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Pullman Plant Shut Down.

The immense Pullman car works at Pullman are shut down and practically every one of the company's 7,000 employes is idle.

The workmen were told to take their tools with them when they left the works, and from this infer that a considerable period of idleness confronts them. The closing of the big car works at the "model city" came when the 1,500 workers in the repair department were laid off. That has been the only branch of the plant in operation for some time and its closing left not more than one hundred men at work, just enough to put the finishing touches on what little work remained on hand and to keep the many buildings in condition.

About five-sixths of the Pullman employes are members of unions. The plant has been operated on the open-plant basis, however, since 1894 strike when the union cause was defeated. The shut-down of the works has been gradual during the last three weeks, two or three plants being closed at a time.

The Republicans of Maine were successful in the state election Monday, the candidate for governor, William T. Coob of Rockland, being elected by a plurality which will probably be as high as 30,000. This probable plurality is about 3,300 smaller than that by which the Republican ticket was successful in Maine four years ago, Democratic leaders are claiming that the vote indicates an increase in party strength in the state. On the other hand, the Republican leaders declared that they expected only from 15,000 to 20,000 plurality. All present congressmen, who are Republicans, were re-elected by pluralities ranging from 5,000 to 8,000.

New York Republican Ticket.

Following is the New York state ticket nominated by the republicans Thursday:

Governor—Frank W. Higgins of Cattaraugus.

Lieutenant governor—M. Lynn Bruce of New York.

Secretary of state—John F. O'Brien of Clinton.

Attorney General—Julius M. Mayer of New York.

Treasurer—John D. Wellenmier of Erie.

Engineer and surveyor—Henry A. Van Alstyne of Columbia.

Chief of the judge of appeals—Edgar M. Cullen of Kings county.

The platform adopted was very short and indorses Roosevelt.

An item from Pine Bluff Ark., says fire has destroyed the Sayer & Austin plant, one of the largest lumber mills in Arkansas. The loss is estimated at between \$400,000 and 500,000 fully covered by insurance.

Thrift no more means saving money than spending money. It means spending and saving, whether time or money, or anything else, to the best possible advantage.—Yuskin.

Tomorrow's burden prevents today's blessing.—Ram's Horn.

Estimate of Losses.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 14.—General Kuropatkin estimates the Russian losses from August 28 to September 5 at 4,000 killed and 12,000 wounded.

Russians After Contraband.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—The correspondent of the Echo De Paris at St. Petersburg telegraphs to his paper as follows:

"The ministry of marine tells me regarding the arrival of the Russian transport Lena at San Francisco that another vessel, the Korea, is also due at an American port on the Pacific. Orders have been sent the Russian ships to scrupulously conform with American neutrality rules which are expected to permit them taking on enough coal to reach Vladivostok. I consider the situation very delicate, as there is evidence that the ships are destined to prevent the transport of contraband goods from the United States to Japan and perhaps capture vessels carrying contraband. An admiral on the staff of the emperor and closely related to Viceroy Alexieff, tells me Alexieff will eventually succeed Foreign Minister Lamsdorff and he will adopt a strong diplomatic policy."

OYSTER BAY, Sept. 14.—

There has been no new developments in the case of the Russian cruiser Lena at San Francisco. It seems certain the vessel will be dismantled and ordered to remain where she is until the conclusion of the war, but the final decision on that point may not be reached for a day or two. The possibility exists she may be ordered to depart after making urgent repairs, but it is only a possibility.

Fair Visitor Found Dead.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 14.—A special to the Post from Lexington says: D. R. Hurst of Jackson, Ky., arrived here today from St. Louis with the body of William Hampton of Simpson, Ky., which he says he found on the dissecting table of a hospital in St. Louis, after searching seven days, following an accidental separation in the crowds at the World's Fair.

Hearst and Hampton went to St. Louis eight days ago. On the first day of their visit at the fair the men became separated and this was the last he saw of Hampton alive. According to Mr. Hurst's story the hospital authorities refused to say where the body of Mr. Hampton had been secured or how he came by his death. Mr. Hurst did not give the name of the hospital. He and his friends will return to St. Louis as soon as the funeral is over to prosecute an inquiry into the matter.

The prohibitionists of Childress county held a convention last Saturday and decided to have a local option election as soon as possible. Petitions to the commissioners' court are being prepared and will be presented as soon as enough names have been secured.

Any one hunting or fishing in an enclosure of less than 2000 acres without permission, whether the inclosure is posted or not, is subject to a fine of from \$10 to \$100.

STATE NEWS.

Phelps, Walker county, boasts of a 20-ounce pear.

In Kaufman county for the year ending June 30 there were 1,058 births and 426 deaths.

The Texas Produce Company's round bale gin at Terrell has gone into the hands of a receiver.

The capital stock of the First National Bank at Amarillo has been increased from \$50,000 to \$200,000.

The twenty indictments against the doctors of Parker county for alleged violation of the local option law have been quashed.

L. V. Wharton, a cattleman of Motley county, was stricken with paralysis Tuesday night on the train en route to St. Louis.

Sunday night the residence of D. H. McNairy, a well-known cattleman of Colorado, was destroyed by fire together with the contents.

The postoffices at Garland, Killen and Midlothian have been advanced to the presidential class. The first pays \$1000, the others \$1100 each.

Three Houston companies are said to have joined with the National Tobacco companies in a gigantic combine to control the tobacco trade of the world.

Up to Saturday night but two arrests have been made for this month in Corsicana, which the people of that city think it is a record to be proud of.

Mrs. George Gallington of Marshall, who was arrested the other day charged with the murder of her husband, has been released on habeas corpus proceedings under a \$1,000 bond.

Nine glandered horses were killed in the Alma community Wednesday in Ellis county by an officer from the sheriff's department. The animals were condemned by a committee appointed by County Judge Hawkins.

The 10-year-old son of Thomas Eastwood was badly burned in Sherman Tuesday by an explosion of gasoline. He struck a match near a bottle. His clothing was burned from his body. His injuries are serious.

Capt. P. P. Harshaw, who claimed to be the oldest man in Grayson county, 94, died at Van Alstyne Monday night. His funeral was preached by Rev. T. B. McComb, who is over 80 years old. Mrs. Harshaw is expected to die soon. She is 87.

The Texas men who shipped cattle to Kansas in the spring for the purpose of grazing them for market, are rather in a quandary as to the best course to pursue now that the stuff is ready for market. Many of them say they are losing money at the prevailing prices the cattle are bringing, but they cannot see much chance for improvement in the future.—Telegram.

Frost is reported in almost every part of Nebraska Tuesday night although no great damage was done to crops. Nearly all the Nebraska corn is out of danger.

Seven special dispatches from South Dakota state no damage was done to corn by the light frost Tuesday night.

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The following rates have been authorized from Clarendon to St. Louis and return, account World's Fair: rates apply via Fort Worth & Denver Ry to Ft. Worth, thence any direct route to St. Louis:

Season Ticket rate..... \$36.20
60 day rate..... 30.15
15 day rate..... 24.60
7 day rate..... 15.85

Rates for children on the above excursions will be one-half the above rate, except on the 7 day tickets, on which child's rate will be \$11.30. The 7 day tickets will be on sale June 14 and 20, limited to leave St. Louis seven days after date of sale. These 7-day tickets are good for coach accommodation only.

COLORADO TOURIST RATES.

Continuing daily from June 1 to Sep. 30, inclusive, the following rates are authorized from Clarendon to points named below and return:

Ret. limit Oct. 31. 60 das
Boulder..... \$24 95 \$20 70
Denver..... 23 35 19 50
Colorado Springs, ... 20 35 17 25
Pueblo..... 18 35 15 75

Stop-overs will be allowed at any point Trinidad and north, going or returning without additional expense to passengers. For children, one-half above rates.

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CLARENDON, TEX., SEP. 17 1904.

PORFIRIO DIAZ, president of Mexico, celebrated his 75th birthday Thursday. Assassins surrounded the president's chair when Diaz came into power. If liberal Mexico trusted him, conservative and clerical Mexico hated. Lawlessness prevailed in all sections of the republic. Title to property was insecure. The currency was debased. Foreign capital would not invest. Pauperism was at every twist of the road. Diaz, the son of a poor innkeeper of Oaxaca, must have possessed Napoleonic qualities to have brought about a state of affairs the reverse of that existing when he was made president. Under Santa Anna he demonstrated his bravery. He fought the French at Pueblo with famed bravery. He besieged Marques in the city of Mexico and hastened the down fall of Maximilian, and when war was at an end he proved himself a master in statecraft. It is known that he has not been a well man for sometime, and it has been reported time and again that he contemplated retiring from the presidency. He would undoubtedly take this step were he sure all would go well.

The total number of Russian buried at Liao Yang was and yet it is said the stench decaying bodies is so great Chinese have been forced to vacate the place. A report from Mukden Wednesday says the Japs are fortifying the roaches by the river. Small elements of Japanese moved toward from the Taitse river, preparations for an advance are still continuing, although the second stage of the Japanese movement has not yet been completed by any means. The first was to the north, as if for a turning movement, but General Kuroki is going east, while to the westward preparations are being made to send a large force up the Liao river. For this purpose the Japanese already have taken 100 large barges, with which they intend to ascend as far as Tie Pass. The youthfulness of the Japanese soldiers surprised the Russians. Some of them are not more than 18 years old. The reports that the Japanese bolster up their courage with intoxicants is classed as nonsense, the best evidence to the contrary being the remarkable endurance which they displayed.

It is said that the farmers of Kansas have \$10,000,000 on deposit in the banks of that state, and should proceed to break the news gently to chairman Cortelyou.—Ft. Worth Telegram.

The general run of farmers in Kansas have quit contributing to old party campaigns, hence the money in bank. Informing Cortelyou, or Taggart either, will be useless.

Parties here from Colorado City say that section of the country has not yet had the requisite amount of rain to insure the needed winter grass on the range, but cattle are generally in fine shape, and rain any time this month will put things in good shape.—Telegram.

The Lampases News has suspended its daily edition and the City National bank at that place has sold out to the First National and turned over its effects.

Quick Tube Service.

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—A pneumatic tube eighteen inches in diameter between Chicago and Milwaukee that will transport packages and mail between the two cities in forty minutes—at the rate of more than two miles a minute—and give a lightning express service to all towns along the route, is proposed by a concern which has installed pneumatic systems in some of the largest Chicago business houses.

The cost of the line is placed at \$5,000,000. As the distance is about 84.5 miles, this is at the rate of \$62,500 a mile. Expenses of maintenance and operation will be so small, it is asserted, that the company can afford to carry freight at less than the price now charged by any common carrier.

By the vacuum system used by the company the air in the tube is partly exhausted in front of the carriers, instead of being forced at a high pressure back of the carriers, as in other pneumatic systems. An arrangement of pumps, valves and levers makes it possible to divide the line into short sections, each operated independently, so that distance, according to the company, practically cuts no figure as regards practicability of operation.

Senator Culberson insists upon nominees for state offices going out among the people for the purpose of defending the Houston platform and the record of the state administration. This is real cruel. How the deuce is Brother John Robbins going to defend the plank of the platform which denounces nepotism? Brother Robbins is a very pious man, but he must have articulated a cuss word when he read the utterances of the senator in the public prints. The senior senator is right. Governor Lanham and the members of his official family should defend their record. Even a republican has a right to ask for a glance at the books. The pie-biters do not own the state.—Dallas Times-Herald.

The pie-biters may not own the state, but that fact does not deter the heads of various departments from feeding their relatives and all their wife's folk at the public trough. It would be an interesting exhibition of gall for some of our state officers to attempt to explain why this is so.—Ft. Worth Telegram.

Many of the big ranches out in the western portion of the state are being cut up and sold to farmers at good prices to go under the plow. It is stated that Mrs. J. C. Lea has cut up and sold over 15,000 acres of her big ranch in Coleman county, for agricultural purposes, at an average price of \$9 per acre. As the land comes more into demand for agricultural purposes it will continue to enhance in value.—Ex.

It is reported that the number of cattle to be shipped out from Elgin, Kan., which is claimed to be the biggest shipping point in the Sunflower state, will be considerably short of the number sent out last season, when 2,500 cars were shipped from that point. The main reason given for the decrease is the falling off in the number of Texas cattle placed in territory pastures this season.

A Rock Island passenger train was robbed near Muscatine, Iowa, Tuesday morning by five robbers. Officials say but little booty was obtained.

Biggest Day at the Fair.

St. Louis, Sept. 15.—"St. Louis Day," the most imposing of all the special days in the history of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, was celebrated today, and it is confidently expected that the record of admissions will show the largest number of visitors of any one day during the entire exposition. From the time the gates opened until the close of the day various interesting features entertained the throngs of visitors.

There were no quiet, secluded places within the ground today. Visitors were everywhere. They filled the multitude of buildings, thronged the different piazzas, picniced in the forest section of the grounds and swarmed through the pike. Passes were generally tabooed for the day, although this was not compulsory. The holders of admission tickets were presented with red badges, inscribed "I have done my duty," signifying that they had paid admission fees of fifty cents, and almost every visitor displayed a badge.

Business generally was suspended and St. Louis practically en masse attended the exposition and excursion trains augmented the attendance by almost constant pourings during the forenoon.

Mississippi Day, Farmers' Day and the Texas Day were also incorporated in the general celebration. Governor Vardaman and General Keelsey, of Mississippi, and their staffs, participated in the day's exercises.

The opening event of the day was the parade in which, it is estimated 50,000 regulars, national guardsmen and uniformed civilian societies participated.

This was followed by excises in the piazzas of St. Louis, during which a chorus of three thousand voices rendered patriotic songs. Exercises in Festival hall in which 1,000 Sunday school children took part, was an interesting part of the day's program.

The crowning feature was the congress of nations in the stadium, bringing together members of twelve different barbaric tribes from Asia, Africa, America and Philippines. There were demonstrations of weird native sports.

What must be nearly the last of the national conventions of the Mexican war veterans began in E. St. Louis today. There are only about 3,500 of the veterans left, and they are dying at the rate of several hundred a year. About a hundred were present at the meeting today, coming chiefly from Kentucky, Indiana, Texas and several states of the east. Messages of good will were read from President Roosevelt, President Diaz, Governor Yates of Illinois and others.

Lelia News.

By Towne Young.

Philip Jackson, brother of H. C. Jackson, is up from Granbury on a visit.

Mrs. C. M. Doak, of Wichita Falls, is up on a visit to her brother, R. H. Brown, and family.

The Sunday school classes of Mr. Brown and Mrs. Sims are off on a picnic excursion for Friday and Saturday to Goodnight seeing the buffalo.

Miss Myrtle Leathers who is now at Waco, in Baylor University returns home next week. She writes that the University is badly crowded this year.

Enrollment at Lelia school is now 53. This makes the school too large and crowded, and as soon as the school district southeast of us gets its school house built, some 10 or 12 will be taken away. We can then do better work.

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Broom Corn Trust.

The broom corn growers of Dewey county, Ok., have organized with officers and a board of directors and adopted the price of \$75 per ton, for which they will sell their broom corn this season. Each member of the association is pledged to hold his crop for that price and a severe penalty is fixed for anyone who violates the provision. Broom corn growers in other parts of the territory are also organizing and the price of the commodity promises to be high.

A Country Without A Beggar.

Mendicancy has almost vanished in Switzerland, where it used to be so prevalent. Every effort is made by the cantons to find work. Those who do not desire to work are forced to do so in institutions conducted for that purpose. In the canton of Schwyz a law imposes a fine on "persons who, by giving alms, favor begging from house to house or in the street."

Heavy frosts in the northwest has sent the price of wheat soaring. Tuesday it advanced from four to nine cents, touching \$1.27 in Minneapolis, and there are predictions of its going to \$2.

The Childress well drillers have recovered the well bit broken off while drilling some time ago and are again trying for water.

Tom Bert, a Dalhart prisoner in the Claude jail, broke jail Wednesday, but was captured near Panhandle next day.

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TIME TABLE.
 South & Denver City Railway
NORTH BOUND.
 No. 1. Mail and Express.....8:47 p. m.
 No. 7. Passenger and Express..... 6:25 a. m.
SOUTH BOUND.
 No. 2. Mail and Express..... 7:15 a. m.
 No. 8. Passenger and Express 9:30 p. m.
 J. W. KENNEDY, Local gt.

Business locals five cents per line for first insertion and 3 cents for subsequent insertions. All locals run and are charged for until ordered out. Transient notices and job work are cash, other bills on first of month.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Robt. Sawyer and wife are back from St. Louis.
 Miss Effie Furgerson is now a saleslady at Powell & Sons'.
 Miss Irma Wadsworth, from Channing, is a new College student.
 New Dress Goods at lowest prices for every lady at W. P. Powell & Sons'.
 All this week has been decidedly cool and reminds us of the near approach of winter.
 H. Hall was unfortunate with Wednesday night to lose a mare with the colic.
 Alexander has the job of going out the tax rolls of the Clarendon school district.

Ben Christian, Charlie Heister and Jim McMurtry, of the J A ranch, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Davis, of Mulberry Flat is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Mullins, in Childress this week.

Mrs. Clare Booth, of Austin, came in Thursday morning on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Eddins.

Judge Morgan and wife went to Bowie Thursday to attend the annual Presbytery of the Presbyterian church being held there.

J. S. Fleming is no longer connected with the Meador Grocer Co., but will likely engage with some other firm in town.

Mr. Joseph Bell returned home Thursday morning from a lengthy visit to his old Illinois home. He took in the World's Fair while away.

Mrs. N. L. Ray left Wednesday for a visit at Wellington, Kansas, where she formerly lived and where her daughter, Mrs. Hallie Park, now lives.

Rev. Skinner and wife left yesterday morning for Portales, N. M., to attend an association meeting, after which Rev. Skinner will hold a revival meeting at that place.

We notice in the list of parties sailing from New York Wednesday on the San Jacinto for Texas was the names of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. White, destined for Clarendon.

Leslie M. Price came in from Stratford yesterday morning and will spend today in town. He says the country around Stratford is being settled up, and that Mrs. Foxworth will soon begin the erection of a \$2000 residence there.

Hon. W. B. Ware and wife have returned from St. Louis fair, but W. B. still talks politics more than he does the fair. He says all the people he saw were for Parker, except one Watson man and a few republicans and the latter were colored gentlemen.

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See Powell & Sons' new ad. in this issue.

Mrs. Tomb went to Dalhart on a visit Wednesday.

Mrs. G. T. Allman returned to her home at Vernon Thursday.

Bro. Thornton's oldest little daughter, Opal, is sick this week of fever.

President Hardy, of the College says the enrollment is now over 180 and still growing.

Mrs. J. T. Coulter and daughter, Miss Elise, left Thursday night for St. Louis to see the Fair.

Clyde Caldwell and Wesley Foxworth left the first of the week for a term at the Georgetown University.

Miss Mattie Lovett, of Lefors, Gray county, who attended college here last year, died this week of slow fever.

Mat Erwin, of Motley county has 900 steers on the way to Clarendon. If he does not sell, he will hunt pastorage for them.

S. F. Long, fatherinlaw of M. T. Howard, who has been visiting in Young county and at El Paso, returned home last night.

John Townsend and bride arrived here Wednesday night after having been married at Portales that morning to Miss Dovie Crisman. They are visiting Mr. Townsend's sister, Mrs. W. A. Caldwell.

J. T. Hemphill, who formerly lived on Mulberry, and whose wife died after they moved to Yuma, Ariz., and who left here a few months ago for a visit in Tennessee, married while there recently.

Eld. E. Dubbs has bought the interest of Clarence E. Dubbs in the Globe Confectionery and the firm name is now to be E. Dubbs & Son. A better and more congenial man cannot be found than Eld. Dubbs, and of course the firm will hold the trade of this popular house.

Married.

F. A. Dubbs, Donley county assessor, and Miss Maggie Hodge were married at the home of the brides' mother Wednesday, Eld. E. Dubbs performing the ceremony.

Fred Dubbs is well known to all Donley county people, and has led to the altar one of the most modest, well-raised, bright young ladies in the Panhandle. They will reside in Clarendon, in the home recently purchased by Mr. Dubbs. THE CHRONICLE extends congratulations and good wishes.

First Cotton Bale.

W. M. Montgomery, of Dozier, drove in town Thursday with the first bale of this year's cotton. It was ginned yesterday, the 1480 pounds making a 460 lb. bale, good sample, and was sold to W. P. Powell & Sons at \$10.10. A \$26 premium, made up by Clarendon business men was also handed over to him, which with the sale of the seed will make him about \$100 for the bale.

Come and see our new goods and get our prices before you buy your fall and winter supplies. POWELL & SONS'.

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For County Treasurer:

J. M. CLOWER,
 C. W. TAYLOR,
 R. W. TALLEY.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

J. T. PATMAN,
 L. C. BEVERLY.

For Tax Assessor:

F. A. DUBBS,
 G. W. BAKER.

Giles Gossip.

CHRONICLE Correspondence.

The new bridge at Giles is completed.

Work is going ahead rapidly on the new gin at Giles and it will be finished in time to gin the first bale of cotton raised in this section.

Miss Desser Young went to Childress Monday.

Mrs. T. A. Curtis returned from Amarillo the 8th, from a visit to relatives and attending the carnival.

Mr. Scribner, representing a commission house at Ft. Worth, was in Giles three days this week soliciting shipments of stock to his firm.

The baseball game between Giles and Rowe teams resulted 12 to 3 in favor of Giles.

Claud Thaxton who was visiting relatives in Canadian, returned home on the 6th.

Messrs. Beed Devine and other Rowe citizens shipped three cars of fat cattle from Giles to Ft. Worth the 7th.

T. A. Curtis and J. W. Thaxton bought 49 head of cows of R. Forbes at \$10 around.

Judge Akers reports \$40 worth of cabbage marketed from his patch, and has plenty left to make a barrel of crout and to supply his family of nine with fresh cabbage all winter. Besides raising over 1000 head of cabbage, the Judge raised an abundance of Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, onions, beans, turnips and many other vegetables, more than would supply his family and had some to sell.

Mr. Cox and others brought in 175 head of cattle from Collingsworth county Sunday. They were sold to J. M. Montgomery and were shipped to Kansas City.

Mrs. D. W. Shelton and Mrs. B. J. Smith, of Rowe, returned from a visit to friends in Wellington and Collingsworth county last Friday.

The Giles baseball nine went to play the Memphis nine on Saturday. They got the worst of the game, by 14 to 9 in favor of Memphis.

Grandma Johnson went up to Clarendon Saturday to visit her son's family.

Mrs. Garey and baby, of Greenville, are visiting P. C. Johnson's family this week.

J. M. Shelton went down to Memphis on business Tuesday.

The Baptists will commence a protracted meeting next Sunday, 18th. Rev. Farmer, of Memphis will conduct it. NESTER.

A Perfection Book Cover free with every book purchased at Stocking's store, cover must be gotten at the time of purchase.

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WEATHER AT WORLD'S FAIR.

Cool Nights and Delightful Indian Summer to Be Expected at St. Louis.

Usually the warmest month of the year, July proved to be one of the most pleasant of the World's Fair season, the average temperature being 67 degrees, a record lower than that made by either Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Cincinnati or Chicago. The weather bureau records show that the temperatures in St. Louis during July were just between the extremes recorded at New Orleans and St. Paul, cities located at great variance.

August in St. Louis is a month of cool nights, and September and October are the most delightful months of the year. It is that period known as Indian summer, when the foliage and birds linger to challenge the coming winter. Nowhere on the American continent is there a spot more delightful than the World's Fair city, a garden of blooming flowers and spraying fountains.

St. Louis, like all cities, experienced several hot days during July, but her highest temperature recorded was 93 degrees against 94 degrees registered by the thermometer at Chicago. On the same day the mercury rose to 96 degrees in Philadelphia, and scores of heat prostrations were reported from New York and Boston.

The relative humidity shows St. Louis to be about normal. Assuming absolutely no moisture in the atmosphere to be zero and absolute wetness to be 100, the relative humidities for July, taken from the records of more than twenty years, Boston shows 70.6, New York 72.2, Philadelphia 68.6, Cincinnati 64.6, Chicago 66.9 and St. Louis 66.3. The same degree of heat in two places, with different degrees of humidity, would cause it to seem the hotter at the point of greater density.

St. Louis may therefore rightly claim to be a summer resort this summer, positively one of the most comfortable and delightful places on the map.

Information For the Young.
"Pa, what's a prevaricator?"
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—Chicago Record-Herald.

A gentleman in Austin said a few days ago that work is progressing on the Colorado, Texas & Mexico Ry., a road chartered some years ago, but little was done towards its construction until recently. The line has been surveyed from Washburn, Armstrong county, to Llano, with San Antonio as its present objective point, which, however, is ultimately destined to build into Mexico. Grading is being done both north and south from Abilene, just how far he was not prepared to say. The project seemed to be backed by ample capital, the grading force being promptly paid every Saturday night, and plenty of money was in hand for all other necessary expenses.

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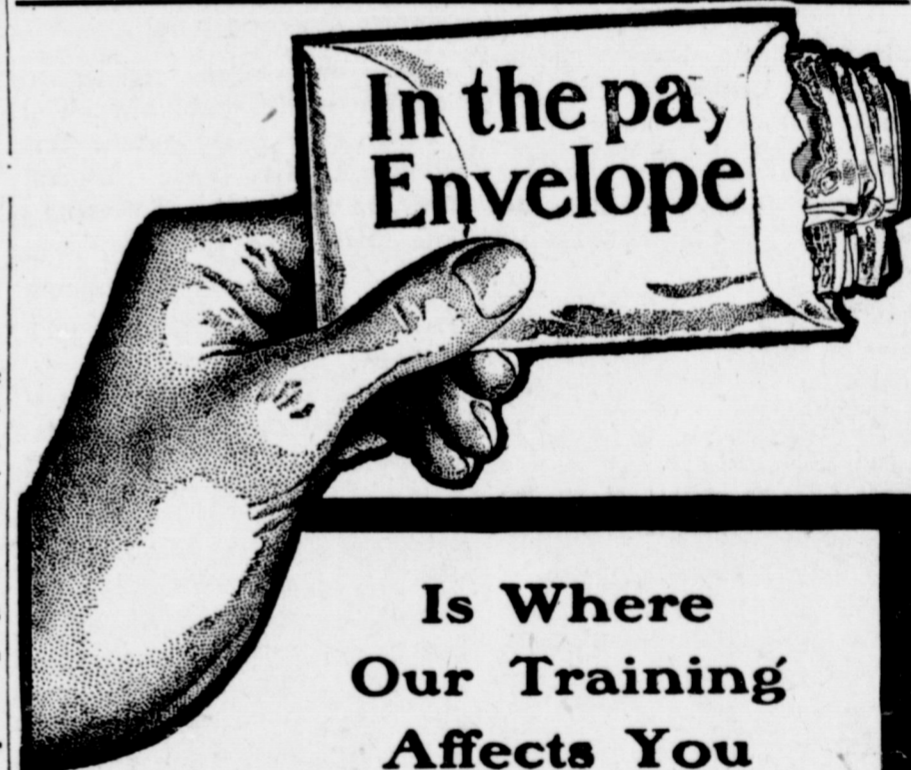
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