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## ADMIRAL PUBLICLY REBUKED AS RESULT OF LONDON ADDRESS

Washington, June 24.—Secretary Denby "publicly" reprimanded Rear Admiral S. Sims as a result of the speech of the Admiral in London June 7, in which he criticized Sinn Fein sympathizers in America.

In the reprimand Mr. Denby pointed out that once before the navy department had found it necessary to take similar action against the officer for an address delivered in London in 1911, and, referring to the text of that reprimand, added: "Your remarks on the occasion now under discussion, therefore, constitute a flagrant violation and deliberate disregard of specific instructions."

The text of Secretary Denby's reprimand follows:

"On June 8, 1921, there appeared in the public press throughout the country a report of certain statements alleged to have been made by you on the occasion of a luncheon given in London on the previous day of which you were the guest of the English Speaking Union.

"These statements, if correctly reported, deal with matters which properly should be the subject for comment by no high governmental official other than one to whom the care of our foreign policy is intrusted.

"Your letter of June 22, in which you furnished the department with an abstract of the speech delivered by you on the occasion in question, confirms in essential points the aforesaid press reports and shows that on a public occasion in a foreign country you gave utterance to the following statements:

"I do not want to touch on the Irish question, for I know nothing about it, and have not run across anybody in England who does. But there are some people in our country who technically are Americans, some of them naturalized and some native born; but some of them are not really Americans at all. Some of these people are now trying to destroy the good relations between our two countries.

"They are Americans when they want money but Sinn Feiners when on the platform. They are like the zebra, either white horses with black stripes or black horses with white stripes. We know that they are not horses. And some people think they are asses, but each one of these asses had a vote and it is one of the inconveniences of a republican form of government, that American born citizens thought it necessary to cater to these votes. This necessarily created a wrong impression on this side as to the sentiments of the great body of Americans, but the people of Great Britain know how much confidence to place in resolutions which are voiced by these jack-ass votes.

"Eleven years ago I made a prophecy which came true. I will venture another now. I believe I shall live to see the day when the English-speaking peoples of the world will come together in bonds of comradeship; and if they do, they

## "STOP TALKING TO CUT EXPENSES."

Washington, June 30.—Miss Alice Robertson, Republican Representative from Oklahoma, today suggested to the House one means of reducing governmental expenditures. Her advice was "stop talking and the bill" for printing the Congressional Record will be reduced. Representatives applauded the finding of a woman who did not want to talk, but they kept right on "talking."

Five hours were spent in debate on an amendment to the farm loan act which Representative McLaughlin, Nebraska, said would not be opposed by a dozen members.

"I am not going to talk much for I realize that silence truly is golden and that every extra word we speak here makes that much more expense to the United States Government," said Miss Robertson. "Some of us should begin to save money by stopping talking."

## LABOR BOARD CUTS WAGES ON 100 LINES

Chicago, June 27.—Employs on virtually every railroad in the country will feel the 12 per cent cut in wages, ordered by the United States labor board to take effect July 1, following a supplemental decision today extending the order to nearly 100 additional roads.

The wage slash authorized by the board, on June 1 to take effect next Friday originally contemplated 104 railroads, although not all employees were affected on all roads. Today's addendum to that decision included 210 roads, many of which were parties of the original decision but which returned to ask reduction for classes of their employees not covered in the first order.

The reductions authorized today were identical with those of the original order, the only change being the addition of rates for marine workers in certain harbors and of a section covering restaurant and dining car employees whose wages were expected reduced by 60 per cent of all increases received since February 19, 1920.

With the exception of a few subsidiary lines, whose parent owners filed petitions for reductions, every railroad in the country affected by decision number two, the labor board's six hundred million dollar wage award of July, 1920, has now been authorized to reduce wages an average of 12 per cent. Most of them have received such permission for all classes of employees. In addition nearly two score other roads which voluntarily applied the increased scale fixed by the board in 1920 also have received authorization to make a similar cut.

The labor board recently estimated that its 12 per cent reduction would lop approximately four hundred million from the nation's railroad wage bill if applied to all employees. Comparatively few roads now have a full quota of employees, but restoration of normal conditions and application of the board's cut to all employees of the larger railroads will make the four hundred million dollar reduction a reality.

## G. D. HINSON HAS NEW EXPERIENCE WITH APPARATUS

G. D. Hinson has a cow that for a while did not stand as still as he would like while he was milking. In a conversation with the popular hardware man, G. B. Johnson, he told Mr. Johnson about the trouble he was having with his cow. Ben, as he is familiarly known, persuaded Mr. Hinson to let him order a device to put on his cow that would make her stand while milking. The order was made but it took a month for the apparatus to arrive. In the meantime the cow made no effort to move while being milked, due to the fact that Mr. Hinson had manicured his nails. The cow was all right all the time but his finger nails were too long.

After the apparatus had arrived and Mr. Hinson had paid Mr. Johnson in full, he wanted to see how it would work, although his cow had behaved beautifully ever since he had manicured his nails. He had some difficulty in adjusting the appliance, as he was not familiar with it and Mr. Johnson had failed to enclose instructions. After it was carefully clamped on the cow's legs Mr. Hinson was anxious to see if it would measure up to Mr. Johnson's claims. In order to give it a test, Mr. Hinson proceeded to pinch the cow, which made her attempt to move, and on finding out that her hind feet were bound together she performed such antics as only the bovine species can when something unusual is done to them. Mr. Hinson got out of her way and for a time she pulled off a wild west scene that would have done credit to Buffalo Bill's show. With difficulty Mr. Hinson removed the appliance from his cow. He has decided that the most satisfactory way is to keep his finger nails cut closely; then he has no trouble in milking his cow in peace.

Chester Prideaux of Fort Worth came in Saturday night and will spend several days on the ranch.

## SHERIFF SAYE AND DEPUTIES FIND CHOC BEER

Sheriff Saye, deputy Arthur Graves and Constable Finis Burnett found three cases of "choc" beer under a hotel in South Bend yesterday. They were unable to find the owner of the beer.

The sheriff issued orders to all people in South Bend and other places that are out of employment and making no effort to obtain same that they must move on. Sheriff Saye is determined to put a stop to gambling, bootlegging and other vice and feels that disposing of the idlers will soon stop these evils.

According to Sheriff Saye the two men, Luper, and Pettigrew, who were arrested recently for selling intoxicating liquor are under \$1500 bonds to appear before the grand jury.

## COMPANIES ADVANCE AUTO INSURANCE 25 PER CENT IN TEXAS

Dallas, June 23.—Fire and theft insurance rates on automobiles in Texas will be advanced about 25 per cent on July 1, according to announcement of agents here. At the same time insurance on extra tires and equipment carried on cars for emergency will be eliminated altogether. Increasing loss ratios, due to activities of thieves and burning of cars by unscrupulous persons for the purpose of collecting insurance, is the cause of the increased rates, insurance men say.

The increases will amount to \$500,000 in premiums in North Texas and the Panhandle and over a million dollars in the State, it is said. Insurance men declare the losses on these risks have been 300 per cent recently and that the rates will not be reduced until a proven reduction in loss ratios is shown. Theft and burning activities have been so great in North Texas lately that insurance companies now have a special squad of detectives in this section investigating the situation, it was said.

## MRS. E. H. MORRISON HONORS MRS. BARRY OF A. & M. COLLEGE

In honor of Mrs. Maggie W. Barry, of the Home Economics Department of A. & M. College and for thirty years professor of English at Kidd-Key College, Mrs. E. H. Morrison entertained with an informal reception at her home on Thursday afternoon at 4:30.

Members of the C. L. S. C. and Civic League Clubs together with all former Kidd-Key girls residing in Graham were guests of the occasion.

White badges with the word Kidd-Key printed in blue carrying out the college colors of blue and white were pinned on the twenty former Kidd-Key student present, representing the years from 1889 to 1922.

Bunches of sweet peas, Shasta daisies, marigolds and roses lent color to the occasion. Mrs. Robert L. Morrison, Mrs. Charles E. Hinson and Miss Eloise Morrison received the guests at the door. The punch bowl, surrounded by sweet peas, was presided over by Misses Lois Morrison, Fay Jordan and Mary Hudson. Mrs. Barry gave an interesting and illuminating talk on Community Co-operation. In her charming manner, she also gave readings from Shakespeare's King Henry V, and from Browning.

Mrs. Barry plans to be in Graham again some time in the Fall and help organize the women of this and surrounding communities into a federation to promote the best interests of the county.

## CHANDLER SPEEDSTER STOLEN

A Chandler Speedster, sport model, belonging to R. E. Bradford was stolen Tuesday night from the west side of the square in front of the National Theatre.

## FIRST TRAIN CROSSES OVER BRAZOS RIVER

The first train to cross the Brazos river bridge on the Wichita Falls and Southern extension from Graham went through at 3 p. m. Monday, according to H. F. McFarland, chief engineer. This is two days sooner than was contemplated.

Regular service between Wichita Falls and South Bend will start July 1, with the departure at 8 a. m. of the special excursion train, carrying several cars of local representatives. A good time and celebration is planned at South Bend on July 1 and 2, to observe the opening of the extension and communication by rail with the outside world.

## NASH CAR AND FORD TRUCK COLLIDE ON EAST FOURTH STREET

An accident happened on Fourth Street Friday night that came very near proving serious. Willie Wallace was driving east in a Nash car and collided with a Ford truck which belonged to a local transfer company. Ed Simmons was driving the truck. He was considerably bruised 'up but the truck was only slightly damaged.

Mr. Wallace was thrown against his steering wheel. He was not hurt very much but his car sustained considerable damage.

The Leader was not able to learn the cause of the accident.

## MRS. JUDITH MAYES DIES AT OLD HOME PLACE NEAR MURRAY

Mrs. Judith Amanda Mayes died at her old home place in the Murray community last Wednesday and was buried at the Tyra cemetery Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

She was born in Kentucky in 1848 and moved to Texas with her parents when she was a child. In 1876 she moved to the Murray community, in Young county, where she has resided ever since.

Her husband was killed on the Peter Dobbs hill one mile west of Graham about eighteen years ago. He was driving his team down the hill when some part of the harness or wagon broke so that he could not manage his team.

"Aunt Judith," as Mrs. Mayes was called, professed religion while young and has been a member of the Baptist church about sixty years. At the time of her death she was a member of the Megargel Baptist Church. She is survived by four sons, Lacy, Claude, Charlie and Joe, and two daughters, Mrs. Will Walech and Mrs. Joe Cross, all of whom were present at the funeral. One son, Walter, preceded her. In addition to her children, she has a large number of grandchildren and other relatives to mourn her death.

Rev. G. W. Black, who has been a friend of the family for forty years and her pastor for several years, conducted the funeral in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends. There were several cars of people from Graham at the funeral.

Aunt Judith will be missed by her friends and relatives, and the Leader joins in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

## G. P. BAKER, 71, DIES AT BERWICK

Mr. G. P. Baker of Berwick died last Wednesday and was buried at Loving Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Mr. Baker was 71 years old and had been an honored citizen in this country many years. He had been married twice. Six children were born to his first union. Four of these and his present wife and four children and many other relatives and friends were spent at the funeral.

His son, Walter Baker, is manager of The John E. Morrison Company, Loving, Texas. With the passing of this good man another useful citizen has been taken from us.

## IMPORTANT OIL DEALS ARE MADE IN IVAN FIELDS

T. A. Johnson, a brotlier-in-law of Lee Repass, was in Graham Tuesday. Mr. Johnson has eight wells producing 2,600 barrels of oil daily on the S. W. 1-4 section 15, block 2 S. P. E. Company. This lease was recently purchased by the Simms Oil Corporation from the Link Oil Corporation for \$850,000.00, which was 520.00 an acre.

This lease is about three miles northwest of Ivan.

Lee Repass stated to The Leader reporter Tuesday that another important transfer had been made in the Ivan field recently but he was not in possession of all the facts. A greater price was paid than for the Link interests.

Twelve new locations have been made recently between Ivan and Bunker. Several tests are being made in Bunker and as soon as the price of oil starts upward many more tests will be made. At the present time many new wells are coming in but the number of new locations will be limited until the price of oil is more stable.

There are nearly one hundred producing wells in Young county now and about the same number drilling. Young county is one of the greatest oil counties in the State.

## 1800 BARREL GUSHER IN IVAN TERRITORY.

The M. & M. Drilling Company— Ivan Gin Lot well came in Monday at 3220 feet and is producing 1800 barrels. Much importance is attached to this well as it extends the territory north and east. It is three-fourths of a mile north of the big Martin well, that has been producing more than a year, and one-half mile east of the Phoenix and Jackson-Norton No. 1.

The well was struck at 3179 feet and after drilling fifty-two feet in the line an 1800 barrel gusher was brought in. The Ivan field is one of the best in the whole country. Development has been rapid. A little more than a year ago there were only five business houses in Ivan. Today there are more than forty and many more are under construction. This magic oil city is twenty-one miles southeast of Graham.

## BUSINESS IMPROVES AS GRAIN CROP IS PLACED ON MARKET

There was a large crowd in the city last Saturday and business was good. The reporter visited a number of the stores and found the clerks busy waiting on the customers. The managers of the stores were pleased and expressed satisfaction in the amount of business being done. At this season of the year there is always a dull due to the fact the farming class is busy on the farm. At this particular time everybody is harvesting the small grain crop. The acreage this year is unusually large as very little cotton has been planted this season.

In some sections the yield of wheat is not large while in others it is fine. Some places are reporting eighteen to twenty bushels to the acre, while others are reporting as low as four and five.

Cotton prospects at present are not very promising but it is too early to make predictions on the cotton crop. If the feed crop and cotton crop this year will be as good as the wheat and oat crops Young county will be able to tide over.

The Leader realizes that the prices received for the products are low and wages are high but we still believe that the best policy is to produce as much as possible and waste as little as possible. We should consume as much as we need and want. There is a vast difference between wasting and consuming. Wasting is an economic loss and consumption is really a gain.

Mrs. S. M. Wilson and children and Miss Nadine Handy of Dallas, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Handy.

## FRIENDS UNVEIL MONUMENT TO MRS. CURTIS THURSDAY

Standing under a canopy of umbrellas to keep off the drizzling rain that fell throughout the ceremonies, State officers of the Texas Women's Christian Temperance Union and others paid tribute to the life and work of Mrs. Nannie Webb Curtis, former president of the Texas W. C. T. U., at the unveiling last Thursday of the monument that marks the grave of Mrs. Curtis in the Oakland cemetery in Dallas.

The ceremonies were simple, but the tributes were full of the love and esteem in which the departed leader was held. Mrs. P. V. Heigel, vice president of the Dallas Federation of the W. C. T. U., presided at the ceremonies, conducted under the auspices of the State organization, in the absence of Mrs. C. R. Porter, president of the Dallas Federation, who was unable to attend. Mrs. J. B. Ammerman of Fort Worth, vice president of the Texas W. C. T. U., unveiled the monument.

The principal tribute of the occasion was the address of Mrs. Cora B. Megrall of Grand Prairie, president of the Texas W. C. T. U. Other officers of the State organization present and participating in the ceremonies were Mrs. May Manifold Kirsham of Fort Worth, treasurer, Mrs. Fred Lawson of Ennis, recording secretary; Mrs. E. R. Ballard of Dallas, president of the fifth district of the State organization.

Among out-of-town people present were W. E. Webb of Hubbard City and C. L. Webb of Waco, sons of Mrs. Curtis; Hazel Webb, a grandchild; Mrs. C. L. Webb, Mrs. E. H. Clanton, Mrs. Harriet Trimble and Mrs. Alice Littleton of Ennis.

The unveiling ceremonies were held on the anniversary of the birth of Mrs. Curtis, her birthday being June 22, 1861. She died March 29, 1920, and it was announced that the latter day, called her "heavenly birthday," has been set aside for annual observance by members of the Texas W. C. T. U. For ten years Mrs. Curtis was president of the State organization, continuing in that office from the time of her first election until her death.

Discussing "Her Legacy," Mrs. Megrall, the present head of the Texas W. C. T. U., said in part:

"The devoted sons of this peerless mother have erected to her memory this beautiful shaft of enduring marble, but she erected for herself a far more enduring monument in the hearts of the people. Her comrades in service have set aside March 29, the anniversary of her homegoing, to be observed by the unions of the organization with appropriate programs and to add to the Curtis memorial fund such sums as shall extend the work she loved above all others throughout all Texas.

"This statesmanlike woman led the Texas W. C. T. U. to heights of influence and power. Her character, while strong and sturdy, was as fragrant and beautiful as a flower. She possessed untiring energy and indomitable courage. Today we revere her memory and thank God for her marvelous leadership. We follow in her footsteps up the steep and rugged mountain side of enforcing the dry laws she worked so hard to attain and to retain scientific temperance teaching in the public schools, Americanization of foreign-born, the five points of child welfare, the promotion of world prohibition, the single standard of morals and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and law, and with unaltering faith declare with this heroic soul: 'We know we are to win.'"

"Her last message to her Texas comrades was: 'Tell the dear women to be brave and ask God for big things.'"

## MRS. PARCHMAN, 82, DIES AT SOUTH BEND

Mrs. Parchman of South Bend died Sunday afternoon. She was eighty-two years old. The body was sent to Mt. Vernon, Texas, for burial. She has not lived here long and The Leader reporter was unable to get a history of her life. People who usually to the age this good woman did live have a varied and useful experience to relate.

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STEPPING ON CORNS

It all depends upon whose corns are stepped on.

American heads of oil interests in Mexico are weeping salty tears because of Obregon's tax of 25 per cent on oil exports. They are moving heaven and earth and beseeching the doorsteps of American officials with pleas to have the tax removed.

And yet oil operators of America have with equal truth pointed out that lack of tax on Mexican oil is "unfair, unjust and calculated to drive Americans from the oil fields," they say.

They have been driven from the oil fields of Texas and Oklahoma and other states by the thousands, during the last six months. The biggest industry of America has dwindled until new production is an undesired child of its makers' industry, and wildcatting—the life of the oil business—has shrunk to zero.

That condition is brought about by unprofitable prices. Whether those low prices can be positively laid at the door of Mexican oil perhaps will never be known. But certainly it is a plausible theory that Mexican oil is the pretext used, if not the actual cause of the drop.

Any tax on Mexican oil, whether applied by the United States or by Mexico, will have the hearty backing of American oil producers, and though congress and officialdom have as yet turned a deaf ear upon protection for oil, they will yet see the light. Either that, or the nefarious designs of the alleged tariff bills for the protection of American industry, but which in reality are cloaks to protect the avarice of profiteers, will be exposed, and the people will speak again in 1922.

If there is need for an emergency tariff on any American product, there is need for one on oil.—Ranger Times.

A COMMENDABLE STAND

Indefinitely repudiating tendency to join the International Federation of Trade Unions the American Federation of Labor consistently lives up to its name. It is an American organization, one concerned with advancing the cause of the workingmen of this country and not with prompting revolutionary plots against European governments.

Several months ago the American Federation issued a ringing declaration against bolshevism as the enemy, not the friend, of the wage-earner. It showed how the Leninist dictatorship was one of virtual slavery for Russian toilers, who were denied not merely freedom of contract, but were compelled to see where ever they were commanded by the government and at such wages as it chose to establish. The International Federation's activities have brought it under suspicion of being a form of bolshevik propaganda. Certainly it is a prolific trouble-maker, seeking to foment class war in Europe and tear down existing governments by whatever means best suit its purposes.

In saying notice that the "American" in its title means what it says, the American Federation of Labor shows it is steering the safe, straight loyal course to prosperity and the respect of the nation. Another good piece of work by the American Federation was rejection of the "one big union" idea. Of course the scheme had no chance of endorsement, but it was gratifying to see the convention jump on it with both feet.

B. M. Grafton, of the State Fire Insurance Commission, was in the city Friday on an inspection trip.

FARM BUREAU DECLARATION OF ECONOMIC INDEPENDENCE

It has come to pass that the business of agriculture, the basic industry of mankind, enjoys the least profits in times of prosperity and suffers the greatest losses in times of depression; that commerce and finance, the economic agencies of distribution and accommodation, are absorbing an undue share of the wealth which the farm and ranch produce, and that as a consequence the standards of living are the lowest and the prospects for accumulation the gloomiest among those who furnish food and raiment of the world.

Such a condition is unnatural, unjust, intolerable, and if continued will subvert the entire social order, for it is the teaching of all human experience that either political or economic oppression will sooner or later provoke destructive reaction.

To avert this great disaster and to secure for ourselves and other tillers of the soil the fair reward of intelligent effort, we declare our purpose to wage war against all preventable waste and sharp practice in the distribution of our products, to obtain for the industry of agriculture financial and credit accommodation adapted to its peculiar needs of commerce, and to demand that our commodities correctly graded, packed and housed shall move to the ultimate markets of the world in an orderly way as they are required, without dumping and without speculative hoarding.

To these ends we invoke the wisdom of co-operative counsel and the use of co-operative might in production, in marketing and in financing, in preventing an excess of supply and in receiving the full benefit of demand, for we realize that separately we cannot match wits or powers with artful traders, but that jointly we can employ or develop the skill which other organized enterprises now command and that thus equipped we can deal on equal terms with the masters of commerce in merchandising the products of the soil.

We realize that we shall make mistakes, that we shall encounter opposition from selfish interests and from those who despise the farmers' intelligence and his ability to rise to his rightful place in the business world, but we will persevere to the end. We seek no advantage; we plan no monopoly; we are content to earn our bread by the sweat of the face, but we refuse longer to be exploited without resisting and we are resolved to accomplish our economic independence, to provide our families with the comforts of modest and wholesome living and to preserve for our country the saving force of a progressive, prosperous and contented husbandry.

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FOR BETTER MAIL SERVICE

There are few public utilities more widely used in any given community or throughout the entire country than is the postoffice. And there is none for the effective operation of which it is more necessary than it is in the case of our mail service that the individual should have some knowledge of how it is conducted.

Many people think the activity of the postoffice is confined to the collection and delivery of letters and postcards, with an occasional parcel thrown in for good measure. They would be surprised to learn how much of its attention is given over to other lines, such as the insurance of mail matter, collect-on-delivery service, registry division, and money order and postal savings system.

Except that it may reach its destination as quickly as possible, it is to many of us a matter of little concern as to what happens to a letter when it has been dropped into the nearest mail box. How many are necessary to take care of persons before this letter is finally delivered into the next county or across three continents, is a question to which we give very seldom even the slightest thought. And consequently we do not give any thought either to the question of what the sender may do to reduce to the least possible amount the work of getting this letter to its destination.

Some day an expert in such matters will calculate to a nicety how much in hours of work and money might be saved to the nation in the course of a year if the sender of a letter would be only a bit more careful in addressing it and putting his return address on the envelope. When we learn how much may be saved in this manner, we shall all be surprised beyond measure. By a writer on this subject it was said some years ago that 39,000,000 pieces of mail matter went to the dead letter office each year. If it were more widely known that it is, to what extent this adds to the cost of our mail service, every letter-writer in this country would see the necessity of taking more pains in addressing letters.

DOES ADVERTISING PAY?

Several years ago this was a debatable question among the business men of the country, but today the large corporations and other firms well know that their success has been built upon advertising.

It is hardly probable that many of the great distributors of the land would pay twenty thousand dollars for a single double page ad in the Saturday Evening Post if they did not know that it was bringing back to them proper returns on the investment.

The larger firms of the cities now make annual appropriations for their advertising, and this appropriation is always among the most important items in the yearly budget.

The man who constructively advertises is the one who keeps his business before the public, who wins the confidence of the people and makes a people know that he wants their business. In this day and time the man who fails to see the benefits derived from advertising will sooner or later find himself swallowed up by competition. The big city houses are constantly reaching out for more business and the only way that the firms in the smaller towns can compete with him is to use the same policy.—Advertise.

modation adapted to its peculiar needs of commerce, and to demand that our commodities correctly graded, packed and housed shall move to the ultimate markets of the world in an orderly way as they are required, without dumping and without speculative hoarding.

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Under authority of an order issued out of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas, I will offer for sale, at public sale, for cash, at Newcastle, Young County, Texas, between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., July 16th, 1921, the following property, a part of the assets of M. O. McDowell, Bankrupt, to-wit:

Lots 10 and 11, Block 52, City of Newcastle, Young County, Texas. Right reserved to reject any and all bids received, and all sales subject to the approval of the court. 44-46c THELBERT MARTIN, Trustee.

519 City Nat'l Bank Bldg., Wichita Falls, Texas.

Two girls unfamiliar with baseball were watching the local nine play a visiting team last Saturday.

"Isn't that fine?" remarked one girl. "We have a man on every base."

"Why, that's nothing," said the other, "so have they."—Ex.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS

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TULSA UNIVERSITY FACULTY MEMBERS MUST NOT DANCE

Tulsa, Okla., June 24.—By a ruling established by the board of trustees at a meeting Thursday, members of the faculty of the University of Tulsa are banned from attending dances during the collegiate year hereafter. Such a clause is included in their contracts. It is claimed this ruling was adopted as an influence for good upon the student body.

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## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING GROWING IN POPULAR FAVOR

Austin, June 30.—Miss Jane Duffy, director of the school of public health nursing of the University of Texas, announces that field work will be done in Austin during the next session instead of Houston, as heretofore. Fall term of the school will begin with the opening of the regular session of the University in September. The course in public health nursing consists of three months of theory and two months devoted to practice. Only graduate nurses are admitted. The class that finished the theoretical course at the University at the close of the spring term is now in Houston doing community nursing. After completing two months of this work they will be assigned to positions in various parts of the State.

According to Miss Duffy the demand for these nurses in Texas and other states is much greater than the supply.

## AERIAL DAREDEVILS PERFORM AT 300-MILE RACE

Arthur Oakley, aerial spider and Dorsy Askew, former army aviator and stunt flier, have been secured by the Dodge City Motor Speedway Club to perform again this year at the national championship 300-mile motorcycle race here July 4, and those who saw the performance of Oakley and Askew last year will remember the thrilling climax late in the afternoon when their airplane crashed to earth upon a speeding motor car from which Oakley was attempting to change to the airplane.

Up to the time of Oakley's last year attempt to mount the plane from a motor car traveling 60 miles an hour around the two mile speedway, the feat had never been accomplished. In recent months aerial acrobats have succeeded in performing the stunt, but under some what more favorable circumstances and after repeated attempts.

At the 300-mile race last year Oakley mounted the super-six speedster from which he was to change to the plane confident that he could accomplish the feat for the first time in the history of stunt flying. He had never tried the trick before. After three unsuccessful attempts to grasp the swinging chain ladder, the fourth trial found him successful. As he was about half way up the ladder toward the cockpit and as Askew his pilot, began to rise and sweep away over the cheering thousands in the grandstands and in the quarter stretch of the big oval, the long ladder caught in the rear spring of the motor car. Hesitating in its flight for a moment, the big plane lurched forward and upward, dragging the super-six half way around and plunged to the earth with the motor car and its occupants beneath the wrecked mass. Thousands gasped at the sight of the crash, women screamed and men began rushing to the scene of the accident, fearing that none had survived.

Fortunately none was seriously injured with the exception of Oakley's machanician, Fullerton, who sustained a fractured skull. For several weeks he hovered between life and death in a local hospital but eventually recovered entirely. The plane was broken in two and was a total loss. The motor car was considerably wrecked, but withstood the shock in remarkable degree. Oakley "found himself" fifty feet from the mass of wreckage while Askew when the first of the spectators reached the scene was complacently sitting in the cockpit of the plane enjoying a cool smoke. Fullerton, the injured man, was thrown to the track on his head or otherwise might have entirely escaped. How the other men in the car escaped will never be known.

Oakley and Askew will be in Dodge City from July 1 to July 5 and will have the exclusive passenger-carrying right from the Speedway landing field. On July 4 they will perform with various stunts for not less than an hour for the racegoers. What is in store for the thousands of spectators this year will not be known until Oakley and Askew get into action.

## HARDING NAMES WOMAN TO COLLECT CUSTOMS

Washington, June 22.—President Harding's first nomination of a woman to be Collector of Customs was sent to the Senate today when he named Jennie P. Musser to be collector for District No. 48, with headquarters at Salt Lake City, Utah.

The nomination of Cyrus S. Woods of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Spain, was sent to the Senate today by President Harding. Mr. Woods selection for the place was announced several days ago.

## Carpentier Had A Real War Record

New York, June 27.—Much has been said of Georges Carpentier's war record. France considers him one of the war idols. In America some say Dempsey's challenge was a slacker who wrapped the flag around him for defense. Others claim that he was virtually drafted and placed far behind the lines, out of danger.

His war record, secured from the Dossier French aviation headquarters, shows that he was a real fighter, spent eighteen months actually at the front and was decorated with the Croix de Guerre and Medaille Militaire.

His service record, which records his every move for five years, shows that he reported at the outbreak of the war in 1914 and was first attached to the Second Aeronautic Division as a chauffeur, in which capacity he served until he received a license as a pilot May 24, 1915.

He was sent to the front with a squadron and remained there three months in active service flying over the German lines in a Farman two-seater. He was sent back as a spare pilot to the general reserve headquarters on August 19, 1915, to await assignment to another escadrille.

Twelve days later he injured his leg in an accident, but recovered and was sent back to the front Sept. 11, 1915, with the Farman escadrille No. 55. He was engaged there in reconnaissance work in preparation for the unsuccessful Champagne drive which began Sept. 25, 1915.

Carpentier won the Croix de Guerre for his work in this offensive with the following citation: "Sept. 25, he did not hesitate to fly during misty weather and rain less than 200 yards above the enemy lines. He has given proof of many circumstances of sangfroid, never returning until his mission was accomplished, often with his machine riddled with bullets and shell splinters."

Carpentier was transferred to man escadrille No. 8 on April 19, 1916, during the attack of the Crown Prince on Verdun.

On Nov. 5, 1916, he received the Medaille Militaire for heroic action during the French counter attack, by which Daumont Vaux was recaptured. The citation follows:

"Sergeant Pilot Carpentier as a clever aviator impresses everyone with bravery executing daily perilous missions. He distinguished himself during the attack October 26 flying over the enemy lines at a low altitude for four hours, despite unfavorable weather and even in contempt of danger."

Carpentier was forced by illness in December, 1916, to quit the front and he never returned. He went to the Vity Chatillon hospital and was then transferred to Clignan Court, just outside Paris. He was granted two months leave Jan. 15, 1917, and in February obtained permission to visit the United States giving exhibitions, but the trip later was called off.

On May 16, 1917, he was assigned the Vity Chatillon hospital and was but was declared unfit to continue as a pilot and was detached from aviation. He then became physical instructor at the Joinville school of the French Army, five miles outside of Paris.

He served as a boxing instructor touring all of the French camps and many of the American camps. Six months after the armistice he was transferred back to aviation and then demobilized.

## League of Nations Has Real Parade

London, June 25.—Thousands of members of the League of Nations Union today marched to Hyde Park where a huge demonstration was held to celebrate the second anniversary of the signing of the peace treaty and the formulation of the League of Nations.

Among the speakers were Lord Robert Cecil, Archbishop of Canterbury, G. N. Barnes, M. P., J. R. Clynes, M. P. From a series of international platforms addresses were given in twelve different languages.

The huge processions were accompanied by detachments from various organizations, and a touch of color was lent by decorated cars and groups or representatives of the forty-eight different nations in the League of Nations in national dress.

The object of the demonstration was to strengthen the membership of the League of Nations Union, which at present exceeds 100,000. It was also designed to educate public opinion on the objects of the union.

Owing to the industrial crisis the original arrangements for a pilgrimage from all parts of the country were abandoned.

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To resolve on the ideals which that home is to represent and express; to decide on the influence it is to have on the family, the community, and eventually on the nation; and to carry out those resolves and decisions, is to have a home that will be a power for good, bringing peace,

contentment, joy and sense of well being to all whom it reaches.

It will be an example for other homes of the future.

That health has much to do with happiness has been realized ever since the first green apple was eaten; but that beauty has much to do with that sensation of joy in life which is called happiness—has been less generally known.

Great artists, and architects, and decorators, have recognized, and practiced this theory for generations, but their work was appreciated and understood only by a few.

It has remained for this generation to recognize the full value of beauty.

And if, after the air castles have

been erected, health and beauty are jointly remembered when the ideal home is planned and chosen, ideals will be realized.

I. W. Steele, of Ivan, passed through Graham Friday returning from a trip to Mineral Wells, Fort Worth and Dallas.

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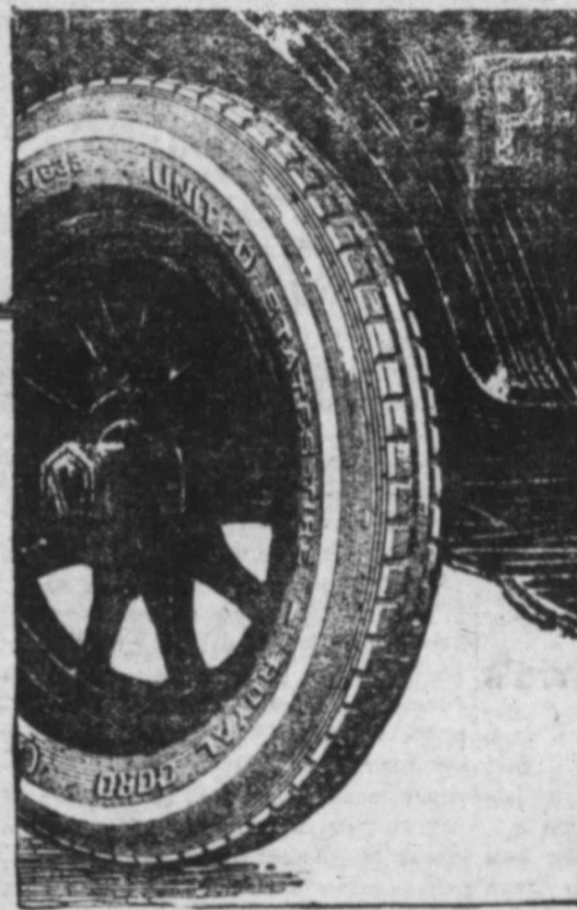
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Almost every day you come across the man human enough to believe he can outguess the cut-price tag on "job-lots," "discontinued lines" and "surplus stocks."

His opposite is the hard-pan car owner who sticks year in and year out to a standard brand as the only rational economy.

Many will remember the scarcity of U. S. Tires last year.

A hardship at the time, but a benefit now. There are no U. S. Tires to be worked off—no accumulations—no forced selling of any U. S. brand—no shipping of tires from one part of the

country to another to "find a market."

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TEXAS GARAGE, Cluskey City, Texas.  
LAKE CITY SUPPLY STATION, Ellaville, Texas

## JUDGE E. B. MUSE SPEAKS PLAINLY ON KU KLUX KLAN

"The American flag has no place at the head of a procession of men who hide their faces behind a mask," said Judge E. B. Muse of Dallas recently. In that saying Judge Muse not only announced a truth in a form that is likely to stick in the memory of many, but he also announced himself as a consistent and fearless exponent of law and justice. There is no mealy-mouthed mincing of words in what the Judge thinks of the Ku Klux Klan or in what he has to say about that organization avowedly formed on the assumption of the insufficiency or of the corruption of the American system of legal justice. In a day when representatives of that American system are confronted with lawlessness of so blatant a type as that represented by the masked and sheeted mob it is good to hear the voice of American independence and of American citizenship ring out clear and true.

Dallas and all Texas have reason to be proud of a Judge who has not lost respect for his own ermine nor faith in the fundamental institution and essential law-abiding character of his people. The State needs more men of this type on the bench, in the jury box, at the advocate's bar and at the ballot box. Such men can not be shaken by mummery in the public street or anonymous threats in the dark. Such men yield no censorship over their sentiments to the doings of the so-called "best people" who seek to take the law into their own hands. Such men can be counted upon when the emergency comes. If we had more of them the emergency would not come.

Judge Muse is right in saying that the patriotism of America is a patriotism of light. He is right in denouncing them that love darkness rather than light as unworthy of the flag of the free. He is right in holding up to scorn the lawless who commit crime in the name of a self-righteousness and wreak vengeance on suspects without either adequate trial or investigation. He is right, and because he is right his words will be applauded by sober, thoughtful, conscientious citizens everywhere. —Dallas News.

## B. Y. P. U Social At Miss Calvin's

Last Thursday evening at 8 o'clock the members of the B. Y. P. U. met at the home of Miss Lilli May Calvin for a lawn social. The lawn was beautifully lighted and as the guests arrived they were taken to the punch bowl.

Various games and forms of amusements were indulged in, probably the most amusing being the advice written by the boys for the girls and vice versa.

Ice cream and cake were served to more than fifty young people.

## Crescent Moves From Graham

The Crescent Jewelry Company that has been conducting a jewelry business in the Lynch building on the east side of the square closed up their business last week and moved their goods away from Graham.

The Crescent was a fine company and had one of the most beautiful stores in Graham. The citizens of Graham regretted to see the company move away. The Crescent sold jewelry only and when every one is trying to curtail expenses jewelry is one of the first articles that people cease to buy and as a result the company decided to discontinue their Graham store.

## Henderson Raises Fine Vegetables

W. E. Henderson brought to the Leader office Tuesday samples of vegetables grown in his yard on Plum Street. A Bermuda onion weighed one pound and a beet weighed more than one and one-half pounds.

The soil in and around Graham is well adapted to the growth of vegetables and with little effort people can raise their own vegetables.

A ruling from the Attorney General's office on the new truck tax law, effective this month, declares the law inoperative until the year 1922. This is a great relief to every truck owner in the state as this tax is decidedly burdensome. Gov. Neff has stated that he will submit this law for amendment or repeal at the special session of the Legislature called for next month.

## GRAHAM CHAPTER, U. D. ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

At Masonic Hall on Thursday, June 23, the ladies of Graham met and perfected the organization of Graham Chapter U. D., Order of the Eastern Star with twenty-five charter members.

The Chapter comes into life under most auspicious circumstances, as in its inception the kindly wisdom of a Past Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Texas guided the enthusiasm of the members of the new Chapter. Mrs. Flora A. Penix, Past Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Texas, formerly of Big Spring but now of Graham, has loyally devoted much time to the organization of the Chapter and in instructing the new officers. The members of the new Chapter feel deeply indebted to her for her untiring and faithful efforts.

The following were elected officers:

Mrs. Lillian Widmayer, Worthy Matron.  
J. H. Buchanan, Worthy Patron.  
Mrs. Frank Acheson, Associate Matron.

N. T. Sanford, Secretary.  
Richard Taylor, Treasurer.  
Mrs. L. A. Kayser, Conductress.  
Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, Associate Conductress.

The new officers have been installed and are enthusiastically taking up their duties. So favorable a beginning portends strength for the chapter and advancement for its membership.

Regular meetings are set for every first and third Thursday of each month, and all visiting members of the order are welcome.

## BANKER COMMITTEE MAKES ITS REPORT FOR CONSIDERATION

Dallas, Texas, June 30.—In response to motion passed by the Texas Bankers Association in May a committee composed of Oxsheer Smith, Joseph Hirsch and Lynn P. Talley have presented recommendations regarding the form of assignments and bankers' acceptances to be used in financing advances to members by the Cotton Marketing Association. The following quotation is taken from the report of the bankers committee: "The committee is firmly convinced that the greatest difficulty which has always faced this section of the country at the maturity of the cotton is a necessity for either dumping the production on the market at the time the producers' notes mature and thereby greatly congesting transportation, banking facilities and demoralizing the market, or the necessity of creating some other kind of a credit instrument which can be easily handled, to serve in the gap between the harvesting and the gradual sale of the crop and the realization of its products."

The committee recommends, in addition to the trade acceptances subject to Federal Reserve rediscount, that the cotton growers marketing association arrange with the banks for Bankers' Domestic Acceptance Credits, against which drafts may be drawn. Included in the committee's report are forms worked out for use in financing the Cotton Marketing Association.

The Texas Farm Bureau Farm Marketing Association is now conducting an active campaign to sign up a million bales of cotton. Telegraphic reports from all over the State indicate a satisfactory progress. When the pool is completed Texas farmers will join with Oklahoma in marketing. Oklahoma has already signed up 412,000 bales.

## BRIDEGROOM, 81, TAKES OUT THIRD MARRIAGE LICENSE

Texarkana, June 24.—The oldest man to obtain a marriage license in Miller county in years called on County Clerk Westbrook and secured the document Thursday. He was John Thomas of Rodessa, La., thirty-five miles south of here, and gave his age as 81 years. The age of the bride-elect, Mrs. Mattie Trotter, was given as 64, and her home also is at Rodessa. Thomas has been married twice before.

An Oklahoma judge has ruled that a man doesn't have the right to pull his wife out of bed by the hair. It's strange the way some judges look at matters. Also it is no less surprising that a man will tolerate domestic discord in Oklahoma when he can come to Texas and live in peace, where the women don't have to be dragged out of bed.

## WINCHESTER RIFLE IS DONATED TO GRAHAM GUN CLUB

The Young County Hardware and Furniture Company has donated a 22-Winchester rifle to the Graham Gun Club to be shot for at the regular weekly shoots which are held every Thursday at 4:30 p. m. It is thought that this trophy will cause the members to be more enthusiastic and attend more regularly. The club extends its thanks to the Young County Hardware and Furniture Company for its interest in the success of the club.

The attendance at the regular shoot last Thursday was not well attended as several members were out of the city. On account of the small attendance the Pace Golden cup was not put up at the last shoot but it is expected that a winner will be decided at he shoot this week.

Morris, Shaffer and Gallagher have each won twice and Douglas, Frantz, Gay and Williams have each won once.

A number of visitors were in attendance at the last shoot. Kilgore, Howard and Manrose all shot well.

The score follows:

	Broke	Shot at
Morris	46	50
Shaffer	41	50
Gallagher	39	50
Howard	43	50
Kilgore	40	50
Manrose	39	50
Douglas	38	50

## GOVERNOR APPOINTS H. R. WILSON TO BE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

The friends of Hon. Elmer Graham were disappointed when news was received last Thursday that he did not receive the appointment to succeed Fletcher S. Jones as district attorney. Mr. Graham made the race against Mr. Jones and defeated him in every county in the district except Wichita and polled 1,500 votes in that county. His friends felt that he was the logical man for the place and he received the endorsement of the Young County Bar.

Attorney H. R. Wilson of Wichita Falls received the appointment.

Announcement of his appointment was made in the court house in Wichita Falls Thursday afternoon shortly after the noon hour upon receipt of a telegram from Judge P. A. Martin, who left for Austin Wednesday night with Attorney John Davenport. The telegram was received by Judges Weldon and Napier.

Attorney Wilson was sworn in immediately by Judge Weldon and he filed his bond. He immediately departed for the grand jury room to work with that secret body during its present term.

The new district attorney stated that he had not formulated definite plans for his office, but stated definitely that he would retain Sam Holliday as his assistant. Mr. Holliday was assistant to Mr. Jones and was also a candidate for the appointment to the office, but withdrew from the race late Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Wilson has been practicing in Denton county, where he served as assistant county attorney for five years. The county attorneyship there carried with it the duties of a district attorney so that Mr. Wilson is well fitted for the position. He takes the office in this district with some of the hardest criminal cases in the history of Wichita county on the dockets.

Mr. Wilson has been practicing law for fifteen years and has been a resident of Wichita Falls for over two years. During the governor's campaign last year he stumped the district in the interest of Governor Neff.

## BOLT KILLS YOUTH, COW AND TWO CALVES

Longview, June 23.—Willie Williams, 19, was killed by lightning, and some property and crop damage done late yesterday by an electrical rain and wind storm which passed four miles east of Longview.

Williams was milking when he met death, the same bolt of lightning also killing a cow and two calves.

Farm homes of Robert McFarland and Ike Killinsworth were blown down by wind.

President Harding and his cabinet are welcome to the task of directing the affairs of this nation. The strenuous incident to publishing the Leader, together with the work of printing two other publications and keeping a job department going while the mercury is ascending to dizzy heights, is enough to satisfy the publishers of this paper.

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A good assortment of Men's Ties, sold for \$1.50 to \$4.00 to clean up at . . . . . 75c

One lot Men's Linen Heel and Toe Lisle Socks, sold for 75c, to clean up at . . . . . 25c

One lot Men's Wash Ties, sold for 50c to \$1.50, to clean up at . . . . . 35c

Lazelle and La France Talcum Powder, sold for 35c, to clean up at . . . . . 16c

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## AMERICAN LEGION WINS GOOD GAME FROM BUNGER TEAM

The American Legion baseball team of Graham went to Bunger Saturday afternoon to play the fast Bunger team. The Legion boys thought when they left Graham that the Bunger boys would be an easy prey but soon after the game began they found out that nothing but the best playing on their part would win the game.

At the close of the ninth inning the score was tied and not until the eleventh inning did the Legion succeed in breaking the tie. Two runs were made which gave the Legion the game 7 to 5.

- The line-up follows:
- |                 |                  |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Legion:         | Bunger           |
| E. Hutchins, 3b | Wiley, 3b.       |
| R. Rehders, 2b. | L. McLaren, 2b.  |
| Buchanan, rf.   | C. Lisle, rf.    |
| Bloodworth, lf. | Mahoney, lf.     |
| McCasland, p.   | A. McLaren, p.   |
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## DINE-CORNISH

Mr. Frank E. Dine and Miss Josephine M. Cornish were happily married at the home of the bride's mother on 404 Oak street, June 26, at 6 o'clock a. m.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Annie H. Cornish of Graham. She was reared here and has many friends who congratulate her on the happy event. She was a successful teacher in the public schools, having taught last session at Stenaburg.

The groom is well known in Graham. He formerly lived at Wichita, Kansas, but at present is drilling on the Shamrock lease at South Bend.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for Fort Worth, Commerce and other places. On their return they will reside temporarily at South Bend.

The Leader joins their friends in extending congratulations and best wishes.

## \$3,000 Coats Are Stolen

Dallas, June 27.—Following theft of several coats valued at \$3,000, the manager of a large department store is being held by local police pending an investigation.

## W. A. ANDERSON IS ARRESTED IN KENTUCKY

Sheriff Saye has received word from Paintville, Kentucky, stating that W. A. Anderson, who is wanted

here on a charge of forgery is in jail at that place.

Other charges are pending against him at other places and it may be some time before he is returned to Texas.

## NATIONAL THEATRE

MONDAY, JULY 4  
**CHAS. RAY**  
IN  
**"Homer Comes Home"**

TUESDAY, JULY 5  
**BILLIE BURKE**  
IN  
**"Away Goes Prudence"**

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6  
**DOUGLAS McLEAN and DORIS MAY**  
IN  
**"Let's Be Fashionable"**

THURSDAY, JULY 7  
**DORALDINA**  
IN  
**"Passion Fruit"**

FRIDAY, JULY 8  
**CORINNE GRIFFITH**  
IN  
**"The Broadway Bubble"**

SATURDAY, JULY 9  
**"SCRAMBLED WIVES"**  
Associated 1st Nat'l Special Production

**Personal Mention**

S. R. Crawford went to Dallas Sunday.

Chas. N. Keen and daughter were in Olney Tuesday.

Dr. Winstead, of Jermyn, was in the city Tuesday.

John Bullock of Newcastle was in Graham Tuesday.

Homer Price, of Jacksboro, was in the city last Sunday.

George Prideaux returned Friday from Oklahoma City.

Judge W. H. Reeves made a hurried trip to Dallas Sunday.

Garrett and Baker shipped a car of cattle to Fort Worth Tuesday.

Felix Ury and Jas. B. Norris made a business trip to Ivan Friday.

Judge M. D. Brown was a business visitor in Newcastle last week.

John Perkins, of The Leader force, was at Olney Sunday and Monday.

Will Bell and children returned Monday from a visit to Mineral Wells.

Z. A. Hudson and J. P. McKinley were business visitors in Olney Friday.

Mrs. James B. Norris left Wednesday for a visit to relatives in Kentucky.

Gee Parsons of Mineral Wells made his regular trip to Graham Wednesday.

Mrs. A. B. Cashburn and children left this afternoon for a visit to Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Morrison returned Monday from a visit to Mineral Wells.

C. C. Johnson returned Sunday night from a business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mrs. Mary E. Timmons and mother, Mrs. Howard, are spending the week on the farm.

Mrs. Marvin Averitt returned Tuesday to Olney after a visit with her brother, C. C. Johnson.

Mrs. Maude Hicherson and Misses Lura Oliver and Opal Dickenson, of Loving, were in Graham yesterday.

**A COOL KITCHEN---**



**Quick Meal and Red Star**

Stoves assure you of comfort and perfect satisfaction. You must be satisfied before we are.

**Young County Hardware & Furniture Co.**

THE WINCHESTER STORE

Harry Hand, of Fort Worth, visited relatives and friends in Graham and vicinity last week.

Mr. Lee Repans, accompanied by his brother-in-law, T. A. Johnson left Wednesday for a business trip to Spur, Texas.

Mrs. S. E. Harris and granddaughters, Robbie D., Nancy Lou and Esther Jones of Paducah, Texas came in Tuesday for a visit to Mrs. Harris' daughter, Mrs. Edgar McLendon.

John L. Tobin, of DeQueen, Arkansas, was in the city last week looking after his interests in the county.

The Rescue workers have been in Graham only a short time but they have distributed eighty-five garments and fourteen pairs of shoes, also groceries, to the needy. Captain and Mrs. I. R. Reynolds ask the cooperation and aid of the Graham people in caring for the poor.

Andrew Johnson, an Ivan merchant, was a visitor to the county seat Monday. He said there was considerable activity in the oil field in his section and expressed the opinion that the country would soon experience a reaction in business.

Mrs. E. E. Moore, of Eliasville, was a pleasant caller at The Leader office Monday. She added her name to the subscription list of The Graham Leader.

Miss Amy Robertson, of Dallas, is visiting relatives in Graham this week. Her friends will be glad to know that she has a responsible position with the Texas Light and Power Company of Dallas.

C. H. Smith and family left Monday for Fort Worth and Denton for a visit. R. S. Williams and family who have been visiting Mr. Smith accompanied them on the trip.

Prideaux Brothers shipped this week six car loads of three-year-old steers to Oklahoma City. They shipped two car loads last week.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

**YOU ARE HERBY COMMANDED** to summon B. F. Crenshaw, whose residence to plaintiff is unknown by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Young County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the First Monday in September A. D. 1921, the same being the 5th day of September A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 21st day of June A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6461, wherein May Crenshaw is Plaintiff, and B. F. Crenshaw is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on the 15th day of August, 1909, plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married and lived together as husband and wife until the 27th day of October, 1912, when the defendant without cause or provocation or the knowledge or consent of plaintiff abandoned her with the intent to permanently desert her, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. That during the coverture of plaintiff and defendant one child was born to-wit, a girl Beulah L. Crenshaw, nine years of age. That during said time from October 27th, 1912, plaintiff has heard nothing from defendant, and defendant has willfully neglected to provide for plaintiff and their minor child; that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, that plaintiff have the care, custody and education of said child of said marriage; that she have judgment dissolving said marital relations between the defendant and plaintiff and for costs of suit and such other relief as she may be justly entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Willie Riggs, Clerk of the District Court of Young County. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in (L.S.) Graham, Texas, this 22d day of June A. D. 1921.

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**WILLIE RIGGS,**  
Clerk District Court, Young County Texas.

**SUCH-A STRAIN.**

"You don't know how nervous I was when I proposed to you."  
"You don't know how nervous I was until you did."

**JULY 1 AND 2 RAILROAD DAYS AT SOUTH BEND**

July 1 and 2 are designated as South Bend days or railroad days as the first passenger will run into South Bend on July 1. The Wichita Falls and Southern railway has been completed into South Bend and regular train service will be started on that day.

The arrangements for the celebration in honor of the arrival of the first train have been completed and the South Bend people assure a royal good time to all who are present.

Various committees have been appointed and nothing will be left undone that will entertain the vast crowds of people that are expected July 1 and 2.

Graham hopes to be able to have a larger crowd than any other place. The railroad fare for the round trip will be only 50 cents and many will go in cars besides the large numbers that go on the train.

South Bend is looking for all of us. Let us not disappoint her.

**Judge D. F. Goss Delivers Lecture**

Judge D. F. Goss of Seymour Texas delivered an interesting and inspiring lecture at the Christian church Sunday night on "The Divinity of Christ, Considered from a Lawyer's Viewpoint."

Judge Goss has many friends in Graham who were glad of the opportunity to hear him again. He represented Young county in the Senate from 1892 to 1902. He has been an outstanding character for good in this section for thirty-five years.

**O. J. GILLIS DOES GOOD WORK ON LAWN**

Under the direction of O. J. Gillis, who was recently appointed custodian of the court house and lawn, the grass has been cut and the amber, which had become so conspicuous on the walls and floor in the hallway of the building, has been removed.

Some of the grass had grown so tall and rank that a mower, drawn by two horses, was brought into action and the crop was disposed of for feed.

The yard and building now present an inviting appearance and are fully in accord with the spirit of civic pride that is getting a firm hold on Graham.

**YOUNG EDISON DEFENDS THE FAMOUS "WIZARD"**

Charles Edison, son of the famous wizard, Saturday warmly defended his father's lists of questions put to applicants for employment in his father's factory with Edison's statements that college men were lamentably ignorant has furnished a lively topic for some days.

"The questionnaire compiled by my father to test the ability of applicants for positions in his plant, actually tests the men in the very manner he desires," young Edison said.

"My father conceived the questionnaire when he started to rebuild his technical staff which was broken up by the war. He corrects every paper turned in and marks them. This system is bringing about the exact result he desired. One of the men who received a mark in the test is now working in the plant and making good."

"My father did not make the statement that the questionnaire 'showed that college men are amazingly ignorant.' What he said was: 'The answers show that many college men are amazingly ignorant about the common things of life with which they are in daily contact.'"

Young Edison denies a report that he flunked on his father's questionnaire. "That was my younger brother, a student at Boston. I never tried the list myself."

**LOCAL GRAIN CROP BETTER THAN ESTIMATED**

The farmers of this section are surprised that the grain is much better than was expected. While the wheat was being cut it was estimated at from 10 to 25 bushels per acre. Some that was estimated at 10 bushels threshed 17 1/2 per acre and some has made as high as 28 bushels.—Throckmorton Herald.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

I want to thank sincerely each and every one that was interested in helping me to secure a home for myself and little children; also for other kind deeds. God bless you all in my earnest prayer.  
MRS. MARSHALL BRYANT.

**SHERIFF SAYE GOES TO CALIFORNIA FOR MAN WANTED HERE**

W. O. Nelson, who was at one time vice president of the Graham National Bank, has been arrested and is in jail in Los Angeles, California. He is in custody of the Federal government. He is charged here with embezzlement of funds belonging to Pat Arosta. It is claimed that Arosta turned some money over to Nelson with which to buy Liberty bonds. When he left Graham he took Arosta's money with him, it is claimed. It is also reported that he bought and traded for various articles here and elsewhere for which he still owes.

Sheriff Saye left today for Austin with extradition papers which he will ask Governor Neff to sign. He will then go to Los Angeles for Nelson as the Federal authorities have agreed to surrender him to Young county officers. According to County Attorney Hinson he will be returned to Federal officers after he has answered for his charge here.

**ALL OVERLAPPING ITEMS TO GET VETO EDUCATORS TOLD**

Austin, June 27.—Leading educators of the State in response to Governor Neff's invitation met in conference with the Governor today and discussed the Governor's plan to prevent overlapping and duplication of appropriations for the State institutions to be made by the special session of the Legislature in July.

The Governor told the heads of the educational institutions present that it is his intention to veto all overlapping and duplicating items in the educational appropriation bills. Governor Neff made it plain that he is determined to make every effort to reduce duplication and overlapping in the work of the State educational institutions and departments to a minimum. In the opinion of the Governor, appropriations can be reduced if the work is better coordinated.

Today's conference was attended by Dr. R. E. Vinson, president of the University of Texas; Dr. W. B. Bizell, president of A. & M. College; F. M. Bralley, president College Industrial Arts, Dr. H. F. Estill, president Sam Houston State Normal; Dr. Frederick Eby, of the University of Texas faculty; Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent of Public Instruction; Commissioner of Agriculture George B. Terrell and H. T. Musselman, editor of the Texas School Journal, Dallas.

The Governor announced late today that he would hold conferences with business men from over the State every day this week, beginning tomorrow; that he desired to obtain from the business men suggestions as to emergency legislation to be proposed at the special session of the Legislature next month.

The conferences, the Governor explained, "are to be held for my own education. I want to know what legislation the business men desire."

**WICHITA FALLS TO HAVE SWIMMING FOURTH.**

Wichita Falls is going to celebrate the 4th and 5th of July with a swimming and diving exhibition and contest.

They have secured the services of F. Vance Veith and the famous Cascade Bathing Beauties, who will give an exhibition of fancy swimming and diving, and a demonstration of Red Cross life saving work.

Prizes will also be given for amateur stunts.

A special train on the Wichita Falls & Southern will be run from Graham, leaving here at 7:30 a. m. The fare for the round trip will be \$2.25. All of Graham is invited.

**MRS. W. A. HARBIN DEAD**

Mrs. W. A. Harbin died early Tuesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Byrom, after a few days serious illness, although she has been quite an invalid for several months. Her death, while not altogether unexpected, came as a shock to her family and friends. Her body was carried to Petrolia, Texas, for interment, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Byrom, the funeral party leaving on Tuesday afternoon's train. The Register extends the bereaved family its sincerest sympathy.—Newcastle Register.

According to a married man's analysis, a penny saved means that \$50.00 has been earned.

**KEY-RICHARDSON**

Married on Sunday afternoon at the home of the Baptist pastor, Rev. J. B. Riddle at 7 o'clock, Mr. W. C. Key and Miss Dot Richardson. Mr. Key lived in Olney and Miss Richardson in Graham. They went at once to Olney where they will make their future home. And where they have many friends that wish them "bon voyage" on their journey through life.—Newcastle Register.

A chronic borrower is naturally a trifle touchy.

Excessive economy makes a man an undesirable acquaintance.

Satan smiles when a woman falls in love with the wrong man.

**OLD LANDMARK BEING TORN DOWN.**

The Bell home on Pecan street is being torn away this week to give place for a new house. Mr. Wils Copeland bought the property from Mrs. Bell two years ago.

Mrs. Bell moved into the place in 1890 and it had been built some time then. It was one of the substantial houses built during the early days of Graham. It is a beautiful corner and Mr. Copeland plans to build one nice bungalow now and will probably build two others later.

A man who is able to keep his face closed saves a lot of time.

It is easier to secure a vindication than it is to restore virtue.

**A Good Watch**

--Should be properly cleaned and re-oiled at least every 18 months Don't ruin your watch by allowing it to run in old oil and dirt.

Our repair work is all guaranteed and prices as low as possible consistent with good work.

We fit Spectacles and Duplicate Broken Lenses in Short Time.

**PACE GOLDEN**

Jeweler At Davis Drug Store

**BATHING BEAUTIES**

Don't Fail to Attend LAKE WICHITA SWIMMING MEET Wichita Falls, Texas, July 4th and 5th Two performances Daily

F. Vance Vieth and the Famous Cascade Bathing Beauties will give an educational exhibition of fancy swimming and diving, also a demonstration of Red Cross Life Saving work. These pretty Mermaids will perform aquatic stunts never before witnessed in this part of the country. Substantial prizes will be offered for the best amateur male fancy diver, also to the best (amateur) lady swimmer.

Each evening there will be a Gigantic Display of Fireworks on the pier at Lake Wichita. Daily contest in boating and skating. Dancing afternoon and night, good floor, delightful music.

Take advantage of the \$2. 25 round trip rate over the W. F. & S., leaving Graham at 7:30 a. m.

**Moved--**

To Johnson & Johnson Building on West Side of Square---

New Store, New Stock--Full and Complete Watch our Show window for Bargains. Look for our label on your Prescriptions. DRINK AT OUR FOUNTAIN.

Come to see us, make yourself at home and let us serve you.

**GRAHAM DRUG CO.**

"The House That Courtesy Built"

# TRUCK FEVER HIT THE UNITED STATES SAYS WADSWORTH

Washington, June 25.—When the war was won, so many American cities and villages wanted captured German cannon and machine guns that it looked as though Uncle Sam would have to order a lot of them from the Krupp's to give away. It now develops that this demand for souvenirs was paralleled by a demand for more practical things which has "bankrupted" the War Department in one item, and has bitten deeply into its supply in other ways.

Motor vehicles, trucks mostly, lead the list. The free distribution of these to the states is a "scandal." Senator Wadsworth, chairman of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, declares.

"I may be utterly alone in my opinion," Wadsworth said, "but this doleful of the free distribution of government property has gone far enough. I can well understand the appetite that is aroused in a State Highway Commissioner when he understands that the War Department owns a lot of trucks and that there is a law authorizing the Secretary of War to turn those trucks over to the Agricultural Department, free of charge to be given to the states.

"The drive for these trucks has ramifications all over the country. All they have to do is 'press the button' and the people interested in the building of roads write and wire asking that the War Department be directed to turn over trucks."

As a result, Wadsworth said, the War Department is short in motor trucks required for its own peace-time use 1505 truck and 487 passenger cars and has some 4,000 automobiles on hand that wouldn't run and can't be sold for anything but junk.

The motor truck "pork barrel" has loaded the states 26,423 trucks and spare parts valued at \$7,271,755, Wadsworth says. The allocations by states range from 39 to Delaware, 10 to 1047 to Pennsylvania. New York state got 1024; Ohio 620, and other states from 100 to 800 trucks apiece. Only a few states have failed to get some trucks, Wadsworth's list shows.

Some of them not only got motor trucks, he says, but canned goods from army stores left after the war and other supplies.

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The Sanitary Grocery has two bags of sugar in their window this week. One of them weighs three and one-half pounds and the other fifteen pounds. It serves to contrast the price of sugar now and twelve months ago.

The Sanitary Grocery opened for business just one year ago and at that time sold three and one-third pounds of sugar for \$1.00 and this week it is selling fifteen pounds for \$1.00. There has been a decided drop in groceries in general but more on sugar than on many other articles.

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# Rickard, King of Fight Promoters

New York, June 28.—Big money comes only after big work, big trouble and big worry.

Tex Rickard, king of all boxing promoters, has learned this in the spectacular career that has made him the biggest figure in the sporting world.

Rickard has done big things, but he had to work and worry to do them and the returns haven't always been in proportion to the risk involved.

If the promoting king had been inclined to worry abnormally, he would have gray hair dating back to 1905, when he staged the Gans-Nelson light weight championship bout.

Gans, then the champion, and Nelson were dickering around for a bout when a telegram came from an unknown one Tex Rickard, who was running a gambling house in Gold Beach, Nevada, offering \$30,000 for the contest.

Gans and Nelson both laughed at the ridiculous offer and passed it up as coming from a "nut" or a publicity seeker. Rickard kept insisting, however, and finally he prevailed upon them to come to Gold Beach where he showed them \$50,000 in twenty dollar gold pieces. They signed.

Rickard was looked upon as a fit subject for an insane asylum. He had set up every cent he possessed and was considered a sure loser but he went through with the bout and made money, clearing up about \$10,000.

The trouble he had at Gold Beach was nothing compared to his experience when he made his next big step in the game by signing Jim Jeffries and Jack Johnson to decide the heavyweight championship for a purse of \$120,000.

He had the fight all arranged and an arena partly completed in California when the governor decided that his state wanted nothing of the big bout and ordered Rickard out. He had his fight all dressed up and had no place to go.

Rickard dashed across the line into Reno, Nevada, threw an arena together and packed them in. The receipts were close to \$300,000.

The Willard-Moran bout in Madison Square Garden was easy, except he had to guarantee the big Kansan a fortune before he would consent to meet the blonde Pittsburgher. He made money on that fight also.

Bad breaks came when he was getting ready for the Dempsey-Willard fight in Toledo. He tied himself up to a \$127,500 purse but the prospect was exceedingly rosy when the governor of the Buckeye state sanctioned the bout and a big stadium was completed.

Moreover, the government, then in charge of the operation of the railroads, refused to give any special train service and the immense stadium was only partially filled. Rickard made some money but not the amount he was entitled to expect.

With almost a year spent in setting the principals signed, Rickard experienced similar trouble with the Dempsey-Carpentier arrangements. But most of the obstacles came early when he had plenty of time to make other arrangements.

Rickard planned first to get the champion and the Frenchman in the ring at Madison Square Garden for a purse of \$500,000, of which \$300,000 was to go to Dempsey and \$200,000 to Carpentier.

The huge size of the purse brought about such opposition that the New York State Boxing Commission, aiming directly at the bout, ruled that not more than \$15,000 could be charged for a seat at any championship bout.

This, of course, made it impossible to stage the contest in the Garden owing to its limited seating capacity. Rickard then set his eyes on Sheepshead Bay, the site of the old automobile race track, where he planned to erect an immense stadium.

Governor Miller then stepped in and let it be known that the contest could not be held in New York state.

To remove the "big money" scandal Rickard then succeeded in getting the principals to work on a percentage agreement by offering them sixty per cent of the gate receipts.

New Jersey went after the bout then, in fact invited it. Rickard was assured that there would be no interference and he selected Jersey City. No sooner had New Jersey been named as the site, than Governor Edwards issued a statement that as long as the contest was conducted in accordance with the boxing laws, New Jersey would be glad to have it.

## Local Option Plan For Switzerland

Geneva, June 28.—Various Swiss societies connected with the campaign against alcohol throughout the country for amending the Federal Constitution with a view to authorizing cantons and communes to prohibit the manufacture and the sale of distilled drinks. Up to the present, various localities, where the majority was in favor of stopping the liquor trade, have been prevented by the Constitution from carrying out their desire. Popular referenda in about eighty different localities have shown that the proposed measure, which is known as "local option," meets with general favor.

The supporters of "local option" announce that the restrictions in view only concern strong liquors and not fermented drinks such as wine, beer or cider.

## VERNON PEOPLE FAKED OUT OF \$5,000 IN CASH

Neither the two solicitors nor the fact that they put on the drive here for the Anti-Saloon League and secured \$5,000 pledges are known to D. Y. Bagby, State representative of the Anti-Saloon League. Mr. Bagby told the Vernon Chamber of Commerce on a visit which he just made.

Two solicitors claiming to represent the Anti-Saloon League came to Vernon last July and asked the Chamber of Commerce for its endorsement of a drive for \$15,000 in cash and pledges to be paid over a period of twelve months. The Chamber refused to endorse this drive and in fact did what it could by publicity to prevent the solicitors from raising the \$15,000. The solicitors obtained \$5,000 in cash and in pledges principally from the women of the residence districts according to a statement which the solicitors made to the Chamber of Commerce.

When informed that the two solicitors had secured \$5,000 in Vernon for the Anti-Saloon League last year Mr. Bagby expressed surprise. "This is news to me. I wonder who those two fellows are. There are so many grafters claiming to represent various organizations that we never know what we are going to run into."

Mr. Bagby was informed that Vernon had been so overrun with solicitors and beggars in the past that the business interests of this city had to protect themselves not only with publicity but with a city ordinance which makes it a ten dollar fine for an outside organization to solicit funds in Vernon without a permit from the Mayor or the Mayor's agent. Mr. Bagby states that he was in Vernon for the purpose of collecting money and to arrange a meeting at one of the churches for a speaker who would take up a collection. One of the ministers told Mr. Bagby that he was not inclined to turn collectors loose on his congregation any more. Explaining the Chamber's refusal to endorse this drive it is pointed out that the Chamber of Commerce should not use its influence to compel the business men to donate to this cause also that the enforcement of the prohibition laws has been placed in the hands of the Department of Justice which is supported by taxes.—Vernon Times.

## EXECUTIVE RESPONSIBILITY

Several years ago when I had just been promoted to my first real job, I called on a business friend of mine who is a wise and experienced handler of men. I asked him what suggestions he would make about executive responsibility.

"You are about to make the great discovery," he said. "Within a week or two you will know why it is that executives grow gray and die before their time. You will have learned the bitter truth that there are no efficient people in this world."

I am still far from admitting that he was right, but I know well enough what he meant. Every man knows who has ever been responsible for a piece of work, or had to meet a payroll.

Recently another friend of mine built a house. The money to build it represented a difficult period of saving on the part of himself and his wife, it meant overtime work and self-denial and extra effort in behalf of a long-cherished dream.

One day when the work was well along, he visited it, and saw a workman climbing a ladder to the roof with a little bunch of shingles in his hands.

"Look here," the foreman cried, "can't you carry a whole bundle of shingles?" The workman regarded him sullenly. "I suppose I could," he answered, "if I wanted to bull the job."

By "bull the job" he meant, do an honest day's work.

At ten o'clock one morning I met another man in his office in New York. He was munching a sandwich and gulping a cup of coffee which his secretary had brought in to him.

"I had to work late last night," he said, "and meet a very early appointment this morning. My wife asked our maid to have breakfast a half-hour early so that I might have a bite and still be here in time. When I came down to breakfast, the maid was still in bed."

She lives in his home, and eats and is clothed by means of money which his brain provides; but she has no interest in his success, no care whatever except to do the minimum of work.

"The real trouble with the world today is a moral trouble," said a thoughtful man recently. "A large proportion of its people have lost all conception of what it means to

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# EVE'S SISTER, OLDEST OF WOMEN, REACHES LONDON

London, June 27.—Eve's sister has arrived in London.

She lies in a square deal packing case in the Egyptology section of the University College, Gower street, and she doesn't mind in the least being called the oldest young woman in the world.

Professor Flinders Petrie, who has been reawakening the country in Egypt, has just brought this mummy to London. She is at least 8,000 years old. Beside her Moses is quite a modern young fellow, and to her the twelve Caesars are but as yesterday.

She lived in pre-dynastic Egypt, long before history had begun. She was thousands of years old before the Pyramids and before men chipped on stone the record of their lives and times. Although other pre-dynastic skeletons have been discovered in Egypt, this is the oldest preserved body of a woman ever known.

## Millions in Treasure In Mexican Cave

San Antonio, June 28.—One man in the world knows the location of the Cavillo Blanco cave, in old Mexico, and knowing it may result in his becoming the possessor of \$73,630,000 in gold and silver.

Adam Fischer, recently returned from Mexico, said he had re-located the Blanco cave, with its great treasure trove. He discovered it once before, but was unable to find it when he returned.

Fischer is now awaiting the decision of the Mexican government on his application for a concession to remove the hoard.

The story of the gold and silver bars and Spanish octagonal dollars dates back to 1810. At that time during a revolution against the Spanish government, it is claimed that officers of the government and army took the gold and silver from the treasury and hid it in the Cavillo Blanco cave, in the Cerro de Silla mountains, near Monterey, in the State of Nuevo Leon.

Hundreds have spent their lives in the search for the treasure, according to Fischer, but he alone has discovered its hiding place.

If Fischer gains possession of the great fortune he plans to erect a \$2,000,000 monument on Alamo Plaza to the heroes of the Alamo, and also make other magnificent gifts.

## SHERIFF ARRESTS BROTHER

About 1:30 p. m. Thursday, Tom Walters of Tulsa, sheriff of Swisher county, received a wire from Sheriff Byrd of Snyder, sheriff of Scurry county, telling him to "look out for Hupmobile car occupied by man and woman going north." Later in the afternoon he received a second wire from the sheriff at Lubbock county giving him a similar command. When this message was received Sheriff Walters collected a posse of men and deputies and set out to find the car. Soon after getting to the bridge they noticed an approaching car which they discovered was a "Hup" when it came in sight. The officers who were heavily armed made their appearance and commanded the driver to stop. Sheriff Walters approached the car and discovered that it was his younger brother whom he had not seen for sixteen years. Young Walters was accompanied by his wife, as they have recently married and were taking their honeymoon across this section and had planned to visit the sheriff of Swisher county and at the same time test the ability of their brother as a peace officer. Plainview Herald.

## CARPENTIER IS PLEASED WITH ERTL'S SELECTION

Manhasset, L. I., June 28.—George Carpentier is very glad that Harry Ertle of Jersey City, N. J., has been chosen and agreed upon by Jack Dempsey as the referee for the fight as predicted by the United News.

"I would have agreed to any man who might have been named," Carpentier said, "because I signed articles to do so. But I more than agree to Ertle. I think he is a good choice."

Ertle refereed Carpentier's fight with Levinsky.

Tex Rickard, visiting Carpentier, also was highly pleased with the choice, having watched Ertle's work in a number of big fights.

## ESTIMATE IS MADE ON PUEBLO DAM

Pueblo, Colo., June 24.—The financial loss resulting from the Pueblo flood amounts to \$16,784,638, according to a report made public today by the committee named to supply data on damages to the United States Reclamation Service.

The damage reported included that to real estate, personal property, merchandise, irrigation ditches and to crops in the entire devastated district, the report says.

The damage to real property in Pueblo, including the damage to railroad property within the city limits, is estimated by the committee to be \$10,025,000. Farm and crop losses in the flooded area is placed at \$3,676,638; damage to real estate in the city at \$3,035,000; to personal property in Pueblo, including merchandise, \$3,500,000.

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# THE ATTITUDE

"Doesn't you still refuse to pay me dem two dollars I done loaned you de Lawd on'y knows when?"

"Nussah!" dignifiedly replied Bro. Bogus. "I doesn't refuse, I deas refrains."—Kansas City Star.

## NOTICE

Whereas, on the 4th day of October, 1920, the Giant Machine & Tool Company, a corporation, made, executed and delivered to W. M. Odell a certain deed of trust and chattel mortgage upon the following described property then situated in Eastland County, Texas, and now located and situated at Elíasville, in Young County, Texas, to-wit:

All machinery, tools, implements, appliances, furniture and fixtures owned by the Giant Machine & Tool Company on the 4th day of October 1920, including all machinery, equipment, tools and appliances on said date located on a certain lot, parcel or tract of land situated in Eastland county, Texas, out of the Davis Addition to the town of Dendoms, in said county and located about 3-4 of a mile from said town and being the property on said date used and occupied as a machine and tool shop by the said Giant Machine & Tool Company, and including the following described property, to-wit:

One Morgan Engineering Co. Steam Hammer No. 818;

One 24 inch Lathe, R. K. LeBlond Machine Tool Co.;

One 50 inch Noiseless Blower (Buffalo Forge Co.) with counter-shaft for same;

Four 25 feet Steel Bridge Spans, and

One 24 inch Drill Press (Machine Amos Mfg. Co. of Rockford, Ill.)

All of said property being now located in the plant and machine shop occupied and conducted by the said Giant Machine & Tool Company at and near the town of Elíasville, in Young County, Texas.

Whereas, said deed of trust and chattel mortgage was executed for the purpose of securing the payment of nine certain promissory notes for the sum of \$583.24 each, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date, payable annually, and all payable to J. E. Nail, and all providing for the payment of ten per centum additional upon the principal and interest and accrued interest in case the notes or any of them should be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or suit; all of said notes being dated October 31, 1919, and the first of same being due on or before 12 months, and the remaining notes maturing in quarterly installments of 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, 33 and 36 months, respectively; and

Whereas, it was provided by the terms of said deed of trust and mortgage above referred to that the failure to pay any one of said notes at the maturity thereof should, if such non-payment should continue for a period of thirty days, mature said entire series of notes at the option of the said J. E. Nail, or the lawful owner or holder of said notes, or either of them; and

Whereas, of said series of notes the first of same matured on October 31, 1920, the second of same matured on January 31, 1921, and the third of same matured on April 30, 1921, and default has been made in the payment of all of same, together with the annual installment of interest on each and all of said series of notes, and said default has continued for more than thirty days and by reason thereof the said J. E. Nail has elected to exercise the option vested in him by the terms of said mortgage and deed of trust by declaring each and all of said notes due and payable and fully matured, and has placed same in the hands of an attorney for collection; and

Whereas, it is provided by the terms of said instrument that if default should be made in the payment of said notes or any of them, and such default should continue for a period of thirty days, then that said trustee should take possession of said property and sell same after due notice as therein provided;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, July 5th, 1921, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., I, as trustee, and under the provisions of said deed of trust, will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the foundry, machine shop and place of business of the Giant Machine & Tool Company, at or near the town of Elíasville, in Young County, Texas, said property above described for the purposes specified in said deed of trust.

Witness my hand this 8th day of June, A. D. 1921.

42-44 W. M. ODELL, Trustee.

## ANOTHER RAT TALE

Unusual conditions provoke men to make almost unbelievable statements. For the past two years the country has been cursed with a rat scourge. Rats in the fields, rats in the barns, rats in the house, rats after the chickens, rats in the stores, rats in the streets, (both dead and alive) rats on the public roads, rats everywhere. As a consequence, there have been many rat stories started—some of them untrue, some of them made up. But the biggest rat story we have yet seen in print or heard of is told by W. W. Lipsy, who vouches for its truth. He had a bunch of incubator chicks to come off a few days ago, which were for convenience divided into several lots and given to the old hens for safe keeping. At the time of this incident Mrs. Lipsy was away from home, and the responsibility of taking care of the chickens was left to Mr. Lipsy. After safely disposing of all the chickens, except one brood, to be doubly sure of their protection, he placed this bunch of thirty, together with an old hen, on the back gallery. The next morning there was nothing left of the bunch except the old hen. While on his way to the barn, he heard a little chicken peeping, and a closer investigation resulted in locating the chicken at the opening of a rat hole. After rescuing the chicken at the opening he heard another and rescued it, and still he heard another. A new idea then occurred to Mr. Lipsy and he brought the old hen and placed her at the opening of the rat hole, and answering the distress call of the little chickens, she succeeded in calling all of which were unharmed by their long stay of the 30 missing chickens terrible experience. The rat den was then dug up and the other two chickens accounted for, the rat having eaten only the two he had killed, and it is presumed that he was keeping the others for future use.

This is not a made up story. Ask Mr. Lipsy about it.—Hubbard City News.

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42-44 W. M. ODELL, Trustee.

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### WAR COST TO ITALY WAS 81 BILLION LIRE

Rome, June 27.—Italian statisticians have just arrived at the total cost of the war to Italy.

The figure is placed at 87,600,000,000 lire, although this is admittedly far below the complete cost.

The figure was arrived at by finding the difference between the expenditures of the Italian Ministry of War and the Ministry of Marine for the period beginning December 1, 1914 and ending December 31, 1920, and the expenditures of the two ministries for the preceding corresponding period of peace conditions.

During this peace period the two ministries spent a total of 6,600,000,000 lire while the total expenditures for the war period mentioned above were 74,000,000,000 lire.

According to Italian statisticians, however, the difference of 87,600,000,000 lire still lacks about twenty per cent of what the war cost Italy, because, in addition to the money actually spent for war material, the maintenance of the army and navy, other derivative expenses have been thrown upon the government such as the war pensions and assistance to the families of the mobilized.

With this additional 20 per cent added to the actual war expenses, the total cost of the war to Italy would therefore reach approximately 81,000,000,000 lire.

Italy's war indebtedness, as a consequence of this war statistics, reaches about 62,000,000,000 lire. Of this total, about 41,500,000,000 consists of internal obligations and the remaining 20,500,000,000 in foreign debts. The former costs Italy in interest 2,200,000,000 lire annually, while the foreign war debt costs about 2,200,000,000 lire annually.

Mack Robinson and Dr. M. H. Chism went to Henry Chapel Sunday afternoon. They report a good time.

#### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

**YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED** to summon Ida Swinea Hagood, whose residence and whereabouts are unknown to Plaintiff, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Young County to be held at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the First Monday in September, A. D. 1921, the same being the 8th day of September, A. D. 1921, to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of May A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6429, wherein Marth Luther Hagood is Plaintiff, and Ida Swinea Hagood is Defendant, and said petition alleging that Plaintiff and Defendant were lawfully married in Athens, Alabama, on or about the 2nd day of February, 1919, and continued to live together till about the 7th day of March when by reason of the cruel treatment he was forced and compelled to permanently abandon her. That Plaintiff was at all times during their marriage kind and affectionate, and provided for her support and maintenance, but the Defendant about one month prior to their separation, began a course of harsh, unkind and tyrannical treatment; often cursing and abusing Plaintiff and applied to him the vilest and most opprobrious epithets without any cause or provocation. That on or about the 7th day of March, 1919, Defendant was found in their home in the arms, and in an imposing and improper position, and in an improperly dressed condition in the presence of another man, other than the husband of said Defendant, said party being in no wise related to the said Defendant, and that said marriage relations between Plaintiff and Defendant still exist. That Defendant's action and conduct generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. That Defendant be cited to appear and that Plaintiff have judgment dissolving said marriage relations for costs of suit, etc., etc.

Herein Fall Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Willie Riggs, Clerk of the District Court of Young County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in (L.S.) Graham, this 4th day of June A. D. 1921.

Clerk District Court, Young County, 41-44  
Tenn.  
WILLIE RIGGS,

### AD VALOREM TAX MAY GO TO MAXIMUM

Austin, June 25.—In opinion of John W. Baker, State Treasurer, it will be necessary in order to meet the State's obligation for the State Automatic Tax Board to increase the ad valorem tax rate to the maximum of 35 cents on the \$100 property valuation.

The present ad valorem tax rate is 22 cents.

Baker does not expect any increase in the State school tax, which is 35 cents on the \$100 property valuation, nor any increase in the Confederate pension tax.

This will be an increase of from 62 to 75 cents.

Treasurer Baker said today that the reason for this increase is on account of the estimate of appropriations to be made by the Legislature, which will reach about \$25,000,000 for the next two fiscal years.

The Automatic Tax Board will meet July 20 to fix the rate.

Mabry Short, of Dallas, is visiting relatives and friends here. He has a responsible position in one of the big Dallas banks.

### TWO BROTHERS SEE 27-YEAR-OLD SISTER FOR FIRST TIME

Truth is stranger than fiction at times, and this phrase was perhaps never better exemplified than this week when W. F. and J. S. Orr are entertaining a sister twenty-seven years old, married and with children, whom they have never seen before!

Their sister, Mrs. G. K. Counts, of Alabama, arrived here this week for a visit with her brothers, accompanied by her uncle, H. L. Corbell, of Alabama, and Mrs. Corbell.

It is understood that the Orr brothers left home before their sister was born and through one circumstance or another have never had the pleasure and privilege of meeting her in the flesh until this week. There is great rejoicing in the Orr families at the unusual reunion.—Hereford Brand.

### SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Young

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Young County, on the 30th day of April, 1921, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of North Texas Supply Co., vs. Texas National Oil Co. No. 6267, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in July A. D. 1921, it being the 5th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Young County, in the City of Graham, the following described property, to-wit:

All houses, oil well derricks and all other buildings situated on the south fifty acres of the Dooley farm in Young county, Texas, and known as the old Texas National Oil Co. lease as it existed on the 30th day of December, 1920, levied on as the property of Texas National Oil Co. \$228.60 in favor of North Texas Supply Co. and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this the 15th day of June, 1921.

42-44 JOHN W. SAYE,  
Sheriff, in and for Young County, Texas.

### NOTICE

Whereas, on the 4th day of October, 1920, the Giant Machine & Tool Company, a corporation, made, executed and delivered to F. M. Odell, as trustee a certain deed of trust upon the following described property then situated upon a certain lot of tract of land at said time owned, used and occupied by the said Giant Machine & Tool Company as a machine shop at or near the town of Desdemona, in Eastland County, Texas, to-wit:

All buildings and houses then located and situated upon said lot above described and referred to.

Whereas, said deed of trust and mortgage was executed for the purpose of securing the payment of nine certain promissory notes for the sum of \$589.24 each, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date, payable annually, and all payable to J. R. Nail, and all providing for the payment of ten per centum additional upon the principal and accrued interest in case the notes or any of them should be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or suit; all of said notes being dated October 31, 1919, and the first of same being due on or before 12 months, and the remaining notes maturing in quarterly installments of 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, 33 and 36 months, respectively; and

Whereas, it was provided by the terms of said deed of trust and mortgage above referred to that the failure to pay any one of said notes at the maturity thereof should, if such non-payment should continue

### AIRPLANE WILL LAND ON SUMMIT OF PIKE'S PEAK

Colorado Springs, June 30.—Landing an airplane on Pikes Peak is a hazardous undertaking. But Lieut. R. E. Talmadge, formerly a flyer in the British Royal Flying Corps, and now a pilot for the Western Aircraft Company, a local passenger concern, will undertake the feat. For his trial Talmadge will use one of the small army scouting planes, and will attempt to land on the auto highway at the summit of the peak.

The attempt will be made as an advertising stunt. Never in history of flying has a landing been made on the summit of a mountain. July 15 is the date set for the attempt and a motor truck will be at the summit of the Peak to bring the plane down once the landing is made. Talmadge says he has little fear but that he can make the landing, but states it will be impossible to take off from the summit for the flight back.

for a period of thirty days, mature said entire series of notes at the option of the said J. R. Nail, or the lawful owner or holder of said notes, or either of them; and

Whereas, of said series of notes the first of same matured on October 31, 1920, the second of same matured on January 31, 1921, and the third of same matured on April 30, 1921, and default has been made in the payment of all of same, together with the annual installment of interest on each and all of said series of notes, and said default has continued for more than thirty days and by reason thereof the said J. R. Nail has elected to exercise the option vested in him by the terms of said mortgage and deed of trust by declaring each and all of said notes due and payable and fully matured, and has placed same in the

hands of an attorney for collection; and

Whereas, it was provided by the terms of said deed of trust that the said Giant Machine & Tool Company was thereby authorized and empowered to remove any of said property therein described from its then location subject to the terms of said instrument; and thereafter said buildings then located upon said lots above described were in accordance with the provisions of said instrument removed to Eliasville, Young County, Texas, and are now located and situated at said place; and

Whereas, it is provided by the terms of said instrument that if default should be made in the payment of said notes or any of them, and such default should continue for a period of thirty days, then that said trustee should take possession of said property and sell same, after due notice as therein provided;

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, July 5, 1921, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., I, as such trustee, and under the provisions of said deed of trust will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door of the County Court House of Young County, Texas, at Graham, Texas, said property above described for the purposes specified in said deed of trust.

Witness my hand, this 8th day June A. D., 1921.

42-44 W. M. ODELL, Trustee.

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Graham, Texas

SIR: You are advised that in view of the condition of The Graham National Bank, Graham, Texas, as shown by the report of the last examination, a certificate authorizing an extension of charter for a period of twenty years will be issued and mailed to you on June 28, 1921.

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To use a flour that you have never used before during this season of the year not knowing whether it is ground from old or new wheat may cause you days of worry, and nights full of fear, but if you want to be safe and without troubles as all those who use Supreme at this particular season of the year and know our method of using nothing but old wheat until the new is well seasoned, then buy SUPREME FLOUR and eliminate all chances. People who are tired of taking chances are using SUPREME FLOUR because of its unflinching uniformity.

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MR. AND MRS. KIMES  
HONOR MISS LEWIS  
MONDAY EVENING

BY "SAPOLIO."  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Kimes, honoring Miss Vivian Lewis of Kaufman, houseguest of Miss Lois Loving, were hosts to a number of young people last Monday evening at their home on West South Street.

Dancing prevailed throughout the evening to the unsurpassable music of Friend Husband who is a "lulu" at the viories at any time but a whole symphony on his own Steinway.

Partners were selected for the feature dance by matching nursery rymes which had been scattered among the dancers. This caused much excitement and worked out beautifully for everybody except Friend Husband and Uncle Ben who got mist and left which wasn't a fitting and the result was that they had to sit it out with the piano and saxophones.

During the intermission delightful refreshments, consisting of assorted sandwiches, salads, lemonade ala Kime, and wafers were served, all of which proved that friend wife was just as much a master in the pantry as Friend Husband was in the music room.

The vaudeville features of the evening were furnished by Mr. Norman who tore us the floor and brought down the house with his masterful and original interpretation of the Yiddish Gezinsky and Mr. Burkett who brought the audience to tears with the loss of his "Laundrette." Other special features of the occasion were Mr. Graves.

The out-of-town guests present were Miss Vivian Lewis, Kaufman, Texas; Miss Nadine Handy and Mrs. Sewey Matthews of Abilene. Other guests present were: Misses Loving, Caham, Eloise Morrison, Lois Morrison, Barns, Allen Dowdle; Messrs. Graves, Ballard, Thornton, Burkett, Stovall, Scruggs, Casey, Apneyard, Loving, Danniker, Jr. and Mrs. Gowen, Mr. and Mrs. Kimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimes are perfect entertainers and the evening was so enjoyable to all.

GRAHAM SHRINE  
CLUB ENTERTAIN  
FRIDAY EVENING

By "Sapolio"

On last Friday night the Graham Shrine Club entertained a goodly number of their friends with a dance at the Capitol. The ball room was charmingly decorated with electric buzz fans, the music was full of vim and vigor, and the dancers—well, they didn't sit any of them out and encored Home Sweet Home until the orchestra gave up.

Mrs. Panoast, exhibiting the true Southern hospitality, not only gave the lobby and ball room over to the Shriners and their guests but prepared a delightful surprise for them in the form of ice cream and cake which were served in the roof garden during the intermission.

Bob Lincoln, as usual, was the main bird with the crimson plumage and he kept himself as busy as a chaperone at a house party seeing that all became acquainted and entered fully into the spirit of the occasion. Bob's a whizz as host all right, but his poor idea of a good joke crops out just as regular as the Shrine festivities roll around. For the one-thousandth and oneth time he flowerly announced that Marion Burkett would now sing his "little song" and for the ten-thousandth time the said fox-voiced wogder gazed into the limpid depths of the ceiling and cooed "Sweet Mamma Tree Top Tall."

After this bit of musical horse play Bob proved that he really was a judge of good singing by calling upon Miss Shannon, who rendered several numbers which were heartily enjoyed by all.

Promptly at twelve the strains of "Home Sweet Home" thrice their hush over the ball room and the first invitational dance given by the Graham Shrine Club was declared to be a complete and decided success.

The Leader has received a card from Mrs. Callie Shannon from Greeley, Colorado, stating that she is attending the State College of Colorado. She says it is cool at night but as hot as Texas during the day.

"Dog Bites Boy on Public Square"—Headline. This recalls the incident of the man who was shot in the meles. It's funny what peculiar anatomy some people have.

JOHN HUGHES, JR.  
IS IMPROVING  
FROM OPERATION

Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes returned from Dallas Friday night with their little son, John, Jr., who has been in a Dallas sanitarium for several weeks.

He underwent an operation for appendicitis here some time ago. He was not doing as well as was expected and Mr. and Mrs. Hughes took him to Dallas. He did not do well for a while but it now improving fast and it is hoped he will soon fully recover.

ADMIRAL PUBLICLY REBUKED  
RESULT OF LONDON ADDRESS  
(Continued from page 1)

Personally, I believe I shall live to see an inter-English-speaking policy will be able to run this round globe, and when we have that we shall have all that is needed to secure peace and prosperity in the world.

"The department insist on maintaining both the precedent and the propriety which forbids a government servant of your position discussing such matter in a foreign country.

"That the impropriety of such public utterances has once before been brought to your attention is shown by the act that a public reprimand was administered to you in 1911 for making the following statement in a public speech in London: 'If the time ever comes when the British empire is seriously menaced by an external enemy, it is my opinion that you may count upon every man, every dollar, every drop of blood of your kindred across the sea.'

"In the reprimand above mentioned, the duties and responsibilities of officers of the navy who speak in public were clearly and fully set forth. Your remarks on the occasion now under discussion, therefore, constitute a flagrant and deliberate disregard for specific instructions.

"The department is not unmindful of your record and achievements as an officer of the navy, but the conspicuous position you now hold, coupled with the fact that you have previously offended in a similar manner, merely serves to add to the gravity of the present offense.

"The department deprecates the fact that it is necessary to rebuke a flag officer in public, but you have made such action unavoidable.

"The department expresses its strong and unqualified disapproval of your conduct in having again delivered a highly improper speech in a foreign country and you are hereby publicly reprimanded."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Merrill Phillips and Miss Anna Routh.

Frank E. Dine and Miss Josephine Cornish.

R. W. York and Miss Sarah Chambers.

Amos Bourland and Miss Lena Martin.

G. M. Houston and Mrs. J. A. Gibbs.

C. W. Key and Miss Dot Richardson.

E. E. Smith and Miss Nola Womack.

D. M. Potts and Miss Ada Ainsworth.

C. Groves and Miss Jean Mangold.

The most casual observer will note the many changes that have occurred in Graham since the town came into prominence by the discovery of oil. Many new buildings have gone up and business in various lines has been materially augmented. One of the most noticeable and creditable features, however, has been the absence of lawlessness that usually prevails in the oil fields. Of course there have been a few arrests, chiefly bootleggers and those engaged in illicit stilling, but Sheriff Saye and his force have done much to discourage that sort of business.

Writing on the subject of divorce, State Press in the Dallas News recently expressed the belief that a livery stable is the most suitable place in which to hold some of the sensational divorce trials. Not wishing, however, to discredit a reputable vocation, which has been almost extinct since the advent of the automobile, he modestly suggested that the stable be fumigated afterward. But since State Press claims to be a full-fledged scientist, on which subject he writes fluently, there seems to be some doubt as to whether his opinion on a matter of this character will stick, hence the question is unsettled and still open for discussion.

It has gotten so that even an admiral can't go to Europe and smooth out the rough places in international affairs without being called home and reprimanded.

Highway Improvement

IMPORTANCE OF GOOD ROADS

Most Towns Recognize Imperative Need of Improved Highways to Secure Farm Trade.

The country town that has poor roads radiating from it is badly handicapped, just as the farmer is who has to haul his products over such roads. Most towns recognize this and try to get their share of trade by making the main thoroughfares navigable at all times with tolerable loads. The town that does not see the importance of making them possible to ordinary traffic has need of the help that is not generally long delayed.

We sometimes hear the expression, "a poor trading place," and instantly we know the meaning of it. We at once know it refers to a town that has fallen into a Rip Van Winkle sleep and we are safe in assuming that such a town lacks wide-awake merchants and the other necessary adjunct—good roads.

When a farmer sells anything, whether it be his weekly batch of wheat or a load of hogs or one of those or corn he naturally considers the difficulties of the haul. Other things being equal, he chooses the road with least hills; and if the road of least resistance has well graded and drugged highways, the town that is handicapped with steep pulls and poorly graded highways always is a loser. It cannot be otherwise.

A cornbelt town exists, primarily, by reason of the farm trade. When this reaches a volume that lines the streets with farm teams any good day except the busiest times of the year we can be reasonably certain that the merchants and roads are both attractive. And the opposite can be inferred when the streets are bare of farm teams and cars.

Most towns recognize the value of good roads as trade getters. Sometimes the topography of the country makes good roads and gentle grades difficult. When this is the case, more money is expended to get results. And



Roads Like This Are Carefully Avoided by Farmer Who is Hauling Heavy Load.

the cornbelt farmer is just as discriminating now that the automobile is common on the farm. In fact he is more so. The matter of a few miles extra travel is not of great moment. As the car comes to be more and more the medium of that daily commerce between the farm and town, the importance of good roads comes to be more clearly seen. The town has recognized it. In order to hold this increasing but vital trade the town must bid in terms of fair bargains and good roads—and not least in smooth, alluring highways where few obstructions to a fair speed are encountered.

Where the farmer buys his daily or weekly supplies he generally buys his larger items of machinery and farm equipment. It is up to the town that desires to live to recognize the problem of the good road. To ignore it is to destroy the town. The farmer does not travel the bad road except under compulsion.

BUILDERS FAVOR NEW ROADS

Largest and Most Stupendous Plan for Highway Improvement Ever Projected in World.

The building of a system of highways in this country, now being carried on at an annual cost of over \$1,000,000,000, is the largest and most stupendous ever projected in the history of the world, declared a speaker at the annual meeting of the American Road Builders' association at the Automobile Club of America. About 75 highway officials and others engaged in carrying on this great plan of highway improvement were present, coming in many cases from states situated a thousand miles away.

Bring Higher Rentals. Good roads bring higher rental incomes.

Some Road Materials. Some of the materials or combinations of materials which might enter into the construction of temporary roads are earth, shale, slate, chert, gravel and rock, or sand mixed with clay or gumbo. For heavy traffic on through routes pavements may be required, but these are not ordinarily classed as "country roads."

What Farmer Needs Most. Farm-to-market roads, rather than pleasure highways, are what the farmer needs most.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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One flea-bitten grey horse, branded X on left hip. Notary Roxana Petroleum Company, South Bend, Texas. 43-44s

Wanted

WANTED, by the American Rescue Workers, clothing for needy people of Graham. Ind. Phone 961s.

WANTED

Yard work done by contract or by hour; all work guaranteed; no job too small.—See HILLIARD M. TAYLOR, 705 Pecan Street 43-51.

For Rent

FOR RENT—New 4-room house, bath.—H. B. COGDELL, Teachers' Dormitory. 44c

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms. Inquire HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY. 89ftc

Nice South Room Furnished for Gentlemen. All conveniences; two blocks from public square.—721 Cherry Street. 4fc

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms East Graham. Inquire HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY 89ftc.

FOR RENT—Two-room house, new, water and lights furnished, cheap.—Phone 40-R Ind.

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Inquire at Leader office. 41d

For Sale

BANK STOCK

We offer for sale a 500 shares First National Bank of Graham stock at a bargain. EDWIN MCKELLAR, Austin, Texas. 43-46p

FOR SALE—Better Bran and other Cow Feed, "Red Top" economy Dairy fed at NUTT'S FEED STORE We deliver, Ind. Phone 9-R. 89ftc

FOR SALE—Oil Stove, Table and Chairs.—MRS. H. L. WHITING, 806 East Street. 44p

WANTED.—Plain and Fancy Dressmaking.—MRS. AMMIE GATLIN, 813 South Elm Street. 44-46p

FOR SALE—Furniture in modern bungalow. Four suites complete, draperies and shades included. Invoice more than \$750.00. Best cash offer buys it.—404 South St. 43ftc

FOR SALE.—Full blood Poland China pigs, six weeks old.—J. J. MARTIN, Ind. Phone 2291ss 44-45p

FOR SALE—One two-room house with storm house, double garage and cow lot, for \$1100.00. See P. P. ACOSTA, 803 Tennessee St. 45p

FOR SALE.—Three-room house, furnished for housekeeping. Inquire at Model Market. 44-46c

1 string cable tools, made one hole, 1-60 h. p. boiler, made one hole, 1 set Ideal 6-inch rig irons, made one hole, with all heavy Standard rig timbers, price \$7500.00. R. M. WAGGONER, 400 Bob Waggoner Bldg, Wichita Falls, or G. M. HORTON, Box 728, Graham. 85-91

Miscellaneous

BUY AND SELL ASSOCIATION, a State-wide organization, W. P. STINSON, Agent for Young county, office over Morrison's. 43-44c

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HOUSE PASSES  
ANTI-BEERR BILL  
BY LARGE VOTE

Washington, June 27.—By a vote of 250 to 93 the House tonight passed the Willis-Campbell bill to prevent the sale of beer to the sick and sent it to the Senate with expectation of its final enactment before the end of the week.

The vote, which was 21 more than the necessary two-thirds, was taken after four hours of stormy debate, interrupted frequently with shouts to stop the talk and pass the bill. Despite the sweltering weather, however, leaders in the fight for and against the measure refused to yield to an evergrowing demand for an end of the discussion.

In closing debate for opponents, Representative Hill, Republican, of Maryland, threw the House into disorder by charging that Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the anti-saloon league, had drafted the bill. Pointing to the League lawyer in the gallery and calling him by name, Mr. Hill brought a wild shout from the prohibition element, some of whom stood until quiet was restored.

There was another dry outburst a moment later when Representative Foster, Republican, Ohio, declared there was no truth in the statement about Wheeler's part in preparation of the measure.

IVAN NEWS

A sad event transpired in the Cedar Creek community last Sunday evening when Mrs. Lila Ritchey passed away. Her health failed several months ago and she steadily declined until the result above mentioned. She was known to the readers of the Graham Leader and the West Texas Reporter as "Silver Bell." She was a writer of no mean ability and one of the most intelligent and fascinating young ladies of this locality. She will be sorely missed.

On last Monday morning I. W. Steele was thrown from a car and severely hurt. The left arm was broken between the elbow and the wrist and several other cuts and bruises were sustained in other parts of the body. At this writing he is doing well, and expects to soon recover from the accident.

Another good well came in in the town of Ivan last Monday. It is said to be making fifteen hundred barrels per day. This will give a new impetus to drilling operations in the Ivan field.

Gardens and growing crops are fine. CEDRAITE.

Addressing an audience in a Dallas church, Judge E. B. Muse of the Forty-eighth District Court, paid a fitting tribute to inspiring music. He also paid his respects to jazz, saying: "Jazz is merely music drunk on bootleg; it's crazy. Anyone can sing it, but they will not profit from it."

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