

Smith Formally Accepts Democratic Leadership Democratic County Committee Called To Session

Application Of Party Pledge To Be Main Subject

Wheelock, About Whom Local Political Fuss Is Raging, Is Invited to Attend Session Friday.

CHAIRMAN COUNTERS BY NEW STATEMENT

Further Complications Are Apparently Coming For The Local Political Situation.

Means of applying the new party pledge—with the more recent interpretation that it means support of all democratic candidates, the presidential nominee included, will be discussed at a special session of the county democratic executive committee, called yesterday by the acting chairman, C. B. Powell, for Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the district courtroom.

A hint that further political dynamite will be injected into the situation which has arisen through failure of Frank E. Wheelock, elected county chairman, to comply with a request for his resignation was given when Mr. Powell stated that Mr. Wheelock had been invited to attend the meeting.

Although the committee declared the office of Mr. Wheelock to be vacant, due to the latter's open admission of opposition to Al Smith, Mr. Wheelock has ignored the committee's vote and yesterday was continuing in the duties of the county chairman, distributing ballots and arranging for the August primary.

The meeting is mainly to instruct voters on their procedure in the primary, said Mr. Powell.

Mr. Wheelock made the following statement to the *Avalanche-Journal* late last night:

"As I picked up the *Journal* this evening and looked over the article on the front page, first column, I

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Report Rockford Signal Received

Rescue Crews Declare Sea Very Rough and That No Chance Left for Men If Afloat On Ocean.

(By Associated Press)
MADISON, Wis., Aug. 22.—Don Mize, operator of the Burgess Battery Station at Madison, Wis., which installed the radio on the Greater Rockford, declared tonight there was no possibility the signals heard by two Chicago amateurs could have been sent by Mize and Cramer. "Hassell's apparatus could send only on a wave length of 32.5 meters," said Mize. "It would be impossible for a wave band to change 23.5 meters."

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The coast guard cutter *Marion*, searching for the missing *Greer*, Bert Hassell, and Parker Cramer, reported to headquarters tonight that at noon it was in a "strong southerly gale," thirty miles east of Rockford Island, and expressed opinion there was "no chance of Hassell being alive now if on the water in this vicinity."

The message said the cutter tomorrow would continue the search to the southward along the Labrador current.

NEED COTTON PICKERS Thousand Families Could Be Used, Report

DALLAS, Aug. 22.—At least 100,000 families of cotton pickers can be placed within the next week by the Dallas office of the United States department of labor's farm labor service, J. R. Martin, agent in charge, announced today.

TRAPSHOOT TITLIST C. R. Brand of Buffalo Is New Champion

VANDALIA, O., Aug. 22.—(AP)—C. R. Brand of Buffalo, at the Grand American Trap Shoot tournament here today broke 198 out of 200 targets and was named champion of champions for 1928.

He was preceded by E. P. Woodward, Houston, F. K. Lee, Birmingham, Ala., and D. L. McCaffree, Pueblo, Colo., who had scores of 185. They will shoot off the tie tomorrow.

NEW EAST TEXAS RAILROAD LINE

WACO, Aug. 22.—Financial arrangements having been completed, Col. R. C. Duff, Houston, promoter of a railroad from Waco to Beaumont and Port Arthur, stated today that plans for the proposed line will be submitted at once to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Plans call for construction of 160 miles of rails between Waco and the railroad terminus. Trackage rights owned and obtained will make the line complete, Duff stated.

The promoter hopes to obtain rights to operate on the I and N-N. railroad from Waco to Mart and on the Gulf Coast lines from Elizabeth to Grayburg. A small section of Santa Fe trackage between Bragg and Saratoga also is under consideration for either leasing or purchase.

Ten Die As Cook Dashes Amuck On California Ranch

Armed with Hatchet And Rifle, Chinese Employee Slays On Wholesale Scale; Thought Crazy by Dope

(By Associated Press)
FAIRFIELD, Cal., Aug. 22.—When a yellow radio of hatred burst on the W. G. Lee ranch, near here today, ten lives were ended by the murderous fury of Loy Young, Chinese cook, and another of his victims, Nellie Wong, 15, expected to die tonight.

Young, armed with a hatchet and a rifle, suddenly ran amuck today and killed Wong, his employer, Wong's wife and three children and five Chinese workmen. Others were wounded.

He escaped. The sheriff believed the man was insane with insanity. He gave little credence to a theory the carnage was part of a plot concerning conflict between Chinese gangs.

LIBEL ALLEGED Knights of Columbus Plan To Take Action

CLEVELAND, Aug. 22.—(AP)—Charges of criminal libel will be filed against at least six persons and organizations alleged to have published and circulated a bogus fourth degree "oath" of the Knights of Columbus.

The supreme council of the order in session here, today promised immediate prosecution. Millions of copies of the oath have been distributed particularly in the South, within the last three months according to a report made today by Luke E. Hart, supreme advocate of the order.

SEEK BIG DAMAGES Ten Million Asked Of The Roxana Company

GALVESTON, Aug. 22.—Ten million dollars damages are sought in a suit filed in the district court here today by Fred Paine and others against the Roxana Petroleum Corporation and others.

Alleged failure of the company to develop sulphur deposits on land owned by Paine in Brazoria county is basis of the action. Paine alleges the Roxana agreed to pay a ton for sulphur mined and that test wells showed a sulphur vein 20 feet thick which, it was claimed would yield 10,000,000 tons. It is further alleged the corporation transferred the sulphur lease to the Texas Gulf Sulphur company.

NEW RAIL CHIEF Holden to Be New Southern Pacific Official

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—(AP)—Hale Holden, president of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, will become chairman of the executive committee of the Southern Pacific company late this year, succeeded by Henry W. DeForest, the Associated Press was informed today.

Paul Shoup will be named president of the Southern Pacific to succeed William Spruille, retiring, it was said.

Ralph Budd, president of the Great Northern, and Charles Donnelly, president of the Northern Pacific, have been considered as to Holden, it was stated.

Smith Is Openly In Favor of Pro Law Amendment

Governor Pounces On Republican Party Corruption; Ceremony Forced Inside.

MILLIONS LISTEN TO ADDRESS OVER RADIO

Applause from Throng Of Notables That Attend Ceremony Punctuates the Governor's Speech.

(By Associated Press)
ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 22.—Back again in the executive hall where years ago he received a political schooling, Governor Smith tonight accepted the Democratic presidential nomination.

Rain had forced a last minute shift in arrangements for his nomination. The ceremony which was to have taken place outdoors was shifted to the assembly chamber, and there he outlined his views on campaign issues, calling among other things, for modification of the 18th amendment as well as the Volstead law.

Without mincing words, the nominee promised, if elected, to enforce the prohibition law, but served notice that he would recommend a change in the constitution to permit manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages in states where the plan received approval by popular referendum.

Opposes Return of Saloon. Insisting he would always oppose the return of the saloon, the New York governor said he favored the sale of intoxicants through state agencies, and called attention to the Canadian method of handling the problem.

With millions listening in on the radio but with his immediate audience, on account of the weather.

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Stabbing Climax To Political Row

Tennessee Republican Gubernatorial Nominee Is Wounded In Attack From Fellow Townsman.

(By Associated Press)
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 22.—Raleigh S. Hopkins, Columbia, Tenn., the republican nominee for governor, was stabbed in the arm by John W. Jackson, a fellow townsman, during a meeting of the republican state executive committee to canvass votes in the August 2 primary at the state capital today.

The stabbing took place during a heated argument over a contest brought in Mr. Hopkins' home district.

Jackson was taken to the police station in the patrol wagon and charged with assault with intent to commit murder.

The republican meeting was adjourned temporarily while Mr. Hopkins was taken to a doctor's office for attention. He was not believed to be hurt seriously.

Dog Racing, New Sport So Popular In East, May Be Staged at Plains Fair

Directors Consider Booking of Unique Entertainment for Exposition Patrons This Fall—Decorations of City For Period of Fair Is Matter of Discussion

Directors of the Panhandle-South Plains fair association are considering staging dog races at the fair this fall, October 1 to 8, inclusive, it was announced yesterday following a meeting of the directors who considered a mass of routine and special matters.

With carnival attractions, fireworks, the four aerial Loew's, the Bacardi Trio, Will Morris, cycling comedian and hundreds of other attractions already arranged for the fair, the directors are considering the addition of the races to this year's entertainment card, to offer the fair crowds the best possible entertainment.

While the directors have not decided definitely to stage the races, the cost of putting the races on and the benefits to be derived will receive a thorough study within the next few days.

Dog Races Popular. The dog races are sweeping the country, especially in the northern states where from 30,000 to 40,000

Here's Governor Smith and the Scene of His Acceptance



Here is the scene of Governor Smith's acceptance speech, the state capital building at Albany, New York. To the right is the democratic standard-bearer in a characteristic pose.

Plains Cotton Generally Free From Harmful Pests Avers State Entomologist

NEGRO ACCUSED Black Held for Slaying At Texarkana

TEXARKANA, Ark., Aug. 22.—(AP)—Charles Moore, negro, was charged today with murder of Harry R. Kent, 57, dead from injuries of Sunday night.

Moore, who denies the accusation, will be arraigned tomorrow. Kent was struck when he went to investigate rumors that provokers were in his uncle's grocery store.

Apparently his attacker used an axe.

FIRE AT DALLAS \$50,000 Damage Reported Yesterday

DALLAS, Aug. 22.—(AP)—Fire here tonight caused about \$50,000 damage to a building occupied by the Fuller Supply company. Fire Captain W. J. Harmon was overcome by the heat and smoke but later was revived.

KILLS TWO MEN Row Started Over Fifty Cent Dice Game

GRAYS SUMMIT, Mo., Aug. 22.—(AP)—Glenn Davis, engineer, and Len Huddleston, construction worker were shot and killed here by Mont F. Caney, another construction worker during an argument over fifty cent in a dice game.

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BUILDING BOOST Six Permits for \$19,750 Are Issued

The city hall had another boom day in building permits yesterday, when six permits, totaling \$19,750, were issued, bringing the month's total to \$304,975, and the year's total to \$2,374,044.

Permits yesterday were issued to: O. A. Gunn, contractor for Roseberry for a five-room brick veneer, at 2906 Twenty-fifth street at a cost of \$5,000; T. J. Morgan for a \$1,000 stucco residence at 2312 Avenue T; Alvin Carney for a 14 by 20 tile business building to be built for P. F. Springer on lot 18, block 105, original townsite, at a cost of \$1,500; J. H. Aldridge for L. H. Aldridge for a five-room brick veneer residence at 2110 Twenty-seventh street at a cost of \$3,750; T. H. Dodson for Arthur Pierce for a five-room brick veneer residence at 2104 Twenty-ninth street at a cost of \$4,100; and T. H. Dodson for Goodwin for a six-room brick veneer residence at 2108 Twenty-sixth street at a cost of \$5,250.

BOOZE RING ALLEGED Conspiracy Charged To 8 In Chicago

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—(AP)—Under charges of conspiracy to violate dry laws, eight men were held to the grand jury today while a ninth remained in a serious condition in a hospital, shot by one of three federal agents who arrested the eight in a raid on a loop office building yesterday.

The wounded man, Marie Adams, had a chance for recovery. He was shot, the agents said, when he tried to flee from the office being raided.



20 Cent Cotton Terrell Forecast

Agricultural Commissioner Estimates Texas Crop At Five Million Bales; Present Market Rapped.

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Aug. 22.—Slight deterioration in the Texas cotton crop caused by drought and insects led Geo. B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture, to estimate today the crop will amount to about 5,000,000 bales.

The recent government estimate of 12,000,000 bales more was justified at the time it was made, Terrell said.

Current price of around 18 cents a pound is "entirely too low," he declared, and if the total crop does not exceed 15,000,000 bales, "every bale should bring 20 cents, and will bring that much before the close of the season unless the crop is greater than the present estimate."

The corn crop is made with the exception of some late plantings in the northwestern district, the commissioner said, "of course the crop is not gathered, but it is estimated that it will make 118,000,000 bushels compared to 115,031,000 bushels last year."

"The sweet potato, peanut and sugar-cane crops compare in acreage and condition with last year at this time, but no satisfactory estimate of production can be made now as the production of sugar cane and sweet potatoes will depend largely upon fall season."

"It seems that Texas will make enough feed crops to do next year if properly distributed."

"Stock ranges and livestock are reported in splendid condition."

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OLATHIE, Kans., Aug. 22.—(AP)—A charge of assault with intent to kill was filed here late today against E. A. Conn, father of Elizabeth Conn, Kansas City, Kan., who eloped Friday with William L. Marshall, neighbor boy, Tuesday. Conn severely beat George W. Palmer, the probate judge who married the couple.

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Dynamic Governor, In Address That Rings With Determination, Outlines Views On Major Political Questions

Smith Speech ... At a Glance

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 22.—(AP)—Outstanding points in Gov. Smith's speech of acceptance follow:

PROHIBITION. Favors modification of 18th amendment to permit sale of alcoholic beverages by state agencies if approved by popular referendum vote; also amendment of Volstead Act allowing each state to determine its own standard of alcoholic content; pledges honest endeavor to enforce dry laws and to stamp out corruption; and reiterates opposition to return of saloon.

FARM RELIEF. Stands on platform development of cooperative marketing and for earnest efforts to solve problem of distributing cost of handling surplus over units benefited; promises to call in experts to study question and present recommendations upon reconvening of congress.

FOREIGN RELATIONS. Stresses necessity for restoring cordial relations with Latin-America; declares Monroe Doctrine must be maintained but not as pretext for meddling with purely local troubles; approves extension of arbitration treaties, and promises "real" endeavor to end all wars by removing causes.

TARIFF. Opposes "sudden or drastic" change in economic system, attacks workings of Fordney-McCumber Act, and promises to restore scientific, non-partisan tariff making.

IMMIGRATION. Favors removal of restrictions which separate families and opposes basing quotas on census 38 years old.

WATER POWER. Advocates public ownership and control.

FLOOD RELIEF. Says money already appropriated not enough to make "even a start" on program laid down by Jones-Reid bill which must be carried through.

LABOR. Declares for collective bargaining, fair treatment to government employees, immediate attention to unemployment, and definite remedy for abuse of injunction in labor disputes.

INLAND WATERWAYS. Would seek their improvement and would re-study Great Lakes to see whether impartially and abide by decision of congress.

COLORADO RIVER. Favors establishment of Colorado River authority representative of all states concerned to handle development.

MUSCLE SHOALS. Would develop method of operation and retain government ownership and control.

CONSERVATION. Pledges to work for "progressive and liberal conservation policy" based on principles followed in New York state.

WOMEN. Advocates true equality for women in business, government and politics.

VETERANS. Would seek removal of red tape in their cases.

FIVE DIE IN CRASH Train Plows Into Auto Near Three Rivers

CLEVELAND, Aug. 22.—(AP)—Geo. H. Wise, 70, superintendent of a large department store here, and four companions believed Clevelanders, were killed in a railroad crossing crash near Three Rivers, Quebec, today, according to word received by local police.

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GOVERNOR INDICTS REPUBLICAN REGIME

Assails Administration Foreign Policy, Pledging An Honest Endeavor to Move For Outlawing War.

(By Associated Press)
ALBANY, Aug. 22.—With all the force at his command, Governor Smith tonight told an expectant nation what he would do if elected president. In aggressive fashion, he accepted the democratic nomination with a speech which not only set forth his stand on prohibition, agriculture, foreign relations and other public questions, but accused the republican administration of a failure to keep faith with the people.

As millions listened in by radio, the new leader of the democratic advocated modification of both the Volstead law and Eighteenth amendment; reiterated that he would give the problem of controlling crop surpluses his immediate attention, if elected; assailed the administration's Nicaraguan, and Mexican policy, and pledged himself to a "real" endeavor to outlaw war.

He also called for reorganization of federal government activities as a business basis; declared that neither he nor the democratic party contemplated "sudden or drastic" changes in tariff schedules; reaffirmed his stand for public ownership and control of waterpower; promised a square deal for war veterans; stressed the need for inland waterway development, reforestation and conservation of natural

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Nye Gives Hoover His Endorsement

North Dakota Senator Declares G. O. P. Nominee Submits Best Program Of Aid for Farmer.

(By Associated Press)
CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Aug. 22.—Senator Gerald P. Nye, republican independent of North Dakota, tonight announced his support of Herbert Hoover for president after conference with the republican candidate here.

The North Dakotan, who had not joined other members of the congressional delegation in his state, said he was convinced of Hoover's determination to solve the farm problem and was sure that he could and would become "a great friend and benefactor of agriculture."

"I shall not longer hesitate in supporting his candidacy," the senator added.

Referring to the farm declaration of Alfred E. Smith, the democratic presidential candidate in his acceptance speech tonight, Nye, in his formal statement, said he did not compare with that made by Hoover in his acceptance address.

The Weather

GIRLS WHO INSIST ON A HUSBAND WHO IS EASILY PLEASED ARE LIKELY TO GET JUST THAT KIND.

WHY TEAR: Thursday and Friday, treated with hard showers, cooler in the Panhandle Thursday, and in north portions Friday.

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Curtis Advocates Joint Committee

Group Would Consider Only Legislative Side Of Matter, However, Vice-Presidential Nominee Says.

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—In proposing appointment of a joint congressional committee to work out the agricultural problem Senator Curtis, Republican vice presidential nominee, explained here today he meant for the committee to consider "only the legislative end" of the question.

When it was suggested his ideas on farm relief did not coincide with those of Herbert Hoover, the senator said "I suggested the joint committee of congress as a body which could consider the recommendations submitted to congress by the president and others for dealing with this question. I think that the easier way. As it is, congress has two large committees, one in the senate and one in the house considering farm relief separately."

"For the last two sessions, the house and senate agricultural committees have both favored the McNary-Haugen bill with its equalization fee provision and twice congress has sent this bill to President Coolidge who vetoed it as many times."

Curtis supported this bill when measures of his were sidetracked, and, as Republican leader of the senate, he voted to sustain the veto.

WAR HERO TO SPEAK

Field Marshall Allenby On Legion Program

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 22.—Acceptance of an invitation to attend the tenth annual national American Legion convention at San Antonio, October 8-12, was received today by Nat M. Washer, general convention chairman, from Field Marshal Viscount Allenby of Great Britain.

The distinguished Englishman who drove the Turks out of Jerusalem during the world war, previously was requested by national commander, Edward E. Spafford, to be present at the annual gathering of former service men. Viscount Allenby also had agreed to make an address, which will be one of the highlights of the convention program, Washer said.

Regeneration Is Topic At Revival

Stress Laid Upon Greater Attendance For Morning Services; Good Music Is Feature.

Regeneration was the theme around which the evangelist built his sermon last night at the First Methodist church, and one of the most deeply interesting congregations listened in unbroken silence to the very earnest message of the evening.

At the close of the service two young men renewed their vows, and the evangelist was made to rejoice that his preaching was not in vain.

Services will be held at 8 o'clock in the morning and everyone who possibly can should be on hand at that time. It is a very pleasant time to worship in the cool of the morning and you will enjoy the service.

Prayer services are held each evening 30 minutes before the preaching service. Christian people should attend these meetings, and all others are invited.

Good music is characterizing the services, pipe organ, piano and orchestra music accompanied by good congregational singing of good gospel hymns, lead by H. W. Richardson.

COLEMAN OIL PLAY

Four Wells Near Sand; Two Spudded In

COLEMAN, Aug. 22.—Four wells in the Coleman county were on top of the sand or near the horizon in which production is expected and two more tests were spudded during the fore part of this week while in active development here.

Probably the most interesting test in the Coleman & Sun Oil Company No. 2-B J. P. Morris in the Williams Reber survey No. 722, approximately 300 feet east of the same interest No. 1-B Morris, which came in for nearly 200 barrels daily production. The No. 2-B Morris is standing at 1,985 feet with 30 feet more to drill and the large pipe to pull before topping the sand. The well is located between the Eastland & Sun production and the Harry Gwynn and Broderick & Gelert production in the R. Cochran survey.

Turman et al No. 1 Kingsberry, 1,170 feet from the north line and 5,280 feet from the east line of the Wharton County School lands No. 496 is still gassing at the rate of 4,000,000 cubic feet daily from the top of sand at 1,115 feet. Operators are attempting to shut off the gas before drilling in.

GIRLS UPSET DOPE

Fifteen-Year-Olds Are The Winners In Golf

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Two 15-year old Chicago girls upset the two favorites and went into final round of the women's western junior golf championship at the South Shore Country club today.

They were Rena Nelson, who eliminated Mildred Hackl, Chicago, 4 and 2, and June Berne, who defeated Patricia Stephenson, Minneapolis, 4 and 2.

Side Glances

—By George Clark



"Say, Joe, I wantcha to keep your eye peeled for a little girl to do a sister act with me."

Big Increase In Crude Production

Output for Week Ending August 18 Showed Boost Of 55,300 Barrels In The Daily Average.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Daily average gross crude oil production in United States increased 55,300 barrels for the week ending August 18, totaling 2,444,500 barrels, says the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute. Daily average production east of California was 1,809,100 barrels, an increase of 56,600 barrels. Daily average production, difference in barrels:

Oklahoma, 661,450, increase 56,850;
Kansas, 102,350, decrease 400;
Panhandle Texas, 63,150, increase 1,450;
North Texas, 93,850, decrease 1,000;
West Central Texas, 55,450;
West Texas, 343,950, increase 10,350;
East Central Texas, 29,800, decrease 400;
Southwest Texas, 25,250, decrease 400;
North Louisiana, 40,200, decrease 300;
Arkansas, 87,450, decrease 450;
Coastal Texas, 105,550, decrease 900;
Coastal Louisiana, 24,700, increase 550;
Wyoming, 50,750, decrease 9,000;
Montana, 10,100;
Colorado, 7,500, decrease 500;
New Mexico, 3,000, increase 50;
California, 635,400, decrease 1,300;
Totals, 2,444,500, increase 55,300.

Interest At Low Ebb for Primary

Only Three County Offices Being Contested In Run-Off Scheduled for Coming Saturday.

Interest in the run-off primary to be held Saturday, is somewhat lukewarm. It develops from a survey of the city.

Only three county offices are contested in the run-off, these being the posts of county judge, county tax assessor and sheriff. The new pledge prescribed by the democratic executive committee seems to have more interest with the majority of voters than does the county race.

Forty-eight absentee votes had been filed up to yesterday, as compared to some 100 such votes prior to the July primary.

The sheriff's race between H. L. Johnston, present sheriff and Wade Hardy will be settled by the voters of the county Saturday. A. B. Ellis and R. C. Burns, will fight it out in the county tax assessor's race. The other office to be filled is the county judge's which is sought by George W. Foster and Robert H. Bean.

Campaign expenses filed recently by most of the surviving candidates from the first election show no drastic expenditures since the previous election.

The expenses as filed in the county clerk's office follow: H. L. Johnston, \$295; Wade Hardy, \$221.50; Robert Bean, \$278.25; and R. C. Burns, \$292.

Today is the last day for absentee voting.

SARGASSO SEA

Beauty But No Menace Is Seen

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—In the Sargasso sea is pictured as a place of beauty rather than a menace by H. A. Marmer of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey. The water is unusually blue, due to lack of minute plant and animal life. It is so transparent that a six-foot white disc can be seen clearly at 200 feet depth.

Belief in the existence of great masses of weed in this sea has no basis in fact. Marmer writes in the United States Naval Institute Proceedings. The sea has surface weed patches up to 100 feet in diameter and occasionally as large as an acre in extent, which do not interfere with navigation.

RANGER SUE

Nacogdoches Pair Demand \$35,000 Damages

NACOGDOCHES, Aug. 22.—Q. H. Spencer and wife, Mrs. Ruby Spencer, today filed suit in district court here against State Ranger Homer T. Oliver of Angelina county, asking damages in the sum of \$35,000.

It was alleged Mrs. Spencer was placed under arrest without warrant and placed in the Angelina county jail, where she "suffered much mortification, great humiliation, mental and physical pain and suffering."

Mrs. Spencer is the step-mother of Bertha May Spencer, burned to death near her home here recently.

Give Posthumous Degree

DALLAS, Aug. 22.—To honor memory and work of Frank Marion Adams of Mart, drowned in a swollen stream near Uvalde August 4, Southern Methodist University will award him a posthumous degree of master of science at its convocation ceremonies here Friday night.

GREENWOOD LAKE, N. Y., Aug. 22.—Dr. John Rosch Straton, pastor of Cavalry Baptist church, New York City, and opponent of Governor Smith's candidacy, announced today he had accepted invitation to address a mass meeting in Atlanta, Ga., September 4 and that he would invite Smith to "come and defend his record."

Demonstrable Superiority

Cities Service oils and gasoline, which are sold to the public in ever-increasing volume, are the same products which the \$650,000,000 Cities Service organization uses in serving cities, towns and villages in twenty states with electricity and gas for lighting, heat and power.

For quick starting—longer life for your battery—Cities Service gasoline has proved its superiority. Instant ignition at the touch of the starter!



CITIES SERVICE OILS AND GASOLINE

Auto Crash Brings Fistic Bout

Two Lubbock Citizens Pay Off to Justice of Peace for Fray On Downtown Street

Two prominent Lubbock men paid \$11.85 each in Justice W. S. Clark's court yesterday afternoon for the privilege of a few fisticuffs which ensued when the cars in which the two were riding collided at the intersection of Avenue H and Main, just north of the court house.

Attracted by the crash of the cars, a large crowd gathered to watch the battle which followed, but Constable J. C. Roberts and Deputy Sheriff Vernice Ford separated the two, and brought them to Justice Clark's court.

The quarrel was nearly renewed in the office of the justice. "You ought to have held out your hand when you turned," one of the men told the other. "I did hold out my hand," was the reply. "You didn't," the first snapped back.

"Cut out the argument," Justice Clark said, "or I'll put you both in jail."

"I'm not arguing, Judge," the second said. "That is to say, I ain't mad at nobody."

"Never mind that," Judge Clark returned, "settle the argument outside if you have to."

After that things became more peaceful.

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Director General, THE RUBBER INSTITUTE, Inc.

THE tire industry has taken great steps forward in the past decade.

Tire quality has been improved immeasurably; tire prices have been reduced to the lowest levels in history.

And now the industry has taken another great forward step.

The manufacturers of 95% of the tires made in the United States guarantee tires bearing their names and serial numbers against defects for the life of the tire.

What an improvement this is over the old days of the now out-worn "definite mileage guarantee."

The era of the mileage guarantee came to an end when users realized that good tires are made of rubber and cotton—not printed promises.

They discovered that "there are no miles in a bottle of ink."

They discovered that you cannot put mileage into tires by written guarantees—it must be built in. No mileage guarantee will hold the tread to the carcass—

nothing but craftsmanship does that.

They discovered that no mileage guarantee will toughen the rubber or strengthen the cotton cord—only the know-how of experienced tire builders does that.

They discovered that no mileage guarantee will extend the life of a tire to its utmost capacity—only good driving and care for your tires does that.

On the other hand, car owners found that the definite mileage guarantee had these failings—

- 1 It benefited the driver who misused his tires and misrepresented his mileage, at the cost of the honest and careful driver who did not abuse his tires, and who was truthful in stating his mileage, or honest in admitting he did not know his mileage.
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The first year following the elimination of the definite mileage guarantee, over thirteen million dollars was saved by doing away with adjustments against neglect and abuse of the careless driver, and was put back into the product for the benefit of all drivers alike.

The industry simply converted non-productive cost into good sound rubber and cotton. Every user benefited equally; tire prices came down; tire quality went up. Today the American tire user is enjoying the lowest-cost tire miles in the history of the world.

The high quality of present day tires has made possible the prevailing standard tire warranty, extending over the life of the tire—the broadest and most constructive guarantee of service that can be written—a declaration that enables the manufacturers of over 95% of the production in the country to stand squarely behind the quality and serviceability of their products, as they wish to stand.

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THE MANSFIELD TIRE & RUBBER CO.
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Snappers Pound Ace Hurlers For 13-5 Win To Even Series

Hallahan Hurls Buff Victory Over Spuders, Cutting Their Lead

San Angelo Wins With Hitting In Two Big Innings

Galeria and Jackson Fail To Hold Bats of Snappers As Carl Williams Hurls Team To Victory.

ABILENE, Aug. 22 (AP)—San Angelo landed heavily on Chick Galeria, star of the Ace mound corps, continued the attack on his successor, Buster Jackson, and aided by many bloopers for the Abilene defense, evened the West Texas championship series by winning, 13 to 5.

The visitors scored six times on Galeria in the first inning, and had two on base with home away when he retired in the second. The two base runners plus another comrade ultimately registered.

Jackson then hurled shutout ball for five rounds but gave down before another onslaught in the last frame.

Tomorrow and Friday the pennant contenders will be entertained in the San Angelo park. If a fifth game is necessary it will be played Sunday at a site to be determined by a flip of the coin.

The best week day turnout of the year witnessed the contest and although not rewarded by a home victory were given a side show in the fourth when Umpire Levi Johnson chased Manager Les Tullos of the Aces for protesting too vigorously on a decision.

San Angelo AB R H O A E
Combs, 2b 4 1 2 2 5 0
Higginbotham, lf 4 2 2 3 0 0
J. T. Williams, cf 3 2 1 3 0 0
Wiley, c 3 2 2 3 0 0
Tracy, 2b 3 2 3 0 1 0
Kent, lb 5 2 3 12 0 0
McMillan, rf 5 2 1 0 0 0
Doty, ss 5 0 2 1 3 0
C. Williams, p 4 0 0 0 1 0

Totals 38 13 27 10 0

Abilene AB R H O A E
Sullivan, cf 4 1 1 3 0 0
Bean, lb 4 1 1 9 0 0
Orr, rf 5 0 2 2 0 0
Storti, 2b 5 2 3 2 4 1
Best, lf 5 1 3 1 0 1
Wright, 2b 5 0 2 1 0 1
Garns, ss 5 0 2 1 0 1
Galeria, c 4 0 2 6 1 1
Jackson, p 4 0 0 0 3 0

Totals 38 5 12 27 12 4

Two base hits—Higginbotham, Tracy, Omeria. Sacrifices—Higginbotham, Doty, Sullivan, Higginbotham, J. T. Williams, C. Williams, Garns. Stolen bases—J. T. Williams, Doty. Double plays—Jackson to Garns to Bean. Runs batted in—J. T. Williams, Wiley, Tracy, Best, J. C. Williams, Storti, Bean, Sullivan, Williams 4, off Jackson 2, Struck out—By Williams 4, by Jackson 6. Wild pitches—Galeria 2, Batter hit—by Galeria (J. T. Williams). Passed balls—Wiley 2. Losing pitcher—Galeria. Left on bases—San Angelo 5, Abilene 10. Time of game—2 hours. Umpires—Tongate and Johnson.

Palestine Takes Opener From Twins

PALESTINE, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Palestine Pals won the opening game from the Texasans Tuesday here this afternoon, eight to two, scoring two runs in the first inning and five in the third to put the game on ice. Betts was the pitching star of the game, and although he was hit rather heavily by the Twins, he kept them scattered and held the scoring down. He was exceptionally tight in the pinches. Coor furnished the thrill of the game when he tripled to the right field fence with two men on base in the third. Woods was relieved in the third by Gallivan, who was in turn relieved in the fourth by Price, who hit hard by the Pals, but managed to get them out with due regularity, although he was frequently in trouble. Bobby Goff featured in the field for the Pals, and Smiley did an unusually good job at short. Both teams felled well, and not an error was charged against either team. Coor Ferguson and McClamahan led the Pals hitters. One of the largest crowds ever to attend a ball game here was present.

Texasans 002 000 000-2
Palestine 205 010 000-8
Wood, Gallivan, Price and Kramer. Betts and Ferguson.

TILDEN TO BE ABSENT

Will Not Attend Hearing On His Case

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (AP)—William T. Tilden, American first ranking tennis player, will not be present at his trial on charges of violating the amateur player-ruler rule of the United States lawn tennis association, scheduled here Friday, he notified President Collier in a letter tonight.

Business factors are to be out of the city at the time of the meeting of the executive committee, was given by Tilden as his reason for not appearing.

He then wrote his side with request it be presented to the meeting.

How they stand

Texas League

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Houston 3, Wichita Falls 2.
Shreveport 3, San Antonio 1.
Beaumont 9, Fort Worth 7.
Dallas 12, Waco 2.

HOW THEY STAND

Club P W L Pct
Wichita Falls 58 31 17 707
Houston 59 37 22 627
Shreveport 59 34 25 576
Dallas 56 27 29 482
San Antonio 58 26 32 448
Waco 59 25 34 424
Fort Worth 57 24 33 421
Beaumont 56 17 39 304

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Shreveport at San Antonio
Dallas at Waco
Wichita Falls at Houston
Fort Worth at Beaumont.

American League

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 6.
Washington 2, Chicago 3.
Detroit 7-4, Boston 6-3.
New York-St. Louis, rain.

HOW THEY STAND

Club P W L Pct
New York 119 81 38 681
Philadelphia 119 76 43 639
St. Louis 121 62 59 512
Chicago 120 55 65 458
Cleveland 121 56 66 455
Detroit 119 54 65 454
Washington 121 54 67 445
Boston 120 43 77 358

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

St. Louis at New York
Chicago at Washington
Detroit at Boston
Cleveland at Philadelphia.

National League

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
St. Louis 2, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 5, New York 4.
Boston 3, Pittsburgh 10.
Philadelphia 2, Chicago 5.

HOW THEY STAND

Club P W L Pct
New York 112 71 45 598
St. Louis 119 71 48 597
Chicago 121 68 53 562
Cincinnati 118 68 52 559
Pittsburgh 116 64 52 552
Brooklyn 119 59 60 496
Boston 108 53 55 488
Philadelphia 111 59 52 527

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

New York at Pittsburgh
Brooklyn at Cincinnati
Only two scheduled.

Gotham Extends Noisy Welcome To Olympic Team

Mayors' Committee Meets Athletes at Dock And Escorts Them to Huge Reception from City.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Olympic Argosy that sailed so confidently out of New York harbor less than two months ago to sweep international games at Amsterdam came back today to a noisy and colorful welcome.

With the whistles of the city lamplights tooting through the rain in answer to the great siren of the liner—President Roosevelt, the mayor's committee, headed by James Walker, met the athletes and officials, and escorted them to a joyous reception.

Fireboats spouting dozens of streams of water into air that poured back a steady drizzle from low hanging clouds raced around the giant liner as it came slowly up the bay. Despite the rain, the 350 athletes on the flag-festooned liner crowded the rails and cheered familiar landmarks.

Parade Abandoned
A parade to city hall for a mammoth reception was abandoned because of the weather but Mayor Walker organized the party right on the dock.

Watkins' Hit In Ninth Ends Duel Between Hurlers

Bufs Whittle Spudder Lead To 4-1-2 Games; Hallahan Fans Twelve to Bring His Session Total to 215.

HOUSTON, Aug. 22 (AP)—Watkins swung his heavy bat in the ninth today, for a homer, and the Buffs whipped the Wichita Falls Spuders, 3 to 2, to whittle the lead of the Dixie champions to four and a half games. The circuit blow broke up a dramatically contested hill struggle between Hallahan and Payne. After the first inning Hallahan gave but two singles and twelve batters were victims of his speed and hooks. He has fanned 215 batters and turned in 21 victories this season.

WICHITA FALLS AB R H PO A E
Denton ss 2 1 0 1 2 1
Turgeon 2b 4 0 0 3 3 0
Pittsford cf 3 1 1 5 0 1
Lamb rf 3 0 1 1 0 0
Jenkins lf 4 0 1 2 0 0
Swenson 3b 3 0 0 2 0 0
Eaton 1b 4 0 1 4 1 0
Lapan 3b 3 0 1 6 0 0
Payne p 2 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 28 2 4 24 6 2
X—None out when winning run scored.

HOUSTON AB R H PO A E
Heck 3b 4 0 1 1 3 0
Selph 2b 4 0 1 5 0 1
Worthington rf 4 0 1 0 0 0
Watkins cf 4 1 1 0 0 0
Peel lf 3 0 0 4 1 3
Schubert ss 2 0 1 0 0 0
Sayler 3b 3 0 1 1 2 0
Walker 1b 2 0 0 6 0 0
Hallahan p 3 1 1 0 0 0

Totals 29 3 5 27 9 2
Wichita Falls 290 000 000-2
Houston 000 002 000-3
Two base hits: Fitzgerald, Jenkins. Home run: Watkins. Sacrifices: Schubert, Snyder, Lamb. Base on balls: off Hallahan 6, Payne 1. Struck out by Hallahan 12, Payne 3. Left on base: Wichita Falls 5, Houston 3. Time 1:55. Umpires: Griggs, Hill and Countryman.

Steers Pound Cub Hurlers, Win 12-2

WACO, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Steers hopped all over the offerings of Waco Southpaws and won the opening game of the series from the Cubs by a score of 12 to 2. Waco went out for a couple of weeks with a split hand. Brown scored late in the game on a sacrifice fly to shortstop, and Pratt early in the game lost a double when he cut first base.

Waco 002 530 200-12
Waco 010 000 001-2
Pierce and Stemer. Barnabe, Shelton and Heath. Wolgast.

Bears Lose Duel To Sports, 3 to 1

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 22 (AP)—With Messenger and Estrada in prime form today the Shreveport Sports won the opening of their farewell visit of the season 3 to 1. Both pitchers had something on the ball. Messenger hanging up eight strikeouts and Estrada five. Meyers fanning three times in a row.

Shreveport 000 120 000-3
San Antonio 000 100 000-1
Estrada and Hayworth; Messenger and Meyers.

Exporters Turn On Cats to Win, 9 to 7

BEAUMONT, Aug. 22 (AP)—Tired as being driven from pillar to post for the past month, the Exporters turned on one of their chief tormentors this afternoon and eked out a 9 to 7 victory. The victim was Jake Atz and his Kitties. Benny Burns started for the Cats, but Goff finished the last two frames.

Beaumont 022 000 100-7
Beaumont 213 000 030-9
Burns, Goff and Cobb; Hanson and Campbell.

SURVIVES TOURNEY

Women's Junior Golf Play Is Started

CHICAGO, Aug. 22 (AP)—Patricia Stephenson, tall Miss from Minneapolis, was the only entrant outside of Chicago to survive the quarter final round of match play in the women's western junior golf championship at the south shore countryclub today. She entered the semi-finals by defeating Mary Jane Nelson of Peoria, Ill., 3 and 2.

Mildred Hackl, Chicago, also remained in the running by eliminating Ruth Replogle, Oklahoma City, 4 and 3.

In another match, Erna Nelson, Chicago, beat Mary Elizabeth Ford, Kansas City 3 and 2. June Beck of Chicago also advanced to semi-finals by defeating another Chicagoan, Edith Tenney, 5 and 4.

TAYLOR RESIGNS

Enters Ranks of The Featherweight Boxers

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (AP)—Bud Taylor, of Terre Haute, has given up his national boxing association heavyweight championship, and will campaign in the future among featherweights. Taylor's decision was announced in a letter to Jess McMahon, matchmaker at Madison Square Garden.

The Nut Cracker

By Joe Williams

Pittsburgh, they say, is developing into a threat in the National League. That shows what a little smoke on the ball will do.

The Phillies are in the same state—and then again they aren't. They are almost not in the same league.

George Lett says that grass courts are passing and that clay soon will be used exclusively. It won't be lawn now.

Evidently, these younger tennis stars don't want any grass growing under their feet before they get the Davis Cup back.

These athletes, certainly, have their ups and downs. Henney is married. Tunney is going to be a poor big Bill may not even be allowed to continue his courting.

It is to be hoped, however, that if the Lawn Tennis association must slap him on the wrist it spurs his writing arm.

Cardinals Lose To Robins, 3 to 2 As Giants Lose

National League Race Gets Tighter As Leaders Lose; Petty Hurls Brooklyn To Victory.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Cardinals lost to the Robins 3 to 2 here today.

St. Louis AB R H PO A E
Douthitt cf 4 1 1 5 0 0
Frisch 2b 4 1 1 1 3 0
Orsatti 1b 3 0 1 7 0 0
Haley lf 4 0 2 3 0 0
Blades rf 2 0 0 3 1 0
Wilson c 4 0 0 3 0 0
Holtz 3b 4 0 0 3 0 0
Maranville ss 4 0 0 5 0 0
Mantel p 2 0 0 0 0 0
High x 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 31 3 5 27 9 0
X—Batted for Mitchell in 9th.
St. Louis AB R H PO A E
Cares cf-rf 4 0 1 3 0 0
Gilbert 2b 4 0 0 4 0 0
Harris rf 4 1 1 3 0 0
Statz cf 0 0 0 0 0 0
Bressler lf 4 1 2 3 0 0
Bessette 1b 3 0 0 1 4 0
Fisher 3b 3 0 0 2 3 0
Barnett ss 4 0 0 0 5 0
Deberry c 3 0 2 2 0 0
Petty p 2 0 0 0 0 0
Clark p 0 0 0 0 1 0

Totals 43 7 7 27 13 3
Brooklyn 100 200 000-3
St. Louis 000 002 000-2
Two base hits—Bressler, Deberry. Douthitt, Frisch, Haley, Three base hits—Bressler. Base on balls—off Mitchell 1, off Petty 3. Struck out—by Petty 3, hits 2 runs in record—off Petty 3 hits 2 runs in 5-1-3 innings. off Clark 2 hits no runs in 3-2-3 innings. Winning pitcher—Petty.

Reds Shade Giants 5 to 4, Take Series

CINCINNATI, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Reds shaded the Giants 5 to 4 today in the rubber game of New York's last 1928 series in Cincinnati.

New York 000 030 010-4
Cincinnati 000 030 000-3
Aldridge, Fitzsimmons and Hogan; Luque and Hargrave.

Waner and Traynor Hit Pirate Win, 10-3

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 22 (AP)—The hitting of Paul Waner and Pie Traynor was the high spot of the final game of the Pittsburgh-Boston series today, the Pirates making it two out of three by winning 10 to 3.

Pittsburgh 302 100 040-10
Boston 030 000 000-3
Greenfield, Palmer and Taylor; Brane and Hensley.

Cubs Finally Win From Philadelphia

CHICAGO, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Cubs finally chased the Philadelphia jinx by taking the final game of the series, 3 to 2 in 12 innings today.

Philadelphia 020 000 000-2
Chicago 000 010 100-3
Riggs, McVay, and Davis; Nellis and Hartnett.

TRAPSHOOT RACE

Three Are Tied For First Honors

VANDALIA, Ohio, Aug. 22 (AP)—Three men were tied for the lead in the race for champion of champions at the conclusion of the first 100 targets at the amateur trapshooting association meet here today.

The leaders were Frank Troch, of Portland, Ore.; F. K. Lee, of Birmingham, Ala.; and E. F. Woodward, of Houston, Texas. They broke 97 each.

Athletics Gain Half Game With Win; Yanks Idle

Mackmen Nose Out Cleveland, 6 to 5, In Seventeen Innings, After Late Inning Rally to Tie Score.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Mackmen won the decision over Cleveland here today, 6 to 5.

Philadelphia AB R H PO A E
Blalock 2b 8 2 4 7 7 0
Orsoll 1b 7 1 0 12 1 2
Cochrane c 7 0 1 3 3 0
Simmons lf 8 0 1 3 0 0
Fox 3b 8 1 4 0 4 0
Miller rf 7 1 3 5 0 0
Hask cf 7 1 2 9 0 1
Baley ss 3 0 1 0 4 0
Cuthbert ss 1 0 1 0 0 0
Hassler ss 2 0 0 1 2 0
Hale ss 1 0 0 0 0 0
Dykes ss 0 0 0 1 1 0
Karnshaw p 1 1 0 0 0 0
Pryor ss 0 0 0 0 0 0
Rennell p 3 0 1 0 1 0

Totals 66 6 20 51 25 3
X—Batted for Boley in 8th.
Z—Batted for Hassler in 14th.
Z—Batted for Pryor in 8th.
Cleveland AB R H PO A E
Langford lf 5 1 3 4 0 1
Ford 2b 7 0 2 4 6 0
J. Sewell ss 6 1 2 2 8 0
Hodapp 3b 6 0 0 1 5 1
Morgan 1b 6 0 1 0 1 0
Burns lf 6 0 1 0 1 0
Harrel cf 7 1 2 6 0 0
L. Sewell c 6 1 0 7 0 0
Uhle p 2 1 1 0 0 0
Miljus p 4 0 1 0 0 0

Totals 60 5 14 48 21 4
X—None out when winning run scored.
Cleveland 000 000 140 000 000-5
Phila 010 000 031 000 000 01-6
Two base hits—Hase, Karnshaw, J. Sewell, Cochrane. Base on balls—off Uhle 2, off Miljus 1, off Karnshaw 1, off Rennell 1. Struck out—by Uhle 4, by Miljus 3, by Karnshaw 2. Hits off Uhle 9 in 7-2-3 innings, off Miljus 11 in 8-1-3 innings, off Karnshaw 7 in 8 innings, off Rennell 7 in 9 innings. Winning pitcher—Rennell.

Senators Shutout White Sox, 2 to 0

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22 (AP)—The Senators won the second game of the series with Chicago today 2 to 0.

Chicago 000 000 000-0
Washington 200 000 000-2
Wahle, Cox and Crouse, Hadley and Ruel.

Detroit Takes Both Games of Twin Bill

BOSTON, Aug. 22 (AP)—Detroit won both games of today's doubleheader with the Red Sox taking the second game 4 to 3. The score in the first game was 7 to 6.

First game 000 020 000-7
Detroit 100 020 000-6
Gibson, Smith, Holloway and Hargrave. McPayden, Griffin and Hoffmann.

Second game: 100 001 020-4
Detroit 000 030 000-3
Wahle, Hill and Shea, Morris and Heving.

DAMAGES SOUGHT

T. Ralph Carpenter Made Cross Defendant

T. Ralph Carpenter was made cross defendant by an action filed in the 99th district court yesterday in the case of Mrs. Noelle Garrett against W. A. Izard. The suit is for damages growing out of a traffic accident.

In a similar cross action brought by the defendant, J. R. Germany was made cross defendant in the suit brought against the Citizens National Bank of Lubbock by the Fidelity and Deposit company of Maryland. The suit is for debt. It also is filed in the 99th district court.

WESTERN LEAGUE
Des Moines 3-3, Oklahoma City 2-3.
Tulsa 6, Omaha 2.
Wichita 5, Denver 3.
Amarillo 5, Pueblo 2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Indianapolis 7, Minneapolis 8.
Toledo 16, Milwaukee 1.
Louisville 6, St. Paul 9.
Columbus at Kansas City, no game.

Old Omar Khayyam knew a lot about pleasure, Alkyer let him out on a wonderful treasure. A box of Tom Moore's (very modest in price) would have made Omar's life a complete paradise.

Tom Moore CIGARS

Rickard Is Not Alarmed Over Rantings Of Terrible Sharkey

By NEA Service

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (AP)—The 140-lb. Tex Rickard is drafting for another one of those heavy-weight elimination things, the bad Jack Sharkey man of Boston occupies one of the most important spots. The tournament hardly can be a success without Sharkey in it.

Sharkey claims that he would have a clear title to the championship if Rickard had not pushed him around. And he claims that he is the champion anyway, and when Sharkey gets through with the eliminations he will defend the championship against the survivor of the tournament. And he insists he will get the champion's end of the purse.

Rickard does not appear to be alarmed. "He'll have to come to me when I want him," Rickard says. "Let him flounder around now with those little promises. When winter comes he'll have to listen to me because I have the only spot for the big winter shot. Sharkey's just pouting off. When I lose, I take the loss. I don't pass out rubber checks or ask the fighters to take a cut. And to tell the truth, the best of Sharkey has replied: 'Bah!' And Rickard gets through with the eliminations he will defend the championship against the survivor of the tournament. And he insists he will get the champion's end of the purse."

Stage Is Set For Life Saving Test Scheduled Friday

Walter Wicks, Expert From Red Cross Headquarters, Will Be Here; Big Party Set Saturday Night.

All is in readiness at the City pool for the swimming and life saving activities on Friday and Saturday under supervision of Walter Wicks of St. Louis, national Red Cross representative.

At ten o'clock each morning, Mr. Wicks will judge the life saving contests. A N. Clapp, local Red Cross examiner, has arranged for two contests and will award a bathing suit for the highest score made among those who passed their test in former years under A. England, or C. E. Graham, and another suit to the one showing the greatest improvement in score, who passed the test this season. The best score of either contest is the champion of Lubbock and will be awarded a silver medal suitably engraved.

On Saturday night at eight o'clock there will be a water carnival with races, fancy diving, and life saving contests in three divisions, boys, men, and women. Each class will have races of twenty and thirty five yards free style, a twenty yard backstroke, and a fancy diving contest. The life saving event is open to all entries will be accepted until the race is called but Mr. Clapp urges those intending to compete to post their entry on the board at the pool or communicate with him.

One of the features of the carnival will be a two act skit "Life Saving and Present." In the first act, the Crenshaw, will be the charmingly scintillating John Howard opposite and assisted by the Rix Furniture and Undertaking company, the latter department being emphasized. The second act will have Mr. Wicks as the star, demonstrating the present thoroughly efficient methods of life saving.

Mr. Wicks comes to Lubbock highly commended as an expert in water safety, swimming, and diving. Besides his life saving instruction, Mr. Clapp hopes to arrange for a class on Friday afternoon in fancy diving and speed swimming.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Atlanta 4, Little Rock 1.
Mobile 6, Nashville 2.
New Orleans 15, Chattanooga 5.
Three games scheduled.

WESTERN LEAGUE
Tulsa 16, Omaha 2.
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Favors Change

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limited to less than 2,000, packed into a stuffy chamber, the nominee assailed the Republican administration on a number of scores.

It was a few minutes after seven p.m., eastern standard time when the Democratic nominee, in a blue serge suit, stood up on the dais where more than a decade ago he presided as speaker of the assembly. He had been introduced by Senator Pittman of Nevada, chairman of the nomination committee, and a noisy demonstration which lasted nearly four minutes, had to be quelled before he could proceed.

Applause Punctuates Talk

With a glass of ice water, which he frequently sipped, at his elbow, the governor read slowly from his prepared speech, which lay before him under a desk light. The first burst of applause came when he declared that "I accept your summons to the wider field of action."

Again there were cheers and handclapping when Smith declared war on "the forces of corruption and favoritism" and, a little later, when he had been built for tonight's

at his reference to the idealism of Jefferson, Cleveland, and Wilson.

With practically no gestures, but with great emphasis at times, the governor was greeted with a round of cheering when he said the Democratic party was "pledged to continue those standards of unblemished integrity which characterized every act of the administration of Woodrow Wilson."

Party Leaders Attend

As the Democratic standard bearer swung through his speech, he was surrounded by members of his family and by leaders in the party, among them Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the vice presidential nominee, who sat to his right. Directly behind was John J. Raskob, chairman of the Democratic national committee, and in front, a tier below, sat Mrs. Smith and other members of the governor's family.

Down in front of the speaker's dais stood about 300 newspapermen and massed back of them and to the sides stood hundreds of men and women who had squeezed into the chamber.

Outside, around the foot of the east steps of the capitol where stands had been built for tonight's

ceremony, was a water soaked throng, which followed the address through amplifiers with assurance the nominee at its conclusion would come out to say a few words to them.

Attacks Latin Policy

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When the governor served notice that he would recommend, as president, such changes in the law and constitution that he deemed "necessary and expedient," he stirred up an outburst, which echoed through the capitol.

Favors Amendment

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the right wholly within its borders to import, manufacture or cause to be manufactured, and sell alcoholic beverages, the sale to be made only by the state itself and not for consumption in any public place.

"We may well learn from the experience of other nations. Our Canadian neighbors have gone far in this manner to solve this problem by the method of sale made by the state itself and not by private individuals."

"There is no question here of the return of the saloon. When I stated that the saloon is and ought to be a defunct institution in this country I meant it. I mean it today. I will never advocate or approve any law which directly or indirectly permits the return of the saloon."

Declaring that he believed the solution he proposes would be that which would today be offered by Jefferson, or Jackson, or Cleveland, or Wilson, Governor Smith pointed out that "the platform of my party is silent upon any question of change of the law."

"I personally believe there should be change," he added, "and I shall advise the Congress accordingly to my constitutional duty of whatever changes I deem necessary or expedient. It will then be for the people and the representatives in the national and state legislatures to determine whether these changes should be made."

Favors Quick Action

Turnin to the farm problem, the Democratic standard bearer announced that he proposed "to substitute action for inaction and friendliness for hostility" in dealing

Smith Outlines Views On All Major Political Issues and Openly Gives View Favoring Pro Law Amendment

Governor's Acceptance Is Embodied In Comprehensive Address Delivered At State Capitol.

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resources, and advocated "progressive legislation for the protection and care of working men and women."

Immigration Stand

While standing "squarely" on the democratic platform declaration for restrictive immigration, the nominee asserted that he was "heartily in favor of removing from the immigration law the harsh provision which separates families," and was "opposed to the principle of restriction based upon the figures of immigrant population contained in a census thirty-eight years old."

Half way through his address, which he had prepared with the idea of completing its delivery within an hour, Governor Smith tackled the prohibition question. He never will advocate or approve any law, he said, which directly or indirectly permits the return of the saloon, and sale of intoxicants by state agencies was proposed as an alternative.

Declaring that the president of the United States has two constitutional duties with respect to prohibition—enforcement of the law and a determination of what changes, if any, should be recommended to Congress, the nominee made this pledge:

"I shall to the very limit execute the pledge of our platform to make an honest endeavor to enforce the 18th Amendment and all other provisions of the federal constitution and all laws enacted pursuant thereto."

President Only Executive

Then he added: "The president does not make the laws. He does his best to execute them whether he likes them or not. The corruption in enforcement activities which caused a former republican prohibition administrator to state that three-fourths of the dry agents were political ward heelers named by politicians without regard to civil service laws and that prohibition is the new political pork barrel, I will ruthlessly stamp out. Such conditions cannot and will not exist under any administration presided over by me."

Insisting that the present legal definition of the alcoholic content of an intoxicating beverage is "admittedly inaccurate and unscientific," Gov. Smith expressed the view that "some immediate relief would come from an amendment to the Volstead law," which would permit each state to fix its own standard of alcoholic content, "subject always to the proviso that that standard could not exceed the maximum fixed by Congress."

"I believe moreover that there should be submitted to the people the question of some change in the provisions of the 18th Amendment," the nominee went on. "Certainly, no one foresaw when the amendment was ratified the conditions which exist today of bootlegging, corruption and open violation of the law in all parts of the country. The people themselves should after this eight years of trial be permitted to say whether existing conditions should be rectified."

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with the question. Recalling that President Coolidge twice vetoed the McNary-Haugen bill passed by a republican congress, Smith said that "whether the veto of that specific measure was right or wrong, it is undisputed that no adequate substitute was ever recommended to the congress



by the President and that no constructive plan of relief was ever formulated by any leader of the republican party."

Emphasizing the need for co-operative, co-ordinated marketing and warehousing of surplus farm products, the nominee expressed the view that the democratic platform "points the way to make the tariff effective for crops of which we produce a surplus."

"Only the mechanics remain to be devised," said Smith, reaffirming an intention of seeking the aid of farmers, economists, and leaders in finance and business in the working out of an economically sound solution of the problem of handling crop surpluses.

At the outset of his speech, the democratic candidate attacked prosperity claims, declaring that "the republican party builds its case on a myth."

The claim of governmental economy is as baseless as the claims that general prosperity exists," he added, "and that it can exist only



under republican administration."

Gov. Smith assailed the republican administration also for failing to carry out governmental reorganization plans, took a shot at the Fordney-McCumber tariff law and declared that the tariff commission had ceased to function.

Frieders Honesty

"Pay no attention to the republican propaganda," counseled Smith, "and accept my assurance as the leader of our party that democratic tariff legislation will be honest. It will play no favorites. It will do justice to every element in the nation."

In assailing the administration's course with regard to Mexico and Nicaragua, the new democratic party leader said:

"The Monroe doctrine must be maintained but not as a pretext for meddling with the purely local concerns of countries which even though they be small are sovereign and entitled to demand and receive respect for their sovereignty."

Governor Smith declared that the "usefulness" of arbitration treaties as restraints of war had been "materially impaired by the reservations asserted by various nations of the right to wage defensive wars, as those reservations are interpreted in the light of President Coolidge's record."

"I believe the American people desire to assume their full share of responsibility for the administration of a world of which they are a part, without political alliance with any foreign nation, said the nominee. "I pledge myself to a resumption of a real endeavor to make outlay of war effective by removing its causes and to substitute the methods of conciliation, conference, arbitration and judicial determination."

In his discussion of transportation, the nominee said that increased railroad and terminal efficiency in the handling of necessities, improvement of highways for short haul, of small bulk commodities, and development of inland waterways would aid in bringing down living costs.

He recalled that as governor of New York he had expressed a preference for the so-called all-American waterway route through that state in preference to the St. Lawrence project from the Great Lakes to the sea. Reports favoring both routes have been challenged, he said, adding that he would consider it his duty as president to restudy the question "impartially."

Favors Flood Relief

Touching on Mississippi flood relief, the nominee expressed the view that the amount appropriated for this work by congress was "too small to make even a start."

"An ounce of prevention," he observed, "is worth a pound of first aid and relief."

The governor referred to the proposed development of the Colorado river, which has been a subject of controversy, revolving around the Boulder dam bill, in the river basin and in congress for several years, declaring:

County Demos

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immediately changed my mind, as I had decided to not mix up in further publicity through the papers. But now necessity calls that I talk to the good people of this county again, as I can't see many of you personally before election day.

"I was elected to the office of county chairman by the voters of this county and I am still county chairman and shall continue to do my duty as such until I am legally removed for just cause. I want to say to the voters, that it behooves you to go to the polls next Saturday and cast your ballot, according to the dictates of your own conscience. It is a duty that you owe to your families, your neighbors and your country."

"I again call upon you to come to the polls Saturday and use that ballot for the good of your country, your homes and your families."

Plains Cotton

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there. Small numbers of the pest have been located in other parts of the state but none in this immediate vicinity.

No Reason For Alarm

"I see no reason for alarm over this pest," Dr. Thomas optimistically asserted. He added that the web worm, of which there are a few here, had been mistaken for the bagworm to the farmer was not found here, he said.

"I consider the infestation of all cotton pests to be very low in this section."

Dr. Thomas has just returned from El Paso where he attended a conference with federal entomologists relative to the notorious Texas pink boll worm infestation.

"Some trace of the worms have been found in the Big Bend country but none whatever in this part of West Texas," he said. "It appears to be an off year for this insect."

Dr. Thomas was the guest of Don L. Jones, of the Lubbock experiment station, while in the city.

AGNES AYRES SUES

Attress Says She Was Cheated of \$50,000

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 22 (AP).—Agnes Ayres, motion picture actress, at the district attorney's office today, charged a Hollywood florist company, in which she was financially interested, defrauded her of \$45,000. No complaint was issued, but three officials of the company were ordered to come to the office for questioning.

Miss Ayres contended she was victim of a fraudulent exchange of stock transaction.

OFFICERS KILL

Victim of Raid Is Shot To Death

ASHLAND, Ohio, Aug. 22 (AP).—George Frey, 70, former prosecutor of Ashland county, was shot and killed by two deputy sheriffs late today when he resisted an attempt to make a liquor raid on his home near here.

Frey menaced the officers with a shot gun.

ORDER NEW TRIAL

Turkish Teachers To Get Another Hearing

BOSTON, Aug. 22 (AP).—The American board of foreign missions was informed today new trial had been ordered for three women teachers in the mission school in Bursa, Turkey, being convicted of violating provisions of the law regarding religious education in private institutions.

The three teachers were Miss Jennie Jilson of Boston, Miss Lucille Day of El Paso, Texas, and Miss Edith Sanderson of Oakland, California.

results would flow from the setting up of a Colorado river authority, representative equally of all the states concerned. The development should be by the states through the agency of this authority by treaty ratified by congress.

As for Muscle Shoals the nominee said that while retaining government ownership and control he



would seek to have it operated so that the original peace-time purpose of construction would be achieved.

He also said that undoubtedly legislation should be framed to meet just causes for complaint in regard to the unwarranted issuance of injunctions in labor disputes.

Near the conclusion of his speech the democratic nominee made this declaration: "I can with complete honesty make the statement that my nomination was brought about by no promise given or implied by me or anyone in my behalf. I will not be influenced, in appointments by the position of a treasury secretary or dry attitude, by whether he is rich or poor, whether he comes from the north, south, east or west, or by what church he attends in the worship of God."

Guests Invited To Big Jubilee

Newspapermen and Chamber of Commerce Executives Will Attend Traveling Men's Celebration.

In keeping with Lubbock's spirit of hospitality and friendliness to the citizens of every South Plains community, chamber of commerce presidents and secretaries and newspaper editors of every South Plains town have been invited to attend the seventh annual Peddlers' Jubilee, Saturday, as guests of Lubbock and to help Lubbock welcome to this section, the hundreds of "trade evangelists" that make Lubbock and the other South Plains town and do much toward telling the commercial world the true facts of this young empire.

A letter went out from the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce recently inviting these individuals in as special guests.

"This will make the seventh annual party with which Lubbock has honored the traveling men of the territory, and the boys say each year is better than the one before," the letter stated. "This year, the committee in charge of arrangements is putting forth every effort to assure everyone a royal good time."

Hoover Still In Iowa Studies On Farm Help Issue

Burrows Into Subject On Home Ground Where Clamor for Relief Is Constantly Heard.

(By Associated Press)

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Aug. 22. Assuming again the mantle of republican leadership after a day of relaxation among boyhood friends, Herbert Hoover today burrowed into what he considers the nation's greatest economic problem—that of farm relief.

In conference with agricultural leaders and editors of farm papers, the presidential candidate outlined again his method of tackling the task, going more into detail on some of its phases.

What he said, however, was withheld from publication.

Hoover also was visited at his temporary residence at Brucewood, by more than a hundred editors and publishers of daily and weekly Iowa newspapers. He told these that reports such as he had received in Iowa were very "heartening."

While some of the republican leaders now in Cedar Rapids were optimistic as to the situation in the corn belt as it affects the political outlook, others like senators Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota, and James F. Watson of Indiana were included to be somewhat pessimistic. The said drop in wheat prices had caused much disturbance.

Watson, one of the chief pre-convention opponents of Hoover will open formally the Iowa campaign tomorrow night at a political rally to be presided over by Senator Smith W. Brookhart, Iowa republican independent, advocate of election of the GOP candidate.

Hoover arrived after spending a day at West Branch, Iowa, the little town where he was born.

Late this afternoon he conferred with a group of farm belt congressmen and senators before listening in on the radio to the acceptance speech of Gov. Alfred E. Smith, his democratic opponent.

Tomorrow he will confer with farmers from Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Kansas, South Dakota, North Dakota, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan and will greet delegations of Iowa engineers and laborers.

Fatal Corsicans Shooting

CORSICANA, Aug. 22 (AP).—Andy Autrey, about 55, of Corsicana, was wounded fatally in a shooting in the Corsicana business section late tonight. An acquaintance of Autrey's was arrested.

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PROBE PLANNED

Walsh Committee Makes Scheme Known

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22 (AP).—The federal trade commission made public today its plans for investigating public utility holding companies in accordance with the Walsh Senate resolution under which it is looking into financing of all privately owned power utility concerns.

The commission will inquire into holdings in other utility companies, handling of securities and will investigate newspaper holdings, contributions made to schools and political organizations, any payments made to influence and control public opinion and payments to college professors and higher educational institutions.

McADOO IS SILENT

Has No Comment For The Speech of Smith

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., Aug. 22 (AP).—William Gibbs McAdoo, former cabinet officer and candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination refused to comment tonight on the acceptance speech of Governor Smith.

Previously, McAdoo had indicated he might make a statement.

Texas produces large quantities of lime stone. The annual value of the product is about \$2,500,000.

Florida Storm Causes Big Loss



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Here is the first picture sent from the hurricane-swept area of the lower east coast of Florida where a tropical storm, marked by a wind that reached 100 miles an hour at times, caused damage of several million dollars. This picture shows the effect of the storm at Fort Pierce, Fla., one of the towns which was hardest hit. The picture was rushed by courier to Atlanta and transmitted thence by telephoto wires.

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LOVE FOR TWO

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THIS HAS HAPPENED

BERTIE LOU WARD married ROD DRYER, who had previously been engaged to LILA MARSH. Lila makes life miserable for the bride until she meets a rich MR. LORE, and marries him. Then she asks Bertie Lou to forgive the past.

Trying to keep up socially with wealthy friends plunges the Bryers in debt and Rod becomes depressed. Lila sees her chance to persuade him to accept a higher salary from Lore. Shortly after she asked Rod to put some jewels in the safe during her husband's absence. They disappear and Rod wants to notify the police, but Lila insists that they keep the matter secret, pointing out that suspicion against him might spoil his career. Bertie Lou finds out that he has been seeing Lila secretly and is heartbroken.

She is called home to her sick mother and catches a train without seeing Rod. The separation added to Lila's plotting, causes a coldness to spring up between them. Each expects the other to make advances, but explanations and Rod and Bertie Lou go out with MARCO PALMER to retaliate.

They grow further apart, and one evening Rod finds her packing a suitcase for a week-end at the Palmer estate. Angered, he admits to himself that their love is dead and that he is infatuated with Lila.

He is stunned to learn that Lila deceived him about the stolen jewels when a connoisseur admires her pearls at a dinner party. Confounded, she admits that she gave him an empty case and plotted to make him dependent on her generosity to win back his love. He repudiates her treachery and disloyalty to her husband and she sneeringly reminds him that Bertie Lou is at a house party with young Palmer. He leaves her and drives madly east to the Palmer estate. Entering the house by an unlocked door he sees Marco emerging from a room in his dressing gown and hears Bertie Lou's voice inside, and departs without learning that they were merely coming upstairs for a morning suit.

Red hears Bertie Lou with an explanation, and she thinks that Lila has won him. Both women try to find him without success. Bertie Lou obtains a position and is puzzled when Rod makes no move to get a divorce although his lawyer offers her one. The ignorance and dreaminess of her lot causes her to seek forgetfulness in Marco's gay crowd. She decides to buy a "dream home" with the money Rod had sent her when he left.

Now go on with the story.

CHAPTER XL

Marco drove his car over to the side of the road and brought it to a stop. Then he turned to Bertie Lou and kissed her. She closed her eyes and kissed him back. It was fair.

Quickly she pulled herself away. "Let me go," she cried wildly. "Marco I didn't mean it, there was nothing in that kiss, nothing."

Marco smiled. "I know," he said quietly. "It was a dud, but I liked it, Bertie Lou."

There was a boyish simplicity in the way he said it that made Bertie Lou's heart ache for him. "You ought to hate me, Marco," she told him. "I was just thinking about your money, about how easy you could make life for me. I was afraid. I was afraid to stay here and live forever in a dreary half bedroom. For I can't go home, I can't. Oh, Marco, I don't know what to do."

Marco didn't know either, beyond offering her a nice tweed shoulder to cry on. He was deeply shaken himself. "Right up to the party gates," he jerked in silent self-mockery.

"Well, anyway powder your nose and you'll feel better," he said aloud. "If I can't be any more than a friend I insist upon having you look your best."

"You're the nicest person I know," Bertie Lou told him, dabbing at her eyes and half laughing half crying.

"Yeah, nice," Marco sniffed. "Don't you know, Bertie Lou, that you're a girl in a million? I knew darned well what I was doing when I tried to bound you into marrying me. I've heard dad's money talk too many times not to know what an agreeable sound it makes. I thought I could buy you. And I would, too, if you'd have me."

Bertie Lou put a hand on his. "If I loved you the least little bit, Marco, it would make me awfully happy to be your wife. But I don't like you immensely, do much that it's going to hurt not to see you any more."

"That's a grief you'll never know," Marco replied. "Just try not seeing me any more and you will find that this nice side of me you seem to know so much about is only a disguise."

Bertie Lou shook her head. "Not even then. I never really enjoyed pretending you could forget there wasn't anything worth living for," she said slowly.

"But I've reformed," Marco maintained. "I haven't even got a hip flask any more."

"Don't think I haven't appreciated the sacrifices you've made to keep me from being lonely," Bertie Lou said. "But now that you know it won't lead to anything more than friendship you must forget me, Marco. I shouldn't have let you go on believing I'd changed my mind. I knew I never could say yes to you."

"No one knows what he will do," Marco stated firmly. "And while there's life in my body I'll keep on hoping that you will care enough for me someday to marry me."

"No, Marco, we mustn't use each other any more—we mustn't. You don't know... I may be tempted,

as I was a while ago, to accept the things you can give—pleasure and travel and a beautiful home, gay friends and a giddy whirl of excitement, dancing in smart hotels and jazz clubs, something doing every minute... she was growing excited, speaking rapidly.

"... everything like a dream, lovely clothes, real pearls, to melt like tears in our champagne."

"Wake up," Marco besought her. "If you ever got dad to give you a pearl cocktail you'd deserve a medal for distinguished service. You could get it out of me all right only you know I won't have any real jack for years and years."

Bertie Lou laughed. "You see what appeal you have for me," she warned him. "You won't be safe with me, Marco."

"I'll take a chance," he answered. "You'll never want those things bad enough to marry for them unless you care something about the man. I don't expect you to idolize me, Bertie Lou, or anything like that. But I may get to be a habit that you can't break if I stick around, and you don't know how you'll feel 10 years from now."

"Oh, goodness, Marco, you'll be bored to death trailing along with me. And it won't do you a bit of good."

"It might. Only if you ever say again you'll marry me you've got to do it."

"Then ask me first if I want you or your money. I'm a perfect idiot not to grab you. It just chances to be one of my ethical days, but I have ethics when I'm so human I'm scared stiff at the thought of taking care of myself. You see I'm not a strictly modern girl, Marco, I always had someone to look after me. I feel so sorry for myself," she added forlornly.

"You're modern to the tip of your lizard slippers," Marco asserted vehemently. "The old-fashioned girl sometimes married for protection. As long as you insist upon having a little love mixed up with it you're modern, Bertie Lou."

"Well, then, let's get back to town. I have to get up early tomorrow."

"What for?"

"I'm going back to work. Mr. Harrod has been wonderful. I can never thank you enough for getting me a position with him, Marco."

"If I thought it would help my case any I'd ask him to fire you," Marco told her. "Hello, here we are on the Pike. I know a dandy place to eat down the road a few miles."

"What kind of a place?" Bertie Lou asked suspiciously.

"A swell place."

"Dancing?"

"Food too."

"Nothing doing, Marco. You're trying to start me on the road to ruin again."

"You talk like a movie star. Food won't hurt you, Bertie Lou. I never knew a girl could be so thin. Funny how you still look pretty."

"Is that a promise not to drink anything?" she countered.

"Cross my heart."

He remained true to his word. They drank mineral water with their dinner of roast duckling and a big cup of coffee with cream for their delectable apple pie.

Bertie Lou thought of the usual demi-tasse, sometimes with brandy and the countless cigarettes that had followed the dinners together in what she called the old days. She wondered how Marco liked such simple fare.

"He'll live of it," she told herself. "No need to be ruthless. He will go back to his former friends when he becomes bored with this set of mine." She looked out at the dancing throng in the center of the room.

"You wouldn't like to dance

with me?" she asked sympathetically.

"Don't care a thing about it," Bertie Lou looked at him with a flash of fear. He had spoken with great conviction. What if she were wrong, and he really was serious about dropping out of his giddy crowd? To have him constantly offering her the haven and security of his fortune—he would come into his grandmother's money when he was 30, he'd told her—was a prospect that frightened her; it was too tempting when one was in the grip of despair.

She wanted Marco for a friend, but she knew that she would have to face moments of stark loneliness, these evenings, before she saw herself arriving in Wayville in an imported limousine, with a second man beside the driver.

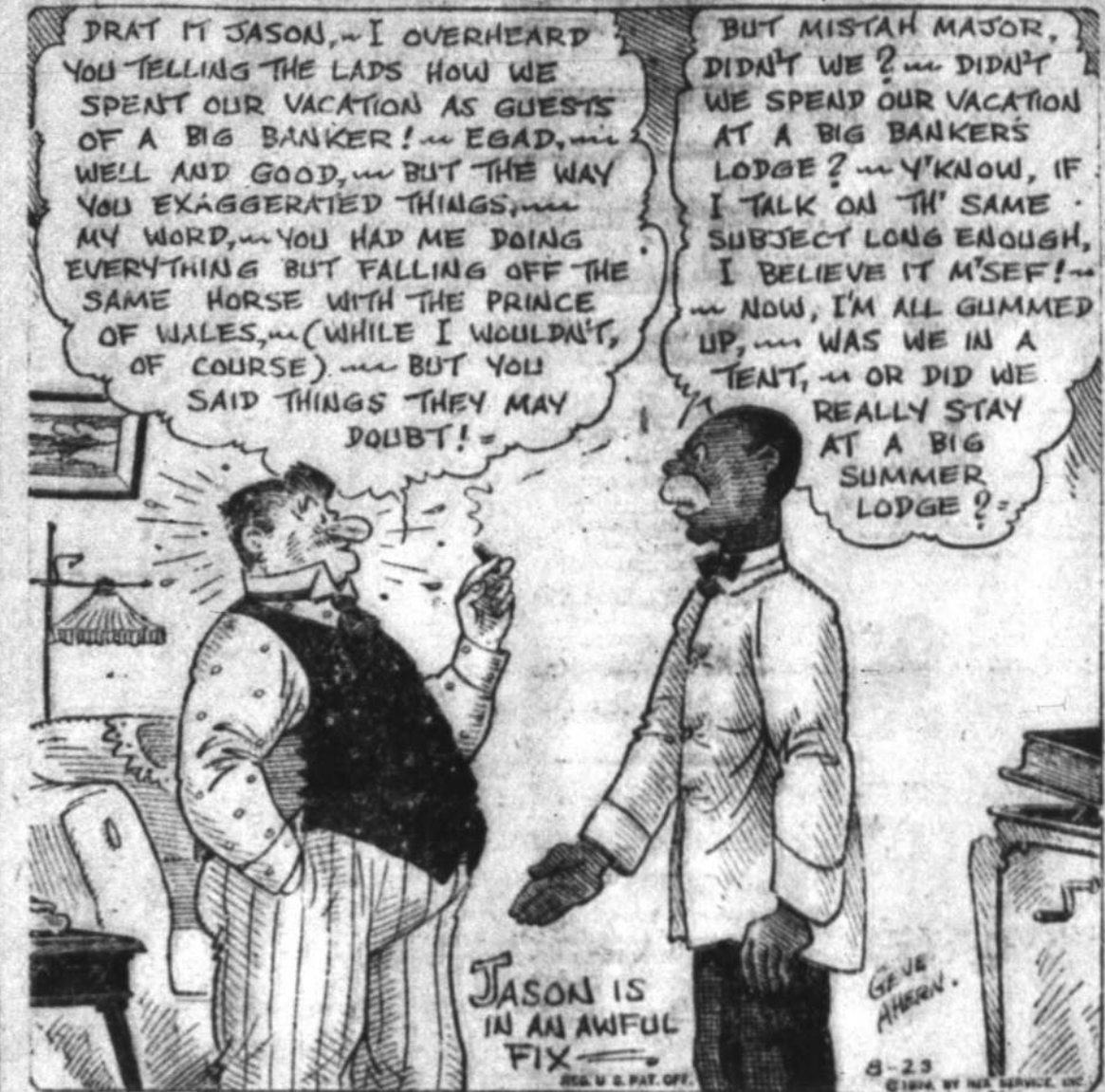
She would buy her mother a fine house—the finest in Wayville; with a marquee on the lawn, where guests might have tea in the summer time. It would soon be summer now.

Bertie Lou put down her fork with a sudden distaste for more food. She couldn't play with Marco's heart like a tennis ball, testing it this way and that; yes and no. If she said yes again she must mean it. And her memory of the time she had been tempted to marry him was so clear, so terribly clear just now, when her mind had flashed out to her home and her father's house.

She could feel the heat of the night before her wedding. How frightfully oppressive it had been! Not long now and it would be like that again. And her mother, still weak perhaps from her long illness, up and down stairs, stewing

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern



PRAT IT JASON, I OVERHEARD YOU TELLING THE LADS HOW WE SPENT OUR VACATION AS GUESTS OF A BIG BANKER!—EGAD, WELL AND GOOD, BUT THE WAY YOU EXAGGERATED THINGS, MY WORD, YOU HAD ME DOING EVERYTHING BUT FALLING OFF THE SAME HORSE WITH THE PRINCE OF WALES, (WHILE I WOULDN'T, OF COURSE) BUT YOU SAID THINGS THEY MAY DOUBT!

BUT MISTAH MAJOR, DIDN'T WE? DIDN'T WE SPEND OUR VACATION AT A BIG BANKERS LODGE?—Y'KNOW, IF I TALK ON TH' SAME SUBJECT LONG ENOUGH, I BELIEVE IT M'SEF!—NOW, I'M ALL GUMMED UP, WAS WE IN A TENT, OR DID WE REALLY STAY AT A BIG SUMMER LODGE?

JASON IS IN AN AWFUL FIX

GEORGE AHERN

memories remained.

"Marco," Bertie Lou said suddenly, "please—take me home at once. I'm getting delicious."

(To Be Continued.)

TRY LAND TITLE

4480 Acres, Valued At \$20,000 Is Stake

A suit of trespass to try the title of 4480 acres of Cochran county land, valued at \$20,000, was filed in district court here yesterday by the Lubbock Investment company against D. P. Earnest, Mamie J. Earnest, and Eva Knight.

The petition filed by the attorneys for the plaintiff alleges that the land involved, sections 23, 24, 25 and 26 of block W, and sections 2, 3, and 4 of block Z in Cochran county, was sold by the plaintiff to the defendants D. P. Earnest and Mamie J. Earnest, and that in return vendor's lien notes were taken by the plaintiff, and that none of these notes has been paid.

HIGHWAY SESSION

Getting West Texas Out Of Mud, Plan

PAMPA, Aug. 22.—The Pampa Chamber of Commerce will hold a meeting of all people interested in "getting the Panhandle out of the mud" at 2 o'clock on August 23.

P. F. Reid, president of the Fort Elliott Highway association, and manager of the Southwest Trail association, will preside over this meeting for the purpose of securing better roads for the region. Mr. Reid believes that the meeting will help straighten out difficulties caused by conflicting interests and policies which keep different counties working at cross purposes with each other and with the Highway Commission.

PASTOR ROBBED

Thief Takes Rev. Anderson's Radio

DALLAS, Aug. 22. (AP)—The Rev. J. Earl Anderson, who caused his fundamentalist Baptist tabernacle to be erected here despite the protests of property owners and inconveniences of a week in the county jail, found that a sneak thief had entered his home and stolen his radio set while he was preaching at the tabernacle last night.

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Gets Carnegie Medal Three Years After Deed

BAY CITY, Tex., Aug. 22. (AP)—Thirteen years after he saved two girls from drowning in the Colorado river near Bay City, Lloyd Brady has received the Carnegie award of \$500 for his bravery.

Brady received the Carnegie medal in 1918 for saving the lives, three years before, of Annie L. Bond 15, and Margaret I. Mearns, 14, both of Bay City, when they stepped off into deep water while wading. The Carnegie commission told Brady the \$500 cash award would be made when it could be added to an investment which would be beneficial. Recently Brady married Bernice Williford, and when the Carnegie commission learned of this it gave Brady the \$500 on the condition that it be applied to a mortgage on his new home.

Avalanche-Journal want ads brings results. Phone 15 or 14.

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SCRIPTURE: Not everyone that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the Kingdom of Heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in Heaven.—Matthew VII, 21.

STYLE

We have often heard the remark made: "I would rather be dead than out of style." We recently read a story in one of the magazines of the present day, that pretty nearly indicates that what a woman will not do to be in style, has never been found out yet. It is said there was a time when the German young woman was known to be of—well—rather generous proportions. She had plenty of padding and she had compound curves. But the decree went forth that women should be slender and have slim legs. Well, the German girl of today has them just like her sisters in America and France. Which brings to mind what an English woman said the other day. She is highly connected, is a woman of wealth and has for years lived by preference in Germany, where she has good friends in high places. Recently she went into the office of a man who handles the feet of the aristocracy. On his desk she noticed some of those metal plates which pedicures prescribe for people with flat or broken down arches. "What awful looking irons!" she said. "S-s-s-h," said the man, with humorous intent. "You are guilty of majestats befeidigung—of these majestats—of insult to royalty." Then it comes out that those plates were being made for Queen Suriya of Afghanistan. And thereby hangs a tale of what fashion will do to a woman. In her youth Suriya, like all Oriental women, clothed herself very simply and adorned her feet with flat comfortable sandals. Then she married King Amanullah. But still she dressed very much like an Oriental. Not so long ago she came with him on her memorable tour to the capitals of Europe. When they reached Paris the queen fell for all the beautiful clothes creations of the master dress makers of the French metropolis. But such clothes demand something more than sandals. They demand European high heeled shoes. So the queen bought some shoes. But, alas! she could not wear them without torture. Feet used to flat sandals could not fit themselves to being caged up all day in European shoes. She stood it as long as she could, but when she got to Germany she made a visit to a pedicure. So for some time to come the queen will probably be wearing curved irons in her shoes in the endeavor to build up a genuine arched European foot that will feel at home in European shoes. To be in the western fashion, this eastern queen is going to endure some real torture. We have been noticing of late some models of ladies' shoes that absolutely make us shudder when we look at them, and realize that there are women silly enough to wear such shoes. They will have to crowd their feet into a cast that will be miserable within itself but with a heel about 6 inches high they will be compelled to walk on their toes all of the time, and we know there cannot either be comfortable or healthful, and we doubt if pleasing to look upon. But it is the style. And so there you are.

MAGNANIMITY

Have you ever noticed when you are in trouble that a consideration of the needs and sufferings of others mitigates your distress? The fact that others not only are prey to equal ills but probably in worse circumstances, lightens your personal burden. This is why persons visited by a great trouble are able to lessen its weight by service among the poor and afflicted. Contact with the woes of the helpless causes them to realize the selfishness and folly of despairing, and it generates courage.

It is good to forget ourselves occasionally not in the sense which implies a relinquishing of self-respect but in an unselfish manner. If we concentrate too deeply on self, we become dissatisfied and restless; that is why it is very helpful to leave a place in our hearts for our fellow-

men. Generosity is a splendid attitude; it brings happiness to others as well as ourselves. The good we do usually comes back to us in the nature of a recompense. Long after the sacrifice made in tendering a kindness has been forgotten, the good will and gratitude it created will come winging back to us from a distant point freighted with treasures of reward. There is no enjoyment in being selfish or inconsiderate. For a time we may enjoy our self-centered conduct but always there comes a time when our faultiness stands up and accuses us. A hideous nemesis it is, too, in the limelight of realization, and, as a consequence the zest for pleasures bought at the price of others' comfort and happiness turns into shame and remorse.

The monetary rewards of unkindness are as naught when the fruits of hatred and revenge turn to ashes; because there is just enough spirituality about us all, even the most unconscientious, to make us sorry when we view a mean, selfish act of our own commission. However, there is no risk in doing the right things by others—of being square; and there is so much satisfaction in having conquered the desire to prove hateful and undermining. Without self-respect we are pitiable indeed, and we forfeit that distinguishing quality when we fail in a test of honor and magnanimity.

The person whose life shines with good deeds is an object of love and admiration. We are drawn to him without effort because he stands head and shoulders above the crowd, a symbol of integrity and unselfishness.

NATURE'S COLOR SCHEME

Toward the middle of August each year we usually become oblivious to the beauties of summer—its vast space and freedom; the exquisite blending of its flora, sunlight and sky tones; the melody of its birds and breezes. We turn unseeing eyes and deaf ears to this symphony of charm and comfort because we concentrate upon the discrepancies of the season, the outstanding feature of which is heat. One should be mindful of the fact that we can draw a great quantity of beauty from summer and place it in our storehouses for use during winter. Haven't you often sat by a purling stream or on the grassy carpet of a shaded woodland and marveled at the masterful fusion of colors and the artistry of background and foreground? Doubtless you have because few of us, even those who feel they are not adapted to country life, can resist the appealing beauty of the pictures which the Master Artist paints for us far from the rush and turmoil of city life. The world would be drab indeed without its deft coloring to provide striking contrast and distinction. It is color which makes spring and summer so beautiful. It is the waning of it which gives autumn its signs of decay, and which invests winter with the appearance of desolation. Color has been called the laughter of the outdoors, hence it stimulates appreciation and enjoyment whether it be seen in the outdoors, the garmentry or the home. Bright tones in apparel during summer lend charm to the appearance even as the vivid tones of the garden, the gold of sunlight, the sweep of the blue and gray skies give beauty to the exterior of the home. Hence it is important that we bring this beauty medium of enjoyment and pulchritude inside, spinning dingy draperies, wall paper, and furnishings in favor of the household equipment that coincides with Mother Nature's gay color scheme. There is unmistakable magic in colors. The warm rooms of a home can be given an illusion of coolness by employment of violet, greens, blues and grays, whereas rich tans and golden browns as a background with jewel spots of crimson or orange can bring warmth and an illusion of sunlight into a dark and chilly room. The more delicate tones, softly blended, bring restfulness and poise, while the deeper tones of sharp contrast produce an illusion of pomp and festivity. When autumn arrives we will find ourselves turning back once more to the interior of our homes—deserting the verandas or the wide spaces of the lawn. And right now instead of concentrating on the irregularities of the hottest days of summer, one should busy oneself with analysis of Nature's color motif so as to bring something of summer into the home to brighten it all through the cold months. We derive pleasure from a bed of pansies or of zinnias; a fountain spraying on summer pond lilies. Hence the importance of making an interior garden by causing drab rooms and dull corners to blossom through deft coloring and arrangement.

So Gene Tunney is really a private citizen again. He was a pretty wise guy all the way through, and even while in the ring he always tried to play safety first, and now we believe he is playing the safe game by getting out of the fight, while times are good.

One of the many things we can not understand about the British is that with all their hard times they can manage so many holidays. Their so-called "week-ends" are from about Thursday until Monday or Tuesday. Guess it is what is called a paradox.

It seems that the airplane will soon become a popular vehicle. It is rapidly being brought within the average means. But for the jelly bean and flapper there is a serious drawback; there can be no parking along the road.

OUT OUR WAY—

By Williams



SO THINK WE

We think that it might be alright to take a straw vote of the presidential election nationally, but if we will just be a little patient about it, the people will do the voting in the regular way in November, and that will be more convincing any way.

We think that Tom Love took a lot of interest out of the state election in the second primary when he withdrew from the race for lieutenant-governor, against Barry Miller, but after all, there is left the state superintendent's race between S. M. N. Marrs and Garner, which will not doubt be interesting though we doubt if close. J. T. Robison of the last office only lacked a little over six thousand votes in getting a majority of his three opponents, but he must make the race again.

We think the fellow that put up the following sign at his garage was accommodating to say the least, and while he possibly did not make much money out of that particular product, we are confident that the courtesy brought him good returns. The sign was merely this: "I. W. W." He said it meant, "Information, wind and water."

We think that the Scotch must certainly be stingy from the number of jokes they print about them. The latest was given by a speaker at the Rotary club, and said the reason that a certain Scotchman would not send his children to school was because they had to "pay" attention.

We think it is always one of the most saddening things of life to see old friendships broken and torn because of political differences, especially after all, none of these political parties are worth the friendship of any man.

PRESS COMMENT

THE POLITICAL FENCES ARE CRASHING
That smashing, cracking sound is none the less the electric disturbance, or invading armies. It is merely the party fences going down—down, as the spellbinders used to say, from ocean to ocean and from Canada to the Gulf.

Senator Franklin Parnfield, Slimmons, the grizzly old man of North Carolina, in his last and resigns from the Democratic national committee besides. He refuses to lift a hand for Al Smith.

Sulking cheek to jowl with him so to speak, is the grand old man of Illinois, Frank O. Lowden, who refused to lift a hand for Herbert Hoover.

Robert Owen, former senator from Oklahoma, has gone clear over the fence from the South to the Hoover side.

And former Senator Hansborough of North Dakota, burning with indignation for the way his own party has treated the farmers, has gone clear over the fence from the Hoover to the Smith side.

A Tennessee college professor bolts the Democratic party to support Hoover.

But Al counters with a showing of John P. Raskob, Republican, who resigned his position as chairman of the finance committee of General Motors to become chairman of the Democratic national committee.

And along with him has come Pierre Du Pont, chairman of the board of the Du Pont & Co. of New York, and William H. Woodwin, who is president of the American Gas and Foundry company, president of the American Gas and Foundry company, and a General Electric director.

The list of disgraced agriculturists, predominantly Republican, and many of them are openly supporting Smith.

To offset their loss the Republican

headquarters can point to a number of southern bishops and Anti-Saloon League superintendents who are leaving the Democratic party in an endeavor to turn Dixie over to Hoover.

The World-Herald poll shows more than one-fourth of the voters for Smith made up of Coolidge supporters in 1924, while one-ninth of Hoover's votes came from the Davis following four years ago.

The independent voter is coming into his own. It's a grand and glorious feeling, and ought to be a grand and glorious thing for the country.

The more of us that vote as free men and free women, not so much bent upon partisan advantage as upon patriotic service and the legitimate assertion of our own rights and interests, the better it will be for ourselves and for the republic.

Important men, powerful men, in both parties, are thinking for themselves, making up their own minds, and are determined to vote accordingly. Those of us who are neither important nor powerful, have the same duty, and should not hesitate to do likewise.

Let the fences come down. Let us have a genuine honest-to-goodness election next November, an election that means something, that turns on sincere conviction and its fearless expression. Then after the votes are counted, we can settle down and be content, under the good old doctrine of majority rule.

The country isn't going to the dogs whether Smith or Hoover is elected, neither is its business, or its morals, or its social life.

There will be no political parties, no national administration, for many years to come, with the tendency to kick our agriculture around as if it were nobody's dog, and much besides.—Omaha World-Herald.

YOUR HEALTH

BY DR. MORRIS FISHER
Editor Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

In a recent lecture before the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Sir Humphrey Rolleston of the University of Cambridge, England, outlined current views regarding heredity in diseases of the blood.

One of the most peculiar of these diseases is hemophilia. It is the disease which is said to have afflicted the family of the czar of Russia and which is also reported to be in the family of the king of Spain. The people who have this disease are called "bleeders." When they are wounded in any manner, the blood does not coagulate and they bleed for a long time.

This disease is transmitted to the sons of the family by the mothers, who themselves do not suffer from the disease. It is the only condition of this type of heredity that is known.

Color blindness and a certain form of degeneration of the eye are likewise transmitted by unaffected females to males, but cases have been reported in which the women have suffered with the disease.

Another blood condition has been described in which the red blood cells are elliptical or sickle shaped. The condition is sometimes called sickle cell anemia. Many authorities who have studied the condition have suggested that there is an hereditary factor involved. Cases are not infrequent. Thus far most of them have occurred in negroes, although one case has been described in an Arab and another in a Cuban.

The question of heredity in the case of any disease is always a difficult one for the physician. Since the changes obviously involve the body structure, correction or cure is far more difficult than in the infectious diseases which are acquired.

IT IS REPORTED

It is reported that quite a number of voters have said they will not go to the polls in the second primary, because they are confused about the pledge. You need have no fear about the pledge. Constitutionally it remains the same as it has always been, and as the State Executive Committee has to power to make or break the constitution, they have no right to bar you from voting, and they have no right to change the wording of the pledge. Vote. Your candidate for office may need your vote.

It is reported that there is one fellow in Lubbock that says he knows it all. We bet we can find him the first guess. We would simply ask him what other people thought of him.

It is reported that some of the streets of Lubbock will be paved as soon as the workmen can get the water hauled out, so that they can put down the cement base.

It is reported that some of the political platforms have so many planks in them that there are not enough stand patners to nail them all.

It is reported that Big Spring is being "strengthened with city lights." There are some disadvantages of becoming a city, and oil town at the same time.

It is reported that the Big Spring Herald wants the city to provide adequate water supply for at least forty thousand people. Now are the fellows going to figure out how much water that many people will use, in a life time anyway.

It is reported that there are still a few very careless drivers left. If the careless driver was the one that usually got killed when a car accident happened we would say so. And it would not be long till they were pretty well killed out, but the trouble is there are too many innocent drivers, or no drivers at all bumped off and Mr. Careless Driver continues on his way "rejoicing."

LAUGHS

Clerk—Yes, silk stockings, sir. For your wife, or something expensive?—Havanyites.

"Business As Usual" at this particular store had been poor. "Man" the conversational customer happened to remark. "Yes 249 here."

"Not this man!" grunted the proprietor glumly.

THE SIDE SHOW RESERVED
Jones at side-show—Mister, I've a wife and fourteen children. Can't you let me look at the monkey for half price.

Showman—Fourteen children! Well, I'll bring the monkey out to look at you.

Sue—I see that three persons were killed in a feud.
He—These cheap cars are dangerous.

It's pathetic to see some people grow old, and funny to see some try to stay young.

A WEE BIT O' SCOTCH
A Scotchman was discovered wandering around Detroit with a pair of rumpled trousers over his arm. "Can I help you in any way?" asked a kindly citizen. "Man," replied the Scot, who was evidently a newcomer I'm looking for the Detroit Free Press.

First Golf Enthusiast: "Shall we have another round on Wednesday?"
Second Golf Enthusiast: "Well, I was going to be married on Wednesday, but maybe I can put it off!"—Cannery Notes.

South Plains Press

WEST TEXAS TO THE FRONT

If one is inclined toward pessimism as to the future of West Texas, a study of a few newspapers should dispel all doubt of that sort. West Texas is building steadily during the summer months upland marked by business hulls and cessation of building activities.

Almost every city in West Texas has reported an unusually large amount of building. The money involved will run well into the millions of dollars.

Take a glance at the construction work underway and authorized in Vernon. More public building is under way, under contract, and authorized than ever before in the history of the city. A \$750,000 court house is under construction. A \$400,000 church house is nearing completion, and work has been started on one \$50,000 ward school and the people have authorized construction of a \$200,000 high school building. A concrete and steel bridge across Pease river is nearing completion costing \$120,000.

In addition, the biggest road program in the history of the county is now in progress here. When it is completed, Wilbarger county will have a system of paved highways that will be one of the best in the state.

But what Wilbarger county is doing, is being done by other counties in the state. Take a glance at this section. Ford, Cottle, Motley and Hale counties have authorized paved programs which will harden the Lee highway in those counties. Hardeman, Childress and Hall counties have authorized similar programs for the Colorado-Gulf highway.

West Texas is becoming recognized as one of the important oil producing sections of the United States. Already we are given proof of this country's recognition as an oil producer in the attempt of the operator to curb production. Oil lines will not take care of the output.

West Texas is going forward. It is building at a rapid rate, and the person who invests money here is likely to reap great returns.—The Vernon Record.

ABOUT BAILEY COUNTY

Bailey county has without a doubt the best crop outlook than has prevailed for many years, and the people here are expecting the best season that has been seen here in many years.

At this time the sudan crop is in almost perfect condition, and old timers say that although the total production will not equal that of last year, other grain crops and revenue from stock and poultry will more than make up for it. Last year a shipment amounted to about 1,000,000 pounds, and that ear corn was piled 25,000 bushels deep all along the Santa Fe tracks, a significant fact. Muleshoe is fast becoming famous as the largest shipping point of sudan grass in the world. This year no matter in what direction one travels out of town thousands of acres of maize, kafir, corn, ear corn, fertilla, heira cane, sudan, and a great variety of other money crops are looking fine and nothing short of a catastrophe can prevent the crop from maturing.

Although cotton is not "king" here is sufficient acreage to insure as it is fairly east or south, there revenue that will help in the further development of our county.

The Rockford cantaloupe and watermelon is not superior to the kind that can be grown right here around Muleshoe. Besides, cantaloupes, Irish potatoes, sugar beets and many other varieties of truck can be grown here profitably.

Cattle and hogs are higher than they have ever been. In the past 30 days more than \$5,000,000 has been paid for headstock cattle and more than \$10,000,000 worth of cattle contracted for delivery in the next 30 days.

People of this section are just now beginning to learn that wheat can be grown here very profitably. Statistics show the fastest shipment of wheat in the history of the Panhandle has already taken 19,345,500 bushels of the golden grain out of the Amarillo territory alone, which shows that our export demand is still great and it has been demonstrated that wheat can be grown in Bailey county as well as any other.

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Public Opinion

DEFINES A "HOOPER DEMOCRAT."

Under date of July 30, W. L. Sargent asked this question: "What kind of an animal has the scientist evolved in the 'Hoover Democrat'?" Sargent says he never before heard of, saw nor smelled such an animal. And "it must be a cross between a billy goat and an ostrich."

True! This is a new kind of animal and I think he is right in guessing at its origin. If he will notice this animal closely, that is called a Hoover Democrat, he will find it is very odd. This trait of character he inherited from the ostrich, as the home of the ostrich was originally the dry sandy desert and anything wet was very disgusting to him.

There is no doubt but this animal inherited the smell (or odor) from the billy goat side of the house. This old billy once upon a time was very offensive, but since he has been moved to the Eighteenth Amendment corral and has been fed and cared for by cowboys from the Nineteenth Amendment ranch he does not smell as he once did. Old billy has been accused of eating anything from an old shoe up to a tin can, but no one ever accused him of eating bottles or their contents, and their contents were poison.

This new animal is perfectly willing to wear a Democrat brass collar. In fact he is proud of this collar, but he positively refuses to be necked, handcuffed or shackled to any man or animal that is as wet as Governor Emanuel Alfred Smith.

There is going to be a big roundup in November out at the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Amendment ranches. If you will attend this roundup you will see 400,000 Hoover Democrats, as fine a bunch of animals as you ever looked at, not a call, outback or maverick in the entire herd.

