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THE WEATHER
Wichita Falls and vicinity: Tonight partly cloudy, local thunder showers and cooler in southeast portion; Tuesday generally fair, warmer in panhandle.

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RAIN GENERAL OVER WEST TEXAS

LIEUT. GOV. DAVIDSON ACCEPTS INVITATION TO SPEAK WEDNESDAY

Lieutenant Governor W. T. Davidson has accepted an invitation to speak on the subject of mob violence and law enforcement in Wichita Falls on next Wednesday evening.

The Palace theater has been engaged for his address which will be delivered at 8 o'clock Wednesday night. Mr. Davidson will be on his return to Austin after a visit to the panhandle where he delivered a number of addresses. He will arrive at Wichita Falls on the south bound Fort Worth and Denver train from Amarillo Wednesday afternoon. An effort will be made to induce him to remain over Thursday and to address the Stonewall Jackson camp U. C. V. reunion near Holliday Thursday.

Mr. Davidson believes that mob violence and the growth of the mob spirit is the greatest danger that confronts the people of Texas today. He speaks plainly in regard to this and has a message that all people who believe in free government and obedience to constituted authority ought to hear. And he is not a man of words only. During brief periods he has acted as governor he has instituted investigations of mob violence that have brought tangible results at Amarillo and elsewhere. He caused to be investigated the recent whipping at Iowa Park.

OFF IN EFFORT TO ESTABLISH THREE AVIATION RECORDS

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Aug. 27. (AP)—Captain Lowell H. Smith and Lieut. John P. Richter took off at 5:07 a. m. from Rockwell Field, North Island in an attempt to establish an aviation record for endurance, speed and distance. The weather was cloudy and the officers circled about at an elevation of 500 feet. They planned to take fuel aboard their specially equipped plane while in flight in order to remain aloft from 45 to 50 hours. They expected to make the first contact with a refueling plane between 9:30 and 10 a. m. Thereafter they had planned to make contacts every two hours. The DeHaviland plane manned by Captain Smith and Lieut. Richter was expected to stay aloft on a course illuminated at night over the environs of San Diego.

Two refueling and provisioning planes were keyed up to the hazardous task of keeping the record-seeking plane going.

Two previous attempts for distance and duration records had been made by Captain Smith and Lieut. Richter, last June 27 and 28. In the first attempt the airmen were forced down after five hours by burning out of a generator on their plane and on the second flight the aviators became lost in the fog after about 24 hours of flying and were forced to land.

Though they did not reach their goal mark of a four-day duration flight, the officers broke speed records for 2500 and 3000 kilometers and demonstrated the practicability of refueling an airplane in mid-air. During the first flight the plane was refueled twice and on the second flight eight times.

MILMO NATIONAL BANK AT LAREDO IS CLOSED

LAREDO, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—The Milmo National Bank, one of the oldest financial institutions here, closed its doors today, announcing the action was necessary because of the non-liquidity of a large portion of its loans and to protect the interests of depositors pending complete reorganization.

AWAIT WITH INTEREST ARRIVAL OF QUEEN MARIE

LONDON, Aug. 28. (AP)—The arrival of Queen Marie of Rumania in London this week is awaited with much interest. Marie is anxious to [illegible] British sovereigns to recognize her son-in-law and daughter as the king and queen of Greece in which positions they were placed after the revolution which overthrew Constantine. She would also like to find a suitable wife for her younger son, Prince Nicholas, who is just 20.

Europe's most versatile queen also is said to have a discriminating eye out for an appropriate husband for her youngest daughter, Ileana, when she becomes of age.

DENY APPLICATION TO BUILD ELECTRIC LINE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Interstate commerce commissioners who investigated the subject recommended today that the application of the Staley system of electrified railways for authority to construct a line of railroad in Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado and California be denied.

SUMMON THREE HUNDRED FOR L. J. STARKEY TRIAL

EASTLAND, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Three hundred veniremen and about 175 witnesses were under summons for the second trial of L. J. Starkey, charged with slaying Elmer D. Brown, scheduled to come up in district court here today. The first trial of Starkey about a month ago resulted in a divided jury. Brown was slain last May at his road construction camp near Cisco.

STANDARD OIL TO VOTE ON CAPITAL INCREASE

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—A special meeting of stockholders of the Standard Oil Company of New York has been called for September 12 to vote on a proposal to increase the capital stock from $225,000,000 to $250,000,000, it was announced today.

Retires Runner And Drops Dead

McALESTER, Okla., Aug. 27. (AP)—Joe Lovealle, 22, shortstop on a McAlester amateur team playing yesterday at Savanna, Okla., was struck over the heart by a [illegible] ball that took a bad [illegible]. Lovealle recovered the [illegible] and whipped it to first for [illegible] of a fast double play [illegible] off a man at the plate [illegible] retired the side.

[illegible] he collapsed. When [illegible] reached him he was [illegible]

[illegible] blow, physicians said, had [illegible] the muscles of his [illegible]

Organization of Farmer Urged to Better Condition

SEDALIA, Mo., Aug. 27. (AP)—The only way the farmers "can permanently better his condition is to follow the example set by about everybody else and organize to protect his own interests," James C. Stone, president of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Cooperative Association, said in an address prepared for delivery before the Missouri Farmers' Association here today.

"Organizations should be based on the commodity they are to market," Mr. Stone said, "and not on the territory organized. Commodity cooperatives should take charge of a commodity, no matter where it is produced, or in how widely scattered a territory and market that commodity from a central office.

"Then there is only one seller. The growers of that particular commodity no longer are competing with each other. They are marketing with each other, every man obtaining the same price for a product of equal grade, that price being based upon the cost of production, including every item of such cost, labor, taxes, insurance, rent, fertilizer, and with a fair profit to the outlay for production. The farmer can never profit until he obtains [illegible]."

CONDITIONS FAVORABLE TO BUSINESS IS REPORT OF GUARANTY TRUST CO.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—While the sharp decline in prices, both in security and commodity markets, accompanied by a reduction in forward buying, has somewhat weakened general confidence, altogether conditions are favorable to a continuation of good business, according to the Guaranty Survey, published by the Guaranty Trust Company. A fundamental difficulty confronting American business is the depressed condition of export trade, it is said.

They Say:

"Sunday four farmers in this county called on me in an effort to secure cotton pickers. They could have placed at least a dozen men," Constable Frank Morgan announced Monday morning.

"My patience with negroes as well as with a certain class of white people is exhausted and there will be no more clemency granted by my department because negroes state they cannot find work.

"From this time on all negroes who are found loafing and who state they cannot find work, as well as some white men who are loafing on the streets, will find picks and shovels awaiting them on the county roads."

Mr. Morgan stated that it was his observation that there was sufficient work on hand for everyone since cotton picking season has arrived and that street loafing, as far as he was concerned, should be a thing of the past.

NATION-WIDE PROBE OIL INDUSTRY URGED

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 27. (AP)—Attorneys general of the United States were asked today by Charles B. Griffith and George F. Short, attorneys general of Kansas and Oklahoma, respectively, to start a nation-wide investigation of the oil industry to determine "if the Standard Oil company is manipulating the gasoline market to put 4,000 mid-continent producers out of business."

FOURTH SENTENCED TO PENITENIARY AS RESULT FLOGGING

CONSTABLE AT BROKEN ARROW, OKLA., IS GIVEN TWO YEAR TERM.

ADMITS MEMBERSHIP IN THE KU KLUX KLAN

Confessed to Being Member of Party That Flogged Mrs. Myrtle Goolsby.

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 27. (AP)—Arthur Finley, constable at Broken Arrow, was sentenced to two years imprisonment in the state penitentiary here today following his plea of guilty to a charge of riot. Finley is the fourth man sentenced since Governor J. C. Walton placed Tulsa and parts of Tulsa county under martial law two weeks ago and opened an investigation into floggings here. Like the other three, he admitted membership in the Ku Klux Klan.

Finley was charged with rioting after he had confessed to Adjutant General Baird M. Markham, in charge of the military court of inquiry, to having participated in the flogging of Mrs. Myrtle Goolsby at Broken Arrow in July of last year.

At the time of the whipping Mrs. Goolsby was the wife of "Slim" Spain, a parachute jumper, who was killed in an exhibition a few days later a Seneca, Mo.

She and Goolsby were taken from county officers who were enroute with them to the county jail here after Spain had preferred statutory charges against them. A report by the officers said that they had been forced to surrender their prisoners to a masked band of men who greatly outnumbered them. Both were flogged.

Mrs. Goolsby reported the whipping later to the authorities, saying that her assailants had accused her of improper relations with Goolsby when she was 18 years old. She was 22.

In a statement attributed to her by the county officials at the time she declared that "the Ku Klux Klan made me promise to go back to Spain for two weeks."

A few days after Spain's death she married Goolsby here.

An information read to the court by Tom Wallace, assistant county attorney, named W. M. Bilb, Harve Acera, George Bradshaw and T. H. Matthew as joint defendants with Finley. Bradshaw is the town marshal at Broken Arrow. He was reported on duty today. Bilb is under arrest. Acers, the authorities said, cannot be found. Matthew is a former merchant at Broken Arrow. He has not been arrested.

TRAIN KILLS TWO ASLEEP ON TRACK NEAR GORE, OKLA.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Aug. 27. (AP)—Frank Williams, 20, and "Buster" Bradshaw, 15, both of Gore, Okla., were killed when a Missouri Pacific freight train struck them near Gore, Okla., last night. Two companions said that Williams and Bradshaw went to sleep on the tracks after disregarding their warning.

LETTY LIND THE ACTRESS DIES AT SLOUTH, ENGLAND

SLOUTH, England, Aug. 27. (AP)—Letty Lind, actress and dancer, is dead here at the age of 68. She began her career as Little Eva with a provincial "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company and later starred in musical comedies in England, America and Australia.

FOREMAN FOUND DEAD AT ENTRANCE TO MINE

McALESTER, Okla., Aug. 27. (AP)—Andrew Fabrey, foreman of the Rock Island Coal Company at Alderson, Okla., was found dead in the entry to mine No. 26 today. There was a deep gash on his head. He was a veteran miner of the McAlester field.

Electra Youth Wins First Bike

The lack of sunshine Monday morning was mitigated by the grin on Boone Macey's face as he received the first Ranger bicycle offered by The Times for obtaining 25 new six-months' subscriptions.

Young Macey is 13 years old and lives in Electra. He did not start in the race until last Thursday, thus completing the required number of subscriptions in five days and being the first of the large number of boys and girls working in the contest to qualify.

Two girls and four or five boys are very near the top and it is likely that there will be some half dozen more Rangers on the streets during the next 24 hours.

A few models are on display at The Times offices, as well as in Electra, Burkburnett and Iowa Park and may be inspected at any time by those who are already at work in the contest or by prospective entrants.

Complaints Are Filed Against Thirty One in Roundup at Glenrose

WACO, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Charges were filed here today before United States Commissioner McCormick against 31 citizens of Somervell County, arrested in the raid of Texas rangers in that county Saturday and Sunday. Thirteen of the defendants were brought to Waco by Ranger M. Burton at midnight Sunday and placed in jail.

T. W. Davis and E. L. Roark, sheriff and county attorney, respectively of Somervill County, are charged with conspiracy to violate the national prohibition law. These two officers were allowed bond in the sum of $1500 each to await their preliminary hearing next week.

The other defendants, 18 in number, are charged with the manufacture, possession and sale of intoxicating liquor and with the possession and sale of intoxicants. These were allowed bond in the sum of $750 each, pending their preliminary hearing, expected to be held next week.

Those granted bond, other than the two officers, are as follows:

M. J. Lowe, J. M. West, W. E. McVicker, J. C. Pruitt, J. O. Pruitt, W. C. Franklin, J. R. Embree, L. B. Harris, Henry Rice, Sam Darnaby, Howard Brawley, Bill R. Darnaby, J. L. Davis, A. L. Davis, J. M. Pratwell, J. A. Adams, D. Connolly, Joe Newman, Walter Newman, P. G. Lanham, H. L. Lowe, J. L. Lowe, J. B. Roark, Roy Weldner, T. G. Overton, J. W. Pruitt, W. C. Goodspeed, E. W. Hankins and Lee Lane.

Ranger Lee Shannon, who aided in the Somervell raids, came to Waco this morning to be present when charges were filed. Shannon said that the largest still captured was of 400 gallons capacity, found eight miles west of Glen Rose. Seven miles south of Glen Rose, Shannon said, they found a cistern which measured eight feet across and was 12 feet deep filled to the top with beer.

Ranger Burton announced this morning that the other 17 men caught in the raid at Glen Rose would be brought to Waco probably today or tomorrow and that charges would be filed against them along with the other 13 already here.

The 13 men were brought to Waco by Ranger Burton singlehanded, occupying five automobiles, the property of the men under arrest, and made a strange caravan as they came through the country and into Waco. With the crowd came two lawyers and two men whom, it was said, were prepared to make bond for the accused men.

It was expected that filing of the charges against the 13 men would be completed about noon Monday.

Plenty of Evidence.

Ranger Burton brought very little of the evidence secured against the 13 men to Waco. "There must have been a total of 40 raids Saturday and Sunday," said Burton. "We found still after still high up in the cedar brakes in some of the wildest country in Texas. We only took enough whiskey and stills to use as evidence. I think there are 17 stills in the bunch taken, none of them less than 65 gallons in capacity. There were two of 300-gallon capacity and one we took Saturday night was sufficiently large for 400 gallons.

"Many of the stills we tore up where we found them because of the nature of the country and difficulty of getting them to the roads."

Burton said many of the men arrested stood high in the community, but citizens of the town cooperated in spite of this fact. None of the county officers, Burton said, made any effort to aid in the work. Half of those arrested live in town and the others in the country among the hills.

MORE ARRESTS PROMISED IN GLEN ROSE ROUNDUP

AUSTIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—More arrests will be made this week in the state rangers' drive against lawlessness in Somervell county, Ranger Captain R. D. Shumate, in charge of the drive, reported to ranger headquarters this morning.

Coincident with Shumate's report Governor Neff charged that the county officers of Somervell county had not only refused to aid the rangers in the initial investigation of the conditions in the county, but had thwarted their every move.

The governor made this charge in talking with newspaper men before he left at noon for Lubbock to attend the Texas Technological College celebration. He declared that rangers had met with this opposition by county officers in various other counties and that certain investigations under way at present were being opposed by local officers.

The governor at this juncture took the opportunity to insist that his quowarranto bill, which the legislature has consistently refused to pass, should be passed.

"When county officers refuse to enforce the laws he should be tried in another county by an impartial jury," the governor said.

The governor said that two good local officials in any county could prevent lawlessness from small offenses to mob law.

Shumate's report was brief. He said that 31 arrests had been made and more would follow. A number of stills had been seized, he said. The report was made to ranger headquarters.

The drive against alleged bootleggers establishments in San Antonio is proceeding "very nicely," Governor Neff said. He conferred with Adjutant General Barton Saturday about the situation at San Antonio. General Barton returned to San Antonio today.

The governor said he had received no report from Ranger McCormick of the flogging at Iowa Park.

SPANISH TROOPS REFUSE TO SAIL; KILL AN OFFICER

MADRID, Aug. 27. (AP)—(Via Paris.) The mutiny of Spanish troops in Malaga Thursday night created a great sensation throughout the country. Details of the trouble obtained from Malaga show that large drafts of different regiments received orders to embark for Melilla Thursday night on board the steamer Barcelo. Among the draft was a contingent of the Garellano regiment from Bilbao.

When drawn upon the wharf the men of the Garellano regiment shouted "we won't embark" and started back toward the city. A senior non-commissioned officer who attempted to restrain them was shot dead.

Troops belonging to the Malaga garrison were called out to suppress the mutiny and orders were given that other drafts of soldiers approaching the city from various parts of Spain would be stopped. Eventually about 700 men were induced to embark on the Barcelo, but more than 300 men of the Garellano regiment escaped into Malaga, where they hid until Friday. Then most of them returned to the wharf and voluntarily embarked on another boat bound for Melilla. About one dozen men of the regiment were placed under arrest and will be court martialed.

It is generally believed that mutiny was instigated by communists as a protest against the Spanish operations in Morocco.

WHITE MEN SHOOT UP SETTLEMENT OF NEGROES AT SAVANNAH, GEORGIA

SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 27. (AP)—County and city officials were scouring East Savannah, a negro settlement, and the surrounding country early today in search of an unknown number of white men in three automobiles who drove through the settlement and fired more than a hundred shots into houses, killing one negro, according to reports, and wounding a number of others.

No motive for the firing is known. The men appeared suddenly and commenced shooting without warning, it was said. County policemen were immediately rushed to East Savannah, but were able to learn very little from the terrified negroes other than that the men in the three automobiles were white.

FIND MAN WANTED IN CONNECTION WITH BIG BANK ROBBERY

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 27. (AP)—Dispatches received here today believed to be authentic tell of the arrest in Mexico of Joseph B. Marcino of Chicago, alias Blatk, alleged arch conspirator in the robbery of $212,000 in securities from the First National Bank of Warren, Mass., last February. It was said that the department of justice was taking steps in Washington for Marcino's extradition.

From Sybarite to Slave



the transition was a swift one for Ned Cornet—and it was the making of him, for he didn't stay a slave. He fought his master, for liberty and for love—and won.

But it was an experience such as few men could have survived.

It was a bondage shared by the girl Ned had thought to make his wife and by the girl who, fighting by his side when his fiancee had played them both false, he realized was his true mate.

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GOVERNOR PINCHOT SAYS STRIKE WILL NOT BE TOLERATED

BLUNTLY INFORMS LEADERS PROPOSED SUSPENSION OUT OF QUESTION.

SCARCELY A SOUND TO INTERRUPT HIS REMARKS

Will Interview Representatives of Two Factions During the Afternoon.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug. 27. (AP)—Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania assembled leaders of each side in the anthracite coal controversy around his office table today and told them bluntly that the proposed suspension of mining September 1 could not be allowed.

"The thing is possible," he said in declaring the purpose to stop hostilities. "It must be done."

Impassively the men gathered around his council table, listened to his words. They were Samuel D. Warriner, A. B. Jessup, W. W. Inglis and W. J. Richards of the operators' policy committee and Phillip Murray, vice president, and C. J. Golden, Rinaldo Cappellini and Thomas Kennedy, district presidents of the United Mine Workers, whose orders are out for closing down the mines September 1.

There was scarcely a sound to interrupt the governor as he read his address.

"In my opinion the wisest thing I can do is to deal separately with each side," he said, "to learn the basis for demands as fully as I can. I request you give me these interviews."

"We'll be very glad to grant your request," Mr. Warriner responded at the close of the appeal.

"The miners will also," Mr. Murray said.

"Thank you, gentlemen," Governor Pinchot rejoined. "We'll adjourn then to 3:00 p. m., when the miners will come to my private office."

All of the 36 odd members of the miners' full scale committee were assembled in the city to counsel with the union officers.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WATCHING THE OUTCOME

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Government officials today were watching with professed confidence the outcome of the efforts of Governor Pinchot in his conference with miners and operators representatives at Harrisburg to find a basis of settlement to avert the threatened shut down of anthracite mines September 1.

Although the Pennsylvania executive, it was said, was proceeding with a free hand in the situation, officials here were keeping in close touch with the developments. The government not only has lent aid to the settlement effort by supplying Governor Pinchot with various data gathered by the federal fuel agencies, but is prepared, administration spokesmen said, to give moral support to stronger representations by the mediator if the force of figures yields no settlement.

NAVAL RADIO STATIONS WILL BE CONSOLIDATED

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Work was started today to consolidate the naval radio at Point Isabel with the army station at Fort Brown. Abandonment of Point Isabel and transfer of all equipment to Fort Brown will make that station one of the most powerful in the south, according to naval officers, who said the navy department would control the consolidated establishment.

POSTPONE HEARING IN PRESTON REYNOLDS CASE

DALLAS, Aug. 27. (AP)—Neither principals or attorney for either side appeared in federal court here today when the injunction suit of Preston Reynolds against H. W. Evans, wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, was called and Judge Atwell postponed the hearing until Friday. Reynolds seeks to prevent Evans from expelling him from the klan and also asked $100,000 damages.

SANTA FE BRAKEMAN DIES FROM INJURIES

GALVESTON, Texas, Aug. 27.—R. W. Viereck, Santa Fe brakeman, died in a hospital here today as a result of injuries received on August 18 when a Santa Fe freight locomotive blew up, making the fourth fatality resulting from the disaster. His home was in Bellville, Texas.

VISCOUNT BIRKENHEAD TO ATTEND BAR MEETING

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Aug. 27. (AP)—Viscount Birkenhead will leave here tonight for Minneapolis to attend the convention of the American Bar Association, before which he is scheduled to speak. He continued silent today regarding criticism of his address at Williamstown.

DENTON NEGROES ARE ARRESTED BY WHOLESALE

DENTON, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Six officers raided a negro resort in the southeast part of this county Sunday morning as a result of which nearly a hundred negroes have been charged with gaming and two with possession of intoxicating liquor. Officers estimate 50 negroes escaped. Forty-three are in jail here.

HAVE DECREED THAT BOBBED HAIR MUST GO

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Bobbed hair must go, the National Hair Dressers' Association which will hold its third annual convention in this city September 10, has decided because the style was ruined when it was adopted by women over 30 years, it is declared.

The bobbed hair flapper is alright, but the present long skirts decreed for older women do not harmonize with trimmed locks.

FEDERAL OIL PROBE STARTS AT HOUSTON; GRAND JURY MEETS

HOUSTON, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Federal Judge J. C. Hutcheson Jr. today reconvened the grand jury and instructed its members to begin an investigation of the use of mails in oil promotion. This action is hailed by local federal officials as the first step in a sweeping federal oil probe in the southern district of Texas.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—The American Smelting & Refining Company today advanced the price of lead from 6.50 to 6.75 cents per pound.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Grain exports from the United States last week totaled 4,430,000 bushels, as compared with 4,704,000 bushels for the week previous.

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27. (AP)—Alma Edna Isenberg, five, of Decatur, died in a local hospital today from injuries received yesterday when kicked by a horse at Decatur.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Mrs. Marion Work, wife of Bertram G. Work, president of the B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, died suddenly last night at her country home at Oyster Bay.

LONDON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Official announcement was made today of the appointment of Neville Chamberlain as chancellor of the exchequer and Sir William Joynson-Hicks as minister of health.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 27. (AP)—Louis Raemaekers, termed in dramatic circles "the Dutch Irving," is in a serious condition as the result of being struck by an automobile. He is 80 years of age.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 27. (AP)—The village of Sariyari, on the Bosphorus about eight miles northeast of this city, was destroyed by fire last night. The damage is estimated at 2,000,000 Turkish pounds.

GARY, Ind., Aug. 27. (AP)—West-bound Baltimore & Ohio express train was derailed by a washout 14 miles east of here early today, killing the engineer who was pinned under the overturned engine.

RUN OFF PRIMARY IN MISSISSIPPI TUESDAY

JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 27. (AP)—Mississippi's political year will close tomorrow when the voters select one of two men for governor at the second Democratic primary. The two men in the gubernatorial run-off are Henry L. Whitfield of Columbus, educator, and Theodore G. Bilbo of Poplarville, lawyer and former governor.

HEAVY RAINFALL OVER BURKBURNETT VICINITY

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Aug. 27. A heavy rain fell in Burkburnett and vicinity during last night and today continuing cloudy and threatening. This is the second heavy rainfall recorded here during the past week.

UNITED CIGAR STORES HAS DECLARED DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Directors of the United Cigar Stores Company declared a quarterly dividend of three per cent on common stock, increasing the annual dividend rate from 8 to 12 per cent. Dividends are payable Nov. 1 to stock of record October 15.

ALMOST ONE INCH RAIN DESCENDS ON NORTHWEST TEXAS

ADDED SPIRIT OF OPTIMISM IS BROUGHT ALONG WITH SHOWERS.

STORM IS GENERAL IN THIS ENTIRE DISTRICT

Rains Extend From Terminal to Terminal On Rail Lines Entering City.

At 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon it was still raining slowly. The total rainfall up to that time amounted to seven-tenths of an inch. The wind direction had shifted to the south and conditions as reported seemed to indicate that more rain could be anticipated.

A true sanguine spirit predominated among the farmers of this section of the state Monday morning, following the rains of Sunday night, which netted a total of a quarter of an inch in the city and county.

The storm of Sunday night, which was general throughout the north and northwest part of the state, came as a most fitting follow-up of the rain of last Tuesday night, which instilled a belated hope in the hearts of the farmers who were witnessing the burning up of all crops. The rain last Tuesday night caused a new ray of life in many of the crops, especially cotton and grass, while the rain Sunday night brought out the realistic color of life in the growing crops.

The storm moved in at 6 o'clock Sunday evening from the north, being heralded by a strong wind which at first spread a covering of dust and sand over the city. A light shower fell early in the evening and was followed by a rain at 7:30 o'clock.

More Rain Probable.

The heavy shower fell after midnight and Monday morning at 8 o'clock it was still raining. The skies were heavily overcast and atmospheric conditions, coupled with railroad agents' reports from the north and west, indicated that more rain was probable.

The agent at Childress reported a very heavy shower, stating that fully an inch of rain fell there during the night.

The reports received at the local dispatchers' offices were to the effect that rain fell from Abilene to Waurika, from Fort Worth to Denver and from Dallas and Breckenridge to within 50 miles of Forgan, Okla.

The thermometer, under the rays of the sun, registered a maximum temperature of 92 degrees Sunday afternoon, but at 7 o'clock Monday morning had fallen to the 61-degree mark.

COMPARATIVELY LIGHT RAINFALL AT VERNON

VERNON, Texas, Aug. 27.—A comparatively light rain fell in Vernon yesterday afternoon and night, beginning at 5 o'clock and continuing in intermittent showers most of the night. South of Vernon the rain was heavier yesterday afternoon.

INCH AND HALF RAIN OVER HAMLIN TERRITORY

HAMLIN, Texas, Aug. 27.—One and one-half inches of rain fell in Hamlin and trade territory Sunday afternoon which will be very beneficial to the late feed and cotton crops. This rain will insure plenty of feed to carry the farmers through another crop. Cotton is fine and in many cases will yield three-fourths to a bale per acre.

HENRIETTA REPORTS INCH RAIN MONDAY MORNING

HENRIETTA, Texas, Aug. 27.—Rain commenced here about 4 o'clock this morning, the third rain recently. It is still raining with indications for an all day downpour. There has been about one inch precipitation this morning.

SLOW STEADY RAIN IS REPORTED AT ABILENE

ABILENE, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—A slow steady rain which began at midnight continued to fall this morning with the sky heavily overcast. It will be of great benefit to crops, insuring a fair top crop of cotton. It was the first rain here of any consequence since about June 1.

The rain was general over this entire country, in every direction from Abilene extending west to Pecos.

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TEXAS COMPANY TEST ENCOUNTERS NEW PAY MILE NORTH OF CLARA

The Texas Company is setting 8-inch casing on top of an entirely new pay sand at 1730 feet showing considerable oil in the No. 1 test on the Potter tract three quarters of a mile north of the Adams-Brown-McAlister producer on the Witcher land north of Clara, in Wichita County and will start bailing in the next few days.

The finding of this pay, which was encountered at 1730 feet, or 100 feet less than the sand from which the discovery well of Adams and associates receive its production, is the means of extending the producing area nearly a mile to the north and will result in an increased drilling activity in that section.

The A-B-Mc No. 1 Potter, offsetting the discovery well to the north, is on top of another sand at 1720 feet, which was cored with promising results. Casing will be set and the sand will be given a thorough testing.

Two locations to the west of the A. B. Mc. producer, L. P. Hammond is drilling at 1420 feet.

ELECTION HELD IN IRISH FREE STATE 1,750,000 VOTERS

HALF MILLION OF QUALIFIED VOTERS CAST FIRST BALLOT.

RESULT NOT EXPECTED BEFORE LATE WEDNESDAY

Supporters of Government Party Are Confident of Electing Majority.

WATERFORD, Aug. 27. (AP)—The offices of the Waterford News were destroyed by fire today. The newspaper had been vigorously republican in policy.

DUBLIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—A lively outbreak of rifle and machine gun fire occurred in Dublin early today. The shooting was not explained. Balloting in the Dail elections proceeded with national troops patrolling the streets.

A motor car carrying James Crowley and the minister of fisheries, Fintan Lynch, both of whom are candidates of the government party for Kerry, was attacked by a crowd while passing through Listowel yesterday. Shots were fired and one young man was seriously injured.

DUBLIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—Voting in the Dail elections began throughout the Irish free state at 9 o'clock today with an electorate of more than 1,750,000 eligible to cast the ballots. Nearly 500,000 of this number are new voters, most of them being young people of both sexes.

The day is a public holiday and makes possible the closing of the polls at 7 o'clock.

In Dublin there are labor candidates for both the regular and Larkin wings. The Dublin sheriff does not expect to be able to announce any result before Tuesday night and possibly not even then, unless all the candidates waive formal comparison of the number of votes cast with the voting papers issued. It is likely to be Wednesday night before the Dublin returns are tabulated and the delay in the scattered country constituencies is expected to be even greater. The police work has been entrusted in Dublin to the old metropolitan force and in the country to a new civic guard, but as the latter has not yet reached full strength it has been necessary to supplant it with specially enrolled policemen. The law provides new and drastic penalties for interference in the voting.

Supporters of the government party have increased in confidence and it is now believed this group will constitute the largest bloc in the new house. The republicans rely on the new voters to improve the showing made by them in the last election when they took 36 seats.

Final pre-election pronouncement of the republicans, issued as a manifesto, bore the name of Eamon de Valera, but is strongly suspected of having been the work of Mrs. Erskine Childers who can read the republican leaders' mind as can no one else. Among other things the manifesto says:

"The world once more is looking on. Shall it be that this generation has turned renegade to the national faith and outdone by disastrous submission to the princes and prelates to Henry II which brought us centuries of shame and sorrow?"

MANY DESERTING HOMES RESULT OF RIO GRANDE FLOOD

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—With two rises in the Rio Grande due late today forecast by the United States reclamation service, several hundred more persons today were fleeing from their homes near the lowlands of Juarez, where 1,200 were driven out Friday night.

The refugees are housed temporarily in two school buildings, where bread lines and soup kitchens have been established by the Mexican Blue Cross.

Higher water will force them from these two buildings which are already almost surrounded by water and refuge.

Emilio Aguilar, 45, was electrocuted when he touched a live wire in a street in Juarez last night. His death brought the total to three dead due to the flood. A score were hurt by the rushing waters when their houses tumbled in.

It is estimated that nearly 1,000 small Mexican houses were damaged by the flood.

A heavy rain last night added to the misery.

TWO HEADS FLOOD WATER RESULT FROM CLOUD BURST

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Two heads of flood water resulting from cloudbursts at Palomas and Leasburg, N. M., Saturday night and Sunday morning are expected to reach El Paso this morning and with the Rio Grande already at flood stage serious damage is threatened should the water break through the Juarez or El Paso dykes.

Hoping to eliminate part of the danger threatening this section of the Rio Grande valley officials at Elephant Butte dam closed the water gates Sunday morning.

At midnight Project Manager L. M. Lawson of the United States reclamation service here advised Mayor Corona of Juarez that the flood waters would probably reach Juarez early this morning. The alarm was sent to residents living in low sections and an immediate flight to higher ground started under direction of Juarez police.

WARM RECEPTION FOR RHINELAND SEPARATISTS

MUNCHAN-GLADBACH, Rhenish Prussia, Aug. 26. (AP)—Rhineland separatists who came here to hold a meeting today were hustled and jeered by those loyal to the Berlin government. Later the loyalists tried to storm the hall where the meeting was in progress, but were held off by the police.

The separatists were escorted back to the railroad depot amid shouts of derision alternating with singing of Die Wacht Am Rhine and Deutschland Uber Alles.

MRS. WOODROW WILSON LEAVES HUSBAND'S SIDE TO VISIT IN NEW YORK

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the former president, left Washington last night for a week's visit with friends in New England which, with the exception of a 24-hour trip to New York last spring, is the first time she has left her husband's side to go out of the city since the beginning of his illness nearly four years ago. Her departure was seen as a further evidence of progress in Mr. Wilson's condition.

Accompanied by a friend, Mrs. Wilson left for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Hamlin at Mattapoisett, Mass.

REWARDS TOTALING $7500 OFFERED FOR SLAYER KLANSMAN

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 27. (AP)—Rewards totalling $7500 have been offered by the Ku Klux Klan for information as to those responsible for the riot Saturday night at Carnegie in which Thomas R. Abbott, a klansman, was killed and a number of others wounded, one seriously.

The coroner's inquest into the death of Abbott will not be held "for some time" it was declared by attaches at the Allegheny County morgue today. Coroner W. J. McGregor said that nothing pertaining to the killing of Abbott had been turned over to him.

"I intend to go into this case as fully as possible," the coroner said. "We will make an exhaustive investigation and when we have all the facts in our possession I will set the date for an inquest."

Patrick McDermott, a Carnegie undertaker, remained in the county jail today. He was arrested in connection with the killing of Abbott. District Attorney Samuel H. Gardner, who is directing the investigation, said the usual course would be followed. McDermott will be questioned, Mr. Gardner said, and if sufficient evidence is forthcoming he will be held for the coroner.

John F. Conley, burgess of Carnegie, in a statement issued today declared that the klan had made no application for a permit to parade. He said he understood that Dr. J. E. Humma of Carnegie had asked county authorities for a permit, but they had referred him to the borough officials.

The burgess declared that when it became evident that the klansmen were marching toward Carnegie he ordered his police to make an effort to stop them from crossing the borough line.

When the parade reached a bridge near the borough line the rioting started and for several hours all sorts of missiles filled the air and the bark of pistols could be heard from time to time.

The rioting finally died down and the klansmen returned to a nearby hill. An undetermined number of persons were injured.

ALMOST ONE INCH RAIN IS REPORTED

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east to Ranger, north to Haskell and south to Ballinger.

INCH OF RAINFALL AT SEYMOUR SUNDAY NIGHT

SEYMOUR, Texas, Aug. 27.—An inch of rain fell here last night and this morning. This, together with recent rains, has resulted in a good thorough season in the ground and will be greatly beneficial to cotton and feed crops.

Cattle range conditions are improving and a good yield of grass will be produced before frost.

NEAR INCH AND HALF RAINFALL IN HARDEMAN

CHILLICOTHE, Texas, Aug. 27.—Hardeman county was visited by the third rain within the past 14 days Sunday night. The rain began falling about 9:20 o'clock, continuing slow and steady throughout the night, the total precipitation being 1.42, making a total of 5.56 for the past 10 days.

Farmers are jubilant over crop prospects and many are preparing their ground for fall planting.

SLOW STEAD RAIN IS REPORTED FROM NOCONA

NOCONA, Texas, Aug. 27.—A slow steady rain has been falling here for the past five hours ending a drouth of nearly three months and will improve the cotton prospects throughout this section.

SOUTH BEND TERRITORY ENJOYING GOOD RAIN

SOUTH BEND, Texas, Aug. 27.—The entire South Bend territory is enjoying a steady generous rain and the farmers are jubilant in consequence. It is the kind that soaks in and does a great deal of good. This is the third downpour for this section within the past two weeks.

GOOD RAIN AT GRAHAM WILL BENEFIT LATE CROPS

GRAHAM, Texas, Aug. 27.—Steady rain has been falling here for several hours and will be very beneficial to late cotton and feed crops as well as pasture lands. Fall plowing for wheat, which had been delayed on account of drouth, will be pushed.

HOLD EXAMINING TRIAL FOR MAN WOUNDED IN GALVESTON GUN FIGHT

GALVESTON, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Examining trial of H. J. Hocker, who was slightly wounded early Sunday in a gun fight with United States customs inspectors, was scheduled before United States Commissioner C. G. Dibrell this morning. Hocker is charged with importing merchandise into the United States in violation of the tariff act of 1922.

Frank B. Sherban was killed in the affray which took place between the officers in the United States in violation of the tariff act of 1922.

Frank B. Sherban was killed in the affray which took place between the officers in the United States customs launch Katalla and the two men who were in a motor launch in Galveston channel between the jetties. The launch was seized, some arms and about 540 cases of liquor captured.

3 OF COMMISSIONERS BLOCK THE SEYMOUR ROAD PAVING PROJECT

The three out of town commissioners Monday afternoon bucked on the proposition voted last Monday morning with reference to the paving of the Seymour road.

The backing up on the proposition came as an ultimatum in which they demand that the special road and bridge fund money which is used for the maintenance of the county roads be divided on an equal basis among all four precincts.

Last Monday morning on a motion made by Commissioner L. L. Kuntz it was voted to pave the Seymour road and to appropriate $107,500 to offset the state appropriation of $215,000.

This money was to be paid as follows: Precinct No. 1, $80,500 and each of the remaining precincts $9,000 each.

By the terms of the law passed by the last state legislature the special road and bridge money, as well as the automobile license tax money, is to be divided in this county according to the source of tax income.

The three out-of-town commissioners Monday afternoon, during the absence of County Judge B. D. Sartin, who was engaged in the trial of a lunacy case, issued the ultimatum that unless Commissioner J. P. Jackson divide these two funds 25 per cent to each precinct they would not contribute to the paving of the Seymour road as ordered last week.

Dick Hamilton, Slayer of Charlie Postmaster, Is Killed in Attempt To Escape From Huntsville Prison

Word was received Monday that Dick Hamilton, who was sentenced to the state penitentiary for the robbery of the postoffice at Charlie, and the murder of the postmaster, died as the result of gunshot wounds which he received when he attempted to escape from the prison.

TWO ACCIDENTS ON PIKE AT STAMFORD TWO PEOPLE HURT

STAMFORD, Texas, Aug. 27.—Saturday afternoon around 4 o'clock two accidents occurred on the cemetery pike north of here. Walter Bruce, who was on a motorcycle, was run over by a large touring car, causing serious injury to him.

At a steep point on the pike Frank Graham lost control of his car and ran off the embankment, pinning all the occupants under the car. Five members of the family were in the car and Mrs. Graham was painfully, though not seriously hurt. The party was rescued soon after the accident by passing motorists.

Conversions Total 178

Services lasted from 11 a. m. Sunday until 2:30 p. m. at the big revival now in progress at the First Baptist church, with Evangelist B. B. Crimm preaching, Elton Roth soloist and David Christinson as pianist. At this service there were one hundred and seventy-eight conversions and reclamations.

The revival is to continue through this week. Record crowds have been attending all the meetings.

Good Rains Reported.

Rain amounting to .32 of an inch fell here Sunday afternoon, with a heavy rain to the southwest covering the country between Stamford and Anson. A good rain north of here was reported.

Operate on Child.

James Blackwell, three-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. A. Blackwell, underwent an appendicitis operation Saturday.

WOMAN FOUND NOT GUILTY OF LUNACY IS ON TRIAL AGAIN

The woman who was tried in the county court last week Friday morning on a lunacy charge and adjudged not guilty by a jury went on trial again Monday at 1 o'clock before Judge B. D. Sartin and a jury.

The counsel appointed by the court to represent the woman filed a motion to dismiss on the ground that the woman had been tried and found not guilty. The defense further asked a limitation on the evidence to be submitted, contending that no evidence was admissible unless it occurred subsequent to the adjudication of the last case.

Both motions were overruled. A large number of witnesses were sworn in and placed under the rule at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

At the former trial the woman contended that she was of a nervous temperament, but that her condition was due to domestic affairs. The husband denied all the allegations made by the woman on trial and stated they were only a few of the hallucinations under which his wife was laboring.

Floggings to Bring On Anarchy Judge Tells Grand Jury

AMARILLO, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Flogging cases, similar to that of R. T. McDonald, railroad workman, recently kidnaped and beaten by a band of masked men, "must cease or anarchy will prevail in this country," District Judge Henry S. Bishop declared today in charging a grand jury to "get to the bottom of the McDonald case without delay." Five men are under bond in connection with the McDonald whipping, one of them being Lee Whitaker, sheriff of this (Potter) county. The sheriff was arrested by Texas rangers who investigated the case.

SELECTING JURY IN CASE AT CUMBERLAND COURT HOUSE

CUMBERLAND COURT HOUSE, Va., Aug. 27. (AP)—Defense motions to quash the jury venire and for a joint trial were overruled by Judge White at the resumption this morning of the trial of R. O. Garrett, indicted jointly with his brother, L. C. Garrett, for the alleged murder of Rev. E. S. Pierce, Baptist minister. The task of selecting a jury was immediately begun.

Bonne Allred Jr., court reporter of the 89th district court, and his family, returned home Sunday after a six week's vacation trip. Mr. Allred drove his car to San Francisco and return.

VERA CRUZ RESUMES COMMUNICATION WITH THE OUTSIDE WORLD

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 27. (AP)—Vera Cruz resumed communication with the outside world today when the railway lines entering the port were again in operation after a five-day tie-up. The labor dispute that had isolated the city ended last night after a conference between representatives of the Confederation of Railway Men's Societies and the workers' league of the Vera Cruz maritime zone.

The general strike which followed the differences between the two labor factions is virtually at an end.

The settlement was effected by the determined attitude of the moderate laborites and the consumers toward the strikers and the Vera Cruz police. While the police attempted to enforce orders against the opening of stores and theaters the consumers of the city procured arms, banded together and defied the strike police to interfere.

TURN FOR THE BETTER IN GOVERNOR'S CONDITION

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 27. (AP)—A decided turn for the better was noticed in the condition today of Governor J. M. Davis, who is ill with typhoid fever, his physicians stating that last night was the best since his illness began.

EXPECT POSTPONEMENT OF REPLY TO LIQUOR NOTE

LONDON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Owing to the direct interest Great Britain's overseas possessions have in the shipment of alcohol to countries in North and South America it seems likely that the long-deferred reply of the British government to the note from Secretary of State Hughes concerning smuggling of liquor into the United States will be postponed until after the imperial conference in London during October.

It is held by the government that questions raised by the United States, including extension of its territorial water limits to 12 miles, should be thoroughly discussed at the forthcoming conference and the views of the colonies and Canada sought.

TWO PEOPLE ARE KILLED WHEN AN AIRPLANE FALLS

FORT DODGE, Iowa, Aug. 27. (AP)—Pilot Stearns and Martha Carpenter, aged 16, of Rodman, Iowa, were killed at Lizard Lake, a summer resort 25 miles northwest of here, last evening when the airplane in which they were riding crashed to the ground from a height of 200 feet.

RACING MOTOR DRIVER IN ITALY IS KILLED

MILAN, Italy, Aug. 27. (AP)—Giaccone, a racing motor driver, was killed and Bordino, his companion, seriously injured today while trying out a car at Monza in preparation for the Italian grand prix to be run over the Monza track next month.

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY MEETS IN NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27. (AP)—The grand council of Beta Phi Sigma, the oldest professional pharmaceutical fraternity in the country, began a three-day session here today with all members of the council and delegates from all the chapters in attendance. The meetings are executive.

HOPES OF RECOVERING DAUGHTER ARE DASHED

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Today the hopes of Mrs. Peter McKenzie of recovering her three months old daughter, Lillian, kidnaped ten days ago, again were dashed.

The child's aunt, accompanied by a police woman, visited a Long Island baby farm at which the missing infant was reported to have been seen. But it was not Lillian.

REPORT UNITED STATES IS CANADA'S BEST CUSTOMER

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 27. (AP)—The United States was Canada's best customer during the 12 months ended in July, taking Canadian goods to the value of $461,154,905. Canada bought from the United States $592,414,601 in goods.

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COUNCIL EXPECTED ACT ON GAS CHARGE PETITION MONDAY

Action on the petition of the Municipal Gas Company for an additional charge of 50 cents per meter readiness-to-serve charge, will be taken at the Monday night meeting of the city council, it is expected. The petition was filed several weeks ago and tabled for investigation. Since that time the council has joined with the 21 other North Texas cities in legal procedure against the proposed charge. This action is assurance that the petition of the company will not be granted. The petition calls for the additional charge on all meters to begin September 1; formal action by the council is necessary before that date.

Several public hearing on pavement and other routine paving and general business will be brought up at the Monday night meeting.

ETHEL A. NELSON HOME WITH BRIDE FROM NORWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Allen came in Saturday after a delightful wedding trip from New York City through the eastern and middle states, and are here to make their home.

Mr. Nelson, a well known violinist who has made his home here for the past year or two, left the middle of July for New York to meet his bride to be, Miss Sonja Blom, from Christiania, Norway. On her arrival August 2nd they were married at the "little church around the corner" in New York, and began the trip home a week or ten days later. Visits with relatives of Mr. Nelson in Illinois, Indiana and Kansas, formed pleasant stops in the journey.

Mr. Nelson made the long trip up and they both made the trip back in his coupe without any car trouble en route.

PURCHASE ONE TRACTOR AND ORDER ANOTHER

County Commissioner J. P. Jackson of the Wichita Falls precinct decided Monday afternoon to purchase a ten-ton, two speed Best tractor for use on the precinct roads. Commissioner F. R. Knauth of the Burkburnett precinct asked that the county advertise for bids on a ten-ton Holt tractor.

WILL NOT APPEAL FROM ANTI-TRUST SUIT DECREE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Announcement was made today by the department of justice that the government would not appeal from the Philadelphia federal court decree of June 28, last, in the anti-trust suit against the Reading and associated coal and railroad companies.

ADMITS TO DEPUTY SHERIFF HE SWALLOWED POISON

BENTONVILLE, Ark., Aug. 27. (AP)—Archie King, 25, becoming ill shortly after he had been arrested yesterday at Rogers, on a charge of breach of the peace sworn to by his wife, is said to have admitted to a deputy sheriff that he swallowed poison just before he was taken into custody. He died half an hour after he had reached the county jail.

M. M. Hackney, who has been acting as traffic officer on the county roads in the Electra precinct for the past two months, has resigned and resumed his duties with the county engineering department.

FARMER NEAR DALLAS IS SHOT AND KILLED

DALLAS, Aug. 27. (AP)—John Dellsite, 55, farmer living near California Crossing, just north of Dallas, was shot and killed at his home today. Charges of murder were filed against Henry Salser. The shooting followed a quarrel, officers said.

PRISONER MAKES GET AWAY FROM SHERIFF MURPHY

Sheriff W. W. Murphy returned home from a trip to Beaumont Sunday but without the prisoner whom he went after. According to the story told officials by the sheriff, the man made his escape from the railroad train near Houston.

Through the efforts of the city detective department, T. B. Hayes, the prisoner was located at Beaumont. A bond of $1500, in which Hayes was principal, was forfeited at the last term of federal court in this city and the bondsmen asked the sheriff to bring the man back to this city. Hayes was charged in federal court with violation of the prohibition laws.

The sheriff left last week Wednesday for Beaumont to bring the prisoner back to this city and turn him over to his bondsmen. While riding along, according to the story related, Hayes asked permission to go to one end of the car and while in the small enclosure made his escape through a window.

RELIGIOUS RIOTS CONTINUE IN UNITED PROVINCES

SIMLA, British India, Aug. 27. (AP)—The religious riots in the United Provinces are continuing, according to dispatches reaching here. Hindus and Moslems were in conflict at Agra last night. Fire arms were used and the casualties are said to have been heavy. All business and postal deliveries in the city have been suspended.

PRESIDENT OF LONG-BELL LUMBER COMPANY RESIGNS

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 27. (AP)—Notice of the resignation of Fred J. Bannister, for 21 years president of the Long-Bell Lumber Company, was mailed out today to stockholders by the board of directors of the company. Mr. Bannister resigned Saturday. He remains on the board of directors. M. B. Nelson, vice president and general sales manager of the company, was elected president.

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SECOND FAIR TO SURPASS HOPES; KIWANIANS TOLD

"Inquiries and communications about the fair, entries that are being made daily in the different exhibits and the general interest that is being shown throughout this section, lead us to believe that the second Texas-Oklahoma Fair will surpass even the fondest hopes of the association and its directors," R. E. Shepherd declared at the Kiwanis luncheon Monday at the Kemp Hotel.

Mr. Shepherd said that it had been necessary to allot additional space in practically all of the exhibits and that entries were coming in with every mail. He outlined briefly the attractions that had been secured for the entertainment of the patrons. Reduced rates have been obtained on all roads leading into Wichita Falls for a radius of 150 miles, Mr. Shepherd said.

Day Lundien was appointed trip manager for the trip to Mineral Wells for the district convention on Labor Day. About 40 members of the local club will make the trip to the convention; the club has also made arrangements to take the community band.

Mrs. Muriel Hooper and Bob McCulloch gave an amusing comedy sketch, entitled "Isabelle," as the entertainment program at the Monday meeting.

THERE IS NOTHING TO IT, SAYS COUNTY ATTORNEY

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27. (AP)—"There is nothing to it. I will plead not guilty to any charges filed against me."

In these words County Attorney Eddie Roark of Somervell county denied today in a long distance message from Waco that he was guilty of violation of the prohibition laws of either the nation or the state.

Wichita Feed & Fuel Co. has advanced prices of local wheat to 95c per bushel, basis No. 1 to the farmers.—adv.

Special prices on wallpaper at Watson's, 257 Indiana.—adv.

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FUNERAL SERVICES FOR WILLIAM K. LA FIELD HELD MONDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral services for William K. La Field, who died at his home Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, were held from the family residence at 816 Travis Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Rev. R. M. Thomas conducted the services; Hines Undertaking Company was in charge of the funeral. Deceased is survived by his widow and seven sons. Pall bearers at the funeral were L. A. Trolling, J. W. Parker, H. S. Parsons, L. L. Hanks, R. L. Kennis and Jesse Bowlin.

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TWO FACTIONS AT MONTEREY, MEXICO, THREATEN TROUBLE

BOTH PLANNING TO ORGANIZE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES SEPTEMBER 10.

MILITARY OFFICER MAY BE PLACED IN CHARGE

Factions Develop As Result Of Recent Gubernatorial Election There.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Two political factions are expected to seat themselves in the chamber of deputies when the preliminary sessions of the legislature of the state of Nuevo Leon opens on September 10, according to advices from Monterey, made public here today. There is strong belief in some political quarters, it is reported, that the situation may become so serious that a military officer may be appointed to assume charge of the state until political conditions have been adjusted.

The "Constitutionalist" adherents of Porfirio Gonzales, who was the choice of the majority of states in the recent gubernatorial election, and the "Peristas," supporters of Alfredo Pores, also candidate for governor, are the two factions which plan the attempt to seat their deputies. Rumors profess to foresee a tremendous upheaval which may involve the entire state.

Prominent among those mentioned in connection with the report that a military officer may take charge of the state are Generals Manuel Peres Trevino, chief of staff to President Obregon, who left Mexico City for Monterey several days ago, and Joaquin Amaro, chief of military operations. General Trevino, it is asserted, will make a report on conditions to the president.

In some quarters at Monterey, the advices state, it is considered likely that two legislators may attempt to function paralleling the present situation in the state of Coahuila, neighbor on the west, where two legislative bodies have been meeting for several months.

THREE OUTLYING BUSINESS HOUSES ARE BURGLARIZED

Business houses in the residence section were picked Sunday night as the scene of operations for the midnight prowlers who have been the source of much worry to police recently. Reports were made to police Monday morning that three business houses in the residence section had been broken into Sunday night; not over $10 was taken from the three places.

Floral Heights Pharmacy on Tenth Street was the heavy loser; about $8 was taken from the cash register. Entrance was gained by prying open the front door. Woody-Hines filling station at Tenth and Lamar was also broken into and the office ransacked; nothing was missing Monday morning. The thieves ransacked the grocery store at Barwise and Lake and made away with some papers which were kept in the cash register.

Merchandise was unmolested in all three of the places, as far as the owners could ascertain Monday morning. The thieves were content to go through the cash registers. In the grocery on Barwise something over $4 in pennies in a cup in the show case were overlooked.

Police had a small boy in custody Monday morning but were of the opinion, after close questioning, that the boy had no knowledge of the burglaries. He was picked up on the street early Monday morning.

Glasses. Faith Optical Co.—adv

British Press Is Not in Sympathy With Birkenhead

LONDON, Aug. 27. (AP)—The Earl of Birkenhead has received little sympathy from the British press for the position in which he finds himself as a result of the first address of his American tour, delivered last Friday evening before the Institute of Politics at Williamstown. In fact, the press tends to heap coals on the fire laid by Harry Brecknridge, assistant secretary of war under President Wilson, when he criticised the earl for remarks about Mr. Wilson.

The Morning Post asserts "the effect of Birkenhead's injudicious remarks is to confirm the Isolationists in the wisdom of their policy of turning their backs on Europe."

In an editorial headed "L'Enfant Terrible Abroad," the Daily News says that the British do not like the American tariff laws, but would welcome an almost prohibitive tariff on the importation of former members of the British cabinet and a rigid customs examination of the contents of their lecture tour portfolios."

The Westminster Gazette hopes that undue importance will not be attached to Birkenhead's words, asserting that there are few politicians in England today who speak so exclusively for themselves as does Birkenhead.

The Westminster Gazette points out the unfairness of arguing that Woodrow Wilson is the agent of the the post-war conditions and adds:

"Europe is what it is because of the mistakes and misdeeds of those who have actively influenced its development and who were by no means disposed to help Wilson when his power was at its highest."

The Daily Herald, the labor newspaper, offers an apology for the ex-chancellor, saying:

"He has long been regarded as a national nuisance and has now become a national danger."

Some of the afternoon papers, however, staunchly defend Lord Birkenhead's remarks concerning Wilson.

The Pall Mall Gazette says:

"The address contained nothing that we should have thought to be other than universally recognized truths.

"Birkenhead said no more than the sober fact when he spoke of Wilson's having hope as his principal equipment. International discussion must become a meaningful formality if it is not permissible to touch in the gentlest fashion upon facts which do not happen to be flattering.

"The Americans are a free spoken people, but they prefer the free speech to be on their side. They have not yet attained to the philosophic habit of mind in which Englishmen receive the lectures of imported pussyfoots, bolsheviks, sinn feiners and a whole world wide menagories upon the depravity of their own character and policy."

The same attitude is taken by the Evening Standard, which concludes with the remark that Americans in general are not very shy in delivering opinions of England while in this country.

"Roosevelt said some exceedingly straight things," the Standard says, "and so have many American ambassadors. As a rule such criticisms have been taken in good humor, even vigorously challenged."

WANT BIRKENHEAD AND SIR A. W. COPE DEPORTED

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Resolutions calling upon the government to deport Lord Birkenhead and Sir A. W. Cope immediately, the former for having "publicly insulted officials of this country," and the latter for participating in "the plot to inveigle the United States into the league of nations," were adopted at a mass meeting last night held primarily to protest against the continued detention by the Irish Free State of Eamon De Valera. More than 5,000 persons attended.

May Use Plane To Carry Liquor Over 'Dry' Zone

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 27. (AP)—A plan to get liquor into Yukon Territory, facing a dry winter because laws of the United States prohibit carrying intoxicating beverages across the 20-mile strip of the Alaska panhandle—by using airplanes is under consideration. The suggestion for the use of airplanes to move the stock of 10,000 cases that has been on wharves here awaiting some relenting by Uncle Sam is said to have come from politicians in the Yukon and in northern British Columbia where the Atlin provincial liquor store has a supply for only two months.

The question before the provincial liquor board is whether the prohibition laws of the United States extend upward into the atmosphere, and if so, how far.

Kidnap Publisher Who Denies Klan Exists In Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 27. (AP)—The publication of articles denouncing the Ku Klux Klan and denying the existence of that organization in Mexico is believed to have been responsible for the kidnaping Saturday of Jose Campos, director of the newspaper Excelsior.

Senor Campos was held captive for four hours by a group of masked men. He was forced to promise to publish an article admitting the existence of the klan in Mexico.

GALVESTON DECORATED FOR AMERICAN LEGION

GALVESTON, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP) With old glory fluttering in the breeze from office buildings, residences and business houses and patriotic bunting decorating the streets Galveston today assumed a gala appearance in anticipation of the opening of the annual convention of the Texas department of the American Legion scheduled for tomorrow.

If you are thinking of turning in your car for a new and up-to-date model, use the Times Want Ads, as a guide and you are sure to get exactly what you want at the price your pocketbook can afford.

Late President Urged Newspapers In Letter Written Prior to Death To Use Their Power to End War

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—A letter from Warren G. Harding written June 15, exhorting American newspaper editors to use their power to end war and described as the "legacy of a newspaper man-president to the press of his country," was made public last night by Walter Wellman, journalist and author.

In this letter, sent through Mr. Wellman to the editors of American newspapers, Mr. Harding sounded the same note he struck when, gazing with misty eyes on the caskets of American dead borne back from the battlefields of Europe he exclaimed: "It must not be again."

"I am informed," wrote Mr. Harding to his fellow editors, "that some of you are considering a plan to use the power of the great American newspaper press to ascertain the opinions of the people upon the problem of America's duty in world reorganization for the abolition of war, the rolen of international law with tribunals instead of battlefields as courts of last resort, and the creation of a system of international cooperation without super-government or encroachment upon the independence of any nation, designed permanently to preserve peace, neighborly relationships, economic stability and prosperity among all the people of the world.

"That this plan to elicit American opinion is to be participated in by newspapers of all sections of the country, without regard to political affiliations, and that no partisan purpose of any sort is to be sought by it, that the various vital phases of the problem are to be carefully and impartially presented to readers as a aid in forming their judgment appeals to me strongly. I have long since become convinced that the United States should not and will not enter the much-discussed League of Nations, but that conviction has not destroyed the hope that there may be found a way to world association and attending world understanding.

In Full Sympathy.

"With this plan to set the American people to thinking more strongly and clearly and expressing international duty of our republic, I am in full sympathy. It is an admirable opinion this is a problem which the United States must soon meet with earnestness and courage, and that it will be of great help to the government when it proceeds towards a practical solution of the problem to have a definite formation of public opinion to build and rely upon. I further believe that in this great task of helping to make the world safe for humanity, no political party should seek selfish advantage that here should apply our old and most wholesome tradition that party rivalries stop at the edge of the high seas. Hence I shall be glad if the American press, ignoring partisanship, uses its great power to draw forth the best thought, heart and soul of our people. In such a crystallization will be read the decision of the republic."

In making public the foregoing letter, which he described as an urgent appeal to newspapers of all parties to conduct a nation-wide non-partisan popular referendum as to America's international duty, the details of which he had discussed with the late president, Mr. Wellman asserted that had Mr. Harding lived his plans and purposes he would have himself revealed when ready.

"That now," continued Mr. Wellman, "it is plainly my duty to him, to the people who loved him as a man regardless of their view of his policies to make known what he told me of his determination to do all in his power to bring about a higher type of civilization, to banish war, to lift from all peoples the burdens and menace of the old but now worn out and useless militaristic regime. It is only just to Mr. Harding's fame, to his place in history, that the truth be made public.

Mr. Wellman then told of the conversation he had had with Mr. Harding in the White House a few weeks before his death.

"The late president spoke to me frankly as one newspaper man to another. "Had he lived all that would have been a confidence. Now it is a heritage that must not be lost.

"He told with feeling of his many days and nights of earnest, prayerful thought on the problem of America's duty, of how he had at last reached a definite conclusion, that his conscience would not permit him longer to remain inactive, of his belief that the conscience of our people, once their minds were stirred up on this problem, would not countenance persistent isolation and indifference, as our national policy.

"Our people have never really thought on this matter,' he said, 'and when they do really think on it, they will land with all their hearts and souls in the right place.'

"Then he quoted Theodore Roosevelt's words: 'When you once get the American people to think, and think hard—well, you'd better stand from under.'

"Mr. Harding rose to a great height in discussing his plans. He was splendid, noble, in voicing his determination. I wish all the people could have seen his face, heard his voice, when he said: 'Lots of people like me, but do not like my administration. They think me too timid to do really big things. Well, I'm going ahead in an effort to make the world safe for humanity, even if it costs me another term in the White House.'"

Picturing what Mr. Harding planned "to make the world safe for humanity," Mr. Wellman said he wished to have the world court proposal settled as the first small step, and then contemplated next year inviting all the nations to a world congress at which he meant to submit a definite program.

Mr. Wellman said that the late president had discussed features of this program in which he saw the League of Nations as a praiseworthy effort that had failed and which should be merged into a great and more efficient community council embracing all nations equipped not with some, but with all the powers needed to achieve its ideal. Particularly, said Mr. Wellman, did Mr. Harding deem it necessary to end war by forbidding it in international law; not compromising with it, but leaving it without legal status.

"It is a most tragic coincidence in our national life," declared Mr. Wellman, that Mr. McKinley, long the champion of high tariffs, had his newer vision of American intimacy with all the world and voiced his reciprocal proposal just before his death in Buffalo and now Harding, generally considered an American isolationist, reached the determination to make his country the leader to a new and better era for all mankind just before the end came at San Francisco."

INSPECTS CROWELL SITE FOR PROPOSED DAM

CROWELL, Texas, Aug. 27.—C. S. Clark, member of the state board of water engineers, spent several days in Crowell where he was called to look over the feasibility of a dam across Pease river, some 25 miles northeast of Crowell for the purpose of irrigating large bodies of land in Foard county.

Mr. Clark, after careful investigation, thinks that such a proposition is practical unless there is some gipsum caves that would lead to underground lands which would convey the water out of the lake.

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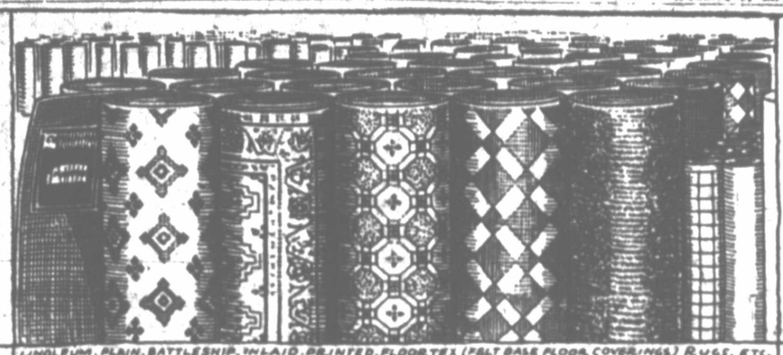
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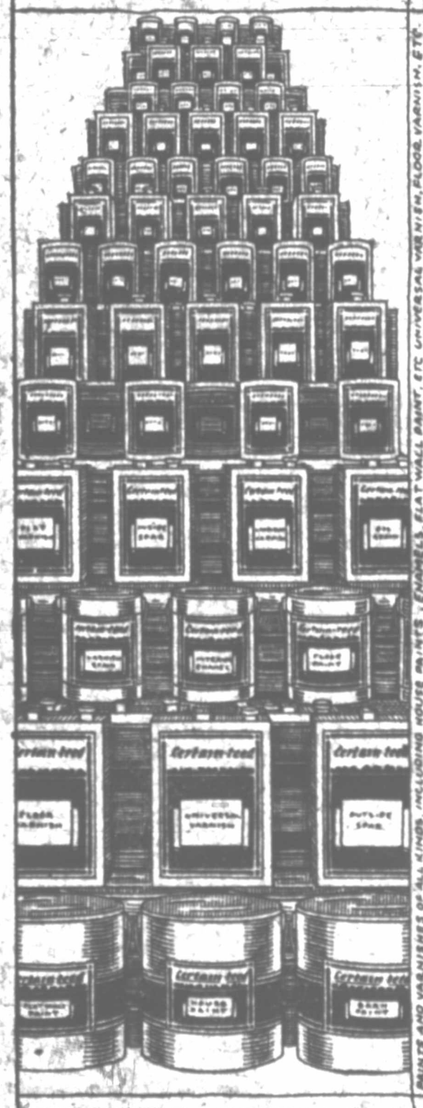
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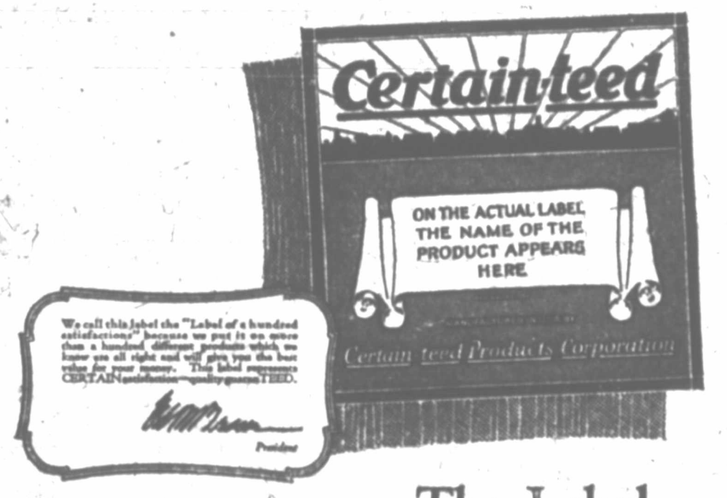


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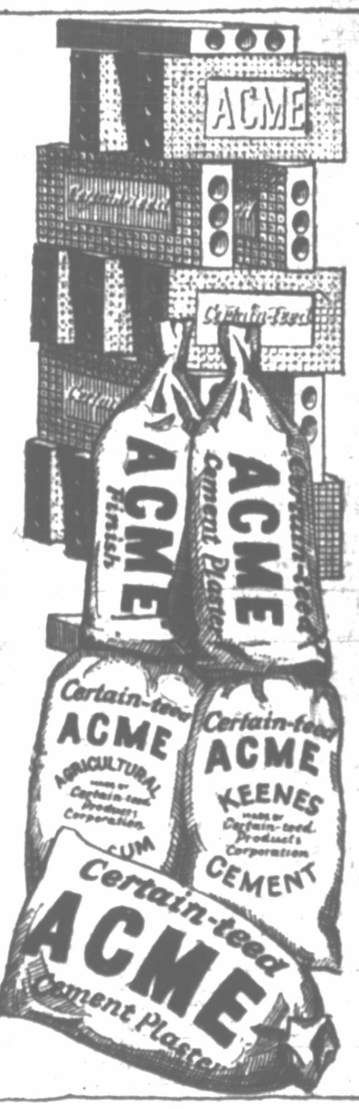
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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Humphrey and little son, Irving L. Jr., came last week from a delightful trip through Yellowstone Park, following a several weeks' visit made in Somers, Mon., by Mrs. Humphrey and Irving.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ike Upchurch and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Golding are home from Colorado Springs and Denver, getting in Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Toombs of Fort Worth, who were in the same party, went on to Fort Worth. Miss Catherine Naff of Clarendon, Mrs. Upchurch's sister, is with her for a two weeks' visit.

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Mrs. J. T. Bonner of Houston is visiting her son, Stayton Bonner.

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Mrs. Alma Miller and Miss Mildred came in Wednesday of last week from Colorado after a two weeks' visit. News from Miss Virginia Miller, who is enjoying a wonderful trip in the northwest with the Huffs, is that they sailed on the 9th for Alaska. They are not expected home before October 1. Miss Elizabeth Miller is in Colorado with Mrs. Wylie Robertson and family, who are expected home Saturday of this week.

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Misses Florence Jackson and Irene Davidson are home from an overland trip to Miami, Texas, where they attended a family house party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jackson the past two weeks. Mrs. Anne Jackson Hicks and little son, Lloyd Jr., of Canadian, Miss Faye Jackson of Denver, and Miss Frankie Jackson, home from Junior A. & M. College at Arlington, were other members of the party.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Boyd and daughters, Misses Frances and Fay, came in Sunday from Colorado, where they have been most of the summer. They made the trip overland.

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Misses Maurine Still and Brooks Naughton of Dallas are house guests this week of Miss Marguerite McDonald at the C. C. McDonald home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Galloway of Ashaville, N. C., are guests of Mrs. Galloway's sister, Mrs. J. A. Wray, en route overland to points in Colorado and California.

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Miss Rubye Yowell has returned from a visit with Miss Sibyl Irvine in Henrietta.

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Mrs. T. R. Brunson left Monday for Galveston to attend the state convention of the American Legion Auxiliary, to which meeting she is delegate from the Wichita Falls Auxiliary.

KATY TO TAKE CARE OF CROPS ALONG THE LINE

STAMFORD, Texas, Aug. 27.—F. Rutledge, trainmaster of Waco, Texas, and E. L. Howard, local agent at Stamford of the Katy railroad, were in the West Texas chamber of commerce office today and passed on to Hamlin to meet the Abilene boosters and return with them to Stamford.

Mr. Rutledge said that the Katy would have sufficient cars to take care of fall crops of this territory, which is good news to this territory, as heretofore there has been considerable trouble getting sufficient empty freight cars to handle the cotton shipments out of west Texas during the heavy cotton season.

DAWSON COUNTY TO HAVE EXHIBIT AT STATE FAIR

LAMESA, Texas, Aug. 27.—According to information received at the West Texas chamber of commerce office, Dawson county has made application for agricultural booths with the superintendent of the agricultural building at Dallas, Texas, and will immediately prepare an exhibit that will be shown this fall.

Dawson county has been showing an agricultural exhibit at the Dallas state fair for several years and on account of this continuous exhibition of their splendid farm products by the business men and farmers, they have seen in the last 10 months more than 30,000 acres of Dawson county's grass land turned into new farms that are producing thousands of bales of cotton and tons upon tons of grain sorghum.

VETERANS FOREIGN WARS SELECT HEADQUARTERS

NORFOLK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Selection of Kansas City, Kan., as national headquarters of the Veterans of Foreign Wars was the first act of the organization's annual convention, which convened here today. An offer by Kansas City of 12,000 square feet of floor space at the new Soldiers and Sailors Memorial structure for the headquarters was accepted. The present headquarters is in New York.

DAWSON COUNTY CROPS ARE BENEFITED BY RAIN

LAMESA, Texas, Aug. 27.—This county has just received from one to one and a half inch rain which has materially benefited the cotton and grain sorghum crops over the county. The continued cool and cloudy weather following the late rains with some sign of the boll and leaf worm has created some apprehension among the farmers as to what will be the outcome, but if more hot weather is to follow during the next few weeks there will be no grounds for much uneasiness.

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The Tangle

Letter From Richard Summers to His Fiancee, Beatrice Grimshaw

Dearest Bee:

I was not quite sure when I left you that I was doing right to come way out here and postpone our wedding for months and months. But, oh, Bee, I am sure when you join me you will say this great western city and its environs is the loveliest spot on earth.

I am already greatly in love with Los Angeles, or rather Hollywood, for that is where you and I are going to live, my dear. I have been fortunate enough to find rooms in an apartment hotel which gives me a view of the mountains and here and there a shimmer of the distant sea. The air is perfectly glorious and of course the days are gold with their constant and much advertised sunshine.

I know you will not be jealous, dear, when I tell you that I have never seen so many beautiful girls in all my life. In fact, I think the women of all ages whom I have seen show beauty unsurpassed by the women of any other place or country where I have been.

Of course it is natural that beautiful young girls from everywhere should flock to this moving picture center, but I never imagined that you could go to a place where every girl was lovely until I came here. It is a peculiar kind of beauty. Regularity of features, beautiful hair, radiant eyes, and exquisite mouths and over all the evanescent loveliness of youth.

One does not need to see more than that, does one? You must not often look for brains or souls; at least to my eyes these faces lack in many cases these things which make you so beautiful, my dear.

A man may love to look upon all these exquisite creatures even when they are as soulless when you meet them face to face as they are upon the screen, but when a man thinks of his wife, he wants something more.

I went with Arthur Thornton, who you know is my superior, to one of the big hotels the other night and met a number of girls who were in moving pictures. The most interesting one among them was a young woman who called herself Paula Perier. I'm sure that wasn't her real name. It is too musical to be true.

She told me she was from Albany and although she had only been out here a very short time, she already had a small part with one of the big stars. This girl had an understanding, if not a spirituality, which set her above the average crowd. I shall like to have you meet her when you come here, which I hope will be very soon.

I am almost mad at times with longing for you and only by working hard will I ever get through the next two or three months.

Your devoted, DICK.

Tomorrow: Letter from a film producer to a friend—A real "find."

MRS. WM. M. HUFF, PIONEER WICHITAN, DIES IN ALABAMA

Announcement of the death of Mrs. William M. Huff, which occurred Sunday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Skelton, in Scottsboro, Alabama, has been received with deep regret by her many friends in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Huff, who was 86 years old last May, came to this city 24 years ago, since which time she has made her home with her son Tom Huff, of the Wichita County Abstract Company, at 1605 Tenth Street.

Mrs. Huff was a native Virginian, moving to Bellbuckle, Tennessee, when a girl, from which place she came to this city after the death of her husband. Mr. Huff was a Baptist minister for 54 years and an educator of note in that part of the country, establishing many schools throughout the mountain section.

Mrs. Huff was an active assistant in her husband's work and was one of the most valuable and faithful members of the local Baptist Church during the years of her residence here. It became necessary for her to give up active service about a year ago, when her health became impaired to the extent that she was confined to her home much of the time.

Mrs. Huff and her son, T. A. Huff, had been spending the summer with Mrs. Skelton and the body will be accompanied to the old home at Bellbuckle, Tennessee, where interment will be made by the side of the husband and a daughter, according to advices received here.

Judge R. E. Huff, pioneer citizen of this place, Wichita Falls, another son, is with his family in Alaska at this time and will be unable to attend the funeral.

Children surviving include C. C. Huff of Dallas, Newton Huff of Grandfield, Oklahoma, W. T. Huff, Tipton, Oklahoma, Mrs. R. S. Skelton, Scottsboro, Alabama and Judge R. E. Huff and T. A. Huff of Wichita Falls.

SHEPHERD LEAVES TO REPRESENT WICHITA AT LUBBOCK JUBILEE

R. E. Shepherd, city finance commissioner, left Monday afternoon for Lubbock to attend the celebration Tuesday of the location in that city of the Texas Technological College.

The festivities include addresses by Governor Neff and other notables, a monster barbecue and other entertainment features. Several thousand visitors are expected, every community of west Texas having signified its intention of being represented.

Mr. Shepherd will be the official representative of the city of Wichita Falls, the chamber of commerce and the Texas-Oklahoma Fair Association.

THIRD ANNUAL RODEO IS STAGED AT M'LEAN

M'LEAN, Texas, Aug. 27.—The third annual rodeo of the American Legion post of this city came to a close Saturday with the general opinion that it had been the most successful of any affair of its kind thus far staged in the city.

The program started Friday with an exceptionally interesting ball game between the locals and the Shamrock team, which ended with a score of 7 to 6 in favor of Shamrock.

After the ball game the regular rodeo entertainment of calf roping, bull-dogging, mule races, wild cow milching, were made especially enjoyable by the fact that unusually wild animals were in the arena.

The program for the second day was very similar to that of the first day. The entertainment both nights was a platform dance with the Paul Jones orchestra from Memphis furnishing the music.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT BUSY OVER WEEK END

Members of the sheriff's department had a busy session Saturday night and Sunday night. A dozen men and women, both black and white, fell into their hands. A quantity of choctaw beer was confiscated by the officers and drunkeness and vagrancy charges were filed against those arrested Monday morning.

For "Good or Made Good" material, at Watson's Paint Co., 807 Indiana.—adv.

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NATIONAL FRATERNAL CONGRESS TO CONVENE

S. D. Lynch, secretary of the insurance section of the Knights of Pythias here, has received an announcement of the annual meeting of the national fraternal conference to be held at French Lick Springs, Ind., August 27, 28, 29 and 30.

The National Fraternal Congress of America is an organization of the fraternal insurance societies of the United States and Canada, the subordinate bodies of this organization having a membership of more than six million people who carry life insurance to the amount of more than ten billion dollars. These societies have local bodies in every city and town in the United States and Canada, and the results of the work of the congress are of local interest everywhere.

Prominent speakers on the program of the National Fraternal Congress for this convention are Hon. James J. Davis, secretary of labor; Hon. James E. Watson, United States senator from Indiana; Hon. Samuel M. Ralston, United States senator from Indiana; Hon. Harry Arthur Hopf, New York, managing engineer; Barney Pearson, of St. Louis, and F. C. Whipas of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

This congress was organized 35 years ago and has been continuous in its work for the benefit of the insured members of the several societies. Several billion dollars have been paid in benefit to the deceased members' beneficiaries which has made possible the maintaining of the home after the bread winner has passed away; the support of the aged, and the education of the orphan.

The assets of these fraternal societies are invested in bonds, the money from which has erected school houses, built roads and streets, and other public improvements which mean so much to the health and prosperity of our nation.

At the meeting of the congress addresses will be made and discussions had upon all subjects pertaining to the welfare of the people of our country, the improvement of the conditions of the fraternal insurance societies and their regulation and superintendence by government officials, additional privileges and benefits to the insured members, education and instruction of field representatives of these societies and additional matters of interest to the convention will be presented by men most prominent and able in each respective line.

ARREST WHITE MAN AND NEGRO WOMAN

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Aug. 27.—A white man and negro woman were arrested late Saturday night and placed in jail by city officers on a complaint of vagrancy. The arrest was made in a servants house located on the alley in the rear of Second street and E avenue.

Officers were slow to force entrance to the house account of the presence of a large bull dog which was later turned out at the call of its master. Entrance was made and the woman found to be in an intoxicated condition and of such a nature that a car was called into service and they were taken to jail.

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SIDNEY AUSTIN RECOVERING FROM OPERATION, MARSHALL

Word from Mrs. Iva E. Austin, general secretary of the Y. W. C. A. here, who is in Marshall at the bedside of her son, Sidney, is that Sidney is doing very nicely after an operation for appendicitis in the Marshall sanitarium last Wednesday.

Sidney was in Marshall awaiting his mother, who left here recently to accompany him to Laudel, Miss., for their vacation, when he suffered a serious attack of appendicitis and had to be rushed to the hospital for the operation. Mrs. Austin is at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alvah McPherson there, and it is possible that they will both return here instead of going on to Laurel when Sidney is able to travel.

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WILL SING FOR RADIO OF LOS ANGELES TIMES

Miss Jeannette Walker, daughter of Mrs. Wade H. Walker, formerly of Wichita Falls, will sing for the radio broad cast program of the Los Angeles Times Monday night, according to work received here Monday morning.

The program will be broadcast from the Times station at 6:45 or 8:45 local time.

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ENTERTAINING TUESDAY FOR DALLAS VISITOR

Mesdames O. R. Womack and J. Royden Drummond are entertaining at bridge Tuesday afternoon honoring their niece, Miss Maurine Knight, of Dallas, who is visiting them. The party will be at the home of Mrs. Womack, 1717 Tenth.

CIVIC LEAGUE BOARD IS CALLED MEET WEDNESDAY

Mrs. B. Frank Johnson has called a meeting of the Civic League executive board for Wednesday morning, 9:30, at her home. Every member of the board is asked to be present, as plans for the Texas-Oklahoma Fair activities of the league and action on the wind-up of the City Beautiful compaign are to be attended to.

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RAINBOW GIRLS WILL MEET TUESDAY EVENING

The Rainbow Girls will hold their regular assembly Tuesday evening at the Masonic Temple. All members are requested to be present and Masons and Eastern Stars are invited to attend.

EARLY SUNDAY MORNING FIRE DESTROYS VICTORIA HOTEL AT 810 LAMAR

Fire of undetermined origin gutted the Victoria hotel at 810 Lamar and did some damage to the roof of the adjoining building occupied by the Lockhart Chevrolet Company, Sunday morning shortly after 3 o'clock.

The building was well enveloped in flames when the alarm was given; the occupants escaped with few of their personal effects. A slight breeze from the south carried the flames to the roof of the Chevrolet Motor Company. Loss on the hotel was estimated at $3,000; it was partially covered by insurance. The garage loss was recorded at $400 and covered by insurance. The hotel property was owned by C. E. Brown and leased by Boyd Collins.

TRANSFER AUTHORITY AT CONSTANTINOPLE TO TURK

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 24. (AP)—Evacuation operations are proceeding gradually. Inter allied naval control of the port was abolished Saturday and authority transferred to the Turks.

Three blasts of a siren in the center of the city on the last day of evacuation will mark the final departure of the allied forces. The non-Turks, however, are not waiting for the farewell whistle to depart. The police have been visiting from 50 to 100 passports daily for them.

All decorations and civil grades of the old Turkish government have been abolished. Only the independence medal of the Angora government will be recognized in the future.

JURORS ARE ALL EXCUSED FOR WEEK BY JUDGE WILSON

After the jury for the week was impanelled Monday morning by Judge H. R. Wilson, the court announced that all jurors with the exception of the first 12 on the list would be excused from service for the week. The 12 men retained were ordered to report to the county court Monday afternoon. A lunacy matter had been previously set for trial in that court.

If you are thinking of turning in your car for a new and up-to-date model, use the Times Want Ads, as a guide and you are sure to get exactly what you want at the price your pocketbook can afford.

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Not a Movie Closeup!



Colleen Moore, one of the screen's most popular actresses, and John McCormick have been married. This closeup wasn't taken for the usual ending of a film, but for the beginning of a long and happy drama of real life.

News Summary

PRAGUE.—Three shots were fired at M. Daskaloff, Bulgarian ambassador, and he died a short time later on the operating table.

HOUSTON, Texas.—One liquor runner was killed and another wounded in a running fight with customs inspectors off Bolivar roads near Galveston.

LOS ANGELES.—The steamers Devolente and the El Abeto were seriously damaged in a head-on collision in a fog about 100 miles north of Los Angeles.

LONDON.—The Spanish battleship Espana is aground off Melilla, Morocco, according to a Central News dispatch from Gibraltar.

DES MOINES, Iowa.—Gus S. Brewer, United States marshal for the southern district of Iowa and a lieutenant colonel in the Rainbow division in the world war, died from injuries received in an automobile accident.

TOKIO.—Viscount Uchida installed as acting premier on Saturday to succeed the late Premier Kato, presented the resignation of members of the Kato cabinet to Crown Prince Hirohito, regent.

HOTEL REGISTRATIONS

Hotel Texas Arrivals.

J. H. Painter and wife, Altus, Okla.; G. A. Still, Memphis; Loyd Jones, Electra; J. T. McCampbell, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. G. Hegwood, Oklahoma City; Chas. E. Nash, Fort Worth; E. E. Jewell, Fort Worth; L. J. Stewart, city; Drex. M. Holt, Dallas; E. M. Moursund, Dallas; F. E. Rigsby, Seymour; Fred C. Clark, city; Carl Leverett, Childress; C. H. Hitch, Kansas City, Mo.; B. M. Burns, Dallas; Frank Valentine, Fort Worth; C. R. Woodall, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lane, Abilene; D. B. Dickens, Dallas; C. R. Lecky, Sherman; R. Hudson, Fort Worth; J. H. Fitz, Electra; T. E. Blackwell, Dalas.

"All's well that ends swell." Watson paints last. 807 Indiana.—adv.

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Criminal cases which were set for trial on Monday, September 3, Labor Day, have been passed over until Tuesday, at which time they will be called for trial. All other settings as announced in Sunday morning's issue of The Times will remain and the cases as announced will be called for trial on the days designated.

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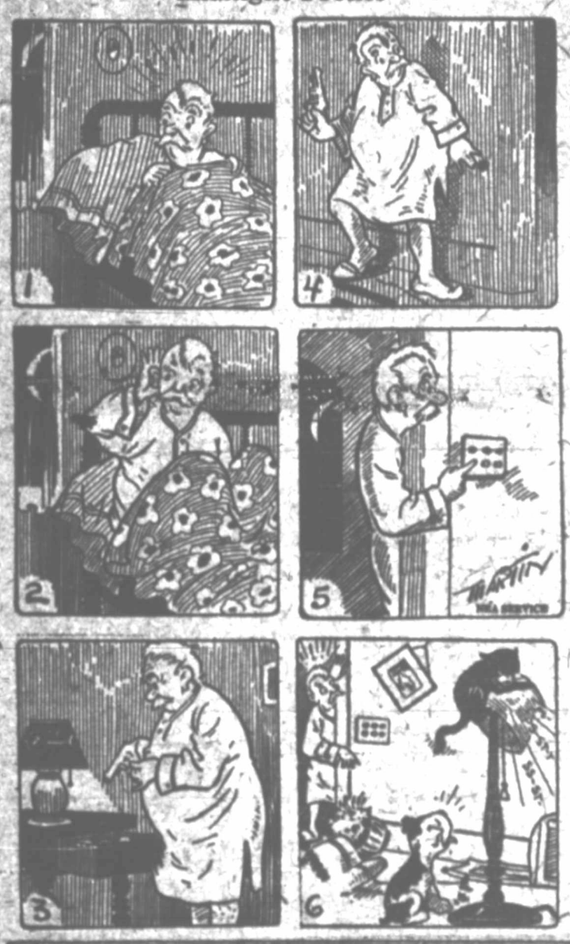
BUGHOUSE FABLES



TAKEN FROM LIFE

By MARTIN

"Midnight Frolics"



JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES

THE PIRATE SHIP

Story by Hal Cochran — Drawings by Lee Wright



Kerlee had been Jack's best friend and he disliked the idea of being away from him. Then a sudden thought struck Jack. One of the crew was just about to hurl a barrel into the sea. Jack silently sneaked to the open part of this barrel and crawled inside. Flip watched him eagerly.



Then Jack felt himself sailing through the air. It only lasted a minute when he felt a terrible plunge. He had been thrown into the sea, but the wooden barrel floated and soon Jack righted it so that he could paddle it along with his hands. Then he heard another splash in the water.



The little adventurer turned around and saw that Flip, too, had decided to make a break for freedom. His pet dog had jumped overboard and was now swimming as fast as he could toward Jack. "Come on old fellow!" shouted Jack, and soon Flip was right at his side. (Continued.)

SALESMAN SAM — A Misunderstandg — By SWAN



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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

He that giveth unto the poor shall not lack, but he that hideth his eyes shall have many a curse.—Prov. 28:27.

Let him who neglects to raise the fallen, fear lest, when he falls, no one will stretch out his hand to lift him up.—Saadi.

BEST EXERCISE.

The best exercise for fat women who want to reduce is scrubbing the kitchen floor, claims Mrs. Catherine H. Griebel, of New Jersey State College of Agriculture.

Maybe so, but it's like telling the tired business man it would do him as much good to get a caddie job as to play golf.

Wood chopping is about as fine exercise as there is. But there's no danger of wood chopping becoming the national sport.

People, when they "exercise," want to get away from work.

After all, it's a good thing for us to try to get our physical exercise in the form of play. Exercise helps the muscles and internal organs, but play makes the nerves relax, which is just as important as developing the muscles.

There isn't much relaxation of tense nerves when we combine hard work with our exercise.

The average person who "needs exercise" usually is the victim of nerves rather than of physical inactivity. This can be proved by going to bed and staying a week, thereby getting rest and nerve relaxation that will do many of us as much good as a whole season of golf.

It's a mistake to start a campaign of strenuous exercise unless we're prepared to get more hours of sleep than we've been used to.

Sleep does us more good than all the pills, serums and other forms of "dope" ever devised.

The person who feels "all run down" should start his building-up campaign by getting plenty of sleep. Also by lying down several times during the day, for about 30 minutes at a time, to rest the overworked heart. Remember, when we're standing up the heart has to pump the blood stream the full height of the body. When lying down, gravity helps—the blood flows parallel with the ground, like water through horizontal pipes.

The second big need is fresh air and lots of it.

Exercise comes third. Combine it with play, to relax the nerves. There'll be plenty of time to scrub the floors and do other physical labor later.

Finally, the thing that is wrecking the nerves of the American people is needless rush—hurry at breakneck speed and without any special destination. We have to speed up at our work but it's time to slow down and "take things easy" when the bell rings and we quit our jobs until tomorrow.

DRINKING DAYS.

Drinking among passengers at sea has been steadily getting less and less for the last twenty years. T. D. Smith makes this comment. He's chief steward of the White Star liner Adriatic, and he has been 35 years in the North Atlantic service.

The decline in drinking is a genuine prohibition movement, and not because liquor costs have gone up, Smith believes.

He says: "Efficiency in business—with telephones, wireless, radio, taxicabs, electrical devices and the general demand for more speed—has destroyed the old idea of doing business in the forenoon and devoting the rest of the day and night to drinking."

That just about sums up the prohibition movement, in the last analysis. It came as a matter of efficiency, rather than of morals.

Smith says that when he first went to sea the ships were so small and tossed about so much in storms that "only hardy individuals cared for the North Atlantic trip except in May, June and July when there were prospects of fine weather."

He recalls that many of the old-time liner passengers were hardened topers who could drink all day and most of the night without ever getting drunk.

Their favorite breakfast, served at 11 in the morning, was deviled bones with champagne.

The best whiskey in those days cost only 90 cents a quart, with gin 50 cents and lower. Beer was served at 6 cents a bottle. Maybe this explains the origin of the expression, "good old days."

The old-time ocean passengers brought their hooch aboard ship, by the bottle. And at dinner time in the first-class dining saloon 30 years ago champagne was seen on every table.

Liquor flowed freely at all hours of day and night. Many of us can recall when John Barleycorn was the silent partner of business on shore also, it being customary for a drummer to take a prospective customer out and throw a dozen rounds of drinks into him before inducing him to sign on the dotted line.

People have been tapering away from liquor gradually but steadily in the last 20 years. Many have the notion that prohibition was "put over" in a twinkling. They forget that, out of about 2500 counties in the United States, only 150 or even fewer still were wet when the prohibition amendment was adopted.

Such drinking as still takes place is viewed through a magnifying glass. Smith, veteran seaman, says drinking aboard ship has been steadily declining for 20 years, but most landsmen seem to have the notion that ocean travel resembles "Ten Nights in a Barroom."

Germany is exporting beer pills. Merely drop one in water. Then you want to fight Germany.

Bunyan's house will be saved. He wrote "Pilgrim's Progress." Some think him a corn cure.

Des Moines (Ia.) policeman who had no etiquette books arrested 13 society people.

Paris has an auto pawn shop. That's what the U. S. needs.

TODAY'S TALK

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

PICTURES.

George Sand says that "Books whisper to the heart, but pictures speak to the soul."

The artist selects the fundamentals of what he sees and puts them into immortality through his pictures. And we are thrilled by the fact that he saw what we passed by.

The artist is an idealist. The world of people is mostly practical—striving for a certain success or goal. The artist paints and pictures goals already attained. He dips his brush or pen or other art tool into the reservoir of his heart. His picture that hangs upon your wall is what his soul told him to produce. The artist is not disturbed by mere success. Most great artists have died hungry, but happy.

High interpretation of the simplest truths and most commonplace instances is the aim of the artist.

And so pictures have a story and an aroma of beauty about them that nothing else has, or can give.

There is always something greatly lacking in a home where there are no pictures. They do not have to be rare or expensive pictures, for today beautiful reproductions of the greatest works of art may be had for trifling sums.

I was told the other day an interesting story about a very well known man. His own daughter told me. This man was a great lover of art and had collected during his life time some wonderfully beautiful pictures. "Every night," said his daughter, "before father retired, he would go around the rooms and take a parting look at these gems he loved so much."

The minute I get into a hotel room, I look around for the pictures. If there are some good reproductions, I am immediately made less lonely.

The one who creates pictures lives in a life quite apart, for his task is that of toiling and toiling that his soul may catch the essence of beauty at his most inspired moment. The only part of the world that he sees go by is its beautiful part.

So you see how much it will mean to you to love pictures, to have them around you, and to gladden the hearts of others by often giving beautiful pictures.

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JUST FOLKS

—By—

EDGAR A. GUEST



THE DAY.

A little bit of laughter and a little bit of song,
A hand in friendship waving to the man who walks along,
Perhaps a little nearer to the goal so far away,
And so the record's written at the passing of a day.

A little bit of sunshine or a little bit of rain,
For some a time of pleasure and for some a time of pain;
And should you laugh this morning and spend the hours in play,
Be sure you have your courage for the coming stormy day.

Not long the rain or sunshine, not long the mirth or woe,
But unto each the sorrows and pleasures comes and go;
A little care to try us, a little laughter gay,
And what shall come tomorrow no man can truly say.
A little bit of friendship is all a man shall reap,
And wisely is that ordered—too much would make it cheap;
And whether mirth or sadness, or skies be blue or gray,
Perhaps the soul grows richer with every passing day.

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Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason

EULOGISTIC.

I go to the boneyard tomorrow, to see an old friend laid away; the pastor, in anguish and sorrow, is thinking up nice things to say. It always is up to the preacher to give us a boost when we die; and, being a sensitive creature, he hates to consider a lie. And yet, with his elegant diction, afar from the truth he must tread; he has to deal largely in fiction when praising the average dead. The man who will shortly be planted was mean as a mortal can be; few virtues to him can be granted, few stars in his record we see. And so I don't envy the pastor who'll speak for twelve minutes or more, and show that his death's a disaster, an ill we can only deplore. And some will be thoughtlessly saying, "The parson should yield not an ell, but give e'en a dead man a flaying, and all his delinquencies tell." Alas for the hearts unforgiving! I side with the kindly divine, who softens the grief of the living by giving their dead ones a shine. Oh, let us be earnest and pious, beginning such conduct in youth, and then when the sexton comes nigh us, the preacher can hand out the truth. With righteousness placed to our credit, the priest will be able to talk of virtue, and when he has said it, no mourners can stand up and knock.

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YOU AND I

By ALBERT APPLE

FEAR?

Nearly three billion dollars worth of new life insurance policies were taken out by Americans in the first six months of the year. This is partly fear that one's dependents will be unprovided for in event of the bread-winner's unexpected death. It is also a matter of thrift, and a highly sensible one, for life insurance seems to be the only way the average man can manage to save enough.

You bet them you'll die before they think you will. If unlucky, you win—or, rather, your heirs do. Life insurance is the most unselfish of all our many ventures. It is scientific civilization in its highest degree. How much do you carry? Enough?

FLYING

Airplane travel is getting to be a reasonably safe venture, according to the viewpoint of some leading insurance officials. Frederick L. Allen of Mutual Life says a professional aviator still is regarded as an extra-hazardous risk, but a policy holder no longer jeopardizes his protection by traveling over an established air route in an airplane piloted by a competent professional. As a matter of fact, the average person is safer in an airplane than in a canoe or on a high, slanted ladder.

CONSOLATION

After all, a low price for wheat does not pinch the farmer as much as a crop failure. Two bushels of wheat at $1 a bushel are practically equivalent to one bushel at $2. What the farmer wants is a bumper crop and a record price. That's human nature, the rest of us have the same hankering. Cheer up, farmers: wheat prices eventually regulate all other prices, according to some of the most able economists. If the law of many centuries works out as in the past, the city man can get a picture of what he is headed for later by contemplating the farmer's predicament in 1923.

PRICES

The tendency of prices of commodities will in the long run continue to be toward the pre-war level, and that level may be re-established in the not very remote future. This is the published view of the Swiss Bank Corporation, whose predictions for some years have been almost clairvoyant.

It claims that high prices have been and are due to inadequate world production, which is slowly being remedied. Europe's production, it estimates, still is a fourth below normal.

CHICKENS

It takes four chickens to furnish eggs for each American. Uncle Sam's count shows 435 million chickens in the United States. They furnish us with the eggs we need and an additional 500 millions a year for export, which latter is about three-fifths offset by the eggs we import from China and elsewhere. Talking about wasted effort, what do you think of the proposition of importing 300 million eggs a year and canceling the transaction by shipping back an equivalent amount? Logically our exports should be 200 million eggs, with no imports.

PAYING

The English are making payments of their war debt to us, and it makes them gloomy. On the other hand, it is revealed in the house of commons that the English bet from 600 to 750 million dollars a year on horse races. This money, of course, stays in England, merely changes hands. But it is easy to spend for pleasure, heartrending to spend for necessity, not to mention the disagreeableness of paying for a dead horse like a war debt.

GASOLINE

Wall Street gossips about the rumor that Hugo Stinnes, Germany's industrial genius, will invade America with his loose change. The possibilities in gasoline should appeal to him. In some parts of Oklahoma and Texas gasoline is selling as low as nine cents a gallon at the wells and refineries. To transport it to American consumers costs from nine cents a gallon downward. Mostly downward.

K. K. K.

The Ku Klux Klan now claims a membership of five millions. Three years ago it had only 5,000. The average family is estimated to have four or five members. So there's a pillowslip with eye-holes in every fifth home, which is amazing to outsiders.

The Klan, by working as a unit, might upset several political applecarts in the next presidential election.

GIANT

A 13 year old boy, 6 feet 3 inches tall and weighing 240 pounds, lives in Cold Springs, N. Y. He's Raymond J. Impell. Such cases usually are due to excessive action of the thymus and pituitary glands.

This interesting possibility: The Japanese, who dislike their short stature as a race, may turn themselves into a race of giants at some future date by tinkering with their endocrine glands.

Raymond, by the way, is "at the head of his class" and has captured several scholarship prizes.

FLIERS

Germany, having consolidated its commercial aviation companies into two big combines, is arranging international air service in every direction. She has finished delivering air material reparations, as required by the peace treaty. This leaves her free to concentrate on her own air lines. To dodge allied intervention, some of the German plane manufacturers are building their factories in other countries. This is industrial news. Later it may be military.

A PUZZLE A DAY

An automobile dealer sold 108 cars in eight days. Each day's sale was three automobiles greater than the sale of the day previous. How many cars did he sell on the first, and on each succeeding day?

Yesterday's Answer:
1. BLACK
2. SLACK
3. STACK
4. STALK
5. STALE
6. SHALE
7. WHALE
8. WHILE
9. WHITE

Above are shown the nine steps necessary to change the word "black" into "white." One letter is changed in each step and a new word is formed each time.

Snowed five minutes in Nebraska. What's the price of coal?

Argentina wants a big loan. She can get it from Europe.

Little Benny's Note Book

by Lee Pape

Sattiday pop took some more pickturs of me and ma and my sister Gladdis with his new Germin camera, and tonite after supper he went arround to Wites drug store to see if they was done yet, and wen he came back ma sed, Well Willyum, have you got the pickturs?

Yes, but it seems ony 3 turned out rite, according to that fool of a druggist, pop sed. After this I beleeve Ill develope my own films, he sed.

Now, Willyum, I wouldent think of sutch a thing, ma sed, and pop sed, You wouldent haff to think about it, and my sister Gladdis sed, Well lets see the 3 that terned out.

Well, heers one, pop sed taking a picktur out of the yello envelope, and me and ma and Gladdis started to look at it, ma saying, My goodniss, I cant make hed or tale of it, are you sure this isent one of the ones that dident tern out?

I am, pop sed.

Which is me? Gladdis sed. I think this one is sipposed to be me but I wouldent sware to it, she sed.

This family must be blind, pop sed, and I sed, I know wich one is me all rite, that little ones me, I can tell by the size.

Give me that picktur, pop sed. And he snatched it away and looked at it, sayin, Thats a perfeckly good picktur, theres nuthing the matter with it. And he stuck it back in the yello envelope and ma sed, Lets see the other one, Willyum.

Over my ded body, pop sed. And he stuck the yello envelope in his pockit and nobody hasent saw the other picktur yet and proberly never will.

OIL

The oil business is in the same predicament as wheat—badly "shot" by overproduction. Chief cause is the California field, expected to produce 275 million barrels of oil this year.

The overproduction, however is only temporary. Imports from Mexico are falling off rapidly. Our country is consuming crude oil at the rate of 680 million barrels a year. This is 100 million barrels more than in 1922, and 26 million barrels more than in 1918. Oil stored in pipe lines and tank farms is enough to run the country only five months.

CAN HE HITCH BOTH?

By MORRIS



THE YELLOW SEVEN RUN TO EARTH

By EDMUND SNELL
Illustrated by R. M. SOMMERFIELD
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This unusual series of stories deals with the exploits of "Chinese" Pennington, a detective sent by his government to British North Borneo to run to earth The Yellow Seven, a gang of Chinese bandits.

A lean face was thrust into the opening of the tent and a man, who was sitting alone over some papers spread on a case around the base of a hurricane-lamp, looked up sharply.

"Are you Pennington?"

The man with the Chinese eyes rose to his feet.

"That's my name."

An expression of relief spread over the newcomer's countenance.

"I've been searching for your headquarters for the best part of two hours. I'm Clay. I arrived in this forsaken island a matter of soft billet—and here I am in the wilds of Borneo, with a company of black devils and a fifteen pounder gun that I haven't the remotest idea five days ago, pattin' myself on the back at havin' knocked across a what to do with! I've instructions from Captain Hewitt—Commissioner of Police at Jesselton—to report to you for duty."

He squirmed through the narrow aperture and, stooping low to avoid bumping his head, unconcernedly disposed six feet three inches of manhood on a length of sacking that covered a neat pile of kerosene tins.

"Good man! I was beginning to wonder when you were going to turn up. Where are your men?"

"Standin' very much at ease outside. I split 'em up into platoons and spread 'em out a bit. We'd have been here earlier if it hadn't been for that confounded gun. It got stuck regularly every half hour. Last night we had to hack down a tree to get it out. Forty-seven and a half hours forced marchin', my boy, and every man present!"

Pennington laughed. He tacitly admired Hewitt's good taste in selecting Clay for the job. He sat for some moments, stroking an unshaven chin, then, removing a portion of the case, extracted a square bottle and a pair of tumblers.

"I've a sort of skeleton force of my own scattered round the base of the hill," he said, measuring out the precious fluid with generous exactitude. "They're tough little chaps who can find their way easily in the jungle. We've installed a telegraph system by means of Dusun gongs hung in trees."

"If you're pouring that out for me," broke in the other, "I'll have an inch more soda. So Chai-Hung's up there, is he?"

Pennington nodded.

"We've cornered him at last—and tomorrow's got to see the end of the Yellow Seven."

Clay shifted his long legs into a more comfortable position and tapped a pipe on the heel of his riding-boot.

"D'you know," he confessed suddenly, "beyond the fact that Mr. Chai-Hung's not a nice sort of chap to meet, I remain in sublime ignorance of the real reason of all this expended energy. You don't glean much from a sudden 'phone-call from a harassed official, y'know. What I'm tryin' to get at by all this is; who is Chai-Hung, when he's at home—and what in the name of all that's holy is the Yellow Seven?"

"The Yellow Seven is the name of a secret society the members of which are exclusively of Chinese origin, and whose symbol is a yellow Chinese playing-card ornamented with seven black dots. Hewitt cabled for me when the trouble had grown too big for him to cope with. I formed a little band of native enthusiasts and scoured the country from one end to the other, posing sometimes as a Celestial, at others as a tribesman. You see, Clay, the organization was too vast to suppress by sheer force of arms, the island swarmed with Chai-Hung's spies and the only possible method of achieving success was to separate the brigand from the bulk of followers, hem him in at a spot where the chances of egress were remote and converge upon him from all points at once. Chai-Hung and his immediate bodyguard have been driven from the forest into a small, arid plateau. A few of his disciples still cling to him, but the vast majority, obeying false signals arranged by myself, are concentrating in remote portions of British North Borneo, where Hewitt is on the lookout for them."

A few moments later a native in a greasy velvet jacket and a rusty sarong entered silently and stood at attention before his chief. Clay, observing him curiously, noticed that the man was minus an ear and an eye, that his mouth was slit at either side and that he carried an enormous parang in a wooden sheath bound with bamboo.

"Rabat-Pilai, the Tuan Clay has brought with him as many soldiers. You will guide them to the points I indicated this afternoon. There is also with them a thing on wheels whose voice is very terrible and certain men whose sole object is to make it speak! This must go in the square place among the trees and be covered with bushes until the morning."

The scarecrow saluted and disappeared.

Pennington smiled.

"He's my famous chief-of-staff. He'd come from the farthermost extremity of the earth if he thought I was in trouble."

Clay was polishing the bowl of his pipe on his breeches.



A native in a greasy jacket and a rusty sarong entered.

"When do we start making it hot? Dawn?"

"A trifle after that. There mustn't be the slightest opportunity for Chai-Hung to break through our cordon under cover of darkness. Know what he looks like?"

The other felt for his pocket book.

"Hewitt presented me with a photograph. I gather that he's lost his left hand since that was taken. Does he speak English?"

"Perfectly. He has the manners and polish of a diplomat when he chooses."

Clay thrust his head outside and brought it back wearing an expression of disgust.

"Rainin' like the devil," he announced. "Wonder if my orderly's put my tent up yet? If it's all the same to you I'll hop along and see."

He dived into the darkness, leaving Pennington to his own reflections.

Three minutes later Rabat-Pilai joined him. He thrust a crumpled paper into the Englishman's hand.

"Jesselton—16th," it read. "Chinese rounded up successfully in most districts. Sending Dawson. Possibly join you myself.—Hewitt."

Pennington reflected, then scribbled four words on a half sheet of note paper.

"All going well.—Pennington."

He bit the end of his pencil, erased the signature and added:

"Reinforcements arrived. Love to Mollie."

"Give this to the runner, Rabat, and arrange for outposts to be stationed half a mile in our rear, prepared to warn us if there are any signs of hostile forces gathering behind us. Tahu?"

"Yah, Tuan."

The creature saluted—and was gone.

Pennington bent over a rough map. Presently he smiled at his own reflection in a cracked shaving mirror that hung from the tent pole. Possibly join you myself! He had never expected his excellency the Commissioner of Police to resist the temptation of being in at the death.

He jerked up his head.

Somebody had blundered into a rope, tripped over it and apparently utilized it to assist him to his feet again, for the tent swayed as if in the throes of an earthquake. The shock was followed by a somewhat colored dissertation in tents in general and tent ropes in particular.

"Who's that?" demanded Pennington sharply.

The swearing ceased and presently a low chuckle broke upon his ears.

"Pennington, or I'm a confounded liar! I'll give you three guesses."

"Don't need 'em, old son. If anybody were to ask me who was the fattest, ugliest, clumsiest, district officer in the whole of Borneo, I'd promptly reply—"

"Not Dawson—if you're really the little gentleman I take you to be. Lord, Penn., it's a devil of a night!"

The affable Dawson squeezed his great form into one place that offered cover from the deluge without and lowered himself on to the spot Clay had vacated.

"Not bad—for you," said the man with the Chinese eyes, fishing out a third glass. "Three minutes after the runner. I've just replied to the message announcing your departure."

The red face of the newcomer became suddenly serious.

"The dickens you have! Hewitt dispatched it six hours before I left. The blighter's been messing about on the way."

"Got a thorn in his foot or something. You look cold."

"Cold! I'm soaked to the skin! I've been in the immediate vicinity of this camouflaged hovel for the best part of the night, walking in circles and challenged at regular intervals. I had a deuce of a job persuading one feller I wasn't the notorious Chai-Hung himself."

"Shows they're doing their work thoroughly. You'd better take a few grains of quinine and something neat to help it down. Clay's turned up, by the bye."

"That's all right. I met him in Jesselton the day after he landed. Pretty good man, I should think."

He stripped off his tunic and, coolly appropriating a blanket from Pennington's bed, wrapped it round him.

Pennington pushed over a small bottle of tablets and a tumbler.

"Where do you intend sleeping?"

"Here."

(Continued in our next issue.)

BOTH DOCTORS AND BARBERS ONCE IN SAME PROFESSION

As late as the eighteenth century, when George II, was on England's throne, the barber and the surgeon were affiliated; and the barber was known as "barber-surgeon." Since 1745, when a statute was passed separating the two, the conception of barber as a member of a skilled profession has undergone considerable change, although there are many who have acquired more than passing skill as lay experts on diseases of the skin and hair, due to their studying the findings of doctors and other scientists.



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SPUDDERS END SEASON IN BEAUMONT WITH DOUBLE DEFEAT

Dyer and Kunz Both are Given Substantial Leads But Fail to Hold Exporters in Either Game

BEAUMONT, Texas, Aug. 27.—Spudder hopes for a pennant totally disappeared here Sunday when the Exporters grabbed off both games of a twin bill, 7 to 4 and 4 to 4. Both games were the result of excellent pitching by Gray and Jacobus, coupled with timely hitting by the homelings.

Dyer started the first, and seemed to have the game won when suddenly the Beaumonters opened on him and he did not finish the fifth round, yielding eight hits for six runs. With two on base and one out, Osborne was rushed to the front and a sacrifice fly to left scored the final marker. The youngster then pitched three innings of excellent baseball, but he had been withheld too long. One single, by Gray, was his allotment during the final three rounds.

Fail to Hold Lead.

The Spudders counted four runs for a big lead in the second inning, every member of the team facing the rubber, but after that Gray was practically invincible. In the eighth a rally was attempted, but failed to net a marker. After one had been retired, Cotter walked and both Weiss and Barrett were passed to fill the bases, but Berger hit into a fast double play when he grounded sharply to Turgeon.

The second game was largely a repetition of the first. The Spudders had counted four runs when they finished their section of the third, two in the first and as many in the latter. Kunz had escaped a threatening first with but one run, then settled down and the lead looked sufficient.

Monday Is Rest Day.

But one run in the third put the Exporters on a half way basis and they opened the fourth desperately, finally driving the former Pirate from the hill under a fusillade of hits, four of which came in succession. Then a sacrifice and another safety, this a double by Allen. The attack netted four runs and Dyer, who relieved Kunz after Allen's double, retired the side without further damage.

The final two innings were hitless for the Exporters. After the first Jacobus settled down, and except for Art Weiss hits, held the visitors in check. The brilliant right fielder was in a measure responsible for all of the four Spudder runs and three hits were more than his average proportion of the eight which were hammered out against Jacobus.

The twin bill was played by agreement of the two managers, the second game having been scheduled for Monday, but the teams elected to wrest on that day.

The score:

First game:

W. FALLS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Beecher, lf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Locker, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Coombs, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Cotter, 1b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Weiss, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Barrett, 3b	3	1	1	1	1	1
Berger, ss	4	1	1	3	3	0
Bischoff, c	4	1	1	4	1	0
Dyer, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Osborne, p	1	0	1	0	0	0
Jonnard	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	8	24	8	2

BEAUMONT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Demaggio, lf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Turgeon, ss	4	1	1	2	3	0
Allen, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Jackson, cf, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Kirkham, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Black, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Strong, 1b	3	0	1	11	1	0
Huber, 3b	3	1	0	1	3	0
Kitchens, c	3	0	0	4	1	0
Gray, p	4	1	2	1	2	0
Totals	33	7	9	27	13	1

Wichita Falls .... 040 000 000—4
Beaumont .... 000 330 00x—7

Sacrifice hit, Huber; two base hits, Barrett, Dyer, Gray; three base hit, Black; double play, Turgeon to Black to Strong; innings pitched by Dyer 4 1-3 with 7 hits and 6 runs; struck out by Dyer 4, Osborne 1, Gray 3; hit by pitched ball, Berger; passed ball, Kitchens; left on bases, Wichita Falls 6, Beaumont 4. Umpires, Weir and Brashear. Time, one hour 50 minutes.

Second Game

W. FALLS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bischoff, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Locker, 2b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Coombs, cf	4	2	1	2	0	0
Cotter, 1b	3	1	1	8	1	0
Weiss, rf	4	0	2	1	0	1
Barrett, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	1
Berger, ss	3	0	1	1	3	0
Jonnard, c	3	0	1	3	0	0
Kunz, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Dyer, p	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	30	4	8	18	7	2

BEAUMONT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Demaggio, lf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Turgeon, ss	3	1	1	1	2	1
Allen, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Kirkham, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Black, 2b	3	1	1	2	5	0
Strong, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Huber, 3b	3	1	1	2	3	0
Lothes, c	2	1	2	2	0	0
Jacobus, p	3	1	1	0	4	0
Totals	25	6	9	21	9	1

Wichita Falls .... 202 000 0—4
Beaumont .... 101 400 x—6

Sacrifice hits, Allen, Turgeon; two base hits, Dyer, Kirkham, Allen; three base hits, Lothes; innings pitched, Kunz 3 1-3 with 8 hits and 6 runs; struck out, Kunz 2, Dyer 1, Jacobus 2; bases on balls, Kunz 2, Jacobus 3; left on bases, Wichita Falls 7, Beaumont 4. Umpires, Brashear and Weir. Time, one hour 25 minutes.

Houston 7; double plays, Bliss to Bell to McDonald, Goodwin to Bell to Schmandt. Umpires, Estill and O'Toole. Time, one hour 45 minutes.

STEERS 2, CRABS 11

GALVESTON, Aug. 27.—The Steers played listlessly Sunday and the Galveston Sandcrabs scored in each inning to win, 11 to 2, the game being called at the end of the seventh on account of darkness. The Sandcrabs won five out of eight events in the field play program preceding the game, Don Brown being high man with three first places. Score:

DALLAS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hamilton, ss	3	1	2	2	1	0
Wano, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Donohue, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Vache, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Connolly, 2b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Mathes, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	0
Segrist, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Adams, c	2	1	1	6	1	1
Conley, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Robertson, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Craig, 3b	1	0	0	1	1	0
xGriffin	1	0	0	0	0	0
Davenport, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	2	6	21	6	2

xBatted for Robertson in seventh.

GALVESTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Distel, ss	3	2	0	2	2	0
Wisterzil, 3b	4	2	2	1	0	0
Ostergard, 2b	4	2	2	2	1	0
Brown, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Whiteman, lf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Munson, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Kearns, 1b	4	1	1	8	1	0
Witry, c	3	0	0	2	0	0
Deviney, p	4	1	1	0	4	0
Totals	33	11	13	21	10	0

Called seventh, darkness.

Dallas .... 100 010 0— 2
Galveston .... 112 213 1—11

Two base hits, Ostergard, Hamilton, Deviney; three base hit, Hamilton; home runs, Wisterzil, Munson; stolen bases, Whiteman; sacrifice hits, Kearns, Witry, Wisterzil, Wano; innings pitched, by Conley 3 with 4 hits and 4 runs, Robertson 3 with 7 hits and 6 runs; struck out, by Conley 1, Deviney 2, Robertson 3; bases on balls, Conley 3, Deviney 2, Robertson 2, Davenport 1; batsman hit by Deviney 1 (Hamilton); left on bases, Dallas 6, Galveston 9. Time, two hours. Umpires, Fanning and Kane.

GASSERS 4-5, BEARS 5-1

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 27.—After edging out a victory in the first game, 5 to 4, the Bears came within an ace of being shut out in the abbreviated second game. Todt's triple, followed by a single by Boone in the seventh inning putting over the only run made off Brewer. In the meantime the gassers scored 5 runs, four as the result of Bruin errors, in the first game. Scores:

First game:

SHREVEPORT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Donaldson, rf	5	1	2	2	0	0
Wight, 3b	5	1	1	1	2	0
Riley, 1b	4	0	0	10	1	0
Simmons, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Skinner, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Dashiel, ss	3	0	2	0	2	0
Moore, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
J. Burns, c	4	1	1	4	1	0
Harris, p	4	0	0	2	2	1
Totals	37	4	12	x26	11	1

xNone out when winning run scored.

SAN ANTONIO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fuller, 3b	3	1	2	1	2	1
Todt, rf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Boone, lf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Simon, 3b	3	1	2	1	2	0
Meyers, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Galloway, 1b	4	1	1	9	1	0
Kohlbecker, c	4	0	2	6	1	0
Gross, ss	4	0	1	2	4	0
Couchman, p	4	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	34	5	12	27	11	1

Shreveport .... 300 010 000—4
San Antonio .... 000 310 001—5

Two-base hits, Kohlbecker, Fuller. Three-base hits, Donaldson, Simmons, Fuller. Stolen bases, Donaldson. Sacrifice hits, Dashiel, Meyers. Struck out, by Couchman 6; Harris 4. Bases on balls, off Harris 3; Couchman 1. Hit by Harris (Simon); by Couchman (Simmons). Left on bases, Shreveport 8; San Antonio 8. Double plays, Couchman to Kohlbecker to Galloway; Harris to Riley. Wild pitch Harris. Umpires Leidy and Sweeney. Time 1:45.

Second Game.

SHREVEPORT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Skinner, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Standaert, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	1
Riley, 1b	4	1	2	2	1	0
Simmons, lf	4	1	2	2	1	0
Jolley, rf	2	1	0	4	1	0
Dashiel, ss	3	2	2	1	0	0
Moore, 2b	3	0	1	1	2	0
McDade, c	3	0	2	8	0	0
Brewer, p	3	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	30	5	11	21	5	1

SAN ANTONIO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fuller, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Todt, rf	4	1	4	3	1	0
Boone, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Simon, 3b	4	0	1	3	0	1
Meyers, cf	3	0	0	4	0	0
Galloway, 1b	4	0	1	4	0	0
Schulte, c	3	0	1	3	2	2
Gross, ss	3	0	0	2	1	0
Morrison, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
xLucas	1	0	0	0	0	0
xxBoone	1	0	0	0	0	0
Porter, p	0	0	0	1	0	0
Lybrand, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	1	8	21	7	4

xBatted for Morrison in 5th.
xxBatted for Porter in 6th.

Shreveport .... 400 001 0—5
San Antonio .... 000 000 1—1

Two-base hits, Dashiel, Galloway. Three-base hit, Todt. Sacrifice hits, Moore. Innings pitched by Morrison, 5 with 4 runs and 8 hits; Porter 1, with 1 run and two hits. Struck out, by Morrison 2; Brewer 2; Lybrand 1. Bases on balls, off Brewer 2. Left on bases, Shreveport 5; San Antonio 10. Double plays, Jolley to Moore. Time, 1:30. Umpires Sweeney and Leidy.

CATS 6, BUFFS 3

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—Except for one inning, Lil Stoner was invincible and the Cats won the second game of the series 6 to 3. Bell was relieved after the second inning because of wildness. Score:

FT. WORTH—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Calvo, cf	4	1	0	5	0	0
Sears, lf	4	1	0	3	0	0
Edington, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kraft, 1b	3	0	0	9	1	0
Hoffman, 2b	3	0	2	1	0	0
Haworth, c	3	2	2	5	2	0
Rapp, 3b	4	2	2	4	1	0
Tavener, ss	3	1	2	0	1	1
Stoner, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	36	6	6	27	7	2

HOUSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Barber, rf	4	0	0	4	0	2
Portier, 2b	4	0	2	1	0	0
Schultz, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Schmandt, 1b	4	1	1	8	0	0
Bell, ss	4	0	1	1	0	0
McDonald, 3b	4	1	1	1	3	0
Bliss, cf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Vick, c	4	1	1	1	0	0
Bell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Goodwin, p	2	0	0	1	0	0
xKnight	1	0	0	0	0	0
xxBaggan	0	0	0	0	0	0
xStansbury	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	7	27	17	1

Fort Worth .... 222 000 000—6
Houston .... 030 000 000—3

xBatted for Bell in second.
xxRan for Knight in second.
xBatted for Goodwin in ninth.

Two base hits, Knight, Hoffman; three base hit, Tavener; sacrifice, Edington, Haworth, Stoner, Sperber; bases on balls, Bell 4, Goodwin 1, Stoner 1; hit by Bell (Hoffman); struck out, Goodwin 1, Stoner 1; innings pitched by Bell 2, with 1 [illegible]; left on bases, Fort Worth 6, [illegible]

Baseball Calendar

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	131	82	49	.626
Dallas	133	73	60	.549
Wichita Falls	131	70	61	.534
San Antonio	132	70	62	.530
Houston	131	62	69	.473
Galveston	133	60	73	.451
Beaumont	130	61	69	.469
Shreveport	130	45	85	.346

Sunday's Results.
Wichita Falls 4-4, Beaumont 7-6.
Fort Worth 6, Houston 3.
Dallas 2, Galveston 11.
Shreveport 4-5, San Antonio 5-1.

Tuesday's Schedule.
Wichita Falls at Galveston.
Fort Worth at Beaumont.
Dallas at San Antonio.
Shreveport at Houston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	117	75	42	.641
Cleveland	119	65	54	.546
Detroit	113	57	54	.522
St. Louis	116	60	56	.517
Washington	116	56	60	.483
Chicago	117	54	63	.462
Philadelphia	116	50	66	.431
Boston	114	45	69	.395

Sunday's Results.
St. Louis 4, Philadelphia 1.
Boston 5, Chicago 4.
Cleveland 4, New York 2.
Detroit 5, Washington 4.

Tuesday's Schedule.
No games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	124	78	45	.634
Cincinnati	118	72	46	.610
Pittsburgh	120	72	48	.600
Chicago	121	66	55	.546
St. Louis	121	59	62	.488
Brooklyn	120	57	63	.475
Philadelphia	118	39	79	.331
Boston	117	36	81	.308

Sunday's Results.
Pittsburgh 3, Brooklyn 2.
New York 4, Chicago 3.
Only games scheduled.

Tuesday's Schedule.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Boston.
Chicago at New York.
Only games scheduled.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Sunday's Results.
Memphis 3, Chattanooga 2.
New Orleans 4, Mobile 3.
Nashville 7, Little Rock 4.
Three games scheduled.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Sunday's Results.
St. Joe 4-6, Tulsa 2-3.
Denver 1-3, Des Moines 7-4.
Omaha 6-6, Sioux City 5-3.
Wichita 2-3, Oklahoma City 11-7.

The Scoreboard

CHICAGO, Aug. 27. (P)—Jack Bentley and Jimmy O'Connell each knocked a home run in the ninth inning of the New York National's game with the Chicago Cubs Sunday and won a brilliant game for the New York team, 4 to 3. Bentley was the last man around the circuit and by the time he had reached third base a crowd of several thousand fans was waiting for him to escort him home. Bentley and O'Connell cost the Giants $140,000, but as far as the fans were concerned they earned it and more.

The runs came at an especially appropriate time as the Giants would have been even in games lost with the Reds if they had dropped the contest.

The Pittsburgh Pirates and Brooklyn played the only other game in the National League, the Pirates winning, 3 to 2, after holding the lead from the first inning.

The New York Americans were defeated by Cleveland, 4 to 2.

The Detroit Americans beat the Washington Senators in Detroit, 5 to 4, in a 12-inning contest. Shocker pitched the St. Louis Browns into a decisive victory against Philadelphia, winning 4 to 1 and allowing only three hits, all singles. The Red Sox won the second game of their present Chicago series from the White Sox, 5 to 4.

When Wallie Schang of the New York Americans made a crazy throw into right field in the ninth inning of the game with the Cleveland Indians, he threw away the game for the Yankees.

George Uhle of Cleveland won his sixth consecutive victory of the season over the New York Americans.

In the American League game between Detroit and Washington, Heilmann, Cobb and Goslin hit home runs.

Ken Williams of the St. Louis Americans hit his 25th homer of the season in the game with Philadelphia.

National League

Giants 4, Cubs 3.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—A ninth inning home run attack snatched victory from the jaws of defeat here Sunday when the New York Nationals defeated Chicago in the first game of the series, 4 to 3. Chicago went into the ninth inning leading by a score of 3 to 1. O'Connell hit a home run with one out and Kelly fouled out to Grimes. Jackson hit a grounder to Friberg, who made a three base wild throw. Bentley, batting for Snyder, then hit another home run into the stands, winning the game.

Chicago .... 020 010 000—3 7 2
New York .... 001 000 003—4 8 1

Aldridge and O'Farrell; Scott, Ryan and Snyder.
At the Battel of Watterloo.

Pirates 3, Robins 2.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 27.—Pittsburgh evened the series with Brooklyn to date at nine games each by winning Sunday's game, 3 to 2.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Pittsburgh ....200 010 000—3 14 1
Brooklyn ....010 100 000—2 8 1

Adams and Schmidt; Ruether, Dickerman, Smith and Deberry.

American League

Indians 4, Yanks 2.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 27.—The Indians made it straight from New York Sunday, winning 4 to 2, by means of a ninth inning rally. Score:

New York .... 101 010 000—2
Cleveland .... 000 000 103—4

Bush, Pennock and Schang; Uhle and O'Neill, Myatt.

Browns 4, Athletics 1.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27.—Great pitching by Shocker enabled St. Louis to defeat Philadelphia 4 to 1 Sunday. Kenneth Williams knocked his 25th home run of the season.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Philadelphia ..000 000 001—1 3 1
St. Louis ......001 110 01x—4 11 0

Heimach and Bruggy; Shocker and Collins.

Tygers 5, Senators 4.

DETROIT, Aug. 27.—Detroit went 12 innings Sunday to defeat Washington, 5 to 4. Heilmann, Cobb and Goslin hit home runs.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Wash. ....000 001 300 000 0—4 10 0
Detroit ..100 012 100 000 1—5 20 1

Zachary and Ruel; Cole, Pillette and Bassler, Woodall.

Red Sox 5, White Sox 4.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Boston took the second game of the series from the White Sox Sunday, 5 to 4.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Boston ....012 001 100—5 11 1
Chicago ....120 000 000—4 13 2

Quinn and Devormer; Leverette, Thurston and Crouse.

AMERICAN RED CROSS CONFERENCE IS HELD

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27. (P)—Members of the staff of the Southwestern division of the American Red Cross, which is composed of the states of Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Colorado, Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico, were here today for a conference on various phases of their work. The conference will continue throughout the week.

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WHAT VICTIMS OF FIRPO THINK OF COMING MATCH

By CHARLEY WEINERT
(NEWARK, N. J.—Heavyweight knocked out in two rounds by Luis Firpo.)

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 27.—Notwithstanding the fact that Luis Firpo knocked me out in two rounds, I don't think he will go a round with Jack Dempsey.

I found Firpo so easy to hit in the first round of our fight in Philadelphia that I thought the scrap was going to be a cinch for me to win.

I did not think it was necessary to cover myself the way I got to him in that first round.

If Dempsey cuts loose in the first round, as he can cut loose when he wants to, I think he will stop Firpo in less than two minutes of fighting.

Firpo is one of the easiest fighters to hit that I have ever been up against.

We all know how Champion Dempsey can hit when he lets go. And Firpo will be such an easy target for him, it looks like a mighty quick finish for the "Bull of the Pampas" to me.

By JACK McAULIFFE II
(Who was knocked out in three rounds by Luis Firpo?)

DETROIT, Aug. 27.—Jack Dempsey will retain his heavyweight championship when he meets Luis Angel Firpo, I believe. Firpo is a hard puncher and is tough and game. I know, but I believe he isn't quite ready for the champion. Firpo and I are warm personal friends and I am sorry that he is meeting Dempsey at this time. I was rushed along too fast and I think Firpo's handlers are making the same mistake. If Firpo catches Dempsey with one of his long right swings he may cause the champion plenty of trouble, but I can't see where he has more than a very outside chance to win.

By JOE BURKE
(Who was knocked out in two rounds by Luis Firpo?)

DETROIT, Aug. 27.—Firpo has an excellent chance to whip Dempsey. The South American is a terrific puncher and is tough. While he hasn't the experience or the skill of Dempsey, he has the fighting heart and the punch. It looks like an even battle to me and the first one to land a real hard punch on a vital spot is likely to win. Dempsey has never met a man like Firpo and the latter's awkward style may prove to be the champion's undoing. Dempsey will be tottering on his throne when he meets Firpo.

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Firpo Becomes More Formidable Foe For Champion in the Public's Eye as Time for Match Nears

By DAMON RUNYON
U. S. Staff Correspondent.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Aug. 27.—Boxing experts viewing the work of Dempsey out at White Sulphur comment freely on the fact that Jack Burke, light heavyweight sparring partner to the champion, frequently nails Dempsey on the chin with his right hand.

They say Dempsey must not permit Luis Angel Firpo to hit him the same way if Dempsey does not wish to have his head knocked askew on his shoulders, a statement of amazingly obvious fact.

The reader of this column will remember that the writer some time ago forecast the gradual change in opinion that began with Dempsey as an absolute sure thing, and it will wind up with Firpo looming quite formidable before the ring.

It is always so before a big fight. The challenger in the preliminary comment is rarely accorded a chance.

Then as the day of the fight draws near the experts remember other upsets of pugilistic "form" such as the ancient Sullivan-Corbett matter, the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons incident, the Dempsey-Willard fight.

They begin to see a challenger could scarcely get into a championship match unless he has some accomplishment behind him.

Their close-up observation of the champion shows them weaknesses that they did not recall, or that he did not have at his best. Little by little the challenger gains the proportions in publicity, at least, that fattens the gate receipts and gladdens the heart of the promoter.

Firpo, in front of Dempsey may prove another Bill Squires.

Squires was the celebrated Australian who came to this country years ago to fight Tommy Burns, claimant of the heavyweight title.

Squires caused great excitement in pugilistic circles before the fight. Many thought he had a good chance to beat the blocky Burns. Burns stopped Squires with a punch and since then the name of Squires has been synonymous with pugilistic inefficiency.

Then again Firpo may be the next heavyweight champion of the world. He may defeat not only Dempsey, but a great majority of experts, as they were defeated by Tommy Gibbons at Shelby.

The fact that Jack Burke is able to hit Dempsey on the chin with a right hand means little in the opinion of the writer. The writer has told you before he thinks Burke is a great pugilistic prospect, perhaps a coming champion if he learns a few things besides fighting. He is only about twenty, is tough, awkwardly clever and a hitter.

If Firpo fails to beat Dempsey, one of Dempsey's opponents in the next couple of years, if he continues to improve, may be this same Jack Burke.

Texas League Home Run Leaders

Kraft, Fort Worth, 27.
Tanner, Wichita Falls, 17.
Vache, Dallas, 16.
Ostergard, Galveston, 16.
Boone, San Antonio, 14.
Sears, Fort Worth, 14.
Simmons, Shreveport, 12.
Simon, San Antonio, 12.
Brown, Galveston, 12.
Hoffman, Fort Worth, 12.
Cotter, Wichita Falls, 11.
Donohue, Dallas, 10.
Riley, Shreveport, 10.
Allen, Beaumont, 10.
Meyers, San Antonio, 9.
Grigsby, Wichita Falls, 9.
Galloway, San Antonio, 9.
Munson, Galveston, 9.
Coombs, Wichita Falls, 8.
Beecher, Wichita Falls, 8.
Calvo, Fort Worth, 8.
Wano, Dallas, 8.

TOMMY COCHRAN AND TARRANT BEATEN IN EXHIBITION MATCH

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—George V. Rotan and O. S. Carlton of Houston were the winners here Sunday in an exhibition match with Jack Tarrant of San Antonio and Tom Cochran of Wichita Falls. The Houston golfers won the morning round 2 and 1 and the afternoon 3 and 2. Carlton was low score, shooting a 68.

FORT WORTH SCRAPPER GETS CHANCE AT TITLE

SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 27.—Joe Lynch, bantam champion, and Dandy Dick Griffin of Fort Worth will mill in an eight decision bout in Eldorado, Ark., Labor Day, final arrangements for the match being made here by Frank Foster, promoter, Sunday. The bout was tentatively closed a few days ago, but the amount of money to be paid the champion threatened to develop a hitch.

The Lookout

By AL PARKER

Tuesday and Wednesday will be winning days for the Spudders. Wheeler and Carlson are due to work these games against the Sandcrabs. For weeks it has been the same old story. Wheeler and Carlson win their games and then the hopefuls lose until it is again time for these two to do the hurling.

Galveston has given the Spudders lots of trouble, both on the island and at Athletic Park, and the Bergerinoes will have their work cut out for them in the series coming up. An extra game is billed with the islanders, due to a tie on the last trip to Galveston.

Our old friend George Whiteman is hitting quite prolificly for the Sandcrabs. Every day he poles out a hit or two and many of them travel to the far reaches of Gulfview Park. Whitey seems to be getting his "second wind" in the Texas League.

Eddie Dyer has won two games for the Spudders. Both of them were against the Santone Bears, but when the Spudders went to San Antonio Eddie was not started in a game. However, it was necessary to use him in the outfield in one of the games.

Josephus Berger is getting none too good breaks in his first effort at the helm of a Texas League club. Tanner was the first to go out and much of the team's strength is gone when Scrap Iron is forced to sit on the bench. Williams went out next and Denver Grigsby will be missed for the rest of the season.

Joe Martina is sold to the big leagues. [illegible] George Whiteman, Art Phelan and Buddy Tanner will be "graduating" next. Martina was thought to have been through when he toiled in the Texas League three or four years back. Bill Whittaker may be another candidate for promotion. He is the leading hurler of the Southern League after having been thought to have been through in this league long ago. And he is no more aged than Martina.

Early in the season comment in this column was to the effect that the Cats had one of the weakest infields in the league. A Panther fan, Ray Anderson, called our hand on the statement at the time. Since then he has never failed to "rub it in" when the Spudder infield was in a bad way or when the Cat inner works performed above normal. His latest communication calls attention to the fact that the Spuds compiled 11 errors in a game at San Antonio.

Until July 4 the Panther infield was decidedly weak. We still say that. At that time Rapp was not with the club and Kraft and Hoffman were liabilities to the club.

Since July 4 those Cats have had a powerful inner combination. Rapp has strengthened the team even more than was generally expected. Kraft and Hoffman have been both hitting and fielding, and that makes a difference. Until July 4 it was nobody but Jakie Atz that kept the Cats in the race. Since July 4 that club has been a thousand miles ahead of any club in the Texas League.

The first Spudders lost a tough luck game Sunday when Vic Aldridge permitted O'Connell and Bentley, the million dollar rookies to hit home runs in the ninth inning. Vic Keen has hurled two four-hit and one-run games on his last two times out and it remains for that gent to halt the Giants. Vic has won his last five or six starts and here's hoping he can add another against the Giants.

THE SPUDDER ATTACK

Player—	AB.	R.	H.	Pct.
Tanner	489	93	167	.342
Barrett	81	18	27	.333
Williams	36	5	12	.333
Cotter	468	94	155	.331
Weiss	240	37	77	.321
Bischoff	347	58	111	.320
Berger	459	76	142	.309
Beecher	480	91	128	.266
Locker	104	20	26	.252
Coombs	280	59	66	.236
Jonnard	95	12	25	.263

Pitching.

Player—	W.	L.	Pct.
Wheeler	20	8	.714
CCarlson	15	9	.627
Carlson	15	8	.633
Heine	10	6	.625
Kunz	1	2	.333
Dyer	2	5	.286
Osborne	0	2	.000
Anderson	0	2	.000

PUBLISHER GOES TO LANDIS WITH GAMBLING STORY

By THOS. L. CUMMISKEY,
Universal Service Sports Editor.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—"If Mr. Collyer has anything definite and specific to support his charges, let him come out into the open. We will welcome aid of that kind."

President John A. Heydler of the National League thus invited the editor and publisher of "Collyer's Eye," the Chicago sport weekly which has charged gamblers approached Outfielder Pat Duncan and Infielder Sam Bohne of the Reds, to make good his claims.

He had no comment to offer on criticism launched at him by Collyer in a telegram sent to High Commissioner Landis of baseball in Chicago, in which Collyer declared President Heydler should be removed if he did not start to drive out the gamblers from baseball with ten days.

"I am thinking a lot but am not going to say anything," Heydler said. "What we are after are facts. I only care to say now that I have investigated the charges, and at my suggestion the players involved will begin legal action against the publication to establish their truth or falsity."

Herrmann Back of Men.

Duncan and Bohne, who, under oath last week before a notary public, in the presence of Heydler and Cincinnati newspaper men with the Cincinnati team, flatly denied they had been approached, will be backed by him, President Heydler said.

President Garry Herrmann of the Reds has announced the club would stand back of the players in their action.

Collyer asserted in his telegram to Commissioner Landis that if President Heydler didn't know of the existence of gambling clique in organized baseball, he should resign, and expressed amazement at what he termed an unwarranted attack by Heydler on his paper in printing the story of the charges in good faith against the operations of gamblers undermining baseball.

Collyer denied the story had said the players had been charged with attempting to "throw games," but had said that they had been approached.

Commissioner Landis was quoted in Chicago as saying that he had received the telegram in question but that the charges were "vague and wholly unsubstantiated" and that a thorough investigation disclosed no grounds for the publications charges.

Babe's Hitting Features

The way Babe Ruth is going in his great attempt to lead both leagues in hitting is one of the outstanding features in a really thrilling period in major league baseball. He is walloping approximately .404. According to latest averages, that is 16 points better than Harry Heilmann of the Tigers, who led the greater part of the season in the American League, and 11 points better than Rogers Hornsby of the Cardinals, [illegible] National League sluggers. It certainly looks as though Babe has the honor of being the most valuable player in the American League cinched, if George Sisler of the Browns, who was so honored a year ago, when the laurels were first conferred, were playing today as in 1922, what a race it would be.

It may be Ruth's great worth to the Yankees in the pennant hunt notwithstanding that Manager Tris Speaker of the Indians will be elected to the honor. He has truly played an excellent brand of ball, at bat and afield and deserves unstinted credit for the fine showing of his team. The Indians' showing, in fact, has been a big surprise to many. The way Speaker has built it up, the way he handles it, and the fact that he is showing the way to his team in hitting with .387 and doing the old graceful capturing and throwing in the outfield, will make Speaker a strong candidate for the honor in the minds of many.

It seems highly worth noting that the Indians are the only team to have the edge on the Yankees in games won and lost. Sunday's victory made it 10 for the Indians as against seven for the Yanks. If other teams, particularly the Tigers, Browns, White Sox, figured as strong in the pre-season, had done as well, it would be a tremendously interesting race now. The Tigers, third in the standing at present, lost 11 out of 19 games to the Yankees; the Browns 14 out of 19 and the White Sox 11 out of 17.

INTERESTED IN OKLAHOMA GRAIN COMPLAINT CASE

STAMFORD, Texas, Aug. 27.—H. B. Dorsey, secretary of the Texas Grain Dealers Association, in a communication to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce advocates the intervention of the Texas Grain Dealers Association and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, jointly, in the Oklahoma grain complaint case, recently filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission, which case is predicted upon the securing of lower grain freight rates between Oklahoma and southeastern points. The Oklahoma case does not allege discrimination against Texas, but it is the contention of Secretary Dorsey that if in the adjudication of the Oklahoma case as filed, the commission should grant a lower rate from Oklahoma to the southeastern states that the same reduction should be granted to Texas. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has acquiesced in the suggestions of the Texas Grain Dealers Association, and has so petitioned the Interstate Commerce Commission.

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YEARGIN WINS FIRST LEG ON MUNY TROPHY

J. T. Yeargin, by defeating Walter Robbins Sunday in the finals of the first handicap tournament of the Wichita Falls Municipal Golf Club, is the first public links player to get his name on the Nafziger trophy, silver loving cup put in competition by the Nafziger Baking Company.

Though the tournament started two months ago, various setbacks caused a number of delays and it was not until Sunday that the finalists were able to get together. Yeargin, with a handicap advantage of 20 strokes, had a comparatively easy time in winning the first leg of the trophy, ending play on the 11th green, 8 up and 7.

The Nafziger trophy remains in competition until it is won three times, and golfers estimate that it will take at least 10 years for the cup to become permanently owned. Mr. Yeargin will have his work cut out for him in coming tournaments.

Aside from the long delays in playing the matches after the semi-finals were reached, the first tourney was a decided success, and now that the players have found out what it's like, the next tourney is expected to be an even better one. Plans already are under way for the staging of a second handicap tourney.

It will be necessary to revise the handicaps and Fred T. Kingery, chairman of the handicap committee, requests that all players turn in their scores in the box provided for that purpose at the shop.

Several other events are being planned for the near future, including a flag tourney and a open club tourney. The muny links is becoming more popular every week and last week saw the course crowded many afternoons.

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PROMISING ROOKIE PITCHER OF PELS GOES TO MAJORS

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27.—Joe Martina, veteran pitcher of the New Orleans Southern Association team, has been sold to the Washington Americans, it was announced Sunday by President Heinemann. He will finish the season with New Orleans, and participate in the Dixie championship series in the event New Orleans wins the Southern Association pennant. Martina was with the Red Sox ten years ago.

MISS BRIGHT IN LEAD FOR WOMEN'S TITLE; NEEDS BUT ONE GAME

Rain Monday morning caused an indefinite delay in the completion of the finals of the Wichita Falls women's singles tennis tournament. Miss Marjorie Bright and Miss Jewel Williams were slated to finish out their match for the title Monday morning, but were forced to postpone play because of rain.

The finals were started Saturday afternoon, but darkness found the night school net stars deadlocked at 5-5 in the third set, Miss Bright being in the lead, and it was necessary to hold off play until this week. Each of the players won a hard fought set in the first two. Though Miss Bright has a decided advantage in that she must win but one out of the next two games to clinch the championship, it is expected that the next two games will be gruelling affairs, with both players starting out fresh.

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TIMES DAILY MARKETS

COTTON MARKET

New York Cotton.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Private reports of unsettled weather in the southwest with showers in some sections combined with rather easier late cables from Liverpool and reports of increased hedge selling appeared responsible for an opening decline of 5 to 17 points in the cotton market today. After selling off to 23.83 for December the market held fairly steady on light trade buying or covering and business was comparatively quiet during the early session, with prices w. ebing up a few points from the lowest. Another private crop report placed the condition at 58.4 and the indicated yield at 11,116 bales based on the government's estimate of the acreage.

Still another private report appeared later making the condition of the crop 56.3 and the indicated yield 11,051,000 bales. The figures evidently failed to stimulate fresh interest as trading continued quiet and the late afternoon fluctuations were irregular. December worked up to 24.04 or within a point of Saturday's closing, but later eased back to 23.98, and the general market was about 6 to 11 points net lower around mid-day.

The market turned firmer during the early afternoon on covering with October selling up to 24.36 or 37 points net higher. Later months showed net advance of about 10 to 16 points with December selling at 24.20 around 2:00 o'clock.

Cotton futures closed steady.

	Previous			
	High	Low	Close	Close
Oct....	24.40	23.95	24.36-36	24.11
Dec....	24.16	23.83	24.10-11	24.05
Jan....	24.15	23.80	24.14-15	23.79
March.	24.22	23.79	24.20-21	23.85
May....	24.18	23.77	24.12-13	23.85

Opening: Oct. 24.00; Dec. 23.94; Jan. 23.80; March 23.76; May 23.72.

New Orleans Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27.—Rains over portions of Texas and Oklahoma that were generally considered beneficial to the crop put the price of cotton 14 to 21 points lower soon after the opening today. Good support met the market as it fell and at the end of the first hour prices were back practically to the level of last week's close. October traded down to 23.29 at its lowest.

Private bureau reports on the condition of the crop continued unfavorable, three appearing during the morning, ranging from 52.0 to 56.3 per cent, (rom normal) which indicated yields ranging around 11,100,000 bales, the highest estimate being 11,116,000. They were a support to the market and toward 11 o'clock prices were 7 points up to 5 points down, compared with the final quotations of last week. October traded up to 23.56.

Heavy buying put in an appearance and market comment was that a large line of short contracts was being covered because of low private condition figures. In the trading up to 12:30 o'clock October rose to 23.66 where the list showed net gains of 37 to 47 points.

Cotton futures closed steady at net gains of 35 to 39 points.

	Previous			
	High	Low	Close	Close
Oct....	23.80	23.39	23.87-90	23.49
Dec....	23.90	23.75	23.86-90	23.50
Jan....	23.84	23.55	23.84	23.45
March	23.86	23.52	23.85-86	23.47
May....	23.75	23.34	23.72	23.34

Opening: October 23.39; December 23.50; January 23.52; March 23.52; May 23.39.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 27.—Cotton spot limited demand; prices steady. Good middling 16.65; fully middling 16.45; middling 15.16; low middling 14.22; good ordinary 14.35; ordinary 14.01. Sales 5,000 bales, including 2500 American; receipts 4200 bales, including 4000 American.

Texas Spot Cotton.

DALLAS Aug. 27.—Cotton steady. 23.30; Galveston 24.70; Houston 24.30.

New Orleans Spot Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27.—Spot cotton quiet, 25 points higher. Sales on the spot none; to arrive 700. Low middling 23.50; middling 24.50; good middling 25.00; receipts 911; stock 35,533.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Local Grain Market.

Wheat: Receipts nominal; basis No. 1, 2c over basis No. 2, 87c.

Corn: Receipts nominal; basis No. 2, 68c.

Chicago Grain Market.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Wheat started with an irregular range today, the market being almost featureless during the early trading. September delivery was relatively easy as some local and commission house on some local and commission house the wheat crop belt caused a little support and firmness of cable news also brought out some buying Opening prices varied from 1c decline to 1c advance, December $1.07@1.07¼ and May $1.17@1.17¼ were followed by a slight rise all around.

Strength in the northwestern markets was responsible for a rise in values to above the previous finish, but an offerings increased a reaction set in carrying prices to about Saturday's levels. The close was unchanged to ¼c higher, December $1.07¼ and May $1.17@1.17¼.

Corn was in fair demand for the different months, but September was weak on local selling. After starting to up to 1c down, December 67@67½ corn underwent a moderate general recovery.

Trade in corn soon became featureless and appeared to be affected by the action of wheat and the weakness in the cash market. The close was a shade to 1c off, December 67½@68c.

Further delay to threshing as a result of wet weather gave firmness to the oats market. After starting to lower to 1c higher, December 40@40½, values held close to the initial figures.

Provisions were steady in line with hog values.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:				
Sept.	1.03¾	1.03¾	1.02¾	1.02
Dec.	1.07	1.07¼	1.06¾	1.07¼
May	1.17¾	1.18¼	1.17¼	1.17¾
CORN:				
Sept.	.67¾	.68¼	.67¾	.67¾
Dec.	.67¼	.67¾	.67¼	.67¾
May	.69¼	.69¾	.68¾	.69¼
OATS:				
Sept.	.38¾	.38¾	.37¾	.37¾
Dec.	.40¼	.40¾	.39¾	.39¾
May	.42¾	.43¼	.42¼	.42¾
LARD:				
Sept.	11.40	11.42	11.40	11.42
Oct.	11.30	11.33	11.30	11.33
RIBS:				
Sept.	9.62	9.65	9.62	9.62
Oct.	9.70	9.72	9.70	9.72

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The early raw sugar market was firmer with Cubas advancing ¼ cent to the basis of 4½ cents, cost and freight, equal to 6.03 for centrifigual, while 14,000 bags of Porto Ricos sold from 6.00 to 6.03 for centrifigual.

The market for refined was firmer, reflecting the advance in the spot market and prices were unchanged to 25 points higher with fine granulated now quoted from 7.50 to 7.75.

Sugar futures closed firm; approximate sales 21,000 tons. September 4.22; December 4.56; March 4.74; May 5.01.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Poultry, alive, lower; fowls 18@24½c; broilers 26c; springs 25c; roosters 14c.

Butter, higher; creamery extras 42½c. Eggs, higher; firsts 27@28c.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 27.—Wheat: No. 2 hard 1.03@1.17; No. 3 red 1.06@1.09.

Corn: No. 3 white $1@32; No. 2 yellow $7@38.

Oats: No. 3 white 40@41; No. 2 mixed 39@40.

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CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Wheat: No. 2 red 1.05@1; No. 1, hard 1.07½.

Corn: No. 1 mixed 67@68; No. 1 yellow 68@69.

Corn: No. 3 white 41@42½; No. 3 white 39½@40.

Coffee Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Coffee: Rio No. 7 10½; futures steady; December 7.05; May 7.12.

Cotton Seed Oil

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Cotton seed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow 10.45@10.75; prime crude 9.00; August 10.40; September 10.53; October 10.26; November 9.56; December 9.45; January 9.46; February 9.48; March 9.55. Sales 16,400.

LIVESTOCK.

Fort Worth Livestock

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27.—Cattle: receipts 5,000; calves 1,000. Beeves $3.50@8.00; stockers $3.00@6.25; cows $3.00@4.75; cutters $2.25@3.75; canners $1.75@2.10; heifers $3.00@8.50; yearlings $4.50@8.00; bulls $3.00@5.75; calves $2.00@9.00.

Hogs: receipts 1,000; light $8.50@8.65; heavy $8.25@8.50; medium $8.60@8.70; mixed $7.00@8.00; rough heavy $6.00@6.50; rough $5.50@6.50; common $6.00@7.00; pigs $6.00@6.50.

Sheep: receipts 1100; genuine lambs $9.00@12.00; feeder lambs $6.00@8.00; yearlings $9.00@10.00; wethers $7.00@8.00; ewes $5.50@6.50; culls $1.00@2.00; stocker sheep $4.00@4.50; goats $1.50@2.00.

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KANSAS CITY, Aug. 27.—Cattle: Receipts 50,000; calves 10,000; steady; matured steers top 12.50; yearlings 11.35; bologna bulls 3.75@4.25; veal calves 9.50; stockers and feeders 6.25@8.25.

Hogs: Receipts 13,000; higher; top 8.80; bulk of sales 8.60@8.70; packing sows 6.50@8.00; stock pigs 6.75@7.00.

Sheep: Receipts 31,000; steady; Colorado lambs 13.35; natives 12.00@12.90; Texas wethers 7.00.

STOCKS AND FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Marked irregularity characterized the opening of today's stock market with the main tendency apparently upward. United States Steel, Baldwin and American Woolen opened higher while Studebaker, American Can and Corn Products yielded slightly. Davison Chemical advanced 1½ to 41¾, a new high for the year.

Strength of the sugar shares was the feature of the early dealings which showed an improved tone as trading progressed. Cuba Cane Sugar preferred advanced 1¼ and Punta Alegre 1¼ with gains of a point or so in all other active issues. Davison Chemical extended its advance to 2¾. United Cigar Stores opened at 196 and advanced to 200 on the next sale. The previous closing price was 197. Foreign exchanges opened slightly lower.

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Closed strong; sales 436,000 shares.

New York Stocks.

Allied Chemical & Dye	47
American Can	96¾
American Car & Foundry	116¾
American International Corp.	35
American Locomotive	85
American Smelting & Refg.	104
American Sugar	67
American T. & T.	123¾
xAmerican Tobacco	146
American Woolen	55
Anaconda Copper	44¾
Atchison	104¾
Atl., Gulf & W. Indies	14
Baldwin Locomotive	113¾
Baltimore & Ohio	58¾
Bethlehem Steel	48¾
California Petroleum	20¾
Canadian Pacific	140
Central Leather	38
Cerro de Pasco Copper	39
Chandler Motors	69
Chesapeake & Ohio	60¾
Chicago & Northwestern	68¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	8¾
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	28¾
Chile Copper	17¾
Chino Copper	27¾
Consolidated Gas	102
Corn Products	125
Cosden Oil	8
Crucible Steel	66¾
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	42
Erie	16¾
Famous Players-Lasky	71
General Asphalt	39¾
General Electric	177
General Motors	15¾
Great Northern pfd.	65
Gulf States Steel	52¾
Illinois Central	100
Inspiration Copper	34¾
International Harvester	74
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	23¾
International Paper	32¾
Invincible Oil	8
Kelly-Springfield Tire	51
Kennecott Copper	34¾
Lima Locomotive	44¾
xLouisville & Nashville	87
Mack Truck	51¾
Matland Oil	28
Maxwell Motors B	8
Middle States Oil	9¾
Missouri, Kas. & Tex. (new)	21
Missouri Pacific pfd.	37
New York Central	98¾
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	23¾
Norfolk & Western	106¾
Northern Pacific	67
Pacific Oil	43
Pan American Petroleum B	43
Pennsylvania	43
People's Gas	51¾
Producers & Refiners	20¾
Pure Oil	27
Reading	77
Republic Iron & Steel	47¾
Sears Roebuck	77¾
Sinclair Con. Oil	30¾
Southern Pacific	88
Southern Railway	32¾
Standard Oil of N. J.	37
Studebaker Corporation	106
Texas Co.	41
Texas & Pacific	16¾
Tobacco Products A	85
Transcontinental Oil	4
Union Pacific	130¾
xUnited Retail Stores	7
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	61¾
United States Rubber	41¾
United States Steel	92
Utah Copper	69¾
Westinghouse Electric	53
Willys Overland	9¾
xAtlantic Coast Line	111
Coca Cola	79¾
Reynolds Tobacco B	67¾
Seaboard Air Line	5¾
xSloss Shef. Steel & Iron	47
xSouthern Railway pfd.	90
Virginia Caro. Chem.	92

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Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Foreign exchanges irregular; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.54¾, cables 4.55¼; 4 day bills on banks 4.54-15-16. France demand 5.69¾; cables 5.70. Italy demand 4.32; cables 4.32. Belgium demand 4.64; cables 4.64. Germany demand .000016; cables .000018. Holland demand 39.27; cables 39.30. Norway demand 16.25; Sweden demand 26.60; Denmark demand 18.54; Switzerland demand 18.06; Spain demand 13.41. Greece demand 1.96; Poland demand .0004; Czecho-Slovakia demand 2.95; Jugo-Slavia demand .0160; Austria demand .0014; Rumania demand .464; Argentina demand 32.37; Brazil demand 9.25; Montreal 99 29-32.

Liberty Bonds

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½'s 100.00; second 4's 98.10; first 4¼'s 98.11; second 4¼'s 98.12; third 4¼'s 98.31; fourth 4¼'s 98.12; U. S. treasury 4½'s 99.27.

WILLIAMS STORE COMPLETES ATTRACTIVE SHOW WINDOWS

William's Store, mens' and ladies ready to wear, has just completed the installation of 55 feet of new show windows on the Seventh street side of the building occupied at the corner of Seventh and Ohio.

The new windows are of extra large size and attractively decorated and effectively lighted.

Other improvements under way include a double door entrance at the side of the store, opening onto Seventh street, a considerable new balcony space and entire redecorating of the interior of the building.

Mr. Levine is now in the eastern markets buying stock for the heavy trade anticipated the coming season. His trip will cover a period of about six weeks, most of the time being spent in New York City, it was stated.

JUDGE WILSON ENGAGED IN TRIAL OF SIVIL CASE

Judge S. R. Wilson was engaged Monday in trying the case of the Security National Bank of this city against Fay Petroleum company. The plaintiff seeks judgment of approximately $5,000 on a note and a contract.

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Together with all the personal property belonging to the grantor herein used or obtained in connection with said lease.

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The state of Texas, and county of Wichita, G. S. Stout, his executor and administrator, his heirs and all unknown heirs of G. S. Stout and all unknown owners and claimants and all lein holders in and to said property, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes, and the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita and state of Texas, to-wit: Lot 2 in block No. 149 in the original town-site of the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, which said property is delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes for the years 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920 and 1921, aggregating the sum of $42.06, including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the State of Texas and county of Wichita to secure the payment thereof, and you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the honorable 78th district court of Wichita county, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the courthouse of said county, in the city of Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of September A. D. 1923, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, fines, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 16th day of August, 1923, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 11396-B, wherein the state of Texas is plaintiff, and G. S. Stout, his executor, and administrator, his heirs and all unknown heirs of G. S. Stout, and all unknown owners and claimants, and all lein holders in and to said property, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots, defendants. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the city of Wichita Falls, in the county of Wichita, this 16th day of August, A. D. 1923. (Seal) A. F. Kerr, clerk, district court, Wichita county, Texas. By Effie Holland, deputy.

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Irvan Deaton, local county tax assessor, returned from Fort Worth Sunday evening, where he met Saturday with the program committee and made arrangements and plans for the convention program.

The programe will be printed in this city and will be in the hands of the printer within the next few days. On the program appears E. H. Gipson and J. D. Ayer, local representatives in the state legislature.

The program promises to be an interesting one and it is believed that at least 150 assessors of the state will be in attendance.

MARKET DEMONSTRATES ADDED STRENGTH AND RESISTANCE TO PROFESSIONAL BEAR PRESSURE

By BROADAN WALL.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—The Coolidge-Morgan stock market, as it is becoming known in Wall street, further demonstrated the last week its inherent strength and resistance to professional bear pressure.

Maintenance of the net advances in the industrial shares the last two weeks reflects the dissipation of pessimism in important quarters and a growing belief that autumn and fall trade will expand as predicted by prominent bankers and captains of industry. Firmness of prices has also indicated a tendency to break away from the heaviness in the oil shares.

The short interest remains large but it is almost entirely professional, and is showing diminishing aggressiveness. A firmer tendency in prices of raw materials would indicate that the recession in that direction has stopped, thus marking a more confident attitude on the part of manufacturers. Continuance of enhancement in quoted stock values will depend largely upon further expansion in general trade and industry. Should these reports show betterment additional incentive would be furnished by manifestations of confidence in equity values.

The present movement upward in stocks is being called a Coolidge-Morgan market because of the growing confidence being expressed on all sides in Wall street in the ability of President Coolidge and knowledge that the firm of J. P. Morgan and Company are taking a more optimistic view of fundamental conditions, as stated exclusively in this column two weeks ago. The possibility of a coal strike is causing some hesitancy but the hope abounds that President Coolidge will succeed in averting a strike. The worst that is expected in the financial is a strike of duration. Confidence is expressed that in view of the supply of anthracite on hand and the prospect a good supply of bituminous coal general industry could withstand a short coal strike without serious interruption to manufacturing operations.

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Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202 R. A. M. Stated convocations second Friday night in each month. KINDEL PAULK, H. P. W. J. WEBB, Secretary. Work in Royal Arch degree Monday, Aug. 27, 7 p. m.

Wichita Falls Council No. 100, R. & S. M. Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 8 p. m. W. J. WEBB, T. I. M. GEO. W. LAWLER, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery, No. [illegible]—Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month. OTTO STEHLIK, E. C. WM. J. WEBB, Recorder.

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Wichita Falls Chapter No. 287 O. E. S. Meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month. Mrs. Estelle Karrenbrock, W. M., phone 2476; Mrs. Nona Fritz McGlynn, secretary, 1604 Monroe.

Faith Chapter, U. D., O. E. S.—Meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month, 7:30 p. m., 813 Scott. RUTH A. VERMILLION, W. M. AUGUST WISDOM, Sec. Residence 2313 Ninth; Phone [illegible].

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 12, Order of the Rainbow, meets second and fourth Tuesday nights in Masonic Temple. STELLA B. WINTERS, Worthy Advisor; DOROTHY COLEMAN, Secretary.

Wichita Falls Lodge, No. 1105, B. P. O. E., meets first and third Mondays of each month at Elks club, corner Eighth and Scott streets. Visiting members invited to attend. J. B. MARLOW, Exalted Ruler. H. C. ENGLISH, Secretary.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us. W. L. FITZGERALD, N. G. J. W. BUSSEY, Rec. Sec.

Canton, Wichita No. 18 I. O. O. F. meets second and fourth Tuesday nights at 7:30. Ladies Auxiliary No. 1 meets first and third Tuesday nights at 7:30 at I. O. O. F. Hall, 603 Scott. W. L. FITZGERALD, Capt. J. W. BUSSEY, Clerk.

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One or four persons, any part of the city, day or night. Phone 7272.

RADIATOR REPAIR SERVICE

Don't let just anybody tinker with your radiator. We are radiator specialists. We know how and we have the necessary equipment to do the job quickly and economically.
SUPREME RADIATOR CO.
Phone 2894 606½ Scott-st.

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES

BICYCLE, practically new for sale cheap. 507 Lamar-st.

AUTO REPAIRS

TOP recovers for Fords. Tourings, $5.95; roadster, $4.75.
HILL AUTO SUPPLY CO.
911 Scott. Phone 2701.

TIRES AND TUBES

WE buy old tires. Wichita Salvage Co., 305 Indiana-st.

TRUCKS AND TRACTORS

FOR SALE—One-ton Ford truck, 1922 model. 121 E. Seventeenth.

WELDING

WHY BUY NEW PARTS?
We weld all metals. Nichols Welding Co., 806 Ohio. Phone 4072.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Eleven-room furnished rooming house, $75 month. 704 Burnett.

FOR RENT—Strictly modern, nicely furnished servants' house. 1710 Elizabeth. Phone 5911.

FOR RENT—Until October first only, furnished six-room home on pavement, to adults. Owner reserves one room. Garage. Water, lights, gas included. $75. Reference required. Box 86, Times.

FOR RENT—Four-room house, bath room, garage, chicken house, cow shed, at 1903 Giddings. Phone 2339 or call at 1712 Ninth.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms; must be nice and modern. Phone 3968.

WANTED to rent: On main street elevated southwest locality away from city modern two-story furnished house with porch; two reception, four bedrooms, bath, (shower if possible), other conveniences; lights, phone, garage; plate, linen; bank references given. Phone West, 2977.

WANT to rent, furnished house or two or three room apartment; permanent; no children; references. Box 72, care times.

WANTED—To rent furnished rooming house. Phone 6751.

WANT to rent small furnished house or light housekeeping rooms by refined couple, with two well-behaved children. Prefer near some school. Address 87, care Times.

FOR RENT, MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Vacant lot on Lamar between Eighth and Ninth. Phone 3829 or 3024.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE by Owner—Bargain in 6-room modern house, built-in features throughout. If interested call 4787 after 5:00 p. m.

FOR SALE by Owner — Five-room brick house, at a bargain. Call at 1708 Trueheart-ave.

WE have six new, attractive bungalows, four to six rooms. Small cash payment, balance like rent. G. J. Thomason. Phone 6903.

ON BRITAIN, new five rooms and breakfast room, modern, $3700; terms. On Eleventh, fine buy: Five rooms, modern, $4250; terms. 160-acre farm, near Henrietta; will take in some city property. Mrs. Horne, 6696.

FOR SALE—By owner, the very place you want. Extra large lot, south front, close to schools and two car lines, pretty lawn, five rooms and bath, newly decorated inside and modern, with garage and barn, peach, plum, pear, paper shell pecans, black walnuts and grapes. Price $4,200. Terms. Inquire 1812 Fifteenth, phone 2486.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—My five-room home, completely and splendidly furnished. Lot 60x150. Favorably located as to car line and schools—1800 Pearl street. One-third cash, balance unusually easy. Phone 5900 or 5870.

FOR SALE—Or rent, cheap, a tent house, 12x16. 2112 Kemp-blvd.

BIG BARGAIN—Five rooms, sleeping porch and garage; east front, on Grant street pavement, just outside of restricted district. You can buy this place for $4,000, with $750 cash and very easy terms. Let us show it to you. J. C. CRANE & SON. Phone 3377.

FOR SALE—Five-room house on pavement; exceptionally well located as to schools and town. Can be bought at a bargain from owner. Phone 5841.

A BEAUTIFUL three-room brick home with bath, garage; two lots, each 50x150—3303 Princeton street. Can be bought at a sacrifice; will take part trade; balance easy terms.
JONES BROS.
Phone 6450 407 Staley Bldg.

FORCED TO SELL
If you want to buy a home at a sacrifice we have for sale a beautiful home of six rooms, breakfast room and garage, on which foreclosure suit has been filed and the owner is compelled to sell. You can get this desirable home for about $1,000 cash; the balance can be paid at the rate of $300 every six months with interest at 8 per cent and the price is $1,000 less than it is worth. The house is eight months old and a very desirable location. Will be glad to show this home if interested. J. C. CRANE & SON. Phone 3377.

LOTS FOR SALE

LOTS
See M. W. McGinnis for choice lots. $10 down, $10 per month. Residents, rentals and acreage. Call 6901 for appointment. Correspondence solicited. No. 11, basement City National Bank.

BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Ground floor space, especially suitable for real estate, insurance and etc. Apply 813 Scott-ave.

FARMS AND RANCHES

FOR SALE—Farm land, most any size tracts; will consider trade. H. Sonomaker, 320 Staley-bldg.

STOCK farm—320 acres or 470 acres. See my ad above and go with me to see this farm Wednesday, 29. Will leave 1815 Ninth-st. at 7 a. m. Phone 7548.

FOR SALE—Poultry and truck farm, well improved, small payment down, balance like rent. Apply at 306 Lee-st.

HOTELS AND ROOMING HOUSES

FOR SALE
Fourteen rooms of nice furniture already in rooming house, fine location; can rent house for $75 per month; can be bought at a big bargain.
JONES BROS.
Phone 6450. 407 Staley Bldg.

LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The state of Texas and county of Wichita—To H. W. Wiseman, Geo. McDaniel and J. F. Brunton, trustees for the city of Electra, and unknown owners and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes, and the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita and state of Texas, to-wit: Lot No. 2 in block No. 172 in the original townsite of the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, which said property is delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes for the year 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1921, aggregating the sum of $44.02, including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the state of Texas and county of Wichita to secure the payment thereof. And you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the honorable 78th district court of Wichita county, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house of said county, in the city of Wichita Falls, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1923, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs, all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 10th day of August, 1923, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 11397-B, wherein the state of Texas is plaintiff and H. W. Wiseman, Geo. McDaniel and J. F. Brunton, trustees for the city of Electra, Texas, and unknown owners and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots, defendants. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the city of Wichita Falls, county of Wichita, this 10th day of August, A. D. 1923. (Seal) A. F. Kerr, clerk, district court, Wichita county, Texas. By Effie Holland, deputy.

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The state of Texas and county of Wichita—To H. W. Wiseman, Geo. McDaniel and J. F. Brunton, trustees for the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, and all unknown owners and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes, and the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita and state of Texas, to-wit: Lot No. 7 in block No. 151 in the original townsite of the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, which said property is delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes for the years 1908, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920 and 1921, aggregating the sum of $41.87, including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the state of Texas and county of Wichita to secure the payment thereof; and you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the honorable 78th district court of Wichita county, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house of said county, in the city of Wichita Falls, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1923, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 10th day of August, 1923, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 11396-B, wherein the state of Texas is plaintiff, and H. W. Wiseman, Geo. McDaniel and J. F. Brunton, trustees for the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, and unknown owners and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots, defendants. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the city of Wichita Falls, in the county of Wichita, this 10th day of August, A. D. 1923. (Seal) A. F. Kerr, clerk district court, Wichita county, Texas; by Effie Holland, deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The state of Texas and county of Wichita—To G. W. Stroud, his executor and administrator, his heirs, and all unknown heirs of G. W. Stroud, and all unknown owners, and claimants and all lien holders in and to said property, all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes, and the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita and state of Texas, to-wit: Lot No. 6 in block No. 169 in the original townsite of the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, which said property is delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes for the years 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920 and 1921, aggregating the sum of $31.43, including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the state of Texas and county of Wichita, to secure the payment thereof; and you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the honorable 78th district court of Wichita county, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house of said county, in the city of Wichita Falls, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1923, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 10th day of August, 1923, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 11393-B, wherein the state of Texas is plaintiff and G. W. Stroud, his executor and administrator, his heirs and all unknown heirs of G. W. Stroud, and all unknown owners, and claimants and all lien holders in and to said property, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots, defendants. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the city of Wichita Falls, in the county of Wichita, this 10th day of August, A. D. 1923. (Seal) A. F. Kerr, clerk district court, Wichita county, Texas, by Effie Holland, deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas, and county of Wichita—To O. E. Hindman, his executor and administrator, his heirs and all unknown heirs of O. E. Hindman, and all unknown owners, and claimants, and all lein holders in and to said property, all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes, and the same lying and being situated in the county of Wichita, and state of Texas, to-wit: Lot No. 19 in block No. 172 in the original town-site of the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, which said property is delinquent to the state of Texas and county of Wichita for taxes for the year 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, and 1921, aggregating the sum of $46.65, including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the state of Texas and county of Wichita to secure the payment thereof; and you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the honorable 78th district court of Wichita county, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the courthouse of said county, in the city of Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the third day of September A. D. 1923, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 10th day of August, 1923, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 11392-B, wherein the state of Texas is plaintiff, and O. E. Hindman, his executor and administrator, his heirs and all unknown heirs of the above named defendant and all unknown owners, and claimants and all lien holders in and to said property and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots, defendants. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the city of Wichita Falls, in the county of Wichita, this 10th day of August A.D. 1923. (Seal) A. F. Kerr, clerk, district court, Wichita county, Texas. By Effie Holland, deputy.

READ THE TIMES' WANT ADS

...NON TO OBSERVE ...MMUNITY WEEK ...RTING MONDAY

...ES OF PROGRAMS ARE ...EPARED BY THE WOM... ...EN'S CLUBS.

...ICAL PROGRAM IS ...FEATURE FOR MONDAY

...ds Will Be Used For the ...Betterment of Vernon ...Community.

...RNON, Texas, Aug. 27.—Plans ...been completed for the six ...ays of Community Week ... will begin here Monday ... September 3, under the aus... of the Wilbarger Federation ...men's Clubs. Each club has ...assigned a definite night for ...rogram and is diligently at... ...on it.

...the opening night, next Mon... ...he Musicians' Club will give a ...llaneous program, preceded by ...dress by Judge James V. Leak. ...ay night the Dramatic Club ...render a one-act farce, "The ...oiler," preceded by an address ... D. L. Killough of the Rotary. ... Wednesday night will be fea... by an one-act comedy, "The ...manian," given by the Home ...mics Club, assisted by the ... Arts Club. Robert Luts of ...ing Tut Club will give an ad...

...dress at the opening of the pro...gram.

On Thursday night the Women's Club will give a two-act skit called "Cowboy Land," written by a local woman. This program will be opened by an address by R. M. Haney of the American Legion. The fifth program, Friday, will be children's night, and a playlet, "Snow White," will be rendered. M. C. Culbertson of the Lions Club will speak before the playlet begins. The week will be closed on Saturday night by a miscellaneous program by the rural clubs, assisted by the W. C. T. U.s of Harrold, Elliott, Oklaunion, Lockett and Fargo. At the opening of this program addresses will be made by Mayor Harry Mason and Secretary R. M. Fielder of the chamber of commerce.

Music will be furnished each night by the Vernon band, Mrs. McConihe's orchestra and the Shrine drum corps.

Ticket sales under the auspices of the Home Economics Club are progressing most satisfactorily. Season tickets sell for $1. All the proceeds from the week of programs will be used by the clubs of Vernon and Wilbarger county for the betterment of the community, particularly in improving Allingham park in this city.

City Park Popular Resort.

Allingham park has been the scene of numberless family, church, lodge and similar gatherings this summer. Visitors here often comment on the beauty of this city park. The east half of the park is covered with trees and grass, adorned with flower beds and a lily pond. In the west part of the park has been erected a permanent cement stage, where the programs of Community week will be given. An eight-foot cement walk extends from the stage out to the street. The northwest corner of the park is the location for the children's playground, where a number of swings and see-saws have been installed. Electric lights illuminate the park each night.

A. and M. Men to Organize.

An organization of students and ex-students of Texas A. and M. College will be perfected in Wilbarger county in the near future. V. R. Glasener, superintendent of the Oklaunion schools, has been asked to serve as chairman of the organization, and is seeking to get in touch with every Aggie in the county.

Oil Company Chartered.

A charter was granted by the state last week to the South Vernon Oil Company of this city, with capital stock of $40,000, fully subscribed. Officers of the company are: L. G. Hawkins, president; E. A. Castleburg, vice president; Luther Webb, secretary; U. S. Davis, treasurer. The company already has one well going down 10 miles south of Vernon. The derrick and rig at this well was destroyed by fire recently, but new equipment is being installed.

Credit Council Formed.

A credit council of the Wilbarger County Farm Bureau Cotton Association was appointed last week, with the following members: H. W. Cabe, chairman; W. A. Walker, E. H. Richie, W. M. Bowman and Roy Owens. The duty of the council will be to watch after the interests of the cotton association in this county, particularly as to the delivery of cotton. They meet at 2 p. m. each Saturday in the Farm Bureau office here. The cotton association has over 500 members in this county.

ATLANTIC CITY.—Two men were drowned when the seaplane in which they were riding went into a nose dive and fell into Lakes Bay.



...ysical ...ealth means— ...Beauty!

...ALTH and beauty go hand in ...and. Where the system is ...rn—the face drawn and hag... the body limp and lifeless—...y is missing. Looks of pity ...t those that might have ...ssed admiration.

...ore your health and beauty ...ke care of herself. S. S. S.—...ich blood builder—rekindles ...ark of health and lights the ... of beauty by building red ... cells. The nerve power of ...system finds life in these very ... cells. Build more red blood ...and your nerve power will in... ... S. S. builds them. Rich ... will tingle through your eyes ... That lost charm will return. ... entire system will be re... ... You will be ready to cope ... the impurities and blemishes ...handicap beauty.

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Juror Presents New Excuse

District judges who impanel petit juries encounter all sorts of excuses offered by men who seek to be excused from service.

Monday morning, however, a juror called for service devised a new kind of an excuse, the weight of which was never fully determined by the judge.

In qualifying the jurors the court asked whether they were freeholders in the state or householders in the county or the heads of families.

One juror stepped forward and said, "Judge I am not the head of a family. My wife occupies that position."

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT CONFEDERATE REUNION

NOCONA, Texas, Aug. 27.—Friday, the second day of the 35th annual reunion of the Rob Stone Camp, U. C. V., was a great day from the point of attendance. It was conservatively estimated that 5,000 people were present, and great crowds heard the speakers of the day.

The horse and automobile races were also witnessed by large crowds.

Hon. Joe Burkett, state senator from Eastland county, spoke Friday morning and made a fine impression. Congressman Guinn Williams of Decatur addressed a large and enthusiastic crowd at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day. Hon. T. W. Davidson, lieutenant governor, followed in his usual eloquent way and made an appeal in favor of law and order that created unbounded enthusiasm.

BURKBURNETT TAX RATE WILL BE AROUND $2.00

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Aug. 27.—City Manager Robt. Brumbelow stated Saturday that it had virtually been agreed by the city commission that the tax rate for this year could be made the same as last year, which was $2 on the $100 valuation. However, figures have not at this time been compiled which would show the total assessed valuation of taxable property in the city or data gathered necessary to determine the amount of revenue which will be required for the operation of the city government another year. The board of equalization has not at this time completed its labors in making the tax rolls equalize and the total valuation of taxable property in the city subject to taxation is not at this time definitely known, therefore, the rate to be officially made later is yet undetermined.

It is thought by the city manager that with the collection of thousands of dollars remaining unpaid on the delinquent tax rolls of the city that an increase on the rate for this year will be unnecessary, and will at all events be avoided if possible.

Glasses. Faith Optical Co.—adv.

Swarm of Bees Invade Home on Stamford Farm

STAMFORD, Texas, Aug. 27.—Early last spring a swarm of bees took up their abode in the home of J. P. Donalson, west of Stamford and at the time no one took the matter seriously and, in fact, the matter was almost forgotten unless perchance now and then a bee came in close contact with some of the family, until last week when Mrs. Donalson discovered that honey was leaking through the ceiling and on investigation found that the bees had gotten in between the upper floor and the ceiling of the lower rooms and had stored in this inaccessible place their summer's crop of honey.

When a bee charmer in the person of William Fogus, was employed to dislodge the colony of honey gatherers, he had to destroy the entire tribe of bees before he was able to safely remove the floor and then to his surprise, and Mr. Donalson and family, there was more than 100 pounds of the very finest honey hanging to the under side of the upper floor. Some two years ago lightning struck the house at edge of the corner board and juncture of the weather boarding and at this point the bees made their entrance and began their industrious work of accumulating their next winter's supply.

Mr. Donalson was in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce office today and verifies the above as true and adds that the fellow who said "A cow, sow and some hens were the salvation of the farmer," left off something very important, as the cow, sow or hen must be fed and watered as well as proper quarters to protect them from the weather, while the bees only require three or four square feet of weather protection to make $25 or $30 per annum.

Hobos Are After Bok Peace Prize

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Students at the Hobo College in the Bowery will compete for the American peace award prize of $100,000 offered by Edward Bok and are now writing their opinions, it was announced yesterday at a meeting there of the International Brotherhood Welfare Association.

The meeting was addressed by Dr. J. Eads How, "millionaire hobo," who said a world league of hobos, for the organization of which he had arranged while abroad recently, will help in bringing about world peace.

Elderly Man Is Charged With Throwing Acid

An elderly man is being held in the city jail on a charge of assault, following an argument Sunday afternoon in which he attacked his next door neighbor and his children with a bottle of muriatic acid. The man was slightly burned about the face and head, and it was necessary to give the two children medical attention, although neither of them was seriously burned.

The argument, according to the story told police, started over the erection of a garage. The young man told officers that he was digging the holes for a new garage on the rear of his lot on Front street when the old man, who occupied the adjoining house, came out and ordered him to stop the work. The man resented the order, he said, because the neighbor had no authority to select the location for the building. He claims to have asked the old man to go into the house and keep quiet.

The man, according to the story, returned from the house with a pint bottle filled with acid and threw it in the direction where the young man was working. The latter shielded his eyes from the acid and was slightly burned about the face, hands and neck. The children, standing near where their father was working, were hit with a small amount of the acid and slightly burned; an antidote was applied immediately and their burns will not be serious.

Charges of assault have been filed against the elderly man. He asked that the case be continued from Monday morning until he could retain counsel, and the court granted his request.

NEW EQUIPMENT

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Water Rising in Lake Kemp as Result Of Sunday and Monday Rains, City Expects to Start Pumping This Week

An additional rise of approximately four feet in the level of the water in Lake Kemp is anticipated as a result of the general rainfall of Sunday night and Monday morning. The last good rain, which fell Tuesday night and Wednesday morning of last week, caused a rise of between three and four feet in the big lake at the storage dam and the more recent rain is expected to place at least as much additional water in the lake.

Work is proceeding rapidly on the completion of the stone rip-rap face of the 7,500-foot long storage dam and it is expected to be entirely finished within the next few weeks. Completion of the construction at the diversion dam will require more time than that at the storage dam.

Immediately above the spillway of the diversion dam the water department of the city of Wichita Falls has placed the two monster pumps, each of 16,000,000-gallon capacity, which will be ready some day this week to begin pumping water through pipes to the south side canal and thence into the city filtration plant to augment the municipal water supply. Starting of pumping is awaiting completion of the electric power transmission line and its connection with the pumps.

The two most recent rains have somewhat delayed the work of installation of the pumps, but they have also aided greatly in seasoning the canal, so that time will be gained when water is started on its way down to Wichita Falls. If the rains had not fallen considerable season the canal, as the earth would time would have been required to have been extremely dry and a great volume of water would have been lost in seepage.

Visitors to Lake Kemp never cease their expressions of wonder and pleasure because of the remarkable clarity of the water in the lake. The water of the Wichita river, both above and below the lake, is the color of the red sand forming its banks and bottom, but the water impounded in Lake Kemp, above the storage dam, is beautifully clear, the action of Mother Nature apparently being to filter the water of mud and other impurities and send them to the bottom, leaving the surface of the water of a crystalline clearness.

TWO MEN KILLED THIRD WOUNDED IN PITTSBURGH BATTLE

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 27. (AP)—Two men are dead, another is suffering with a bullet wound in the knee and about 50 persons are under arrest as the result of a gun fight last night which began between two factions in a Wylie Avenue club and developed into a running battle between gunmen and police in the streets.

A letter found on one of the dead men was addressed to John Giaquinto. No identification has been made of the other dead man. The wounded man is Harry Swisher of Altoona, a bartender. Thomas Rizzo, the proprietor of the club, and Pietro Marino, alleged gunman, are among those arrested.

TWELVE GO TO JAIL AFTER CONSTABLE'S FORCE RAIDS

Twelve negroes and white people went to jail Sunday night as the result of raids conducted by Constable Frank Morgan and his department. Charges of drunkeness and vagrancy were filed against all of them Monday morning.



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