres, covered with a multitude of wild flowers, vines, shrubs and trees made ultra-beautiful by the work of landscape gardeners, situated on high crest overlooking picturesque San Marcos, is ideally improved with large, handsome modern buildings finely equipped for the school's every need. Every modern convenience, many titillation and sanitary features. Rooms with private baths, completely equipped libraries, beautiful parlors, attractive club rooms, gymnasium, swimming pool and athletic fields. Large and complete faculty of highly trained, Christian men and women. Full affiliation. The ideal school for boys and girls of all ages.

Haskell

Miss Elizabeth Baldwin assisted by Miss Mabel Baldwin, entertained with a dinner party Friday evening...

Left Monday for Christoval to attend the Baptist encampment. Charles Terrill of Ranger spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Francis Terrill...

Bowie News

Despite the warm weather Good Luck has been the center of many pleasant outings this week. One of the most pleasant being the chicken barbecue given Tuesday evening by the Males' and Males' club...

Seymour

Special Items

Young Visitors in Seymour. Seymour is getting to be a regular summer resort for the younger people since she has her large pool, park and camping house...

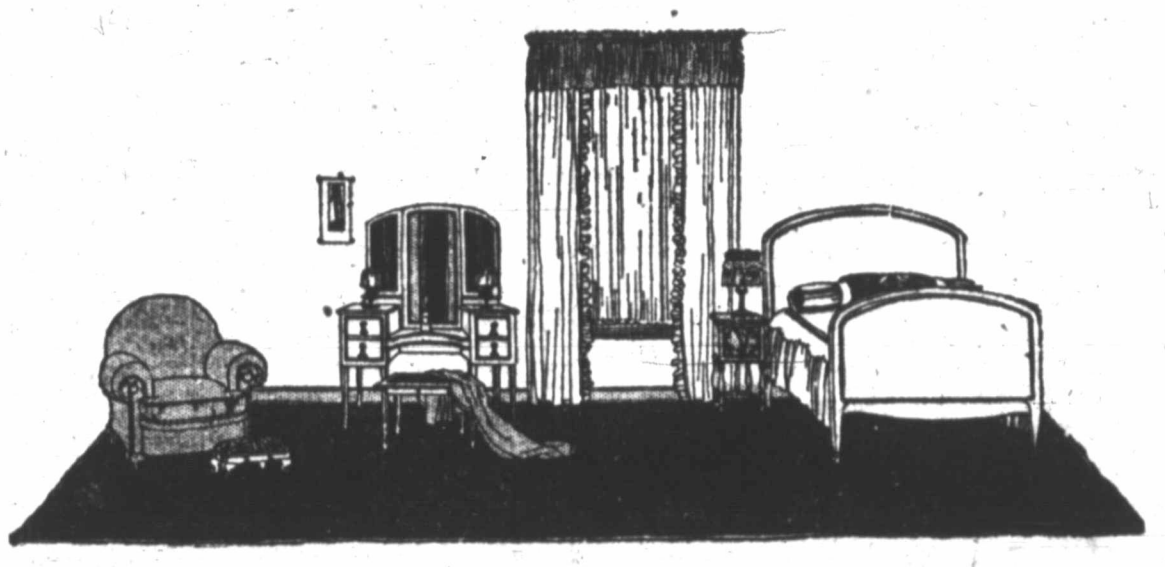
Members of the Baptist ladies aid and the T. E. L. class gave a delightful picnic honoring their husbands and friends Friday evening at Hemphill lake...

daughter, Mrs. Geo. Owen, Fort Worth, Texas. The party was composed mostly of Benjamin, Texas, guests as follows: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Burnett, Bobbie and Bruce Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Driver and son, Billie Jay, Mrs. John Atterbury and daughter, Valerie, Mrs. D. Beavers and Doris Beavers, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Jones and Miss Zona House...

Thursday evening at the city park. After spending an hour or more in the water the guests were invited to the park grounds where a beautiful picnic luncheon was being prepared on the Dutch oven...

MILK BREAD. Fresh Twice a Day. 3 for 25c. Busy Bee Fruit Store. SAUL'S OLD STAND

KLEARFLAX ALL LINEN RUGS



PURE LINEN for the FLOOR

All housewives recognize the beauty and excellent wearing qualities of linen. The manufacturers of Klearflax Linen Rugs have been the first to introduce its use in floor coverings...

MOTH PROOF—Klearflax rugs are moth proof. There is no danger whatever from moths where linen Rugs are used.

BURN PROOF—How often one sees burned spots on wool rugs where matches have been carelessly thrown. The hard twisted strands of linen resist fire to such a degree that a lighted match dropped on its surface leaves no traces of burning.

HARMONY OF COLORS—The plain but delicate shades in which Klearflax rugs are made, fit in admirably with any decorative plan.

WONDERFUL WEARING QUALITIES

Klearflax' greatest advantage lies in the wearing qualities. The strong fibre of pure linen actually improves with ordinary use.

- 6 x 9 Size \$25.00
8 x 10 Size \$37.50
9 x 12 Size \$47.50

Klearflax are made in all colors, blue taupe, rose, green, grey or mulberry. Once you become acquainted with the merits of Klearflax floor coverings you will want them on your floors.

North Texas Furniture COMPLETE HOME FURNISHERS



It's Delightful. Our Pastry is the Life of the Party. Cream Bakery. 617 Seventh St.

if you serve our pastry to your guests they will say that it's delightful. It will help you entertain them. If you've never tried it you're sorry that you didn't try it sooner.

Swimming Party. F. T. Sanders and O. E. Patterson took the members of F. T. Sanders Sunday school class for a swim and picnic Tuesday evening. The following boys were present: Walter Sutherland, Tommy and Billy Patterson, Alvin Baker, Jewell Baker, Barton Welch, Lewis Smith, Jerry Ibr, William Kimbrough, Spencer Ibr, Jerome Roy and Wallace Sanders...

Barbecue Supper. A chicken barbecue was enjoyed by a number of couples on last Friday night. Mrs. T. C. McCormick of Austin, and Misses and Mesdames Ut and Steiler of Nocona were the honor guests. The following were in the party: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Benson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Donald, Misses Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Donald, Mr. and Mrs. David Warren, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ott, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Steiler, Mrs. T. C. McCormick and Charles, Miss Ball, and Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Wright...

It Started Something. "I have not said anything to you, but have been saying to others and have induced many to take your medicine and be convinced. May's Wonderful Remedy is correctly named. It removed stuff from me I never thought could be in a human being and I feel like a different person. The pain in my right side disappeared at once, which four doctors said would require an operation; also the bloating and indigestion." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince at Buason, Texas. Taylor and druggists everywhere.—adv.

Miss Edna Ayres returned today to Breckenridge after a visit with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Reid and children visited relatives in Fort Worth, a few days ago. Mr. and Mrs. Osman Lackie of Fort Worth, visited Mrs. S. M. Coffman this week. Mrs. Robert of Waxahatchie is in the city to visit her sister, Mrs. J. M. Elliott. Miss Vivian Hutchinson returned Monday morning from a visit to Fort Worth and Ennis. Geo. Hoeldtke of the Perndale Creamery made a business visit to Wichita Falls Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Oscar Atkinson of Durant, Okla., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Roscoe, and sister, Mrs. J. A. Gray, near Brushy. Mrs. R. H. Womack, who has been visiting her parents here for several weeks, left this week for her home in Breckenridge, Texas. S. C. Littlepage of Silsbee, Texas, a brother of the editor of the Bowie Blade, came in Thursday morning for a few days visit. Mrs. Jno. Speer and family of Denton were visitors in the city last week and were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Allen, Mrs. Speer's parents. E. C. Harrah and family of Douglas, Kan., brother-in-law of Fred Fair, were here the first of the week. He was en route to Wyoming, where he will take the chair if zoology in the state university. C. W. Brown of Dallas, arrived in the city the first of the week to visit at the home of Sam Young. Mrs. Brown, a daughter of Mr. Young, has been here several days at the bedside of her mother, who is very sick. Sam Coffman went to Fort Worth the first of the week where he purchased a Curtis airplane. He drove the machine home Wednesday and states that the roads are much better for an airplane between Decatur and Sallis than for an automobile. Misses Myrtle and Pearl Precious of Boston, are visiting relatives in Bowie this week. These young ladies were formerly of Fort Worth and have been attending school in Boston. They are now on their way to Northern India for a five-year period of missionary work as teachers and nurses, sent out by the Methodist Women's Missionary society. Mrs. Lee Reynolds of Lawton, is here to visit the family of her brother, Womack Whitman. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jasper of Wichita Falls were visiting friends and relatives in the city this week. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wilson of Wichita Falls visited their children near Bowie from Saturday until Wednesday. Frank Kerr returned last Saturday...

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PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE COMPANY UNINCORPORATED

MODES of the Moment

Showing the Newest Apparel in Our Second Floor Garment Salons, Monday

A GOG with more than a larger interest than usual, Fashion authorities have launched the new things for Fall. Weeks ago all eyes were turned toward Paris, the mecca of the fashion world.



NEW THINGS ARRIVE IN A BLAZE OF COLOR

'What's new?' is the question in every woman's mind. She wants to know what "they" are going to wear this Fall. New materials, new fabrics, new style influences are vital, interesting bits of news.

SUITS—

Smartly Embroidered

Fashion turns a bright spotlight on her suits. Three-piece Costume Tailleur in maroon or kasha are gorgeously banded in fur, intricate traceries of bonnaz stitching or rich embroideries that glint with metal.

WRAPS—

Sumptuous—Graceful

Wraps favor the straight-line silhouette. Again we have the Russian side-closing—the slight blouse in back—the dropped waistline—panels of the material, or gorgeous embroideries.

FALL FROCKS

Inspired by Both the Orient and Occident To the courts of oriental princes designers have gone for frock inspiration. Soft draped lines are paramount in styles that have long skirts trending strongly toward classic drapery or circular lines.

Featuring Newest Fall Dresses at \$23.75

A wonderful specialization of Fall Frocks in Poiret twills, tricotine canton crepe, crepe satin, crepe de chine, in navy browns and blacks, exquisitely trimmed in braid, beads and colored embroidery. These dresses featured at \$23.75.

COUTURIERES have blended with consummate skill their own latest style trends with the Mode Egyptian—Russian—Grecian—far Eastern. Thus we have the draped frock with leger skirt that has the Russian side-closing ornamented by a single huge trimming motif—a Egyptian headdress—a Russian turban—a classic frock with looped-up ponceau wrap with mandarin sleeves.

EXTRAORDINARY FINAL CLEARANCE OF ALL SUMMER DRESS GOODS

Lovely Voiles, Batistes, and Swisses

August Clearance—Silks

Very Specially Priced in This August Clearance

Imported Dotted Swiss—Good range of colors, 31-in. width, \$1.95 value. August sale, yard 75¢

Printed Crepe de Chine—40-inch width, all silk, excellent range of patterns. Regular price \$2.39. August sale, yard \$1.95

Wonderful Values in the Wash Goods Section

Beach Cloth—34 inches wide, blue, tan, orchid and rose, 35¢ value 25¢

August Sale of Bedspreads

Colored Ripplette Bedspreads—72x90. Colors: blue, pink and yellow, \$3.50 value. August sale \$2.59

August Sale of Draperies

Printed Cretonnes, Silkolines and Challies

Excellent Patterns for Comfort—Former price 25¢. August sale, yard 17 1-2¢

Intimations of the Autumn Mode

PARIS

seems to have frankly gone over to Mid-Victorianism, alas! For she's making skirts longer and longer. Instead of discreetly covering the knee, they now, in very discreet cases cover ankles, too.

FALL

makes the color card browner, for wood browns are the most important colorings. Fashion decrees for the new season. The gold-tans and browns, bronze, copper, caramel, leather, toast, muffin, and sumac are just a few of the brown family presented.

AGAIN SLEEVES

are the little bolshievists of the Fall Fashion campaign. But you'd hardly expect bolshievism to attack the bishop sleeve. Nevertheless it has, and bishops sleeves—very fashionable—start four inches below the waist and go right out to the wrist, with a fitted portion under the arm, the sleeves tightly banded at the wrist.

METAL

metal, everywhere, and not a bit to spare in the slogan for trimmings—charm in metaline fabrics. Aluminum trimmings, intriguing affairs for the most part, kitchen pans—and exquisitely perfect copies of ancient Egyptian and Russian motifs done in antique gold or other metal are rampant on things Fall-ish.

PITY POOR CLEOPATRA

—the asp ended everything for her! Even a glimpse at a thrilling Sphinx logo of black hat's plush with flat ear tabs and trimmings of dull gold agrates, studded with jewels—said agrates being much like long, wide bar pins. They're Egyptian, too, you know—so are far removed from anything so modern as a pin.

your frock or suit closes at one side, it's Russian—if it closes directly in front with a single big cabochon, it's strictly up to date. So watch your Frock—observe the way the heretofore innocent closing has managed to become almost as important as—shall we say, diet or death!

VERY CHIC

was one ensemble occasioned by the French races. It was noted the smart Parisienne wore gauntlet gloves with her sleeveless frock. So—the Fall vogue for gauntlet gloves is emphatic. Bude or glove kid ones have applique cuffs of contrast colored leathers—some very extreme novelty has a cameo on the cuff.

NEW FABRICS are fascinating

These are new weaves and new weaves, and old weaves in new versions and the result is one that makes the buying of Autumn clothes delightful.

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

JUNE PRODUCTION 170 PER CENT MORE THAN IN JUNE, 1921

One of the most striking developments in the automotive field this spring is recorded in production figures shown by the Willys-Overland company.

The total production of all cars for the first six months of 1922 is estimated at 1,177,000 cars. Figures of car load, boat and drive away shipments indicate an increase of approximately 75 per cent over the first six months of 1921. The total production of all cars for June was 238,000, 61 per cent more than June, 1921.

Willys-Overland, which has now reached a production of 700 cars per day, produced in June more than 170 more cars than in June, 1921. The increase of Willys-Overland production for the first six months was 173 per cent over the first six months of 1921. This increase is almost equally proportioned among Overland and Willys-Knight cars.

The remarkable increase in the popularity of the low-priced economical Overland is shown in the fact that production for the first six months of 1922 was 176 per cent over the same months of the year before.

Production of Willys-Knight cars for the same period was 163 per cent over the same months of last year.

Total shipments of Overland and Willys-Knight cars for the first six months of 1922 lacked only 112 cars of being equal to the entire shipments for the entire year of 1921.

Furthermore, a recent canvass of Willys-Overland company dealer requirements for the third quarter indicates a continuance of similar demand.

The Willys-Overland dealer organization, which has grown greatly during the past year, reports a shortage of cars at every point in the United States, and the total aggregate of the waiting list for used Willys-Knight cars in dealer's estimations all over the country is understood to amount to several thousand cars.

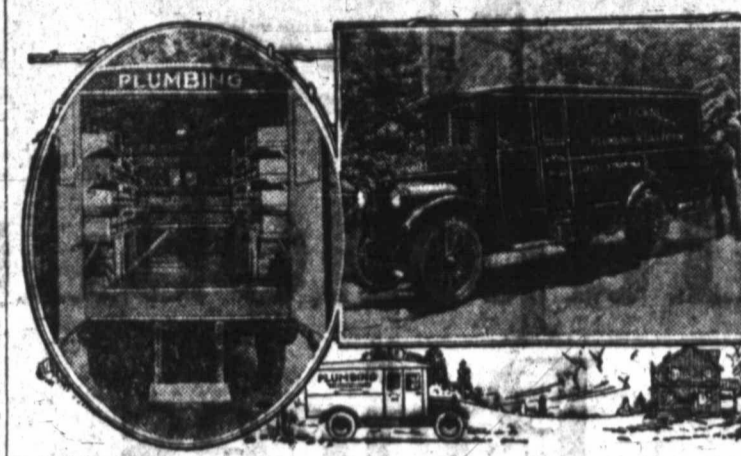
MANY ORDERS RECEIVED FOR SUNLITE BATTERY

Production has started in earnest at the plant of the Sunlite Battery Co., F. M. Holmes, the inventor of this new type of dry storage battery, reports that orders are coming in steadily and he fully expects that once the many advantages of the product are realized that the capacity of the present plant will have to be materially increased.

The Sunlite battery is guaranteed for three years service and is likely to last considerably longer than that, according to Mr. Holmes.

A Milwaukee power concern has 18 motor buses feeding its car lines.

SPEED WAGON SERVES AS A PLUMBING SHOP



"One of the most unusual services which is being rendered by a Red speed wagon is that of a traveling plumbing shop," according to Mr. Fritz of the Fritz Motor company, who has just received a description of the unique body which has been mounted on a speed wagon chassis by P. B. Cornell of Kansas City.

"Mr. Cornell's idea was to give the people the advantage of service without waiting time in going back and forth to his shop for material, which is as you know, always charged up to the customer," says Mr. Fritz.

Among the Dealers

Arthur Huff reports the following Oakland and Jordan deliveries: Oakland touring to A. T. Fingree of Dallas; Oakland touring to Mrs. R. F. Green of El Paso; Oakland touring to H. D. Poney of Petrolia; Oakland touring to W. R. Stromquist; Oakland touring to Julius Thomas; Oakland coupe to J. G. L. Howard; five passenger sedan to Dr. J. Graves of El Paso.

J. B. Downey, state representative for the Mac-Dry battery reports that sales of his product are increasing daily. The way the battery has established itself in the short time it has been here is very pleasing to Mr. Downey.

We believe that Harold Keim is going to be a chip off the old block when it comes to selling cars. Walter Daugherty is teaching him some of the tricks of the trade and Harold has already closed two deals just to show that he can do it.

A. L. Weisenborn is out of town taking a well earned vacation.

Captain Langford unloaded a carload of Lincolns on Thursday. Needless to say the shipment was more than welcome.

L. O. Brown left Saturday for a short vacation trip to Galveston.

L. G. Brown announces that B. C. Cochran, formerly of the Cochran operation is in the country.

NO TENTS NOR MAPS NEEDED IN FUTURE TOURING

When you go on a long distance tour, in the future, you will have no need of camping equipment or other luggage you think of taking along today. In fact, even road maps will no longer be essential to a trip.

This almost ideal state of motoring is made possible by steps that are being taken in the west to help the motor tourist in his travels.

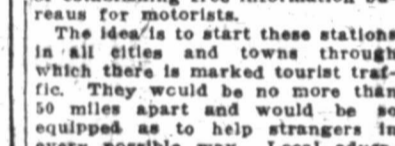
From the Pacific coast comes the news that a combination of California, Washington and Oregon capital has been made for the erection of motor hotels that would furnish the motorist with the most comfortable and convenient accommodations possible. At the same time, another plan is being developed for the institution of free motor information bureaus at every important point in the country.

Architects' plans for the motor hotels have already been drawn and arrangements have been made for the erection of the first of these in Sacramento, Cal. Others will follow in important cities along the coast.

The hotels will be called Rodomes. The main building will be in the form of a square built on a four-acre plot. It will be of the one-story bungalow type, divided into apartments with adjoining garages. In the center court will be a building for a general store, another for the sale of delicatessen, another for motor equipment and accessories. At other points in the court will be shops for the repair and cleaning of cars.

Low Oil Warning

When the oil is low your horn honks. When you fill it to capacity a dashboard light winks at you. That's the idea of a new invention to keep tabs on the oil supply. A mechanism, as shown, is set in the crank case and acts as an oil level indicator. By electrical connections the horn is honked when the float drops and closes a contact, or the light blinks when the float rises until it closes another contact.



There are 103 automobile factories in operation in this country.

NEW ELECTRA BUILDING IS WELL UNDER WAY

L. M. Crago, general manager of McFall Brothers, Dodge Brothers dealers in this territory, reports that the construction of the building in El Centro which is to house the Electra branch, is well under way. The building is located on the corner of Main and Waggoner streets, at the heart of the business section.

The new branch is to be a complete sales and service unit, carrying a complete stock of parts and will render Dodge Brothers owners a complete and efficient service. As Mr. Crago points out, it is another demonstration of the care exercised by McFall Brothers in looking after the interests of owners. There are several hundred Dodge Brothers cars in the vicinity of the Electra oil field.

LITTLE POSSIBILITY OF SHORTAGE

There should be no alarm whatever over the possibility of there being a gas shortage within our memory, if some facts and figures gathered by Firestone experts are to be relied upon.

According to what the men say, chemists and others are at work on development of motive fuel from a dozen different substances, the

ordinary straw. Apart from all this, kerosene and gasoline will last as long as wood and coal exist. Shaline, obtained from the shale fields of Colorado, is said to offer one of the best substitutes for gas yet known and there appears to be almost an endless supply of this.

Never turn off the ignition on a hill or the car will drag the engine. Don't blame the tires if you slide after jamming the throttle too soon. "Be a good fellow," says the wheel. "Keep cool," says the fan.

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THE MOTORISTS' PROBLEMS

By WILLIAM H. STEWART, JR.

Motor Department: I have a 1917 model Buick. When I start the engine, the water pump does not circulate fast enough or the cooling efficiency of the radiator has been reduced. This may be due to a thick coating on the inner walls of the radiator or possibly a section of the radiator is not functioning. After checking up the timing, carburetor adjustment and the lubrication, you still have trouble, then would suggest that you have the radiator thoroughly overhauled.

Motor Department: My engine will not throttle down properly when I release the accelerator pedal and I have to hook my toe under it to prevent the engine from racing. I am afraid to experiment for fear of making matters worse and my instructor book does not help me. What would you advise?—OWNER.

Motor Department: In one of your recent issues you answer, in part, a query as follows: The term "back-firing" is also applied to an engine piston occurring in the cylinder during the inlet stroke of piston. This would ignite the gas in the intake manifold and mixing chamber of the carburetor. Should gas be near the carburetor it may cause a serious fire. What is the cause of above and remedy?—S. N.

Motor Department: Recently I purchased a new six-cylinder car equipped before two of the connecting rod bearings burned out and three of the cylinders scored. In taking the engine apart I found that there was a great amount of foreign matter in the crank case. There seemed to be plenty of oil, and I cannot get the trouble except the dirt caused the parts to score. Do you think this possible?—READER.

Motor Department: I have a Metz speedster 1913 with a Buick rear end (planetary transmission) and am having trouble with the engine overheating. The engine is featureless, but I have put one on (eight blades) but still it overheats. Have cleaned out the radiator with salt soda, but that didn't help, only some of the tubes in the radiator and they did not seem to be plugged up. The mixture in the carburetor is all right. The engine has lots of power, provided the oil pump was functioning properly. You had better examine the oil pump carefully. It may not be working.

Motor Department: The valve action of my Buick has become sluggish, the valves sticking, with the result that the motor does not respond quickly or run as well as when new. Kindly advise how I may overcome this trouble.—R. S.

Motor Department: In overhauling my Ford I find that I cannot remove the rear wheels. I have a good strong wheel puller, but can get no results. Have soaked hub with kerosene, tightened set screw, tapping same with hammer, also tried heater hub with blow torch. Can you advise me the best method?—C. K.

Motor Department: I am constructing an old car and wondered if I could install a worm gear drive. Please let me know how I go about this.—READER.

Motor Department: I have a Stromberg carburetor which leaks at the needle valve. Please let me know how this can be remedied. How can gasoline leaks be stopped at the connecting places?—N. O.

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HELPFUL HINTS.
A light coating of graphite and shellac rubbed over the rim every time a tire is changed will make the process of changing much easier. If time allows remove all rust patches with a file or sandpaper, but in any case do not neglect the graphite. You will be well repaid.
In case of a blowout, examine the tube you are going to use very carefully. If it has had practice on it for several months and gotten oil or grease on it, making a weak spot, which will readily blow out when pumped up. Look especially for worn spots where the tube has been chafed. When spare tube is placed in the car it should be in a bag or have a cloth wrapped around it and be blotted in such a way that it cannot chafe.
The faster a tire travels the more heat it generates internally. Normal speed does not increase the internal heat to a dangerous point, but excess speed will not only raise the heat above the danger point, but may actually cause further vulcanization to take place. This heat not only dries out the friction gum between the piles of fabric, but the very fabric itself, lowering the elasticity of the tire, decreasing its resiliency and weakening the structure so that it will blow out the first excuse.
When examining inside of a casing for a puncture, fabric break or weak spot, most of us try to force the tire apart with both hands, supporting the tire meanwhile upon our shoulders as best we can. This task may be enormously lightened by using a wedge made of a substantial bit of wood three-quarters of an inch thick and three to five inches long, according to the size of the tire. This wedge is slipped between the beads and pulled around the circumference of the casing with one hand, while the other hand is free to hold the tire.
This is the weather when you should not deflate your tires. Most drivers imagine that hot weather and particularly hot sun will cause a dangerous increase in the pressure in the tires, so they let out a little air. This is bad practice as there is no danger of such excess pressure. On the other hand they make the tire too soft, so that it

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SEALED HOOD CAR ON 10,000 MILE TRIP PUSHES ON

Breaking away from the well traveled highways of the eastern states, F. X. Zirbes piloting the "White Straker" Sealed Hood Car No. 1, is now headed south.

Concrete highways and hard gravel roads are only a memory and every indication points to the fact that the real test for this veteran F-50 Mitchell car is still to come.

Zirbes has strapped out for himself an hourly schedule which he had maintained despite every handicap of weather and travel conditions.

From telegraphic reports received daily from Zirbes, the term "Sunny South" is more or less a graceful compliment for rains have been so constant that roads for the most part resemble washed out gullies.

"White Straker" No. 1, is headed for Atlanta, Georgia, and then will swing around in a northwest direction with Pittsburgh as its objective.

"No one need have any fear that No. 1 will not pull through," Zirbes states. "Our car seems to thrive on difficulties and despite worse roads than I have ever experienced in 15 years of professional driving, our motor and chassis is as snug and tight as a clipper ship."

No. 1 has completed approximately 4500 miles and is the center of interest in every town through which it travels.

Sealed Hood Car No. 2, with approximately 2500 miles on the speedometer, has been operating since July 4th in the vicinity of Los Angeles, California.

Flying trips into Death Valley, to the picturesque canyon country and through various difficult mountain passes have constituted the preliminary try-out before taking to the perfect roads which lead along the Pacific coast up into Oregon and Washington.

RIDE IS COMFORTING, SAYS BILLIE



Billie Dove and her new Chandler Six

ROAD IS NOT LOST BECAUSE SURFACE HAS GIVEN AWAY

Robert M. Haig, Ph. D., professor, School of Business, Columbia University, points out in a recent address that a road is not lost—that is to say the investment in the highway—because the surface begins to crumble and the argument that a road should not be built unless it outwears the bond is a fallacy.

This is in line with a recent statement made before a convention of salesmen by a representative of the Firestone ship-by-truck bureau. This expert pointed out that as a matter of fact the important part of a highway was its roadbed. As an illustration he referred to the wonderful Roman roads still existent in parts of England.

These travel routes had been built to last. The Romans had paid particular attention to the road's bed and some of these highways were several feet thick. Of course the surface had disappeared long ago, but the road is still usable because the underbuilding had been made to last.

Well built roads and how they should be well built is of interest to every truck and automobile owner. He pays very large taxes assessed on the basis principally of road maintenance and he should interest himself in seeing that his county commissioners place road work not only with the lowest bidder but with the contractors that thoroughly understand the business of building road beds that will far outlast the surface.

The automotive industry is now third on the list. First comes packing and then the steel industry.

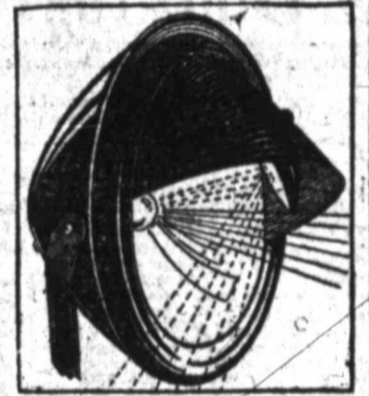
New cars should be driven rather slowly for the first 1,000 miles. Never more than 20 miles per hour.

"A stiff, fast ride in my new Chandler six wipes out that tired feeling after a hard day at the studio," says Billie Dove in the 15 year old movie star, who recently joined the Hollywood colony.

Every day as soon as her work at the studio is finished, Billie jumps into her Chandler and speeds to shore or mountain.

Farm and Factory.
Factory workers in the United States, for the first time, exceed those engaged on the farms, according to statistics compiled by one of the country's large banks. "That," says a Firestone official, commenting upon this startling report, "what with the radio, low priced automobiles and tires and the many other inducements for the farm boy to stay at home, it is likely that this state of affairs will be speedily reversed."

Mirror in Headlight.
A mirror arranged in front of a new form of headlight directs an



upward rays down to the pavement so as to prevent glare. The headlight is a combination of visor and reflecting light intensifier.

It is said that the only Chinese automobile race driver is Jim Chy, a resident of Canton, China.

The Union of South Africa imported 2,125 motor vehicles during the years 1917-1921 inclusive.

Watch for black smoke. Your car's burning oil. You've too much oil aboard or too rich a mixture.

CHICAGO ORDERS \$16,000 WORTH OF NEW BATTERIES

J. B. Downey, state representative for the Mac-Dry battery, received word last week that the Mac-Dry Battery Sales Co., of Chicago, Ill., had placed an order with the factory for 16,000 worth of batteries, a full car load.

Mr. Downey states that this is an example of how this product is sweeping the country. Reports are the same from practically every section of the country.

Right here in this territory Mr. Downey reports that sales are more than satisfactory while word comes from the Lee Tire Sales Co., in Fort Worth, that that city has taken to the Mac-Dry battery in a really phenomenal way.

The product is a new idea in storage battery construction and does away with the annoyance and trouble of the wet cell type.

WEST TEXAS I. O. F. ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN ABILENE NEXT YEAR

ABILENE, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—Abilene was chosen as the 1923 meeting place of the West Texas Odd Fellows Association at the closing business session of the organization at Sweetwater Thursday afternoon. It is stated that there were approximately 225 delegates to the convention at Sweetwater.

The officers elected were: J. M. Simms of Sweetwater, president, succeeded W. A. Prescott of Big Spring; J. J. Allan, Abilene, vice president; W. S. Hamilton, Abilene, secretary.

The Sweetwater lodge won the initiatory degree contest by default, the work being put on in the presence of several visitors. The prize offered was a large west Texas I. O. F. banner.

GAS TRAIL
Extra tires not in use on the car should be stored in a cool, dark, dry place.

A motor bus with a glass inclosed top proved a curiosity in New York recently.

The average life of an automobile in the United States is estimated at five years.

Make sure the jack is secure and in working order before attempting to take off a wheel.

Paris policemen are now provided with motorcycles that can carry four other officers of the law in the side car.

Your earnings count most when you save a part of them systematically, when they make the present more comfortable and the future more secure. The City National Bank of Commerce provides "national bank safety for savings," welcomes them in any amount and pays four per cent interest on them.

TIRE WARRANTY PROVES SAVING TO OWNERS OF AUTOS

For years tire manufacturers were accustomed to see their guarantees sadly misused. Occasions were many of scrap tires picked up and sent in for adjustment. Customers in numbers were accustomed to ask for replacements, taking a chance on getting anything at all.

"Policy" replacements became more and more common, and because of these abuses the careful motorist was penalized in favor of the careless, as of course the tires themselves had to carry this expense.

Wide-awake tire dealers throughout the country have asked repeatedly that mileage guarantees be removed so that competition could be met on the merit of the product handled and not on the basis of unwarranted replacements.

Recently the Tire Manufacturers' Division of the Rubber Association of America took a definite step to abolish the grounds for the replacement abuse. A manufacturer's standard warranty and customer's claim form has been issued with the unanimous approval of all the members of these firms manufacturing more than 90 per cent of the tires produced in this country, and this form will be used by a very great majority of the nation's tire dealers.

A feature of the new arrangement

is that the mileage basis of figuring replacements has been discontinued. A customer in making claim simply gives the facts of the case. It then becomes a matter of deciding whether some defect in manufacturing has developed or whether the tire owner has abused the warranty.

The new arrangement will be felt in lower tire costs and less ill-will because of disputes regarding mileage claims.



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HUPMOBILE PRICES ARE ALSO REDUCED
Word was received at the Eckman Motor company Friday that the prices of all Hupmobile models

are reduced an even hundred dollars.

Mr. Bokman states that at the present price level the Hupmobile stands out prominently as the greatest value in the entire field. The economy and durability of the Hupmobile motor is well known everywhere while the sturdiness of chassis construction and beauty of Hupmobile design is only comparable to cars of much higher price.

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Its superior value is due not only to its unusually low price, but to the genuine economy of its operation and its long-life.

Moreover, the continuous and unwavering performance of this car, at all times and under all conditions, is assured by its special, written, 15,000 mile engine guarantee.

Examine this New Oakland today—Compare it with any other car at anywhere near its price—Its superior value is unmistakably evident. Its high quality remains unchanged.

The New Prices F. O. B. Factory

Roadster	\$975	2 Pass. Coupe	\$1165	Sport Car	\$1165
Touring Car	\$995	4 Pass. Coupe	\$1445	Bedon	\$1545

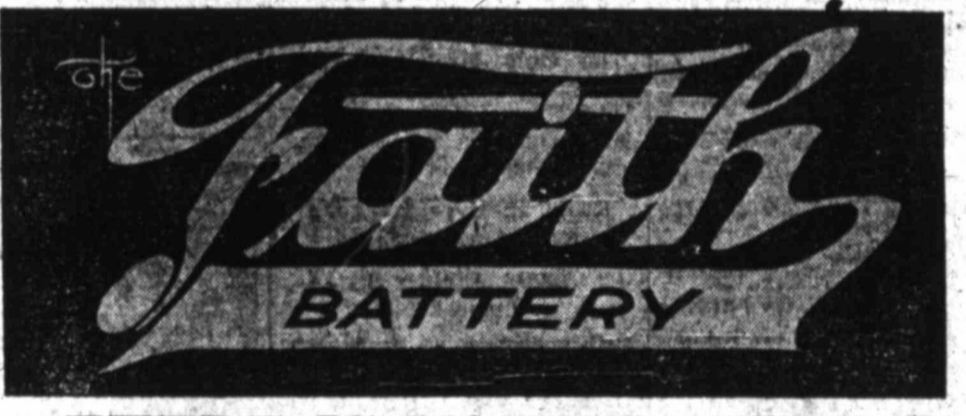
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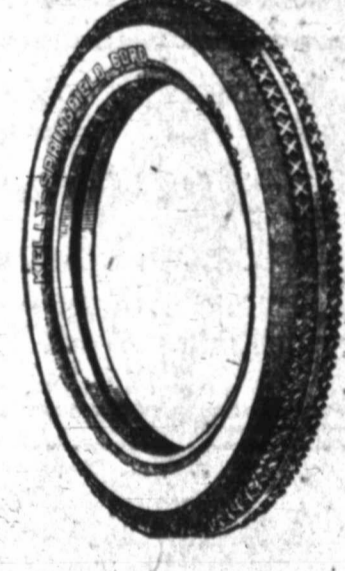


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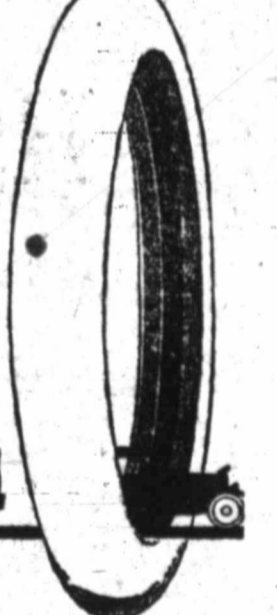


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35x4 1/2	\$40.90		
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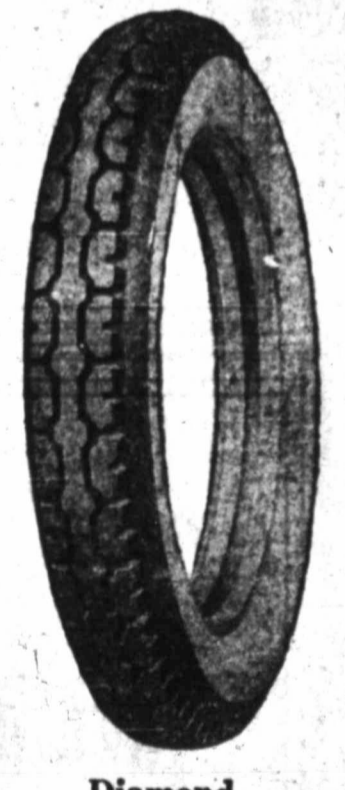
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ABILENE MAKING GREAT PLANS FOR WEST TEXAS FAIR

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LIVESTOCK AND FARM EXHIBITS TO FEATURE

Best of Display Will Be Placed On Exhibit at Texas-Oklahoma Fair.

ABILENE, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—Plans for the West Texas Fair to be held here September 23 to 30 inclusive are going forward rapidly now, and indications are that it is to be the largest attraction ever held in this section of west Texas. With the new catalogue, outlining the features, just off the press, and with the return of W. G. Kincaid, secretary, who has been in charge of the local national guard company at Fort Sill during the past two weeks, active preparations are expected to take on new life next week.

Horse racing, auto races, balloon ascensions, parachute jumps, and various other forms of entertainment will be featured. The double header football games, Simmons-New Mexico A. M. and Abilene Christian College-Clearland College, will be the big exhibitions for the concluding day. Exhibits are being arranged for, and it is planned to bring these to such a level that it will prove worthwhile to take the best to the various fairs held throughout the state, including the Texas-Oklahoma Fair at Wichita Falls and the State Fair at Dallas. Those in charge of the various departments have already been appointed and are made up of persons experienced in the work they represent.

Programs for the horse races have already been made out, and application blanks are being mailed to the various race horse breeders of this section. Jinks McGee, manager of all racing events, has announced the following program for horses:

- Monday, September 25, 1922
- 1. One-fourth mile dash..... 75
 - 2. Five-eighths mile..... 75
 - 3. Three-fourths mile..... 100
 - 4. Six furlongs..... 100
 - 5. One mile Hotel Grand..... 500
- Tuesday, September 26, 1922
- 1. One-fourth mile dash..... 75
 - 2. One-half mile..... 100
 - 3. Five-eighths mile..... 100
 - 4. Three-fourths mile..... 100
 - 5. Six furlongs..... 100
 - 6. One mile Hotel Grand..... 500
- Wednesday, September 27, 1922
- 1. Three-eighths mile—non-winners at this meeting..... 75
 - 2. Five-eighths mile..... 100
 - 3. Three-fourths mile..... 100
 - 4. One-half mile..... 100
 - 5. One mile Hotel Grand..... 500
- Thursday, September 28, 1922
- 1. Three-eighths mile—weight for age..... 100
 - 2. One-half mile..... 100
 - 3. Three-fourths mile—weight for age..... 100
 - 4. One mile Hotel Grand..... 500
- Friday, September 29, 1922
- 1. Three-eighths mile—weight for age..... 100
 - 2. One-half mile..... 100
 - 3. Three-fourths mile—weight for age..... 100
 - 4. One mile Hotel Grand..... 500

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At the Churches Today

First Baptist Church.
Dr. J. C. Hardy, president of Baylor college, Belton, the largest girl school in the south, will fill the pulpit of the First Baptist church Sunday at both services. Dr. Hardy is an eminent and inspirational speaker and a treat is in store for all who attend. The singing quartet will sing at the morning service and Miss Daisy Wharton will play a violin solo in the evening. We give everyone a cordial invitation to come out and hear Dr. Hardy.

Wesley Luthernan Church.
Corner Fourteenth and Buff. Morning services at 10:00 a. m. The Ladies Aid will meet after services. It is important and all members are asked to be present.—J. KLEIN.

Fiscal Heights Presbyterian.
1701 Kemp Blvd. and Avenue G. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. The intermediate class had an enjoyable time last Thursday evening at Lake Wichita. The public is welcome to all our services.—C. C. DOOLEY.

Fiscal Heights Baptist Church.
Tenth and Kemp. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Chas. Smoot, superintendent. Preaching by pastor 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Junior Union, 3 p. m. Senior Union, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening; Boy Scouts Friday evening. Everyone is cordially invited to worship with us.—J. W. LLOYD, Pastor.

Fiscal Heights Methodist.
The Sunday school will meet at 9:30 a. m. The pastor will speak on the subject, "The Centrality of the Cross," at 11:00 a. m. The music at the morning service will be an anthem by the choir, "Who Could It Be?" by Harkness; and a gospel solo by Miss Bailey, "Think on Thy Ways." The evening service will be one of unusual interest. The pastor will discuss the subject, "The Golden Rule Obsolete?" He will deal with the question of strikes, now so much in the public mind. He has especially invited the strikers who are now out at the local railroad shops to be present. Mrs. T. C. Brown will sing, "The Holy City," at the evening service, by special request.

East Side Presbyterian.
Sunday school at 3 p. m., preaching at 4 p. m. We have been having splendid attendance. The Christian Endeavor will meet next Thursday night with Mr. McKinley leader. There was a fine crowd last Thursday and much interest manifested. A social for the senior society will be held after the church at 2 p. m. Our last meeting had 14 present, good time and three new members. The ice cream social was a success and our thanks are to all who helped us in any way.—C. C. DOOLEY.

First M. E. Church, South.
A special musical program will be given on the lawn at the First Methodist church, south, corner Tenth and Lamar streets, Sunday evening at 8:15.

evening at 8:15. A good variety of excellent numbers will be given. These numbers are as follows: Vocal solo by Mrs. C. Y. Tully, duet by Misses Glendon and Josephine Pisk, piano number by Miss Stella Winfield, and the mixed quartette will be a special number. A live singing will be led by J. W. Akin, Jr., at this open air service. Sunday school and leagues at the usual hours. The Senior league has moved into the main auditorium now. Good crowds are enjoying their well prepared programs. Senior league meets at 8:45. Rev. J. D. Pinkston will preach Sunday morning on the subject, "God's Conquering Host," and his evening theme will be "Heroes of Common Life."

Epworth League Program.
Tenth and Lamar.—Subject, "The Source of Happiness." Leader, C. W. Ruffner. Piano solo, Miss Elizabeth Peyton. Talk, "The Joy of Service." Talk, "The Value of the Joy Habit." Vocal solo, J. W. Akin Jr. Piano solo, Miss Maria Leager of Waco.

First M. E. Church.
A hearty welcome will be given to all who come to the Seventh and Lamar Methodist church Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; and a good class is arranged for everyone. Morning sermon, "The Vital Power of Christianity," by the pastor. The evening service will again be in charge of the League with a fine program of music. Mrs. John Travis Houston, voice and piano teacher, will sing two numbers and will be accompanied by Miss H. B. Cook, while Mr. L. D. Leckey will play the obligato on violin. Miss Meyers and Miss Wisdom will play violin duet. The Philathea chorus will also render a number. The address will be by the pastor on Savaonarola, the "Firebrand of Florence." The program will be good all day and all friends and visitors are invited.—T. S. FITZGERALD, Pastor.

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Lamar Avenue Baptist.
Fourth and Lamar streets.—We cordially invite visitors to worship with us in the following services: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 11:00 a. m. and at 8:00 p. m. The subject for the morning service, "The Habit of Prayer." Evening, "We Would See Jesus." Sunbeams meet at 4:00 p. m. Senior League meets at 8:15 p. m. U. S. at 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening of each week.—A. J. ROLFF, Pastor.



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INSTALLMENT XV. Mrs. Smith Is Unmasked.

AT exactly half past two Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent and Hasett and Willett paused at the door of the cottage. It had been arranged that Hasett should be spokesman; the money which Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent had carried about with her all evening was now in Hasett's breast pocket. Neither Hasett nor West had told Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent about Walter Greene's discovery. Given his way, Greene would have subjected Marie to questioning, but West had been fiery in his objection, and Hasett had said, in the few moments he and the detective had had for consultation, "No, let things be. Either we get the jewels tonight or we don't get them. If they have been double-crossed there is nothing we can do tonight." He had emphasized the last word. In any case, he meant that Marie should be given a half hour; she should not marry a Dunbarton-Kent if he could prevent it.

"I believe it's crook putting it over crook," Greene had urged, "and that girl has played her part. I believe it's a plot—somebody took the distributor brush out of Mrs. Brant-Olwin's car, a neat little trick, and it wasn't her chauffeur, either—I know him—yet that infuriated fool, West, takes Mrs. Brant-Olwin home with all those diamonds on her, running the risk of a holdup. I tried to tell him, but he wouldn't listen."

"I talked with him," Hasett had returned. "He's armed—he told me so—and he had the chauffeur with him. Either he had to take Mrs. Brant-Olwin home, or she would have to spend the night here, and I agreed with him that of the two dangers taking her home was the lesser. And we dare not tell Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent anything about it tonight—

if she gets through without a collapse we'll be fortunate." Then Hasett had sent for Jones and Willett, and had told them of Greene's discovery. "Keep a close watch on her windows, Jones, and you, Greene, keep watch upstairs here—don't allow her to leave her room tonight."

It was a still night, no moon to lead shadows which would suggest life, only silence and gloom; the cottage might have been the home of the dead. "There is no light in the place, Hasett," Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent whispered anxiously. "Perhaps she'll not keep the appointment?"

Hasett was desperately afraid of the effect disappointment would have upon her. "If she doesn't we'll hear from her," he said reassuringly. "We will get the jewels eventually." He glanced over his shoulder to make certain that Willett was directly behind him, then he tried the door. It was locked and he took the key from Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent and unlocked it and they entered. And not into darkness; there was a light there, though a dim one, and Mrs. Smith was there, a figure distinguishable even in the dimness.

It was a tremendous relief. It was apparent that the woman had prepared for their coming. The divan had been thrust aside and the big desk table had been cleared and drawn near the fireplace and crosswise of the room, forming a barrier behind which she stood facing them, her back to the high paneling at one side of the fireplace. On the other side of the fireplace was West's work table, and hung low above it was a green shaded electric bulb which cast a brilliant light on the work table, but which left the rest of the room dimly lighted. At her right, behind her, in the corner, was the huge old secretary.

They paused for the moment of inspection. Hasett and Willett keen to discover whether there were possible hidden occupants of the room, but evidently the woman was alone. There was no furniture in the room behind which any one could hide, only the secretary, and that stood flush with the walls, as it had always stood. Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent looked only at the woman.

Mrs. Smith spoke first. "Will you kindly lock the door again and come forward—you, madam, and the gentleman?" There was sarcasm in the words. "Since this is a business transaction, let us consider this table a counter. If you will come forward and be seated, this matter should not take long."



"You are—!" The woman sprang at her.

controllable lip, and yet it was a carrying smile for it was so deep. As they approached her Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent eyed her with intense interest. Her face and figure were more distinct now. She was a tall woman, superbly formed and expensively and strikingly gowned, swathed in richly embroidered black satin. Her face was shaded by a wide brimmed hat, its crown formed of two parallel plumes, and her nose, mouth, and chin were obscured by a closely drawn veil with a silken tracery of leaves and flowers. Nevertheless, her rich tinting was apparent, and the glint of light eyes between black lashes. Around her throat and shoulders was wound the magnificent sable stole which had made such a deep impression on Marie. A length of it rested on the table against which she stood.

She was a regal looking woman, and Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent understood instantly why Marie had seen a likeness to Brock; it lay in the eyes, their icy blue lightness shadowed by extraordinarily thick black lashes. But above them were brows that belonged to no Dunbarton-Kent, heavy black brows that almost met across the nose, marking the face, as did the mouth, which was too large and too vividly red. And yet the woman did not look made up; her rich tinting looked natural. She was a conspicuously handsome creature, undeniably foreign, the vampire type par excellence, Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent thought. She looked capable of dominating any man.

When they reached the table and faced her Hasett spoke: "Have you the jewels here, madam?"

"Id." Her lip made the word a hiss. She drew aside the length of sable stole which lay on the table, revealing a long silver box chased with gold and on its lid the monogram "B. O." outlined in sapphires. "Within are the pearls—lacking a single ring, which I promise to send to you. It has not been sold; it was merely an oversight, left behind by mistake."

"We must examine them, of course," Hasett took the money from his breast pocket and laid it on the table. "Here is the money—we simply want to be assured that the pearls are genuine. Will you allow this gentleman to take them to the light over there?"

"Yes, sir—lacking the one ring," and he brought the jewel case to the desk table. "Give it to madam," Mrs. Smith said. "I promise you the missing ring—for that you must take my word."

Willett gave the jewel case to Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent, and her hands shook as she took it; it was the end of a long and painful journey. At the same moment Hasett shoved across the table the packet of bills. "Count them," he said, "then our transaction is ended."

Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent rose, the jewel case held in her breast. They all three stood and watched while Mrs. Smith counted swiftly and deftly, using both hands now; her body bent forward and the plumes in her hat quivered. Five hundred thousand dollars in bills of large denomination, a fortune. Suddenly there revealed in the woman the excitement of the gambler; her slim, pointed fingers glowed like talons caressing a victim, her cheeks flushed, and the pupils of her eyes contracted; she drew her breath with a hiss. Then, finding the count correct, her body still bent forward, she flung back her head and laughed noiselessly, her features distorted, her red mouth widened repellantly.

They stared at her. All three were so absorbed, all four were so intent, that they did not see the cupboard door of the big secretary open or see the small figure that crept out of a space barely large enough to hold a child. They did not notice until Marie appeared at Mrs. Smith's side and, with a jerk, tore the bills from beneath her hand and flung them wide. When the woman shot erect Marie was facing her with pointed finger. "You are—!"

The woman sprang at her. She struck at Marie's mouth before her lips had formed the third word. It was Marie's involuntary screech that drew the blow. Mrs. Smith's clenched fist struck her shoulder with a force that flung Marie back against the secretary and crumpled her up on the floor. Then, simultaneously with Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent's shriek and before Willett could spring across the table or Hasett circle it and reach the woman, she had backed against the paneling, had lifted her arm and fired at Marie, who was struggling to rise. When they did clear the table Mrs. Smith had been borne to the floor by an assailant who had sprung from—they did not know where.

For a moment, to Hasett and Willett, what had happened was utterly unaccountable; the pistol struck from Mrs. Smith's hand, a shot gone wild, and a man struggling with the woman, who fought with the ferocity of a tiger. But Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent had seen; she had shrieked the paneling in the wall behind the woman had

opened outward suddenly, like a door, and the man who had sprung upon her was Brock; he had reached his confederate an instant before the shot rang out and had struck the pistol upward; then they had grappled.

So much Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent saw before she dropped the jewel case and went to Marie like a mother to her injured child. She reached Marie before Willett did. But Marie had struggled to her feet. She put them both aside. "They will—kill—each other—," she gasped, and staggered to the table, gasping and panting, and clung to it for support.

Marie was looking at Brock also, eyes grown wide and distressed. She leaned over the table. "Monseur!" she said, both pleadingly and warningly. "Monseur!"

Brock turned and looked at her, full into her eyes, and Willett saw his face change. He sought his handkerchief and wiped the blood from his face, then stood perfectly calm, erect, his face like stone, his eyes, shadowed and watchful, fixed on West, who was speaking.

For, just as the detective had awakened in Willett, his legal training had asserted itself in Hasett. He was facing West, a judge questioning a criminal. "What have you to say for yourself, West Dunbarton-Kent?" he had asked sternly.

West eyed him coolly. "Very little in extenuation. I had to gamble, even if I hung for it."

"What have you done with your fortune?"

"Mrs. Smith lost it—gambling. When I came into my money I hit on that disguise. It saved West Dunbarton-Kent from getting into trouble. Besides, it was amusing."

Hasett drew a long breath, then went on resolutely. "And finally you took to stealing to provide yourself with money?"

"Exactly. I had only a few thousands left when I built Mrs. Smith's house and dug a cellar against the wall of this cottage. With a backward motion of his head he indicated the hole in the paneling. "There's the entrance to it. I could go in as West Dunbarton-Kent and emerge in the house above as Mrs. Smith. I had planned to get Mrs. Brant-Olwin's jewels. I had to gamble, I tell you!" He showed a flash of emotion.

"Were robbing your aunt and Mrs. Brant-Olwin the only crimes you have committed?"

"No. When in college I fished whenever I could do it safely."

"Have you ever had a confederate?"

"Never. No really clever thief ever has."

"Is there any one besides those present who knows your double life?"

"No one—not to my knowledge." He laughed shortly. "In spite of my good Cousin Brock's conviction that I was keeping a dangerous woman called Smith in my private house up there, that I was a bad lot to women, I've never been caught by any sort of ruff. That's one reason I've never been found out—until I ran afoul of Miss Angouleme. How long she has played me I don't know. I fancy she made the great discovery some time this evening; hence this denouement."

At mention of Marie's name Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent suddenly heaved herself up from her chair. She was shaking as from palsy and dead white. "West," she said in a voice that was a shriek, "you will answer before God some day, tell me who your confederate was by your conduct to this child? You begged her to marry you—and you tried to kill her. You nearly killed her twice. Are you insane? What are you?" Her was a look of horror and anger and a complete inability to understand the man before her.

West remained utterly unmoved, except that he frowned impatiently. "You'll have to have the whole story, I suppose, before we can get on with our agreement. I was beautifully brought up. Aunt Dubbarton never gambled until I went to college. It took hold on me. My allowance wasn't enough—I stole so as to be able to gamble. Then I came into my money. I had an object in view. In college—well, the limit was open. I thought it best to walk around the conventions. I hit upon a disguise to protect me when I went on gambling sprees. When the fever got you it's worse than the thing for drink."

"It took me ten years to use up my fortune. I've never been lucky—besides, it cost me a pretty penny to keep Mrs. Smith in the proper style. She was known on every race track and in every fashionable gambling resort in the country. That I planned to reveal the cottage, she thought I wanted to steal a fortune. I knew Mrs. Brant-Olwin and her house, every house here on the north shore, and numbers of houses in town. As Mrs. Smith I bought that strip from Colfax's agent and built my house with its opening in the cottage. Mrs. Smith's house was my real home—I loathed the stiff grandeur of Kent House. I had my pleasures and my books and my servants."

Then Brock came home, and you turned the tables over to him, and I had to give up the use of this entrance. It was while he lived here that he got the impression that I visited Mrs. Smith secretly—Brock can see in the dark. Well, Bella asked for the use of the cottage in the mornings—she wanted to set up my table here. That drove Brock out of the place; Bella, too—Bella was afraid I would discover her affair, and Brock, like all converts to a religion in which they haven't been reared, detested what he called my loose living; he thought I wanted to be near Mrs. Smith. He talked of the danger of such a woman as Mrs. Smith, and I told him to mind his own business. I knew he was too much of a Dunbarton-Kent ever to talk to me, and as he was clear off the track, it didn't worry me particularly. We had a thorough detestation of each other, though. I'd always hated him."

"I didn't lie about my inventing. I've always wanted to be an inventor, but the gambling fever got me too often. I had the cottage back then, and I did try to work, but I was down to my last cent. Then came the chance for your hundred thousand as well as the pearls. You were, all of you, determined to think Brock the thief—with his record, what use was there of his denying it? I had counted on that; for, you see, it was I who had relieved Brock's partner at the college party of her pendant. The hue and cry, scared me, and I put it in his room, then let the college authorities burn Brock's history out of me. It was effective—once a thief, always a thief."

"I WANTED Brock to clear from Kent House. But he stuck. You didn't want him to do up with the jewels, try to raise money on them, and get himself killed and the family disgraced, but certainly you made it a hell for him, with your detectives, and your safeguards, and your offers of a confession and forgiveness if only he would confess and turn the jewels over to you. He simply set his face and waited. It annoyed me, but I wasn't afraid of him, for I knew that he had the outcast's respect for the man who holds an assured position. He might not approve of my morals, but he could not more concave of my being a burglar than of your being one."

"What worried me was my need of money. Nearly all of your hundred thousand was gone. You never played much back luck—I lost and lost. I was actually in need of the small sum I got for the three and tools in your garage; besides, it served my purpose—you would buy the theft to Brock. I had the jewels, but I didn't dare to dispose of them; attempt another burglary. It was on my return from my last disastrous spree that I encountered Marie Angouleme on the train. For a few minutes I thought a Brent-Olwin detective had me. Then I knew my mistake and cleared from the train as soon as I could."

"Then, by a queer chance, she came to Kent House. I guessed who she was and why she stared at Brock; either she had seen Mrs. Smith on the train, or she had seen her elsewhere. I knew she was no detective, but exactly what she said she was—a decided danger to me, nevertheless. I tried to persuade you to turn her off, but you wouldn't. I went away myself, thinking that she would have enough of Kent House in a day or two and leave of her own accord. But when I came back she was still there, and after talking with her, I knew that she was staying because she had fallen in love with Brock."

"After that I played against heavy odds. I was in danger not only because I might remind Marie of Mrs. Smith, but because of Brock. He had acquired the suspicion that Mrs. Smith might have some connection with the thefts. He was watching the cottage and Mrs. Smith's house, doing some detective work of his own. He was certain that Marie was in Mrs. Brant-Olwin's employ, and was afraid that she would try to fix the thefts on him, and as certain that she meant to marry me, so he tried to frighten her away from Kent House in any safe way he could. He decided that the most effective way of scaring her was to act as if he were going to knife me, and also by intimating that my intentions toward her were not of the best, that she was in the utmost danger of some sort."

"That was the way I sized up the situation when I came back, and I thought it would be as well for Mrs. Smith to show herself in her house quite openly, as if afraid of nothing. But I had not calculated on Marie's being abroad that evening. You know what followed: Brock was watching Mrs. Smith, Marie Angouleme was hurt, and you learned of her experience on the train, and, of course, deduced that Mrs. Smith was Brock's confederate. So far I was safe, but I had to get Marie Angouleme out of Kent House, and by some means that would not injure me. I have never had the least desire to marry any woman, least of all Marie Angouleme. A wife would be undesirable. I never believed in your sudden decision for your little chauffeur—I thought that if anything would remove her tactfully from Kent House, a Dunbarton-Kent bent upon a megalomania such as that would do the trick! But I forgot that you sometimes do unexpected things—you deceived me by a pretended opposition, then actually brought Marie Angouleme into Kent House! I had to keep up the deceit."

Again West laughed shortly. "Then I got interested, not in Marie Angouleme, but in the game I was playing. Marie was a good one, I suppose—I wanted to win out. She was breaking her heart over Brock, knowing that he was extracted for some good reason, she didn't know what, yet determined to be brave in his anger, and a woman will get under a determined enough—I meant that she shouldn't get Brock. She began to suspect that Brock was entangled with Mrs. Smith, and that Mrs. Smith was a desperate character and a wholly evil woman, as Marie Angouleme's conviction; she was sick with jealousy and disgust, and coming inch by inch to me. I even took her to the cottage here to prove to her what a convenient meeting place Brock and Mrs. Smith had had. Her first act was to clean up the table and present it to Brock, who was in the habit of following us around, a denouement for which I had not planned, however—so greatly do the plans of men and mice differ. Brock is a cautious man, and he would have given his explanation of Marie's find. Instead, he asserted Marie's undying faith in him, which served to bring her nearer to me." He shrugged. "Brock cared no more for Marie Angouleme than I did—he wanted her to clear from Kent House, and hurting her was one way of accomplishing his purpose. He thought that the little detective was trying to fasten something on him, and he taunted her—he thought he was taunting me as well. Undoubtedly I had set up an establishment for Mrs. Smith; nevertheless I was determined to marry Marie Angouleme, she being a later infatuation—such was Brock's judgment of me."

West's look and tone showed scornful amusement. "The situation had its comic side, you, Aunt Bella, doing all you could to forward a match; Marie Angouleme hanging fire and altogether at sea about everything and every one, and with the best of intentions all around; Bella convinced that Marie Angouleme, Brock, and Mrs. Smith were responsible for the thefts, and that Marie Angouleme had engaged the sympathy and she was afraid, the affections of Allan Colfax; Brock certain that Marie Angouleme was a spy acting for Mrs. Brant-Olwin and a vital danger to him, and as certain that she was going to marry me; and all three of us, Brock, Bella, and I, bent upon the difficult task of driving Marie Angouleme away from Kent House without danger to ourselves. Funny!"

His lips had twisted in a smile. Then he grew grave. "Meantime I was desperate for money. It was a big relief to me when I knew that you were headed in the right direction. The pearls ransomed, I would be safe. Mrs. Smith could disappear for good, and some other disguise serve me. Brock could not prove his innocence, you would be absolutely certain that his confederate had double-crossed him and had made off with the money—he would take the sum which would give him and clear from Kent House—he would never jeopardize his heirship by making a public row. And Marie Angouleme would have no hold on me—I could discredit her. I had spent a few hours over her trunk. The cellar of my house is damp, and I had had the pearls hidden there for weeks, wrapped in chamois skin and cotton wool. I put the wrappings and one ring into her trunk. You might lay the thing to Brock, but Hasett would not; he never had any faith in Marie Angouleme. With five hundred thousand in my pocket, I would be done with Marie Angouleme. I would have looked to Mrs. Dunbarton-Kent, I had looked only at her. Now he turned to Marie, who still clung to the table, silent and motionless as were the others. Her bow and her smile were irreplaceable. As it has turned out, I have had and you have worn, Marie Angouleme. All the detectives and all the thieves in the world, rolled into one, are not the equal of one perfectly well intentioned and blundering young woman."

"[To be concluded.]"
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Linen for Late Summer

Easy to Wear and
as Comfortable as
They Are Smart,
These Frocks
for the Threshold
of Fall Have Sim-
plicity for a Keynote.

One Can See the Colors of the Sunset in This
Frock Which Posses Coral Embroidered Insets
of White Against a Background of Gray-Blue.

By Mme. Frances
The Famous Creator of Fashions

THE days of late summer bring their problems in clothes. The sun is very apt to be bright and merciless, and so many of the sheer things that seemed so charming earlier in the season appear hopelessly "ragged out."

You have no doubt of this when you take from the closet the yellow dotted Swiss. It has been your cherished favorite frock since you found it accidentally at that cunning little shop where you were looking for a sweater. You are dressing hurriedly to go out for the afternoon and you want to be cool and appear well. You are going out with someone on whom you want very much to make a good impression, and you think the favorite frock will help.

But when the hanger emerges to reveal the limp garment that was your pride and joy, your expression turns to one of disappointment and vexation. Here it is, its golden yellow turned to a sickly tint, the kind that was never meant to be pale. The last trip to the laundress has done for it. And you always considered her an excellent laundress, too! It has shrunk. The waist is too short to be in good form, and the skirt clears the floor by far too many inches.

Linen for Vivacity

There is nothing for you to do but sigh, don a sweater and skirt and resolve to pay a visit to your modiste tomorrow. You follow out this good intention and you listen gladly to the words of wisdom which she has to impart to you. And she has a great many ideas on proper ways of dressing for late summer.

When the sun is sparkling and there is hint of the coming fall, whether the days are laden with the last heat of summer or alive with that delicious tang in the air that precedes the autumn, you can find just the frock that will help to impart the vivacity you need, she says.

Linen is your material, she assures you, and simplicity is the keynote of the

dress that you want. Flowing sleeves and trailing panels are charming for tea-time and for any one of the dressier type gowns. But the crisp smartness of the linen frock that shows less sophistication and more simplicity is your cue.

Take a glance at the slender, youthful things on this page. They are easy to wear and as comfortable as they are smart. We may say that they represent the typical American choice in clothes. For the American woman likes freedom of movement and that easy unconscious grace which is so charming. She likes clothes which make this unconscious grace possible, and she appears at her best in such clothes.

A Long, Plain Line That Flatters

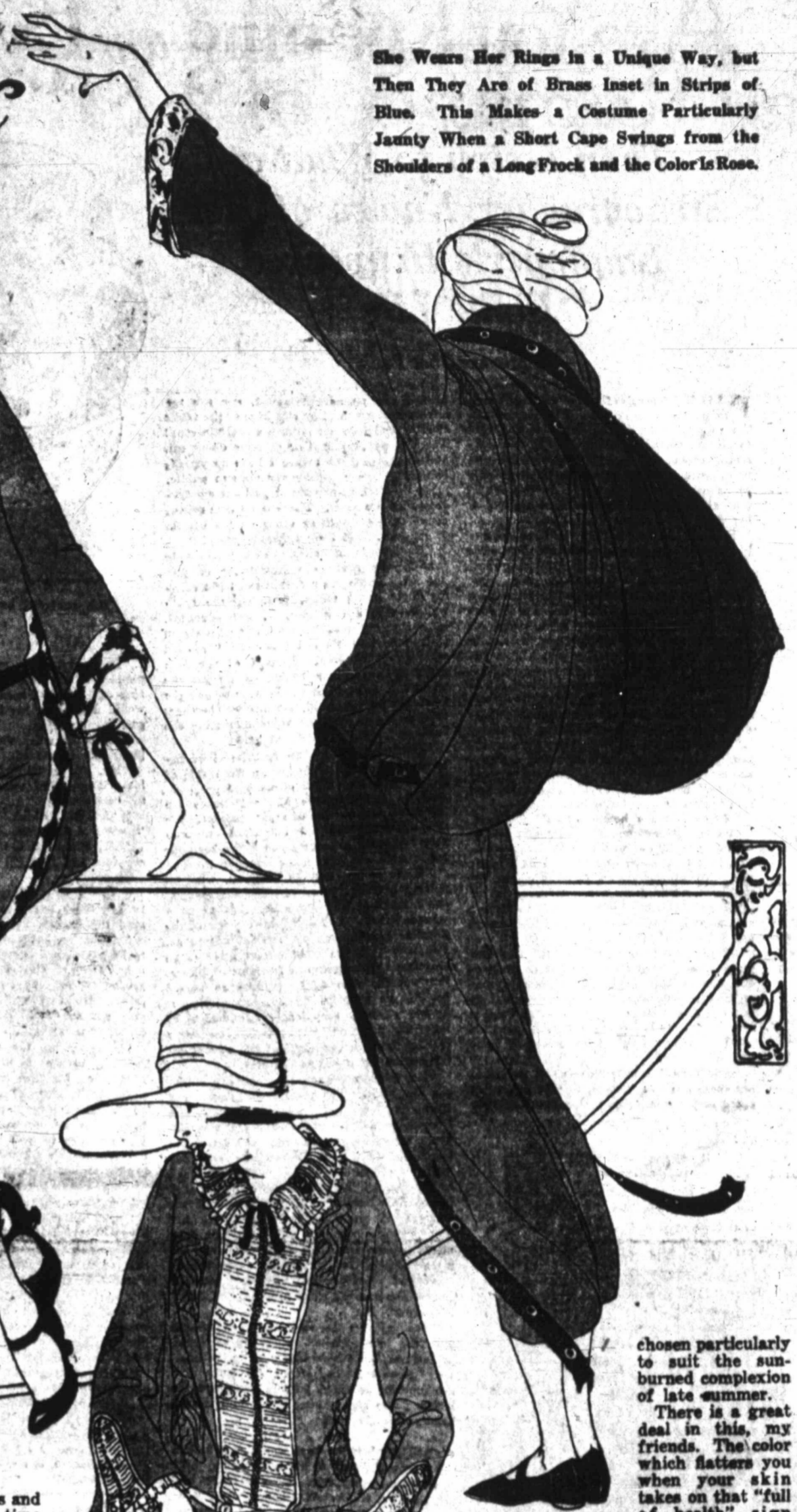
We will take these frocks, beginning at the left of the page.

The model here is stunning, of black linen with candy-striped gray for its long vestee and sleeves. Note the snap and comfort of the set-in sleeves with their slightly flared line. Gay little red and white buttons adorn sleeves and front and extend in lines down either side of the frock. This is admirable for wear at any time of the day and its long, plain line is flattering to the average figure.

Next to this is a soft gray-blue linen. Coral embroidered insets of white crepe give a note of color which delights the eye, and black velvet lacings give the finishing touch. A coral hat completes the whole.

Traces of Rodier, the master weaver of fabrics, can readily be seen by the initiated in the frock of tan linen, next in line. Its woven figure, somewhat on a basket design, is also of the same color and the tone of its fabric is offset by the dainty ecru of its trimming. Here the sheers of ecru batiste intersperses groups of tucks with inset bits of lace and places tiny pearl buttons very close together in long, straight rows.

Brass rings inset in strips of blue give the much desired individuality of trimming to the dress at the extreme right. The dress itself is of rose linen, and an off-the-shoulder cape of the same material completes the costume. There is some-



She Wears Her Rings in a Unique Way, but Then They Are of Brass Inset in Strips of Blue. This Makes a Costume Particularly Jaunty When a Short Cape Swings from the Shoulders of a Long Frock and the Color Is Rose.



Black Linen Sports Insets of Gray with Candy Stripes and Gay Little Red and White Buttons. There's Snap and Comfort in the Set-in Sleeves.



Margaret Perry



Her Frock of Figured Tan Matches Her Sunburn, and Its Ecru Vest Alternates Tucks with Lace and Places Pearl Buttons in Long Straight Rows.

thing about the way a short matching cape swings from the shoulders of a long straight dress that is particularly jaunty, especially when the dress is of rose linen. This frock, you will notice, as well as the tan and the gray blue, are of colors

chosen particularly to suit the sunburned complexion of late summer. There is a great deal in this, my friends. The color which flatters you when your skin takes on that "full of health" sign may be becoming

at no other time, so take advantage of it when you can.

In the winter months, when your complexion has taken on the whiter, more fragile tint, you may not be able to affect rose colors or rich tans. Leave that time for the paler colors and great late summer with the rich tones which are best in keeping with the atmosphere about you.

As those who live in cities are wont to say, "It's as expensive as it is smart to have a good coat of tan these days." If you are so fortunate as to bear the marks of a good time spent summering, you may as well continue to enjoy it. The sparkle in your eye goes well with the deeper tint in your cheek, and the charm of both is enhanced by a happy choice of color.

And in matters of this kind, never be like the young girl who confided to me that she felt so "ignorant" when she heard someone say, "I can't wear this color," or "I look best in that color." "How can they tell?" she asked.

"Make it your business to know the colors you can and cannot wear," I advised her. "It is easy to find out from someone who does know."

And I might have added that this thought of sunburn and paler color is a further step in the right direction.

The Fashion Forecast

The newer hats will be very large and droopy.

Frances

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Are You Keeping an Eye on your Husband's Stenographer?

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Then Listen to What a Stenographer Knows of Her Employer's Henpecked Home Life

By Mayme Ober Peak

IN LIFE'S triangles the stenographer seems to play a leading role. The movies and the colorful pens of the fictionist are wont to picture her as a blonde vamp in long earrings, short skirts and flesh-colored silk hose, with a filmy georgette waist frankly exploding physical charms. As temptress of men all the sides in the decalogue are laid at her door.

It is not surprising that you have come to look upon the woman in your husband's office as a bad influence. But it is surprising that, while considering her beneath your social notices, you have failed to consider her as a force to be reckoned with. Trusting in your own charms, you wouldn't acknowledge for the world that your husband's stenographer had anything to do with the "business success" that detained him downtown—even if your suspicions were aroused!

One wife and mother, however, freely admits her fears. In a recent letter commenting on a series of articles about the laxity of standards and growing away from the family hearthstone, she writes that she considers "the woman in the intimate employ of men" responsible for the conditions and a direct menace to home life.

"I am a plain home-maker," she says, "with six of my seven sons and daughters to graduate from high school this week. One to follow soon, and I feel that I really know something about home life and its problems. For years there has been in my mind and upon my heart a desire to make a statement in regard to the home life of America.

"We are all so very thankful that our girls may receive an education as well as our boys. But every reader admits that with all the education and advancement there is something wrong somewhere. And there is something vitally wrong when so much is written in regard to the conditions of home life.

"For myself I have not felt it so much, but there must be a cause for the neglect of the home. For fully two generations our

bobbed nor permanent-waved, nor are my ankles encased in filmy silk hose of the latest clock. And I do not possess a sashkin coat! There is nothing loud or extreme about me, and so far as I am aware I have no jarring habits. I never powder my nose in public, use a lip stick in private or pull out my eyebrows in my mouth or stuck on the bottom of my desk. Yet I am a stenographer!

"And, speaking in terms of quantity—not quality—the average stenographer is just like me. There are thousands of them saving their living today, pounding the typewriter, who are wholesome, well-educated, refined young women, with their hearts in their jobs and their heads turned toward some promised goal. Instead of spending every dollar on our backs, as we get the credit for, most of us are helping to pay the mortgage on the farm, sending kid brothers to school and in many ways lightening the burdens for the old folks at home.

"Our work-a-day life is brimful of interest, I'll admit. We are on the inside of Big Things, and those of us who are confidential stenographers and secretaries are entrusted with secrets of great moment. We are upsetting the old traditions—we can keep our business secrets just as we keep our youth and our good looks and our minds.

"There is an elixir in business, with its pulsing activity, contact and demand upon one's intellect and audacity, that keeps a woman young. You will find very few of the familiar type known as 'settled' among us. For now that the matrimonial altar is no longer the tip-top of feminine ambition, the woman, who at forty used to regard her life as past its climax, proclaiming it faded and monotonous of expression, no longer reaches this stage of physical and mental deterioration—it is in business.

"No, indeed; her mind is just then entering its period of greatest dexterity and strength; her best judgment just being formed—at forty. Whereas, the stay-at-home, who has ceased to take any active interest in what goes on outside her four walls, who has reached the high-water mark to which the tide of feminine life flows, just because she has married and has children, slumps back and becomes old before her time. Three hundred and sixty-five days in the year she has the same thoughts, the same perspective, the same monotonous trials and worries which she pours into the ears of her husband three hundred and sixty-five nights.

"The contrast between the home-keeper and the office-keeper is a big one and, oftentimes, hideously unfair. It is the boss wife, however, who, strange to say, takes the superior attitude, putting herself on the higher plane and looking down on her husband's stenographer.

ONCE when the boss was sick I had to take the mail to his home and go over it with him every day. He was fairly well off, had a comfortable home with well-trained servants, and there was no reason why his wife shouldn't have had sufficient time to keep herself fit—mentally and physically. But as many times as I went to that house, I never saw her look anything but disheveled and unattractive, or heard her discuss anything but the children and the servants and what things cost. She looked every day of fifty, when I happen to know she was still on the sunny side of thirty.

"I am sure Mr. Blank loved her, but what a severe strain she put on that love, putting him with telephone calls and daily recitations of domestic woes during office hours!

WHATEVER it was that Mr. Blank said Mrs. Blank did, she kept on yelling she did, did, until Mr. Blank's patience went off like a lighted stick of dynamite. Throwing the receiver in the air with such force as to upset the gem clips on my desk, knock off my letter basket and spill ink on the single-space letter in my typewriter, he blued it with curs words and "I-man" ravings.

"Yes, calling me up fifty times a day; ask me where to get coal and where to get a man to put it in, why she had to pay so much for coal and pay so much



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"Regularly, every morning, just as we'd get started on the morning mail, she would ring up. 'My I speak to Mr. Blank?' she would inquire in her haughty, things-having-gone-wrong voice.

"Ask her what she wants," Mr. Blank invariably requested.

"Mrs. Blank is awfully busy just now, Mr. Blank, and wants to know if I can take the message."

"Tell Mr. Blank," brieves Mrs. Blank, "to come to the telephone at once."

"Mr. Blank takes the receiver, stands on one foot and then the other, finally stabs in the word.

"Well, try another dealer. Coal's hard to get these days, as you'd know if you read the papers, and . . ."

"What's that? You don't have time to keep up with current events? Don't be silly, Della. The man hasn't got any grudge against us; we don't owe him anything. He's telling the truth; he's probably got to coal. Better call up another dealer right away."

"Hanging up the receiver, Mr. Blank promptly returns to his desk, with a bit of shadow on his face and a distracted look. A few hours later, Mrs. Blank telephones to advise Mr. Blank that Bobby is threatened with one of his stomach attacks and she has just put him to bed, which means that as it's the maid's afternoon off she will have to give up her bridge game at the club. And will Mr. Blank please bring some fruit when he comes home?

"With his mind scattered in forty different directions, Mr. Blank settles down to work again. Between 4 and 5, that part of the day when nerves are worn and frayed, Mrs. Blank calls up Mr. Blank, in the midst of dictating a letter about that R. and X contract he's been trying to land for a month, having got my wireless that it was no use to resist, reaches helplessly for the receiver.

"What is it, dear?" he asks. "Is Bobby worse? Oh!" he sighs, relieved, "and what is everybody else saying?"

"You don't know. Then what makes you think he's asking you too much? Um, yes, he's in bed, I know. I have heard all that before. I can't run my business on imagination and—"

"No, that you don't," he fairly erupts in exasperation.

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"Yes, calling me up fifty times a day; ask me where to get coal and where to get a man to put it in, why she had to pay so much for coal and pay so much

to a man! Better ask President Harding why labor's so damn high; not me! Ought to be glad to get coal 'tall. Much as I've got to think about. Have to dig for money, dig for coal—OUTRAGE! Wish I lived in a steam-heated flat; no coal, no wife. Women bother the life out of a man with their eternal demands!"

"During this explosion, I would sit as quiet as a piece of the office furniture, dying to laugh. It was a scene enacted several times a week, but in a rage Mr. Blank was so funny, I never got to him. Once he caught me trying to hide a smile.

"Please, Miss Brown, forgive me. I forgot you were here. He looked so shamefaced and boyish and ill-used, I gave way to my feelings and roared. He laughed with me—temper and sunshine. 'Thank the Lord,' he said, settling back in his chair, 'there are some women left who have a sense of humor. Miss Brown, I sometimes think if wives could get a little office training they'd understand their husbands better.'"

"Agreed," said I. "I'm learning a lot about matrimony, in business."

"I understand perfectly, for instance, why Mr. Blank asked me, later to telephone that he had a business engagement and wouldn't be home for dinner. After one of these trying days, home to him meant an atmosphere of unrest, where the wheels of domestic machinery scraped on his nerves. Before facing it, he must needs have relaxation at his club.

NOT long ago I heard a married man say: "The first hour after I get home from the office is the most trying of the whole day. If I could go off by myself and relax for an hour before dinner, I'd feel like a new man. But that's the time I have to tackle the furnace, hear about the burst water pipes, and the thousand and one things that have gone wrong during the day. If Elizabeth would only wait until I had

smoothed out the office wrinkles, how differently I'd meet her and her domestic trials. But she doesn't seem to understand, and I am afraid to have a frank talk with her for fear of hurting her feelings."

"Yes we learn a lot about matrimony in business. And about men, because in their business relations with women they are quite frank. We are on the same footing and, side by side, are playing the same game of pleasing—the stenographer her employer, her employer his clients or customers.

"And while there is no very fine courtesy found there, each demands a certain quality of consideration and respect from the other. Add gets it. If a man loses his temper and causes his stenographer, she leaves him and gets another job and a better-tempered employer. On the other hand, if we do not do our part and take our job seriously, we lose it.

"How seriously does the boss wife take her job? While we are helping the boss inside, what is she doing outside to help him? Does he sometimes find himself making comparisons between the woman working side by side with him in his office life with the woman pulling away from him in his home life?

"I remember the wife of a former employer who used to send all of her personal bills to the office for me to add up, draw checks for and pay. She was a social butterfly, apparently assuming no more responsibility than that little bright-hued insect. She drank the honey of life while the boss drank the bitters—and paid the bill.

"Did he ever complain? No, but I did for him as I made out checks for that trifling wife. It seems to me that if I had somebody furnishing the money for my bills, as least I could bear the exertion of handling it over.

"She would drag the boss off from the most important business to a fool picnic or garden party that she thought he ought to attend with her for the sake of appearances. But when the boss wanted to bring a business friend home to dinner or show him some social attention for the sake of appearances it was a different story! She couldn't and wouldn't be bothered. The only time I ever accepted an invitation from an employer was once when the boss needed a woman solely to fill the place his wife refused.

"Not only did I have to act as financial secretary for this self-occupied woman, but social as well. 'Would I kindly call up Mrs. Highbrow Greene and find out what the literary program was for Friday, and would I mind dropping by on my way home and getting her invitation list, as she wanted cards sent out for a bridge tea?'

My regular duties were heavy enough without this additional burden, which necessitated overtime work, but I had to carry it because it was the boss' wife who had imposed it, and cheerfully, too.

"In a business office one learns to do things cheerfully. Men won't have grouchy, fussy women around them in business. Whether we feel like it or not, we have to wear a pleasant front and discharge our duties agreeably. We learn self-control and tact—lessons we never forget.

"Wifehood and motherhood is a big job—much bigger, harder and more responsible

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Be careful, therefore, that you don't send him out to look for another playmate or congenial soulmate; that your matrimonial venture does not founder on the rock of age in ignoring this eternal longing to be "understood." Friend Wife, play with him and scold him and love him and work with him, and make him feel that the hollow of your shoulder is too safe a harbor from which he drifts.

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country in particular has gone on and on educating the young woman to go into the intimate employ of men, which is the most wonderful wedge that ever penetrated to the very foundations of the life of the home.

"It does not mean that there is an immoral condition existing, but it does mean this: In a measure the wife of today is superseded by the woman in the employ of your husband. So far it seems that very few people are considering this as a direct menace to home life, and parents go on placing their daughters into the intimate employ of men, ignoring the influence that this has upon the home life of that man, ignoring the influence upon the man and ignoring the influence upon the young woman.

"It is all too true wives have turned to all sorts of activities outside the home to find something that will satisfy the soul. Some of them fully realize the danger to the home; others are apparently unconscious of the cause which makes them restless.

"Girls and women today are just as eager for the best interests of their husbands as ever in the world, but until this almost polygamous practice ceases and we return to 'one woman beside one man' we shall not see a return to a normal home life."

IT IS to give the wife an intimate and a fairer insight into the business life of her husband and his assistant—an insight that may perhaps turn the tables and cause her to counteract outside competition with a more satisfying home life—that I set down here the plain, unvarnished truth as told in her own words by the "average stenographer," of whom there are thousands and thousands as against the hundreds of the paper type.

"To begin with, I'm not a blonde," she says. "A blond man could see that. And my worst enemy wouldn't call me a vamp. Yet I'm a stenographer.

"I have always thought I had the proper amount of dignity, wore enough clothes and a sufficiently detached air in a business office to discourage personal attentions from men and took my job seriously.



Twenty-five cents to see the most gorgeous mirage in Oatman.

Hot News From Oatman, Ariz.—By Robert S. Doman

Oatman, Ariz. IS A MIRAGE public property or can the discoverer arrogate all rights therein and refuse the general public permission to view his private phantasmagoria? Oatman would like to know.

"Yodie Joe" Kraus, an Oatman gold miner, claims that he is the owner of a mirage. Joe has a home high up in the Oatman gold mountains from which at sundown a splendid illusion of castled cities paved with gold can be had. Joe asserts that at times he can see white streets lined with Government-operated light wine and cool beer shops. He also claims that

the mirage discharges groups of orderly citizens entering these Government shops to buy revenue stamps, which are pasted on the bottles the citizens carry away to their dinner tables. However, no matter what Joe sees in his mirage there is no doubt but that he owns one.

Curiously, it is only from Joe's ground that the mirage can be viewed.

For years past it has been the custom of the young folks of Oatman to motor up to Joe's mountain home in order to see the mirage. Lately, however, Joe has needed money to develop his mine. Tightwad stockholders have refused to give him any advances of consequence and Joe has been forced to charge admission to his mirage in order to live in the luxury which his station in life demands.

"Twenty-five cents to see the Most Gorgeous Mirage in Arizona," reads a sign which Joe has planted in front of his house, which, by the way, is made of high-grade gold-bearing ore.

Joe's admission charge aroused much indignation in Oatman. Finally Sheriff Bill Mackie held Joe before Judge Zedoch Sheffield. Lawyer V. P. Lucas defended Joe.

"Your Honor," said Lucas, "my client is quite within his legal rights. Under the law he can bar any one he wishes, with the possible exception of Oatman officers of the law, from trespassing on his property, and he can likewise permit any one whom he wishes to visit him. Those who do not wish to meet Mr. Kraus' terms for the privilege of viewing his mirage are not obliged to do so.

"It is my contention that this deceptive view is Mr. Kraus' private property when seen from his ground. And I also claim for him the right to charge admissions to see

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"Moreover, I wish to put on record here and show that Mr. Kraus has expressed himself as quite willing to set aside his ground as part of any State or national park which Arizona or the Government may wish to lay out on it with a view to making this mirage one of Arizona's greatest natural attractions for tourists.

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which he had first visited in 1884. From 1880 to date he has been punching burros in Arizona, Nevada, Utah, Colorado and California. A few months ago he decided it was time to go home to visit his family.

"My wife and I never had a word," declares McClean. "We were the happiest couple ever married. But fate just separated us. I always wrote to her and told her how I was getting along. I should have come home, I suppose, but business troubles prevented me."

McClean has a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Meyer, of Fort Worth, Tex., and another daughter in Springfield, Mo.



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Germany Is Training an Army of Women Athletes. The Picture Shows Berlin High School Girls Preparing with Folk Dancing for the Big Athletic Meet at Spandau.



Start of the 100-Yard Dash for Women at Polytechnic Sports Meet at Stamford Bridge, England. No. 7, at Extreme Left, is Miss M. Lines, Champion British Woman Sprinter.

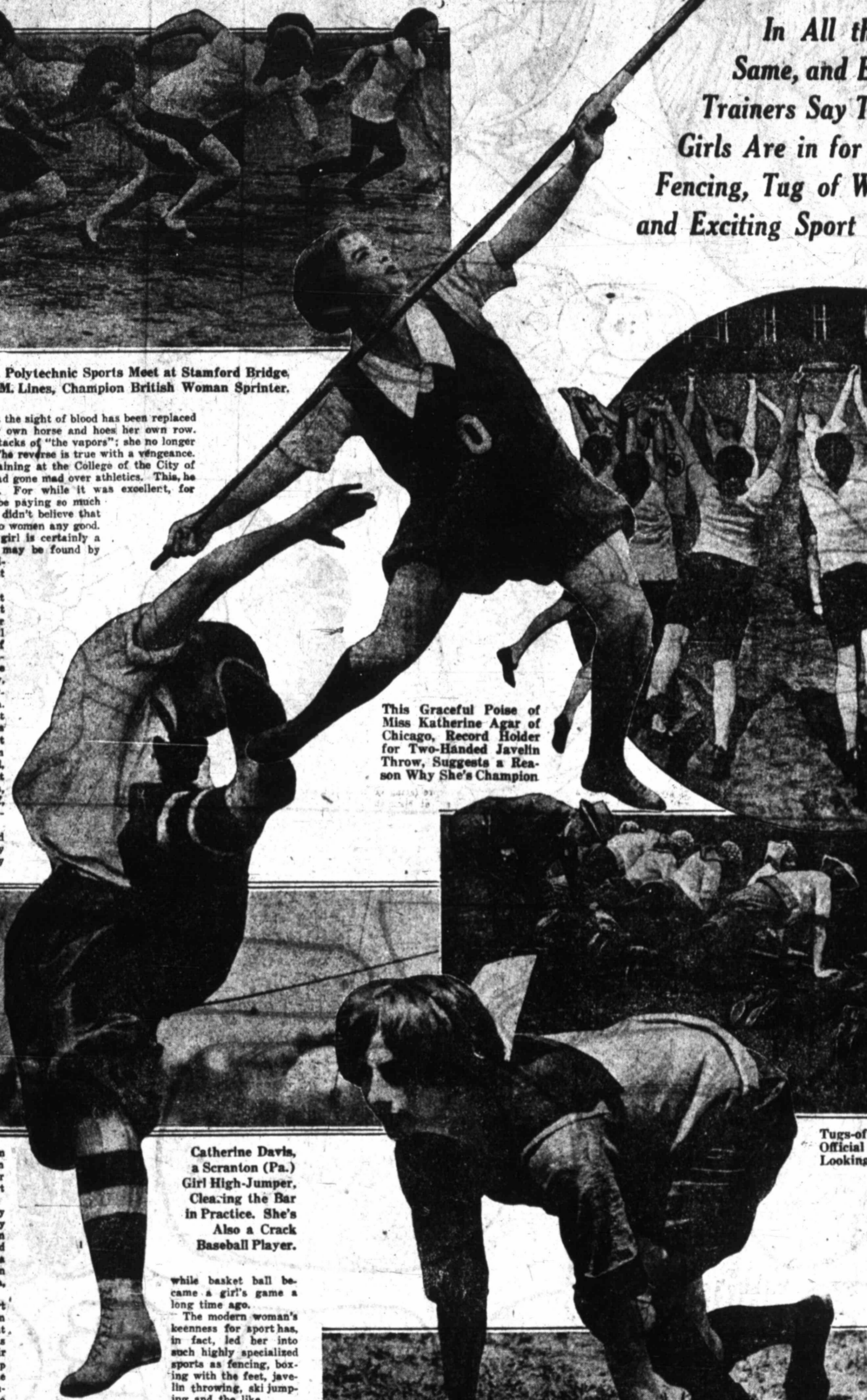
In less than 50 years the girl who swooned at the sight of blood has been replaced by the girl who drives her own car, rides her own horse and hoos her own row. The gentle woman no longer goes in for attacks of "the vapors"; she no longer holds all forms of physical activity unavailably. The reverse is true with a vengeance.

Dr. Frederick A. Woll, head of physical training at the College of the City of New York, said recently that the modern girl had gone mad over athletics. This, he regarded as not altogether an unmixed blessing. For while it was excellent, for the women and for the race, that girls should be paying so much attention to the development of their bodies, he didn't believe that the more violent forms of athletics would ever do women any good. But whether for good or for evil, the modern girl is certainly a partisan of the strenuous life. Proof of this may be found by glancing at any sporting page. It is further evident in the fact that the biggest athletic event of 1922 will be a purely woman's affair.

This event—the first international track meet for women—will be held in Pershing Stadium at Paris next week. Women athletes from all over the world will compete and the United States will send a delegation, headed by Florida Bateson of New York and New Orleans, that will be composed of representatives from every state. The date that marks this event will be important in history.

Miss Bateson, captain of the team, has proportions that closely approach physical perfection. She is a Smith College girl, is blue-eyed, and just twenty. The tape reveals her measurements as follows: Height, 5-4; weight, 117 pounds; right arm bicep, 9-1-18; left arm bicep, 12-1/2; right arm bicep doubled, 11-1-16; left arm bicep doubled, 10-1/2; right forearm and left forearm, 9-1/2; right and left wrist, 6-1/2; neck, 12-1/2; waist, 25; hips, 34; right and left thighs, 18; knees, 13; calf, 12-1/2; ankles, 7-1/2. She says she got these proportions from systematic exercising.

Preliminary events held all over the United States served to emphasize the part played by athletics in the lives of modern women. Not only



This Graceful Poise of Miss Katherine Agar of Chicago, Record Holder for Two-Handed Javelin Throw, Suggests a Reason Why She's Champion



Catherine Davis, a Scranton (Pa.) Girl High-Jumper, Clearing the Bar in Practice. She's Also a Crack Baseball Player.

while basket ball became a girl's game a long time ago.

The modern woman's keenness for sport has, in fact, led her into such highly specialized sports as fencing, boxing with the feet, javelin throwing, ski jumping and the like.

According to experts women should eventually become better fencers than men. Already one woman is threatening the supremacy of the male fencers in America. She is Miss Adeline Gehrig, a New York stenographer, who in her leisure time became champion woman fencer of the United States.

When Miss Gehrig was a very young child she longed for activity and freedom, but her elders discountenanced the idea. They didn't consider it good training for a young woman. But she climbed trees and ran races all the same and her friends and neighbors rebuked her by calling her a tomboy. When she grew up, though, she had a well-trained body and was not slow in taking her place high among the American women athletes.

Her entry into fencing was accidental. She happened to be handling a foil in the presence of an instructor at the New York Fencing Club. He came over and urged her to take instructions, saying that she seemed to know instinctively the correct movement of wrist and arm. She took his advice and has been champion of America for the past two years. Recently Miss Gehrig won the title of all-round champion athlete in a meet held at Chicago.

But it is not merely the specialist and the champion who is mad about athletics. It is true of the great majority of all women in America



Maybelle Gilliland of Leonia, N. J. Has Been Chosen to Represent America on the Track Team at the International Athletic Meet for Women Next Week at Pershing Stadium, Paris.

and England and to a less extent in other European countries.

Now are they contented to stick to tennis and golf. Those who are not doing distance swimming are playing polo, basket ball, handball or going in for marathon running and other track athletics. At a recent meet held at Brighton Beach, New York, for the purpose of making

final selections for the team that will represent America in Paris, a number of hurdling and jumping records were established. Several New York athletic trainers who saw the meet declared that such finely developed women had never before been seen in history—even in the days of the old Greek gymnasium when women took exercises along with the men.



Tugs-of-War Are Popular in England. Picture Shows an Official of the Lyons Sports Meet at Sudbury Hill, Eng., Looking for Spikes on the Back of the Contestants.

the great improvement in records made by women athletes during the past few years is due to the gradual overthrow of traditional restraint ingrained by the inherent fear of being "unrefined," "unwomanly" or "like a tomboy." They have adopted the regulation clothes in every sport now. In England girls run at track meets in regulation running shirts and pants. Miss Dorothy Brough of Temple University, Philadelphia, uses that costume exclusively. She recently did the 100-yard dash in 12.1 seconds. And Geraldine Bundy, Ethel King, Ella Stringham, Fanny Rubinstein, Theodora Ellis and Susie Smith of Oakland, Cal., have also donned the regulation togs.

Out-of-Door Girls, Aided

The Camp Fire Girls organization has also contributed much to the athletic prowess of women. Archery has received a great boom since the girls revived it. Helen Hargett, Kathryn Jackson and Igebord Williamson, Middle West champions of the bow, have reached amazed success with the winged shaft.

But such authorities as Dr. Woll believe that women have gone too far. "Women are constituted differently from men," he said. "They have certain organisms which are simply unable to stand strains such as men sometimes undergo. And she has situations and duties in life which require a different sort of adjustment of nerves and muscles than men. I am all for the out-of-door girl; I am glad to see women so very much interested in physical development. But they should avoid games that entail sudden shocks or heavy strains."

German health authorities evidently dissent from this belief, for they have established systems of training for girls students in the public schools which is quite as comprehensive as any ever applied to male students. A decrease in the national birth rate led the government to revise and broaden the course in physical training for women. Now they are claiming that Germany has advanced farther than any other nation on earth in giving its women the proper physical training.

have a quantity of first rate women athletes been brought to the fore, but the number of women who go in for sports proved amazingly large. Nor is this interest in athletics confined to one part of the country.

In the South, where the tradition of luxury and ease for women is strongest, quite as many sound athletes proportionate to the population were brought forth as in any other section. And it may be stated in this connection that Alena Stirling, the present Metropolitan golf champion of New York and former champion of America, was reared and learned all her golf in Georgia.

Women entered athletics for the most part through swimming. Twenty years ago, when women were still supposed to scream at the sight of blood, swimming parties were social events almost entirely. Male swimmers would take their wives, sisters and sweethearts along to make up an appreciative audience. Occasionally one of the girls ventured into the water to "learn swimming." But at the same time she would continue to learn swimming for three or four years. It was generally concluded that she—and all like her—were interested more in their instructors than in getting results.

After a while, though, women began to take swimming seriously. The establishment of Y. W. C. A. buildings containing swimming pools did much to stimulate the love for swimming in women. For there they could go about the business of learning with a serious mind and without any men about to laugh at their appearance or lack of skill.

American Swimming Supremacy

Meanwhile, of course, women were achieving a new athletic freedom in all occidental countries with the result that at the last Olympic meet in Antwerp there was a gathering of water nymphs such as the world had never seen before. American supremacy was easily established and held. Such swimmers as Ethelda Bleibtrey, Helen Wainwright, Charlotte Boyle, Aileen Riggan, Alice Lord and many others represent perfection in physical development because of their swimming and have rolled up many brilliant records.

Now women are crowding men in all departments of sport. Even such exclusively male games as football and baseball are opening up to women.