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CRAZED MAN KILLS TRIO

Heavy Rains Wash Out 6 Miles Of Tracks

BRIDGE SLIDES IN AND TRAINS ARE DETOURED

Oklahoma Seriously Afflicted By Downpour Friday And Saturday

CROPS ARE BENEFITED

Young Cotton Saved; Shocking of Wheat Delayed Only Few Days

Special Dispatch to Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., June 9. Six miles of track on the Frisco railroad was washed out by the floods Thursday between Ewing and Custer City. The northbound train through here turned back at Snyder today instead of continuing on to Enid. Rock Island trains are detouring via Hobart owing to Washita valley floods near Clinton.

Associated Press Dispatch

OKLAHOMA CITY, June 9.—Flood conditions in northwestern and northern Oklahoma assumed grave proportions tonight as the result of heavy rains during the past two days. The North Canadian river at Woodward in northwestern Oklahoma was reported higher than at the crest of the disastrous flood of 10 days ago. The heaviest rain in years was reported in western Oklahoma and the Texas Panhandle last night and today.

Water mains across the North Canadian were carried away this morning, leaving Woodward with only a two-day water supply on hand. Heavy rains fell all down the valley of the North Canadian from the western border of the state. The crest of the flood is expected to reach Oklahoma City about the middle of next week. The Santa Fe and Wichita Falls & Northwestern railroad bridges at Woodward were washed out this morning.

A six-foot rise was reported sweeping down the Cimarron river, which enters Oklahoma from Kansas in Harper county and flows southwestward across the state, joining the Arkansas above Tulsa.

A six-foot wall of water disabled the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad bridge over the South Canadian river north of Thomas early this morning and stopped traffic over the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient bridge upstream.

WHERE IT RAINED

Rainfall in this district is reported as follows:
Wichita Falls, two inches.
Jayton, three inches.
Charlie, heavy rains.
Graham, 5 inches.
Seymour, two inches and still raining at a late hour.
Brownsville, three inches.
Olney, two and one-half inches and still raining at a late hour.
Amarillo, three inches.
Abilene, one and one-half inches.
Stamford, two inches.
Spur, two inches.
Electra, two inches.
Archer City, two inches.
Elk City, three inches.
Woodward, Okla., three inches.

ALL WEST TEXAS HIT.

DALLAS, June 9.—Torrential downpours were reported today from West Texas, principally in the neighborhood of Spur and Lubbock. Telegraph and telephone wires were down between Stamford and Spur.

Rains worth millions of dollars in cotton soaked the Panhandle and Plains country from El Paso on the west to Ranger on the east and from the Panhandle on the Santa Fe to Altus, Okla., reports showed. Farmers were jubilant.

Two-inch rains fell at Sweetwater, Stamford, Abilene, Amarillo, Eastland, Childress, Wichita Falls, Hamlin and other points.

TWO-INCH RAIN HERE.

With exactly two inches of rain falling in Wichita Falls from 1:30 a. m. Saturday until 4 o. m. of the same day, one of the largest rain falls of the season was reported in this district yesterday. All downtown streets suffered from the rain due to the swelling of the pavement.

Farmers in this vicinity report that the rain will delay the shocking of the wheat and oats for only a few days, and some are preparing to go to work Monday morning, providing no more rain falls between now and that time.

Not only the district in and around Wichita Falls was the object of a heavy rain but reports from all over the state indicate the rain was general. Every railroad office in the city gives out the report that the rain was heavy all over their lines, ranging from one to three and a half inches in this district.

Trains Delayed.

Two train services were delayed in Wichita Falls Saturday due to the washing out of bridges over the Canadian river. The Fort Worth & Denver bridge over the Canadian river, north of Amarillo was washed out

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Rum Squadron Slips 65,000 Canadian Pints Into Detroit Daily

Associated Press Dispatch

DETROIT, Mich., June 9.—A mosquito fleet of from 30 to 50 small boats is supplying Detroit and its suburbs with the equivalent of between 50,000 and 65,000 pint bottles of Canadian beer every 24 hours. The illicit beverage is smuggled across the Detroit river in barrels, kegs and cases.

The supply of beer transported by the miniature rum fleet is supplemented by occasional carload shipments which come into the United States from Canada by way of the railroad tunnel under the river, according to the runners.

They claim that one of the biggest and wealthiest operators on the Canadian side uses the tunnel to get beer across. The cars, it is said, are consigned to Mexico, and by manipulation are unloaded here. Runners estimate the daily average of beer brought in through this channel at 800 cases or about 19,000 bottles.

There is some other smuggling from isolated points on the Canadian side. It is claimed that beer in small lots is sent from Walkersville to Crosse Pointe. But aside from the beverage carried by the fleet and via the railroad, it is probable that not more than 200 or 300 cases a day get across the border.

Police Arrest Six in Murder Of Pretty Y. W. C. A. Girl After Note Leads To Gruesome Body Find

Taxi Owner Gets Message In Handwriting Similar To Police Warning.

International News Dispatch

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, June 9.—With the arrest of six persons here today, police believe they have "hot clues" who may lead to a sudden solution of the fiendish murder of Helena Drauchmann, 21, pretty Y. W. C. A. girl, whose partly clad and badly decomposed body was found under a small culvert on the Hubbard road near here yesterday.

Detectives today took Christ Connell, Filipino chauffeur, into custody for investigation. Connell today told of receiving a warning note signed "J. B. J." on May 17. The handwriting in this missive corresponded to that of the note addressed to "any captain of police," which led to the gruesome discovery.

Intimacy Alleged.

Police have arrested Geo. K. Menler, 37, taxi driver, said to have been an intimate of the dead woman, although he is a married man; his wife, Edith K. Menler, 40, Mrs. A. Cubberlege, 33, Earl C. Chamberlain, 28, his wife Mrs. M. Chamberlain, the latter two of Jamestown, N. Y.

Officers are tracing a taxi owner of Greek-Italian extraction, said to be a habitue of a West Side resort known as a rendezvous of under-world characters. While no charge has been lodged against him, authorities believe he can throw light on the mystery.

Menler was not questioned by the arresting detectives but Mrs. Menler said she knew of an intimacy existing between her husband and Miss Drachmann and that on one occasion her husband brought the woman to her home, the visit ending in a domestic quarrel. She admitted many quarrels with her husband over the murdered girl, because the husband had boasted of his relations with Miss Drachmann.

GEORGETOWN COURT PRISONERS RELEASED

Associated Press Dispatch

GEORGETOWN, June 9.—Godfrey W. Lotus, W. E. Posey and G. S. Dunbar, held in the county jail here on contempt charges growing out of their refusal to answer questions before the grand jury concerning the flogging April 1 of R. W. Burleson, were ordered released today from custody by Judge James R. Hamilton of the criminal district court. They appeared before the judge and answered the questions propounded.

ARMY OF BATS

They Swarm Physician's Office Here When Storm Rages, And Slaughter Follows Next Morning

A nightly visit from a swarm of bats nearly wrecked the offices of Drs. Scharf and Peterson on the seventh floor of the Bob Waggoner building Friday night — and the doctors are of the opinion now that an open window a burning light and a heavy storm outdoors form a dangerous combination.

A window in the office was left open Friday afternoon it was reported and a light was burning in the room all night. Saturday morning when the place was opened up, over 150 large black bats were swarming about the room, clinging to lights and other vantage points. A number were dead on the floor.

It was necessary to start a wholesale slaughter before the room could be cleared of the strange visitors, the doctors stated.

Jap Battleships Rushed To China After Rioting

International News Dispatch

TOKIO, June 9.—Three Japanese war ships have been sent to Hankow, China, as result of the Changsha rioting in which Japanese residents were forced to flee and the Japanese consulate was attacked.

Japanese consuls have been instructed to take every step to safeguard the women and children who fled from Changsha.

Denver and Rio Grande Cited For Defiance

International News Dispatch

CHICAGO, June 9.—The Denver and Rio Grande railway was citted by the U. S. railway labor board for alleged defiance of orders to reinstate shop foremen who walked out and refused to work in the place of shop workers during the strike last summer. The board ruled agreements forbade the officials dismissal of foreman who declined to relieve workmen and ordered re-establishment.

Texas University World's Richest School, Say Oil Scouts Gathered At Reagan County Santa Rita Well

Associated Press Dispatch

SAN ANGELO, June 9.—The University of Texas will be the richest educational institution in the world in all probability, scouts from Oklahoma, Kansas, Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas oil companies conceded tonight, if the Santa Rita wildcat, drilled by the Little Texan Oil & Land Co. on its 72 sections of land flowes liquid gold when drilled in.

The Santa Rita came in again at 3:15 this afternoon and gushed oil over the derrick for 43 minutes, making its sixteenth regular flow since the bit tipped the sand at 3,050 feet on May 28.

W. F. Worley, extensive oil operator of El Dorado, Kans., who came here representing a group of Kansas operators, said the wildcat was a paying well, beyond all question, and that the quality of oil was high.

About 100 scouts from all over southwestern oildom waited all morning near the well until she blew in. The intensely interested group crowded close up when Card Cromwell, driller, gave the word the well was about to get into action. A roar of gas followed as it forced thick, green liquid up through the rig.

If the field lies near, which oil men today believed, the University of Texas' future is assured and will be out of legislative hands for life, as one graduate said. The well is in block No. 2, section No. 2, Reagan county, a little southwest of the center of the 500 and some odd sections of Reagan county land owned by the university.

By selling oil from the well day before yesterday the Texon company proved up its lease on 72 sections of the land adjacent to the well. The closest in that lease which can be secured outside of the holdings of the Texon company is five miles, but acreage is selling at $20 an acre outside the Texon tract.

The special train over the Orient railway leaves here at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning for the Santa Rita.

OPERA STAR TO EUROPE



Mme. Marguerite Matzenauer and her daughter Adrienne.

Mme. Marguerite Matzenauer, opera singer, and her daughter, Adrienne, have sailed from New York for an extended tour of the continent. She will return for fall musical season.

ROAD ELECTION IN CLAY UPHELD

Court Refusal To Grant Injunction Affirmed In Fort Worth

Special Dispatch to Record News

HENRIETTA, June 9.—A third time have the courts of Texas upheld the election of March 20 held here for road district No. 2, voting $375,000 bonds to build a 34-mile concrete road through Clay county, on the Meredith highway and for as many miles of graveled lateral roads.

The third court of civil appeals at Fort Worth this morning supported the decision of Judge Paul Donald of the Ninety-seventh district court in refusing a restraining injunction that would have virtually killed the road-building project.

Victory Was Expected

This legal victory was not received with any surprise here, as practically everyone has had no doubts from the first that the overwhelming majority of nearly four to one at the ballot box would be upheld. The first action of the opponents was an application for a mandamus before Judge H. N. Wilson of the Thirtieth district court to compel the commissioners' court to grant a buffer road district that would virtually kill the district proposition. This was denied and appealed. The next legal action was an application before Judge Paul Donald of the Ninety-seventh district court, asking the holding up of the sale of bonds, claiming the commissioners' court had acted arbitrarily. This was denied.

The application for injunction was appealed to the Fort Worth court of civil appeals, and the case argued by Wantland, Dickey & Glasgow, and by County Attorney Vincent Stine, representing the good roads backers, and by R. E. Taylor and J. L. Lackey, Wichita Falls attorneys, for the antis. The case had been pending about two weeks when the decision was upheld.

MILLION DOLLAR DAMADGE IN FLOOD AT WICHITA, KANS.

Special Dispatch to Record News

WICHITA, Kan., June 9.—Residents of East Wichita laid aside street attire and donned their bathing suits when Chisholm creek, north and east of here, went out of its banks and inundated an area of upwards of four square miles of the business and residential sections, causing damage estimated well over a million dollars.

Creeping up to the very door of the Union station, the waters rose steadily and by noon stood from one to three feet deep in the main street. As the section of the city lying directly east of the Union station is low, virtually the entire east side was under water. The flood is said to be one of the worst ever experienced in the history of the city.

$15,000 Gem Robbery Big Town Second Story Worker Baffles Police

Waggoner Diamonds Stolen By Man Who Leaves Muddy Prints As Only Clew.

After a 20-hour search Saturday local police admitted last night that they were without clues as to the identity of the thief who early Saturday morning mounted to a second story window at the Bob Waggoner home, 1400 Tilden street, helped himself to Mrs. Waggoner's jewel box and then made his escape with gems valued at about $15,000.

Officers are of the opinion that the robber was a stranger to the city, who came in at the instigation of local crooks, and then left immediately after the burglary was accomplished.

Thorough Search Made

A thorough search was being conducted in Wichita Falls, however, with some hopes that clues might be unearthed leading to information of the robbery.

The theft took place early Saturday morning, presumably about 2 o'clock. Muddy footprints were found on a second story porch and marks were found on an ornamental column leading from the ground to the roof of a porch. This indicated, police said, that the prowler visited the home after it had been raining for some time.

Robbery Made Early

Mrs. Waggoner was positive that the robbery occurred after 1:30, she said, for she was awakened at that time and noticed the box, unmolested, on the table, where it had been left.

The jewels were in a small box on a dressing table that was placed near the window. All other doors and windows of the house were said to have been securely locked. The thief, standing on the porch roof just under the window, merely reached in with a stick, drew the box to a point where he could grasp it and then made his way back down to the ground.

The robbery was discovered Saturday morning, when Mrs. Waggoner awoke. It was promptly reported to the police.

Huge Reward Offered

As reported to officers, the missing jewels included three large platinum rings, set with large and small diamonds and sapphires, a diamond-studded wrist watch and a bracelet, set with diamonds and sapphires.

A reward of $1,000 has been offered by Mr. Waggoner for the arrest of the thief.

Divorce Decree Granted In Mrs. Wakefield Suit

International News Dispatch

SAN RAFAEL, Calif., June 9.—An interlocutary decree of divorce which will become final in a year was entered in the court record today in the suit of Mrs. Edith Spreckels Wakefield against Frank W. Wakefield, wealthy San Francisco club man.

The divorce decree recalled the remarkable love triangle in which Mrs. Spreckels figured last October when pretty Nellie Kendrick charged she had been offered $100 a month for the love of her artist husband, Rodney Kendrick. Mrs. Kendrick sued Mrs. Wakefield for $25,000 but death intervened and the case never came to trial.

Hubby Justified In Punching Jaw Of Hair Dresser

International News Dispatch

SAN ANTONIO, June 9.—Punching the jaw of a male hair-dresser, who has bobbed your wife's hair and installed a permanent wave, both of which you are violently opposed to, is within the right of an irate husband, according to Judge Neil Campbell of the Bexar county court in a decision given here today.

Judge Campbell was called upon to take sides when A. S. Graham, attorney, was arraigned before him on the charge of punching Joe Taylor, hair dresser, in the jaw. The cost of permanent waves at $25 each and bobbing hair, and curling hair at $1 per curl was also taken under consideration by Judge Campbell in deciding that poor hubby was justified.

BERGDOLL CHANGED MAN AFTER TERM

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., June 9.—Awaiting the hour—11 days from now to June 20, when he will be released from the disciplinary barracks at Ft. Leavenworth near here, Edwin Rudolph Bergdoll, wealthy Philadelphia draft dodger, is today within sight of completion of the penalty exacted of him by the United States government for the evasion of military service in its hour of need.

Bergdoll will be released June 20, not on the writ of habeas corpus for which he fought through all the courts for many months, but as a discharged convict who has completed his term of servitude.

A year ago Bergdoll took keen delight in the fact that his brother, Grover Cleveland Bergdoll has escaped to Germany and so expressed himself. Today, according to his guards, he is glad to be alive and in the United States.

MISSING CASHIER CAUGHT IN TEXAS

FORT WORTH, June 9.—Sheriff E. W. Warnell of Navarro county arrived today to take R. V. McCann, arrested here Thursday night by city detectives after a nine-months search, to Corsicana to face grand jury indictments charging embezzlement.

According to Warnell, McMann went to Currie at the time of the oil boom and opened a private unincorporated bank. When the boom waned, McMann and his cashier disappeared with $7,000 cash, the sheriff said.

TRADES REFUSED WAGE INCREASE

Associated Press Dispatch

HOUSTON, June 9.—No increase in wages will be given members of the plumbers, iron and sheet metal workers and hoisting engineers trades of Houston, it was decided at a meeting of the directors of the Houston builders' exchange.

"The members of these trades have asked for wage increases equivalent to $1 a day, a thing that we cannot grant, except at the expense of building activities in Houston," S. B. Houx, president of the American Construction company a member of the board of directors of the exchange, declared.

COTTON CONDITION 76 PER CENT NORMAL

Special Dispatch to Record News

AUSTIN, June 9.—Texas has the best prospects of recent years for a cotton crop, George R. Terrell, state commissioner of agriculture, announced Saturday.

Cotton conditions from more than 300 reports on June 1 are 76 per cent normal for the state, as compared with the federal estimate of 71 per cent for the nation, Terrell said. Cotton acreage is 15 per cent higher than last year.

$41,000 SHORTAGE CHARGED BY JURY

Associated Press Dispatch

DALLAS, June 9.—J. Robert Phillips, former bank teller, was charged with embezzlement of approximately $41,000 from the Citizens National bank at Waxahachie in an indictment returned here yesterday by the federal grand jury. He has been at liberty on $5,000 bond following arraignment several weeks ago.

Knox and Baylor Farmers Replanting After Storms

Special Dispatch to Record News

KNOX CITY, June 9.—The majority of the farmers in this section of the state are replanting their cotton following the recent sand and hail storms. In some instances this is the third time that it has been necessary for the cotton to be replanted.

Practically all the wheat is in the shocks in this section of the state. Farmers in the vicinity of Seymour started threshing today, which is thought to be the first machine to start in Baylor county.

APPEAL MADE FOR TARRANT SLAYER

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Texas, June 9.—Appeal has been made to Governor Neff to commute to life imprisonment the death sentence imposed upon Wayne W. Todd, Tarrant county, for murder in connection with the killing of James McNeal, Fort Worth service car driver. Petitions signed by several thousand persons are among the documents submitted. McNeal was killed on August 31, 1921, on the Fort Worth-Weatherford road near Aledo. Todd is scheduled to hang on June 21.

$15,000 Fund Wanted For More Cattle Tick Officers

Special Dispatch to Record News

AUSTIN, Texas, June 9.—Efforts to have $15,000 restored to general appropriations bills for employment of additional cattle inspectors, to enforce tick eradication regulations, are being made by J. E. Boog-Scott, chairman of the state livestock sanitary commission. Bill to make this appropriation was vetoed by the governor two weeks ago.

"CUSSED" HIM

President Lincoln Broke Into Profanity When Oklahoma Preacher-Barber Let Razor Slip

Special Dispatch to Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., June 9.—President Lincoln never "cussed" but one man in his lifetime, the story goes, and that man was Rev. C. W. Ellis, 110-year-old preacher, who died at Tipton yesterday.

The old man, who claimed no denomination as his own, often told the story of when he shaved the martyred president and let the razor slip. That was too much for Lincoln, and the preacher-barber was surprised by an explosion—"Damn!"

Rev. Ellis died at the home of his son, R. J. Ellis, whom he had been visiting for the last two weeks. He was born in Canada, but came to this country when only a child.

SOLDIERS OUST PEASANT RULE

Government In Bulgaria Is Seized and Ministers Arrested

Associated Press Dispatch

SOFIA, Bulgaria, June 9.—The Bulgarian government was overthrown at 3 o'clock this morning by an organization of reserve officers supported by the active army.

All the ministers were placed under arrest. A government has been formed by all the opposition parties with the exception of the communists. The movement is supported by the provincial garrisons. Order prevails in the capital and throughout the country.

WAR POLICY RESENTED

The Bulgarian peasant government, headed by Alexander Stamboulisky as premier, was first formed in October, 1919, and has continued in office since then with some changes in the cabinet personnel. The present movement originated in the popular resentment throughout the country against the war policy pursued by former King Ferdinand, who threw the country in on the side of Germany in the world war.

The Stamboulisky government took a strong stand against the members of the former ministries, who were accused of aiding in the war plans of the ex-king and brought a number of the former ministers to trial. Considerable sentiment, however, developed in favor of the imprisoned statesmen and som of them were returned to parliamentary seats in the last election.

DEPARTMENTAL BILL PASSES HOUSE AT $5,900,000 FIGURE

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Texas, June 9.—The departmental appropriation bill was passed finally by the house late today by vote of 79 to 32, after the measure had been considered throughout th day. Ductions of less than $10,000 were made on the floor to the bill, leaving the totals passed at slightly over $5,900,000.

The principal amendment adopted today was that abolishing the state mining board carrying with it an appropriation of $7,000.

Four main state departments were yet to be considered when the previous question on the bill was ordered and it was engrossed by vote of 76 to 31. Likewise the previous question was ordered on final passage. This is the last of the general appropriation bills to be considered by the house. Only the emergency appropriation bill remains on the calendar and this is not expected to be contested.

Grandfield Bank Closed After Visit By U. S. Examiner

Special Dispatch to Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., June 8.—The First National bank of Grandfield failed to open for business Friday morning, on order of the board of directors, instigated by the national bank examiner, L. S. Kennedy. The bank is capitalized for $50,000. O. B. Mapel is president, and Earl Lear, cashier.

The last published statement as of Auril 30, showed loans of $293,143.90, with total resources of $359,715.79. The bank at that time carried deposits of $196,998.68, including individual deposits of $107,148.97, certificates of deposit $51,640.12, state, county and municipal deposits of $7,000 and time deposits of $31,209.50.

The Day In the Legislature

SENATE

Engrossed: Clark, common carrier motor vehicle bill; Downs, bills relating to tax rendition.

Considered: $4,000,000 rural aid school bill.

Introduced: By Fairchild, resolution proposing sine die adjournment next Monday night.

Reported: Favorably, Wood bill to appropriate $600,000 for state courts building; emergency school bill with appropriation reduced from $6,000,000 to $4,000,000.

HOUSE

Passed: Departmental appropriation bill totaling $5,900,000, a reduction of nearly $700,000 over last session; local bills.

Concurred in senate amendments to Cowen one-cent gasoline tax bill.

Adopted: Free conference committee report on miscellaneous claims bill.

CREW BATTERS DOWN DOOR TO HALT SUICIDE

Captain, Wireless Operator And Supercargo Killed At Sea

MANIAC WOUNDS SELF

Galveston Ship Leaves All Wounded Men In Portugal

GALVESTON, June 9.—Believed to have become suddenly crazed, the second mate of the shipping board steamship Brave Coeur, enroute from Hamburg to Galveston, last Wednesday, shot and killed Captain John Nielson, master of the vessel; A. Ginser, wireless operator, and John Perry, supercargo; wounded Seaman Otto Hausler and then attempted suicide, after barricading himself in the cabin, according to a cable received yesterday by Lykes Brothers, operators of the ship from Oporto. Nielson and Perry were Galvestonians.

The Brave Coeur put into that port to place the two wounded men in a hospital and also to report the tragedy by the cable, the loss of the wireless operator preventing them from sending out word earlier.

Seriously Wounds Self

S. Tsettos, the crazed mate, seriously wounded himself before the other members of the crew succeeded in breaking down the door of his cabin and rendering him harmless, according to the cable. He and the injured seamen were placed in a hospital at Oporto Friday after which the Brave Coeur resumed her homeward voyage under the command of C. B. Johnnssen, first mate.

Whether or not the bodies of the three slain men were left at Oporto was not stated in the cable. It is thought that they were, however, as officers of the vessel would have undoubtedly mentioned in the cable had they been buried at sea.

Advice Given By Mrs. Stillman In Harris Divorce

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—Mrs. James A. Stillman advised Mrs. Elaine Lee Harris to beware of New York lawyers in resisting the annulment suit instituted by her husband, Beverly D. Harris, Lee Merriwether, local attorney, asserted Mrs. Harris had told him, in testifying at a deposition hearing here this afternoon.

Merriwether was testifying at a hearing in a suit for $3,000 fees he alleges Mrs. Harris owes him for services from June to October of last year in connection with the annulment suit, scheduled for hearing in New York next week. Mrs. Harris denies she ever employed Merriwether.

Mrs. Stillman is the wife of the former president of the National City bank of New York City, and Mrs. Harris' husband is a former vice-president of the same institution. Both resigned their position with the bank when their respective marital difficulties became public. Harris was formerly a Houston banker.

OKLAHOMAN DYING

VINITA, Okla., June 9.—Sam Pearson is in a dying condition here today with a bullet through his head and another in his abdomen, said to have been fired by Roy Atwood, a neighbor, in Pearson's home, five miles east of Spavinaw, in Mayes county. The trouble between the two men is said to have arisen over a fence dividing their properties.

MAN-SLAYER FREED

MERRIAM, Kans., June 9.—Mrs. Maude Hampton, who shot and killed her husband, Wm. Hampton, Shawnee road dairyman, a week ago today was a free woman following her discharge late yesterday when her mother-in-law took the stand against her dead son and testified that the wife fired the fatal shot in self defense.

TWO DANCE ON

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—Only two of the 22 contestants who entered the marathone dancing contest remained on the floor early today when they had danced 177 hours. Both were striving to break the world's record of 195 hours of continuous dancing. Lawrence Clincy and Bernie Brand, both of Dallas, Texas, were the remaining contestants.

THE WEATHER

Oklahoma: Sunday, partly cloudy with local showers.

East and West Texas: Sunday, partly cloudy with thundershowers, cooler in Panhandle.

WEATHER FOR THE WEEK.

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, June 9—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:

East Gulf states: Generally fair at beginning, becoming unsettled after Monday with occasional showers; normal temperature.

West Gulf states: Showers first part, generally fair second part, normal temperature.

WHAT HAS LAW TO DO WITH IRRIGATION, ANYWAY? THIS TELLS HOW LAWYER MADE PROJECT POSSIBLE

Wichitan Has Been Fighting Years For Laws That Permit Constructive Work.

By A. M. M'PHERSON,
Records News Irrigation Authority.

Wichita Falls is soon to become the irrigation center of North and West Texas.

Everyone knows of the wonderful work that Mr. Kemp has done in making irrigation a reality here, but few know of the part that has been played by another man who has much to do with irrigation, not only here but in other parts of Texas.

Our irrigation development here would not be possible under the present plan and irrigation would be greatly retarded in other parts of the state if we worked under the laws that obtained 20, or even 10 years ago.

One man has done the principal legal work on irrigation legislation in the state of Texas for years, until now we have a workable irrigation district law—a law that allows Texas people to irrigate their lands as they do in other states.

Now a Wichitan.

If it had not been for this man's knowledge of irrigation and his zeal and ability in amending and changing our cumbersome Texas statutes, it is doubtful if we would now be constructing an irrigation project here today.

The man we refer to is Judge J. E. Starley of Pecos and Dallas, but now a resident of Wichita Falls.

Judge Starley has had an interesting career, born in Mexia; a graduate of Southwestern university of Georgetown and of the University of Texas at Austin.

From Georgetown he holds a degree of bachelor of science and from the legal department of the University of Texas the degree of LL. B.

Practiced Law at Tyler.

After graduating from the University of Texas and being admitted to the bar he hung out his shingle as an embryonic lawyer at Tyler, Texas. But like many a young lawyer, found the world was not waiting to give him fat cases and hand him huge fees and that a law practice was not easily built in an old, settled community. But unlike many who lack initiative, Judge Starley decided if business was not good in one place he would find a place where it was good; so after a few months at Tyler he closed up shop and went west.

A Case Walks Into Him.

For no especial reason he stopped off at Barstow, Texas. A day or so after arriving there he was standing on the street corner wondering where in the world he could find a man who needed the services of a bright young lawyer, when a rough-looking stranger walked up to him and said:

"Young feller, be you a lawyer?" Right there his legal career commenced. The stranger had "squatted" on a 640-acre tract of school land near Barstow and was having trouble with another man who claimed he owned the land.

The supposed owner, who had purchased the land at a certain price from the state of Texas, making a small payment down, had later abandoned it and then repurchased at a less price.

Starley's client had made claim to the land by taking up his residence thereon. Residence on school land was required by law, but was generally disregarded. Regardless of the fact that he was living on the land he faced the hard fact that the state had sold it to another.

The Forgotten Statute.

Like the hero in story books, Judge Starley dug up a forgotten statute which said that school land could not be sold a second time for less than the orginal purchase price. This won the suit. Judge Starley's fee was 100 acres of land and as this land happened to be irrigated land it was a sizeable fee.

The sequel to this first case is of interest. One of the reasons his client had been able to remain in possession of the land was that he had been tried for murder, but acquitted, and had a reputation as a bad man. When Starley was county attorney it became his duty to prosecute this same client for murder. Later on, the judge was standing in the window of a bank in Barstow and saw this same man shot down and killed by another.

The judge had won his first case, always an important event in the life of a young attorney, and business began to come his way, but still slowly. The first case he had that attracted attention from the public was a political one, although it would not seem so from the surface.

Another Victory.

A Mexican shot another at a "baile," or dance, and the judge was retained to defend him. He advised a plea of guilty, but the Mexican refused and said he would not get a square deal. About this time the political aspects of the case began to show and things looked dark for the "hombre." At the trial the principal witness remarked that the shot had been fired with a 41 caliber Colt.

"How do you know?" asked the judge. "Why, by the size of the flash from the gun I can tell the size of a gun every time," said the witness. That was enough. The argument before the jury on this point was so convincing that the witness was discredited and despite the political phase of the trial, the prisoner was acquitted.

Shortly after this trial the judge was made county attorney and one of his earliest cases was in prosecuting this same Mexican for theft and seeing him sent to the pen. Later on, the Mexican was killed in a fight.

After serving as county attorney for a time he was elected county judge and served for three terms, finally resigning his office to resume private practice.

Several years later he was elected again to public office. This time as mayor of the city of Pecos. He was nominated and elected without his consent and while he was in another part of the state. He served as mayor for about four years, when he had to resign on account of the press of other duties. The mayorship concluded the judge's political offices.

Water Litigation.

Starley's experience in water litigation and irrigation commenced many years ago with a case that is now known as one of the most important and fundamental cases in water litigation ever tried before the Texas supreme court. The case is listed in the law books as Watkins Land Company vs. Clements.

Clements was an engineer and a highly educated man who had a ranch on Toyah creek, a tributary of the Pecos. Above him on the same stream was a large ranch owned by the Watkins Land company. This company from year to year put more land under irrigation and diverted more and more water from Toyah creek, until in the dry season there was no water left for either Clements or any of the other land owners below them on the creek.

The Watkins land company claimed the right to this water under a decision of the court which, in effect, allowed the owner of land on a stream to divert the water for his own use, regardless of whether or not land owners at points below got any water or not.

Starley took the case and argued that all the riparian owners on a stream had equal rights to the water. The case was fought all the way up to the supreme court, where a decision was rendered in favor of Clements and along the lines of the judge's argument. This decision is fundamental in Texas water law.

Finds Law Defective.

In 1913, the people under the Barstow Irrigation company's system on the Pecos river had become dissatisfied with the water deliveries the company was making and decided to form an irrigation district, vote bonds and buy out the irrigation company and also build a storage reservoir to provide additional water.

Judge Starley found that the irrigation district law then on the statute books was so defective as to be impossible of practical application, so he drafted a new irrigation district law based on the Wright irrigation district law of California and this law was adopted by the Texas legislature.

It was at this same session of the legislature that Judge Starley drafted a large part of the general irrigation law of the state and had the satisfaction of seeing it pass and be placed on the statute books.

In 1914, the Barstow people voted their bonds under the new irrigation district law and took over the property of the private irrigation company. The Barstow project covers about 24,000 acres and was the first irrigation district formed by the judge.

Toyah Creek District.

The next irrigation district that the judge formed was on Toyah creek in Reeves county. A district of 10,000 acres was created and the plant of the Toyah Valley Irrigation company was taken over and a storage reservoir built. This occurred in 1915.

In the same year he formed another irrigation district at Grand Falls in Ward county. This district bought out the Grand Falls Irrigation company. The project covered 45,000 acres.

The first district formed by the judge was not an irrigation district, but a drainage district. Away back in 1905 the people under the Bartsow project found their land was becoming water logged and badly in need of drainage, so the judge at that early date formed a drainage district, which enabled the people to get money to drain their lands.

From 1913 to 1919, Judge Starley and Mr. Kemp had come in contact from time to time, both working for the betterment of the irrigation and water laws of the state. In 1919, Mr. Kemp, as head of the irrigation district movement here, engaged Judge Starley to assist him in forming the present irrigation districts. It was he who drew the amendments to the law that made possible the utilization of Mr. Kemp's clever idea for financing our irrigation work.

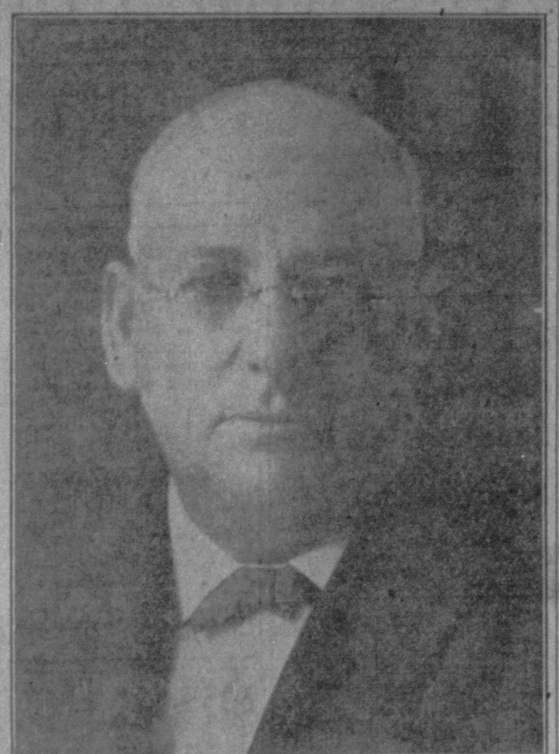
To merely itemize the work that Judge Starley has done in furthering the cause of irrigation in Texas, in amending the laws, forming districts and fighting water suits would make a long list—too long to give now. It is sufficient to say that he is the outstanding figure on the legal side of irrigation in Texas today.

However, while his greatest work has been along the lines of irrigation, he has been actively engaged in other legal matters, especially oil and corporation work, and is even now trying some important oil cases in the southern part of the state.

While Judge Starley's time has been taken up largely by his legal work, still like many others in Texas, he has taken an active interest in oil and now holds large acreages that come within 800 feet of a well that has a splendid showing of oil. In fact, oil has shot over the crown block several times already, and, will, in a short time, be brought in with every indication of becoming a splendid producer.

The judge is a very modest man, quiet and unassuming, but one of those people who have the happy faculty of going out and bringing home the bacon without any fuss or feathers.

Wichita Falls is fortunate in being able to add to its citizenship a permanent resident of the caliber of Judge Starley.



JUDGE J. E. STARLEY.
Attorney for Irrigation District No. 2.

Bellevue
NEWS AND PERSONALS

BELLEVUE, June 9.—W. L. Bitting and J. R. Caswell of Sunset attended the funeral of Dr. J. J. L. Ball of Newport here Monday.

Jesse Redin, who is employed in a butcher shop at Iowa Park, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Redin.

Mrs. C. A. Cray and her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. W. H. Absher of Corsicana, spent a few days last week visiting in the home of Mrs. Henrietta Welch of Henrietta last week.

Miss Ruby Owens is in Fort Worth taking a special course in music.

Miss Coleene Kerby has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Lester and husband, of Sparenberg.

Parchman Wadsworth of Wichita Falls is here visiting relatives and attending the Methodist revival meeting.

W. I. White spent a few days in Fort Worth.

S. B. Drake, a few miles west of Bellevue, has been ill recently, and his neighbors came and gave his crop a thorough working out.

Mrs. B. Y. Dixon and children left Thursday night to join her husband at Amarillo, where they will make their future home.

Harvey Gentry, H. C. Budd, Ed Gulledge of Bellevue and J. W. Steck of Nocona left this week for a tour of Colorado in a car.

Jeff Kennedy of Burkburnett was here a short while on business Monday.

Kennedy has recently erected a bungalow at Burkburnett.

L. P. Hodge of Bellevue is doing the finishing work.

Miss Willie Mae Gaines and Mrs. R. G. Clark and little granddaughter, Lerabell, have returned from a visit at Fort Worth.

T. M. Faulkner and daughter, Mrs. G. H. Jones and baby, left Monday for Canyon City, where Mrs. Jones will join her husband, who is attending Canyon normal.

L. F. Crook and Joss Spikes have gone to Holliday to work in the oil field.

Brents Harbison made a trip to Holliday Tuesday.

E. R. White of Wichita Falls spent Sunday here with his wife and other relatives. White has secured a position with a drug firm of Wichita Falls. He contemplates taking charge of the Carter drug store at Crosbyton in the near future.

J. C. Gowin Jr. of Seymour spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Gowan Putty and Mrs. Putty's mother, Mrs. Daughtery, and Mrs. Cecil Putty of Wichita Falls spent Sunday here visiting the families of R. S. and R. T. Gowan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Allen and little son have returned from a visit to Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. J. L. Lewis and family of Fort Worth. Mrs. Allen's niece, Miss Dorothy Lewis, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. E. H. Carter and daughter, Miss Margaret Kerr, of Fort Worth, have returned home after a brief visit in the home of Mrs. Carter's brother, Mayor R. S. Gowan and family. Mrs. E. R. White, who had been visiting in the Carter home, returned to Bellevue with them.

Uncle Dave Brown has returned from a two week's visit to his daughters at Dalhart, Channing and Mangum, Okla.

Dr. Robert Lee Gowan of Galveston medical college is here on a two weeks' vacation and visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Gowan.

Bascom Crutchfield, who recently graduated from Wesley college at Greenville, is here on a visit to his mother and sisters.

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OLNEY SCOUTS PLAN BARBECUE

Bouquet Given to Mothers With Awards Made To Many Boys

OLNEY, June 9.—The local Boy Scouts entertained at scout headquarters in the basement of the Methodist church Tuesday evening, the occasion being a banquet to the mothers of the boys, and in addition to their mothers, the boys invited the local scout committees and examiners.

A program of scoutcraft was carried out, and the first merit badge awards made to local boys. Nineteen badges were awarded to eight scouts. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Plans have been perfected for a big barbecue celebration on July 4 when the scout cabin of the municipal lake will be completed. The boys have agreed to furnish plenty of "eats," including barbecue, for all. The chamber of commerce has gone on record behind the plan. All of the stores here will close for the event.

Hastings
NEWS AND PERSONALS

HASTINGS, Okla., June 9.—A large crowd attended the children's day program Sunday at the Methodist church, where the following program was given:

Piano solo, Grayce Johnson; song, choir, "The Awakening Chorus"; responsive reading, Miss Rebecca McLain and Miss Grayce Eckler; song, choir, "Praise Him"; "Words of Welcome," Jaunda Carson; reading, Flo Jamison; "A Pink Rose," Grace Payne; "What Use Are They?" Marie Brooks, Joinda Carson, Jotfree Stephens, Naomi Jamison, LaRaid Benson, Geneva Boydston; vocal solo, Jaffree Stephens, "'Tis Old Time Religion"; reading, Mildred Boydston; reading, Clarence Eckler, "Children"; violin trio, Charles Horman, Elvin Hooper and Laid Williams; "Men Are Only Boys Grown Tall," Glen Boydston; "The Early Bird," Doris Payne and Geneva Boydston; "Where the Children Play," Elizabeth Carden; reading, Naomi Jamison; reading, LaRair Benson; reading, Jaunda Carson; quartet, Rebecca McLain, Clara Carson, Ima Mitchell, Clifford Bone and Johnnie Black; reading, Flo Jamison; closing song, congregation, 'Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow."

Sunday School Rally

All are invited to attend the Sunday school rally at Drummond's Crossing, on Beaver creek, Sunday, June 10, bringing dinner along.

Orchestra News

The Hastings High school orchestra, under the supervision of Prof. Hormon, will give a free concert every Saturday afternoon and Saturday night at the new grandstand between Carden's store and Rexall drug store.

The orchestra motored to Empire City Tuesday night to give a concert at the skating rink.

Missionary Society Meets

The Missionary society of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Minnie Davis Wednesday afternoon. After the program refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mesdames Jamison, C. C. Porter, Brunskell, McGlathery, A. R. Porter, Wardle, W. P. Corden, C. C. Stephens, John Porter, Minnie Davis, A. B. Carson, May Benson, Dr. Stephens, and Misses Clara Carson, Pauline Palmer.

Charles Thompson, who attended Oklahoma university for the past winter, is home to spend the vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haddock and little son, of Waurika, spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. S. C. Haddock.

Mrs. Lee Thompson was in Waurika Monday afternoon.

Mr. Reid of Empire City visited with home folk Tuesday.

Miss Winnie Davis has returned after a week's visit with Miss Blanche Choate of Little Rock, Ark.

R. G. Ryals is in Oklahoma City this week.

C. C. Stephens left for Hugo Wednesday to attend federal court.

Foster Stuard and R. H. Syllinder returned Wednesday from Glen Rose.

Mesdames Dan Allen and H. C. Edwards made a trip to Waurika Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Pawmer of Granfield is the house guest of Miss Clara Carson this week.

Miss Erna Lee Crampton of Lawton spent last week-end with Miss Lucille Carden.

Mrs. Zeke Brown and son, Hugh, visited her parents of Gas City.

Miss Bonnie Schooley has returned from a week's visit with her brother, Ed Schooley, of El Reno.

Dave Phillips came in Wednesday from Norman for a visit with his father, S. S. Phillips, and sister, Mrs. Roger Reynolds. Dave has attended university for the past term.

S. W. McClure is in Fort Worth this week on business.

Mrs. Wallace Foster and baby of Waurika spent the first part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ogeltree.

Mr. and Mrs. Floy Green left Tuesday on an overland trip to Sunset and Bowie and other Texas points to be gone about a month.

Mrs. Grover Haines, who has been seriously ill with appendicitis, was much better this week, and was accompanied by her husband and father-in-law to Glen Rose, where she will take treatment.

Mesdames Fannie Catner and Ora Trollinger, were Hastings visitors Sunday afternoon.

Miss Verne Dodds of Breckenridge is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. D. Payne.

Jim Graham left Monday for Kansas City for a several weeks' visit.

Clarence Smith and Jim Graham and Misses Naomi Wats and Wilda Mae Beaty, accompanied by Mrs. Beaty, spent Saturday and Sunday at Medicine Park.

H. C. Edwards and Coleman Haddock made a flying trip to Temple Wednesday afternoon.

Clint McKinney was a business visitor to Sugden Wednesday.

Where'd He Be If It Did?

Senator Borah wants to declare war a crime. Does this include factional warfare? — (From the Cleveland Times-Commercial.)

Henrietta
NEWS AND PERSONALS

HENRIETTA, June 9.—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Walker and daughter, Mrs. Staten Allen, and little son left Monday for Denton, where Mr. Walker will teach in C. I. A. during the summer term.

Miss Ola Mae Brock went to Joy Monday for a visit.

Miss Mary Allison left this week for C. I. A. at Denton to spend the summer.

Miss Christine Carter returned Friday from Chickasha, where she visited her grandmother.

Mrs. Louis Campbell returned to her home in Oklahoma City Wednesday.

Miss Rachel Brown, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Louise Major, came in from Chickasha Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lewis returned Monday from a short stay in Fort Worth.

Miss La Verne Hicks of Wichita Falls spent last week-end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Edwards and son, Henry, and daughter, Virginia, returned Thursday from Austin. Misses Maude and Martha will visit friends in Waxachie before returning.

Mrs. J. G. Jackson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Ellis, in Wichita Falls.

Miss Laura Marie Marberry was presented with a gold medal by her music teacher, Miss Jimmay Norman, for practicing the greatest number of hours of any member of her class.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Brown and daughter, Nell, left Saturday for Weatherford to spend a few days.

John Zihlman returned Thursday from a trip through Iowa.

Miss Pauline Mount of Wichita Falls spent several days with Miss Maurice Mount.

W. H. Brown accompanied his daughter, Mrs. Hattie Liles, to Colorado Springs to spend the summer.

Mrs. C. K. Brown and Misses Nell Brown and Roberta Gilpin spent Thursday in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. T. H. Ellis of Ryan, Okla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Alcorn.

Miss Sara Dale was guest of honor at a shower given by Misses Josephine Mayfield and Frances Harris at the Wichita Country club Friday.

Miss Loreen Puckett is home from Southwestern university at Georgetown.

E. P. Neville left Wednesday for Moran.

Howard Puckett and Ambrose Douthett came home Saturday from a year's work in Southwestern university at Georgetown.

Miss Johnny Mabry left Saturday for a visit to Electra and Memphis.

Mrs. A. B. Edwards has returned from a visit to Plainview.

Mrs. I. O. Jarrett of Newcastle is visiting Mrs. T. K. Jones.

Miss Cathryn Cook has returned to C. I. A. for the summer term.

Misses Josephine Mayfield of Wichita Falls and Frances Harris of Snyder and Messrs. W. J. Green and A. F. Bowden of Wichita Falls were dinner guests of Miss Sara Dale Sunday.

E. A. Nelson of Wichita Falls will play a violin number at the morning service of the Methodist church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dale of Electra spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dale on the way to the Christian Endeavor convention at Sherman.

Miss Lois Mangum returned Thursday from a visit to Miss Mildred Cleriben at Antelope.

Mesdames J. S. Mayfield of Wichita Falls and Joe Harris of Snyner and Mr. Herbert Mayfield were guests of Mrs. J. E. Dale on Wednesday.

Miss Cathyrn Noble arrived Friday from Southwestern university at Georgetown to spend the shumer with her aunt, Mrs. P. H. Boddy.

Miss Grace Hapgood of Dallas will arrive Tuesday to be present at the Dale-Humphreys wedding.

Mrs. C. B. McGlasson and daughter, Bennie, left Thursday for Wyoming to visit.

Mrs. Susan Tally of Bonham is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. E. Dale.

Mrs H. F. Henley of Denton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Hodge.

Miss Roberta Gilpin left Friday for Dallas after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. C. K. Brown.

The Neighborhood club was entertained by Mr. and and Mrs. B. W. Nutter Tuesday evening. There were four tables of "42" and 10 games were played, after which an ice course was served to Mesdames and Messrs. H. L. Brammer, L. Kerbow, Sloan Fortenberry, S. B. Holly, J. W. Marberry, Joe Van Houten, W. H. Cook, Mesdame F. P. Neville and Jack McKenzie.

The Delphian club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. C. Carter. The subject of the lesson was Hauptman's "Smiken Bill" and Schiller's "William Tell." Mrs. W. J. Mangum was leader. Papers were given by Mesdames A. B. Edwards, E. C. Carter and W. S. Culwell. The last meeting of the club year will be held June 20 at the home of Mrs. A. B. Edwards.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKER IN CITY

Rev. J. J. Bowman of Neosho, Mo., who represents the American Sunday School union, is in Wichita Falls now in the interest of that organization and gives some interesting statistics concerning the work accomplished since its inception 106 years ago.

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The two oldest missionaries in Texas representing the union are Rev. A. B. Norrell, Stamford, and Rev. J. P. Love, Stamford.

Never Let Anybody Else Do It.

American battleships, it may have been observed, are always sunk by Americans. — (From the Tbledo Blade.)

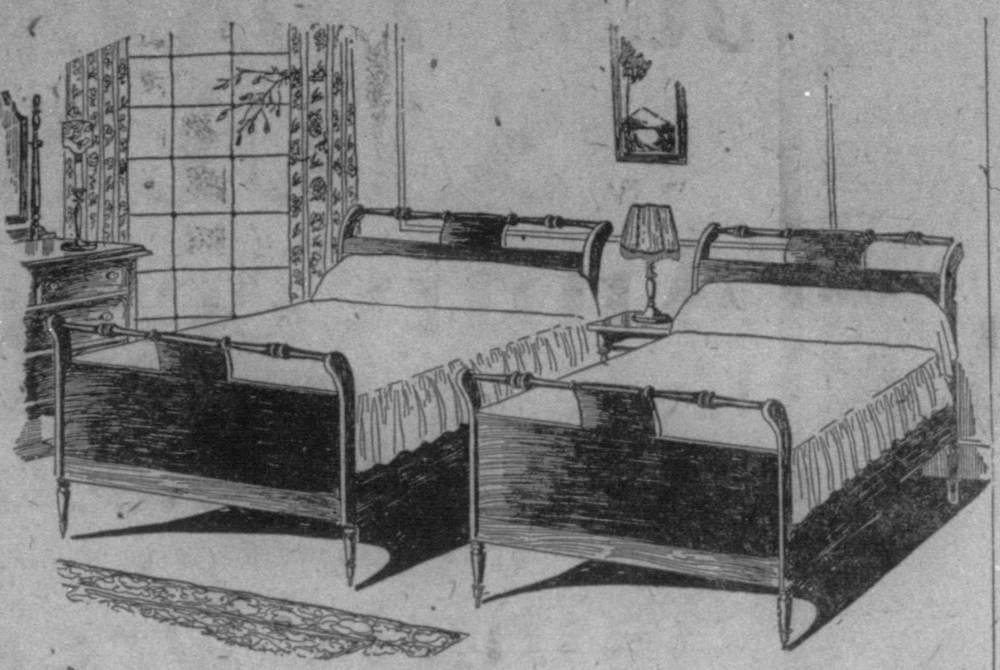
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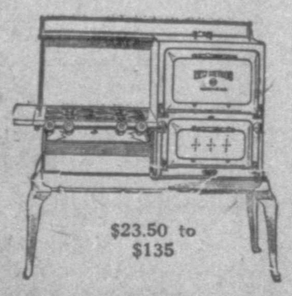
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WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH KANSAS?

Former Governor Henry J. Allen of Kansas, now in London, was invited to appear before the English speaking union and get it out of his system. One of the things he said was that England had a way of developing great international leaders while America had been so busy that she had been neglecting statesmanship.

Right there Governor Allen put his foot in his mouth. George Washington was something of an international leader as well as a statesman and soldier. Thomas Jefferson and Benjamin Franklin were men of some force. Alexander Hamilton blossomed in America and the historians of the world have devoted a few lines to him.

Then there were the two Adams, and a whole host of others who walked the world's stage when they were on earth. Madison and Monroe were not devoid of statesmanship. Coming nearer to the present day, Woodrow Wilson was something of an international figure. Elihu Root has been around the world and made his influence felt.

Way back in the dead ages Andrew Jackson was something of an international figure and a warrior as well as a statesman. All the British historians of his day heard of Jackson. Former Governor Henry J. Allen is an editor when he isn't holding a political job. When it comes to throwing bull he is an expert. When it comes to the manufacture of bunk he is another expert.

He is a splendid chap, he helped to place Kansas on the map, he founded the Kansas court of industrial relations and hoped to use it as a vehicle to ride into the American senate or the White House. Along came Jonathan Davis, a sockless democrat, a man who wears one suspender and a blue jeans dress suits and knocked sky high the Allen candidate for governor and the Allen court of industrial relations.

Jonathan Davis' other name is Reuben Hicks. He appealed to the other Reubens, mostly republicans, and at the ballot box they elevated Jonathan to the high office of governor and swatted into private life Henry J. and his tall-hatted lieutenants. Now Allen has the nerve to say that England has a way of developing great international leaders while America has been so busy that she has neglected statesmanship.

The sunflower globe trotter must have had Jonathan Davis and his pigs in mind when he delivered himself of his Hotel Savoy speech in dear old Lunnon.

MAN WITH THE VEST

Former United States Senator J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois has made the important announcement that he will not be a candidate to return to the upper house of the American congress. While he was a member of the senate J. Hamilton displayed the most intellectual vests ever worn by an American statesman. They won for him a place in the picture gallery of the world and front page position in every American newspaper. He divided honors with the two scholars and the royal bengal tigers of the senate—Lodge of Massachusetts, Williams of Mississippi and Reed of Missouri. It was a case of the vest making the man, although Lewis has some development above the chin.

PEANUTS

Georgia is the banner peanut state. Texas comes next. More than 986,000 acres were planted in peanuts last year according to the department of agriculture figures while this year's acreage is forecast by the government survey to exceed the million acre mark. Total yield last year was 623,607,000 pounds, valued at about $29,222,000. This year's crop promised to be a record one. Americans lead the world when it comes to per capita consumption of sugar and per capita consumption of peanuts.

The common man of yesterday was serf, a peasant, bound to task whose significance he did not know, and for whose results he had small care. The common man of today is the citizen, a sovereign, a voter, truly a participant in determing the ends of destiny of the state.—President Harding.

MAN WITH A RECORD

Mayor John Tobin of San Antonio served Bexar county as its sheriff 20 years. He never used a gun during the 20 years. He never lost a prisoner by mob violence. He never permitted a mob to hang a white man, a Mexican, or a negro accused of crime. He never permitted a mob to run amuck in his city or county. His grandfather was the first mayor of San Antonio, one of the first pioneers of San Antonio to make the law respected in San Antonio. There must be something in blood.

WILSON AND FORD

Henry Ford declined an invitation to journey from Detroit to New York and take the people into his confidence. That is, he was asked to go to Manhattan Island and deliver himself of an address on the burning political issues of the day.

It has been impossible thus far for interviewers or political strategists to trap Henry or to cause him to be either voluminous or vociferous when it comes to a discussion of the issues which the master minds of politics say are uppermost.

These master minds are asking where Ford stands on the league of nations, his attitude toward a world court and whether he is a donkey or an elephant rider. Also the master minds are wondering how close Henry Ford is to Woodrow Wilson and if the former president is as fond of Ford as he was in the old days.

Not many years ago, say in 1918, Woodrow Wilson felt the need of a trusty friend in the senate. This was before the league of nations treaty had been butchered. He appealed to Ford to help him out, to make the race for the senate and in his appeal the president paid a very handsome tribute to the patriotism and ability of Ford. Michigan had a republican majority of 150,000. Ford made the race. He only lost the prize by an 8,000 majority, running as a democrat. Just what happened to the winner, Truman H. Newberry, is ancient history.

Henry kept on the trail of Newberry until he had forced his resignation. He kept on the trail of the senators who had voted for Newberry. Eight of the most celebrated spot lighters among them were relegated to private life by the people.

Ford must have been for the league of nations at the time he made the race for the senate. He must have been for the Wilson policies or else he wouldn't have made the race. If he has recanted or reformed or revised his program since then it hasn't appeared in public prints. Woodrow Wilson is a wily man of politics himself. He advised the Missouri democrats last year to throw James A. Reed in the ditch. They declined to do the throwing act. Then the former president wrapped himself in his mantle of silence.

Official Washington says that his health is improving, that his mental faculties are functioning as they functioned in the long ago and that when it becomes necessary he will tell the democrats of the United States the type of a man they should nominate for their standard bearer and the material that they should use in making planks for their platform.

It may be recalling ancient history but Woodrow Wilson vetoed the Volstead act. He is known to have been a champion of light wines and beer. He is known to have been an ardent believer in the dogma of states rights.

There are millions of Wilson democrats in America. They have never fallen and never faltered. They recognize Wilson as their chief, the chief of the democratic hosts. They may not constitute a majority.

They may not be the men who are in control of the machinery, but they are all powerful on election day and their ballots will necessary if success is to come to the national standard bearers of the party next year.

Wilson is a sphinx. Ford is a sphinx. It requires two-thirds of all the delegates who will sit in the national convention to name the standard bearers but it will require only a majority to adopt a platform.

AMARILLO

Amarillo wants the State Press association for 1924. Amarillo says so. Amarillo also says the Panhandle of Texas is behind Amarillo in its application for the next convention. Amarillo has an auditorium that cost approximately $250,000 and with a seating capacity of 3,000. Amarillo is an industrial and factory center. Amarillo promises plenty of water and climate to the Texas editors should they visit their city next year. As all the editors and publishers of Texas are dry prohibitionists and strong for the enforcement of all federal and state laws for disfigurement of John Barleycorn and his whelps there is no reason why they should not accept the invitation. If there is anything the average Texas editor craves it is climate and water.

A MATTER OF MONEY

New York lawmakers enacted a bill providing for the electrification of all railroads in New York city. Representatives of the rails appeared before Governor Smith and urged him to veto the bill. They asserted that electrification would cost them $73,000,000 and they did not know where they could get the money. Electrification is coming some day the country over. Why shouldn't the start be made in New York city?

Senator Hiram Johnson of California is a former progressive. He was a candidate for the vice presidency on the Roosevelt ticket in 1922. Now he is a republican but he may be in name only. He has always insisted that California wine is the best of drinks. Now what will he do in 1924 with a dry plank in the republican party platform and Warren G. Harding calling for 1,000 per cent enforcement everywhere under the flag?

A distinguished physician in New York City has returned a verdict that the most disastrous things for the human body are sugar and starch and that if we could only live without these it would be a better world. He advises a diet of nuts or raisins and between meals an occasional glass of buttermilk. Col. James H. Lowry of Texas has been vindicated after these long and weary years.

WE'RE NOT THE ONLY ONES THAT ARE HAVING TROUBLE WITH THE THREE MILE LIMIT



MEN AND MONEY

A correspondent of Washington, speaking of the New York situation, tells this to the readers of his newspaper: "The drys will endeavor to put a new enforcement law through the next legislature, despite the prospect of a veto by Smith and to elect a governor next year who will sign the new bill." A democratic senate and a republican house repealed the Mullan-Gage law. Governor Smith signed the repeal bill. There will not be another session of the legislature. In the entire federal prohibition enforcement unit there are only 2,300 agents. It will be up to congress in December to make a very large appropriation and to give the federal prohibition director additional help. President Harding, Vice President Coolidge and the congressional leaders of the republican party are committed to a drastic enforcement program. Why worry? Texas is as dry as a bat's cave and the prohibition enforcement laws are as drastic as it is possible to write them.

"THE MELTING POT"

Dr. George P. Cutten, president of Colgate university, is in the public picture gallery. He asserted in a commencement address that the "melting pot" was proving destructive to the American race; that there is no such thing as the "melting pot;" that the various races which come to our shores do not intermingle; that instead they build a finer and better race among themselves; that under the influence of changed and decent environment they increase in statue and intellectualities and that even the conformation of their skulls is changed. Of course the "melting pot" is a literary phrase. And in the good old days the early colonists from England stripped the Indians of their lands and other possessions and now there are people like Upton Sinclair who would "give it back to the redskins."

Dean M. E. Cooley, head of the engineering college of the University of Michigan, says education of today is too highly specialized and the result is that the well-being of thousands of young men is being sadly neglected. This is a "hot" line taken from an address of the dean: "The country is dotted with peaks of amazing intelligence and hollows of deplorable ignorance." And all this was said in Michigan. Dean Cooley has been teaching 43 years. Perhaps he needs a long vacation.

MAGIC VALLEY COTTON

A newspaper correspondent who made a trip by auto into the magic valley discovered a total cotton acreage increase around 200,000 and the yield in that section for 1922 was three-quarters of a bale to the acre. He figures, considering the present condition of the crop, the yield should be one-half a bale to the acre in 1923 or a total of 347,500 bales. His forecast gives Nueces county a crop of 125,800 bales this year. Has the pink boll worm been eradicated? Has the boll weevil been exterminated?

BOSS OF HIS OWN

Secretary A. W. Mellon says there is a three-mile shore limit and ships of foreign nations cannot carry liquor within the limit. Representatives of five foreign nations have lodged protest with the department of state. Of course the right of petition or protest was not destroyed by the eighteenth amendment or the Volstead act but the right of this government to bar ships laden with liquor either sealed or unsealed has not been questioned or abrogated. It is a new departure but Uncle Sam is the boss of his own territory.

THE BARD AND THE CENSORS

By James Montague

(Being a part of the scripts of "Romeo and Juliet" and "Hamlet" after they had been made fit for the movies by the official guardians of the morals of the people of the United States.)

ROMEO AND JULIET

Scene One—Line 3:
"I do bite my thumb, sir . . ."
(Eliminate. The practice of mayhem, even if the injury is confined to the person committing it, must not be encouraged.)

Scene Two—Line 13:
"Younger than she are happy mothers made."
(Eliminate. It is agreed by gynecologists that 18 is the earliest year in which motherhood is desirable.)

Act II, Scene Two—Line 70:
"If they do see thee they will murder thee!"
(Eliminate "murder" and substitute "chide." There must be no encouragement of a crime like murder.)

Line 143:
"If that their bent of love be honorable, thy purpose marriage, send me word tomorrow."
(Eliminate. The idea that the chief male figure in a drama can cherish any purpose that is not honorable is calculated to undermine the morals of young persons who see the play.)

Line 184:
"Yet I should kill thee with much cherishing."
(Eliminate "kill" and substitute "weary." There must be no threats to the heroine.)

Scene Three—Line 55:
"Holy St. Francis, what a change is here!"
(Eliminate. No expletives are to be permitted.)

Act III, Scene One—Line 93:
"A plague o'both your houses!"
(Eliminate. This is in the nature of a curse, and betrays ill temper.)

Scene Five—Line 176:
"Peace, you mumbling fool!"
(Eliminate. This is unsuitable language.)

General Action Eliminations

Eliminate all stabbings, all discussion of poison, all reference to violence.

Eliminate scene in the tomb as too dismal.

Eliminate street fights.

Eliminate all love making which is not refined—particularly that in which Romeo kissed Juliet the first time he meets her. The result of a general adoption of this custom by the patrons of the movies would be dreadful indeed.

With these eliminations, the play is passed.

HAMLET

In the play before the board, the entire dialogue, with a very few exceptions, will have to be eliminated.

The scene in which the ghost figures is mischievous because it encourages a belief in ghosts, which are nonexistant.

The scenes between Hamlet and his mother tends to encourage a lack of filial devotion.

The "advice to the players" is not to be permitted, because a young prince, without stage experience, could not possibly have given such excellent advice.

The play which Hamlet stages must be eliminated, because it suggests a new form of poisoning, which might become prevalent were the young to attempt it.

The entire last act must be eliminated because it consists of slaughter, and is likely to lead the young to believe that such conduct is heroic.

In the screen version of Hamlet the soliloquy can be included, with the exception of the expression, "bare bodkin," which is an unpermissible reference to nudity.

Polonious' advice to his son may also be given, as it is excellent advice.

All scenes in which Ophelia is a figure after her madness must be omitted as unpleasant.

All love-making between Hamlet and Ophelia must be eliminated, as Hamlet is obviously insincere, and the young must not be allowed to regard insincere shows of affection as existing.

The censors are considering the complete revision of the play, in which the story may be told without any suggestion of revenge, which is an unworthy passion, and not to be encouraged.

In the meantime the play, shortened to one act, and with boxing gloves substituted for daggers and rapiers in the fighting scenes, may be put on, provided 18-ounce gloves are used and no hard blows are struck.

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NEW GEMS BY O. HENRY

A Treasure Trove of Humor From His Newly Discovered Newspaper Writings.

A FATAL ERROR

"What are you looking so glum about?" asked a Houston man, as he dropped into a friend's office one day last week.

"Same old fool break of putting a letter in the wrong envelope, and I'm afraid to go home. My wife sent me down a note by the iceman an hour ago, telling me to send her $10, and asking me to meet her here at the office at 3 o'clock and go shopping with her. At the same time I got a bill for $10 from a merchant I owe, asking me to remit. I scribbled off a note to the merchant, saying: 'Can't possibly do it; I've got to meet another little thing today that won't be put off.' I made the usual mistake and sent the merchant the $10 and my wife the note."

"Can't you go home and explain the mistake to your wife?"

"You don't know her. I've done all I can. I've taken out an accident policy for $10,000 good for two hours, and I expect her here in 15 minutes. Tell all the boys goodbye for me, and if you meet a lady on the stairs as you go down, keep close to the wall."

NOT NOW

some day—not now; oh, ask me not again;
Impassioned, low, and deep, with wild regret;
Thy words but fill my heart with haunting pain—
Some day, but, oh, my friend—not yet—not yet.

Perchance when time hath wrought some wond'rous change,
And fate hath swept her barriers away,
Then, lifted to some higher, freer range,
Thou may'st return and speak again—some day.

Oh, leave me now—do not so coldly turn!
Thou know'st my very soul has suffered sore.
Adieu! But, oh, some day, thou can't return
And bring that dry goods bill to me once more.

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New York city cotton farmers are forecasting a 1923 yield of 11,519,230 bales. Boll weevil time is coming.

And now comes the London Times with an appeal for a world tribunal to decide the reparations issue. Will Uncle Sam be invited to sit in? European governments owe him $11,000,000,000, not as reparations but as money or credits advanced in world war time. It must be great to be the banker for the world with the creditors hoping for the cancellation of the debts.

Iowa farmers are said to be the most progressive in the world. They must be. They invested in $400,000,000 of oil stock in a single year.

"My heart is in the grave," was the lament of William Jennings Bryan following the adjournment of the San Francisco convention. Now he is ready for another frontal attack on the skeleton forces of John Barleycorn.

Pork is the most popular meat in the United States. Lard is one of the largest items in the food supply. Per capita consumption for the last five years was 67.3 pounds of pork and 12.5 pounds of lard. Then it goes without saying that Americans are great pig eaters.

LOYAL SERVICE

There is a Texas member of congress who knows the value of publicity. A Kansas newspaper devoted to the dissemination of open shop philosophy is responsible for the following: "The official tally sheets of the national house for the session ended March 3, 1923, show but two congressmen present and voting at every call, Hunton of Texas and Ricketts of Ohio. That's loyal service." How did they vote on measures which concern all the people? Would not that come under the head of loyal service?

RUSSIA

Russia is coming back in a food producing sense. Colonel William Haskell reports that there will be at least an 18 per cent and perhaps 25 per cent bigger crop than last year which was only a third below normal and that in two years its crops will make Russia the leading food exporting country and end the danger of peasant discontent. This should be interesting news to the grain growers of the United States and Canada. Russia is coming back as a great grain exporting nation.

Germany is on a flat money basis. An American dollar represents the value of 79,000 German marks. Germany is on the road to repudiation or the road to revolution.

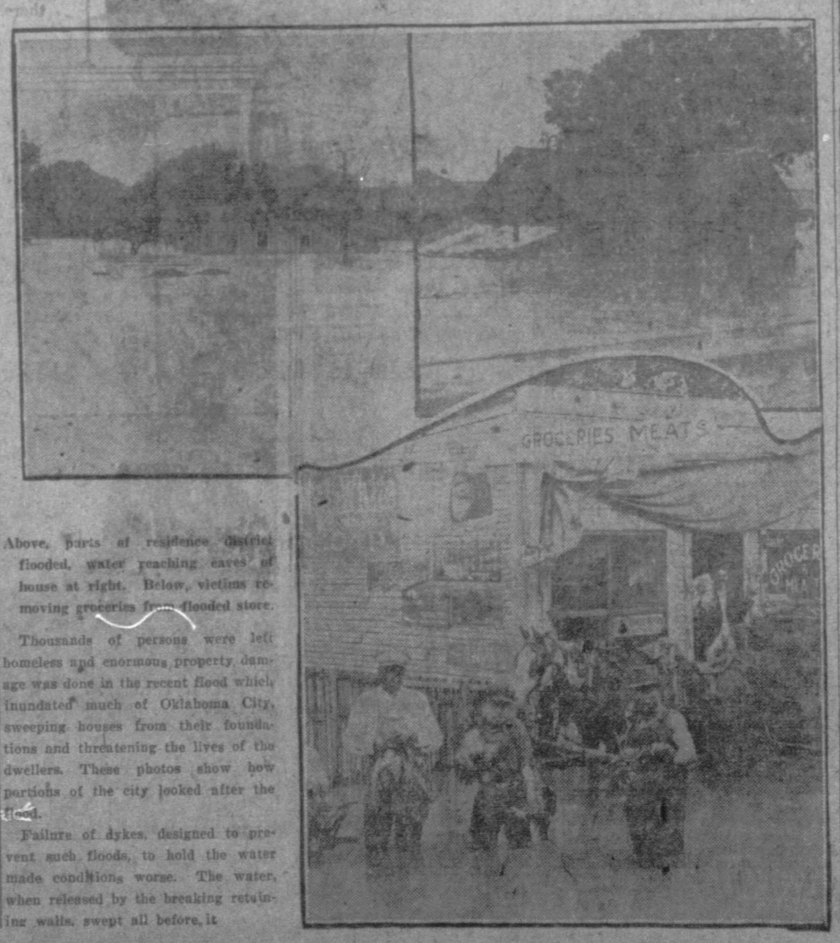
William Gibbs McAdoo will make his presidential announcement in the near future. A Kansas City man says so. We're from Missouri.

Governor William A. Britton of Illinois says that when congress meets he will, on the first day, introduce a bill to permit the manufacture of beer and light wine. Oh taxes to pay the soldier's bonus. Publicity.

Kansas is a progressive American commonwealth. A Kansas lawmaker when the legislature was in session this spring, introduced a very short and a very important bill. It read: "When two trains approach a crossing at the same time, neither one shall proceed until the other has gone by." And yet paragraphers make sport of the Irish because of their Celtic bulls. Why not Kansas?

Cases of oak or ivy poisoning should be treated with Ballard's Snow Liniment. It is antiseptic and healing and a splendid remedy for such troubles. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and $1.20 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

WHEN FLOOD HIT OKLAHOMA CITY



Above, parts of residence district flooded, water reaching eaves of house at right. Below, victims removing groceries from flooded store.

Thousands of persons were left homeless and enormous property damage was done in the recent flood which inundated much of Oklahoma City, sweeping houses from their foundations and threatening the lives of the dwellers. These photos show how portions of the city looked after the flood.

Failure of dykes, designed to prevent such floods, to hold the water made conditions worse. The water, when released by the breaking retaining walls, swept all before it.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION

State statutes which would prohibit the teaching or use of foreign languages in all schools below the eighth grade were declared void by the supreme court Monday as an unlawful encroachment upon the rights conferred by the fourteenth amendment which provides that "no state shall deprive any person of life, liberty or property without due process of law."

Justice McReynolds delivered the majority opinion. Justice Holmes delivered a dissenting opinion in which Justice Sutherland joined. There were no five to four decision this time. Seven justices agreed that the state statutes were void and two upheld the rights of the state to prohibit the teaching or use of foreign languages in all schools below the eighth grade.

Twenty-one states have statutes which prohibit the teaching or use o fforeign languages in all schools below the eighth grade. A southern born justice and a life-long democrat delivered the majority opinion. There are Texas lawmakers, past and present, who should read this decision. Justice McReynolds asserted that the fourteenth amendment without doubt "denotes not merely freedom from bodily restraint but also the right of the individual to contract, engage in any of the common occupations of life, to acquire useful knowledge, to marry, establish a home and bring up children, to worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience and generally to enjoy those privileges long recognized at common law as essential to the orderly pursuits of happiness by free men."

This liberty, the court added, cannot be interferred with under the guise of protecting the public interest by legislative action which is arbitrary or without reasonable relation to some purpose within the competency of the state to affect. Final determination of what constitutes proper exercise of police power is within the courts, Justice McReynolds asserted, and does not rest with the legislatures of the state.

While the American people, the court pointed out, have always regarded education and acquisition of knowledge as matters of supreme importance which diligently should be promoted and while it is the right and natural duty of the parents to give their children education suitable to their station in life many states have attempted to enforce the obligation by compulsory law.

"That the state," Justice McReynolds declared, "may do much, go very far, indeed, in order to improve the qualities of its citizens, physically, mentally and morally is clear but the individual has certain fundamental rights which must be respected."

This decision is all importance and far reaching. As a result of the world war the teaching of German and other foreign languages was prohibited by the lawmakers of many states, this in all schools below the eighth grade. All these statutes have been set aside by the final decree of the court of last resort. There is another important case which will be tested out before the supreme court of the United States. This is what is known as the Oregon case. Oregon last year by a small majority of its voters adopted a constitutional amendment prohibiting children attending private or parochial schools in that state after the year 1925.

In the light of the present decision, what is going to happen in the Oregon case later along?

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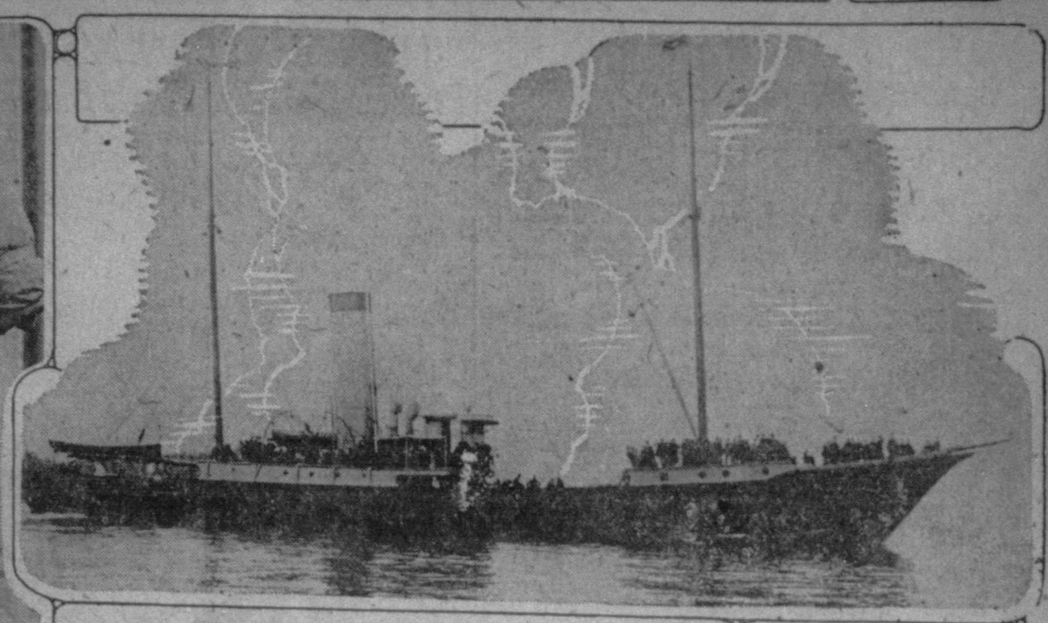
The Day's News in Pictures



NOBLE HARDING IN GARDEN OF ALLAH—Reviews parade of Shriners in Washington. General Pershing in center and Mrs. Harding on the right.



KNIGHT OF THE ROAD—Francis T. Hazeltine, Massachusetts Tech '23, is walking to his home in Springfield, Mo.

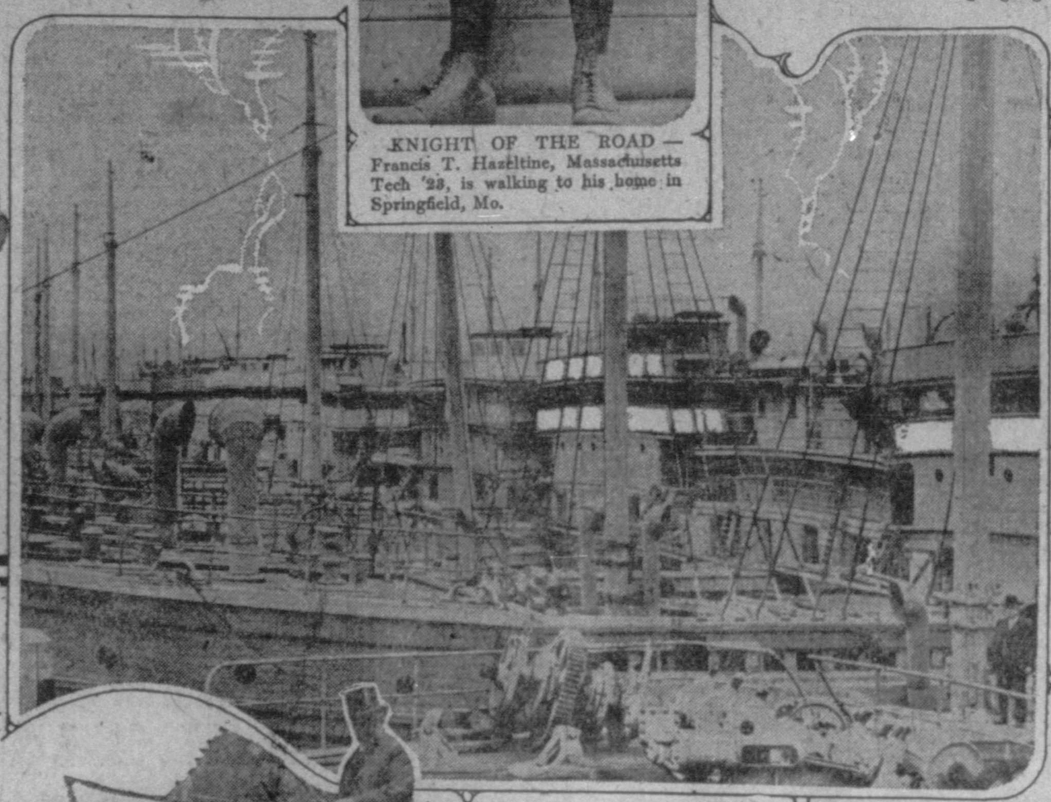


SO HAVE THE MIGHTY FALLEN—The Roosevelt, sturdy craft which carried Admiral Robert Peary to the north pole in 1909, to be converted into a sea-going tug at Seattle.





LOOKING DOWN—On Atlantic City, Lou Holland, ad men's chief, does from the seaplane which carried him to the ad men's convention.





NURSE KNITS SMALLEST BABY SWEATER—Muriel Collins, holding Arthur James, 21-day-old incubator baby, while knitting in Coney Island contest.



CHAMP LANDS A BIG 'UN—Jack Dempsey catches two and a half pounds of rainbow trout near Great Falls, Mont.

OPEN SEASON FOR MERMAIDS HERE AGAIN—Bathing suits are pretty, capes prettier. This combination is supposed to be about the last word in milady's beach costume.



GONE FOREVER—Knights of the Greatcoat and Whip (cabbies) fast disappearing from New York streets.

OF COURSE THE WAR MUST BE BLAMED—Twenty million dollars' worth of Uncle Sam's wooden ships, never commissioned, rotting away in Lake Union, Seattle, Wash. The ships have been moored there for five years.



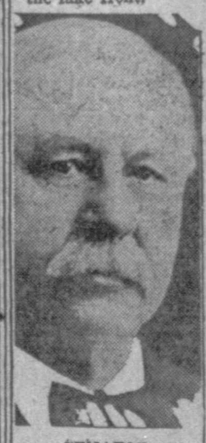


"ARCHIE" TAKES A FEW POT SHOTS AT A TARGET 5,000 FEET UP—Anti-aircraft gun, manned by national guardsmen, practice on targets towed by airplanes in war game at Fort Tilden, N. Y.



"WIZARD" READY FOR A LITTLE JOYRIDE—Thomas A. Edison in the first electric truck, built forty years ago, at the New York electric truck show.

SCHOOL BANDS—In competition at Chicago. Gary, Ind., band trying out its wind along the lake front.



SENATOR—Samuel L. Ralston of Indiana seen as Democratic presidential candidate possibility.



COTTON AIR LINE—Mayor Smith, Augusta, Ga., giving Lieut. Graybeal letter of greeting to be delivered to President Harding while en route to Massachusetts with cotton bales.

Near Riot Features Second Spudder Win

SALMITES RUN WILD IN NINE INNING BURLESQUE COUNTING ELEVEN RUNS; FOURTEEN HITS

Tanner Gets Eighth Home Run Gaining Top Notch of League Clouters; Cops Save Umps Scalps As Fans Surge on Diamond.

SHREVEPORT, June 9.—The Spudders came out with the big end of the 11 to 5 count in today's game, which was a nine-inning burlesque with Umpire Weir and the Gassers playing the leading roles, as the Wichitans ran up a total of 11 runs. The fans were entertained with everything from indifferent baseball to good fighting, a mob scene being enacted in the seventh when the Gasser fans attempted to take possession of the field following the action of Umpire Weir in chasing Riley from the park, for remarks in protest to a decision. It took a detachment of police, and several members of the sheriff's department to prevent injury to the umpires and play was stopped until order was restored.

Tanner and White started scoring in the early innings that gave the Spudders a lead which they were able to keep throughout the comic battle. The game went through the nine innings slowly, the umps having trouble with players on both teams in every stanza. O'Hearn got his portion of the fans' wrath and it took a lot of talking by officers to force the fans back in the stand in the seventh, when they became intent on the ump's scalp.

Tanner Gets Homer.

Tanner got his eighth homer of the season in the first inning, after Besher and Coombs went out. His long wast over the left field wall put him at the head of home run clouters of the Texas loop, and started the scoring that gave the Salmites their second victory over the Gassers.

Wheeler was in trouble throughout the game, and was hit for 14 safe singles, but the hard hitting of the Spuds, who got 15 hits, kept him well ahead, and the Wichitans won in spite of indifferent mound work.

The win today put the Spudders a half game farther toward the top of the ladder, the Cats being ruined out at Dallas. They are now three games behind the leaders.

In the second stanza another run was counted when White walked, going to third on Jonnard's single to deep center. On a double steal he was lucky in crossing the plate safe, J. Burns dropping a throw from second base. Jonnard took second, but was not advanced.

Elliot Hits

With Stow and Tanner out in the third, Elliot bingled one to center for three bags, scoring on Grigsby's single to center. White hit the second home run of the game over the left field fence, scoring Grigsby ahead of him, bringing the total to five counters for the Wichitans.

The Salmites failed to cross the plate in the fourth, but the Gassers got their war clubs to working and before the inning ended were in possession of three counters that put them dangerously near the Spudder count. Sargent singled to right, and went to third on Simmons' double to left pasture. Wight walked, filling the bases and Jackson singled to left field, scoring Sargent and Simmons. Wight taking second. Stow singled to center, scoring Wight and sending Jackson to second, where he stayed while the last two outs were counted.

In the fifth, the Spudders got three more counters when Tanner started off by hitting Johnson's first offering for a double to left field. Tanner scored on Elliot's single, Elliot going to second when White singled to left. J. Burns threw wide to second, advancing Elliot and White on base, both scoring on Berker's timely single to right field.

A slow drizzle started as the Gassers came to bat. Wheeler let Baggan to first by throwing the ball into the right field bleachers on Baggan's bunt, and Baggan scored on a series of singles by the Gassers.

Double Steal.

In the sixth, the Spudders annexed two more, when Bescher singled and was sacrificed by Coombs to second. The tricky fielder stole third and got home on a double steal, Tanner going to second, after getting a single to first. Tanner got to third on a bad throw, and got home when Riley threw wild at third.

Both the Spuds and the Gassers counted in the last stanza. Elliot crossed for the Wichitans, on Grigsby's double to left, after he had got to first with a safe bingle to the right pasture. Burns, for the Gassers, got a single, going to second on Baggan's hit to right. Sargent doubled to deep center, scoring Burns, and on the next play, with two out, Moore ended the game by sending a fly to Coombs in short center.

STILL GOING

SPUDDERS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bescher, lf	5	1	f	3	0	0
Coombs, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Tanner, 3b	4	3	2	3	1	0
Elliott, 1b	5	3	4	6	0	0
Grigsby, rf	5	1	2	3	0	0
White, 2b	3	3	2	3	2	0
Berger, ss	5	0	3	0	4	1
Jonnard, p	5	0	1	6	0	0
Wheeler, p	3	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	38	11	15	27	9	2

SHREVEPORT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Baggan, cf	5	1	2	3	1	0
Sargent, 2b	5	1	4	2	4	0
Riley, 1b	3	0	1	6	0	1
Moore, 2b	2	0	0	2	2	0
Simmons, lf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Wight, 3b-cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Jackson, rf-1b	4	0	1	4	0	0
Stow, ss	4	0	1	3	4	0
J. Burns, c	4	1	2	5	3	2
Pope, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harle, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Johnson, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xChaplin	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jolley, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	5	14	27	16	3

xBatted for Harle in fourth.

Score by innings:

Wichita Falls	113 032 001—11
Shreveport	000 310 001— 5

Summary: Two-base hits, Riley, Simmons, Tanner, Burns, Grigsby; Sargent; three-base hit, Elliott; home runs, Tanner, white; sacrifice hit, Coombs; double plays, Berger to White to Elliott, Burns to Moore to Jackson, Stow to Sargent to Jackson; stolen bases, Bescher (2), Tanner; base on balls, off Pope 1, off Jolley 3, off Harle 1, off Wheeler 1; struck out, by Wheeler 6, by Harle 1, by Pope 2, by Jolley 2; pitching record, off Pope 6 hits 5 runs in 3 innings, off Harle no hits no runs in 1, off Johnson 4 hits 3 runs in 1-3 inning; left on base, Wichita Falls 6, Shreveport 9; time, 2:32; umpires, O'Hearn and Weir.



TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results

Wichita Falls 11; Shreveport 5.
San Antonio 2; Galveston 1.
Beaumont 1; Houston 8.

The Standings

Club	W	L	Pct.
Fort worth	32	17	.653
Wichita Falls	29	20	.592
Dallas	27	23	.540
Houston	28	23	.549
San Antonio	28	24	.538
Beaumont	23	26	.469
Galveston	21	30	.431
Shreveport	13	38	.274

Where They Play Today

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results

Detroit 8; Philadelphia 6.
Cleveland 13; New York 3.
St. Loius 5; Washington 4.

The Standing

Club	W	L	Pct.
New York	30	16	.652
Philadelphia	26	20	.565
Cleveland	26	21	.553
Detroit	23	25	.476
St. Louis	21	24	.467
Washington	20	26	.435
Boston	17	23	.425
Chicago	17	25	.405

Where They Play Today

St. Louis at Washington.
Cleveland at New York.
Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results

New York 5; Pittsburgh 0.
Boston 2; Chicago 4.
Brooklyn 2; St. Louis 0.
Philadelphia 2; Cincinnati 12.

The Standing

Club	W	L	Pct.
New York	34	14	.708
Pittsburgh	27	20	.574
Brooklyn	25	21	.543
Cincinnati	24	22	.522
St. Louis	23	23	.521
Chicago	24	24	.500
Boston	17	31	.354
Philadelphia	13	34	.277

Where They Play Today

Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
Boston at Chicago.
Only games scheduled.

Spuds Second In Hitting; Bruins in Lead

With a batting average of .310 the Spudders rank second in team batting of the Texas league, with an average only slightly under the leaders, San Antonio, the Bruins having an average of .325. The Spudders outhit the other three contenders for the top notch, Fort Worth, Dallas, and Houston being well toward the end of the bottom of the rating, according to statistics of the league. The report shows the team batting of all clubs in the loop, from the first of the season to June 1.

Club—	G	AB	R	H	TB	BA
San An.	44	1561	302	507	749	.325
Wichita F.	41	1437	277	446	637	.310
Galveston	43	1374	213	418	580	.304
Beaumont	41	1389	243	416	586	.295
Ft. Worth	42	1450	236	416	595	.294
Dallas	46	1467	248	427	637	.287
Houston	43	1531	233	436	588	.285
Shreveport	43	1435	187	381	536	.263

CHAMPION GENE SARAZEN CORRECTS COMMON FAULTS OF GOLFERS

Premier Linksman Points Out Mistakes Some Make in Stance for Brassie Shot



Upper Right—Correct
Lower Left—Incorrect
Advises Player to Get Set Firmly, As Stroke Calls for Powerful Blow

By GENE SARAZEN
World's Champion Golfer

In the first place the stance for the brassie shot—that is, my own stance—is wrong in the picture at the left. In playing the brassie I always get set before starting the swing. A brassie clout calls for strength, and you must be set before you can obtain power.

However, the great fault to be seen in the "incorrect" picture is that I have broken my wrists too abruptly; bent them backward, if you wish. The hands and the clubhead should be taken back together.

Notice that there is no pivoting here. The left shoulder has not moved, and the left heel and left hip are in the same position they were at the start of the swing. The pivoting should start as soon as the clubhead starts back. Of course, the pivot will not be complete until the back swing has reached its apex.

Usually before starting my swing for a brassie shot my right knee is inclined toward the ball and is braced when the back swing is complete. This is not the case here in the photograph at the left. See the difference in the "correct" position.

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IKE BOONE WINS ONE FOR BRUINS

Sand Crabs Lose To Bears In Fast Battle By One Counter

Associated Press Dispatch

SAN ANTONIO, June 9.—By shoestring one-handed catch, right back of shortfield, Ike Boone saved the game for San Antonio in the ninth inning of a fast, well-played contest Saturday. The Bears were leading in the ninth, two to one, with Sandcrabs on base and one out. Wendell hit a Texas leaguer just back of short and Boone came lopping in after it. The play looked impossible, but Ike got it with one hand and doubled Kearns off second. Both Morrison and Graham pitched tight ball. Score:

GALVESTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bittle, lf	4	1	1	2	1	0
Westerzil, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Ostergard, 2b	4	0	2	4	1	0
D. M. Brown, cf	4	0	2	1	0	1
Munson, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Kearns, 1b	4	0	1	7	0	0
Distel, ss	3	0	0	2	0	0
Wendell, c	4	0	0	2	1	1
Graham, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	34	1	8	24	8	2

SAN ANTONIO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gross, ss	3	0	0	5	4	1
Booe, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Todt, 1b	3	0	1	10	0	0
Simons, 3b	4	1	2	0	2	1
Boone, lf	4	1	2	4	1	0
Meyers, cf	2	0	1	2	0	0
Gallaway, 2b	4	0	2	3	4	0
Henry, c	3	0	0	3	2	0
Morrison, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	28	2	9	27	14	2

Score by innings—

Galveston	000 000 010—1
San Antonio	000 101 00*—2

Summary: Two-base hits, Simon; three-base hits, Ostergard, Simon; sacrifice hits, Meyers, Henry, Morri; bases on balls, off Graham 4, off Morson, Todt; struckout, by Morrison 2; bases on balls, off Graham 4, Morrison 1; left on base, Galveston 6; San Antonio 7; double plays, Westerall to Kearns, Bittle to Distel, Boone to Galloway; time 1 hour 47 minutes; umpires, Estill and Brashear.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Atlanta 12, Birmingham 3.
Chattanooga 0, Nashville 5.
Memphis 2, New Orleans 2 (tie, 8 innings.)
Little Rock 9, Mobile 5.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Waco 1, Austin 0.
Marlin 3, Sherman 0.
Mexia 3, Corsicana 1.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Tulsa 11, Des Moines 3.
Wichita 8, Omaha 5.
St. Joseph-Denver, rain.
Oklahoma City-Sioux City, rain.

HOME RUN KING



—Nash Photo

By poling out his eighth home run of the season at Shreveport in the first inning of yesterday's slugfest, Buddy Tanner, third sacker, took the lead in home run clouting in the Texas league. Tanner is one of the hardest hitters in the loop and in addition to his eight homers has kept up a barrage of hits that has made him one of the most valuable men in Spudder uniform.

Pate Winner In Gun Club Events

Joe Pate carried away the honors at the regular shoot of the Wichita Falls Gun club, held Friday afternoon, winning high score in both the singles and doubles events. He took the singles with a score of 47 hits, and the doubles with 21 breaks out of a possible 25.

Jennings came a close second in the singles event, breaking 46 clay birds out of the 50. The scores:

Singles

Pate	47
Jennings	46
Lyon	44
King	44
Kiddy	42
Adrian	41
Harper	41
Nabb	38
Waters	37
Moore	35
Morrow	34
Duncan	34
Hill	32
Warren	31
Fletcher	31

Doubles

Pate	21
King	19
Nabb	19
Kiddy	19
Jennings	17
Lyon	16
Watren	15
Dempsey	15
Duncan	13
Moore	13

GIRL BURNS TO DEATH

International News Dispatch

BOURBON, Mo., June. 9.—The four-year-old daughter of Robert Taylor, living near Hinch, Bo., was burned to death early today when the Taylor home was destroyed by fire. The father saved two other children from the flames.

GUN CLUB PLANS BIGGEST OF ALL SHOOTS AS ENTRANTS COME IN

BUFFS EASILY BEAT EXPORTERS

Associated Press Dispatch

BEAUMONT, June 9.—Houston had little difficulty in winning today's game, 8 to 1, when Sell allowed the Exporters but eight scattered hits. Bradshaw was hit freely and errors failed to help him over rough spots. Score:

HOUSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sperber, rf	4	2	1	5	1	0
Schultz, lf	3	0	0	4	0	0
Monroe, 2b	4	0	1	5	5	0
Schmandt, 1b	5	0	3	8	0	0
Meuller, cf	5	1	2	3	0	1
Bell, ss	4	2	1	0	2	0
Handley, 3b	4	2	1	1	1	0
Griffith, c	5	1	2	2	0	0
Sell, p	5	0	1	0	2	1
Totals	39	8	12	27	11	2

BEAUMONT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
DeMaggio, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Turbgeon, ss	3	0	0	1	2	1
Black, 2b	3	0	1	1	6	0
Kirkham, rf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Edington, 1b	2	0	1	7	0	0
Huber, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	1
Brown, cf	4	1	2	5	0	0
Lothes, c	4	0	0	8	1	0
Bradshaw, p	3	0	1	0	3	1
Kitchens, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	8	27	10	4

xBatted for Bradshaw in 9th.

Score by innings:

Houston	011 003 030—8
Beaumont	000 100 000—1

Stolen bases, Sperber, Brown, Handley. Two base hits, Bell, Griffith, Schmandt, DeMaggio, Monroe, Handley. Three base hits, Sperber. Double plays, Black to Edington; Sperber to Schmandt. Struck out by Sell 2; Bradshaw 7. Bases on balls by Sell 5; Bradshaw 5. Hit by pitcher, Sperber. Passed ball, Griffith. Time 2:20. Umpires, Sweeney and Daly.

Firery Cross Seen On Electra Road During Initiation

What was believed to have been a ku klux klan initiation, held Friday night about a half-mile from the concrete road, between Iowa Park and Electra, was reported in Wichita Falls Saturday by persons who said they could witness a part of the procedure from the public road.

Those reporting the matter stated the firery cross was brilliantly visible from the road, and that a number of cars were parked around, indicating a large crowd of klansmen present. No details as to the program or number of candidates initiated have been received.

Registered Events All Day Monday Over Two Traps

An all day trap shooting meet, expected by the local shooters to be one of the largest ever held in Wichita Falls, will be held Monday, with an entrance list that includes not only local amateurs and professionals, but many nimrods from cities in Texas and Oklahoma. Both singles and doubles events will be held, and with a list of the best shooters in the Southwest entered, some broken records are expected to materialize at the meet.

The events will be governed by the rules of the Amateur Trapshooting association, and all events are registered, all records made being official. A large number of nimrods have already entered, including shooters from Houston, Austin, Fort Worth, Dallas, Denison, Vernon, Quanah, and Oklahome City, and it is expected that the meet will be one of the largest ever held in Wichita Falls.

Two traps will be used in the shooting, which will continue continuously throughout the day. A registration fee of 50 cents will be charged each contestant, and money in each event will be divided 40, 30, 20 and 10 in the first four places of each event.

First and second winners in singles and doubles will be given prizes donated by merchants. The high prizes will be open to amateurs who are shooting at targets, as well as to regular entrants.

A. G. Deathernge, president of the Wichita Falls club, and H. W. Dempsey, secretay, will have charge of details of the meet, and will handle all scoring. Shooting will start promptly at 9 o'clock Monday morning. The events:

(150 single targets 16 yard rise.)
6 events, 25 targets each.

Events	Targets	Ent.	Added Mon.
No. 1	25	$3.25	$12.50
No. 2	25	3.25	12.50
No. 3	25	3.25	12.50
No. 4	25	3.25	12.50
No. 5	25	3.25	12.50
No. 6	25	3.25	12.50
No. 7 (doubles) 25 pair		5.50	25.00
A. T. A. Registration Fee		.50	
Total entry		$25.50	

$2.00 Optional each event.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

At Sulphur Springs 7; Paris 3.
At Greenville-Longview—rain.
At Mount Pleasant 1; Marshall 3.
RUDDY LIGHT—7 SPORTS . . .

RUDDY LIGHT WINS

LATONIA, N. Y., June 9.—Ruddy light from the Nevada stock farm stable won the $5,000 Clipsetta stakes for two-year-old fillies here this afternoon over a distance of five furlongs. The winner's time was :59 3-5.

STATZ' HIT WINS FOR CHICAGO

CHICAGO, June 9.—Arnold Statz' hard smash to left field sent Heathcote across the plate in the ninth inning, breaking a tie score and giving Chicago its second straight victory over Boston today, 4 to 3. Score:

BOSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Powell, cf	3	1	2	3	0	0
Felix, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Southworth, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
McInnis, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Boeckel, 3b	4	1	1	3	2	0
Ford, 2b	4	0	0	3	3	0
O'Neil, c	4	0	1	3	1	0
J. H. Smith, ss	4	0	0	1	2	0
Benton, p	2	0	0	0	2	1
xCarl Smith	1	0	1	0	0	0
xxNixon	0	1	0	0	0	0
McNamara, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	33	3	5y	26	11	1

xBatted for Benton in eighth.
xxRan for C. Smith in eighth.
yTwo out when winning run scored.

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Statz, cf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Hollocher, ss	4	0	0	1	1	0
Grantham, 2b	4	2	3	1	3	0
O'Farrell, c	3	1	2	4	1	0
Friberg, 3b	4	0	1	2	0	1
Miller, lf	4	0	2	6	0	0
Heathcote, rf	3	1	1	4	1	0
Hartnett, 1b	3	0	1	8	0	0
Kaufman, p	4	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	34	4	11	27	10	1

Boston	000 100 020—3
Chicago	100 101 001—4

Summary: Two-base hits, O'Neil, Grantham (2), Powell; left on bases, Boston 7, Chicago 5; struck out, by Kaufman 4, by Benton 2, by McNamara 1; hits, off Benton 7 in 7, off McNamara 4 in 1 2-3; base on balls, off Benton 2, off Kaufman 2.

BROOKLYN STOPS ST. LOUIS WINNING

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—St. Louis' winning streak of six games ended today when Brooklyn took the first game of the series, 2 to 0. Score:

BROOKLYN	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Neis, cf	5	1	1	4	0	0
Johnston, 2b	4	0	2	0	2	0
T. Griffith, rf	5	0	0	4	0	0
Wheat, lf	5	0	3	0	0	0
Fournier, 1b	5	0	1	11	1	0
McCarren, 3b	1	0	1	1	2	1
Olson, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
High, ss	3	0	0	3	2	0
DeBerry, c	3	0	1	3	0	0
Vance, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
*Bailey	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	9	27	8	1

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Smith, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Flack, rf	4	0	1	2	0	1
Toporcer, 2b	3	0	0	0	10	0
Bottomley, 1b	4	0	2	18	0	0
Stock, 3b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Myers, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
McCurdy, c	3	0	0	1	1	0
Lavan, ss	3	0	0	0	4	0
Doak, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
North, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
**Dyer	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	0	4	27	18	1

*Ran for McCarren in the eighth.
**Batted for Doak in the eighth.

Brooklyn	000 010 010 —2
St. Louis	000 000 000—0

Summary: Two-base hits, Bottomley, Stock; left on base, Brooklyn 12, St. Louis 6; bases on balls off Vance 1, off Doak 4; struck out by Vance 3, by Doak 1; hits off Doak 8 in 8 innings, off North 1 in 1; hit by pitcher, by Vance, Toporcer, by Doak, McCarren.

Zev Winner In Belmont Stakes Over Big Field

NEW YORK, June 9.—Zev, son of The Finn, Miss Kearney, carried the Rancocas silks to the victory in the old Belmont stakes, among the best known American turf classics, and established himself at the top of the 1923 three-year-old division.

The same courage and dash that marked his triumphs in the Kentucky Derby and in the Withers carried the sturdy Rancocas colt under the wire an easy winner over as likely a band as ever faced the barrier in the more than 50 years of Belmont stakes history.

Harry Payne Whitney's Chickvale finished second, a length and a half behind Zev, and Rialto of the Greentree stable, which ran coupled with Chickvale, was third, four full lengths away from Chickvale. Zev's time, two minutes and 19 seconds, was exceptionally good for the mile and three furlongs, considering the condition of the track, which was slow and dead. Zev's earnings were increased $38,000 by the victory.

Earl Sands maneuvered Zev in front of his field in the opening strides of the race.

PITT NEW YORK VICTIM 6 TO 0

Crowd Overflows On Field To See League Leaders Win Easily

PITTSBURGH, June 9.— Bentley was in great form today and New York won from Pittsburgh, 6 to 0, before one of the largest crowds ever jammed into Forbes field. The crowd overflowed onto the field, making ground rules necessary. Score:

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bancroft, ss	3	2	1	1	2	0
Groh, 3b	5	0	2	0	2	0
Frisch, 2b	4	1	3	1	3	0
Meusel, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Young, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, 1b	4	0	1	13	0	0
O'Connell, cf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Snyder, c	3	1	1	8	3	0
Bentley, p	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	35	6	12	27	12	0

PITTSBURG	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Maranville, ss	4	0	0	5	6	0
Carey, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Bigbee, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Barnhart, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Traynor, 3b	4	0	2	1	2	1
Grimm, 1b	4	0	1	11	1	0
Rawlings, 2b	4	0	1	4	7	0
Gooch, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
Meadows, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	0	7	27	19	1

New York	002 100 003—6
Pittsburgh	000 000 000—0

Two-base hits: Bancroft. Three-base hits: Frisch, Snyder, Rawlings. Left on bases: New York 8; Pittsburgh, 7. Bases on balls: off Meadows, 5. Struck out: Bentley, 8; Meadows 3.

REDS RATTLE BATS FOR VICTORY

CINCINNATI, June 9.—The Reds enjoyed a holiday at the bat at the expense of three Philadelphia pitchers today and easily won the first game of the series, 12 to 2. Score:

PHILA.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mokan, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Rapp, 3b	3	1	0	4	3	0
Walker, rf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Tierney, 2b	4	0	2	4	3	0
Holke, 2b	4	0	0	5	1	1
Lee, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson, lf	2	0	2	2	0	2
xRing	1	0	0	0	0	0
Henline, c	3	0	0	3	3	0
xxHubbell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sand, ss	3	0	0	1	1	1
zBehan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mitchell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Head, p	2	1	1	0	0	0
zzO'Brien	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bishop, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	2	8	24	11	4

xBatted for Wilson in ninth.
xxBatted for Henline in ninth.
zBatted for Sand in ninth.
zzBatted for Head in seventh.

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Burns, rf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Daubert, 1b	4	1	1	15	2	0
Bohne, 2b	4	3	2	1	6	1
Rousch, cf	4	3	3	2	2	0
Harper, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Duncan, lf	4	2	1	1	0	0
Pinelli, 3b	3	1	0	0	2	0
Cavney, ss	5	1	4	2	3	0
Hargrave, c	3	0	3	4	0	0
Benton, p	5	0	1	1	3	0
Totals	37	12	16	27	18	1

Score by innings

Philadelphia	002 000 000— 2
Cincinnati	411 002 04x—12

Summary: Two-base hits, Rousch, Mokan; three-base hits, Daubert, Rousch; left on base, Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 10; base on balls, off Benton 1, off Head 5, off Bisbop 1; struck out, by Benton 3, by Head 2; hits, off Mitchel 4 in 2-3 inning, off Head, 8 in 5 1-3; off Bishop 4 in 2.

New Kansas City Railroad

International News Dispatch

KANSAS CITY, June 9.—Entrance of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad into Kansas City, giving direct connection of that road from here to Lincoln, Neb., is seen here today as a result of the letting of a contract for the building of a 50-mile link of the road from Lincoln to Virginia, Neb.

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Spudders Top Texas Loop In Club Fielding

TEAM AVERAGE FOR SEASON .972

Hurling Up To Standard And Salmites After First Place

With an average of .972, the Spudders stand at the top of all teams in club fielding in the Texas league, according to statistics compiled by official scorers of the loop.

Playing in 41 games, from the beginning of the season to June 1, the Wichita Falls players have made 1,172 put outs, with 570 assists, having 70 errors in the entire time. Only 21 opponents have managed to successfully steal bases, while 16 have been thrown out in the attempt. San Antonio is second with an average of .971.

Club Fast

The Spudders have had an unusually fast club all season in handling the ball in the field, and had they made the showing in other branches of the game that they did on the defense, they would be at least a bit nearer the top of the ladder, if not in first position. Their batting has been unusually good also, with Ruth, Spudder utility player, leading in batting average for the season, and many local players are listed in the .300 class. In fact, the fielding and batting of the Spuds has been all that could be expected, with the Wichitans standing first in fielding and second in batting.

Pitching Better Now

With a team hitting and fielding above reproach, there is only one conclusion to be drwan that will explain the fact that a large number of games have been lost. The reason is the other point in the playing triangle—the pitching. The Spudders have had to contend with some very indifferent hurling throughout the first part of the season, and it is only in the latter games that the team has played the good brand of ball in every department of the game, that is needed for a pennant winner. About two weeks ago, Skipper Salm got his twirling staff in order, with the result that since that time the Spudders have been piling up games and narrowing the gap between second and first positions. With the fielding still at high point, and the batting and pitching good, the Spudders have started a trip toward the top.

The fielding averages of Texas league teams are as follows:

Club	G	PO	A	E	FA
W. F.	41	1172	570	70	.972
San Anton.	44	1192	569	53	.971
Galveston	43	1122	510	56	.967
Houston	43	1122	510	56	.967
Fort Worth	42	1120	530	60	.965
Shreveport	43	1106	549	65	.962
Dallas	43	1171	536	75	.958
Beaumont	41	1063	485	80	.951

RUTH LEADS IN LEAGUE HITTING

Many Spudders Bat In .300 Rank With Best Of League

Averages compiled by staticians of the Texas league show 'Babe" Ruth, Spudder utility man, leading the hitting of the loop, with an average of .500. The average date from the first of the season to June 1, and show several Wichita sluggers well toward the top of the list that is headed by Ruth. Following Ruth comes Ross of Fort Worth, but thereafter are Flaherty, Spudder, batting fifth, Grigsby and Dumovich, all holding good records. The Spudder hitters, and other batsmen with an average of more than .300 are:

Player-Club	Bats	G	AB	H	Ba.
Ruth, WF	R	8	16	8	.500
Ross, FW	L	9	13	6	.462
Simon, SA	R	34	133	57	.429
Griffith, Hn	R	10	57	24	.421
Flaherty, WF	R	7	12	5	.417
F. Johnson, SA	R	5	12	5	.417
Ostergard, Bt-Gv	L	32	114	47	.412
Mathes, Ds	L-R	25	73	30	.411
Grigsby, WF	L	26	74	30	.405
Riley, St	L	43	164	66	.402
Boone, SA	L	44	192	75	.391
Dumovich, WF	R	10	13	5	.385
Edington, Bt	L	41	129	48	.372
Strong, Bt	R	41	156	57	.365
Roberts, SA	R	12	22	8	.364
L. Kraft, SA	R	5	11	4	.364
Bischoff, WF	R	38	99	36	.364
Mueller, Hn	L	19	80	29	.363
Meyers, SA	R	38	141	51	.362
Bescher, WF	L-R	41	173	62	.358
Kirkham, Bt	L-R	40	157	56	.357
Vache, Ds	R	43	165	58	.352
Calvo, FW	L	37	134	47	.351
Conley, Hn	R	15	40	14	.350
Sperber, Hn	L	43	178	62	.348
Tanner, WF	R	41	173	60	.347
Galloway, SA	L-R	44	179	62	.346
Toult, SA	L	39	130	45	.346
Cotter, WF	L	40	136	47	.346
Simmons, St	L	43	160	58	.343
Hoffman, FW	L-R	31	113	38	.336
Bailey, Hn	L	12	42	14	.333
Lucas, SA	L	10	18	6	.333
C. Kraft, FW	R	43	154	51	.331
Boone, SA	L	48	161	53	.329
Bell, Hn	R	27	113	37	.328
Morris, Bt-Ds	R	19	37	12	.324
Huber, Bt	R	41	149	48	.322
Knight Hn	L	23	59	19	.322
Donohue Ds	L	43	184	59	.321
Westervil, Gv	R	30	116	37	.319
Lingle, Ds	R	28	82	26	.317
Johns, FW	L	19	19	6	.316
Schmandt, Hn	R	43	169	53	.314
Haley, FW	R	26	96	30	.313
D. Brown, Gv-Bt	R	39	147	46	.313
Stellbaner, FW	R	32	165	51	.309
Wendell, Gv	R	39	123	38	.309
Connolly, Gv	L-R	43	169	52	.308
Monroe, Hn	L	36	147	45	.306
Wano, Ds	L	41	175	53	.303
Bryan, Ds	L	14	33	10	.303
Wight, St	L	21	83	25	.301
Berger, WF	R	41	151	45	.287
Whiteman, WF	R	28	87	25	.286
Fincher, WF	R	5	7	2	.285
Elliott, WF	L	35	144	41	.285
Wheeler, WF	R	7	25	7	.280
White, WF	R	41	177	41	.231
Feigert, WF	L	8	15	3	.200
Meine, WF	R	11	21	3	.143
BANNER—SPUDDER TOP					
Darrough, WF	R	10	15	2	.133
Stauffer, WF	R	5	12	1	.083
Hodges, WF	L	9	13	0	.000

ROBERT EDGREN TELLS WHAT MAY HAPPEN WHEN JACK MEETS TOM



By ROBERT EDGREN.

On July 4 the sporting world is going to forget a lot of other things for a few hours and await a wireless from Shelby, Mont., where Jack Dempsey will be more or less busy defending his title against Tom Gibbons.

Ever since the match was made, stories have been coming from the training camps. It's a match that has no spectacular feature, held under difficulties in a thinly populated part of the country, and a certain amount of ballyhooing has been necessary to bring in a gate that will cover the huge purse and other expenses.

It has even been necessary to have the men go through a long training siege for advertising purposes. Gibbons has been fighting often and Dempsey has kept up a daily system of training even without fights, and either could have been fit and ready in less than two weeks.

A curious thing is that when the match was first talked of practically no one thought of Gibbons as having anything more than a bare outside chance. He might win if Dempsey happened to break his leg.

But a fighter's stock rises in proportion to the amount of talk about him. Also there's the fact that Gibbons is fighting for a percentage of the gate over and above Dempsey's guaranteed $300,000, which doesn't look very nourishing with the battle held far from any clusters of big towns. It looks as if Gibbons must have a lot of confidence in his chance to win, and confidence wins a lot of friend.

Tom Plans His Battle.

Tom has been telling the world—at so much per column—how he intends to fight Dempsey and what Jack's weaknesses are. This has furnished some light reading. Of course, Tom must have a real plan, and of course he isn't breathing it to a soul, except perhaps to brother Mike. Also if Dempsey has any ring weakness no man who ever fought him found it.

As for Dempsey, he has been doing his share of the work in his usual way, stolidly hammering a collection of rugged sparring partners into pugilistic scrap, uttering no sound except an occasional wild yell for more hired help.

Dempsey hasn't fought many men smaller than himself, and he'll have 10 pounds on Tom Gibbons. Usually the champion gives away a lot of weight—from 10 to 60 pound. But he has fought one or two lighter and supposed to be more clever boxers.

Battling Levinsky was one, back in 1916. But who picked as a clever, shifty fellow who could give Jack a boxing lesson. Dempsey gave him one, and knocked him out in the third round with a punch that practically terminated Levinsky's career right there, for he never put up a good fight afterward.

Jack's Killing Punch.

There's something about Dempsey's punch that seems to have a lasting effect. Men who have felt it never have the same confidence again, and perhaps they are even physically "softened" so that they lose their punch-resisting qualities.

Fulton was going like a champion when Dempsey knocked him out in less than 15 seconds, and he never fought half as well afterward.

Gunboat Smith dropped in the second round and that was his finish. Morris went down with the first blow Dempsey struck, a terrific left hook in the stomach. He wasn't heard of again.

Bill Brennan gave Jack a tough battle, but after being knocked out in the twelfth he was "soft" for other fighters.

Dempsey's record shows why he figures to beat any man now fighting. In 65 ring bouts Dempsey has knocked out 25 of his opponents in the first round. Among his one-round victims were some well-known fighters, and some whose skill could be compared to that of Tom Gibbons. Fulton was one, and Jim Flynn, Al Norton, Arthur Pelky, Porky Flynn, Carl Morris and Battling Johnson were not entirely unknown.

Jack actually knocked out Jess Willard, world's champion, in the first round at Toledo, and was robbed of a one-round victory only by a timing mixup. The timers started their watches when they tried to ring the bell and found it wouldn't work. Nearly half a minute was lost when the fight was at last started with a whistle, and the watches were not set back and started again.

Willard was on the floor and had been counted out by referee after only about two and a half minutes of actual fighting, and Dempsey had been sent from the ring when the timers notified the referee that time was up at the count of eight.

The bell was still muffled at the end of a minute's rest. Willard had another half minute in his corner before he was boosted to his feet to continue. It's doubtful that he could have risen at the end of a minute.

Dempsey has knocked out Billy Miske in three rounds. Five years ago he boxed 10 and six-round no-decision bouts with him. Gibbons' record with Miske is: No decision, eight rounds; no decision, 10 rounds; no decision, 10 rounds; lost on foul, 10 rounds; no decision, 10 rounds. In one of these fights, at Madison Square Garden, October 25, 1922, Gibbons really beat Miske, who was whipped and actually collapsing from body punches when Gibbons' last clow actually went low enough to enable Miske to claim a foul.

Tom Gibbons' best ring year was 1921, when he ran up a list of 10 knockouts, adding one more in February of the next year by knocking out Pat McCarthy in four rounds. Three of the men in that long list of second-rate heavyweights are worth mentioning.

He knocked out Al Reich in a round, Porky Flynn in 11 rounds, and Pat Meehan in a round. The rest were practically unknown, but there were some big fellows in the lot. Gibbons proved that he knew how to make an opening and put over a knockout punch.

Gibbons' Best Chance.

At that time Tom was being groomed as a heavyweight challenger. But he made one mistake. He stopped to pick up the light heavyweight crown on the way, and Harry Greb rained punches on Tom so fast that all of Gibbons' boxing skill disappeared, and puzzled, bewildered and dazed from start to finish, he was completely outclassed and lost the decision.

Gibbons has fought some very good fights since then, but it's difficult for anyone who saw him backed up on his heels before Greb's rushes to imagine him standing for a moment before the no less furious and far more effective attack of Dempsey—if Dempsey goes after Gibbons the way he has gone after bigger men.

There's another angle. Gibbons never fought men like Willard, Fulton, Morris or the other huge giants Dempsey knocked flat in a round. It's difficult to picture him putting such men down.

And this leads to the conclusion that although he talks of knocking Dempsey out, and of Dempsey's "weaknesses" that showed when Carpentier shook him for a moment with a hard right on the chin, Gibbons must be planning to use all his speed and skill in an effort to avoid Dempsey's crushing blows and to outpoint him for a decision.

After all, that looks like Gibbons' only chance. And as Dempsey is at least Tom's equal in both speed and ring cunning it doesn't seem a very brilliant chance at that.

Collins Still Going Strong; Babe Ruth Leads in Base Hits

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, June 9.—Eddie Collins, veteran second baseman of the White Sox, is still king of the keystone guardians in the American league. Collins has so upset the dope that those who pictured him an old man are standing back in awe. According to figures compiled today, which include games of last Wednesday, he has stoden 19 bases, just one less than he pilfered for the entire season last year. By cracking out 11 hits in his last six games, Collins has boosted his average from .349 to .370 and is pressing the leaders who have participated in 30 or more games. He now is fourth. Harry Heilmann of the Tigers continues to top the regulars with .426, with "Muddy" Ruel of Washington the runnerup with .382. Dick Reichle, the former University of Illinois star, with the Red Sox is trailing Ruel with .375. Collins is also pressing Wamby of the Indians for the honors in sacrifice hits. Wamby is leading with 16, and Collins has 14.

Babe Ruth added to his string of homers yesterday and remains out in front with 12. He also leads in total bases with 107 and in runs scored with 42.

Other leading batters: Burns, Boston, .370; Jamieson, Cleveland, .366; Cobb, Detroit, .356; Myatt, Cleveland, .352; Ruth, New York, .347; S. Rice, Washington, .342; Tobin, St. Louis, .339; Miller, Philadelphia, .336; Severeid, St. Louis, .331; Haney, Detroit, .326; Williams, St. Louis, .325.

Johnny Mokan of the Phillies is challenging the leaders in the National league for the batting honors, and along with Jimmy Bottomley of the St. Louis Cardinals are giving Zach Wheat of Brooklyn and Charley Grimm of the Pirates an interesting race. Mokan boosted his mark from .373 to .390 during the past week, and Bottomley is hitting .383 compared with .376 a week ago. The veteran Wheat suffered a batting slump and dropped from .424 to .405, but still maintains the leadership, with Grimm the runnerup with .392.

Cy Williams of the Phillies cracked out a brace of homers and ran his string to 20, and brought his total base record to 145, which, besides his four baggers includes 11 doubles and three triples.

Bancroft of the Giants is the best run getter with 45, and Sammy Bohne of the Reds is showing the way to the base stealers with a dozen thefts.

Other leading batters: Young, New York, .382; Southworth, Boston, .364; Frisch, New York, .358; Williams, Philadelphia, .356; McInnis, Boston, .355; Roush, Cincinnati, .352; Neis, Brooklyn, .343; Barnhart, Pittsburgh, .342.

J. Griffin of Omaha batted himself from eighth position to runnerup in the Western league for those who have participated in 30 or more games. Griffin is hitting .386, compared with .372 a week ago. Bauman of Tulsa with .391, and Blakesley of Wichita is in third place with .380. Blakesley also is leading in total bases with 119, his hits including 18 doubles, six triples and six four-baggers. Griffin has increased his lead among the base stealers, and now has 18.

C. McDowell of Wichita is giving Davis of Tulsa a run for the home-run honors. The Tulsa slugger leads with 14. McDowell has 12.

"Red" Corriden of Des Moines had taken the lead as a run-getter from Defate of Omaha, by scoring 40 times to Defate's 46.

Other leading batters: O'Connor, Omaha, .377; Wilcox, Omaha, .376; Klugman, Des Moines, .374; Diamond, Denver, .373; Lewan, St. Joseph, .372; Moore, Sioux City, .360; T. McDonald, Omaha, .359.

Lenses ground. Faith Optical Co.—Adv.

Texas Loop Passed Up Young T.C.U. Hurler; Big League Found Him

Three years ago a scout working for the Cincinnati Reds observed Pete Donohue pitch a game for Texas Christian university at Fort Worth. At that time Donohue was still in his teens, and had escaped the notice of any of the Texas league managers, although he was feared throughout the college circles of Texas. Today Donohue is recognized as one of the greatest pitchers in the National league and, according to one well-known umpire, "is the greatest pitcher to come to the majors since the great Christy Matheson."

Donohoe was signed by the Reds in 1921 and after the close of school joined that team. Imagine a tall, awkward college boy, with no professional experience, facing the New York Giants as one of his first assignments. It was in that game that Donohue really stepped into fame, as he defeated the world champions by a decisive score.

He joined the Reds in Fort Worth in the spring of 1922 and pitched against the Panthers, and for six innings did not allow a hit. In this game he was opposing the team whose manager is recognized as one of the smartest in the minors, yet Jake Atz was in Fort Worth several years while he pitched for T. C. U., the foxy manager failing to discover any possibilities in Donohue. It was that year the New York Giants offered Pat Moran, it is reported, $75,000 for Donohue and Roush. It is reported that Moran made the reply he would consider the deal that would transfer Roush to the Giants, but he would not trade Donohue under any conditions.

In 1922 Donohue had the best average of any pitcher in the National league, not in games won, but in percentage of runs allowed per game. He did it in his first full year in the majors. In 1922 he was out of the game several weeks with trouble with his arm, and some prophesied that it was the end of his baseball career, but he came back toward the end of the season and pitched wonderful ball.

This year Donohue it ranked with the leading pitchers in the National league, and as the weather gets warmer he gets better. He is one of the Cincinnati aces, having won seven games to date. Donohue is at the present time about 22 years of age.

Some wonderful players have gone to the majors from Texas, including Speaker, Young, Rigney and others, but all have had professional experience before making their debut into the big show. But none of these made such a sensational entrance as did the tall, dark-haired boy from a little Texas college, and none of them have better prospects than this young pitcher, who is still in his early twenties.

Fred Goss, eyes tested for glasses. With Faith Optical Co.—Adv.

DETROIT POUNDS ATHLETIC HURLERS

Associated Press Dispatch

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 9.—Pounding Rollie Naylor and Freddie Heimach for 12 hits, Detroit walked off with the first game of the series from the second place Athletics today by a score of 8 to 6. Score:

DETROIT:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hany 3b	5	2	2	2	4	1
Blue 1b	4	1	2	9	2	0
Cobb cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Veach lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Fothergill lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Heilmann rf	4	2	3	0	0	0
Cutshaw 2b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Rigney ss	5	0	2	1	2	2
Bassler c	3	2	0	8	1	0
Holloway p	5	0	0	2	1	0
Totals	39	8	12	27	11	3

PHILA:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Matthews cf	5	0	3	1	0	0
Hale 3b	5	0	3	1	1	1
Perkins c	6	0	2	2	0	0
Hauser 1b	3	1	1	9	2	0
Miller lf	3	2	2	2	0	0
Welch rf	5	1	1	5	0	1
Galloway ss	5	0	1	2	3	0
Scheer, 2b	5	2	2	2	3	1
Naylor p	2	0	0	2	0	0
xBruggy	1	0	0	0	0	0
Heimach p	1	0	0	1	2	0
zWalker	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	42	6	15	27	11	4

x Batted for Naylor in sixth.
z Batted for Heimach in ninth.

Score by innings:	R.
Detroit	011 122 410— 8
Philadelphia	000 111 102— 6

Two-base hits, Perkins, Heilmann, Miller, Scheer, Galloway, Blue, Hale. Home runs, Heilmann, Cobb, Scheer. Left on bases, Detroit 10, Philadelphia 15. Bases on balls, off Holloway 5, off Naylor 2, off Heimach 2. Struck out, by Holloway 6, by Naylor 1, by Heimach 1. Hits, off Naylor 10 in 6 innings, off Heimach 2 in 3. Hit by pitcher, by Holloway Hauser.

CLEVELAND WINS ONE FROM YANKS

Loop Leaders Lose Sixth Game Of Last Seven Contests

NEW YORK, June 9.—Cleveland won an easy victory from the New York Americans, 13 to 3 today. The Yankees now have lost six of their last seven games. Score:

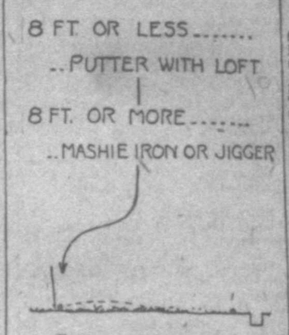
CLEVELAND	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Jamieson, lf	4	1	2	4	0	0
Wambaganss, 2b	4	1	0	2	4	0
Speaker, cf	5	3	2	1	0	0
Brower, 1b	4	3	2	13	1	0
Summa, rf	4	3	2	3	0	0
J. Sewell, ss	4	1	3	3	3	0
Lutzke, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
O'Neill, c	3	1	1	1	1	0
Uhle, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	13	12	27	13	1

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Witt, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Heines, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Dugan, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Ruth, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Pipp, 1b	4	2	2	9	2	0
Meusel, lf	4	0	2	4	0	0
Ward, 2b	4	0	0	3	4	0
Scott, 2b	2	0	0	2	1	0
Johnson, ss	2	0	1	0	1	0
Hoffman, c	3	0	2	3	1	0
Bush, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Mays, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Pipgrass, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	9	27	11	0

Score by innings:	
Cleveland	000 307 003—13
New York	200 000 100 —3

Two base hits—Meusel, Brower. Three base hits—Pipp. Home run—Speaker. Left on base—New York 4, Cleveland 4. Bases on balls—off Bush 4, Mays 1, Pipgrass 2. Struck out—by Bush 2, Uhle 4. Hits—off Bush, 8 in 5 2-3; Mays 1 in 3, Pipgrass 3 in 3.

LITTLE LESSONS IN Big Sports



ROUGH GREEN

On rough or weedy greens is it advisable to use a club other than a putter?

Answered by
LAURIE AYTON

Always a consistent place winner in the big tournaments—National Open, Metropolitan Open, Western Open, and sectional tournaments. Famed for his accuracy and steadiness under fire.

By all means use a club other than a putter when a green is rough or weedy. When the distance is less than eight feet to the cup I would recommend an iron putter with a bit of a loft on the blade. If the distance is more than eight feet, use a mashie iron or a jigger. Either of these clubs will give the ball a pitch and help it to run truer to the hole because of the slight loft given at the start of its travel.

FEEBLE FIELDING; WASHINGTON LOSES

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Feeble fielding behind Zahniser allowed St. Louis to defeat Washington today, 5 to 4. Score:

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Tobin, rf	5	0	1	5	1	0
Gerber, ss	4	1	1	2	2	0
Williams, lf	3	1	1	2	0	0
McManus, 2b	4	1	2	2	2	0
Severeid, c	3	1	1	5	1	0
Schliebner, 1b	4	1	1	9	1	0
Ezzell, 3b	4	0	1	0	3	0
Shocker, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	35	5	8	27	11	0

WASHINGTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rice, rf	4	2	2	6	0	1
Peckinpaugh, ss	3	0	1	3	1	0
Goslin, lf	3	0	1	2	0	1
Judge, 1b	3	1	0	10	0	0
Bluege, 3b	4	0	1	0	2	1
Leibold, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Harris, 2b	4	0	1	3	3	0
Ruel, c	4	0	0	3	0	1
Zahniser, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
*Wade	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brilliheart, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
**Gharrity	1	1	1	0	0	0
Warmouth, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	4	8	27	9	4

*Batted for Zahniser in the fifth.
**Batted for Bril lheart in the eighth.

Score by innings—	
St. Louis	010 310 000—5
Washington	200 000 020—4

Summary: Three-base hit Rice; stolen bases, Rice, Judge, Williams, Severeid, McManus; left on bas St. Louis 7, Washington 4; bases on balls, off Shocker 2, off Zahniser 2, off Brillheart 1; struck out, by Shocker 4; by Brillheart 2, by Warmouth 1; hits off Zahniser 6 in 5, off Brillheart 2 in 3, off Warmouth 0 in 1.

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Attractive Movie Offerings For Week By Theatres

MONTE BLUE IN TENTS OF ALLAH

Strand Screens All-Star Cast For Thursday, Friday And Saturday

Consider the cast! Monte Blue and Mary Alden, co-starred and supported by Mary Thurman, Sally Crute, Macey Harlam, Frank Currier, Charles Lane and Martin Faust. All Gaul artists went to San Juan, Porto Rico, to enact the story of thrilling adventure and flaming love of "The Tents of Allah," written and directed by Charles A. Logue, produced by E. A. MacManus, distributed by Associated Exhibitors as an Encore Picture and showing Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Strand theatre.

Monte Blue has a role that outclasses his Danton in D. W. Griffith's "Orphans of the Storm," and as the chief of a tribe of desert bandits of Morocco it is claimed that he will make you forget Rodolph Valentino in "The Sheik." Mary Alden, though a young woman, has attained great fame for her mother characterizations, and in "The Tents of Allah" she plays a mother part, but one widely differing from anything she has previously done. As a desert princess of Morocco and the mother of the daring and headstrong hero, there is also romance woven about her.

Mary Thurman was selected for the part of the American girl whose visit in Morocco takes a sudden turn from the commonplace to a situation full of danger, daring and romance. Sally Crute came out of retirement to play the part of Cynthia Wheeler, a merry widow, and Charles Lane is the naval officer she would ensnare for husband No. 2, but he is destined to play a more important part in the story.

Frank Currier displays his versatility by playing two roles in "The Tents of Allah." He is the American consul, and also a fierce, crafty old sheik and the hero's grandfather. Macey Harlam was chosen to play the role of the sultan, and Martin Faust is the hero's rival.

In addition to the principals, thousands of extras were used. Actually three thousand costumes were made—costumes for the desert tribes, for the natives of Tangier, for the sultan's guards and soldiers, and so forth. These costumes were all made by hand by sewing women throughout Porto Rico.

JOHNNY HINES COMES TO OLYMPIC LATE IN WEEK WITH "LUCK"

Bob Carter, who apparently has nothing harder in life to do than help spend his father's money, was registered the winner in a cross country road race recently. But it was really not Bob's superior long distance powers that brought home the bacon. An elephant was back of it all.

Bob, goaded on by his friends at the country club, finally consented to enter the race. The pack of runners started and long before he had reached the half way mark the young man was all in. So completely exhausted did he feel that he decided to quit, take a rest and then quietly sneak back to the club.

An elephant had other ideas, however. The animal had just broken loose from an traveling circus and came rumbling down the road just as Bob had decided to rest. Catching sight of the run-away elephant, Bob thought only of getting away from the beast. Forgotten was the fatigue and soon Bob was madly running down the road with the elephant in close pursuit, too close to please Bob who finally dashed across the finish line, not only a winner of the road race but just a few steps in advance of the elephant. Cheers for Bob and the presentation of the silver loving cup followed, but, of course, all these honors rightly belonged to the circus elephant.

This is one of the most amusing scenes ever photographed for a motion picture and, of course, it's in Johnny Hines' latest, "Luck." This new mirthcomedy starts off with this exceedingly amusing scene and the laughs never let up until the final fade out. "Luck" is a whirlwind of a picture, the kind that will make you pack up your troubles in your old kit bag and laugh to beat the band.

Johnny Hines in "Luck" is to be presented at the Olympic theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday. If you enjoy hearty laughs and real thrills, don't miss it.

To obtain attar of rose, the petals are distilled in twice their weight of water, the mixture being left in open vessels in the night air and the oil connected by paved roads, existed in Mexico when Columbus landed in this country.

Bauder, a German philosopher, religious writer and mining engineer, discovered how to make glass by the use of Glauber's salt instead of potash, for which he was awarded a prize of $5,000.



Priscilla Dean in "The Flame of Life," Empress, Thursday, Friday and Saturday



"Luck" With Johnnie Hines at the Olympic, Thursday, Friday, Saturday



Scene from "The Bohemian Girl"
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"DRIVEN" A UNIVERSAL—JEWEL CHARLES BRABIN PRODUCTION WITH A DISTINGUISHED CAST
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"Has the World Gone Mad?" Rather New Type of Picture At Olympic

With distant Smyrna a vast area of torn and twisted ruins in the wake of vandal hordes; with India seething in hatreds and revolt; with Turkey looming dark and menacing over helpless millions; with Europe staggering on the brink of the abyss and our own nation tortured by the antagonisms of selfish politicians, Daniel Carson Goodman, world-famous dramatist and motion picture producer, believes that now is the time to tell the truth!

"The whole world is waiting eagerly to hear the truth about its great human problems," he stated recently when interviewed by reporters in New York upon his arrival from a trip to Europe, where he obtained first-hand information of conditions in many of the foreign countries.

"We have been fed upon humbug too long," he continued. "Now is the time for serious thought and to put our troubled house in order."

And it is in order to do his bit to combat the forces of extravagance and folly that Mr. Goodman has produced his latest and most significant and inspiring screen production, "Has the World Gone Mad!" which comes to the Olympic theater Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

"I aimed, first of all, in my production," declared Mr. Goodman, "to reveal the truth as I know it. I think it is high time we told the truth about life on the screen as well as on the stage and in novels.

"The shams and the conceits, the whims and the foibles of modern society—the society that sets a withering pace in its daily life—all are held up to the X-ray and revealed in all their stark futility. From first to last it is the truth—and nothing but the truth!"

"Has the World Gone Mad!" is essentially entertainment of the most captivating calibre. It deals with two families of affluence in New York, became entangled through illicit romances. The mother of one is at fault, and the husband and father of the other is to blam for indiscretions that cause his family endless heartaches and sorrows. But through it all Mr. Goodman has interwoven a vein of happy optimism and hope, of whimsical humor and fine and wholesome romance, calculated to appeal to folks of all ages and in all stations of life.

The cast includes such noted stars as Robert Edeson, Charles Richman, Mary Alden, Hedda Hopper, Elinor Fair, Vincent Coleman and others. J. Searle Dawley directed under the personal supervision of Mr. Goodman and the production is released by Equity Pictures.

While the Audubon society was named in honor o John James Audubon, it was not needed in his day, for then much of this country was wild and there was no fear that the birds would become extinct.

Children's Day originated in Rose Sunday which was observed one Sunday in June each year beginning in 1830, by the Church of the Redeemer, Chelsea, Mass., the idea originating with Rev. Charles H. Leonard, the pastor.

Alice Terry Tells How to Keep Fit

By ALICE TERRY.

Actresses, screen actresses especially, probably spend more time thinking about their looks than any other class of persons—except screen actors. But not worrying. As soon as an actress has to worry about her looks, she's through, as far as leading roles are concerned. The camera has no pity.

But good looks and good health are twins. And I've got to confess that I've never experienced a day of ill health since I was a child. I ascribe my luck largely to an attitude I got from an old nurse back at my home in Vincennes, Ind. My nurse would say, "If you want a thing to come true, just wish it true, and if wishing won't work it, pray."

But I run few risks. I don't eat very much and I avoid rich foods. And I don't exercise very strenuously. I've no ambition to be an expert in sports. As a matter of fact, the very strenuous, athletic type of woman, it seems to me, frequently wears herself out too much. She suffers both in health and looks.

For a man the strenuous life may be the ideal, although I know many believe that Theodore Roosevelt wore himself out before his time in being too persistently strenuous. The strenuous woman, I believe, is frequently far from "fit."

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Ivor Novello and Gladys Cooper in "The Bohemian Girl"

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Theirs an all-consuming, beautiful love.
And between them their queen, called to perform the sacred rite, her heart rankling with a poisonous jealousy—for she, too, loved this youth—grasping with unwilling fingers this twig and breaking it.
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EMPRESS WILL SHOW 'DRIVEN'

Universal-Jewel Production Will Be Shown For Three Days

Sitting in a comfortable theatre seat gazing on life as it is depicted in "Driven," the Charles Brabin-Universal-Jewel production, which comes to the Empress Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, one wonders if such conditions really exist in this highly civilized and cultured country of ours. Yet any one who has ever traveled through the Blue Ridge mountains of the South will tell you that the picture is absolutely true to life.

Director Charles Brabin tells some of the things that happened during the making of the picture. "When the company arrived," stated Mr. Brabin, "we found that 'location' was 40 miles from the hotel, which we had decided on as our base; the hotel itself was 50 miles from the railroad. Each morning and evening we made the long trip by auto, constantly getting stuck on steep hills and in the mud.

"At the hotel there was but one bath tub, and the proprietor refused point-blank to heat water more than once a week. We used to have to boil water in shaving mugs and wash off the mud the best we could. We had a phonograph that we used to get the players in the proper frame of mind for certain scenes, and this was a source of never-ending wonder to the mountaineers. They had never before heard one. When we first turned it on they started to take flight; imagine that of people who fight like savages upon the least provocation.

"Both women and children chew tobacco and drink moonshine, and four families sometimes live in a one-room cabin. In one scene Charles Mack, as 'Tommy Tolliver,' had to plow up a field. The plow turned up 30 rattlesnakes, and Mack had a narrow escape from death. When a mountaineer marries he picks out the girl, and, if her father is agreeable, marries her in the middle of the road the next time the circuit rider comes that way. If the father objects the suitor has been known to calmly dispose of the objector with a gun. Yet this strange part of civilized America is only 24 hours from New York city."

A special inducement is offered to the patrons of the Empress by the management during the opening day of "Driven." Two persons will be admitted on one ticket.

Theatre Calendar

GEM.

Monday—Alice Terry, Barbara Lamar, and Ramon Navarro in "The Prisoner of Zenda."

Tuesday—John Gilbert in "Honor First."

Wednesday—Jack Perrin and Russell Simpson in "Lahoma."

Thursday—Lester Cuneo in "The Devils Ghost."

Friday — Helen Chadwick and Henry B. Walthall in "Gimme."

Saturday — William Farnum in "The Sheriff of Sun Dog;" also comedy.

OLYMPIC

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: Daniel Carson Goodman's "Has the World Gone Mad?"

Thursday, Friday and Saturday: Johnnie Hines, Charlie Murray and Polly Moran in "Luck."

EMPRESS

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday: "Driven."

Thursday, Friday and Saturday: Priscilla Dean in "The Flame of Life."

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday: Monte Blue in "The Tents of Allah."

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Monday and Tuesday: Helen Jerome Eddy in "When Love Comes."

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Alexandra Carlisle.

Alexandra Carlisle, wellknown Boston actress and an alternate delegate to the republican national convention in 1920, is being sued for divorce. Her husband, Dr. Albert Pfeffer of the Massachusetts department of health, charges that she deserted him. She denies her husband's charges.

Hero of "Bohemian Girl" Playing Strand, Will Become Matinee Idol

Ivor Novello is seen as the hero of "The Bohemian Girl," the spectacular Harley Knoles production coming to the Strand theater next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with a remarkable cast, including Gladys Cooper, Ellen Terry, Constance Collier and C. Aubrey Smith. Much has been written about him in advance of his coming to this country from England. Now that he is here it is easily seen that his personality has not been exaggerated. Ivor Novello is an extraordinarily goodlooking young man.

"Please, please, don't write me up as the handsomest man in all England. And please don't say that I have come to America to take the place of any star in the hearts of the public," he said on his arrival.

"I wouldn't have the nerve to call myself the handsomest man in a party of three, let alone in all England, and whatever place I make for myself in 'The Bohemian Girl' the public will decide, not I. They are the best judge."

In spite of his Spanish name Novello is English, his father being head of a large music publishing firm in London, and his mother, Mme. Clara Novello Davies, a concert singer and singing teacher in New York.

The influence of music has manifested itself in the tastes and talents of young Novello. He turned to the composition of music as a natural thing, and has written a number of songs popular in England and at least one popular all over the world. "Keep the Home Fires Burning" is his, written during the war when he was in the flying corps. His connection with the movies was accidental.

"I hadn't the slightest notion of ever doing screen work," he said, "until a friend seated at an adjoining table in a restaurant introduced me to the man he was with, who happened to be a director in search of a fellow who looked enough like an Italian and an Englishman that he could be mistaken for either. It ended by my being engaged for the lead part in his picture."

Novello is not quite like the popular conception of a screen hero, and yet neither is he to the contrary. He resembles no one else nor is his type sufficiently unusual to be anything but pleasing. His medium height is exceedingly well proportioned, his hair is jet black, but his complexion is fair and he is 27 years old. His manner is reserved as befits the Britisher, but one has the idea that his temperament is ardent, enthusiastic.

As Thaddeus, the Polish refugee, in "The Bohemian Girl," screen enthusiasts in this country could not ask for a better opportunity to know him.

The Mexican government has completed a motion picture film descriptive of Mexican resources and industries.



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RABBITS FOR FOOD AND FUR

The breeding, rearing, feeding and housing of stock, also the production of pelts, together with their treatment. These subjects will be dealt with each week in this column, and the writer invites inquiries from those wanting information but cannot undertake to answer inquiries by letter.
By WILLIAM L. SMITH, 103 Waco Street, Wichita Falls, Texas

Nearly everybody at some time in their lives kept rabbits, mostly, perhaps, in their childhood days. The money value of one's pets did not then count, but the pleasure obtained from them can never be forgotten. Unfortunately, through want of expert knowledge had housing, improper feeding, etc., it frequently happened that one's rabbits met with untimely ends, and of course, the wider the possibilities of making profit out of rabbit-keeping did not present themselves. But long ago the keeping of rabbits definitely passed beyond that of a children's game.

Today it is one of the most fascinating of hobbies, ran on scientific lines, and it is also a profitable industry. Many thousands of men and women find infinite pleasure, great creative advantages to both mind and body, and a very welcome increase to their income from rabbit-keeping conducted in the modern and correct way. Moreover, anyone with very little space at his disposal can, during leisure hours, keep and breed rabbits most successfully either for fur, or food. The breeding of rabbits for the winning of prizes is a very much more bigger and extensive hobby than it ever was and a very different thing to what most people think. Rabbits have been selling for as much as $250 each during the last two or three years ago whilst they have been a few cases where $500 has been realized for a single specimen. Rabbit-keeping for show—even apart from utility purposes—is, therefore, a hobby well worth giving serious thought to. There is certainly money in it and much more than at first meets the eye, and a visit to any large rabbit show would convince the livestock lover of the pleasure to be derived from the exhibiting of "Bunny."

For Table Purpose.

And not only is there the fur production to be taken into account in this side of the hobby, but there is the flesh also. There is no more appetising an animal flesh than that of the hutch-fed rabbit. It is sweet and of good flavor, and there is always a big demand from the trade at remunerative prices for all the rabbits you can spare. Rabbits for food are readily purchased in thousands by those who specialize in this kind of thing.

$10 Per Pound for Wool.

Another important industry opening up a very wide and profitable field of the opportunist is the breeding of Angora rabbits for wool. This variety is the only one carrying a coat of so fine a texture as to be termed "wool" instead of "hair." At the present time, the demand for this wool greatly exceeds the supply, and the spinners today will give for the handsome price of $10 per pound. The coat of this rabbit grows at a tremendous pace to between seven and 10 inches in length, and the wool is obtained by clipping the animal every three months, or, in the case of exhibition specimen, by regular combings. Here is a very profitable industry for the women to take up, as this would probably come more under the head of women than of men. The feeding of rabbits is also very simple. There is nothing costly or difficult about it in anyway. Household scraps can form a big part of the daily ration. Waste pieces of bread, potato parings, waste vegetables, etc., are all useful.

A little bran, a few oats, and some hay are all the things one needs to purchase. Rabbits are exceedingly fond of green food, such as dandelion leaves, clover, cauliflower leaves, and scores of other kinds of green foods which grow wild and cost only the trouble of gathering. By using such stuff rabbits are kept in good health, and the cost very little to keep.

Further, from this brief description of a delightful pastime, it will be seen that its is quite an easy matter to make a good start and that is not expensive as to be out of the reach of the man or woman in humble circumstances. On the other hand, the benefits are considerable and open to all. It is not a hobby where the long purse holds sway. It is a field of pleasure where the man is prepared to give serious thought to his breeding operations can, and does, beat the long purse every time. It is full of simple home pleasure, easy to carry on, and within the reach of everyone. And, lastly, it will always yield financial profit if rightly conducted.

I will now take you to one of our modern rabbitry's right here in our home town, which is only one of the many you will find here and making a success of the business. I will here give you the story of a successful breeder as he told it to me on a visit to his rabbitry.

J. H. Hall lives just a short way out on the Fort Worth highway, better known as Spix Water Well place. Mr. Hall first became interested by hearing of the success of some of his friends had made of the undertaking so he made up his mind to get him some rabbits, and go into it for what money there was to be gotten out of it. Knowing that his friends could make money raising rabbits why not he?. So he made up his mind if they could make money raising them, he would try his luck. He bought up all the loose rabbits he could find (here is where the beginner makes a mistake as you will see later on.) Hearing of the Rabbit Breeders association he became a member of same. At the meeting he learned that to be successful one must be well informed, and to take and read rabbit journals and literature. Doing this, it did not take him long to see that he had gotten off on the wrong system that instead of buying up a lot of scrub rabbits, he should have bought pedigreed stock.

This being the case, Mr. Hall did not lose any time disposing of these culls and by reading and consulting his rabbit journals, he learned the whereabouts of where he could buy the best, and bought same regardless of the cost and now he has some of the best rabbits barring none.

Now it is a pleasure for him to show his stock, which if you make a visit to his rabbitry, you will be convinced of this fact. Mr. Hall specializes in the New Zealands and the American Blues. Mr. Hall has only been in the rabbit business for about nine months and up to this time has sold $97.00 worth, not taking into account the large number his family consumed at home. I was informed he has been very lucky not to lose very many on account of disease, this being attributed to his successful way of building his rabbitry sanitary. Mr. Hall now has on hand 150 which he values can be sold for and will bring him at least $500. This being a very little amount compared to what one could do if one's whole time were devoted to the business. Mr. Hall is in the mineral water business therefore does not devote all his time for rabbits.

It would do well to pay this rabbitry a visit and learn more about the possibilities of this growing industry, carried on at the Star rabbitry.

The object of this article is to suggest the keeping of rabbits to anybody who is wanting a pleasureable, spare-time hobby, one in which judgment and skill can be exercised and which can easily be made to pay. A hobby that can be started without spending a lot of money, and which will create interest and can be indulged in by all the member's of one's family.

Country's Eggs Cornered, He Says



Aaron Sapiro

That five men in Chicago control the egg market of the entire United States is the charge made by Aaron Sapiro, San Francisco attorney and market expert. Sapiro made the accusation at the national egg marketing conference held in Chicago recently under the auspices of the American farm bureau.

"Flame of Life" Comes Thursday To the Empress

The struggle of human souls toward betterment of social conditions and mental standards has been the theme of many great pictures, but in the Robert Henley Universal-Jewel special, "The Flame of Life," coming to the Empress theatre next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the atmosphere is strange to the screen.

It is the mining country in the north of England, where people lived in squalor and ignorance in 1870, and were characterized by their masters as "little better than beasts."

"The Flame of Life" was adapted from one of Frances Hodgson Burnett's most widely read books and the story is considered equal to "Little Lord Fauntleroy" in coloring and atmosphere, and far superior to it in dramatic pitch. Elliott Clawson prepared it for screening.

Priscilla Dean has the most gripping role of her career in the new offering. As a woman of the slaving peasantry, unable to read or write, and possessing one work dress, and one good dress, will be seen in a characterization that is certainly unique.

The artistry of Miss Dean was never better exemplified. She reaches emotional and dramatic heights that are remarkable even for this talented actress. Her performance holds one spellbound. The entire supporting cast is excellent and was chosen with great care to insure perfect balance.

A smashing thrill in the form of a great mine catastrophe in which great tunnels and shafts actually were blown up for the picture, gives a twist to the climax, surprising and gripping.

Robert Ellis, Wallace Beery, Beatrice Burnham, Kathryn McGuire, Fred Kohler, Emmett King, Nancy Caswell, Frankie Lee, Richard Daniels and others support Miss Dean. Hobart Henley directed.

Mr. Beery is at his best in this picture. Never has he given a more convincing performance than he does in the role of the brutal father who lacks even the faintest spark of human sympathy. Praise also must be accorded Robert Ellis for his interpretation of an extremely difficult part. Kathryn McGuire will be recalled by many as the former comedy and bathing beauty star. Her role in this picture, however, is quite serious.

Parsonite, a new radioactive mineral, was recently discovered in ores from the Belgian Congo.

KNOX CITY TO GET BIG PLANT

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Special Dispatch to Record News

KNOX CITY, June 9.—Workmen are erecting the concrete foundation for the $60,000 waterworks which is to be placed in this city. The present foundation will be used for the standpipe. Contractors state that pipe and machinery have been shipped and will arrive soon. Bonds were voted for this plant two months ago.

Ruhr Anarchy To Follow Passive Resistance Halt

Associated Press Dispatch

BERLIN, June 9.—Anarchy would prevail in the Ruhr valley if the Berlin government ordered the populace to abandon passive resistance to the occupation authorities, declares Theodore Wolff, editor-in-chief of the Tageblatt, in an article in that newspaper today. He denies the French charges that the people of the Ruhr are resisting because they have been ordered to do so by the Berlin authorities.

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CHILLICOTHE, Texas, June 9.—The 30-piece military band of the John Tarleton college of Stephenville was in the city Thursday morning in the interest of the college.

They were met by the manager of the chamber of commerce and business men. At 1 o'Oclock thy gave a concert which attracted a large crowd. This is considered one of the best bands in the state. They were served a banquet at noon.

Rev. S. B. Culpepper, pastor of the Baptist church at Stephenville, spoke on the advantages of an education and especially of the kind John Tarleton had to offer.

Thurman Accepts Work.

Elder A. F. Thurman, who has served the Church of Christ as pastor for three years, accepted the work Sunday for the ensuing year.

As evidence of the church's appreciation of Mr. Thurman's past service, he was given a nice increase in salary.

Installation Services.

Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church one additional elder and four deacons will be ordained and installed. Following are the names of the men elected for these offices: J. B. Forbes, elder; J. T. Bond, Garland Wickliffe, J. W. Roberts and Reuben Tartar, deacons.

Returns From Sanitarium

Mrs. W. T. Wofford, who submitted to a severe operation at the Standifer sanitarium on May 27, returned to her home here Tuesday. Mrs. Wofford's condition is reported as still very serious.

Pupils Give Recital.

One of the most pleasing recitals of the season was given at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, when Mrs. Scarbrough presented her music pupils.

Civic Improvement.

Another step in civic improvement was taken this week when the city put in a new fire plug on the corner at the Farmers' Lumber company.

The Bank of Chillicothe also began the erection of the new awning around its building, which will be an all-steel frame.

Attend B. Y. P. U. Convention.

The Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. convention, held at Quanah Thursday and Friday, was attended by the following: Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Lancaster, Misses Irene White, Ina Bryant, Audie May Jackson, Mrs. P. D. Wey, Messrs. Frank Whorton and James Pippin.

Class Gives Picnic.

One of the most enjoyable picnics of the season was given at the tourist park Monday evening when the men's organized class was host to the members, families and friends, numbering about 250.

Winnie Lee Williams delighted the crowd by reading Editor Guest's "A Heap O' Livin'."

W. M. Houston and Austin Aulds rendered several selections on the violin and guitar.

Rev. C. B. Lancaster announced the last stunt of the evening would be the "Baby Marathon Race." There was a call for four young lady volunteers, Misses Evelena Sely, Daisy Ogles, Mrs. Ben Wofford and Mrs. Frankie Creighton responding. These ladies chose four young men, Frank Whorton, Joe Davis, Corley Calhoun and Alvin Ryon.

The ladies were handed wrapped packages, with the request that they remain wrapped until the count of three, at which signal the men were to consume the contents of the package held by the ladies, the one finishing first to be declared the winner.

As the signal was given the ladies hurriedly unwrapped their packages, and to the men's consternation they beheld nursing bottles filled with milk. However, each contestant worked earnestly as if the prize were a million dollars instead of a lemon, which was awarded Miss Evelena Seely and Corley Calhoun.

Electra
NEWS AND PERSONALS

ELECTRA, June 9.—Mrs. H. M. Kirby entertained Friday evening, June 1, with bridge. High score was won by Mrs. Ed Campbell and Mrs. John Brownlee took consolation. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Hugh Earl Hemby, Frank Fisher, Ed Campbell, A. S. Haaf, A. Fisher, R. E. Merkt, E. M. Friend, Earl Calk, John Brownlee and Misses Ruth Simpson and Leta Mae Cocke.

Juvenile Music Club Meets.

The Juvenile Music club met Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the basement of the Methodist church. Roll call was answered with a brief sketch of the life of some famous composer. The following program was rendered:

Banjo uke solo.....Ursul Archer
Piano solo.....Bettie Mae Brown
Reading.....Mildred Anne Kearby
Banjo solo.....Ursul Archer
Reading.....Monghon Kearby

Misses Maudie Ladd and Mozelle Parker of Vernon visited with Miss Allie Randall and attended the Shrine dance here Friday.

Bert Bean Makes No Attack On Gasoline Stations

Bert Bean has no crow to pick with the gasoline filling stations, he said Saturday.

A item printed in this newspaper Friday stated that Mr. Bean had taken a part in the discussion of traffic problems at the business council luncheon at the chamber of commerce Friday.

Mr. Bean merely offered the suggestion that while the turn to the right problem was being investigated by a chamber of commerce committee that the condition of congested traffic at gasoline filling stations also should be studied. Mr. Bean is making no fight against the gasoline stations, he made plain, and suggests that the stations themselves may offer some suggestion whereby this recognized condition may be abated.

OLNEY TAKES ON GROWTH AFTER SWASTIKA COMES IN



Here is a picture of a street scene at Olney, today one of the fastest growing towns in Northwest Texas, following the Swastika field discovery. A number of brick buildings are now being constructed in the business section.

Town's Growing Fast, Olney Editor Says, But Thinks There Is Opening For Good Movie and Swimming Pool

A $40,000 bank building, a new high school to cost $40,000, two new brick business houses costing $25,000, a new city hall and fire station, new residences, lots of oil, plenty of pep and everybody happy, just about epitomizes the presen tstatus quo of the thriving and growing city of Olney, according to Editor Ralph Shuffler of the Olney Enterprise.

Editor Shuffler, like all good citizens and most good newspapermen, believes in "selling" his town to everybody he meets.

Editor Shuffler is not handicapped by being blessed with such a worthy ambition for it would seem he has a town worthy of telling the world about. Olney is not, the editor most plainly emphasizes, a muchroom town. Olney was getting a good substantial growth before oil was discovered near its environs.

That city several years ago learned that to build a town everybody has to do a little sacrificing and a whole lot of sure-enough hard work day and night. The citizens of Olney are now being rewarded for their town is becoming as a sure enough coming oil city. The town has better hotel accommodations than most towns waking up with an oil boom on them. Four good hotels, two with baths and running hot and cold water, are already there and are filled to capacity. There are plenty of cafes and boarding houses keeping pace with the increasing number of visitors arriving daily.

Olney, according to Editor Shuffler, is still ambitious, however. They want to play a little over there as well as work. Therefore a S. O. S. for some one to put in a first class moving picture theatre and a swimming pool is being broadcast. There is an abundance of water and the town boasts of sewage system serving 80 per cent of the town. The housing situation is acute and a call for rent houses and for some one to build houses to be sold has gone out.

Editor Shuffler invites the world to come over and look over his town. "I have no boasts to make. Come and give us the O. K. Seeing is believing" is the way he expresses himself on the matter.

Chillicothe Personals and Briefs

CHILLICOTHE, June 9.—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allred and family of Wichita Falls spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. L. T. Randel. They also visited Mrs. Lucy Allred of the Midway community.

Dr. R. M. Harkey, manager of the chamber of commerce, has returned from a business trip to Vernon.

Mrs. A. E. Boyd of Amarillo spent the week with her husband, A. E. Boyd, of this city.

John Cope of the Massie-Cope store, Quanah, was here Wednesday.

Messrs. and Mesdames John Otwell, Grady G. Roberts and Miss Ruth Payne attended the community week lecture in Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Wilson and family have returned from a visit with relatives in Tulia and Plainview.

O. C. Tidmore of Wichita Falls is at the bedside of his father, J. P. Tidmore, who is very ill on the Moffett farm.

H. A. Cole of Medicine Mound passed through Wednesday on his way home, en route from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Verge Standifer and little son recently visited relatives in Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kemp of Vernon were the recent guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Lightsey.

George Long, manager of the light and ice company, has returned from Lawton and Medicine Park, Okla.

Mrs. T. J. Sims has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Mart Clifton, in Haskell.

Mrs. George Long has returned from a visit with friends in Quanah.

Mrs. George Self of Crowell and Miss Bragg recently visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Dodson.

Clarence Thurman, who has been attending Abilene Christian college, returned Sunday to spend the summer with his parents, Elder and Mrs. A. F. Thurman.

Mrs. Jas. E. Thornton and little daughter have gone to Floydada for an extended visit with her parents.

Mrs. Grady G. Roberts has returned from a week's visit in Haskell.

Misses Media Oswalt and Vera Clayton of Quanah, who have been guests of relatives here, spent the week-end in Crowell.

W. B. Crump of Myra has returned after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Oscar Ryon.

Miss Elva Hitt has returned from a visit with friends in Truscott.

Miss Rubye Rhodes of Bailey high left Monday for Denton, where she will enter the summer term of school.

H. A. Cole of Medicine Mound was here Saturday.

Misses Etta Lynn Daugherty and Estelle Plummer have returned from a visit with friends in Vernon.

Mrs. Frank Graham and children have returned from a visit with friends in Vernon.

Mrs. C. V. Ayers and little daughter, Virginia Ruth, have returned from a visit with Mrs. Ayres' parents in Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. John Otwell visited with friends in Vernon.

Mrs. H. T. Montgomery and children are visiting relatives and friends in Rush Springs and Duncan, Okla.

Mrs. C. L. Bailey has returned from Knox City, where she recently submitted to an operation.

Mrs. Roxy Minter and children of Fort Worth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ayers.

Mrs. Jack Nuckles and children have returned from Fort Worth, where they visited relatives.

Misses Cordye Emmons and Lorena Heggie of Honey Grove were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Huggins and family.

Lonzo Higgins, who has been in a sanitarium at Dallas, has returned home. His condition is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mudd have returned to their farm south of town.

J. P. Oliphant and family of Blair, former residents here, returned this week to live here again.

Little Louise Allred, daughter of Judge and Mrs. L. W. Allred, submitted to an operation in the Vernon sanitarium Friday. Her condition is reported as rapidly improving.

Misses Verva Allen and Azalee Neely are attending the state Christian Endevor convention at Sherman this week.

Mrs. S. P. Fowler of Center was a recent visitor.

Ras White of Center Point was here Wednesday.

Miss Anette Adrian has returned from Clovis, N. M., where she taught in the schools.

Miss Ethel Adrian returned Wednesday to Canyon, where she is attending school, after a week's visit with her parents here.

C. S. Blomshield, manager of the Quanah light and ice company, was here Saturday.

Mrs. Annie Stevens, who has been teaching at Oklaunion, is spending a few days with home folk.

Mr. and Mrs. John Otwell spent Sunday afternoon in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlock and daughter have returned from Galveston.

Miss Helen Moreman is spending the week with her sister in Loving.

Typewriters came into being in the commercial work in April, 1873, when Christopher L. Sholes, the inventor, made his first contract for their manufacture.

One New York bookshop dealing entirely in children's publications, has a large demand for French, Italian, Scandinavian, German and Russian books for little people.

ELECTRA STORE FULL OF WATER

Big Fire Truck Called to Pump Building Dry

Special Dispatch to Record News

ELECTRA, Texas, June 9.—One of Electra's big fire trucks was called into play Wednesday afternoon to pump out thousands of gallons of water which had accumulated under the building occupied by Tarlton Drug company, on Cleveland avenue.

The exact cause of this huge quantity of water collecting under the building is not known, but it is thought a leaky pipe may be responsible. City Engineer J. B. Miller will investigate.

Frederick
NEWS AND PERSONALS

FREDERICK, Okla., June 9 — Sam Finley left Wednesday evening for Oklahoma City and Tulsa on business connected with the local oil field.

Mrs. Grady Marchman of Bridgetown, Texas, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. White.

Mrs. Hawkins White of Bridgetown, Texas, is a guest in the W. L. Zumwalt home.

Dr. J. E. Arrington has returned from a state health officer's meet at Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Conrad, who have been visiting in Frederick for the past two weeks, left Thursday for their home in Assumption, Ill.

Lloyd Boatwright, who has been attending Oklahoma university, arrived home Wednesday.

Providence Mounts left Thursday for Hobart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Medlock of Grandfield were here Wednesday.

Misses Myrtle Carpenter and Eula Emmanuel left Thursday for California where they will spend the summer.

Miss Elsa Redeker left Thursday to accept a position in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. W. E. Jet and Miss Pauline Reynolds left Thursday morning for a visit in Forest City, Ark.

W. B. Nolan of Beaumont, Texas was a business visitor here Wednesday.

M. L. Frisbee of Angola, Ind. was transacting business in Frederick Thursday.

J. M. Bennett, who had been in Frederick a couple of days, left Thursday for his home in Hobart.

Mrs. J. K. Hardaman and daughter, Mrs. John Lynn, of Vernon, Texas, were in Frederick Thursday morning.

Jennings Bacon of Davidson visited friends in Frederick today.

G. G. Black made a business trip to Enid Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Muller left Thursday for Boulder, Colo., where they will attend the summer normal school.

Mrs. E. J. Bosse left Thursday morning for Rochester, Minn., to be with her husband who is in a hospital there.

Mrs. Gale Williams entertained the Bridge club Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Gladys Rabon of Madill who is her guest.

Mrs. T. B. Simmons won the favor for high score and presented it to Miss Rabon. The club meets next Wednesday with Mrs. Simmons.

C. M. Murphy of Elmer and Miss Josephine Gilliland of Tipton were married Thursday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Gilliland. Mr. Murphy is cashier in a bank at Elmer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blankenship, who have been conducting the song services at the Baptist revival, left Thursday for their Dallas home.

Presiding Elder A. L. Cameron of Lawton will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist Episcopal church, South Sunday. The pastor, the Rev. C. C. Barnhardt, is teaching in a church institute at Oklahoma City.

The county commissioners will meet Monday to resume their work as a board of equalization.

Petition Filed For Auxiliary Of Klan Women

Associated Press Dispatch

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 9.—A petition for the incorporation of the ladies of the ku klux klan, national woman's auxiliary to the knights of the ku klux klan, was granted by Judge J. R. Mann in second division circuit court here today. National headquarters of the organization will be in Little Rock, according to the petition.

The purposes of the organization as set forth in the petition are similar to those of the ku klux klan, namely, "the furtherance of education, literature, science and the worship of Almighty God and the promotion of All other acts that tend to promote Christian character." The organization will strictly subordinate to the ku klux klan.

Among the women named in the petition as incorporators were Lula A. Markwell of Little Rock, Mrs. H. D. Morse, Houston, and Mrs. A. B. McCloud, Dallas.

Excess in dress among the early Romans was restrained by law, and in England by numerous statutes, as late as the sixteenth century.

FREDERICK IN HOT CHECK WAR

Merchants Will Make Trail Warm for Pen Artists

Special Dispatch to Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., June 9.—He who writeth checks which are bot in this town has a tortuous path to tread, according to a dictats from an organization of merchants who say they will prosecute on every bad check given them fro mthis date of warning. The merchants are this week publishing the statute in regard to bogus checks.

TECH CLUB TO HOLD LUNCHEON

Elaborate plans are being made for the Technical club luncheon to be held Tuesday, June 19, officials of the organization stated Saturday. The meeting, which will be the regular monthly session of the club, will be arranged with special attention for delegates of the Southwest Waterworks association convention that will be here on that date.

Addresses by several of the prominent visitors and special musical attractions will be provided.

OIL REFUND ORDERED.

Special Dispatch to Record News

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The interstate commerce commission today ordered $2,022.42 paid to the Liberty Oil company as reparation for unreasonable freight charges on a shipment of crude oil from Iowa Park to New Orleans.

So popular has baseball become in Vera Cruz, Mexico, that practically all available space is taken by players on Sundays and holidays.

At present rate of slaying, only one coyote in ten that now exists, on the plains will be alive at the end of ten years, according to the federal biological survey.

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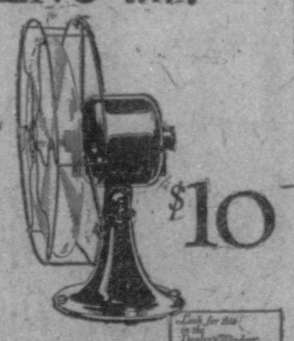
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New Paisley Crepes, Ladies' 16-Button Pure Silk Gloves, all colors, at $1.79

RICHARDSON BROS.
Next Door to First National Bank

ELECTRA MAN LOSES HIS FOOT

H. T. Faughn Injured While Demonstrating Fordson Tractor

ELECTRA, Texas, June 9.—H. T. Faughn, an employee of the Line Motor Co., of this city, lost his left foot Monday night while demonstrating a Fordson tractor. It will perhaps be necessary to remove the leg below the knee as the bones were badly crushed.

Mr. Faughn apparently put his foot in the line to take out the slack, thinking the machine was out of gear. Unfortunately such was not the case, and his foot was torn practically off.

Waurika
NEWS AND PERSONALS

Special Dispatch to Record News

WAURIKA, June 9.—The Thursday Bridge club met last week with Mrs. J. N. Johnston, hostess. The house was decorated with bowls and baskets of roses and garden flowers. Mrs. J. N. Johnston had high points and Mrs. F. E. Watkins high honors, each of whom received the club prizes.

A delicious two-course luncheon was served after the games to the club members.

Thursday night the Kureans and some intimate friends had a party at the home of Mrs. Isabel, complimentary to Mrs. J. A. Overstreet and her two daughters, Misses Ila Alay and Faye, who left that night for their home in Mexia, Texas.

The evening was spent in social conversation and music and after the refreshments, which the Kureans had thoughtfully provided, the party being a surprise to the Isabel household, Mrs. Josephine Carter, president of the Kureans, presented Mrs. Overstreet with a piece of silverware to take to her new home as a reminder of Waurika friends. Mrs. J. S. Cole, in whose Sunday school class the two girls have been members, gave them forget-me-not lingerie clasps as a parting gift, Mrs. Overstreet and the girls responding with a few words.

Out of town guests were Mrs. C. A. Howard and her daughter Miss Aline Howard of Walters, Okla.

The Merry Matrons held their regular meeting last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Herbert Lang. The usual jolly informal afternoon was spent, and each matron accomplished some work, as each had brought her embroidery. The hostess served delicious refreshments at the close of the afternoon.

Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reed entertained with cards, music and dancing. A very informal, but thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent by the Merry Matrons, their husbands and a few friends.

Monday afternoon the Kureans met with Mrs. C. A. Holding who was assisted in entertaining her guests by her niece, Miss Mary aJne Kitchen.

The business meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. Josephine Carter who appointed a year committee, comprised of Mesdames C. A. Holding and Emmet Clarke. Each Kurean will submit at least two programs to this committee who will have charge of their arrangement.

The program was "Heart Throbs" and Mesdames J. E. Connors and Fred Pittman each gave an interesting talk, while the round table discussion was "Sources of My Spiritual Inspiration for the Past Year."

After the lesson, the hostesses assisted by Mary Jane Kitchen, Mildred Hodges and Pollyanna Heacock, served a delicious plate luncheon, Mrs. Holding then favored the Kureans with a number of songs, singing in her usual lovely voice.

The meeting next week will be a Kurean picnic, providing the weather man changes his tactics and sends seasonable picnic weather.

The Delphians held their last meeting of the year on Tuesday of last week, at which time there was election of officers. All the old officers were re-elected with the exception of the vice-president when Mrs. A. E. Landon was elected to fill that office. As soon as weather conditions become settled the Delphians will give an old fashioned lawn fete, to which the public will be invited.

The Laffalots met Monday evening at the home of Miss Anna Snook when one of the most enjoyable evenings in the history of the club, was spent. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers, carrying out a color scheme of pink and yellow.

Receiving with Miss Snook, who is one of the city's most talented soloists, was Miss Helen Huffman, each of whom was attired in garments of several decades ago. Miss Huffman's dress was a ribbon and lace princess dress with high collar and long sleeves, and with a train, while Miss Snooks' was of another period and was very bouffant. The skirt was made with tiers of wired ruffles and with a low round neck with lace fichu. They each wore hats, feather trimmed and belonging to the same era as their gowns.

A lovely musical program was rendered by Miss Snooks, accompanied by Miss Huffman on the piano. The program included the grand opera selection "Romeo and Juliet" by Gounod, "Love When Dawn Comes Stealing," "Waters of Minnetonka" and closing with that sweet little song "Rosalie."

The rest of the evening was spent with sewing and enjoying the views Miss Snook brought home with her from her two years spent in New York and Atlantic City, where she studied voice.

The hostess assisted by Miss Huffman served a lovely individual tray collation consisting of dewberries with whipped cream and white and gold cake. The plate favors were rosebud nut baskets with mints and candied almonds.

Tuesday afternoon Mesdames Ed Wiseman and George Horne were hostesses to the Dorcas class of the Methodist Sunday school. There was no program as the meeting was a called business meeting.

After the transaction of all the business to be brought before the class the hostesses served light refreshments.

MOTORIZED FARMS WITHIN 3 YEARS

Associated Press Dispatch

AMARILLO, Texas, June 9.—Farms of the nation will be motorized within three years, James L. Darst, tractor expert of Liberal, Kan., told large crowds today attending the Rock Island community institute. The tractor is here to stay and farmers who do not today believe in it will be forced to its use as an economy move, the speaker said.

Co-operative marketing must be practiced by farms if fair prices are to be obtained by producers, M. E. Heyes, secretary of the Texas farm bureau, said in his address.

Tonight's session with the closing program was given over to Amarillo and Panhandle people, Thomas E. Turner, of Amarillo and W. A. Plamer of Canadian, making addresses on livestock and agricultural resources of this region.

Graham Society and Personals

Special Dispatch to Record News

GRAHAM, June 9.—Events for the preceding week had their beginning and climax in the commencement exercises of the Graham high school. They began Thursday and continued through Monday evening. The seniors were naturally the most important of all with their wise looks and ease of freedom, after their final exams. They pulled off a sucessful play Friday night, entitled "Fannie and the Servant Problem," involving the difficulties of an English lady with her servants and the usual happy ending. Miss Martha Mae Morris took the leading part. The evening perceding, the grammar schools had their final exercises, in which 38 from East ward and 20 from Shawnee Park received their certificates of promotion from the seventh grade to the high school. The programs were held simultaneously at each school.

Sunday morning the seniors heard the commencement sermon, delivered by Rev. C. B. Taylor of the First Baptist church. The large new First Methodist church was filled to overflowing. The scene was one in which a poet or a painter would have delighted. The sun filtered in through the partly open stained glass windows, giving light and airiness to the scene. The gold of the pipe organ, the creaminess of the chandeliers, the bright-colored dresses of the audience and choir, the greenness of the ferns in their pots of purple and gold, scattered along the rostrum, all blended with the sober-hued gray of the seniors' caps and gowns to make the scene one fo indescribable beauty. Dr. Taylor took as his text, Psalm VIII., 4, "What Is Man, That Thou Art Mindful of Him?"

Special music was sung by a choir gathered from the churches of the city under the direction of Charles A. Russell.

On the final night, Monday, the auditorium was again crowded to its capacity, Dr. Clinton Lockhart of Texas Christian university, Fort Worth, delivered the address. I. T. Gilmer, president of the school board, delivered the diplomas, 38 in all, to the largest class in the history of the school. Dr. W. A. Morris, as representative of the Lion's club, presented the medal given by that club, to Miss Willie Allen of the high school for the highest general average, and to Miss Edith Rubenkoenig of the grammar schools. The C. L. S. C. medal in English was awarded to Miss Willie Allen, also. Superintendent H. B. Cogdell presented the scholarships to Miss Martha Mae Morris and Rufus McAfee as the salutatorian and valedictorian, respectively.

Outside of commencement there were very few parties and social features, beyond several small outings. Mrs. Billie Stimpson and Mrs. Simms were joint hostesses to the Music club at the home of Mrs. Stimpson, at a breakfast Tuesday morning. A delicious two-course breakfast was served with grape fruit as the first course and hot rolls, bacon, jelly and coffee. After the breakfast a picture of the club was taken by Photographer Miller.

The Tuesday club has disbanded for the summer, as has also the C. L. S. C.

John E. Morrison Jr. came in Saturday from the medical school, Galveston, where he received the degree of M. D. He will spend a month here before going to Cleveland, Ohio, to serve an interneship in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rickman and little son of Palestine are visiting Mr. Rickman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rickman.

Weatherford Touchstone of Dallas left Monday, after spending the week end here.

Miss Bond, a former teacher in the public schools, is visiting Mrs. Billie Stimpson.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Morrison and Mrs. A. W. Kay left Tuesday morning for a short visit in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. I. T. Gilmer is improving after an operation for the removal of her tonsils at the Virginia Street hospital.

Holland Schenck of John Tarleton, Stephenville, is here for a short visit with his parents, Judge and Mrs. W. F. Schenck.

Miss Frances Bowron has returned from C. I. A., Denton.

Misses Bertiece Evelyn Miller and Winnifred Cordelin Kizer will graduate this month from the Baylor School of Nursing, Dallas. The exercises will take place at the First Baptist church, June 11.

Miss Ermine Dougherty left Tuesday morning for her home in Haskell, after a short visit here with her sister, Mrs. Houston Bolin of South Elm street.

Friends of M. K. Graham have received complimentary copies of his published work on the money question entitled, "Gold." The work is a keen analysis of gold as the standard of value, its defects and the substitution of a better system. The recent fluctuations in 1918-1920 of the gold dollar, when the 1914 dollar was worth only 49 cents in 1920 and 76 cents in 1921, caused Mr. Graham to make this special study. The first chapter contains a translation of "La Mort de L'Or," or "The Death of Gold," which appeared in the April 15, 1922 edition of L'Illustration and was written by Guglielmo Ferrero. Other chapters include an historic back ground of gold, the growth of the national banking system, gold's three functions, as a medium of exchange, as a standard of value and as a basis of credit; the defects of the gold standard of value, the tabular system, what it is and its benefits. The final chapter contains the conclusions as drawn by Mr. Graham from his study of the gold system. He takes the position that the gold standard is now inadequate and unstable, and that a better system should take its place.

Lee Cox of the postoffice force is spending his vacation in South Texas.

The Methodists of the Sunday School league beat the league leaders, the Christians, by the score of 6 to 1 Tuesday. The Presbyterians and Baptists will play Thursday.

Burkburnett
NEWS AND PERSONALS

BURKBURNETT, June 9.—The The civic league met in regular session Tuesday afternoon at the Shrine hall, with Mrs. Lulu Majors presiding. The treasurer reported $163.96 in the bank.

Plans for the entertainment on Tuesday night, June 19, were discussed, when it was decided that the program committee perfect details in which other organizations of the city be represented. This entertainment will be known as "Community Evening" and will be held at the Y. M. C. A. building. All citizens of the town and community leases are cordially invited to be present.

Humble Employes Meet.

Employes of the Humble lease met Saturday afternoon on the Sercen lease grounds and enjoyed a delightful half-day outing. Each family took well-filled baskets, and the company provided cream and lemonade for the children, who enjoyed the occasion as only happy children can.

The program of amusement opened with a peppy ball game, at the close of which, the picnic-supper was spread. Then came merry games of many kind for the kiddies, and the evening closed with a dance at the Humble Lease school house.

Piano Recital.

On Monday evening the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kincaid was resplendant in bright flowers, dainty girls in party regalia, smiling parents and other guests; and the very atmosphere bespoke the hour of things poetical—an evening of music—when Mrs. Kincaid's music pupils were presented in piano recital.

The program opened with a lively contest of the pupils' ability to recognize and name noted musicians and composers from their photographs on the wall; and also to recognize from suggestion musical terms which had been pinned on their backs, the latter being called: "What Am I?", and was won by Miss Genevieve Taylor, who was rewarded by the presentation of a piano solo from her teacher.

The famous musicians' portraits contest was won by three pupils, Miss Audrey Baird, Katherine Halliburton and Genevieve Taylor, the latter winning the lucky draw.

A third musical game was won by Audrey Baird.

A splendid program was rendered by the children and young ladies, according to their grades and the solos and duets bespoke talent, study and musica, ability under the direction of an able superior instructor.

The following program was given:

"Flower Song" ..... Lange
Miss Audrey Baird

"Old Folks at Home" ..... Foster
Little Mildred Shelton

Duet, Marguerite Gloger and Teacher.

"Airy Fairies" ..... Spaulding
Little Gwinn Brumley

Humoresque ..... Dvorak
Miss Genevieve Taylor

"Charge of the Uhlans." (Duet)..
..... Carl Bohm
Miss Audrey Baird and teacher

"Home Sweet Home" ..... Smith
May Dell Gloger

"Fairies' Gift" ..... Thelma Moss

"Under the Mistletoe" ..... Engelman
Thelma Moss and Teacher

"Melody of Love" ..... Egelman
Katherine Halliburton

"Over Hill and Dale" (Duet)....
..... Engelman
Genevieve Taylor and Teacher

The program was concluded with a musical game called "Whose Land?" followed by a dainty service of summer refreshments, after which the guests said good-night to Mr. and Mrs. Kincaid, thanking them for an unusually pleasant evening.

The personnel of the guests enjoying the musical evening were: Mesdames Taylor, Moss, Beard, Minnie Kincaid, W. R. Hill, who assisted the hostess; Gill, Gloger and mother, Brumley; Misses Pauline Gill, Turner, Velma Moss, Patricia Middleton, R. D. Cunningham and Jack Brumley.

Italian Duties Reduced To Lower Food Cost

Associated Press Dispatch

ROME, June 9.—The Italian cabinet at a meeting held to consider means for alleviating the high cost of living decided to abolish or substantially reduce the customs duties on the most important foodstuffs brought into the country.

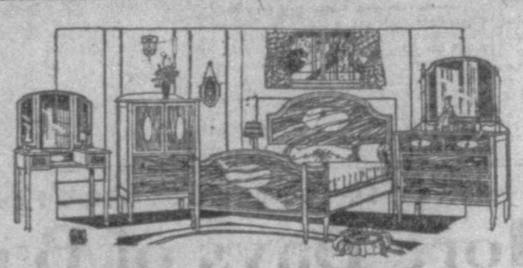
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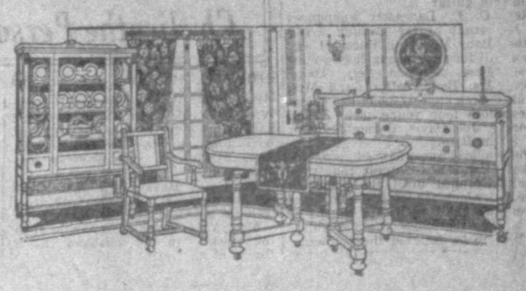


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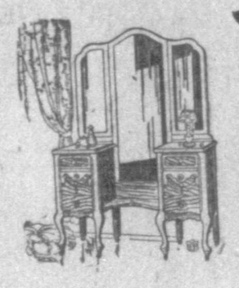
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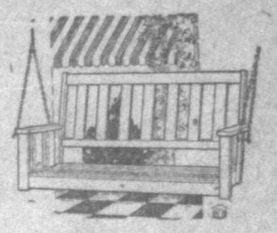


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Water Shortage and Crude Price Fails To Stop Oil Activities

HERE'S REVIEW OF ALL FIELDS

Extensions at Electra; Banner Week In Archer; Graham Spurts

Dry weather, acute water shortage, the low price of crude and a money shortage affecting the small independent operators, are factors which have shown up the past 10 days in this section and slowed operations to a certain extent.

Reports from the district office of the railway commission here, representing 59 counties, reveal the number of permits for drilling has fallen off. It is pointed out by observers of the oil business that the large companies are in no great hurry to speed up drilling operations so long as crude prices remain as they are. This affects the smaller operators not so much, but has entered into the decline.

Water Is Handicap

Added to this is a perhaps more pertinent factor for slowing down drilling operations in that it affects wells already being drilled, being a water shortage felt in all the fields surrounding Wichita Falls. Particularly in the Archer county Freeman-Hampton and Peterson fields has the lack of surface water been a serious handicap. In the latter field some operators report they have been shut down for two weeks because of the water scarcity. In other instances the situation has been met by piping water from the Wichita river. A rain at Electra the first part of the week relieved the situation there temporarily.

Despite the above handicaps the week has not been without a number of important developments which show that the business can hold up in the face of serious unavoidable contingencies. Wichita, Archer, Young and Clay counties all have made good advancement during the week and progress along all lines indicated.

In Wichita County.

In Wichita county though the report for the week shows a 600-barrel daily decrease due to water shortage in the Electra field, other developments and extensions counteract this.

One development in the Electra field which may mean an important extension is that of Kruger and Pois on the Waggoner lands a mile southwest of Electra which was being brought in the last of the week and expected to make from 100 to 150 barrels. This wildcat was in territory abandoned by some of the larger companies. Should it prove a paying producer much immediate activity is expected because the Texhoma and Texas companies have holdings around the test. Kruger and Pois have 40 acres in their lease and state they will develop it as fast as possible.

40-Barrel Electra Producer.

Another weeks strike of importance in the Electra field was the 40-barrel producer brought in early in the week by the Ryan company on abstract 78, George Fowler survey, south of Electra. This makes an extension of a mile in this area. No completions for the week were reported in the Burkburnett area. The Lanning and Monninger test on the Sides farm near that city is reported on a good sand, however, and expected to be brought in during the week.

Archer Has Good Week.

Archer county had a banner week, water shortage notwithstanding. The Peterson field gets the prize well for this section the last seven days being a 300-barrel producer brought in by the John O'Donohue interests. The week's reports show Archer county making a gain of near 600 barrels in daily production. One Archer county well which has perhaps drawn more attention than any other the last three days is the test of Roy I. Carter in the center of block 58 in the Kemp-Kemper lands. This test being two miles from production has struck oil and is being bailed out preparatory to standardizing and being brought in. Tanks have already been erected as a storage precaution and a strong gas pressure reported. This well if a profitable one, will give a two-mile extension to the Archer county field and will leave open a large intermediate section to be developed. Another Archer county wildcat flurry of equal importance developed during the week was the test of Burton and Ruff, about eight miles from Archer City in the American Tribune survey which has a fine showing of oil at 1,664 feet. It is conservatively believed from the showing already made at the Burton and Ruff test that the well will be a paying producer and open up a new area.

Freeman-Hampton.

In the Freeman-Hampton pool the Texhoma company came in with several good producers in their Ferguson tract and has brought in more completions for the week than any other company. The Freeman-Hampton area began the week strong with the Wilson Drilling company's No. 3 coming in for 150 barrels in the Ferguson tract Sunday.

Archer county's new field in the Swastika area at Olney had a most successful week. New locations as offsets to the original producer were made in all directions during the week. The field has been handicapped due to no pipe line facilities and this slowed down possible completions. The pipe line from Olney to the field will be finished by tomorrow and this week is expected to reveal some real development. Several large lease deals at high prices also featured the oil activities there. The Eagle creek well on block 15, Richardson lease, came in for 50 barrels, marking the southeastern extension of the field. The United Royalties well is going strong being on a fine sand a mile and a half from production and expected to come in during the week. Six other wells are on the sand waiting completion of the pipe line and with chances of a majority or all being completed this week.

Two completions at Graham for the week have been made and active lease interest reported. The Dyer et al. well No. 2 came in during the week for 150 barrels at a 3,864 depth. The Calmo Oil company brought in their No. 4 Williams for 60 barrels on their tract east of the Herron city district.

Clay County

In Clay county the activity this week centered solely around the Knox Finley well on the Saner, Saner and Lomax survey, nine miles south of Wichita Falls. This company's No. 1 well is holding up fine with 25-barrel daily production and at a depth of 1,120 feet. Their No. 2 well is practically completed and will be ready to be drilled in early this week, according to officials. This producer is purely wildcat territory and at such a shallow depth has created no little interest. Should the No. 2 well come in stronger than No. 1, it is easily to be conjectured that a large play will be given this shallow area. Pipes and McAdams have already made a location for a test near the Knox Finley well and hope to pick up the same sand.

FARTHEST NORTH WHITE HOUSE THIS



Governor's mansion at Juneau, Alaska, and inset of Gov. Scott C. Bone.

The gubernatorial mansion at Juneau, the capital of Alaska, soon will have the distinction of being the "farthest north White House" when President Harding makes it his headquarters during his Alaskan trip. Gov. Scott C. Bone will be the president's host during his northern sojourn.

How an Admiral Looks in Clothes Of Landlubber



Admiral Hugh Rodman, snapped leaving White House

Carrying out new orders United States admirals now wear civvies while on shore, donning their navy uniforms only when ordered to sea. Admiral Hugh Rodman is shown above in his street clothes after a chat with President Harding.

New Texhoma Well

The Texhoma company announces another producer on their Ferguson E lease in the Freeman-Hampton pool, well No. 13 coming in Friday for 110 barrels. Every test of the Texhoma completed on this lease to date has proven a paying producer.

Two Held For Fighting

Two white men were locked up by police early Saturday night, following a fight near the depot that resulted in severe bruising for one of the battlers. Patrolman Willis was attracted by the crowd that gathered, took the two in custody and escorted them to the city hall.

Charges of affray were lodged against both and they were locked up for the night.

Burk Baby Dies

Special Dispatch to Record News

BURKBURNETT, June 9.—Little Josie Brouslog, the 7-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brouslog, died at their home Saturday in the Tidal Western community yard.

The funeral will be held from the residence, being in charge of Miller Undertaking company, Monday afternoon, and burial will be in Burkburnett cemetery.

Glasses fitted. Faith Optical Co.—Adv.

Increased Oil Production Of 11.54 Per Cent Not Seen Very Alarming

By V. E. JACKSON

Head of Traffic and Sales Division Texhoma Company.

So much pessimism has been rampant as regards to petroleum industry, both at home and abroad, for the past few months as to have almost demoralized the entire industry, which seems to be the result of rank speculations originating from sources not thoroughly familiar with conditions. In the eyes of the public, the California situation has been the predominating feature, while as a matter of fact, the following figures, compiled from statistics of the bureau of mines and the American Petroleum institute tend to reassure those most familiar with the situation that so far as actual production is concerned there is little cause for alarm.

Daily average production in United States, 1922, 1,510,128 barrels.

Daily average production Mexican imports, 1922, 374,350 barrels.

Daily average production plus Mexican imports, 1922, 1,884,478 barrels.

Daily average production in United States, January 1 to March 31, 1923, 1,826,636 barrels.

Daily average production Mexican imports January 1 to March 31, 1923, 275,375 barrels.

Daily average production plus imports January 1 to March 31, 1923, 2,102,011 barrels.

Increase in daily domestic production plus Mexican imports 1923 over 1922, 217,833.

Percentage of increase, 11.54 per cent.

An actual increase of only 11½ per cent in production and imports of crude hardly justifies the present stories that are being circulated regarding excess of production. There are many fields east of the Rocky mountains that have greatly diminished since 1922. This is also a fact applied to Mexico. Practically the only great increase in production has been in Oklahoma and California, and does not greatly offset decreases from other sources.

Numerous processes for extracting gasoline from low grade oils have increased the production of gasoline but we cannot lose sight of the enormous increase in the consumption of gasoline, both domestic and foreign, even during March, April and May this year, which were cold blustery months, particularly in the main gasoline consuming area, showed from 30 to 40 per cent increase in consumption over the same months in 1922.

The constant nibbling at the price of crude oil in April and May gave a very uneasy phase to the situation, and made it appear to the public much more serious than had there been one 40 per cent cut in the posted price of crude. Instead of one there were four declines, and seems to have left the impression that the bottom was falling out. As a matter of fact, before crude was put on a gravity basis had there been four declines it would have likely amounted to $1 or more.

Taking these things into consideration it seems that the present depression is mainly psychological. Gasoline consuming weather did not open up until about the first of June, and prospects are that the present stocks of gasoline will be greatly depleted within 30 days. All refineries in Texas and Oklahoma in position to manufacture export gasoline, are completely sold up for this month. The wholesale prices on domestic grades have strengthened from one cent to two cents per gallon in the last three weeks, which has enabled many refineries to resume operations, and brought about deliveries of crude stocks that were increasing during the cold spring months to somewhat alarming proportions. There is no surplus of crude in north Texas when all of the local refineries are operating, and with a continuation of the warm weather in the north and east, together with the increasing export market will soon right the situation in this district.

WHITEHEAD-JOHNSON WELL DRAWS CROWD

GRAHAM, June 9. — Constant streams of cars went out to the Whitehead-Johnson well, one mile east of town, when the report came in that the well was flowing over. Spectators say they saw the oil flow over the casing, but it soon stopped, owing to caving. Oil scouts are rather pessimistic but it looks like it will make a good producer. It is only two feet in the time at 4,050 feet.

DERRICK ERECTED ON COUCH FARM

FREDERICK, Okla., June 9.—Work on erection of a derrick for another oil test well in Tillman county on the J. A. Couch farm, one mile southeast of Davidson, by A. L. Spears, began Friday morning.

The gas encountered in the Loofbourrow No. 1, three miles east of Frederick, Thursday, proved too light to be of value, although the promoter says the formation in this test is favorable to production.

OLNEY WAITS FOR PIPE LINE

Operators Have Wells On Sand Waiting For Line To Take Crude

By RALPH SHUFFLER

OLNEY, Texas, June 9.—The week's activities in the oil fields around Olney have seen no startling developments, most of the operators who have wells on or near the sand simply marking time until the pipe line which is under construction can reach the field and afford an outlet for the crude. The drills, however, have extended the area covered by the Swastika field both to the southeast and to the northeast, the Eagle Creek well being in for a producer of 50 barrels or better on block 15, Richardson lease, the extreme southeast test of the field so far, and United Royalties company is setting casing on a likely looking sand picked up at the expected depth a mile and a quarter northeast of production.

Railroad Lays Pipe

Wichita Falls & Southern railway interests are stringing pipe to the field from a siding constructed a mile and a half north of the city limits. Tankage has been purchased and is being erected at both ends of the line, and the work will be finished early in the coming week. Until this is done, it is doubtful if any of the wells will be completed, but there are six now on the sand—American Refining company, Sun company, Walling & Clark, Texas company, Lee Wilson, and United Royalties—besides the Eagle Creek well which is practically completed and will be placed on the pump in the next day or so, and the two Swastika producers.

Offsetting the American Refining company well, standardising with oil oozing over the casing through a plug, this same company's No. 2 and Swastika syndicate's 3-A spudded in Tuesday and are drilling steadily. They are down under the hill to the north of the discovery, and the first few feet are hard rock formation, so they have made but little headway.

Offset Well Planned

Swastika syndicate has skidded the rig from their recently completed 2-A to a location northeast, offsetting Eagle Creek company. This same company's Neal No. 1, five miles north of Olney, is carefully drilling around 1,400, coring ahead frequently, and reported looking good.

Operators got another salt water scare early in the week when Eagle Creek drilled through the sand and began making considerable salt water. However, they succeeded in entirely shutting off the water by cementing the bottom of th hole, and though this has decreased their possible production, it is believed their well will make 75 barrels or better when placed on the pump. It is still showing considerable gas, which is in itself evidence that the salt water trouble has been overcome.

Swastika syndicate's 1-B was abandoned early in the week around 2,000 feet, and the rig has been moved to a location on the C. H. Sanford farm, five miles southeast of Olney. Rig is now up and ready to spud in as soon as water line can be completed.

Walling & Clark are rigging up their offset to Swastika 2-A, moving the rig used on their first well, which is waiting for standard tools with a hole full of fluid. Derrick is completed for their other offset south of No. 2-A.

Texas Has Rich Core

Texas company, between the Sun and American refining wells, took a rich core early in the week and are setting casing in cement. The core from this well showed no breaks of any kind, and was extremely rich, and it is believed to be one of the best wells yet found.

Taylor et al, on the McClure, a mile and a half southeast of the field, are drilling around 1,000 feet with formations running true to the field, except that they are getting everything about 30 feet higher than in Swastika, and their limes, shales and gumbos are decreasing in thickness and their sands increasing, which looks very good. These people had a wonderful showing of both oil and gas at 490, and think it probable that paying wells will be found at that depth when tested out.

Featherstone & Ray, on the Morrison tract, two miles southwest of the field, are drilling around 1,500 having passed the depth at which they hoped to pick up the Swastika sand. At the expected depth, however, they did pick up more than 20 feet of broken sand and shale formations, a streak of rich sand, then a streak of shale, but did not figure it could be made a commercial producer. To the operators this is an indication that they are on the southwest edge of the formations, and it will stimulate considerable drilling in the territory between this test and Swastika.

First Rotary Test

In the area around the Kemp well, five miles southwest of town, Peter Oils, Inc., Kemp No. 2 is drilling around 700, their No. 1 is pumping better than 30 barrels, which is being used for fuel oil, and American Refining company interests are rigging up for an offset to the discovery on the south. This will be a rotary test, the first to be used in this field.

J. W. Donohue, Bullard et al. have a derrick complete and are rigging up on the Logan tract, 1050 south, 150 west of N. E. corner W. one-half block 70, T. E. & L. Co., Young county, two and one-quarter miles northwest of Peter Oils Kemp well and four miles due south of Swastika.

La Neve & O'Neall spudded in on the Hawkins tract half way between Swastika and Kemp fields Tuesday night.

Seven other locations in the territory between the two fields have been made. Some are drilling, others moving materials, and still others only reported as locations.

DeArmitt is rigging up on the Benson lease seven miles east of town for a standard tool test to 2000 feet.

Cable Tools Cause Trouble

Creighton et al. on the Vernon lease, a mile north of the city limits, have a crooked hole and will be forced to skid the rig. There is quite a bit of talk of changing to rotary tools until the red beds are passed, as water trouble and caveins make cable tool drilling in this section expensive and hazardous.

Two lease deals of considerable importance were reported yesterday. Swastika syndicate sold 60 acres in block 13 for $60,000 to Wichita Falls parties, and Chenault and other Wichitans bought 20 acres out of the southwest corner of block 8, between the field and the United Royalties well, for $14,000. Both of these leases are quite a distance from production.

20-MILE PIPE LINE IS RUN

Texas Company Makes Extension to Wilson Ranch In Archer

A 20-mile 6-inch pipe line is being laid by the Texas Pipe Line company extending from the Texas company's station on the Wilson ranch in Archer county and to tie on to the company's main line at Wichita Falls. Work at both ends of the project has commenced and ditching crews are now on the job.

Monday crews will start laying pipe and it is hoped to complete the project in from 30 to 40 days. This line will give a direct outlet for the crude production from the center of the Archer county activities and will be sufficient to take care of the situation for some time, it is believed.

Then Blood Was Shed.

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ELECTRA SOUTH FIELD WIDENS

Two Extensions and Heaviest Rain Since Fall Revive Interest

Special Dispatch to Record News

ELECTRA, Texas, June 9.—Two extensions of the south field, followed by the heaviest rain since last September, will considerably revive interest in the local situation. The Empire Fuel & Gas Co.'s No. 1-B in section 34 has attracted much interest, since it got the sand at 1,924 feet. This is a half mile south of the Texhoma Oil & Refining Co. producers, which have heretofore been the farthest south in the field.

A second extension was made by the Ryan Petroleum company, when its well on the George Nance tract, abstract 78, George Fowler survey, southwest of town, proved itself a 40-barrel pumper in the shallow sand. This well is nearly a mile from production. The Ryan company has already made a location to the north of this well and will start start a test immediately.

Deep Test Abandoned.

The Texhoma company keeps up its activity, and reports two good wells on the Waggoner in sections 33 and 34 this week. No. 12-E is making 175 barrels in the 1,800-foot pay, and No. 8 on the same lease is good for 75 barrels at the same depth.

On the old Banker lease in the Waggoner the Griswold Oil company is bailing the sand, showing lots of oil at 1,840 feet. It will be put on the pump within the next few days.

To the northwest of Electra, the Texas company has abandoned its deep test at 2,800 feet. The same company has started to pull casing, preparatory to abandoning its No. 265 on the Seale & Morris in the south field. It is 2,200 feet deep.

The test of Tal Finley and others, nine miles southwest of Electra and four miles from the nearest production, which had a fine showing of oil at 1,758 feet, has been abandoned as result of salt water. The drillers went too far and then tried to plug back to the sand. Another test will be made.

Archer Shows Increase.

Vernon parties are planning a test in wildcat territory about half way between the famous Siglar well and the southwest extremity of the south field. It will be watched with interest, as a number of showings have been found in that vicinity, but not sufficient to be commercially worth while.

Curtailment in the number of drilling tests due to the twofold discouragement of water shortage and price reduction has resulted in a loss of 600 barrles daily production. However, Archer county shows an increase of 600 barrels, having a daily average of 17,100 barrels. Electra is first, with 25,800 barrels. Burkburnett has 25,750 barrels. K. M. A. and Iowa Park has a daily average of 2,200 barrels.

The Hirschi's contribution for the week consisted of three dry holes. Camp Oil & Gas Co.'s No. 1 Dale, got salt water at 1,890 feet and has been abandoned. E. A. Dale pulled the casing on his No. 2 to the west of the Gulf producer in block 835. And in the southwest part of the Burk-Cameron lease in the Foster-Allen tract in block 833 that company has abandoned its No. 7 as a dry hole at 1,891 feet.

Burkburnett Quiet.

On the Bradley in block 834, in the north part of the Hirschi land, preparations are being made to drill in their No. 15. It is on top of the sand at 1,886 feet and has several hundred feet of fluid in the hole. No new drilling is reported in the Burkburnett section, with the exception of several tests in the south and southeast shallow fields. These are on the older tracts.

About eight miles northeast of Wichita Falls, the Knox Finley test in Clay county on the Saner-Lomax tract started swabbing the sand at 1,146 feet. It is showing up for a nice pumper. That company's No. 2 Saner, east of the original well, is drilling in the neighborhood of 1,000 feet. It is logging admirably with No. 1. The deep test on the Jackson-Bean-Kemp land to the northwest of the Finley test is going down without any trouble. It is being put down by Straley & Stone and is in the neighborhood of 1,600 feet. A number of other tests are being started.

Showings made in the tests which are going down in the Red river bed around Grandfield, Okla., are attracting attention. With but two feet in the sand, the Continental Oil company's No. 1 River Bed well is making preparations to drill in. It has 1,000 feet of fluid in the hole. The same company's No. 2 southeast of the Oklahoma-Texas well is setting casing on top of the sand showing lots of oil.

The No. 1 well of the Oklahoma-Texas company made several good flows to the top of the derrick and from indications will be good for 100 barrels. The same company has abandoned the original location for No. 2, some distance to the south, and is driving piling. The recent rise in the river runs over the first location.

New Archer Territory

Archer county furnished a number of good wells in the Freeman-Hampton and Peterson districts, despite water shortage. The addition of hundreds of acres to what may be termed at least semi-proven territory has been made in three widely scattered wildcats.

Archer county's outstanding feature was the finding of a sand at 1,794 feet, which after coring to the 1,802-foot pay, showed enough oil to warrant a good producer. This was the wildcat test of Roy I. Carter and associates. It will mean the opening up of a big slice of territory in the south part of Wichita and north part of Archer. The well is located in the center of block 53, Kemp-Kemper land, and is nearly two miles from deep production. The closest wells are on the Langford lease to the southwest, the wells of Holbrook-Woods in the shallow field, are a half mile to the north.

The bringing in of a good well by Art Haynes was another interesting feature of the week. It is in block 41, Carter lands, located about a mile south and west of the old Shippley test, which failed to make a well after picking up promising sands at various depths. The top of the sand was drilled at 1,436 feet, and has all the earmarks of making a well.

Peterson Gets Best Well.

The Minchew well on the Wilmet tract is standardizing to drill in. This well created a great amount of comment about two weeks ago. Several derricks are up and preparing to spud in during the coming week. Minchew No. 2 is drilling around 1,000 feet. Water shortage, which has been hampering operations in the vicinity of the Sunshine State Refining company's wells, is expected to be relieved somewhat by the Griswold Oil company's four-inch line, which will be laid to the field from the Little Wichita river.

C. H. Featherstone and others have purchased 40 acres 1,500 feet north of the Sunshine well for a consideration of $40,000 and have up a derrick for the first test.

The best well for the week is again A lease north of the discovery well. The test is flowing by heads around 300 barrels a day from the sand at 1,574 feet. In the southwest part of the pool, James E. Parker completed his first well in lease B for 100 barrels from the top of the pay at 1,583 feet. Location has been made for No. 2.

Gulf Gets Good Showing.

South of the Parker well on the Vernon Brown land the Gulf Production company has set and cemented casing on top of the sand at 1,577 feet, showing plenty of oil. North of the Parker the American Refining company is setting casing on No. 2 at 1,577 feet preparatory to drilling in this week. The No. 1 well of Shaw & Rathke, which came in a few weeks ago, is proving to be one of the best in the field and is still making 300 barrels daily. The same company's No. 24 is drilling around 1,000 feet. A little east and south of the discovery well, the Oil Investment company has brought in a 200-barrel producer, located in the northwest corner of their 20-acre tract, lease D. The No. 3 well of Aaron Cohen was also completed in the 1,577-foot pay and looks good for 200 barrels. It is an offset to the north of the Oil Investment well.

The McCarty Oil company is drilling five tests and a number of others are going down in various parts of the pool with at least three due for completion in the next few days. A number of producers have been brought in on the Freeman-Hampton. The Texhoma company finished its No. 12 on lease E, Ferguson, in the 1,700-foot pay for 125 barrels. This company has five other tests drilling.

Langford District Active.

In section 2, Southern Pacific railroad, Kemp-Kemper land, the Humble Oil company put its No. 2 on the pump early this week. The well is making 200 barrels daily. No. 1 on the same tract, which was completed two weeks ago, is still producing 400 barrels and is showing up as one of the most productive leases in this field.

Between the K. M. A. and Freeman-Hampton pools, in the vicinity of the Langford wells, a great amount of activity is being shown. W. S. Langford passed through the sand at 1,600 feet, which showed a small amount of oil, and will drill his No. 3 Kemp-Kemper to the 1,780-foot or K. M. A. sand. Langford No. 4 is drilling around 1,600 feet.

Carter Wild Cat Is Down 1,600 Feet

The wildcat of Carter, Yates & Phillips on the Nichols farm, north of Iowa Park, is now at a depth of 1,600 feet, company officials stated Friday.

Black Marathon Expert Bested By Night Chief Allen

Night Chief Bill Allen qualified as a distance runner of no mean ability early Saturday night, when he ran down a frightened negro that had been mixed up ina fight in the flats. The black took the bit in his teeth and went into high when, after being chased out of a negro domino parlor, a large rock whizzed past his head and a menacing warning to keep going came from the battle's victor.

Allen, who happened to be in the vicinity, immediately gave chase and after a sprint of five or six blocks through the negro district overhauled the man. He later returned to the parlor and arrested the other party in the squabble.

Both are now in the city jail.

CHARLIE WINS

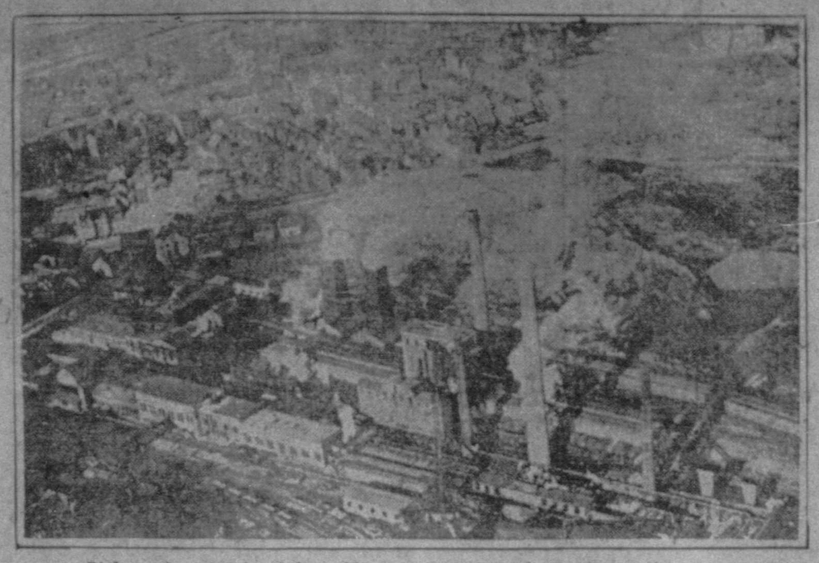
CHARLIE, June 9.—The Charlie baseball team played against the South Methodist team at Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon. The Charlie boys were victorious, the score being 9 to 4 in their favor.

PRESBYTERIANS WIN

Special Dispatch to Record News

GRAHAM, June 9.—In one of the finest games ever seen in the local park this season, the Presbyterians defeated the Baptists Thursday in the Sunday school league by the score of 3 to 2. The score was 3 to 0 until the seventh inning when the Baptists put over two runs. Alberts pitched for the Baptists and Thompson for the winners.

NEW COMMUNIST UPRISING RAGES



Birdseye view of Gelsenkirchen, with a huge blast furnace in the foreground.

Gilsenkirchen, in the heart of Germany's coal and iron district, is the scene of the latest communist uprising. It is reported that five were killed and sixty wounded in the street fighting in the city. The rioting spirit is said to be spreading. French forces are "watchfully waiting."

Seymour Society and Personals

SEYMOUR, Texas, June 9.—One of the enjoyable events of the season was the shower given Friday afternoon in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones for Miss Ethel Williams, bride-elect. The guests were ushered into the decorated living room by Mrs. Jones and her mother, Mrs. W. R. Stevens, where they were served with punch by Misses Lorena Stevens and Rosella Williams. The guests were then invited to write their favorite recipe in the hand-painted cook book, to be presented to the bride-elect.

Miss Mattie Lee Richardson afforded much pleasure by reading "Just Her Way."

Then appeared "The Little Gold Dust Twins," little Miss Louise Donohue and Master Judson Balch, bearing the many gifts. About 40 guests were present.

Shower for Miss Williams.

Among the many occasions given in honor of the pretty bride-to-be, Miss Ethel Williams, none have surpassed the shower given by the Presbyterian ladies in the home of Mrs. H. L. Albright Tuesday afternoon.

The color scheme of pink and white was very effectively carried out in both the house decorations, of pink and white roses, and the apparel of the bride-elect, of pink and white organdy.

The punch bowl was presided over by Mrs. J. L. Milam. When the guests had all arrived they were first entertained by Mrs. J. O. Newton, who read "That Old Sweetheart of Mine," by James Whitcomb Riley. Then John Wiley and Henry Wilson, the attractive little twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Albright, dressed as expressmen, brought in the many presents in a large carton. When all the gifts were displayed and reviewed by the many guests, refreshments of angel food cake with pink icing and white ice cream with pink hearts were served.

Missionary Society Meets

The Missionary society of the First Christian church met in the home of Mrs. G. A. Buie, with Mrs. Buie and Mrs. McNeil as hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Roy McDavid. An interesting lesson was discussed and program rendered with Mrs. W. A. Baker as leader. Following was the program: "The Local Church at Work," by the leader; "A City Church That Stayed," Mrs. Charles Mothes; piano solo, "Jesus Savior Pilot Me," Mrs. G. A. Buie; "Highways of the King," Lucile Rupe; "Echoes From Everywhere," Mrs. W. B. Craddock.

A short business meeting with Mrs. R. D. Mugg presiding preceded the program, when plans were discussed for the revival to be held in the near future, and the following officers were elected: Mrs. D. F. Goss, president; Mrs. McNeil, first vice president; Mrs. Claude Daugherty, secretary; Mrs. Tom Craddock, treasurer.

Refreshments, consisting of white loaf and devil's food cake, with sherbet, were served to the following: Mesdames D. F. Goss, R. D. Mugg, Cush Bell, Jim Clark, Charles Mothes, W. A. Baker, P. J. Foster, Claude Daugherty, J. W. Cope, Jay Morgan, W. B. Craddock, Roy McDaniel, Tom Craddock, Alva Hill John McCracken, and Miss Lucile Rupe.

Five Circles Meet

The five circles of the Missionary society of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon. Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. Moses, with 19 present. Circle No. 2 met with Miss Burnett Jones, with Mrs. Surratt as teacher.

Circle No. 3 met with Mrs. W. E. Bailes, Mrs. Easter as leader. Circle No. 4 met with Mrs. Burchel, with Mrs. Balch as leader. The fifteenth chapter of Romans was studied and explained.

Circle No. 5 met with Mrs. Pink Haggard, with 10 present and a very instructive lesson was taught by Mrs. M. D. Lankford.

Personals

Dr. R. K. Lowry and Alan Earl Hanson are on a fishing trip on the Concho river.

Mrs. Tom Killman and children, accompanied by Mrs. Killman's mother of Throckmorton, left Sunday for a short visit with relatives in Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Martin visited in Vernon Saturday and Sunday.

Walter Wells of Jacksboro has accepted a position as engineer with the Seymour Power and Ice company.

R. P. Finn of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Finn.

Miss Glenna Johnson left Sunday for Fort Worth, where she will spend the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis, and will attend Fort Worth high school.

Miss Essie Swilling left Saturday for Arkansas, where she will spend a month visiting. She was accompanied as far as Wichita Falls by her sister, Annie May, and Masters John Wylie and Henry Wilson Albright, who returned Saturday afternoon.

Judge D. F. Goss went to Fort Worth Saturday on business.

Miss Jessie England went to Wichita Falls Saturday to meet her sister, Gladys, returning from Denton, where she attended the College of Industrial Arts. They were accompanied home by their brother, H. G. England, who spent Sunday with home folk.

Miss Jo Lee Dickson returned Saturday from Denton, where she attended the teachers' college last session.

Miss Esta Donohoo returned Tuesday from Decatur college.

Mrs. May Cooper left Sunday afternoon for Waco, where she will visit a few days in the home of her niece, Mrs. A. B. Hosey. From there she will go to Austin, where she will attend the State university this summer.

Miss Imogene Henson left Tuesday morning for Austin, where she will attend the university for the summer session.

Miss Jessie England left Sunday for a brief visit with friends and relatives in Iowa Park and Wichita Falls, after which she will go to Austin, where she will be in the university of Texas this summer.

Miss Bessie Woodrum left Sunday for Atlanta, Ga., where she has accepted a position as dietician in a Methodist hospital.

Miss Irene Baker returned from Denton Sunday, where she has been attending the College of Industrial Arts. She was accompanied by Jesse Cowin of Miami, who will visit in Archer City on her way home.

Mrs. W. F. Woodrum has returned from a two weeks' visit in Denton.

Mrs. J. T. Lively and Mrs. Foster Buckley and little daughter were in Denton last week, attending commencement exercises at the College of Industrial Arts. Mrs. Buckley will visit relatives in Temple before returning.

Miss Mary Dickson, teacher in Wichita Falls, has concluded a pleasant visit with home folks and has gone to Austin to attend the university for the summer session.

Mrs. R. R. Kellum left Saturday for Plano in answer to a message saying her mother had sustained painful injuries in a fall. She will stay until her mother recovers.

Miss DeRay Bryan left Tuesday for Austin to attend the university.

Mrs. Jett Burnett and children are visiting Mrs. Burnett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Coy.

Mrs. Clyde Keitt and little daughter, Martha Alma, are visiting Mrs. Keitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fancher.

Mrs. G. C. McGown and two children are visiting relatives in Fort Worth this week.

Miss Lois Daugherty has gone to Denton, where she will attend C. I. A. for the summer term.

D. A. Holman and family, accompanied by B. W. Bradshaw Jr. and Buster Lee, left Saturday for Paint Rock, where they will spend their vacation fishing and hunting.

Mrs. B. G. Sharp left for her home in Wichita Falls, after an extended vilst with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pink Haggard.

Little Miss Martha Francis Fancher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Fancher of Kent, is visiting relatives here this week and will be joined by her parents next week.

Miss Mildred Haggard is in Wichita visiting her sister, Mrs. B. G. Sharp.

Miss Callie Lankford of Wichita Falls is visiting her sister, Mrs. Horace Nichols.

Mrs. Morris Randall and little son returned Tuesday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Ben Hardy of Big Springs.

Robert Randall and family of Graham are visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Randall.

SURVEY MADE FOR WILDCAT

Would Open Up Six Miles Of New Archer Territory

Another Archer county wildcat which will open up a six-mile area and extend the oil activities accordingly is a well to be drilled on a thousand acre lease owned by Jefferson Hardesty to be drilled by Lanning and Monninger located six miles from Archer City and Windthorst on lands owned by P. J. Hays and the Weinzapfel brothers.

A survey of the land was made Saturday and rig timbers are being sent to the location. The well will be spudded in soon and will mark the pioneer activity in this part of Archer county. Jeffreys and Hardest state the test will be 2,000 feet if necessary but that it is hoped that a much more shallow sand will be encountered. This wildcat is already causing comment and as soon as it is spudded in lease activity is expected to commence in earnest.

Iowa Park

NEWS AND PERSONALS

IOWA PARK, June 9.—Goodlet Hodges left Sunday for Canyon, where he will be in summer school.

Mrs. J. F. Beasley's daughters, Alberta and Vivian, left Sunday for Canyon, where Alberta will attend summer school. They were accompanied by Miss Lydia Beasley, who will be a student in the summer normal.

Mrs. J. F. Galey visited relatives in Byers and Petrolia Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Normal of Byers is visiting in Iowa Park this week.

Mrs. Bralton Reeves, teacher of the Iowa Park school, and sister, Una Mae Mills, left for Canyon state normal Monday.

Miss Pearl Burkhead will be at 228 South Ewing avenue, Dallas, Mrs. J. C. Hines will be an instructor in the summer school of Iowa Park part of the summer, and will visit various places the remainder of the summer. Miss Thelma Trusel will attend summer school in the University of Colorado, at Boulder. Mrs. Reeves is at Canyon for the first part of the summer, as a student. Miss Rena Moore will be a student in the University of Denver, beginning June 19. Miss Ethel Kidwell will be at home in Iowa Park this summer. Miss Mabel Carney will also be a student in the West Texas state normal this summer. Mrs. Gladys Shepherd will spend most of the summer in Colorado Springs. Miss Gertrude Prunty will be in school at Denton normal and at home.

Most of the teachers of the public school here will be in summer schools at various places. Superintendent W. K. Bradford will take the bachelor of arts degree at the University of Denver, August 1. B. L. Bradford, vocational-agricultural teacher, will take a bachelor of science degree at Texas A. and M. college, August 24. Miss Evelyn N. Stuart will take her vacation on her father's farm near Forreston. Miss Nancy Kemp graduates from the North Texas state normal college at Denton this summer. Miss Gena Craig, piano instructor, is teaching part of this summer, and will spend the remainder of the summer in Handley with her parents. Mrs. Paul Zink will be in Sherman part of the summer.

2,000 Barrel Gusher Brought In At Smackover By Allday Corporation

News of a 2,000 barrel oil gusher being brought in Friday on a 2,000-acre tract in the Smackover field, owned by the Allday Oil corporation, was received here Friday night by T. E. Allday from his brother, Martin Allday, at Eldorado, Ark.

This gusher is the first test of the Allday corporation to be put down on their 2,000-acre holdings. The telegram from Martin Allday stated there was a possibility of the well making more than 2,000 barrels. It was brought in at a depth of 2,064 feet. The Allday corporation has been in the Smackover and Eldorado territory several years running four rigs. The company is one of the largest independent concerns holding individual acreage in the Smackover territory.

Whi Henburg No. 2 By Dyer Et Al Making 150 Barrels Graham's Best New Well As Many Tests Start

Special Dispatch to Record News

GRAHAM, Texas, June 9.—The outlook for the oil industry in Young county continues favorable, despite the drop in the price of crude oil. There has been some effect on drilling, but in other directions new wells are going down all the time. Mars Logan et al. have closed a contract for a 2,000-foot well on the B. J. Hulse farm, 15 miles southwest of Newcastle and five miles southwest of Peter Olls Kemp No. 1. They will use rotary tools. B. F. Weekley has made a location for his No. 1 J. A. McLaren on the J. Fullerson survey in the Herron City district. It is an offset to the Hemphill of Dillard Gibson.

Outstanding Completions

Outstanding completions of the week have been the Calmo Oil company 60-barrel well, east of the Herron city distdict. They struck a new sand at 1,840. The Kouri-Seddon No. 1 made five flows after it was shot for the second time with 55 quarts. It is at 3,300 feet and looks good for at least an 80-barrel producer. It has been placed on the pump.

One mile east of Graham, the Whitehead et al. Johnson No. 1 has been causing some excitement, with three million feet of gas and with 1,400 feet of oil standing in the hole. Some reports had it that the oil flowed over. They have been troubled, however, with caving and are trying to overcome the difficulty.

The No. 2 Whittenburg of the Seaport Oil and Gas company was flooded at 3,800 feet, and is of no value. The McDowell-Costello is making 25 barrels at 1,600 feet, 14 miles southeast of Graham.

Whittenburg Well Best

The best completion recorded for the week is the Dyer et al. Whittenburg No. 2. It is making 150 barrels a trail, the lessons of obedience and consideration must be taught. And rels at 3,864 feet. The Mohlstedt Mock No. 5 Williams is making 50 barrels daily at 2,985 feet. Bertrand et al. No. 1 Lynn is drilling at 2,580 feet with 700 feet of oil standing in the hole. The No. 4A Williams et al. Sanks & Henderson is making 40 barrels at 2,435 feet.

Bashara et al. of Wichita Falls have their rigging up a few miles west of Newcastle and are preparing to spud in. They drilled as well a few miles further south, but though they struck a poor sand, the indications were so good that they made a new location.

Sinclair to Shoot Well

The Sinclair Oil and Gas company No. 4 Kisinger in the Herron city district is preparing to shoot at 2,530 feet. They are drilling into No. 2 Moran at 1,970 feet. The No. 1 Rubenkoenig of the Oil Lease Development company bridged over after a shot at the 3,700-foot level. The Monroe Production company's No. 1 Johnson is straightening out its hole after going down 680 feet. The rig is up for the Bucher-Smackover Trust company No. 1 Hawkins, as is also the Featherstone et al. No. 1 Sanford. The Peters Oil No. 2 Kemp is spudding in, and the rig is up for the Robinson et al No. 1 Grubbs.

The Calmo Oil company has its rigging up for the No. 1A McLaren.

CARTER WELL STIRS INTEREST

Oil Being Baled Preparatory To Bringing In New Producer

A well opening up a new territory and causing great interest the past week is the Roy I Carter No. 1 on the Kemp and Kemper lands, block 53, north of the Freeman Hampton pool in Archer county, which is now in four feet of sand and bailing oil preparatory to being brought in.

The Carter well is a mile and a half southeast of the Langford well and promises to extend the Archer county pool that distance. It is on a sand at 1,795 feet which is 15 feet deeper than any pay sand encountered in that district. It is planned to standardize the well as soon as it is bailed out and then bring it in. Tanks have already been put up and everything in readiness to bring in the test. No salt water has been encountered in the test.

Many Notaries Fail To Qualify Here

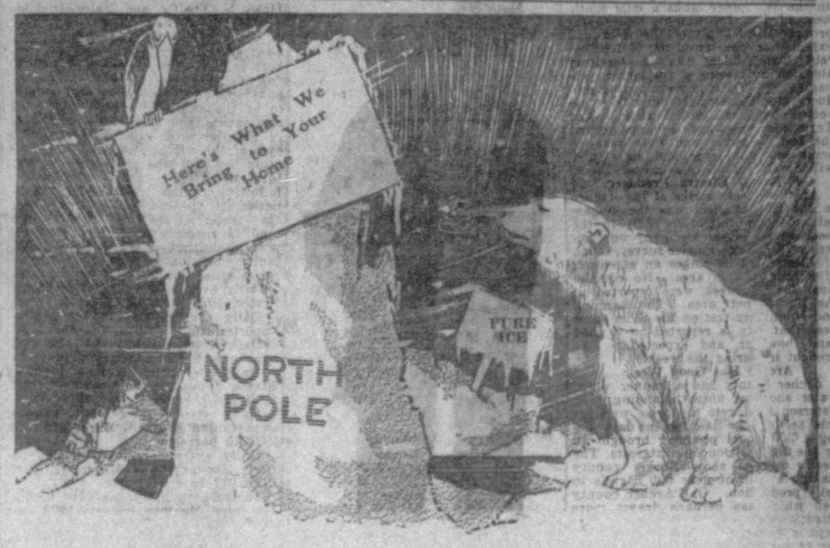
Although Saturday was the last day on which notary publics in the county could qualify for the next two years a large number failed to put in an appearance at the county clerk's office and make the necessary arrangements. It was estimated that probably 100 or more neglected to make the notary bond.

There are about 750 persons in the county eligible to qualify as notaries. It was reported at the county clerk's office.

Only in cases of sickness or other causes which made it impossible to appear in the prescribed time will notaries be allowed to qualify next week.

Miller et al. have their rig up for the No. 2 Hughes. The Mutual Oil company has made a location for its Whittenburg No. 2. The Ralco Oil company is fishing for tools in its No. 8 Dunn at 4,020 feet. The Rhodes Drilling company No. 1 Allen is preparing to drill by the tools which were lost at 4,015 feet.

Several wells of the district are nearing the producing sands. Two or three have been shut down for orders, and one has been down awaiting for a drilling jess.



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MOTOR COACH FOR MEGARGEL

Gulf, Texas & Western Will Connect With Southern At Olney

W. Frank Knox, receiver of the Gulf, Texas & Western railway, has made arrangements to place a Brill-Service motor coach on the line from Mineral Wells to Megargel, Archer county, according to reports received yesterday. Connections will be made with the Wichita Falls & Southern railroad at Olney. Officials of the latter road said yesterday it would prove of a great advantage to people coming from Mineral Wells to Wichita Falls who wanted to make good time.

The coach is arranged to carry 46 passengers and will have a speed of 45 miles per hour. It is possible to accelerate these cars from a standing start to 35 miles per hour in less than one minute, and they can be brought to a dead stop from 35 miles per hour in less than 200 feet. The opening of the new oil field near Megargel has increased the demand for passenger service, and it was decided to install the mentioned coach. Notice of the shipment of the coach is expected at any date, acording to the officials, and when this notice is received the timetable will be announced, according to officials of the company.

RAINS--

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late Friday night and trains coming into the city from the north on that line were several hours late, due to necessity of the trains from Denver detouring over the Rock Island by the way of Tucumcari. It is thought that the bridge will be repaired by Monday.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas trains were delayed Saturday due to a washout of a bridge over the Canadian river near Camargo. The Canadian, always a treacherous stream, has become a raging torrent and several bridges over that river are in danger of being washed out.

COTTON CROP ASSURED

OLNEY, Texas, June 9.—Two and one-half inches rainfall fell here in the last ten hours and is still falling slow and steady. This assures a cotton crop, as last season had to rain after this time and the farmers marketed over 8,000 bales. Wheat is all in the shock and will not be damaged. Prospects are bright for crops of all kinds.

MILLION DOLLAR RAIN

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, June 9.—What dryland farmers called a "million dollar" rain fell over the non-irrigated section of the lower Rio Grande Valley last night. The precipitation averaged two to three inches and assures a bumper cotton crop, farmers said.

CROPS LOOK GOOD

CHARLIE, June 9.—Much rain has fallen in the Charlie country the past few days. Heavy winds and severe electrical storms accompanied the rains. The weather is still cloudy and unsettled.

Crops are looking fine but on account of so much rain and of the scarcity of farm labor farmers are behind with their work.

HALF INCH RAIN

GRAHAM, June 9.—Farmers and merchants are jubilant over a heavy half-inch rain that fell here late last night. The rain was accompanied by some wind that did little or no damage beyond pulling down several electric light and telephone wires.

The rain puts the best season in the ground that the country has had in several years. All barley, wheat and oats, except the late spring oats, have been harvested; corn and cotton are greatly benefited, cotton especially is looking mighty good.

The rain seems to have been general over the county.

RED RIVER RISES

Special Dispatch to Record News

BURKBURNETT, June 9.—Intermittent rain has fallen throughout the day in this city and the unpaved thoroughfares and incoming roads are reported in mud and slush. Red river is said to be rising.

WATER IN STREETS

Associated Press Dispatch

ENID, Okla., June 9.—Water stood three feet deep in several streets here today as a result of a rain of 3.78 inches last night. A number of residents were been forced to move to higher ground.

SANTA FE WASHED OUT.

Associated Press Dispatch

AMARILLO, June 9.—Six hundred feet of the Santa Fe's mamoth bridge spanning the Canadian river was washed out today. Traffic east and north of Amarillo is tied up, the Fort Worth & Denver City bridges across the same stream having been washed out yesterday.

The heaviest rise in years on the Canadian was brought about by the three-inch rain of Friday. Trains north over the Fort Worth & Denver City and east over the Santa Fe are being routed over the Rock Island through Tucumcari, N. M.

Labor Bank Opens With Million And Half In Deposits

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—The Telegraphers National bank, the first labor controlled financial institution to be established here, opened its doors for business this morning. The opening marked the thirty-seventh anniversary of the founding of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers, which organization controls the bank.

Officers of the bank expected to enter $1,000,000 in deposits the first day, it was announced. Several members of the telegraphers' union in other cities already had mailed deposits here and were to be credited in the books today.

The bank has a capital of $500,000 and a surplus of $100,000.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Poultry, alive, lower; fowls, 21; broilers, 39@44; roosters, 12.

Butter, unsettled; creamery extras, 38¾.

Eggs, lower; firsts, 22@23.

Boundary Lines Redefined in Common School Districts At Board Meeting

A redefining of boundary lines in several of the common school districts of the county was made Saturday at a meeting of the county board of trustees held in the office of County Superintendent of Schools Burl Bryant. Those attending were J. F. Holder, W. W. Cook and N. B. Singletary. In the absence of J. F. Holder, chairman of the board, Mr. Cook was named as temporary head.

On a plea of E. M. Goetze of Prairie Cottage district near Iowa Park, the boundary lines of the district were redefined to accord with plans suggested by Mr. Goetze. The boundary of City View district was also redefined by the board.

Trustees of the Cooper school district 13 miles northeast of Wichita Falls, were authorized to dispose of a truck owned by the district and the school was also reclassified as a high school. It was formerly an elementary school with six grades.

1,000 Barrels An Hour Made By Muskogee Well

said to be the largest well ever drilled in the state has been brought in by the U. S. Cities corporation and the Lorraine Petroleum company, on their lease three miles northwest f Bristow. The well made better than 1,700 was reported flowing 1,00 barrels an hour. Top of the sand was reached at 3,162 feet.

Two five-inch pipe lines were taking oil from the well but are unable to handle it. The two companies are joint owners of the lease for which they paid $1,000,000 months ago.

Heavy Rainfall Causes Kansas Lowland Floods

International News Dispatch

TOPEKA, Kan., June 9.—Heavy rainfall over the greater part of the state during the past 24 hours has caused many Kansas rivers and creeks to rise rapidly, reaching the near flood stage, and in some localities inundating the lowlands, according to weather bureau prediction.

PARSONS GETS 4 INCHES

PARSONS, Kan., June 9.—Water today is standing six inches deep in the low section of this city today following a heavy rain last night and today. More than four inches of rain fell during the past 24 hours there, it is estimated.

Burkburnett
NEWS AND PERSONALS

BURKBURNETT, June 9.—Reiley McDaniel and family, who formerly lived here but are now near the noted 10,000-barrel well at Healdton, Okla., are visiting relatives here this week.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Klein from Kansas City where they are making a short stay enroute to their former home in New York City.

Miss Bernice Clarke, sister of Mrs. S. S. Rigger, left Wednesday for her former home in Independence, Kan., to visit her parents during the summer months.

Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Reeves and little daughter left Friday for Nashville, Tenn., where they will attend the graduation of Dr. Reeves' brother from the medical department of Vanderbilt university.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Russell of Tanawah, Okla., are spending a few days with his father and other relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Majors and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Prinzing and Mr and Mrs. C. M. Prinzing were called to Miles Wednesday morning by the death of their mother, Mrs. Prinzing, Senior.

Jasper Majors, student in A. & M. college for two years, returned home this week for the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Majors.

Bartow Ward left this week for Memphis, to oversee the gathering of his wheat crop.

O. B. Davidson of the market at Majors store, is taking a vacation at Glen Rose.

R. L. Eads, formerly of Burkburnett, came over from Wichita Falls, looking after local property.

Mrs. James Scott of Wichita Falls was a business visitor in Burkburnett Thursday.

Sankey Buchanan, cotton buyer of Altus, Okla., was in Burkburnett Wednesday.

Mrs. C. R. Sabitoni left Thursday for Dallas, where she will visit relatives. Later she will visit her sister in San Antonio.

R. L. Allen, for the past 16 years with the C. B. R. & G. wholesale dealers of Wichita Falls, has resigned his position and is now with the Taylor Paper company of Memphis Tenn., with headquarters at Tulsa Okla.

Bill Allen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Willis visited relatives in Cache, Okla., this week.

The Humble Refinery west of the city, is making an addition to its gas plant.

P. W. Cunningham and wife and their son, Charles Cunningham and family, have moved to Decatur where the men are drilling the Hunter-Scott well.

The Humble Oil company is building six new five-room houses this week.

J. M. Cheatman, who has been in Tennessee for some time, has returned to Burkburnett and is in the employ of the Electra water department.

Death of Ben Osborne in a cyclone east of Marlow, Okla., was reported to relatives, Lee McClellan and others here. Osborne is survived by three young children, who were all slightly injured.

Dick Duncan of the Magnolia company, returned from a visit to Marlow, Chickasha, and Lawton Okla.

Buster Morgan, son of Mrs. Lillie Morgan, was in Burkburnett Sunday from Wichita Falls.

Doc Flemmings, injured in a week Sunday morning when his car struck a truck on the Wichita-Burk pavement, has returned from General hospital, Wichita Falls, to his home with his mother, Mrs. Agnes Flemming in West Burkburnett, and is able to be out again. A. S. Harder, also injured, is still in the hospital with a broken arm and other injuries.

WICHITAN WILL HEAD EPWORTH

J. W. Thorne Selected As President Of North Texas Conference

Special Dispatch to Record News

GREENVILLE, Texas, June 9.—J. W. Thorne of Wichita Falls, was elected president of the North Texas conference of Epworth leagues at the annual meeting in session here. Outlie D. Goss of Dectaur was named vice president, Helen Titterington of Dallas, secretary, and Clarence Murphy of Paris re-elected treasurer.

The meeting is scheduled to close Sunday night. A total of 280 delegates have been registered thus far.

Keeping Pace In The Chess Match

Or a Wee Bit Ahead Houston in Cold Storage Quanah at Bat

Every now and then Houston wakes up and sends an answering move and we judge from this that Houston is still on the map. We furthermore wish to correct an erroneous impression that has been circulated by some knocker and emphatically deny that the moves in the game with Houston are being transmitted by bicycle. We wish to state, however, if Houston is a dead one, the chess players of Quanah are more than live enough to make up for it.

Fortunately Wichita Falls has two chess teams, one handling Houston and one handling Quanah. If one team handled both games they would have nervous prostration and be caught in a jam between Houston holding back and Quanah pushing forward.

If the business men of Quanah are stocked up with the same brand of pep that the Quanah Chess club is tanked up on, they are going some and Quanah must be some live burg.

And incidentally they are a newsy bunch up Quanah way. They seem to think we need a little advice and almost with every move they send they suggest an answering move to our team. The next time we take on a chess club we are going to make it clear in advance that we intend to play the Wichita side right here at home "without the aid or assistance of any foreign country." It's all in a life time, however, and we have to take 'em as they come. Houston can't even get a quorum together and make its own move and Quanah wants to play the game all by its lonesome and make the moves for both sides. We have a story doped out on the Quanah Chess club but haven't room for it today. In answer to numerous requests we publish herewith all moves in the Quanah game to date:

WICHITA FALLS	QUANAH
P—K4	P—K4
P—KB4	P—Q4
Kt—KB3	P x KP
Kt x P	B—Q3
B—B4	Kt—KR3
Castles	No move yet

(—) represents "to"
(x) represents "takes."

Hotels Watched As Man Speeds Along To Kill

ATLANTA, Ga., June 9.—Careful search of Atlanta's hotels and a watch on all highways entering the city from the West early today had revealed no trace of F. E. West of St. Louis, nor the Essex roadster in which he was reported speeding eastward on a killing pilgrimage.

Warned of the jealous rage which Mrs. West told police had sent her husband out to meet and kill his supposed rival, James F. Moseley, waited on his farm near Otto, N. C., for word of West's appearance. Atlanta police also waited. Chief of Police Deavers stated ample evidence to hold West on a conspiracy or threat charge had been unearthed in St. Louis, in West's letter to his wife, promising death in an Atlanta hotel to Moseley.

LESS THAN DOZEN SENATORS ENGROSS AUTO LINE BILL

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, June 9.—With less than a dozen members present, the senate this afternoon engrossed the Clark bill making automobile and truck lines common carriers under supervision of the state railroad commission.

The finance committee returned the emergency school appropriation bill to the senate today after reducing it from $6,000,000 to $4,000,000. A minority report favored passage at $6,000,000. It is generally believed the upper house will pass the bill at $4,000,000.

Movement to adjourn the present session next Tuesday was evident in the senate today. The rural aid appropriation bill was before the upper house a short time today, but when a quorum was broken, further consideration was postponed until Monday.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS.

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW ORLEANS, June 9.—Spot cotton steady, unchanged. Sales to arrive, 7; ales on the spot, 161; low middling, 28.25; middling, 29.00; good middling, 29.50.

PAVING BIDS ASKED MONDAY

Contractors Of Standard Specifications Invited To Submit

Bids on three kinds of standard paving will be asked for at the Monday night meeting of the city council, it was learned yesterday in connection with developments on the repaving of Indiana and Ohio avenues. Contractors handling brick, concrete and bitulithic surfacing will all be asked to figure on the work.

It is understood that thus far Indiana avenue is the only one on which definite progress has been made. Property owners on this street are reported to be favorably impressed with the idea, but none have definitely signed up for the repaving and will not until it is learned just how much the new work will cost.

The city has made an offer of $285 a 50-foot lot, this cost to be borne by the city with the rest of the expense to be carried by the property owners. It remains to be seen what the bids of contractors will be and the subsequent individual assessments.

Bids will be received during the week and opened at the council meeting a week from Monday.

Negress' Brother Comes to Her Aid After Murder

Giving a new angle on the killing early Thursday morning of Willie Bush, negro and shooting of Josephine Beal, negress, by "Drugstore" Beal, B. B. Wildcat, negro preacher and brother of the negress, told his story of the affair which occurred at his home near the brick factory.

In a statement Saturday afternoon Wildcat said the report that Bush stayed in the house with his sister about a half hour the night of the shooting was untrue.

"Bush and Josephine and my wife and self came home from the amusement garden all together and Bush came in and stayed about five minutes. My wife, myself and four little children were in the same room the whole time. Bush went out the back way and we thought he had gone for good. In a few minutes Drugstore came to the front door and told me to open it. I told him I would and then he rushed to the back door. Bush was back there and Drugstore shot him six or seven times. He then rushed to the front door and said 'throw Josephine out here to me.'

"I said 'Beal I can't do it, she's my sister.'

"Then, give me some money and I'll leave, for I got to get away from here.'

"I then went to looking for my axe and was going to kill Beale for I was going to protect my four little children. I asked him not to shoot in the house for I was afraid he would hit one of them. Neighbors say he went out in front of the house and loaded his pistol. The next thing he was back at the window and shot Josephine twice. I guess he used all of his shells or he would have killed the whole family.

"Another thing I want to straighten out. It has been circulated that Bush owned a picture show. He didn't even have a job, much less own anything. He was unarmed and didn't want to do anybody harm. He said he was going to hang around and talk to Beal and try to get things fixed up between him and Josephine. We told him not to do it for Drugstore was unreasonable. This is a true statement of the whole thing and I think it ought to be straightened out."

NEW YORK BONDS
Foreign

Argentine 7s	102¼
Dom of Canada 5½s, 1930	101¾
French Republic 7½s	96
Kingdom of Belgium 7½s	102½
Kingdom of Denmark 8s	98⅝
Swiss Confederation 8s	114½
U K G B & I 5½s, 1937	103⅜
U S of Brazil 8s	97¾

Railway and Miscellaneous

Am Agricultural Chem 7½s	99½
Am Smelt & Ref 5s	91¼
American Sugar 6s	102
Am Tel & Tel ev 6s	116
Atchison general 4s	87⅜
B & O cv 4½s	80⅜
Central of Georgia 5s	100⅝
Central Leather 5s	98⅝
Chesp & Ohio cv 5s	89⅝
Chicago, B & Q ref 5s	99⅜
Chicago, Mil & St P cv 4½s	66⅜
Chicago, R I & Pac ref 4s	73¼
Chile Copper 6s	100⅛
Colorado & Southern ref 4½s	84
Erie general 4s	49½
Goodyear Tire 8s, 1931	104½
Int Mer Marine 6s	84
K C Southern ref 5s	83¼
Kelly-Springfield Tire 8s	108¾
Liggett & Myers 5s	93
L & N ref 5½s	104
Mexican Petroleum 8s	108
M. K & T prior lien 5s	77⅝
Missouri Pac general 4s	67½
N Y Central deb 6s	106
Norfolk & Western cv 6s	112
Pennsylvania general 5s	99¾
St Louis & S F adj 6s	74½
Seaboard Air Line con 6s	67
Southern Bell Tel 5s	91¾
Southern Pacific cv 4s	90
Southern Railway 5s	101⅞
Texas & Pacific 1st 5s	91¾
Union Pacific 4s	103
U S Steel 5s	106½
Wilson & Co. 7½s	97½

DELEWARE'S HEART OPENS TO HARDING

MILFORD, Del., June 9.—The heart of Delaware opened today to President and Mrs. Harding and an almost continuous ovation was given them as they traveled the state from Wilmington in the north to Lewes in the south. The president reached Wilmington by train from Washington shortly afternoon, firm in the declaration made to callers yesterday that he positively would make no addresses during the trip. An hour after he reached Wilmington, moved by the reception tendered him at a luncheon given by the Young Men's republican club, he was making a speech explaining that no man could remain dumb in the face of such a welcome.

Five other speeches followed before he boarded the presidntial yacht, The Mayflower at Lewes tonight to cruise back to Washington.

TEXAS COTTON.

DALLAS, June 9.—Cotton quiet, 28.30; Houton, 28.95; Galveston, steady, 29.10.

FIRST OIL FRAUD INSTALLMENT PAID

Associated Press Dispatch

FORT WORTH, June 9.—Nathan H. Sang, Chicago salesman, who pleaded guilty in the "General" Lee oil fraud trial, was released from the county jail today on payment of $5,000 of his $15,000 fine. He furnished $5,000 bond to insure the payment of the balance in 90 days.

Phillips Golstein of Chicago, another salesman convicted in the Lee case, will probably pay $5,000 of his $10,000 fine and furnish bond for the balance in a few days. Walter Marks of Chicago has paid his fine of $15,000.

SPEEDERS MUST FACE JURIST

Justice Warns All That Failure to Appear Will Cost Heavily

Warning to speeders that they must appear on the dates given on notices signed by, arresting officers, has been issued by the justices of the peace. The warning comes as the result of failure on the part of some speeders to appear after being arrested, and the officers stress the fact that in such cases additional penalty can be assessed.

In case violators do not appear, they can be filed on in the county court at law, in which case they are liable for not only the speeding penalty, but fines for failure to appear.

It is noted that such a case against a woman who failed to appear before Justice of the Peace Gwinn, a jury in the county court at law assessed a fine of $100 and costs, totaling approximately $130, when the fine she would have been given in the lower court would have amounted to $12.30. Other fines assessed for failure to appear haye carrid from $50 to $100.

Amarillo Wins 1924 Convention Of Editors

Associated Press Dispatch

GALVESTON, June 9.—The forty-fourth "family union" of the Texas Press association came to a grand fimale early this afternoon, when Amarillo won the next convention by unanimous vote. Sam Braswell, Clarendon News, was made president; Albert Luker, Grapeland Messenger, vice presidents; and Sam P. Harben, who has held the job for 20 years, was renamed secretary.

HIGH WATER TAKES MISSOURI VICTIM

Associated Press Dispatch

JOPLIN, Mo., June 9.—High water caused by heavy rains in the last 24 hours has claimed at least one victim in Southwest Missouri. All streams are bankfull and Shoal creek, south of Joplin, has overflowed its banks, flooding farmlands and a summer pleasure resort.

The body of an unidentified man was seen floating down Spring river near Riverside, at noon today.

Filipino Admits Murdering Nurse In Love Quarrel

International News Dispatch

NEW YORK, June 9.—Ellonza Lazarda, impetuous Filipino servant, confessed today after a severe grilling, according to police, that he murdered Helen "Blossom" Martin, pretty 24-year-old nurse. He admitted, the police said, he lured her to his room and choked her.

Both Lazarda and Miss Martin, rumored to have been sweethearts, were employed by Dr. George B. McAuliffe. The Filipino was arrested late last night, as he attempted to pitch the girl's body, wrapped in heavy paper, into the channel between Staten Island and the New Jersey coast.

"My sweetheart and I quarreled—I lost control of myself and killed her," Lazarda said, according to the police.

Lazarda first told police he wanted to marry the attractive little blonde, but that she refused. Then he changed his story that she wanted to marry him. Lazarda was arraigned in court and sent to the Tombs without bail.

Low Cuts Made In Appropriation Bills at Austin

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Texas, June 9.—Probability that reductions of appropriations by the present session over those passed last session and vetoed by Governor Neff will not exceed $4,000,000, became apparent tonight when the conference committee on the eleemosynary appropropriation bill completed its work. Although house reductions to the measure amounted to nearly $800,000, this was cut until the final reduction stands at $347,000. As agreed upon, the bill totals $6,888,000, compared with $7,235,000 as vetoed by the governor.

Action on this measure is taken as an indication that other reductions made in the house will be cut in conference committee. Legislative leaders tonight expressed the belief that the reductions when the session closes will not amount to $4,000,000.

The following figures were declared to be the probable maximum final reductions: Departmental bill, $500,000; eleemosynary, $347,000; general educational, $1,000,000; reclamation, $250,000; and emergency school, $2,000,000.

The largest reduction in the bill was for construction of a new building at the Wichita Falls hospital, cut out entirely.

STAPLES SERIOUSLY ILL IN HOSPITAL

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Texas, June 9.—Secretary of State S. L. Staples tonight was reported in serious condition in a local hospital, following an operation on his eye. Staples' eye became infected from a cold, according to physicians, and complications set in. He has been in the hospital for several days.

BULLISH RUMOR BOOMS COTTON

Early Declines Followed By Rallies On Renewed Covering

NEW YORK COTTON.

	High	Low	Close
July	27.85	27.35	27.78-80
Oct.	24.45	23.95	24.40-45
Dec.	23.77	23.35	23.72-75
Jan.	23.40	22.87	23.36
March	23.26	22.84	23.25

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	High	Low	Close
July	27.08	27.45	27.94-96
Oct.	23.85	23.30	23.80-85
Dec.	23.30	22.83	23.27-29
Jan.	23.04	22.70	23.04
March	23.04	22.63	22.95

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, June 9.—Early declines in the cotton market as a result of the week end realizing were followed by sharp rallies on renewed covering, accompanied by rumors of bullish private figures on domestic mill consumption for the month of May. October advanced from 23.93 to 24.45 and closed at 24.40, with the general market closing very steady at net advances of 15 to 32 points. Trading in July was least active than for the past two or three days. The demand for that position seemed a little less urgent and there was a reduction of about 10 points in its premium over October.

The market opened easy at an advance of 1 point on July, but generally 12 to 16 points lower under profit taking and scattered southern selling. Except for the rains in Oklahoma, the weather map was considered favorable. July eased off to 27.35 and December to 23.35, making net declines of about 15 to 27 points. The market turned firmer late in the morning on covering by recent sellers, who appeared to be influenced by reports that domestic ably equal the April figures. There were reports of beneficial rains in Texas and elsewhere, except for Oklahoma only light scattering showers were noted. Week end reviews of goods trade indicted some improvement in retail business, but continued dullness in the primary markets. The amount of cotton on ship board awaiting clearance was estimated at 50,000 bales, against 139,000 last year.

NEW YORK STOCKS

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Al Ch & Dye.	2	71¼	71	71¼
Am Bosch M.	39	100⅜	99¼	100⅜
Am Int Corp.	9	22⅜	22¼	22¼
Am Locom .	9	142¼	141¾	142⅝
Am S & Ref.	18	62⅞	62⅜	62⅜
Am Sugar .	2	74	73	73
Am Tel & Tel.	7	124⅜	124¼	134⅜
Am Tob .	1	147½	147½	417½
Am Woolen.	14	92½	91⅞	91⅞
An Copper .	14	45⅞	45⅝	45⅞
A. T & S F.	121	103⅜	102⅝	103⅜
At Coast Line	13	120⅜	119¾	120½
At, G & W I.	9	18¼	18	18½
Bald Locom.	17	132⅝	131¼	132⅝
B & O .	127	51⅞	50¾	51½
Beth Steel .	19	53⅞	52⅜	53⅝
Cen Leather.	2	26⅛	26	16⅛
Cer de Pasco.	5	43	42½	43
Chan Motor.	4	61	60¾	61
Ches & Ohio.	12	66	64⅝	66
C M & St P pf	32	40⅛	38¾	40¾
C. R I & P.	60	33	30⅝	33
Chile Copper.	11	27	26⅞	26⅞
Coca Cola .	6	82½	82½	82½
Cons Gas .	4	62½	62½	62½
Cont Can .	4	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
Corn Prod .	1	132	132	132
Cosden Oil .	45	48	47	48
Cruc Steel .	19	73	72	73
Cu-Am Sug .	4	14	13⅝	13⅝
Cu C Sug pf.	8	51⅜	50½	51¼
Erie.	116	13¾	12	13¼
Gen Asphalt.	1	33¾	33¾	33¾
Gen Motors .	8	15	14⅞	15
Gt No pfd.	19	74¼	72½	74
Gf St Steel.	6	84½	84½	84½
Ill Central .	8	112½	111	112½
Int. Harv .	8	77¼	77¼	77¼
Int M Mar pf	22	28½	28½	28⅝
In Paper .	1	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
Inv Oil .	9	13⅝	13⅜	13⅝
Kels Spgfld .	12	45	44⅝	45
Ken Copper .	12	36⅞	36⅛	36⅞
L. & N.	12	91¾	91¾	91¾
Mack Truck.	14	80½	80	80
Marl Oil .	29	42⅞	38	48½
Mid St Oil.	2	9½	9½	9½
M, K&T new.	4	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
Mo Pac pfd.	22	41⅜	41⅜	41⅜
N Y Cen .	287	103¼	101⅝	102⅝
NY, NH & H	25	18⅜	17⅝	18⅜
N & W.	46	109⅞	108⅜	109⅞
No Pac .	29	74⅜	73½	74⅜
Okla P & R.	1	2	2	2
Pan-Am Pet.	27	74⅜	74⅜	74⅜
Pennsylvania.	9	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝
Phil Pet .	18	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
Prod & Ref.	15	41⅞	41⅝	41⅝
Pure Oil .	10	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
Reading .	59	77⅞	76½	77⅞
Rep I & S.	7	51½	51½	51½
Rey Tob B.	6	65	65	65
Roy D, N Y.	2	47¾	47¾	47¾
St L & S F.	25	34	33	34
St'bd ir Line.	4	7	6¾	7
do pfd .	2	12½	12	12½
Sears-R .	1	78	78	78
Sinclair Oil.	66	28⅞	28	28⅞
So Pacific .	32	91½	90	91½
So Ry .	195	36	34⅞	36
do pfd .	10	67¼	67¼	67¼
St Oil of Cal	20	53¾	53¾	53¾
St Oil of N J	33	33⅞	33⅝	33⅝
Studebaker.	96	113	111⅝	112½
Tenn Copper.	2	10	10	10
Texas Co .	8	44¾	44¾	44¾
T & P.	63	24¾	23	24⅜
Tob Prod A.	2	82	82	82
Transe Oil .	6	7¾	7¼	7¼
Un Pacific .	35	138	136⅝	138
U S Ind Al.	3	56	56	56
U S Rubber.	3	52	51¾	51¾
U S Steel.	43	97½	96⅜	96¾
Utah Copper.	6	65½	65½	65½
W Electric .	8	56⅝	56	56⅝

ELECRA MAN NEW C. E. VICE PRESIDENT

Associated Press Dispatch

SHERMAN, Texas, June 9.—The convention proper of Texas Christian endeavorers ended tonight. Atwood A. Hide of Sherman is the new president of the Texas union; Jack Dale, Electra, vice-president; Mrs. Hope Fenfrock Norris, Galveston, secretary; Miss Ruth Burlingame, Houston, assistant secretary; and Miss Nona Worden, Greenville, treasurer.

WOMAN DEFENDS SELF WITH KNIFE

International News Dispatch

CARTHAGE, Mo., June 9.—Declaring she used a butcher knife in defending herself when he attacked her with a chair, Mrs. Arthur Brighton admitted today, police say, to having stabbed her husband through the heart. The husband, a powder mill worker, died instantly.

An 11-year-old in another room of the house did not witness the tragedy. The husband's attack was made while she was washing dishes last night, according to the woman's story.

UNCERTAINTY SHOWN IN WEEK'S MARKET

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, June 9.—Speculative uncertainty over the future trend of business and mechanical outcome over the German reparations tangle was reflected in the restricted trading in the securities markets and the heaviness of foreign exchange this week. The averages of industrial and railroad stocks recorded moderate gains, buying of the carrier issues which featured the trading being based on high current earnings, record-breaking car loadings and hopes of dividend increases and resumptions of one of the most important developments of the week was the increasing attention being paid by the financial community to the foreign situation. Reports that the $25,000,000 Austrian loan to be formally placed on the market Monday already had been oversubscribed by informal subscription, was regarded as evidence of a desire on the part of American bankers to assist in the economic rehabilitation of Europe.

WHEAT HIGHER ON BIG RAINS

Bullish Showing Made By Government Crop Report

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, June 9.—Wheat scored a moderate advance in price today, chiefly as a result of heavy rains in the southwest and because of the bullish showing made by the government crop report. The market closed unsettled at ⅛ to 1¼c net gain with July 1.11⅝ to 1.11½ and September 1.09¾ to 1.09⅞, corn finished at ¼c off to ¼c up, oats at ⅛c decline to ¼c advance and provisions 2c to 12c down.

A good deal of selling to realize profits counterbalanced in the corn market the bullish effect of wheat strength and of cold wet weather. Provisions were easier in line with hog values.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat:			
July	1.11	1.11⅝	1.10⅝ 1.11⅜
Sept.	1.09⅞	1.10	1.09 1.09¾
Dec.	1.12	1.12⅜	1.11⅞ 1.11⅞
Corn:			
July	.82	.82¾	.81 .81⅜
Sept.	.78⅛	.78¼	.77¼ .77¾
Dec.	.67⅛	.67½	.66⅜ .67
Oats:			
July	.42¼	.42¼	.42¾ .42¾
Sept.	.38⅝	.32¾	.38¾ .38⅝
Dec.	.39¼	.40⅛	.39¾ .40
Lard:			
July	11.25	11.30	11.22 11.22
Sept.	11.52½	11.55	11.42 11.42
Ribs:			
July			8.05
Sept.	9.27	9.27	9.20 9.20

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, June 9. Hogs, receipts 8,000; steady; top, 6.80; packing sows, 5.75@5.85; pigs, 5.25@5.55; heavy hogs, 6.55@6.75; medium, 6.65@6.85; light, 6.65@6.80.

Cattle, receipts 500; weak; bulk prices: beef steers and yearlings, 6.75@10.35; stockers and feeders, 6.25@7.25; beef cows and heifers, 6.00@8.00; canners and cutters, 2.65@3.75; veal calves, 8.25@9.25.

Sheep, receipts 4,000; steady; California lambs, 15.00@15.85; best natives, 15.00@15.50; ewes, 5.00@6.00.

DRY GOODS MARKET

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, June 9. — Cotton goods continued generally quiet today. Yarns held fairly steady and moderately steady. Linen handkerchiefs and dress linens sold much better than domestic linens. Raw silk was steady and quiet. Burlaps were steadier.

STOCK MARKET TURNS BULLISH

Industrial and Railroad Issues to Higher Levels

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, June 9.—Speculative sentiment turned bullish in today's session of the stock market and prices of both industrials and rails moved to higher ground. Industrials had been reactionary for two days, but this was regarded in many quarters as a natural correction of a weakened technical position.

The railroad averages showed a net gain for the seventh consecutive day. Recent buying of these issues has been predicated upon high current earnings, heavy loadings and expectation of more favorable dividend announcements.

Publication of the monthly tonnage statement of the United States Steel corporation, showing a decrease of 307,158 tons in unfilled orders, confirmed earlier forecasts. Steel shares closed fractionally higher on the day with the exception of Crucible, which moved up 1⅛, buying of this issue being attributed to reports of the stock being placed on a dividend basis in the near future.

Such industrial leaders as Baldwin, American Can, Studebaker and American Smelting also closed fractionally higher. American Cotton Oil preferred was conspicuously heavy.

Foreign exchange rates showed slight recessions on a small volume of business. Demand sterling eased ⅞ of a cent to $4.61 and French francs fell 2 points to 6.41 cents. German marks got as low as .0011¾, a new low, but rallied later to .0012½ cent, or $0,000 to the American dollar.

COTTON SEED OIL

NEW YORK, June 9.—Cotton seed oil was quiet and featureless with the undertone steady. The firmness in cotton brought in a little short covering, but new buying power was lacking. Closing bids were 1 to 3 points net higher for active positions. Sales 4,900 barrels. Prime crude 10.00 nominal. Prime yellow, spot 11.60; July 11.58; September 11.23; December 8.92, all bid.

BANK CONDITION.

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, June 9.—The actual condition of clearing house and trust companies for the week shows a deficit in reserve of $5,822,920. This is a decrease in reserve of $33,884,000.

LIBERTY BONDS.

Associated Press Dispatch

New York, June 9.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s, 101.4; second 4s, 98.10; first 4¼s, 98.13; second 4¼s, 98.14; third 4¼s, 98.24; fourth 4¼s, 98.17; United States treasury 4¼s, 99.26.

FINANACIAL FEATURES

Day's total sales 326,000 shares.

Twenty industrials averaged 97.19; net gain .44; high 1923, 105.38; low, 92.77.

Twenty railroads averaged 84.92; net gain 1.61; high, 1923, 90.63; low $0.15.

CASH GRAIN.

Associated Press Dispatch

KANSAS CITY, June 9.—Wheat, No. 2 hard, 1.05@1.16; No. 2 red, 1.08@1.14.

Corn, No. 3 white, 83; No. 2 yellow, 83½@84.

Oats, No. 2 white, 45@46; No. 3 white, 44@45.

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PHONE 4121

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Your Record News should be delivered every morning not later than 6:15 o'clock. When your service is not just what it should be you will do us a favor by telephoning your complaint direct to this office.

PHONE 4121

LODGE DIRECTORY

Wichita Falls Council No. 140 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
GEO. A. SMOOT, T. I. M.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59. — Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month.
OTTO STEHLIK, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. 813 Scott.
F. S. CURD, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Sec'y.

Work in the F. C. degree Wednesday, June 13th, 7:30 p. m.
Work in the Masters degree Friday, June 15th, 7:30 p. m.
Stated meeting, examination of candidates and election of officers Tuesday, June 19, 8:00 p. m.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
JOHN A. ELDER, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.

Instruction for entered apprentice Monday and Tuesday, June 11-12, 7 p. m.
Work in the Fellow Craft degree Tuesday, June 12, 6:30 p. m.
Work in the Master's degree Wednesday, June 13, 6:30 p. m. Also examination of candidates.
June 15, election of officers 7:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202 R. A. M.
Work in the Mark Master's degree Monday, June 11, 7 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
CHAS. H. SMOOT, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Falls lodge rooms in Chennault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
FRANK COLLIER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 221, of the Eastern Star, meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. ESTELLE KARRENBROCK, Worthy Matron.
MRS. NENA FRITZ MCGLYNN, Sec'y.

Order of the Rainbow meets second and fourth Tuesdays. Stella B. Winters, Worthy Advisor; Dorothy Coleman, Secretary.

Faith Chapter O. D. order of the Eastern Star, meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month. 813 Scott.
RUTH A. VERMILLION, W. M.
AUGUST WISDOM, Sec'y.
Residence 2213 Ninth. Phone 2836.

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

Wichita Falls Camp, No. 3001. Regular meeting every Friday night, 8:00 I. O. O. F. hall. Sixth and Scott Ave.
J. M. NICHOLS, C. C.
D. C. BAKER, Clerk.
Phone 6720. 716 Seventh St.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
O. C. BLANTON, N. G.
J. W. BUSSEY, Rec'd. Sec.

HOPE CHAPTER ORDER OF DEMOLAY
Stated meetings second and fourth Thursdays of every month. Patrol meets every Tuesday and Thursday night. Master Masons cordially invited.
GEORGE E. ROSE, M. C.
JOYCE WILLIAMS, Scribe.

Train Information

T. & P. R'y.
NORTH BOUND
No.
1 Fort Worth to Denver and all intermediate points; arrive 8 a. m.; depart 8:20 a. m.
3 Fort Worth to Childress and all intermediate points; arrive 11:55 a. m.; depart 12:10 p. m.
5 "Colorado Special" Fort Worth to Denver, arrive 1:10 p. m., depart 1:25 p. m.
7 Fort Worth and all intermediate points to Wichita Falls; arrive 10:55 p. m.
SOUTH BOUND
8 Denver to Fort Worth and intermediate points; arrive 2:45 a. m. depart 3 a. m.
6 Wichita Falls to Fort Worth and all intermediate points, depart 5 a. m.
4 Childress to Fort Worth and all intermediate points; arrive 1 p. m.; depart 1:15 p. m.
2 "Colorado Special" Denver to Fort Worth and intermediate points; arrive 3:35 p. m.; depart 3:45 p. m.

M. K. T. of T. LINES
ARRIVE FROM EAST
47 From Dallas and intermediate points to Wichita Falls arrive 6:15 a. m.
51 "Texas Special" from St. Louis, Kansas City, Denison, arrive 1:30 p. m.
43 From Dallas and intermediate points to Wichita Falls, arrive 10 p. m.
DEPART TO EAST
46 To Dallas and all intermediate points depart 5:30 a. m.
52 "Texas Special" to Denison, Kansas City, St. Louis, etc., depart 2:50 p. m.
44 Eleven "Clock Katy" to Dallas and intermediate points, depart 11:20 p. m.
"NORTHWESTERN DIVISION"
ARRIVE FROM NORTH
51 From Oklahoma City, Elk City and intermediate points, arrive 8:00 a.m.
53 From Forgan, Oklahoma and all intermediate points, arrive 5:05 p. m.
DEPART TO NORTH
54 To Forgan Oklahoma and all intermediate points, depart 7 a. m.
52 To Oklahoma City, Altus, Elk City, and all intermediate points, depart 7 p. m.
WICHITA VALLEY LINES
ARRIVE FROM WEST
8 From Abilene and all intermediate points, arrive 4:30 a. m.
2 From Abilene and all intermediate points, arrive 12:50 p. m.
DEPART TO WEST
5 To Abilene and all intermediate points, depart 12:30 a. m.
1 To Abilene and all intermediate points, depart 2:45 p. m.
ARRIVE FROM EAST
9 From Waurika, Byers, Petrolia and Dean, arrive 9 p. m.
DEPART TO EAST
10 To Dean, Petrolia, Byers and Waurika, depart 9 a. m.
WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN RY.
NORTH BOUND
24 From Breckenridge, Graham, Olney etc., arrive 12:40 p. m.
SOUTH BOUND
23 To Olney, Graham, Breckenridge and all intermediate points, depart 2 p. m.
G. T. ALLMAN, Ticket Agent.

Knights of Columbus. Wichita Falls Council No. 1473—Meets every Monday evening, 1509 Ninth Street. Visiting knights welcome. C. J. COFFEY, G. K. 1116 City Nat. Bk. Bldg.
CLEM. J. GALLAGHER, F. S.
1404 Holliday.

Wichita Falls Council No. 1473 Meets first and third Mondays, at 8 p. m., 1509 Ninth street. Visiting Knights welcome. C. J. Coffey, G. K., 1116 City National Bank Building; Clem J. Gallagher, F. S. 800 Harrison street.

2—Lost and Found

LOST—Black suit case with overcoat on outside, Saturday, June 9. Finder write to P. O. box 840, City.

3—Help Wanted Male

SALESMAN WANTED—If you are salesman enough to sell real estate, call at 717½ Eighth-st.

WANTED—Plumber for small job. Call 914½ Indiana.

WANTED A-1 tank builder. Apply 1105 Tenth-st. or call 5225.

IF YOU have $200 will start you in new business; no competition, should net $100 salary weekly; experience unnecessary. International Machine Co., Baltimore, Md.

LARGE shirt manufacturer wants agents to sell complete line of shirts direct to wearer; exclusive patterns; big values; free sample. Madison Mills, 503 Broadway, New York City.

WE NEED two more salesmen to complete our sales organization. If $40 a week will interest you and 25 years of age or over, call at 701-B Tenth-st. Ask for Mr. Johnson.

SKILLED or unskilled labor desiring position with large oil or refining companies in United States, Mexico South America, Australia or other countries, send stamped, self-addressed envelope for particulars. No stock or selling proposition offered. Oil Bureau, 165 Haver Bldg., Tulsa Okla.

BOYS WANTED
TO SELL RECORD NEWS
EVERY MORNING

4—Help Wanted Female

WANTED—A waitress. Clayton's Lunch 807 Ninth-st.

SUMMER term starts Monday, June 11. Your last opportunity to save 20 per cent discount on your scholarship. National Business College, 807½ Tenth-st. Phone 5656.

LADIES—Earn $20 weekly. Spare time. Home. Represent leading music publisher. Addressing circulars mailing music orders; simple. Send for information. Wolfe Gilbert Music corporation. Broadway Central Bldg. New York City.

WANTED—A young lady to learn millinery work. Apply 723 Indiana Ave. Bom Malche.

WANTED—Nurse girl, reference required. Apply 2613 9th street.

6—Salesmen & Agents

AGENTS—$30.00 daily representing factory. Electric lighted vanity cases. Fastest seller out. Pay advanced. We deliver. Write for sample. Goldsmith, 29 So. Clinton, Chicago.

$56 to $56 weekly in your spare time doing special advertising work among the families of your city; no experience necessary, write today for full particulars. American Products Co., 8340 American Bldg. Cincinnati Ohio.

$10.00 PER DAY guaranteed. No investment. Men, women. Dainty silver creamer $1.50. Housewife buys on sight. Advertised Saturday Evening Post. Davis Can Server corporation, Ashtabula, Ohio.

7—Situations Wanted

MODERN, cool bedroom, connecting bath; walking distance to town; $20 per month. 1204 Indiana. Phone 6718.

BOOKKEEPER wants job; best references. Address Box 125, Record News.

8—Room and Board

COOL, most desirable bedrooms in town. 1210 Ninth. Phone 3521.

WANTED—An unencumbered white woman to take to the Ozark mountains for the summer for cooking and general house work. No washing or ironing. Apply 1704 Tenth St. Phone 5350.

ROOM and board, $10 a week. 1007 Barnett. Phone 6306.

9—Bedrooms for Rent

ROOMS for rent, in private home. Phone 4677.

UPSTAIRS room and two garages. 1403 Tenth-st. Phone 2830.

CLOSE-IN comfortable front upstairs bedroom, for one or two; reasonable. 1408 Eighth-st. Phone 7579.

FOR RENT—East upstairs bedroom newly finished in white; private entrance; on carline; privilege of phone and bath. 1310 13th. Phone 6309.

ONE large cool bedroom to one or two gentlemen; rent reasonable, 1506 Tenth. Phone 7520.

FOR RENT—Cool front bedroom elegantly furnished at 1603 12th Phone 5872. Sunday and evenings.

BEDROOMS for rent, neatly furnished; men only; handy to bath. 1408 Burnett. Phone 5369.

ROOMS for rent, in private home. Phone 4677.

LARGE cool front bedroom in modern private home; on paved street and carline. Phone 6574.

BEDROOM to men only. 1208 Travis.

NICE, cool rooms, suitable for ladies. 1107 Lamar. Phone 2251.

ROOMS for rent, in private home. Phone 4677.

TWO cool furnished bed rooms close in, with garage. 1008 Travis.

MODERN, clean, private room for men at 1207 11th. Phone 4258.

ROOMS for rent, in private home. Phone 4677.

10—Housekeeping Rooms

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms upstairs; everything furnished. 704 Travis.

THREE furnished rooms. 1312 11th St. Phone 2733.

TWO light housekeeping rooms furnished or unfurnished. Phone 4628.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms, connecting bath. Private front and back entrance. 1413 Thirteenth-st. Phone 2221.

TWO rooms unfurnished, modern, and private entrance, 121 Dallas-st.

ONE light housekeeping room; close in. Phone 4813.

FURNISHED housekeeping apartment to parties without children. 502 Austin.

11—For Rent Apartments

FOR RENT—2-room furnished apartment. 805 15th St.

DUPLEX apartment, furnished, two rooms with sleeping porch, connecting bath, all modern, adults only Phone 3926.

NICE furnished apartment sink in kitchen; front and rear entrance; close in, on carline. For information, call 1007 Seventeenth-st.

TWO and three-room apartments, furnished; garage. Phone 3625.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment, private bath, to adults. Apply Hoffman Apartments, Tenth and Lamar, phone 5236.

12—For Rent Houses

WANTED—To share part of my furnished house. 2211 Ninth. Phone 3663.

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house and garage, good condition. 1214 12th St. Phone 3754.

FOR RENT—Concrete garage. 1212 Broad. Phone 6280.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished modern 5-room house to permanent people; will take a year lease. References exchanged. Address 127, Record News.

FOR RENT—June 12, modern five room house and garage; close in Phone 5467.

14—Wanted to Rent

WANTED to rent, furnished rooms or house, reasonable rent. Inquire after 7 p. m. of Supt. Nafziger Bkg. Co. Phone 2922.

WANTED—To rent. Adult family of three desire small completely furnished house on pavement with garage. Phone 6934.

WANTED—2 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. Close in, permanent. Box 128, Record News.

WANTED to rent nice cool bedroom. Box 113, Record News.

15—Miscellaneous

WINDREY FIXIT shop. We repair and recover umbrellas. Phone 5213.

16—For Rent Misc.

FOR SALE—White pine screen doors, 2x8 by 6x8. $2.50 each. TEXAS LUMBER SALVAGE CO. Phone 7427. 1110 Ohio.

17—For Sale Misc.

FOR SALE — Green composition shingles, $7 per square. TEXAS LUMBER SALVAGE CO. Phone 7427. 1110 Ohio.

HEMSTITCHING and picoting attachment; superior device Fits any sewing machine, $3 delivered with instructions and sample work. Superior Attachment Co. Corpus Christi, Texas.

FOR SALE—Golden oak flat top desk, two arm chairs and typewriter, good as new. Room 6, 808½ Ohio.

18—Dogs, Cats, Pets

FOR SALE—Airdale pups, subject to registration; females $10.00; males $12.50. T. J. Crawford, 1622 Callin-st.

WANTED—Dogs to board. Blue Cross kennels. Phone 3069.

20—Live Stock

MILK cow for sale. Phone 3386.

21—Plants and Seeds

FOR SALE—Porto Rico [illegible] 45c per 100, at 2401 Holliday. Phone 5401.

22—Financial

INSURANCE
Our 15 years' experience in writing insurance of all kinds assures the fact that your business will be properly taken care of if entrusted in our hands. We have nothing but old line insurance companies. See us at 1010 City National Bank Bldg., or call us, phone 7446.

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

23—Loans

FEDERAL LOANS 5 1-2 per cent money on farms and ranches. Why pay more? J. M. Hendricks, Ward Bldg. Phone 5409.

MONEY! MONEY! MONEY! We have an unlimited amount of money to loan on first-class farms and ranches and Wichita Falls city real estate. We make our own inspections. Have your title examined here. Service is our MOTTO. Rates and terms the best.
COVINGTON BROS.
Phone 7446. 1010 City National

SEVEN per cent money to lend on improved farm land in any amounts, one deed of trust, no commission.
STEHLIK & BABER
Kemp Hotel.

24—Bus. Opportunities

FOR SALE—A business that is making $700 per month with about $200 expenses. Will sacrifice for $450; $200 cash, balance $40 per month if sold at once. Box 130, Record News, or phone 2449.

FOR SALE—Grocery store, well located in city; takes small amount to handle. Box 119, Record News.

FOR SALE—Complete set men's furnishing store fixtures, including hat cases, three show cases and shelving. Priced to sell. Apply 822 Indiana.

25—Special Notices

FOR SALE—French door, two sizes, $8 each.
TEXAS LUMBER SALVAGE CO.
Phone 7427. 1110 Ohio.

ANNUAL picnic and rodeo at Goree July 3-4. Address W. H. Griffin for information.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind, done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone, day 6011; night 2224.

WANT to sell and have removed from lots, the following houses, 911 8th-st., 901 Austin, 803 Austin, 805 Austin. Will subdivide the large houses to suit purchaser. Phone N. Henderson, T. B. Hickman.

JIM'S SHOP
Why Pay More?
Hair Cut 30c
Plain Shampoo 30c
Tonic 30c
Shave 20c
Massage 30c
Or All for $1.00
Open 7:30 A. M. Close 7:00 A. M.
1113 1/2 Indiana Ave.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED: we bring sample of ticking; call for and deliver same day. Mattresses made good as new. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana. Phone 2930

L. A. CHILDS—Plumbing and gas fitting. 1207 Scott. Phone 5584.

FOR SALE—45-lb. all new cotton linters mattresses, good art ticking, $8.75; 40-lb. made-over mattresses new art ticking, $6.50. We will take old mattresses or furniture in payment for new mattresses or mattress work. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana Ave. Phone 2930.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising leveling. Jack Humphrey. Phone 5994.

OLD and new floors surfaced and finished complete. Electrical equipment. First class work. Al Brown, Phone 2637.

WE WILL mail postpaid complete copy of the Texas "Blue Sky Law" passed by the present session of the legislature, containing 29 sections for $3. Security Investment company 516 Moore Bldg. San Antonio, Texas.

PLUMBING—Our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You do not have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Castledine, 907 Van Buren. Phone 4420.

PURE goos feather pillows, best grade feather ticking, $2.50 each. Patton Mattress Factory, phone 2930.

DRAKE TRANSFER and Storage. Day phone 5735; night phone 3830; does crating, packing and shipping; local and long distance hauling. Oil field trips a specialty. Shelby Drake, manager

25—Special Notices

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—Have your mattresses made new. We will bring sample of ticking to your home. Call for and deliver the same day. Bell Mattress Co., phone 2412.

FOR PLUMBING Phone 3644. David Black.

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300 910 Sixth street.

26—Personal

WHISKY DRINKING CURED
Literature. Write Keeley Sanitorium, 3405 Forest, Dallas.

EPILEPTICS
At last a treatment which positively stops all seizures from first day's use. No bromides or narcotics. Guaranteed. Information free. Hunter Laboratories, 207 1-2 Main St., Little Rock, Ark.

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

27—Dressmaking

HEMSTITCHING, 5c per yard Phone 2813.

28—Wanted Furniture

WANTED TO BUY
We buy all kinds furniture; stoves, rugs, etc. We pay more and sell for less. Phone 6513.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.
J. A. Peaton & Son. 918 Scott

GET OUR bid on your second-hand furniture before you sell. We exchange new furniture for old and make terms to suit you. See us for bargains.
E. F. RILEY FURNITURE COo
Phone 5463.

WILL PAY the highest cash prices for used furniture.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

THE STAR FURNITURE CO.
Will pay you more for your used furniture.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011.

29—For Sale Furniture

FIVE rooms of furniture; leaving city, will sacrifice. Phone 5182.

FOR SALE—Mahogany davenport table cheap. 1648 Lucile. Phone 3797.

FOR SALE—Oak dining table and ice box at 1313 11th St.

FURNITURE
We buy, sell and exchange new and used furniture, stoves and rugs. See us for bargains.
E. F. RILEY FURNITURE CO.
Phone 3223 No. 2 607 Ind.

MONEY SAVERS
Gas stoves, $8, $10, $12.50.
Oil stoves $6, $8 to $15.
Wood coal stoves, $6 to $60.
Dressers $10, $14 to $16.50.
Duofolds $15 to $25.
Cabinets $8 to $20.
Numerous other bargains in most anything.
CARLTON FURNITURE CO.
Phone 2666. 617 Indiana

"WILL PAY CASH"
Wanted to buy, five or six rooms of furniture. Phone 3316.

THIS IS THE DAY
To sell your furniture at good prices.
IF YOU WANT TO BUY
Save your money. Call us.
MILLICAN FURNITURE CO.
804 7th St. Phone 4785.

WE HAVE some real bargains in used pianos. Will rent you one if you do not want to buy.
E. F. RILEY FURNITURE CO.
816-818 Ohio

31—Musical Instruments

PHONOGRAPH BARGAINS
$175 Columbia $110
$200 Edison 95
$125 Columbia 60
$100 Concert 50
These are slightly used but most practically new, terms as low as $1 down, $1 per week or $5 a month.
WICHITA MUSIC CO.
718 Ind.

33—Autos and Accessories

BARGAINS
1921 Dodge Roadster $225
1922 Ford Sedan, fully equipped $375
1920 Buick Roadster $375
1921 Ford Touring $200
1922 Ford Coupe $375
Chandler Chummy, new cord tires $200
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 Ninth St. Phone 2015

SUPREME RADIATOR CO.
Repair all makes. Cores installed.
605½ Scott St. Phone 2804

33—Autos and Accessories

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring car, good condition, new battery. Three new casings. Reasonable. 1310 13th.

GOOD USED CARS
1920 LEXINGTON TOURING.
1919 Buick "4" TOURING.
1919 FORD TOURING.
1920 OWEN MAGNETIC
1920 FORD SEDAN.
1921 OAKLAND SEDAN
ARTHUR HUFF MOTOR CO.
PHONE 2929 609 SCOTT

WE BUY and sell used cars. Everybody's Used Car Market, 920 Scott.

FOR SALE—Overland touring car, 90 model, at 1313 11th St.

WE sell the Armleder truck. TEXAS IRON AND METAL CO., 205 Mississippi. Phone 6860.

We will buy your car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
Phone 2015.
714 9th St.

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TWO REAL BARGAINS
1920 Ford roadster.
1920 Hudson touring.
PARMENTER MOTOR CO.
1116 Tenth St. Phone 3024

WE BUY and sell good used Fords and other standard makes.
L. & M. AUTO MARKET
911 Scott

USED CAR BARGAINS
Late model Ford touring, double Hassler shock absorbers; good condition.
DODGE TOOL PUSHER, a bargain.
OLDSMOBILE SIX ROADSTER, completely overhauled; new paint; new top.
VICTORY MOTOR CO.
517-21 Indiana Ave.
"Our New Location."
Phone 2150

GOOD 5-passenger Nash car, bought it new; used it all the time in town. Bargain $300. Phone 3332. J. F. Yates.

HUDSON Speedster, fine condition, will sacrifice. Phone 3628 or 2484.

FOR SALE — Five passenger car good running order; must sell at once at some price. Apply 822 Indiana.

TRUCK—Three-ton for trade or sale. Watts Trading company. Phone 7558.

USED CAR BARGAINS
Ford coupe $350
Ford sedan $450
Essex cabriolet $850
Essex touring $550
Essex roadster $650
Dodge coupe $670
Olds coupe $650
Nash sport, good as new $1,350
Cadillac, 7-passenger $1,400
If you are in the market for a good used car see us. Terms.
LLOYD WEAVER COMPANY
814 Travis Phone 4133

34—Machinery and Tools

ROTARY rig for sale, or trade for house. Watts Trading Co., phone 7558.

35—Oil Land and Leases

STOCKHOLDERS' NOTICE
Look over all old stocks carefully and phone us or bring them in and ask prices. Many stocks have cash values.
CENTRAL STOCK EXCHANGE
200 Morgan Bldg. Phone 5635

36—For Sale, Trade or Ex.

FOR SALE or exchange, light Six roadster, in good condition. Will sell or trade for Ford.

6 ROOM house and lot on Kemp, will trade for car and balance easy. Terms phone 4586. Ask for Mr. Hurd during week days.

37—Farms and Ranches

WE HAVE some good buys in truck farms just outside city. Improved and unimproved. They are cheap, but good. Watts Trading Co. 808½ Ohio Ave. Phone 7558.

38-A—Suburban Sites

SMALL CASH PAYMENT
and the balance to suit you, will buy from 1 to 5 acres of the Woodall Suburban Farm, two miles north of Wichita Falls. A choice block may be had if you hurry. On new gravel road or the pavement.
Phone 3964; we will gladly take you out and show you what we have.
WOODALL & MARTIN
"Owners"
Basement Waggoner Building.

38-A—Suburban Sites

BEAUTIFUL suburban homesites on the Iowa Park paved road, just three miles beyond the city limits. Look for our sign. We have a few 5-acre tracts left facing on the paved road, and a few very desirable 5-acre tracts facing east on the gravel road which the owner is going to construct. We can give you good terms, and it will pay you to look into the matter at once.
J. C. CRANE & SON
434 Bob Waggoner Bldg. Phone 3377

40—For Sale Real Estate

A REAL HOME
We have a six-room modern home, including large sleeping porch. Has south front, close to street car line, one block from high school building, on good residence street; $1,500 cash will handle the deal, balance on easy terms. Owner moving away, desires quick sale.
COVINGTON BROS.
Phone 7446; 1010 City Natl. Bank Building

SMALL HOME—Well located; best built place in town for the money; need money and want to sell this week. 2405 Buchanan, after 7 p. m. Phone 4279.

FOR SALE by owner, modern 5-room house. 1310 15th St.

NEAR JUNIOR COLLEGE
Attractive bungalow, consisting of five rooms and breakfast room, edge grain floors throughout, panel bookcases, two sets French doors, driveway and garage. This place is unusually well constructed; $5,200. Attractive terms.
N. A. MOORE
200 Morgan Bldg. Phone 5635

COLLEN'S, pavement and paving paid for, good 5-room house, full size lot, driveway and garage, $3,700; $1,000 cash will handle.
N. A. MOORE
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HOMES FOR SALE—If you are looking for a home, it will pay you to let us show you what we have.
J. C. CRANE & SON
434 Bob Waggoner Bldg. Phone 3377

FOR SALE—5-room strictly modern furnished home; must sell at once; fair cash payment, balance like rent.
C. C. JONES Sr.
407 Staley Bldg. Phone 6450

BUNGALOW — Pavement and paving paid for; five nice sized rooms and breakfast room, with all built-in features anyone could desire; new and never been occupied; $500 cash and balance to suit buyer.
N. A. MOORE
200 Morgan Bldg. Phone 5635

GOOD 7-room brick, 11th St.; take cheaper place.

5-ROOM house, Broad, Sibley Taylor; $2,750.

GOOD 3-room house, Kemp boulevard; $1,800.

4-ROOM house, Sibley Taylor; $1,500.

FINE east front corner, dandy home, Taylor; $6,500.

GOOD 6-room house, Grant street; $3,750.

GOOD 6-room house, close in, 12th street; $4,500.

ARNOLD & YATES
Phone 3332

THREE lots, 50x150; four-room house with concrete foundation; chicken house, cow shed, garage lights, gas and water. Priced right Call 306 Maple St.

41—Wanted Real Estate

DO YOU want to sell your home? We can sell it, as we have several clients for homes ranging from $4,000 to $10,000 in price. Phone us your listing.
J. C. CRANE & SON
434 Bob Waggoner Bldg. Phone 3377

WE HAVE a buyer with a good car as first payment on small house, balance monthly. If you have anything list it with us.

WE HAVE a buyer for 5 or 6-room house with $500 cash to pay down. What have you? List it with us.
WATTS TRADING CO.
808½ Ohio Ave. Phone 7558

43—Wanted to Buy

FOR SALE—Grocery store. Phone 3958.

WANTED—Used 2 or 3-horsepower motor, 110 volt single, phase 60 cycle. Phone 5541.

44—Legal Notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita county, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Maggie May Stutts 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 Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in July, A. D., 1923, the same being the second day of July, A. D., 1923, then and there to

GRAHAM MEN VISIT NEIGHBORS

South Bend and Other Towns Visited By Merchants

Special Dispatch to Record News.
GRAHAM, Texas, June 9.—The Graham tude trippers came in about 6 o'clock yesterday evening after an all-day trip to the west of Graham.

They report a good trip though a hot one, and a cordial reception by the towns along the route. They passed through South Bend, Ellaswille, Crystal Falls, Woodson, returning by way of Murray. About 125, accompanied by the high school band, went on the trip.

RAIN EXTENDS SCOUT CAMP

Boys Unable to Return Here Because Of Muddy Roads

The annual boy scout encampment was supposed to have come to a conclusion Saturday afternoon, but the boys are still camping due to the heavy rains.

It was the plan of the officials to break camp Saturday at noon, but due to heavy rains that fell Friday night and Saturday morning it would have been an impossibility for the boys to have made the return trip to Wichita as yesterday in cars. Reports from the camp say that as soon as the roads will permit, the boys will start for home. If no more rain falls before Monday and Sunday afternoon, it is said that an attempt will be made to make the trip.

The boys have been camping in Archer county in the Wichita river for the past two weeks and have had only one brief rain during that time. Under the supervision of the scout officials to make the trip and, it is said, have visited many points of interest, besides having been swimming.

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[illegible] petition filed in the district court on the second day of June, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered [illegible] on the docket of said court, No. 14428-B wherein John D. Stutts is plaintiff and Maggie May Stutts is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were legally married on or about the 23rd day of November, 1919, and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about Oct. 25, 1921, when by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff he was forced and compelled to abandon her, since which time they have not lived together. That defendant cursed and abused plaintiff, calling him names too vicious and foul to mention in his pleadings and imputed to him the lack of ability to manage well as a husband their domestic affairs; that in the early part of 1920 plaintiff bought for their use a milk cow, which greatly displeased the defendant, and because of which she cursed plaintiff in the vilest terms, calling him all manner of bad names, and charged him upon this occasion and from time to time before and thereafter of being unable to make a livelihood, and charged him with having no intelligence whatever and no good business judgment; all of which is wholly untrue and false. That by reason of said conduct that their further living together is insupportable.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and that upon final hearing he have judgment dissolving the marital relation between him and defendant and for such other and further relief that he may show himself entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid 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 second day of June, A. D., 1923.

A. F. KERR, Clerk, District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By Eunice Jackson, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas
To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county: greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon C. F. Woener 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 Eighty-ninth district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in July, A. D., 1923, the same being the second day of July, A. D., 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the —day of May, A. D., 1923, in a suit, number on the docket of said court No. 14,290-B wherein, Nora Woener is plaintiff and C. F. Woener is defendant and said petition alleging that the plaintiff has resided in Texas and Wichita county more than twelve months next preceding the filing of the petition, that defendant's residence is unknown; that the parties were lawfully married in May, 1917; that the defendant thereafter became a drug addict and was guilty of cruel and excessive treatment of the plaintiff; that defendant was successively convicted of two felonies, for which he served two terms in the penitentiary aggregating three and one-half years, for neither of which crimes has he been pardoned. Prayer is for divorce and for general relief.

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 second day of June, A. D., 1923.

A. F. KERR, Clerk, District Court, Wichita county, Texas.
By Eunice Jackson, Deputy.

A COMPLETE NEWSPAPER

WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

LEADS IN LOCAL NEWS

SECOND BAND CONCERT AT 8

Bellevue Park Scene Of Amusement Program Tonight

The second public concert of the summer to be given by the Wichita Falls Community band will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in Bellevue park, according to announcements Saturday from park officials. The program begins promptly and will last between an hour and an half and two hours.

Last Sunday's concert, given at Lake Wichita, proved to be a tremendous attraction and was heard by large crowds. It is expected that the entertainment tonight will be equally as popular.

The following program will be rendered under the direction of John Kaufman.

March, "Camp Custer" ..... Schroder
Gavotte, "Shadowland" ..... Gilbert
"Simple Aveu" ..... Atherton
Selection from "The Bohemian Girl" ..... Balf
Intermission, brief address.
March, "The Thrill to Victory" .....
"Hungaresque" ..... Fuhrer
Intermezzo Russe ..... Dvorak
"Maiden of Seville" ..... Franke
Plantation Songs ..... Czibulka
"The Blue and the Grey" ..... Klohr
"Star Spangled Banner." ..... Dalby

Public Records

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George Mitchell and Mrs. Bob Covington, Burkburnett.

W. R. Stonecipher and Lora Bracken, Burkburnett.

A. E. Feigert, Sharon, Pa., and Pearl Fine, Wichita Falls.

C. J. Amos and Minnie Wilson, Electra.

WARRANTY DEEDS

K. W. Thompson to M. E. Bray, lot 10, block 98, Southland addition to Electra; $10. 3-12-23.

C. W. Coffey et al to Roy W. Dickley, lot 12, block 123, Electra. 6-31-23. $1,000.

Roy Charlesworth to K. D. Alexander, lots 21-22, block 107, Electra. 6-5-23. $200.

G. W. Gafford to M. E. Bray, lot 8, block 120, Electra. 6-5-23, $1,180.

M. E. Bray et ux to G. W. Gafford, lot 10, block 98, Southland addition, Electra. 6-5-23. $680.

I. E. Harwell to J. M. Crittenden, lots 29-40 Highway addition, Burkburnett, $210. 6-7-23.

James T. Cumley to A. L. Wolf, lots 6-7, block 72-A, lots 6-7, block 67-A, lot 8, block 67-A, all of Highland addition, $10. 6-7-23.

J. B. Warren et ux to H. S. Jung; 3.096a parts of John A. Sections 15 and 16. 3-21-23.

J. H. Bessor et ux to J. W. [illegible] 2½ acre out of J. W. Massie abstract 181, being w½ of [illegible] tract conveyed [illegible] 5-5-23. $500.

[illegible] by John P. [illegible]

Anna E. Price et junx to S. Couch lot 13, block 32 Scott addition, $250. 4-24-23.

Jerome S. Stone to M. D. Walker, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, block 1, Jackson & Roberts addition to city, $2,500. 6-7-23.

L. S. Williams et ux to R. T. Whitworth, n10 feet lot 9 and s10 feet of lot 10, block 145 city, $1,000. 5-5-23.

NO TEACHERS NEEDED IN WICHITA COUNTY

All teaching positions in county schools have been filled for next year, Burl Bryant, county superintendent, announced Saturday. Contracts for the large majority of places have been signed, but in the few openings remaining, agreements have been made with instructors.

Superintendent Bryan declared that the county schools were in excellent condition in every respect and that he looked for a banner year next fall.

BUILDING HERE IN NEW SLUMP

Building permits took another dizzy dive toward the bottom during the week just past, the total reaching only $2,375. Eight permits were issued by the city clerk during the week.

On the week previous, the record was over the $25,000 mark, this being a decided advance over those of the two weeks prior.

The complete list is as follows:

Piggly Wiggly, improvements, 706 Indiana, $500.

F. E. Johnson, improvements, 1703 Bluff, $100.

R. C. Pemberton, improvements, 504 Brook, $75.

J. A. Lawerence, improvements, N. Park, $200.

Stehlik and Baber, business building, Highland Heights, $100.

S. H. Walton, garage, 1605 Lucille, $300.

B. M. Bullard, barn, 710 Denver, $100.

Ed. Waggener, residence, 103 San Antonio, $1,000.

The United States geological survey estimates that there is still unmined $350,000,000 worth of placer gold in Alaska.

Old Home Town Stuff

THINGS YOU SAY, DO AND SEE AND SOME YOU DON'T

Four marriage licenses Saturday. Rather light for a week-end.

T. E. Alldav returned Friday night from a 10 days' business trip to South Texas, visiting Houston and Galveston.

Mrs. Will T. Hunter of Johnson City, Tenn., is a visitor at the home of Judge and Mrs. Joseph T. Ainsworth.

H. G. Mankin is spending the week-end with his mother, Mrs. M. B. Mankin, 207 Maple street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Price of Allen, Okla., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McGhee, 1505 Seventeenth street.

Constable Frank Morgan left Saturday on a brief business trip to East Texas points.

Julian Montgomery returned Saturday from Spur, Texas, where he has been on business for the past several days.

A. E. Feigert of Sharon, Pa., and Pearl Fine of this city were married Saturday by Justice of the Peace R. V. Gwinn.

That repairing idea on Indiana and Ohio evidently was given another boost Saturday. The prolonged rains started the humps to bulging.

Mrs. A. E. Anderson and daughter, Alene, are expected here the first of the week from Colorado Springs to spend the summer with friends and relatives.

Walter Frieberg returned Saturday from Fort Worth, where he has been attending T. C. U., to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Frieberg, 303 Beaver.

Ray Bland, a graduate from the local high school this spring, returned yesterday from the nearby harvest fields. Mr. Bland says the first three days are the worst of all.

Temple Shell, who has been attending the University of Texas for the past year, has returned to Wichita Falls. Mr. Shell graduated from the local high school in 1920.

Walter D. Cline returned Saturday aft-

International News Dispatch

TOPEKA, Kan., June 9.—Heavy rainfall over the greater part of the state during the past 24 hours has caused many Kansas rivers and creeks to rise rapidly, reaching the near flood stage, and in some localities inundating the lowlands, according to weather bureau prediction.

ARSONS GETS 4 INCHES

[illegible] week's precipitation [illegible] and a raised, City Tax Assessor and Collector stated Saturday. It was previously announced that the board would meet [illegible] 21.

American Legion officials announce that they are still busy on plans for bring the Cotton Belt Exposition shows to this city the latter part of the month and that chances are bright for a two weeks' stand of the attractions here.

Rev. W. W. Rozell of the South Side Christ church announces he will speak on "The Heroic Highwayman" Sunday morning. The subject for his Sunday evening address will be "Possess Your Possessions." A baptism service will be held at the close of the Sunday evening service.

Dr. F. R. Collard of the North Texas Medical & Surgical clinic has gone to St. Louis, Mo., to attend the annual convention of the American Medical association.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel and family, who for-merly lived here but are now near the noted 10,000-barrel well at Hewitt, Okla., are visiting relatives here this week.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Klein from Kansas City where they are making a short stay enroute to their former home in New York City.

Miss Bernice Clarke, sister of Mrs. S. S. Rigger, left Wednesday for her former home in Independence, Kan., to visit her parents during the summer months.

Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Reeves and little daughter left Friday for Nashville, Tenn.

Lee Crownover of Odell, Texas, and his father-in-law, Pete Mankin, motored over to Wichita Falls and are the guests of Pete Mankin's son, W. B. Mankin and family. Mr. Crownover is returning as soon as roads will permit, but Mr. Mankin will remain several weeks for treatment under a local physician.

Rev. A. H. Laukhuf, who has been connected with several recent campaigns of evangelism in Tulsa, Okla., will take charge of the First Evangelical church of this city. Rev. Laukhuf is regarded as one of the greatest evangelistic workers in the south and will hold one of the greatest revival meetings ever conducted in Wichita Falls.

A fight was barely averted Saturday afternoon between a local boy and a truck driver. The driver passed the boy and as he passed the boy observed that a large piece of cloth was interwoven in the wheel of the car. The boy gave forth a loud yell of warning and the driver stopped at once. The boy then told him to be careful or he would cause the car to trip itself. After a few cutting remarks the driver got in the car and drove off.

Home Town was the observer of a peculiar fight Saturday afternoon in one of the downtown buildings. It is not known what the dispute arose over, but just as Home Town came on the scene he saw two large men grapple and begin making passes at each other. Before they were separated they had broken two large expensive plate glasses in the hall of the building. Neither was hurt seriously, one suffering from cuts on the elbow where it had crashed through the glass and the other from a large knot on his head where his opponent's fist had connected.

SOME WAGER, THIS.

With an egg malted milk as the stake and the 13 flights of stairs of the First National bank building as the goal, two local boys made an odd bet Saturday afternoon. The wager arose over an argument as to whether one of the boys could carry the other on his back to the top of the building with a one-minute stop on the seventh floor. The argument grew so heated that a bet was made with an egg malted milk as the stake. The contest started and by the time the marathon had reached the fourth floor a large audience was following giving encouragement. The one-minute stop was made on the seventh floor and then the contest began again. The burden bearer was the winner in one sense of the word, as he won the bet, but in another he was a loser, as the boy on his back weighed 140 pounds and, according to the winner, "weighed a ton before the goal was reached." After an extended rest the two betters went to a nearby drug store and enjoyed the stakes.



L. S. Fritz, McClellan, Cleveland, Okla.; C. H. Ardinger, Mabelle; V. L. Whitworth, Ennis; E. D. Prentice, Chicago; John Baker, Denison; Paul Matthews, Pittsburgh; James Garvey, Houston; J. L. Culbertson, Honston; W. H. O'Neil, Cleveland, Ohio; J. W. Teeter, Dallas; Robert Longyear, Minneapolis; R. C. Aldon, Breckenridge; C. M. Murfy, Kausas City; Guy Harrison, Dallas.

HOTEL TEXAN.

J. O. Miller, Dallas; J. J. Harrington, Kansas City; R. A. McCurtz, city; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Vercen, Fort Worth; S. W. Martin, Burkburnett; A. C. Varner, Fort Worth; C. W. Bater, city; H. C. Cummings, city; R. C. Walters, Denison; E. H. Edwards, Cisco; H. C. Pal, Cisco.

WILLIAM-MARY.

Mrs. Frances Gaffney, city; Mrs. Mabel Thiele, city; E. M. Sanderson, city; R. C. Jasper, city; Mrs. Margarete Eastwood, Cameron; R. R. Wilson, city; R. O. Murphy, Dallas, Earl O'Kelly, Amarillo; A. G. Ray and family, Bellevue; L. P. Doane, city; E. M. Smith, Dallas; M. D. Cooper, Dallas.



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CLARK GOES TO HUNTSVILLE

He Will Be Instructor In Psychology At Sam Houston Normal

Lee Clark, superintendent of schools here for the past eight years, left Saturday for Huntsville, Texas, where he is to be instructor in psychology at the Sam Houston Normal school during the summer months. Later he goes to Gainesville as head of the city school system there.

Prior to his departure, Mr. Clark received word that his annual report, submitted to State Superintendent of Public Instruction S. M. N. Marrs at Austin, had been received and approved.

In addition to his report to the state superintendent, Mr. Clark announced that the material for courses of stuy in the schools here had been completed and turned over to J. W. Cantwell, superintendent. Mr. Clark, working with the various supervisors in the schools, has been compiling and arranging this data for the past three years, and he feels that it will give to the city school system a course of study for its students equal to any in the South.

The courses, it is understood, are to be published and utilized by the teaching forces here.

Secret Service Man Pays Fine Of $25 To City

A $25 fine was assessed in city police court Saturday against the federal secret service agent arrested by officers Saturday night on charges of intoxication and disturbing the peace. He was taken in custody after a fight at Ohio and Seventh streets.

A companion of the agent, claiming to be employed by a local newspaper, was released from jail Saturday morning without having charges filed against him.

MOVIE STAR QUITS HUBBY.

Associated Press Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Elsie Ferguson, stage and screen actress, and her husband, Thomas B. Clarke, Jr., vice president of the Harriman National bank, have separated, it was learned today. Mr. Clarke confirmed the fact but refused to discuss their differences, saying any information would have to come through his wife. She could not be communicated with.



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Y. W. CAMPAIGN READY TO OPEN

Goal Set For $35,000 And Immediate Success Is Expected

Absolute confidence was expressed Saturday by members of the Y. W. C. A. building campaign committee that the drive for $35,000 to be launched this week would meet with every success.

The campaign begins in earnest Tuesday and it is hoped to have everything complete not later than Wednesday night.

Arrangements not already made will be completed at a meeting to be held by members of the committee Monday at the Wichita club rooms.

It is proposed to thoroughly canvass the city in the interests of the campaign and to give everyone an opportunity to contribute their bit toward a new home for the Y. W. C. A. With cash and notes now in the association treasury, it is believed that an additional $35,000 will be sufficient to erect the new home at Eighth and Burnett, long planned by the association here.

Members of the campaign committee are W. D. Cline, chairman; P. A. Rogers, W. B. Hamilton, W. M. Priddy, E. S. Goodner, J. L. Jackson, Jr., Walter Robbins, G. W. Platt, Julian Montgomery, E. T. Sheegog, G. C. Wood, W. W. Silk, J. T. Harrel, Lamar Fain, L. M. Cregor, Joe Huchins III, Carter McGregor, Lester Jones, R. A. Thompson, John W. Thomas, C. W. Snider, C. C. Cabiness, J. C. Mytinger, S. M. Griswold, Morris Marcus, Frank Queisser, George Gutzman, R. E. Shepherd and F. G. Swanson.

Celery seed grown in California will produce poor stalks there, but if sent East will give a delicious plant, and California must import its seed from France each year to have a good crop.

Last year the United States produced 551,197,000 barrels of oil or 64.7 per cent of the oil produced in the world in 1922.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION AND TERMINATION OF TRUST

Notice is hereby given that the Stump Oil and Refining company, a trust, has been terminated and the affairs of said company ordered closed, by a vote of more than two-thirds of all the outstanding stock of said company at a meeting of the shareholders of said company duly called for that purpose, and held in Grand Junction, Mesa county, Colorado, on the 17th day of May, 1923. All unpaid accounts against said company must be presented to D. B. Bailey, secretary, at Grand Junction, Colorado, on or before July 1st, 1923, and all accounts due said company must be paid to him at once.

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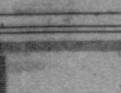
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MAN INJURED IN OIL FIELD

Cline Struck In Back Of Head With Pump Jack

While working on the oil test of Kuehn and McNeil on the Sides farm two miles south of Burkburnett a man named Cline was accidentally struck in the head by a pump jack and it is believed his skull was fractured, early Saturday morning, according to a report received here.

The injured man was rushed to the Burkburnett hospital where an X-Ray examination is to be made to determine the extent of the injury.

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State and Auto Theatre News

Informal Reception and Dance Opens Summer Season at Club

Mr. and Mrs. Couper And Mr. & Mrs. Gates Give Lovely Affair

In a setting of rare sweetness furnished by the colorful decorations of the thistle, more than 300 guests were entertained at an informal reception and dance at the new Country club Tuesday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Fred Couper and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gates were hosts.

An informal receiving line was formed of the hosts, and after speaking to them, the guests spent the evening either in dancing or card playing. Music was furnished by Eddie's Trumpiteers and vaudeville songs added to the entertainment.

Punch was served throughout the evening and a dainty ice course at its close. The guests included:

Messrs. and Mesdames H. A. Allen, G. D. Anderson, Arch Anderson, W. W. Anderson, Piner Avis, J. L. Art, Reese Allen, Curtis Atkinson, M. J. Bashara, Harry Baum, E. P. Bass, Bert Bean, C. W. Beavers, Merrill Blair, W. P. Bolding, W. S. Curlee, William Bonner, Frank Boyd, J. S. Bridwell, A. H. Britain, L. R. Buchanan, L. T. Burns, T. R. Boone, Walter Robertson, Dan Rubsam, Mark Walker, Julian Bobo, J. C. Berney, Orville Bullington, H. O. Cravens, L. H. Cullum, Copelin, A. H. Carrigan, Nathan Chenault, W. D. Cline, Frank Collier, W. B. Chauncey, E. Constantin, J. W. Culbertson, W. L. Davidson, Bob Crawford, Earl Clayton, J. W. Du Val, R. H. Delaney, T. P. Duncan, C. U. Daniels, H. H. Graham, F. T. Datson, Will Daniels, W. P. Ferguson, H. L. Hunter, George Dashner, Carl Eckman, W. R. Ferguson, Ira Eells, F. J. Elbert, H. J. Fenton, J. A. Fisher, Golding, L. W. Fritz, Marion Fuller, C. H. Gannon, W. W. Gardner, Jim Gardner, M. R. Garrison, Bruce Greenwood, C. W. Gilliland, E. H. Gipson, E. S. Goodner, R. J. Goodale, John Gould, Nat F. Grafton, W. J. Grisham, J. C. A. Guest, Luther Hoffman, Peyton Gwynn, R. O. Harvey, R. E. Huff, N. M. Huff, W. B. Hamilton, G. H. Hampshire, C. R. Hartsook, W. L. Herblin, J. R. Hyatt, J. B. Hatchett, Heyser, Roy Howell, T. A. Hunter, W. E. Hunter, Peery Hancock, J. C. Humphrey, Leslie Humphrey, Joe Huckins, Walker Harris, N. L. Inge, J. L. Jackson, Everett Jones, C. B. Toney, B. F. Johnson, John W. King, Joe Kell, Frank Kell, George Keith, P. P. Langford, J. A. Kemp, R. D. Kennedy, A. I. Kendall, C. B. Keil, W. S. Langford, P. J. Lee, W. B. Larkin, Homer Lee, Lawrence Marcus, Abe Marcus, M. A. Marcus, Bernard Martin, Landon, Cameron and Cramer of Electra, A. E. Myles, N. H. Martin, Strib Moore, A. B. Maples, H. Mansfield, W. B. Maxson, Harry May, Julian Montgomery, W. U. McCutchen, C. C. McDonald, H. F. McFarland, Carter McGregor, J. L. McMahon, G. W. Reynolds, Alfred Miller, J. T. Montgomery, Newton Maer, Morrow, C. W. Murchison, Ivan Murchison, J. M. McFall, Mark Moore, S. A. L. Morgan, J. L. Mayfield, T. B. Noble, Walter Nelson, O'Donohue, O'Neal, John Owen, W. M. Priddy, H. B. Patterson, Elizabeth Erwin, W. L. Parker, Charles Pogenpohl, J. J. Perkins, T. T. T. Reece, C. W. Reid, C. H. Reid, J. A. Riebolt, Horrace Robbins, M. D. Rowe, C. H. Rugeley, F. M. Rugeley, Walter Robbins, Reppy, I. H. Roberts, Tom Roberts, H. L. Ruebl, Mack Thomas, John Thomas, Stringer, J. M. Sammons, Sheegog, MacArthur, W. D. Sims, Marvin Smith, O. W. Smith, Monte Staniforth, Eugene Sherwood, Harwood Stacy, W. W. Silk, C. W. Stevenson, Joe Stokes, Jr., J. C. Straus, C. W. Snider, Burton Stayton, T. B. Smock, Marriott, S. Y. Ferguson, C. E. Thames, R. A. Thompson, F. T. Timberlake, C. Y. Tully, E. L. Smith, Van Wormer, W. L. Scott, Fred Thornberg, H. L. Hunter, Voelcker, Sanders Walker, Harry Weeks, Fred Weeks, H. F. Weldon, L. E. Whitham, J. M. Williams, Claude Woods, Clint Wood, Fay Woodruff, Mike Walker, White, J. W. Bradley, T. P. McDougal, Jo Witherspoon, D. J. White, Von Allmen, A. Zundelowitz, M. J. Stewart, Jack Jones, Reagan Tucker, Raymond Myers, Ben Bell, Charles Francis, S. Y. Ferguson, S. M. Gose, Jr., Jim Barnard, J. Bonner, M. Burch, John Kay, J. L. Jackson, Jr., Jack Barnard, Elmer De Montel; Mesdames M. M. Adickes, E. R. Carver, Louella Thompson, Hall, Steger, M. L. Boyd, Woods, Bennie H. Donald, Duke, Annie Hood, E. E. Gwynn, P. Poole, A. Kahn, M. M. B. Darnell, Mark Moore, Mollie McElroy and Daisy Almond; Messrs. F. N. Lawton, W. E. Norton, Edgar Scurry, Lee Tibbits, Almond Gates, Mackechney, and N. Henderson, and Misses Elizabeth Carrigan, Ethel Cobb, Ethel Chamberlain, Willie May Kell, Grace Parrish, Thelma Kahn, Louise Jenkins, Agnes Reid, Florence Sammons, Lucille Sherwood, Bernice Martin and Mary Woodruff.

Comus Club Dance Enjoyable Event At Lake Wichita

Among the many delightful affairs of the week, none proved more enjoyable than the Comus Club Revelry dance at Lake Wichita Friday evening.

Most excellent music was furnished by Jimmy's Joys and the chaperones were Mrs. J. T. Montgomery, Mrs. E. C. Harlin, Mrs. A. Kahn, Mrs. H. O. Cravens and Mrs. W. W. Silk.

Others present were Misses Sadie Adickes, Josephine Cummings, Josephine Mayfield, Berniece Pross, Ava Lucile Vernon, Temple Bray, Crystelle Waggoner, Ruth Barnard, Josephine Tucker, Frankie Adickes, Margaret Blum, Anne Ruth Kahn, Louise Jenkins, Dona Miller, Dorris Boger, Dorothy Hicks, Icy V. Larkin, Anna Collins, Beulah Sanford, Francis Harris, French Fowler of Fort Worth, Bonnie Jennings, Thelma Kahn, Stella Hill, Dorothy Bristow, Era Gregg, Sibyl Kell, Francis Mulligan, Catherine Moore, Vera Prince, Wilma Killpatrick, Bob Standifer of Vernon, Helen Snider, Eva Lynn Weems of Dallas, Louise Montgomery and Messrs. J. H. S. Bonner, Charles Nolen, Darrold Kahn, W. T. Waggoner Jr., Homer Houser, Roy Wofford, W. E. Bristol, O. L. Parris, Roy Dee, J. V. Howell, W. F. Boling, L. D. Tries, Lee Haney, Gillette Hill, C. U. Carther, Sam Kimberlin, Pierce Langford, Bert Ripley C. J. Norton, T. J. Waggoner, Charles C. Fuller, Howard Gordon, Douglas Gibbs, John Moran, Vic Williams, Wm. L. Snoddy, E. C. Harlin Jr., W. H. Hall, J. A. Kemp Jr., John Duke, A. F. Bowden, John Harris, John Fowler, J. C. Jennings, T. S. Thompson, R. A. Gates, Barton Perry, Ben Langford, Temple Shell, Bert Clark, Edwin Weldon, E. M. Robertson, L. P. Nolen, Malcolm Harrison, Marconi Hobbs, Clifford Somers, Sam J. Beaty, B. Cooper, Otho Key, Alex Thomas, Tom McMobone, C. H. Mouvell, R. A. Thompson, Dr. N. H. Coleman, C. E. Clough, Milburn Nutt, H. Y. Robertson, Buster Martin, C. D. Willis, E. E. Whitman, Frank Wood, Jim Stringer, J. M. Barnard, C. B. Toney, Fred Allen, J. Royce Huddleston, Dub Davis, W. W. Robertson, Hugh Hopper, M. D. Stevens, Farris Hull, Herbert Mayfield, Jack Kennedy, E. H. Shaw, Raymond Smith, Buster Robertson, Jim Moran, Ralph Davis, E. R. Fain and Messrs. and Mesdames Alfred Miller, Leslie Stringer, Raymond Meyers, T. M. Rinehart, L. H. Cullum, Frank Cullum, J. W. Waldrup, Jonette Bonner, E.S. Jeffries and Mesdames Hammond, and Golding.

LOCAL PARTY RETURNS FROM QUANAH MEETING

Madams W. H. Davis, H. Willis, W. M. Barringr, W. C. W. Brown and Homer McGregor returned Friday night from Quanah, where they attended a B. Y. P. U. and Sunday school conference.

Stanley Raub and W. E. Young also attended the meeting, and Mr. Young added several solos to the splendid program given.

Mrs. Davis talked interestingly on "Conferences and Primary Sunday School Work" and how they reach a standard of excellence. Mrs. Willis talked on "Junior Sunday School Work," and Mrs. McGregor talked on the "Duties of Intermediate B. Y. P. U."

The party of women made the trip in Mrs. Homer McGregor's car, and report a splendid time.

Wedding Party Announced For Popular Bride

In the wedding party for the marriage of Miss Sara Dale to Fred Humphreys of San Diego, Calif., which is announced to take place at the First Methodist church in Henrietta at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, will be Miss Dorothy Bear, maid of honor; little Miss Dorothy Dale, sister of the bride-elect, junior maid of honor; and Misses Mattie Lee Straus and Josephine Mayfield of Wichita Falls, Grace Hapgood of Dallas and Katherine Noble of Henrietta, bridesmaids.

Mr. Humphreys will have for his best man A. F. Bowden of this city.

Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Jouette Boner of this city will give a violin solo. Miss Annette Walsh a piano number, and Mrs. Owens of El Paso, cousin of Miss Dale, will sing.

Among the many beautiful courtesies for Miss Dale was a handkerchief shower given by Miss Cora Neville.

The coming week will be filled with affairs for the attractive bride-elect, among which will be a party at the Wichita club given by Misses Mattie Lee Straus and Madelyn Macheckney on Monday afternoon. Tuesday evening Mr. Bowden will entertain the wedding party at dinner, and Wednesday Mrs. Boddy and Katherine Noble of Henrietta will entertain at breakfast at the Boddy home.

Mr. Humphrey will arrive from California Tuesday.

WOOD BEE CORPS SLUMBER PARTY

Members of the Wood Bee corps of the Girl Reserves held a delightful slumber party at the Y. W. C. A. Friday night when, meeting there at 7 o'clock, the girls delivered food to a needy woman.

Later, the party enjoyed the picture, "Heroes and Husbands," and the "Balloonatic" at the Olympic, going from there to the Olympia for cold drinks.

On their return to the "Y," a feast was served which some practical jokers had seasoned plentifully with moth balls and red peppers, whereupon the girls decided that they were not so hungry after all.

After many escapades to hide clothing, one or two of the girls settled down to dreams, while the remainder exerted themselves to keep them awake.

The following morning breakfast was eaten in the cafe. Those in the party were Misses Marguerite McPherson, Leon Bolin, Vivienne Ross, Teresia Montgomery, Jo Cocke, Sarah Beth Boggess, Genevieve Hancock, and Mrs. Iva Austin.

WOMAN'S BENEFIT TO MEET

The Woman's Benefit association will meet at the K. of P. hall for special memorial work at 2:30 o'clock.

MRS. DELLIS HOSTESS TO HUISACHE CLUB

The Huisache "500" club will meet at the home of Mrs. D. Dellis Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.



MISS THELMA SCOTT —Photo by Nossett.

Is the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Scott, 1109 Alma, and is one of the favorite expression pupils of Mrs. Lloyd Young. Miss Scott is in very much demand for local entertainments because of her unusual dramatic ability.



JOYCE CRAFT —Photo by Story.

Is the attractive little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Craft, at 1603 Pearl street, and is an expression pupil of Mrs. Lloyd Young. She was recently presented in recital among other pupils by her teacher, and is shown here in her costume.



—Photo by Nossett

Nancy Elizabeth Faver is the talented little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Faver of 1705 Kemp boulevard and has recently moved to the city from Sweetwater. Nancy Elizabeth played the role of Princess Firelocks in "The Legend of the Firefly," the May pageant given by the senior department of the First M. E. Church, South, on May 20, when she displayed her ability as a reader and a charming little dancer.



MARTHA CLARK —Photo by Nossett

Little Misses Mary and Martha Clark are the 3-year-old twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Clark on Lucille and are shown in this picture celebrating their birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark, accompanied by the twins, are leaving for Colorado Springs, where Mrs. Clark and the children will take a cottage for the summer. They are making the trip in their car and Mr. Clark will return in it in a few days.



BARNEY OWEN BROWN, JR. —Photo by Nossett

Is the three-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Brown, and is one of Wichita Fall's fairest in babydom.

Charming Shower Compliments Popular Bride-Elect Friday

Proving one of the most charming affairs of the week, Miss Josephine Mayfield and her cousin and house guest, Miss Francis Harris of Snider Texas, entertained at the new Golf club house Friday afternoon with a handkerchief shower complimenting Miss Sara Dale of Henrietta, whose wedding to Fred Humphreys of San Diego, Calif., will be an event of Thursday afternoon.

The lovely reception suite of the new club house was daintily decorated for the occasion in wedding chimes, flowers and motifs suggestive of the aproaching nuptials, and tables were arranged for bridge.

In the games, Miss Julie Cummings won the high score favor, an Italian cut china basket, while Miss Josephine Tucker was consoled for low with a bon bon dish of the game design. The honoree was remembered with a dainty white satin lingerie.

At the bride-elect's table a huge wedding bell hung over the center, from which ribbons extended to the table center, on the ends of which were tied the handkerchiefs forming a lovely white bouquet centerpiece.

A refreshment course of frozen fruit salad, toasted wafers and iced tea was served to the honoree and Mesdames Harriet Mayers, Ike Upchurch, Ray Puckett, Leslie Stringer, W. U. McCutcheon, S. A. Gose Jr., Joe Kell, Harry White, Lawrence Marcus, Elizabeth Erwin, Raymond Meyers, Landon Cullum, Jouette Bonner, Nelson Decker, Fred Weeks, Harry Baum, C. E. McCutcheon, Greene of Henrietta, Ellis of Ryan, Okla., Joseph Huckins, Burkett of Dallas, George Harris of Snider, Texas, Joseph Mayfield, Glen Williams, Dudley Golding, and Misses Sadie Adickes, Sibyl Kell, Mattie Lee Straus, Ruth Barnard, Catherine Moore, Josephine Tucker, Julie Cummings, Madelyn Macheckney, Eva Lynn Weems, Ellen Brooks of Forney, Frenchie Fowler of Fort Worth, Helen Snider, Margaret Duncan, Gracye D. Shamburger, Dell Marcus, Chrystelle Waggoner, Dorothy Bear of Henrietta, Thelma Kahn, Icy V. Larkin, Josephine Cummings, and Annette Walsh.

MAN, WOULD YOU REMARRY YOUR WIFE AFTER 10 YEARS WITH HER

Husbands, Like Hats, Get Old After Awhile, One Woman Tells Alta Heacock

What does your husband mean to you?

This woman say her's means HOME and LOVE.

Is your husband a ball and chain around your ankle?

Does he balk when you suggest progressive ideas? Or do you JUST THINK he is stubborn about these LITTLE THINGS? And just how big are these LITTLE THINGS? Let Alta Heacock, the marital romancer of [illegible] questions.

A heap o' pleasant things happen in June. There's vacations and June weddings, porch parties and fresh vegetables, summer flowers and pretty visiting girls, picnic suppers and one-piece bathing suits. And some of you are just so full of the joy of living, loving and being loved, that, when sane and sober reflection tells you that the cost of living has advanced about 57 per cent in the last few years, you just grin and think it has been pretty well worth it at that (most of the time).

To pack full of children the old family car and hie forth for a long glorious day of perfect freedom in the woods, or to take a best loved friend, a favorite book and to read a little together, dream a little, and talk a little, opening wide your hearts to each other and tasting the joys of real understanding and companionship—that's June.

Now for the Heart Throbs.

A jolly crowd of five younger matrons dropped in to spend an afternoon with you one day not long ago. They were all modern to their fingertips and all had the pleasant habit of frankness. You had idled over tea and sandwiches on the big front gallery, until in a desultory manner June weddings and husbands were mentioned.

Christine, the youngest and gayest of the group, counted up and then announced that each of them would soon be having a tenth wedding anniversary and suggested that

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CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR GIVEN DINNER

Rev. F. C. Laslette, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church for the past six months and who left Tuesday to take up the near east relief work, was given a delightful surprise dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Goodner Monday evening.

The pastor was invited to come for dinner, the other guests gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Read and arriving in a body.

Strawberry ice cream and punch was served during the evening and a splendid informal program included readings by Mrs. [illegible]rell and Miss Dorothy [illegible], songs and impromptu [illegible] selections by Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and a reading by J. [illegible].

The honoree was presented with a handsome [illegible] elaborate Scholic [illegible] name inscribed [illegible] purse containing [illegible].

WOMAN'S [illegible] MISSIONARY [illegible]

The Woman's [illegible] society of the [illegible] corner Seventh [illegible] with Mrs. [illegible] ter street.

Would You Wed Your Hubby After 10 Years With Him

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rapped the toe of her expensively clad foot.

Next came Sue, nervous but extremely well groomed, with "henaed" hair and all the ear marks of the newest in the beauty parlors. And her wail of woe was: "Bill gets on a perfect rampage these days and says that I have forgotten that life means anything but a series of diet lists, exercises and beauty treatments. After one of our rows he is apt to pout for a whole day." She energetically rocked back and forth while a look of righteous indignation flooded her face.

The "Worries" of a Mother.

I wondered what complaint Mary would have to make. She said, "Well, we row over John Jr. John insists that he must be taught to do certain "chores" he calls them, and he exacts an old-fashioned obedience of the boy that exasperates me beyond measure. I tell him if he keeps on that Junior's personality will be completely lost and his temperament ruined. We quarrel dreadfully about it, and you girls should be thankful that you haven't the responsibility that babies bring," and she complacently ate another sandwich.

And the last was Jane, brilliant but very apt to judge by her own little standards as most women are.

Tortures She Undergoes

And she said: "Jim and I could go on beautifully if it were not for one or two such silly habits he indulges in, things that are so utterly absurd but which get on my nerves dreadfully. He never can get into the bath tub without kicking off the soap drain and he persists in singing the queerest words to a silly old tune, all the time he's in there splashing around.

"When I fuss about it, as I always do, he says he sees no harm in it, that he always has done that way, and he doesn't remember to quit." She smiled a rueful little smile at the others, and really managed a martyred expression which sat ill on her pretty face.

Then there was a hasty consultation about the time, and with gay adieus they fluttered away leaving you alone with your thoughts. And with no intention of being a second Daniel or appointing yourself a judge in Israel, you reviewed the afternoon and your thoughts ran something like this:

What is there in the feminine mind that make us willing to discuss the little intimate short-comings, (from our view point) of our husbands to just casual friends? Not a husband that had been under discussion that afternoon would dream of discussing the little lazy, aggravating habits of mind, and speech, and body, that their wives daily indulged in. Men seem to have a protecting sense of loyalty that does not permit of that.

Now for the Bouquets, Boys.

You thought of poor old plodding matter-of-fact Jack. It was true that he would probably never set the world on fire financially—but his wife would always be safe and comfortable. You knew his quietness, his strength of character, his happy and even disposition and you thought if Christine could only see how much of real happiness was in her two small hands.

Then you thought of Joe, brilliant, energetic, (blessed and cursed) with a nervous high strung temperament that kept him going at high tension all day. And when night came the thought of a quiet home, and a happy welcome would seem so little to ask to find at the end of the day's trail. Some day the breaking point would come if he did not find peace and quiet some place. And yet Betty had never thought a thing like that could happen to her.

You smiled when you thought of Bill and Sue. Sue who had been such a smooth, plump, happy dispositioned young mortal when Bill married her that no wonder you caught the look of worry that was in his eyes the other night when you were talking of the old days, as though he were trying to make the Sue of then and the Sue of today to be one and the same person.

You know that John simply idolizes that sturdy little replica of himself, John Jr. But John knows that temperaments may be just a pretty name for temper, and that some where along life's trail the lessons of obedience and consideration must be taught. And there is less heartache in learing them in babyhood and boyhood than later in life.

Would They Remarry Their Wives?

As far as Jim was concerned, it was just a case of too much ego in Jane's cosmos. She had never stopped to think that she was holding on for dear life, to a lot of silly habits that to most people would be more aggravating to live with, than Jim's were. It's all in the view point, you know, about those kind of things.

And you thought of them all. Of the disappointments and disillusionments that had come. The wind had risen and was sighing through the trees, like a lost soul longing for companionship. And you wondered, on their tenth wedding anniversary, with the knowledge that the years had brought, would Jack, Joe, Bill, John and Jim ask those same girls to be their wives for another ten years? Would they want any wives at all?

You wondered. Women are just like that.

POLLYANNA CLASS MEETS THURSDAY

Members of the Pollyanna class of the First Baptist church held their regular business meeting in the basement of the church Thursday night when splendid reports were heard from the officers. A Dutch lunch, consisting of hot dogs, potato chips, pickles, doughnuts and iced tea was served to Misses Ruth Cullin, [illegible] Glidewell, Eva Glidewell, Grace Hill, Dollie Hull, Neeya [illegible] Price, Cynthia Mae [illegible] Mabel Robinson, [illegible] Zena Willis, Emma [illegible] Butterfield and Mrs. [illegible]

[illegible] Mothers' social session [illegible] president, [illegible] as- [illegible] Ruby [illegible]

Modern Version Of Blue and Gray



By ELOISE

The blue and the gray are effectively combined in this knitted sports suit of fine mohair. The skirt is a plain style with two deep bands of blue and gray stripes at the sides. The jacket is made on the popular side fastened style with a roll collar of the stripes, a deep striped band at the hips and striped cuffs.

Worn with a fresh wash or silk tailored blouse the costume is a pretty sports suit. Without the blouse it makes a sports dress suitable for any summer sports occasion. And another item about the costume which will please the practical and economical minded woman is the fact that the skirt may be worn as a separate skirt and the jacket as a separate sweater or blouse.

A leghorn hot completes the costume for summer wear.

HARMONY BRIDGE WITH MRS. RICHARDSON

Mrs. W. H. Richardson was hostess to the Harmony Bridge club Thursday morning at her home, 1006 Thirteenth street. In the games, high score was won by Mrs. W. W. Schuler, who was presented with a dainty collar and cuff set. The cut prize went to Mrs. Frank G. Lewis, a strand of novelty beads.

At 1 o'clock, the hostess served a refreshment course of salad, potato chips, wafers, iced tea, home-made ice cream and cake to the following:

Mesdames Frank G. Lewis, T. Kelly, O. P. Maricle, Fred Lane, D. M. Jones, C. L. Baum, Fred Goss and W. W. Schuler.

IDLE HOUR WEDNESDAY WITH MRS. E. O. WARD

Mrs. E. O. Ward will be hostess to the Idle Hour Bridge club at her home, 1409 Monroe street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

HARVARD DIVISION TO MEET TUESDAY

Harvard Division 279 will meet at the Odd Fellows hall Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. On the same afternoon at 4 o'clock the Auxiliary to the B. R. T. will meet for practice.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR MRS. R. G. HAMMERSLY

It's good to have a neighbor, a neighbor just like you.
You stand for home and loved ones, and everything that's true.
We'll miss you when you leave us, so ask you let us know
All about your journey, because we love you so.
Accept these little tokens as gifts straight from our heart.
And now, goodbye, God bless you, good friends must sometimes part.
Keep brave and always hopeful, God will have his way.
We'll think of you, our loving friend, and for your health we'll pray.

This little original poem by Mrs. J. Sydney Pitman was read at a delightful surprise shower given Mrs. R. G. Hammersly at her home, 1708 Austin street, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Hammersly is recovering from a severe case of pneumonia, and when she is strong enough will leave for Tucumcari, N. M. After a lovely array of gifts had been presented to the honoree, Mrs. J. L. Dutton of Wichita, Kan., offered a short prayer for her success and happiness on the trip, and for her speedy recovery.

A dainty refreshment course was served by Miss Lora Hammersly, assisted by Miss Etta Keck of Burkburnett, to Mesdams J. Sydny Pitman, Oscar P. Dell, Chester McKee, Gertrude Campbell, J. L. Dutton, Haines, Evans, Houston, Morrow, Ferguson, Grandma Parker, and Misses Flora Hammersly, Etta Keck and Eleanor Pitman.

FLORAL HEIGHTS WOMEN TO GIVE CHICKEN DINNER

Women of the Floral Heights Methodist church will give a fried chicken dinner together with a delicious vegetable menu, at the First Methodist church corner Seventh and Lamar, Friday from 12 to 2 o'clock.

FLORAL HEIGHTS BAPTIST B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Members of the Floral Heights Baptist B. Y. P. U. will meet Sunday evening at 7 o'clock and give a program, as follows:

Opening song; prayer.
Song, "We Are B. Y. P. U. Workers"—Juniors.
Scripture lesson.
Solo, Harry Greer James.
Piano solo, Marion Proctor.
Surprise, by Intermediates.
"An Ideal Way to Spend a Vacation"—Miss Una Steele.
Solo, Mrs. Robert Farmer.
"The Allurements of a State B. Y. P. U. Convention"—Miss Gean Stengel.
Reading, "Palacios," Pansy Wheatley.
Offering; song; prayer.

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS CIVIC LEAGUE MEETS

The Highland Heights branch of the Civic league met in regular business session at the home of Mrs. Lee Downs, 2300 Grant street, Friday afternoon.

After the regular business was disposed of, plans were made for a carnival to be held in the near future. A called meeting was announced for Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Downs.

Edgar P. Haney spoke to the league in regard to arranging the finances for playground equipment, and is cooperating with them in putting the enterprise over.

Mrs. Wilson, whose home on Grant street burned recently, was showered with a complete set of kitchen equipment by the members. At the close of the afternoon, ice cream and cake were erved to Mesdames T. R. Brunson, Lee Downs, O. L. Gibbs, Hutson, Leonard, Lindsey, Malacord, Walter McAbee, Potts, Ratican, Standley, Watkins, Warman, Wilson, Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar P. Haney.

SPLENDID PICNIC FOR CHURCH

Members of the Church of the Good Shepherd and Sunday school enjoyed their annual picnic Wednesday afternoon when they motored out to the Adolph Hirsch ranch on the Iowa Park road. Music and swings were provided and the young people enjoyed baseball and races.

Women of the church provided quantities of friend chicken, baked ham, salads, sandwiches, ice cream and cake. The picnickers returned home about 9 o'clock after a delightful evening.

MRS. FRED LANE HOSTESS TO KILL KARE

The Kill Kare klub was entertained by Mrs. Fred Lane Tuesday at her home, 1705 Elizabeth street. Three tables were arranged for "42." The living room was decorated with roses in a color scheme of pink and white.

In the games, Mrs. A. W. West cut with Mrs. Eli Morgan and Mrs. Verne Harrell for high score, and was presented with an Oriental rose bowl. Mrs. R. D. Brown was consoled for low with a hand-made silk handkerchief of vari-colored batik.

A dainty refreshment plate of combination fruit sherbet and angel food cake, with plate favors of tiny white spangled fans, were served to the following club members:

Mesdames Dave Shepherd, Earl Hameson, R. B. Parker, A. W. West, W. W. Murphy, Eli Morgan, Ira Brown, Joe McBee, Chas. Watson, John Moore, Verne Harrell, A. L. Lane, and Clifford.

The club will meet next week with Mrs. W. W. Murphy, who will entertain with a swim and sunrise breakfast Tuesday morning at 7:30 at Haven park.

LINGER LONGER CLUB WITH MRS. WINEBLOOD

Mrs. W. M. Wineblood was hostess to the members of the Linger Longer Bridge club Wednesday afternoon, when two tables were arranged for the players. High score went to Mrs. R. H. Ramsey, who was presented with a pink and ivory talcum box. Mrs. James Ferguson was consoled for low with an ivory nail file.

Miss Addina Kouri and Miss Jaunita Wineblood entertained the party with some very delightful readings, and the hostess served dainty refreshments of cheese wafers, fruit and nut jello, angel food cake a la mode and iced tea to the following: Mesdames C. R. Byrnes, James Ferguson, W. W. Schuler, E. B. Clifford, L. V. Hull, R. H. Ramsey, C. E. Bailey, W. M. Wineblood and Misses Juanita Wineblood and Addina Kouri.

MRS. H. H. DAVENPORT HOSTESS TO RADIO CLUB

The Radio "42" club met at the home of Mrs. H. H. Davenport, 1205 Monroe street, Friday afternoon. First prize went to Mrs. J. M. Van, while Mrs. I. E. Silkwood was consoled for low. The club will hold the last meeting of the season Friday with Mrs. B. C. Williams at 1111 Indiana street.

Punch was served throughout the afternoon and at the close of the games ice cream and cake with plate favors of sweet peas were served to the following members:

Mesdames C. S. Taylor, B. C. Williams, G. L. Roosey, I. E. Silkwood, Jack Bowman, F. Eubanks, J. M. Van and Cagle of Tonkawa, Okla.

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$2.75 all Linen 72-in. Table Cloth, (napkins to match), yard	$2.25
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Social Gossip Reviewed By Peggy Peidmont In Her Characteristic Way

KITTY DEAR:-

The summer rhapsody is at hand:

I am fevered with the sunset
I am fretful with the bay,
For the wanderlust is on me
And my soul is in Bombay.
I must forth again tomorrow—
By the sunset I must be
Hull-down on the trail of rapture,
In the grandeur of the sea.

That is the chorus that begins with the first swelling buds of spring and which reaches a grand diapason by the time the red cannas are in burning bloom as they are now in the parks and elsewhere.

Trains leaving, motors leaving good-byes waved until I have a regular brainstorm with remembering the schedules for those with whom I am going to pay last trites; as act quite the contrary of the desolating suggestion that phrase gives rise to, for these summer good-byes are the gayest things imaginable. The great mental test of the moment is getting disentangled in one's mind who is going to Alaska, who to Italy, who to who is coming back when, California, Colorado, and was it in Rome, Chicago, Venice, Paris or London, that we have so-and-so's bank address that sounds as if it might fit any one of these places, and that she gave it to us expressly that we might be sure to drop her a line when we reach there.

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THE summer pandemonium waxes joyously. And somehow we always manage to meet them. They come back sooner or later, whether we remember the date or not, and they turn up on Tenth street, Indiana or Ohio, or we run into them out at the Lake or in the parks, whether we ever locate the bank or not, and if we don't, we [illegible] someone else, and they have probably forgotten the rendezvous anyway. And the summer vacation is a joy anyway you take it, before, after and while taking.

Among our migrators who will leave soon for other climes, will be Mrs. J. I. Staley, who, with her three boys, Joe, J. I. Jr. and Jack, will go to California the first of July and take a home in Los Angeles for the entire summer.

A jolly party is at present sojourning at Lake Worth in the Tancred cottage, are Mrs. C. E. Rogers and sister, Mrs. Tom Martin of San Antonio. Earl Rogers and Clarence Martin, both age six, Mrs. Skeen Staley and little Skeen, Jr., and Mrs. John Tancred.

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ANOTHER party having quite a lovely time for the early season, is the J. F. Boyds, who, accompanied by Wilton Wade, and Mrs. Knox, a cousin from Iowa Park, left last week for Dallas where they met Fay Boyd, who was a student at Ward-Belmont, the party attending a dance at A. & M., going from there to Austin for the finals where they picked up Polly Clark, a student and friend.

Stay-at-homes are inclined deliberately to boast of it, which is not surprising, as it is really the unusual thing to do. And not the least disagreeable. In fact, with all the gayety of departures for alluring chosen spots, there is always a pang, for the summer momentum has begun. Not a day but has its rosary of pearls—which is quite a poetic term for picnics with swimming, boating, riding, picnicing and dancing. And among the gayest places in this old town will be the C. W. Snider home next week when the daughter of the house, Helen, who has just returned from school at Ward-Belmont, will be hostess to a house party. Among the local girls who will be members of the party will be Gertrude Hines, Fay Boyd, Marguerite Fisher, Josephine Tucker and Elvia Killingsworth. Several girls will arrive from other cities.

Speaking of Elvia Killingsworth reminds me that she was one of the girls who loitered on their way home from Ward-Belmont, stopping to see a cousin of hers at Dallas, Merle McIntyre.

Lillian Randle, another student, will not return home until about June, the 22nd, but will go to Fort Worth and remain for the wedding of her friend, Marguerite Milton which will take place on June 21, and in which Lillian will act as maid of honor to the bride.

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INFORMAL bridge parties and teas are a joy in summer, and more especially so when a popular attractive out-of-town visitor is furnishing the inspiration. Eva Lynn Weems of Dallas, who has been here on various occasions and whose visits are always a source of much joy, spent week before last the house guest of Mrs. Jouette Bonner, and was entertained by Mrs. Bonner with a lovely bridge-luncheon and at tea by Mrs. J. L. Jackson, Jr. She is now the guest of Miss Catherine Moore who with Miss Gracye D. Shamburger complimented her with an exquisite bridge-breakfast at the new Country club.

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REVERTING for a change from people we know to smart clothes for special occasions, what do you wear, Kitty, when you dine out? Margery Wells, authority on the subject of correct clothing, says that "Dining out at a smart little, personal, modern-art French restaurant is one of the nicest social things to do nowadays. And the dressing, of course, is part of the game—a most interesting part.

If a girl is too conspicuously gowned on one of these occasions, her husband will live to hate clothes. He will know after they have been going out for a little time that she is more noticeable than almost anyone else in the room, and, if he is true to his American husband manner, he will resent this fearfully.

You cannot be nearly so dressy about dining out as you can in a private home or in your own dining room. On the other hand, if your dress looks like one left over from lunch, you won't be beautiful enough to suit his taste. The task then is one that stands by itself in the category of fashion. It must be done simply or it will be worse than a mistake. Bright lights at dinner time help errors to stand out far too visibly.

A badly dressed woman at dinner in this same brightly decorated restaurant, wears a hat that is heavily swathed in ostrich feathers of red, black and gray, and she sits, as luck will have it, before a vivid green wall. Her dress is one of those loud, shrieking brocades that would be pretty surrounded by black, but not against that conglomerate wall and with that fearful hat. She is a total loss when it comes to entering her in the well dressed class.

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AND then comes a girl in fluffy white lace with Dresden sash about her waist, tied in a huge, girlish butterfly bow. She wears a doll baby leghorn hat trimmed with a forget-me-not wreath. Too country maiden by far for this sophisticated atmosphere. She is all out of place, and if her beau didn't know it before, he left home he will understand better before they reach home again, and one dreads to think how more or less idly he will bring the fact home to her.

A girl in extremely low-necked black satin lavishly decked in diamonds is too expensive looking for the part. One in red crepe, red shoes, red hat is too loud for a public place by all odds, one in brown satin with red embroidery looks countryfied, and so they go.

But, here comes one who scatters peace about her because of her really correct attire. One would hardly notice her good dressing except for the mess of badly dressed ones about her. She wears a frock of very full, soft black net over a black silk foundation that in turn is trimmed with bands of dull gold lace. There are long draped sleeves, a fichu thing and a tight little bunch of white gardenias holding the fichu in place in front. She wears a white crepe hat, broad of brim and draped of crown, that is trimmed with some scattered black blossoms. Her shoes are white kid and her stockings are white. She is well dressed for dinner under any and all circumstances.

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HITHER and yon, here, there, and everywhere, things may be different, but there is one general trend of the moment—the world is "commencing." This week finishes the exercises for the school term at S. M. U., Dallas, where a group of our girls are this year. Tuesday will see the return of Glenore Fisk who will bring home with her Sallie T. McCullouch of Stamford who will be her guest for a few days; Olive and Edna Kay, Rela Deaton, who has been her guest at school for the finals, her sister, Louise Deaton, who will return home at the same time, Lona Brown and Adnah Orrinne Barnes.

Now that's my last word, in correct dress, people, commencement, travelers, or anybody. So good night, sleep tight and when you wake, send a Hello message over the wire, saying: "After all this, are you dead or live."

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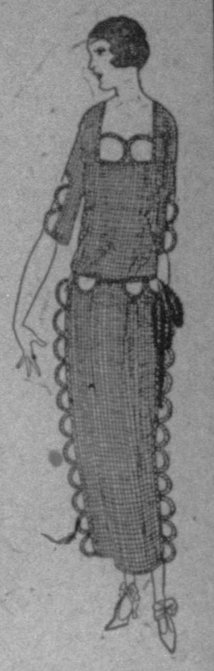
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Recent Arrivals Complimented With Elaborate Dinner-Bridge At Club

Exquisite in appointment was the dinner-bridge given at the new Country club Friday evening by Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Kiel when they complimented Dr. and Mrs. Austin Leach and Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilcox, a recent bride and groom. Both physicians being new additions to the Wichita Falls' Medical and Surgical clinic.

Dr. Leach is formerly from Weatherford, where he was a prominent physician, and Dr. Wilcox, from Denver, Colo., where he was a most successful x-ray man. Mrs. Wilcox was, before her marriage, Miss Ruth Gorcelon of Kansas City.

The entire affair was planned in perfect detail in color, favors, score cards and menu. The fan effect being featured.

Reigning over the attractive tables were large Lins made of tulle and many organdy also in the pastel flowers and shades marking places for the women while the places for the men were marked with brown Mahogany cigarette cases. The guests of honor and Mrs. Gaff, mother of the hostess, were specially remembered with handsome lace hdks and the men with the brown Mahogany cigarette cases inlaid with mother of pearl.

After dinner, the guests repaired to the club lounge and card rooms which were radiant with decorations of wild flowers where tables were arranged for the games. Mrs. Everett Jones won the high score favor, a gorgeous boudoir pillow of taffeta and lace, while in a cut for low, Mrs. Jouette Bonner was fortunate and received a pillow of similar design. Dr. Jones made high score among the men and pay and paper weight. Dr. C. W. Stevenson made low among the men and was consoled with a bronze ash tray.

The guest list included: Dr. and Mrs. Everett Jones, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevenson, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Nail, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. A. Guest, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Parker, Dr. and Mrs. Garrison and Messrs. and Mesdames T. R. Boone, Julian Montgomery, Landon H. Cullum, Leslie Stringer, Martin Rowe, Carter McGregor, Joseph Huckins Jr., W. M. Priddy, A. H. Britain, Nat Chenault, Jouette Bonner, Alfred Miller, W. B. Hamilton, Bell Bright, Joe Kell, and Mesdames T. E. Goff of Sherman, Wilcox, Mark Moore, P'Poole and Misses Louise Montgomery, Evelyn Weems of Dallas, and Bess Thatcher of Austin and Messrs. Stayton Bonner, Earnest and Lamar Fain, Charlie Nolen and Dr. O. B. Lee.

MRS. ROWE HOSTESS AT LAWN PARTY

Mrs. W. C. Rowe, 100 Sixth street, was hostess to members and friends of the Security Benefit association Thursday evening, when a splendid program was arranged by the hostess. Mr. Foster, as one of the chief entertainers, presented a dialogue "school," in which more than a dozen took part. Candice Kidd gave a reading, also Joyce Samuels. Maxine Crawson gave a song, and Gela Tribble a dance.

Ice cream and cake was served at the close of the evening to Messrs. and Mesdames R. B. Sappington and children, Mrs. August Storbeck, Gordon Mankins, Mrs. K. M. Samuels, Beverly Samuels, Mrs. M. A. Mayo, Grace Alexander, Mrs. E. H. Newman, Mrs. H. A. Baker, Mary Crowder, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crowson, Mrs. Annie M. Campbell, Mrs. Adah Simmons, J. F. Smith, Mrs. Hettie Gates, Mrs. W. C. Rowe, Nora Gibbs, Lois Gibbs, Billie Storbeck, Grover Dorsey, Onilor Bidick, Claudie Kidd, Versa Mae Bolding and Winnie Mae Brooks.

MRS. McGREGOR HOSTESS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE

Mrs. Stanley McGregor, 1303 Polk street, was hostess to the Thursday Afternoon Bridge club Thursday afternoon, when two tables of players enjoyed the games.

Mrs. John Davenport won the high score favor, a boudoir novelty, while Mrs. Ollie T. Erhart, who made low, was consoled with a bit of linen.

At the close of the afternoon, an ice course was served to Mesdames Alfred Burnside, Hageman, Ollie T. Erhart of Nashville, Tenn.; Harrison E. Bachman, W. B. McClain, John E. Stephens, John Davenport, and McGregor.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Stephens, 1822 Seventh street, this week.

LADIES' DAY AT COUNTRY CLUB

Observation of Ladies day will begin for the summer at the new Country club Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. At this time an election of officers will be held.

STANLEY M. RAUB TO PRESENT PUPILS

Stanley M. Raub will present his pupils in violin recital closing his first years' work in this city, Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock at the First Baptist church. Mr. Raub expresses himself as being grateful for the patronage he has received in establishing his class, especially so to the local musicians. He announces that he will resume his teaching in September.

Miss Janie Craig will be accompanist and the program to be given follows:

Barcarolle (for two violins) ..... Offenbach
Loren Walker and Howard Martin
Cradles Song ..... Schumann
Thelma Norvell
(a) Little Prince ..... Kriegman
(b) Sweetheart Listen ... Folk Song
Georgiana Davidson
May Song ..... Vogt
Jean Fisk
Intermezzo ..... Mascagni
Mae Belle Bartlett
June ..... Tschaikowski
Ina Myrl Robinson
Intermission
Barcarolle ..... Kearns
Claudean McCarty (Holliday)
Boat Song ..... Vogt
Mildred Hawley ((Holliday)
(a) Cavatina ..... Reinecke
(b) Novelette ..... Jahn
Loneta Smith
(a) Elegie ..... Fauconier
(b) Serenade ..... Pierne
Miss Loreen Hurley
(a) Spanish Dance .... Moszkowski
(b) Salut D'amour ..... Elgar
Mrs. P. G. Graves
March of the Priests (for two violins ..... Mendelssohn
Miss Hurley and Mrs. P. G. Graves

B. Y. P. U. ENJOY PICNIC SUPPER

Several members of the B. Y. P. U. of the Floral Heights Baptist church enjoyed a good swim and picnic supper at Lake Wichita Thursday evening, and all reported the best time ever.

The picnic was given in honor of Mrs. Walter Patterson, who was Aleen Barrow until her marriage a week ago to Walter Patterson.

Those present included Misses Lucy Smoot, Hellen Phillips, Maxine King, Gean Stengel, Margaret Stone, Ruby Lumpkins, Ruth Beggs, Oeita Hutson, and Una Steels, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Messrs. Jewell Cunningham, Joe Johnston, Raymond Bixley and Jessie Phillips.

NEW SOCIETY LEADER



Miss Betty Baldwin.

Now that Mrs. Stanley Baldwin, wife of the new British premier, has taken up her duties at No. 10 Downing street as the "prime ministress" of London society she will be assisted by her daughter, Miss Betty.

MR. AND MRS. BRADLEY ENTERTAIN EMPLOYEES

About 35 employees of the North Texas Furniture company with their wives and husbands gathered on the lawn of the Bradley home, 1622 Eleventh street and enjoyed a delicious lunch of barbecued lamb (cooked on a model barbecue pit a the home.)

After the lunch, outside games were enjoyed and later a musical program closed the evening. It is Mr. Bradley's custom to have these get-together affairs at occasional intervals in order to bring about a better acquaintanceship among the group of the store's employees. Mr. Bradley will leave soon for the eastern furniture markets which open June 15th in Grand Rapids and Chicago.

CYPHER CLUB TO GIVE DANCE FRIDAY

The Cypher club will give a dance at Lake Wichita Friday evening when music will be furnished by Eddie's Trumpiteers. Members of the Avoleh, Comus and Lotus clubs are invited.

AUXILIARY OF GOOD SHEPHERD TO MEET

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Good Shepherd will meet at the parish house Monday afternoon in a social and business session. Mrs. Maugeridge and Lawing will be hostesses and all members and friends are urged to be present as this will be the last meeting of the summer.

FIRST BAPTIST CIRCLES TO MEET

Circles of the First Baptist Woman's Auxiliary will meet Monday afternoon and study the fifth chapter of the "Hible, Period by Period." A roundtable discussion will follow.

Circle No. 1—With Mrs. J. T. Brooks, 1006 Tenth street.
Circle No. 2—With Mrs. W. W. Murphy, 1308 Burnett.
Circle No. 3—With Mrs. F. H. Gohlke, 1612 Tenth street.
Circle No. 4—With Mrs. M. W. McGinnis, 1207 Bluff.
Circle No. 5—With Mrs. G. Clint Wood, 1000 Brook.
Circle No. 6—With Mrs. J. C. Wharton, 1810 Huff.
Circle No. 7—Mrs. Roy I. Carter, 202 Huff.
Circle No. 8—With Mrs. F. R. Collard, 2414 Ninth street.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET MONDAY

The Missionary society of the First Christian church will meet at the church in its last session of the year at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. All members are urged to be present.

MRS. HESTER HOSTESS TO MERRY MATRONS

Mrs. B. M. Hester, 1612 Filmore, will be hostess to the Mery Matrons club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

The first smoke-preventing device was invented by a Frenchman named Delnsme and exhibited in 1685.

Society Personals

Miss Lula Hicks of Dallas and Miss Helen Hicks of Hugo, Okla., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hicks for a week or two.

Miss Katherine Cook is leaving Tuesday for the summer and will return to resume her classes the middle of September. Her trip will include visits in the Ozarks with her brother, R. W. Cook and family, in Decatur, Alabama, with her father, S. L. Cook, in Nashville, Tenn., with her sister, Mrs. Sammie Cook, and in Evansville, Indiana, with C. S. Hanson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Britt Cranfill are stopping in Los Angeles at the Hotel Ambassador. Mrs. Cranfill will be remembered as Miss Ethel Owen, a bride of recent date.

Miss Ellen Brooks of Forney, Texas, is the guest of Mrs. Raymond Myers.

J. A. Heyer and son, Fred, of Abilene, have returned home after a visit with Mrs. T. A. Hicks, Mr. Heyser's daughter.

Mrs. T. H. Wilhelm of Fort Worth has returned home after visiting with Mrs. S. Bemrod for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Irvan Deaton and Mrs. J. A. Deaton, have motored to Dallas, where they will attend the baccalaureate sermon Sunday, and the graduation exercises Tuesday, of Southern Methodist university, Lona Elizabeth Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown, receives her B. A. degree, majoring in latin, and will return with her family to pend the summer.

Mrs. W. R. Greggs leaves today for Kerens, Texas, for a month's visit.

Mrs. Ed Ashe has gone to San Francisco to spend the summer.

Mrs. O. B. Bell leaves today to accompany her mother, Mrs. T. E. Goff, to Sherman, overland. Mrs. Goff has been the guest of Mrs. Kell for the past few days.

Mrs. W. H. Berry and son, Henry, have gone to Haskell, Texas, to visit Mrs. Maloney, Mrs. Berry's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland Johnson have returned from their wedding trip to New York, Washington, D. C. and points east. Mrs. Johnson was formerly Miss August Wisdom.

Mrs. W. E. Soule was called to Fort Worth Saturday afternoon by a message announcing the death of her grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Davis. Mrs. Davis was 98 years of age and is the mother of "Dad" Davis, a frequent visitor here at the home of his daughter.


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Olney News Briefs and Personals

OLNEY, June 9.—The monthly luncheon meeting of the chamber of commerce was held in the dining room of the Morris hotel Tuesday noon. Several matters of importance were disposed of, first being the election of W. C. Harrel as president in place of S. J. Marcell, resigned.

The membership committee made a report and the committee in charge of working the roads to the surrounding oil fields was continued with instructions to push the work. The club meets twice each month, once in a business session in the evening and once at a luncheon at the noon hour.

Moonlight Supper at Lake.

Mrs. George B. Hamilton and Mrs. G. H. Roach were hostesses to a jolly crowd at the municipal lake Tuesday evening and a delightful chicken supper was enjoyed by several couples present.

Wallace-Poole Wedding.

Morris Poole and Miss Gladys Wallace stole a march on their many local friends by slipping off to Graham Saturday evening, where Rev. Taylor pronounced the marriage ceremony for them. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wallace and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Poole.

Miss Cosby Entertains.

In honor of Miss Edna Wood, Miss Clarice Cosby entertained a crowd of young people at her home in the northwest part of town Monday, the occasion being the departure of Miss Wood on Wednesday to spend the summer in Denton.

"Forty-two" and other games were enjoyed, after which the hostess served refreshments, and later a drive to the Swastika townsite was enjoyed by the guests.

Mrs. W. N. Lunn returned on Wednesday from Lubbock, where she attended the bedside and later the funeral of her brother, E. C. Simmons, a prominent business man of that city. Simmons was an undertaker, and got an infection from embalming a subject who died of tetanus. He was well known here, having lived here in his youth.

MILK AND ICE FUND HELPED

Man Sends $10 But Does Not Want Name Published

Another contribution to The Record News milk and ice fund was received Saturday, the donor sending his check for $10 and requesting that his name not be published.

The cold weather following the last two days' rains has possibly slowed down contributions to the fund, but with the advent of sultry weather again it is believed this will serve as reminder to those who have the interest of Wichita Falls' poor children at heart.

Awful Disappointment for Them.

Will believers in the occult regret to learn that Howard Carter, the other one of the pair of Tut tomb excavators, is recovering from his illness? — (From the Detroit Free Press.)

Wood's Mystery Sale Continues

Hundreds of people Thursday, Friday and Saturday took advantage of the many wonderful shoe values we offered and have told their friends about them. However, we have many thousands of pairs and we want you to come in and get yours.

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172 ADDED TO ELECTRA CHURCH

Service of Baptism to be Held at Christian Church Tonight

Special Dispatch to Record News

ELECTRA, Texas, June 9.—The revival under the direction of Hamilton and Hamilton, evangelists, which closed last Sunday, netted 172 new members for the First Christian church. The service of baptism will be held at the church next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock by the Rev Byron Hester, pastor.

LEWIS AWARDED $2,000 IN SUIT

Judgment for the plaintiff in the amount asked was returned Saturday by Judge P. A. Martin of the Eighty-ninth district court in the case of H. D. Lewis vs. H. C. Thorman. The case has been in the local courts for some time and was a highly complicated affair.

Suit for about $2,000 was brought by the plaintiff for a debt alleged to have been owed by the Wichita Tillman Oil company and in arranging the case it was found that some of the partners of the company had been charged more than their just share. An accounting action was held and the difficulty ironed out in that manner.

Graham Girls Awarded Prizes at Washington

GRAHAM, June 9.—Advices from Washington are to the effect that Misses Rose Amra Reed and Orlean Ramsey, both of East Ward school, have been awarded $5 bills and a bronze medal apiece for winning third places in the national safety contest, recently inaugurated by the highway educational board. Both won prizes in the state contest before entering the national contest.

Allison to Speak

James Allison, formerly with the Fort Worth Record, is to be the principal speaker of the day at the Kiwanis club weekly luncheon in the Kemp hotel Monday noon. He is to talk on some of his experiences as a newspaper man.

A special musical program of distinct originality is on schedule under the direction of E. C. Huckabee, according to reports.

The attendance prize comes from C. E. Thames and the silent boosts from J. H. Barnard.

Men's Bible Class Will Meet Today

The Men's Bible class of the First Christian church will meet at 9:30 Sunday morning in the main auditorium of the church. The lesson will be Christ's trial before the Jewish Sanhedrin and before Pilot as narrated in the last part of the 22nd and the first part of the 23rd chapters of Luke. The class will undertake to determine whether our Lord got a legal trial, according to the Jewish law. The lesson will be handled largely in an historical way. A cordial invitation is extended to all visitors, and especially those who may be stopping in the city over Sunday.

Rev. Simpson to Preach

Rev. C. M. Simpson of the First Methodist church, Tenth and Lamar, will preach at both hours Sunday. At 11 a. m. he will speak on "Burdens, One's Own and Others." The Sunday school and Epworth leagues meet at their usual hours. At the evening service the pastor will speak on a theme alive with interest to local people, the subject to be announced Sunday.

Some 339 women studied interpretative dancing at the University of Wisconsin summer session last summer.

Lovely Gown For Weary Shopper



Women are confirmed bargain hunters, so say the men, and it is doubtless true, but even the most confirmed bargain hunter will tell you that the pastime is fatiguing.

There is a great deal of shopping to do in the spring and early summer. Gifts for graduates and brides; clothes for the whole family for vacation days to come, etc., etc., make many rounds of the shops necessary for the housewife.

After such a tour wouldn't it be restful to slip into this exquisite negligee and sip a cup of one's favorite tea? Apricot georgette edged with silk most trimming and panelled with an ecru silk lace are the materials used.

Incidentally, such a costume would make a lovely addition to a bride's trousseau.

CHICAGO MARATHON DANCING UNLAWFUL

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, June 9. — Marathon dancing was held unlawful and degrading to health by Circuit Judge Friend today.

He refused to grant an injunction restraining the police from interfering with a seven-day marathon dance which Harry Kauffman, a promoter, proposed to held in the Coliseum next week.

"Dancers in such contests often dance to the point of exhaustion," said Mr. Grossman. "A death from such a contest would be the same as a death in a drunken brawl. The promoter would be a murderer in effect."

"These dances are not wholesome as ordinary dances. They are held to attract the morbid, curiosity seeker. They are identical with bull fights or cock fights. The contest has nothing of art or beauty in it. It is a sheer test of animal endurance."

GOING TO CHURCH TODAY?

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Here's What The Pastors Are Offering

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"We trust that every man we have seen this week will be in the organization of the men's Bible class next Sunday morning, and those we have not been able to see this week are expected to me with us and let us work to make this a class that will do many people much good. Men, we are counting on you to be real men and not leave this work to the women and children. We know that it takes a man with real manhood and a great deal of determination to make this step, but we are sure that there is not one of you who but will say this is the right step. Then let us be reasonable and answer this question in a way that will bles us and many others. Why not?

Sunday school will begin at 9:45. Let us be on time, as we do not want to take any of the time for the morning sermon. Rev. L. Newman of Houston, presiding elder for this district, will be with us throughout the services of the day. Preaching at 11 a. m. and holding of baptismal services after the morning sermon, then again at night he will bring us the message. Let us pray that the Lord may bless us through the services of the entire day, and that men and women, boys and girls may be drawn closer to him.

Let us come to all these services, praying that the Lord may bless each of us and realizing that the most we can do for the Lord is nothing compared to what he has done for us.

Cordially yours,
W. D. COOK, Pastor.

Dr. Hancock Returns

Dr. Lambreth Hancock, of the First Christian church, who has been absent from the city for several days, attending the State Convention of the Christian Churches of Fort Worth, has returned to the city and will speak at both services Sunday. Sunday morning will be "Father and Son" Day in the church. Every man is asked to bring a boy with him and every boy to bring a man. On Tuesday night the Men's Bible class will give a "Father and Son" banquet in the basement of the church with Joe Hatchett acting as toastmaster.

Sunday evening the sermon subject will be "The Waters of Blessing." Service will begin promptly at 8 o'clock and close at 9 o'clock.

"A warm welcome, electric fans, ice water, will contribute toward making this the most comfortable place to worship in the city."

Sacred Heart.

Rev. Lawrence Hoyt, of the Sacred Heart church (Catholic) announces that the subject for his sermon Sunday will be "Conversion of Sinners." The text will be "I say to you that even so there shall be joy in heaven upon one sinner that doth penance more than upon ninety-nine just who need not penance." Luke 15:7.

Lutheran Trinity.

Rev. A. H. Muehlbrad, of the Lutheran Trinity church, announces that the English services will start at 10:30 a. m. with him preaching on "Who Shall Eat Bread in the Kingdom of the Lord?". He will hold services at Mabelle Sunday night.

"A Fighting Church"

Rector Dutson, of the Church of Good Shepherd (Episcopal) announces he will preach on "A Fighting Church" Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. The choir will sing for the offertory, "Oh, Jesus, Thou Art Standing."

The rector's book sermon will be taken from Edwin Markham's poem "The Shoes of Happiness." Sunday night. Mrs. J. O. Aumann will sing for the offerstory "O, Loving Father," by Teresa Del Riego.

"Everybody always welcome to the good things the church has."

"Restlessness—Its Cure."

Dr. N. F. Grafton, of the First Presbyterian church, announces as the subject for his Sunday morning sermon "Restlessness—Its Cure." The special music for the morning hour will include a selection, by request, from Easter Cantata—"Jesus Lives," and Mrs. Parker will sing "Fear Ye Not, O, Israel."

For the evening hour the pastor's subject will be "The Art of the Covenant." The special music will include a mixed quartette singing "Remember Now Thy Creator in the Days of Thy Youth." Mr. Farabee will sing "He Knows the Way."

Special Children's day exercises will be observed at the Sabbath school hour. An interesting program has been arranged for this special service.

"The public is cordially invited to all services."

First Baptist

In the absence of Dr. O. L. Powers who is engaged in an evangelistic campaign with the First Baptist church, of Vernon, the pulpit of the First Baptist church will be occupied by Dr. J. C. Hardy. Dr. Hardy is president of the Baylor college, Belton, Texas, and has many admirers in Wichita Falls, having been heard here on previous occasions.

For the morning service, special music will be rendered by Stanley M. Raub, violinist. For the evening service which will begin at 8 p. m. William E. Young will sing "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," by Ambrose.

Lamar Baptist.

Rev. A. J. Holt, pastor of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church, corner of Lamar and Fourth streets, announces he will speak on "Some of Joshua's Victories," Sunday morning. In the evening he will speak on "Some Conditions of a Fruitful Life."

The Sunbeams will meet at 3:00 p. m. and the senior and intermediate B. Y. P. U. at 7:00 p. m. Music will be in charge of Mr. Harper.

"Good fellowship for all."

We'll Say He Doesn't.

Lord Robert Cecil has gone home, but he does not take with him application of the United States for entrance into the league of nations.—(From the Pittsburg Gazette-Times.)

In a recent campaign in Virginia, 670,933 rats were killed in one week.

FORMER BEAUTY ELECTED



Mrs. Hilton Philipson, formerly Miss Mabel Russell, a chorus girl, with her husband, electioneering.

Defeating Labor and liberal candidates, Mrs. Hilton Philipson, Conservative, won a seat in the British house of commons. Mrs. Philipson before her marriage was Mabel Russell, chorus beauty. She is the third woman to win a seat.

LIGHT SYSTEM FOR MUNDAY

Excavation for $50,000 White Way Gets Under Way

Special Dispatch to Record News

MUNDAY, June 8.—The excavation of the ground for the $50,000 light system which will be installed in this place began here today and work will be rushed toward a rapid completion. Heavy cables are being placed under the ground and when completed will compose part of the best system of this kind in this part of the state.

When completed the new plan will provide 13 large lights through the middle of the street making a driveway on each side of the lights.

GRAHAM CONTRACT TO WICHITA MEN

Special Dispatch to Record News

GRAHAM, June 9.—The city council has awarded the paving of the square to the Plains Paving company of Wichita Falls, whose bid was the lowest out of four received. The work will probably begin when the action of the council is approved by general vote, which will be within 30 days.

AGED DOCTOR DIES AT NEWPORT HOME

Special Dispatch to Record News

BELLEVUE, June 9.—Dr. James Johnson Loumas Ball, aged 65, died suddenly at the Ball home at Newport, Sunday. Dr. Ball had been in declining health for many months.

The remains were conveyed to Bellevue, Monday afternoon and the funeral service was held in the Methodist church in the city Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by his pastor, Rev. A. C. Sterling, assisted by Rev. W. J. Walker of Vashti and his neighbor, Rev. H. Chennis of Newport.

SUMMER BAND CONCERT STARTS

Classical and Popular Musical Numbers Are Given

Special Dispatch to Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., June 9.—Summer band concerts for this city were formerly inaugurated Friday evening when the Frederick Commercial band rendered seven numbers and encores before a large crowd that gathered at the plaza across from the Carnegie library. The program consisted of classical and popular music. These concerts will be given weekly on Friday nights throughout the summer.

Chinese airmen, licensed pilots from American and Canadian schools, form the nucleus of an air force for the suppression of bandits and river pirates in Peking.

SERVICES IN NEW CHURCH

All Day Meeting Will Be Held; Dr. Sanderfer To Speak

Special Dispatch to Record News

ELECTRA, Texas, June 9.—Sunday will be the occasion of the first meeting in the new Baptist church here, according to an announcement made by Rev. E. M. Francis, pastor. An all-day meeting is planned, with Dr. J. D. Sanderfer of Abilene, president of Simmons college as the principal speaker.

A basket dinner in the basement of the new building will be one of the features of the meeting.

LOVE NOTE MAY FIND YOUNGSTER

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, June 9.—A note to her 10-year-old sweetheart may lead to the finding tolittle Ruth Smerling, 8, who disappeared from her home in Brooklyn Thursday, police said today.

The note, addressed to "Buster" Price, was found in a field and was turned over to the police. It said in part: "You know the man is very good to me and gave me 10 cents. I'd like to meet you at 7 o'clock." It was signed "Ruth." The note contained the name of the man who is thought to have taken the girl away, the police said.

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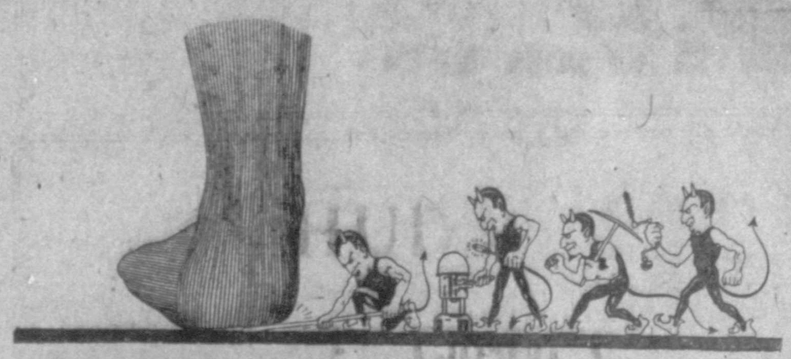
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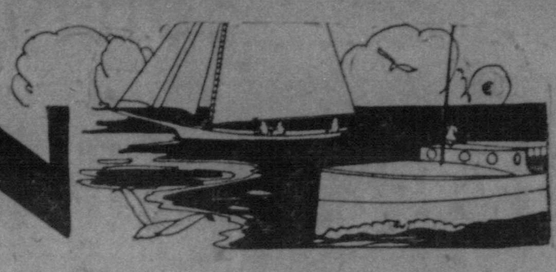
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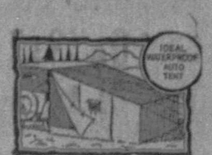
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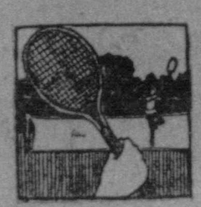
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"INDIANS ARE COMING": READ HOW MEN DIED

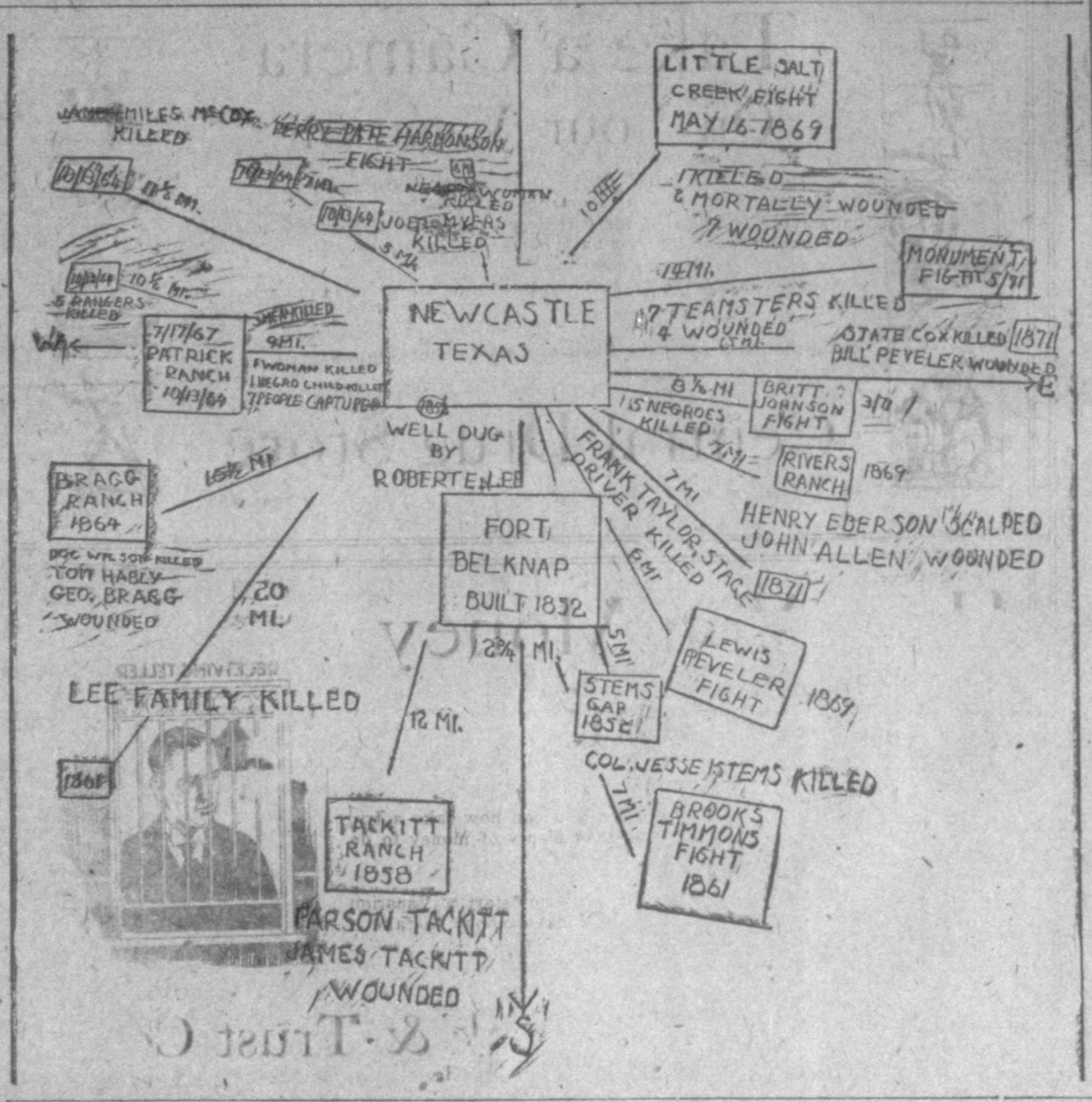
HERE ARE INDIANS AND INDIAN FIGHTERS WHO CELEBRATED PIONEER WARS IN YOUNG COUNTY



Here are some of the Indians who celebrated the recent anniversary of the Indian fights around Newcastle in Young county. Chief Hoy Koy Pitty and party is seen in the first picture, taken during the celebrations which lasted for two days on May 16 and 17.



In the second picture is a group of pioneer settlers and Indian fighters who gathered at New Castle to recount the tales of battle and swap yarns about scalping and sacrificing during the earlier days in Young county.



In the lower picture, Cartoonist Maples has traced from J. E. Chase's map a replica of the battle grounds in Young County.

Mr. Chase has, in the accompanying article, described minutely and dramatically all of the Indian fights as well as the hardships and suffering of the pioneers of Young county. Read it.

PIONEER, SCALPED, LEFT TO DIE, LIVES FOR DAYS; THREE CHIEFS ARE LOST IN MONUMENT BATTLE

Old Indian Fighters Reunion and Settlers Picnic Held At Newcastle Brings Back Memories of Struggles of Men in Early Days in Young County Country.

By J. E. CHASE

The Indian Fighters' Reunion and Old Settlers' picnic, recently held at Newcastle, Young county, Texas, brought together many pioneer settlers in Young and Jack counties. The event was made memorable by the re-telling of the thrilling incidents of pioneer life, and the attempt to collect from the living witnesses the true records of the Indian raids and battles for which this section of Texas was noted.

During the '50s and '60s of the last century, the Kiowa and Comanche tribes were confederates, and it was their depredations that made pioneer life in this section so hazardous. With reservations located just across the Red river from Texas, it was their custom to raid the territory south of the river and when pressed by the white settlers to return to the reservation. There was an evident rivalry between the two tribes as to which of the "braves" could do the most fiendish acts. A number of raids were participated in by warriors from both tribes.

Ranger Cowman's Ally.

This portion of Texas was originally a cow country, and the cowman was the central figure around whom the history of Texas must be written. His cattle roamed at will and the lonely cowman lived in constant peril. Settlements were few and far between. To stay here at all, meant that he must be brave, alert and resourceful. His one great ally was the Texas ranger, the organization that has done more to make Texas habitable than any other single force. The ranger force was never a numerous one. This is why in the chronicle of events so few had part in each separate engagement. But the effect of each battle was as marked as it would have been had there been legions on either side. It was the skill, dexterity and persistence of these pioneers that finally drove the Indians back onto their reservations and stopped these raids.

Graves Unmarked.

In the description of these conflicts as told by the few survivors this one fact looms large, viz., that we have been altogether too tardy in according them the honor and recognition their great service merited. Some day Texas will remember and a suitable shaft will be erected to bear tribute to the debt we can never pay. Even the graves of some of these heroes are still unmarked. The sacred dust is being disturbed by the civilization they consecrated with their own blood.

The few brief sentences used to tell the story of each engagement cannot but dimly portray the outline of each separate engagement. Time has obliterated all trace of the havoc wrought, and where once cattle roamed the wily Indian stole unsuspectingly upon his victim, now waving fields of grain and growing crops eloquently proclaim the glory of the land these pioneers died to make habitable.

First White Man Killed in Young.

Some time early in the year of 1852, Col. Jesse Stem, a beef contractor for the federal government, while in pursuit of his duties, was surprised by a roving band of Indians five miles south by east of Newcastle, and killed outright. A gap in the hills through which he was passing at the time was the scene of the killing and came to be known as Stem's Gap. This is the first recorded killing of a white man by the Indians in Young county.

In the early sixties, probably in 1861, the Lee family, living 20 miles southwest of Newcastle, were surprised and killed by the Indians, but no facts are now discoverable that will shed any light on the tragedy.

Elm Creek Raid, October 13, 1864.

The first genuine raid, made by the Comanche-Kiowa Indians in this county, took place on the morning of the thirteenth of October, 1864, and is known as the first Elm Creek fight. A band of Indians, numbering approximately 1,000, crossed the Brazos river just west of Newcastle from the north. At the mouth of Elm creek, five miles west of Newcastle, they met up with Joel Myers and killed him outright. Two miles northwest from there they surprised Peter and Perry Harmonson, who took refuge in a fiveoak thicket. The Harmonsons succeeded in killing a chief and the Indians withdrew. Crossing the river they struck the Patrick ranch, where they killed Susan Durgan and a negro boy, Jim, the son of Nigger Britt; carried off Susan Durgan's mother, Mrs. Fitzpatrick, and son, Joe Carter; Mrs. Durgan's two little girls, Lottie and Millie; carried off Nigger Britt's wife, Mary, and two small children, Jude and Sarah. About a year later Nigger Britt, one of the bravest men of his day, found where these captives were and in company with soldiers went to Oklahoma and arranged for their release. He returned to Texas and bought sufficient horses with which to purchase their release and brought them back to Texas, but was unable to find Millie Durgan. Mrs. Fitzpatrick told that her son, Joe Carter being sick after being captured, the Indians struck him across the forehead with a blunt instrument, killing him, and threw him into the bushes. She also stated there were 800 warriors and 200 squaws who took part in this raid.

Hide in Cave.

After raiding the Patrick ranch, they next struck the Hamby ranch, where Tom Hamby and Theruton K. Hamby and a Dr. Wilson succeeded in secreting their family in a cave and went up Elm creek to warn the settlers. They came first to H. D. Williams' home, whose family was hidden in a thicket down Elm creek and were not discovered by the Indians. They next came to the Bragg ranch, 10 miles south by west of Newcastle, where the Indians overtook them just as they got the women and children into the house. Here a desperate fight took place, in which Dr. Wilson was shot through the heart, turning to the others, he said:

"Hamby, I am a dead man." He fell across the bed, dying instantly. Tom Hamby and George Bragg were both badly wounded. Had it not been for the efforts of the Hambys and Dr. Wilson, who gave the alarm, doubtless all the settlers would have perished.

About the same hour of the fight at the Bragg ranch, 15 Texas rangers run on two Indians about two and one-half miles north of the Bragg ranch, and chased them for a short distance, when they found themselves entirely surrounded.

The captain of the rangers said to the force:

"Men, there is but one thing to do, that is, cut our way through them."

This they succeeded in doing, leaving five of the men killed on the spot, the number of the wounded is not known. From there the rangers went to Fort Murray, where the wounded rangers were taken care of. On the way they passed the McCoy ranch, taking Mrs. McCoy and niece, Jane Morris, to Fort Murray with them for safety. At about the same hour a band of the Indians struck James McCoy and son, Miles, one and one-half miles north of the ranch house, engaged in cutting a load of wood and killed both McCoy and son.

Horse Shot From Man.

A man by the name of Henry Wooten started with the rangers, but was separated from them. The Indians chased him and as he attempted to cross the creek shot his horse from under him. He escaped on foot, hiding along the creek, finally reaching the R. J. Johnson ranch.

John W. Proffit, father, and two other men went out to the Patrick ranch on an errand, and finding the bodies of the Durgan women and negro child, turned back and reached the Johnson ranch just before Wooten got there. Together with the Johnson family, they went down the creek and, hiding, remained all night. The next morning they made their way to Fort Belknap.

Second Elm Creek Fight.

On the morning of the seventeenth of July, 1867, another fight of much smaller proportion took place on Elm creek, near the old Patrick ranch. A band of 75 Indians came upon three young men, Euell Proffitt, Rube Johnson and Rios Carrollton, who were branding cattle for Parker Johnson. The Indians managed to get between the boys and the house and their horses, ran them on foot for some three quarters of a mile and killed all three of them. Euell Proffitt was shot through the heart with an arrow after he had fallen from a gunshot.

Thornton Hamby and George Templeton heard the shooting and started to go to their relief when they ran into a large number of the Indians, but succeeded in escaping without being wounded. After killing the three boys the Indians withdrew and committed no further depredations on that raid.

In the late sixties several minor engagements occurred, including the Tackitt fight, which occurred 15 miles south from Newcastle and five miles north from Ellasville. A band of Indians had been camped for several days on the mountain near Ellasville. The Tackitts, living five miles north from Ellasville, discovered their cows coming home filled with arrows. Parson P. Tackitt and five sons, Jim, George Emmett, Like and Chess, immediately back-trailed the cows, met the Indians and gave battle. Rev. Tackitt and son Jim were wounded. Several Indians were killed.

State Cox was killed and Bill Peveler wounded in a brush with the Indians 15 miles east of Newcastle. Three Indians followed Peveler after wounding him. He fired his remaining cartridge over his shoulder and killed the chief, the other two then gave up the chase. Peveler died 21 days after the fight from the effect of his wounds.

Scalp Man.

Henry Eberson and John Allen were herding horses for Charles

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ALL READY FOR CONVENTION OF WATER ENVOYS

Plans Being Made For Big Four-Day Convention Beginning June 18

REPRESENT 8 STATES

Sanitary Engineers From All States Will Attend Meeting

With the opening date just one week away and the first influx of delegates expected within the next few days, plans are practically complete for the annual convention of the Southwest Waterworks association convention which convenes here for four days beginning June 18. The usual mass of detail work will, of course be ironed out as the convention dates approach.

Included in the list of delegates to be in attendance at the convention are a number of prominent state officials and waterworks engineers from the southwest. Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisana, Mississippi, New Mexico and Arizona are included in the association and representatives from all of these states will be in Wichita Falls.

According to F. N. Lawton, general manager of the Wichita Falls water department, the state sanitary engineers from each of the eight states in the association will be among the guests.

Present plans call for the official sessions to be held in the American legion hall. This is to be decorated and arranged in appropriate style for the meetings.

The official welcome to the city will be Monday night when all delegates are guests of the chamber of commerce at a banquet to be held either at the Kemp hotel or the First Baptist church. Unless too many reservations are made, the dinner will be at the Kemp but if it is found that facilities there will be inadequate, the basement of the church will be used.

Tuesday will be used entirely in an inspection tour of the irrigation project. A barbecue dinner will be served at the storage lake by the Calahan Construction company, after which some of the affairs of the association will be transacted.

LIBRARY NEARS CONCLUSION NOW

Petitions Must Be Signed By Voters And Then Presented

With petitions being circulated calling on the county commissioners court to enter into a contract with the city for taking over the Kemp public library, present indications are that the county library project will be brought to speedy conclusion.

It is pointed out that these petitions must be signed by the voters of the county and then presented to the commissioners before the court can formally accept the proposition. The signing of these petitions is really the last step in the work. It is a foregone conclusion that the county commissioners will unanimously acquiesce when the time comes.

The city council and the library board have already given their endorsement to the provisions of the transaction.

A petition was circulated last Friday noon, at the chamber of commerce business ouncil luncheon and it is understood that others were put out in the city and various parts of the county. Electra, Burkburnett and Iowa Park, the three communities in which branch libraries are to be placed, are reported as being anxious for consumation of the deal so that the branches may be established.

Odd Fellows To Hold Memorial Service Tuesday

The annual memorial service of the Odd Fellows will be held at the lodge hall here next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, according to an announcement from officials of the organization.

Several musical numbers, including violin and vocal solos and duets will precede the memorial sermon to be delivered by Rev. F. Pierce Smith of Mississippi.

The general public is cordially invited to attend the services.

TRAFFIC LAWS OPPOSED HERE

Council to Hear Committee Which Frowns On Right Turn

A discussion of proposed changes in the city traffic laws promises to furnish considerable fun at Monday night's meeting of the city council. Opposition which developed last week to some of the new regulations proposed by Chief of Police Hodgins is to be reflected in the advances of a committee appointed at the chamber of commerce business council luncheon to wait on the commissioners and present their views.

Chief Hodgins declared yesterday following a conference between himself, Police Commissioner J. T. Young and City Attorney E. M. Mann, that his new ordinance in which are embodied the traffic changes will be laid before the council Monday night and its immediate passage urged. The Saturday conference was arranged in order that the city attorney might go over the ordinance and pass on its legality.

In case the ordinance is adopted by the council, it will be asked that it carry an emergency clause making it effective at once. Ordinarily an ordinance must be passed on three readings, each a week apart, but in cases where it is deemed necessary, the commissioners may abrogate this usual provision.

The particular fight to be waged against the new rules will center on the right hand turn feature. This measure provides that in the business district of the city no motor vehicle, except fire and police patrols and ambulances on emergency calls, shall turn left from one street into another. All turns must be made to the right, it is set out, and a car must circle as many blocks as is necessary to gain an objective—always turning to the right.

It is felt by many here that this will work an undue hardship on the motoring public and is not necessary for a town of this size. Such an idea is employed in many of the larger cities of the country, it is reported.

Opposition action on the matter will be led by a committee composed of Frank Quebsser, W. W. Anderson and E. S. Goodner, appointed last Friday at the chamber of commerce business council.

Other matters to come up at the Monday night session will be largely routine, it is understood. The "Monroe Lagoon" squabble, which has now resulted in suits being filed against the city, may also come up for discussion.

TIRES SUFFER WHEN WHEELS AREN'T SET

When wheels are out of line for any reason, the result is a scraping which quickly wears away the tread surface. Instead of running straight ahead and accepting the natural traction surface friction, the tire is compelled virtually to skid along sideways.

This condition frequently is the fault of bent axles, but not always. It may be broken springs, loose spring shackles, sprung frames, loose steering knuckles, bent pinions, worn out bearings or wobbly wheels.

COPS WONDER HOW IT'S DONE

Boy With Roll Shows 'Em New First National Stunt

The city cops are still wondering how he got away with it.

The night bunch at the city hall gives itself credit, and rightly, for being a thoroughly competent force, one that knows the numberless "tricks of the trade" and that can play a jailbird's own game with the best. And it isn't often that they lose in a battle of wits.

Last week, though, the whole force was beaten twice by the same man.

The individual was brought into the station late one night, plainly under the influence of a potent stimulant, booked, lined up before the bar and searched.

"Thas all right, mister," he said. "I gotta, hic, roll but you ain't going, hic, to find ut. Jus' go on. I got ut but, hic, you ain't going to get it."

Without more adoo he was locked up and brought down, sober, for trial the next morning.

His fine was assessed, and then to the amazement of his jailors he extracted a roll of bills of the much maligned horse choking size. The roll totalled $60.

"I told you I had it," he grinned, "but you wouldn't believe it."

But the funny part was yet to come. Two nights later the same man again appeared on a similar charge.

"Got any more cash?" he was asked.

"Sure, hic, but you don't get it this time, either."

The subsequent search was about as thorough as could be made. From the hide out he was gone over, under and through. Not a dime was found.

And then the next morning another roll appeared in court.

"We give up," the cops said.

MODERN WOODMEN HOLD INITIATION

A large class of members were initiated last Thursday into the Modern Wodmen of America, the initiation ceremonies coming early in the evening after, which a banquet was served at the Cameron cafeteria. The event was the culmination of an intense membership drive launched by F. O. Fritz, district deputy, and which has resulted in a large increase in the membership rolls.

A good attendance was out for the meeting.

Brown's Hat's In Ring

"My hat is in the ring," says Mr. Brown of the Victory Motor company, "and I intend to find hundreds of whom this hat will fit and prove satisfactorily."

Mr. Brown is very optimistic as to the future outlook for the automobile industry.

Who Wants to Buy Gallows, Sheriff Murphy Has One, Never Used, Which He Will Dispose of At Cheap Figure

Electrocution Is All Fashion Now, So It's Not Needed Here

Any one want to buy a good gallows cheap?

Sheriff Pat Murphy hasn't definitely announced that he has one for sale, but in view of the fact that hanging is to become a lost art in Texas, it would seem that the execution planks in the county jail here will soon be a drug on the market.

With the electric chair substituted for the gallows as a means of inflicting capital punishment on condemned criminals, Wichita county will go on record as being one in which a legal execution has never taken place. With electrocution in vogue, death sentences will be carried out within the walls of the state penitentiary and hence the county sheriffs are relieved of the necessity of conducting a hanging.

Several death sentences have been passed out here but never have been carried out. Only two have been returned in recent years, one against a negro accused of assaulting a young white girl and the other against Henry J. Toussaint confessed murderer of his father. The negro was saved by a commutation of sentence to life imprisonment and Toussaint was given a new trial by the court of criminal appeals. The case is set for June 20 in Anson, Jones county.

At any rate, whatever the past records, no legal executions have been made within Wichita county and the gallows now in the county jail will probably go its way—unused. For years it has stood neglected and almost untoticed in a corner of the jail, so arranged, the sheriff said that considerable alterations would have to be made before a man could have been executed.

Gene Segal Back On Job

Gene Segal, manager and owner of the Cut Rate Tire company, who has been layed up for the past 20 days after undergoing a surgical operation, is back on the job and displaying the some old pep as in the past. Gene says that he is feeling fine and gaining strength daily. He appears to be in good form.

OAKLAND FOR STRICT ECONOMY

Car Dealers Service Jobs Should Be Done At Minimum

That motor car dealers' service managers should be educated today more along the line of good merchandising maintenance practices to the end that car owners will be better satisfied with both the service itself and the cots of service was the gist of an address made by R. A. Armstrong, service manager of the Oakland Motor Car company at the recent managers' convention of the National Automobile chamber of commerce in Detroit.

"We have been educating our dealers on the most economical manner of merchandising maintenance on cars," stated Mr. Armstrong, "because we feel that the stress today should be placed on this end of service maintenance. This work of course is supplementary to the educational work carried on to develop better mechanics and to acquaint them with all methods that will enable them to perform more efficiently and economically every repair job.

"Today throughout the country at our main distributing points, dealers' service managers and mechanics are meeting our factory service representatives who conduct schools covering the product from a mechanical standpoint and good business methods. The flat rate system, now almost universal with the stronger companies, is an indication of how maintenance service is being merchandised. Efficient service economically as well as thoroughly and the cutting of overhead to a minimum are what the progressive dealers are stressing today. The car owner benefits mainly through such a policy and this benefit in turn is reflected back to the dealer and factory."

Fordson Sales Grow

Increasing us of tractor power in commercial, industrial and agricultural activities has brought a greater demand than ever for Fordson tractors. To meet this demand production of these sturdy power plants reached a total of 38,473 during the first four months of this year, more than twice that of the same time last year when 15,467 Fordsons were manufactured by the Ford Motor company.

END OF RACE FOR ONE DRIVER



Ruins of Tom Alley 's auto after it skidded through fen ce and hit spectator

The one fatality registered at the annual Indianapolis speedway race occurred when Tom Alley, veteran Indianapolis driver, skidded through a fence rounding a turn. His car hit a young spectator, who died later. Alley was injured. A German driver, Lautenschlager, was also injured.

Lincoln Stock Car Makes Remarkable Record When It Is Put Into Tests

The Langford Motor Supply company has been advised by the Lincoln Automobile company, a Ford subsidiary, that in a series of recent tests for speed, getaway and general all-around efficiency, the Lincoln automobile carried off the honors from a field of ten high priced cars.

The tests were made for the benefit of the Detroit police department, which is organizing a flying squadron of motor cars to use in the campaign that is to be launched against robberies on highways and other crimes where quick getaways and speed, endurance and dependability are the chief requisites in a car to be used in the flying squadron service.

Quick starting from a dead stop, rapid acceleration, over long and short distances, exceptional speed under any emergency, ease of handling and control were tested in quarter mile, half mile and mile tests. All tests were made under the observation of expert engineers representing leading automobile concerns of the country and all checkings of tests were made by officials with stop watches, so that every requirement was gauged with the utmost accuracy.

The tests called for six-passenger stock touring cars. In the two-mile standing start quick acceleration tests the Lincoln finished first and covered the distance in 1 minute and 2-5 seconds and attained a speed of 80 miles an hour.

The Lincoln won the half mile test in 38 2-5 seconds, finishing at a speed of 73 miles an hour. In the quarter mile test the Lincoln from a running start of five miles an hour in intermediate gear covered the distance in 28 4-5 seconds. These wonderful records were made by the Lincoln car of the regulation stock model type.

A bad taste in the mouth comes from a disordered stomach and sluggish state of the bowels. Herbine corrects the trouble immediately. It purifies the bowels, helps digestion, and sweetens the breath. Price, 60c. Sold by all druggists.—Adv.

ELGIN MADE AT INDIANAPOLIS

Car Turned Out After Five Years Of Experimenting

Indianapolis has been chosen as the home of the new Elgin car, which will be manufactured by Elgin Motors, Inc., according to J. H. McDuffee, president and general manager of the new corporation which was organized by the stockholders of the old Elgin company, of Argo, Ill.

Articles of incorporation have been filed with a provision for in the issuance of 500,000 shares of stock with no par value and the deal has been completed for the buildings of the Federal Motor Works at Indianapolis.

Under the direction of Mr. McDuffee, the name and patents of the new car which has been the subject of experimentation by the engineers of the old company for the past five years, were bought by the new corporation.

The plant to be occupied by this company consists of three modern buildings made of steel and concrete with a frontage of 290 feet and 270 feet deep, with a total floor space of one hundred thousand square feet. Machinery and materials have been ordered and work will begin immediately equipping the plant for production of the new car, which is expected to start some time about the first of September. The new plant will have a capacity of 50 cars daily and a personnel of about 500 men.

"There are now more than 25,000 Elgin cars in the hands of owners who are perfectly satisfied with them," said Mr. McDuffee. "The Elgin car is fundamentally correct in design and is a good motor car all the way through. A majority of the Elgin stockholders have already subscribed for stock in the new company, which is indicative of the faith they have in the Elgin car."

In selecting Mr. McDuffee as president and general manager of the new company the stockholders' committee feel that they have chosen a man whose prolonged experience in every phase of the automobile industry adequately equips him to efficiently and successfully manage the destinies of Elgin Motors, Inc.

Dr. DuVal, eye, ear, nose, throat. Glasses Fitted. 815 Scott Ave.—Adv

Women, Here's What You Should Don For Your Next Automobile Trip

CHICAGO, June 9.—For women who plan automobile jaunts this summer, Miss Florence Greene, teacher of dress designing, offered some valuable hints in a talk to club women here.

"My suggestions," said Miss Greene "are mainly for women who propose to do a certain amount of roughing it on their summer motor trip and who will stop overnight at little hostelries along the way or camp out.

"For this sort of trip, khaki knickers are ideal. But if she is averse to such mannish costume, a jersey sports suit or a suit of tweed is equally serviceable. Corduroy is a trifle heavy for summer wear. Colors that are proof against dust and sunspots are tan, brown, taupe and gray. A low neck will make for coolness. The skirt should end above the ankles. Good substantial stockings, seamless, fitted in the knitting and of some harmonious shade, are necessities. The shoes should be flatheeled oxfords, either tan or black with heavy soles. A knockabout felt hat is the completing detail.

"Such a costume, supplemented with a change or two carried along in a suitcase for what may be called dress occasions, will admirably serve for a motor journey of the rough-and-ready sort. Thus attired the motorist will be ready for sun, wind and weather and any kind of fortune the red gods chance to bestow. She will be personable and comfortable and can devote herself to pure enjoyment with a mind free from all worry about her toilet."

DIXON GETS MORE SPACE

Thorn Building Remodeled For Sales and Display Rooms

Workmen are busy remodeling the front half of the lower floor of the Thom building, formerly occupied by the Ripley Music company, and to be occupied by the Dixon Motor company as their sales and display room. The present salesroom and the service room will all be turned into one big service department.

The Dixon Motor company now occupies the entire building, giving all the second floor to the parts department, while the third floor will be devoted to the mechanical department. The Dixon Motor company is possibly one of the largest automobile houses in northwest Texas.

CANADIAN RIVER ON NINE-FOOT RISE

Associated Press Dispatch

AMARILLO, June 8.—Nearly two inches of rain fell over the Texas panhandle and Eastern New Mexico last night and this morning. It is reported the Canadian river rose nine feet this morning, 30 miles north of Amarillo.

NO OVERPRODUCTION TIRE MEN ASSERT

That current rumors of overproduction which will necessitate complete shutdown of many of the larger tire factories by July 1 are utterly false is shown by exclusive interviews secured by the trade paper "Tires," with some of the most prominent men in the industry.

The consensus of opinion seems to be that when the demand lessens in the next two months production schedules will be cut from 10 to 25 per cent which is the customary practice when seasonal slowdowns occur. This lessening of demand will not be caused by any decrease in consumer buying, but will be caused by the dropping off of original equipment business on the part of automobile manufacturers. Only these tire manufacturers who furnish original equipment will be affected. The smaller companies that do business only through dealers will not be obliged to cut production schedules.

Manufacturers have about two months' supply of finished product on hand, while a survey of 27,000 dealers in the United States, made by one of the larger Akron tire companies, shows that dealers are carrying but 60-day stocks.

W. O. Rutherford, vice president of the B. F. Goodrich company; F. A. Seiberling, president of the Seiberling Rubber company, and William O'Neil, general manager of the General Tire and Rubber company, assert emphatically that all talk of a slump and complete shutdown is absurd and that no serious drop in tire business or production impends.

DEMAND FOR FORDS GROWING

Scandinavian Countries Increase Calls For Products

DETROIT, Mich., June 9.—Everywhere abroad there is an increasing demand for products of the Ford Motor company and it includes the whole Ford line, cars, trucks and Fordson tractors.

During the first four months of the year foreign sales of Ford cars and trucks reached a total of 76,142. This is 34,883 more than were sold in the same period a year ago.

"In the same months, Fordson tractor sales mounted to 4,534, more than twice those of last year when 1,894 Fordsons were sold in foreign markets.

An outstanding feature is the remarkable demand for Ford products in the Scandinavian countries. All through Denmark, Norway and Sweden, sales are showing an unprecedented increase and motor transportation in these countries is making greater strides forward than ever before.

In Belgium, too, there is an unusual demand for Fords. The picturesque Belgian horse and cart is rapidly giving way to the Ford one-ton truck, for commercial and agricultural interests in Belgium now are keenly awake to the advantages and economy of this means of transportation and are turning to it in surprisingly increasing numbers.

New Lincoln Triumph

Another triumph of the Lincoln is recorded in the grilling test given the Lincoln touring car which is being used by the Michigan state police department. This car has been driven more than 50,000 miles and in telling of its performance in a letter to the Ford Motor company, Roy C. Vandercook, commissioner, says: "We have been compelled to drive it long distances with heavy loads at top speed and it has never faltered or failed us in any emergency. To my mind it is the best balanced, easiest handled car I know of."

Dodge to Mineral Wells

C. K. Dodge of McFall Brothers left last Sunday to spend the week in Mineral Wells, Texas, and is expected to return Monday.

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Six-Cylinder Four-Door Coupe

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LONG LIST OF NON-JURY CASES

All Will Be Disposed Of During Week Of June 18

Another long list of non-jury civil case settings has been made by Judge Guy Rogers of the county court at law for disposition during the week of June 18. A number will be tried and those not disposed of in this manner will be dismissed.

The list is as follows:

W. E. Mayes vs. Western Supply company, Appealed Precinct No. 2.

John M. Bender vs. Howard Webber, debt.

Carter Diviney vs. Ed Shepard et al, debt.

Graham Welding and Machine company, vs. A. C. Page Oil Well Supply company, debt.

G. K. Reid & Co. vs. Staley, Mashburn Oil company, debt.

T. W. Mendenhall vs. Texhoma Oil and Refining company, garnishment.

Hind Zillman Auto and Supply company vs. J. H. McKinley, debt.

Oil Well Supply company vs. Alfred Diffie et al., debt.

First State Bank of Electra vs. C. E. Gleen, debt.

Art Jewelry company vs. N. B. Hogan, garnishment.

J. C. Newman vs. R. E. Carter, and R. A. Carter, debt.

W. P. Thompson vs. R. K. Schutt et al., debt.

W. P. Thompson vs. City National Bank of Commerce, garnishment.

E. A. McCleskey vs. Humble Pipe Line company, debt.

The Commercial Credit company vs. V. J. Jamison, debt.

George H. Kennerley vs. Thomas F. Nolan, debt.

J. F. Davis vs. Burk Cameron Oil company, debt.

J. F. Davis, vs. Beaver Electra Refining company, garnishment.

J. A. Hughes vs. First National Bank of Wichita Falls, garnishment.

Jack Kennedy vs. Fred Schneirer, debt.

W. F. Weeks vs. W. M. McGregor, garnishment.

Hopkins-McLain Co. vs. Johnson Brothers et al., damages.

Thomas Cook vs. John C. Audrie, debt.

W. L. Chenault vs. R. M. Waggoner et al., debt.

J. S. Smith vs. J. R. E. Richardson, debt.

G. R. Wood vs. T. B. Couch and D. B. Cherry, debt.

Harry Hudnall vs. A. B. Johnson et al., debt.

Frank Exzell vs. Joe H. Jones, injunction.

C. P. Marriele et al. vs. Warren Jennings et al., debt.

D. C. Smith vs. W. P. Thompson, appealed Precinct No. 1.

Wichita State Bank and Trust company vs. L. F. & P. M. Armstrong, debt.

Weeks, Morrow & Francis vs. J. B. Donoho, debt.

Weeks, Morrow & Francis vs. Floyd E. Ard, debt.

Joe Brown vs. Sidney A. Cochran, garnishment.

John H. Hoffman vs. J. E. Strickland, debt.

F. L. Norman vs. A. J. Markey, debt.

Head, Texas & Co. vs. U. S. Oil corporation, debt.

R. R. Clark vs. E. L. Creagon, debt.

R. W. Gross vs. G. A. Works, debt.

Southern Casualty company vs. Drs. Jones, Lee, Keil, et al., debt.

Kilpatrick & Baker vs. Mrs. W. B. Anderson et vir, debt.

Commercial Credit company, Inc. vs. Ranger Gas company, garnishment.

American National Bank vs. Stanford Trucking company et al., debt.

J. F. Davis vs. H. F. Cauble, debt.

Dixon Motor company vs. West Texas Engineer company, debt.

Ray Sheet Metal Works vs. G. & S. Water company, debt.

D. W. Watson vs. Guaranty Oil Lease association, garnishment.

B. F. Cooke vs. D. C. Hudson et al, distress for rent.

Guy Puckett vs. R. E. Kennedy et ux, debt.

B. F. George vs. Harry Hudnall, appealed precinct 2.

C. S. Bennett et al vs. Donoho Rayzer Production Co., debt.

Dallas Paper Co. vs. I. W. Little, appealed precinct 1.

H. M. Hund and J. E. Zihlman, debt.

J. L. Henderson vs. C. C. Bunch, debt.

G. H. Golden & Co. vs. Jock Brown and John R. Wilson, garnishment.

Leopold Block vs. S. R. Glidewell, dept.

C. W. O'Donnell vs. D. S. Donovan, debt.

Harwood Stacy vs. K. D. Roman et al, debt.

J. E. McKinney vs. Barney Cox et al, debt.

Kent Bros. & Co. vs. W. H. Steward (No. 5164), debt.

Burkburnett Gas Co. vs. Texas Pipe Line Co., garnishment.

Burkburnett Gas Co. vs. Pierce Oil Co., garnishment.

John L. Nelson vs. J. W. Edwards, debt.

John L. Nelson vs. Nelson, Donoho Oil Co., garnishment.

Joe Dowell vs. Virginia Garage, possession of an auto.

Dyson Shipping Co. vs. Wichita Motor Co., debt.

"JAIL BABY" GURGLES



Mrs. John Creight on and her baby.

While Mrs. John Creighton of Newark, N. J., awaits trial, June 16, for the murder of her brother, Charles R. Avery, Mrs. Creighton's two-week-old baby is taking her first look at things in general, cooing away as merrily as can be. The baby was born while Mrs. Creighton was under arrest in the Newark city hospital. Avery was poisoned with arsenic. Mrs. Creighton denies any part in the crime.

A Bad Influence.

Mrs. Jones—Are you going to shave now, Ed?

Mr. Jones—Yes, I believe I will.

Mrs. Jones—Then just wait a few minutes, will you, while I take the parrot out on the back porch, otherwise he'll learn too many bad words.

The doors of the Bank of England are so finely balanced that a clerk, by pressing the button under his desk, can close the outer doors instantly, and they can not be opened again except by special process.

New Motor Guide Ready for Tourists

Motorists who are planning vacatio tours during the summer months will be pleased to know that the 1923 Associated Tours Guide, the official road book compiled and published by The Automobile club of America, is now ready for distribution.

By following the carefully selected itineraries and clearly defined road maps with which the guide's 104 pages are filled summer vacationists are enabled to tour by motor through the most charming sections of the Eastern United States and Canada to seaside, mountain and country resorts. All tours in the guide are compiled with a view to scenic charm; the roads mapped are the best stretches of hard highway that the country affords.

For transcontinental motor tourists there is a double page Atlantic to Pacific road map showing the several routes across the United States, accompanied by complete itineraries for this increasingly popular trip. For those visiting the New England country there is a map of the recently adopted road marking system. A large folding road map of the entire country east of Chicago accompanies the guide.

"INDIANS ARE COMING"

(Continued From Page Six)

Rivers on Salt Creek. They were surprised by Indians who shot Allen three times, once in the back, but who outran them and reached the ranch house. They wounded Henry Eberson, scalped him and left him dead. He lived, however, three or four days after being carried to the ranch house.

The Little Salt Creek Fight

On the morning of the sixteenth of May, 1869, 12 men were engaged in rounding up a bunch of cattle. They had seen some signs of Indians and felt the apprehension that comes from accurate knowledge of frontier life. The names of these were Joe Woddy, Ira Graves, Jim Gray, Rube Segars, Bill Crow, Jesse McClain, George Lemley, John Lemley, Shap Carter, William Kutch, a man by the name of Harrison and a negro named Dick.

About 10 o'clock a. m., Woody, Kutch, Gray, Graves and negro Dick separated from the others while gathering the cattle, were attacked by a large force of Indians who sought to cut them off from the other men. Joe Woody's horse fell with him, and Ira Graves went to his assistance and they succeeded in reaching the other members of the party, taking refuge under shelter of a bank on Salt Creek.

Here the Indians, about 5, surrounded them and the fight continued throughout the day. The Indians killed Bill Crow outright and wounded seven others, two mortally wounded. John Lemley died at the Lemley ranch and Shap Carter died at Flag Springs after being carried from the battlefield. Rain caused the creek to swell and added to the discomfiture of the beseiged fighters. Late in the afternoon they located the position of the Indian chief who was directing the fight and one of the men with an old-fashioned pistol succeeded in putting him out of the fight.

After that the Indians stopped fighting. That night Harrison, under cover of darkness, made his way to the Harmonson ranch, procured help and returned before morning to where the party were sheltered. The Indians killed seven of the horses and carried off the rest. The task of Harrison is all the more wonderful when we consider the scene of the fight was 20 miles from help. No means of communication and time being an element of great importance. There were no trails to follow and dense darkness made the task almost hopeless. So accurately had he judged the location of the fight he was not more than 100 yards from their presence when he reached the place with help.

Only One Survivor.

A small monument has been erected on the scene of this fight and for a number of years the Kutch-Manning Pioneer association made this the location for their annual reunion. Following the reunion there last year the officers decided to move it to Newcastle and make it commemorative of all the fights in Young and contiguous counties. William Kutch (Uncle Billie) is the only survivor of this fight.

Another brush with the Indians took place on Salt Creek, six miles southeast from Newcastle, in the year 1869. Lewis Peveler, Champ Farris and another man discovered a raiding band of Indians trying to cut the Peveler children from the house. At the time of the discovery they were trying to rope Ben Peveler. They opened fire and killed one Indian and wounded several others, driving them off. About one month later Sam Peveler captured one of the Indians who had been wounded in the fight. He kept him for a time, taking him to Hood county with him, where the Indian finally escaped.

In 1871, Frank Taylor, a stage driver who was returning from Phantom Hill to Jacksboro, was attacked by the Indians and killed just east of Salt creek on the Jacksboro and Fort Belknap road. He was alone at the time.

Negro Britt Killed.

In March, 1871, Indians ran into Nigger Britt and four other negroes coming from Fort Worth to Fort Griffin, they were about eight and one-half miles east from Newcastle on the Salt creek prairie. They killed Britt and his four companions. When the massacre was discovered by settlers they found 49 shells from Britt's gun between the rear wheels of the wagon, telling of the game fight he put up. The body of Britt was badly mutilated. It will be recalled that it was Nigger Britt's wife and children who were carried off in the Elm creek fight. He was a brave man and an inveterate foe of the Indians. His grave is unmarked. Some day a small shaft will be erected on the spot of his death by those of us who are reaping from the harvest he sowed.

The Monument Fight.

The last engagement of importance with the Indians in this county took place in May following the Britt fight in 1871. The O. T. train, Warren wagon train, comprised of 10 wagons, the wagon master and watchmen, 12 in all, hauling corn from Weatherford to Fort Griffin, were attacked by 150 Indians 14 miles northeast from Newcastle. Seven men were killed and four others wounded. Three chiefs, Santank, Santanta and Big Tree, were captured in this fight. Santank was killed while being carried a prisoner to Fort Richardson at Jacksboro. Santak and Big Tree were tried in the civil courts of Jack county, and sentenced to hang for the murder of these men. Their sentence was finally commuted to life imprisonment. Later, when the treaty was signed with the Comanches and Kiowas which terminated the Indian raids in this county, the Indians were told these two chiefs were still alive and would be produced if they would agree to sign the treaty of peace. The Indians demanded they be brought before the council, which was done, and the treaty signed, carrying with it a promise that these two chiefs be pardoned. The Indians then returned to their reservation and gave no further trouble to Young county.

During the time covered by the above article old Fort Belknap, two and one-half miles south from Newcastle, was an important military post. Col. Robert E. Lee, colonel of the Nineteenth cavalry, was in command of this post from 1855 to 1859. Some of the officers and men stationed there at different periods were Gen. U. S. Grant, Major Vandorn, Captain Bradfuit, Capt. Joseph E. Johnston, Capt. Kirby Smith, Sergeant Kelly and Lieutenant Spangler, who was with Sul Ross at the capture of Cynthia Ann Parker. Also Lieutenant Vancamp, who was killed in the fight on Wichita when old Iron Jacket was killed and Major Vandorn wounded.

An old water well dug under the supervision of Gen. Robert E. Lee is still discoverable, though no longer in use. This old well is within the limits of the city of Newcastle. Old Fort Belknap is but a heap of ruins. As one walks down the peaceful streets of this quiet little city there is nothing to remind him that it was once the scene of such stirring events and that its soil has been made forever sacred by reason of the marching feet of such illustrious men as those named above. No greater empire builders ever lived than these. Sleeping their last long sleep, many of them in unmarked graves, careless alike of peace or war, knowing only the stern call to duty and doing it well, making the sacrifice demanded of them with no hesitancy, the spirit of these valiant soldiers and pioneer settlers has not, and never will, for it never can, die.

Physical exercise at Harrow School, England, in 1580 was that on Thursdays the pupils should "drive a top, toss a handball, to run, or shoot—but none other."

Anticosit, the Gulf of St. Lawrence island, leased by M. Menier, the French chocolate manufacturer for a game preserve, is about one and one-half times as large as Delaware.

L. G. SMITH GOES TO PHOENIX IN STAR

"Hello, Bill and Ed," writes L. G. Smith of 910 Eighth street, city, who is on a tour to Phoenix and return, and as you see from the following letter he must be having a good time. He writes as follows:

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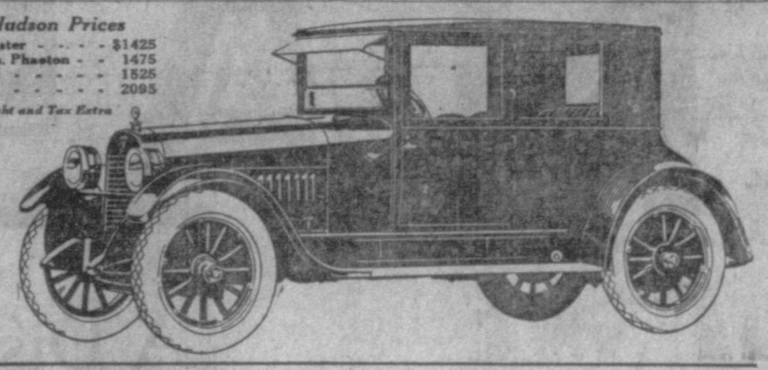
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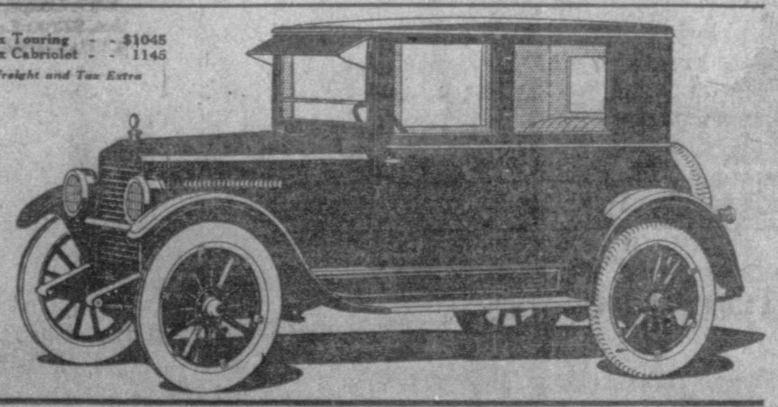
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Descriptive Outline of Works Given Out for Public

Sixteen new works of fiction, history, business treatment and etiquette have been added recently to the shelves of the Kemp public library. A report just issued by Lucia F. Powell, librarian, shows a wide range of subjects covered.

The new list, togethere with brief descriptive outlines, is as follows:

Harrington, E.
"The Ladies."
These letters and diaries paint a brilliant picture of a succession of famous heroines of the eighteenth century.

Calkins, E. E.
"Advertising Man."
A clear estimate of the requirements and opportunities of an advertising man.

Carlissoz, Royal
"Nine Holes of Golf."
Written by a layman and not an authority, as the author puts it, but one who loves the game regardless of the score.

Church, A. L.
"Training of a Secretary."
For those engaged in secretarial work or for those contemplating taking it up as a profession, this book will prove of great value.

Conkling, Hilda
"Shoes of the Wind."
Another volume from the child poet.

Draper, George
"Games."
Three hundred games for all occasions, arranged for the use of teachers, church leaders and welfare workers.

Fairham, William
"Carpentry for Beginners."
A book for the average handyman.

Forbes, W. C.
"Romance of Business."
The romantic aspect of commerce, so handled as to show the relation of the business world to our daily life.

Mackay, W. M.
"Bible Types of Modern Men."
In these lectures to young men, the author draws a series of portraits of men of today whose qualities parallel those of the great men of the Bible.

Mackay, W. M.
"Bible Types of Modern Women."
Companion volume to "Bible Types of Modern Men."

Outwater, H. G.
"Designs for American Homes."
For those who plan to build their homes these 50 sets of plans of interiors and exteriors will be most helpful.

Post, Emily
Etiquette."
A readable, interesting book on polite conduct and everyday ethics. "No detail too insignificant to be explained from the selection of a visiting card to the mystery of eating corn on the cob."

Sandburg, Carl
"Slabs of the Sunburnt West."
"Slabs of the Sunburnt West," "And So Today," and the "Windy City," are the three poems that form the backbone of this new volume of Mr. Sandburg's.

Seaville, Samuel
"Wild Folk."
This new book of true stories about wild folk is written in the author's usual engaging manner.

Stefansson, Vilhjalmer
"Hunters of the Great North."
Mr. Stefansson tells here of his first trip into the Arctic; how he built snow houses, hunted seals and learned to know the Eskimo.

Stewart, D. O.
"Perfect Behavior."
A guide for ladies and gentlemen in all social circles. A parody outline of etiquette.

OH! FOR AN EXILE'S LIFE



Former President Herrera of Guatemala and his wife.

Former President Herrera of Guatemala and his wife, regarded as one of the beauties of the South American colony in Paris, are living a life of exile in the French capital. Before a revolution forced Herrera to flee his country he was the wealthiest coffee baron in Central America.

Track Wages Increased

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, June 9. — Approximately 15,000 maintenance of way employes of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad will receive a wage increase ranging from 1 to 6 cents an hour by negotiations just completed and announced today by A. F. Stout, vice president of the united brotherhood of maintenance of way employes and railroad shop workers.

EARTH SHOCKS IN ITALY

Associated Press Dispatch

LONDON, June 9.—Three earth shocks, successively increasing in violence, were felt today in several towns in the province of Apulia, says a dispatch to the Central News from Rome.

Munday
NEWS AND PERSONALS

Special Dispatch to Record News

MUNDAY, June 9.—Alton Barton is here from New Mexico, visiting relatives.

J. A. Kennedy and family are attending the Texas Press association at Galveston this week.

Ira Bowden is home from Simmons college for a few days. He will return the latter part of the week to take a summer course in the college.

R. B. Wilson is back from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Norman Douglas, who has been attending the state normal at Denton is home for the summer.

A. W. Balfanz of Cisco, who has the contract to build the E. B. Tull building, was in the city Thursday.

Dr. Joe Davis and wife have returned from Fort Worth, where the doctor made a talk over the radio, boosting Munday.

Leaney's Harmony Set returned from Fort Worth Wednesday. They broadcasted a program over radio WBAP on Monday night, which according to reports made a 100 percent hit with radio fans who were listening in.

Calls of appreciation were received from all over the state, and the Fort Worth Star Telegram ranked the program as being one of the best in several weeks. Munday is justly proud of this orchestra, as is evidenced by the chamber of commerce financing the trip to Fort Worth. Dr. Joe Davis, former mayor, made a short talk preceding the radio concert, outlining the many advantages enjoyed by the citizens of Munday, and Knox county. Mrs. Davis rendered some excellent song numbers. The personnel of Leaney's Harmony Set are, Clayborne Harvey, cornet; Lavoy Burton, trombone; Bernard Cartwright, violin; U. R. Honser, banjo; Palmer Barton, drums; Miss Lorena Wilson, piano.

The junior chamber of commerce is beautifying the city hall square this week. The old iron railing fence is being removed, and a concrete curb will be built around the hall. All trees in the park are being whitewashed by the boys, and the general appearance of the grounds is much improved. The chamber of commerce is urging all citizens to begin a general clean up campaign, in order to have the whole city in good shape for the inspection of the West Texas Tech locating board when they arrive. Munday citizens are very optimistic as to their chance of securing this school, if location, soil, water and climate are the main factors, for as set out in their brief submitted to the board, there is no better soil in West Texas than that of the famous Knox Prairie, and an inexhaustible supply of good water can be had at an average depth of 40 feet. Munday also lacks but a few miles of being in the center of population of the district.

Fred Broach returned Wednesday from a business trip to Fort Worth.

E. M. Wilson is in Fort Worth this week.

P. V. Williams and Ben L. Guinn left Wednesday for a short fishing trip.

FAREWELL FOR BURDICKS TODAY

Services for Salvaton Army Workers Will be Held

Farewell services for "Ma" and "Pa" Burdick who leave this week for their new duties at Chicago are to be held tonight at the Salvation Army hall where a large attendance is expected for the valedictory exercises.

Staff Captain G. G. Robb, who is also divisional secretary, will be at the meeting and will make the principal address.

HELD IN CALIFORNIA FOR DALLAS MURDER

Associated Press Dispatch

LOS ANGELES, June 9.—Thurman Boatwright was held today to the superior court to answer a charge of murder. He is accused of having shot and killed Felix Beasley, May 19. The defense moved to have the complaint dismissed, but Justice Hanby of the Los Angeles precinct justice court, denied the motion. Boatwright and Beasley lived in Dallas and the prosecution theory is that the killing was the outcome of trouble in Texas.

Boatwright also had been charged with perjury, it having been stated in the perjury complaint that he testified under oath that Beasley was shot by highwaymen who stopped a car in which the two were riding.

Follies Fiancee Rushes Away With English Lord

Associated Press Dispatch

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 9.—The Earl of Northampton stepped off a train here today and was whisked away in haste by his fiancee, Jessica Brown, follies girl and dancer, whose marriage to the young English lord was balked several days ago when City Clerk Cruise of New York refused to issue a license.

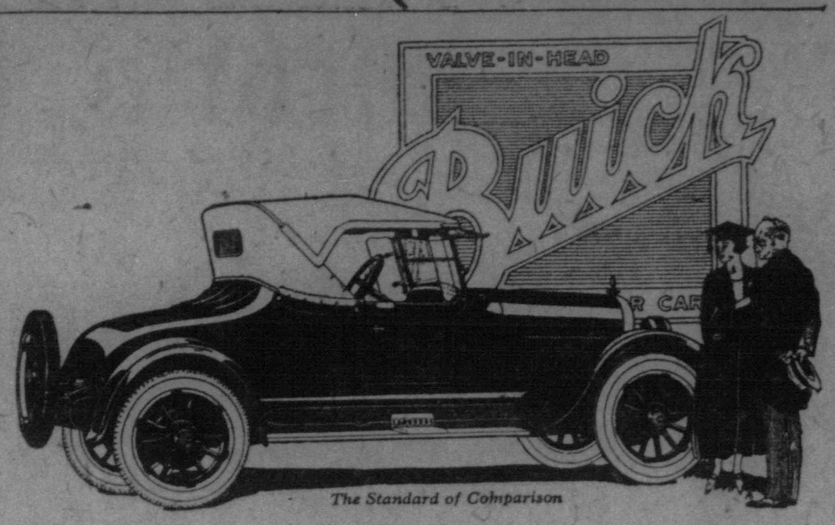
Miss Brown was awaiting her titled fiance with a big motor car. There were no fond embraces, at least not until the protecting interior of the big automobile was reached. The couple went to the home of Mrs. Albert Starke, Miss Brown's mother.

Cracking of enameled ware is due to the fact that the enamel does not "fit" the iron over which it is placed, according to an investigation at the bureau of standards.

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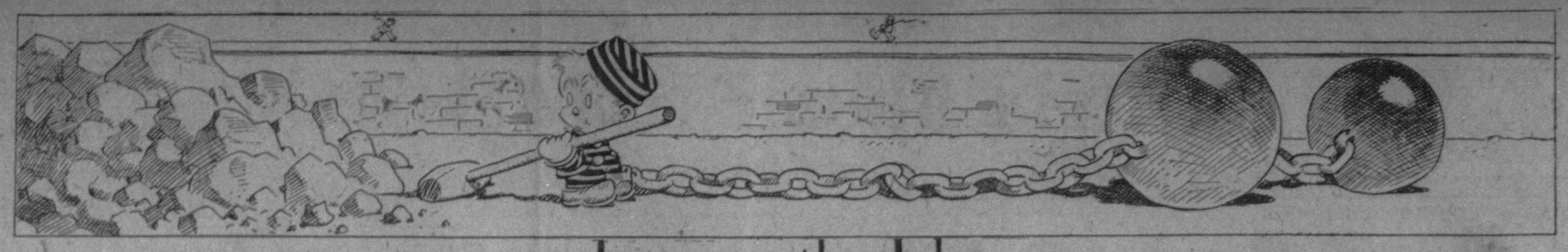


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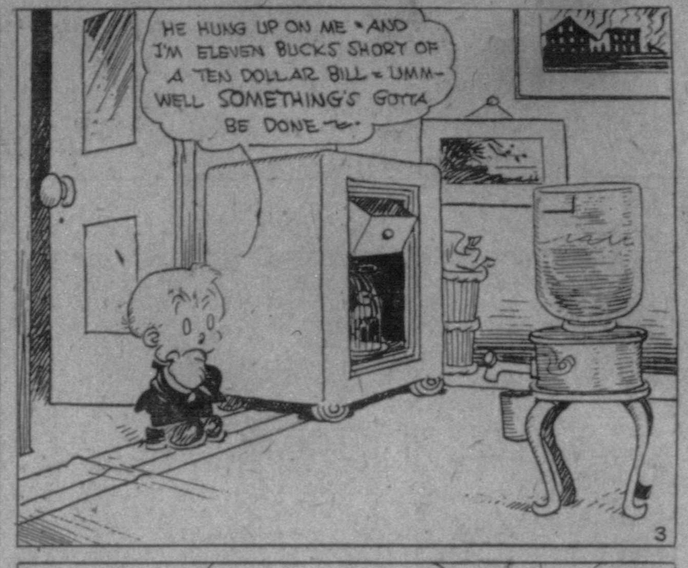


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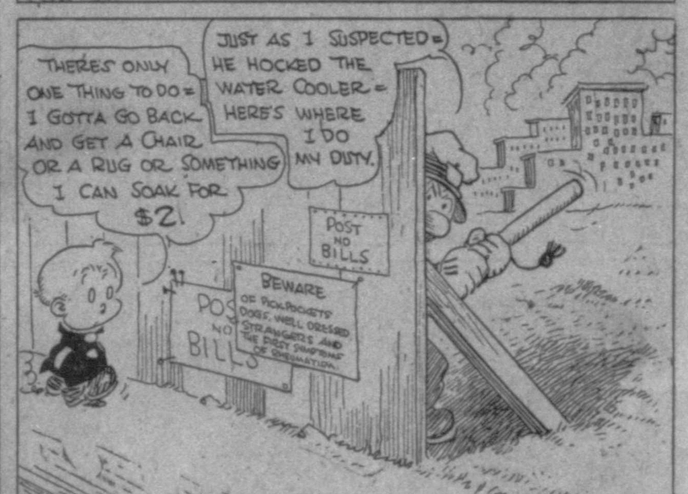


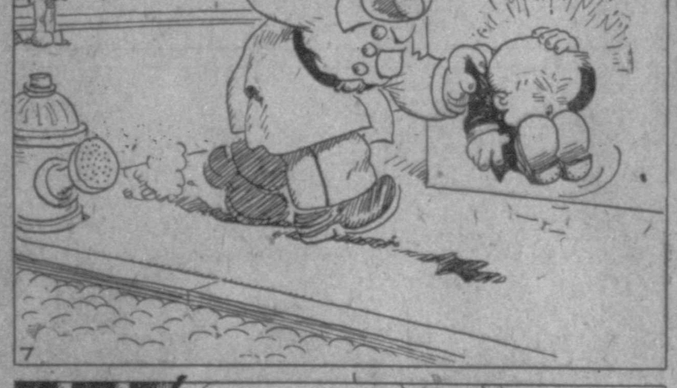
























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LILIAN

By ARNOLD BENNETT.

Author of "The Pretty Lady," "The Price of Love," Etc.

Miss Grig and Gertrude both are taken ill and forced to remain away. Lilian and Mr. Grig run the office and she takes great pleasure in it.

Lord Mackworth's Bill

Miss Grig came back to the office on a Thursday, and somewhat mysteriously.

She shook hands with Lilian and Millicent. Millicent spoke first and was so effusive in the expression of her sympathy that Lilian, who nevertheless did her best to be winning, could not compete with her.

Miss Grig said that she was perfectly restored and let fall that Mr. Grig had gone away at her request for a short, much-needed Holiday.

After a while a girl came to tell Millicent that Miss Grig wanted her. Millicent was absent for 40 minutes. When she returned, flushed but smiling she informed Lilian that Miss Grig desired to see her.

"I notice there is an account here under the name of Lord Mackworth," Miss Grig began, having allowed Lilian to stand for a few seconds before looking up from the ledger.

"Yes, Miss Grig?"

"It hasn't been paid."

"Oh!" Lilian against an intense volition began to blush.

"Didn't you know?"

"I didn't," said Lilian.

"But you have been having something to do with the books since my absence."

"I did a little at first," Lilian admitted. "Then Mr. Grig saw to them. Of course I expected the bill would be paid by this time."

"But you never asked?"

"No. It never occured to me."

This statement was inaccurate. Lilian had often wondered whether Lord Mackwirth had ever paid his bill, but, from some obscurely caused self-consciousness, she had not dared to make any inquiry. She felt herself to the somehow "mixed up" with Lord Mackworth, and had absurdly feared that if she mentioned the name there might appear on the face of the detestably Milly some sinister innuendo.

"If you know anything about Lord Mackworth you must know that his debts are notorious," said Miss Grig. "I believe he's one of the fastest young men about town, and it's more than possible that that account's a bad debt!"

"But can't we send in the account again?" Lilian weakly suggested; she was overthrown by the charge of fast living against Lord Mackworth, yet she had always in her heart assumed that he was a fast liver.

"I've just telephoned to 6a St. James's street, and I needn't say that Lord Mackworth is no longer there, and they don't know where he is."

Lillian lifted her head: "Well, Miss Grig, the bill isn't so very big, and if you'll please deduct it from my wages on Saturday I hope that will be the end of that."

Miss Grig put her hand to the support of her forehead, and paused.

"I can tolerate many things," said she, with great benignity, "but not insolence."

"I didn't mean to be insolent."

"You did! And I think you had better accept a week's notice from Saturday. No. On second thought, I'll pay your wages up to Saturday week now and you can go at once." She smiled kindly. "That will give you time to turn round."

"Oh! Very well, if it's like that!" Miss Grig shook hands with her and wished her well.

And she left. Except her clothes not a thing in the office belonged to her. She had no lien, no attachment. The departure was as simple and complete as leaving a tube train. No word! No goodbye! Merely a disappearance.

A plot! That was what it was! A plot against her, matured by Miss G. in a few minutes out of Milly's innuendos written to Girtie and spoken to Miss Grig herself.

And the reason of the plot was Miss Grig's spinisterish friendship between Felix Grig and Lilian. The injustice of the world staggered her. She thought that something ought to be done about it!

After all that she, Lilian, had done for the office, to be turned off at a moment's notice, and without a "character"—for Miss Grig would never give her a reference; Lilian would never ask for a reference! Never!

Nor would she nor could she approach Felix Grig; nor Gertie either. Perhaps Felix Grig might communicate with her. He certainly ought to do so! But then, he was very casual, forgetful and unconsciously cruel.

She had nothing, save a couple of weeks wages and perhaps a hundred pounds in the Post Office Savings bank. Resentment against her father flickered up anew from its ashes in her heart.

When she reached home she received a note from Mr. Pladda inviting her to the Hammersmith Palais de Danse for the following night. Mr. Pladda was the star lodger in the house—a man of 45, legally separated from his wife but of impeccable respectibility and decorum. His illusion was that he could dance rather well. Mr. Pladda was evidently coming on.

The next morning, which was very fine, Lilian spent in Hyde Park, marshalling her resources. Beyond her trifling capital she had none.

Especially she had no real friends. She had unwisely cut loose from her parents' acquaintances, and she could not run after them now that she was in misfortune. Her former colleagues? Out of the question!

She went to cinemas in the afternoon, and, safe in the darkness of the second one, cried silently.

But with Mr. Pladda at the Palais de Danse that night she was admirably cheerful, and Mr. Pundda was exceedingly proud of his companion who added refined manners to startling beauty. She delicately praised his dancing.

On Monday morning she visited the Post Office and filled up a withdrawal form for 40 pounds. Good clothes—worn as she could wear them—would help her to a desirable place. This notion, however, was in reality only a pretext for obtaining some good clothes. She felt desperate. She was taking to clothes as some take to brandy.

One afternoon, returning home after a search for white elastic in Hammersmith, she saw Mr. Grig coming away from her lodging house. She flushed hotly, and discried a benificent and just God reigning in heaven. She knew she was saved; and the revulsion in her was nearly overwhelming. A miracle!

"I've just left a note for you," he said, affecting carelessness. "I couldn't remember whether your number was 56 or 65 and I had to inquire. Will you dine with me tonight at the Devonshire restaurant, 8 o'clock. I shan't be able to dress, so you could wear a hat. Yes or no?...." He was gone again in a moment.

Lilian literally ran upstairs to her room in order to be alone with her ecstatic happiness. She hugged it, kissed it, smothered it; then reviewed all her new clothes.

XII
Declaration.

It was the first high-class restaurant Lilian had ever seen, and despite some nervousness she felt more at home in it than anywhere before in all her existence.

Compare it to the Palais de Danse and Mr. Pladda. Ah! It was the genuine article at last!

The greatness, the enormity of the occasion, frightened her. What were they doing there together? And what in the future would they do together? Was he really and seriously attracted by her? Was she in love with him? Or was it all a curious and dangerous deception?

They discussed her discharge.

"I'll tell you the whole business in a nutshell," Said Grig. "My sister's a great woman. Only where I'm concerned she's always most monstrously unscrupulous. I'm her religion—always was, but more than ever since I bought that amusing business. She was dying of boredom. It saved her. When I got myself divorced she was absolutely delighted. She had me to herself again. Her jealousy where I am concerned is ferocious. She was jealous of you, and she'd determined to clear you out."

"But why should she be jealous of me? I'm sure I've never—"

"Well, she's clever Isabel is, and she's seen I'm in love with you. Gone—far gone!"

The thud-thud of Lilian's heart appalled her. She blushed down to her neck.

She was shocked, outraged, by the negligently brutal candour of the avowal; and at the same time she was thinking: "I'd no idea any man was as marvellous as this man is. And he being in love with me is the most ravishing, lovely tender—tender—tender thing that ever happened to any girl."

"I must tell you that you are the most stylish creature in this restaurant," he went on. "I was staggered when I came in and saw you. Staggered!"

The evening and all Lilian's emotions seemed to start afresh as the paraful of eating. Most of the waiters vanished; the diners abandoned themselves to intimacy or the sweet coma of digestion. Some talked rather loudly, others in a murmur. Women leaned back, or put their elbows on the table, letting cigarette smoke float upwards across their eyes.

Mr. Grig was of those who murmured. All the animation and variety were in his features, none in his tone. He had been telling her about Brightoff. He saw the town of Brighton, discussing it as a single organism showing how its evolution was still in active process. He related the story of the middle-aged proprietor of one of the chief hotels who had married a young wife.

"He had broken up his family, and the family is the real unit of society—and there was no need for it! No need at all! But then you see he'd never had time in all his existence to understand that a middle-aged man who has had experience of marriage, and marries a girl young enough to be his daughter, is either a coward or a fool or without taste. He would only do it because he's made for her, and that's the very reason for not doing it! When romance comes in that way it lacks the sauce of secrecy and plotting—the double life and so on. The feeling of naughtiness—naughtiness is simply a marvellous feeling; perversity, "doing society in the eye!" It's a continual excitement. Of course it needs a cleverness, on both sides. You haven't got to be clumsy over it. The woman runs risks, but nothing to the risks she'd run in marriage." He went on with no pause. "You're not looked at me for hours! Look at me now, and tell me your disgusted. Tell me you're frightened!"

She lifted her eyes and gazed at him for a few seconds, not smiling. Her skin tingled and crept. Then she sipped creme de menthe.

"A woman wants making. Only a man can make a woman. She has to be formed. She can't do it herself. A young man may be able to do it, but he's a fearful bungler, besides being cruel—unconsciously. Whereas an older man—he knows! It's a unique chance for both of them. She has so much to give, and she has so much to learn. It's a fair bargain! And if you live to be as old as Ninon de l'Enclos you'll never meet a more man than I am."

Lilian felt intoxicated, but not with the Burgundy, nor with the creme de menthe. Rather with sudden fresh air. She thought: "Be careful! Be careful! You aren't yourself. Something queer's come over you." She was not happy. She was alarmed. Once before she had been alarmed by herself, but this time she was really alarmed.

She saw clearly that a woman must be formed by a man, and she longed ardently to be formed. As she stood she was futile. She had the intelligence to realize how insipid she was. Ambition surged through her anew and with fresh power.

Mr. Grig drove her home, and the taxi was a little dark vibrating room in which they were alone together and safe from all scrutiny.

"Yes," said Mr. Grig, after a long silence. "My sister was right."

"What about?" Lilian asked in a child's voice.

"I'm in love. What are you going to do about it?" He turned his head impulsively towards her, gazed at her in the dim twilight of the taxi, and then kissed her.

In spite of herself she yearned to give, and the yearning thrilled her.

"Please! Please!" she murmured in morest, gentle, passive protest. Another pause.

"I shall write you tomorrow," he said. "In the meantime, believe me, you're entirely marvellous." He was looking straight in front of him at the driver's shaggy shoulders. That was all that occured, except the handshake.

When she let herself into the house the servant was just going upstairs to bed, after her usual 16 hour day.

"So you're back, Miss."

"No!" thought Lilian. It's somebody else that's come back. The girl you mean will never come back."

On the Riviera.

Felix came quietly through the communicating door into Lilian's shuttered and closed room. Between the two bedrooms was a bathroom. Outside a bell rang at short intervals—all the guests in the neighborhood performed, according to their idiosyncrasies, on the same bell—and slippered feet of the hotel's servants rushing to and fro in the corridor shook the planks of Lilian's rooms as they passed.

Amid the obscurity of the room Lilian's curved form lying heaped on its side, and ther like a miniature mountain that sloped softly down toward the head and toward the feet, could be vaguely be deciphered in the bed.

The air, exhausted by the night, had a faint and delicate odor, that excited, but did not offend Felix's nostrils.

"Is it time to get up?" Lilian murmured.

"No."

Her brain slowly came to life. Flitting in and out of her happiness there were transient apprehensions—not about the morality, but about the security of her situation. They disappeared, all except one, as soon as she looked firmly at them, because she had the most perfect confidence in Felix's good faith.

The unity of the pair had begun in London, under conditions provided by Felix, who, however, did not care for them, and who had decided to take her away for a holiday in order that they might both reflect upon and discuss at length the best method of organizing a definite secret existence.

She had trembled at the reception-office of the great hotel, but Felix, laughing at her fears, accomplished all formalities for her quite openly, and indeed the discreet incuriosity of the hotel officials fully confirmed the soundness of his attitude. He had told her to sign as "Madame," and he threw out negligently that she was his cousin. This was his sole guile. Before going upstairs he had written out a telegram to his sister to say that he had arrived safely and sent his love.

"She has to be deceived," he murmured, "but she's got to be treated decently."

In two hours they had settled down. All the embarrassing preludes to the closest intimacy had been amply achieved in London.

Lilian now stretched herself voluptuously, murmured with a magnificient yawn. "Ah! How I have slept!" and, slipping out of bed, padded unshod up the room to Felix who sat passive in the easy-chair. She dropped lightly on his knees.

"What am I sitting on?" she startled.

"My newspapers."

Touched by the fact that he had been waiting to read his beloved papers until she should be ready to rise, she threw her arms passionately round his neck and crushed her face into his. Daily it became clearer to her that he adored her; and yet she could scarcely believed it, because she felt so young—even childish—and so crude and insold. She determined with a whole-souled resolve that renewed itself every hour, to stop at nothing to please him.

"Do I make you happy?" she whispered almost inarticulately, her lips being buried in his cheek.

"You do."

After lunching to music beneath a vast parasol in the hotel garden, which looked like a tinted field, they were bowed away by servitors in black and white and bowed into the hotel by servitors in blue and gold, and bowed along the central artery of the hotel by apprentice-servitors in scarlet, and bowed out of the hotel again on to the promenade by servitors in blue and gold.

It was half-past two; the glorious sun was already slipping down; they had done absolutely nothing, and yet they had not wasted a moment; and on the faces of the many colored servitors there was the smiling assurance that they had been admirably exerting themselves in full correctness, and had not a moment to waste if they honestly desired to pursue idleness as idleness ought to be pursued. Indeed, the winter day was too short for the truly conscientious.

"Your little fur?" exclaimed Felix, who was wearing his overcoat; he stopped.

"But darling, I'm far too hot as it is!"

"In an hour the day will be gone," said he, and insisted on the treachery of the climate.

He frequently insisted on the treachery of the climate. If he happened to cough ever so slightly, he would say that the entire Riviera was bad for the throat and that a sore throat was the most dangerous complaint known to man. Lilian indulgently thought him fussy about her health and his own and the awful menaces of the exquisite climate.

"I shan't need it—"

"Please! I'll fetch it, and I'll carry it. No! you stay there."

She stood on the pavement, put up her orange sunshade, and mused contentedly upon his prodigious care for her—proof of his passionate attachment. People was passing in both directions and nearly all, men and women, stared at her as they passed.

"Oh! Thank you, dearest, you're spoiling me horribly. Do let me take it," she said as Felix rejoined her.

"I will not. Of course I am spoiling you! Your highest duty in life is to be spoiled. Let's go on the Mole."

They set off. A dark man overdressed in striped flannels, nearly stood still at the sight of Lilian, gazing at her as though he had paid five francs for the right to do so.

"My goodness!" she exclaimed. "How they do stare here!".

"Why grudge them harmless enjoyment," Felix observed. "You're giving pleasure to every man that looks at you. There's nothing to beat you on this coast, with your ingenuous English style of beauty. Half the pretty women here would sell their souls to look as innocent as you look!"

XIV
The Doll.

At the quay they examined all the yachts, big and little. There were three large steam yachts, and the largest of the three, with two decks and the navigating deck, all white and gold and mahogany and bunting and flowers and fluttering awnings, overpoweringly dominated the port. Felix stopped and stared at the glinting enormity.

"Is that only a yacht?" Lilian cried. "Why! It's bigger than the Channel steamer!"

"No," ssaid Felix, "but she's the fourth largest yacht in the world. That's the celebrated Quita."

"It's all like a fairy-tale," said Lilian.

"Yes, it is. And so are you. You see, the point is that she's just about the finest of her kind. And so are you. She costs more than you run, of course. A machine like that can't be run on less than a thousand pounds a week! Come along. Who's staring now?"

"A thousand pounds a week!" Lilian murmured, aghast. Her imagination resembled that of a person who, on reaching a summit which he has taken for the top of the range, sees far higher peaks beyond. And the conviction that those distant penks were unattainable saddened her for a moment. "It's absolutely awful."

"Why awful? If you have the finest you must pay for it. A thousand a week is nothing to that fellow. Moreover, he's a British citizen and he did splendid service for his country in the war. Among other things he owns two of the best brands of champagne. The war office gave him a commission and a car; and he traveled all over Europe selling his own champagne at his own price to officers' messes. After all, officers couldn't be expected to fight without the drinks they're accustomed to, could they?"

Lilian obscurely divined irony. She often wished that she could be ironical and amusing, as Felix was; but she never could.

They reached the Mole, which was quite deserted, being of the map of correctness, and surveyed the entire scene—ships, blue water, white hotels, casino, villas, green wooded slopes all faint in the haze, and rising sharply out the haze the lofty line of snow.

Then they turned seawards and watched the everlasting patience of the fishers on the rocks below.

"Better put your fur on," said Felix suddenly.

She put it on.

Returning to the quay Lilian could not keep her eyes off the superb yacht. But in a moment she lent them suddenly and quickened her pace.

"You're feeling chilly," said Felix triumphantly. "The sun's got behind the fort."

On the lower deck of the yacht, under a awning and and amid easy chairs and cushions, she had seen a tall man earnestly engaged in conversation with a young and pretty girl.

She thought the man was Lord Mackworth. She felt sure it was Lord Mackworth. She wanted to turn her head and make certain, but she dared not lest he should see her.

She was blushing. There was nothing whatever in the brief relations between Lord Mackworth and herself to which the slightest exception could be taken by the strictest moralist. Yet she was blushing.

She blushed because of the dreams she had once had concerning him. Her old, forgotten thoughts, which nobody on earth could have ever guessed, made her into a kind of a criminal. It was very strange!

Perhaps she feared a little what Lord Mackwirth might think of her if he saw her in that place, in those clothes, with a man much older than herself.

Instead of looking over her shoulder at Lord Mackworth, she looked over her shoulder at Felix, to reassure herself about her deep fondness for him, and about his reliability in even the greatest crises.

"I love him," she reflected, "because he is so marvellously clever and kind and dependable and just, and because he worships me—I don't know why."

But she was devoted to him because he had picked her out of a batch and opened her eyes to the apple on the tree and made her eat it, and because she had worked and watched and suffered for him in the office, and been cast out of the office for him, and because of a funny enigmatic look in his wrinkled eyes.

She would have liked him just the same if he had been cruel and undependable and had not worshipped her. And she desired ardently to be still more and more beautiful and luxurious for him, and more and more to be stared at for him, and to render him still happier and happier. She was magnificiently ready to kill him with bliss.

After several hundred yards she turned around and looked at the yacht. No figures were distinguishable now on the deck.

She thought cautiously:

"I wonder who that doll was and what they were talking about with their heads so close together."

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Nexat Sunday's Installment Lilian hears of "Old Macmusson's Daughter."

Lardner "Explains" Patter Bridge

Opponents Dumb Floundered as He and Miss Whale Win $14,500 at Successor to Musical Auction

By RING LARDNER

To the editor:

Some wks. ago I wrote an article in these columns on musical bridge in whist and described how smooth a pair of bridge players could get along together provided the both of them was well verst in old songs and could signal accrest the table to each other by just humming or whistling.

Little did I think when I penned that article that it would revolutionize the bridge industry but am told by officials of the N. Y. whist club that all the big games today is being played in accordances with the hints give out in that article and former star players who win rubber after rubber under the old regime is now helpless when opposed to players that has wds. and music of popular songs at their beck and call.

Further and more the sale of old song books has increased more than 300 per cent since the article came out, a practical knowledge of there contents now being considered as important a adjunct to a high class game of bridge as a qt. of Scotch and 2 ash trays.

However it can be readly seen that as soon as all players has mastered the art of musical bridge, why they won't be no advantage in playing it because when a player signals there partner what they have got or what to lead by means of a song, the opponents will also recognize the signal and profit by same.

For this reason it looks to me like now was the time for another novelty to be introduced and I have therefore invented a system which we will call patter bridge and which I will try and exclaim so as my readers can practice it up and make a few 1000 dollars ahead on it before it sweeps the country like musical bridge done.

Eva, Once a Cook, now a Bridge Star.

Will exclaim to start with that patter is a theatrical turn meaning chit chat. Practically all women players patters continually through a bridge game and they will have less difficulnity getting away with patter bridge than men players as they can cut loose with a verable deluge of apparently meaningless wds. and sentences without exciting no suspicions.

However, a man player can divert suspicion by pretending like he is a trifle stewed and kind of talky. The opponents will just laugh at him and think he will be easy to beat on acct. of his condition whereas every wd. he says will have a meaning which his partner understands and can take advantage of same.

In introducing musical bridge to my admires I described a game of it in which I and a young lady win $2600.00 from a couple of dumb bells at a exclusive 3d. ave. card club.

Perhaps the best way to introduce patter bridge would be to report my first attempt at same which was in the nature of a test and which netted my partner and I the handsome sum of $14,500.00. This test game was played in a taxicab coming from Altoona to N. Y. and our opponents was a Mr. and Mrs. Gbd of the Gbd Rubber co. and dirty with money.

My partner was a little gal named Eva Whale who I had once met at a



"Lemonade made in the shade and stir red," says Miss Whale. So I bid three spades.

wealthy uncle of mine where she done the cooking. It was a big surprise when we found ourself in the same taxi after all those yrs.

Mr. Gbd was the one who suggested the bridge game and whe the driver was getting us a table I whispered my scheme in Miss Whale's ear and she took to it like water to a duck's back. It will be noted that several of our signals brought in French wds. but a knowledge of the mother tongue is merely a help and not a necessity.

Giant Southpaw Means 9 Diamonds.

Well Mrs. Gbd was the first dealer and she bid a 1 no trump. The rest of us past and it was my lead.

"Listen," says Miss Whale just like it was ordinary conversation, "guess where I had lunch yesterday."

So I asked her where and she said she had it at the Lambs so I figured that clubs were her strong suit.

"What did you have?" I asked her.

"Wheat cakes," was her reply and I realized that she must have eight clubs as wheat is the French wd. for eight. So I led out my five diamonds which run from the ace down to the 10 and then led her a low club and she took the rest of the tricks as she had discarded five loosing hearts on my diamond leads. We thus started off with a grand slam besides setting the Gbds six odd. The last named was dumb floundered.

It was my next deal and I bid a spade and Mr. Gbd doubled.

"When I get to N. Y.," says Miss Whale, "I am going to see a ball game."

By this remark I gathered that her best suit was a diamond.

"I want to see the Giant's play," continued Miss Whale. "I am a great admirer of that veteran left hand pitcher they have got."

Well the veteran left hand pitcher on the Giants is a Neht which is the French wd. for nine so I knowed she had nine diamonds. Mrs. Gbd took her partner out of his double with a bid of 2 clubs. I had all the honors in hearts and spades along with the ace and 2 small diamonds and the ace of clubs. So I bid seven diamonds which our opponents doubled and we treated ourself to another grand salambo. By this time the Gbds was dumb floundered.

Mr. Gbd now dealt and bid 3 diamonds himself and Miss Whale immediately began reciting a old verse which I had not heard since boyhood days.

Eva Gets a Nice Share.

"Lemonade made in the shade and stirred," says Miss Whale.

Well I remembered the wds. which comes after stirred namely, "with a spade," so as I had good help for a spade bid, why when it come my turn I bid 3 spades and they left us have it and this time we had to be content with a small salambo but the Gbds was absolutely dumb floundered. Miss Whale of course would have bid the spade herself only she felt for some reason another that maybe I would play the hand a whole lot better.

This same reason led her to make the following remark after she had dealt the next hand:

"Another thing I am going to see in N. Y. is a good western picture. I am a great admire of Will Rogers and Tom Mix and those kind of actors."

Of course she was hinting at the name of W. S. Hart and had a heart bid of her own but wanted to play the hand. So I bid a heart and this time we slumped and only took five odd. It was during this hand that I forgot how many trumps was out and my partner seen my distress.

"If they is one animal I love it is a cat," she says and I realized that there was still 4 trumps out as cat is the French wd. for 4.

Well on the next deal I had eight clubs so I asked Miss Whale if she said she "eight" at the Lambs and she took the hint and we made a grand salambo. But this time the Gbds was utterly disappointed and they left the taxi at Newark after giving me a check for our winnings which was $14,500.00 which I gave $4,500 of it to Miss Whale for the way she had helped me along.

Ring W. Lardner.

Great Neck, Long Island, June 8.

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Potash and Perlmutter

By Montague Glass



ABE

POTASH & PERLMUTER DISCUSS DOCTORS, DIET, PILLS AND COLD BATHS



MAWRUSS

(The following story by Montague Glass was interrupted before its conclusion by the attack of appendicitis that sent him to the hospital. Curiously enough, its subject is illness and doctors.)

"I was reading in a paper, Mawruss, where a doctor runs every day a column on how to keep well, and from the questions some people write and ask him to answer, Mawruss, it seems like the majority of them was trying to keep sick," Abe Potash remarked one morning recently, "but for the most part, Mawruss, they didn't this here doctor. In fact, I read in get a whole lot of encouragement from one case where a feller writes in that it hurts every time he takes in a long, deep breath, and the doctor advises him he should take a short, shallow breath."

"Well, that's what's the matter with most people, Abe," Morris Perlmutter observed. "They think themselves over very carefully every morning and see if they couldn't locate a pain somewheres, and if they don't succeed in doing it, y'understand, their whole morning is spoiled. Which my idea of sickness, Abe, is if you couldn't manage to forget it when you get either an order or a cancellation in the mail, then you should ought to buy for five cents bi-carbonate of soda, and take a teaspoonful in a glass of water, and if that don't cure it y'understand, it's time you begun to consider visiting a doctor.

"But don't be in a hurry, even then. Most doctors try to give you the impression that it's a good thing you called them in when you did, otherwise anything might have happened, so let them kid themselves into thinking they are bluffing you, Abe, and don't send for them until you're real sick, because if you refuse to see a doctor till you absolutely you'll never have to."

"At that, Mawruss, too many people has got the pill habit," Abe said.

"Sure, I know," Mawruss agreed, "but there's this much to be said about it, Abe, you have a whole lot more time swallowing a pill than by chasing one round an 18 hole golf course, so that when it comes to a showdown of a business man keeping himself in good health with exercise, or keeping himself going with the ordinary remedies, Abe, you've got to remember that there's a drug store on practically every corner, while it's usually quite a trip to the nearest golf course."



When it comes to keeping fit by sleeping on a sleeping porch in below-zero weather, Abe, I don't want to be absolutely in the pink of condition.

You Can't Diet Against Taxicabs.

"But a business man should ought to remember that he aint a day laborer and eat accordingly, Mawruss, and then he wouldn't need neither drugs nor exercise," Abe observed, "which the way some garment manufacturers get away with Wasserbauer's regular luncheon, Mawruss, you would think they was going to spend the afternoon coal mining or trench digging, instead of sitting at a desk from one to six, doing nothing to burn up the food they've taken in except to smoke one big cigar after another."

"Well, to my mind, Abe there's a whole lot too much fuss made over dieting, y'understand, which in my time I seen ever so many people pass up all the good things on the bill of fare on account they had been advised by their doctors to stick to crackers and milk or something like that if they wanted to avoid certain diseases," Morris said, "and while it's true that they did avoid those diseases they finally passed out from something you couldn't diet against like getting run over by an imitation yellow taxicab or the grip. So therefore, Abe, the whole proposition boils down to whether a man should act all his life like he was an invalid in order to keep from being one, or should he ought to take a chance on getting sick from acting like he was in good health and expected to remain so?"

"Sure I know," Abe agreed, "but there are some people which after all are only human beings in good health, and yet when it comes to eating, they act like they would be ostriches in good health."

Better Grip Than Cold Baths.

"But that ain't no worser than people which is only human beings acting like they was polar bears in good health. Such as taking ice cold baths every morning, and sleeping out on a sleeping porch when it's 10 below zero," Morris said, "and that's what Charles Lockman tells me he does in order to keep fit. Now, I ask you, Abe, ain't it a whole lot two or three days at a time occasionally, than to keep well by torturing yourself like that? As far as I'm concerned, three days in bed with the grip is so much better than taking one ice cold bath, that there's no comparison at all, and when it comes to keeping fit by sleeping on a sleeping porch in below-zero weather, Abe, I don't want to be so absolutely in the pink of condition as all that. If by sleeping in a warm room with the windows open, I can sell a few goods and sign the necessary letters and checks, that's as much as I could ask."

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New and Interesting Facts from Science and Life

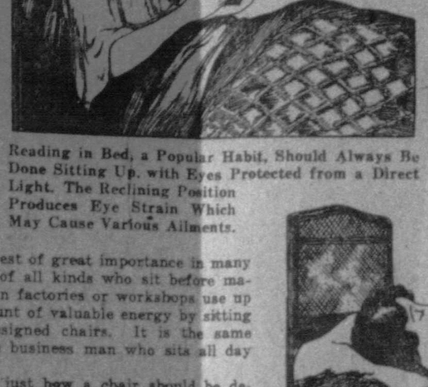
Guard Your Health by Sitting Properly



In a Scientifically Designed Chair the Support for the Spine Comes Below the Shoulder Blades. This Serves to Keep the Spine in an Upright Position and Gives the Heart and Lungs the Necessary Freedom of Action. It Also Prevents One from Becoming Round Shouldered and Shallow Chested, as Shown in the Incorrect Posture at the Right.

FEW persons know how to sit properly. An immense amount of energy is wasted every day by using chairs which are designed for looks rather than to give scientific support for the body. If you sit in a chair proportioned in just the right way for your needs, at the end of the day you would be far less fatigued than you usually are. The scientific investigations which have been carried out recently to analyze the strains of various postures on the human body have a wide interest of great importance in many fields. Workers of all kinds who sit before machines or tables in factories or workshops use up an immense amount of valuable energy by sitting in incorrectly designed chairs. It is the same with the average business man who sits all day before a desk.

To determine just how a chair should be designed experiments are made with a human skeleton. When the bony frame is propped-up in a chair it will at once be evident just where the frame needs support. Most chairs which are designed merely to be artistic or fashionable are very unscientific. They cramp the body or cause it to lean forward without proper support at the points where support is most needed. As a result the lungs may be cramped or the heart made to sustain unnecessary pressure. A bad position leads to round shoulders and a bent back. A great variety of serious ills may follow. By sitting in cramped, unscientific positions for many hours every day the lungs, heart and other vital organs may suffer serious injury, and the body be permanently deformed.



Reading in Bed, a Popular Habit, Should Always Be Done Sitting Up, with Eyes Protected from a Direct Light. The Reclining Position Produces Eye Strain Which May Cause Various Ailments.

How the SCIENTIFIC CHAIR Puts the BODY in Its Proper POSTURE

In a scientifically designed chair or bench the support for the spine comes just below the shoulder blades. This serves to keep the spine in an upright position and gives the heart and lungs the necessary freedom of action. It also keeps one from becoming round shouldered, at the same time bracing the body so that it has the greatest possible freedom of action. The height of the seat should be contrived so that the feet will rest on the ground or upon some support at just the right height, thus removing unnecessary strains. The seat itself must be so designed that it rises slightly at the front, thus giving the proper support to the bones of the leg just back of the knee. The seat must also be slightly hollowed out to give the right depression for the base of the spine.

Attitudes of body when working have a very definite effect upon the quality of work done. This is because the mass of blood which is circulating in the body may be driven to the brain or to the stomach solely by the posture. Of course not all the blood is thus driven, but either brains or stomach may be supplied with more or less than it needs. So the attitude one assumes in working depends largely upon the character of the work.



Dr. C. Ward Crampton of New York has been making tests of blood pressure on a new principle and comparing them with the work performed, the rest obtained, the recreation taken, and so on. Wilfred S. Ogden, in the Popular Science Monthly, bases on these tests an article about vacations and holidays and their effect upon the efficiency and health of individuals. In this he cites some interesting facts ascertained by Dr. Crampton.

The circulatory system of a man is a vast network of arteries and veins, the veins, thin and flaccid, being tubes through which the blood flows to the heart; and the arteries, firm and elastic, being tubes through which the blood is pumped from the heart. The heart is a very powerful pump. The most important arteries are the ascending aorta, which leads from the heart up toward the head, and the descending aorta which leads down toward the stomach and lower extremities. The force of gravitation helps to draw the blood down, and, in flowing upward the blood is going against gravitation. When a man is lying flat on his back the blood is equally distributed throughout the body without effort. When he stands up, if he is in good health, his nervous system and muscles force the great veins in the stomach to contract and drive the blood away from the abdomen. If much fatigued, the nerves and muscles relax and let the blood drain into the abdomen, while the whole body sags.

The circulation of blood in the stomach is most important. The stomach and intestines need a copious supply for performing their functions of digestion, therefore the descending aorta, the main pipe through which the heart sends blood to them, is the biggest of all the arteries. It supplies blood to the legs also and to all the other organs below the diaphragm. The blood flowing among the digestive organs absorbs from them the products of digestion and passes through the portal vein to the liver, which is a great laboratory and a filter in which the blood is rid of many substances which it has absorbed. It is always full of blood. A great vein (the vena cava) conveys the blood from the liver to the heart, being joined on its way by another big vein bearing blood from the legs. The heart immediately pumps all this impure black blood into the lungs, where it is purified by the oxygen in the air you breathe, flows back pure and red to the heart again, and is once more pumped forth to do its work in the body.

A great and complex system of nerves, called the sympathetic, regulates all this mechanism automatically.

To be able to do physical work and athletic sports well, one must keep the muscles of the abdomen strong. This will prevent the stomach from becoming overladen with blood, and thus robbing the brain and muscles of that which they require if they are going to do their work efficiently.

In connection with the relation of posture to health the widespread habit of reading in bed or in a reclining position comes in for a few remarks. According to Lt.-Col. R. H. Elliott, lecturing on "The Eye in Health," at the London Institute of Hygiene, as quoted in the New York Medical Record, reading in bed is considered a vicious habit because it is so often done with a light behind the shoulder and the eyes turned up. It is the position that does the mischief. If you sit up and look down at the print, and have a good light, there is no reason why reading in bed should be any more harmful than reading at a desk.

"Long ago," Dr. Elliott says, "the ancestor of man and the higher apes developed the use of the opposing thumb, and on this hung the whole future of civilization. The thumb, which could be used in opposition to the fingers, enabled its possessor to pick up and study the objects that lay around him. The objects studied were always held below the level of the eyes, and thus, all through the ages the muscles that depress the eyes have been more called upon than those which raise them. Today the latter are weaker than the former and are much more liable to tire when the eyes are directed upward. Hence the evil of lying on the back in bed reading a book."

CURIOUS CEREMONIES Connected With the CREMATION of a BUDDHIST MONK

WHEN the head monk, or Sadaw, of a district in Burmah departs this life he does not, according to Buddhist doctrine, die; he merely leaves this world to return to the highest heaven of nats. The obsequies, which Capt. H. T. Parry describes in the London Graphic, are very interesting, attracting crowds from all the neighborhood.

The body is first washed by the monks, and part of it buried in the monastery compound. The stomach is then filled with hot ashes, sawdust and various spices, and is sewn up again. Then the monk's thumbs and big toes are tied together, and "ferry money" is placed in his mouth. After that the body is embalmed in honey and placed in a coffin, which is a single log hollowed out, with a lid on it; a bamboo pipe sometimes leads from the coffin to the ground to dry up the embalmed body.

The coffin is then varnished and gilded and placed in an outer casket, which is sometimes very gorgeous, with rich gilt and painted panels representing religious subjects, these panels being framed with mosaics of cut glass, colored glass and metals. The cremation of the body takes place at least six months after death. Before the operation a very large "thein," or monastery for the dead, is erected, the money being provided by the neighboring monasteries and villages. Made of bamboo, and covered with tinsel, it is as large as a bungalow and has the regulation seven-storied spire, or "pya-that," above it, symbolical of the seven heavens of the nats. Placed round it are smaller pya-thats supplied by the neighboring villages, the inhabitants of which flock out in large numbers to witness the interesting ceremony.

The body is placed in each of the pya-thats in turn, and is then dragged round the central edifice. It is very curious to watch this peculiar spectacle. The coffin is ultimately carried into the sacred edifice, and is there placed under a large white umbrella with long fringes on it. A number of religious paintings hang around, some grotesque, others depicting the horrors of hell with terrible vividness.

An extraordinary ceremony ultimately takes place. The inner coffin is placed on a low four-wheeled wagon, and two long ropes are attached to each end of the same. Men from the neighboring villages now catch hold of the ropes, and have an uproarious tug-of-war to decide which village shall have the honor of dragging the coffin in the wagon to the place where it has been decided the cremation shall take place. A funeral pyre has been made on this spot, consisting of bamboo matting and pasteboard in the form of the seven-roofed spire, with inflammable matter underneath.

The pyre is then fired by rockets, sometimes of an enormous size, often being nine feet long and five feet round, and shaped as a dragon. These rockets are fired at the pyre from about forty yards distance. As one may imagine, it takes a long time before the pyre is fired. Most rockets splutter and emit a fearsome odor, and there is sure to be at least one which will go off at right angles into the crowd; some will not light at any price. At last a lucky shot plunges into the funeral pyre, and in a few minutes flames rise up twenty feet. Spire after spire falls, and when the central one goes a loud shout goes up from the onlookers.

When the embers have cooled the monks search for any pieces of bone to be buried near their pagoda. Sometimes, in the case of a specially saintly monk, the bones are pounded down, made into a paste and moulded into an image of the Buddha to be placed in the monastery.

DANGERS Coming from LIGHTNING

EVERYONE marvels at lightning and most persons fear it unreasonably. Of all the lightning flashes generated by a vivid summer storm, less than 1 per cent. strike the earth, according to Charles P. Steinmetz, one of the world's greatest electrical engineers. The rest are confined to the sky that breeds them.

"There are certain sensible precautions for anyone to heed in a thunder storm," says Mr. Steinmetz in Practical Electrics. "Most of them are quite different, however, from the pet superstitions our ancestors have handed down to us."

"I can think of just three places where you will be absolutely safe in a thunderstorm: One is an underground chamber; another is a space entirely surrounded by a metal network; the last, and the only one of the three which you are liable to be able to utilize, is a steel-framed building.

"Steel-framed buildings are excellent conductors. They tend to relieve by 'silent discharges' the electric strain always existing between earth and sky during a thunderstorm. Sometimes they are struck, but the people inside them never know it.

"Small detached pieces of metal have no effect on the path of lightning, either indoors or out. Last summer a party of golfers, caught in a thunderstorm, threw away their clubs, lest the metal should attract the lightning. Their fears on this cause were groundless.

"If you glory in a thunderstorm, as I do, you will want to stand at a window or on the front porch and watch it. And there you will be just about as safe as anywhere else.

"One of the most dangerous of all places out-of-doors is the shelter of an isolated tree. Such trees are a target for lightning. If you were overtaken by a storm in the vicinity of an isolated tree, it might be well to lie down near it, but not under it. One of the best refuges out-of-doors is thick woods, provided you do not shelter under a tree that stands out conspicuously above the rest. If I were caught in an open field, I must confess that I would not lie down in the mud, but would turn my footsteps toward the nearest shelter—serene in the knowledge that the chances were preponderant against my being struck by lightning."

RIGHT and LEFT-HANDED ORATORS

THE fact that there are right and left-handed speakers has escaped record until it was brought to notice by W. Gilman Thompson in a letter to Science. Mr. Thompson says that he has frequently verified it by observation. Given an oblong audience hall where the speaker stands in the centre of one side, unless he be a practised speaker, he usually will address the majority of his remarks toward one or the other end of the hall, depending upon whether he be right or left-handed.

"In illustration," says Mr. Thompson, "I recently listened in a hall of this description to two cultivated Englishmen. One was an orator accustomed to speak in the House of Parliament, where the audience surrounds the speaker on all sides. He turned equally to the right and left of his audience, but the other, a general, more accustomed to the battlefields than the rostrum, gesticulated with his right hand so forcefully that he pulled himself around to face his audience upon his right, to the almost complete ignoring of those seated upon his left. Meanwhile, in his embarrassment, with his left hand he clung to the lapel of his coat, which further precluded his turning toward that side!

"In a medical lecture hall into which an adjoining room often is thrown open to accommodate an overflow audience, there is a narrow but tall reader's desk at the centre of one side. It is amusing to note that the right-handed speaker often leans upon this desk with his right arm, thereby turning himself to address his audience upon his left, but should he remove his right arm to gesticulate (which medical speakers from the nature of their subject rarely have occasion to do), he pulls himself around to face the opposite end of the wide but shallow hall. The left-handed speaker does the reverse.

"As the majority of speakers are right-handed, I have found it an advantage for hearing to sit in the audience upon their right side, unless there be a tall reading desk, when it is safer to sit upon their left!

"Related to this topic is the question of right- and left-eyedness. Apart from any question of possible difference in acuteness of vision is the fact that many persons cannot close the two eyelids with equal facility, which sometimes may account for poor marksmanship. In sighting a shotgun, for instance, from the right shoulder, if one instinctively closes the right eyelid much more readily than the left, in order to use the left eye one must bring the head much further over toward the stock of the gun, and failure to do this quickly and completely results in poor aim, particularly in rapid firing, as in taking birds on the wing."

Some Strange USES for AIRPLANES

AIRPLANES nowadays are being put to many strange uses. In one district where valuable trees were being stripped by caterpillars, which could not be reached by spraying machines without much time and expense, the help of an airplane was called in. The airman, flying low, sprinkled the trees thoroughly with a powder of arsenate of lead, and practically all the pests were exterminated and the trees saved.

Forest fires are being suppressed with an ease that would have astonished the fire-fighter of other days. A patrol of airplanes is able to discover a fire at its earliest stage and by wireless messages direct the forest "firemen" before the danger spreads.

One of the most interesting experiments recently made by airplane was that of an astronomer who required pictures of the sun. He found that photographs taken from the earth's surface were to some extent spoiled by particles of dust in the atmosphere. The airman was able to remedy this by climbing to an altitude of 17,000 feet and taking the photographs above the clouds—and consequently above the dust!

Fur coats, too, are becoming more plentiful through the airplane's help. In the old days the hunter's main difficulty was to locate the ice-floes carrying herds of seals. This the airman does without trouble, and keeps the ship in touch by wireless with the results of his patrol.

Ocean mails are also to be expedited by the new "pocket" plane, a machine with folding wings which can be stowed away in a small space on board the mail-carrying liners.

When the liner leaves, for instance, New York, the ship-plane will stay behind and pick up letters marked "express" which arrived too late for the boat. It will then rejoin the liner, overtaking it at the pace of 120 miles an hour.

Within a few hundred miles of land the plane once more makes a flight. Taking the most urgent letters, it races ahead for the port, and the special mail will have been delivered all over the country before the liner arrives in port.

Does DAYLIGHT SAVING Decrease DEATH Rate?

SINCE daylight saving began in the United States under the Act of Congress of March 16, 1918, a decreased death rate during the months of May to September, both inclusive, is indicated by life insurance statistics. The latest bulletin presents the statistics without dwelling on their coincidence with daylight saving, but reports the decrease as a novel and significant item.

The greatest decrease in the number of human deaths has been in the third quarter of the year, July, August and September. The tables show 30.3 per cent. decline in those months since 1913. The decline since 1918 has been 25 per cent. in number of deaths, or 82 per cent. of the total decrease since 1913. Smaller percentages, but a decrease in mortality during the late spring and early autumn months—in the daylight saving period—are exhibited by the statistics for the second and fourth quarters of the year.

"It is of singular interest that these three months show not only the greatest decline in mortality during the last ten years, but also register the minimum mortality rates for the year," the bulletin reads. "The mortality decrease, total, for the years 1913 to 1922—12 to 8.8—is 26.7 per cent. The decrease for July, August and September is 10.9 to 7.6, or 30.3 per cent. In 1916 it rose above that of 1915—10.1 to 10.7—but in 1918, it dropped to 9.7; in 1919 it was 8.2; 1920, 7.9, and 1922, 7.6."

JAPANESE Make MERMAIDS from MONKEYS and FISH

IN the "good old days" of the China trade and long voyages, ship captains occasionally brought home with other curios a "genuine mermaid." These mermaids—that is, the best of them—were cunningly and carefully made by grafting the torso of a small monkey upon the body of a fish, some scales being worked up into the body of the monkey and some hairs planted among the scales of the fish, so that the line of junction was invisible.

As mankind in general is fond of the marvellous and prefers an improbable to a simple explanation, these creatures were accepted by many as the "real thing."

It was one of these "fabricated mermaids" that was so profitably exploited by Barnum in the early days of his museum.

Barnum's mermaid was anticipated by one exhibited in London a few years before, which was said to have been "taken by a Dutch vessel from on board a native Malacca boat, and from the reverence shown it by the sailors, the conjecture is probably correct that it was intended to be a representation of the incarnation of one of their idol-gods.

"So considerable were the profits that accrued from the exhibition, that the mermaid became the subject of a suit in chancery; but the bubble soon burst, and it is now exhibited along with a learned pig in a penny show."

In these days of machine-made products it requires too much time and labor to make a really good mermaid, so to supply the demand the canny Japanese have put on the market an inferior brand, made almost entirely of papier-mache, the fins and tail only being real, and the original species bids fair to become extinct.

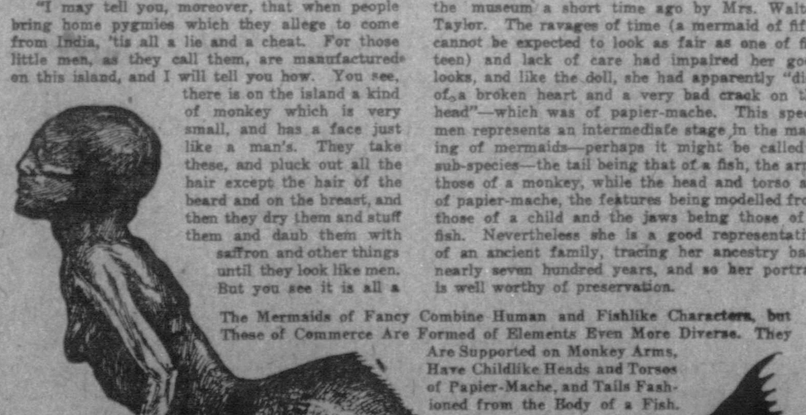
And yet, so much does man long for the spectacular, so greatly does he prefer fiction to fact, that some of these papier-mache mermaids have been brought to the American Museum of Natural History in New York City for the purpose of ascertaining whether they were "genuine."

The mermaid seems to have been antedated by a species of pigmy which was described by Sir Marco Polo as follows:

"I may tell you, moreover, that when people bring home pygmies which they allege to come from India, 'tis all a lie and a cheat. For those little men, as they call them, are manufactured on this island, and I will tell you how. You see, there is on the island a kind of monkey which is very small, and has a face just like a man's. They take these, and pluck out all the hair except the hair of the beard and on the breast, and then they dry them and stuff them and daub them with saffron and other things until they look like men. But you see it is all a cheat; for nowhere in India nor anywhere else in the world were there ever men seen so small as these pretended pygmies."

It is just possible, however, that this really refers to the mermaid, or it may be that the pygmy gave way to the sea nymph when it was learned that she was the "better seller" of the two.

The mermaid here figured is one brought to the museum a short time ago by Mrs. Walter Taylor. The ravages of time (a mermaid of fifty cannot be expected to look as fair as one of fifteen) and lack of care had impaired her good looks, and like the doll, she had apparently "died of a broken heart and a very bad crack on the head"—which was of papier-mache. This specimen represents an intermediate stage in the making of mermaids—perhaps it might be called a sub-species—the tail being that of a fish, the arms those of a monkey, while the head and torso are of papier-mache, the features being modelled from those of a child and the jaws being those of a fish. Nevertheless she is a good representative of an ancient family, tracing her ancestry back nearly seven hundred years, and so her portrait is well worthy of preservation.



The Mermaids of Fancy Combine Human and Fishlike Characters, but These of Commerce Are Formed of Elements Even More Diverse. They Are Supported on Monkey Arms, Have Childlike Heads and Torsos of Papier-Mache, and Tails Fashioned from the Body of a Fish.

—Courtesy of the American Museum of Natural History.

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George Ade's Fable of the Ripe Persimmon and the Plucked Flower

By George Ade

Once the home paper had to announce that a couple of residents had been wafted on to the dim beyond. Ye editor pulled out the tremola stop and rendered a couple of sentimental obbligatos to Uncle Philo Dilbry and Schuyler Colfax, alias "Red" Montgomery.

He opined that Uncle Philo had rounded out a highly resultful career.

When the grim reaper swished his sickle, he brought down a very fine specimen of ripened grain that had grown in the same spot for a long time.

The obituarian likened the recent old settler to a ship that comes into port after a long and tempestuous voyage.

The staunch craft had withstood the howling gales and buffeting waves and had finally found anchorage in safety harbor, with right smart of cargo stored away.

Those who had been close to Uncle Philo read the figurative allusions and made the usual discounts.

It seemed to them that he had been more like the bearded grain than a gallant ship.

A canal boat? Yes, Bo! It never gets more than eight feet from the shore and is built for safety rather than speed.

What the weeping biographer wanted to convey was that Uncle Philo had lived in the country a long time, had looked out for number one so consistently that he was simply crawling with collateral, had never been apprehended by the grand jury or mixed up with untamed women—therefore his life had been a glorious example.

Between the lines one might read that the good citizen is he who keeps out of the calaboose.

Sweet consolation dripped from the piece regarding Uncle Philo.

He had continued to breathe for many decades and thereby had accomplished the main purpose of every mortal born in this vale of speculation.

He departed before the estate was tapped for the inheritance tax; o everything seemed to work out for the best.

"Red" Was Merely a Patriot.

The valedictory to "Red" Montgomery was more tabloid.

The lad never had loaned money at eight per cent and so there was mighty little to put in the paper about him except that the whole community grieved politely when he was finally brought back from over there and deposited in the local burying ground.

You could see that the editor wanted to give "Red" a fair shake, but what was there to say about a sorrel-top who had played a little baseball, and then some football, and then messed around college until the first call came, and then had gone out with grinning cheerfulness to die for his country?

There wasn't a great deal to add up in the case of "Red," because the kid never had accomplished anything very definite.

This is, he never had camped long enough and hard enough in one place to make an impression, whereas Uncle Philo had left quite a dent.

"Red" stepped beyond the threshhold and was cut down, and his taking-off was so sad and heart-breaking and gave so little opening for reflections of a compensating character that the local biographer rather threw up his hands on the job.

The only condolence he could manufacture was that "Red" had shown himself to be a game guy and a true patroit.

The records proved that Uncle Philo had stayed along until he was 82, while Schuyler Colfax Montgomery dropped out at the immature age of 23.

According to the time honored mathematical scale for the measuring of achievements, Uncle Philo had it about four ways on "Red" and finished a dead heat with the long-tailed African parrot, which lives to be about 80 years of age and hands out a sterotyped line of conversation to the last gasp.

The preacher who was asked to make a little spiel for the late plunging half-back was up against it, the same as the editor, when he sat down to write his remarks.

The dominie somehow felt that it was up to him to pull something besides the sure-fire hokum about a brilliant career being headed off and the ways of an all-wise providence being beyond mortal ken.

It happened that the parson had the courage to be candid and the vision to see beyond the township limits.

It came to him that when they had the special service for "Red" it might be a bright idea to can all the weeps and ring the bells.

For it was "Red" who had rounded out a full career, and then it was Uncle Philo who had been prematurely snatched away.

The Turtle and the Whale.

Just to prove that even a funeral sermon may be invested with the charm of novelty, here is what the vicar handed out to the hushed assemblage:

We find our text in the "Encyclopaedia Britannica," under the heading of "Longevity."

It read as follows: "There is a species of large tortoise, found in the Galapagos Islands, which is known to live over 200 years."

In the same chapter, and throwing side-lights on our theme, we read that buffon was personally acquainted with a carp that was 150 years old, and is a common belief among scientists that whales continue to operate, in a perfectly cold-blooded manner, unhampered by altruistic considerations, for several centuries.

Within the week we have planted an old residenter who was a familiar figure on the depot platform.

His demise calls attention to the fact that, when it comes to hanging on, the crab can show some class along with the carp and the tortoise and the whale.

Many of you have made doleful comparisons between the symmetrical and extended life-span of Uncle Philo Dilbry and the abbreviated, unfinished mission on earth of our young friend commonly known as "Red" Montgomery.

If it grieves you to reflect that Uncle Philo was here 80 odd years, while "Red" stayed just long enough to cast his first vote, what anguish must you experience when you consider that a careful carp has 70 years edge on Uncle Philo, and the tortoise on Galapagos Island skins him by 120 years and a whale that takes any care of himself puts Uncle Philo away back into the infant mortality class!

The comparison between the various long-lived specimens becomes more significant when we note various points of resemblance.

Uncle Philo, like the carp and the tortoise and the whale, gave undivided attention to his own sustenance and welfare was coldly indifferent to public improvements.

Like these other perrenial members of the animal kingdom, he was strong for his own habitat and sought for himself such environment as favors perpetuity.

He avoided the dangers incident to travel and rash adventure, never wandering from his own precinct after the railways stopped giving passes to those who ship livestock.



Condensed Days and Diluted Days.

He has been much lauded, since his departure, because he was cautious and conservative.

For 82 years he never took his foot off of second base.

Clock Ticks or High Spots.

If there be among you any who figure that dear old Uncle Philo, with the soap-stone eye and the leaky whiskers, had no occasion to envy the carp or the tortoise or the whale, let us adopt the same course of reasoning and ask if the mortal existence of any being can be measured by a yard stick or be weighed on the platform scales?

Shall we count the ticks of the clock or shall we take into account merely the high spots?

It is better to eat three squares a day for a great many days and be true to that same mattress all the time or go down the highway of experience for just a few days, blowing a silver bugle?

I have no desire to knock Uncle Philo to those that had a mortgage acquaintance with him, but I'm wondering if he had as much on the carp and the tortoise and the whale as "Red" Montgomery had on him.

I learn that once "Red" carried the ball 55 yards for a touch-down, while 5,000 of his fellow-creatures stood on their hind legs and shrieked his darling name.

You know that when most of the Burlies were praying for leaky Valves and Flat Feet, "Red" Montgomery had his hat off and his hand in the air, offering his flag all that he had to give and a little sore that he couldn't give more.

I happen to know that the most adorable girl in the world lleaned up against his khaki coat and gave the boy a look such as Uncle Philo never got during the whole 82 years.

You all have heard that the charge which he led across the muddy craters and through the tangled wire did not fail. He dropped out, but he saw the men go on.

I hold that he who makes a touch-down and then enlists and holds the woman of his choice in his arms, and then goes through hell-fire to carry a trench, has hit the high spots to which I referred a short time ago and that his life has not been brief.

Is it not better to deliver a pinch hit in the world's series than to sit on the bench for many years?

Behold the aviator circling a white cloud and 3,000 feet below him, the yodel seated on a creaking wagon!

The flier does as many miles in an hour as the teamster would do in a week.

He sees 10,000 times as much of the landscape and breathes a new and tonic air, and yet we still find individuals pretending to be people, who believe that a day's journey means riding from morning to night in a prairie schooner!

When Each Walked Abroad.

What Edison will yet invent a meter so delicately responsive that we may find out how a bold example affects laggard aspirations.

Every time "Red" Montgomery walked out on the hammered turf of an athletic field he preached a sermon for clean living and self-denying habits and the courage that knows no faltering.

After he got into his soldier togs, who could look at those square shoulders and those beaming freckles and that beautiful bulge of chest without feeling a new pride in what we call our native land and a reinforced desire to be of service?

Slackers looked at him and inquired the nearest way to the recruiting station.

Young women watched him up the street and then hurried to roll surgical dressings.

Prosperous speculators, extensive as to girth and short of breath, sized him up as one beyond them and superior, entitled to backing as more dollars can provide.

Can we doubt that the tempered steel of his resolution made the thrust effective, even when his comrades had to leave him behind?

By the way of playful comparison, what was the general effect when Uncle Philo was seen starting out on some errand of militarian intent?

Young and old alike observed, "Ah, this is the day when some unsuspecting geezer gets in the gervical vertebrae!"

If you can follow me further without getting a headache, let us think of each earthly transient as a weaver.

I don't know what warp and woof mean, but they are old standbys and here is where I work them in.

We see a weaver at his loom day after day, through a long period, say 80 years or more.

He is Johnny-on-the-spot at sunup and cramps on the job until the whistle blows.

Let us give him credit for industry and patience, but let us not hang any medals on him until we examine his output.

He throws the shuttle back and forth, day after day, week after week, month after month, year after year, and turns out bundles and bales and wagon-loads of burlap.

He is responsible for a slew of moderately useful product, but it is all burlap-unpoetical, loose-woven burlap.

If you could have your wish, wouldn't you rather weave something besides No. 3 sacking?

How about the artist workman whose only handiwork is one banner, but the texture is silk and the color is royal purple and the flaring design in the center is of the rarest cloth of gold?

The weaver leaves his loom and carries his matchless oriflamme up to a bold peak and plants it there so that those who are in the valleys may look up and be inspired and learn that the world is not all burlap.

If you get me, it will not be necessary to make insulting local application as to which of the recently departed worked on burlap and which one placed a standard on the heights.

"Red's" Days Were Condensed.

My friend, there is no intangible item so contemptuous of weights and measures as the lapse of time between the birth certificate and the death certificate.

Some of you may harbor the delusion that "Red" Montgomery lived to be only 23 years of age while Uncle Philo Dilbry lived nearly four times as long.

I now advance the unusual proposition that we are not living unless something happens.

There are condensed days and diluted days.

From that autumn afternoon on which "Red" Mongomery became a gridiron hero, all the days were extra condensed.

He placed the experience of an ordinary slow-poke year into one week.

By a simple Gilbert and Sullivan process of computation, we know that "Red" Montgomery lived 200 years before he went "west."

We also know that the angels came out half-way to meet him and pat him on the back.

In conclusion, we may reasonably believe that when he was lying in no man's land, if he had any time to make a swift review, he did not regret that he had been a regular person, and he did not wish that the Lord had made him a carp or a tortoise or a whale or Uncle Philo Dilbry.

The next day after the services, certain relatives and beneficiaries of a highly respected citizen, now in the probate court, called the preacher a lot of hard names.

MORAL: It isn't how long you stick around but what you put over while you're here.

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Married Life of Helen and Warren

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

HELEN DECIDES AN UNWELCOME INVITATION AND MAKES AN APPALLING BLUNDER

"If you don't like her—why'd you say you'd go?" grumped Warren, scraping out his after-dinner pipe.

"Dear, she took me so by surprise! She asked if I'll anything on for Thursday afternoon, and before I thought, I said no. Then when she invited me, what COULD I say?"

"Well, it's your funeral!" drawing out his tobacco pouch with experating indifference. "You'll find some way to lie out of it—you always do."

"Why, I never try to break engagements," flushed Helen. "But I don't like Mrs. Stewart, and I DON'T want to go there to play bridge! I don't see why she asked me."

"Guess she don't know what a rotten game you play."

Ignoring this aspersion, Helen took up her sewing, interrupted by the unwelcome telephone invitation. The more she thought of it, the less she wanted to go.

Since that humiliating afternoon at the Consumptive League bridge, when her unfortunate no-trump bid had been so loudly berated by Mrs. Stewart, Helen had tried to avoid her.

"Ha, ha, listen to this!" chuckled Warren. "A member of the house of commons speaking on prohibition says—'All Americans are in two classes, those who still have a little, and those who have a little still!'"

"A little still?" blankly, thinking of Mrs. Stewart.

"Gosh, you're dumb!" with a disgusted grunt. "Think it over! It'll come to you next week."

Helen, threading a fine-eyed needle, was not perturbed by her inability to see jokes. According to Warren, she never saw them.

Though devoid of sense of humor, in other directions her mind was extremely agile. And now she was evolving some plausible excuse to escape Mrs. Stewart's bridge party.

"No, you musn't!" catching the spool Pussy Purr-Mew coyly pawed off the table.

It would not be fair to wait until Thursday and then say she had a headache. She must let Mrs. Stewart know in time to get someone else.

She could call up now and say that her calendar pad showed an engagement which she had completely forgotten. But she did not want to lie! Surely she could devise some other plan.

"Dear, I have it!" the scissors clattering from her lap as she jumped up.

"Have what?" not glancing up from his paper.

But already Helen was at the telephone, looking through her red-leathered list that hung from the mouthpiece.

That you Mrs. Stevens? Oh, wait that awful buzzing, I can hardly hear."

Impatiently she flashed the receiver hook for a better connection.

"That's better! Oh, I want you to help me out of something. Mrs. Stewart just invited me for bridge Thursday afternoon. You know how I dislike her! Can't I say that I have an engagement with you that I forgot? We could see about that ring you want re-set——I can hardly hear you....Oh, you're a DEAR!"

Turning from the telephone, Helen took up her calendar pad and wrote on next Thursday's leaf:

"Mrs. Stevens, 3 o'clock—Ring re-set."

Then, dancing gleefully over to Warren's chair, she held the pad before him.

"Look! Now I'll call up Mrs. Stewart and say I've an engagement for Thursday—that I promised to go with Mrs. Stevens to have a ring re-set. That's the truth, isn't it?"

"The truth?" he snorted, pushing her away. "You don't know what the word means!"

"But dear, that is the truth. I HAVE an engagement with Mrs. Stevens. I don't have to say WHEN I made it."

"Get away! Don't bother me! Always pulling off some tricky scheme!"

"Well, what shall I do? Go there when I don't like her and have a wretched afternoon. If I call her up now, she'll have plenty of time to get someone else. It's not quite 10," glancing at the clock. "I don't suppose she's gone to bed."

"Why drag in any lying excuses?" scowled Warren. "Just say you can't go."

"She'd suspect something and be furious. I'll have to give some excuse—I don't want to really offend her."

At the telephone, Helen again turned to "S" in her red-leathered list.

Mrs. A. W. Stewart—Plaza 8429!

Petrified, Helen stared at the number. A wave of horror engulfed her.

No, no, it was too ghastly! She could not have made so hideous a blunder.

To economize space, the names were closely written in her diminutive scrawl. Mrs. Stevens directly under Mrs. Stewart—she had called the wrong number!

Had she or had she not? The sound of "8429" seemed still in the air. Yet, Mrs. Stevens number, Plaza 6850—was curiously similar.

Desperately she sought to beat down her error.

"Warren," her voice tense, "was it Plaza 8429 or 6850 that I called?"

"Eh, what's that?" irritated at her continued interruptions.

"Did I call Plaza 8429 or Plaza 6850?"

"How in blazes should I know? What the Sam Hill you drivin' at anyway?"

"I'm afraid I've made an awful mistake! Wait, I—I'll know in a minute."

This time, her finger firmly placed on 6850, she gave Central that number.

"Hello....Oh, Mr. Stevens, is Mrs. Stevens there?——Yes, p l e a s e."

A moment's tumultuous wait.

"Mrs. Stevens? Oh, don't think I'm crazy, but did—did I call you just a moment ago....I didn't? Then can't tell you about it now—it's too awful!....No, it's nothing to do with you—it was just my stupitdity. I'll call you up tomorrow."

Pushing back the 'phone, Helen still sat at the desk, staring at the ink-stained blotter.

What had she said about Mrs. Stewart to Mrs. Stevens? 'You know how I dislike her!" that phrase shrieked out. What else?

"Oh, what DID I say? Dear, TELL me what I said!" pleadingly.

"What's wrong now? What the devil's the matter with you?"

"When I thought I was 'phoning to Mrs. Stevens, what did I say? Was it anything too awful? Dear, TRY to think!"

"What in thunder you jabbering about anyway?" glowering at her.

"Her name's right over Mrs. Stewart's. I wrote them so fine and close together. Oh, I don't know how I could've made such a ghastly blunder! I—I called the wrong number—Mrs. Stewart's!"

"The HELL you did!"

"It too awful for words!" tremulously. "And I remember saying—'you know how i dislike her!'"

"Of all the bone-headed plays! Couldn't you tell by her voice?"

"That buzzing on the wire—I could hardly hear. And she talked low purposely—she just led me on!"

"Well, you've cooked up a nice mess this time!" re-folding his paper with irate energy.

"Oh, what can I do? I must do something! Shall I try to write some sort of apology?"

"Huh, take a darn good one to patch up thing after handing her a wallop like that!"

"Well, I'm going to try," turning to the desk.

At letter writing, Helen was never fluent. Now, her mind seemed paralyzed.

What COULD she say? Was there anything that would make amends for her appalling blunder?

For almost an hour she nibbled at the pen holder. Intermittenly producing notes which she promptly tore up.

The first was too gushy and incoherent, the second too long and explanatory, the third had at least the merit of brevity.

"My dear Mrs. Stewart:

"I can only say that I am sorry. But that afternoon at the Consumptive League bridge I could not help resenting your remarks, so naturally I did not care to subject myself to further criticism. I should have told you so at once instead of trying to get out of it as I did. I can only hope you will believe that I am dreadfully sorry.

Sincerely,

Helen L. Curtis."

"Dear, listen to this. Do you think this will do?"

"Rotten!" was his grim verdict when she read it aloud. "That'll only get you in deeper."

"Well, what CAN I say?" removing the ink bottle from Pussy Purr-Mew's sniffing investigation. "You dictate something!"

"Say nothing—drop it! You never can leave anything alone. You get yourself in Dutch and then make it worse by harping on it. I'll probably see Stewart at lunch tomorrow—maybe I can smooth it over."

"Oh, how? Oh, if you only WOULD!" eagerly. "Say I'm just heart-broken—that I wouldn't have done it for worlds. That I—"

"BUNK! I'll say you're a little fool! That you play a punk game of bridge and get sore as the duce when anybody calls you down."

"The very thing!" joyously. "Say it all onto that—that I'm so sensitive about my bridge. I'm not at all, but that's just the thing to say! Play that up strong and say—"

"Now, not so fast! I'm not so darn sure I'll say anything. Not an easy job after you've handed his wife a swat like that! I'll not force it, but if Stewart lunches at the club, I'll see what I can do."

"Oh, you dear, your DEAR!" wriggling into his lap. "You can always fix ANYthing! The most WONderful pearson in the world!"

"Not doing this for you," ignoring her effusions. "Stewart's mighty decent, and I don't want any catty squabbles queering us. But don't count on me getting you out of any more scrapes. Hereafter, when you do any knocking over the 'phone—find out who's on the wire before you shoot off your mouth!"

Next week—A company dinner under difficulties.

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Mr. Dooley on Famous Men

By FINLEY PETER DUNNE

"I see," said Mr. Dooley, "that a lot iv people has been asked to make out a list iv th' hundherd gr-reatest men in th' wur-ruld that ar-re now dead."

"I didn't know that there were that manny," said Mr. Hennessy.

"No more did I," said Mr. Dooley. "But judgin' be what's been turned in be th' boys as their pick iv th' wur-ruld's championship team there's not a hundherd—there's a millyon.

"I don't know most iv thim. They done things in thrades that I know nawthin' about. Ye see, ivry wan that's asked puts down names iv la-ada in their own business. They all start with Shakespeare, Washington and Lincoln, but they're lible to wind up with Ephriam Perkins, who was th' champeen calcyminer iv his time.

"Ivry man to his graft, as th' sayin' is. A pote picks out a hundherd potes who he thinks ar-re in his class, or nearly so. A banker can't see anybody but Shakespeare, Washington, an' Lincoln excipt th' boys that can separate money with their thumbs. A bartinder tells ye that th' customers he wud like to see on a dull evenin' ar-re Shakespeare, Wash'nton, Lincoln, an' th' januses that has had cocktails named afther thim. That's a crowded ordher, but 'tis as sure a way to fame as anny I know. Cinbries fr'm now William Jennings Bryan will be cillybrated whin people can't raymimber whether it was Roodyard Kipling or Laura Jean Libbey that lived in Brooklyn.

"A mannyfacther iv furniture acknowledges that th' men that has had the most influence on his life were Shakespeare, Wash'nton, Lincoln, an' th' invintor iv curled hair. A grocery man says that his eyes ar-re dimmed with tears ivry time he thinks iv Shakespeare, Wash'nton, Lincoln an' th' author iv dhried apples. Ye'er little boy thinks it's th' dhriver iv hook an' laddher five. Ye'er oldest boy thinks it's Babe Ruth. Ye'er daughter thinks it's Jawn Dhrew.

"An author heads th' lists with th' two Dutchmen that invinted printin' though Father Kelly says authors was just as well off whin they chalked their own novels on a piece iv slate an' charged people so much a head to look at thim. They were their own publisher in thim days.

"Ask a Chinyman to put down th' hundherd gr-reatest men he iver heerd iv an' he won't recognize a name onless it reminds ye iv where ye lost a shirt. There'll be nawthin' but Shakespeare an' Fr-rinch in th' Fr-rinch list, an' th' Rooshyan list wud make th' chief iv polis sind out a riot call.

Many a Man That Could Capture a City Couldn't Beat a Carpet.

"An' they're right, all iv thim. If Shakespeare goes on th' list because he cud throw a pome forther thin anny man befure or since, Babe Ruth ought to go on because he can hit the pellet high and far. Jack Dempsey is as gr-reat a man in his way as Senator Hiram Johnson. They've both got th' punch, but 'tis in a diffrent way.

"Look out iv th' window at that fellow acrost th' sthreet climbin' up a derrick with a hammer in wan hand, a monkey wrench between his teeth, an' a bag iv spikes hangin' fr'm his neck. Cud Hogan's frind Milton do that? He cud not do more thin that acrobat cud write 'Shurdan's Ride' or whativer it was. Manny a man that cud capture this here city with wan hand cudden't bate a carpet.

"Manny a man that cud rule a hundhred millyon sthrangers with an irn hand is careful to take off his shoes in th' front hallway whin he comes home late at night.

"What makes a man gr-reat annyhow? It isn't because he's good, thought it may be because he isn't. Manny a hero iv antikity has a pitcher iv some wan else in th' goold watch th' boys in th' office give him f'r Chris'mas. It ain't because he's betther iddycated thin others. There ar-re fellows teachin' school in Waukegan that cud spell betther thin Alexandher th' Gr-reat.

"It ain't because he's pretty. An album filled with pitchers iv th' gr-reatest cud on'y be opened afther dark. It ain't because they're brave. Manny a man has voted th' raypublican ticket in Mississippi without aven gettin' his name on th' tally sheet.

"An' it ain't because they plan things in advance, f'r there was Columbus, whose name is on manny lamp posts, an' he didn't find what he wint lookin' f'r, Hogan tells me, an' it wasn't America he discovered at first but a place called Watlin's island that he bumped into on his way to Chinny, th' poor deluded Eytalyan thinkin' Chinny was somewheres near Phillydelphy.

"So there ye ar-re. Before ye pick out th' gr-reatest men ye've got to tell me what is ye'er idee iv a gr-reat man. Father Kelly says a man's gr-reat who can do th' wan thing he knows how to do betther thin most annywan else. That is, if he has th' fuck to cash in. Be that rule I can prove that ye'er the akel iv Joolyus Cayzar, f'r I've obsarved ye'er scientific handlin' iv a shovel, me boy, though I've niver mentioned it f'r etho hao hoi hrin hroi aoi aoi ro fear iv turnin' ye'er head.

One of Dooley's Greatest Heroes.

"But whin I look over these lists I'm disappointed in not seein' th' mintion iv manny a binifactor iv humanity that I've always looked up to. I'm going to make out me own list. I've as good a right as annywan. An' th' name I'll put down fourth is th' fellow that invinted suspinders before belts became popular. I've often talked to ye about him. He's wan iv me gr-reatest heroes. I don't know his name, but ivry time I look down at me legs an' see they're properly dhraped I think kindly iv this janius.

"I wanst had an idee that suspinders was wan iv th' oldest iv human institutions. I suppose ivrybody did. That's th' careless way we take th' gr-reat gifts iv science. We think there niver was a time whin there weren't all these convayniences. We have no thought iv th' lone student settin' undher th' midnight lamp an' dopin' thim out f'r th' benefit iv a thankless race.

"I supposed that th' second thing Adam bought afther he became ashemed iv himself—and he'd ought not to be goin' around that way aven if 'twas on'y his own fam'ly that cud see him—was a pair iv suspinders to hold thim up.

"But it ain't so. Fr'm what Hogan tells me they're almost what ye might call a modhern invition. F'r eight thousan' years accoordin' to Father Kelly's account, or f'r eight thousan' millyon years th' way they add it up in th' colledges, th' wur-ruld wint without thim till this modest frind iv man come along with an invintion that has made it possible f'r mankind to fight th' battles iv th' wurruld with both hands free.

"Iver since Hogan told me this I can't read histhry without puttin' in lines that make me shiver. 'Give me liberty or give me death,' says Pathrick Hinnery, rainsin' wan hand above his head, accordin' to me. No wonder sojers in th' old times were brave. They cudden't run away comfortably. An' I've always wondhered how th' Fr-rinch cud talk at all in thim dark days.

"Who else wud I put on me list? Faith, I don't know. Manny gr-reat devilopments has been made in me line iv business since liquor merchants used to go ar-round sellin' pints out iv a leather bag, which practice they have reverted to since the enforcement of the eitheenth amindment.

"I wud mention th' creators iv th' beer pump, th' cash registher, th' combynation cheese, cracker an' coffee plate, th' seegar lighter, an' th' injanyous device f'r cuttin' off th' ends iv seegars which in ouc'vilized peer-oyds was bit off. But I'm willin' to accipt anny man's list so long as it don't include the invintor iv th' alarm clock an' th' gas meter. I've got thim on me other list.

"Tis a good sign whin people acknowledge that other people ar-re gr-reat. It shows self-resthrsint. It's far asier to say no man was gr-reat. An' ye can always prove that, f'r there's something th' matther with ivry man, an' if there wasn't he'd be lynched.

"I wondher who will be the gr-reat men iv today a hundherd years now. Lookin' over me contimporaries I shud say that almost annywan has a chanst. Posterity, Hinnissy somethimes likes to vote f'r th' dark horse. There's wan thing you may be sure iv, an' that is that manny a boy that thinks he has got the diploma in his bag won't figure in th' biographical ditchnries.

"Faith, I wudden't be surprised at all of ye got off ye'ersilf. A hundherd years fr'm now a man may pick up a histhry iv our counthry an' read: 'At this peeryod there ar-rose a remarkable figure in th' person iv Malachi Hinnisey. F'r cinchries th' wurruld had been full iv talk. Now f'r th' first time there appeared a man who cud listen. He was th' foundher iv th' powerful school that includes at th' prisint day most iv th' thoughtful men iv th' wurruld.'

"But I haven't been listenin'," said Mr. Hinnissy.

"Well," said Mr. Dooley, "if ye won't talk an' ye won't listen ye can have ye'er thrunk checked to th' hall iv fame tonight. Ye'er elected."

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FROM SUE TO LOU—Monty Must Leave Early.

—By Gettier



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BLUEBONNET BELLES OF 1923

University of Texas Beauties
Selected by Flo Ziegfeld for
1923 Cactus Beauty Section.



2
Miss
Helen
Rolf





5
Miss
Marie
Saffer



3
Miss
Martha
Reese

Photos by
Ernest
Salomon

1 Miss
Murrel May



Who They Are

Here are the University of Texas Bluebonnet Belles of 1923—selected as the eight most beautiful students by Flo Ziegfeld, from among fifty fair candidates. The selections were made from photographs taken for the "Cactus" by Ernest Salomon, of the Majestic studio, Dallas, and which photographs appear exclusively in The Times Herald.

Heading the list of beauties is Miss Murrell May of Dallas, daughter of Mrs. D. D. May, 2720 South South Ervay street. Miss May is a Kappa Alpha Theta, and a freshman student. The other winners are: Marie Saffer, Galveston, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Helen Rolf, Houston, Pi Beta Phi; Opal Marshall, Temple, Kappa Alha Theta; Gladys Weber, Round Rock, Phi Mu; Marion Knaur, Denison, woman's building; Martha Reese, Austin, Chi Omega; Grace McNamara, Austin, Alpha Delta Pi.

Candidates from whom the eight bluebonnet bells were chosen are: Julia McVicar, Guadalajara, Mexico; Vivian Walters, Taylor; Rowena Davies, San Antonio; Mildred Fielding, Paris; Katherine Bates, Houston; Helen Burt, Brownwood; Eleanor Killough, Edna; Ann Marshall, Hearne; Eleanor Hill, Altus, Ok.; Dorothy Kirkpatrick, Edinberg; Grace Marion Knaur, Denison; La Verne Cummins, Haskell; Odessa B. Dancey, Brownsville; Helen Rolfs, Houston; Eleanor Covert, Austin; Martha Sullivan, Galveston; Grace Rogers, San Marcos; Josephine Rodges, Fort Worth; Marie Sapper, Galveston; Martha Reese, Austin; Ina Williams, Dallas; Beulah Waddle, Greenville; Bess Gilbert, Austin; Opal Marshall, Temple; Murrell May, Dallas; Minnie Meechamm, Fort Worth; Delores Dore, Houston; Lynette Onstatt, Hubbard; Betsy Fuller, Austin; Agnes McNeill, Valley Mills; Maybelle Gerf, Fort Worth; Gladys Dublin, Jacksonville; Gladys Weber, Round Rock; Mattie Barnes, Bonham; Mildred Neville, Bonham; Beryl May, Leonard; Rose Burges, San Antonio; Julia Crisp, Beeville; Jessie May Carag, Navasota; Daisy Mildred Jones, Yoakum; Elizabeth Ehr, Austin; Elsa Erler, San Antonio; Kathryn Shipp, Ennis; Mary Mixon of Big Foot, Texas.



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Miss
Grace
McNamara

6
Miss
Opal
Marshall



7
Miss
Glydes
Weber



8
Miss
Marion
Knaur

Finding a Use For The "Prettiest Hands"



"The Curves of Sadness." Miss Fay Compton's Beautiful Hands Express the Emotion, While at Right Her Versatile Fingers Portray "Resignation."

"I'll Use Mine to Register My Ideas and Personality," Says Pretty Mary Meeker, Who, at 16, is Adjudged to Have the Most Beautiful Hands in America.



She Won Hands Down! Mary Meeker Stepped from Obscurity to the Limelight of the National Perfumery and Soap Exhibition in New York and Carried Off the Prize for the Most Beautifully Formed Hands.





"Hist! Be Careful!" Is the Digital Warning of Fay Compton, While in the Pose at Right She Shows Supplication in the "Language of the Hands."



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"Repose," as Fay's Hand "Sees" It.

"Her Hand Is the Agent of Her Heart," Said Shakespeare. "And It Also Helps with the Dishes," Adds Mary Meeker.

INTRODUCING Miss Mary Meeker, sixteen years old, of Brooklyn, New York, the "girl with the prettiest hands in America!"

Miss Meeker has the floor——

"Women of America, what use are you making of your hands? Washing dishes? Scrubbing floors? Plying needles? 'Picking up' after the men? Those are all necessary and sometimes noble uses, but that is not what I mean. Are you using your hands to express your personality, to enhance your attraction, to 'register' yourself and your ideas as deliberately and expertly as you would use your eyes, your brows, your lips, your voice? If you are not, you are letting one of Nature's finest gifts lie all but idle!"

And with this Miss Meeker proceeds to demonstrate, by example and by reference to the beautiful hands of other women, what artists have long known—that the hands, more than any other physical feature, are the most expressive instruments men and women have.

Miss Meeker's own hands were gloved, so to speak, with the blue ribbon of beauty when she was selected by a jury of artists, sculptors and other experts as the girl with the prettiest hands among thousands who competed for the honor at the recent National Perfumery, Toilet Articles and Soap Exhibition in New York City.

Her hands, said the jury, are perfectly proportioned. The length of each hand from wrist to finger-tip is six and one-half inches. The thumb is two and a half inches long. The palm is three inches wide. In addition, Miss Meeker's hands have the delicate tint of alabaster. The fingers taper beautifully toward the rosy hue of cuticles. The nails are soft and gleaming, the "moons" exceptionally large and white.

"How did I get them that way?" laughed Miss Meeker. "Why, I didn't consciously try. In fact, I'm surprised I won the contest, for when I was four years old; three fingers of one hand were crushed in a door and took an awfully long time to heal. I suppose, if anything was responsible for their looks, it was playing the piano. I've practised twenty minutes a day, at least, since I was eight years old. I've washed dishes, too! And I've never had a professional manicure. I 'do' my hands myself once a week, and the rest of the time I just give them a 'buff' every now and then."

Miss Meeker is not nearly so interested in how her hands became beautiful as she is in ways in which she can make a beautiful use of them. She admits she is an amateur in what might be called the art of "handology," but after looking at photographs of the hands of Fay Compton and several other famous actresses, and after reading articles on how expressive the hands can be, Miss Meeker is determined to train her own "prettiest hands" in the same way. And she thinks other women with "prettiest hands" should do likewise.

Fay Compton, for example, achieves some of her finest stage effects with her hands. She is a player of highly emotional roles and her hands she calls "the agents of my heart." They italicize every pose and expression of emotion with supreme artistry. Apprehension, resignation, reflection, supplication, doubt, determination, fear, sorrow, anger—these and many other moods Miss Compton depends chiefly on her hands to "get over" to her audience.

Miss Phyllis Neilson-Terry, the noted Shakespearian actress, is another who has trained her exquisite hands and arms to "speak for her" even when her voice is still. London critics declare their belief that she could play an entire scene without uttering a sound and yet, with her hands, make the action clear and, by turns, dramatic, poignant, comic, tragic.

Attention to the uses of one's hands not only is advisable that one may express beauty, but because hands often "speak" without conscious volition on the part of their owner. They can betray him before he knows it.

Aaron M. Blattman, city finger-print expert of New York, says the hands are the windows through which may be seen the individual's brain, with all its screws and levers, its gears and its governors, with all its possibilities. Through the hand he studies the mind. Often, he has found, it expresses thoughts of which the owner of the hands is scarcely aware himself. And the language of hands is the same for all countries and all races.

Mr. Blattman has drawn up a sample guide to "hand talk." It is:

Fright—The hands and fingers are open and rigid.

Perplexity—The index finger scratches the head.

Horror—Open hand clasped to side of head.

Determination—Fists tightly closed.

Scheming—Lightly stroking chin between tips of fingers and thumb.

Diplomacy—Downward stroking of face from upper lip with open hand and palm.

Meditation—Hands behind back with one of them holding thumb of other hand.

Silence—Index finger crossing the lips.

Emphasis—Banging closed fists on table, desk or palm of other hand.

Caution—Thumb held close to one side of hand.

Affectation—With palm facing downward, tip of thumb lightly touching first joint of index finger and little finger protruding.

Recollection—Tips of fingers on eyebrows, with rest of hands covering eyes and face below.

Ostentation—Thumbs in vest sleeves (men only).

Freedom from Care—Backs of hands facing forward while walking.

Aggression—Fists tightly closed, with open thumbs.

Warning—Shaking upward pointed index finger in front of face on level with chin.

Most of these gestures are familiar to everybody. Not so obvious are the points Mr. Blattman reveals in a closer study of the structure of the hands. Hands are, he says, divided into three general classes, which he roughly describes as follows:

The Elementary Hand—Thick, coarse, with relatively short thumb and stumpy fingers, this hand shows that the individual has a low and coarse character. The same formation with soft, flabby palms belongs to the basest sensualists; with the palm hard, to the most despicable and ruthless brutes.

The Psychic Hand—This is the other extreme: a long, delicate hand, with long, thin, smooth and tapering fingers. It belongs to people who possess highly cultured characters. Mentally and physically, they are very delicate. They are visionary, idealistic, artistically sensitive, and have no sense whatever of those things commonly called "practical." They possess highly intuitive and impressionable personalities.

The Square or Practical Hand—This hand is midway between the two other extremes. The finger-tips, the fingers themselves and the palm all have a square appearance. This type contains many varieties and may be discovered in all walks of life. The owners live in a practical and materialistic world. Their most prominent characteristics are sincerity, tenacity, endurance and great power of application. They are extremely skeptical, conservative and conventional, but are the best workers and take upon themselves tasks of many years' duration. With knotty fingers, they are analytical and closely calculating in all matters. The same formation with short fingers and short thumb is found among the somewhat skilled laborers. With relatively long fingers and thumb, these hands are found among skilled engineers, surgeons, judges and the like. The longer the thumb and fingers, the more logical and intellectual will be the individual.

It is very seldom that one of these types appears in perfect form. A hand usually is a composite of two or all of the types.

All this is somewhat apart from the subject of women's beautiful hands and how to use them, but it has its bearing in showing that, whether we will it or not, our hands will "speak" for us. Sir Charles Ball, Meisner and other scientists declare that the corpuscles centering in the lines of the hand are the ends of nerves connected with the brain and that every thought which is impressed upon the brain produces a corresponding effect upon the hand.

We make, then, our hands what we are—as expressive of our characters as our faces. Every woman's hands, whether she is a worker or not, are an asset to her almost as great as her face. Let her make the best use of that asset!

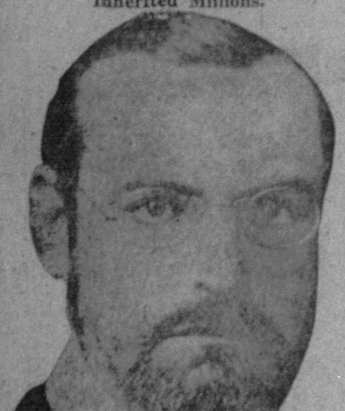
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The Romance of the Sculptress and the Multi-Millionaire

How the Runaway Marriage of Anna Hyatt, Who Once Made Music in a Coney Island Dance Hall and Later Became One of the World's Greatest Artists, Amazed Two Continents.



Archer M. Huntington, Who "Would Have Achieved Fame Even if He Hadn't Inherited Millions."





Miss Hyatt Herself Impersonated Her Favorite Heroine, Joan of Arc, at a Pageant in Madison Square Garden.



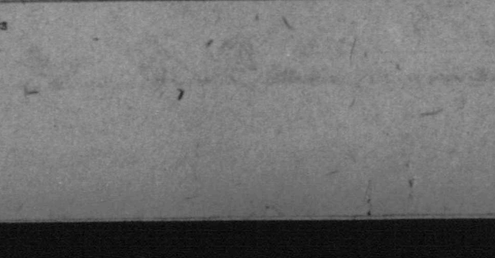
Miss Brenda Putnam, Miss Hyatt's Studio-Mate and Confidant.



Miss Abastenia St. Leger Eberle, Who Played the 'Cello in Miss Hyatt's Coney Island Dance Orchestra.



Miss Hyatt Wearing the Insignia of a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor Awarded Her by France in Recognition of Her Joan of Arc Statue.



Anna Hyatt Putting the Finishing Touches on Her Statue of Joan of Arc for the French Chapel of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York.

YOU never know what Dan Cupid is going to do next. Blind, too. Maybe that's why his arrows pierce hearts that you'd never expect he'd reach. He has been at it again, and his marksmanship has been so remarkable that it has set two continents talking. Who would have thought that he would have transfixed with one arrow Archer M. Huntington, the staid scholar and generous patron of the arts, and Anna Vaughn Hyatt, who used to lark it as a musician on week-ends with three other girls in Coney Island dance halls before she became the world's leading woman sculptor of animals.

Can you imagine what Mike Cassidy or Tony Scarroto or Jim the Dip would have said, ordering another schooner down at Coney from the handsome waiter, if he had been told that the girl "beating the box" for the dance would some day be mistress of a million-dollar palace on Fifth avenue?

But that is just what happened. Now Miss Hyatt—a capable musician long before she ever thought of sculpture—was not a lily blooming in Coney Island mud, but there she was. A couple of girls, violin students from Philadelphia, were having a hard time of it making ends meet. What more natural than to turn their talent to account? So with Miss Hyatt at the piano and Miss Abastenia St. Leger Eberle—since famous herself as a sculptor—scraping a booming 'cello, the impecunious students turned a pretty penny Saturdays.

Probably that was back in the days when Coney danced in its own inimitable style to "Waltz Me Around Again Willie," "Two Little Girls in Blue," and "After the Ball." And all the time they were grinding out tunes for Mamie and Sadie and Bessie, Miss Hyatt and her companions could have given a concert that music critics would have dignified with reviews in the papers the next day. In those days she was not dreaming of her wonderful equestrian statue of Joan of Arc which was later to ornament Riverside Drive and add to its fame as one of the most renowned thoroughfares in the world. She was planning to become a concert pianist.

If Dan Cupid plays queer pranks, Fate is a trickster no less. Harriet Randolph Hyatt, an elder sister, was preparing for an exhibit of plaster casts of her work at her studio in Cambridge, Mass., and Anna happened to be there. Then Fate came in the night in the form of a high wind and blew the plaster-casts from their pedestals. The younger girl, although untutored in the plastic art, threw herself into the work of rehabilitation with such energy and skill that her latent talent was disclosed immediately. And thus she became a sculptor.

It was through her fame as a sculptor that Anna Hyatt met Archer Huntington, and from that meeting grew the Indian summer romance which culminated in the "runaway wedding" which so surprised everyone a few weeks ago. For Mr. Huntington gave his age as fifty-three, and his bride is six years to a day younger.

Who says that Romance is dead in this prosaic age? Or who dares to say that Romance is only the prerogative of youth? Here are two whose lives make such statements merely polite fiction. Consider Mr. Huntington, if you please. His father died soon after he was born and his mother, a noted New Orleans beauty who, when he was born was only sixteen years old, married Collis P. Huntington, the California railway magnate. The multi-millionaire adopted the child and made him heir to one of the greatest fortunes in America.

Young Archer Huntington was a worthy inheritor of vast wealth. None of the Medicis was a more discriminating patron of the arts than is this scholarly modern favorite of fortune. Educated privately in New York and later in Spain, at the age of twenty-three Harvard University offered him a professorship in Sanscrit. Much of his life has been devoted to acquainting the New World with the splendor of Spain. He is the founder and president of the Hispanic Society of America, which he has housed magnificently in New York in a group of buildings on Broadway at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

In 1895 Mr. Huntington was married to Helen Manchester Gates, a poet of some note, whose father was an executor of Collis P. Huntington's will. They were divorced in Paris in 1918, and she married Granville Barker, the English novelist and playwright. Society wondered if Maecenas would devote himself solely to art, now that no marital ties held him.

No one guessed that Archer the Magnificent was interested in Anna the Famous. Oh, they were sly (or shy), those two. Perhaps love was slow to blossom in their hearts. Perhaps it is only the young whose ardor must be vocal for all their friends to hear. At any rate, nobody guessed that the quiet gentleman who left his Fifth avenue home near the Carnegie mansion for a visit to the unpretentious studio at 49 West Twelfth street was going for any purpose more romantic than a discussion of some new piece of sculpture or the discovery of some old Spanish manuscript of the days when Moor contended with Christian for the mastery of Spain.

But one morning early the pair waited at the marriage license bureau for the door to open. In a few minutes they were speeding back to the studio, which Miss Hyatt shared with Miss Brenda Putnam, herself a sculptor, daughter of the librarian of Congress. This morning Miss Putnam did no work on the wonderful fountains and sun dials which are among her most notable contributions to modern art. She was maid of honor.

"It was just their way of doing things," explained Miss Putnam. "They wouldn't have taken even me into their confidence if I were not living in the house. I had to know, for Miss Hyatt of course has packed all her belongings for removal to her new Fifth avenue home."

And now the art world is wondering what effect the sculptor's marriage will have upon her work.

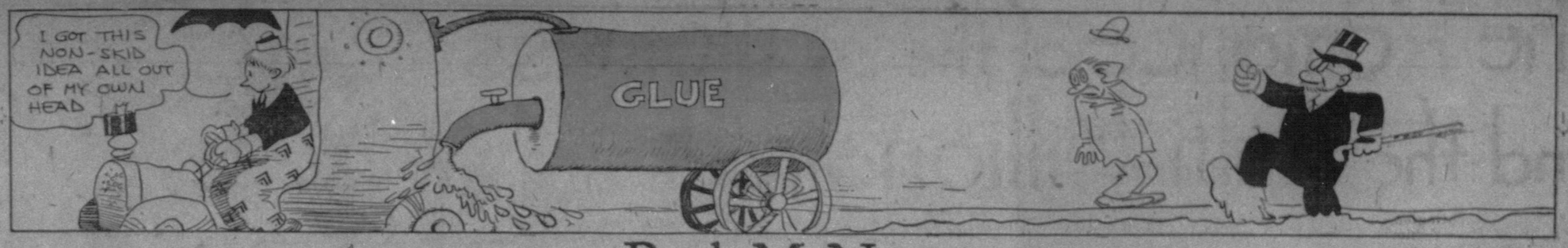
Her achievements in animal sculpture are scarcely less notable than those of Rosa Bonheur in painting. She is an officer of the Legion of Honor, acknowledgment of her rank as an artist by the French government. The first Joan of Arc of note which she did was the equestrian statue of the maid of Domremy for the market place of Orleans—the spot where the patron saint of France was burned at the stake. Her latest work is a full relief panel of Joan at Prayer which is in the French Chapel of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York.

What will she do next? No one can say, but her artist friends are hoping that the great happiness which has come to her will flower in some work far surpassing the sculptures which have ranked her with the best in her field today.

Already Mr. Huntington has given proof of his interest in his wife's work. Thanks to his sympathetic understanding, the first independent exhibition of the National Sculpture Society is now being held, absolutely free to the public. The work of the members of the society is on display in the Hispanic Museum, a fitting setting for the beautiful pieces of art. Surely Mrs. Huntington's influence can be traced in this generous provision for the adequate display of modern sculpture.

Mrs. Huntington's wonderful statue of Joan of Arc, destined for the Square at Orleans, has never been cast in bronze. The good Archbishop of Orleans, after approving the statue, found that the cost was too great for the church's resources at the moment—and then came the World War. It would be a fitting part of the great romance were the husband of the sculptor, one who loves France and understands her people and her art, to give to the Archbishop and his city the bronze statue which will stand forever in the square to commemorate the Maid and her devotion to her country.

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I GOT THIS NON-SKID IDEA ALL OUT OF MY OWN HEAD
GLUE

Boob McNutt


HERE I AM ALL READY TO ACT THE SCENE IN THE CROCKERY STORE
GEE, PEARL, WE'LL HAVE TO GET A LOT OF DISHES AND CUPS AND SAUCERS TO MAKE THE SCENE LOOK NATURAL
1


HELLO, IS THIS THE BREAKWELL CROCKERY STORE? I NEED A WHOLE LOT OF DISHES AND GLASSWARE FOR A MOVIE SCENE I'M TAKING
LET'S SEND BOOB FOR THEM SO THERE WON'T BE ANY DELAY
2


BOOB, DEAR, TAKE THIS NOTE TO THE MANAGER OF THE BREAKWELL CROCKERY STORE AND HE'LL GIVE YOU A LOT OF THINGS TO BRING BACK HERE RIGHT AWAY
LEAVE IT TO ME, SWEETHEART - I'LL BE CAREFUL
3


I'M HERE TO GET SOME CROCKERY FOR THE CRANKMORE FILM CO.
YES, SIR
4


BE CAREFUL - THESE THINGS ARE WORTH $5,623.62
I CARRIED THIS BUTTER DISH OUT ALL BY MYSELF WITHOUT BREAKING IT
5


A STREET-CLEANER'S LIFE ISN'T SO FANCY, BUT WE GET PLENTY OF FRESH AIR
6


7


BOYS, WILL YOU PLEASE HELP ME LIFT THIS TAXI BACK ON ITS FEET - I'M IN A HURRY
8


THANKS, BOYS - I OWE YOU EACH A GOOD CIGAR
9


WELL, I'M BACK AND EVERYTHING'S FINE - NOT EVEN A SCRATCH ON THE CAR
JUST IN TIME, BOOB - PEARL AND ALL THE ACTORS ARE READY FOR THE CROCKERY STORE SCENE
10


NOT ONE WHOLE SOUP PLATE IN THE LOT!
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HOW IS HE?
THE BEATING HE GOT FROM THE DIRECTOR MADE HIM A LITTLE CRAZY - HE ASKS FOR ALL THE OLD BROKEN DISHES AROUND THE HOSPITAL AND KEEPS TRYING TO PUT THEM TOGETHER
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COMIC SECTION
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Down on the Farm



