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The San Angelo News.

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San Angelo, Texas, Wednesday Morning, August 28, 1907.

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Number 224

Dry Weather Leaders

Ten beautiful lots in North Angelo for sale cheap, or will trade for improved property and pay small cash difference. Seven choice lots in Park Heights at attractive figures to purchaser.

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Boys Grocery Business.

Gus Foute has sold the Fair Grocery Company to J. E. Cassity of Ragley. Mr. Cassity will continue the business on the same high principles Mr. Foute has conducted the business upon. He came to this city a short time ago for his health which has so improved that he decided that he should get busy. He saw the opening and bought. It is likely Mr. Foute will go to Fort Worth to again take a position with a wholesale grocery house. Mr. Cassity takes charge of the business today. He is a pleasant gentleman and a good business man. The many friends of Mr. Foute regret he has sold his business and contemplates leaving the city with his estimable family.

Ralph Watson Here.

Ralph Watson, son of Rev. A. R. Watson and a former citizen of Brownwood, is here this week on a visit to his parents. Mr. Watson lives in Ozona where he is engaged in the stage line business between that place and old Fort Comfort, a distance of ninety miles. He has a bunch of forty-two horses and changes often enough to make the trip in twelve hours. Mr. Watson says it is a little dry out there in his country but that everything is doing well and not much of a calamity howl is going up. His worst trouble is the price of feed stuff.—Brownwood Bulletin.

William Schneemann, who has been in the city for some time, could make amends for the delays of yesterday.

W. O. Doe who was in the city on business returned to Lampasas yesterday.

J. W. Ellison and family returned from Paris yesterday after spending a few days in the city.

Miss Nell Ede and Porter people from the city returned from the out on the San Antonio. They report a delightful outing.

Mrs. J. S. Shupert and daughter will return home today from a visit to points in Michigan.

B. F. Jones who has been in the city for three months went to San Antonio Tuesday.

Our teams are of the best Witt. Phone 100

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OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

They Played Some.

They are not grieving over the dry weather out in the Devil's River country but are putting in part of the time in the exhilarating pastime of base ball. Twelve of the great moguls of Mayer-on-Middle Valley rode into Sonora last week and wanted to play. Twelve of the best runners and best held up their index fingers. "We do." But the disappointing to the Mayer boys ran up 26 runs.

Miss Virginia Lamar will give a platform dance Friday evening to a number of friends on the lawn at Mrs. Kate Veck's residence on East Concho avenue. A number have been invited to attend. Miss Lamar resides just east of the Veck residence.

J. D. Wadley and family who were visiting T. H. Armstrong returned to Hillsboro yesterday.

See Our Announcement

Our Opening

We will have a place where you can bring your lady and your sister and you can see the particulars.

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STRICTLY IN ADVANCE.

Wednesday, August 28, 1907.

AGAIN ON TIME.

Here is The News again. Just as crisp and neat as ever. We were delayed a few hours yesterday morning owing to accidents, but we stuck with the machinery until we got the paper out. Running a newspaper isn't the easiest thing on earth, but when one starts to run one there isn't a thing to do, but to stick with her and that's what we propose to do until the end of our career. The News grows each day in popular favor and all are satisfied with it as far as we can learn except a few people who would grumble at almost anything.

The demand for The News was clearly demonstrated by the number of telephone calls coming to the office all day yesterday. One lady said that her husband acted all out of sorts all day long and vowed that nothing tasted good unless he had The News to read with his breakfast. She asked that we try to get it out on time for her sake and the sake of peace and harmony in the family. We promised her we would try to keep on going to keep on trying.

The News proposes to stay right in the morning field and do not let anyone tell you to contrary. A few of our dear friends (?) were busy yesterday telling others all kinds of things about The News and what had happened to us. The stories were circulated purposely to injure but apparently they did not harm. An occasional knock does one good in any business so we are not kicking. The News' friends are legion and the advertisers get results or they wouldn't be spending their money as the columns of The News show they do.

Very Busy Officers.

Several well known men of this city recently went to Brownwood to spend a few days on business and pleasure combined. While there they called on some of the best people of the city and were well received. They stopped at the best hotel and lived as well as men and well-to-do men of San Angelo would live any place. Mrs. Harry Sniveley returned to her home at Winters yesterday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Lee Gentry, for several weeks. Miss Kathleen Wallace is home from Ballinger where she visited among friends. Mrs. Edgar Ross and children of Arden went to Burkton yesterday to visit relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dodson who were visiting D. A. Runyon and family returned to Midlothian yesterday. Mrs. O. Graves and little daughter who visited Mrs. Joe Lambert returned to Richland Springs yesterday. H. A. Cooper and A. K. Bass who visited at Water Valler, returned to Clifton yesterday. R. O. Cochran and family who were visiting J. E. Ingram returned to Memphis, Tenn., yesterday. J. E. Grinland, county treasurer at Sonora went to Austin and Georgetown yesterday on business.

The fall term of Henry's primary school opens September 2nd, 1907, at Beauregard avenue. The Immaculate Conception Academy will reopen next—September 3rd.

Pleasant Lawn Party.

Mr. and Mrs. John Findlater, Jr. gave a pleasant platform dance and lawn party last evening at their home, corner Magdalen street and East Harris avenue, in honor of Misses Maude and Corine Cartledge of Austin. The evening was spent in dancing on a platform and in conversation. The lawn was decorated with electric lights, torches and Chinese lanterns. During the evening refreshments of ice cream, cake, punch and watermelon were served. The gathering will long linger in the memories of those attending as a most pleasant one.

Those in attendance were: Messrs. and Mesdames M. B. Lulliam, Sam Crowley, Dwight Hunter, Mrs. J. L. Millspaugh, Misses Fafa Mason, Kathleen Wallace, Mary Aycock, Lizzie Jones, Virginia Lamar, Eula Childress, Addie Bishop, Lola and Lucile March, Ethel Selkirk, Gillean Mabson, Margaret Webb, Pearl Patterson, Clara Hall, Gertrude Snyder, Annie and Bettie Cooper, Helen Ragsdale, Jennie Lynne Yorke, Lurlyne Hudson, Olga Susen, Helen and Sadie Millspaugh, Sara Cunningham, Edith and Velma Fuller, Edith Timmins, Lucile Blake, Bessie Fitch, Anna Burns, Mary Powell, Anna DeBerry and Messrs. C. W. Hobbs, W. A. Guthrie, Gilmore Gwin, John Cobb, Sam Hodges, W. W. Carroll, T. S. Sharpe, Clarence Webb, Charlie Broome, Jared Hill, Will Day, Henry Ragsdale, J. B. Gibbs, Jernan Powell, Henry Probandt, C. C. Burnett, W. L. Hughes, S. S. Cox, R. Neeley, Vernon Key, Lee Powell, Frank Findlater, O. Fitzgerald, C. T. Paul, C. T. Dalton, Tom Patterson, Lewis Dailey, E. C. Alexander, M. D. Brooks, Sid Millspaugh, Shepperson, John Abe Matz, Jr., Dr. E. L. Bates, Lee Woodward, Jack Richardson and Wynn Hamilton.

C. G. Wright and Quinn Walker of Reaganview, Reagan county, were in the city last night making their way overland to Lufkin, McCullough county. They go to visit friends and visitors are tendered to the women of The News.

If you have city property or ranches you should list with West Texas Real Estate & Robt. Henderson & Robt. Phone 767.

We still have a few bargains. If you call on us.

San Antonio, a home industry. Edd's Maier's Pastry and Mrs. Geo. of Arsdale are in. Mi Rutledge can receive attention.

Mrs. W. P. Humphreys and daughter, Miss Flora, returned from a visit at Ballinger Monday. Miss Vivian Humphreys returned home yesterday having prolonged her visit a day more than the others.

Arnold Siler, the precocious business son of Rev. Jesse W. Siler, has returned to Davidson, North Carolina, where he is to attend school during the year.

Attorney S. E. Taylor has returned from a jaunt through Kentucky and Virginia. He will visit his old home while away.

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For Sale

A Soda Fountain fixtures, almost new, will make for town property or wagon and team. This is a snap, see us at once.

Barber & Fuller,

Henderson & Roberts Building

Editor and Son Here.

D. C. Broyles, editor of the Echo, a spicy little weekly, is in the city with his son. The editor brought the son to town to start him to the San Angelo College. The young man is an athletic looking chap and a bright lad. He proposes to take a literary course and then study civil engineering. Broyles is one of the progressive newspaper men of the Country who never tire spreading broadcast the good news of Texas.

His visit to The News plant is a pleasant one and we hope will come to see us often. He complimented us on our plant in the excellent manner in which it was run.

I. T. C. H.

All members of M. W. Lodge No. 12465, not affiliated with the I. T. C. H., are requested to be present at regular meeting Monday night, Sept. 3, 8 o'clock. Be sure and learn why. I. G. McMullen, Clerk.

W. C. Jones and Miss Jones left yesterday for Madison, Wisconsin, on a two week visit.

Miss Nimitz surprised.

Miss Meta Nimitz was the victim of a surprise party last evening by a number of her friends. They met at the home of Miss Ruby Hillis and then marched in a body to the Nimitz Hotel where they pounced on the young lady and told her she was the hostess for the evening. Meta arose to the occasion and proved herself an ideal one. The evening was pleasantly passed by all. The guests were Misses Rachael Deaton, Erin Andrew, Ruby Hillis, Robena Roberts, Ruth Johnson, Annahle Harris, Anna May Hendricks and Messrs Austin McWhorter, J. A. March, Jr., Byron Atkinson, Boyd Hamilton, Will Merritt, Ivan McWhorter, Jesse Cargile, Valen Woodward, Bill Nye Corbett, Edwin Nimitz and Earl Morgan.

Take Notice.

I have purchased an interest in the Johnson Barber Shop on Chadbourne street near the Santa Fe depot. The firm will be Johnson & Youngblood. I wish to have my friends and patrons to call on me.

J. H. Youngblood.

May Have Parade.

Members of the bricklayers, stone masons and carpenters' unions are counting on having some kind of a parade here on Labor day. Plans have not yet been matured in full, but there is no doubt that the members of these unions can make and will make a most creditable showing should they carry out the present plans.

Death of Minister.

Rev. G. W. Crawford, a minister of Indian Territory, died yesterday noon at the San Angelo Heights Sanatorium of tuberculosis. He was about 35 years of age. Short services will be held this morning at 10 o'clock at the Baptist church. Interment will be at Fairmount.

To Address Unionists.

Rev. C. W. Yates of the Presbyterian church, U. S. A., will address the labor organizations of the city at the Sunday morning services on September 1st. Rev. Yates will speak along labor union lines.

The Penrose N. Ions Insurance Agency.

Ask the Fire Victims of San Angelo how we have settled losses for over twenty-four years.

Miss Mildred Phillips of Sonora who has been visiting Miss Florence Felton left yesterday for Sherman where she is to teach during the coming scholastic term.

We call and deliver laundry free. San Angelo Laundry Co.

T. S. Pettis and family went to Fort Worth yesterday.

Job work is done at this office in a way that pleases. Try us and see.

C. H. Pendleton who was in the city on business returned to Farmersville yesterday.

San Antonio (City) keg beer—a home industry. For sale at J. D. Holcomb's Parlor Saloon.

W. E. Heald, exalted ruler of the local lodge of Elks, has gone to Dallas to attend the banquet which is to be given to all exalted rulers of the various lodges of the state this week.

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And for Good Boots, you can find both at

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Service fee \$2 cash, \$1 if cow is called for. Just telephone Charley Farquhar.

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Decorative artists in paper painting and interior finishing. Orders can be left at Central Drug Store.

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Let me put rubber tires on your buggy. Have tires of make in stock and latest improvement to do the work.

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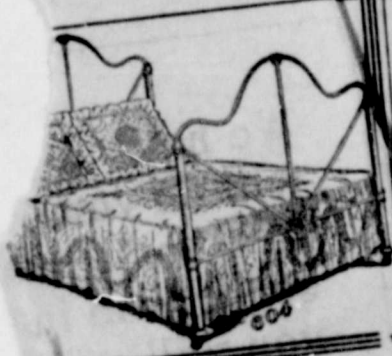
Want your grain business? Bros.

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The thing for this Hot Weather

Undertaking

Successors A. S. Gantt & Son



A Peculiar Accident.

Wells Wylie met with a peculiar accident on Monday night while asleep in his apartment in the Virginia Tavern. In some manner an electric fan fell from the ceiling and before he knew it the blade had chopped off a part of the toe on his left foot. When he awoke he was the most pained man in town.

Antonio (City) keg beer—a home industry. For sale at S. Coney Island Saloon.

Hicks goes to Sherwood stage this morning for the opening of the here of which he is the

Belongs cold as ice to that "The Angelo" only to visit.

Arbogast and mother. Arbogast, went to on a visit yesterday.

Iron

From the best one like cut.

\$1.90

Had Watermelon Party.

A jolly crowd of young people went out along the river Monday evening in an automobile and enjoyed a watermelon party. The young people had a fine outing. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hunter, Misses Sadie Millspaugh, Mary Powell, Virginia Lamar, Sara Cunningham, Lurlyne Hudson, Helen Millspaugh and Messrs. Arthur Wilson, Tom Patterson, Sid Millspaugh, John Cobb and D. O. Fitzgerald.

Mrs. G. H. Echols of Bryan who has been visiting the family of W. M. Tolson in the Post has returned home.

If you want a stylish rig see T. W. Witt, Concho Stable, Phone 196.

J. A. Williams went to Cleburne yesterday on business.

Miss Jannie Caldwell who visited D. C. Caldwell returned to Ballinger yesterday.

WANT-AD COLUMN

Rates:

One cent per word for first insertion; one-half cent per word for each consecutive insertions. Cash in advance. No advertisement inserted in these columns unless accompanied by the cash.

AN ANGELO FUEL CO., wood and coal. Phone 19.

FOR SALE—2 new cash registers. Apply C. B. Henderson.

FOR SALE—An excellent young milch cow. 104 (reusser at.

NOTICE—Nice furnished rooms first door west of Santa Fe Hotel.

WANTED—One dozen brown leghorn hens. Address P. O. box 1197, City.

FOR SALE—Some new duplex window shades at half price. Phone 272 or 348.

NOTICE—Jersey bull at Kettle's Livery Stable. Service \$1.50. Phone 246.

LOST—A small watch with double case having a leather fob. Return to The News office.

PLANT Roman Hyacinths and Narcissus now for Christmas. At Mrs. Veck's, phone 114.

TRADE—Will trade a scholarship in business college for a good saddle horse. Address P. O. Box 469.

FOUND—A bunch of keys. Owner can have same by calling at The News office and paying for this notice.

NOTICE—Masseur treatment first door west of Santa Fe Hotel on Fifth street. Nice furnished rooms, Dr. Newman.

LOST—A small package of fancy work, a thimble and embroidery scissors. Please return to The News office.

WANTED—Man and wife without children to work on small ranch. W. H. Collins Spencer Building, City.

WANTED—A pony for cash or in exchange for painting and papering. Apply at Angelo Paint Company today.

SEE—Bob Harper at the Bank Exchange saloon; you can get anything in the way of good liquor. Try and see.

WANTED—By strong, healthy young man work on ranch or farm. Call at J. H. Sullivan's store or phone 352.

LOST—A horseshoe brooch with little leaf and little pearl. Return to Miss Fabian at Landon Hotel cigar stand.

Several scholarships in a new college. Address P. O. Box 469, The News.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A top buck and a team of horses for sale or will trade for Angelo property. See Coggin & Co.

LOST—A moon shaped brooch with star inside and set with pearls. Return to The News or to Miss Maud Holder at postoffice.

FOUND—A bicycle on Chaddou street. Owner can get same by calling at The News office, paying for this notice, and describing wheel.

FOR SALE—A good riding and driving brood mare. Just the thing for children to ride or drive to school. See R. A. Lindeman, blacksmith.

LOST—A little gold locket with small diamond setting. Has word "Nigger" engraved on one side. Return to The News and receive reward.

FOR SALE—Two lots, south front, small camp house close to school house. Must sell once. See me at 278 12th street or a dress P. O. box 164.

NOTE—Experienced lady teacher will give lessons in German and French, also supplementary work in common school branches. Address E. W. care The News.

LOST—A Jersey heifer calf. Strayed or stolen from my place about the 22nd toward return or whereabouts at Newt Sivall Barber Shop, at old Express Office.

FOR SALE—A fine Jersey cow for sale, also, ice chest, iron bed, dresser, chairs, gasoline stove and other household goods. Address Ross Taylor, Box 912, San Angelo Texas.

FOR SALE—Eight horse power gasoline engine of the Fairbanks-Morse make. Will sell cheap. The thing for irrigating. See or telephone S. L. Ogle phones 551 or 400.

NOTICE—I can secure employment for farm and ranch hands and all kinds of labor. Can also get help for those who wish it. See Valentine Torres, 22 West Concho avenue.

SAY—Have you a son or daughter you wish to send to business college? A scholarship in a good college to trade for a saddle horse. See Hornish at this office between 6 and 6.

NOTICE—Pianos tuned and repaired, furniture upholstered and repaired, painting and crating a specialty. Phone 6, City Repair House. Phone 810.

FOR RENT—In the Post, four-room house furnished, all modern conveniences, city water, electric light, sewerage, porch all run; also bath. Rent \$15. See Mrs. Veck, or phone 114.

GUARANTEE—I guarantee to cure scurf fever in 3 to 9 days providing patient has not had drugs given. Have cured several in San Angelo after doctors gave them up. Dr. J. M. Newman, first door west of Santa Fe Hotel.

BOB HAMPTON of PLACER

By RANDALL PARRISH AUTHOR OF "WHEN WILDERNESS WAS KING" "MY LADY OF THE NORTH" "HISTORIC ILLINOIS, ETC."



SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—A detachment of the Eighteenth Infantry from Fort Huachuca, trapped by Indians in a narrow gorge. Among them is a stranger who introduces himself by the name of Hampton, also Gillis, the post trader, and his daughter, Gillis, and a majority of the soldiers are killed during a three days' siege.

CHAPTER II.—Hampton offers assistance to the girl, and is at first spurned because he is known as a gambler.

CHAPTER III.—Hampton and the girl only escape from the Indians. They fall exhausted on the plains.

CHAPTER IV.—A company of the Seventh cavalry, Lieut. Brant in command, find Hampton and the girl on the plains, and restore them to consciousness. Hampton announces that he proposes to care for the girl.

CHAPTER V.—Hampton and the girl stop at the Miners' Home in Glencaid. Mrs. Duffy, proprietress. Rev. Howard Wynkoop proposes that Hampton place Miss Gillis in care of Mrs. Herndon. He consents to think it over.

CHAPTER VI.—Hampton takes the girl over with Miss Gillis—the Kid. She shows him her mother's picture and tells him what she can of her parentage and life. They decide she shall live with Mrs. Herndon.

CHAPTER VII.—The Kid takes up her residence with Mrs. Herndon.

CHAPTER VIII.—Naida—the Kid—runs away from Mrs. Herndon's and rejoins Hampton. He induces her to go back, and to have nothing more to do with him.

CHAPTER IX.—Hampton plays his last game of cards. He announces to Red Slavin that he has quit, and then leaves Glencaid.

CHAPTER X.—Miss Phoebe Spencer arrives in Glencaid to teach its first school.

CHAPTER XI.—Miss Spencer meets Naida, Rev. Wynkoop, etc. She boards at Mrs. Herndon's.

CHAPTER XII.—Naida and Lieut. Brant again meet without his knowing who she is. She informs him of the coming Bachelor club ball in honor of Miss Spencer.

CHAPTER XIII.—Lieut. Brant meets Silent Murphy, Custer's scout. He reports trouble brewing among the Sioux.

CHAPTER XIV.—Social difficulties arise at the Bachelor club's ball among the admirers of Miss Spencer. Lieut. Brant meets Miss Spencer but she is not his acquaintance of the day before. She tells him of Naida, and he accidentally meets her again as he is returning to the ballroom with a fan for Miss Spencer.

CHAPTER XV.—He fails to discover her identity.

CHAPTER XVI.—Brant accompanies Naida home from the dance. On the way she informs him as to who she is, and that she is to meet Hampton. Brant meets Hampton with her, and the men make an appointment to meet the following morning.

CHAPTER XVII.—Brant and Hampton meet. Hampton informs the lieutenant that his attentions to Naida must cease, and promises an explanation over her that justifies the statement. Brant tells Hampton of the presence of Silent Murphy, and the fact that Red Slavin receives government messages for him.

"Oh, they are! Who?" "Red Slavin was the name he gave me of that other buck."

When the two had disappeared, Brant sat back thinking rapidly. There was a mystery here, and such actions must have a cause. Something either in or about Glencaid was compelling Murphy to keep out of sight—but what? Who? Brant was unable to get it out of his head that all this secrecy centered around Naida. Perhaps Hampton knew; at least he might possess some additional scrap of information which would help to solve the problem. He looked at his watch, and ordered his horse to be saddled.

It did not seem quite so simple now, this projected interview with Hampton, as it had appeared the night before. In the clear light of day, he began to realize the weakness of his position, the fact that he possessed not the smallest right to speak on behalf of Naida Gillis. Nevertheless, the die was cast, and perhaps, provided an open quarrel could be avoided, the meeting might result in good to all concerned.

Hampton welcomed him with distant but marked courtesy, having evidently thought out his own immediate plan of action, and schooled himself accordingly. Standing there, the bright light streaming over them from the open windows, they presented two widely contrasting personalities, yet each exhibited in figure and face the evidences of hard training and iron discipline. Hampton was clothed in black, standing straight as an arrow, his shoulders squared, his head held proudly erect, while his cool gray eyes studied the face of the other as he had been accustomed to survey his opponents at the card table. Brant looked the picture of a soldier on duty, trim, well built, erect, his resolute blue eyes never flinching from the steady gaze bent upon him, his bronzed young face grave from the seriousness of his mission. In both minds the same thought lingered—the vague wonder how much the other knew. The elder man, however, retained a better self-control and was first to break the silence.

"Miss Gillis informed me of your kindness to her last evening," he said, quietly, "and in her behalf I sincerely thank you. Permit me to offer you a chair."

Brant accepted it and sat down, feeling the calm tone of proprietorship in the words of the other as if they

had been a blow. His face flushed, yet he spoke firmly. "Possibly I misconstrue your meaning," he said, with some bluntness, determined to reach the gist of the matter at once. "Did Miss Gillis authorize you to thank me for these courtesies?"

Hampton smiled with provoking calmness, holding an unlighted cigar between his fingers. "Why, really, as to that I do not remember. I merely mentioned it as expressing the natural gratitude of us both."

"You speak as if you possessed full authority to express her mind as well as your own."

The other bowed gravely, his face impassive. "My words quite naturally bear some such construction."

The officer hesitated, feeling more doubtful than ever regarding his own position. Chagrined, disarmed, he felt like a prisoner standing bound before his mocking captor. "Then I fear my mission here is useless."

"Entirely so, if you come for the purpose I suspect," said Hampton, sitting erect in his chair, and speaking with more rapid utterance. "To lecture me on morality, and demand my yielding up all influence over this girl—such a mission is assuredly a failure. I have listened with some degree of calmness in this room already to one such address, and surrendered to its reasoning. But permit me to say quite plainly, Lieut. Brant, that you are not the person from whom I will quietly listen to another."

"I had very little expectation that you would."

"You should have had still less, and remained away entirely. However, now that you are here, and the subject broached, it becomes my turn to say something, and to say it clearly. It seems to me you would exhibit far better taste and discrimination if from now on you would cease forcing your attentions upon Miss Gillis."

Brant leaped to his feet, but the other never deigned to alter his position.

"Forcing my attentions!" exclaimed the officer. "God's mercy, man! do you realize what you are saying? I have forced no attentions upon Miss Gillis."

"My reference was rather to future possibilities. Young blood is proverbially hot, and I thought it wise to warn you in time."

Brant stared into that unperturbed face, and somehow the very sight of its calm, inflexible resolve served to clear his own brain. He felt that this cool, self-controlled man was speaking with authority.

"Wait just a moment," he said at last. "I wish this made perfectly clear, and for all time. I met Miss Gillis first through pure accident. She impressed me strongly then, and I confess I have since grown more deeply interested in her personality. I have reasons to suppose my presence not altogether distasteful to her, and she has certainly shown that she reposes confidence in me. Not until late last night did I ever suspect she was the same girl whom we picked up with you out on the desert. It came to me from her own lips and was a total surprise. She revealed her identity in order to justify her proposed clandestine meeting with you."

"And hence you request this pleasant conference," broke in Hampton, coolly, "to inform me, from your calm eminence of respectability, that I was no fit companion for such a young and innocent person, and to warn me that you were prepared to act as her protector?"

Brant slightly inclined his head. "I may have had something of that nature in my mind."

"Well, Lieut. Brant," and the older man rose to his feet, his eyes still smiling, "some might be impolite enough to say that it was the conception of a cad, but whatever it was, the tables have unexpectedly turned. Without further reference to my personal interests in the young lady, which are, however, considerable, there remain other weighty reasons that I am not at liberty to discuss which make it simply impossible for you to sustain any relationship with Miss Gillis other than that of ordinary social friendship."

"You—you claim the right?" "I distinctly claim the right, the reason that I possess the right, no one has ever yet known me relinquish a hold once fairly gained. Lieut. Brant, if I am any judge of faces, you are a fighting man by nature as well as profession, but you are no opportunity for your doing anything here. This matter is nowably settled—Naida Gillis has you."

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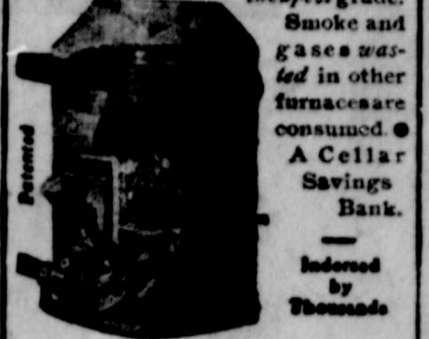
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The only fountain serving 100 per cent pure cream is "The Angelo."

Doc Moss a well known horseman of this city, has just returned from Brownwood where he went to look after equine matters.

W. F. Buck went to Ballinger yesterday.

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In Mr. Millspaugh's Honor.

Messrs. J. P. Hill, Tom Patterson, J. C. Powell, John Cobb, D. O. Fitzgerald and Dwight L. Hunter had a supper last evening at the Virginia Cafe in honor of Sidney Millspaugh of Big Springs. The supper was simply a gathering of jolly old chums. A royal spread was served the guests and an hour of social pleasure enjoyed. Mr. Millspaugh will return to the Sanderson ranch today after spending several days here visiting his parents, Col. and Mrs. J. L. Millspaugh.

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M. C. Greer who visited his mother, Mrs. C. C. Greer, returned to Somerville yesterday.

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First Bales Coming.

Two loads of cotton were hauled to the Glenmore gin yesterday. One came from the Twin Mountain Farm and the other from W. P. Prescott's farm near Knickerbocker. Both bales will be on the streets today.

San Antonio (City) keg beer—a home industry. For sale at T. H. McCloskey's ArcLight Corner Saloon.

New post cards just arrived at Foreman's.

A Great Meeting.

Rev. J. C. F. Kyger of Waco, is in the city en route home from a big protracted meeting being held at Sherwood. He was called home on personal matters. He left Rev. D. M. West to continue the meeting. The Wacoite reports fine meetings and much success. He stated last evening that in four days some ten persons had professed religion. The meetings will be continued by Rev. West.

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