'If You've a Mite of Time To Spare, Spend It at the T-O Fair'

Mrs. John L. Smith, 407 E. Seventh Street, Burkburnett, Wins Sunday's $1 Award for the Best Booster Line for the Texas-Oklahoma Fair

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CONSTABLE SLAYS CLEBURNE MAN IN Y. M. C. A.

Legislative Inquiry Faces Trouble

An Ocean No Barrier When Illness Threatens Beauty



The illness of Lady Beaverbrook, noted British beauty and wife of the noted English publisher, during her visit to Canada has caused grave concern in Britain and in the Dominion. Sir James Purvis Stewart, famous London specialist, made a hurried trip across the Atlantic to attend her. She is a daughter of the late Major General Drury of the Canadian military forces.

Negro Slain In Lake St. Row; Assailant Held

Lawler Bratton, negro, received fatal injuries shortly after noon Sunday when he was shot twice in the breast and back with two heavy loads of buckshot from the double barrel shotgun of an acquaintance. Jim "Kitty" Allen, negro shine-parlor operator, surrendered to county officers shortly after the shooting and was lodged in the county jail. Bratton died in the general hospital at 6:30.

According to the version of the affray given by officers, Bratton was standing near a filling station at the corner of Brawise and Lake street when approached by Allen, armed with a double-barreled shotgun. There were few words exchanged between them before Allen fired once. Bratton turned to run, whereupon Allen steadied the gun against the side of a building and shot again, the shot this time taking effect in the negro's back, and effectively stopping him. His body was fairly riddled by the bullets, according to hospital attendants.

The basis for the affray is believed by officers to have been certain alleged slanderous remarks charged by Allen to Bratton with regard to Allen's wife.

Look What We're Going to Have

DALLAS Sept. 12.—If voters of Wichita Falls approve a bond issue for $500,000, to be balloted upon on September 30 to provide funds for a new city auditorium, the structure will embody many of the architectural features of the fair park municipal auditorium here, city officials of Wichita Falls said Sunday. The party spent the day in Dallas, coming here for the purpose of inspecting the city auditorium.

In the party were Mayor R. E. Shepherd, Commissioner P. B. Curd, J. H. Patton and J. W. Hunt, City Clerk W. E. McBroom and Park Superintendent C. C. Bunenberg.

Cross Word Puzzlers Back

They're back.

The cross word puzzle craze which turned the world topsy-turvy and then faded out somewhat, seems to have revived. Numerous requests have been received by The Record News for a reinstatement of the once popular feature, so they are appearing again.

The new series which will be a regular daily feature hereafter starts this morning on page 8.

How Many Times Did You Cuss 'Em?

The zoologists doubtless have some terrible sounding names for them, but the most complicated of these can't hope to equal the flow of invectives directed in Wichita Falls last night against uncounted millions of tiny green bugs that made life miserable when one had to stay close to a brilliant light.

The multitudinous pests were especially troublesome in the business district where the bright lights brought them out in profusion. They appeared shortly after dark and swarmed in ever increasing numbers about the electrics. In indoor rooms unprotected by screens, work was virtually impossible.

NEW HEAD NAMED

ARLINGTON, Sept. 12.—(AP) Eugene Elmer Davis, Dallas architect, will head the new department of architectural engineering at the North Texas Agricultural college located here, it is announced by college officials. Davis is a Texas University graduate.

'VALIDATE THE BONDS AND GO HOME QUICKLY'

Such is Attitude of Numerous Solons As Session Nears

AUSTIN, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Any attempt to authorize an investigation of state departments will precipitate a fight in the special session of the thirty-ninth legislature convening here Monday noon.

This was apparent Sunday, as the representatives and senators milled about in hotel lobbies, holding informal conferences.

From all indications, the fight is certain to come as several members were engaged in preparing tentative drafts of resolution demanding investigations. Opposition to the investigation is centered not in Ferguson supporters, but in political enemies of the present administration, who feel that an investigation would be more effectively conducted by the fortieth legislature.

Strong Partisans.

However, some of the most enthusiastic proponents of an investigation by the thirty-ninth legislature are strong Moody partisans. But it is generally considered by the legislators that investigation by a joint committee to report to the fortieth legislature is the most plausible scheme, if the thirty-ninth is to authorize a probe.

More than 100 members of the lower house and a score of senators are here tonight, insuring a quorum in each branch for Monday.

A strong feeling that the legislators had best validate $100,000,000 of district road bonds, "and then go home," was in evidence. Among those holding to this belief was W. S. Fly of Gonzales, elected to fill a vacancy in the thirty-ninth and to place in the fortieth. Judge Fly was chairman of the house of commons that in 1917 conducted the impeachment prosecution of James E. Ferguson, husband of Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson, and her chief adviser.

"I feel we should be guided by

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GULF LEADS SPINDLETOP

Supercedes Yount-Lee In Flush Production

BEAUMONT, Sept. 12.—(AP)—The Yount-Lee Company of this city gave way to the Gulf today in daily production at Spindletop, Fort the first time since the new deep sand production was brought in the Beaumont company dropped below first place, having today a total output of 32,000 barrels as compared with 37,000 for the Gulf.

The reason is to Gulf wells brought in today by the Gulf, the Weed number 1, which had been deepened, making 3,800 barrels of 27 gravity oil and the Mann number four making 3,000 barrels of the same product.

GIRL KILLED BY GUN.

Accidental Discharge Carries Away Top of Head.

LUBBOCK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Mildred Tiner, 13-year-old daughter of John Tiner, prominent Lubbock county farmer, was instantly killed Sunday afternoon at the family home eight miles south of here when a shotgun in the hands of Henry Hall Hilton, a neighbor of the Tiners, was accidentally discharged. Hilton was engaged in cleaning the gun in an adjoining room when the weapon was discharged through a doorway. The full charge of shot took effect, tearing away the entire top of the girls' head.

HUNT FOR SUSPECTS

Postal Officials Search for Chicago Mail Bandits.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Six details of federal postal inspectors and Chicago detectives searched the underworld today for traces of $135,000 in bills stolen from a Grand Trunk mail car here last Friday.

Two suspects, one of them identified, according to reports, by John S. Kelly, the robbed mail clerk, remained in custody under continuous questioning. Nick Kramer, lieutenant of the Moerlane-Saltis gang of beer runners was the man said to have been identified by Kelly.

TO RELEASE WOMEN

DALLAS, Sept. 12—(AP—Three women arrested for investigation Thursday following the attempted robbery of a bank in Clarksville will be released Monday, Ranger Captain Tom Hickman said Sunday. A. M. Slaton and D. L. Smallwood were slain as they left the Clarksville bank with Loot of $33,000 by a group of officers led by Hickman.

THE WEATHER

OKLAHOMA: Monday partly cloudy, colder in east portion; Tuesday generally fair.

EAST TEXAS: Monday partly cloudy, thunder showers in north portion, colder in north portion; Tuesday partly cloudy, light to fresh easterly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Monday and Tuesday partly cloudy.

Owsley To Be Candidate For Mayfield's Senate Seat In 1928, He Says

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, Sept. 12.—Alvin M. Owsley, former national commander of the American legion, Sunday night announced he will run for the United States senate two years hence as a candidate against Earle B. Mayfield. His definite announcement that he will be in the race followed rumors of several months that he was a likely contender for the place.

Colonel Owsley was formerly here in the house of representatives and as attorney before the court of criminal appeals, after which he served as national legion commander. In 1924 he received many votes for the democratic nomination for vice president of the United States.

Owsley is here to oppose the senate's confirmation of former Senator W. S. Moore of Gainesville as district judge, to which he was appointed by Governor Ferguson. Moore was defeated by Alvin Owsley, father of Colonel Owsley, in the July election and is now contesting the judgeship. Colonel Owsley said he would appear before the senate nominations committee and oppose Judge Moore's confirmation by the same body in which he formerly served.

RAINS FLOOD KANSAS TOWNS

Heavy Damage Caused By Unprecedent Storms in North

EMPORIA, Kan., Sept. 12.—(AP)—Unprecedented rainfall in eastern Kansas today flooded several towns and took a toll of at least one life and caused property damage estimated at more than one million dollars.

Flooded streets in business and residential districts forced many to escape in rowboats and one boy lost his life at Madison, near here, when his light craft capsized.

Rivers and creeks within an area of 150 square miles became raging torrents and overflowed their banks, inundating lowlands after a heavy rainfall which lasted nine hours, ending at 7 a. m. today.

Rock creek which flows through the heart of Burlington's business district, swelled beyond its banks and sent a stream of water six feet deep through the town's main business thoroughfare.

Robbers Caught In Running Fight

LA GRANGE, Texas, Sept. 12.—AP)—Two burglars who broke into the store of C. W. Ellinger at Ellinger, 12 miles southeast of here, early today were captured by officers after a ten mile running battle which ended at Fayetteville after one of the robbers had been wounded.

Sheriff Will Loessin had received a tip that the store would be robbed and he and two deputies were watching it when the burglars appeared. The men, however, had gained an entrance before being discovered and when surprised by the officers they shot their way out through a side door.

NURMI BEATEN

BERLIN, Sept. 12—(AP)—Running two miles today in nine minutes, one and two-fifth seconds, Emil Wide of Sweden, not only settled old scores with Paavo Nurmi of Finland, whom he outdistanced by a score or more yards, but established a new world record.

Nurmi, too, out-did himself, also beating the previous world record by covering the distance in nine minutes, five seconds.

AGENTS TO COLORADO

DALLAS, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Twenty-nine Texas representatives of the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, of Fort Wayne, Ind., left on special car Sunday for Estes Park, Colo., where they will attend the national agency convention of the company. In the group leaving here was O. D. Douglas of San Antonio, state manager. Other cities represented included El Paso, Houston, Fort Worth, Beaumont and many smaller cities.

WOMAN HURT IN CAR WRECK

Machine Overturns On Petrolia Road Early Sunday Afternoon

Serious cuts and bruises were received by Mrs. Mable Cullum of Sulphur, Okla., when a car in which she was riding over-turned on the road from Petrolia about two miles west of that city and imprisoned her and four companions beneath it early Sunday afternoon. An ambulance brought Mrs. Cullum from the scene of the accident to the Wichita Falls general hospital where it was said late Sunday night that she would recover.

According to W. E. Roberts of 113 San Antonio street, who was driving just behind the car when it overturned, Mrs. Cullum, her husband, a sister, their child and one other, occupying a Ford touring car were driving toward Wichita Falls along the Petrolia road. On crossing a bridge the attention of those in the car was evidently directed to something at the side of the road for they failed to Reep on the bridge, their car dropping into the gully beneath it.

All in the Sulphur car were injured slightly, Mrs. Cullum however, being the only one to receive serious hurts. Glass from the broken windshield caused a number of deep cuts over her body. Mr. Roberts hurried into Petrolia and called an ambulance which took the injured woman to Wichita Falls. First aid at the scene of the accident was administered by Miss Grace Yarbrough of this city, accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Roberts at the time.

QUARTER MILLION TO VOTE

Louisiana Citizens Qualify For Balloting Next Tuesday.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 12.—(AP)—More than a quarter of a million persons have qualified to vote in the Louisiana democratic primary Tuesday to determine whether the nomination for the United States senate shall be bestowed upon Edwin S. Broussard, the incumbent, or Jaren Y. Sanderson, a former governor.

Prohibition and toll bridges have been the prnicipal issues in the campaign.

SMITH GOES TO POLLS

Carolina Senator Opposed For Re-Election

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 12.—(AP)—Ellison D. Smith, serving his third term as United States senator from South Carolina will seat in a second primary to be held Tuesday. He is opposed by Edgar A. Brown, speaker of the state house of representatives, who trailed him by less than 7,000 votes in the first primary two weeks ago, whenon candidate received a majority of the votes necessary for nomination.

Death Dealing Shots Ring Again In Herrin As Booze Fued Renews

HERRIN, Ill., Sept. 12.—(AP)—William Holland, 20, was killed and Mack Pulliam and his wife, Mildred, were seriously injured early today when several unidentified men fired a volley of shots at them as they were driving along a road four miles east of here.

Authorities attribute the shooting to another flare-up of liquor war that resulted a month ago in the slaying of Everett Smith and Harry Walker. The latter two and Holland Pulliam were alleged to be members of the Shelton gang here.

Holland and the two Pulliams had attended a dance Saturday night and were taking a short drive, Pulliam told officers when several men jumped up from along the road, riddled the automobile with pistol and shot gun shots and escaped. Pulliam said he did not recognize any of the men.

Holland's body was riddled with .45 caliber pistol shots and buckshot. Pulliam and his wife were brought to a Herrin hospital, with gunshot wounds in their legs and chest. Both are expected to recover. Pulliam could ascribe no reason for the attack. No arrests have been made.

PLAY TIME AT END TODAY AS SCHOOLS OPEN

7,500 Youngsters to Go Back To Class After Summer Vacation

This morning at 9 o'clock marks the end of vacation days of 1926 when at least 7,500 children of Wichita Falls are expected to enter the public schools which open for the regular session of nine months. A record enrollment is expected for the term of 1926-27, school officials said.

Teachers have been arriving in the city since early last week, and trains Sunday and last night brought in the late comers who expect to meet their classes today.

Assignments Made.

Teacher assignments were made Saturday morning in the meeting of principals, teachers and superintendent, and additions to the faculty have been made to take care of the students who are expected to increase in numbers.

Schools have been renovated during the summer, desks have been put in order, and the school system is ready for the deluge of students scheduled to enter today.

One New One.

One new principal was named for the system, Miss Betty Dilworth, who begins her duties at Barwise school. Other principals of schools opening today are: Junior college and senior high school, S. H. Rider, dean; Junior high, H. A. Glass; Alamo, J. E. Park; Austin, Miss Bess Stewart; Fowle, W. E. Walker; Crockett, Miss Ida Moore; Carrigan, T. T. Rundell; Fannin, S. L. Butler; Sam Houston, Mrs. Frances E. Bone; Travis, Miss Kate Burgess; Huey, Miss Esther Berry; Benitix, Juarez, (Mexican,) Mrs. K. Samuels; Washington, (negro), A. E. Holland.

Boy Hurt in Fall From New Junior College Building

Malcolm Ducker, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ducker, residing on avenue C just off of Monroe, received a broken arm and various minor injuries late Sunday afternoon when he fell from a height of about 20 feet at the new Junior high school. The boy, companions said, was playing about the scaffolding of the new building, when a portion of it gave way, dropping him to the ground. He was taken downtown to a doctor's office and an ambulance carried him from there to the general hospital where his injuries, however, were not deemed serious enough to warrant admission.

OPERATOR A HEROINE

Telephone Girl Warns Sleepers of Flood Danger.

BURLINGTON, Kan., Sept. 12.—(AP)—The heroism of Mrs. June Chubb, a telephone operator here is believed to have prevented loss of life when she stuck to her post amid today's flood and succeeded in warning those in danger, most of whom were yet asleep.

In spite of her efforts, however, several families were caught unawares and marooned on roofs and the second stories of their homes, where they were rescued.

Shoot to Kill, Order to Clerks

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—(AP)—A command to "shoot to kill" was sent out today by the post-office department to its army of 22,500 railway mail clerks to protect from bandits, even at the cost of their own lives, the millions of dollars worth of treasure handled daily in the United States mail. The command applies to the thousands of other postal employes, also constitutes a warning to the underworld that the postal service means war and anyone found attempting to rob the mails may expect a cold lead reception and no mercy.

KLAN INVADES KAPITAL

Knights Swam to Wasnington For Big Konklave.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Knights of the ku klux klan from states far and near began to descend in numbers today upon the national capital where their third biennial convention will be ushered in tomorrow with a parade on Pennsylvania avenue. The demonstration promises to exceed the one held here by the organization last year.

Most of the thousands arriving during the day came by automobile.

Special trains bearing the knights began arriving tonight and a score of others are due tomorrow.

Quarrel Over Rooming Bill Ends Fatally

Oil Operator Killed After He Threatens Clerk and Officer With Loaded Revolver Late Saturday.

CLEBURNE, Texas, Sept. 11.—(AP)—Constable "Bob" Ferguson, of this city, was held on $1,000 bond this mornig following an inquest in the death of R. V. Allison, 42, who was shot and killed in the lobby here at 11:30 o'clock last night.

Witnesses testifying at the inquest declared that Ferguson shot in self defense, and only after Allison had attempted to raise his pistol.

The shooting, according to the evidence at the inquest, of a room bill which Allison owed the Y. M. C. A. and which amounted to $44.

Allison returned to the Y. M. C. A. here Saturday night and going to his room, found that it had been locked by Night Clerk N. T. Lee. He called Lee over the phone and threatened him, according to Lee's testimony at the inquest, and later came down to the lobby, carrying a pistol with him.

Lee telephoned for the police and the call was answered by Constable Ferguson and Officer Donovan. They found Allison standing on the porch of the "Y" with the revolver still in his hand. They told him they had come for the purpose of settling the difficulty between Allison and Lee, and they accompanied Allison into the lobby.

Threatens Officer

Several times while the officers were in the lobby, Allison threatened Lee, witnesses declared. Lee told Allison that upon payment of the money due for room rent he would permit him to get his clothes and leave the building. All of them went upstairs to Allison's room, and later returned to the lobby, where Allison took his revolver from the scabbard and placed it on the counter with his hand still on it.

After a short talk, the officers walked toward Allison, and as they did so, he picked up the revolver and pointed it at Ferguson. As he did so; Ferguson shot twice, one bullet striking Allison in the right breast and the other entering the body just below the heart. He died instantly.

Ferguson was placed under $1,000 bond and the testimony which was offered at the inquest this morning will be presented to the grand jury which convenes Tuesday.

Here Five Years

Allison had been a resident of Cleburne for the last five years, coming here from North Carolina, where he is said to have relatives, among whom is Major William Allison. Upon his first coming to Cleburne Allison engaged in the oil business and was well known to the business men of the city.

It is stated that he received a check weekly, amounting to $125 from the estate of his father in North Carolina.

Several witnesses were placed on the stand at the inquest this morning to testify to the alleged quarrelsome disposition of Allison. Included among these was a railroad superintendent who declared that while Allison worked for the railroad two years ago he had several fights with his co-workers.

Like It Better?

The Record News this morning appears in a new type dress designed to give the maximum legibility and ease of reading. All linotype fonts in the composing room have been replaced with the new style type matrices, including two new machines just added to the linotype battery.

The new type, a No. 1 century, was recently introduced as a new and distinctly improved newspaper type face. It is a little larger, more expanded and "more open," as the printers say, than old style faces and is consequestly much more easily read.

For the sake of comparison, this story you are reading is set in the old style face. Compare it with the rest of the printing on this page and the improved legibility of the latter will be readily apparent.

SNEED BURIAL SET FOR TODAY

Veteran Texas Journalist To Be Laid to Rest In Dallas Cemetery

DALLAS, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Funeral services John Sneed, widely known Texas journalist and for more than 27 years connected with the Dallas Morning News, who died at a local hospital Saturday night, will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. A brief service will be held first at the residence, the cortege proceeding thence to Christ Church in Oak Cliff where the eulogy will be delivered by the Rev. Goodrich Fenner. Burial will be in Grove Hill cemetery.

Active pall bearers will include Dr. Henry Trigg and Ben Ford of Fort Worth and W. W. Boyd of Decatur.

Honorary pall bearers will include Chopsie Welsh of Ranger, W. B. Scott, Judge William Walker, Harry Gately, Dr. Ross Trigg, Sidney Samuels, Silliman Evans, Jimmie Record, J. M. North, and Amon G. Carter, all of Fort Worth.

Storm Warnings Issued for Coast

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—(AP) The weather bureau today issued two storm warnings as follows:

"Tropical disturbance, apparently central about 28 north and 67 or 68 west, moving very slowly west, northwestward. Caution advised vessels bound east of longitude 75 and between latitudes 75 and longitude 75 and between latitudes 25 and 32 north.

Advisory 10:50 a. m. Disturbances of slight intensity, central short distance north Swan Island moving slowly toward Yucatan channel. Only gentle to moderate winds reported from north-westward Caribbean.

SUSPECTS CAPTURED.

Chase of Half-Mile Ends With Police Victors.

DALLAS, Sept. 11.—(AP)—After a chase of nearly a half-mile and the firing of several shots, two men wanted in connection with the robbery Friday of the general store at Heath, Rockwall county, were arrested Saturday by Deputy Sheriffs John Rowland and S. F. Pickens and Marshall Charles Parker of Mesquite. Merchandise valued at $800 was found by officers hidden under a bridge twelve miles east of Dallas.

One o fthe men was taken to Rockwall while the other is being held in Dallas.

TRIP IS POSTPONED

De Rivera Unable to Make Visit to United States

MADRID, Sept. 12—(AP)—General Primo de Rivera, the premier, will not be able to make his proposed visit to the United States. This was officially announced today and was added that Signor Aunos, minister of labor, would attend the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia as the representative of Spain. He will leave September 30 for the United States and before his return will pay a visit to President Coolidge.

INJURED IN CRASH

Lee Street Man Hurt As Cars Collide on Taft

V. M. Vermillion of 509 Lee street is in the general hospital as a result of injuries received Sunday afternoon when two automobiles collided on Taft street, it was learned last night. Details of the accident were unavailable. Hospital attendants said Mr. Vermillion's injuries were not serious.



"Alas, Poor Yorick,

I knew him well," said Hamlet over the grave of an old retainer. And so say we all over our lost opportunities. But let the past go, for there are many splendid chances both to buy a business or to secure a good position, advertised every day in The Record News Want Ads.

Read the Want Ads
for Interest and Profit

THE PETTER

—By— Beatrice Burton

Author of "Love Bound" "Her Man"

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Merry Locke, gay and pretty as her nickname, is a born flirt. She has no ambition beyond having plenty of beaux and a good time.

At 20 she fails in her business course, to the great disappointment of Moms, her ambitious mother. Then, when her father dies, she takes a job in Lillie Dale's beauty shop. At that time she is having the first real love affair of her life. The man in the case is Tony Gaines, a young lawyer who wants to marry her. Their engagement is broken when Tony finds out that Merry goes out with other men on nights when he does not see her. Later Merry hears that he is going to marry a girl in Montana, where he has gone to live.

Helen, the oldest of the sisters, marries and settles down. Cassie, the second sister, marries her rich employer, Morley Kaufman. She leads a whipped-cream-and-chiffon existence, and Merry decides that a wealthy husband is the only kind to have. Through Cassie she meets Bill Erskine, a bachelor. She becomes engaged to him, but he keeps putting off the date for the wedding. Finally, after a year and a half, he and Merry quarrel when she lets Les Purcell, a married man, come to see her.

Jinny, the youngest sister elopes with Derrick Jones, who lives next door. Moms rents two of the empty bedrooms in the house—one to Lillie Dale, and the other to Mr. Hefflinger who travels for a road show. She shows signs of being attracted by Mr. Hefflinger, as the months go by.

For several weeks after her quarrel with Bill Erskine, Merry hears nothing from him. In the meantime she sees Cabby Marsh, with whom Morley's sister, Muriel Kaufman is in love, and lunches with him. She feels that she is getting even with Muriel, who had tried to "high-hat" her. Then one afternoon Les comes to the shop, tells her that his wife has been having him "shadowed" and is going to name her as co-respondent in her divorce plea. He and Merry go to her flat to try and explain that Mrry is not in love with him, only to find that she has just been rushed to the hospital ter trying to commit suicide.

Merry goes home to ask Mom's advice in her trouble, but Moms is full of her own affairs. "I'm going to marry Mr. Hefflinger next week," she announces before Merry has time to say a word.

(NOW GO ON WOTH THE STORY)

Merry heard what Moms said. But she was too dazed to take it in.

She stood staring at her mother's face with wide, unseeing eyes for a momnt. Then she half-stumbled across the room and sank down on the "body Brussels" carpet at her feet.

"Oh, Moms!" she gasped. "Oh, Moms! The most horrible thing has happened! The most terrible thing!—" Her voice seemed to stick in her throat and she could get no further.

Her mother gave her a keen, searching look, and put her mending basket and Mr. Hefflinger's sox down on the table beside her. She leaned forward and took the girl's cold, trembling hands in her hard ones.

"Go on my dear," she said, more gently than Merry had ever known her to speak. "What has happened?"

Merry's teeth were chattering and her slender body was shaking all over as if she had a violent chill.

It took all Mom's urging to get the story from her—the story of Nonie Purcell.

She told it slowly and jerkily, as if she had to drag the words out from the very depths of her being. Her eyes were turned away from her mother, and fastened on the fire that glowed in the grate a few feet away.

"Les has gone to the hospital," she finished, "and I came straight home to ask you what to do about it. You see, I haven't done anything wrong. I didn't try to vamp Les away from his wife. He wasn't living with her when I met him!"

She turned to look at her mother. But Moms' face was set and her eyes were accusing.

"You played with fire—that's what you did," she said grimly. "You say that Lillie told you months ago that this man was married. Then why did you keep on going out with him—and letting him come here? Right here to your own house!"

She got up, brushed some threads from her dress, and kicked at the dying fire with her foot.

Merry watched her dully. She had come home for the help and sympathy that she craved and she was only in for a good scolding, instead!

"But Moms, you don't seem to get the point," she said, pleadingly. "If the story gets into the newspapers—ore eevn if it doesn't and Bill Erskine hears about it—he'll never marry me. Never."

Moms sniffed. She was looking into the mirror of the mantelpiece now, and patting her hair into shape with her hands.

"My goodness. I thought you'd seen the last of Bill Erskine weeks ago!" she returned. "Of course I never pry into your afairs any more, since you take such pains to hide everything from me. But Lillie tells me things! She told me that you were on some kind of a 'bat' with Erskine the last time he was here—and that you haven't had a word from him since! Not a word!

She turned from the mirror and faced her daughter. "And let me tell you something that you don't know," she went on sternly. "It isn't the girl who goes out on 'bats' with a man who marries him! Not once in a hundred times! The girl that gets married is some sweet little stay-at-home who thinks that cork tips are something that go on the end of pencils. You're not like Helen and Cassie and Jinny. There's a wild streak in you—"

"In ME?" Merry almost shrieked. "In me? Why, what do I ever do but sit in that beauty shop from the crack of dawn until dark every day of my life?"

Moms shrugged her square shoulders. "Well, you seem to get in quite a lot of mischief, just sitting in a beauty shop—if that's all you do!" she answered sarcastically. "You were engaged to Tony Gaines—as fine a young man as any woman could wish for a son-in-law! And you lost him because of your carrying on with Erskine, didn't you."

Merry did not answer.

"And Erskine has been promising to marry you for over a year," her mother went on. "You'd have been married to him long ago if you'd known how to manage him. If you'd kept your head up. But no! Not you! You've borrowed money from him, and you've been drunk with him, you've kept that diamond bracele: that I told you to send back to him! You've made yourself cheap and common from



"Can't We Put It Off Until Summertime?" Bill Asked.

the beginning to the end! And now you're going to cap the climax by being dragged into a filthy divorce case!"

She paced up and down the little lamp-lit room, wringing her hands as if she were beside herself.

"My daughter—breaking up another woman's home!" she moaned as if she were talking to herself.

"I keep telling you that I didn't break up her home!" Merry cried. "I tell you I never knew that that parlor snake had a wife, until the other night! I don't want him—"

"You don't know what you want any more!" Mom broke in, frantically. "You've got so many men on the string that you don't know one from the other any more!"

"You mak me laugh! I wish I did have them!" Merry snapped at her. But she paid no attention.

"When you feel blue, you think you're cracked about Tony Gaines!" she said, spreading her hand excessively, as she talked. "When you're in your sober senses, Bill Erskine is the only man on earth for you—and when he's not around anybody will do. Even another woman's husband, or the man who's going to marry Muriel Kaufman! Anybody! Just so long as he's a man!"

"What about yourself?" Merry asked her, stung by her words. "You're getting married, yourself. I notice before Dad's cold in his grave."

Moms swung around on her with a threatening look.

"Don't you tell me what I'm doing!" she warned her. "I'm making a respectable marriage with a rspetable man. I'm not dragging my good name through the mire. You get upstairs to your room."

She marched out of the room herself, without waiting to see if Merry obeyed her en not. And a second afterward she could be heard telephoning for a taxicab.

When she came down again, with her hat and coat on, Lillie Dale was just coming in.

"Where are you going, Sadie?" Merry heard her ask and Moms murmurd something, in a low tone.

Then she appeared in the doorway of the sitting room, where Merry was still huddled on the floor in front of the fire.

"What hospital is that woman in?" she asked, and Merry told her.

She drew a deep breath of relief. She was sure that, somehow or other, Moms would get things straightened out. Moms always did. Her methods of dealing with people were the methods of a steam roller.

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But Moms did not get things straightened out, as Mery had hoped she would.

She had no chance to do anything in the matter of Nonie Purcell's divorce. For Nonie Purcell was lying unconscious in Christian hospital, and for three days she hovered between life and death.

All the first dav Merry worried. On the second day she did no worry quite so much. On the third day she thought about Nonie and Les Purcell only three or four times.

For trouble never stayed with Merry Locke very long. Its might threaten her, like the sword of Damocles ready to drop. But she forgot it anyway.

It was her nature to forget unpleasant things. She lived from one moment to the next, with the care-free lightness of a butterfly winging through the sunshine and rain of changeable summer.

"I wonder if Purcell's wife had filed her case before she took the poison," Lillie remarked thoughtfuly one noon whe nthey were making their cocoa and sandwiches in the room behind the shop.

"I guess not," Merry answered, easily, "or I'd have heard about it."

Then a shadow crossed her lovely face.

"Gosh all hemlock, wasn't she a fool to take acid!" she exclaimed spreading a piece of bread with pimento chese. "It must have burned her face terribly. I wonder if she'll be scarred."

As Merry say it, that would have been the most dire misfortune. To lose a husband was bad enough. But to lose one's beauty! That surely would be the blackest of misfortunes! She stroked her own satiny skin with the tips of her soft fingers.

"Mmmm—I'd hate to have anything happen to my looks," she sighed, and lifted her cup of cocoa to her mouth.

On the other side of the table Lillie was watching her with cold eyes. There was a queer little scornful twist to her lips.

"Honestly," she blurted out at last, "you have about as much human feeling as a Persian kitten, Merry Locke. I guess the only thing that you ever think about is your looks, and the men who fall for them."

That afternoon she sent Merry downtown to order some new sterilizers for her combs and brushes.

It was a cold, clear day. The kind of a day that brings out all the new fall clothes.

Merry thought how pretty the women looked as they hurried past her, with their fresh faces and their smart hats and furs. Many of them looked at her as they passed, and almost every man did. Men always gave Merry Locke a second glance. She was well worth it.

At the corner of Fir street and Platt avenue she bumped into Cabby Marsh. Or rather, he bumped into her before he say who she was. Then he caught her by the arm and stopped her.

"You wouldn't pass up and old friend, would you?" he asked, smiling down into her eyes, "just because you're all dressed up like the Queen of Sheba out calling on King Solomon?"

Merry giggled. "So you're King Solomon!" she said, gaily. "I was wondering what your name was!"

"That's it," he assured her gravely. "And my middle name is Money. I just put over a great big deal today and we'll go out right now and celebrate it, eh, wot?"

She shook her head in its new leaf-green hat. "I can't, Cabby, she answered, still smiling up at him enticingly. "I'm out on a job of work, and besides—"

"Besides what?" he asked.

All the rest of her life she regretted that she told him why she didn't want to go anywhere with him. But she did.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

ELECTRA

BARWISE H. D. C.

The Barwise Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Will Minderman near the Barwise school house with an interesting lesson on Fall Millinery inspite of the fact that the Home Demonstration Agent Miss Ethel Louise Webb was not present. Three hats were made during the course of the afternoon, and a social was enjoyed also with refreshments being served to Mesdames, C. E. Taylor, H. G. Obenhaus, M. O. Proctor, Henrietta Lalk, A. W. Brockridge, C. W. Bickley, N. M. Robinson, Joy Russell, Tevis Bickley, and Misses Julia Moeller, Edna Lalk, Ruth Wallace and Austa Harris. Mrs. J. W. Swanson will be hostess to the club, October 22.

ALATHEAN SUNDAY SCHOOL

At the regular monthly meeting of the Alathean Sunday School Class, Friday afternoon in the class room, a very important business meeting was taken up, with the election of officers being the principal business. After the opening of the meeting with a song a prayer, Mrs. G. B. Crow took charge, and Mrs. J. L. Graham gave the report of the last six months' secretary books, and Mrs. J. L. Clayton gave the treasurers report. The officers elected were as follows: Teacher, Mrs. R. W. Tucker; assistant teacher, Mrs. M. J. Holcomb; president, Mrs. G. B. Crow; first vice president, Mrs. T. T. Taylor; second vic epresident, Mrs. J. L. Graham; third vice president, Mrs. L. Gillum; secretary, Mrs. W. F. Amonett; assistant secretary, Mrs. Roy Russell; treasurer, Mrs. J. L. Kinney; pianist, Mrs. R. F. Vanhoove; assistant pianist, Mrs. Reese Scott; and choir leader, Mrs. Bill Coffey; assistant pianist, Mrs. W. M. Martin; group leaders, Mesdames J. L. Clayton, Dick Taylor, J. E. Frost, J. W. Swink, R. B. Cunningham, J. W. Swinson, W. C. Davis, J. D. Adkins, and T. E. Shaw. Cookies and fruit punch were served to the following: Mesdames W. C. Davis, J. L. Kinney, E. H. White, Tally Stewart, Quincy Wilson, T. E. Shaw, E. E. Burton, W. L. Amonett, R. S. Vanhoove, W. T. Taylor, J. L. Graham, C. H. Hendricks, J. W. Swink, Byron T. Johnson, Howard Giles, C. E. Schlemeyer, R. B. Cummingham, L. Gillum, G. B. Crow, J. M. Brokaw, J. L. Clayton and T. T. Taylor.

ELECTRA PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Cramer, had as their house guests Thursday, Mrs. J. A. Fisher and daughters, Faye and Thelma, Mrs. C. N. Cameron, and daughted, little Miss Nancy Gene, and Miss Helen Grisham all of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Ed Taweek of Abilene was a guest at the home of her brother, H. C. Lindley Thursday. Mrs. Taweek is enroute home from Tulsa, Okla.

J. D. Ratcliffe and family are visiting in Evansville, Ill. for a short time.

L. L. Cooper, Jr. of Durant, Okla., is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Paul Jinks.

Mrs. Paul Jinks recently returned from Durant, where she has been at the bed-side of her mother, who was very ill.

J. W. Kennedy of North Electra has been ill this week.

M. C. McDowell of Houston is in Electra on business this week.

Jim Sewell of Dallas is in Electra for a few days.

Dr. D. F. Moore of Plainview, has recently moved to this city where he will engage in business. Dr. Moore is an optometist and graduate of the Needle Institute of Kansas City. Miss Margurite Moore will be a senior in the high school this year.

Mrs. Shaffer has as her guest Mrs. R. L. Carpenter of Fort Worth.

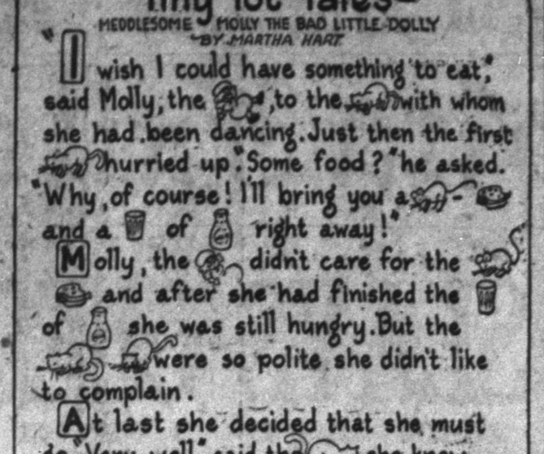
Misses Virginia Douglas, Nana Kilpatrick, Lucia Magee and Irene LeBus, left Friday to take up work in the Texas Christian University at Fort Worth.

O. M. Stidham and J. N. Couch left this week for the Winter Garden district of south Texas.

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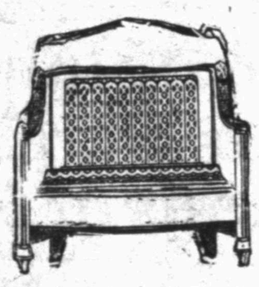
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Panhandle Out of Race; Splits Twin Bill

LOSE FIRST, WIN SECOND SUNDAY GAME

Victory - Wilson Captures First 10 to 0, Drops Second 5 to 4

BY BLONDY CROSS
Record News Staff

DALLAS, Sept. 12.—Wichita Falls' entry in the Texas amateur athletic federation baseball race, the Panhandle Refiners, dropped out of the running today in semi-final play with Victory-Wilson, Dallas and Central Texas champs.

Dallas won a torrid tilt from Wichita Falls here yesterday and split a double-header today, copping the series two out of three, thus earning the right to meet the winner of the San Antonio-Galveston series for the state championship. Today's scores were 10 to 0, Dallas, and 5 to 4, Wichita Falls.

A severe attack of left handed hooks today in the first game as yesterday proved too serious a maladay for the Wichita Falls team to cure itself of.

Saturday, facing short side flinging the first time this year, Panhandle found the sledding tough but might have captured the contest but for seemingly wilful inefficiency on the part of an umpire as far as the visitors were concerned. But this afternoon no umpire was at faul. The southpaw delivery of Lefty Albert Brecht proved an entirely too difficult a problem for north Texas batters to solve. At no stage of the game was Brecht in serious danger of being scored on. He gave up a total of five hits, all singles widely scattered.

Connally Fails.

On the other hand, the usually reliable Snipe Connally failed. The slim Wichita Falls right hander was walloped from the mound in the first inning and three runs were shoved across before O'Dell McDuffy could be sent in as relief. McDuffy hurled a neat brand of ball the remainder of the route but the Panhandle defense fell to pieces and in the last stanza Dallas surged around for seven more tallies.

Technically speaking, but two of Dallas' 10 runs were of the earned variety. With exception of the first inning when three hits, a sacrifice and an error scored three, Wichita Falls pitching could not be held at fault.

Hoop Cannon, lanky Wichita Falls right hander, cops the credit for the second game victory. The tilt was curtailed to seven innings by agreement. Cannon pitched four innings and gave up two unearned runs. Dallas scored in the third on two fluke hits and a miscue and tallied again in the fourth with a passed ball and wild pitch figuring in the method.

Panhandle got to Jimmy Flowers, a right-hander, in the fifth for fice runs. Flowers beat himself. He walked three men in succession and ten Jud Waller slammed a loud liner against the left field fence. It appeared momentarily that Polk was going to stage a bit of highway robbery, so the runners stuck close to their bases. The ball landed too high, however, and but one man scored. Sheik Roberts and Don Falchney followed with boisterous singles, cleaning the bases. Roberts scored all the way from first on Falchney's single to right. Hicks popped to Hooks and Cannon was jerked for a pinch hitter who drew a base on balls. The rally was over. Kerr flied out to left.

Henry Hatton assumed the Wichita Falls heaving role in the fifth, a walk and safeties by Hooks and Polk, the latter driving a two-bagger to center, scored two runs. Hatton's only inconvenience the rest of the way being a double lifted by Wooleydge.

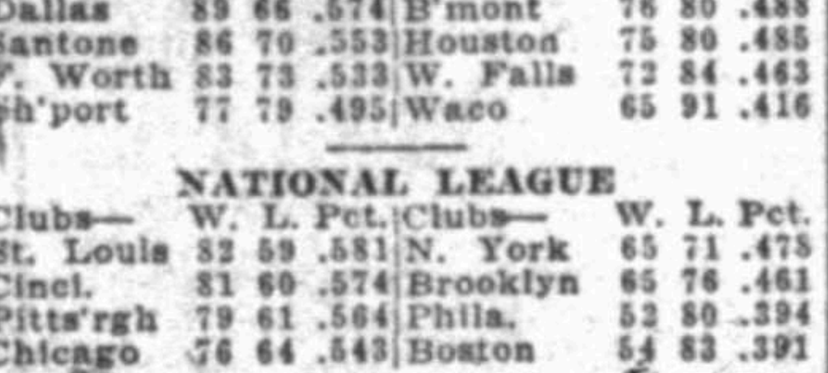
Roberts Hits Hard.

Roberts won the batting palm. He poked a single on one of three trips in the first games and connected with three out of three times at bat in the nightcap. He stole three bases in the second game. In the fourth inning he drew a base on balls, stole second and then third, but didn't have time to pilfer the plate because the three batters following him struck out too rapidly.

Because of yesterday's disgraceful performance by the umpire behind the plate, and ordeal that took the life out of the Wichita Falls team and a performance that made the game a gift affair for Dallas, four arbiters were commandeered into the affrays today. There was an umps for every corner of the diamond and at no time did the visiting team find occasion to reproach an indicator for his decisions. If the thing were scored right in the federation standings the victory column would show one game for Dallas, one game for Wichita Falls and one game for Umpire "Slim" Smith.

M'FADDEN WINS TWO

GALVESTON, Sept. 12.—(AP)—McFadden won both ends of a double header from the Sunshine Specials of San Antonio today by a score of 17 to 6 and 10 to 2. This gives the Galveston team two out of three and the right to enter the finals for the state amateur baseball title.



TEXAS LEAGUE

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas	89	66	.574	B'mont	76	80	.488
Santone	86	70	.553	Houston	75	80	.485
F. Worth	83	73	.533	W. Falls	72	84	.463
Sh'port	77	79	.495	Waco	65	91	.416

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	82	59	.581	N. York	65	71	.478
Cinci.	81	60	.574	Brooklyn	65	76	.461
Pitts'rgh	79	61	.564	Phila.	52	80	.394
Chicago	76	64	.543	Boston	54	83	.391

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
N. York	86	52	[illegible]	Detroit	71	68	.511
C'veland	80	60	.571	Chicago	70	69	.504
Phila.	74	61	.548	St. Louis	57	89	.404
Wash.	72	63	.533	Boston	45	93	.313

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Panhandle	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hinds ss	4	0	0	2	1	1
Graves rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Hargrove 3b	4	0	0	2	4	2
Rawls cf	4	0	2	2	1	0
Waller lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Roberts 2b	3	0	1	4	2	1
Haehen 1b	3	0	0	11	1	1
Horton c	2	0	0	2	2	1
Hicks c	0	0	0	0	0	1
Connally p	0	0	0	0	1	0
McDuffy p	3	0	0	0	6	0
Totals	30	0	5	24	19	7

Victory Wilson	AB	H	R	PO	A	E
Carter ss	3	3	0	0	4	0
Taylor lf	1	1	0	1	0	0
Beard 2b	5	2	4	3	3	0
Hooks 1b	3	2	1	10	2	0
Polk lf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Speer rf	5	0	0	3	0	0
Rhodes 3b	5	1	1	4	1	0
Warnick c	5	1	1	3	0	0
Brecht p	3	0	1	1	5	0
Totals	33	10	11	27	15	0

Panhandle 000 000 000— 0
Victory Wilson 300 013 03x—10

Summary: Two base hits, Beard; sacrifice hits, Taylor 2; hits and runs, 3 hits and 3 runs off Connollyin 1-3 innings; struck out, by McDuffy 2, by Vrecht 3; bases on balls, off Connoly 1, off McDuffy 5, off Brecht 1; hit batsmen, by McDuffy (Rhodes); wild pitches, McDuffy 2; double plays, Carter to Beard to Hooks, Hargrove to Roberts to Hoehen; time of game, 1:50; umpires, Gannon, Akard, Ballafont and Ikard.

Second Game.

Panhandle	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Kerr ss	3	1	0	2	0	0
Graves rf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Hargrove 3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Rawls cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Waller lf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Roberts 2b	3	1	3	0	1	0
Falchney 1b	4	0	1	4	0	1
Hicks c	2	0	0	9	1	0
Cannon p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Hatton p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hinds *	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	5	7	21	6	1

*Batted for Cannon in 5th.

Victory Wilson	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Carter ss	3	1	1	0	2	0
Taylor cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Beard 2b	2	1	0	0	1	0
Hooks 1b	3	1	1	9	0	0
Polk lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Speer rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Rhodes 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Thompson c	2	0	0	6	0	0
Flowers p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wooleydge p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tucker *	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brecht **	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eubanks ***	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	4	6	21	6	0

*Batted for Speer in 7th.
**Batted for Rhodes in 7th.
***Batted for Thompson in 7th.

Panhandle 000 005 00—5
Victory Wilson 001 120 00—4

Summary: Two base hits, Hooks, Wooleydge; stolen bases, Roberts 3, Hicks, Carter; sacrifice hits, Taylor, Thompson; hits and runs off Cannon, 4 hits 2 runs in 4 innings, off Flowers, 6 hits 5 runs in 5 innnigs; struck out by Cannon 5, by Flowers 6, by Hatton1; bases on balls, by Floyers 6, by Cannon 3, by Hatton 1; batsmen hit by Flowers (Hicks). by Cannon (Flowers); passed balls by Hicks 3; umpires, Ballafant, Gannon, Ikard and Allen.

BUFFS, BEARS SPLIT

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Closing the season with a double header, Houston and San Antonio split the bill, the Bufls winning the first 5 to 4 and the Bears the second, 9 to 1. The two teams staged a field day between games.

The Buffs won the first game as the result of three costly errors and the Bears acquirred a seven-run lead in the first two innings on miscues by the Buffs.

FIRST GAME.

HOUSTON	ab.	h.	po.	a.	SAN ANTONIO	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Kane,2b	4	1	2	6	R'bb't,lccf	5	2	3	0
Burns,c	5	0	3	0	Golvin,1b	5	1	9	2
Peel,rf	5	2	3	1	Phipps,rf	4	1	5	0
Miller,lf	4	1	2	0	S'ng'n't,cf	4	0	4	0
W'tkins,cf	5	1	6	0	Long,c	4	1	1	0
Kearns,1b	4	0	9	0	Verges,3b	3	0	0	3
Vigare,3b	3	0	0	1	Fl'k'p'r,ss	4	3	4	2
Sch'bel,ss	3	3	2	0	Williams,p	2	0	1	4
Barnes,p	3	2	0	1	Watt,p	1	1	0	0
Penner,p	0	0	0	0	Bodie,x	0	0	0	0
					Klein,xx	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	10	27	9	Totals	35	9	27	15

1Batted for Watt in ninth.
2Ran for Bodie in ninth.

Houston 120 010 001—5
San Antonio 001 001 002—4

Runs, Kane, Peel 2, Vigare, Schubel, Golvin, Long, Verges, Flashkamper. Errors, Golvin, Verges 2. Innings pitched by Williams 7, 4 runs, 7 hits; by Barnes 8 1-3, with 4 runs, 9 hits. Two-base hits, Kane, Peel, Golvin. Three-base hits, Peel. Stolen base, Rabbitt, Flashkamper 2. Sacrifices, Kane, Barnes, Miller. Struck out, by Williams 1; by Barnees 1. Base on balls, off Williams 2; off Barnes 2. Winning pitcher, Barnes. Losing pitcher, Williams. Left on bases Houston 9; San Antonio 7. Umpires Held and Daly. Time 1:45.

SECOND GAME.

HOUSTON	ab.	h.	po.	a.	SAN ANTONIO	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Schubel ss	3	1	2	1	S'guinet lf	4	1	0	0
Mathis 2b	3	2	3	5	Golvin 1b	4	1	4	0
Peel 1b	1	0	1	0	Phipps rf	4	3	4	0
Penner 1b	2	0	5	0	Klein cf	4	3	1	1
Miller lf	3	1	1	0	Wirts c	3	1	6	0
Watkins cf	3	0	1	0	Siglin 3b	3	1	2	1
Vigare 3b	2	0	0	3	Gonzales 2b	2	0	2	2
Pipkin rf	3	0	3	0	F'amper ss	4	1	2	3
Schang c	3	1	2	1	Kaiser p	4	1	0	0
K'enberg p	3	1	0	3					
Totals	27	6	18	13	Totals	32	12	21	7

Houston 000 010 0—1
San Antonio 160 101 x—9

Runs, Pipkin, Sanquinet, Golvin 2, Phipps 2, Klein 2, Siglin, Flashkamper. Errors, Schuliel, Mathis 3, Jenner. Two-base hits, Phipps. Sacrifice hits, Wirts. Stolen base, Klein. Struck out, by Kohlenberg 2; by Kaiser 6. Base on balls off Kohlenberg 3; off Kaiser 1. Left on base, Houston 5; San Antonio 9. Wild pitch, Kaiser. Umpires, Daly and Held. Time 1:25.

CUBS BEATEN

WACO, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Playing the last game of the season at Katy park here today, Beaumont Exporters defeated the Waco Cubs 5 to 4. Although outhit by Waco 15 to 6, the Exporters managed to burch their bingles at opportune times. Manager Pratt of the locals hit his 25th homer of the season, with one man on base. The feature of the game was the fast playing, the contest being finished in one hour and three minutes.

BEAUMONT	ab.	h.	po.	a.	WACO	ab.	h.	po.	a.
R'g'n, 3b	4	1	4	1	M'N'ra,rf	5	1	5	5
C'nn'lly,ss	4	1	3	5	Briscoe,ss	5	3	1	2
D'nn'g'l	3	0	1	0	West,cf	5	2	3	0
Brown,1b	2	2	7	0	Powell,rf	4	2	2	3
Massey,2b	4	2	4	2	Glass,3b	4	1	0	1
Jones,rf	3	0	4	1	Heath,c	4	1	2	1
Oliver,cf	4	0	1	1	Pratt,2b	4	1	2	6
B'isle,c	2	0	1	1	Shires,1b	4	2	13	0
Fill'g'm,p	4	0	0	2	Cannon,p	3	0	0	3
Totals	30	6	27	13	Totals	38	15	27	16

Beaumont 020 100 020—5
Waco 010 021 000—4

Runs, Reagan, Connally, Brown, Mossey 2, Powell, Heath 2. Phatt. Errors, Fillinglm, Briscoe, Heath. Two-base hits Brown, 2. Massey 2, Heath, Briscoe. Home run, Pratt. Left on bases, Waco 8; Beaumont 4. Bases on balls, off Cannon 3. Time 1:03. Umpires Fanning and Irwin.

WEST LOCO AT RISE OF CARDS

Record Breaking Interest Dominating World Of Baseball

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Record breaking interest dominated the baseball world today in view of the portending world series with the New York Yankees and St. Louis as principals. While the Cards have not as yet sewed up the National League pennant, they persist as favorites for the championship. As for the Yankees, they started their western invasion with a strangle hold on the American bunting and though mathematical the flag has not been decisively captured, the Indians are granted nothing more than an outside chance to win.

St. Louis never has carried off a baseball banner and now after virtually fifty years of waiting, the dreams of that city's populace appears on the verge of becoming a reality. The rise of the Cardinals has injected great enthusiasm west of the Mississippi and from all sections fan enthusiasts are preparing to attend the world series.

Performances of the past week show that of the three leading contenders the Cardinals alone managed more than an even break. St. Louis won four of seven games, the Pirates five out of 11 and the Reds three out of nine.

Manager Rogers Hornsby has displayed considerable skill in distributing the work of his pitchers. One of the outstanding events of the recent Pirates-Cardinals series was the showing of Allen Sotheron, formerly cf the Browns, Red Sox and Indians. Sotherton beat the Pirates, 2 to 1, in one of the crucial games, allowing but three hits. The battle for the first division rating in the American circuit will be an in earnest for the remainder of the championship journey. The end of the week found six games separating the sixth place White Sox from the third place Athletics with the Senators fourth and Tigers fifth. Cleveland was entrenched in Second place, three games in front of the Mackmen.

The week also saw the end of a losing streak by the Boston Red Sox which had extended through 17 contests. The club came near equaling its own record for successive reverses of 20 which occurred in 1906 and was duplicated by the Philadelphia Athletics of 1916. However, the Pittsburgh Nationals of 1890 figured as the worst ball club known by losing 23 straight games.

Talk of Wilbur Robinson's signing a three-year contract as manager of the Brooklyn Robins continued. The question of Robinson's quitting the bench and appointing a successor, however was still open for speculation with Zack Wheat, Max Carey and Jack Fournier mentioned as likely candidates. Reports also had it that Arthur Fletcher of the Phillies, was being considered as pilot.

SPLIT TWIN BILL

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Boston and St. Louis split a double bill today, the Red Sox taking the first, 11 to 3, and the Browns handing them a 1 to 0 shut out in the second with M. Gaston on the mound. Tobin's home run in the sixth inning of the first game, with three on, featured the opening tilt of the twin bill. A. Gaston was behind the bat for Boston in the second game. Score:

First game:

BOSTON	ab.	h.	po.	a.	ST. LOUIS	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Tobin,rf	4	1	3	0	B'nn'tt,cf	2	0	2	0
Rigney,ss	4	2	4	1	Rice, 3b	3	1	2	1
J'c'bs'n,cf	5	2	3	0	Sisler,rf	5	3	6	5
R'n't'l,lf	5	2	2	0	Miller,rf	5	2	2	1
Regan,2b	4	1	3	4	McM'n's,2b	4	0	3	3
Todt,1b	4	1	10	0	Schang,lf	5	1	4	0
Haney,3b	5	3	3	4	H'rgr've,c	4	1	0	1
Gst'n,c	5	3	0	0	Gerber,ss	4	3	5	2
Wiltse,p	3	0	0	5	V'nglid'r,p	2	0	2	0
					Falk,p	1	1	1	1
Totals	39	15	27	14	Totals	36	12	27	14

BOSTON 000 216 020—11
ST. LOUIS 001 000 011— 3

Two base hits, Rosenthal, Jacobson 2, Rigney, Hargrave; three base hits, Reagan; home runs, Tobin, Rigney; sacrifices, Rice; double plays, Haney, Regan and Todt; Rigney, Reagan and Todt; Falk, Gerber and Sisler; left on bases Boston 6; St. Louis 14; base on balls off Wiltse 7, Vangilder 10 in 6; Falk 5 in 3; hit bp pitcher, by Falk (Todt;) losing pitcher, Vangilder; runs, Tobin 2, Rigney 2, Jacobson, Regan 2, Haney 2, Gaston, Wiltse, Miller, Gerber 2; errors, Regan, Rice.

BOSTON	ab.	h.	po.	a.	ST. LOUIS	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Tobin rf	4	0	0	0	Bennett cf	1	0	0	0
Rigney ss	3	0	3	3	Rice 3b	4	1	0	0
J'cobson cf	3	0	4	0	Sisler 1b	4	0	9	3
R'enthal lf	4	0	1	0	Williams lf	1	0	3	0
Regan 2b	4	0	2	4	Miller rf	3	1	2	1
Todt 1b	3	0	7	2	M'M'nus 2b	3	0	4	2
Haney 3b	3	0	2	2	Schang c	3	1	4	1
A Gaston c	3	1	4	2	Gerber ss	2	1	2	5
Ruffing p	2	0	1	0	M Gaston p	3	0	3	2
Wingfield	0	0	0	0					
1Shaner	1	1	0	0					
Totals	28	2	24	13	Totals	24	4	27	14

1 batted for Ruffing in 8th.

BOSTON 000 000 000—0
ST. LOUIS 100 000 00x—1

Three base hits, Schang; stolen bases, Haney and Williams; double plays, Rigney, Regan and Todt; Todt, Rigney and Todt; left on base, Boston 5, St. Louis 5; base on balls off Ruffing 6, Gaston 4; struck out by Ruffing 2, Gaston 3; hits off Ruffing 3 in 7; Wingfield 1 in 1. Losing pitcher, Ruffing; runs, Bennett; error, Rice.

TRIBE WINS AGAIN

CLEVELAND, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Cleveland made it three straight today, winning 14 to 4, from Washington in a game played in the mud, pelted by rain and finished in semi-darkness. Washington played erratically in the field, while Marberry, starting pitcher, was hit very hard. Levsen was fairly effective throughout and was brilliantly supported. Speaker and Burns had perfect days at bat, Speaker having a single, two doubles and a triple while Burns had two singles and two doubles, his 62nd and 63rd of the season. Score:

WASHINGTON	ab.	h.	po.	a.	CLEVELAND	ab.	h.	po.	a.
M'N'ly,lf	2	2	3	0	J'm's'n,lf	4	1	3	0
Rice,rf	4	2	3	0	Sp'rg'n,2b	4	1	1	2
Goslin,cf	4	1	5	0	Sp'ker,cf	4	4	6	0
Myer,ss	4	1	3	4	Burns,1b	4	4	6	0
Judge,1b	5	1	6	1	J.S'w'l,ss	5	1	3	2
S.H'r's,2b	5	2	2	2	Summa,rf	4	1	3	1
Tate,c	4	1	1	1	L.S'w'll,c	5	1	4	0
Reed,3b	4	0	1	0	Lutzke,3b	5	1	1	2
Murray,p	1	0	0	1	Levsen,p	5	2	0	0
Thomas,p	2	0	0	0					
M'rb'rry,p	0	0	0	0					
Jones,x	1	0	0	0					
Totals	36	10	24	9	Totals	40	16	27	7

1 batted for Thomas in eighth.

WASHINGTON 000 030 010— 4
CLEVELAND 514 000 40x—14

Two base hits, Speaker, 2; Burns 2, Jamieson, Lutzke; three base hits, Speaker; stolen bases, Lutzke; sacrifices, Goslin, Burns; double plays, S. Harris; Myer, Judge; left onbase, Washington 11, Cleveland 7; base on balls off Murray 2, Thomas 2, Levsen 5; struck out by Murray 1, Thomas 1, Levsen 1; hits off Murray 11 in 3 1-3; Thomas 5 in 4 2-3; Marberry none in 1; losing pitcher Murray; runs, McNeely, Rice, Myer, S. Harris, Jamieson 2, Spurgeon 3, Speaker 4, Burns, J. Sewell, Summa, Lutzke, Levsen; errors, Goslin, Myer 2, Tate 2, J. Sewell.

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Spudders Wind Up 1926 Season By Splitting Two With Cats, 12-7, 7-4

Locals Batter Out Win in First as Turgeon's Big Stick Inserts Homer With Bases Full; Jackie Atz Smacks One as Pinch Hitter.

The Spudders finally got tired of the two and nothing business and mixed it with the Cats Sunday afternoon sufficiently to take the final contest, 12 to 7 dropping the second 7 to 4. Sunday's double header closed the 1926 Texas league schedule and immediately following the game there was a scramble among fans to get a last goodbye with their favorite idol.

Sullivan and Fussell opened hostilities in the box in the first game, the Spudders as usual getting first blood by nicking Sullivan for a double and a single which they worked into a tally. Lafayette flied out, but Dorman doubled to center and scored on Jenkins single to right field.

In the second inning the Cats chalked on the score board getting a score which the local boys trumped in their half. The Cat talley was the indirect result of a walk to Sears who scored on Dindimore's single. Fitzgerald made the Spudder talley after singling to center; DeFate sacrificed, Lapan singled to score Fitzgerald.

Then the Fireworks.

Then came the fireworks, Fort Worth's usual big inning. In the fourth Sears struckout, Koney singled to left; H. Moore singled through second base; Lindimore singled through second and Kony scored; Windle singled through third, scoring Moore and Lindimore and Windle advanced on the play to home. Sullivan singled to left field, and E. Moore singled to short, scoring Windle; McDonald walked, and Compton went out at first, Sullivan scoring on the play. It was hectic enough with a large batch of single blows and five big runs chalked up, but the fans got one kick out of the inning when Umpire Griggs invited Ziggy Sears out of the game and out of the park. Ezell was put in Compton's place at right field and Compton went to left for the Cats.

The Spudders came back for some of the grapes in the fourth themselves. Benton singled through second; Fitzgerald dittoed; DeFate was safe on Sullivan's error and the sacks were polluted. Lapan hit to Sullivan who threw him out at first, but Benton scored on the play, all advancing. Fussell hit to Lindimore who threw him out at first and Fitzgerald scored on the play. DeFate brought in another run when he crossed the plate after Lafayette was safe on Compton's error. Dorman popped to Kony for the third out.

Trouble in Sixth.

Fussell got in trouble again in the sixth and was jerked in favor of Lester White after he had loaded the sacks with a single, a bunt and a walk, and White retired the side on a double out when Ezell popped and McDonald was cought off second.

With the wild fourth inning still rankling in their breasts the Spudders put in a bid for some more markers. White was safe for two bases when Moore dropped his long fly in center, and went to third on a passed ball. LaFayette was also safe on Kony's error and White scored; an error by Lindimore put Dorman on first base, and Jenkins singled to center to score LaFayette. Then the mighty Pete Turgeon poled a neat one high over the left field fence and Dorman, Jenkins and Pete tromped the home plate in rapid succession. Benton and Fitzgerald grounded out but DeFate doubled to center only to die there on Lapan's fly out to the same garden.

The eighth inning was also productive of runs, the Cats getting one and the locals chalking up two. Pitcher Sullivan scored his second run of the game on a single, a double by E. Moore and a long fly by McDonald.

Then the Spudders came up for their share. White singled to center, LaFayette sacrificed and White went to third on a wild pitch; Dorman singled to right, scoring White and Turgeon bounced one off the top of the left field fence for two bases to score Dorman. Benton flied out. It was the end of that game with the Spudders on top for the first time in five days.

Skipper Atz was not entirely satisfied with the first game so he took the coaching line in the second and sent Lulu North into chunk 'em at the Spudders. Carl Williams, Spudder pilot, countered by sending in the old reliable Estill, but Estill gave it up as a bad job in the fourth inning and Shores carried on for the Spudders.

Score in Second.

The home boys again took first blood in the second inning. Turgeon continued his smashing blows and took a slant at the right field fence but guessed it short and his blow was only good for two. Benton hit to deep center and stopped on third base after Turgeon had crossed the plate. Fitzgerald singled through second, to bring in Benton, but that was all, DeFate, Query and Estell going out one, two, three.

Coming back in the third frame, Dorman walked after LaFayette struck out; Jenkins singled to center but was out at second on Turgeon's hit to second; Benton singled and Dorman crossed the plate, Turgeon going to third. Fitzgerald flied to Sears for the third out.

Another Fit.

Then the Cats threw another of those fits, so common of late, opening up in the fourth with such a flock of blows that even the umpires got cross-eyed. Sears opened it and was safe on DeFate's fumble of his grounder; Kony singled to left field, and Smith doubled on a bad hop at first base, scoring Sears; Lindimore singled through second and both Kony and Smith checked in; Windle kept it up by dropping a single into left field, but North eased up a bit and forced Lindimore at third, and was followed by E. Moore who forced North at second. However McDonald came in strong with a long double and Windle and Moore were added to the run list, closely followed by McDonald who came in on Compton's single to right field. Sears walked, and then Carl sent Shores out to the box. Shores let Koney have a strike and he popped it to Dorman for the final out.

Not content, you might say, with such wrecking, the Cats did it some more in the sixth. Moore walked, McDonald was safe when a ball hit him, Compton sacrificed and Sears flied to deep right to score Moore. It was the last run of the last game of the 1926 Spudders schedule, and it was enough to win.

Then in the seventh after the game was practically on ice, the fans clamored for Skipper Atz to do some hitting, so the once famous short stop went in for Windle and got a nice single down the third base line. It was some joy for the fans, and especially when Lu North struck out to leave Jackie marooned on first.

FIRST GAME.

FT. WORTH—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
E. Moore, cf	4	9	3	5	0	0
McDonald, 3b.	2	0	2	0	3	0
Compton rf-lf	4	0	0	2	0	1
Sears, lf	1	1	0	2	0	0
Ezzell, rf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Koney, 1b.	4	1	2	11	1	1
H. Moore, c.	5	1	3	0	1	0
Lindimore, 2b.	4	1	2	1	3	1
Windle, ss.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Sullivan, p.	4	2	2	1	5	0
Totals	35	7	15	24	13	3

Ezzell batted for Sears in fourth.

W. FALLS—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
LaFayette, 1b.	4	1	0	11	1	0
Dorman, 3b.	5	3	3	1	3	0
Jenkins, lf	5	1	2	2	0	0
Turgeon, 2b.	5	1	2	4	5	0
Benton, rf.	5	1	1	1	1	0
Fitzgerald, cf	4	2	2	2	0	0
DeFate, ss.	3	1	2	3	4	0
Lapan, c.	4	0	1	3	1	1
Fussell, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
White, p.	2	2	2	0	0	0
Totals	39	12	15	27	17	1

FORT WORTH—
Runs .... 010 500 010— 7
Hits ..... 120 612 120—15
WICHITA FALLS—
Runs .... 110 300 52x—12
Hits ..... 221 300 43x—15

Home run, Turgeon; two-base hits, Dorman, DeFate, White, E. Moore, Turgeon; stolen base, Jenkins; sacrifice hits, McDonald 2, LaFayette, DeFate; runs batted in, Lindimore 2, Sullivan 1, McDonald 1, Windle 1, Compton 1, E. Moore 1, Jenkins 2, Turgeon 4, LaFayette 2, Lapan 2, Fussell 1, Dorman 1; double plays, Dorman to LaFayette to Lapan; McDonald to Lindimore to Koney; Turgeon to DeFate; DeFate to Turgeon to LaFayette; hits and runs, off Fussell 12 and 6 in 5 1-3 innings; winning pitcher, White; wild pitches, Sullivan 2; struck out, by Fussell 1 (Sears); by White (Koney); bases on balls, off Fussell 4 (Sears, E. Moore, McDonald, Compton); off White 1 (Koney); left on bases, Fort Worth 8; Wichita Falls 5; time 1 hour 50 minutes; umpires, Griggs and Osborne.

SECOND GAME

FT. WORTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
E. Moore, cf	3	2	1	3	0	0
McDonald, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Compton, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Sears, lf	2	1	0	3	0	0
Koney, 1b	3	1	2	8	0	0
Smith, c	4	1	3	3	1	0
Lindimore, 2b	4	0	1	2	8	0
Windle, ss	3	1	1	1	1	0
Atz	1	0	1	0	0	0
Ezzell, ss	0	0	0	0	0	1
North, p	4	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	30	7	11	21	10	1

Atz batted for Windle in the seventh.
Ezzell ran for Atz in the seventh.

W. FALLS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
LaFayette, 1b	4	0	2	2	0	0
Dorman, 3b	1	1	0	3	0	0
Jenkins, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Turgeon, 2b	3	1	1	2	3	0
Benton, rf	3	1	2	2	0	0
Fitzgerald, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
DeFate, ss	3	0	0	2	0	1
Query, c	3	0	0	5	1	0
Estell, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Shores, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Williams	1	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	4	7	21	6	1

Williams batted for Shores in the seventh.

Fort Worth—
Runs ....000 601 0— 7
Hits ....120 610 1—11
Wichita Falls—
Runs ....021 000 1— 4
Hits ....032 010 1— 7

Two-base hits, Turgeon, Smith 2, McDonald; three-base hit, Benton; sacrifice hits, Dorman, Compton, Sears; hit batsman, McDonald; runs batted in, Lindimore 2, Sears 1, McDonald 2, Smith 1, Compton 1, Benton 2, Dorman 1, Fitzgerald 1; hits and runs, off Estell 9 and 5 in 3 2-3 innings (2 on in the fourth); struck out, by Estell 3 (McDonald 2, Compton), by North 4 (LaFayette, Shores, Dorman, Fitzgerald), by Shores 1 (North); bases on balls, off North 2 (Dorman 2), off Estell 1 (Sears), off Shores 1 (E. Moore); passed ball, Query; wild pitch, North; double play, Windle to Lindimore to Koney; losing pitcher, Estell; left on bases, Fort Worth 7, Wichita Falls 5; time, 1 hour and 15 minutes; umpires, Osborne and Griggs.



TEXAS LEAGUE
Season Closed unday.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York at Detroit (two games.)
Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
St. Louis at Boston.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.

REDS WALLOP ROBINS TWICE

Climb to Within One Game Of Cards By Twin Win

BROOKLYN, Sept. 12.—(AP)—The Cincinnati Reds annexed both ends of a double header with Brooklyn today by 5 to 0, and 4 to 3, climbing to within one game of the Cardinals who were idle. The Pirates kept pace with the Reds by taking a twin bill from the Giants, leaving the same margin of one and one-half games separating the clubs.

Pete Donohue blanked the Robins with three hits in the opener and then came back to save the second contest, relieving Luque with two on base and one out.

Aided by splendid fielding support, Donohue easily disposed of Brooklyn in the first game. Dazzy Vance went the route for the flock, allowing 13 hits, four of which were made by Roush in the same number of times at bat.

Brooklyn advanced to an early lead in the second game and was not overtaken until the eighth when Hargrave hit a home run with a runner on. McWeeny of the Robins was banished by Umpire Rigler in that inning and Bob McGraw finished the contest.

Singles by Butler and Pinch Hitter Cox jeopardized Cincinnati's one run lead in the ninth and Donohue staved of a threatening score by retiring the next two batters. Score:

CINCINNATI	ab.	h.	po.	a.	BROOKLYN	ab.	h.	po.	a.
C'tensen lf	4	3	1	0	M'riott 3b	4	1	2	2
Walker rf	4	2	3	0	Carey cf	4	0	2	0
Roush cf	4	4	3	0	Herman rf	3	0	3	0
Pipp 1b	4	1	13	0	F'rnier 1b	3	0	7	4
Dressen 3b	4	0	1	5	Wheat lf	3	0	3	0
Critz 2b	4	1	0	5	Butler ss	3	2	5	2
Hargrave c	4	1	3	0	Fewster 2b	1	0	3	0
Ford ss	4	1	3	3	1Clabaugh	1	0	0	0
Donohue p	4	0	0	1	Deberry c	2	0	5	2
					2Cox	1	0	0	0
					Vanc p	2	0	0	3
					3Felix	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	13	27	14	Totals	29	3	27	14

1Batted for Fewster in fifth.
2Batted for Deberry in ninth.
3Batted for Vance in ninth.

Cincinnati 201 010 100—5
Brooklyn 000 000 000—0

Two-base hits, Ford, Walker, Butler. Sacrifices, Roush, Dressen. Double plays Critz to Ford to Pipp. Left on bases, Cincinnati 9; Brooklyn 2. Base on balls, off Vance 3. Struck out, by Vance 4; by Donohue 2.

CINCINNATI	ab.	h.	po.	a.	BROOKLYN	ab.	h.	po.	a.
C'tensen lf	3	1	3	0	M'riott 3b	4	2	0	4
Walker rf	5	2	0	0	Carey cf	3	0	2	0
Roush cf	4	1	2	0	Herman rf	2	1	0	0
Pipp 1b	5	3	11	1	Jacobson rf	1	0	1	0
Dressen 3b	5	0	0	1	F'rnier 1b	3	0	5	2
Critz 2b	4	2	1	5	Felix lf	4	1	2	0
Hargrave c	3	1	7	1	Butler ss	4	1	6	1
Ford ss	2	0	2		Fewster 2b	3	1	5	1
Luque p	4	1	1	3	1Wheat	1	0	0	0
Donohue p	0	0	0		2Bohne	0	0	0	0
					O'Neill c	2	1	6	1
					3Cox	1	1	0	0
					M'Weeny p	3	0	0	2
					M'Graw p	0	0	0	0
					4H'greaves	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	11	27	13	Totals	32	8	27	11

1Batted for Fewster in ninth.
2Ran for Wheat in ninth.
3Batted for O'Neil in ninth.
4Batted for McGraw in ninth.

Cincinnati 000 100 120—4
Brooklyn 260 100 000—3

Runs, Walker, Critz 2, Hargrave, Marriott, Herman, Felix. Errors, Roush. Two-base hits, Luque, Pipp. Three-base hits, Pipp. Home runs, Hargrave. Stolen base, Pipp, Fewster, Roush. Double plays, O'Neill to Fewster; Luque to Pipp. Left on bases, Cincinnati 16; Brooklyn 7. Base on balls, off McWeeny 4; off Luque 3. Struck out, by McWeeny 5; by Luque 6; by McGraw 1. Hit by pitcher, by McWeeny (Ford). Hits, off McWeeny 10 in 7 1-3; off McGraw 1 in 1 2-3; off Luque 8 in 8 1-3 off Donohue none in 2-3 inning. Losing pitcher, McWeeny. Winning pitcher, Luque.

STEERS DROP LAST

SHREVEPORT, La., Sept. 12.—(AP)—The Sports brought the Texas league season to a thrilling close Sunday when Chief Nason hit a home run in the ninth with two on to win for Shreveport by a score of 12 to 10 over the Dallas Steers. The victory clinched a first division berth for the home nine. The Steers were leading by a score of 10 to 7 at the start of the last half of the final session. The contest was featured by bunched hits. Kirks fattened his batting average with three doubles and a single. The score:

DALLAS	ab.	h.	po.	a.	SHREVEPORT	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Morse 2b	5	1	3	3	Distel ss	3	0	0	3
Gross ss	4	2	1	4	Taylor cf	5	3	6	0
B'nard cf	3	2	1	0	Gulley rf	2	1	1	0
Riley 1b	5	1	9	1	Nason lf	6	1	3	0
Woeber lf	5	1	2	0	Hoffman 2b	5	0	1	0
Tate 3b	5	1	0	4	Kirke 1b	5	4	7	3
Billings c	3	1	3	0	Woehrs 3b	3	1	0	2
Hungling c	2	1	4	0	Wilder c	5	2	7	0
Pnce p	3	1	0	0	Barnabe p	0	0	0	0
Hunter p	2	0	1	0	B'kenship p	0	0	0	0
S'herland p	0	0	0	0	Cason p	2	1	2	1
					T'ompson p	1	0	0	1
					1Bonwitz	1	1	0	0
					2Phelan	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	12	z25	12	Totals	38	14	27	10

zOne out when winning run scored.
1Batted for Cason in sixth.
2Batted for Thompson in ninth.

Dallas 340 061 020—10
Shreveport 001 103 025—12

Runs, Morse, Gross 3, Brainard 2, Miller 2, Billings, Pence, Distel 2, Taylor 2, Gulley, Nason, Kirke 2, Woehrs, Wilder 2, Phelan. Errors, Tate, Hoffman, Woehrs, Wilder. Two-base hits, Gross, Billings, Kirke 3. Home runs, Miller, Taylor, Nason. Sacrifices, Brainard. Double plays, Tate to Morse to Riley. Wild pitch, Pence. Base on balls, off Pence 6; off Blankenship 1; off Cason 2, off Hunter 5; off Thompson 1. Struck out, by Cason 3 by Pence 3 by Hunter 4; by Thompson 1. Pitcher's record off Barnabe 5 hits, 4 runs in one inning; off Blankenship 2 hits, 3 runs in 1-3 inning; off Cason 3 hits, 1 run in 4 2-3 innings; off Pence 8 hits, 5 runs in 6 2-3; off Hunter 5 hits, 4 runs in 3 innings. Left on bases, Dallas 7; Shreveport 11. Time 2:35. Umpires Hill and Barr.

Jack to Finish Training Campaign In Strict Secrecy

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 12. (AP)—Jack Dempsey, following the precedent established by Georges Carpentier will finish the remainder of his training campaign in secret, starting Wednesday.

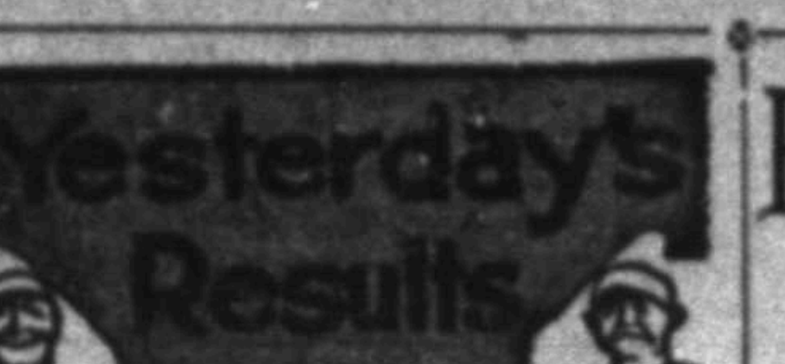
Tomorrow will be th last time the public will have a chance to see him in action before he defends his world's heavyweight champion title against Gene Tunney in Philadelphia September 23.

Dmpsey announced tonight he would lay off Tuesday and when the stretch drive of his intensive campaign is started on Wednesday, only newspaper correspondents will be permitted within the gates of the Greyhound racing track. The correspondents will be allowed to watch the workouts for three days and thereafter the training sessions will be strictly private.

Reminded that he will lose around $6,000 or $7,000 in gate admissions by barring the public, Dempsey said with a smile: "That's all right with me. We'll turn that week over to Jack Kearns and call it "Kearns week."

Dempsey never before has closed his training camp to the public.

Dempsey, in his five savage rounds of boxing today, convinced expert observers that he rapidly is getting on edge. The champion revealed his true fighting form by all but knocking out Tommy Loughran, the Philadelphia light-heavyweight, who only yesterday made Dempsey appear awkwardly clumsy and at times like a novice.



TEXAS LEAGUE
Wichita Falls 12-4; Fort Worth 7-7.
Beaumont 5; Waco 4.
Houston 5-1; San Antonio 4-7.
Shreveport 12; Dallas 10.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston 11-0; St. Louis 3-1.
Cleveland 14; Washington 4.
New York-Detroit, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Cincinnati 5-4; Brooklyn 0-3.
Pittsburgh 5-7; New York 1-1.
Only two games.

Des Moines	5	11	1
Denver	2	7	6

Moon and Sprinz; Shankin, Bryant, Cash and Smith.

Second Game

Des Moines	0	7	3
Denver	3	4	0
Oklahoma City	7	13	1
St. Joseph	14	15	1

Pillett, May, Lyons, Brown and Groft; Newton and Lisle.

Second Game

Oklahoma City	5	13	0
St. Joseph	1	6	2

(Called sixth, darkness.)
Tubbs and Groft; Peery, J. Newton and Adams.

Lincoln	6	10	1
Omaha	1	8	3

Marty and Wales; Lang and Mondino.

Second Game

Lincoln	0	4	1
Omaho	4	7	1

Steutan and Wales; Hargrove and Mondino.

Tula	4	11	5
Wichita	2	3	2

Austin and Rego; Carney and Berry.

Second Game

Tulsa	5	10	2
Wichita	6	11	0

Tesar, Bolen and Rego; Brown and Haley.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Toronto 9-4; Buffalo 8-0.
Newark 15-9; Baltimore 5-3.
Syracuse 4-5; Rochester 2-6.
Jersey City 2-3; Reading 1-2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Minneapolis	7	13	4
Milwaukee	3	9	1

Gearin, Sanders and McMeney; Dupont and Gowdy.

Second Game

Minneapolis	1	5	0
Milwaukee	5	9	1

Hubbel land Krueger; Danforth and McMeney.

Columbus	5	11	3
Louisville	11	17	5

Holley and Meyer; arris Picard and Hayworth.

Toledo	2	11	4
Indianapolis	3	7	0

Batteries: Pfeffer, Woelfolk and Urban, Burwell and Hartley.

Toledo	1	8	0
Indianapolis	4	6	2

(Second game).
Batteries: McCullough, Woolfolk and Heving; Wisner and Ainsmith.
St. Paul-Kansas City, rain.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATON

Little Rock	5	8	3
Nashville	12	17	4

Burk eand Dickey; Johnson and Mackey.

Second Game

Little Rock	1	8	2
Nashville	7	12	0

Uchritsko and Dickey, Sengstock; Allen and Mackey.

Atlanta	4	7	1
Mobile	7	13	1

Rogers and Brock; Cettlemire and Sims.

Memphis	9	14	2
Chattanooga	0	6	1

Brillheart and Kohlbecker; Coffman and D. Anderson.

Birmingham	2	4	1
New Orleans	5	5	2

Cunningham, Lowthian and Yaryan; Martini and Dowie.

Tommy Gibbons In a New Role

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 12.—(AP)—Tommy Gibbons, who holds the distinction of engaging Jack Dempsey in a 15 round contest and remain on his feet at the finish, appeared at the world's heavyweight champion's camp here today in the role of a newspaper correspondent. They exchanged greetings in the dressing room as Dempsey was getting into his ring clothes.

"Hello Tom, how are you?" Dempsey exclaimed, shaking the St. Paul boxer's hand warmly.

Noting Gibbons' full face and round body, revealing pounds of extra weight, Dempsey added: "You look as big as Strangler Lewis."

There are 100 calorie portions in two and one-half teaspoonsful of Colvert's ice cream.—Adv.

PIRATES LICK GIANTS TWICE

Buccaneers Climb to 2 1-2 Games of Cards By Double Win

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Pittsburgh entered on its invasion of the east today with a double victory over the New York Giants by 5 to 11, and 7 to 1, thereby advancing the Pirates to within two and one-half games of the league leading Cardinals.

Home runs featured the opening contest, Kelly breaking a scoreless tie with a circuit drive in the sixth while Waner knotted the score with another in the seventh. However, two rallies in the eighth and ninth netted the visitors four runs to put the game safely away.

Aldridge twirled steadily until the last frame when he blew up and left the game with the bases full and two out. Bush went to his rescue and retired Pinch Hitter Terry for the final out.

In the second game, Meadows pitched perfect ball for six and two-thirds innings when Frisch beat out an infield tap. New York's lone run was the result of Meusel's triple and Tyson's single in the eighth.

Pittsburgh totaled 13 hits off Greenfield while Meadows yielded only five.

Paul Waner of the Pirates was the batting star of the day with five safeties good for 14 bases, two of which were home runs. He drove in two runs in each game.

The Giants announced the purchase of Chick Thompson, second baseman of the Buffalo International league club. The price was not stated.

PITTSBURGH	ab.	h.	po.	a.	New York	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Br'k'll,lf	5	0	0	0	M'll'r,rf	4	1	0	0
Waner,rf	5	3	1	0	L'st'm,3b	4	0	1	1
C'yl'r,cf	4	1	4	0	Frisch,2b	4	1	0	6
Wright,ss	5	3	2	3	Kelly,1b	4	1	17	0
Gr'thm,1b	3	1	6	1	M'sel,lf	4	1	2	0
Tr'yn'r,3b	4	0	1	0	Tyson,cf	3	1	2	4
Rhyne,2b	2	0	4	3	J'cks'n,ss	3	1	2	4
M'phy,x	1	0	0	0	Fl'r'nce,c	3	0	3	0
C'nin,2b	1	1	1	1	F'tzs'ns,p	3	1	0	3
E.Sm'th,c	3	1	7	1	Terry,z	1	0	0	0
A'drige,p	3	0	0	0					
Bush,p	0	0	1	0					
Totals	36	10	27	9	Totals	33	8	27	15

x—Batted for Rhyne in 7th.
z—Batted for Fitzsimmons in 9th.

Pittsburgh 000 000 122—5
New York 000 001 000—0

Runs, Waner, Cuyler, Wright, Cronin, E. Smith, Frisch. Errors, Frish, Kelly. Two-base hits, Waner, Grantham. Home runs, Kelly, Waner. Sacrifice, Grantham, Aldridge. Double plays, Traynor to Rhyne to Grantham; Earl Smith to Rhyne to Tyson to Aldridge. Left on bases, New York 8; Pittsburgh 8. Base on balls, off Aldridge 3; off Fitzsimmons 2. Struck out, by Fitzsimmons 2; by Aldridge 4. Hits, off Aldridge 8 in 8 2-3; off Bush none in 1-3. Winning pitcher, Aldridge.

Second Game.

PITTSBURGH	ab.	h.	po.	a.	NEW YORK	ab.	h.	po.	a.
Br'k'll,lf	5	3	0	0	M'ller,rf	4	1	0	0
Waner,rf	5	2	0	0	L'nd'm,3b	4	0	0	0
C'yl'r,cf	4	0	3	0	Frisch,2b	4	1	1	5
Wright,ss	5	1	2	2	Kelly,1b	4	1	14	1
G'th'm,1b	4	2	13	0	M'sel,lf	4	1	0	0
Tr'n'r,3b	4	2	1	0	Tyson,cf	3	1	5	0
Rhyne,2b	3	0	0	6	J'cks'n,ss	3	0	2	3
Gooch,c	4	1	6	0	Cohen,s	1	0	1	1
M'd'ws,p	4	2	3		M'm'll'n,c	3	0	4	2
					Gr'nf'ld,p	2	0	0	0
					Terry,z	1	0	0	0
					Scott,p	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	13	27	11	Totals	32	5	27	12

z—Batted for Greenfield in 8ht.

Pittsburgh 120 111 100—7
New York 000 000 001—1

Two base hits, Grantham, Gooch three base hits, Wanger, Brickell, Meusel; home runs, Wanger, Grantham; sacrifice, Rhyne; left on base, New York 4, Pittsburgh 6, base on balls off Greenfield 1, Meadows 1; struck out by Greenfield 1, Meadows 6, Scott 1; hits off Greenfield 13 in 8 innings; scott none in one; losing pitcher, Greenfield; runs, Brickell 2, Wanger, Grantham, Traynor, Gooch, Meadows, Kelly; errors McMullen.

Yankees Favorite In Betting Odds

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP) Odds of 11 to 10 on the New York Yankees to win the world series were offered today in a Wall Street wager which placed $5,500 against $5,000. The St. Louis Cardinals were quoted as 9 to 5 favorites to nose out the Reds, Pirates ad Cubs in the final lap of the National league race.

Several large bets also were made on the Dempsey-Tunney heavyweight battle wit hthe champion ruling 11 to 5 choice. A wager of $5,000 against $7,500 that Dempsey will score a knockout in the first round was announced by one firm.



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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY
September 13, 1925
Viola Van Loh, 12, killed by automobile on Travis street. Mrs. C. J. Wainscott dies.

EPIDEMICS

EPIDEMICS are not confined to physical ailments. They may also be mental, and frequently are of that character. This is due to the suggestive phase of tragedy, a crime of other unusual episode that has an affect upon weakened minds. Thus brain disease may be contagious as well as body ills, and possibly it should be treated in somewhat of a similar manner.

It is well known that social evils often flourish in certain places and at specific items. They are usually termed waves, not epidemics. And so we have our crime waves which may sweep over communities or even iatnos. Robberies of a particular type may prevail for a while, and then die off. Or there may be a series of murders, possibly of the mysterious order or the romantic.

Then scandals may abound, involving one after another. Or in some section there may be a prevalence of suicides, people suddenly growing weary of life and seeking various methods of departing therefrom. The wave may assume a different form—that of wild, gay parties; or the building of houses of a peculiar architecture.

Perhaps man should not let his right hand know what his left is doing, but he is very much interested in the affairs of his neighbor. He would go and do likewise be in the social swim. If it is the fad to murder, or rob, or commit suicide, then easily influenced humanity follows the example.

But, as with diseases, there are those who are susceptible, others who are immune, who enjoy mental health, strength of mind to resist the germ, Realizing that in the matter of physical afflictions, society is careful to protect against spread. The sufferers are isolated, the world is excluded.

No such treatment is accorded in these psychological cases. When a victim succumbs, instead of being hidden away from mankind, all society is immediately exposed. The crime, and sensation, may be heralded far and wide and the suggestive seeds sown in the minds of others.

This is one of the new problems a development of the present times, for which the solution has not been devised. Medical science progresses in its fight upon disease. But social, mental, moral, economic ills continue to sweep through modern civilization. These are the ailments which must be studied, remedies sought.

SOCIALISTS IN THE FIELD

EVANGELIST ZIN made the race as a candidate for the democratic nomination for governor. He received less than 3,000 votes. He promised to drive all the grafters from Texas, to hunt down all rum makers and rum sellers. To place only God loving and God serving men and women in office and to keep the lawyers out of the legislature. Zim had his hour. Then he flickered and fell.

Now the socialists of Texas have had their inning. They have placed a full ticket of candidates for state office in the field. The candidate for governor is M. A. Smith of Dallas. He is a retired Methodist minister. Long ago he was a presiding elder but Karl Marx got him and he withdrew from the ministry.

He is everything that Evangelist Zim is not. He is a socialist through and through. He should be able to make a strong appeal for the votes of the labor element as one of the planks of his platform calls for repeal of the open court law.

Now the open court law was enacted when W. P. Hobby was governor. Pat M. Neff never disturbed it. Then came the Fergusons and the Fergusons let it alone. Notice has been served on the Fergusons to deport from the top of the hill.

They will be succeeded by Dan Moody. Just the other day in the city of San Antonio the democrats adopted a platform. They were silent on the subject of open court law and the platform is just as silent as its makers were in the Alamo city.

It is up to Smith. He isn't for its repeal by the fortieth legislature. Socialists are not numerous in Texas. That is the out and out socialists who are brave enough on election day to stand up and be counted.

There are thousands of socialists on the democratic reservation but they classify themselves as democrats. Are they?

TEXAS ON THE MAP

DURON FITTS is the republican nominee for lieutenant governor of California. He polled 100,000 votes more than his nearest rival. He was born in Montague county, Texas. He was a soldier in the World war. He is a former department commander of the American Legion in California. He has many friends in West Texas and among the number of former service men who soldiered with him in France.

How did it happen that a man born in Montague county, Texas, where there are no republicans could win a republican nomination for high office in California? It is a remarkable fact that there are more democrats in California 20 years ago than there is today although the state has more than doubled its population in 20 years.

California has a million voters. In the recent primary the democrats cast less than 120,000 votes. They had a row between the McAdoo and Smith democrats. John B. Elliott, McAdoo supporter, is the democratic nominee for senator. He is a resident of Los Angeles.

Justice S. Wardell is the democratic nominee for governor. He is a resident of San Francisco and defeated a McAdoo democrat for the nomination. This made honors even. Now the California democrats are talking of electing their ticket this year. It will end in talk. That is all.

Hiram Johnson won his nominee for governor and lost the man he backed for United States senator. California democrats in years gone by made a powerful showing at the polls. They elected senators and congressmen in off years. This isn't an off-year. There was a time when San Francisco was a democratic stronghold. Now it elects republicans to office all along the line.

As for Los Angeles it is a republican stronghold and furnishes a huge majority every two years for the republican nominees for office. Oregon is another republican stronghold. There are two republicans in the race for the United States senate this year and the democrats are hopeful that the split may enable them to elect Honorable Bert Haney to the United States senate.

Haney is the democrat who told the president to go to the devil when the cold son of Vermont asked for the resignation of a member of the shipping board.

Oregon is another state where the democrats are in a minority and where there is never a chance for a democrat to win unless there is a hopless division in the republican ranks.

SNUBBED BY AN EDUCATOR

CONNECTICUT democrats asked Arthur T. Hadley, president emeritus of Yale college and nationally known economist to consider he is the coming democratic candidate for United States senator in the wooden Nutmeg state. He declined with thanks. He said that he was in accord with the Coolidge politics and did not consider himself a democrat in this campaign.

Hadley of Yale was born a democrat. He voted the democratic ticket until William Jennings Bryan became the leader of the party. Then Hadley switched to the republicans until the coming of Woodrow Wilson.

He was one of Wilson's closest friends and advisors. He was a champion of ratification of the league of nations. He did not support James M. Cox in 1920. He may have voted for John W. Davis in 1924. Regardless of all of this he is for the Coolidge administration for the reason that the Coolidge policies appealed to him.

Appealing to him no doubt he will vote for the president if the latter is given a third term by the republicans in 1928.

New England educators appear to be strong for the Coolidge policies. Chas. W. Elliott who died the other day, was a league of nations advocate. He was for the Coolidge policies. He was for the world court because he could not get the league of nations.

AFTER THE FEE GRABBERS

OFFICIAL fee grabbers are said to be making life interesting for Mexican and negro cotton pickers in certain sections of Texas. Now the federal agents are investigating. Fee grabbers should be placed where they belong behind the bars. Why pick on the friendless?

"Spunky" Edwards' Wonderful Chemical Discovery



SMELL

By Arthur B. Reeve

"It was strange, just as Jameson says, to leave a body in a cellar, such a cellar, just because it was a cellar, and a little easier perhaps, to get to than the pit. I was looking over the surrounding land in the hope of finding something more. It's true, the body would probably never have been found if he had flung it into the pit."

"Who was with you, may I ask?" put in Clarke. "Were you alone?"

Kennedy shook his head. "The sheriff and a deputy. They were unusually obliging, and wide awake, too. The eyes of those men and their memories for cars are remarkable. I said something about it. You see, since the last murder out there of an enforcement officer the city papers say things have quieted down and that the rum runners have gone elsewhere. It's only that the runners are more careful. And the law enforcers are keener, too. They notice every car on the road day or night, can tell you more about the make and trim of a car than a Broadway salesman. They know they never can tell nowadays how soon they may be asked questions or called to identify some particular car. And they've got a regular net of a secret organization, citizens who are good and tired of desperado rum runners and hijackers tearing up and down the roads, shooting up at night, a menace to every innocent automobile driver after dark."

Chandler fidgeted, a bit vexed at the turn of the conversation away from the drama as he saw it. Kennedy eyed him with a twinkle. "Aren't you satisfied with the way your play is coming on?"

"No, I'm not. With all you fellows around, with your keen minds, I ought to get a little more imagination out of this crowd than I am getting. That woman ought to do more, much more. Hang the facts! Are you going to spoil a good story for the want of a few facts?"

"But you all crabbed your own game. I suggested the unusual, the senses, and immediately you reject it, because it is a new idea to you. Perhaps it's too obvious. Now, if you want a real mystery melodrama, I tell you again you can have it without moving from this corner. Only use one of the five senses. Count 'em—five!"

"But things in real life end so prosaically," returned Chandler, with artistic asperity. "I want a kick at the end, something that will send 'em home happy—and talking—so their friends will buy tickets to the show. That's the only advertising that counts."

"It's a case of the hijackers stealing all the kick," laughed Larry Halpin.

It was a remark that seemed to start other trains of thought. Kennedy caught it.

"I'll tell you what I'll do " resumed Kennedy. "Upstairs, in my locker, in the room, I have some rare old cordials, probably like some of those stolen from Hinman's sedan. I'll blow the crowd. Maybe a shot of that cordial will stimulate the sluggish imagination and we can get a better play for Chalmers. Maybe the kick in the cordial will make up for the kick the hijackers stole, as Larry suggests."

General Tams began expatiating on the merits of some of the stuff in his own locker, in comparison with Craig's.

"George," beckoned Kennedy to the boy, "get me a bottle of that French cordial I have upstairs." Craig selected a key on his ring, gave it to George as he whispered some directions. George bowed and, departed eagerly. On an errand like this there was always a tip.

"There is a little history connected with this cordial," Craig leaned back lazily in his chair, slowly puffing at his cigarette, eyes upturned to the ceiling. "Years ago, before prohibition came along, I happened to be able to give a helping hand to a mighty fine Frenchman who was quite troubled over the loss of some trade secret which had been in his family for over two centuries. I located the chap who had stolen the key to it, here in America, and he was very grateful to me. He sent me these cordials from his own cellar when he heard the country was going dry. I have some here, the rest at home."

"Golly!" It was Hewitt's exclamation. "Think of having a whole sedan full of liqueurs stolen! Awful to thing about, when you haven't had a charitable Frenchman in your past. I feel sorry for Hinman."

"Back to the Cronk case," exclaimed Clarke. "Well! you'll have a drink of genuine B. P. cordial, anyhow, soon, even if we didn't solve the mystery of Hinman's chauffeur to the satisfaction of Chandler."

George's beaming face appeared. Halpin looked at the bottle narrowly. "This is like the stuff I used to import before prohibition. Much of it passed through my hands. I used to take some wonderful orders from this club alone. With the coming of dry times a big source of income dried up, too. Well, I was due to retire, anyhow, getting along in years, not many more years to play, if I was ever to do any playing."

Carefully George opened the bottle, almost reverently. Its aroma, heavy and sweet, seemed to permeat the air about us with a delightful reminiscent odor of other days. Into the little thin cordial glasses the yellow liquid was poured, shining, smooth, heavy like a scrap of old-gold velvet.

"This is a chartreuse," I observed, catching sight of the label. "No fake about that."

"But you'd be surprised how much of it is faged," Halpin pursued. "I found that out even in my business years ago. I learned to tell the difference."

"How do they fake it?" asked Hewitt.

"In the making. The best is distilled. You see, the makers of a cordial macerate various aromatic substances, such as seeds, leaves, roots, and barks of trees or plants with strong spirit and subsequently distill the infusion, generally in the presence of the whole or at least part of the solid matter. Then they get it," Kennedy was speaking contemplatively. "This is distilled, and old, too."

"Of what do they make this? Can you tell?"

"What's the information for, Hewitt, asked Halpin. "Do you like this so much?"

"I sure do. Perhaps I like things better not quite so sweet. But you see I don't know much about drinking or drinks. I've been very busy," the youn gman added.

"Well, my bootlegger can help you out if you want to buy any cordials, Vermouth, benedictine, chartreuse, curacoa, kirsch, absinthe—he handles them all. Very secretive he is, but he manages t oget me all I need. And you know the saying, Hewitt. When a man is willing to share his bootlegger with you he really cares for you."

"It beats the devil," Clarke nodded, "how the stuff creeps in. No dearth of it anywhere. Crimes increase as the demand for it hangs on."

Hewitt was thanking Larry, but looking at Clarke out of the corner of his eye. One doesn't like to make a date for a bootlegger when one's prospective father-in-law is near—or perhaps one does with some other than Clarke. Halpin's offer was ignored, at any rate for the time.

Chandler was still engrossed with his notes, scribbling over what he had written. Nothing seemed to suit him. It amused Craig.

Again the little glasses were filled. "Excellent!" Clarke exclaimed.

"Marvelous!" admitted Chandler, bowing appreciatively.

"Fine!" added Larry, sipping slowly at his glass and seeming to roll each sip about in his mouth.

(To be continued.)

DOROTHY DIX

Questions from the World of Love Answered by a Noted Authority

"If Every Woman Waited to Marry Until She Was 28 There Would Be Fewer Mismated Couples," Says Dorothy Dix, "For the Woman of 28 Has Judgment Enough to Make a Good Choice."

Justice Strong of the supreme court in Brooklyn, advises women not to marry until they are beween 26 and 30 years of age.

A Daniel, I say, a second Daniel, come to judgment! No wiser counsel was ever given to girls, and they would save themselves so many heartaches, so many tears, so many futile regrets and bitter disappointments, if they would only heed the admonition of this man who has had so much experience in adjucating the difficulties of the mismated.

For it is the kind of marriages that make the matrimonial goats. It is the boy and girl husbands and wives who rush like the Kilkenny cats.

It is the children who rush into marriage before they are ready for it who wreck their homes with as little consideration as they establish them; who keep he divorce courts busy and fill the world with their half-orphaned babies, and the tragedes of their broken lives.

Marriage is no game for children to sit in. It is a gamble even for their elders, and if these experts who have had experience of life and who have knowledge of the world, so often lose out, how little chance have the poor, unsophisticated little amateurs of winning!

There are many reasons why an early marriage almost invariably ends in disaster for a woman. To begin with, no girl in her teens is capable of picking out a husband. She hasn't enough sense. She knows too little about men. We would not trust her judgment on any other matter on earth.

Yet at an age when we would not let her buy a house of her own initiative, or risk a thousand dollars on her hunch on the stock market, when we hardly permit her to pick out a pair of shoes unaided, we let her jeopardize her whole life's happiness by selecting a husband. And she picks him out on the same principle that she would a new hat, because he is good looking, and happens to strike her fancy for the moment, or because some other girl wants him, and it fires her sporting blood to take him away from her.

She never gives one thought as to his wearing qualities, or whether he wil suit her needs or not. It is literally and sadly true that to a young girl a man's heels are of more importance than his head, and she prefers a youth who is a peachy dancer with a nifty line of jolly, to a man with brains and ambition, and all the virtues.

A girl of 18 has no more idea of the kind of husband she will want when she is 28 than she has of the style of dress she will want. Up to 22 or 23 a woman's tastes are in a state of transition, and they change daily and hourly. She has not found herself. She does not know what manner of man her nature demands, and so the chap about whom she is crazy in her teens bores her to extraction in her twenties.

Worse still, the mature woman nearly always meets the man who should have been her mate, and falls in love with him, and then there is a tragedy as black as can be woven of the warp and woop of unavailing regret for a youthful folly, if she is tied to a husband that she married in her childhood and of whom she is sick and tired.

The girl who marries too early cuts herself off from all the playtime of life. At an age when she should be carefree, when she should be dancing in the sun, and enjoying herself, she is tied down with the responsibilities of matrimony.

Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

A HEART IS SUCH A FRAGILE THING.

A heart is such a fragile thing!—
We are so gentle with a bowl
Fashioned of glass, and yet we fling
Stones at a soul.

I know no crystal ever heard
A thought unkind; and fell apart;
But there are moments when a word
Will break a heart.

Oh, I would have you be kind
To mortals as you are to glass:
An angry thought may fret the mind,
But let it pass.

Great souls great hurts have always met;
With silence and uplifted head;
For the few words that men regret
They left unsaid.

They who have suffered from life's sting,
In suffering this need should find;
A heart is such a fragile thing,
Let us be kind.

WILLIE WILLIS



"The reason I wasn't at Sunday school was because I delivered groceries for Mr. Brown Saturday an' he let me have all the candy I could eat."

What Do You Know About It?

Daily Science Six.

1. Through what substance is water often filtered?
2. What is put into reservoirs to kill small aquatic plants and animals?
3. What are some serious impurities in water, beside bacteria?
4. What substance is often put into water to kill bacteria?
5. How may a house filter become a menace instead of a help?
6. What is the commonest serious water-borne disease in the temperate regions?

Answers to these questions in tomorrow's Record News.

PEACH PITS.

During the great war unexpected demands were made upon science, and one of the greatest of them was to find good filters, not for water but for gas masks. Many substances were tried and many lives were lost experimenting with unsuitable substances. Finally we saw signs in the streets asking us to deposit peach pits in receptacles provided for that purpose. It has been fund that peach pits, when ground up, provided the best possible gas absorbers. And this was the more remarkable because peach pits themselves contain a substance that, in a gaseous state, is especially deadly, prussic acid.

Now what do you know about that?

Answers to Saturday's questions:

1. A chemical solution is a liquid containing an admixture of some solid hat has dissolved, that is, mingled its minute particles with, the original liquid.
2. A precipitate is a solid that has come out of solution and settled at the bottom of the liquid.
3. A colloid is a suspension of matter in liquid that still never precipitates, and partakes of some of the properties boh of liquds and solids. All living things are colloids.
4. A suspension is a mere floating of particles of solid in liquid, without actual dissolving; muddy water is a suspension.
5. An intimate mixture is the careful stirring together of substances so that they have much physical contact, without undergoing chemical combination.
6. A supersaturation is the absorption of a solid by a liquid beyond the normal saturation point; increase of temperature at the time of dissolving often permits supersaturation.

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WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

BY MARY BLAKE

Virgo.

Today's planetary aspects are efforts or social underakings. They betoken harmonious conditions and indicate hat there will be sensed courage, determination, and optimism. Any difficult task that you may have had in mind but have hesitated to attepmt for fear of failure, may well be essayed under the prevailing influences of today, although ultimate success cannot of course, be guaranteed, there are much greater possibilities than if the effort were made under less auspicious aspects. It will also prove a great value for those who, cansumed with love, are in doubt as to reciprocacy. There will be engendered a feeling of responsiveness that must necessarily benefit lovers.

Children born today will, during infancy, enjoy normally good properly nurtured, and are allowed to revel in the fresh air. This condition will continue until about the fifeenth or sixteenth year when, so the signs denote, they are liable to be attacked by a rather serious malady, which in additin to scientific treatment, will demand constant care and an inexhaustible fund of patience. Their characters will never cause worry, and parents will at no time be in doubt as to what these children will do in given conditions.

They will be strong minded, self-reliant, and ambitious. If encouraged in their youthful hopes and aspirations, they promise to achieve more than crdinary success.

If today is your birthday, you are sturdy and robust, fond of work if it be of a congenial nature, and more disposed to be happy in an unconfined atmosphere, than if engaged in toil of a sedentary nature. You are, in all things, ambitious to xecel, and never fail to put your utmost and best energies into any task that occupies your attention—whether it be in the field of labor or of sport. Your disposition is an affable one—somewhat too boisterous at times—and you are willing to go out of your way to be obliging. You are discreet, and, in no sense of the word, a "broadcaster." As a natural result, you enjoy the confidence of your friends and associates.

In your intimate relationship, you are lovable and sympathetic and not given to fits of petulancy, or changeableness. The greatest happiness is invariably found, by one of your "make up" in early marriage.

Successful people born this day are:

Leonard Kip, attorney and author.

Charles Wachsmuth, scientist.

James Lyall, inventor.

Anna M. Lea (Merritt) Artist.

Maud Ballington Booth, philanthropist.

General John Joseph Pershing, U. S. A.

The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

It's More of a Stunt, Folks!

To swim the English channel, Folks,
Is quite the thing to do this year;
But why not practice up our strokes
And swim the channel of good cheer!

Quite a Disappointment.

Sweet Young Thing: "I was SO disappointed in my trip to the country. Why, the farmers were ordinary leather belts."

Her Friend: "What kind did you expect to see them wearing?"

Sweet Young Thing: "Those wheat belts I've heard so much about, of course!"

A FEW MORE PEEPLES!

Louise E. Gray, Tom Gray's lone child,
Must marry, or by, gee!
Her whole life long she will remain,
As now, Gray's L. E. G.!
—Gordon Goldsmith

* * *

Helene U. Gould has lots of beaux;
The reason is not mystery—
When any boy goes out with her
He knows he'll have on H. U. G.
—Arthur H. Sarnot.

* * *

When Hugh A. Moore went on the stage
He changed his name to Carroll Swem;
And yet, despite this subterfdge,
He really was an H. A. M.
—Leopold B. Fried.

* * *

There's Don R. Young, he's quite a hand
To drink upon the sly,
And yet to all the world he seems,
And yet to all the world he seems,
And is, a D. R. Y.
—Manning Fergusson

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A very poor girl was May Starle
Who longed to travel near and far;
Rich Charles A. Rayburn married her—
That's how she got her C. A. R.
—Estelle R. Grimm.

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Tom E. North's wife was mad!
She threw the clock, and then,
Thought it was only half past eight
The clock struck T. E. N.
—Wallace M. Bayliss.

Ain't Nature Grand!

Mrs. Powers: "Just think, dear! A little silkworm made the material for my beautiful new dress!"

Powers: "Silkworm! You must mean a spider."
—Eleanor Brower.

ER—THAT WILL DO!
(Overheard by Jean Greenthal)

Professor: Yes, Miss Gates, I wish to speak to you! I'd think you'd be ashamed of yourself, young woman! Your grades are so low that I'm afraid I must be compelled to—

Marjorie: You know, Professor Gardner, I think you're the NICEST man!

Professor: I'm afraid I must me compelled—

Marjorie: You're so good looking, and have the SWEETEST way about you, Professor.

Professor: Er—call me Clarence. As I was saying, my dear, you are doing so well in your class that I've decided to—

Marjorie: You know you remind me so MUCH of my poo grandfather!

Professor: Miss Gates, if you can't get your grades up you must leave the school, that's all! It's disgusting! You may leave the room immediately!

Why We Are in Favor of Capital

Vaughn "I went out to the ballgame yesterday."

Margie: "It must have been pretty cold out there."

Vaughn: "Not very. Why?"

Margie: "I heard they were sliding to the bases."
—Waldo Ostrom.

IN KLASS AT KRAZY KOLLEGE
(Conducted By M. F. J.)

Teacher: "Have you the time, Miss Le Yaique?"

Belle Le Yaique "Yes, but not the inclination."

Teacher "Go to the head of the class, and on your way use 'mediaeval.'"

Belle Le Yaique:
"Say, bo, my acts is on de level,
I ain't de guy dat spoils your son;
He may be goin' to de devil,
But don't call mediaeval one!"

KRAZY KINDERGARTEN.
(Conducted By Dusty.)

Teetcher: "Eppy, I heer your sister is going to shorten her swerts an intch this winter."

Eppy Cack: "Yes, her knees get frost bit so easy."

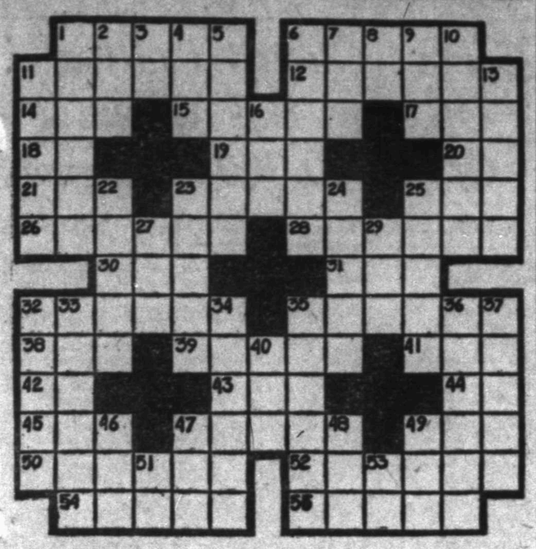
Teetcher: "See how carefully you can handle 'tea cups.'"

Eppy Cack:
"Our docter is the old fashioned kind,
He prescribes a good paddywack
For kids wen their snappy and grouchy at home,
And for teacups cold keys down the back."
—Frederick Curtis.

I'M THE GINK!

I'm the ginkette who insists on playing golf. I am a terrible player. It takes me at least ten or twelve strokes to make each hole and an eight is a thrilling score. I won't play unless it is with some man who is at least a fair player. I think it improves my game. Of course I know he has difficulty in suppressing his temper as I bat my way around nine holes in something like three and a half hours. I know they don't like it, but I am always asking my friends to take me to play golf.

Cross-Word Puzzles



The place in Greece defined in vertical number 28 isn't well known so we'll tell you that it is Seres, with such a beginning this puzzle ought to solve rapidly—unless you run afoul of our trick definition for horizontal number 35.

Horizontal.

1. You and I
3. Like a servant.
9. An exclamation.
11. To make a small, explosive noise.
13. A wading bird.
14. To weep convulsively.
15. A country in South America.
17. A heavy volume.
20. By
21. A mountain in Switzerland.
23. A letter in the Greek alphabet.
25. A cooking vessel.
27. Extents.
29. A fish.
31. Either.
32. Goaded.
34. Fifty-one (Roman numerals).
35. A slang expression for an unpopular person.
36. Boxes.
37. A negative.
38. To choke.
40. Reformed Presbyterian abbr.
41. Finish.
43. The parts of wood and coal left after combustion.
44. Consumed.
45. Associated Press abbr.
47. Noun suffixes.
48. A mystic syllable uttered by the Hindus.
49. A dull color.
50. To slip.
53. An artificial mound used in golf.
54. Any place of public contest.
57. A domestic animal.
59. Upon.
61. A game at cards.
62. A negative.

Vertitcal.

1. Above.
2. To soak up.
4. A small shield carried in the middle ages.
5. A knave (Archaic).
7. Within.
8. To allow.
9. A garden implement.
10. An academic degree abbr.
12. A kind of fuel.
14. Primly neat.
16. Right abbr.
18. Upon.
19. Avted with demonstrative fondness (slang).
21. Sandy.
22. Pieces of cloth used in mending a garment.
24. Made crisp.
26. A constellation.
27. A kind of bog plant.
28. A place in Greece.
30. Active in vigilance.
32. Accounts abbr.
33. A patriotic organization abbr.
39. Groups of a certain number.
42. To venture.
44. In the midst of
46. A parent.
48. All right abbr.
49. A lair.
50. A noise made by a sheep.
51. A letter in the primitive Greek alphabet.
52. To put on.
53. A prepositioin.
55. Rupees abbr.
56. Nickel abbr.
58. To move.

This puzzle took 15 minutes to solve. See how long it will take you to solve it.

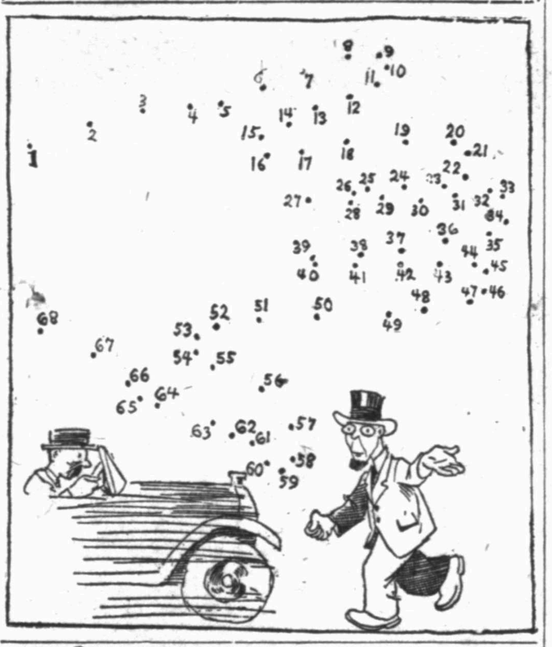
SPANKS HIS WIFE.

CHICAGO.—The police refused to arrest George Rosser when his wife complained he spanked her for going to a dance without his permission.

STRIKERS' KIDS ADOPTED.

LONDON.—More than 300 children of striking miners have been temporarily adopted by various families here since the industrial struggle began.

D.o.t.s P.u.z.z.l.e.s



JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"A Little Antique, I Should Say. She Wears a Petticoat!"

THE NEBBS

Bi Sol Hess



DUMB DORA

By Chic Young



THIMBLE THEATRE

By Segar



REGULAR FELLERS

—By Gene Byrnes



MINUTE MOVIES

By Wheelan



YOU KNOW ME AL

—Words By Ring Lardner



Church Must Adopt Stern Attitude Toward Life, Kay Declares

Ought Not To Have To, But Someone Must To Save Nation, He Says

The church of today, if it is to mean anything more than a mere dressing up, or show, must adopt a stern attitude about the law and about the family life at home, Judge John C. Kay told members of his men's Bible class in his regular Sunday class Sunday morning. His address in full, heard by 298 persons, was as follows:

"On one morning, in the long ago, a young woman went out to walk, just knocking around over the neighborhood. Do you do that? Do you get out in the open? I don't like a house cat man, or woman, either. You want to get out and get deep breath some time, and maybe you might find something that you didn't know about before. If you have never slept with a blanket on the state of Texas for a mattress, you have missed a great deal. So, this young woman was out of the house, walking around, and came to the brink of a great river, and she was the daughter of a great emperor, and she saw a little basket down in the edge of the river and, in that basket, was the great Moses, a little infant. To that man we owe all the beginning of that institution that we call the church, to a seeming accident like that, the most of our spiritual institutions.

"Now, to some people, the church is just a house. Some people go there and sing, and preach, and pray, and, to other people, it is an institution that they want to have a great opinion about.

Cred Ourselves.

"Now these Jews, after they had been down to Egypt, had learned a great deal. You know, when wet get to feeling smart, as we all do sometimes,—even the lawyers have spells like that, we are mostly due to credit ourselves with it.

Now, all that we know, we learn from other people, and some of the people that we learned it from were not good, so these people, that had been living in tents, these cow people, wandering around moving when the grass gave out, after they had been down to Egypt had learned something about civilization, and had learned something about co-ordinated effort, something about pulling together. So Pashro go out and get about 100,000 men and build a pyramid, saw great crops raised in Egypt, saw great chariots with horses attached to them, and, coming back, had a little more pride and dignity and when they got back to the wilderness they said, 'we will build a church.' That church was a tabernacle. You know the old-time Bibles we used to have, those that were so heavy we couldn't hardly lift them off the table, had a picture of the tabernacle in it. I don't know whether you have got that kind of a Bible with a picture in it or not.

It was a beautiful thing, this tabernacle, but built out of cloth, mostly. But these people all got together and built that.

Everyone Helped

"I don't know whether I ought to talk about the finances of the church here or not, but that's the Sunday school lesson. I don't know whether a fellow so far behind with his payments as I am ought to be here or not, but I am like some of you fellows, I am aiming to do better some of these days, and they can always find me, whether they get the money or not. But, everybody seems to have carried something to help build this church, this tabernacle, this place of tent meeting. You know, it is fashionable now-a-days, to make fun of the old Methodism, but the old time churches, the old camp meetings. Some of our educated people show their eye teeth a little in snarling at that, which proclaims their kinship to the wolf. The people who made this country what it is, chopped down the trees, and ran off the Indians, and killed the bears, and plowed up the ground, they believed in that kind of religion, and so do I. I am not a fellow that gets too much better than my ancestors. I doubt whether I can do it.

"Now why do you support the church if you are supporting the church, and I hope you will do it a little better after this morning. It is because the church speaks to you of another world. I don't mean necessarily a world from here, but an invisible world, a spiritual world. What do you mean when you say 'Sunday?' Driving through Wichita Falls last Sunday, as I was, burning a little gasoline myself, you know, it was pretty hard to tell that it was Sunday. I saw so much going on, and so much oil pipe going down the street, and so many people buying and selling and if I hadn't been pretty smart, I couldn't have told it was Sunday. Of course I went on out into the country and attended to my business affairs and came on back home like a gentleman. Sunday is a reminder of spiritual things, a reminder that the spirit is greater than the body a reminder that food and drink and raiment is not all of life. Let's see if we can't keep Sunday a little better. We will honor ourselves by doing it.

"There is no use to sing aloud and long, and pray sonorously, when your preacher is going around with a suit of clothes which has been dusted so much that he is afraid to touch it with a stiff brush for fear it will fall to pieces. Not only must the preacher be paid, but the other institutions of the church ought to be kept up.

"You know, some of you fellows here feel like, 'well, we are not as strong as some of the other brethern, and, for one reason and another, we will just let some of these big fellows do that.' everybody in the church ought to help with the church. A man that doesn't help some ought to get out, out of the church. If he can't pay but 25 cents a year, he ought to pay it. He ought to be a stockholder in the church.

"I was reading the other day, and want you to read it, about Lieut. Byrd's flight to the North Pole. I sometimes think humanity is on the eve of the great new day. It is but yesterday, as it seems to me, that Perry went to the Pole in eight months with his dogs and sleds, over the ice; eight months of terrific suffering, but Lieut. Commander Byrd went there in eight hours. Now when he got there, there wasn't any direction except south. Everything was south. His compass refused to work. His sextant pointed straight up to the north star. Which was straight up. Everything gone wrong. I want you to read how he got out of there. I am not going to tell you. He went straight to the Island of Spitsbergen from whence he had stared without any deviation at all, without any compass or sextant safe to his goal.

It was because he took his mind off the earth and watched, every moment, the position of the sun, since it shines always there in the summer. Once in a while, we ought to get our mind off of the earth, because there are directions that human compasses and sextants refuse to point. There are high ways that are unknown to the efforts of man to find them. There are goals toward which we strive that we can't take the earth as a basis to figure out a starting point and a landing point. You can get the National Geographic and read that story, and get you a bigger idea. Some of you have, no doubt, already read it.

The church carries with it all that is precious in our spiritual life, it carries with it most that is precious in family life. I heard a young lady saying that the church music was so slow, and poor, and out-of-date. Why. God-bless-you, the church invented music. The church was the first institution that ever discovered that there was such a thing as bass, and tenor, and those other things it was the first one that ever divided the musical scale up into notes. There isn't any use to talk about the church being ignorant, and old-fashioned and out of date. The church has always upheld family life, although I believe it is doing as little of that now as it ever did in its history. It needs to do more. The church wants to become a little more stern along that line. We need, in place of the compulsory system in the school house,—you know what that compulsory school law is, and we need it, and it is a good law, and I am for it strong, but it is a disgrace to us that we had to have it. It is just like calomel or quinine, the doctor gives it to you because he thinks you need it. We need the compulsory system in the homes of this country. You have said to the legislature and school teachers, 'Here is Willie. You make him go to school.' 'Here's Sarah Ann. I have done what I could, see what you can do, Mr. State-of-Texas.' So, the next time you think about the compulsory school law, you think about what a great compliment it is to us that the legislature passed it. That makes the state of Texas sort of father and mother to the children and, from what I have been watching, for the last several years, I don't believe it will make a good parent.

"So, I say, the church, if it means anything more than a mere dressing up, and entertainment, and show, has got to assume a more stern attitude about the law and about the family life at home. I am telling you that. I don't believe it is going to do much good, but I have got it off of my chest this morning, because I have been wanting to say it. But, you say, the church ought not to meddle with worldly affairs. The church oughtn't to meddle with prohibition, and the way you raise the children, and the laws of the country. I agree with you, that it oughtn't to have to. Let's do a little clear thinking right there. It ought not to be he stern duty of the church to have to do that, but somebody has got to do it, or this country will perish.

"The preachers would like to talk to you about the fields, and about the angels in heaven, and the plan of salvation but the poor, old preacher these day's has, first, got to clean out all this underbrush and get you to where your mind is such that it can receive a religious sermon."

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GOLF TITLE PLAY TODAY

151 Golfers Tee Off At Baltusrol In Quest Of Crown

SHORT HILLS, N. J., Sept. 12.—(AP)—One hundred and fifty-one golfers will take up their clubs on the Baltusrol Links tomorrow in an attempt to dethrone Bobby Jones as national amateur champion under a heavy psychological impost.

Probably never before in the history of the event has a title holder entered on defense of his crown with signs pointing so plainly to victory as in the case of the 24-year-old Atlantic marvel this year. His easy dash through the 1925 tournament, his record qualifying score of 134 in the British open, his subsequent winning of the coveted European title and finally, his triumph in the American open, have lifted him so high in the scale of good golf as to shake the confidence of the most seasoned campaigners and the most daring youngsters.

One grain of comfort has been drawn by his rivals from the defeat of Bobby, however in the British amateur championship. After an overwhelming victory against the titleholder, Robert Harris, the smiling Georgian fell before the assault of Young Arthur Jamieson of Glassgow.

No more threatening field ever gathered to challenge a title holder than that which will be sent away tomorrow on the difficult New Jersey layout.

Of the veterans, Francis Ouimet, Jerry Gukifird, Max Marston, Chick Evans and George Von Elm will draw chief interest of the gallery. But there also will be strong opposition from youthful wielders of the mashie and niblick, such as Eustace Storey, well-known English amateur.

Watts Gunn, Jones' bocom friend from Atlanta, who reached the finals last year; Dick Jones of West Chester Hills, who reached the semi-finals; Roland McKenzie of Washington, D. C., the qualifying medalist; Lester Bolstead, the public links champion; Frank Dolp, new western titleholder and Densmore Shute of Huntington, W. Va., are among the younger stars expected to be heard from.

Crowds Whoop As Mussolini Takes A Look at Bomb Site

ROME, Italy, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Il Duce was acclaimed today by adoring crowds on the spot where 24 hours bef re he had escaped death at the hands of a would-be assassin. The calm courage of Premier Mussolini when his life was threatened by a bomb hurled by an anarchist aroused popular admiration to a high pitch, and thousands of persons stood for hours in the suffocating heat, unprotected from a burning sun, before the Chigi Palace to catch a glimpse of the fascistidol as he entered and left his offices.

Sitting alone in his automobile, the premier insisted that he be driven past the spot where yesterday morning Ermet Giovanni hurled the bomb at him. As the car passed by the scene of the attempted assassination, the crowds gathered at the spot cheering wildly.

Hat Making Is Studied By Club

Fall hat-making was the subject discussed in an all-day meeting of the Clara Home Demonstration club last week at the home of Mrs. E. W. Cullers. Plans were completed for the club's booth to be installed at the Texas-Oklahoma fair. The next meeting will be held September 21 at the home of Mrs. H. C. Curington when meats will be canned for display at the fair.

Mrs. O. A. Wittenbach of County Line was in charge of the meeting.

Those present included: Mesdames C. C. Reed, R. L. Good, C. A. Jordan, H. J. Lafland, H. T. Head, J. V. Falk, J. F. Sims, H. Curington, M. M. Moore, C. W. Jolly, W. H. Noah, Olin White, Clude Good, L. H. Adair, Jack Hamner, J. O. Sehon, John Willis, O. A. Wittenbach, E. L. Aydelott of Lubbock and the hostess.

TO RESUME TRAFFIC.

DENTON, Sept. 12.(—AP)—Officials of the Denton, Texas and Pacific railway division said they thought traffic over the line between Denton and Fort Worth would be resumed late Sunday. Rail traffic was interrupted late Saturday when 14 cars of a southbound Missouri, Kansas and Texas freight train crashed through a 162 foot bridge over a small creek about five miles south of here. The wreck caused damage estimated at between $50,000 and $75,000.

ANNIVERSARY FOR TRUETT

DALLAS, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Dr. George W. Truett preached his thirteenth anniversary sermon at the First Baptist Church here Sunday. The large church auditorium was filled to capacity. Dr. Truett during the last week has received many telegrams and letters of felicitation from all over the world upon the beginning of the thirtieth year of his pastorate here.

"I regard him as the first Baptist citizen of the world," Dr. L. R. Scarborough of Fort Worth, president of the southwestern Baptist theological heminary wrote in a message to the congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay McWethy and Mr. McWethy's mother of Anadarko, Okla., are returning today after attending the funeral of Mrs. Kay McWethy's brother, Eldon Eugene Costello, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cox of Wilson street announce the birth of a daughter, Marjorie Faye, Saturday night, September 11, at the Hargrave-Walker hospital.

Not only is Colvert's ice cream a good food for the healthy growing child, but it is also a good food for the sick and convalescent.—Adv.

Mrs. C. F. Frey of Houston is convalescing at the Wichita General hospital where she recently underwent an operation.

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SCOUTS GUARD BUSY CORNERS

Junior Traffic Squad To Watch Over School Students

Street intersections near the public schools which reopen for the fall classes today will be guarded by the junior traffic squad, it was announced by Frank B. Creighton, Boy Scout executive. The intersections will be watched during the morning and noon hours when the children are going to and from school.

Inauguration of the plan of watching the crossings was made in the spring of this year and proved effective in lessening accidents among the school children. It was planned by members of the local safety council who introduced the movement in the Boy Scout organization. Lester Jones and Leon Horn, members of the council, worked with Mr. Creighton in putting the plan on a working basis.

Street crossings near Fannin, San Jacinto, and Sam Houston schools will be protected Tuesday morning by the scouts, and it is expected that the movement will be in other elementary schools later in September.

Oklahoma Election Faces Hard Fight

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 12.—(AP)—That the fall election campaigns in Oklahoma will be fought with unusual ferocity was indicated today by the array of heavy artillery which both parties hope to put in the field.

Colonel Clarence Douglas, head of the state republican speakers bureau said that his party would bring Dwight Davis, secretary of war; Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, Governor Harding of Iowa and Senator Borah of Idaho to the state to speak in behalf of Senator J. W. Harrel, who is seeking re-election on the republican ticket. Mr. Douglas said, also, that the party was trying to add Charles G. Dawes, vice-president and Senators urtis and Capper of Kansas of the speakers list.

The democrats have summoned Robert L. Owen, former Oklahoma senator, who sometimes has been referred to as "father of the federal reserve system," C. N. Haskell, first governor of Oklahoma, who is now in Mexico City; Scott Ferris, who in 1922 defeated T. P. Gore, blind Oklahoma senator for nomination ad former Senator Gore himself to stump the state for Elmer Thomas, the democratic senatorial candidate. This was announced by George D. Key, chairman of the state central committee.

Mr. Owen is scheduled to speak September 29 at Tulsa, and September 30 at Oklahoma City.

BUILDINGS DESTROYED

West Texas Military Academy Suffers From Fire.

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Part of the buildings of the West Texas Military academy, five miles north of the city were destroyed by fire late tonight. It is not believed any of the buildings were occupied as the school had not been begun. Telephone communication with the academy was out of commission.

By cuting four and one-third quarts of peas one only receives the same nourishment obtainable in a quart of Colvert'c ice cream. —Adv. ..

MAY USE CONFETTI

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Confetti wil be allowed in celebration this year of Coney Island's Mardi Gras under regulations expected to prevent the inclusion of the "Irish" variety with the harmless paper. Vendors will be restricted to sale of confetti of one color, so the salvaging of once-used material from the sidewalks "with dust and stones" may be discouraged.

WE USE THE PUNCH

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—A Wall street firm specializing in utilities estimates the United States uses half the electric power produced in al lthe world. The largest increase in May and June of this year was 87 per cent in Florida, Arizona being secon dwith 85 per cent.

HE LIVES, ANYHOW

POMPTON LAKES, N. J., Sept. 12.—(AP)—Uncle Dan Slingerland's recipe for longevity isn't apt to be popular. Eschew vacations, he said, on the recent occasion of his 8rd birthday, since they lead to rust and decay. Uncle Dan works 11 hours a day ni the shop he has operated 40 years.

SAFE FOR SHIRTS

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Allegheny county is being made safe for shirts. Experts from the United States geological survey have been called here to study the minerals touched by water flowing from the hills. If it is found that these contacts make the water unsuited for laundry purposes, rains will be made to interested industries.

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VALIDATE

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the sentiment of the San Antonio convention that any investigation should be conducted by the fortieth legislature," he said.

Representative Roy J. Daniel of Wichita Falls said he had observed a growing sentiment in favor of the special session concerning itself only with bond validation.

To the contrary, Representative Claude D. Terr, of Ranger, one of the strongest Moody supporters in the legislature, said that the thirty-ninth should initiate any investigation that is to be held. "The regular session is so busy I feel the special session should appoint joint committees to report to the fortieth, thus greatly expediting any investigation."

Senator Eugene Miller of Weatherford, said he believed the recess appointees of Governor Ferguson will be confirmed, unless it is proved in the senate that the appointees have not kept faith with the people. He said if the officials had performed their duties properly their appointment by Governor Ferguson would not be just cause for a refusal of confirmation. If any fight is waged, it will be on the highway commissioners, he said.

It is conceded by all a stubborn fight will be against the confirmation of Ed Moseley of Dallas and John Cage of Stephenville, highway commissioners. This contest is expected to provide one of the most interesting features of the session. It is known that Dan Moody, the gubernatorial nominee is irrevocably opposed to their confirmation, basing his opposition on the contention that they awarded asphalt resurfacing contracts in the effort to justify prices paid the American Road company for the first surfacing work.

Governor Ferguson's communication, which probably will be delivered by a messenger, is being awaited with much interest, as it is felt the tone of the communication may sound the clarion of relentless political war or extend the olive branch of peace. She said that she would not read her message, and her husband said it would be short.

All the prognostigators were agreed that the governor will request the passage of a 3 cents a gallon tax on gasoline to raise the scholastic apportionment from $11.50 to $15.

555 Districts Ready.

L. W. Kemp of the special legislative committee of the Texas highway association said bond validating bills for 555 districts are prepared, and that validation will be expedited by this careful preliminary work. He was in conference with a large number of legislators. Bills are to be drawn for only a few more districts.

Mr. Kemp wired A. C. Wood, Wheeler county judge, that his county is the only one "making no attempt to validate its road bonds."

"We urge you sign notices and start publication at once. If purchasers affidavits are received too late for this special session, they will serve for another called session or for the regular session in January. The Texas highway association will pay the cost of four consecutive publications."

Repeal of the federal inheritance tax will be urged, in a concurrent resolution to be presented Senator Stewart of Fort Worth, Senator Archie Parr of Benevides, Senator John Davis of Dallas, Representatives George Kimbje of Fort Worth, and Eugene Blount of Nacogdoches. The resolution will insist upon the maintaining of the states rights in the imposing of inheritance tax.

Baptist Services Dropped For Week

No mid-week service at the First Baptist church will be held this week, it was announced in the Sunday morning service. This change was made because of the Wichita County Baptist association which convenes Wednesday evening at the Baptist church of Iowa Park and a large number from the local church expect to attend. The association will continue through Friday evening.

Colvert's ice cream is a food—not a luxury.—Adv.

MANY ATTEND CHURCH

"Homecoming" day at the First Methodist church was well observed Sunday morning, it was said last night. Names of the families who registered 100 per cent will be printed in the next Sunday bulletin, it was announced at the service.

Dr. Walter J. Johnson, pastor, announced also that on next Sunday three presents would be given away: One is to go to the oldest man present; one to the youngest child, and the third to the family with the largest number present.

A total of 1,093 students was registered in the First Baptist Sunday school yesterday morning, according to the secretary's report.

POLICEMAN, BANDIT SLAIN

KANSAS CITY, Kan., Sept. 12.—(AP)—A policeman and a bandit were killed and another bandit injured in a gun battle here early this morning when two officers surprised a gang of thieves about to blow the safe of the Missouri Pacific freight office. Three men are held.

William D. Conley, the dead patrolman, was passing the freight house in an automobile in company with Patrolman E. J. Wilson, when they saw a group acting suspiciously. Conley, revolver in hand stepped out of the car and was gretted by a fussilade of bullets. He sank to the ground, morally wounded.

Not only is Colvert's ice cream a good food for the healthy growing child, but is also a good food for the sick and convalescent.—Adv.

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Corpus Christi Dolling Up For Big Opening Of $5,000,000 Waterway

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Corpus Christi donned galla attire today for the biggest event in its history—the opening of the deep water port upon which five million dollars have been spent by the federal, state and municipal governments.

Three destroyers the U. S. S. Borie, the U. S. S. John D. Edwards and the U. S. S. Hatfield with Lieutenant E. S. R. Brandt in command were headed toward Corpus Christi from Key West having left the latter port this morning The warships are scheduled to arrive here at 10 o'clock Monday morning. They will be met at Port Aransas across Corpus Christi bay from this city by a reception committee and escorted to the new port. The Borie has been designated to take the official party through the entrance channel signalizing the official opening of the port.

This afternoon more than 800 troops of the first Infantry for the Sam Houston, with Colonel John L. Dewett in command arrived from San Antonio in a truck convoy. A field artillery brigade is to arrive Monday.

Both army and navy contingents will take part in the parade which will be the first feature of the day Tuesday, which will mark the official opening of the port.

Other events during the day will include a bathing contest in which representatives from 30 cities in all sections of the country will take part; boat races in which the fastest boats in gulf coast waters will participate; a monster pageant depicting the history of Corpus Christi from its founding up to the present day and a $5,000 fire works display. Ten bands will provide music.

Daugherty-Miller Trial Resumes In New York Monday

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—The government and the defense prepared today for the battle of attorneys expected tomorrow with the resumption of the Daugherty-Miller trial.

When Richard Merton, the German metal capitalist, who has been called as the government's star witness, resumes the stand in the morning, local authorities predicted today, the defense counsel will make a decided attempt to take away from the prosecution.

Merton has testified that he paid a $441,000 "commission" to the late John T. King to obtain the return of $7,000,000 in Impounded alien assets. United States Attorney Buckner has charged that this sum was a bribe and was split with the defendants, Harry M. Daugherty and Colonel Thomas W. Miller who were attorney general and alien property custodian, respectively at the time the assets were restored to Merton on their authority. The two former officials are charged with fraudulent conspiracy. . .

CHURCH PLANS NEW ADDITION

Congregation Votes Sunday To Increase Space For Children

The congregation of the First Southern Presbyterian church voted Sunday morning to build an addition to the Sunday school department to take care of the children in the primary grades, Dr. Gaines B. Hall, minister, said last night. The addition, 22x24 feet, will be used for the primary department and as a meeting place for the Boy Scouts.

"The Sunday school is growing so fast that the addition had to be built in order to take care of all the pupils," Dr. Hall said. "One hundred and one were present Sunday, and the goal for next Sunday is set for 125." The church has been erected less than a year.

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If you are interested in a real home and at the same time a real investment, do not overlook this place.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Lodges.

Benevolent Protective Order of Elks—Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105, meets ev'g. Monday at 719½ Eighth. H. H. Gray, E. R.; H. C. English, secretary.

Knight of Columbus—Council No. 1472 meets every Monday at 1409 Ninth Street. Jas L. Duffy, G. K.; Jno. J. Block, F. S.

Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 45 meets every Tuesday at 913½ Ninth. Ben F. Dancer C. C., P. L. Myers K. of R. & S.

MASONIC BODIES

Masonic Temple, northeast corner Tenth and Scott.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 205, R. A. M.—Meets second Fridays V. E. Wratten, H. P. George W. Lawler, secretary

Wichita Falls Commandery No. —, K. T. Meets first and third Thursdays. Leslie R. Stringer, E. C.; Geo. W. Lawler, Recorder

Wichita Falls Council No. 140, R. and S. M.—Meets first Monday. George B Harpin, T. I. M.; George W. Lawler recorder

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635 A. F. and A. M.—Meets first and third Fridays—Martin Littrell, W. M. George W Lawler, secretary

Squire Walkup Chapter No. 457, R. A. M.—Meets first Wednesday night each month. G. W. Curd, E. P.; Lawrence Rollins, Secy

Shrine, Maskat Temple—Meets first Thursday of each month at 813 Scott. R. E. Shepherd, potentate; Albert Ellis, secy.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 287, Order of Eastern Star—Meets Masonic Temple on first and third Tuesdays. Edna Vogt, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, secy.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays 813 Scott. Jacob B. Price, W. M.; G. W Curd Sec'y.

Order of DeMolay, Hope Chapter—Meets on second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Temple. Patrol meets every Wednesday night. Ted Brown, M. C.; Jerry Vinson, scribe.

Faith Chapter No. 715, O. E. S.—Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month at 813 Scott. Mrs. Callie Greenwood, W. M.; Lucille Campbell, secretary.

Rainbow Assembly No. 17—Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Mary L. Cox M. A.; Mary Meredith, secy

Modern Woodmen of America.

Lone Star Camp No. 4108, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Eula Isbar, O.; Mrs. Susie Boone, secy.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 1240, Modern Woodmen of America—Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.

Odd Fellows.

Wichita Canton No. 16, P. M.—Meets the second and fourth Tuesdays at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; Dug Capt.; J. W. Bussey, clerk.

Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets on second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. J. T. Martin C. P. J. W. Bussey, scribe.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 810½ Ninth. A. L. Ayer, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secy.

Rebekah Degree No. 326—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Miss Maud Soule, N. G.; Mrs. Ada Ramsey, secy

Woodmen of the World.

Wichita Camp No. 9001, W. O. W.—Meets on first and third Wednesdays at 705 Travis. R. C. Carr, C. C.; R. J. Claypool, clerk.

HOPE CHAPTER, ORDER OF DE MOLAY meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays at the Masonic Temple at 7:30. Hope Patrol meets every Tuesday night. Jack Wiech, M. C.; Gordon Brown, secretary.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Card of Thanks — 1

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the death of our beloved son and brother Eldon Costello. Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Costello and family.

Personals — 4

MARCELLING best in town, 50 cents. Miss Black. Phone 7661.

MY PLACE at 2910 Ave. N, is off the market. J. T. Kearley.

NOW is your chance; get a Eugene permanent marcel for $10; experienced operators; all work guaranteed. For appointment call 21966.

HAVE you visited our new plant? You will like it. Suits cleaned and pressed $1.00. Dyeing our specialty. Uneeda Tailors. The Spot for Spots, 709 Austin street. Phones 5535 and 8623.

FOUND—The best pencil box sets in town. They contain pencils, pens, pencil sharpener, eraser, ruler, and nice drinking cup. Come to The Record News office and ask about them.

ALL PARTIES owing Mrs. Cromean's grocery of long standing are now asked to settle in full or make good payment between now and September 20th or your name and conditions of account will be announced as I am in great need of money to settle my own accounts. Mrs. Cromeans Grocery, 2225 Holliday street.

Lost and Found — 6

LOST—Collie pup, six months old, unusual large for age. Finder please return to 1505 Garfield avenue or call 5031; reward.

FOUND—The best pencil box sets in town. They contain pencils, pens, pencil sharpener, eraser, ruler, and nice drinking cup. Come to The Record News office and ask about them.

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Lost and Found — 6

LOST—Black German Police dog; name Jack; liberal reward. 1716 Grant. Phone 9904.

LOST—Between 2100 Eighth street and Burnett street lady's large black hat. Reward. Phone 6180.

LOST—Between Eighth and Ninth streets or Tyler small rose colored hat. Reward. Phone 8483.

STRAYED Or stolen about 10 days ago; dark brown German Police dog (grown). P. B. Curd. Phone 9120.

AUTOMOTIVE

Day Storage. — 7

SAFE convenient day storage $7.50 month. Wichita Tire and Storage, next P. O. 903 Ohio. Phone 3312.

Automobiles For Sale — 8

L. A. (Jimmy) Valentine, Chevrolet salesman. Phone 8161.

L. H. (Hobb) Swetman selling Star cars. Phones 3024-9528.

EARL JAMESON TIRES
908 NINTH ST. PHONE 9776

We Will Buy four Car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
Eighth and Lamar Sts. Phone 9015

Automobile Accessories, Tires Parts — 9

DUDLEY'S—805 Travis. Brakes.

Auto Top and Painting — 11

WICHITA AUTO TOP & PAINTING CO., authorized Duco refinishing station. 609 Scott.

WILLIAMS TOP CO.
Automobile tops, seat covers, top repairing and Hampden glass enclosures. 905 Lamar. Phone 9596.

BUSINESS SERVICE

PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

PATENTS OBTAINED FOR INVENTORS

812½ Scott avenue, room 217, phone 4032. R. Worth Seawell, Jr., Special Representative, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Building and Contracting — 13

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER, no job too small or too large. Phone 6271.

Carpenter work wanted, building, remodeling and repairing, fences, garages, trellas, flower boxes, built-in cabinets, furniture repaired. J. B. Ferratt, phone 21525. Shop 1020 Ohio Avenue.

Business Service Offered — 14

WANTED—100 boys and girls at Record News office. We have lots of those fine pencil sets. Just bring in two new subscribers to The Record News and get one of them. You will need it when you start to school next week.

Dressmaking, Milliners — 16

HEMSTITCHING, dressmaking, button holes made, Mrs. Hattie Robertson, on balcony, Miller Ferguson company

MRS ALBITZ, dressmaking, buttons covered, button holes, hemstitching 5c; prompt attention to mail orders. Kimberlin's. Phone 8074.

Heating, Plumbing, Roofing — 18

QUICK, satisfactory plumbing work. Call us first. Phone 6300. Moore Plumbing company

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PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone 5444.

WINTER IS COMING. Get your heating stoves ready. You get experience, not experiment, from Clark Stove Works, 612 Front. Phone 21858.

House Moving — 21-A

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling, Jack Humphrey, residence phone 7665.

Musical, Dancing, Dramatic — 22

MISS KATHERN COOK, piano and voice, opened her studio Monday, September 6 one block of Austin school, two blocks of Junior high. 1407 Thirteenth street. Phone 6264.

MRS. SLAUGHTERS will open her studio Monday, September 13 at 2204 Yale, making special price of $6 per month. She will go to the home and teach for $7 per month. Phone 6251.

Painting, Papering, Decorating — 23

PAINTING and paper hanging, neatly and quickly done. Prices reasonable. Phone 21749.

Professional Services — 26

WANTED—Two or three small children to keep during the day while mother works. Phone 6988.

WANTED—100 boys and girls at Record News office. We have lots of those fine pencil sets. Just bring in two new subscribers to The Record News and get one of them. You will need it when you start to school next week.

Tailoring and Pressing — 28

MAJESTIC TAILORS, Suits cleaned and pressed $1.00, pressed 50 cents. Phone 9867. 2107 Grant.

Repairing and Refinishing — 29

OLD MATTRESSES made new. Phone 9412 and sample ticking will be brought to your door. One day service on work. Bell Mattress Co.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED
Prices reasonable. Wichita Mattress Co. Phone 4052.

Wanted—Business Services — 30

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With Landon-Hill Co.
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We repair and sharpen lawn mowers.

FOUND—The best pencil box sets in town. They contain pencils, pens, pencil sharpener, eraser, ruler, and nice drinking cup. Come to The Record News office and ask about them.

Welding — 31

WHEN its welding, phone 3619. J. D. Shearer Welding Company, Fourth and Indiana. We call for and deliver.

If you want to buy a good used car read the Classified Ads in The Record News.

Bicycles — 33

HERMAN MUNDEN—Bicycles and supplies, lawn mowers sharpening, light welding and brazing, repair work of any kind. Work called for and delivered. Phone 6042. 71 Tenth St.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female — 34

WANTED—A colored woman to do house work. Apply 1720 McGregor street.

EMPLOYMENT

Classified Phone 4121

Help Wanted—Female — 34

WANTED—Unencumbered woman, 25-years of age or older to assist in work at Hotel. Apply at once at the Service Hotel. Box 302, phone 47, Holliday, Texas.

Help Wanted—Male — 35

WANTED—Chicken pickers, apply 504 Tenth Street.

WANTED—To hire Ford trucks with dump beds. Work for 60 days and longer. Can earn $10 to $15 per day. Phone R. A. Rogers, Henrietta, Tex.

WANTED — Two neat appearing young men to travel with salesmanager. $30 per week if qualified. C. L. Bennett, 714 Texan Hotel.

BE A DETECTIVE—$50-$100 weekly, travel over world; experience unnecessary American Detective Agency 628 Columbia, St. Louis.

WANTED —Collector for down town business district. Man with car preferred. See Mr. White after 5 p. m. Texan Hotel.

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CITY MEAT MARKET
Grandfield, Texas.

Help Wanted—Male or Female — 36

EXPERIENCED stenographer and bookkeeper wants permanent or temporary position: over five years' experience with one firm. Phone 4059.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities — 40

PERSONAL loans made in a refined and business like manner, legal interest, 10 monthly payments. Wichita Falls Finance Co. Inc. 800 Eighth St. Kemp Hotel Bldg.

HIGHEST cash prices for your used furniture. Winters Furniture company, new location, 613 Seventh. Phone 4219.

THE BEST location in the city for a nice cafe, beauty parlor and barber shop. Apply desk, American Hotel.

CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 816 Ohio. Phone 3223.

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Prepare for a better position in
DRAUGHONS COLLEGE
Night School.
Write or phone Draughon's College for particulars. 10th and Scott Street. Phone 5656.

Name .....

Address .....

Money to Loan—Real Estate — 43

LONG TERM straight loans on or before 7% interest. Prompt service. BLAINE & STONE, Dial 3747.

LOANS TO BUILD
or buy homes. Best terms. Low net interest, Wichita Falls Building and Loan association, 611 Ninth, ground floor, Perkins-Snider Bldg.

Money to Loan—Personal. — 43A

MONEY—Small loans, easy terms—confidential dealings—Dixie Credit Co., 702 1-2 Indiana Phone 7169.

TEXAS CREDIT COMPANY
Small Loans; Confidential
605½ Seventh. Room 10 Phone 4436

MONEY when you need it. Empire Loan Co. (Business confidential.) 710 1-2 Indiana. Phone 5987.

MONEY—MONEY
City Loan and Jewelry Co.
Loans on personal property
Unredeemed bargains in diamonds.
613 Eighth. Phone 7842

Barter and Exchange — 45

WILL trade practically new phonograph for good standard typewriter. Phone 6808.

WANTED—100 boys and girls at Record News office. We have lots of those fine pencil sets. Just bring in two new subscribers to The Record News and get one of them. You will need it when you start to school next week.

Miscellaneous for Sale — 46

NEW kitchen sink and petty Coop (Baby Bed). 1706 Taylor street. Phone 6852.

FOR SALE—Two ladies' diamond rings at a sacrifice. Also gentleman's high-grade watch. It will pay you to call 7522.

PEARS
$1.25 per bushel and a large quantity of apples.
1001 OHIO
Phone 3893.

MERCHANDISE

Furniture — 47

REAL nice mahogany dining-room suite, cheap. Phone 5882.

CHRIS AND SONS, 113 INDIANA—The house of furniture bargains! Buy, sell and exchange; phone 7750.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for used furniture. See us before you sell. Bolton Furniture Co., 807 Tenth st. Phone 3389.

WE PAY cash or trade for your furniture. Home Furniture Co., 816 Ohio Ave. Phone 3223.

HIGHEST cash prices for your used furniture. Winters Furniture company, new location, 613 Seventh. Phone 4219.

HIGHEST cash prices for your used furniture. Winters Furniture company, new location, 613 Seventh. Phone 4219.

FOR SALE—Furniture of nine-room furnished apartment house; hardwood floors, best condition, on carline; best part of city. If interested write Box 4918 Record News.

SEE our complete stock of used dressers, beds, kitchen cabinets, gas stoves, sewing machines, etc. Attractive terms. Bolton Furniture Co. 807 Tenth St. Phone 3389.

Phone 4121

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MERCHANDISE

Classified Phone 4121

Furniture — 47

NEW and used furniture, Millican Furniture Co., 714 Seventh St. Phone 8514.

INVEST IN REST
By buying Patton's felted Rest-Well or Kopak Mattresses. For renovate work phone 9930. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co., 402 Indiana.

Dogs, Cats and Pets — 54

FINE singers, eight months old, for sale. Phone 6327. 605 Elizabeth.

ENGLISH pointer bird pups for sale at 606 Van Buren street.

FOR SALE—Three pair golden yellow German rollers. Phone 7845.

RIP-RAP pointer male pup; proper age for training. Will be good for heavy work this season. good blood and fine looking. Can be seen at 1808 Filmore.

SPECIAL IN large porcelain lined refrigerators. Many other bargains in new and used furniture. Micks Furniture company, 716 Seventh. Phone 3528.

Wanted to Buy — 61

DO YOU want the best cash price for your used furniture. Then phone 5757.

MILLICAN Furniture Company. New and used furniture, 714 Seventh street. Phone 8514.

WICHITA JUNK CO. specialize in metal. Get our bid first. 311 Indiana. Phone 9249.

WANTED—To buy or rent a piano. Must be in first-class condition and a bargain. Phone 3690.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

Rooms With Board — 62

BOARD and lodging. 904 Lamar street.

ONE bedroom, with two meals; also garage. 2014 Pearl.

ROOM and board for three men. 1304 Scott.

ROOM and board $10 per week. Call 1007 Burnett. 6306.

SOUTHEAST room with board for couple. 904 Lamar. Phone 21406.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms, close in, bath, garage. Two meals a day; men only. 1315 Ninth street.

FRONT bedroom and two meals for two teachers or working girls. Phone 9112. 1506 Bluff.

ROOMS and board for men, close in. Will fix lunch if desired. Also garage. Four unfurnished rooms over garage. 205 Elm.

TWO nice rooms with board splendid location for teachers, in the Sam Houston school district, or would rent furnished for light housekeeping. Apply 2507 Grand street. Phone 4604.

Rooms Without Board — 63

ROOMS and apartments close in. 702 Austin street. Phone 21528.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms. 1610 Kemp boulevard.

FOR RENT—Bedroom for one or two. Phone 7845.

TWO south bedrooms, men only. 1506 Travis street. Phone 9508.

EXTRA large front bedroom, teacher or business girls. 1104 Holliday.

TWO SOUTH bedrooms, men only. 1206 Burnett. Phone 9656.

FOR RENT—Nice bedroom to gentlemen. Phone 9662. 1207 Sixteenth

BEDROOM for rent, $4 per week. 904 Burnett street.

FRONT bedroom for rent, men only. 800 Austin. Phone 8620.

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REAL ESTATE---RENT

Houses for Rent — 66

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FOR RENT — Five-room modern house, double garage. Phone 5467.

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REPORTS HOLD COTTON DOWN

Market Entirely Under Domination of Government Figures

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 12.—(AP)—The cotton market during the past week has been under the domination of the government crop report issued Wednesday. The first day of the week being Labor day, there was no trading, hence there was but a single day in which to even up commitments in advance of the official crop forecast. Apparently the long interest had been liquidated as thoroughly as was desired during the preceding week as the market advanced a little more than 60 points on December before the bureau report was issued indicating that traders were looking forward for a fairly bullish crop figure.

As the government's estimate of 15,166,000 bales was considerably larger than anticipated, in fact only 42,000 bales under its previous estimate based on August 16 condition, the market experienced a sharp setback which carried prices off more than 60 points Wednesday. Prices have gradually eased off further since then and on the closing day of the week lost 64 to 87 points additional, bringing the loss on December compared with the high point of Wednesday up to 160 points or $7.50 a bale.

The decline was helped considerably by the better weather which has prevailed in the belt, which discouraged persistent longs and brought out heavy liquidation. Hedge selling also played a considerable part in forcing the decline, the placing of hedges being due to the large sale of spots in southern markets during the week. A good deal of out and out speculative short selling was also encouraged.

The movement of the crop into sight has continued light and both mill takings and exports showed increases over last year. The visible supply also increased but slightly compared with a heavy increase a year ago. From present indications the visible supply of American cotton which was 900,000 bales in excess of the previous year only a few months ago will be smaller than a year ago by October 1.

The following shows the high, low and closing sales of futures in the New Orleans market during the past week compared with a year ago:

Month	High	Low	Close	Last Year
Oct.	18.20	16.75	16.80	23.62
Dec.	18.30	16.80	16.85	23.80
Jan.	18.25	16.86	16.90	23.80
March	18.39	17.08	17.07	24.01
May	18.45	17.43	17.20	24.10

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BUSINESS ON WIDER PLANE

Broadening Activity Is Felt After Labor Day Passes

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—The expected broadening of business activities after Labor day came fully up to expectations last week, strengthening the active demonstration. The end of the vacation season, according to reports from many centers, was followed by stiffening commodity prices, an expansion of commercial operations and a larger wholesale and retail buying movement.

Statistical measures of trade, including carloadings, bank clearings, industrial earnings and the trend of output in various lines, have provided convincing proof of the improvement which has lately taken place and is still under way.

Bolstering up the entire structure of business has been a fundamentally sound credit situation. Money rates have stiffened with the approach of fall but in view of declining commodity prices there has been no doubt that this was due to a normal trade expansion and not to commercial inflation. So far money conditions have not been tight enough to work any hardship upon legitimate business requirements and the federal reserve rediscount rates have been maintained at a 4 per cent level.

Car Loadings Heavy.

The number of cars loaded with freight in the week ended August 28—1,136,233—was the largest in the history of the railroads. This was the fourteenth week this year in which the freight movement had passed the million car mark and the total loadings represented against of 1 per cent over the previous high record established in the final week of August last year. Traffic experts believe the peak of the crop and merchandise movement is still to come and would not be surprised to see the August loadings record eclipsed late in the fall.

Bank clearings have held well above those of a year ago which had been unmatched up to that time and producing operations have been expanded in the automobile, textile and footwear industries. Building activities, however, have proceeded at a slower pace and the oil industry has been worried by recent increases in crude production.

IS KILLED BY FALL.

HOUSTON. Sept. 11.—(AP)—W. M. Taylor, about 50, died from a fall from the Magnolia hotel to the bank of the Buffalo bayou, it was decided Saturday by Justice of the Peace Campbell Overstreet who held and inquest over Taylor's body. The body was found by passersby.

Whether the death was accidental or suicide was left open by Justice Overstreet until the investigation is completed.

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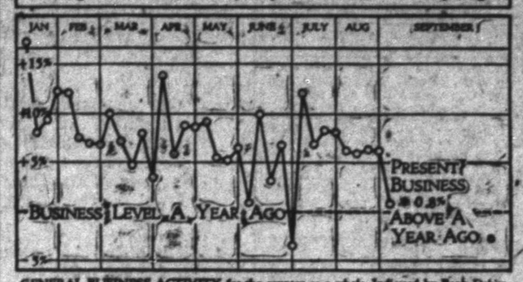
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Chicago	**St. Louis**	**Minneapolis**	**Kansas City**	**Dallas**	**San Fran.**
+7.0%	—3.4%	—9.6%	+5.7%	+1.3%	—1.9%

LEADING BAROMETERS
Showing trend of important factors

	Present Trend	% Change from Year Ago
Business in Dollars [Checks Cashed]	Steady	+ 0.8
Employment [Dept. of Labor]	Steady	+ 1.3
Wages [Dept. of Labor]	Steady	+ 4.1
Cost of Living [Ind. Conf. Board]	Declining	— 2.0
Wholesale Prices [Fisher's Index]	Declining	— 6.6
Agricultural Prices [Dept. of Agr.]	Declining	—12.8
Movement of Goods [Car Loadings]	Steady	+ 0.8
Retail Trade [Fed. Res. Board]	Steady	+ 4.4
Wholesale Trade [Fed. Res. Board]	Steady	— 1.2
Failures [Dun's]	Steady	+13.9
Bond Prices [Annalist]	Steady	+ 4.4
Stock Prices [Annalist]	Mixed	+12.3
Stock Mkt. Vol. [Shares Traded]	Undecided	+39.5

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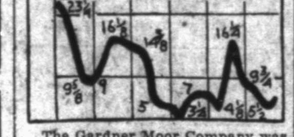
Bank Clearings

Decrease Reported in Last Week Over Figures for 1925

An decrease of $34,402.97 was shown in the bank clearings for the week ending September 11 in comparison with the clearings for the same period, 1925, according to the Wichita Falls Clearing House association Saturday. Clearings for the week follow:

Monday	Holiday
Tuesday	$556,872.75
Wednesday	632,492.52
Thursday	543,650.44
Friday	503,949.68
Saturday	539,638.29
Total	$2,776,632.89
Week ending 1 year ago	2,811,035.86
Decrease	$ 34,402.97

STOCK-A-DAY

The Gardner Motor Company, Inc. 5¾ Year Record.


The Gardner Moor Company was incorporated July 14, 1920 to manufacture and market automobiles. Until January, 1925, the concern engaged in manufacture of moderate priced four-cylinder cars but during 1925 discontinued that line and is now turning out a limited number of straight eight and six-cylinder models. Record production was in 1922 when about 9,000 cars were produced.

The company owns a plant and equipment situated on leased land in St. Louis. It is furnished with power by a company light plant. The original company to which the present corporation is successor was a co-partnership. At the beginning of 1926 the company had 121 distributors and dealers and about 400 associate dealers.

There is no funded debt. Capital stock consists of 155,000 shares outstanding of no par common stock. So far as earnings are concerned, the best year of the company's history was 1923 when net profit before depreciation was $132,408. As of December 31, 1925, current assets were $661,264 and current liabilities $154,961 leaving $726,303 net working capital. There were no bank loans. The common stock at the end of 1925 had a book value of $7.76 a share. No dividends have yet been paid.

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Colverts ice cream is a food—not a luxury.—Adv.

BUILDING PERMITS

Fewer building permits were issued in the city of Wichita Falls for the past week than in any other week since the beginning of the year, and the total money involved show a decided loss under that of previous weeks. However this is not to be interpreted as a building slump, but rather as a week in which practically nothing but residence projects were contemulated, it is said.

The total for the past week amounts to only nineteen permits issuedand the total finances involved are $43,235. Building of residences, most of which are for home owners, has slackened but little, but big building projects are slower than at any time during the year. The total, including the past weeks' permits, now amounts to $7,550,796 for the year, a considerable increase over the same period for last year.

Individual permits were as follows:
J. T. Pollard, 2123 Broad, residence and garage; $3,000.
H. G. Helgerson, 1408 Ardath, residence and garage; $4,500.
W. L. D. Fox, 2136 Yale, residence and garage; $2,000.
Mr. Fisher, 501 North Lamar, residence and garage; $3,000.
A. Benson, 2707 Pennsylvania, residence and garage; $1,485.
S. L. Butler, 1421 North Eighth, residence and garage; $2,750.
W. F. Sonnamaker, 1800 Britain, garage; $200.
Johnnie Ryan, 1905 McGregor, residence and garage; $4,000.
Parker and Gentry, 2415 Grant, grocery store; $200.
K. M. Tittle, 1924 Eighth, risdence; $800.
W. E. Wilson, 2121 Yale, residence and garage; $2,000.
J. Caruthers, 2012 Tenth, residence and garage; $6,000.
Texas Building company, 196 North Brook, residence; $1,500.
J. T. Richey, 1408 North Eighth, residence and garage; $2,500.
Lewis Pink, 2412 Tenth, residence; $1,200.
George W. Truitt, 1409 North Ninth, residence and garage; $3,000.
John Dormier, 1302 Fillmore, residence and garage; $5,000.

Credit Takes A Hand in Bonds; Trade Restricted

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(AP)—Credit conditions governed activities in the bond market last week, accounting for a curtailed volume of dealings and at the same time for the underlying firmness of prices. Trading was restricted by ungrounded fears that the 4 per cent federal reserve rediscount rates would be raised in certain cities but the failure of any of these banks to make changes later strengthened the confidence.

The week after Labor day saw money rates established at slightly higher levels, but until the call quotation rises above 5 per cent bankers do not look for a general upward revision of discounting charges.

The United States treasury's fall financing was successfully accomplished by the sale of $350,000,000 nine month 3 1-2 per cent certificates, which were promptly oversubscribed. The large over-subscription—almost twice the amount of the issue—indicated that a great volume of funds was awaiting investment.

With the possible exception of large stabilization loans for France and Belgium, investment houses have been unable to foresee much important financing for the autumn months, despite the favorable conditions prevailing for the flotation of new issues. Two German loans of about $20,000,000 each are overhanging the market, one for the state of Prussia and another for the Siemens and Nalske Electrical concern. Many small corporate issues, both foreign and domestic are in prospect. Last week's bond offerings aggregated about $53,000,000, compared with nearly $70,000,000 in the preceding week.

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