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Bayou Budget

Everybody is busy threshing and those that are not thus engaged are busy running trying to avoid finding a job with the above.

The grain crop is some what above an average especially wheat which is yielding an average of 20 bushels per acre, oats is yielding about 37 bushels, there is something peculiar about oats this year as a rule the fall sown oats are the heaviest but this year it is the reverse.

J. P. Cross is doing excellent work and is giving the best of satisfaction with his new Case machine. Jim keeps the women folks in the best of humor.

Rev. T. H. Davis preached at the Gilliland Chapel last Sunday. However the congregation was small you must remember there isn't many of us Bayouites. Your sermon was very much appreciated and we are always glad to have you in our midst. Come again Bro. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baum attended church at Gilliland Sunday.

Mr. J. O. Hall of Vinita Oklahoma is in our midst looking after his ranch interests in this section. He reports crops of all kinds fine in his country but just a month late on account of so much rain in the spring.

Ye scribe attended the Firemen's and would have had an excellent time had it not have been for that gang of candidates. They were rushing around that picnic ground like flies around honey and of course I came in contact with some. The point is this I dont vote in Callahan and I had to take pains to explain to each that I was just a little over the line and it annoyed me considerably.

I met Uncle John Aiken about the time I got clear of the candidates, and when I told him how I was going to vote in the presidential race he just tossed his head and made a bee line for the wagon yard and when he reached there he was so badly confused he got off with Mrs. Rose Cochran's buggy. Luckily "Juan" did not take the horse or they would of had him up for horse theft. Now this is my side of the story J. W. may have it different.

R. L. Alexander candidate for County Judge took dinner with ye scribe last Thursday. He apologized for getting over the line and partaking of Coleman Co. grub, come again Judge.

Jim Cross threshed the last of the Young grain crop last Friday, there was 14000 bushels made on the place.

Miss McFarland is visiting her sister Mrs. W. P. Brightwell this week, Nic is the victim of the thrasher at this writing.

The rain of two weeks ago greatly improved the grass, and stock of

The Cross Plains Farmer

Readers of The Review are the luckiest people on earth! The editor of this paper met The County Farmer on the street last Saturday, while he was in town to buy some apron strings for his wife, and made a deal with him that will tickle Review readers in the hereafter to such an extent that they will have to take out accident insurance for fear of laughing themselves to death. The Cross Plains Farmer lives in this county, and will be a reader of this paper as long as he lives. All of you will like him, for he always wears a smile on his face as big as the broad side of a barn, and he is a wise old gent, too. He is a first prize joker, and we know that the articles he will write weekly for the Review will be read by everybody in the county before you know it. Here is what he says:

"Hello friends, I'm captured at last. While in Cross Plains Saturday your editor sighted me on Main Street and took me up to his office and made me sign a paper that will start some awful be doings in this grand county of ours, I will do it; for I'm one of the jolliest old bacon eaters that ever watched the dog star wag its tail. I will give you weather predictions that will hit your funny bone on the north-east side and make you giggle 'til sun up I will tell you hundreds of funny things on the bright side of life in this glorious old county. I don't expect to see any sour faces after this Week. The Review will drive them away as sure as your uncle is pigeon toed and kicks in his sleep. When I signed the 99 year contract with The Review Saturday, the editor agreed to pay me \$50,000 a year and all the old ink kegs they had for sour kraut, and I tell you I signed in a jiffy. This is just as much

as Roosevelt got, and his wife had to buy her sour kraut barrels and mine doesn't. Another thing, I can save more money than Roosevelt could because we do our own washing. In fact, we can get along real well on \$50,000 a year, and Lena can pay all her groceries with and sometimes have enough left to buy sewing machine oil and thread. This saves all the egg money for dry goods and the butter money for tooth picks. The crop money pays for the chewing tobacco and the hogs pays for the smokin. Who wouldn't tickle the readers of The Review for that! This contract has some funny clauses in it. One is that I am not allowed to die until my time is up, but if I should happen to turn up my toes before it is up I will get six years in jail and my wife will have to return all the empty ink kegs and immediately marry another man who can get as many notions in his head as I can, and pound them out a column at a time. The reason I won't break the contract is because the people always tell me that I am a good man and will go to heaven when I die, so you see I'm not going to waste any time in jail when I die, if I keep out by staying alive, and not dying and going to jail instead of to Heaven by dying. Then so far as Lena is concerned, she promised to live with me as long as I'm not dead, and if I should die now and break her promise it would kill me. So you see I'm here to stay, and will tell you a lot of things to cheer you up. Don't take me seriously just laugh and grow fat. If The Review doesnt come to your house hitch up old Tom and Dick and haul the dollar in. If this dollar doesn't bring you more joy than your wedding I will eat my Sunday dip. Watch for me next week.

CONTRACT FOR SCHOOL BUILDING LET TO MURPHY & CROFT

The contract for our new brick school building was let Wednesday to Murphy & Croft, of Mineral Wells. The bids were as follows:

Murphy & Croft	\$11,208.00
Hanna & Rhinehart	11,300.00
W. G. Bowlus	12,280.00
McFall	12,997.00
Goodrum & Shirley	12,290.00
Holderness & Lee	12,300.00

Mr. Croft says work will begin immediately and pushed to completion as fast as possible. The contract specifies 100 working days as

time for building to be completed. As stated sometime ago the building will be 2 stories and basement, 10 standard size school rooms and an auditorium. We will try to get a cut of the building as soon as possible, so our readers may see how the building will look when completed.

STOP FUSSING

About the high cost of living. It is your own fault if you are paying too much for your Goods. We will save you money on everything you buy. The Racket Store.

Wanted:—To trade New open Buggy for oats C. S. Boyles. The Hardware Man.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shields spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. McKelvain, out on the farm, and it certainly was a pleasant visit. McKelvain has a fine crop of cotton, also of corn and other feed stuff. Those watermelons were simply O. K. After the watermelons we had dinner, and Mrs. McKelvain certainly sustained her reputation as a fine cook. We returned home Sunday evening, and Miss Tootsie came back with us.

STILL COMING

More big bargains to sell at 10c The Racket Store.

The little boy of Sam Arrowoods fell and broke his arm Thursday.

TO THE VOTERS OF BROWN AND CALLAHAN

As a report is being circulated that the Hon. H. P. Taylor is a rank Infidel, we the undersigned denounce this report a MALICIOUS CAMPAIGN LIE that is being circulated to defeat him for Representative.

Mr. Taylor is a high tone gentleman, is not an Infidel, but has done a great deal for the churches in this section, and contributes to the Methodist church quarterly.

Mr. Taylor is also a member in good standing in the I. O. O. F. and the A. F. & A. M. Lodges. Signed.

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TO THE FARMERS WHO HAVE GRAIN AND PEANUTS

I am prepared to thresh both grain and peanuts. I have gone to considerable expense to prepare to do your work, and will appreciate your patronage. I bought a peanut thrasher and also a regular Case grain thrasher. My outfit is brand new, and of course will give absolute satisfaction. My outfit is now in the Bayou country, but I will get it back here in plenty of time to take care of all the grain in this neighborhood. Assuring you that I will appreciate your business I am yours truly, J. P. Cross, The thrasher man.

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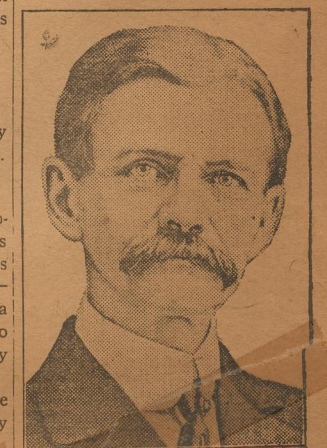
25c Bake Pans for 10c Saturday and Monday at The Racket Store.

Mrs. Baker and children of Lubbock are visiting Mrs. Baker's parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Davis

all kinds are in fine shape, with a little rain now in a week or so there will be an abundance of early feed stuff made.

Charley Austin and Lester made a flying trip to the Terminal city Saturday.

Well if this news doesnt land in the Junk pile will come again later. Lewis



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GOV. WILSON IS NOMINATED

Democrats at Baltimore Select the New Jersey Executive Over Speaker Champ Clark After Prolonged Balloting.

FORTY-SIX ROLL CALLS WERE NECESSARY

Contest Was Long Drawn Out and Convention Was Scene of Many Demonstrations and Changes--Wilson's Gain Gradually Rose From 324 on the First Vote to 990 on the Last Count Tuesday.



Marshall Nominated Vice President

Baltimore, Md., July 3.—For President—Woodrow Wilson.

For Vice President—Gov. Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana.

This was the ticket completed by the Democratic National convention at 1:55 a. m. Wednesday.

The nomination of Gov. Marshall came as something of a surprise for when the night's balloting for vice president began it seemed that the Bryan-Wilson contingent in the convention had definitely settled upon Gov. John E. Burke of North Dakota.

There was not much of a fight, however, and when two ballots disclosed Marshall was easily in the lead. Gov. Burke's name was withdrawn and Marshall was declared the nominee by acclamation and a minute later the convention had adjourned sine die.

The platform hewn out in the committee several days ago and warmly praised by Mr. Bryan, was adopted with a whoop.

Convention Hall, Baltimore, July 3.—After a protracted struggle of one week, Woodrow Wilson was Tuesday nominated for president by the Democratic National convention. The nomination came as a dramatic close to a series of dramatic and historical events. From the time last Friday, with Champ Clark as the leading candidate, William J. Bryan deserted the Clark camp and went to Wilson, the New Jersey candidate had been making steady gains. The nomination came on the forty-sixth ballot, following the withdrawal of Mr. Underwood by Senator Bankhead and the releasing of the Clark delegates by Senator Stone.

The managers of Governor Wilson confidently expected his nomination on the forty-fifth ballot, but at that time his total was 633 as against 725-1-3 necessary to nominate. Clark's total at that time had dwindled to 306. The end came in sight when at the beginning of the forty-sixth ballot, Senator Bankhead of Alabama, man-

aged the Underwood forces, mounted the platform.

"Mr. Chairman," began, "Mr. Underwood entered this contest hoping he might secure the nomination from this convention. But I desire to say for him that his first and greatest hope was, that through this contest he

might eliminate for all time every vestige of sectional prejudice in this convention. Mr. Underwood would willingly forego this nomination if the convention has concluded that Mason and Dixon's line has been trampled out and that it is once more a thoroughly united country."

Then came Senator Stone, who said the Clark delegations were perfectly free to vote for whom they chose, but the Missouri delegation would vote for Clark on all ballots, regardless of what others might do. Fitzgerald of New York moved the nomination be made unanimous. The convention rose en masse as New York's spokesman moved Wilson's nomination by acclamation. A frenzy of cheers swept the floor and galleries. Delegates stood on their chairs, waving hats and flags.

Senator Reed of Missouri interposed objection to New York's request for unanimous consent to make Wilson's nomination by acclamation. The roll call went on because of objections to suspending and making the nomination by acclamation.

Chairman James called the Democratic National convention to order at 12:09 p. m. Tuesday. The main body of the delegates were in place.

Balloting was resumed after brief preliminaries. The chair announced that disorderly demonstrations would not be tolerated, and the galleries would be cleared if necessary.

At 12:18 the forty-third ballot began. Wilson gained 2 Clark votes from Connecticut. Illinois voted 18 for Clark and 40 for Wilson. Under the unit rule, this was changed to 58 for Wilson. When Illinois' 58 votes for Clark were cast solidly for Wilson a demonstration followed. Louisiana gave two more Clark delegates to Wilson. Wilson gained 8 more Clark votes from Michigan. By the time the forty-third roll call had been about one-third completed, Wilson had gained 73 over his last vote. Illinois had thrown 58 votes to him, and it became apparent he would pass the majority mark.

Virginia cast her 24 votes solidly for Wilson amid a storm of cheers. Chairman Swanson of Virginia said Virginia acted in view of the conditions which had arisen, and while the delegation had been divided it had

now determined to apply the unit rule, giving Wilson a solid vote.

The forty-third ballot resulted: Clark 329, Wilson 602, Underwood 98 1/2, Harmon 23, Foss 27, Bryan 1, Kern 1. No choice.

The forty-fourth ballot was ordered at 1:01 p. m. Woodrow Wilson gained 108 votes on the forty-third ballot, the first cast, and the hoped-for break appeared at hand. Illinois' 58 delegates propelled the movement and gains were made also from Connecticut, Idaho, Iowa, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Hawaii.

Wilson's vote was 602, a majority of the convention. It was the highest vote he had received, and the vote of 329 cast for Clark was the lowest received by him during the prolonged balloting. When the result was announced, the demonstration for Wilson was enthusiastic and protracted as the weary delegates could make it. Wilson lacked only 124 of the necessary two-thirds necessary to nominate. Colorado shifted to Wilson, giving him 10 to 2 for Clark on the forty-fourth ballot. Wilson gained steadily as the forty-fourth ballot progressed. Mississippi, thus far solid for Underwood announced a caucus and was passed. Pennsylvania, heretofore almost solid for Wilson, cast the full 76 votes for him amid cheers. Utah was solid for Wilson for the first time.

Forty-fourth ballot, official: Clark, 306, Wilson 629, Underwood, 99, Harmon, 27, Foss, 27.

WILSON RELEASED DELEGATES.

When Clark Polled a Majority the Governor's Supporters Refused to Desert Him.

Seagirt, N. J.—Twenty newspaper reporters, sitting coatless and hatless on the lawn of New Jersey's "little White House" Tuesday afternoon, saw an operator come out of the telegraph tent with a yellow blank in his hand. Directly he read: "Wilson is nominated." When the operator looked up, the twenty men who had faced him a moment before were half a hundred feet away, scampering for a spot on the New Jersey Governor's porch, where a short time before a tall, thin man in a gray suit had been sitting. They found the porch empty, so they burst into the house. "Mr. President!" they shouted, "we congratulate you!"

The days of waiting have not all been bright. Last Friday evening the Governor's chances seemed to have gone glimmering, when Clark polled a majority, and he telephoned his managers at Baltimore to release his delegates. Word came back that they refused to be released, and not a man he said, deserted.

Meantime the Governor told his secretary, and the secretary offered to lay a small wager on Champ Clark against the field with an old-time friend. The friend took the bet. The secretary paid.

When the twenty reporters found the man they sought, his life as Presidential nominee of the Democratic party was less than a minute old. He was laughing and chatting with his wife and daughters. The news, he said, had come a moment before over the long-distance telephone after days of anxious waiting, and the few seconds he had spent with his family were his first of real relaxation during the week.

"The honor is as great as can come to any man by the nomination of a party," Mr. Wilson said, "especially in the circumstances, and I hope to appreciate it at its true value, but

just at this moment I feel the tremendous responsibility it involves even more than I feel the honor. I hope with all my heart that the party will never have reason to regret it."

The Governor was allowed only a brief respite before there poured in the deluge of callers. Between bursts of enthusiasm they called him "Woodrow" and "Governor" and "Wilson," but most of all they hailed him as "the next President of the United States."

"Three cheers for the next President," shouted a lusty-lunged enthusiast, and the crowd gave them with a will.

Further down the road a brass band lay under cover. When the signal reached the leader he started out and asked if they were ready. They were. So they marched down the road with a grating entourage and stopped on the Governor's lawn. And there they played while the visitors applauded and the Governor bowed his thanks.

Within the Governor's parlor there was a great crowding of visitors and shaking of hands and bestowing of all sorts of good wishes and predictions. The Governor's three daughters, Misses Jessie, Margaret and Eleanor, were quite beside themselves with happiness, while Mrs. Wilson smiled and said she felt, "Oh, so solemn," and that the responsibility was almost as terrible as the suspense. But the Governor acted like an enthusiastic boy grown dignified, and said it was almost too good to be true.

Gov. Wilson has not decided whether he will resign as Governor of New Jersey to make his Presidential campaign. His close friends say he won't at least for a while, and probably not until election time.

Forty-Sixth Ballot.

Result of the forty-sixth and final ballot:

Alabama—Wilson, 24.
Arizona—Wilson, 6.
Arkansas—Wilson, 18.
California—Passed.
Colorado—Wilson, 10; Clark, 2.
Connecticut—Wilson, 14.
Colorado—Changes to Wilson, 12.
Delaware—Wilson, 6.
Florida—Wilson, 7; Clark, 5.
Georgia—Wilson, 28.
Idaho—Wilson, 8.
Illinois—Wilson, 58.
Indiana—Wilson, 30.
Iowa—Wilson, 26.
Kansas—Wilson, 20.
Kentucky—Wilson, 26.
Louisiana—Clark, 2; Wilson, 18.
Maine—Wilson, 12.
Maryland—Wilson, 16.
Massachusetts—Wilson, 36.
Michigan—Wilson, 30.
Minnesota—Wilson, 24.
Mississippi—Passed.
Missouri—Clark, 35.
New York—Wilson 90.
Oklahoma—Wilson, 20.
Utah—Wilson, 8.
Vermont—Wilson, 8.
Virginia—Wilson, 24.
Washington—Wilson, 14.
West Virginia—Wilson, 16.
Wisconsin—Wilson, 26.
District of Columbia—Clark, 6.
Wyoming—Wilson, 6.
Alaska—Wilson, 6.
District of Columbia—Clark, 6.
Hawaii—Wilson, 6.
Porto Rico—Wilson, 6.
Pennsylvania—Wilson, 76.
Rhode Island—Wilson, 10.
South Carolina—Wilson, 13.
South Dakota—Wilson, 10.
Tennessee—Wilson, 24.
Texas—Wilson, 40.
Oregon—Wilson, 10.
Ohio—Clark, 1; Harmon, 12; Wilson, 33; absent, 2.

Result of the Balloting by Days

	Clark	Wil-son	Har-wood	Under-shall	Mar-son	Foss	Kern	Bryan	Clatter-ing
First Day, Friday.									
1st ballot	440 1/2	324	148	117 1/2	31	..	..	1	..
2nd ballot	441 1/2	345	140 1/2	114 1/2	31	..	..	1	..
3rd ballot	443	345	140 1/2	114 1/2	31	..	..	1	..
4th ballot	443	349 1/2	136 1/2	112	31	..	..	1	..
5th ballot	441 1/2	351	143	119 1/2	31	..	..	1	..
6th ballot	445	354	135	121	31	..	..	1	..
7th ballot	449 1/2	352 1/2	129	123 1/2	21	..	..	1	..
8th ballot	448 1/2	351 1/2	130	123	31	..	..	1	..
9th ballot	452	352 1/2	127	122 1/2	31	..	..	1	..
10th ballot	456	350 1/2	31	117 1/2	31	..	..	1	..
11th ballot	454	354 1/2	29	118 1/2	30	..	..	1	..
12th ballot	459	354	29	123	30	..	..	1	..
Second Day, Saturday.									
13th ballot	554 1/2	356	29	115 1/2	30	..	..	1	..
14th ballot	553	361	29	111	30	..	..	2	..
15th ballot	552	362 1/2	29	110 1/2	30	..	..	2	..
16th ballot	551	362 1/2	29	112 1/2	30	..	..	2	..
17th ballot	545	362 1/2	29	112 1/2	30	..	..	4 1/2	..
18th ballot	535	361	29	125	30	..	..	3 1/2	..
19th ballot	532	358	29	130	30	..	..	1	..
20th ballot	512	368 1/2	29	121 1/2	30	..	..	1	..
21st ballot	508	395 1/2	29	118 1/2	30	..	..	1	..
22nd ballot	500 1/2	395 1/2	..	115	30	..	..	1	..
23rd ballot	497 1/2	399	..	114 1/2	30	..	..	1	..
24th ballot	496	402 1/2	..	115 1/2	30	..	..	1	..
25th ballot	469	405	29	112 1/2	30	..	..	1	..
26th ballot	463 1/2	407 1/2	29	108	30	..	..	1	..
Third Day, Monday.									
27th ballot	469	406 1/2	29	112	30	..	..	1	..
28th ballot	408 1/2	437 1/2	29	112 1/2	..	..	..	1	..
29th ballot	468 1/2	436 1/2	29	112 1/2	..	..	..	4 1/2	..
30th ballot	455	460	19	121 1/2	..	..	..	2 1/2	..
31st ballot	446 1/2	475 1/2	17	116 1/2	..	..	..	2 1/2	..
32nd ballot	446 1/2	477 1/2	14	119 1/2	..	..	..	2 1/2	..
33rd ballot	447 1/2	477 1/2	29	103 1/2	..	..	..	2 1/2	..
34th ballot	447 1/2	479	29	101 1/2	..	..	..	2 1/2	..
35th ballot	433 1/2	494 1/2	29	101 1/2	..	..	..	1 1/2	..
36th ballot	434 1/2	496 1/2	29	98 1/2	..	..	..	1 1/2	..
37th ballot	432 1/2	496 1/2	29	100 1/2	..	..	..	1 1/2	..
38th ballot	425	498 1/2	29	106	..	..	..	1	..
39th ballot	422	501 1/2	29	106	..	..	..	1	..
40th ballot	423	501 1/2	28	106	..	..	..	1	..
41st ballot	424	499 1/2	27	106	..	..	..	1	..
42nd ballot	430	494	27	104	..	..	..	1 1/2	..
Fourth Day, Tuesday.									
43rd ballot	329	602	..	98 1/2	1	..
44th ballot	306	629	27	99
45th ballot	306	653
46th ballot	84	990	12

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W. R. (Rol) Ely

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L. D. Boyd

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F. F. (Felix) Rains
Clark Graham

For Tax Assessor,
T. L. Conway

For Treasurer,
C. W. Conner

For District Clerk,
John Burkett
A. R. Day

For Public Weigher,
Martin Neeb, Precinct 6.
W. M. Gibbard
M. V. (Mart) Harlow

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Las Vegas, N. M.—The Jack Johnson-Jim Flynn forty-five-round fight for the heavyweight championship was brought to a close in the ninth round Thursday (July 4th) by the state police.

Capt. Fornoff of the state force, personal representative at the ringside of Gov. McDonald, declared that it was no longer a boxing contest; that it was a brutal exhibition and that Flynn's brutal tactics made its continuance impossible. He jumped into the ring with his deputies and drove the fighters and officials to the corners. Referee Ed W. Smith then announced that Johnson had won and the fight was over.

Flynn displayed no ability throughout the fight. He was cut about the face until blood ran down his breast in a stream. He was utterly helpless from the first round on and by the sixth was deliberately trying to butt the champion's chin with his head. Time after time, as Johnson held him powerless in the clinches, Flynn jerked his head upward.

Smith warned him repeatedly, but it did no good. In the seventh he began leaping upward every time he could work his head under Johnson's chin. Flynn's feet were both off the floor time and again. Sometimes he seemed to leap two feet into the air in frantic plunges at the elusive jaw above him.

Referee Smith forced Flynn back toward his corner a half dozen times. "Stop that butting," he would say, shaking his finger in Flynn's face, "or I will disqualify you."

"The nigger is holding me," Flynn roared; "he's holding me all the time like this," and he offered to illustrate on the referee.

In the next clinch—it was in the eighth round—Flynn flung his head upward again. Smith jumped between them and warned him once more.

"Next time you do it I'll disqualify you," he shouted, but changed his mind, for it happened again and again in that round and repeatedly in the ninth before the police took a hand.

Through it all the champion was smiling. He evaded Flynn's attacks with the utmost ease, whether the Pueblo man led with his hands or his head. Only once in the nine rounds did he show any wish to end the fight, and yet opinion was unanimous that he could have put Flynn out at any time he fancied. The champion opened up only once early in the fight, when Flynn landed his only good blow, right and left hooks to the jaw, delivered during a clinch. Johnson appeared nettled at his own carelessness and smashed a right uppercut through Flynn's guard which rocked the white man's head.

Apparently Johnson did not attempt to hit hard. He contented himself with a slow, scientific chopping, every blow finding its way through the barricade of gloves and elbows behind which Flynn crouched. It was an exhibition of guarding and hitting in the clinches as far as the champion was concerned. Not a blow of Flynn's reached Johnson with any force behind it. Flynn's blows were tossed aside, unless Johnson chose to allow him to batter away at his stomach, Johnson smiling the while over Flynn's shoulder. When the fight was over there was not a mark on Johnson beyond a cut inside his lower lip, which bled slightly for a few minutes.

Immediately after the fight Johnson hastened to the betting counter to collect his wagers on himself. He drove there from the ringside and was forced to address the crowd in the big room before he could leave for his camp.

Flynn was rushed to his camp from the arena. He was not hurt except for the cuts and bruises on his face. He had nothing to say.

The fight was utterly lacking in interest. It was like a training bout at Johnson's camp, outside the blood lost by Flynn.

There was not a cheer during the fight and the crowd accepted the referee's action with apparent relief. It was the general opinion at the ringside that Flynn was eager to be disqualified.

Flynn was introduced to the crowd as "the fighting fireman of Pueblo." Johnson was then presented as the champion heavyweight of the world. His reception was lukewarm.

Brawl in Panama; American Killed. Panama.—The report of a serious brawl between the Panama police and a number of United States marines while the Americans were celebrating the Fourth of July is confirmed. A fight occurred late in the evening with the result that one American citizen was killed. Two American marines and six soldiers belonging to the Tenth Infantry Regiment and two American civilians were wounded. Two Panama policemen also were wounded. The United States Legation is investigating.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE IS STRUCK

Much Excitement Aboard Commonwealth, Bunker Hill and Massachusetts, but No Lives Lost.

New York, July 8.—In a heavy fog that hung over the eastern end of the Long Island Sound and off Newport, R. I., early Sunday the steamship Commonwealth of the Fall River Line, with 900 passengers aboard, crashed into the battleship New Hampshire.

At almost the same hour the steamship Bunker Hill and the Massachusetts, both of the Metropolitan Steamship Company, came into collision at the entrance to the sound.

So terrific was the impact of the Commonwealth and the New Hampshire that the bow of the Commonwealth crumpled up. She was saved from going to the bottom by the fact that the forward compartments held firm. Alarmed passengers, in their night wear, rushed to the decks, but were quickly pacified by the officers and crew.

In remarkably quick time the sailors of the New Hampshire and other battleships at anchor near where the collision occurred surrounded the Commonwealth with "battleship steamers" and barges ready to take off the passengers and crew if necessary.

Water rushed in torrents into the forward hold of the Commonwealth as the bow crumpled up. Officers going below reported that the forward partition had held and that the vessel would remain afloat. The New Hampshire was so badly damaged that emergency repairs will have to be made before she can be towed to the Boston navy yard. Her stern was smashed in to the water's edge.

The excitement on board the Massachusetts and the Bunker Hill was unrestrained for a few minutes. The 250 passengers on board the Massachusetts rushed to the deck, women screaming, but Capt. Colberth and his crew quickly restored order. Aboard the Bunker Hill a similar condition existed, for the Bunker Hill suffered the greater shock.

Passengers hurried for the lifeboats and life preservers as they appeared on the deck. The crew strapped preservers on the women, while officers went below to ascertain the extent of the damage. They reported that the vessel was damaged, apparently, only above the water line. Officers soon satisfied the passengers there was no danger.

TELL OF A WONDERFUL CAVE.

In Foothills of Huachua Mountains Northeast of Nogales, Ariz.

Nogales, Ariz.—It is declared one of the most wonderful caves in the world has been found in Southern Arizona. Unnamed, unexplored and almost unknown is the vast cavern. Only a few people have dared enter to view its grandeur, its beauties and its wonders and to study the wondrous work of nature. This cave lies in the foothills of the Huachua Mountains, about forty miles northeast of Nogales, Santa Cruz County.

Exploring parties have entered and spent days inside, but none have ever discovered the end. They report passageways, rooms and chambers innumerable, some enormous in size, of transparent stalactite columns. One room has a level and smooth floor and they called it the Dance Hall, and others have unfathomed pits and chasms.

VIOLENT ALASKAN QUAKES.

Foreman of a Mine on Dome Creek Suffocated Under Earth Slide.

Fairbanks, Alaska.—The most violent earthquake ever experienced here occurred at 10 o'clock Saturday night, the earth rocking continuously for forty seconds. Less violent shocks occurred throughout the night. Louis Anderson, foreman of a mine on Dome Creek, was suffocated beneath a huge slab of earth loosened by the quake.

FOUR KILLED IN WRECK.

Two Interurban Cars Collide Head-On at Marion, Ind.

Marion, Ind.—Four people were killed and more than a dozen seriously hurt, some perhaps fatally, in a head-on collision between two interurban cars on the Marion, Bluffton and Eastern Traction Line in this city Sunday afternoon.

Heavy Earthquake Was Recorded.

Washington.—The heaviest earthquake shocks since the San Francisco of 1906 were recorded Sunday on the seismographs at the Georgetown University observatory. The distance was registered at 3,000 miles and the direction uncertain. The tremors continued for 3:07 until 5 a. m. The heaviest shock at 3:41 a. m. threw two needles out of scale and registered 95 millimeters on another dial.

OPEN TUBERCULOSIS COLONY

Large Crowd Inspects Newly Completed Sanitarium at Carlsbad, Tex.

Carlsbad, Tex.—As an evidence of appreciation for the location and completion of the anti-tuberculosis sanitarium No. 1 over 4,000 people came to witness the opening of this great institution Thursday.

At 11:30 a. m. the crowd went into the barbecue grounds where barbecued beefs and sheep were served. At 1 o'clock Frank H. Bushick was introduced to the crowd, and in turn presented the speaker of the day, Hon. Thomas H. McGregor. Mr. McGregor is the author of the bill passed by the House of Representatives, providing for the building of a tubercular colony. He spoke at length on the history of tuberculosis and how it could be prevented to a certain degree. Each of the members of the Anti-Tuberculosis Commission made short addresses and were given loud applause. After all had spoken the people of Carlsbad made a frequent demonstration of their appreciation to the committee.

It was often remarked by visitors that Carlsbad had perfect control of the large crowd and afforded ample facilities for entertainment. The San Angelo band furnished music for the day. In the evening the grand ball was given at the large pleasure pavilion at which there were several hundred people in attendance.

The buildings are just completed for tuberculosis patients and were thrown open to inspection of visitors.

After many years of effort on the part of those who knew of the ravages of the great white plague—tuberculosis—Texas has practically awakened to its dangers and a beginning made to fight it and help those afflicted who are not able to help themselves.

Tuberculosis is regarded as a preventable disease, and the State and a large number of citizens have entered into the fight to prevent its spread and save the many from being victims.

Car Overturns; Woman Killed.

Plainview, Tex.—The pleasures of the Fourth of July celebration were marred by the killing of Mrs. Buck Sams by the overturning of their auto. A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Sams, Mr. and Mrs. Flake Garner, Mac Garner, Mr. Mooreland and Miss Artie Mooreland were out riding and while tempting to pass another car the front wheel dropped into a hole, all the passengers were thrown out. Mrs. Sams' neck was broken and she died instantly. Mr. Sams, Mrs. Garner and Miss Mooreland were injured but not serious.

FOUR KILLED AT JUAREZ.

Mutinous Troubles Break Out Among Rebels; Armed Clash Feared.

El Paso, Tex.—Mutinous troubles among the rebel troops in Juarez continue and four men were killed in a fight in the streets early Sunday night.

Serious trouble is feared when an attempt is made to send about 1,500 of the men to Casas Grandes and it is feared there will be an armed clash if the plan of compelling them to go is carried out. These rebels appear utterly disheartened and the majority of them appear to have had all the military experience they desire.

It is reported that the soldiers comprising the garrison at Juarez are almost in open rebellion against their officers owing to the fact that they have not been paid for two months. According to reports that reached here from across the river, the treasury of the provisional Government is practically empty.

It is said that Orozco is making frantic efforts to pacify those moneyed citizens of Juarez who have in the past been forced to subscribe handsomely to the revolutionary cause, and to wheedle further contributions out of them, but it is stated that he is having little success.

In fear that a riot may be started on slight provocation the rebel Government of the city has proclaimed that anyone found with a revolver in his possession will be treated as an enemy of the revolution, which means that he will be shot. Soldiers stand at every intersection of streets with loaded carbines instructed not to hesitate to shoot at the first sign of a mutiny.

Heavy Snow Falls in France.

Paris.—A heavy snow fell at Forbes Friday night, that covered the Aure Valley to a depth of eighteen inches. All over the country the weather is abnormal. There have been severe storms in the south of France. Pau was swept by a fierce gale with hail and thunder. In the course of the storm four aeroplane sheds on the aviation field were wrecked.

Waxahachie Has a \$36,500 Fire.

Waxahachie, Tex.—Waxahachie had another costly fire early Sunday morning that caused a loss to property of about \$36,500. The fire started in the second story of a stone building occupied by O. P. Lumley with a stock of confectionaries and a restaurant. An adjoining building, occupied by the McDuffie Grocery Company, was also destroyed. The stocks in both buildings are a total loss. The buildings were owned by Dr. C. W. Simpson and were valued at about \$10,000, with \$7,000 insurance.

OROZCO'S ARMY IS FLEEING TO JUAREZ

DEFEATED AT BACHIMA, REBELS EVACUATE ONE-TIME CAPITAL.

CHIHUANUA IS ABANDONED

Insurrectos Encamped Only 114 Miles from the American Border at El Paso.

Chihuahua, Mexico.—The rebels who had occupied Chihuahua for nearly five months as their capital and base, evacuated Thursday night in the face of a rapidly moving column of Federal cavalry, the vanguard of Gen. Huerta's army, which drove the rebels from Bachimba, forty miles south of here.

Gen. Orozco was at Sauz, thirty miles north of here, while the main columns of the rebels were encamped at Motezuma, only 114 miles from the American border. Chihuahua, with its nervous colony of foreigners, was left untouched by the rebels. Troop trains were sent through at full speed by Gen. Orozco to prevent looting and disorder.

Preparations were made by the rebels to isolate Chihuahua. All bridges were destroyed south of here during the day. The work of tearing up the Mexican Central Railroad was detailed to dynamite crews, which left here with the last of the rebel forces. This dispatch evidently will be the last message sent before the rebels cut Chihuahua off from telegraphic communication.

All rebel officials left on the first train. The foreigners remained in their houses, raising flags of all Nations. The rebels will try to mobilize opposite El Paso, a strategic entrance to the State of Sonora. Gen. Orozco admitted that lack of ammunition and superior Federal artillery made it futile to attempt to hold Bachimba.

He has distributed his forces in several directions, but the mobilization point will be close to the American border, if there is one.

Rebel officers say it will be guerilla warfare from now on. There is no question about the apparent disorder of the rebels, but it is probable the invasion of Sonora will mean a serious problem for the Government, as the region is mountainous and impassable for artillery and troop trains.

TWO BOYS LOSE ARM AT DALLAS.

Bomb Explodes and Fragment Flies Into Crowd at Fair Park.

Dallas, Tex.—When a fragment from a bomb flew into the grand stand at Fair Park Thursday night two boys were so badly injured that each will lose an arm and several other persons were slightly injured, it was reported. The piece of iron was about six inches square. It struck Archie Brown, 16 years of age, on the left shoulder, badly lacerating that member. At the sanitarium it was deemed advisable to amputate the arm at the shoulder. The boy was knocked from the fence where he sat. The same piece hit Tasla Armstrong, 16 years of age, on the left elbow, fracturing the arm. At the sanitarium the arm was amputated at the elbow.

Police Chief John W. Ryan, who investigated the explosion, said that at 10 o'clock one of the employees of the fireworks concern touched off a load in an old mortar, and that it seemed to be a section of the lining of the mortar which was hurled into the grand stand.

"There was a large crowd at the place," he said, "and probably 20,000 people in the grounds. It is wonderful that none but these two was seriously hurt."

ANTI-WRECK INVENTION TESTED.

Appliance Stops Trains in Same Block by Shutting Off Steam.

London.—An electrical invention to prevent railway accidents by means of electric automatic signaling and the automatic stopping of trains has been invented here and a successful demonstration was made last week.

Electric wires are run beside the track. An alarm from the engine travels on the wire. When the train enters a block in which there is another train a whistle blows in the cab. Immediately afterward, if the engineer has not stopped the train, the electric apparatus automatically cuts off the steam and sets the brakes.

In the test two locomotives started from points two miles apart at full speed toward each other. When the locomotives entered the same block the warning whistles blew, the electric mechanism worked and the engines stopped within 100 yards of each other.

\$12,000 Fire Loss at Houston.

Houston, Tex.—Three buildings were gutted and several business concerns wiped out of business in a fire here Friday morning. A negro restaurant, a negro barber shop and a Greek restaurant occupied three of the buildings. The J. W. Davis carriage works and the Southward Sign Company occupied the other two. The five one-story brick buildings which were destroyed were owned by C. H. Behring and his sister, Mrs. Baker. The total damage is about \$12,000.

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From Dinner Branch

Crops of all kinds are looking fine, but a good rain would be appreciated very much.

Misses Cora and Minnie Garrett have been visiting their brothers Lee and J. C. Garrett this week. Jim Caldwell and family have been visiting relatives here returning home Wednesday.

Finis Walker of Abilene is here for a short stay visiting relatives and friends.

Nep Williamson was the guest of Annie Tucker Thursday night.

Mrs. Estella Barr and Mrs. Tucker spent Monday with Mrs. Garrett.

Mrs. J. P. Clifton has been to see her mother Mrs. Archy returned Thursday.

Mrs. Sallie Barr spent Wednesday with Mrs. Williamson.

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From time to time I have been requested and petitioned by many citizens, farmers, business-men and those who are usually called laboring-men, in this District, to become a candidate for the office of District Judge. And after careful consideration of the same, and in response to their request, I here now announce myself as a candidate for the office of District Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic electors at the Primaries in July.

I am not the candidate of any faction, or combination of our people, or of any person, BUT FOR THE WHOLE PEOPLE, holding closely and firmly to the belief that for the perpetuity of our government and well-fare of our people no man should be elected to this great and responsible office who is a partisan or a politician.

I believe in the strict enforcement of all of our criminal laws, against all who violate the same, with certainty and firmness; but in a spirit of mercy—and not with hatred or malice.

In conclusion, I ask and appeal to the great Democratic heart of this District, who desire that your laws be enforced against all wrong doers alike, and that fairness and justice be given every citizen, for your vote and support.

Respectfully,
 D. G. Hill.

On Wednesday July 3rd Mesdames McGowan and Carter entertained in the former's beautiful home, honoring Miss Georgie Davis with a miscellaneous shower.

On the arrival of each guest delicious punch was served by Miss Work a charming niece of Mrs. McGowan.

Miss Davis was told over the phone that she was needed at once never dreaming of the surprise awaiting her she rushed in the parlor, to find a group of merry girls.

Several contests were enjoyed to the fullest, Miss Lou Cade winning

honors.

A fitting solo to the bride by Miss Rushing was certainly appreciated also many other beautiful selections on the piano.

Delicious refreshments were served consisting of perminto sandwiches, tea and iced watermelon. The colors, red and white were carried out in contests as well as refreshments creating a pleasing effect.

The brides table was in the center of the room and prettily decorated with sweet peas.

Miss Rushing in a charming way toasted Miss Davis with this—

"Here's to our bride and mother-in-law, here's to our absent groom and father-in-law, here's to our sister and sister-in-law, here's to our friends and friends-in-law, may none of these, need an attorney-at-law."

After refreshments the guests were called in an adjoining room there they found a large red heart on a sheet which closed the opening between two rooms, the heart was divided by lines on sections, each one bearing a different future such as happiness, single blessedness etc the girls after being blind folded were given a white arrow to pin on the heart thereby telling her fate. Miss Davis came last, as she attempted to pin the arrow on, the sheet was drawn back, the blind fold slipped off and great was the amazement and joy of Miss Davis to find before her a line of dainty gifts.

With many expressions of gratitude the "clothes" were gathered in and all departed after assuring

the hostess they had spent a most enjoyable afternoon.

Little souvenir bags of rice bearing these lines, "keep this with the greatest care to shower upon the happy pair" were given to the following guests, Misses Cade, Shackford, Rushing, Robertson, Tyson, Haley, Oglesvy, Carter, Davis, Mable and Nell Hall Mesdames Coffman and George Carter.

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