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FRANKS SLAYERS MAKE PLEA FOR MERCY

Mrs. Ferguson's Lead Over Davidson Grows to 6,032

WALL JUMPS TO RUN-OFF PLACE WITH DAN MOODY

Supplants Ward in Race For Attorney General; Miller Still Leading Edwards

ROBERTSON GAINING

Dallas Judge Has Plurality of 46,090 Votes in Race For Governor's Office

By the Associated Press.

DALLAS, July 31.—Bit by bit, as the late returns come in, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, Temple, first woman gubernatorial candidate, continues to cling to her hold on second place which assures the holder a place in the run-off primary August 23.

Between noon today and six p. m., when the Texas election bureau made its final tabulation for the evening, Mrs. Ferguson increased her lead over Lynch Davidson of Houston by 819 votes for the 6 hour period, making her lead over him 6,032 votes. Judge Felix Robertson of Dallas continues to lead the way, having a plurality of 46,090 votes.

Latest Figures.

The total for the governor's race, tabulated from returns from 249 counties of the 252 in the state, of which 190 are complete, follow:

Robertson 186,906; Ferguson 140,906; L. Davidson 134,874; Whit Davidson 118,021; Barton 28,471; Collins 25,306; Burkett 20,997; Pope 16,970; Dixon 4,192.

Miller of Dallas continues to hold the lead in the lieutenant governor's race, the totals being: Miller 197,117; Edwards 188,725; McCall 96,607; Malone 58,896.

Wall In Second.

An upset in the second place position in the attorney general's race was caused when the final return from Harris county was received. The new totals placed Wall ahead of Ward, who had been the runner-up almost from the start. The totals are: Moody 277,296; Wall 107,731; Ward 102,765; Meison 87,538.

The names of the candidates nominated for the lower house of the legislature or slated for the run, hitherto not announced by the bureau follow: District No. 4, J. J. Stephens, Gilmer, nominated; No. 19, place 2, Walter Acker, Houston; place 4, B. F. Wilson and J. W. Hutchison, run-off; No. 23, C. H. Thompson, Hallettsville; No. 50, place 1, H. H. Hodges and True Strong, Dallas, run-off; No. 52, W. A. Wade, Kaufman; No. 58, Ernest Cox, Corsicana; No. 8, W. A. Scholl, New Braunsfels; No. 99, Adrian Poole, El Paso.

Wichitans Reported

No. 94, L. N. Lane, Hick; No. 97, place 1, D. W. Bartlett, Waco; place 2, W. R. Poage, Waco; No. 101, place 1, C. W. Atkinson and Frank Jordan, Ft. Worth, run-off; place No. 2, H. C. McNatt, Ft. Worth; place 3, C. T. Rowland, Ft. Worth; No. 111, place 1, R. J. Daniels, Wichita Falls; place 2, J. D. Avis, Wichita Falls; No. 116, E. S. Cummings, Merkel; and No. 125, A. L. Pearce, Coleman.

Several upsets were registered in the state senatorial races, the most notable being the defeat of Dr. I. E. Clark of district No. 15, by Gus Russek, of Fayette county. The following senatorial races have been decided: district No. 7, T. G. Pollard, Smith county, re-nominated; No. 9, W. S. Moore, Cooke county; No. 10, Joe M. Moore, Hunt county and Charles M. Spradley, Collin county, run-off; No. 15, Gus Russek, Fayette county; No. 16, Charles Murphey, Houston.

The total vote reported up to 6 p. m. was 675,837.

SNOW IN N. Y.

By the Associated Press.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 31.—A slight flurry of snow was reported today at Sacket Harbor on Lake Ontario. It lasted for five minutes.

THE WEATHER

Weather report for Thursday, July 31, issued by the Wichita Falls Electric company:

Maximum temperature 97 degrees, minimum 78, at 5 p. m. 87; no precipitation; northeast breeze; cloudy; average wind velocity 9 miles an hour, maximum 16 miles; barometer 29.23.

East and West Texas: Friday and Saturday generally fair.

Oklahoma: Friday and Saturday generally fair, warmer Friday.

HIGHWAY INFORMATION

By The Associated Press.

DALLAS, Texas, July 31. — The highway weather service bulletin of the United States weather bureau here today follows:

Highways are passable and generally in safe to good condition except for rought and dusty places. There are a few local detours due to road construction.

Henry Cabot Lodge, Old Guard Leader of G. O. P. Seriously Ill



Three views of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, senior senator from Massachusetts and leader of the republican "old guards" is seriously ill at a Massachusetts sanitarium. His advanced age makes the malady grave, according to his physicians.

Garner and Neff In Line For Plums If Davis Is President

MRS. GILWREATH FUNERAL TODAY

Burkburnett Woman Died Here Following Operation

Special to the Record News.

BURKBURNETT, July 31.—The funeral of Mrs. Allie M. Gilwreath, wife of J. W. Gilwreath of this city, will take place Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the First Baptist church.

Rev. H. J. Belew of Wichita Falls will conduct the services and the funeral will follow in the Burkburnett cemetery, directed by A. G. Dunn.

Mrs. Gilwreath died in Wichita General hospital Wednesday night following an illness of three weeks and an operation for appendicitis Sunday.

She is survived by her husband and the following sons, Vernon, Lewis and Melvin; and a young boy, Gerald Gilwreath, still in school. Other relatives are her brother, Malcom Dolloff, and Mr. and Mrs. Dooloff, her mother and father, of Tahoka, Texas; Mrs. J. P. Eubanks of Mena, Ark., a sister; Mrs. Ellie Walker, a sister-in-law of Bronte, Texas.

The Gilwreath family has lived in Burkburnett a number of years, engaged in the oil industry and are well known.

ASSEMBLY RIGHTS VIOLATED, EVANS SAYS

By The Associated Press.

SHREVEPORT, La., July 31.—The Massachusetts klan riots were in every case the outgrowth of direct violations of the constitutional right of free assembly, Dr. Hiram W. Evans, imperial wizard of the ku klix klan, said in a statement issued here today. The imperial wizard is here to attend a grand klerero and public initiation of candidates. Regarding the Massachusetts riot he said:

"The riots in Massachusetts are in every case in direct violation of the constitutional guarantee of the right of public assembly. The enemies of the klan claiming intolerance on its part as a camouflage, seek in all centers where able to take away the constitutional rights of those who believe in the principles and programs of the klan.

WON'T CUT DOWN ON UNIVERSITY, MRS. JIM SAYS

Issues Statement Thanking Public for Supporting Her Candidacy

HITS BOOTLEGGERS

Pledges Enforcement of Dry Laws; Is Silent on Klan Question

By The Associated Press.

TEMPLE, Texas, July 31.—A statement issued to the people of Texas tonight, Mrs. Mariam A Ferguson of Temple, who on the face of returns in Saturday's democratic primary will be in the run-off with Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, August 23 for the democratic nomination for governor, declare that if elected "I shall endeavor, through the aid and advice of my husband and patriotic citizens, regardless of past controversies and affiliations, to bring about a constructive administration of state affairs."

Explaining that she was not in the race through "any great desire to hold office," Mrs. Ferguson declares that she will not again offer herself as a candidate, "if our prayers for vindication are answered."

Will Enforce Laws.

Mrs. Ferguson assures friends of higher education that they need have no fear of her administration and declares emphatically for a strict enforcement of the prohibition laws.

Her first desire, she says, is to do something for the country and common schools of the state, arguing that the education of the children of the masses is not only the first duty of the state and imperative as a matter of justice, but also as a matter of preservation of the republic. Pledging her co-operation "to the fullest extent in the maintenance of our higher institutions of learning," Mrs. Ferguson emphasizes the fact that if elected no higher institution of education "from the university on down, need have any fear from my administration as long as it is maintained along the line of efficiency, economy and within the limits of the public revenues."

Bootleggers Disgrace.

The saloon, Mrs. Ferguson says, was bad enough but "the modern bootlegging drug store is a disgrace to our country." She stresses the necessity of present laws to prevent the evils of intoxicating liquor and adds: "I shall use every power vested in me as governor to have the prohibition laws enforced in letter and spirit, tempered only with justice and humanity."

The ku klux klan is not mentioned in her statement but she appeals for a reconsecration to the provisions of the constitution providing freedom of religious and political thought and adds: "Let us spend a little more time living up to our own religion rather than complaining about our neighbors religion, and maybe we will get along better."

Mrs. Ferguson says if the election returns finally put her in the run off "I want first to thank God, to whom I have carried my troubles through all these years of adversity and tribulation." Expressing her gratitude and appreciation of the loyalty of "the people who from every part of the state have tendered me their support in this contest, Mrs. Ferguson says she yet believes "that God will answer my prayer for the vindication of my family name, which my good husband and I are seeking, not for revenge, but for the good of our children and their children who shall live after us."

She concludes: "For two years I want to give the people of Texas a devoted service. Mothers, won't you help me?"

INDICTMENTS RETURNED FOR ALLEGED BRIBERS

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Indictments charging Walter Boryea and Ignatius Cionabras with conspiracy to extort money from Jacob Franks by means of a letter threatening to kidnap his daughter, Josephine, sister of the kidnaped and slain Robert Franks, were returned by the county grand jury today.

The boys were arrested on June 21 after Mr. Franks had dropped a decoy package at the spot where he was instructed by letter to leave $8,000.

The true bills against the two youths were voted July 24, although not returned until the grand jury reported today.

TWELVE INJURED IN NAVAL ACCIDENT

By The Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, July 31. — Twelve persons, including a navy lieutenant, three enlisted men and eight civilian workmen, were scalded by steam and boiling water when a feed line burst in the evaporating room of destroyer-tender Dobbin at the Philadelphia navy yard. All will recover. The accident occurred on Tuesday, but did not become public until noon today.

Three Dead As Plane Plunges From 1,500 Feet

Two Men and Woman Lose Lives at Crawfordsville, Ark., Late Thursday

By the Associated Press.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ark., July 31.—Two men and a woman were killed late today when the airplane in which they were making an exhibition flight over the village fell 1,500 feet to earth.

The dead:

Barney Schull, 26, Laurel, Miss., pilot.

Charles Hendrick, 26, Lulu Miss.

Miss Audrey Oates, 19, Vinson, Ark.

STATE SUES FOR HUGE OIL SUM

Galaxy of Companies and Individuals Are Named

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 31.—Sixteen oil companies, administrators and trustees of two estates in Harris county, a trust company in Harris county, and 25 individuals are defendants in a damage suit to recover $50,000,000 filed late yesterday by the attorney general at request of Governor Neff in the Fifty-third district court of Travis county. The state seeks recovery of the values of 25,000,000 barrels of oil claimed to have been taken from state-owned land in the Humble oil field. The state's claim is based on title to land said to have been obtained by it in 1900. The complaint charges the defendants entered unlawfully on these lands and removed the oil.

G. C. Perkins of Houston, a defendant has filed a cross action claiming right of possession to three tracts of the land totalling 753 acres and title to seven-eighths of the oil alleged to have been taken unlawfully. He asks $28,000,000 damages from the other defendants.

Perkins charges that in 1916 he attempted to obtain from the state land commissioner permits to drill oil on the land, but that the commissioner declined the request upon advice of the attorney general.

MYSTERY SHROUDS DENVER WOMAN CASE

By the Associated Press.

DENVER, Colo., July 31.—Police have been unable to solve the mystery of circumstances surrounding the finding of Mrs. Gertrude O'Reilly Ramsey Cooper of Denver and Kansas city lying near death on an improvised bed in the kitchenette of her fashionable apartment here Tuesday morning, gas pouring from a stove nearby. She is in a hospital, unconscious and unable to aid officers.

Mrs. Cooper's identity was not established until yesterday when her mother, Mrs. Margaret O'Reilly Casey, and her step-father, Patrick Casey, visited her. Mrs. Casey told police she knew of no reason why her daughter should attempt to take her own life and Mr. Casey declared he believed Mrs Cooper was a victim of foul play.

DAVIS BACKS MATE ON DEFENSE DAY

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate, announced today after his return from Maine that he was in entire accord with his running mate, Governor Bryan of Nebraska, regarding "mobilization day."

Mr. Davis declared that the view expressed by Governor Bryan that there was no necessity at this time for encouraging civilians to leave their occupations for "the purpose of engaging in what would be only a military demonstration without any practical educational effect, is entirely sound."

LOS ANGELES FOR BIG RAIL MERGER

By The Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, July 31.—A resolution, recommending the interstate commerce commission approve the proposed merger of the Southern Pacific and El Paso and Southwestern railroads, was passed by the board of directors of the Los Angeles chamber of commerce here late today.

STOCK QUARANTINE NOW ON IN OKLAHOMA

By the Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., July 31 A quarantine against the admission of livestock into Oklahoma from the states of Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi because of the existence of anthrax in sections of those states was ordered today by John A. Whitehurst, president of the state board of agriculture.

Egypt Wants Opium

CAIRO, Egypt, July 31.—The price of opium in Egypt has recently risen in value to 40 cents a grain, or $20 a pound, due to the greatly increased demand. The users of opium in Egypt are many; some estimate the number as high as 3,000,000.

PERSIA ANXIOUS TO MEET TERMS PUT OUT BY U. S.

Foreign Minister Sends Note to Washington Agreeing to All Demands

EXPRESSES REGRETS

Says "People of Country Are Chagrined Over Slaying of American Vice-Consul

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 31. — The Persian government has assured the state department it will take steps with regard to the Imbrie incident that will leave "no ground whatever for any anxiety on the part of the United States government."

Sent to Washington.

The Persian note was forwarded to Washington by American Minister Kornfeld at Teheran, to whom it had been addressed by the Persian foreign minister. It apparently was a full acceptance of the American demand that reparation be made, that those involved be punished, that Persia bear the cost of sending an American warship to bring home the body of the murdered vice-consul and that hereafter complete protection be given American citizens.

It said:

"As your excellency has observed, the government and people of Persia are extremely chagrined and depressed by the lamentable incident of Friday, July 18, the day on which Vice-Consul Imbrie was killed; and have expressed their feelings to that effect in numerous instances and in various ways.

Friendly Spirit.

"You state that your excellency's government does not desire to approach the situation in such manner as to offend my government. The Persian government regards this as an evidence of the unequivocal good will and friendship of the American government and requests your excellency to be good enough to communicate its thanks and appreciations to the authorities of your great government.

Seeking Slayers.

"As I stated in the course of my letter No. 9155, the imperial government is making extreme efforts in pursuing and punishing the persons who caused and perpetrated the killing of Mr. Imbrie and it will not hesitate to take any kind of steps in this connection. Up to the present time the action of the government in pursuing this object has proceeded with rapidity. Many of the persons who were either suspected or accused of committing the crime have, regardless of the class to which they belong, been arrested. Other persons who participated will shortly as a result of the vigorous efforts of the government be apprehended, and the culprits will receive punishment after their trial.

Anxious to Right Wrong.

"I again feel it necessary to give your excellency the assurance that the imperial government is extremely desirous of repairing the above mentioned regrettable incident.

"Considering the official status of Mr. Imbrie, the deceased, the Persian government agrees with the suggestions of the United States government that the body of Mr. Imbrie be accorded honors during its transportation. The Persian government is concerned over this matter to such an extent that it would ship the remains of the deceased consul to America aboard a Persian man of war if Persia possessed one. But inasmuch as it is unable to do so it agrees to pay the expenses which may be incurred by the dispatch of an American man of war to receive the remains.

RADIO TO CARRY MEDICAL SPEECH

By The Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, July 31.—Radio fans who tune in on W. F. A. A., Fort Worth, Sunday evening will hear something different from the usual programs for Dr. C. M. Rosser of Dallas, president-elect of the Texas State Medical association will speak on "The Menace of the Medical Underworld."

The warm weather issues of the campaign against quackery in medicine together with Dr. Rosser's reputation as a campaigner are responsible for estimates that the crowd at tabernacle of the First Baptist church here will exceed 12,000 people. Dr. Rosser's speech which begins at 8 p. m. will be broadcast over W. F. A. A.

PEACE FURTHERANCE VOTED BY MOOSE

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—A resolution asking President Coolidge to further the cause of world peace was unanimously adopted today by delegates attending the annual convention of the Loyal Order of Moose.

It was announced that the annual dues of $2 a year which every member pays into the Mooseheart fund for the order's school in Illinois would be raised next year to $3.64, thus increasing the annual income of the school to nearly $4,000,000.

Defense Protests On Death Penalty Which State Still Demands

Darrow and Crowe Argue Over Admissability of Experts Testimony Regarding Sanity of Loeb and Leopold; Judge Remains Silent

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Mitigation, not of crime but of punishment; mercy of judgment, founded not upon the cold letter of the law, but upon considerations of humanity, these were the points emphasized today by the defense in the proceedings which are to determine the penalty that Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb are to pay for the kidnaping and murder of Robert Franks.

Clarence S. Darrow, 67-year-old veteran of court battles, fighting for the principles he has advocated in and out of court for many years, put squarely before Judge John R. Caverly the issue whether considerations of this character are to be written into the jurisprudence of Illinois.

Raps Crowe

"The states attorney's office seems to feel the universe will crumble unless these boys hang," he said.

He argued in response to a lengthy contention by Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney, backed by the legal lore of Thomas Marshall, indictment expert. Through a day and a half of court proceedure the prosecutor had maintained that evidence of alienists, offered by the defense, as to the degree of mental responsibility of the youthful murders was incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial after a plea of guilty had been entered.

Pleads for Mercy

"We seek not mitigation of the crime, but only mitigation of the punishment because of a diseased condition of the mind in character but not amounting to legal insanity," was the keynote of the defense.

"A showing of mental disease constitutes a showing of insanity, the existence of which must be determined by a jury. It can be brought in here only if the defendants withdraw their pleas of guilty and rely upon insanity as a defense to the crime itself," responded the state.

Throughout the four-hour session of the court the question was debated by the attorneys. Occasionally three or four of them would be on their feet talking at the same time, but for the most part Mr. Marshall held the floor for the state and Mr. Darrow and Walter Bachrach for the defense.

Hundreds of citations from decisions given in this country and England, some of them a century old, were offered by Mr. Marshall, and Mr. Bachrach had not finished his analysis and comparison of these when court adjourned for the day. Tomorrow will see a renewal of the legal engagement but it was predicted Judge Caverly would rule after an hour or more of arguing.

Interrupts Marshall

The court, who is holding in reverse a decision against the state which he gave yesterday, interrupted Mr. Marshall several times to ask him to point out specifically how some of the decisions he was reading affected the present proceedings. Once, when the attorney for the state was discussing depravity of character as not being evidence of insanity, Judge Caverly said: "Well if it is not evidence of insanity, then is it not proper for a court to consider it as mitigation of punishment?"

At the very outset of the day's proceedings Judge Caverly told the prosecution that among all the cases cited yesterday he had found none applicable to conditions which faced him.

Mr. Darrow found several opportunities to inject side remarks disparagingly the relevancy of the state's argument. Twice, too, he cited instances from Mr. Crowe's previous activities which he said showed that the state's attorney, while a judge, admitted evidence as to mentality in mitigation of punishment. In one of these cases, Mr. Crowe pointed out, the defendant has been hanged.

"Yes but you sentenced him," reiterated Mr. Darrow.

Again in a formal address to the court this afternoon, Mr. Darrow pointed out that Mr. Crowe was chairman of a committee which backed a bill in the Illinois legislature designed to provide incarceration for persons of defective will, intelligence or emotions.

Too Much Enthusiasm

"I have never seen the same enthusiasm for the death penalty that has appeared in this case," Mr. Darrow said in his argument. He declared the prosecution had halted at nothing to gain its end, and added, "That end is death."

Mr. Darrow admitted in Illinois legal insanity means such mental disease as prevents a person from knowing right and wrong or has so destroyed his will that he cannot choose

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HENRY SHAKES ALL THIS NATAL DAY STUFF, YES

By The Associated Press.

DETROIT, July 31.—In an effort to "get away from all that birthday stuff" Henry Ford disappeared from Detroit yesterday on the occasion of his 61st birthday. His business associates professed to know nothing of his whereabouts and it was said he had driven away from his Dearborn estate the night before to an unannounced destination, to avoid birthday callers Mr. Ford is reported to have undergone a physical examination recently when he was pronounced in excellent health.

ADMITS KILLING ASYLUM NURSE

Inmate in Michigan Home Confesses to Slaying Widow Attendant

By the Associated Press.

LA PEER, Mich, July 31.—Lewis Johnson, an inmate of the Michigan home and training school, an institution for the feeble minded, tonight confessed, according to state police, to having killed Mrs. Blanche Burke, 28-year old widow, employed at the institution, whose nude body was found early Sunday morning.

Negro Farmer Is Shot, Son Is Held

By The Associated Press.

GIDDINGS, Texas, July 31.—Fisk Hodge, negro farmer, was shot and instantly killed while working on a farm 12 miles northeast of here Wednesday morning. His young son was taken in custody by Deputy Sheriff Black and placed in jail here. Hodge was struck in the face by a charge from a shot gun. The boy told officers he fired when he thought his father was about to attack him with a knife.

COOLIDGE SHY OF DEFENSE SQUABBLE

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Despite insistence by John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate in the opposition of his running mate, Governor Bryan of Nebraska, to some features of the government's defense day plans, President Coolidge has declined against any personal entry into the political phases of the controversy.

Mr. Coolidge today received and replied to a telegram from Governor Bryan protesting against features of the defense day program but refused to make public his reply. White House officials declared Mr. Coolidge felt that to make public his reply would give the impression he was treating the controversy as a political subject whereas he preferred to confer Mr. Bryan's inquiry and his own reply as correspondence ordinarily taking place between the governor of a state and the president.

TRAGEDY VICTIMS BURIED AT TAHOKA

TAHOKA, Texas, July 31.—C. M. Humphrey and Noah Singleton, farmers, who were drowned near Midland yesterday, were buried here today. Humphrey sought to save Singleton when the latter was seized with cramps and both drowned while their wives and children watched helplessly on the bank of the creek.

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"The paper with the Want Ads"

QUICK TRIAL FOR NEGRO MURDERERS

By The Associated Press.

MOUND CITY, Ills., July 31.—Nine days after Miss Daisy Wilson, pretty 18-year-old girl, was slain while attempting to protect her father from an attack by two negroes who had entered the Wilson store at Villa Ridge, Ills., with the confessed intent to rob, Hess Conners, 22, and Fred Hale, 19, negroes entered pleas of guilty to first degree murder and robbery and were sentenced. The former to hang and the latter to serve 99 years in the Illinois state prison at hard labor.

Bank Deposits Show Northwest Texas In Prosperous Condition

BIG GRAIN CROP BRINGS CASH

Plenty of Money Results From Good Yield and Satisfactory Prices

Northwest Texas is in a prosperous condition as the summer season approaches its end, according to reports received by The Record News from its correspondents over this section. Likewise, southwestern Oklahoma is prospering, according to reports from the same sources.

Bank deposits in practically every county in this district show a marked growth over the same period or last year. At the same time, loans have shown a decrease, reflecting better business conditions.

Increase of ready cash is attributed to the large wheat crop raised in this section of the state and the good price obtained for it. Farmers generally are said to be in good condition financially, and business over the district is declared satisfactory.

Below are given dispatches from The Record News correspondents:

QUANAH BANKS SHOW 20 PER CENT INCREASE
Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, July 31.—Quanah banks generally show an increase of about 20 per cent in deposits over the same period of last year. Business here is reported good.

CHILLICOTHE BANK FIGURES GROW
Special to The Record News.

CHILLICOTHE, July 31.—Bank deposits at Chillicothe are declared to surpass those of the same period of 1923, although figures are obtainable only from the First National bank. The other bank here is unincorporated and does not make a public statement. The First National bank here shows deposits of $197,247.34 for July 19,1923, as compared with $200,080.90 for the same date this year.

$300,000 GAIN IN COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY
Special to The Record News.

WELLINGTON, July 31.—Bank deposits in Collingsworth county show a gain of nearly $300,000 over the same period last year, according to figures on the condition of the banks on June 30, just given out.

Every bank in the county shows considerable gain in deposits, attributable to the large grain crop and satisfactory prices.

Combined deposits of the banks total $1,050,066.95 as compared with $731,112.29 the same time last year.

Following are reports from the banks:

City National bank, Wellington, deposits June 30, 1923, $323,157.57; deposits June 30,1924, $434,088.17.

First National bank, Wellington, deposits June 30, 1923, $154,767.29; deposits June 30,1924, $244,746.71.

Wellington State bank, deposits 1923, $197,455.99; deposits 1924, $260,000.62.

First State bank, Dodsonville, deposits 1923, $75,741.44; deposits 1924, $111,141.45.

YOUNG COUNTY BANKS HAVE HEAVY DEPOSITS
Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, July 29.—Deposits in the banks of Young county aggregate two and a half million dollars, a large portion of which is money derived from the sale of the county's big wheat crop. Olney banks show an increase in deposits over last year at this time of $100,000.

WAURIKA DEPOSITS SLIGHTLY DECREASED
Special to The Record News.

WAURIKA, Okla., July 31.—Deposits in Waurika banks at the close of June, as rendered to the comptroller at Washington, show a small decrease from those made at the same time last year. Total deposits for the three banks on June 30,1924 were $542,832.31, as against that of June 30, 1923, $577,584.71, a decrease of $34,752.40.

Following are the individual renditions this year:

Farmers National banks, $196,591.73.

First National bank, 183,469.69.

Waurika National bank, $162,670.89.

WILGARGER ENJOYS PLENTIFUL CASH
Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Texas, July 31.—A total of $2,868,251.53 is in Wilbarger county banks subject to individual check, the statements show for the June 30 call. Of this amount $2,485,321.83 is in the four banks in Vernon. The remainder of the stupendous sum is in banks at Odell, Oklaunion, and Harrold. This is one of the most creditable showings ever exhibited by banks of this county at this time of year. At the time the call was made the small grain money was still finding its way into the coffers of banks and the movement is still on. Bankers and business men are elated over the volume of business transacted at this time of year and are looking forward to the fall season with a great deal of anticipation. The outlook promises the best year the farmers of the county has ever had.

The following is the deposit by banks: Waggoner National $781,608.30; Herring National, $651,133.07; Farmers State, $519,372.86; First Guaranty State, $532,707.60; Farmers State Bank, Odell, $127,498.87; Bank of Odell, $120,000; First State Bank of Harrold, $75,469.83; First Guaranty State bank of Oklaunion, $60,141.10.

June call for the past five years reveals the following interesting figures:

1923	$2,353,435
1922	2,399,193
1921	1,091,881
1920	3,588,647
1919	1,845,813

CLARENDON BANKS HAVE SURPLUS MONEY
Special to the Record News.

CLARENDON, Texas, July 31.—The statement of condition of Clarendon banks as of June 30 discloses that from a general standpoint conditions are somewhat near normal. However, an analysis shows a surplus of ready money and bespeaks a better general financial condition in the community. A better ratio of deposits to loans is in evidence over the same season in 1923, deposits showing an increase and loans a decrease from that date. No great fluctuation is noted either one way or the other but a general improvement in condition indicates smaller demands and available resources in reserve.

The three banks here, aggregating a total capital, surplus and undivided profits of $250,529.63, a slight increase over 1923, show deposits of $731,875.80 as against $715,911.50 June 30, 1923, and loans of $721,444.24 as against $709,968.50 last year. Resources total $1,150,311.40, which allows a better ratio and indicates that the supply has more than kept pace with demands. Deposits in excess of loans is evidenced where a year ago the tables were reversed.

Nocona News

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, July 31.—Joe Bryant of Montague, one of the successful candidates for assessor, who will be in the run-off in August, was in Nocona Monday.

John W. Wales of Bowie, one of the successful candidates for sheriff, was a Nocona visitor Monday.

Homer R. Latham of Bowie was a recent visitor to Nocona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maddox left last week, visiting Fort Worth.

Mrs. R. M. Harris, who has been ill for months and confined to her bed all the time, is reported no better.

Mr. Prowlege of Awbrey was the recent guest of J. M. Bond.

Miss Mida McGillicudy of Dallas is the guest of her hister, Mrs. Cad McCall.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Boyd of Paris are visiting Mrs. A. A. Croxton, mother of Mrs. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Clark of Houston are guests of Mrs. R. B. Clark, mother of Mr. Clark.

Mrs. Wesley Hill, Whitewright is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. H. J. Justin and daughter, Myrl, returned home last week from a visit in Denton and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chelmo of New Orleans are with the Justin boot factory.

Mr. Weiss and Roy Weiss of Fort Worth are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowling and son of Bridgeport were the recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. Wilton.

Vernon Party To Frederick Guest

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Texas, July 31.—Miss Iris Young of Paradise street entertained Monday afternoon for her house guest, Miss Pauline Reynolds of Frederick, Oklahoma. Bridge was the diversion for the afternoon and prize for high score went to Miss Katherine Wheatley. She was given a water set. Guest prize, hand-made handkerchiefs, was won by Miss Virginia Lomax. Miss Leta Williams won the consolation prize.

An ice course was served to Misses, Lily Castlebury, Mildred Robertson, Mattie Renfro, Catherine Dodson, Merle Brunson, Ruth Sewell, Elisabeth Hicks, Leta Williams, Mary Catherine Massie, Christine Kelts, Margaret Sue Hiatt, Katherrn McColloch, Katherine Wheatley, Lorene Phillips, Madeline Fain, Mortie Ree Walker, Katherine Ratchelor, Era Phillips, Mabel Hudeleston, Doris Walker, Lois McGaughy, Leslia King, Maurine Davis, Rachel and Mary Garland, Virginia Lomax of Wichita Falls, Evelyn Perry, of Dallas and Pauline Reynolds, of Frederick, Okla. hostess served her guests with a two-course luncheon.

SHOWER CHANGES SWIMMING PARTY.

Oscar Oates and Miss Lois Earnest entertained out-of-town guests with a picnic lunch Friday evening. Swimming had been planned but after the shower it was decided that the water would be too cool.

The honor guests for this picnic were Miss Mary Johnson and brother of Big Springs, Miss Martha Barnum of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Poteet, Haskell's latest bride and groom. Other guests were Messrs. and Memes. David Earnest, Rayford Hills and Jess Campbell, Rule; Nolen Whitloe, Lubbock; Mrs. Joe Broadus, Tyler; Mrs. Raymond Gutzler, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Hill Oates, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grisson and Misses Nettie McCollum, Marylee Pinkerton, Sula Mae Ratliff and Messrs. Bert Welsh, Verney Anderson, Powell, Trice and Richard Sherrill.

Décatur Guest Honoree At Party Given By Old Friends At Haskell

Special to The Record News.

HASKELL, Texas, July 31.—Miss Sula Mae Ratliff honored her house guest, Miss Thelma Petty of Decatur, with a bridge and slumber party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ratliff. The young ladies wro composed the house party were Misses Lois Earnest, Marylee Pinkerton, Martha Barnum, Fort Worth; Eunice Huckabee, Sula Mae Ratliff and Thelma Petty, Decatur. The young men who dropped in to play bridge were Messrs. Wallace Cox, Oscar Oates, W. T. Trice, Richard Sherrill, Gaines Post and Bert Welch.

High score prize for the young ladies went to Miss Petty who was also given the guest prise; there were bottles of perfume and toilet water. Miss Ratliff won low score and was given an incense burner which she presented to Miss Martha Barnum of Fort Worth, house guest of Miss Marylee Pinkerton. Wallace Cox was rewarded with a smoking set for being the best player among the men and W. P. Trice was consoled with a gold pencil which he gave to Miss Barnum. The

ELDER CLOSES NOCONA FIGHT

"Blacksmith Preacher" Ends Week's Meeting There

Special to the Record News.

NOCONA, July 31.—Elder Chas. Reece of Byers, who has been conducting a protracted meeting for the West Side Church of Christ here for the last ten days, closed the meeting Tuesday.

Elder Reece, the "blacksmith preacher," "cleared the deck for action," Monday night and fired a "broadside" with his large caliber guns. He took the Bible for his guide and made a very strong argument and as he states it "gave chapter and verse."

It can be safely said that the elder wakes them up wherever he goes. He seems to think they need stirring up from the bottom, and after "shucking" his coat, goes after them and gives them a fight for their life, using the "sword of the spirit" for his only weapon. There is no doubt that Nocona will remember the "blacksmith."

Vernon Society

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Texas, July 31.—Dr. R. E. Dickenson left today for Kansas City where he will conduct the funeral services for a former member of his congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Smith of Wichita Falls are moving here this week where Mr. Smith has accepted a position with the J. C. Penny store.

LeBaume Elliott of Abilene is here for a visit with his wife, who is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Crow left this week for a visit with relatives in Dallas and Big Sandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell of Odell are leaving for an extended automobile trip through Colorado.

Al Bedinghaus and family are moving today to Wichita Falls where Mr. Bedinghaus has accepted a position with a stock exchange.

Mrs. Betty Feather of Wichita Falls is here for a visit with her brother, J. H. Pendleton.

Miss Ina Barlow, former teacher in the schools here, stopped off Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pendleton enroute to her home in Austin from Boulder, Colorado, where she has been attending the Colorado university.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lloyd, Mrs. R. W. Ferrell and Miss Bernice Lloyd are visiting relatives in Colorado Springs. From that city they will go to Los Angeles for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Iver Carney have returned from a visit with relatives at Temple and Lampasa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Key have returned from a visit with relatives in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Simpson of Gallup, New Mexico, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell.

Mrs. R. H. Coffee and Miss Mildred McCrary left Saturday for Temple where Mrs. Coffee underwent a serious operation. Her condition is satisfactory. Miss McCrary will spend her vacation with Mrs. Coffee and visiting relatives at Nolanville.

Electra Baptist Woman's Circles Meet in Social, Study Affair

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, July 31.—The Central circle met with Mrs. Dan Moore at her home on West Garrison avenue Monday afternoon, when Mrs. E. B. Holcomb led the devotional, from the third chapter of First John. Mrs. Mary Jowell led in prayer, after which a business meeting was held. The ladies reported a profit of $55.00 on their chicken dinner, given last Saturday. A food sale is now being planned to be held at the Electra grocery on Saturday of this week.

A picnic is also being planned for Friday evening, for the ladies and their families, from 6:30 until 9 o'clock.

During a social session, the hostess served punch and cake to the following: Mesdames Mary Jowell, E. H. Groves, Brandon Smith, Dick Taylor, C. W. Moore, E. B. Holcomb, Sellers, Miller and Miss Juanita Litsman.

Next Monday the circle will meet at the church in an all-day session, at which time new officers will be elected.

EAST CIRCLE AT HOME MRS. STOWE.

Mrs. M. C. Stowe was hostess to the ladies of the East circle at her home on East Garrison Monday afternoon. Mrs. A. F. McCormick led the devotional, taken from the second chapter of Matthew, and Mrs. C. O. Roberts led in prayer. An interesting discussion was had by the members on the lesson study for the day.

Service reports were heard from each member present, and during the business session plans were discussed for raising funds for the church, but no definite plans decided upon.

Those present were Mesdames C. O. Roberts, A. F. McCormick, L. H. Owens, Jodie Smith, W. H. Little and J. E. Lamb.

Y. W. CIRCLE AT M. J. HOLCOMB HOME.

The Y. W. circle met Monday afternoon with Mrs. M. J. Holcomb at her home on West Cleveland avenue. Mrs. A. R. Bradley led the devotional lesson, taken from the fifth chapter of Mark, and discussed by all members present. During a business session the following officers were elected: Mrs. Ball, leader; Mrs. Clayton, treasurer; Mrs. Holcomb, secretary; Mrs. Schlemeyer, personal service chairman; Mrs. Stoneifer, educational chairman; Mrs. McKinney, reporter.

A plate luncheon was served to the following: Mesdames W. M. Martin, J. L. Kinney, Dayton White, A. R. Bradley, Adam Shafer, E. E. Ford, C. E. Schlemeyer and J. Stewart.

CLARENDON '24 CLASS TEACHERS

71 Grads Placed in Positions Through School's Efforts

Special to The Record News.

CLARENDON, Texas, July 31.—Ex-students and gradutes of Clarendon college will play a prominent part in the teaching profession throughout west Texas and the Panhandle this year. In addition to the many who have gone out from Clarendon in years gone by and contributed their ability to teaching, 1924 is adding the largest list of new teachers in the history of the college. A complete list compiled by Dean Stuart H. Condron discloses that the institution has succeeded in placing seventy-one graduates of 1924 in teaching position as follows:

Christine Collins of Dalhart at Channing; Grace Perkins at Fairview; Van Allen Kent of Claredon at Tucumcari, N. M.; Lavon Brown of Portales, N. M. at Portales; Edna Daly of Clarendon at Dalhart; Ona Bell Hefner of Hedley at Roaring Springs; Dave Waldron of Clarendon at Roaring Springs; Jo Trozell of Decatur at Paducah; Erline Hudson of Dalhart at Dalhart Bessie Ford of Wellington at Wellington; Gladys Lebenski of Texline at Texline; Frances Wyatt of Amarillo; Ruth Leary of Memphis at Leslie; Fred Neeper at Loop; A. M. Walker at Ashtola; Beatrice English of Lubbock at Lubbock; Ella Mae Lyle of Ralls at Ralls; Margaret Campbell of Wellington at Wellington; May Lumpkin of Clarendon at Claredon; Clara Powell of Kirkland at Kirkland; Nancy Cole of Clarendon at Claude; Lorie Davis of Tucumcari at Asteria, N. M.; Julia Lewis of Clarendon at Green River, Wyoming; Helen Carles of Muleshoe at Muleshoe; Ruth Corbin of Clarendon at Fairview; Bonnie Jenkins at Gasoline; Johnny Jenkins at Gasoline; Clariss Hood of Stamford at Piano, near Stamford; Frank Thompson of Wellington at Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Thommason at Byers, Texas; Kathleen, Mullino of Clarendon at Sunnyview; Louise Mullino of Clarendon at Sunnyview; Mattie Eva Lane of Clarendon at Terry; Alice Taylor of Shamrock at Shamrock; Marie Thornton of Clarendon at Martin; Bernie Addison of Kirkland at Lakeview; Winona Adams of Wheeler at Wheeler; Hazel Cox of Wheeler at Wheeler; Davilla Bright of Hedrick, Okla., at Hedrick; J. C. Swinburn of Talbert at Oklaunion; Lucile Stratton of McLean at McLean; Edgar Moe Mongole of Clarendon at Goldstone; Bernice Roland of Clarendon at Fairview; Opal Bulls of Clarendon at Hedley; Bransford Bulls of Clarendon at Mangum, Okla.; Dave McCury of Crosbyton at Crosbyton; Kate Butler of Claredon at Pleasant Hill; Vada Waldron of Clarendon at Hereford; Linnie Waldron at Hereford; R. E. Drennan of Clarendon at Jerico; Everett Clark of Groom at Boydston; Ruby Lee Landers of Clarendon at Texline; Marvel Duncan of Portales at Aragon, N. M.; Imogene Condron of Elgin at Elgin; Eunice Lewis of Wellington at Hedrick, Okla.; Thyra Collins of Hedrick at Hedrick; Grace Pirtle of Matador at Matador; Inez Weems of Clarendon at Higgins; Beth Stiles of Wheeler at Wheeler; Obera Hamblen of Clarendon at Hedley; Lillian Steed of Groom at Lelia Lake; Gertrude Bright of Hedrick at Hedrick; Thelma Lowe of Clarendon at Lelia Lake; Edgar Davis of Plainview at Dimmitt; Obera Bowden at Munday; Velma Brumbelow at Lubbock; Inez Blankenship of Goodnight at Martin; Ona Taylor of Lelia Lake at Heald; Ida Mae Collins of Channing at Wichita Falls.

That the college has been so unusually successful in placing the students is due largely to the wide acquaintance of President Slover and Dean Condron.

Bomarton

BOMARTON, July 31.—J. M. Murray of Corn community was in town last week prospecting.

James A. Stephens of Benjamin, Texas, was in town Saturday meeting his friends.

Geo. Owens and daughter, Faye, were visitors in town Saturday. On their return Alice Witty went home with them for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brawner were over from Wichita Falls the latter part of the week. Bill returned Saturday. His wife will spend a few more days visiting relatives and friends.

Henry Seydler returned Friday from Chicago for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Seydler. He has been attending an electrical school.

Farlin Hollingsworth of Goree was in our city Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Dodd of Cash Creek were over visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Snyder.

J. L. Case of Shady community was in town Monday on business.

Sam Donohue moved his hamburger joint to the Golden building Monday.

J. P. Owens and family of Rico are visiting relatives and friends in Bomarton this week.

Gene Raten of Itasca has been visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Snyder. He returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Raten of Itasca left for their home Monday.

Mr. Taylor of Rule, Texas, is putting in a cafe in the Buchanan building.

R. L. Witty and daughter, Alice, were in Munday Friday on business.

Erie Anderson of Munday was in town Tuesday demonstrating his new Chevrolet touring.

J. E. McClure of Seymour was in town Tuesday evening on business.

PETERSON-FOOSHEE NOCONA WEDDING
Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, July 31.—Don Peterson and Miss Mary Fooshee, both of Nocona, were married last week at the home of the bride's brother, Grady Fooshee. Rev. J. P. Humphreys, local Methodist minister, officiated.

Mrs. Peterson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fooshee of Nocona, and Mr. Peterson is the son of Prof. and Mrs. A. V. Paterson. The groom's father is superintendent of Nocona public schools.

The breeze from an electric fan will make your meals seem doubly delicious. Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Adv.

Seymour Society

Special to The Record News.

SEYMOUR, Texas, July 31.—Mrs. W. R. Hilliard left Wednesday for Dallas, where she will visit several days in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. N. Throop.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Isley and three children of Colorado, Mo., pioneer citizens of Baylor county, passed through Seymour Friday enroute to Lynn county, where they will visit her mother. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tucker at a picnic of old friends on the Brazos.

Mrs. Richard Nolen left Monday for Dallas, where she will purchase new millinery for her Bonnet shop.

Seth Cockerell left Monday for Dallas and St. Louis markets to buy goods for the Whiteside dry goods company.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hilliard of Wichita Falls were week-end guests in the homes of their parents, Mrs. W. R. Hilliard and Mr. and Mrs. S. Drane.

C. J. Norton of Wichita Falls spent the week-end in this city as guests of Miss Jessie England.

Mrs. Bob Dickson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Driver of Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Drane have returned from Dallas where they purchased stock for their notion store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Scruggs of Mineral Wells spent the week-end with friends in Seymour.

Mrs. J. E. Murrie of Mineral Wells made a business trip to this city last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rollins and son, Joe, drove to Breckenridge Saturday to vote.

HOLLAND-THOMAS VERNON WEDDING
Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Texas, July 31.—Titus Holland of Fargo and Miss Velma Thomas of this city were married Saturday night at 9 o'clock at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomas of Fannin street. The ceremony was performed by T. J. Griffiths, justice of the peace, and was witnessed by the immediate family and Wixie Harrison and Miss Mable Collier.

Mr. Holland is a son of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Holland of Fargo. The couple will make their home there.

Comptroller Receives Pullman Quarter Tax
By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 31.—A check for $18,544 representing the five per cent gross receipts tax on the Pullman company's business in Texas for the last quarter was received by the state comptroller today.

KNICKERBOCKER STARTS REVIVAL

First Night Crowd Large; Organize For Meetings

Special to the Record News.

HASKELL, Texas, July 31.—The first night of the Knickerbocker-McLean meeting on the Methodist church lawn was Tuesday night of this week and was marked by two distinct features, an unusually large crowd for first night and the spontaneous response of almost the entire audience to the appeal of Rev. Knickerbocker to seek to emulate the only perfect man, The Christ.

Wednesday night his subejct will be "Bringing up Father," and his subject for Thursday night will be "Bringing up Mother." Two mass meetings will be held on Sunday, August 3, at the 11 o'clock hour and in the afternoon at four o'clock when Rev. Knickerbocker will address men only on the subject, "Red Blooded Men of America."

Henrietta News

Special to The Record News.

HENRIETTA, Tex. July 31—Messrs and Mesdames R. P. Schwend, W. L. Mount and C. L. Snearly, Misses Maurice Mount and Louis Wetsel of Bellevue, composed a party who enjoyed a picnic and swim at Red river the first of the week.

Rev. O. W. Moerner and Mrs. F. V. La Bountie, instructors of the leadership school conducted at the First Methodist church, south, have returned to their home in Dallas.

Miss Emma Kosanke, who has been attending school in Chicago, is visiting relatives here and at her home in Halsell, Texas.

Miss Margaret Harris of Amarillo is visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. E. Slagle of this city.

L. S. Spivey of Bellevue was a business visitor in Henrietta Tuesday.

Miss Ruby Shockley is back at her desk in the county clerk's office after several weeys vacation with home folks in Montague county.

Sherwood Gowin, mayor of Bellevue was a Henrietta visitor the first of the week.

R. L. Ligon and Sam Cummings of Byers were in Henrietta Sunday.

Will Kosanke of the Texas Land and Development company, Dallas, is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kosanke.

Mrs. A. C. Wood and daughter, Miss Virginia, left Sunday for Denver, Colorado, to attend the funeral of a sister of Mrs. Wood who died of injuries sustained in a fall from a horse. Mr. S. A. Keene, father of Mrs. Wood, who was in Denver at the time, is reported as being in a very serious condition following a stroke of paralysis.

NOCONA SETTLER SERIOUSLY ILL

By the Associated Press.

NOCONA, July 31.—A short while after eating dinner yesterday, Mrs. J. M. Odom, one among the first residents of Nocona and well known here, suddenly became very ill.

A physician was quickly summoned and from symptoms he thought Mrs. Odom must have had a convulsion before his arrival. Apparently she was unconscious and was suffering considerably. The real cause of her sudden collapse is puzzling to the physician, unless it was acute indigestion. Mrs. Odom's condition at a late hour today is somewhat improved, as she has regained consciousness.

Receiver Named For Haskell R. R. Project
By The Associated Press.

BUFFALO, Wyoming, July 31.—A receiver today was appointed for the Wyoming North & South railway, of which former Governor Haskell of Oklahoma was a promoter.

WHEAT RECORD IN HARDEMAN

37 1-2 Bushels Average On 550 Acres Modest Entry

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, July 31.—A total yield of 20,625 bushels from 550 acres, an average of 37 1-2 bushels per acre, is Hardeman county's offer for the record wheat yield for Texas' 1924 crop.

This wheat was grown by Rob Hamliton in the northeast part of the county, and has just been threshed. The wheat tested 62 pounds to the bushel.

While on Damsite farm about five miles east of Quanah wheat threshed 46.6 bushels per acre from a measured ten-acre tract, and an average of 46 bushels on a 90-acre tract, the average of 37 1-2 bushels on Mr. Hamilton's farm for the 550 acres is believed to be a state record yield.

Enjoy the cooling breezes of an electric fan. Pay with your light bill. Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Adv.

FURNITURE

WILL TRADE for light automobile, household furniture, complete for three rooms, consisting of living room suite, two bedroom suites, kitchen furniture, rugs, shades, etc. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for a light automoble. 905 Ninth Street.

THE GLOBE

13th ANNIVERSARY and FINAL SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

STARTING FRIDAY, AUGUST 1st

Any Straw Hat in the house— **$1.00** Values up to $5

One of the Greatest Bargain Events in the History of Wichita Falls
Our thirteenth successful year here assures you of honest and fair dealing and what we say it is it is.

Men's knee length Union Suits— **39c**

Leather Palm Gloves **23c**

Men's White Ha'kerchiefs **3c**

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All Felt Hats **20% Off**

All Bathing Suits **50% Off**

Chalmers Porosknit Union Suits— **$1.29**

"Tuff Nut" and Hansen Leather **GLOVES**
$2.00 grade .. $1.69
$2.25 grade .. $1.75
$2.50 grade .. $1.95
$3.00 grade .. $2.48
$3.50 grade .. $2.79

Neck Band and Collar attached **Dress Shirts**
$1.50 grade ... 98c
$1.75 grade .. $1.27
$2.00 grade .. $1.59
$2.50 grade .. $1.85
$2.75 grade .. $1.99
$3.00 grade .. $2.30
$3.25 grade .. $2.65
$3.50 grade .. $2.87

It will pay you to visit our store as we have a lot of bargains that are not listed here.

All Clothing ½ Off
Gabardines, Palm Beach and Worsteds

$17.00 Suit .. $8.50	$45.00 Suit .. $22.50
$19.00 Suit .. $9.50	$47.50 Suit .. $23.75
$22.00 Suit .. $11.00	$50.00 Suit .. $25.00
$26.00 Suit .. $13.00	$52.00 Suit .. $26.00
$30.00 Suit .. $15.00	$55.00 Suit .. $27.50
$33.00 Suit .. $16.50	$60.00 Suit .. $30.00
$35.00 Suit .. $17.50	$65.00 Suit .. $32.50
$40.00 Suit .. $20.00	

W. L. Douglas and Emerson Shoes

Low Shoes 20% Off



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15c Hose 9c
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PANTS
$5.00 grade .. $3.85
$6.00 grade .. $4.79
$6.50 grade .. $4.95
$7.00 grade .. $5.55
$7.50 grade .. $5.89
$8.00 grade .. $6.35

Khaki Pants and Shirts
Scott's Level Best Fitz and Test Brands At Reduced Prices

Suit Cases and Hand Bags **98c** and Up

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY

STONE ORDERS INDIAN SUITS

To Restore 41 Tracts Got From Wards in Oklahoma

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 31. — Attorney General Stone has directed the filing of six suits in equity in the famous Miller Brothers case in Oklahoma to restore forty-one tracts of land to Indian allottees which the government claims were obtained in an irregular.

The case figured in the Daugherty investigation when Senator Wheeler of Montana sought to show that the government had not vigorously prosecuted those involved in the procurement of the lands. The trades also are involved in a criminal charge of conspiracy to defraud the United States which has been lodged against George L., Zack T., and Joseph C. Miller, and John C. Newton and Victor Norton.

Mr. Stone recently appointed Eustace Smith of Hutchison, Kans., as a special assistant to the attorney general to take charge of the suits for restoration of the lands. The suits allege that "irregular, apparently fraudulent and illegal transactions" were conducted by the Miller Brothers. The lands came from Otoe and Ponca Indians.

WORKMAN KILLED IN FALL AT DALLAS

By The Associated Press

DALLAS, July 31.—Lee Timmons, 18, was killed and three other workmen injured, one seriously, today when a cable broke on one of the frieght elevators at the Santa Fe railway terminal warehouse under construction here, dropping the men six floors into the basement. C. W. Denton was taken to a hospital where his condition was reported critical. He suffered a broken leg and arm and probable fracture of the skull. Timmons' home was Bonnie View, Texas.

DALLAS MAILER IS ARRESTED ON THEFT

By The Associated Press.

DALLAS, July 31.—Barney L. Davis, driver of a mail truck, was placed under arrest and bond fixed at $3,000 today, charged with having taken two registered packages last February. The missing packages contained $5,000 and were consigned to the Dallas federal reserve bank from Farmersville, Texas, and Mill Creek, Okla.

GLAND TREATMENT IS NOW TRIED FOR WOOL

By the Associated Press.

LIEGE, Belgium, July 31.—Dr. Serge Voronoff, famous French surgeon, addressing a scientific congress here, claimed it would be possible to increase the yield of wool by applying his gland transplantation operation to sheep. Although the operation can not be performed successfully on all sheep, he said, he hoped to be able to create a special breed by repeating the process on the direct descendants of a certain number of picked specimens. The experiment was already being made, he announced, on a flock of 3,000 sheep in Algeria and also on a number of goats.

CASHIER HUNTS DOWN ALLEGED BANK BANDITS

By The Associated Press.

COFFEYVILLE, Kans., July 31. Two men believed to have been members of a gang of three that held up the First State bank at Centralia, Okla., today were captured by Jot Hartley, the bank cashier. Hartley overtook the men whose car was stuck in a mud hole on a country road near Big Creek, seven miles west of Centralia, and opened fire on them.

ANOTHER OKLAHOMA BANK IS STUCK UP

By the Associated Press.

COFFEYVILLE, Kan., July 31.—Three masked men held up the First State bank of Centralia, Okla., 25 miles southeast of Coffeyville, shortly after it opened for business this morning. The cashier and two employes were locked in the vault while the robbers looted the bank of all the money in sight.

EVEN BUTTERFLIES PERFECT LADIES ABOUT DRINKING

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, July 31.—Male butterflies like to get drunk while female ones shun liquor and are perfectly content with water as a beverage, is the discovery of the zoologist, Sutt, after experiments along these lines. He kept all sorts of butterflies in his wire screened garden and exposed several bowls containing either pure water or whiskey of different brands. The males invariably took to the liquor bowls and sipped so long that they fell off the brim and rolled on the ground.

The females, however, behaved and without exception shunned the alcohol.

FAIR GROUNDS GET ATTENTION

Buildings Being Painted and Track Improved For Opening Days

With less than two months remaining before the opening of the third Texas-Oklahoma Fair, arrangements are being made by the officials of the fair association to have the grounds and buildings in readiness for the opening day. Workmen are already busy at Call Field preparing the track for the races. Other workmen are busy repairing the buildings and geeting things ready for the greatest fair that has ever been held in this part of the state.

Plenty of Paint.

A large supply of paint has just arrived and it is the intention of the officials to repaint all the buildings and have them presenting a neat appearance. Several new buildings will be constructed and additions made to some of the old structures.

Officials of the association are looking forward to a successful fair and considerable expense is being gone into to make the program a success from the opening to the closing day. The fair will open September 29 and close on the night of October 5.

Vernon Personals

Special to the Record News.

VERNON, Texas, July 31.—Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Franklin returned last week from Boulder, Colorado, where Mr. Franklin has been studying law in Colorado university.

Rev. F. D. Pearson and Floyd and Allen Coleman were in Wichita Falls Sunday. They were accompanied home by Miss Jewell Pearson, who has been visiting friends there.

E. L. Lovelace of Wichita Falls spent the week end with his brother, L. M. Lovelace, and family.

Mrs. T. E. Standifer and daughter, Miss Bob, of Lamesa, have returned to have charge of the Standifer sanitarium.

Sheriff Frank Edmonson left Sunday night for Texarkana, where he will visit relatives. Mrs. Edmonson, who has been visiting there for two weeks, will return with him.

Miss Mae Andrews, newly elected treasurer of Foard county, accompanied by her parents was a guest of her brother, C. W. Andrews and wife, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Lawson of Holdenville, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. A. Scott of Clarendon were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lawson and family.

Alfred Landrith of Olney is here for a visit with his sister, Mrs. R. C. Lawson.

Miss Regina Green is visiting relatives in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Keltz have returned from a business trip to Rio Grande valley.

English Earthquake Thought Mine Disaster

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, July 31.—A slight earthquake today caused considerable alarm in the mining country near Maltby and caused officials of the Maltby main colliery near Rotherham to withdraw for a time 1,000 miners, but there were no casualties. It was at first believed that the earth tremor had been caused by an explosion in the colliery.

MIDNIGHT PARTY ENDS IN DEATH

Stock Broker Shows Girl Gun Was Not Loaded

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31. — Harry Mack, a stock broker, was killed in his room in the theatrical rooming district early today following a party which had lasted until after midnight. A young woman, who was alone with him when he was shot and who described herself as Peggy Cook, a hair dresser of Philadelphia, was questioned by the police.

Miss Cook, who gave her age as 19 years, declared the shooting was accidental. She had remained after the other guests left, she said, and when she noticed a revolver in the room asked Mack to put it away before it frightened her. He took the weapon, she said, and opened the chamber allowing several cartridges to fall to the floor. Then he placed the revolver against his temple, she said, and after pulling the trigger exclaimed, "See, it isn't loaded."

Then he pulled the triggzer again and there was a loud report, she said. Mack was dead when an ambulance surgeon arrived.

BREAD INDUSTRY AMONG OLDEST

Kingery Tells Rotary History of Modern Baking Plant

Fred Kingery was the principal speaker at the Rotary club luncheon Thursday at the Kemp hotel. Mr. Kingery gave a classification talk, explaining in detail the baking industry. He said that baking of bread was known before the birth of Christ and for that reason ranked as one of the oldest of all industries. He told how the people of ancient times baked bread and how these methods were improved with the manufacture of machinery.

"Before the war approximately 60 percent of the house wives baked their own bread but with the coming of the war and with everyone's attention elsewhere more people began buying their bread from the bakery. At the present time only about 40 percent of the housewives are cooking their own bread and this percentage is gradually decreasing as people begin to realize the advantages of buying their bread prepared by modern methods and sold at a cheap price."

A group of Rotarians led by R. E. Shepherd entertained the large number of members with several songs. Dan Daniels, president, had charge of the luncheon.

CUPID MAKES MORE GAINS THAN DIVORCES

Divorce suit business in the district court was brisk here last month, but it couldn't quite keep up with the marriage license bureau which issued far more licenses than there were suits filed.

An inspection of the records at the court house shows that during the month of July, 87 licenses for marriage were given out by the county clerk, while in the district court 32 divorce suits were filed. Many of these, of course, are still pending while others which were filed in month prior to July were given hearings before the judges.

PUBLIC RECORDS

MARRIAGE LICENSES

W. W. Meeks, Burkburnett, and Mrs. Juliet Gilbert, Burkburnett.

R. Henry, Wichita Falls, and Ella May Grady, Wichita Falls.

SUITS FILED.

J. T. Grant vs W. T. Waggoner, R. L. Moore and Charles Colp, damages.

YOUR FAMILY LIKES SKINNER'S Superior MACARONI

Accident Victim Burial Today

Funeral services for M. O. Newlin, 26, who was instantly killed when his motorcycle skidded out from under him Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock on the Iowa Park pike, will be held from the Nazarene church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. W. H. Phillips officiating. Burial will be in the Riverside cemetery.

He is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Newlin and a younger brother who live on the Iowa Park road.

Keep your office and home cool with an electric fan. We have them $10 to $36. Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Adv

REJECTED SUITOR KILLS SELF, WOMAN

By the Associated Press.

TULSA, Okla., July 31.—Because she refused to marry Dr. A. M. Young, an itinerant doctor, today shot and killed Mrs. Ida Egbert, 32, widow, and killed himself with the same gun. The tragedy was witnessed by Mrs. Egbert's 13-year-old son. Another son and Mrs. Egbert's mother were in an adjoining room.

BAD WEATHER HALTS FLYERS AT ORKNEY

By The Associated Press.

KIRKWALL, ORKNEY ISLAND, Scotland, July 31.—The United States army world fliers who arrived here from Brough, England, yesterday have postponed their departure for Iceland until tomorrow because of adverse weather reports received from the patrol boats.

The Marantz
"MAKES YOUR DOLLARS HAVE MORE CENTS"

EGGS

REAL FRESH

27¢ doz.

CALIFORNIA Red Ball

Lemons

THIN RIND AND JUICY

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PEACHES

ELBERTAS

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FANCY MILK-FED

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Thrifty Housewives of Wichita Falls have learned to depend upon the grocers who advertise in The Record News. Many a week end grocery shopping list is made up from the Friday and Saturday grocery advertisements in the

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SUGAR 10-lb. Cloth Bag Pure Cane ..... 80¢

Welch's Grape Juice Pint .... 35c Quart ... 65c

Lipton's Tea 1-4-lb. Can ....20c 1-2-lb. Can ....40c 1-lb. Can 80c

Flour, 'Belle of Wichita' 48 lbs. $1.85 24 lbs. $1.00 12 lbs.. 55c

BUTTER Mistletoe or Metzger's, lb..... 40¢

Campbell's Pork and Beans, can 10c

Fresh Green Beans (stringless), 2 lbs for 25c

Fresh Sweet Potatoes, per lb. 10c

Oranges, small size, dozen 20c

We have the most complete line of fresh fruits and vegetables at all times.

Meat Department

Seasonable suggestions—Genuine Spring Lamb, Beef Tenders, Sweet Breads, Calf Liver, Hearts, Tongues, Home Baked Ham, BETTER Barbecue, Home Made Pimiento Cheese, Fresh Shipment New York Cream and Roquefort Cheese.

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BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

SALVATION:—If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.—Romans 10:9.

PRAYER:—

"Salvation! Oh, the joyful sound,
'Tis music to thine ears,
A sovereign balm to every wound,
A cordial for our fears."

SPEAKING OF GRAFTING

France has a botanist who apparently rivals our own Burbank in his remarkable grafting experiments. While grafting has long been quite common in tree culture, this French genius, Professor Lucien Daniel of the University of Rennes, has grafted a cabbage, lettuce, beans, potatoes, tomatoes and various flowers.

Some of his most sensational grafts were made on the family Solanaceae to which belong such useful plants as potatoes, tomatoes, tobacco, and eggplant. He grafted sections of eggplant on tomato vines. First the graft produced the regular ovoid eggplant fruit and later on the same branch yielded other fruit resembling that of tomatoes. Finally a true hybrid, round in shape, was obtained.

Professor Daniel has also grafted tomato branches and belladonna on potato vines, and potato stems on eggplants and tomato vines. Potatoes, of course, are simply swollen stems or tubers which develop underground. He was curious as to what would happen when he grafted a potato stem on another plant. Would tubers continue to be produced? Yes, they were, but not underground. Large beautiful tubers hung from the branches like fruit.

These aerial tubers when planted yielded a new kind of underground potatoes which were more resistant and developed more quickly than those of which they were the offspring.

Tubers On Roots and Branches

A still more fantastic discovery was the finding, among these second-generation hybrids, of three plants which bore both aerial and subterranean tubers at the same time. These tubers, being harvested and planted, yielded a stable new variety rather late in developing, but delicious flavor, extra large in size and very hardy.

One of the most recent experiments is the double grafting of belladonna and tomato. Upon a tomato stem, a sprig of belladonna was grafted and then upon the latter again a tomato stem. It was found that the belladonna plant had, by this operation, lost its property of producing atropin poison, which is normally found in all parts of the belladonna plant.

Some little grafter, is this Frenchman.

AS THE BRITISH VIEW ADVERTISING

It is becoming quite apparent that the visit of advertising men from the United States to Great Britain, opened John Bull's eyes and made him realize the aggressive methods of this country as compared with the rather easy going methods of England.

Oh, yes, there doubtless is a lot more dignity to English advertising, but they will have to admit that the American advertiser gets a "one hundred per cent kick" out of his advertising.

Advertising as employed in this country is vastly more direct and more of an aid to the shopper or buyer, while much of the English product is shaped in the form of a "lure" which is supposed to entice the reader and slip up on him unaware.

All of which calls to our mind the story of the Englishman whose attention was called to the huge Wrigley gum electric sign, which he had never seen. The American who was reminding him of this remarkable work of advertising art, informed his listener that more than 250,000 light bulbs were used in the Wrigley sign.

"That's very wonderful, indeed" replied the Englishman, "but I say, old chap, isn't that a bit conspicuous?"

That the court has ordered Harry F. Sinclair to make an answer to the questions propounded to him by the Senate Investigating Committee, holds him liable on six questions and orders him to produce his books concerning Albert B. Fall and the oil leases held by the Senate to be illegal.

PANTOMIME -:- By J. H. Striebel

JUST KEEP ON THE WAY THINGS ARE GOING—



And See What You'll Come To.



"The Woman He Desired"

And she admired her composure all the more.

He looked like a man who could tackle big things, and look as if he enjoyed the prospect, instead of being scared out of his life at the mere idea as she would be. She could not even tackle her own household. There was a strike on there now.

Both Juliette and the cook had refused to have anything to do with the English breakfast which she had ordered for her hero, a breakfast of porridge and bacon and eggs, such as she had gathered from Mrs. Green all English people had.

Eggs, yes; both the cook and Juliette could understand a man having a boiled egg with his first dejeuner. But whoever heard of a civilized person eating pudding and meat at 8 o'clock in the morning?

"If this English monsieur is to have pudding and meat with his breakfast, then mademoiselle will have to cook them herself," the cook had declared.

And Juliette had seconded this motion, for once siding with her rival. If things went on like this the countess would be expecting them to cook a dinner with seven or eight courses at 8 o'clock in the morning! Any idea of the sort must be nipped in the bud.

Wilson breakfasted in the dining-room, in solitary state, in an English manner, on porridge and bacon and eggs. But he little knew who had cooked it. Desiree with painful effort and burned fingers determined that her hero should be fed after the manner of his nation. She did for him what she would not have dared to do for herself. She braved a couple of irate and refractory women who stood in the kitchen whilst she cooked his breakfast, sneering at her attempts, criticising her methods.

However, she said nothing of this to Wilson. A man so capable would think her a poor creature since she could not exact obedience from her own menials.

She put the matter completely out of her mind, refusing to let the painful morning scene mar the happiness of the moment.

There was a brief silence during which cherries and loganis were demolished.

All at once Desiree cast a quick glance at her companion. Then she averted her face so that he should not see the soft little smile that came to her lips, in spite of all efforts—the smile of a girl about to tease her lover.

"Mr. Wilson, is your cousin anything like you?" a demure voice asked presently, with an undercurrent of mischief in it.

The question made Wilson wriggle uncomfortably, suddenly brought face to face with his own deception and the unflattering image of himself he always conjured up when thinking of himself in connection with Desiree.

"He's a very ordinary sort," he answered, in as casual a tone as he could command at the moment.

Then his gaze went to the girl beside him, with her small hands full of red cherries, the big hat shading her perfect face.

"What do you imagine him to be like?" he asked, wanting to find out what her idea of him really was.

"He's not very tall," she answered gravely; "about as tall as you, I should say. And he's awfully good-looking; his face is so strong and firm and kind. He has a figure like Hercules and such nice hands—the hands of a man who can do things. And I know there's not a greater or more noble man of his earth than my Mr. Wilson," she finished earnestly.

Inwardly Wilson groaned.

It was as he had always suspected and feared. In her mind she had some glorified, impossible hero masquerading as himself. More than ever was he glad he had come back as his cousin.

CHAPTER XXII.

"My Mr. Wilson."

The next morning Wilson was up rather earlier than usual. There were one or two matters he wanted to go into before he took Desiree to Nice in quest of a car. By now he knew every inch of the old chateau, and, as he knew his bedroom to wish has hands prior to a short cut of his bedroom by the back premises, where he found Desiree cooking his breakfast.

"Are you having a cooking lesson, countess?" Wilson asked in English.

"No; I'm showing Juliette and cook how to do eggs and bacon and make porridge in the English manner," she answered bravely, terrified lest he should find out her incompetence and despise her.

"Well, Juliette and cook must be very slow in learning, if you still have to show them how to cook an English breakfast," he remarked in broken French. It made the effect he intended. It made the two young girls at this slur on their intelligence.

"Mademoiselle la Comtesse won't trust me, monsieur," the cook said haughtily, "although I can fry eggs and bacon far better than Juliette."

"Indeed you can't," Juliette cried. "Run along, ma petite," she finished, turning, all smiles, to Desiree. "Old Juliette will do this for you every morning since you can't trust your new cook."

"Can't trust me, indeed!" the cook flared.

Helplessly Desiree glanced at Wilson. It had come at last, what she had been daily expecting and dreading—a battle royal between her old servant and the new one.

"No, Juliette, it's not good enough for you," Wilson's voice broke in firmly and quietly, speaking rather slowly in broken French. "You don't suppose that, after all your years of faithful service, your mistress would be content to let you stay here still working? With your knowledge of poultry and cows, of butter and cheese-making, you're to have charge of a model dairy the countess is going to have built, with three dairy maids under you."

(This was the first time Desiree had heard of the dairy.)

"And me, monsieur, shall I be expected to stay here and cook on bricks and sticks like a vagabond?" the cook asked. "I would have you know that I've cooked for ladies with higher titles and bigger incomes than Mademoiselle la Comtesse."

"Your mistress is going to have an up-to-date kitchen built, with a proper kitchen range, and you are to have a couple of kitchen maids. But we must all have patience. These things can't be done in five minutes."

The two women quieted down, looking at each other now, not as rivals, but as heads of departments.

Wilson left the kitchen. With fluttering heart and trembling hands Desiree followed him, fearing he had found out her utter incapacity.

"If there's any trouble in the kitchen department again, Countess, tell me at once," he remarked, when they were out of earshot of the place.

Desiree loved and admired her champion more than ever.

That same morning Wilson had breakfast on the terrace with Desiree. The scent of flowers and dew came up from the tangled garden, where bees buzzed drowsily, as they had done four months before when she had given him shelter in the ruined castle. His employer had not much to say. She was thinking of all that had happened since then, and what her fate would have been if he had not come into her life.

When the meal was finished he said:

"As soon as you're ready, Countess, we'll set out on the track of a car."

This time Wilson did not find the drive down to Nice at all long.

After lunch they went to one of the principal motor agencies in the town. Once in the showroom, Wilson did not trouble Desiree about the matter. He looked at the various cars, examining their intricate parts, knowing exactly what type and style would be best suited to her purpose.

A car was finally decided on. There was a trial run and they arrived back at the chateau in great style.

Before a fortnight had passed he had men digging up the weed-grown terraces on the hillsides, and bricklayers and carpenters at work on the house. Twice a week he went down to Nice to a college of agriculture, to learn how things were grown in that part of France, so that he could serve his princess better; to see plans connected with her house, and the home for blind babies that was to be built in the sweetest corner of her wilderness of an estate, and the factory for which he had found a spot where it would not prove an eyesore.

Occasionally, when he was in the midst of instructing an army of workmen, a soft, excited voice would say:

"Oh, Mr. Wilson, do come and see what I've found."

No matter how busy he might be, that request was a command.

But wonderful as were all the flowers and trees, the birds, beasts and fishes to Desiree, there was nothing in the vast scheme of nature to compare with the man who had come into her darkness, bringing light.

When the sun set over the mountains, turning their hard grayness into velvet softness, it was wonderful, something to clasp hands in ecstasy over, to look at with marvelling eyes. But it was not so wonderful as "my Mr. Wilson," she would say.

His presence sent her singing through the old house, which, when he had first come there, had had nothing but draughty sighs and the splash of rain, like tears.

Very often, when her lessons were over, she would come straight out and look at him as, in white overalls, he superintended the renovations.

(Continued Tomorrow)

Pointed Paragraphs

By ROBERT QUILLEN

Lunch is something an executive consumes while killing two hours.

Some people respect divine things, and some use salt on watermelon.

Husbands are people who pretend to be thinking when they are merely pouting.

Never destroy a lumpy old mattress. Some farmer can use it for a summer boarder.

In some respects the world improves little, but you very seldom see a horse-hair sofa.

The world hasn't yet seen a man as important as a rich man in a small town feels.

One fine thing about using a taxicab is that you can feel neutral when the fenders crumple.

There is yet much good Americanism in districts where they pronounce "hysterics" "highsterics".

Low-class Japs sullenly cuss America, but the big boys smile sweetly and plan a bigger navy.

"Nerves" are things you have if you aren't kept busy enough to quit thinking about yourself.

The Olympic games are persuading many people to get down the atlas and see where Finland is.

Yet every time you get a thrill you sacrifice the capacity for being thrilled in the same way again.

An eye-witness can remember details of the crime for six months if there is a good lawyer to prompt him.

Grandmother's bobbed hair may seem funny, but the world snickered when great-grandfather shaved off his beard.

Our estimate is that the energy used in applying tonic to bald heads is equal to 23,465 horse power.

As to instructed delegates, how can you have a representative government without instructing your representatives?

If you look seedy and have but forty cents to buy eats, the only vacant table in the restaurant is close to a window.

The annoying thing about a vacation is the home-coming and the discovery that nobody knew you were away.

Correct this sentence: "I bought twelve cantaloupes," said she, "and not one was green or spoiled."

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Irrigation

By A. M. McPHERSON
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SOILS AND SOIL PHYSICS

Paraffine Pot Method of Soil Testing

Sometime ago when we were writing about the use of lime on the soil we told how tests could be made by the farmer himself to determine whether or not his soil really needed lime. The test was very simple. It was to grow a plot of beets on limed soil and another plot unlimed. If the beets grew much better on the limed soil than on the unlimed than it would pay to lime the whole field.

The same method would of course apply to other fertilizers and other crops. This method takes time. It is almost impossible to determine what fertilizer should be used and then get the benefits the same year.

Another method, much easier to handle and that gives just as true results has been devised. It is called the paraffine pot method.

A small dish or pot resembling in shape a flower pot, is formed from ordinary wire netting. The same kind of netting that is used on our doors and window to keep out flies and bugs.

The top of this pot is dipped into melted parafine so that about one inch is covered with the wax. Then the pot is filled with the soil that is desired to test.

This soil should be moist but not saturated and should be packed in the pot to about the same density that it had when in the field in its natural state.

The pot containing the soil is then dipped into melted parafine so that the wax covers the surface of the pot up to and joins with the parafine that was first placed around the top. The wax must not be allowed to cover the soil on the top of the pot. In this condition the pot is ready to be used for soil testing.

BUILDINGS FOR TEXAS TECH ARE PLANNED

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 31.—Plans for four buildings at the new Texas Technological college, Lubbock, were discussed with the board of control today by President P. W. Horn of the college. The sum of $350,000 will be available September 1 for the buildings which include a heating plant, engineering building, home economics building and dairy barn. Funds are now available and work is progressing on the administration building, the president's residence and a stock judging pavilion. The college will open September 1, 1925, with departments of liberal arts, home economics, agriculture and engineering.

FOREST FIRES KEEP OUT CAMPERS, NOW

By The Associated Press.

MISSOULA, Mont., July 31.—Due to serious fire danger, 13 of the 24 national forests in district No. 1 of the forest service, comprising western Montana and northern Idaho, have been closed to smoking or camping, District Forester Fred Morrell announced today.

Brother to President of Cuba, Minister, Dies

By the Associated Press.

HAVANA, July 31. — Francisco Zaynay Alfonso, Cuban minister to France, and brother of President Zayas, died at his home here today.



THROUGH A WOMAN'S EYES

By JEAN NEWTON

How One Woman Did It.

"Yes, I'm afraid we will have to give up the Jacks, fond as we are of them. It is foolish to associate with people who have so much more money than you have. You don't want to "sponge" on them, and you can't keep up with them."

I couldn't help overhearing the foregoing.

One of the nicest women I know is constantly up against this problem.

Because her husband is doing work which brings as its reward more distinction than remuneration, they are poorer by a good deal than the other people in their circle.

"As a bachelor," she once said to me, "Will did not feel this so keenly. But soon after I married him I seemed to face two alternatives—going into debt to keep up with his friends, or depriving him of his dearest associations. I decided to do neither.

'I felt that they cared for our friendship—not for the entertainment we could give them in return for theirs. So I decided then and there to treat the matter with absolute simplicity and candor; to reciprocate in our home according to our income, not theirs, and to avoid being drawn into expensive activities by making plain to them what our limitations were. You see we have not lost our friends, and we have a very good time. I really believe they think more of us than they would if we had tried to sham or to enter an uneven race with them."

Indeed they do. And I remember once seeing how my friend met about it. A professional associate and his wife, with whom they were getting quite chummy, were calling. They were discussing the latest play when she remarked: "Oh, yes, we certainly did enjoy it, and we were able to get inexpensive seats. I should have liked to go on the opening night, but they raised the prices and, as usual, we were too poor."

The other people were almost ready to apologize for being better off.

If the little lady who was perplexed about the Jacks would assume the same attitude, I think she would find them not a whit less cordial. In fact, as my friend said, she and her husband would probably rise in their estimation. Then, too, the Jacks may have been playing the same game, you never can tell—of keeping up with them.

While money is by no means the mere nothing that some people feel called upon to assume, it is certainly not one of the things that should go for a tie or a barrier between people who would be friends. To permit it to do so is not so much an over-estimation of the importance of money as it is a deprecation of friendship and the things for which it stands.

And any woman with the exercise of common sense, dignity and a little graciousness can make herself mistress of this situation.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

TO A TROUT

If you had known the only fly
That trout should take this time of year,
Among the fern leaves you would lie,
Beside me, in the basket here.
But though it flicked before your nose,
You gave it a disdainful glance
And would not rise to it, which shows
Your ignorance.

I've long been deep in angling lore;
My judgment never goes amiss.
I'd scorn to use a hackle for
A dull and cloudy day like this.
My bright professor was the lure
To coax you from that shady spot;
I knew that it would get you sure,
But you did not.

You gave it not a sniff, instead.
As tense with hope deferred I grew,
You slowly swam down stream and fed
Upon a fluttering moth or two.
That's quite permissible in spring,
When brightly shines the cloudless sun,
But in July that sort of thing
Is never done.

Well, stay there in your quiet pool
And listen to the waterfall;
If you will not be caught by rule,
You'll not be caught be me, at all
I'll have no prize to show the throng,
When into camp I come tonight,
But still I know that you were wrong.
And I was right!

PLAYING SAFE

Nowadays the first question asked of an applicant for life insurance is "Are you a pedestrian?"

OBSTRUCTION TO NAVIGATION

American bound steamships have to slow down farther from the coast now that the bar is twelve miles out.

AVERAGING UP

Mr. Coolidge can stand a summer in Washington if he could stand fifty winters in Vermont and Massachusetts.

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Dr. Frank Crane's Daily Editorial

The Sea

I have been much troubled always by the passage of Scripture which says "There shall be no more sea."

It was explained to me by a Quaker on shipboard who observed that whereas in former times the sea had been the barrier it had now become the common carrier of nations.

Time was when the crossing of the sea was a perilous event, one to be undertaken only by the more adventurous portion of hte population; for this reason every nation was more or less provincial and self-contained.

Man, however, by his invention of steam has conquered the seas and made them his roadstead. At present no one thinks more of crossing the ocean than he does of crossing the ferry. This has brought foreign lands near to us.

It has been difficult for us toaccommodate ourselves to this idea and we persist in conceiving of foreigners as being peoples totally different from us, whereas if we only see them often enough to find them much the same.

The sea, therefore, has taken down barriers and has not made them.

Someone has said, "We should study maps of the seas with the lands which lie around them, and not maps of the land."

On the surface of the globe, three-fifths are water. That is, the most part of our habitable sphere is made up of the sea. There is more life in the sea than on the land, so scientists tell us. But it is a hidden life separated from us by a curtain which we cannot penetrate.

Man is a land animal and is not adapted for breathing sea water. Just as men drown in the sea, so fishes drown in the air.

What goes on in that immense republic of the sea we can only guess. We know it has its monsters, its animalculae, its whales and its minnows, its commonality and it grotesque gentry.

As far as we can see there is no creature in the water that corresponds to man. There is no thinking fish. But there must be some purpose in the great plan for the water population or there would not be so much of it.

There are few experiences more refreshing to the soul than to be in the midst of the great waters, to look out for days upon an expanse of ocean with no land on the horizon. This makes one feel his littleness, his insignificance, in the order of things. It is as if one strayed amidst the immense distances of the stars.

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FARM-LABOR TO PICK CANDIDATE

By the Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, July 31. — A special session of the Texas Farm-Labor political conference will be held here August 11, to choose between Robertson and Ferguson for the governorship indorsement. Announcement of the call was received this afternoon from President Lee Tarpley at Leonard. Four hundred delegates are expected.

NARCOTIC CHARGE IS AGAINST PHYSICIANS

By The Associated Press.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 31. — Ten persons, including four orderlies at the Otteen veterans bureau hospital and three Asheville physicians, were arrested here today by federal officers on charges of trafficking in narcotics. Warrants were issued for eight others, including several physicians.

HOW IT STARTED

"To The Manor Born"

This is a phrase that is popularly used today to describe one who fits naturally into high places, upon whom distinction falls as an appropriate garment. It brings with it the flavor of thrones and feudal distinctions of caste. And although it was in such atmosphere and by a prince that the words were first used it was not in the sense of caste, as we use them today.

It is in Shakespeare's "Hamlet" that the expression has its origin, being used by Hamlet in criticizing the king for observing an old custom of midnight revelry. Being asked: "Is it a custom," he replies, "Ay, marry, is't. But to my mind, though I am a native here and to the manner born . . . ." he goes on to say that it has never been observed.

It is quite obvious that the phrase here is used simply to describe his familiarity with local manners and with no implication of caste, which it has taken on in its modern usage.

Mrs. J. C. Walker Proves Delightful Hostess to Class For Business Session

OFFICERS and group leaders of the Alathean class of the First Baptist Sunday school met in a business session at the home of the president, Mrs. J. C. Walker, Thursday afternoon and elected group leaders for the coming years as follows: No 1, Mrs. C. W. Andress; No. 2, Mrs. S. E. Haddox; No. 3, Mrs. W. T. Knight; No. 4, Mrs. J. H. Kurley; No. 5, Mrs. O. V. Rhodes; No 6, Mrs. R. F. Redigo; No. 7, Mrs. J. W. Mays! No. 8, Mrs. Shelby Drake, re-elected; No. 9, Mrs. Farris Vaughn; No. 10, Mrs. John Cravanes; No. 11, Mrs. George Coleman and No. 12, Mrs. E. D. Burge.

During the social hour, an ice course was served to Mesdames W. A Lucas, Claude Red, J. E. Ward, J. T. Yeargin, J. R. Sheldon, Ray Wilhite, Newton Huff, J. R. Newland, Ben C. Ackerman, A. W. Wyatt, George Brown, Shelby Drake, J. T Gant, David Erickson, Ed. Brown, Ray Brothertin and George A. Patterson.

TYPO AUXILIARY MEETS WEDNESDAY.

Members of the Woman's Typo Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Moody, 1104 Thirteenth street Wednesday afternoon in a business session.

Plans were discussed for the Labor Day parade and sandwiches, lemonade and cake was served to Mesdames E. L. Hayes, A. L. Bryant, B. B. Yantis, F. Hardy, and W. P. Thompson.

MR. AND MRS. CLINE ENTERTAIN INFORMALLY

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cline, who are spending the summer at their plantation home at Amite, La., are at home for a few days and entertained a few friends informally on the lawn of the M. B. Rowe home Wednesday evening.

In the party were Messrs. and Mesdames R. E. Shepard, E. T. Bass and son, Perry Richardson, C. R. Hartsook, C. E. McCutcheon, and son Jimmy, W. W. Gardner and children and M. D. Rowe; Mrs. Anne Hood, and Misses Mineola Harding, Merrick, Lucia Powell and Cora Findley and Messrs. Maxson, J. H. Allison, C. U. Daniels, S. L. McDowell and Judge A. H. Britain. Watermelon was served.

BLUEBIRD CLASS SWIM AT HAVEN PARK

Members of the Bluebird Sunday school class of the Grace Methodist church enjoyed a swim at Haven park Wednesday evening. A picnic supper was served after which games were played until a late hour.

Those who went included: Misses LaBelle Story, Marie Roberts, Helen Wallace, Alleen Holman, Laveta Smith, Birdie Simmons, Clara Scofield, Dorothy VanDeventer, Vesta Stiles, Agnes Turner and Lucile Wainscott and Messrs. Elias Scofield, Harry Simmons and George Turner.

JUNIOR BUSINESS GIRLS ENTERTAIN

An enjoyable event of Thursday was the ice cream festival at the Y. W. C. A. in the evening, with members of the Junior Business Girls' hostesses.

A feature of the affair was the delightful program which included a dance by Miss Anna Mae Cato; a song by George Tayler; a reading by Adeena Kouri; dance and reading by Nancy Favor; a vocal duet by Misses Eula Mae and Pearl Breedon; a piano solo by Miss Vivian Ross and a solo by Miss Fay Thompson.

The fund derived from the festival will be used by the club to defray the expenses of its delegate to the general Y. W. C. A. conference to be held in Estes park from August 5 to 15.

Ice cream and home made cake was served to about 40 guests.

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS CALLED MEETING

A called meeting of the Highland Heights Civic league will be held this morning at the home of Mrs. Walter McAbee at her home, 2100 Grant street. Every member is urged to be present.

CYPHER CLUB TO GIVE DANCE TONIGHT.

The Cypher club will give a dance at Lake Wichita tonight at 9 o'clock when music will be furnished by the Doc Ross Jazz Bandits.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anderson of Frederick, Okla., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Watland of Fourteenth street. Mr. Anderson will open a J. C. Penny store in Frederick next week in which Mr. Watland will be a partner.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Goraline Jr., will leave Saturday for a months' outing in Colorado.

Mrs. J. E. Haggard, 1649 Elizabeth street has as her guests this week, her cousins, Mrs. Charles Duckley and Miss Margaret Hutton of Kansas City, and her mother, Mrs. M. M. Ranson of Seymour.

M. and Mrs. Paul P. Steed and children are leaving Saturday for Corpus Christi where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Milton P. Bell is reported ill at her home, 2210 Tenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Maer and Mrs. Alfred Miller left Thursday for Colorado and Yellow Stone Park where they will remain for three weeks.

Robert Davidson of Childress is here on business and visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gray.

YOUNG COOLIDGE TO MISS C. M. T. C.

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Plans by President and Mrs. Coolidge to permit their son, John, to attend the citizens military training camp this summer at Camp Devers, Mass., have been abandoned and John will remain with his parents at the White House until fall when he enters Amherst college.

It was the plan and desire of Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge at the time school closed last June that both John and his brother, Calvin, Jr., should attend the camp, but since the death of the latter the question of John's attendance at the camp has been held in abeyance. John has been spending almost all of his time with his mother.

TWO MEN KILLED IN CORPUS WRECK

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, July 31.—E. R. Priest, 65, and N. H Hand, 73, were instantly killed here this morning when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by another automobile.

Dorothy Dix

When You Go Husband-Hunting Avoid the Too-Handsome Man; the Spoiled Only Son; the Man Who Carries His Change in a Pocket-Book; the Man Who Never Loved Before.

When you select a husband:

Don't marry a man who is handsome and knows it. A vain man is 10,000,000 times vainer than the vainest woman who ever lived and expects a thousand times more adulation, which gets to be wearing on a wife after she has ceased to be thrilled by her husband's profile.

Also it will get on your nerves to hear people whispering behind your back, wondering what ever made that stunning-looking man marry a plain little thing like you. Besides, it is hard enough to keep even a tubby, bald-headed, squint-eyed husband from the vamps without going out to hunt for trouble by picking out an Adonis who will make every woman he meets sit up and take notice.

Don't marry an only son who has sisters. All his life he has been worshipped and petted and waited upon by a group of adoring females to whom his slightest wish was law. He will expect his wife to understudy the whole bunch and throw in a few extra attentions of her own.

Moreover, after you have worked your fingers to the bone picking up after him, and cooking him the things he likes to eat, and putting the buttons on his shirt, he won't even say "Thank you" because that is what he thinks women are here for. Slavery is the middle name of the woman who marries sister's darling and mother's angel boy.

Don't marry a man who wants you to reform him, and who tells you that if he only had your sacred influence that he would never thirst for another highball or play another poker game, and that from being a waster and a spender he would become an industrious and thrifty citizen.

The man who will not run straight for the sake of his own manhood will never do it for any woman. Making a first-class husband out of a second-class man is too big for any girl to tackle.

Don't marry a self-conceited man. The man who tells you how great and wonderful he is, and what marvelous things he has done, and what stupendous things he is going to do in the future is not only a fool, but he exalts himself at the expense of his wife.

He never considers her taste, or desires, or happiness, but feels that she has been so blessed in getting him for a husband that she should ask nothing else of life. Whenever you see a gasbag of a man with a tired-looking little woman patiently working the bellows you have as tragic a picture of matrimony as it is possible to behold.

Don't marry a man who isn't entertaining and who doesn't carry a line of conversation that goes beyond "I said," and "he said," and the grocery trade, and what perfectly wonderful eyes you have and how different you are from all other women."

The thirty or forty or fifty years of matrimony that you are about to undertake are a good long stretch of time, and they will seem longer if you are bored, as you surely will be if you are married to a man who never reads anything but the stock-market report and whose talk ranges from the office to the high cost of living and back again. The tired business man who has interest outside of his business isn't half as tired as he makes his wife.

Don't marry a grouchy man. The man who sits around glum and silent whenever another beau drops in when he is calling on you or who goes into a fit of sulks when everybody does not do his way, makes the sort of a husband who keeps his wife in perpetual terror for fear she will do or say something that will bring on one of his tantrums.

He glooms around and wet-blankets every occasion, and nothing but being a noble Christian character and a perfect lady keeps her from putting rough on rats in his coffee or throwing the dishes at his head.

Don't marry a man who carries his small change in a pocketbook and who has to fish out every penny.

It takes him too long to get at his spending money. His wife will have to fight with tooth and toenail for an allowance, and if she gets it at all it will be cut down to the last nickel and she will always have to tell what she did with the quarter he gave her week before last.

Don't marry a man who is always knocking women and being funny at their expense.

The man who has no respect for women, and who resents women doing anything but having babies and cooking dinners is a little-caliber man, and that sort of a man makes the most tyrannical husband in the world. A big man isn't afraid of women. It is the great big fellow, big of heart, big of brain, who spoil their own wives and daughters and are tender and kind and sympathetic to all other women.

Don't marry a man who has not some definite, settled way of making a living.

He need not be rich. Indeed, a man who has worked up from the bottom to a two thousand dollar salary is a better financial proposition to tie to than the one who has inherited $20,000 a year from his father and has never earned a dollar of his own. But there must be a strong enough financial plank in the matrimonial platform to support it or else the pretty romance collapses in ruins.

Don't marry a man who tells you that he never loved before.

He is either a liar or he lacks experience enough to know what he wants in a wife. It doesn't matter how many other loves he has had just so you are the last.

Consider well these matrimonial don'ts, daughter, when you go to pick a husband and heaven bless your choice.

DOROTHY DIX.

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OLDEST TRIPLETS IN COUNTRY NEAR EIGHTIETH YEAR



Above: Jerry W. Williams; center, Mrs. Mary Wiley; below, Mrs. Martha Staley.

CARMI, Ill.—What are believed to be the oldest trilets in the United States are preparing to have a joint birthday celebration in September.

They are Mrs. Martha Staley of Carmi; Mrs. Mary Wiley of Greybull, Wyo., and Jerry Williams of Lovington, Ill. They were born Sept. 23, 1844 in White county, near Carmi

There were 17 children in the Williams family, all reaching adult age. Twins are now living at 84. The mother died at the age of 96.

All of the triplets are in good health.

Mothers AND THEIR CHILDREN



A Separate Nook

One Mother Says:

It isn't possible for each of my children to have his own room, but I see to it that every one has some place of his own in which no one else has any right. With my oldest child it is a corner and a desk, while the others have a table or set of shelves. I advise often about the order in these nooks, but I do not interfere with the ownership control.

If you would like to get a handy little book, entitled "100 Ideas for Mothers," containing the best ideas for mothers that have been published here, send 16c in stamps to The Record News Mothers Bureau, Room 930, 440 S. Dearborn St., Chicago.

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Sing-Song Night At Bellevue Park

Tonight the regular weekly community sing-song will be held at Bellevue Park at 8 o'clock led by R. E. Shepherd. The event is becoming more popular each week and is drawing large crowds. The program will include patriotic, folk and stunt songs; which have proven interesting and entertaining as well as instructive. The peograms will be given all through the month of August, according to announcement.

The entire community is invited to attend.

MEXIA NOW HAS COTTON MILL

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 31. — Mexia is to have a large cotton mill, according to incorporators of the Mexia Textile Mills, which was granted a charter here today. The capital stock is $450,000. The company is to manufacture cotton goods. The incorporators are J. K. Hughes, J. Sanford Smith and Jack Womack, all of Mexia.

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Local Trekkers Do Record "Hike" Via Free Rides

What is believed to be a season's record for consecutive rides was established by two local boys from Monday to Wednesday afternoon. Phillip Pink and John Eber, two local boys left Galveston Monday and arrived in Wichita Falls in two and one-half days with only an expediture of $1.10 each. To be exact the boys obtained 26 free automobile rides between Galveston and Wichita Falls. They left Wichita Falls about 10 days ago and secured a ride all the way to Galveston in one car. hTe return trip was made by securing the 26 free rides.

In speaking of the trip Pink said "We did not ask for a single ride but only dressed neatly and everyone was nice to us." Incidentally this was Pink's second hiking trip to Galveston he having made the trip last summer with James Calvert who is at present time somewhere in Montana hiking to California to enter the University of California this fall.

Coyote Hi Hiker Shades Buddy's Seven-Day Lead

Somewhere in Colorado Kenneth Barker is working his way toward California and on up in Montana James Calvert is likewise headed toward the Golden Gate. Barker, a graduate of the local high school, left Wichita Falls three weeks ago with a resolution not to pay one cent for transportation between here and California where he plans to work and attend the University of California this fall. James Calvert, another high school graduate, and the buddy of Barker, was unable to leave with his friend but left one week later with the determination of meeting him somewhere near Dalbart, Texas. The two boys never met and in some strange way Calvert passed Barker and is now several hundred miles ahead of him.

Both boys are well known in Wichita Falls, having taken active part in all school activities while attending the local high school. Should they fail to find each other on the trip an appointed place has been arranged where they will meet in California and make plans to enter the university.

PUBLIC RECORDS

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DEM TACTICS ARE GETTING ORGANIZED

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Thomas J Spellacy of Hartford, Conn., will have charge of the democratic eastern campaign headquarters, it was announced today.

Former Congressman Lincoln Dixon of Indiana will be in charge of the organization bureau in Washington. Associated with him will be William B. Wilson, former secretary of labor.

Sterotypers President Dies Suddenly on Boat

By the Associated Press.

CALDWELL, N. J., July 31. — James G. Freel, 60, president of the International Sterotypers union, died suddenly today following an illness which came upon him while returning from Savannah, Ga., yesterday by boat with his wife. Two physicians were unable to designate the cause of his death.

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A beautiful complexion makes you pretty. Take care of your skin.

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A face powder in cream form. Makes the skin white, does away with "shine", and stays on. Pure. Delightfully perfumed. Flesh and white 30 and 60c. Trial size, 10c. Kirby-Gifford Co. Dallas, Texas.

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Crabs Rally In Ninth to Defeat Spuds Again

BAGWELL SINGLES IN FINAL FRAME WITH SACKS LOADED

Bunched Bingles Abetted By Erratic Fielding and Jungle Heaves Beat Dick Morgan in His Return

WICHITA FALLS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fitzgerald, cf	3	1	1	6	0	0
Coombs 1b	2	1	0	6	0	0
Smith c	2	0	0	4	0	1
Weiss lf	3	0	2	4	0	1
Turgeon ss	4	0	0	0	2	2
Callaghan rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Locker 3b	3	0	0	1	0	1
White 2b	3	0	2	4	3	0
Morgan p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	27	3	6	x26	6	5

GALVESTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bandrimer 2b	5	1	3	2	2	0
Wisterzil 3b	5	1	0	1	3	0
Whiteman lf	4	0	0	4	0	0
Bagwell rf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Burkett ss	4	0	2	1	2	0
Mueller 1b	4	0	1	7	0	0
Perussina cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Wolgamot c	3	0	0	8	3	0
Matthews p	3	1	0	0	3	0
Morrow x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brown cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hurt xx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	4	8	27	13	0

xBatted for Perussina in 8th.
xxBatted for Matthews in 9th.
xTwo out when winning run scored.

WICHITA FALLS	110	010	000—3
GALVESTON	000	011	002—4

Two base hits Weis 2; home run Bagwell; sacrifice hits Coombs, Smith, Locker; struck out Matthews 5; Morgan 3; bases on balls off Matthews 4, Morgan 3; batsmen hit by Matthews (Fitzgerald), (Weiss); wild pitch Matthews; left on bases Wichita Falls 6, Galveston 10; double plays Turgeon to White to Coombs (2), Matthews to Burkett to Mueller; time 2:00; umpires O'Toole and Kane.

GALVESTON, July 31.—Bagwell's single in the ninth inning with the bases full and two out was the outstanding feature of the Crabs' 4 to 3 victory over Wichita Falls today. Bagwell had previously got his twenty-second homer of the season with the bases empty. Matthews made his first appearance on the mound for Galveston and hurled good ball after the first two innings. He held the Spudders to six hits.

Morgan, Spudder right hander, pitched his first game of a number of weeks, and would have been fairly effective but for errors and poor breaks of the game from a Wichita Falls standpoint.

Wichita Falls got off to a jumping start, scoring a run in the first inning and then another in the second. Fitzgerald was hit by a pitched ball. Coombs sacrificed, pitcher to first. Fitzgerald took third on a wild pitch and scored on Smith's sacrifice fly to right. Weis was hit by a pitched ball. Turgeon flied to left.

In the second inning for the visitors, Callaghan walked. Locker flied out to center. White singled through short and Callaghan went to second. Morgan poppel out to the catcher. Fitzgerald singled to center, scoring Callaghan, and White went to third. Coombs forced Fitzgerald at second, third to second.

Spuds Another in Fifth.

The Spudders scored again in the fifth on a pair of walks and a double by Weis. Fitzgerald went out, second to first. Coombs walked. Smith walked. Weis doubled to right, scoring Coombs and sending Smith to third. Turgeon grounded out to third and Smith went out, third to catcher. Weis went to third. Callaghan went out, third to first.

Crabs Get Started.

Galveston scored a run in the fifth, too, but the locals were fortunate, making the counter without the sign of a safe hit. Wolgamot flied out to Fitzgerald. Matthews bunted in front of the plate, and Smith threw wild to first, Matthews went to second. Bandrimer fanned, swinging. Weis dropped Wisterzil's long fly, scoring Matthews. Wisterzil went to second. Whiteman flied out to Callaghan.

The Crabs again pushed across in the sixth when Bagwell hit his homer over the right field fence with none on the paths.

The game was won in the ninth, and Bagwell did the larger part of the winning. Wolgamot went out, White to Coombs. Hurt, batting for Matthews, fouled out to Smith. Bandrimer beat out an infield hit to short. Wisterzil was safe when Turgeon made a wild throw to first, and Bandrimer went to third. Whiteman walked, filling the bases. Bagwell singled to center, scoring Bandrimer and Wisterzil.

PALMER'S HIT DEFEATS BUFFS

Cats Win in Eighth; Tex McDonald Chased For Disputing Decision

HOUSTON, Texas, July 31.—A double by Eddie Palmer in the eighth scored two runs for the Panthers and gave Fort Worth a 6 to 4 decision here today. Tex McDonald was expelled from the game by Umpire Coe for disputing a decision, which caused a radical re-arrangement of the Bluff infield.

Fort Worth	AB	H	O	A
Calvo, cf	5	2	6	1
Phelan, 3b	2	0	0	0
Sears, lf	3	0	1	0
Kraft, 1b	3	1	8	0
Palmer, 2b	4	2	3	4
Ed'ton, rf	4	0	2	0
Tavener, ss	4	1	3	2
Bischoff, c	4	1	4	0
Johns, p	2	1	0	2
Mid'ton, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	8	27	9

Houston	AB	H	O	A
Compton, lf	3	1	5	0
M'Cu'y rf-2b	5	2	3	0
M'roe, 2b-ss	4	2	2	3
Gainer, 1b	3	0	9	2
M'Dald, 3b	2	0	1	1
Haley, cf	3	1	4	0
H'an, ss-3b	4	0	2	1
Dimond, c	4	2	0	1
Barfoot, p	3	2	1	2
Light, rf	1	0	0	0
xMcCurdy	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	9	27	10

xBatted for Barfoot in 9th.

Fort Worth	130	000	020—6
Houston	000	100	300—4

Summary: Runs, Calvo, Phelan, Kraft, Palmer, Bischoff, Johns, McCarty, Gainer, Diamond, Barfoot; errors, Gainer, Compton, Barfoot; two-base hits, Calvo, Palmer 2, Barfoot, McCarty; three-base hit, Haley; sacrifice hits, Compton, Phelan; double play, Calvo to Tavener; bases on balls off Johns 2, Barfoot 2; hit by pitcher by Johns (McDonald, Haley), by Barfoot (Phelan); struck out Johns 2, Middleton 1; innings pitched by Johns 6 1-3; hits off Johns 9 and 4 runs.

BEARS HOP ON STEERS, 3 TO 2

SAN ANTONIO, July 31.—Connally's homer in the 7th inning and singles by Fuller, and Galloway in the 8th, won the second game of the Dallas series for San Antonio.

Dallas	AB	H	O	A
Barnes, 1b	4	2	7	1
D'ohue, rf	4	1	1	0
B'man, 3b	4	1	3	2
Vache, cf	3	2	2	0
Griffin, lf	4	1	0	0
Segrist, 3b	3	2	0	1
Rader, ss	3	0	4	4
Withrow, c	3	0	9	1
Love, p	3	1	0	1
xSchumann	1	0	0	0
xxConley	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	9	24	10

San Antonio	AB	H	O	A
Brovold, 3b	4	1	1	3
Fuller, 2b	4	1	1	2
Mayer, cf	4	2	7	0
Connally, lf	4	1	2	0
G'loway, 1b	3	2	8	1
Booe, rf	3	0	0	0
Warwick, c	3	1	5	1
Gross, ss	1	0	2	3
Pryman, p	2	0	1	1
Totals	28	8	27	11

xBatted for Withrow in 9th.
xxBatted for Love in 9th.

Dallas	010	001	000—2
San Antonio	000	000	12x—3

Summary: Runs, Donohue, Vache, Fuller, Mayer, Connolly; error, Rader; two-base hits, Vache, Bauman, Barnes; home run, Connally; stolen bases, Fuller, Mayer; sacrifice, Segrist, Perryman, Booe; struck out, Love 5, Perryman 3; bases on balls, Love 3, Perryman 1; left on bases, Dallas 7, San Antonio 6; double plays Bauman to Rader to barnes, Gross to Fuller to Galloway.

EXPORTERS POUND GASSERS' HURLERS

BEAUMONT, July 31.—Beaumont won today 8 to 6 by pounding two Gasser hurlers hard in the mid-innings.

Shreveport	AB	H	O	A
French c-lf	5	4	2	0
Con'ly, 2b	4	1	4	2
Riley, 1b	4	2	10	0
Vinci, r-cf	5	1	2	0
King, lf-3b	3	1	3	1
Brown, ss	3	0	0	2
Scheer, 3b	4	0	0	2
Carson, rf	0	0	0	0
Graham, c	4	2	3	2
Clark, p	2	0	0	2
Harris, p	1	0	0	0
xRowland	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	11	24	11

Beaumont	AB	H	O	A
Rabbitt, cf	5	1	3	0
Knaupp, 2b	5	1	1	3
Foreman, rf	5	2	2	0
Huber, 3b	4	1	1	1
Kearns, 1b	4	0	10	1
Taylor, lf	4	2	2	0
Burns, c	3	2	5	1
De'vros, ss	2	0	2	1
Mat'son, p	3	1	0	3
xOstergard	1	1	0	0
S'bury, ss	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	7	27	10

xBatted for Harris in 9th.
zBatted for Deviveros in 8th.

Shreveport	200	030	001—6
Beaumont	022	101	02x—8

Summary: Runs, French 2, Connolly 2, Riley 2, Knaupp, Foreman, Huber, Kearns, Taylor 2, Burns 2, Ostergard; errors, Brown, Graham, Huber, Matteson; sacrifice hit, Matteson; two-base hits, King, French, Vinci, Knaupp, Taylor 2, Ostergard, Matteson; three-base hit, Burns; home runs, Burns, Riley; double plays, Brown to Connolly to Riley, Burns to Knaupp; bases on balls, Clark 3, Matteson 3; struck out by Clark 3, Harris 1, Matteson 4.

Jester Eliminated In Southwestern Tennis Tourney

By the Associated Press.

DALLAS, July 31.—Levin Jester, playing through southwestern singles champion, was eliminated from the thirteenth annual tournament Thursday afternoon at the hands of Bradley Hogue, former champion, in straight sets. This match supplied the high spots of the afternoon of play on the courts of the Dallas Lawn Tennis club, where their tournament is being held.

As a result of the play today both the singles and doubles have been carried to the semi-finals.

Three Dallas players reached the semi-finals in the singles. The number includes two former champions, Bradley Hogue and J. B. Adoue, Jr., and John Barr, a Southern Methodist university student. The only outsider to break through the veteran phalanx of Dallas southwestern tennis stars was Ben J. Parks of Oklahoma City, who reached the semi-finals by defeating Witcher Settles of Dallas, in a strenuous three set match, 2-6, 6-3, 6-1.

AUSTRALIA DEFEATS CHINA IN PLAY FOR DAVIS NET TROPHY

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Australia defeated China in the first two singles matches of Davis Cup play on the courts of the Crescent A. C. in Brooklyn today. Gerald Patterson won from W. Lock Wei, captain of the Chinese team, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2, and Pat O'Hara Wood downed Paul Kong, 6-0, 6-1, 6-2.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Texarkana 8; Sulphur Springs 9.
Tyler 6; Marshall 18.
Paris 15; Greenville 9.
Longview 2; Mount Pleasant 22.

Denton Gains Referee's Verdict Over Rich in 12 Rounds

Ruth Hits 33rd Home Run As Yanks Drop Pair

Browns Too Much And Champs Lose 2 to 1 and 5 to 4

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—St. Louis took both games of a double header from the Yankees today. Babe Ruth drove out his 33rd home run of the season in the sixth inning of the second game and his fourteenth for July, breaking his previous record for a single month.

FIRST GAME

New York	AB	H	O	A
Dugan, 3b	3	1	1	1
Horan, lf	4	1	2	1
Ruth, cf	4	2	0	0
Meusel, rf	4	0	1	0
Pipp, 1b	4	0	12	0
H'mann, c	3	1	3	2
Ward, 2b	3	0	3	6
Scott, ss	3	0	2	4
Hoyt, p	2	0	0	3
Shawkey, p	0	0	0	0
xBush	1	0	0	0
Totals	30	3	24	17

St. Louis	AB	H	O	A
Tobin, rf	3	2	0	0
Evans, lf	4	1	0	0
Sisler, 1b	4	0	16	0
M'Mnus, 2b	4	2	3	6
Jb'son, cf	2	0	5	0
Rbt'son, 3b	3	2	1	4
Severeid, c	3	1	0	1
Gerber, ss	3	0	2	4
Wingard, p	3	0	0	2
Totals	29	8	27	17

xBatted for Hoyt in 8th.

New York	000	010	000—1
St. Louis	011	000	00x—2

Summary: Runs, Horan, Tobin, McManus; errors, Sisler, Robertson; two-base hit, Robertson; bases on balls off Hoyt 1, Wingard 1; struck out, Shawkey 1.

SECOND GAME

New York	AB	H	O	A
Dugan, 3b	4	0	0	2
Horan, lf	4	0	2	0
Ruth, cf	3	2	2	0
Meusel, rf	4	2	2	0
Pipp, 1b	3	1	6	1
Schang, c	2	0	4	1
Ward, 2b	4	1	3	5
Scott, ss	4	0	4	1
M'maux, p	0	0	1	0
aBush	1	0	0	0
bJohnson	0	0	0	0
cHofmann	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	6	24	11

St. Louis	AB	H	O	A
Tobin, rf	2	0	2	0
Evans, lf	5	3	3	0
Sisler, 1b	4	2	8	1
M'Mnus, 2b	3	0	3	3
Jb'son, cf	3	0	5	0
Rbt'son, 3b	5	1	2	1
Severeid, c	3	1	4	1
Gerber, ss	2	1	1	3
Danforth, p	4	1	0	1
Totals	31	9	27	11

aBatted for Schang in 9th.
bRan for Bush in 9th.
cBatted for Mammaux in 9th.

New York	000	101	110—4
St. Louis	000	120	20x—5

Summary: Runs, Ruth 3, Pipp, Tobin, Jacobson, Robertson, Severeid, Gerber; errors, Meusel, Tobin, Danforth; two-base hits, Pipp, Gerber, Meusel; three-base hit, Evans; bases on balls, off Gaston 8, Danforth 2, Mammaux 1; struck out by Gaston 1, Danforth 3, Mammaux 3; hits off Gaston 9 in 6 2-3 innings, off Mammaux none in 1 1-3 innings.

SENATORS SHOVE TIGERS TO THIRD

Zachary Wins Great Mound Duel With Collins By 1 to 0 Score

DETROIT, July 31.—Washington pushed Detroit out of second place when Zachary won a pitchers' duel with Collins, 1 to 0.

Washington	AB	H	O	A
Rice, rf	4	0	3	0
Leibold, cf	2	0	3	0
Miller, 2b	4	1	2	6
Goslin, lf	3	2	2	0
Judge, 1b	4	0	14	0
Ruel, c	3	0	3	0
Peck, ss	4	0	0	5
Bluege, 3b	3	0	0	3
Zachary, p	2	1	0	0
Totals	29	4	27	12

Detroit	AB	H	O	A
Haney, ss	4	1	4	5
Manush, lf	2	0	1	0
F'rgs'll, lf	2	1	1	0
Cobb, cf	4	0	3	0
H'mann, rf	3	0	1	0
Blue, 1b	3	0	10	0
Pratt, 2-3b	3	1	6	7
Jones, 3b	2	0	1	2
Burke, 2b	0	0	0	0
Woodall, c	3	0	0	0
Collins, p	2	0	0	0
Dauss, p	0	0	0	1
xxManion	1	0	0	0
xRigney	1	0	0	0
Totals	30	3	27	16

xBatted for Jones in 8th.
xxBatted for Collins in 8th.

Washington	000	100	000—1
Detroit	000	000	000—0

Summary: Run, Miller; two-base hit, Pratt; three-base hit, Haney; bases on balls Collins 6, Zachary 1; struck out, Zachary 1.

TRIBE SPLITS PAIR WITH A'S

CLEVELAND, July 31.—Cleveland and Philadelphia broke even today, the Athletics winning the first 7 to 3 and Cleveland the last 4 to 3 in 10 innings.

FIRST GAME

Philadelphia	AB	H	O	A
Bishop, 2b	5	2	2	6
Lamar, lf	5	3	3	0
Miller, rf	5	1	1	0
Hauser, 1b	4	1	12	0
S'mons, cf	3	1	4	0
Dykes, 3b	3	0	0	3
G'way, ss	3	2	1	2
Perkins, c	4	0	4	0
H'mach, p	4	1	0	2
Totals	36	11	27	13

Cleveland	AB	H	O	A
M'Nulty, lf	4	1	2	0
Summa, rf	4	0	1	0
Speaker, cf	4	2	2	0
J.Sewell, ss	4	1	1	4
L.Sewell, c	4	2	1	0
Burns, 1b	4	1	17	0
S'enson, 2b	3	0	3	7
Lutzke, 3b	4	2	0	6
Uhle, p	2	0	0	1
Roy, p	1	0	0	0
zFewster	0	0	0	0
zzElerbe	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	9	27	18

zBatted for Stephenson in 9th.
zzBatted for Roy in 9th.

Philadelphia	103	003	000—7
Cleveland	001	000	002—3

Summary: Runs, Bishop, Lamar 2, Miller, Simmons, Galloway, Heimach, McNulty, L. Sewell, Burns; errors, Dykes, McNulty, Lutzke; two-base hits, Lamar 2, Heimach, Speaker, Lutzke 2, Burns; three-base hit, Lamar; bases on balls, off Heimach 1, Uhle 1, Roy 1; struck out Heimach 4, Uhle 1.

SECOND GAME

Score by innings:		R	H	E
Philadelphia	100 200 000 0—3	13	0	
Cleveland	300 000 000 1—4	11	1	

Batteries: Meeker and Perkins; Metevier, Messenger and Sewell.

M'CLELLAN HITS, DRUBS RED SOX

CHICAGO, July 31.—Timely hitting by Barrey McClellan who is substituting at second base for Eddie Collins, coupled with a double steal by Sheely and Archdeacon enabled Chicago to defeat Boston 5 to 4 today.

Boston	AB	H	O	A
Clark, 3b	2	0	0	6
Wamby, 2b	4	1	3	4
Veach, lf	4	1	0	0
Harris, 1b	4	1	13	1
Boone, rf	4	1	0	0
F'stead, cf	4	0	4	1
Picinich, c	4	2	4	2
Shanks, ss	2	0	0	1
aTody	0	0	0	0
Gergen, ss	1	0	0	0
Ful'ton, p	2	0	0	4
bJ.Collins	1	0	0	0
cO'Neill	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	6	24	13

Chicago	AB	H	O	A
A'deacon, cf	4	2	5	0
Hooper, rf	2	0	1	0
Sheely, 1b	2	2	8	0
Falk, lf	4	3	1	0
Kamm, 3b	3	1	1	5
Barrett, ss	3	0	3	2
M'Clan, 2b	4	3	3	2
Crouse, c	4	0	5	2
Mangum, p	3	0	0	1
Cvengros, p	1	0	0	0
Totals	29	10	27	12

aBatted for Shanks in 6th.
bBatted for Fullerton in 9th.
cBatted for Clark in 9th.

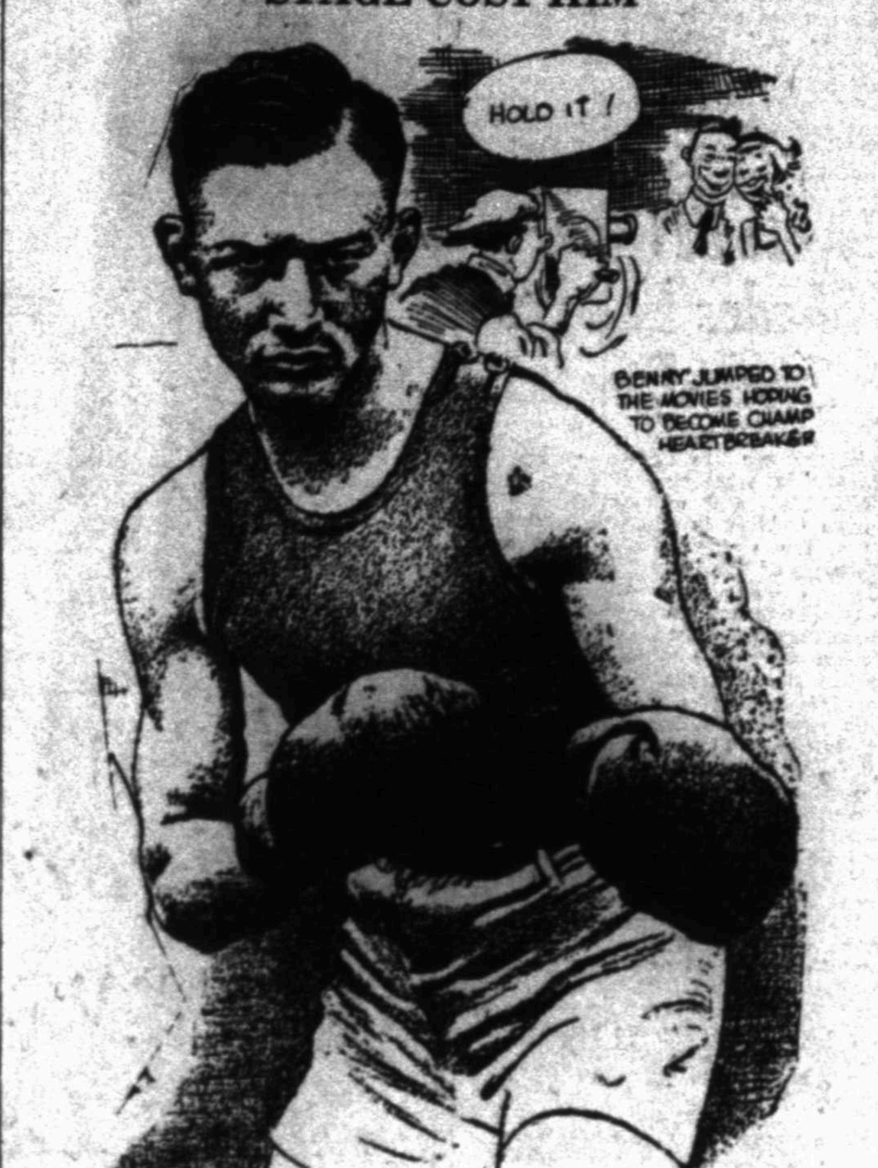
Boston	100	011	100—4
Chicago	021	100	10x—5

Summary: Runs, Clark, Wamby, Harris, Picinich, Archdeacon, Hooper, Falk, Kamm, McClellan; errors, Flagstead, Picinich, Barrett, McClellan; two-base hits, McClellan, Wamby; stolen bases, Sheely, Archdeacon; bases on balls off Mangum 5, Fullerton 3; struck out by Mangum 1, Fullerton 2, Cvengros.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Columbus 2; Indianapolis 8.
Kansas City 1; St. Paul 0.
Milwaukee 2; Minneapolis 14.
Toledo 11; Louisville 4.

RETURN OF BENNY WILL SHOW WHAT STAGE COST HIM



Song and Dance Ben With His Gift Of Gab May Find Walker Tough Pickin's

Musical Comedy Stuff, Late Hours, and Effects of Cinema Lights on Leonard's Eyes Likely Will Prove Bad

CLEVELAND, July 31.—Benjamin Leonard, who was so anxious to obtain a second title that he jumped to the movies in the hope of becoming the champion heartbreaker of the films, will get a chance to win a second crown August 8. The skids are greased now for a battle between the lightweight champion of the world and Mickey Walker, king of the welterweights.

Leonard, who is admittedly one of the shrewdest as well as one of the greatest boxers in the game's history, shows judgment in accepting such a battle for his first one after a layoff of practically a year. He has nothing to lose in such a battle. A drubbing at the hands of Walker will not necessarily discredit Leonard as a champion—king of a smaller domain. And it will give him an admirable chance to test his judgment of distance and timing and his wind after his long layoff.

Leonard's last real battle was against Lew Tendler on July 23, last year. The champ had one battle after that, with Johnny Mendelshon, in Philadelphia in September, but it was an eight-round affair and merely an exhibition for the king.

Real Comedy Star

Last winter Leonard deserted the ring for the stage. He possessed the main requisites of a musical comedy star—a nimble pair of legs and a clever line of chatter. Leonard takes rank as one of the cleverest boxers the game has ever known. Old timers say that his footwork is baffling. His constant chatter in the ring has not only helped him in his battles but on at least one occasion saved him and his title. That was in his fight with Tendler.

The southpaw shooter nearly had Leonard out at one tage of the mill. He had caught Benny flush on the jaw. Leonard felt his knees give. He realized that, were Tendler to follow up his advantage the title would change hands. So he started to kid the challenger. When Tendler should have been beating down Leonard's guard and putting over the final punches he was listening to Leonard's chatter, completely fooled by the champ's clever effort to belittle the harm done him.

These two assets, hoof and mouth ability, gave Leonard a flying start in the theatrical game. He soon showed an aptitude for acting.

Lacks the "Tin Ear"

Benny was also better fitted for film work than most noted fighters in that he has escaped all the common blemishes. His eye brows have not been punched enough to puff them. His lips are well shaped and firm and his ears are unmutilated. True, they stand out a bit as though he had been running before the wind but that doesn't mar his appearance. He dresses well, which is also in his favor.

But just what effect the months of song and dance stuff and late hours did to his physique and the glare of the cinema lights did to his eyes remains to be seen. The battle with Walker will give at least Benjamin Leonard a line on the answer. And that is the prime reason for the fight. That and the gate receipts.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Mexia 1; Corsicana 3.
Marlin 9; Austin 3.
Waco 3; Temple 5.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Tulsa 14; Lincoln 7.
St. Jo 3; Omaha 0.
Wichita 6; Des Moines 12.
Oklahoma City 5; Denver 2.

Teams Standing

TEXAS LEAGUE.
Scores Yesterday.

Galveston 4; Wichita Falls 3.
San Antonio 3; Dallas 2.
Beaumont 8; Shreveport 6.
Fort Worth 6; Houston 4.

Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	22	6	.786
Dallas	20	8	.714
Shreveport	15	14	.517
Houston	12	16	.428
Beaumont	13	17	.433
San Antonio	12	16	.428
Wichita Falls	11	18	.378
Galveston	10	20	.333

Where They Play Today.

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Scores Yesterday

Detroit 0; Washington 1.
Chicago 6; Boston 4.
Cleveland 3-4; Phila 7-3.
St. Louis 2-5; New York 1-4.

Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	57	43	.570
Washington	56	43	.566
Detroit	55	43	.561
St. Louis	49	47	.510
Chicago	47	51	.480
Cleveland	47	52	.475
Boston	43	54	.443
Philadelphia	39	60	.394

Where They Play Today.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Scores Yesterday.

Brooklyn 1; Chicago 4.
New York 0; Pittsburgh 5 (6 innings rain).
Boston-Cincinnati, rain.
St. Louis 6; Phila 3.

Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	61	34	.642
Chicago	55	40	.579
Pittsburgh	52	41	.559
Brooklyn	51	46	.526
Cincinnati	50	50	.500
St. Louis	41	56	.423
Philadelphia	38	57	.400
Boston	36	60	.375

Where They Play Today.

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

BAM CLIPS RECORD FOR SINGLE MONTH HOMER SWATTING

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—"Babe Ruth broke his record for home runs made in a single month, by knocking out his fourteenth circuit clout for July in the sixth inning of the second game against St. Louis.

Ruth's best previous mark was in June 1921, when he made 13. This was the year he crashed out 59 home runs for a world's record. It was Ruth's 33rd home run of the season.

TWILIGHTERS IN FINAL CONTEST

Rubber Game of Titular Series Spud Park Today

Texhomas and Floral Heights Methodists, now even up in the play-off series for the championship of the Wichita Falls Twilight league, are scheduled to square off this afternoon at 5 o'clock, Spudders park, in the rubber tilt of the series.

Each team has won a game, Texhomas taking the first, and the Methodists the second. The last game was played Wednesday over the nine-inning route with Floral Heights forging ahead in the ninth, 4 to 3.

Lee Courtney, Floral Heights ace, is the probable mound selection today for the Methodists. The brilliant Len Smith will probably hurl for Texhomas.

A charge of 35 cents admission will be in order, and part of the proceeds will be given to the milk and ice fund sponsored by The Record News.

Top O' Morn

BLONDY

Number ten went by the way on the erstwhile treasure island yesterday for the Spudders. Lowly Crabs captured second straight and final tilt of series, 4-3, making the tabulation ten losses and two victories for the homelings on the present road jaunt.

Tanner and clan jumped to Shreveport last night for a quartet with the first half dungeon dwellers beginning this afternoon. Then home again next Tuesday.

Big Richard Morgan slipped back into the fray Thursday after an absence of more than a month. He held the Crabs to eight safeties but those blows came inopportunely for Richard. Give him a few more days conditioning, and Spudder stock should climb a wee bit.

The game in this special instance was booted away for Morgan. He should have been returned the victor by a 3 to 1 score. The other three Crab markers were not earned.

The tour Bud and his gang are making is a mighty disasterous one and all that but the Spudders have a 25-day home stand coming up in which to recuperate. It wouldn't be a poor wager to bet that Wichita Falls will be as high as fourth place by the end of that stay on the Spud lot instead of the present seventh position with Galveston threatening to climb out and kick The Spuds under most any old day.

Frankie Fink, Fort Worth and Dallas featherweight here now, will tackle Nick Gundy of Oklahoma on next week's Legion card, said Promoter Wofford Thursday.

Fink has been working away with Legion glovesters daily, and will probably be in very good condition by next Thursday, the night of the bout to come. Fink in shape is a veritable whirlwind with a cyclone punch.

Had the legion bouts last night each been comprised of three-minute rounds instead of two, there doubtless would have been knockouts in every bout but the Trammel-Maywood affair, and in that Duke might have slipped over the death punch before Ray fouled him.

The legion promoters have been running fights with the regulation rounds done away with believing the bouts will be faster. On the other hand, few knockouts ever come before two minutes of fighting during a round. Three-minute rounds, and there will be more kayoes on the weekly legion programs.

MAGS VERSUS LINAS.

ELECTRA, July 31.—Magnolias and Lina Motors will play in the Twilight league Friday afternoon.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Birmingham 3; Little Rock 4.
New Orleans 4-2; Nashville 5-7.
Atlanta 4; Chattanooga 6.
Mobile 0; Memphis 1.

DICKEY DIXON DROPS LEVINE TWO TIMES BUT TABBY STAYS LIMIT

Maywood Fouls Trammel Five Times, So Referee Gives Duke Decision—Monte Flattens Ford

By BLONDY CROSS

Zowie! And a series of starboard hooks to the midriff!

Tabby sank to the canvas, cold to the world apparently. But aroused himself, slowly crawled to one knee, shook his head, and came to his feet at the count of nine. Another mad rush, a flurry of gloves, more rapid fire chops to the mid sector, and down again he went before the rain of body blows, only to arise before the full ten seconds had expired, and battle on.

Dickey Dixon, Fort Worth featherweight, proved too wise a glovester for Tabby Levine, Wichita Falls midget, Thursday evening in the eight-round feature tilt of the Legion all-star triple header boxing card.

Dixon, playing a waiting game, boxing cooly every moment, withstood the onslaights of the local youngster for five rounds, and then in the sixth methodically beat him down during two spurts of infighting. However, Levine was on his feet at the bell, a corry spectacle, but still up and fighting.

Dixon carried the final two cantos of the go by wide margins. Levine though scrapping gamely, the greater part of the time could do no more than hang on.

The pair fought to a draw in the first round, neither uncorking much in the way of a willingness to mix it. Levine led the fighting in the second and third rounds, but was outpointed by the methodical Dixon.

Tabby shaded Dixon in the fourth, and the two fought on even terms in the fifth.

Denton Decision Doubtful.

Joe Denton, Amarillo welterweight, garnered a referee's decision over Harmon Kid Rich of Wichita Falls in 12 rounds, the real main event of the program, thereby settling a dispute of ancient vintage. The pair had twice fought to draws prior to last night's affair.

Denton led the battling nearly the entire route. He was the aggressor, and tooks the bout on points, but Denton did no apparent damage to Rich. And the question arose in the twelfth act, "Just when is a man really whipped?"

Rich tore back at the Amarillo mitt chunker, and all but put him quietly away. Denton led the going until the final round, but in that last canto Denton hung on practically every second, and was pummeled shamelessly by the local athlete. Had the bout gone a bit further, or the round been a regulation three-minute session instead of the regular curtailed two-minute rounds which have been prevailing at the Legion shows, Rich probably would have slipped over the sweet dreams poke on the hard working Denton, for Denton was certainly in distress.

Denton Game.

Rich opened a cut over Denton's left optic in the initial couplet, and the gore flowed freely. Rich jarred up another gash over the same eye in the fifth, and more of the crimson trickled down, putting that optic nearly out of commission for the business at hand. But Denton carried on, ever taking the fight to Rich, handicapped by the temporary loss of one eye, but willing to mix it. And Denton proved the better mixer throughout the early stages of the embroglio.

The first two rounds were even Stephen, but Denton took shades the better of the going in the third, fifth, and sixth more because of his aggressiveness than because of damage done. His forte was hooking with a left upward and then following with the same kind of a right. Occasionally Denton darted in with a snake-like right cross. The greater number of the blows were either blocked or dodged by the elusive Rich, a past master in the art of defense.

Joe Hard Up in Twelfth.

Rich shaded Denton in the seventh, showing a sudden willingness to lead. He fell back into his old ways again in the eighth, and the Amarilloan took an edge in each of the next four rounds.

In the twelfth, Denton was in such dire shape that although he had outpointed Rich in eight of the twelve rounds, he did not deserve the decision. A draw would have been better.

In an eight-rounder billed as a grudge battle between Duke Trammel of Fort Worth and Ray Maywood, Wichita Falls welter, Trammel won in the fourth on a foul.

Maywood Five Foul Blows.

Maywood has twice scrapped Trammel even up, but Maywood was completely outclassed in the third tilt. There is but little reason to doubt but that the foul was intentional. Trammel was whipping Maywood about the ring during that fourth round with reckless abandon. Maywood, ever fighting in a crouch, hit Trammel low early in the round, a blow that nine times out of ten would have dropped a boxer in writhing agony. The referee failed to see the punch. Trammel fought on furiously, backing Maywood about the squared circle, and all but knocked him out. And again did Ray hook upward from his crouch with a foul punch. Trammel fell to the floor, and while still down, Referee Everetts raised the Ft. Worth boxer's hand signifying victory for him.

Monte Still Wildcat.

Maywood may not have purposely fouled Trammel, but the point remains that Maywood hit Trammel low twice in the fourth, and the writer counted four low blows punches which glanced off Trammel's legs in the earlier rounds.

Wildcat Monte of Amarillo is still the wildcat. He tore into Jack Ford of San Antinio, caught one in the jaw himself, went down, came back up and then dropped the Alamo City lad. Both fighters were on their feet at the end of the first round. Monte broke loose again in the second, and flopped Ford twice, finally putting him down for the count. The knockout blow was the prettiest punch of the evening, a clean cut right cross, a punch the slugging Monte seldom manages to get over.

CUBS EVEN UP WITH DODGERS

Keen Is Winner By Count of 4 to 1; Barrett Drives in Runs

BROOKLYN, July 31.—Chicago evened the series with Brooklyn today, winning four to one. Barrett drove in all four runs of the Cubs.

Chicago	AB	H	O	A
Statz, cf	4	2	2	0
Hol'cher, ss	4	0	6	6
Adams, 2b	4	0	3	3
H'nett, c	4	3	6	0
Friberg, 3b	3	0	0	0
Grigsby, rf	4	0	2	0
Vogel, lf	3	0	4	0
Barrett, 1b	4	2	4	2
Keen, p	4	1	1	1
Totals	33	8	27	12

Brooklyn	AB	H	O	A
High, 2b	3	0	0	4
Mitchell, ss	2	1	1	2
Wheat, lf	4	1	3	1
F'nier, 1b	2	1	10	1
Brown, cf	4	0	2	0
Stock, 3b	4	2	2	1
G'fith, rf	4	1	2	0
Taylor, c	4	0	7	0
Decatur, p	1	0	0	0
Roberts, p	1	0	0	1
Ruether, p	1	0	0	0
xNels	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	6	27	10

xBatted for Roberts in 7th.

Chicago	002	002	000—4
Brooklyn	000	001	000—1

Summary: Runs, Hartnett, Vogel 2, Barrett, Brown; errors, Grigsby, Brown; two-base hit, Hartnett; three-base hits, Hartnett, Barrett, Stock; bases on balls off Decatur 2, Keen 4; struck out by Decatur 2, Roberts 2, Keen 3.

CARDS DRUB PHILS AGAIN

PHILADELPHIA, July 31.—St. Louis made it two straight from Philadelphia by batting Mitchell from the box in the first inning today and scoring enough runs to win.

St. Louis	AB	H	O	A
Smith, rf	4	2	0	0
Holm, cf	5	1	3	0
Hornsby 2b	4	3	4	5
Bot'ley, 1b	4	1	7	0
Blades, lf	4	2	4	0
Cooney, ss	4	1	1	2
Gonzales, c	4	0	5	0
Freigau, 3b	4	1	2	2
Haines, p	4	0	0	6
Totals	37	11	27	9

Philadelphia	AB	H	O	A
Harper, rf	5	2	1	0
Williams, cf	5	4	3	0
Schultz, lf	3	0	3	0
Henrick, lf	2	0	0	0
W'stone, 3b	3	1	2	4
Holke, 1b	4	2	13	1
Ford, 3b	4	0	2	1
Prk'son, ss	4	2	0	3
Wilson, c	4	1	3	0
Mitchell, p	0	0	0	0
Couch, p	0	0	0	0
xHenline	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	12	27	13

xBatted for Couch in 9th.

St. Louis	410	000	001—6
Philadelphia	020	000	100—3

Summary: Runs, Smith, Hornsby 2, Bottomley, Blades, Freigau, Harper, Holke, Wilson; two-base hits, Smith, Bottomley, Holke, Harper, Parkinson; three-base hit, Bottomley; bases on balls off Haines 1, Couch 2; struck out by Haines 5; hits off Mitchell 4 in 1-3.

PIRATES SHUT OUT GIANTS BY 5 TO 0

NEW YORK, July 30.—The Pirates won their seventh straight game here today, defeating New York 5 to 0, in six innings, the game being called because of rain and darkness.

Pittsburgh	AB	H	O	A
Bigbee, lf	3	0	0	0
Carey, cf	3	2	2	0
Cuyler, rf	3	3	0	0
Wright, ss	3	0	3	6
Traynor, 3b	3	1	1	0
M'ville, 2b	1	0	2	1
Grimm, 1b	3	1	9	0
Smith, c	3	1	1	0
Meadows, p	3	1	0	1
Totals	25	9	18	8

New York	AB	H	O	A
S'worth, rf	3	0	3	0
Frisch, 2b	3	0	1	2
Wilson, cf	2	0	0	0
Meusel, lf	3	1	2	0
Kelly, 1b	3	2	7	1
Jackson, ss	3	1	1	5
Groh, 3b	2	0	0	0
Snyder, c	2	0	4	0
Watson, p	0	0	0	0
Bentley, p	2	1	0	1
Totals	23	5	18	7

Pittsburgh	050	0	00—5
New York	000	0	00—0

(Game called account rain).

Summary: Runs, Carey, Traynor, Maranville, Smith, Meadows; two-base hits, Cuyler, Smith; stolen bases, Traynor, Maranville; bases on balls, Watson 1, Bentley 1, Meadows 2; struck out Bentley 2, Meadows 1.

Texhomas Down Lions, 7 to 5

ELECTRA, July 31.—Texhomas triumphed over Lions club in Twilight league play here this afternoon, 7 to 5. Myers, Texhomas' third baseman, was the hitting luminary. He drove out a pair of singles and a triple out of three trips to the platter.

Score by innings:

		R.	H.	E.
Lions Club	030 20—5	5	1	
Texhomas	250 0x—7	6	4	

Bourdeaux, Teel, and Stroud.
Jarrett, G. Williams, and Lightholder.

THREE DEFAULTS IN KRUGER GOLF MEET

All first round and three second round matches have been played so far in the Kruger cup golf tourney now under way at the Municipal club. Walter Robbins Thursday defeated Jack Raysor 3 and 2 in second round play. All other matches have been announced through The Record News.

There have been three defaults. T. J. Ahern won off the default from J. D. Stephens. J. R. Jones and George Mobley played 18 holes even up in the first rounds, and then Mobley conceded the match to Jones. L. W. Reisor defaulted to J. D. Bright in the first round.

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TRAIN SCHEDULE

F. W. & D. C. Ry.

NORTH BOUND

Tr. No.
7 Arrives from Fort Worth 3 a. m.; departs from Denver and intermediate points 3:20 a. m.
1 Arrives from Fort Worth 1:25 p. m.; departs for Denver and intermediate points 1:35 p. m.
3 Departs for Childress and all intermediate points. Local train 3:30 p. m.
5 Arrives from Fort Worth and all intermediate points. Stops here 10:55 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

8 Arrives from Denver and intermediate points at 2:45 a. m.; departs for Fort Worth at 3 a. m.
4 Departs for Fort Worth and all intermediate points at 9 a. m.
2 Arrives from Denver and intermediate points at 2:30 p. m.

WICHITA VALLEY

NORTH BOUND

8 Arrives from Abilene and all intermediate points at 2:30 a. m.
2 Arrives from Abilene and all intermediate points at 3:15 p. m.
9 Arrives from Waurika at 5 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

5 Departs for Abilene and all intermediate points at 12:30 a. m.
1 Departs for Abilene and all intermediate points at 2:40 p. m.
10 Departs for Waurika at 9 a. m.

M. K. & T of T.

NORTH BOUND

47 Arrives from Dallas at 6:15 a. m.
31 Texas Special from St. Louis and Kansas City arrives 2:20 p. m.
Arrives from Dallas and Denison at 10 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

48 Departs for Dallas at 11:30 p. m.
32 Texas Special for St. Louis and Kansas City, departs at 4 p. m.
46 Departs for Dallas and intermediate points at 7 a. m.

M. K. T. of T (Northwestern District)

NORTH BOUND

54 Departs for Forgan and all intermediate points at 7:15 a. m.
52 Departs for Oklahoma City and Elk City at 7 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

51 Arrives from Oklahoma City, Elk City and Altus at 6:45 a. m.
53 From Forgan and intermediate points at 7 p. m.

W. F. & S. Ry.

NORTH BOUND

24 Arrives from Breckenridge and intermediate points at 12:30 p. m.
22 Arrives from Breckenridge and intermediate points at 6:45 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

21 Departs for Breckenridge and intermediate points at 7 a. m.
23 Departs for Breckenridge and intermediate points at 4 p. m.

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Joint Ticket Agent.

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Classified ads for Sunday editions accepted up to 5 p. m. Saturday previous to publication.

Classified department is closed Sundays. No phone orders for messenger service accepted on Sundays but office will be open from 5 to 7 p. m. to accommodate counter customers.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Canary bird between 11 and 1200 block of Polk and Monroe. Singer. Reward. Call 5980.

BETWEEN Tisterdille Park, Okla., and Wichita Falls, lost Monday, suit, case containing ceremonial robe. Please return 1205 Burnett. Reward.

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LOST purse containing $3.20. Finder phone 5578. Receive reward.

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HELP WANTED MALE OR FEMALE

SALESMAN Wanted—Good salary and commission to energetic men and women. Call 10 to 12 mornings, 505 Morgan building or phone 5721.

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SALESMEN WANTED—want 2 dependable ambitious men for special permanent work in Wichita Falls at $40 to $60 per week from the start; car desirable. References required. See Mr. Walker from 3 to 5 p. m. 618 Staley Bldg.

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FOR MOTHER'S care of your child by the hour, day, or week, reasonable. Phone 4218. Five delightfully cool rooms. Mrs. Lily S. Rogers, 1005 Tenth St., day or night.

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—one man. Skidmore Dairy Lake Wichita, apply at once.

WANTED—Carpenter work of any kind. No job to large or too small J. B. Ferratt. Phone 5044.

SITUATIONS WANTE. MALE

YOUNG MAN—experienced truck driver, needs work, phone 2588. Powell.

VACANT rooms bring no revenue! Your rooms will not be vacant very long if you'll tell the public what you have to rent.

COMPETENT bookkeeper and typist desires position. Will consider anything. Call between 3:30 and 8 p. m. Phone 7405.

CARPENTER WORK. Live and let live prices. Phone 5536. McNeill.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

YOUNG LADY—stenographer with eight years experience desires position. Best of references. Phone 6202.

GIRL ATTENDING Draughon Business college wants place to work for room and board. Phone 6669.

TRAINED nurse, with hospital experience, desires position. Specialized in obstetrics. Phone 2208.

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LOOKING for work? Place a little ad in the Record News—you'll have a job pretty soon.

TYPIST—Type authors' manuscripts spare time, experience unnecessary. Typists' Service Bureau, 140 Halsey, Newark, N. J.

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ROOMS with bath, 2 blocks from Kemp Hotel, 706 Travis.

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FAIRVIEW Hotel—Remodeled, redecorated, cool; hot running water; every convenience. Room and board $10 per week. 1104 Scott. Phone 5443

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FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping room. 807 13th.

TWO furnished southeast light housekeeping rooms in private home. Convenient to bath. Private entrance. 1404 Taylor St.

TWO housekeeping rooms, private front and back entrance; telephone in rooms. Call 2099 or 7694.

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APARTMENT consisting of bedroom, mahogany furniture; large south and east windows, also closet; dining room and kitchen combined. Sink with hot water all time. Apartment newly papered, privilege of bath and telephone, private entrance, on car line. 1310 13th.

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TWO ROOM apartment completely furnished, everything new, close in $35 per month. 707 Burnett.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT

STORE BUILDING for rent on Indiana avenue, near Olympic theater. Inquire of M. O. Reilly, 714 1-2 9th St. Office hours 2 to 6 p. m. Phone 2021.

STORE BUILDINGS FOR RENT.
TWO FACING ON SEVENTH ST. AND ONE ON SCOTT AVE.
PHONE 6906.

WANTED, TO RENT.

WANTED to rent before August 10th good 5 or 6-room house in Floral Heights, will take lease for 6 months or year. P. O. Box 1471.

WANTED—3 or 4 room unfurnished apartment, convenient to Alamo school and Junior college, permanent, phone 5930.

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If you want to sell your furniture for cash or trade your old for new.
JNO. L. JONES FURNITURE CO.
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And new ones made to order. We carry a full line of new mattresses from the cheapest to the best including felted and hair mattresses.
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FOR SALE—Three year old cow, fresh. Given between 3 and 4 gallons a day. 2215 Holliday.

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FOR SALE—Fox terrier male pup, two months old—2208 Eighth St.

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WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

CASH PAID
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FOR SALE—a good profitable business. Will take late model car as part payment. Apply 705 Ohio.

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MONEY advanced to wage earners and those steadily employed. Liberal terms. Weekly payment plan. See us first. Empire Loan Co., 710 1-2 Indiana, upstairs next White House Market.

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NEED A PLUMBER?
Phone 2052 or 7427 for service. Mack & Mack Plumbing Co., A. H. McClellan, Prop. Plumbing contractor, gas fitting and sewerage. 1112 Ohio.

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ELECTRIC welding, no pre-heating; automobile housing, crank cases, frames, etc., welded without dismantling. W. D. Hagerman, 314 Ohio.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WILL TRADE for light automobile, household furniture, complete for three rooms, consisting of living room suite, two bedroom suites, kitchen furniture, rugs, shades, etc. Will sell cheap for cash or trade for a light automobile. Box A-481 Record News.

WANTED—to buy, trade or sell new and used safes and fire proof safe cabinets. Phone Mr. Henson, 3245.

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WE BUY—WE SELL—WE TRADE
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
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Phone 5528. 716 7th St.

Sell your used furniture to us for cash.

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—man will be right out
JNO. L. JONES FURNITURE CO.
710 7th St.

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DON'T sell your furniture until you get our bid. Womack Furniture Co., 607 Seventh, phone 5157.

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WE MUST HAVE
Furniture
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HIGHEST CASH PRICE
for used furniture
MICKS FURNITURE CO
716 7th St. Phone 5528

WANT an automobile? Read these ads daily for big used car offerings and if you fail to find just what you want—put a little ad of your own under this column, telling folks what you want to buy.

FOR SALE all my household and kitchen furniture for this week only, 1210 9th.

SELL US your Used furniture, Winter's Furniture Co. 609 Seventh, phone 1219.

FURNITURE.

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What is it that you are needing in the Furniture Line?

We have plenty of bargains in SLIGHTLY USED FURNITURE

In full suites or separate pieces for living room, dining room, bed-room or ANY part of the house. Come in—We'll be glad to show you.

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TRADE YOUR USED FURNITURE TO US
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COME AND SEE THESE
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Automobile painting and trimming of the better class.

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Munger Auto Co.
909 Lamar Phone 6403

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Motor, tops, paint, tires, etc. first class.

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Demountable rims, good rubber, new top.

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Tip-Top condition all around.

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Easy to Ride In Easy to Pay For!

1923 Dodge Brothers business man's sedan—same as new.
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1922 Ford sedan.
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1923 and 1922 Tourings.
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1923 to 1921 in A-1 condition
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We also have some old Fords, including Tourings, Sedans and Roadsters, that are priced from $75 to $125, in good running condition.

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Two lots and five room house in splendid condition, garage, fine shade trees.

Price $4,200 on terms.

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KEEP YOUR office and home cool with an electric fan. We have them $10 to $36. Wichita Falls Electric Co.

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Wichita Falls Lodge No. 140 A. F. & A. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
Ed Bunnenberg
J. L. M.
W. J. Webb
Sec.

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JAMES H. BACHMAN, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 638 A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
J. W. Lyle, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 207 R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
W. E. Kiles, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.

Work in the Past and Most Excellent Monday, July 21st, 7:30 p. m.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meeting the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813 Scott street.
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Chiefs Hodgins and McClure Combine Forces For Signal System

TRAFFIC, FIRE IDEA PROPOSED

Would be Used In Case of Fire and As Street Warning

Ideas of Chief of Police George H. Hodgins and Fire Chief J. L. McClure regarding traffic control in the city are likely to be combined in the new signal systems now under consideration by city officials. Both of these department heads have agreed that one set of lights, gongs, or a combination of both will serve the needs of each; hence both will probably have some recommendations to make when definite action is taken.

Chief McClure has been fighting for months for the installation of bells and lights that will give warning when fire trucks are called out on alarms. The danger of speeding trucks crashing into unwary motorists at street intersections is one that has struck terror to the hearts of firemen ever since Wichita Falls attained the dignity of a city. At least one serious accident in which a truck was wrecked and a fireman seriously injured has been charged up to the corner menace; scores of narrow escapes are also on the mental records of the department, and it is feared that it is only a question of time until a real catastrophe is visited on the city in the shape of a fire truck-automobile collision.

Probable Acceptance

With this in mind, Chief McClure has asked that warning gongs and red signal lights which are to ring and burn each time the Central station trucks are called out be placed at the busiest down-town corners. The expense of the thing has delayed action thus far, but now with Chief Hodgins scrapping for some traffic control lights to aid his department, it is probable that the fire chief can share in the installation.

Chief Hodgins' ideas call for the placing of automatic electric lights on the business district intersections. Similar systems are being installed in large numbers in many cities of the United State sand are said to be meeting the demands admirably. The chief believes that they are necessary and traffic jams at certain hours of the day lend strength to his contention.

Dual Use Suggested.

Officials of the local electric company, who are acting as an informal advisory board, have given assurance that the lights can be so arranged as to block all traffic when the fire department is summoned. Thus the needs of the firemen will be served, and after the trucks have passed, the lights can be restored to normal and once functioning for the traffic

[illegible] and Fire Commissioner J. T. [illegible] is now in the north on a vacation tour during which time, incidentally, he is studying traffic control in the larger cities. With his return it is expected that the city council will be asked for an appropriation for the installation of a system.

JOHNSON FUNERAL SERVICES HELD

Funeral services for Miss Louis Johnson 21, who died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Johnson, 1502 Blonde street, Wednesday afternoon at 6 o'clock were held from the Yale Evangelical church Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock with W. D. Cook assisted by Rev. A. C. Turner officiating. Burial was in the Rosemont burial park.

Pall bearers were W. S. Martin, Matthew Peeples, W. H. Scarlett, Bill Smith, W. C. Foster and Howard Mankins.

FAVER AND WHARTLEY SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Reports from the General hospital last night said that Robert A. Faver, 1717 Kemp boulevard, and Walker Whartley of Iowa Park were resting well. The two men were brought to the hospital Wednesday afternoon following an accident in which their car turned over on the Iowa Park road. In an attempt to miss striking M. O. Newlin whose motorcycle skidded out from under him on the wet pike Wednesday afternoon and killed him, Faver and Whartley drove their car into a ditch. The car turned over on the men and both were painfully bruised. Neither one of the two men are seriously injured and both will be able to leave the hospital in a short time.

Large Numbers of Cattle Flow Through Sioux City

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, July 31.—The first half of 1924 has been the greatest period in history of the Sioux City stock yards, from the standpoint of number of animals handled. More than 2,548,000 cattle, hogs and sheep have been received here since the first of the year, an increase of 500,000 over the like period of 1923.

The yards also continued to hold their place as one of the largest markets in the world for hogs. More than 2,000,000 porkers have been marketed thus far this year, with receipts for the year estimated to exceed 3,500,000. Chicago, St. Louis and Omaha are the only other markets which have passed the two million mark, according to yards officials.

Auto Smugglers Active Along German Frontiers

BERLIN, July 31.—Automobile smugglers have been operating in Germany. The fact came to light recently when government agents swooped down upon the Avus speedway, between Berlin and Potsdam, set up a guard at either end and confiscated a lot of cars of American and other foreign makes, the owners of which could not produce papers to show that they had paid the import duties.

Government officials announce that a great many foreign cars were brought into Germany this spring through the occupied territory along the western frontiers, where there are no customs officials. Most of these come from France, and paid no im[illegible]

Old Home Town Stuff

Martin Overman, a Dallas attorney, was in the city Thursday on legal business.

H. C. Cate of Simms Oil company is in Wichita Falls this week on business.

Mrs. S. A. Covington, who with her two children have been spending the past few weeks in Decatur, Ill., is expected home today.

W. R. Hyer, city tax assessor and collector, returned Thursday from Mineral Wells and Robey where he has been spending his vacation.

C. J. Coffee departed from Wichita Falls Thursday for New York where he will attend the Knights of Pythias convention. He will also visit other eastern points.

Mrs. W. E. Priddy and daughter, Miss Ray Walker, Mrs. J. C. Burks and daughter, Miss Evelyn Burke, all of Wichita Falls and Miss Amanda Eastland, of Sonora, Texas will leave Wichita Falls overland for Colorado this morning where they will spend several weeks.



Jelly Beans Sore Because Sweeping Streets Brings No Remuneration

Contemplated action on the part of the city commisioners to discontinue the use of the new street sweeper as an unnecessary and burdensome expense has been forestalled by a new practice prevalent among certain of the younger young men of the city.

It has been argued at recent city council meetings that the sweeper was now totally unnecessary, certain masculine styles that decreed wide flowing bell-bottom gray trousers for college boys home for the summer and soda dispensers permitting the streets to be kept thoroughly clean during the day without the use of the sweeper at nighttime, and, as pointed out, without the great expense of sweeper operation. At these meetings the attention of councilmen was called to the widespread of the flowing trouser bottom, and certain corners of the city's streets were pointed to as being kept perfectly clean through that medium only.

If the action of the soda-dispensers may be accepted as indicative of the sentiments of others addicted to the flowing trouser-like garments, however, the city council will find their contemplated economy forestalled while in the bud, as it were, for it is noticed that several of this gender have taken to rolling the bottoms of the garments up until such time as they are actually clear of the ground and of no more use to the municipality. The rolling is done after the manner of rolled silk stockings, only inversely, so to speak.

When interviewed regarding the new way of wearing the picturesque trousers one young fellow replied between dispensation of drinks that inasmuch as the city had made no provision for payment for such cleaning services he felt justified in not putting himself out further, especially as he found such very hard on the trouser cuff.

Lady Astor Is Ranked Fourth of Women Orators in Commons

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, July. — Who are the most effective women speakers in the House of Commons, was a question asked at a political dinner recently. The first place was almost unanimously given to Margaret Bondfield, because of her passionate conviction, real eloquence and air of speaking from the heart, which takes listeners by storm.

The Dutchess of Atholl was placed next by the diners, who were of opinion that she has a flow of admirable language, reasons well and keeps her head. Of the other six women legislators, Mrs. Wintringham was adjudged as being a sound speaker, fair in her ideas and asking nothing unreasonable.

Lady Astor, next on the list, is credited with much earnestness but not always having her feelings under control, while her American vivacity is often mistaken for lack of dignity. Lady Terrington and Mrs. Phillipson were said to be plausible but hardly profound, and both Miss Susan Lawrence and Miss Dorothy Jewson have been less prominent than their supporters expected.

Wives Must Be Paid For Or Else Sent Back Home

By The Associated Press.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July.—The evil day of reckoning for many natives of Pondoland, South Africa, is at hand, writes George Tweedie, who is stationed at an isolated British trading post in the interior of that region, in a recent letter to his brother Archibald C. Tweedie, of the state department of labor and industries.

For the last three years during a period of mourning for the death of a paramount chief, Marelana, there has existed a moratorium and the usual payment of a dowry in exchange for a wife has been suspended. Now, however, Mr. Tweedie writes, the mourning is over and Pondos who obtained their wives on credit must pay up their debts or return their bought-but-not-paid-for wives to the parental kraals.

"The usual fee for a wife is from three to ten head of cattle or horses, in the case of commoners, and in the case of a chief's daughter, as much as 25 head," Mr. Tweedie explained. "A good many I know of have not a hoof to their names and I am afraid they will have to return to bachelorhood.

"This will accelerate recruiting boys for the gold mines, as they have to get money somewhere."

Mr. Tweedie has been in the interior of Pondoland for the last fifteen years.

New York Likes Oranges

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July.—The citrus fruit supply of the country, after deduction of exports, was enough to allow 21.0 pounds of oranges, 6.5 pounds of grape fruit and 3.7 pounds of lemons for the consumption of each person in the United States last year, the department of agriculture estimates.

There was a total supply of 34,893,000 boxes of oranges, 8,168,000 boxes of grape fruit and 6,199,999 boxes of lemons, but exports amounted to 2,204,000 boxes of oranges, 281,000 boxes of grape fruit and 182,000 boxes of lemons. Unofficial statistics place New York City's consumption of oranges at 60 pounds per capita annually.

Killarney Villagers Sigh For Pre-War Tourist Trade

By the Associated Press.

KILLARNEY, Ireland, July.—An American heiress with a large income and a few million dollars for the restoration of the mansion on the estate of the Earl of Kenmare would be highly appreciated by the entire population of the village of Killarney.

The Kenmare mansion was destroyed by fire many years ago and the village sighs for the return of the days when the dwelling ranked as one of the most magnificent in the British Isles.

Killarney has had lean years since the opening of the great war but now tourists, the source of the chief income of the village of 5,000 which is better known abroad, perhaps, than any other scenic spot in Ireland, are beginning to come again.

Gaelic Signs Perplex Even Irish Visitors to Homeland

By The Associated Press.

CORK, Ireland, July—Irish Americans returning to their native land after long absence are much at a loss in figuring out the street names in many towns of the Free State. Efforts are being made generally throughout the state to popularize the Gaelic language, and in many cities and towns the street signs are printed in Gaelic.

Bookshops display Gaelic grammars and methods for learning the language, and advertise the exercise books employed in schools which the seeking to make the knowledge of Gaelic general throughout the island.

The struggle is much the same that many of the new states of Europe are making to put their own language above other tongues.

Lion Submits to Operation And Greets Visiting Doctor

HAMBURG, Germany, July 31.—A veterinary recently lanced and treated a big boil that had developed between the eyes of one of the lions in the zoo here. The attendants feared trouble, but the lion submitted quietly to a 15-inch incision, suffered the veterinary to clean the wound and when released quietly resumed its cage life.

On subsequent visits it met the healer with every evidence of pleasure and without being roped submitted to the application of disinfecting and healing ointments.

BUMPS ON YOUR FACE MAKE PEOPLE SCRINGE

People who have been embarrassed repeatedly on account of disfigured skin on their face, neck, arms and hands, caused by eczema, tetter, rash, boils, pimples, etc., are nearly always sensitive about these things to the point of feeling that everybody is watching them and talking about how bad they look.

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BARNEY'S POP GOES ABROAD

Creator of Record News Comic Feature Leaves To Get Race Ideas

Ascot, Epsom, Auteuil, Chantilly, Longchamps, and various others of the famous race courses of the Old World are in the itinerary of Billy DeBeck, creator of "Barney Google and Spark Plug," who has just sailed for Europe to study the foreign racing game at close range and store up impressions whereby Barney and his metttlesome steed will be the gainers when Billy returns to America again early in September.

Admirers of DeBeck's creation have advised him that the race courses of Old Europe have "atmosphere" and that no race fan knows the game from end to end till he has rubbed elbows with the Prince of Wales and King Alfonso in the paddocks of England and the continent, seen the dress parade at the great French, Italian, and Spanish courses and "in pounds sterling at the famous meets where the classics of the English turf are run to thunderous applause from the stands.

In due course what DeBeck learns from foreign race day contacts will be reflected in the doings of Barney and Sparky. You will begin to notice it yourself as soon as DeBeck comes back. As a matter of fact he plans putting Sparky in the Derby next year.

MACLAREN FOUND AT KAMACHITKA

By The Associated Press.

TOKIO, Aug. 1.—A. Stuart MacLaren, the British aviator, and his companions, who are on an around-the world flight, are still at Petro Pavlovask, Kamchitka. No details have been received here, but it is said they have been weather-bound.

Germans Go Hiking In Bathing Suits

By the Associated Press.

GOSLAR, Germany, July.—Inhabitants of the beautiful Harz region are accustomed to seeing tourists in all sorts of exotic garb, but they think it's going a bit too far when hikers now come through clad in nothing but bathing trunks and the inevitable knapsack. Numerous complaints have reached the Harz police, demanding that this nuisance be stopped.

Court Defines "First-Class"

By The Associated Press.

BERLIN, June —To advertise an article as of "prime quality" does not really mean that it must be first-class, says the German court of commerce at Bamberg. All that is necessary is that the article shall be better than the average. If a merchant wants to indicate that something is really firstclass, he should use the double superlative "prima-prima" or the Italian "primissima." Only if he uses either of these superlatives can he be sued if the article is not all that is claimed for it.

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HIGHWAY AID TO BE READY SOON

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 31.—Highway aid construction of approximately $175,000 previously promised to Texas counties, will be made available during the next few months, by action of the highway commission, which just closed its July hearing. Erath and Webb counties, already promised $72,000 and $80,000 respectively, will get this aid January 15, 1925, it was announced. Fayette county was allowed $8,000 for completion of a bridge across the Colorado river and Walker county will receive $25,000 in the near future for road construction. Construction of a road from Bryan to College Station was authorized, the state to bear part of the cost.

PROSPECTIVE MOTHER MAY GAIN FREEDOM

By The Associated Press.

SAN MARCOS, July 31.—Mrs. Annie Hauptrieft's prospective motherhood will be pleaded as a ground for her release pending her trial on charges of murder of her four stepchildren and of attempt to murder her husband, William Hauptrief by poisoning, her attorney, J. F. Carl of San Antonio announced today.

Mrs. Hauptrief today asked for her husband who is recovering from effects of alleged poisoning two weeks ago. She was not permitted to talk to him.

Piano With Quarter Tones Brought Out in Brunswick

By the Associated Press.

BRUNSWICK, Germany, July—The quarter tone piano is an established fact. The inventor has personally demonstrated it to a large number of musical critics who came to Brunswick from all over Germany.

At the present state of cultivation, the human ear, however, the critics believe it won't do to mix too many quarter tones with the half and whole notes to which the ear is accustomed. Their present advice to composers is to reserve the quarter notes for special passages in which melancholy strains are to be given expression.

One technical difficulty of the invention is that of keeping so minutely adjusted an aparatus in tune. Every player of the piano knows that when an ordinary piano has been treated to a number of fortissimos, the instrument soon needs tuning. If this be trus of the whole-and half-tone pianos, the critics ask, what will happen to an instrument adjusted on quarter tones And where can piano tuners be found who can distinguish between intervals of only a quarter of a note?

Germans Are Making Waterproof Silk

By the Associated Press.

COLOGNE, Germany, July. — Storm proof, featherweight coats which may easily be carreid in the pocket, have appeared here this season. They are made of wool or silk and weigh from 19 to 20 ounces. A handy "pull on" hat, also of waterproof material, made to match the coat, is to be had as well. This hat, weighing three ounces, is so constructed that rain cannot drip down the neck. The featherweight coats for men come in several designs of an all-wool cloth, while the more luxurious garments for women are of silk.

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Billy Whiskers

By FRANCES TREGO MONTGOMERY.

Nellie had taken Button over to show him her friend, Kittie.

She carried Button in her arms most of the way, as she was afraid that he would run away if she trusted him to follow her. Now Button was no lightweight, you must remember, and the farther she carried him, the heavier he became and the more he slipped through her arms. So when she called to Kittie most of Button's long body was dangling around her legs, while she still held on to his neck in such a manner that the poor cat was nearly strangled.

"Oh, Kittie, don't you hear me? Come, come, come! I can't carry this cat another minute!"

Luckily for Button, Kittie happened to be playing in the front yard with her doll and had just put Annabella, her favorite doll, to sleep in the doll carriage. So when she heard Nellie calling her, she jerked the sleeping Annabella out of the carriage so quickly it nearly disjointed her and tossed her on the grass while she started on a dead run down the garden path to meet the calling Nellie.

When Kittie came up, Nellie let go of Button and he dropped to the ground and lay like dead for a few minutes. Indeed, the poor cat was almost choked to death. Before he could recover and jump up and shake himself together enough to run away Nellie had picked him up again and plumped him down in the doll carriage and the two girls began to talk as they wheeled the carriage toward the house. Nellie was relating to Kittie all that had happened since she saw her last, including the coming to her house of the goat, dog and cat, while Kittie talked so fast Nellie could not answer one question before she had asked two or three more. But neither of them noticed as all they wished was to talk, not to listen, anyway.



Button found the soft pillow in the doll carriage very comfortable and the motion made him sleepy, so he curled himself up a little tighter and went sound to sleep. Had he known what they were planning to do, he never would have risked that, but would have jumped out and run away. For these two little girls were planning to dress him up in doll clothes and play baby with him! Now that was one thing the dignified, indipendent Button could not stand. He had been used to play baby when a young cat, and he hated it. He had also made a vow that the very next person who tried to dress him up in doll clothes or any other clothes would be scratched for their pains.

(Tomorrow Button gets acquainted with Bella, the beautiful angora.)

WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

By MARY BLAKE

LEO

Until mid-day the aspects are of a doubtful nature, and counsel caution and deliberation; they are also liable to create lack of harmony and misunderstanding. In order to avoid either of these conditions, poise must be maintained and a tendency to irritability must be overcome. In the afternoon, there is a decided betterment of conditions, inviting closer attention to practical matters, especially to those in connection with property.

A child born today will enjoy excellent health during early childhood, but is very liable to suffer from some serious ailments during the period of adolescence. Let it, in its early days, enjoy as much outdoor life as is compatible with a proper attention to its scholastic obligations, so as to fortify its constitution. Its character will be determined—at times obstinate and self-willed; it must be disciplined in order to emphasize the former condition whilst minimizing the latter.

If today is your birthday, you are very keenly sensitive. With your great love of beauty and refinement, anything which is coarse crude and ugly in your environment is very depressing to you.

You also find it difficult to associate happily with those who are coarse and crude by nature. Unquestionably, such people frequently hurt you cruelly when they have no intention of doing so. It would be well if you would learn to accept other people for what they are worth, rather than criticize them, or let them hurt you. Praise and blame are usually meant impersonally and should be so received. In other words, people praise or blame the deed, not the doer.

Your appreciation of financial and commercial values and methods is deficient. This is due to many different things, but principally to your lack of observation, your inability to see things in their right relations, and your limited sense of value. If your wants were supplied, and you had something interesting to do, money would receive practically no consideration from you.

For your own sake, you ought to cultivate a greater sense of values, and develop more practical commercial sense.

Successful people born on this date are:

Richard Henry Dana, jurist and author, author of "Two Years Before the Mast."

Maria Mitchell, astronomer, the first woman member of the American Academy of Sciences.

Herman Melville, author.

Samuel Kneeland, naturalist, professor in Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Gilbert C. Waler, governor of Virginia, "The Political Savior of Virginia."

Robert T. Lincoln, statesman, son of President Lincoln.

Morris Hilquist, socialist and lawyer.

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Color Cut-out



A couple of days after first meeting the little girl in the queer cottage, Betty and Billy passed again, to find the girl out in the yard with a skipping rope. She had on a little pink apron and a hat with a pink band and looked much nicer than she had when they saw her before and she had been afraid to talk to them.

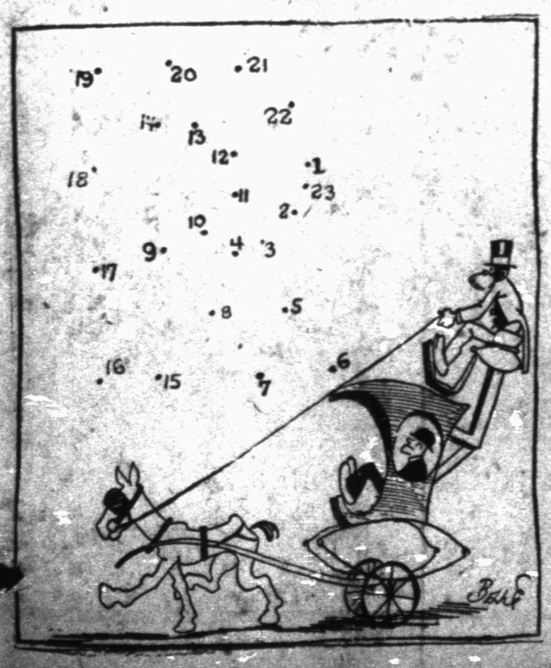
This time Betty and Billy called "Hello" to her and she answered them, coming up to the gate and not seeming nearly so shy. "She's asleep," explained the girl, and they knew she meant the mean looking woman she lived with.

"Is she your grandmother?" asked Betty curiously.

"No, she's my great-aunt. My mother's dead and my daddy had to go to South America and could not take me. He sent me here, and—" Her eyes filled with tears. "I'd better not talk to you any more," she said. "She might wake up. Goodbye, stop again."

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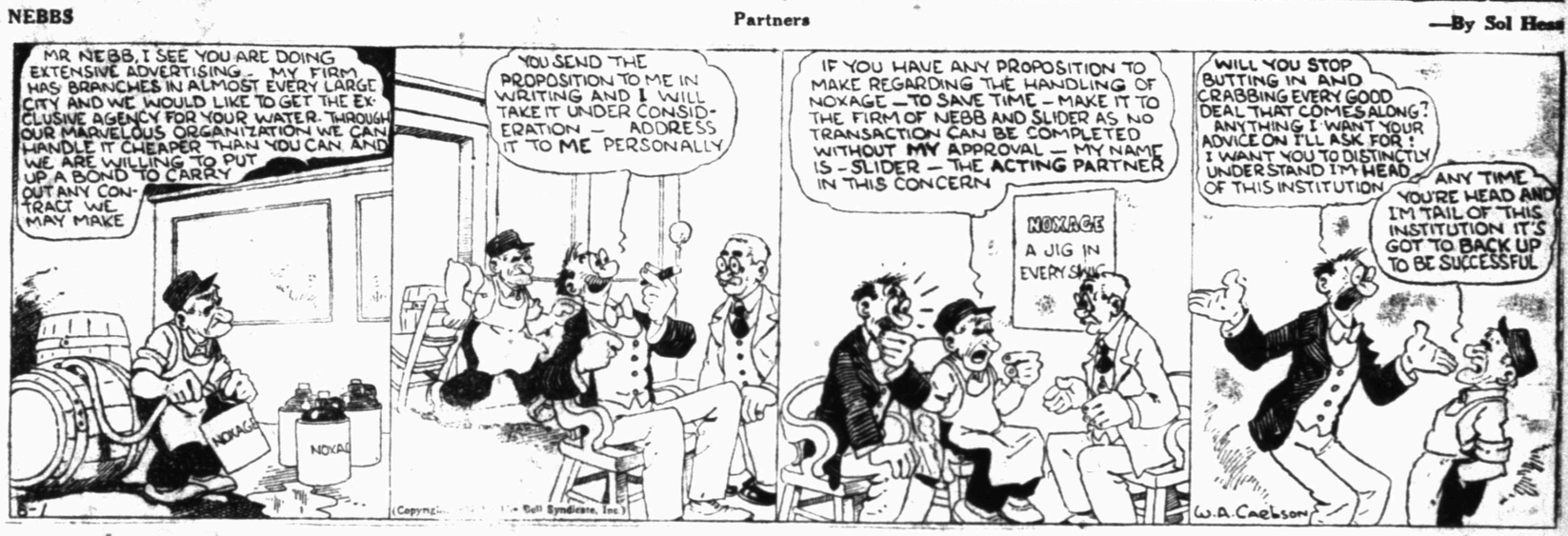
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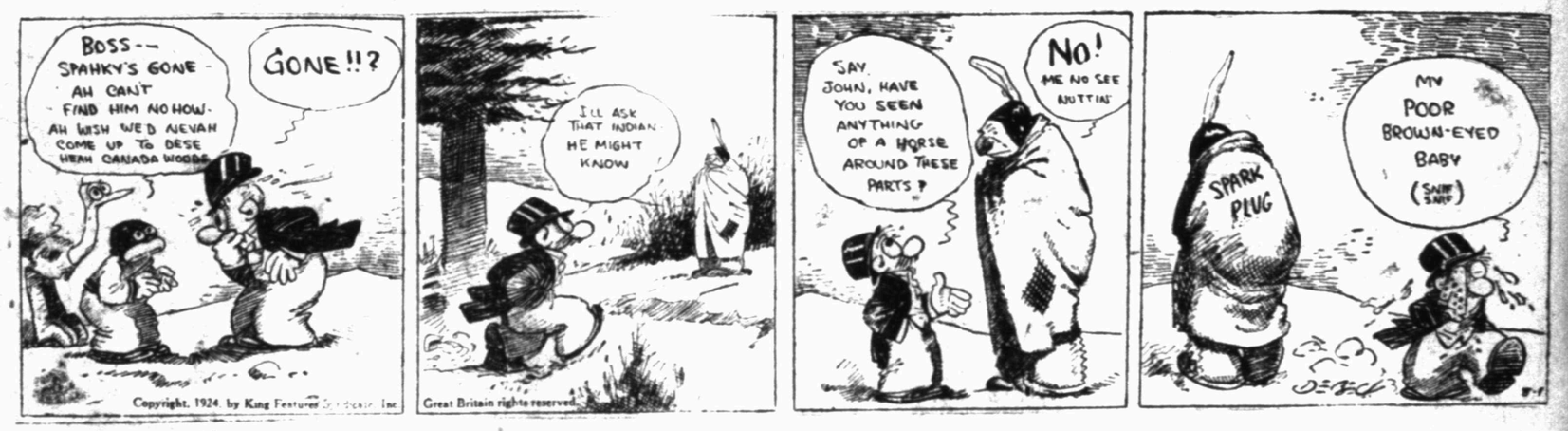
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THE NEBBS — Partners — —By Sol Hess



BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG — It Doesn't Look Like the Naked Truth — —By Billy de Beck



REG'LAR FELLERS — Paderewski Jr. — —By Gene Byrnes



WHY DO THEY KEEP REMINDING YOU OF IT ALL THE TIME? — —By Rube Goldberg



BAPTIST S. S. MEET TONIGHT

Regular Monthly Session of Departments; Lunch At Seven

Sunday school workers of the First Baptist church will meet in monthly conference this evening at the church at 7 o'clock when the work for the past month will be reviewed and plans made for futurg work.

The program will open at 7 o'clock with luncheon served for all who attend. This will be followed by reports from the various Sunday school departments, after which the business session will be held. Following the business session each department will hold a conference presided over by its respective superintendent.

The luncheon will be in charge of the Home Makers class of which Mrs. J. H. Martin is teacher, and Mrs. B. W. Lovelace, president.

Preceding the luncheon and general meeting a cabinet session will be held in the office of LeRoy Moore, educational secretary of the church, at 6:30 o'clock which will include the general officers and departmental superintendents.

Reports will be heard from the various Sunday school departments as follows: Cradle roll department, Miss Earle Carter; beginners, Mrs. Jerry Schnefer; primary, Mrs. W. H. Davis, junior, E. E. Richardson; intermediate, Mrs. J. M. Kelly; young people, W. E. George, adult, B. W. Lovelace; home department, Mrs. W. E. Miller.

MORE CREDIT TO RURAL SCHOOL

Fairview District to Get 5 More Units From State Department

W. T. White, superintendent of the Fairview Independent school district, reports that he has just received notice from the state department of education that the Fairview high school had been granted five more units of affiliation on work submitted from the term of school closing last May, the credits being distributed as follows: alegbra, 2 units; plain geometry, 1 unit; home economics, 1 unit; public speaking, 1-2 unit; physiology, 1-2 unit. Work in the English department was highly commended, according to Superintendent White.

The school now has 13 units recognized by the state department and a total of 20 are taught in the school. A fully equipped manual training department is being installed this summer, according to Superintendent White.

This Generation Last One, Says Evangelist Here

"Jesus pointed out this generation as being the last when he answered the disciples' question, 'What shall be the sign of th yeoming and of the end of the wirld.'" declared Rev. Taylor in the Bible study at the Buchanan street tabernacle, last evening.

After the children had enjoyed their Bible story, the meeting was given a practical turn for a few moments while nurses, Mrs. Dr. Jenkins and Miss Vance demonstrated simple home treatments and "First Aid Work."

In the outline of the Bible study Mr. Taylor confined himself chiefly to the prophecy of Jesus as recorded in Matthew 24, following the outline of events as predicted by the master through the changing scenes of time until He pointed out the signs in the sun, moon and stars and then followed the statement that "This generation shall not pass away until all be fulfilled; heaven and earth shall pass away, but my wards shall not pass away." "The last of these signs in the heavens," said the speaker, met its fulfillment in the falling of the stars in 1833, since the generation which saw those things is not to pass away until Jesus comes we can see that there are some people above the age of 80 who will still be living when Jesus comes, so we admonish every one to get ready for the coming of the Lord."

The subject for tonight is, "War, Its Cause and Remedy."

FIRE DAMAGES HOME AT ELECTRA

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, July 31.—Damage of $1,400 was caused here early Thursday afternoon when fire of undetermined origin burned away the roof of the H. H. Goodspeed home, 207 E. Linconl street. The blaze had obtained good start before firemen were summoned but was confined to the roof.

Efforts to learn the cause of the blaze were unavailing.

The loss is covered by $1,230 insurance, according to Mr. Goodspeed.

DOCTORS DISCUSS COMING ELECTION

By The Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 31.—Members of the important committees of the State Medical association in a specially called all-day meeting in Fort Worth, spent the morning session in discussing candidates in the August 23 election and their relation to public health. The session was executive.

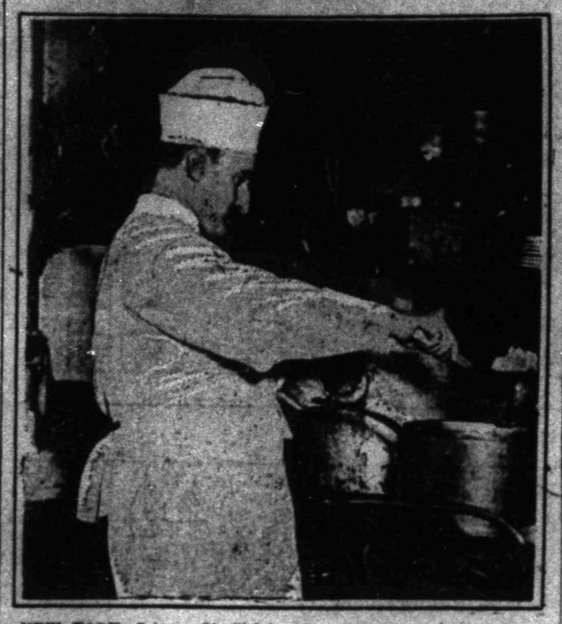
TENANT FARMERS IN TEXAS ORGANIZE

By the Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 31.—An attempt to organize tenant farmers of Texas into a farm unit "to guarantee them a fair price for all farm products" is to be made by an organization incorporated here today under the name of the Farmers' Welfare union of Gatesville. The incorporators are J. S. Mayberry, J. C. Turner and J. C. Haigh, all of Gatesville.

Keep the air fresh and cool in your residence with a fan from our complete stock. Wichita Falls Electric Co.—adv.

Prince of Wales Must 'ave 'is Roast Beef at Noon, Chef Reveals



NEW YORK, July. — Oh Girls! The Prince of Wales prefers slender girls who dance well, and he would rather marry a Canadian or an American.

My authority is Rudolph De Goroc, private chef to the Prince of Wales on his American visits, who is now awaiting orders to take care of the appetite of the prince on his forthcoming visit to New York and Canada.

If there is any one who knows a man better than his mother, it must be his cook. And Rudolph can tell you all sorts of intimate things about the Prince.

"The Prince is a connoisseur of food. In the evenings he likes French delicacies, but at the mid-day meal he must have good English roast beef and mutton.

All Night Long He Dances.

"You have never seen vitality equal to that of the Prince. He gets up early, and as everything is in readiness for him, he is dressed in a half hour.

"From then on he is never at rest. Sometimes he comes in just before dinner, gets a rub-down and then spends the entire night dancing.

"How he loves to dance! The little slender girls are his choice. Never the tall, stautesque ones. They may be dark or fair, but they must be splendid dancers.

"If he likes a piece of music he will have the musicians play it again and again. Long after all the other couples have left the floor he and his dancing partner will continue."

Now for the tid-bit of tid-bits:

"No one knows who the Prince will marry, but I think that he would marry an American or Canadian girl than any other. He likes them best, because they are so full of life and so pretty and—of course—dance so well.

PRINCE OF WALES' IDEAL GIRL

"Little slender girl are his choice."

"Never the tall, statuesque ones."

"They may be dark or fair, but they must be splendid dancers."

His Six Valets

"One time on his official visit to Canada, he dined in a small hotel where there was a little dark-eyed French-Canadian waitress. One of the guests asked the waitress to have the Prince sign one of their menus.

"The Prince rose and, putting an arm around the dainty figure of the waitress, drew her off to one corner and talked to her. He promised that when he returned he would send her an invitation to one of the dances. Two years later Alice, for that was her name, received an invitation and went to the Prince's ball and danced with him.

"Ah, the Prince of Wales!! He is a fine fellow.

"The Prince is very careful of his dress, and he would not be without a new suit for every day of the week. And then, too, he has about six valets: One to shave him, one to massage, one for his boots and so forth."

Silver Plus Groceries Equals More Business, Local Jeweler Declares

Groceries and jewelry are some other things that won't mix, according to the popular delusion.

At that, the story is going the rounds that Zale's has paired the two in such a way that complete harmony, compatibility, and all that, are present by a large majority.

Zale's theory is simple. It is now in practice. While the newspaper reader peruses the lines of an attempt at combination of facts and fictions, others are on their way to take in this strange phenomenon of potato patches and silver mines, cold storage and mints.

Mr. Zale does not contemplate going into the retail grocery business. In fact, merchants of that line of Wichita Falls have combined to show him how conducive a business is that of jewelry. Accordingly the plan:

Principle: One set of silverware, 25 cents down; groceries, $4, free.

Details: Community Plate or 1847 Rogers Brothers, choice of patterns; sugar loaf canned goods, quart of milk, pound butter, 50 cents worth of meat, bread, potato chips, can of coffee.

Accomplices in above scientific project are in order, according to above-named foodstuffs:

Goodner Wholesale grocery, Producers' Creamery, Sanitary Market, Kingery Bakery, Bert Bean.

NINE ESCAPE PARIS PRISON

Convicts Slide Down Blanket Rope and Gain Freedom

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Texas, July 31.—Nine prisoners escaped from the Lamar county jail early today. Three of them were held under serious charges.

Late last night no trace of the nine men, five of whom were negroes, had been found by officials.

Roy Mitchell, negro, one of those who escaped, was under death sentence for killing his son.

Made After Midnight.

The escape is thought to have been made some time after midnight. They were confined in cells on the fifth floor of the court house, but in some unexplained manner escaped from the cells, used blankets for a rope and prying the bars apart at a window let themselves to the ground.

A passerby early today awakened the jailer who lived in the building and asked him if all his prisoners were present. Investigation disclosed the escape.

Demo Eastern Pilot Was Wilson Associate

By the Associated Press.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 31. — Thomas K. Spellacy of this city, named today to take charge of the democratic eastern campaign headquarters, was an assistant to the attorney general during the Wilson administration. He has long been prominent as a democrat in Connecticut.

ALLEGED WOULD-BE LYNCHERS INDICTED

MOUND CITY, Ills., July 31. — Seventeen indictments were returned late today by the Pulaski county grand jury investigating the mob here the night of July 22 which threatened to lynch three negro suspects in the slaying of Miss Daisy Wilson, 18, Villa Ridge storekeeper's daughter.

Sea Scouts To Have Craft On Lake Wichita

A large boat will be placed on Lake Wichita in the next three weeks as the property of the Wichita Falls Sea Scouts, according to Van Thompson, leader of the Scouts. The boys have been busy collecting money for the purchase of the boat. The Lions club donated $25 Wednesday and J. S. Crawford has donated another $5 toward the purchase.

The Sea Scouts are a group of local Boy Scouts who have studied seamanship and have passed tests sufficient to entitle them to be ranked as Sea Scouts. Plans have been made for some time for the purchase of the boat and with $30 raised Wednesday the plans will become a reality.

Van Thompson expressed his thanks both to the Lions club and Mr. Crawford for the interest they have shown in the movement and thanked them in the name of the organization.

Pershing Throws Down Gauntlet On Defense Day

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31. — General John J. Pershing, returning today on the George Washington from France, where he inspected sites for battlefield monuments, asserted that he and all other service men are willing "to go to the mat on the subject of our national defense."

"This country has always been fighting the fire with the bucket," the general said, "ne never have employed modern means of meeting an emergency in war. Defense day will be a form of inspection. We shall see just what our powers of defense really are. It's just like the fire company's examination of its hose."

Speaking of prohibition, it's a queer country that makes speed limits and permits the manufacture of cars to break them.

25c Down Gets This Beautiful Silver

An Order of Groceries Without

BUTTER-NUT BREAD

Is like a ship without a rudder

Mr. Zale wanted the best of everything and wisely chose.

BUTTER-NUT BREAD

For its superior quality and freshness. Your Grocer can supply you with Butternut Daily



KINGERY Baking Co.

1412 Lamar Phone 4211

We Furnish the Meat Given by Zale Jewelry Co. in their Free Grocery Offer.

We know that the quality of our products is in keeping with the high standard set by Mr. Zale in the choice of foodstuff for the liberal offer.

The Sanitary Market takes great pride in offering its patrons the very best of meats, of all kinds at unusually low prices.

"Satisified Customers Are Our Greatest Asset"

Sanitary Market

25c

Down—$1.00 a Week buys any chest of Silver in the house.

THESE GROCERIES FREE!

25c Down—$1 a Week—Buys at Zale's Tomorrow

1847 Rogers Bros.

26 pieces with stainless steel knives in new serving tray.
25c Down—$1.00 a Week
Take the Groceries Free
$26.10

COMMUNITY PLATE

26 Pieces, hollow handle, stainless knives and new serving tray.
25c Down—$1.00 a Week
Take the Groceries Free
$32.75

If you don't need the Silverware—buy one of these Diamond Rings and get the groceries free.

57 Pieces—Complete Set

1847 Rogers Bros.

25c Down
$1.00 a Week
Take the Groceries Free
$82.85

You Pay No More—

Zale JEWELRY

The Spread That Made Bread Famous



Give the children plenty of bread and Wichita Maid butter.

Really Better Than Need Be

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Producers Creamery Co.

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Pay Only 25c Down—Take the Silverware and Groceries Home With You

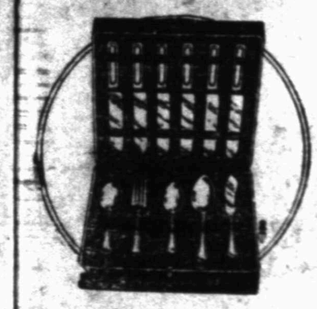
Here's Our Offer

By special arrangements with several leading Wichita Falls wholesale and retail dealers we will give $4.00 worth of quality groceries—Absolutely Free—with each chest of silver sold Saturday and Monday. Pay 25c down—$1.00 a week—and take the groceries home with you.

Sale Saturday and Monday Only

1 lb. Producers Wichita Maid Butter, 1 quart Producers Milk, 1 lb. "Who Can Beat It" Coffee, 1 Loaf Butter-Nut Bread, 1 Sack "Spudder Brand" Potato Chips, 50c worth Meat from Sanitary Market, Choice of O-U-Dust Mop or 1 Can Peas, 1 can Corn, 1 can Spinach, 1 can Pumpkin, 1 can Kraut, 1 box Salt.

k—Buys America's Finest Silverware ow—You Get the Groceries Free



1847 Rogers Bros.

26 Pieces with hollow handle, stainless steel knives in new serving tray.
25c Down—$1.00 A Week
Take the Groceries Free
$33.60



18 karat, White Gold, Blue White Perfect DIAMOND
25c Down $1.00 a week
$50

Stratford-Shakespeare

25-Year Guaranteed
26-Piece Chest, table size.
25c Down—$1.00 a Week
Take the Groceries Free
$22.50

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Pay No More—Why Pay Cash?

ZALE JEWELRY CO. INC.

Eighth and Ohio

REED & BARTON

26-piece set hollow handle, stainless steel knives.
25c Down—$1.00 a Week—Take the Groceries Free
$40.00

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BE Satisfied Safe Sure It's Producers' Milk



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Sugar Loaf Canned Goods

Just as Community Plate and Rogers 1847 meets every demand made upon it, so do Sugar Loaf Canned Foods satisfy the most discriminating user.

Sugar Loaf Corn is Packed from only the choicest select stock and contains no water.

Sugar Loaf Spinach is free from sand and grit and is more tender than the fresh product.

Sugar Loaf Pumpkin is packed at the exact stage of ripeness that makes it most delicious for pies.

Sugar Loaf Kraut—Long silvery shredded Kraut with a flavor and zest you find in few other brands.

Sugar Loaf Hominy has no superior.

Sugar Loaf Olomono Peas—small select, tender delicious. One trial makes a perpetual Olomono user.

If you want the best, call for these brands at your grocer.

GOODNER WHOLESALE GROCER CO.

Distributors of Quality Food Products

"WHO CAN BEAT IT"

for

Discriminating People

Roasted In Wichita Falls

BERT BEAN COFFEE CO.

YOUTHFUL BEAUTY OF MOTHER MUCH REMARKED ABROAD



You would think they were sisters wouldn't you? But they are mother and child. Mrs. De Lucey Oelrichs (above) and daughter, Marjorie, prominent in New York society, have just returned from abroad, where the youthful beauty of Mrs. Oelrichs attracted much attention.

Bullington In Line For G. O. P. Nominee in Texas

Republicans to Make Effort to Put Man in Governor's Chair; Wichitan Favored

By The Associated Press.

WACO, Texas, July 31.—That the republicans of Texas expect to make a determined effort to elect the next governor of Texas with the assistance of dissatisfied democrats was evidenced in a statement made public today by Charles A. Boynton of Waco, vice chairman of the republican state executive committee of Texas.

Boyington Named.

Mr. Boynton mentions a number of prominent republicans who are possible nominees at the coming republican convention to be held at Fort Worth August 12, among them being Judge T. H. Kennerly, Houston; U. S. Goen, El Paso; G. N. Harrison, Brownwood; Orville Bullington, Wichita Falls; Walter Napier, San Antonio; W. E. Talbot, Dallas; R. B. Creager, Brownsville; Charles C. Littleton, Fort Worth; T. P. Lee, Houston; John Starling, Dallas, and James McNary, El Paso.

Believes Break Here.

Mr. Boynton in his statement gives as his opinion that the long expected break in the democratic party in Texas has now come and that in the nomination to be made by the republicans at Fort Worth and the campaign to follow "the republicans have an opportunity to render a real and great service to the state and it is our intention to accept same and make good

DEFENSE

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sixteen them. But he said this state of legal insanity was not claimed for his clients.

Many Degrees of Insanity

"There are many degrees of insanity which would not for a minute avail as of a legal defense. We know that a man may resist wrong and still be mentally diseased.

"Courts today take accounts of that, for we progressed since the laws of England allowed the hanging of boys only seven years old. Today in Illinois we may hang youths at 10.

"But youth itself is a mitigating circumstance. Until a person is 21 he may not enter into contracts, or marry, legally, without consent of his parents or guardian. This is because of the minor's lack of discretion and mature judgment, in other words his state of mind.

Rare Crowe Again

"These boys are minors and I cannot understand the glib attorneys who insist on hanging two young boys, one 18 and the other 19. I have never seen a more deliberate effort to turn human society into an organization of raving wolves.

"Human sympathy, common human kindness, ought to count for something also. Human judgment are uncertain at the best, but we have full faith that this court will hear every proper piece of evidence and save these young lives."

Mr. Darrow's voice ranged from the quiet of a heart to heart talk to vibrations that were audible in the corridors. At times he hooked his thumbs inside his worn suspenders. Again he shook an admonitory finger before Judge Caverly or used that finger to wave aside and erase from the court's mind the state's contentions.

When discussing the youthfulness and mental conditions of his clients he crooned, but when denouncing "the blood thirstiness" of the prosecution he raised a clinched fist above his head and brought it down with a vigorous swing that emphasized his clarion tones.

Defendants Interested

Loeb and Leopold leaned forward to catch every word of their chief defender. Each flushed when Mr. Darrow reached the heights of his eloquence, but when the argument turned to its strictly legal aspects they seemed to absorb it as though it were being delivered by a university lecturer.

The boys found little opportunity to exchange their usual smiling confidences over progress of the case. They greeted their relatives with the usual nod and during the recesses held brief conversations with them.

In one of these intervals Allan Loeb asked Dick if there was anything he wished, and the youthful defendant leaned over and whispered a desire for some stick candy. It was promised him.

3 TEXAS ROADS SEE PROSPERITY

Katy, Orient and T. P. Out of Financial Troubles, I. C. C. Reports

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS, Record News Staff.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Three Texas railroads, after many difficulties, have beat back to prosperity within the last year, and members of the interstate commerce committee, that body which grinds along when all other governmental bodies are taking vacation, today were happy at the results.

The rail lines, all of which have been in bankruptcy, are now on the way to bright things are the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, the Texas and Pacific and the Orient.

Katy Gets Authority.

The commission last week granted the M. K. & T. permission to issue $4,750,000 of 6 per cent secured gold notes and to pledge $6,100,000 of prior lien mortgage 6 per cent gold bonds. Eighteen months ago the commission authorized the Katy to issue $20,121,347 prior lien mortgage gold bonds. The newest authorization will allow it to complete reorganization.

A few days before authorizing the Katy's latest financing transaction the commission granted authority to the Texas and Pacific to issue bonds to aid in its organization.

The Orient is again getting on its feet after a court sale at Kansas City.

Financial Storm Passes.

It is believed that there will be no more financial troubles for these railroads with good management. Freight business in Texas is now heavy and good prices for wheat and other farm products have been a great stimulus. In South Texas and the Rio Grande valley great volumes of truck products and melons are moving out of the state to northern and eastern destinations.

Many matters affecting Texas railroads are still before the commission. They include:

(1) The application of R. C. Duff for the Waco-Beaumont line, which has come up from the Texas railroad commission with a favorable recommendation.

(2) The application of the Missouri Pacific railroad to purchase the Gulf Coast lines, including the International and Great Northern. The commission recently granted conditional permission for the Gulf Coast to purchase the I. & G. N., subject to cancellation if further hearings in the Missouri Pacific-Gulf Coast hearing developed that the Gulf Coast-I. G. N. merger is not in the public interest.

(3) Appeal of many Texas railroads from the order of the commission that they install automatic train control devices.

There is also pending the application of the Texas, Panhandle and Gulf railroad for a certificate of public convenience and necessity for the construction of a railroad.

A. & M. Observes Brazos Co. Day

By The Associated Press.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, July 31.—With 1,078 citizens from six communities in Brazos county in attendance, Brazos county day was observed at the annual farmers short course of Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college now in progress here. Kurten was awarded first prize for having the largest delegation.

Cotton seed breeders assembled this morning in the first session of a two-day conference, while the Texas Honey Producers association adjourned its special convention.

Officers of the latter association were elected as follows: W. E. Joor, Dallas, president; A. W. Bryson, Laferia, vice-president; and Miss Alma M. V. Hasselbauer, San Antonio, secretary-treasurer.

FERGUSONS WANT FELIX ACCOUNT

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 31.—A request for copies of expense accounts filed by Judge Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, high man in last Saturday's primary, was sent to the secretary of state today by James E. Ferguson, whose wife, Mrs. Miriam Ferguson, ran second in the primary. An Austin law firm in an opinion to Mrs. Claude Devan Watts, state president of the W. C. T. U., recently held that the expense account of Robertson was not filed in accordance with law. Whether Mr. Ferguson's request has any connection with contemplated litigation was not disclosed.

RECORD DROP ON FLOOD OF HOGS

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Hog prices today received one of the severest setbacks ever noted for a 24-hour period. All classes of buyers were insistent on a sharp reduction of values and were pointing out that receipts of 55,000 hogs here today with more than half that number left over unsold from yesterday gave the trade more swine than the immediate demand called for.

After the market had been idle for an hour sales were effected at $.. under yesterday's best time $10 a hundredweight being the top figure offered for prime butcher hogs as against a limit of $11 yesterday. Under such circumstances a large number of hogs were kept off the market and a liberal holdover supply for tomorrow was apparently assured.

TEXAS U. S. STADIUM FUND GETS CASH

By the Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 31.—Plans for financing the University of Texas stadium as work progresses have been made by arranging loans to cover construction and materials, the board of directors announced today. The work must be paid for as completed but since the pledges cover a period of two years, the stadium committee was faced with the problem of getting in ready cash.

For cool comfort use G. E. fans Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Ads.

American Refining Co's Panhandle Well Estimated at 300-500 Bbls.

NEW WELL IN SEVERAL FLOWS

No. 2, Burnett, Carson County, Drilling Below 2,500 Feet

The American Refining company's No. 1, S. B. Burnett, in the north part of Carson county is now estimated to be a well of 300-500 barrel potential production from three sands below 2,900 feet. The well made several flows night before last and yesterday, and men on the ground place probable production anywhere between the two figures given.

Pipeline connections are almost complete and as soon as made, the well will be swabbed regularly, without drilling deeper to the fourth sand believed to lie below 3,000 feet. The Plains Pipeline company will handle the oil, taking it to Panhandle where it will be loaded in tank cars and shipped to the Amarillo Refining company at Amarillo.

This well is producing from three sands, 2,925-31 feet, 2,974-84 feet, and 2,989-94 feet. There is a fourth sand logged in other wells in the district believed to lie in this well immediately below a 3,000-foot level, which will not be drilled into at present. Six and five-eighth casing is set above the first sand at 2,925 feet, a smaller peferated casing allowing production from the second sand, and set above the third.

This well is about 700 feet west of the Texas company's No. 1, Burnett, original big producer of the field. It is located in the southeast corner of section 115, Burnett ranch, north Carson county.

The American Refining company's No. 2 Burnett, 900 feet to the south is drilling below 2,500 feet, and should be completed within two weeks.

These two wells are situated on one of the series of leases in this district, totaling more than 800 acres, all in practically proven territory.

California Up 2,000 Bbls. Past Week's Output

California oil fields show an increase of 2,000 barrels for the week ending July 26, according to the figures of the American Petroleum Institute's weekly summary released yesterday, the daily average production of that state totaling 624,200 barrels. North Texas shows an increase of 500 barrels, daily average production during the week totaling 76,350 barrels.

Increase over the United States amounted to 10,200 barrels daily, production over the entire nation during the week amounting to 1,967,700 barrels daily.

Detailed figures follow:

United States, 1,967,700 barrels, increase, 10,200.

East of Rockies, 1,363,500 barrels, increase, 8,200.

California, 624,200 barrels, increase 2,000.

Oklahoma, 485,950 barrels, decrease 5,850.

Kansas, 79,700 barrels, decrease 50.

North Texas, 76,350 barrels, increase 500.

Central Texas, 163,100, decrease 1,850.

North Louisiana, 56,300, increase 300.

Arkansas, 149,100, increase 1,850.

Gulf Coast, 122,400, increase 2,900.

Eastern, 107,500, decrease 500.

Wyoming and Montana, 122,100, decrease 800.

Daily average imports of petroleum at principal ports for the week, according to the summary were 185,714 barrels, compared with 207,285 for the previous week.

Midcontinent crude was reduced 15 to 25 cents, and is being quoted at from $1.10 to $1.50 a barrel according to the gravity of the oil by all major purchasing companies with the exception of the Magnolia Petroleum company. No other changes were quoted from the major districts, Pennsylvania crude oil, Bradford district being quoted at $3.25 a barrel; all other grades at $3.00; Gulf coast, grade "A", $1.50, grade "B" $1.30, and California crude $1.00 to $1.40 a barrel.

CARTER ET AL DRY ON BURNETT RANCH

Carter, Phillips, and others have plugged and abandoned their No. 2 test on the Burnett pasture, section 2,750 feet west and 150 feet north from southeast corner of the northeast 40 acres of the southeast quarter of the section. Total depth was given as 1,712 feet, with the sand encountered around 1,080 feet as dry, and showing no oil.

UNITED CENTRAL CEMENTS CASING MURRAY, NO. 1-A

The United Central Oil company has cemented casing on its No. 1-A, Murray, Watkins-Overby pool, at a depth of about 1,813 feet to test an 800 foot sand, having had some difficulty in getting a good cent without cementing.

SIMMS, NICHOLS 2, PLACED ON PUMP

The Simms Oil company has placed its No. 2, Nichols, 75 feet south of the No. 1, lot 10, section 30 ANTCL, Archer county, on the pump for a ten-barrel well from the sand at 1,410-18 feet. This well is the furthermost south of the Ray Featherstone, Stidham-Thrasher group, three wells of which are producing from the 1690-foot sand and two (Stidham-Thrasher No. 1; Simms No. 2) from the 1,400-foot sand.

GRACE JENNINGS WELL NEAR SAND

The United Production company is drilling down past 1,750 feet on its No. 6, Grace Jennings, Wichita county and expected yesterday to reach the sand some time last night.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water relieves and strengthens weak and tired eyes. All druggists 50c.—Adv.

Wells-Guiberson Wilbarger Co. Well Guages 260 Bbls., 24 Hours on Pump

Well Pumped For First Time Wednesday and Thursday

Wells and Guiberson have placed their No 1, Wharton, southeast corner of section 90, south of Vernon, Wilbarger county, on the pump, and show 260 barrels of oil as the result of the first 24 hours' pumping, from 11 o'clock Wednesday morning to 11 o'clock Thursday morning. Oil is of high gravity, measuring 42.6 degrees gravity, and is coming from six feet of sand at 1,994-2,000 feet.

Eight-inch casing is set above this sand, and three-inch tubing run for pumping.

Two 250-barrel tanks have been erected on the lease.

This well made a two-minute and forty-second flow to the top of the derrick last Sunday when the swab was started in the hole, and flowed thereafter into storage at the rate of more than a barrel a minute.

It is unproven Wilbarger county's first real completion, showing higher gravity and better oil than in the south Vernon Oil company tests to the south, oil from these wells coming from shallower sands.

TWO NEW TESTS FOR HASKELL CO.

Rigs Going In and Start Expected Soon

Special to The Record News.

HASKELL, July 31.—D. B. Kouri has moved a new Rotary rig to Haskell county and is making preparations to put down a test on the Baldwin ranch six miles east of here. Derrick is partly erected and the first test should spud soon. Contract depth is 3,500 feet, unless oil or gas it not found at 4-lesser depth.

S. S. Kouri is making preparations to spud a well offsetting an old hole which he lost on the Ballard ranch, depth being 1,002 feet. It is also his intention to put down a well in another part of this district, location not made yet.

C. C. Kauk has returned from a trip to the east and has made necessary repairs to his rig on the Fred Quade tract, fifteen miles west of Haskell in theSperton community, and will start drilling immediately. Hard drilling at 600 feet caused the rig on this well to break down at about that depth. Mr. Bank represents the J. O. Galloway interests of Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mexican Crude Producers Will Ask Co-Operation

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—The Association of Producers of Petroleum in Mexico announced today that a committee of three to five members would leave for Mexico City within a few days to confer with Mexican government officials regarding petroleum legislation and the development of oil lands in Mexico.

The personal of the committee has not yet been completed and no definite data set for the departure, but Secretary of the Treasury Pani has been notified that he will be advised of the plan as soon as they are ready.

Oil Personals

C. W. Murchison and C. P. McGaha, Murchison and Fain, have gone for about a two weeks stay in Colorado.

D. S. Golding has left for a two weeks vacation in Denver.

W. E. Alhaus, chairman of the board, Consolidated Oil company, and W. A. Davis, both of New York, have been in Wichita Falls for the past two days looking over the holdings of the company in south Archer county.

Paul Busty, Dallas, Cranfill Brothers and Penn, is in Wichita Falls and will be here for several days.

Lee Scott and T. A. Morgan of Wichita Kansas, and G. W. Mosely of Fort Worth, all of White Eagle Refining company, were in Wichita Falls yesterday.

W. H. Dyer of Dallas was in Wichita Falls yesterday.

NO. 8, M'CARTY, UNITED CENTRAL PUMPS 140 BBLS.

The first 24-hour gauge on the United Central Oil company's No. 8, McCarty, Beaver Creek district, southeast of Electra, Wichita county, shows 140 barrels pumped from the sand at 1,080-94 feet.

BOWEN AND ROSS DOWN BELOW 1,200

Depths as reported last night on wells drilling in the vicinity of the Cumby-Callendar-Stump well on the Stine land, Clay county, follow: Bowen and Ross, below 1,200 feet, Callendar and Cumley, around 1,185 feet, and Verschoyle, below 800 feet.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Butter, lower; creamery extras 36 1-2c; standards 36 1-2; extra firsts 35 1-2@36c; first 34@35c; seconds 32@33c. Eggs, lower; firsts 27@27 1-2; ordinary firsts 25 1-2@26c.

We have the fan you need from $10 to $36, Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Adv.

STEELS LEAD STOCKS UPWARD

Other Standard Issues Follow U. S. Steel to New Level

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES

	20 Indus.	20 Rails
Thursday	101.55	90.85
Wednesday	100.59	90.44
Week ago	99.06	90.60
High 1924	101.55	91.24
Low 1924	90.27	81.00

Total stock sales 1,128,400 shares.

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Stock prices moved upward in impressive fashion today under the leadership of the U. S. Steel common which closed 2 1-4 points higher at 107 7-8. More than a score of issues established new high prices for the year, the day's transactions exceeding a million shares for the 13th consecutive full session.

Strength of U. S. Steel, which was taken in large blocks at advancing prices brought about sympathetic buying of other standard industrials. Baldwin closed two points higher at 121 3-4. American Can showed a net gain of 1 1-2 at 125 5-8 after having crossed 126, and Studebaker closed approximately a point higher at 38 3-4.

Chief interest in the rail group centered in the so-called Van Sweringen stocks, buying of which was stimulated by reports that an early announcement of consolidation plans might be expected.

Rival of activity in the motors was predicted on reports of increased sales, Studebaker, Jordon and Pierce Arrow common and prior preferred selling at their best prices of the year while Chandler, Mack Truck and some of the accessories issues represented substantial gains.

Bullish demonstrations continued in the mercaandising stocks, Associated Drygoods standing out with an extreme gain of more than 5 points.

GAS PRICES NOW SUBJECT PROBE

Attorney General Orders Further Investigation

WASHINGTON, July 31. — Attorney General Stone has ordered a further inquiry into the gasoline price situation. The report of the federal trade commission on the subject, made at the request of the president, contains information, Mr. Stone said today, which warrants a further investigation of the several phases of the problem.

Department officials described the trade commission's report, which has never been made public, as "very interesting" but indicated that it was incomplete in some ways, and the department of justice will now delve into the leads thus afforded.

Mr. Stone was said to believe that such an injuiry must supply the government not only with a better knowledge of what is going on in the whole industry, but with evidence which it might use in its injunction suits recently filed in Chicago to break up selling agreements based on use of the so-called cracking process in the industry.

There are indications that the Chicago proceedings will be long drawn out and Mr. Stone has made it clear to subordinates that he wants the government's case protected from every angle. The department was said to anticipate a stiff legal battle ahead, and although the attorney general regards the government's case as sound, he intends that there shall be left no grounds available for counter-attacking by the oil companies if the department can prevent it.

GRANT SUES W. T. WAGGONER

Asks Damages of $40,000, Alleges Contract Is Broken by Delman

Alleging that the defendant had refused to permit him to carry out the provisions of a contract said to exist between them and that by reason of this he had been damaged to the extent of $40,000, J. H. Grant filed suit Thursday for that amount against W. T. Waggoner, R. L. Moore and others.

Contract Alleged.

In his petition it is alleged by the plaintiff that he had made a contract with the defendant Waggoner whereby he, Grant, was to be permitted to gather and impound all the waste oil accumulating from the many wells on the Waggoner ranch. The contract, he alleges, was to be in force for 10 years.

Says Contract Broken.

Now, it is contended, the defendants refuse to allow the plaintiff to continue gathering of the waste oil, although the contract has not as yet expired. By reason of this it is claimed that the plaintiff has been damaged to the extent of $40,000.

CHINA GETS FIRST "RED" AMBASSADOR

By the Associated Press.

PEKING, July 31.—L. M. Karakhan, who has been acting as soviet representative in China and who carried on the negotiations leading to China's recognition of soviet Russia, today presented his credentials as first Russian ambassador to China.

Ft. Worth Cattle Quiet; Hogs On Steady Decline

By The Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, July 31.—The cattle market here today was quiet. Only 3,000 head was offered. About 1,500 calves also were on the market. Cows sold more freely than steers but the market was weak to 10 cents down on that class, while steers were very slow to move but held about steady. Heifers and mixed cattle remained unchanged and beef cattle was the same.

The showing of heifers and yearlings was unimportant. Fat cows cleared at 3.00@3.50; most cutters made 2.00 to 2.50, and canners sold around 1.75. Bulls brought 3.00@4.25.

No decided change developed in calves.

Hogs are going down. The market lost another large amount and the top was under the ten-cent basis. The best hogs here sold at 9.65 with bulk sales at 9.00@9.50. Trading was active at the decline, however. Pig receipts were very small and the trade was not really tested. Hog house receipts amounted to about 300 head.

Salesmen asked stiff prices for their sheep and on that account the trade was slow. Lambs cleared on an unchanged basis. Around 700 head were here, most of which were on sale in the dive-in division.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Sales in

	Shs.	High	Low	Close
All Chem & Dye	21	78¾	78	78¾
Am Can	329	126⅝	124	125⅝
Am Car & Fdry	1	177	177	177
Am Inter Corp	21	24⅛	23½	23⅝
Am Loc	23	80¾	79¾	80
Am Smelt & Ref	31	70¾	69¼	70¾
Am Sugar	10	47⅜	46⅝	47⅜
Am Tel & Tel	6	124⅝	124⅝	124⅝
Am Tobacco	8	149⅜	148⅝	149⅜
Am Woolen	98	77	76	77
Atch T & S Fe	31	104¾	104½	104⅝
Atl Coast Line	2	135⅜	135⅛	134
Baldwin Loc	105	121⅝	121⅛	121⅜
B & O	165	63¾	62¾	63⅜
Beth Steel	89	44⅛	43¾	44
Calif Pet	15	23⅜	22⅞	23⅛
Canadian Pac	2	148⅛	148⅛	148⅛
Central Leather pfd	1	113⅛	113⅛	113⅛
Cerro de Pasco	80	44¾	44	44
Chandler Motor	75	51	49	50⅜
C peake & Ohio	88	89¾	88⅜	88⅝
C M x St P pfd	27	27	26⅞	26⅝
Chi & N western	5	40½	40½	40½
Chic R I & Pac	85	36	35¾	35⅞
Chile Copper	47	31⅜	31½	31⅜
Coca Cola	12	72⅜	72¼	72⅜
Consolenum Co	23	48⅜	47⅜	47⅜
Consolidated Gas	66	78¾	77¾	78⅛
Consol Textile	16	9¾	9¾	9¾
Continental Can	39	57	56⅝	56⅝
Coulen Oil	29	28⅜	27½	27⅝
Crucible Steel	26	58⅜	55⅝	56
Cuba C S pfd	22	85¼	84½	84⅝
Cuban Am Sugar	8	35⅛	31⅝	35⅜
Davison Chem	51	60⅜	58⅜	59⅜
Dupont de Nem	72	126⅝	127¾	120
Erie	185	34⅛	33	34
Gen Asphalt	1	55	55	55¼
Gen Electric	141	266½	155	266
Gen Motors	401	14⅛	14⅜	14⅛
Gulf States Steel	37	90	75¾	75¾
Houston Oil	13	71	70	70
Illinois Central	20	111¾	111⅜	111⅝
Inter Harvester	9	96	96	96
Inter M M pfd	96	37⅜	36⅝	37⅛
Invincible Oil	5	13	12⅝	13
Kelly S'field	12	15⅜	15⅛	15⅛
Kennecott Cop	221	48⅜	46¾	48⅜
Mack Trucks	2	93	93	93
Mo K & T	57	49⅜	48⅜	49⅜
N Y Central	52	108	107¾	107⅞
N Y N H & H	90	28⅝	27⅝	28⅝
N'folk & W'tern	70	122⅝	122⅛	122⅜
Northern Pac	1	65¾	65¾	65¾
Pacific Oil	43	48⅜	48	48⅛
Pan-Am Pet "B"	62	55	54¾	54¾
Pennsylvania	28	46⅜	46⅛	46⅛
Phillips Pet	90	35⅝	34⅝	35⅜
Pond & Ref	1	29⅜	28⅜	28⅜
Pure Oil	268	25⅛	24⅜	24⅝
Reading	31	61⅜	60⅜	61⅛
Republic I & Steel	43	49⅛	48	48⅞
St. Louis S western	15	34⅝	34⅛	34⅜
Seaboard Air Line	40	16⅜	16	16⅛
Seaboard A L pfd	6	31⅛	31	31⅛
Sears Roebuck	20	105⅜	103⅜	105⅛
Shell Union Oil	11	16⅞	16⅝	16⅞
Sinclair Con Oil	11	17⅜	17	17⅛
U S Steel	20	67⅛	65¾	66⅜
Southern Pac	38	95⅜	95	95⅛
Southern Ry	42	64⅜	64¾	64⅝
Southern Ry pfd	6	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛
Stand O of Cal	11	58⅛	58	58⅛
Stand O of N J	25	36	35⅝	35⅝
Studebaker Corp	204	39	37⅝	37⅝
Tenn Copper	19	9⅛	8⅜	8⅝
Texas Co	10	40⅝	40	40
Texas x Pac	17	32⅝	31⅝	32⅜
Tobacco Prod	1	65	64¼	64¾
Union Pac	7	142	141⅜	142
U S C I P	53	100⅝	98⅜	99⅝
U S Ind Alcohol	32	72¼	71	71⅝
U S Rubber	33	32⅝	31⅜	32½
U S Steel pfd	798	107⅜	105⅝	107⅜
Utah Copper	11	81¼	80¼	81½

$190,301 IS BUILDING MARK

July Total Jumps to $10,000 Above Record Made Here in June

New Buildings started in Wichita Falls in July totaled about $10,000 more in value than did those started in June, according to figures compiled by City Building Inspector Fred Smith. The total for July as reported yesterday was $190,301.75, while in June it amounted to just over $180,000.

Sixty new projects were started here during the month.

Wyatt Building Leads.

Out of this number, the most expensive is the $40,000 business building being erected by Wylie Wyatt next to the Staley building on Indiana avenue. Second in cost is the $35,000 home of Bernard Martin which is being constructed at 1512 Buchanan, and the third is a $24,000 residence under construction for C. R. Daniels at Grant or Avenue G.

Other permits range down to as low as $100 for repairs on existing structures.

STRONG MAN KILLS MATRON AND SELF

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31. — Charles Blatt, 50, shot and killed his housekeeper, Sadie Tarbox, 35, and then committed suicide by shooting, at his home on Staten Island today.

A diamond studded belt which had been given to Blatt many years ago in recognition of his power as a weight lifter, was the cause of the tragedy, relatives said. The dead woman was reported to have objected to the sale of the belt by Blatt. A quarrel and the shooting followed.

Studebaker Declares Quarterly Dividends

By The Associated Press.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., July 31.—The Studebaker corporation today declared the quarterly dividend of $1.75 per share on preferred stock and $1 per share on the no-par common stock outstanding.

COTTON CLOSE IS VERY ACTIVE

Gain of $6.50 Per Bale is Shown From Low Point

NEW YORK FUTURES

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Cotton futures closed strong.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Oct.	28.93	27.57	27.87-93	28.25
Dec.	28.22	26.80	28.17-22	27.55
Jan.	28.00	26.76	27.95-28	27.46
March	28.33	27.12	28.30-35	27.70
May	28.45	27.18	28.40-45	27.78

Opening: Oct 28.00 to 27.78; Dec. 27.20; January 27.20; March 27.50; May 27.60 offered.

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

By The Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, July 31.—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 64 to 66 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Oct.	28.12	26.77	28.04	27.40
Dec.	28.06	26.74	27.98	27.32
Jan.	27.84	26.98	27.94	27.32
March	28.11	26.98	27.11	27. 5
May	26.97	26.97	27.90	27.35

Opening: Oct. 26.95; Dec. 26.85; Jan. 26.85; bid; March 26.96 bid; May 26.85 bid.

By The Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 31.—The cotton market closed the session today with active trading and with a sharp rally, following an early decline which had carried the market down a little over $3 a bale from yesterday's closing levels. The later upturn forced prices up more than $6.50 a bale from the low, with final results showing a substantial gain for the day of nearly $3.50 a bale.

October eased off to 26.77 during the first part of the morning, or 63 points down from the previous close and later advanced to 28.12 or 135 points up from the low. December advanced from 26.74, or 58 points net down to 28.06, a gain of 132 points from the low. The close was virtually at the top and active months showed net gains for the day of 64 to 66 points.

The early weakness was due to a sharp break in Liverpool and to private reports of rather good rains in northern Texas. The decline was first checked by the ten o'clock weather report showing no rains worth mentioning in the belt, and a little later reports from Texas contradicting the early advices of rains.

During the afternoon shorts covered freely and it was reported that stop loss orders were uncovered in both market.

Three more condition reports were issued during the day, the first showing an average of 67.8 and the other two showing the same average of 69.1.

Texas Cotton Spots.

By The Associated Press.

DALLAS, July 31.—Middling cotton, 30.44; Houston, 30.50; Galveston, 30.75.

New Orleans Spots.

By The Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, July 31.—Spot cotton steady, 67 points up. Sales on the spot 677 bales; to arrive none. Low middling 26.17; middling 29.42; good middling 30.54; receipts 004; stock 50,702.

Liverpool Spots.

By The Associated Press.

LIVERPOOL, July 31.—Cotton spot increased demand, prices easier. Good middling 19.44; fully middling 18.59; middling 18.04; low middling 17.19; good ordinary 16.19; ordinary 15.69. Sales 4,000 bales, including 2,500 American; receipts 13,000 bales, including 9,400 American.

Grain Letter

GRAIN OPINIONS

Lamson Bros. — Look for broad swings in grain eventually higher prices.

Clement Curtis & Co.—There is influential buying of wheat on breaks. There is a disposition to buy corn more cautiously.

Logan & Bryan.—This years winter wheat crop is still to be moved and the market will have to withstand heavy hedging pressure at times. Coarse grains will reflect the action in wheat.

Bartlett Frazier. — Believe wheat has declined enough and would buy corn only on breaks.

Harris Winthrop. — Wheat holds well in face of liquidation and hedging pressure from the southwest.

Chicago Tribune says: "It was said that unless Winnipeg and Liverpool are advanced values here are likely to go lower as the wheat trade has lost part of its business and needs constant encouragement to keep up fresh buying. There was a lot of buying of September wheat on the break on the belief there had been decline enough."

NO ANTHRAX IN SIGHT IN COUNTY

Reports of anthrax infection in cattle herds of the southern and eastern portions of the state are causing little or no alarm here, according to vetrinarians, because the malady has thus fair never spread as far north and west as Wichita Falls.

It appears periodically in herds in the eastern portions, it is said, but has never gained a foothold in Wichita county. Unless it is unexpectedly transported, its appearance here is not regarded as a probability.

CITY POLICE ON WATCH FOR PRISONERS

City police have been asked to be on the look-out for nine men who some time during the night Wednesday night escaped jail at Paris and are believed headed this way. They are traveling in a Ford automobile, stolen, it is said, after the jail delivery.

Two of the escaped prisoners were under death sentences for murder and several of the others were faced with penitentiary terms.

No details as to how they effected their escape were received here.

Keep the air alive around the office with an electric fan. Wichita Falls Electric Co. —Adv.

MONEY At Work



Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments.

Women are usually very poor judges of real estate value. They are prime "suckers" when comes to purchasing homes.

The statements made above were made by one of the most successful and stable real estate operators in America. They are true statements and here are the reasons.

When a woman buys a home she looks for all sorts of little knick knacks, conveniences and things of that type. So far as it goes, this is a perfectly good practice, but the woman is usually influenced by these things that she will be persuaded into buying the house for far beyond the true value of these improvements.

In looking over the home it is well to see what conveniences are offered, but be sure that these things do not boost the price enormously. A house which is worth say $5,000 is often purchased by a speculator who puts $1,200 worth of "improvements and conveniences" on it and sells it for $9,000. One way avoid making a foolish purchase based on sentiment in regard to knick-knacks is to deal with an experienced real estate man—paying him a fee for his services in getting the house you wish. Such a fee will not only save disappointments but will save you actual money. (Copyr't 1924 Associated Eds., Inc.)

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Foreign exchanges, irregular; quotations in cents:

Great Britain demand 4.39 7-8; cables 4.40 1-8; 60-day bills on banks 4.36 7-8. France demand 4.98 3-4; cables 4.99 1-4; Italy 4.32 and 4.32 1-2; Belgium 4.54 1-2 and 4.55; Germany demand (per trillion) 23 7-8; Holland 38.18; Norway 13.54; Sweden 26.61; Denmark 16.08; Switzerland 18.60; Spain 13.33; Greece 1.73; Poland 19 1-4; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.19 1-4; Austria .0014 1-8; Rumania .44; Argentina 33.00; Brazil 9.85; Tokio 41 1-8; Montreal 99 3-4.

LIBERTY BOND CLOSE.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31.—United States bonds closed, in dollars and 32nds of dollars: Liberty 3 1-2's 101.12; first 4 1-4's 102.13; second 4 1-4's 101.27; third 4 1-4's 102.20; fourt 4 1-4's 102.17; government 4 1-4's 103.12.

NEW YORK MONEY

NEW YORK, July 31—Call money, steady; high, low, ruling rate and closing bid 2; offered at 2 1-4; last loan 2; call loans against acceptances 1 1-2; time loans, easier; 60-90 days 2 1-2@2 3-4; 4-6 months 3@3 1-4; prime commercial paper 3 1-4@3 1-2.

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. S. Williams and his unknown heirs by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the 1st Monday in September A. D. 1924, the same being the 1st day of September A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 28th day of July A. D. 1924 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 13032-B wherein Ralph E. Wehter is plaintiff and J. S. Williams and his unknown heirs is defendants and said petition alleging, that on or about the 14th day of February 1925, he was lawfully seised and possessed of the following described land and premises, situated in the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

All of lot number 18, block No. 59, in the city of Electra, Wichita county, Texas. That on the day and year entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withholds from him the possession thereof, to his damage of $500.00.

That the reasonable annual rental value of said land is $100.00.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, and for his rents, damages and cost of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 30th day of July A. D. 1924.

A. F. KERR,
Clerk District Court Wichita County, Texas.

RUST REPORT BOOMS WHEAT

Liberal Exports Aid; Corn and Oats Fall Off

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Black rust news together with indications of liberal export business gave a sudden life to the wheat market today. On the bulge in prices, however, selling enlarged, and brought about a material reduction. Wheat closing quotations were unsettled 3-4 to 2 cents net higher, September 1.32 5-8 to 1.32 3-4 and December 1.35 7-8 to 1.36. Corn finished at 2-4 cents lower to 1 3-8 cents advance, oats at 2 5-8 cents off to 1-8 cent gain, and provisions unchanged to 45 cents higher.

Although corn made a temporary response to wheat strength, and notwithstanding that July corn touched a new high price record for the season, the corn market averaged lower, influenced largely by a big downturn in hog values. Besides continued assertions of comp improvements were made.

Month-end adjustment of accounts made the oats market erratic. Provisions fell in sympathy with hogh.

		High	Low	Close
Wheat—	open			
Sept.	1.31⅝	1.34⅝	1.31¼	1.32⅝
Dec.	1.34⅝	1.38	1.34	1.35⅝
May	1.39¼	1.43	1.38½	1.40¾
Corn—				
Sept.	1.07⅝	1.09¼	1.07⅛	1.07⅜
Dec.	.96⅛	.98⅝	.96¼	.97¼
May	.98	1.00	.98	.98¾
Oats—				
Sept.	.48⅝	.50¼	.48⅜	.49
Dec.	.51¼	.53	.51¼	.51⅝
May	.54⅝	.55¼	.54⅛	.54⅜
Lard—				
July				13.40
Sept.	13.17	13.45	13.17	13.42
Oct.	13.20	13.56	13.20	13.50
Ribs—				
July	12.35	12.35	12.25	12.35
Sept.	....	....	....	13.00
Oct.	....	....	....	12.10
Bellies—				
July				13.07
Sept.	12.70	13.20	12.70	13.07
Oct.	12.80	13.30	12.80	13.15

Kansas City Cash Grain.

By The Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, July 31.—Wheat: No. 2 hard 1.22@1.38; No. 2 red 1.33 1-2@1.35.

Corn: No. 3 white 1.05; No. 2 yellow 1.08 1-2.

Oats: No. 2 white 53@54; No. 3 White 52@53c.

Chicago Cash Grain

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Wheat No. 2 hard 1.36@1.37; No. 3 hard 1.34.

Corn: No. 2 mixed 1.12@1.13; No. 2 yellow 1.12 1-2@1.13. 3-4.

Oats: No. 2 white 55 1-2@ 3-4; No. 3 white 53@54 3-4c.

COTTON SWINGS UP AND MAINTAIN TOP

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 31. — Cotton prices took a big swing on the market here today, closing strong and at the top, or 38 to 77 points above last night's final figures. The early market was weak on news of rain in the southwest and prices broke to 25.57 for October and 26.89 for December or 66 to 88 points below Wednesday's close. From this level there was a perpendicular rise in the afternoon and October climbed to 28.93 and December to 28.22, or 68 to 77 points net higher.

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