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NEFF STARTS OIL PROBE

Harding Steadily Improving

DANGER STAGE ALMOST PASSED SAY PHYSICIANS

Resting Comfortably After Day Called "Somewhat Restless"

TEMPERATURE NORMAL

Sister Received As First Visitor in Last Two Days

Associated Press Dispatch

PRESIDENTIAL HEADQUARTERS PALACE HOTEL SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—Brigadier General Charles E. Sawyer, personal physician to President Harding, after "taking stock" as he said, of the condition of his patient, declared shortly before 10 o'clock tonight that the chief executive's temperature was normal and had been so all day, his breathing was less labored than any evening since he became ill and his respirations was less frequent and his pulse between 116 and 120, as previously reported.

Declaring that "indications look favorable," General Sawyer warned that the task of president in regaining his health would be a tedious one, for he still "is a sick man." The physician also pointed that there most probably would be "ups and downs."

Associated Press Dispatch

PRESIDENTIAL HEADQUARTERS, PALACE HOTEL, San Francisco, Aug. 1.—President Harding was resting comfortably tonight after a day described by his physicians as "somewhat restless,' but yet marked by many indications that he was slowly but surely winning his way back to health. The restlessness of the day was in part due, it was said by the physicians, to a slight and only temporary attack of indigestion, resulting from inability to assimilate two soft boiled eggs eaten for breakfast.

Lung Condition Improved.

This unfavorable condition, however, was more than overbalanced by the decline of the president's temperature to normal for the first time.

Mention of both of these elements in the president's condition was made by the attending physicians in a bulletin issued at 4:50 o'clock this evening. The bulletin added that there was evidence of "slight improvement" in the condition of the lungs, where central patches of bronchopneumonia have existed since Monday. The pulse, according to the bulletin, had varied during the day from 116 to 120 and the respiration from 36 to 40.

Every official statement from the attending physicians today contained evidences of improvement and every report from the sick room told of steady progress. The result is that tonight the cautious physicians are almost ready to announce that all danger is past. They recognize, however, as they said in a bulletin issued shortly after 10 o'clock today, that "every care is necessary to assure freedom from further complications."

Receives First Visitor.

With this situation existing, there was a settling down during the day to the task of bringing about a complete recovery—a task that will require an inscfinite number of days, most of which will be spent here in San Francisco. The headquarters, hurriedly established here last Sunday morning, were altered in some respect to promote efficiency and so that there may be the same smooth-running conditions that obtained at the White House in Washington.

Another indication of progress was that the president received his first visitor in two days, Mrs. E. E. Remsberg, of Santa Anna, Cal., his sister. She, with her daughters, Katherine and Nell Marie, arrived in San Francisco early in the day, and shortly before noon she spent several minutes in her brother's room, but was requested by the physicians not to talk with him as it might tire him. She said there was indication that the president had been a "very sick man." At the request of Mrs. Harding, she and her daughters took quarters in the hotel and were the guests of Mrs. Harding at luncheon. Mrs. Harding, Mrs. Remsberg said, had stood the strain very well.

Will Return By Train.

Attorney General Daugherty also arrived during the day, but he did not see the president. Plans for the future following the restoration of the president's strength continued to discussed by members of the party and the plan seemingly most favored at this stage is for a return to Washington by what is commonly known as the overland route as soon as the president is able to travel. In such an event the presidential train

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THE WEATHER

Oklahoma: Thursday, thunder showers in east portion, unsettled in west portion, cooler; Friday, partly cloudy.

East Texas: Thursday, partly cloudy in south, probably local thundershowers and cooler in north portion. Friday, partly cloudy.

West Texas: Thursday and Friday, generally fair; cooler in north portion Thursday

Cosden and Marland Only Oil Refiners In Oklahoma To Suspend

Other Officials Claim Contracts to Force Operation Despite Chicago Agreement

Associated Press Dispatch

TULSA Okla., Aug. 1.—Only two oil refineries in Oklahoma have suspended operations in line with the unofficial agreement reached by mid-continent refiners in Chicago, July 27 for a voluntary shut down, it was revealed tonight.

Fires in the big Cosden and company plant here were drawn early this morning and the Marland Refining company plant at Ponca City has been closed since yesterday afternoon.

Must Supply Contracts.

Other refineries, however, have taken no steps to close and officials of several companies announced they would continue operating.

The Producers and Refiners corporation, with refineries at West Tulsa and Blackwell, through Assistant Sales Manager McDowell, announced that fuel oil contracts it had received would cause it to run its two plants at full capacity.

The Sapulpa Refining company at Sapulpa has gasoline and fuel oil contracts which will keep its plant busy, it was announced.

KANSAS CITY REFINERS SAY SHUTDOWN INDEPENDENT.

Associated Press Dispatch

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 1.—The two local representatives of oil refining companies which own properties in the mid-continent field, announced the closing of refineries today, each asserting the action to be independent.

O. W. Williams, presiden of the Mutual Oil company, asserted that the company's refinery at Chanute, Kan., had been closed. Only a small crew of workers in lubricating oils, he said, were retained.

"Two Weeks" Shutdown.

W. C. Gillen, local manager of Cosden and company, declared that he had been notified by D. W. Moffat, vice president of the company, of the closing "for at least two weeks" of the large refinery of the concern at Tulsa.

The refinery of the Sinclair Refining company in Kansas City, Kans., is operating with a small force of men, Victor C. Crandal, division manager asserted, on account of construction of an addition to the plant.

L. L. Marcell, president of the White Oil and Refining compnay, with refineries in the Mid-continent field, declared that his concern had found a market for its product and contemplated no shutdown.

At the Standard Oil refinery at Sugar Creek, near this city, it was reported that 150 men had been laid off recently, but that a force of 600 men was employed.

Gasoline Slashed Two Cents Along Pacific Coast

Associated Press Dispatch

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—The price of gasoline was reduced two cents a gallon to the consumer in the entire Pacific coast territory today by the leading oil companies.

No statement was issued in explanation by the companies, but the Standard Oil company and others announced recently that they were facing a problem of over-production. The reduction here was from 19 to 17 cents.

39 SOUTHERNERS IN ST. LOUIS VACCINATED

Associated Press Dispatch

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1.—Thirty-nine persons, including several white men, arriving here today from southern states, who announced their intention of remaining in the city, were vaccinated by physicians of the health department at union station. It was announced that the step was being taken by the city as a precaution as a result of a recent discovery of a number of smallpox cases here and reports of smallpox epidemics in the south.

Denby For President Club To Be Organized

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—A "Denby-for-president club" is to be organized here by former members of the Marine corps, according to Charles O. Blake, in charge of the movement. An organization meeting will be held August 7, at which plans will be discussed for putting the Denby boom on a national basis. The campaign is to be waged through ex-members of the marine corps and the navy.

Railroad Receiver Named

DENVER, Aug. 1.—Thomas H. Beacon, former vice president of the Rock Island railroad, today was appointed receiver of the Denver & Rio Grande Western railroad by Federal Judge J. Foster Symes. He will succeed Joseph H. Young, resigned.

QUITE COOL!

While Oklahoma Swelters With Mercury up to 109 at Tulsa, Montana Shivers and Calgary Reports Snow.

Quite cool in Wichita Falls, thank you!

But not so everywhere. Oklahoma collars had a hard time yesterday. At Muskogee the mercury shot up to 107.5, the hottest ever, while at Tulsa a record made in 1909 was tied—109 degrees. Bartlesville reported 108 degrees, highest this summer. The hottest official temperature was at Okeene, where 111 degrees was recorded.

But in Butte, Mont., the mercury hugged 40 degrees, with a raw northeast wind bringing out the overcoats. Fifteen miles west of Calgary, Alberta, crops were ruined by snow which whitened the foothills.

T-O FAIR HEADS MAKE REPORTS

"Everything Going Fine" General Opinion At Meeting

Preliminary reports by committee chairmen of the various divisions of the Texas-Oklahoma fair, now only two months away, made Wednesday night at a special meeting of the fair executive committee held at the Wichita club, indicate prospects for an even greater exhibition than anticipated.

Grand Stand Work Soon

Every member of the excutive committee was at the meeting last night and read reports. T. B. Noble said the contract for the $30,000 all steel grand stand to be erected at the fair grounds had been signed and actual construction would begin in a few days.

Will Young, in charge of the live-stock division, said entries of cattle, sheep, hogs and goats already had been made in advance in such numbers that this end of the fair will far exceed the showing made last season.

Fred Weeks, in charge of race track events, announced the track was being conditioned into excellent shape and that 250 race horses would enter the events.

Advertising Starts Soon

The advertising and publicity campaigns will begin shortly and a number of banners and signs will be ready for distribution in a few days.

Chairman Shepherd of the executive committee said from now on the committees and division chairmen would be on the job night and day until the actual opening of the fair.

WISCONSIN SENATOR FLARES AT GOVERNOR

Associated Press Dispatch

MADISON, Wis., August 1.—Senator H. J. Severson delared this afternoon that he would reply formally to the telegram from Governor J. J. Blaine demanding that he make known the names of the state officials alleged to have assaulted girls in locked state offices.

"I do not intend, however," he said, "to submit names of the persons involved to the governor, who fought the proposal for an investigation during the legislature and who in reality is an attorney for the defense."

TULSA WOMAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Associated Press Dispatch

KANSAS CITY, August 1.—Mrs. A. J. Pfister of Tulsa, was killed and four other persons dangerously injured when an automobile in which they were riding turned over near Drexel, Missouri.

The injuried were A. J. Pfister, his daughter, Vivian, and Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Henderson, of Kansas City, all of whom were brought to a local hospital.

Rancher Shot to Death

Associated Press Dispatch

LEADVILLE, Colo., Aug. 1.—Joseph P. Dunn, 60 years old, widely known rancher, was shot to death today by Thomas Walker, 53, during an exchange of rifle bullets that followed a dispute over cattle, according to Walker's story to the sheriff. Walker's ranch near Malta, Colo., three miles from Leadville, was the scene of the shooting.

Laborers to South Texas

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Aug. 1.—More than 800 negro and Mexican laborers have been sent from Austin and San Antonio to South Texas cotton fields, according to a summary issued today by Labor Commissioner Joseph S. Myers. Demands for labor thus far have been met, Myers said, and the co-operative system between state and federal agents is proving successful.

OKLAHOMA HEAT CLIMBS UPWARD TO 111 DEGREES

General Readings Range Well Above 105 Degrees

CORN CROP DAMAGED

Muskogee Hottest With Tulsa Running Close Race

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Aug. 1. Temperatures over Oklahoma rose to new heights today as a fierce sun and torrid wind withered growing things and drooped the spirits of humans. Mercury readings generally ranged over 105 degrees, and these were taken in government observatories, not in the shimmering waves of heat that danced about pavement, road and field.

Tulsa Water Muddied.

At Muskogee the temperature went to 111 degrees, five degrees hotter than the record of last year and the best on record since establishment of the weather bureau there. O'Keene also reported 111. Tulsa was only half a degree cooler and the discomfort there was increased by the fact that the city water was muddied by volcanic ash coming down the Arkansas river.

The corn crop has been badly damaged and at some points destroyed, while in the bottom lands it will not make more than half a crop, John A. Whitehurst, president of the state board of agriculture said tonight. The intense heat of July caused unusual evaporation, he said.

State Average 105.8.

Upland crops, Whitehurst said, is beginning to need rain, although the general condition of the crop is favorable and the sun is acting with deadly effect on the boll weevil.

The searing heat of today came on top of an extended heat wave. Yesterday the average temperature for the state was 105.8 according to compilations of the local weather bureau.

Some relief was seen in tonight's weather forecast, which promised thundershowers in eastern Oklahoma and unsettled weather than the western portions with lower temperatures tomorrow, and partly cloudy skies Friday.

UNIDENTIFIED BURK VICTIM IS BURIED

Special Dispatch to Record News

BURKBURNETT, Texas, August 1.—The funeral of J. H. Simpson, whose body has been held by the Collier Brothers Undertaking company, for the past 11 days for identification and location of relatives without avail, took place late Tuesday evening from the Collier chapel. Burial was made at the Burkburnett cemetery. The services of the occasion were held by Capt. J. E. Watkins of the local Salvation Army post.

Simpson met his death on Saturday July 21, while at work dismantling a large oil tank on the Manhattan lease, just north of Burkburnett, when a large steel rim fell, rushing his skull.

A national broadast of telegrams was made by the undertakers in an effort to locate family or find his previous home, and though many inquiries were received from points far and near, none led to the identity of the young man.

VISITOR DIES WHILE ON WICHITA VISIT

Mrs. W. O. Walker, 70, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred C. Barron, 1500 Twelfth street Wednesday night at 9 o'clock after a brief illness. Mrs. Walker, whose home is in Columbia, Tenn., visits her daughter in Wichita Falls every summer and winter and is well known here. The body will be shipped to Columbia Thursday afternoon for burial by the Merkle-Lunn Undertaking company.

Besides her daughter she is survived by one son, Bradley Walker, an attorney in Nashville, Tenn.

Houston to Get Direct Japanese Steamer Line

Associated Press Dispatch

HOUSTON, August 1.—An announcement was made today by Schutte and Clark, steamship agency, that an exclusive Japanese-Houston steamship service would be inaugurated early in October and would furnish monthly sailings thereafter.

Woldridge Funeral Held

The body of John Henry Woldridge, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs J. T. Woldridge of Burkburnett, who died at the local hospital Wednesday morning was taken to Burkburnett by the Merkle-Lunn Undertaking company for burial. Burial was in the Burkburnett cemetery late Wednesday afternoon.

RAILROAD BLOCKED

Associated Press Dispatch

PUEBLO, Colo., Aug. 1.—The Denver and iRo Grande western railroad to the west from Pueblo, is blocked by a washed out bridge this side of Florence, Colorado. The joint double track of the Rio Grande Western and the Colorado-Southern railroads between Pueblo and Walsenburg is blocked by a washout 30 miles south of Pueblo. Several highway bridges in this vicinity are out.

Wichita Falls Citizens Buy Control of the Record News



BURNS HEGLER

Burns Hegler Moves From El Dorado, Kans., to Join N. R. Buckley, Present Business Manager in Purchase of Majority Interest

The control of The Record News today passes into the hands of Wichita Falls citizens.

N. R. Buckley, business manager of The Record News, and Burns Hegler, now a resident of Wichita Falls and formerly co-publisher of the El Dorado Times of El Dorado, Kans., have bought the controlling interest in The Record News from The Newspaper Publishing company, which operates a string of Texas newspapers.

Mr. Hegler and Mr. Buckley become co-publishers of The Record News. Hegler will become editor and secretary-treasurer, and Buckley will be business manager and president of The Record News company. Mr. Hegler has been favorably known to the personnel of The Newspaper Publishing company for the past 15 years as a newspaper man of high excellence. Mr. Buckley has held important positions with the publishing concern for five years and has established an enviable reputation as a newspaper man. He has been a resident of Wichita Falls for more than a year.

Because of The Newspaper Publishing company's confidence in the ability and integrity of both men, the publishing company has agreed to retain a minority interest in The Record News.

Mr. Hegler arrived in Wichita Falls Tuesday to make this his permanent home. Mr. Hegler and son will join him in the near future.

"I have desired to become permanently identified with Texas life, said Hegler yesterday, "ever since a number of years ago when I was with the Associated Press at Dallas. For some time I have been shaping my affairs to that end. Naturally the position Wichita Falls holds in the state directed my attention to this city as the most desirable location in the state of my choice."

Mr. Buckley, in commenting on The Record News change, said:

"I wish to thank Wichita Falls for the generous reception given The Record News in its efforts to improve and keep pace with the forward march of the city. My principal desire in associating with Mr. Hegler to gain control of the property is to insure myself in the right to remain in Wichita Falls permanently. And I feel a Wichita Falls owned and controlled Record News can meet more promptly and intimately the changing needs of the community."



N. R. BUCKLEY

Mr. Buckley's newspaper training includes such representative newspapers as The Kansas City Star, Cleveland Press and The Chicago Tribune. He became business manager of The Beaumont Journal soon after his association with The Newspaper Publishing company, five years ago, and has been business manager of The Record News, since its purchase by The Newspaper Publishing company.

SECRECY OVER NEGOTIATIONS

Parliament's Close Today May Bring Forth Policy

Associated Press Dispatch

LONDON, August 1.—Whether the closing sitting of parliment tomorrow, will reveal the next step of the British government in the difficult European problem is still unknown. The cabinet's protonged discussion of the situation today, has only brought thus far, the announcement that Premier Baldwin and Lord Curzon will make simultaneous statements in the house of commons and the lords respectively, tomorrow, but not the slightest indication of the nature of these statements.

Poincare Demands Secrecy.

The prime minister's admission in the commons today, that in the absence of permission from the French and Belgian governments for the publication of their notes, the debate would be restricted, seems to point to the fact that the government does not consider the time has arrived to take any new line. M. Poincare, the French premier, has all along insisted upon the secrecy of the negotiations and, until he lifts this embargo, or the British government decides that it is impossible to suffer further delay, it is difficult to see how there can be any publication or revelations of the communications which have passed between the allied governments.

Hopeless as the prospect of an agreement with France seems, the probabilities point to another attempt by the government to achieve such agreement by further negotiation, in which case Premier Baldwin's statement in parliment is likely to be comparatively brief, dealing with the British position and embodying a renewed warning to France that the negotiations cannot be indefinitely protected.

Denver Society Woman Pleads Guilty on Liquor

Associated Press Dispatch

DENVER, Aug. 1—Mrs. Katherine O'Connor, Denver society woman, pleaded guilty in United States district court here this afternoon to illegal possession of liquor and illegal transportation. She was fined $400, which her attorney paid.

Cotton Firm Dissolved

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 1.—The cotton firm of H. and C. Newman, Inc., established in 1813, and one of the largest in New Orleans, was dissolved today, according to an announcement by Harris Hyman, president of the firm. Its assets were acquired by the new firm of Harris Hyman and company, capitalized at $1,500,000.

La Follette Off To Europe With Four Senators

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Declaring that he intended to obtain first hand information regarding conditions in Europe, so that his "constituents would have nothing on me," Senator Robert M. La Follette sailed on the George Washington today with four other senators who are to attend the inter-allied parliamentary union at Geneva.

Those sailing with him were Senators McKellar of Tennessee, McKinley of Illinois, Robinson of Arkansas, and Swanson of Virginia. Representative John E. Raker of California also was in the party.

In regard to the political situation, Swanson said: "It is impossible to say this early who the democratic nominee should be for the presidential election. The man should be a progressive liberal."

3 BURNED TO DEATH IN MILWAUKEE FIRE

Associated Press Dispatch

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 1.—Three men were burned to death and three others are missing in a fire which swept the Greenfield avenue plant of Milwaukee Coke and Gas company here today. The fire started with an explosion in the building used for the storage of benzol and spread so rapidly and burned so fiercely that firemen were unable to get within a block of the place until it had partly burned itself out.

FRANCE TAKES UP FOR NEGROES

Tourists Warned Of Racial Equality

Associated Press Dispatch

PARIS, Aug. 1.—The foreign office's recent warning regarding the behavior of tourists who have manifested aversion to being thrown into company in public places with colored men from the French colonies, was repeated in an editorial in the semi-officials Tampa today with some explanatory comment. The editor makes special reference to "those—very rare—among our American guests who had forgotten that the French republic makes no distinction between the inhabitants of its immense empire whatever their race or color.

"They will unodoubtedly henceforth," adds the article, "see in them nothing but Frenchmen like other Frenchmen, and will recall that their own country, like ours, accepted during the war the co-operation of black troops."

The editorial reiterates that it was only a small number of visiting tourists who were affected by the note, "which was drawn up with the tact and moderation expected from officials connected with the Quai D'Orsay."

GOVERNOR SEEK CAUSE FOR HIGH GASOLINE PRICE

Hopes to Obtain Early Relief in Courts From Prices

NEFF WANTS REASONS

Humble and Humphreys Companies in Secret Conferences

Associated Press Dispatch

AUSTIN, Aug. 1.—Governor Neff late today took a hand in alleged combinations in fixing prices of oil and gasoline with the announcement that he has instituted an extended investigation into complaints that have come to the state railroad commission and other state officials. It was stated authoritatively that the governor has taken up the matter with United States oil and gas officials and that the investigation probably will extend into other states in an effort to obtain information regarding reported price fixing.

Hopes For Court Action

Investigators of the state already are working on the oil and gasoline inquiry, it was said. The governor expressed hope that within a short time, steps will be taken through the courts or otherwise to remove the cause for the high price of gasoline, considering the price of crude oil.

It also was learned that officials of the Humphreys and Humble Oil companies, two of the largest operators in Texas, were in conference with state officials today. The nature of the conference were not made known.

Wants To "Find Out"

In a statement issued tonight, Governor Neff said he has had conferences with the attorney general, representatives of the railroad commission and of the federal oil and gas division in an effort "to find out why the price of gasoline remains exceedingly high while the price of crude oil continues to drop each day."

The governor said the nation is producing more than 500,00 barrels of oil daily over the amount consumed and exported. The pipe lines, he continued, are able to accept for transportation not more than 60 per cent of the oil offered.

"Some One Has Blundered"

"It can certainly be said that some one, somewhere has blundered," the chief executive said, "for the consumers of gasoline are getting no benefit from the big supply of crude oil."

Neff declined to say what steps he plans in the investigation. The railroad commission and attorney general's department have been investigating the oil situation for over a week.

COTTON CROP IN TEXAS HARD HIT

Estimate Places Total Crop At 11,516,000 Bales

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The department of agriculture, in a statement tonight, commenting on its report early in the day, which forecast cotton production this year at 11,516,000 bales from its condition of 67.2 per cent of a normal on July 25, declared "the causes of the decline of the condition of the cotton crop during the month ending July 25, were conspicuous in two important states, Texas and Georgia." Florida was hard hit, according to the statement.

Texas Leaf Worm Active.

"Every district in Texas," the statement said, "suffered deterioration of condition due principally to lack of moisture, but also due to high temperatures and the ravages of insects."

"With the exception of counties in South Texas, little material damage has thus far been done by the weevil or the boll worm in that state, but the leaf worm has been very active, particularly in the south. Serious damage is reported from the south district of Texas from the effect of what is known as 'the cotton flea,' a relatively new pest. The foregoing causes were sufficient to make the crop deteriorate six points during the month in the state as a whole to 71 per cent, or the average of the past 10 years on July 25," continued the report.

Georgia's cotton crop, which has had a 10-year average of 70 per cent on July 25, fell eight points during the month, this year, to 48 per cent, the lowest on record for that date.

WACO KID'S BROTHER SAYS KILLER CAUGHT

Associated Press Dispatch

WACO, Texas, Aug. 1.—In the arrest of Harry Brown, alias William Morgan, for the murder of C. W. "Waco Kid" Powell, in St. Augustine, Fla., in 1921, Chicago police have "got the right man" was the substance of a wire sent tonight to the chief of police by R. D. Powell of Waco, brother of "The Waco Kid."

R. D. Powell, who operates an automobile rent company, told the News Tribune tonight that there was no doubt in his mind that Brown killed his brother, after he had been shown Associated Press dispatches from Chicago naming "Little Alfred" Brown, brother of Harry, as a near-accomplice in the crime.

Mellon Financial Backer Of International Bridge

Associated Press Dispatch

WINDSOR, Ont., Aug. 1.—Andrew Mellon, American secretary of the treasury, is financially backing the Detroit-Windsor bridge, it was learned today when a letter coupling Mellon's name with the project was issued to share holders by the American transit company.

Hines to Confer Again On Tuskegee Hospital

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Director Hines of the veterans' bureau expects to confer Friday with a committee of Tuskgee, Alabama, in an effort to reach an agreement on the proposal of the president to make the veterans' hospital near there an entirely negro institution.

PIONEER TEXAN DIES.

HOUSTON, August 1.—Funeral services were held this afternoon for Clem H. Allen, pioneer Texan, who died last night after several months of failing health.

Davis Convinced His Hat's in Ring For Presidency

Associated Press Dispatch

TOPEKA, Kans., Aug. 1.—Governor Jonathan M. Davis returned today from Chicago quite thoroughly convinced, he admits, "that his hat is in the ring" as a candidate for the democratic nomination for president.

"Before I went to Chicago last Sunday I hadn't given the matter much serious thought," Davis said today, "but what surprised me was that concern in the candidacy announced here by my Kansas friends had preceded me. Even though I didn't throw it there, I must admit that my hat is in the ring. So it's up to me to acquiesce and do what little I can to help. I feel confident that once the Kansas democrats know I'm a candidate, they will back me up with a solid delegation.

"While I was in Chicago men of much influence came to see me and sought appointments. I didn't know that they even knew there was such a fellow as Jonathan M. Davis. One of these interviewers was one of the best known bankers in Chicago.

STOCK BROKERAGE HOUSE WILL QUIT

Associated Press Dispatch

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 1.—Doremus, Daniels and company, a stock brokerage house with offices in Atlanta, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and Birmingham, announced late today that customers had been notified that the concern was going into liquidation and would discontinue business. Frank Doremus, senior member, declared the firm's finances were more than ample to pay off all outstanding obligations.

"We have decided to close out," Doremus said, "because of an anticipated depression in general business."

Divorce Decree Granted Against Movie Comedian

Associated Press Dispatch

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 1.—The superior court today granted Marian Lillian St. John an interlocutory decree of divorce, from Al St. John, motion picture comedian, whom she charged with cruelty. Mrs. St John was given the custody of their five year old daughter, Mary Jane.

PROMINENT TENNESSEAN DIES

Associated Press Dispatch

JACKSON, Tenn., Aug. 1.—Judge A. V. Stovall, aged 74, for a half century prominent in the public life of Tennessee, died today in Rochester, Minn.

STOLEN WEDDING RING RECOVERED

Deputy Jack Miller Seizes Cleo Lanier at Door Of Own Room

Cleo Lanier was arrested Wednesday afternoon by Chief Deputy Sheriff Jack Miller and is said to have confessed to robbing two houses within the past two weeks, one being the home of Oscar Lochridge at Iowa Park.

Miller says he was idling out on Bluff street, when he saw Lanier coming out of a rooming house.

"I knew he didn't have any business out there, so I decided to investigate. After Lanier left I went to the lady who runs the rooming house, and asked her if I might search Lanier's room. The search lead to the finding of a diamond wedding ring, a bag of pennies, two watches and gun. I recognized the ring as the one Mrs. Lochridge reported having lost, so I stationed myself in the hall to await the return of Lanier," Miller said.

Miller "Covers" Him

Exactly at 2 o'clock Lanier came rushing in his room for a bathing suit to go swimming with a crowd waiting for him. Miller rushed from his place of hiding and "covered" him. Lanier began at once to confess. Miller put him under arrest and started to the courthouse with him.

On the way to the courthouse Lanier said, "I guess Mrs. Lochridge didn't miss her earrings, did she?" Miller told him he did not think she did, and asked Lanier where they were. "Go with me and I will show you," he is said to have answered. They retraced their steps to Lanier's room, and after plundering through a dresser drawer, Lanier is said to have brought out the earrings and handed them over to Miller.

Lanier is in the county jail awaiting trial for the robberies.

Hodgins Plans Police Bureau Of Identification

A bureau of identification will probably be established in connection with the Wichita Falls police department, Chief of Police George Hodgins stated on his return Wednesday from Fort Worth and Dallas, where he had been Tuesday investigating the systems used in those two cities.

Chief Hodgins made the investigating trip at the instance of the city council which voted Monday night for the police chief to see what could be done about establishing a better system for the apprehension of criminals.

The police chief said the drive against the criminal element in Wichita Falls will continue until all loafers are at work and out of town. "We have been handicapped in our work by not having a bureau of identification as is used in every large city in Texas and many of the smaller ones," Hodgins said in discussing the proposed innovation.

LEAST SENSE OF HUMOR HERE

Talk about your meanest man in town—talk about your man with the least heart in town—talk about them, but here's the man with the least sense of humor in Wichita Falls.

This fellow—rather an oversized boy, with long legs and oversized feet—was strolling down Eighth street between Indiana and Scott about 9:30 last night when all at once his feet took a notion to leave the sidewalk. There wasn't any water on the sidewalk nor were there any banana peelings, but all the same he landed on one of the most delicate sections of his anatomy.

It may have hurt him, and it was not a bit funny to him, but a large crowd couldn't resist bursting into roars of laughter. Nonchalantly the man with the least sense of humor in Wichita Falls picked himself up and deliberately and slowly walked away, head high in the air, without a sign that anything out of the ordinary had happened. No sir, there wasn't anything funny in that for him—more ours.

To cap it off, he walked into Tipton's to weigh himself, possibly fearing that he had lost weight.

Heard Over Texas

PALESTINE.—Lawrence D. McKenzie was released late yesterday under $1,000 bond after he surrendered following the shooting to death of Camp Brown, negro, member of a road gang. He said the negro became impudent and advanced on him with a shovel.

BROWNSVILE.—Juan Sanchez was shot in the abdomen and may die and R. H. Johnson, constable of Harlingen, was shot through the shoulder last night when Sanchez resisted arrest. The constable says Sanchez fired the first shot.

FT. WORTH.—William Young Barnett, 7 years old, died here last night of lockjaw. His home was in Krum, where he was injured a few days ago.

SAN ANTONIO.—Jewelry valued at $2,500 was stolen from the quarters of Lieutenant Colonel Colbruiser at Fort Sam Houston some time Monday, according to reports to city detectives. The robbery was effected while the family was away and was not discovered until their return Tuesday.

FORT WORTH—C. H. Loomis, 70, who was overcome late yesterday by heat, died last night. This is the second heat fatality here of the season.

AUSTIN—Adjutant General Burton returned today from San Antonio where Monday he went with a detachment of rangers to investigate alleged gambling liquor violations. Barton stated a detachment of rangers will remain in San Antonio indefinitely and will continue the investigation.

SAN ANTONIO—Police last night made a raid on a residence here, confiscating whiskey, beer and distilling equipment valued at $15,000. Included in the haul were two stills, 100 pints of whisky, 12 barrels of beer, 23 barrels of mash and many other containers filled with whiskey.

FIANCEE VISITS CROWN PRINCE



The crown prince with his fiancee, Lady Louise Mountbatten, aboard the Swedish flagship, Sverige.

Lady Louise Mountbatten, whose engagement to the crown prince of Sweden has been announced, recently visited her fiance on his flagship, the Sverige, while the Swedish fleet was in port at Sheerness, England.

Waurika Society and Personals

WAURIKA, Okla., Aug. 1.—Mrs. J. A. Norvall and little grand-daughter Gennell of El Reno, Okla., arrived in Waurika Sunday afternoon and will spend a couple of weeks with the former's daughter, Mrs. Mac Leake and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Renfrow and little daughter Frances were in Waurika Monday night enroute to their home in Ardmore. They have been spending their vacation at the home of Mrs. Renfrow's parents at Hereford, Texas.

Miss Verna Davidson and Miss Marie Isabel drove to Ardmore last Saturday afternoon to meet Mrs. Isabel who has been spending a couple of weeks with relatives at Hugo and McAllister, Oklahoma. Miss Marie visited relatives in Ardmore and Miss Verna was the guest of her friend Miss Thelma Heenan.

Mrs. Dick Marsh, nee Miss Thelma Stuard, of Duncan, spent last Saturday in Waurika the guest of her cousin, Miss Edna Stuard and other relatives. She was joined in her visit, Sunday, by Mr. Marsh and they drove to their home that evening.

On account of the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Walkup of Fairfax, Mo., on Thursday of last week, Mrs. Fred Pittman and son, Walter Clifford, delayed their departure to Missouri until Tuesday of this week. They will be gone until time for school to begin.

Earl Clevenger came home Tuesday afternoon from Stillwater, where he has been attending A. & M.

Miss Mary Louise Green spent the last week-end at Hastings, where she was the house guest of Miss Lucille Carden. Miss Mary Shaw of Mountain View was also a week-end visitor at the Carden home, the three girls will there join the home folk for a vacation trip to Idaho Springs, Colorado.

Miss Nelle Killebrew of Waxahachie, Texas, who will be remembered by many Waurikans as having frequently visited Miss Frances Lemons, has been in California this summer attending the Dennishawn school of dancing and is one of the dancers in Doug Fairbanks' new picture, "The Thief of Bagdad."

Miss Opal Hunter, who has spent guest of relatives and friends, left most of the summer in Waurika the Fort Worth Monday to return to her home in Phoenix, Arizona.

E. D. Sessions and family came home Friday night from a week's visit with relatives at Lawton, Oklahoma City and a short stay at Sulphur.

Mrs. Will Aydelotte came home Wednesday from Houston, Texas, where she has been for the past month, caring for a sister who has been very ill. She and Mr. Aydelotte will leave the last of this week for an extended stay in Texarkana, Texas, where Mr. Aydelotte will make that city his headquarters for a month or more, and Mrs. Aydelotte wil lvisit friends.

Henry Nall is Waurika's only representative at the Citizen's Military Training camp which is meeting in Fort Sill.

Walter Pruet, father of our fellow townsman Robert Pruet, is here from his home at Norman enjoying a visit with his son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris and Miss Ruby Biffle drove to Duncan Saturday night and remained until Monday morning visiting Mrs. Morris' sister, Mrs. L. E. Grooms and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hohler and son Carl were in Dallas Monday and Tuesday of this week buying goods for their variety store. The store was looked after by Mrs. E. G. Ray during their absence.

"Daddy" W. J. Watson had a message Tuesday that his son Hugh who is employed by a contractor at Norman, had fallen down an incline and was pretty badly shaken up. His father went to see him that day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ray, accompanied by the latter's sister, Miss Mary Chambers, spent last Sunday in Bowie, the guests of relatives.

Miss Lavelle Harrel came home Wednesday from Norman where she has been in attnedance at the summer term of O. U.

Mrs. Harry Merchant of El Reno was in Waurika last Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Ray returned Saturday from a week's trip to Mineral Wells and Poolville, Texas.

Lake Cameron came home Saturday from Stillwatre, Oklahoma, where he has been in attendance at the summer term of the A. & M. colege. He has signed a contract as principal of a consolidated school in Cotton county, about eight miles from Temple.

Miss Ruby Doss left Sunday for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Burkburnett and Wichita Falls.

Miss A. G. Doss left Wednesday for her summer vacation which will be spent with relatives and friends at Burkburnett, Wichita Falls and Tonkawa, Oklahoma. Miss Doss, who is one of Jefferson counties most efficient school teachers, will teach at Clouderoft his ensuing year.

Miss Hetty Belle patterson and Mrs. C. R. Phelan and son, Ralph, returned Friday from their motor trip through Texas. They visited Fort Worth, Hillsboro, Georgetown and San Antonio. On the way home they camped for the entire trip and are very enthusiastic over tourist park courtesies that were extended them. They had a very fortunate trip as they had no trouble of any kind coming home with Waurika air still in their tires. On the return trip they spent a day with the J. E. Howard family, former Waurikans, at Temple, Texas, and report the Howard family as well and prospering. Howard is in the merchantile business at that place.

Misses Myrtle Wilson, Eula Mitchell, Mary Tabor, Anna Cofer, came home Friday from Edmond where they have been in school this summer.

E. E. Weiss was in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Stewart and two children, Charles and Barbara, of Wichita Falls are spending a week with Mrs. Maude Lemons and daughter, Miss Frances.

Mrs. Roma Davis and son, Roma Jr. of Healdton, came Saturday for a two weeks' visit at the Gail Durham and CVirgil Davis homes.

Mrs. J. B. Leach and daughter, Mrs. Atkins of Comanche drove down Friday to visit at the Gail Durham home. They were accompanied by little Miss Dorothy Atkins who spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Mary Wade Durham.

Walter Roberts, postman, begins his vacation next Monday. In the two weeks time which is allotted him he expects to visit his daughter, Mrs. Cleve Chambers at Carter, and also his friend, Rev. J. T. Means at Sayre, Oklahoma. On his return he will spend a couple of days with a sister at Burkburnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Coker and son, Billie, left on Friday for a motor trip through Texas, visiting the Rio Grande valley before their return.

Mrs. Jean Dorothy Brown and little daughter, Dorothy Ruth, came home Monday after a two weeks' visit with relatives at Wilson, Oklahoma.

W. J. Watson left Tuesday for a month's vacation trip which will include stops at Nashville, Tenn., and Decatur, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Staton of Byers, Texas, have leased the Summer's hotel and will take possession Aug. 15. They are experienc d hotel people and the house will probably enjoy the same liberal patronage that it has under the able management of Mrs. Summers. Mr. and Mrs. Summers are rather undecided about the future but consider it quite unlikely that they will remain in Waurika.

WAURIKA SOCIETY

Thursday afternoon of last week the Wesley class of the Methodist Sunday school met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Burke. Despite the hot weather there was a very interesting lesson, and an enjoyable social time.

The meeting was presided over by the class vice-president, Mrs. M. C. Groseclose, in the absence of the president. Mrs. J. H. Burke read the 42nd Psalm and gave a very beautiful exposition of it. Roll call was responded to by golden texts from the last quarter's lessons.

After making some definite plans for future work, some discussions of class development, and a general resume of class work, the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pittman entertained with a one o'clock luncheon last Sunday. The table was beautifully laid, with a centerpiece and cut glass baskets of scarlet verbenas and green ferns.

The guests who enjoyed the lovely three course luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walkup of Fairfax, Mo., and Mrs. Josephine Carter and son Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cole and Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Dawson and son William spent the afternoon and enjoyed lovely refreshments that evening, at the Pittman home.

Thursday night of last week the Delphians gave a benefit lawn fete on the lovely lawn at the Landon home. A most enjoyable musical program was rendered, consisting of songs by Miss Anna Shook, Miss Verna Davidson and Miss Ruth Cashion, each of whom sang in her usual pleasing manner, Miss Helen Huffman accompanist. Miss Esther Groseclose and Miss Rebecca Green, two of Waurika's talented readers, each gave a pleasing number and little Miss Avanelle Summers gave a pianologue that was greatly enjoyed. The program closed with the burlesque "The King of the Cannibal Isles" by Misses Esther Groseclose, Nora Maupin, Mary Browning, Lena Mae Yoder, Verna Davidson, Voncille Womack, Helen Collins, Gladys Davidson, Dorothy and Sue Jane Wiseman, Pollyanna Heacock, and Ree Perry Snider.

Ice cream and cake, punch, and soda pop were served through out the evening. A grab-bag and a fortune teller, helped to swell the proceeds, which netted a nice sum for the club treasury.

Last Saturday night some of Waurika's young people deemed it highly expedient to take advantage of the great beauty of the harvest moon, and chaperoned by Mrs. Maude Lemons, hied themselves to the river for an all-night camping party.

Well-filled baskets provided a most appetizing supper, there was swimming and boating a mid-night lunch, a few winks of sleep sandwiched in with the merry-making, and after a morning's swim and a good breakfast cooked over the campfire, the party came back to town very early Sunday morning. Those in the crowd were Misses Marjorie Sneed, Mary Frances Lemons, Hazel Furnage, Ruby Stuard, Olga Denney and Rudde Tait of Ardmore, the house guest of Miss Marjorie Sneed, Leslie Contway, Jimmie Pepin, Jess Phelan, Leon Weiss, Tyler Carter and Paul Ketchen.

MORE ABOUT HARDING

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would make no attempt at speed, would run on a schedule that would take it through heated valleys and across the desert during the cool hours of the night so far as possible, and at other times stop for the night so that the rest of the president might not be disturbed.

There was no attempt to fix any date for departure from San Francisco for manifestly the president's condition will not permit it, as encouraging as it appeared today to be. Any plan decided on will be subject to the advice of the physicians.

No Hurry to Move.

The president asked General Sawyer during the day if it would be possible to begin the trip to Washington Sunday, but was told by his physician that no thought had yet been given to that question.

The doctors in attendance would consent to his further travels at the earliest moment he was sufficiently recovered in health and strength to start home, the president was told.

General Sawyer reiterated that the president realized his condition, and while all of the members of the party would be glad to have him once more in the White House, the present hotel accommodations were satisfactory in every respect and there would be no hurry to move.

The president was understood to have made inquiry during the day as to the "play" his prepared address on foreign relations got in the newspapers. It was released for publication this morning in the form in which he had prepared it. He had spent considerable time in writing it, and naturally is anxious to learn what sort of a reception it got.

Women Are All the Same.

From "Last Week," by Nora D. Vines.

It is a funny thing, but while you can divide men into men and artists, women are all the same; they're all artists of a kind and women as well; any woman is better than a mediocre man, but no woman is as good as a clever man.

SPEEDERS AND DRUNKS LEAD

61 Traffic Violators and 27 Drunks Listed In July

Speeders and drunks with the lace bordered dish rag for July in the annals of arrests made by the police and detective departments, the official blotter at the city hall station shows.

Out of a total of 169 arrests made in July, traffic violators lead the list with 61 and those charged with drunkenness were second with 27 names on the blotter. There were 20 arrested for vagrancy and 24 suspicious characters held for investigation. July weather was an excuse for fighting and these were charged with affray. Those who employed different methods of disturbing the peace numbered 18. There were only four in July charged with gaming, this being a record, though negative.

If this looks bad here is encouragement. In June there were 261 arrests while July shows only 169. A difference of 92 for the better indicates Wichita Falls is on the up grade so far as misdemeanors go.

The best kind of vacation that we get is when the boss goes on his vacation.

WICHITA PLEASURE GROUNDS
EMPRESS
THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY



WILLIAM FOX presents
CHARLES JONES IN SNOWDRIFT
2-Part Comedy—"DOG SENSE"

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Today, Friday and Saturday



THE FOG
WITH AN ALL STAR CAST

Manhattan Shirts



Included With Our Entire Stock of Broadway and Eagle Brands——

On Sale at Greatly Reduced Prices

This is an annual event and affords a great opportunity to buy the highest grade shirts at reduced prices from Aug. 2 to Aug. 11. In addition we have included our entire stock of other makes in men's shirts at the same reductions. Supply your needs now.



$2.50 and $2.75 Shirts now $1.85
$3 and $3.50 Shirts, now $2.65
$4 Shirts on sale at $3
$4.50 and $5 Shirts now $3.65
$6 and $6.50 Shirts now $4.55
$7.50 Shirts on sale $5.65
$8.50 Shirts on sale $6.25
$10 Shirts on sale $7.45

Summer Underwear Also Reduced

Choice of the entire stock of men's summer underwear at the following prices.

$1 Underwear, now 85c
$1.25 Underwear at $1.05
$1.50 Underwear at $1.15
$1.75 Underwear at $1.45
$2 Underwear at $1.70
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Today, Friday and Saturday
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The Funniest 2-Reel Comedy Ever Shown
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All the Christie Stars in Black Face — Something New, Very Funny.

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"THE HOUSE OF BARGAINS"
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SPECIAL TWO DAYS SALE
Friday and Saturday
In this two days sale we are featuring a clean-up of many summer items at as low as half their regular price.

Ratine in solid colors at the special price of ..... 58c yd.

All Men's Straw Hats at $1.00

All Men's Blue and Grey Work Shirts. Regular $1.25 value ... 98c

One table Ladies Hats. Your choice $4.98

All Men's Palm Beach Suits $8.35

One assortment dress shirts with and without collar. Regular $1.25 value, at the special price of 89c

All Tissue Gingham. Genuine Lorraine at the special price of, yard 43c

Men's pin check unions, regular $1.25 value 95c

One table Ladies' Hats. Some felts in this lot, at $1.49

Manchester Chambrays in good colors, at the special price of, yd. 12c

50 DRESSES
One lot Ladies' Dresses. Voiles, linens, taffetas and crepe de chines, at the special price of $6.49

35 DRESSES
One lot Ladies' Dresses. Tub silks, voiles, ratines, knitted silks and ginghams at the special price of... $2.89

EGG CONTEST AT T-O FAIR

Officials Give Permission To Hold Contest At Grounds

AL OLSTON
Record News Poultry Editor.

The first annual egg laying contest ever held in Wichita Falls will be held at the fair ground. This decision was received after some confusion as to where it would be held, but the managers of the contest received permission from officials of the fair recently to hold the contest at the fair grounds. The contest will come to a conclusion during the fair and it is expected that there will be much interest in it, as many are already beginning to send in their applications.

Cause of Moulting.

Many farmers are complaining of the slack up in egg production due to the moulting hens. Moulting is one of the many valuable points to be considered in determining the production quality of a hen. Fowls, according to the law of nature, change their old coats of plumage each year for a new coat. This process is termed moulting. Egg production with rare exceptions, ceases during the moult because the demand for feather growing nutriment is too great to permit egg production.

The time of moult is influenced in some cases by environment or neglect, but it is generally true that a hen moults when she has concluded her laying season. A high producing hen naturally has a longer laying season and will moult in the fall. A low producing hen, with a shorter laying season, will moult early in the summer. The high producing hen will moult rapidly while the low producer will moult slowly.

Under ordinary conditions, a hen that has completed or is well into moult in July should be discarded from the flock as a breeder, but may be retained to produce early fall and winter eggs provided she shows vitality and other tests to prove that she is not an absolute slacker. A hen that has not started to moult in August or is just beginning to moult in September or October, should be retained as a desirable breeder. The late moulting hen will be characterized in the fall by a soiled, broken and thread bare plumage, whereas the early moulting, hen will be characterized by new, clean plumage, or a growth of new feathers.

Body Capacity.

A good laying hen must have a good body capacity that she may consume a large amount of feed and still have room for her egg-producing machinery.

In order to test a hen for body capacity, place your hand over her sternal processes, index finger pressing up against the pelvic bones, which terminate on each side of the vent, and the small finger resting down against the keel, which terminates at a distance below the pelvic bones. The abdomen at this point should be full, soft and pliable, but not baggy to such an extent that it drops below the point of keel, nor should it bend too abruptly outward, and should not by any means be firm with fatty deposit. The capacity of a good layer ranges from four to six fingers' distance from the pelvic bones to the keel. The abdomen of a typical meat bird is equally as great, but is firm with an evident deposit of fat. The poor producer has a concave and fine feeling abdomen and seldom shows three-finger body depth.

Birds baggy behind should not be used in the breeding pens for they usually break down under continuous heavy laying, although they retain their red combs and large abdomens, which might mislead the poultryman if he does not make careful note of yellow legs and beak, which indicate that she had not laid continuously or recently. In this manner leg color is an important check for the capacity test, and the pelvic bone test. However, with birds having skins, beaks and legs other than yellow, dependence must be placed in the capacity and pelvic bone tests, as pigmentation changes are invisible.

NOTICE!

Typographical auxiliary will meet Thursday afternoon, August 2nd, at Havens Park. All members are urged to come as quarterly dues are due.

Train Information

F. W. & D. C. Ry.
NORTH BOUND

Tr.No.
1 Fort Worth to Denver and all intermediate points; arrive 2 a. m.; depart 2:20 a. m.
3 Fort Worth to Childress and all intermediate points; rarive 11:45 a. m.; depart 12:16 p. m.
1 "Colorado Special" Fort Worth to Denver; arrive 1:16 p. m., depart 1:35 p. m.
5 Fort Worth and all intermediate points to Wichita Falls; arrive 10:35 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND
2 Denver to Fort Worth and intermediate points; arrive 1:45 a. m. depart 2 a. m.
6 Wichita Falls to Fort Worth and all intermediate points, depart 1 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 2:25 p. m.; depart 2:45 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.
31 "Texas Special" from St. Louis, Kansas City, Denison, arrive 8:30 p. m.
45 From Dallas and intermediate points to Wichita Falls, arrive 10 p. m.
DEPART TO EAST
46 To Dallas and all intermediate points depart 8:30 a. m.
32 "Texas Special" to Denison, Kansas City, St. Louis, etc., depart 8:50 p. m.
48 "Eleven o'Clock Katy" to Dallas and intermediate points, depart 11:30 p.m.

"NORTHWESTERN DIVISION"
ARRIVE FROM NORTH

51 From Oklahoma aCity, Elk City and intermediate points, arrive 8:00 a.m.
53 From Forgan, Oklahoma and all intermediate points, arrive 8:05 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 8:30 a. m.
3 From Abilene and all intermediate points, arrive 12:50 p. m.
DEPART TO WEST
9 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 4 p. m.
DEPART TO EAST
10 To Dean, Petrolia, Byers and Waurika, depart 9 a. m.

WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN RY.
NORTH BOUND
14 From Breckenridge, Graham, Olney etc., arrive 12:40 p. m.
SOUTH BOUND
13 To Olney, Graham, Breckenridge and all intermediate points, depart 2 p.m.

G. T. ALLMAN, Ticket Agent

Burkburnett
NEWS AND PERSONALS

Special Dispatch to Record News

BURKBURNETT, Aug. 1—Among the recent social courtesies from out of town friends to Burkburnett guests, was a charming little dinner party given by Mrs. Van Emden of Wichita Falls for Mrs. John Sabatoni and Mrs. Harry Ten Brink. The ladies enjoyed a pleasant evening at the theatre after the entertainment.

The laides of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist church of this city were hostesses of a miscellaneous shower at the church parlor, naming Mrs. B. R. Robinson, the pastor's wife as honoree. The large reception room was decorated in rainbow colors, where a short program was given under direction of the three receiving ladies, Mesdames Verne Wolfe, John Sabitoni and D. S. Blue. A comic impersonation reading was given by Mrs. Verne Wolfe, a vocal solo by Mrs. Chester Bell, a reading by Miss Mildred Owens and the solo, "Good-Bye" from Tosti was sung by the honoree. At the close of the program a messenger boy arrived with a telegram for Mrs. Robinson, which by a series of directions led her to the magic pool where the touch of a fairy fishing rod displayed a rare collection of gifts, expressions of love and interest from her church friends. And as a special favor came a sterling silver pen and pencil, hand engraved and bearing a monagram, all of which was presented by the T. E. L. and Alathean classes of the Sabbath school. A summer refreshment course was enjoyed and the following ladies were in attendance on this unusual pleasant occasion of honor:

Mesdames W. M. Carver, George Uttley, A. W. Salter, Brooks Robertson, Ray Ragland, W. C. Hyde, Claude Stallings, H. H. Push, Brookover, Z P. Owens, Harry Ten Brink, James Bemis, Verne Wolfe, George Grant, A. W. Estis, P. W. Cunningham, Red Wine, B. H. Preston, J. M. Bristley, Barton Vancleve, M. L. Vandergriff, Taylor, Duke, J. C. Adams, Jess Cork, Ezell, D. L. Elkins, E. F. Gilbow, J. F. Pollard, H. D. Smith, Chester Bell, J. B. Stevenson, W. T. Reese, Roy Carnes, C. B. Ray, Ralph Simons, J. W. Sabitoni, R. J. Abbott, D. S. Blue, Kennedy, Bowman, Kiser, Williams, Calhoun, and Mrs. Greigg from Decatur. Also Misses Oma Van Cleve, Mildred Owens Ada Mae Duke and Bessie Gilbow.

OKLAHOMAN TO RUN BIG MEXICAN RANCH

Special Dispatch to Record News

FREDERICK, Oklahoma, August 1.—That a party of four Fort Worth, Texas, men are arranging to purchase 130,000 acres in Old Mexico for a ranch and hunting reserve, was the assertion made here by Les Carter, formerly deputy sheriff of this county. Carter says that the Fort Worth party will leave in about a week to close the deal directly with officials in Mexico City. The tract of land is located in the Sierra Madre mountains and 30,000 acres will be set aside as a hunting reservation. Carter will be in charge of the ranch which is to be stocked with cattle.

Platinum is nearly always found in the native state.

BOUNDARY LINE TANGLES BRIDGE

Flock of Jinxes Strikes Tillman-Wilbarger Bridge Plans

FREDERICK, Oklahoma, August 1.—Jinxes in flocks have apparently settled over the efforts of the good road enthusiasts of Tillman county, and Wilbarger county, Texas, in the matter of the construction of a free bridge across the Red river near Davidson.

And the jinxes have to do with that old, old dispute—just what and where is the boundary line of Texas and Oklahoma.

J. D. Fauntleroy, state highway commissioner of Texas has written F. E. Simmons, state highway engineer of Oklahoma, suggesting that as the south half of Red river belongs to the United States under supreme court decree and as the state of Texas extends no further north than the south bank of the river, he does not believe that Texas funds can be legally spent on the construction of such a bridge as it is Oklahoma and U. S. Territory over which the bridge will pass.

If this viewpoint is correct, it would devolve on the federal government to build all that portion of the bridge between the medial line and the south bank as well as half of the balance of the structure.

The matter is being taken up with the United States bureau of public roads by the Frederick chamber of commerce.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS RETURN.

Nice and crisp and curly, the Camp Fire girls of Wiscousta lodge returned Sunday afternoon from a week's sojourn in the camp at the headquarters of the government reserve in the Wichita mountains. The girls say they had a glorious time and look it.

Russian crown jewels are valued at more than $500,000,000.

Husband Awakens With Wife Dying In Convulsions

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Aug. 1. Mrs. Cora Vera Sollock, 21, died suddenly at her home here at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. The body will be shipped Thursday to Whitesboro by A. G. Dunn for burial.

George Sollock, an employe of the Liberty drug store, husband, was aroused by his wife's struggles in convulsions and unconscious. A physicial was called and immediately thereafter two others, but her condition remained unchanged until death came in a short time.

She is said to have been a victim of ptomaine poisoning several months ago, but seemed well of late and no cause as yet has been given for her death. It was thought that she was suffering from some form of poison and the stomach was sent to Wichita Falls for analysis, results of which will be given out tomorrow.

Mrs. Sollock is survived by a large family of brothers and sisters here and in other Texas towns, Mrs. Effie Matlock, Mrs. Maymie Stribling, Mrs. Katie Stuckey, Miss Ollie Inman, Guy of Burkburnett, Walter Inman of Breckenridge and Mrs. Louis Gray of Wayland. Miss Belle Inman of Burkburnett is an aunt.

Oklahoman Injured When Plane Frightens Mules

Special Dispatch to Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Aug. 1.—Frightened by a low flying airplane Saturday afternoon late the mules drawing the vehicle driven by E. Bowers, farmer, two and a half miles east of Frederick, bolted, throwing Bowers from the buggy into an adjoining yard and severely injuring his left shoulder and arm.

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ELECTRA GETS UP GOLF CLUB

59 Members Organize Club With Nine-Hole Course

ELECTRA, Texas, Aug. 1.—The Electra Golf club was organized last night with Ben W. Tipton president. Fred C. Barron of the First National bank is vice-president, and Reuben R. R. Cook of the Security National bank is secretary-treasurer. E. R. Brown is chairman of the executive committee, with E. M. Friend and H. A. Save as associates.

The club is organized with 59 members. A nine-hole course will be constructed under supervision of Al Kendall of Wichita Falls. The location is two and one-half miles west of Electra, on the Magnolia Oil company's lease, just north of the paved highway.

CHARGE TRAFFIC BLOCKING

A movement is under way by local business men to relieve the congestion resulting from the frequent blocking of South Main street at the railroad crossing. The Denver depot is at the intersection of South Main street, and that thoroughfare is the principal artery of travel to the South Electra oil pool. It is alleged that the trains and switching crews do not observe the railroad commission rule requiring that crossings be not blocked for more than five minutes at a time.

OFF TO YELLOWSTONE PARK

Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Dotson and daughters returned this week from a six weeks' trip in Colorado, California and intervening states. They visited the grand canyon, Yellowstone Park and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Engelking, Miss Blanche Engelking, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gookin leave today for an extended visit to Yellowstone Park and intermediate points.

VERSCHOYLE GETS SECOND OIL WELL

The second well for Chas. Verschoyle to come in the past few weeks was the test on lease L of the Wilmot tract, Archer county which came in Wednesday at 1,586 feet and flowed by heads at the rate of 275 barrels daily.

The well is north of the Verschoyle discovery well, which recently created a sensation when it came in as a 400 barrel producer.

To the Sheriff and His Deputies, Police Department Detective Force and State Rangers

We wish to extend our thanks for the interest they have all taken in clearing up our recent robbery and appreciate their diligent and untiring efforts in which all worked hard in the performance of their duties and in which they got such good results.

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HENRIETTA, Aug. 1.—The Henrietta County Fair association has set the dates of the annual county fair for Sept. 25, 26, and 27. Robert Brown is head of the association and has appointed 15 men to raise $1,000 for premiums to be awarded to the winners in the county demonstrations. There are being held 11 community fairs and the best demonstrations are selected and sent to this county fair. The prize winners in the county are then to send their demonstrations to Dallas. Extensive preparations are being made for the success of the fair and it is thought that it will be one of the largest county fairs held in this part of the country.

GURU WINS STATE PRIZE

T. B. Lewis, county demonstrator, and Miss Beulah Bradley took two girls and five boys to A. M. college in order that they might take advantage of the eight day farmers short course recently offered there. Miss Blake Roach of Blue Grove won one of the state prizes in sewing. The following boys and girls of the surrounding, community that took advantage of this course were: Jewel Lauhan, Blake Roach, of Blue Grove, Ray and Fred Adams of Deer Creek, Dennis Anderson of Blue Grove, Carl Thorton of Byers and Plev Robertson of Henrietta.

NEW CLAY COUNTY AGENCY

The Buick car agency for Clay county was taken over this week by T. Douthitt and R. S. Moore. The new company will be known as the Clay County Moore company and have as its headquarters at the Willard Battery station.

NOTICE

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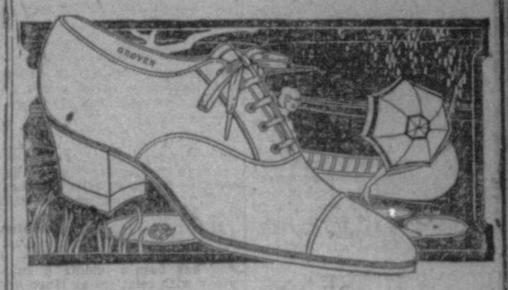
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VILLA

Francisco Villa is dead. He was murdered. Assassins shot him in the back. Some say that he was without soul or conscience. Others say he was blood thirsty brigand throughout his career. Others say he was a product of his age, that he loved the people, that he fought for the homeless who are the landless, that he detested oppressors and hypocrites and that he loved Mexico as he loved his life.

General Hugh L. Scott was a famous American soldier. He knew Mexico and the Mexicans better than any American knew him. He knew Villa intimately and admired him greatly. Villa was born a peon. There were no schools for the peon nor their children. Villa was born landless. There was no land for the peons nor their children.

All the heritage of the people of Mexico had been taken by the powerful few and the peons were the serfs to their masters as the tillers of the soil in Ancient Europe were the slaves of the land owners in the feudal ages.

Villa fought the battles of Madero who was the friend of the peon, who believed in land for the landless and schools for all the children of all the people.

Madero won and Madero was murdered.

Huerta, another oppressor and soldier of fortune with the sword of might in hand, was the sucessor of Madero and then the peon was whipped back to his kennel. Villa fought Huerta and Huerta died in an American jail. Then came Carranza, half buffoon and half despot who denied to the landless the right to live and refused to restore to them the lands that had been taken from their fathers.

Carranza went down before the armies of Obregon and Obregon the soldier-conquer became the president of Mexico. Villa had had his wish. His ambition had been gratified. A friend of the people had been elevated to the presidency and that friend a man who had pledged himself to institute the reforms for which Madero gave his unselfish life.

Villa sheathed his sword. He became a builder of waste places instead of a rough rider ever on the trail of his enemies. For this he was murdered. He grew up in ignorance and he became the foremost champion of public education in Mexico. He founded more than fifty schools after his sins had been forgiven and his political rights restored. He upheld the law in every sense. He gave Obregon the same dog-like loyalty that he had given to the ill-fated Madero in the long ago.

Villa never robbed the poor. Villa hated oppression and oppressors. Villa, born an under-dog, fought all his life for the uplift of the under-dog. Villa had few small vices. He did not use tobacco in any form. He kept his word and when at war with his government or with powerful rival, he was as ruthless as he was courageous, but he never condemned to death prisoners taken in the open field and he never neglected nor mistreated wounded prisoners of war.

Fifteen years ago it was estimated that fully eighty-five percent of the people of Mexico were illiterate. Now it is estimated that fully twenty-five percent of the population can read and write and so much greater is the proportion of children in schools that Mexican educators believe that within a few years the total will be fifty per cent of the population.

Mexican newspapers are playing an important part in this campaign for education. Today there are more newspaper readers in Mexico than at any time in its history. Newspapers are published in each one of the twenty-eight states while the largest Mexican dailies are carried to every Mexican community. There are more than nine thousand major schools in Mexico and more than one hundred and twenty thousand students registered or 113.77 per cent of the population.

President Obregon is the best friend the peon ever had in high place in the republic of Mexico, and Francisco Villa, th bandit general of Mexican history had fought in every revolution since the flight of Diaz for justice for the peon, for the restoration of the land to those who had been deprived of it; and for schools for the education of all the children of all the people of Mexico.

Damn him for his glaring faults but why not accord him praise for some of his many virtues?

THE STRAIN OF HIGH PLACES

The vigorous Roosevelt probably shortened his life through the strain of seven years of presidency. Wilson collapsed after six years.

Most of us believed that Harding possessed something of the Taft and McKinley temperament—a recipe o' optimism and calmness which saved them from much of the nervous tension that others experienced in the presidency. But Harding apparently is a highly nervous man with a smiling "poker" face.

Some have called Harding the golf president—maintaining that he played most of the time and worked only when his secretaries made him work the true facts. The United States government is three times as big a machine as during McKinley's administration. Statistics report that the Harding appointments and the decision demands upon him are greater than the burden placed upon Wilson. Reconstruction and salvage are some times more annoying business than the conduct of the part of the business that resulted in the need for salvage. As many European statesmen have been broken by post-war problems as ever were broken during the war. The glory isn't there, but the work is.

Harding has been on the road 40 day. Think of the preparation necessary for the delivery of his group of speeches on his way to the coast. Consider the numerous hours of solid interview with cabinet chiefs that preceded such a prolonged trip.

We expect our presidents to work. They do. They probably work harder than any captain of industry in America. And they work under the handicap of a constant strain of criticism whether they wave the right hand or the left. The strain certainly must be terrific.

That the strain tells even upon a reputed optimist such as Harding is shown by the reports from the bedside. The beginning of the trouble apparently was no more serious than that which is being suffered almost daily by thousands of traveling men—an intestinal irritation due to poor food. But in the case of President Harding his nerve machine reacted badly to the local trouble. Severe purgative further weakened him. A throat irritated by constant straining was an invitation to disease germs the moment the presidents body weakened. An irritated thorax opened the way to a lung. That is the president's condition to date.

There is at least one lesson in the situation for all of us. The careless joker and surface thinker who speaks of a president as a loafer should be asked whether he thinks he works as hard as the president—or if he has the gray matter to act as a presidential secretary.

Disagree with the president if you wish, but please do not call him lazy.

WHAT TODAY MEANS

LEO.

The Moon is ruled by Mars which governs the head and face, and is apt to cause headaches. It would therefore be wise to refrain frpom anything which might agitate this unpleasant condition. The evening is excellent for amusement and much greater pleasure will be enjoyed than is anticipated.

A child born today will be clever and original, but somewhat of a solitary disposition until matured.

People whose birthday this is are noted for the variety of their interests and for the vehemence with which they can champion any cause they believe in. Their lives are unusual because they are usually derivable into two successive and contradictory periods—of experience and of accomplishment and the turning point may come at any time.

Usually, however, the first half of their lives is spent in studying and experiencing life in its entirety. Then suddenly they change, often over night, and their characters solidify and become fixed for life.

If today is your birthday, obey that impulse." Trust yourself and your own instincts. When the turn in the road comes, you will have only your past experiences to rely on, and what they have been will largely determine your future.

You are inquisitive, original and inventive. You are independent and unconventional. You have the mental equipment of the famous and the unfamous and you will be forced to choose between the possibilities of decided success and failure, and a quiet life or a notorious one.

You are courageous but easily discouraged. You have more valor than tenacity, as you detest deferred issues and if what you undertake does not instantly show some signs of success you frequently prefer to start something else rather than wait.

Emotionally you are impetuous and impulsive, and in affairs of the heart you demand above all else a rapidity of decision that is usually more alarming than persuasive to the opposite sex. You are destined to have quite a series of experiences in love, some tragic, some comic and not a few beautiful and stimulating. You are not ideally suited for matrimony, but if you put it off until maturity you might marry with astonishing success.

Successful people born on your birthday are:

Francis Marion Crawford, author; Moses Coit Tyler, authority on American literature; Henry S. Olcott, noted specialist.

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SUNSHINE PELLETS

Save your health,
And save your tin;
Store your grain
In a rat-proof bin.

If you're seeking clear complexion,
from inside out's the right direction.

Oh, we read of this and we read of that, but it's seldom we read of the rat.

Beneath the floor you'll find their nests
The foes of man, our rodent pests.

Beauty, they say,
Is only skin deep—
That depends on
How applied;
More oft' it's on,
Not in the hide.

There's more real tonic in a dollar's worth of milk than was ever sold in a short pint for a like amount.

From the number of people who get skinned by promoters, there should be no shortage in human hide.

With established immunity—
(Though this is refuted)—
You may drink with impunity
When the water's polluted.

IRRIGATION

By A. M. McPHERSON
Consulting Engineer
Kahn Bldg., Eighth and Indiana

INTO WHAT SIZED FARMS SHOULD THE SURPLUS LANDS ON THE IRRIGATION PROJECT BE DIVIDED?

Corn Growing Under Irrigation.

The question of whether or not corn will grow here under irrigation has been much debated.

Mr. Geo. D. Keith, president of the Texas-Oklahoma Fair association, believes that it will.

Mr. Guy R. Jones, county agent, who is exceptionally well informed on such matters believes that corn will be a far better crop under irrigation than on the present dry farms, but believes that occasional failures may occur.

Many of the farmers who have grown corn here maintain that it will not grow except in favorable seasons even under irrigation. These farmers claim that if a hot dry wind strikes the corn at pollinization time that the silk on the ears is burned and fertilization prevented.

However it would seem that with extensive areas devoted to irrigated crops, thus increasing the humidity of the air, and with plenty of irrigation water at hand to combat the heat, that it would take a very hot wind blowing for a long time to damage a corn crop materially.

While it must be admitted that growing corn under irrigation is not yet proven, still everything points to the fact that corn may become one of our great crops here. If in no other way, corn could probably be bred up that would give good yields under our conditions. Corn is very susceptible to improvement through proper breeding.

Corn is the world's greatest crop. Its value exceeds that of any other crop.

In view of the above facts it seems that the question of corn growing is of sufficient importance to have a very considerable bearing on determing the size of the economic irrigated farm unit here, and we will tomorrow give some further data about corn.

UNCOMMON SENSE

THE ART OF APPROACH.

Nearly every day we get letters from young men who want to know what can be done to cure shyness.

They have all of them learned that timidity is a handicap.

It interferes with their ease in talking to people.

It makes them afraid, mentally, of men they would have no trouble in thrashing physically if that method would be of any assistance.

They find that it is harder to talk to any employer than it is to a desk-mate; that they tremble if they have come into contact with men of any importance.

Morbid whole lives, they say, are being ruined by their shyness and they can find no cure for it.

If there were enough newspaper jobs to go around we should advise every timid youth to become a reporter for a little while.

A reporter's business is to ask questions, of policemen, of railroad presidents, of prizefighters, of burglars and bandits.

Because those are not his questions, but the newspapers he asks them boldly, no matter how shy he is.

By and by he gets all over his embarrassment, and can act naturally and fearlessly in the presence of anybody, up to a king.

But, unfortunately, there are more shy young men than there are newspaper jobs.

If you will stop thinking about what they may think of you, this will be easier.

Talk to the men you meet, on the street car, in the office, anywhere. Speak about the weather. Make some observation about the crowd in the car.

If they look haughtily at you and refuse to reply, put them down for self-sufficient snobs whose opinion is not worth caring about.

Don't talk too much to anybody, but make it a point to approach strangers with a word or two.

You will get rebuffs, but they will not hurt you.

Presently you will begin to get over the agony that it costs you to speak to others.

Soon you will forget to worry about what they think of you, and begin to think of what you think of them.

This will be hard work at first. But it is necessary. As long as you are timid you will never impress anybody, no matter how brilliant or industrious you are.

All that he has learned is of little use to a timid man.

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POEMS THAT LIVE

GENIUS IN BEAUTY.

Beauty like hers is genius. Not the call
Of Homer's or of Dante's heart sublime—
Not Michael's hand furrowing the zones of time—
Is more with compassed mysteries musical;
Nay, not in spring's or summer's sweet footfall
More gathered gifts exuberant life bequeaths
Than doth this sovereign face, whose love-spell breaths
Even from its shadowed contour on the wall.
As many men are poets in their youth,
But for one sweet-strung soul the wires prolong
Even though all change the indomitable song,
So in likewise the envenomed years, whose tooth
Rends sunflower grace with ruin void of ruth,
Upon this beauty's power shall wreak no wrong.

—Dante Gabriel Rossetti.

Among the producers, money is merely a medium for the exchange of labor, those who do not labor, produce nothing and have, therefore, nothing to exchange.

Beginning To Feel the Effects of Isolation.





WHY THEY PARTED

By EDMUND B. d'AUVERGNE

"I will tell you," said Sadie, "Do you remember, the evening you first came to my flat, how Clement spoke of the dog with the broken leg which he had found and cared for? Do you remember how I told you of his fondness for all waifs and strays and wretched, helpless things? Miss Elliot, my husband cares for you as he cared for that lost dog! PITY is nine-tenths of his love for you. Once you become prosperous and happy, comfortably situated out there as his wife, your powers over him will wane. It is then that he will remember his son and that he will long for me"—the beautiful woman tapped her breast—"will long for the happiness which I alone can procure him."

She paused, perceiving that her words had taken effect. The two women stood, a couple of paces apart, looking at each other.

"I am content," said Olive slowly, "to appeal to his tenderness."

"But his tenderness must defeat itself," cried Sadie. "Once you are happy and prosperous—what need for it, then? Don't you see, his love for you is dependent on your circumstances. His love for me is for me, for my personality, for my good looks, if you like. He doesn't pity me, thank God, but a kiss from my lips can raise him to the seventh heaven! Have you got a cigarette about you?" she asked, unconscious of the anti-climax.

Olive indicated a yellow packet on the table, and stood for a moment gazing vacantly into space. All at once she collapsed on to the rickety couch, and hid her face in her hands. Her body shook with sobs.

Sadie bent over her, caressing her hair.

"You poor child!" she exclaimed: "It really is rough on you. . . . . I hate having to tell you all this, but you see, I want him myself. Oh, damn it! you're making ME cry, too!"

She put her arm round the younger woman and clasped her tightly. Olive raised her white, tear-stained face and looked at her.

"Do you really love him?" she asked.

Sadie nodded. She began fastening her coat.

"Well, I've said I've got to say, Miss Eliot," she declared. She held her hand out to the girl. Good-bye and good luck. You deserve him, after all.

Ignoring Olive's outstretched hand, Sadie opened the door. She hesitated, took the girl in her arms and kissed her. "Good-bye, dear, and . . . and tell Clement I'm sorry I was such a beast to him—I am, really!"

For a long time Olive sat at the table, her chin supported on her hand, gazing straight before her into the gathering darkness. Sadie's terrible words seemed to repeat themselves over and over again . . . . "He loved her, PITIED her, as he might any wretched, helpless thing." It was true; she felt it was true.

How right Sadie was! Ten years hence. . . . . Olive would have become a fact of ordinary, every-day existence, the mistress of his household; to Sadie, the lost mother of his child, would attach all the romance of the past, the far-off, and the unknown. . . . .

She heard a man's step on the stairs. She rose, nerving herself to meet her lover.

There was a sharp tap at the door, and immediately after Harold Wilcourt entered.

Olive burst out aflame with anger. "How dare YOU come here? Do you know in whose room you are?"

"Yes, I do—Mr. Clement Cassilis, barrister-at-law. I'm sorry he isn't here." He came forward and faced her. "I'm going to get you out of his clutches," he said, flinging his gloves on the table, "if I have to fight him for you."

"I'm here of my own free will," she faltered.

Bosh! What's the will of a girl of twenty-one compared with the desires of a man of thirty-five or so? I know the world. . . . . Now look here, Olive, I've had a talk with your uncle over the telephone and he's coming up tonight."

"My uncle! What can he do?"

"A good deal. I was pleased to find that he has got his knife into your Mr. Cassilis—is itching to do him an ill turn. If he can't actually prosecute him for kidnaping you, he can publish the matter and damn his reputation pretty effectively. He and I will see that Mr. Cassilis never gets back to decent society again."

"Why are yo udoing this?" cried Olive wildly. "What harm has he done you?"

"I'll tell you why I am doing it. I frankly admit that where any other woman was concerned this man's conduct wouldn't shock me in the least. But the fact is, I love you, and I want to marry you. . . . .

She listened to this declaration unmoved, but she was white with fear for Clement.

She remembered the bright prospect opening before him. This fiery young soldier, with all his money, and her horrible uncle would stick at nothing to blacken Clement's good name.

Suddenly she found herself in Walcourt's arm. He was telling her frantically how much he loved her.

She had perforce to listen to him. And—the fact hit her understanding like a blinding light—there was no pity in THIS love—it was the fierce personal passion which Sadie half an hour before had extolled as the real thing.

Had she been a queen or a beggar girl, the soldier's passion would have been of no other quality. Half-fainting in his arms, she seemed to see in him the embodiment of all the forces that stood between her and Clement. They were too strong to resist.

Her eyes pierced the gathering gloom as though in search of help. The last shafts of the dying sunlight shone through the cracked window pane on the photograph of a boy. . . . His son. No, SHE was not for Clement! . . . . She had come in his life too late.

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When Clement Cassilis entered the room at six o'clock he found it in darkness. He struck a match and called "Olive!" There was no reply. He lit a candle. The room was empty. On the table was a note. He tore open the envelope and read:—

"My darling—I'm going away from you for ever. I should only pull you down.

"You rescued me from starvation as you would rescue a starving dog, and it would be an ill return to bring disgrace on you now.

"I shall be all right—the stray dog has found another home. I wanted to give my life for you, and I can truly say I have.

"What will you think of me, forsaking you like this? Believe me, dearest, it is best.

"And, whatever happens, whatever you may hear of me, I want you to remember that I shall love you always, that my heart is yours for ever.

"Olive."

A curious sound escaped the man—something between a curse and a cry of pain. He rushed down the stairs and called to the landlady.

From her he learned of Walcourt's and Sadie's visits.

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Clement re-entered the cab in which he was to have taken Olive away, and drove towards his wife's home. His wife had seen Olive, had bullied her, cajoled her, no doubt. His wife after denying him her own love had robbed him of the girl he loved and who loved him.

He pounded up the stairs and pressed the electric bell of the flat. A maid with an alarmed countenance opened the door.

"I'm so glad you have come, sir," she began at once. "I've telephoned everywhere for the mistress. I can't think where she can be. Dr. Medlicott is here. He's awaiting the specialist."

She held the door wide open as she spoke. "What are you talking about?" he asked doughly. "What is the doctor here for? Is your mistress—no, you say she is out—?

"It's Master Edric, sir, he had had fall from his pony this afternoon. It bolted, I believe, and threw him on his back, on the asphalt paving——"

Clement rushed past her and fell almost into the arms of the doctor.

The father listened, white to the lips. "Is there any danger?" he demanded.

"Why should there be? The youngster is bubbling over with health. Of course the operation will be successful. Poor little chap, he won't be able to run about for the best part of a year."

Clement stood beside the bed and looked at the little fellow swathed in bandages, strapped to odd-looking splints. The child moaned in his sleep.

The servants had crept in after their master to have a peep at the sufferer. It was Clement alone who heard the outer door open and recognized Sadie's step.

He found her in her room, sitting on the edge of the bed, her handkerchief to her eyes. She sprang up at the sight of him.

CONTINUED TOMORROW.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague



THE BLUE BIRD

The lazy robins only sing
When blossoms break their tether;
When all the world is filled with spring
And soft and pleasant weather.
But when arrives the summer's heat
About the trees they flutter,
And not a single cheerful "Tweet!"
They utter.

The oriole pipes up his tune,
His last year's song renewing,
But quits about the end of June,
When he has done his wooing.
When burning rays fall all day long
The bright-hued orchard rover,
Appears to think the time for song
Is over.

We miss the liquid voice that thrilled
Our listening ears last May day—
The thrush's notes are also stilled
When spring is past its hey-day.
We often see him in the wood
Or o'er the meadow winging,
But he is never in the mood
For singing.

But Mr. Bluebird's voice we hear
As down the lane we hurry,
When autumn leaves are lying sere
And early snow flakes flurry.
For him the spring is never past;
He seeks with high endeavor
To prove that happiness may last
Forever!

IMPOSSIBLE

Senator Brookhart says we ought to recognize Russia. But how can we when she makes it so difficult to go over there and take a look at her?

CONTINUOUS

There is always a race between buildings and rents to see which can go up the faster.

WHERE IS HER BOASTED LIBERTY

Frenchmen are not permitted to beat their wives any longer. France seems to be turning toward tyranny.

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THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

To The Record News:

Several friends have criticised recent comment on taxation. That is, advocating a higher tax rate on rental values or natural resources than on products of toil or labor, and alleging inability to see any difference as a tax subject between land not created by man, and product from labor created entirely by man.

May I further trespass on the space of The Record News as an educational influence in tax matters by the following:

1.—Compare the relative status of the less well situated as compared with the most favorably situated, in revolutionary days and now after all of the progress of invention, when it is alleged that with modern machinery one day's labor creates many times the products required for some com-

In those days, land was free for forts as in revolutionary times.

the taking. Employment on land of others, was preferred to a tract for the laborer, only when share of results of labor was sufficient to equal or exceed the results from farming his own tract, hunting the wilds or fishing. Has control of land anything to do with it?

2.—Compare the unemployed problem in England with the paralyzed world trade and markets and the similar problem in the United States. While, of course, there are many other factors involved, is it not axiomatic to comment that relatively, however, severe may be the landlord and tenant problem in the United States, it is nothing compared with monopoly resulting from former centuries of entailed estates and handing down of immense deer parks and reserves of the nobles, former tax exempt, notwithstanding the need of the unemployed for what the land would raise.

Is it not reasonable to believe that the relatively greater problem of the unemployed in England, is approximately in accord with the ratio of monopoly of land control in the hands of the few.

3.—The land was made for man; it was not made by man. Products of labor are made without exception by direct or indirect use of natural resources from the land in the raw state and labor of men.

The more you tax an product of labor, the greater the price to the consumer without exception in normal course of business and trade. The consumer is the final tax payer for all taxes on products on labor.

The more you tax land, the less the inclination to ownership except by those who want to use it for purposes for which it is adapted. In short, land values taxation decreases temptation to speculators to buy and hold for monopoly prices, and increasing percentages out of so-called rents, and without regard to original cost or any reasonable return on original investment. The original cost and investment other than as increased by improvements on all land, was either the homesteading work or nominal government price of one dollar or other price per acre.

All increased price and values has been created by the community the onwner adding nothing but the improvements. You tax the improvements, you tax products of labor and add to cost of living; you tax land value and you take for society that which the community increase in population has created. You take for tax purposes and use only that which society as a whole created. You apply that which society as a whole creates to social purposes, various tax expenditures, instead of allowing it to be individually controlled and to become a perpetual tax on society in the interest of the few, as a toll or tribute similar to political tributes levied by feudal barons in former ages. There is no difference in effect, in result, whether special privelege is paid from and by political assessment for a king and his satellites, or by economic conditions favoring monopoly control that permits of levying of similar tribute. This at bottom, is the cause of the political unrest now sweeping the Northwest and other parts of the country. (Speculators profits in wheat compared with farmers).

4. The popularity of Ford as a billionaire as compared with other millionaires, lies entirely almost in the fact that he uses the natural resources he controls in interest of the general public. And so long as all his surplus is employed (as most of it is) in increasing plant machinery and affording greater and greater opportunity for employment of labor. Instead of in purchase of private yachts, special monkey dinners and other extravagancies, that become a tax on the products of workers to afford others opportunity to increase footmen, butlers, valets, and other flunkeys supported out of the surplus that Ford turns to productive use, the rank and file of workers, laborers and farmers, seem indifferent to the ownership of the machinery of production or plant account, that in the end may be converted to the kind of extortion practiced by "Wall Street."

In Judge Kay's talk at Olympic theatre reported in your issue of Monday, appears comment that Christ did not question the legitimacy of the wealth of the rich that was properly employed. The public (most of them unconsciously) recognize this proper use in Ford.

5. Statistics show that average land value (above all improvements) of any approximately average city, is about $1,000 (or near) for each inhabitant. On that basis Wichita Falls, pays rent on a land value of 1,000 times 50,000 or $50,000,000.00. Reduce this by half (yet statistics show as cited) and there is paid rent, or else interest on purchase costs of land, building sites, equivalent to reasonable return on $25,000,000.00. Taking interest or rent at 8 per cent of this value and annual toll of $2,000,000 is paid by the inhabitants of Wichita Falls, in perpetual rent or interest or tax to private individuals, for social, created wealth (The land originally had no value of consequence, and the value we now cite is above all improvements—applies only to bare land, building sites as purchased).

The total property of Wichita Falls is assessed at around $30,000,000. (Somewhat above, we use even numbers for easy figuring). State, county, city and school taxes are paid on this sum. Why object so strenuously to the percentage of 5 per cent or less total paid on this for benefits of schools, city conveniences in way of parks, police and fire protection, streets, sanitation, sewers, etc., when no objection whatever is made to the percentage of 8 per cent (approx.) paid as interest on purchase values of lots, or included in rents paid to landlords, and all on values created entirely by the population of Wichita Falls. If this creation of value is denied, what is value of remaining land assuming that all the population leaves.

Sincerely,

F. G. SWANSON.

Wichita Falls, Texas, Aug. 1, 1923.

$150,000 PAID FOR WICHITA INTEREST

The sale for $150,000 or half interest in 200 acres near Clara on the Witcher land, Wichita county, which recently registered a big producer, was announced by Adams-Brown and McAllister Wednesday for $150,000 to Bass and Dillard of Wichita Falls. This is one of the largest oil deals made public here in several weeks.

Here And There In The World Of Daily Interest To Women

Moonlight Swims and Feasts and Picnics Among Younger Set

Moonlight swims, picnics and watermelon feasts are proving a popular means of enjoyment during the summer evenings among the younger set. Sweltering weather holds no terrors for little Miss Wichita and her escort when the cooler evenings hold such delightful frolics.

A lovely outdoor party was given Tuesday evening by the members of Mrs. Ruth Pope's Sunday school class of the First Methodist church, South. The girls and their boy friends enjoyed a plunge at the Downing pool after which they went to the Golf club where music was enjoyed, and ice cold watermelon served to the following:

Misses Martha Maude Appel, Maxine Pope, Marjorie Bright, Thelma Ernst, Evelyn Barker, Mary Louise Cox, Berneice Taylor, Leila Mary Wood, Pauline Mount, and Messrs. Bruno Robinson, Charles Smith, Drummond Harris, George Snow, Ben Howle, Joe Keevil, and Leslie Carter.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS GIVE WATERMELON FEAST

Members of the Epworth League of the First Methodist church south enjoyed a picnic and watermelon feast at the Municipal Golf club Tuesday evening.

About 50 young people met at the church and went in cars to the club where a swim was enjoyed followed by an evening of games and stunts on the lawn. Ice cold watermelon was served at a late hour.

BARWISE MOTHER'S CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

The Barwise Mother's club will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. W. Beddock in place of the Nix home as formerly announced.

Members are requested to bring thimbles, as the meeting will be a sewing bee.

JAPANESE FESTIVAL AT FIRST M. E. SOUTH

The Epworth League of the First Methodist church south will entertain this evening on the church lawn at Tenth and Lamar with a Japanese ice cream festival.

Ice cream, home made cake, sandwiches and cool drinks will be offered from gaily decorated booths. A good musical program and a volley ball game will be features of the evening's entertainment.

Society Personals

Miss Katherine Speer, who has been visiting for the past month with her sister, Mrs. E. G. Bilderback, has returned to her home in Dallas.

Miss Charlie Bewley of Austin is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. M. Kell at 2107 Tenth street, for the week.

Mrs. C. V. Ragsdale is in Holliday, the guest of her mother, Mrs. S. A. Nelson.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Simpson and family of the First Methodist church south, have gone to Bentonville, Ark., in the Ozarks for a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. J. S. Nelson and daughter, Gladys, are visiting Mrs. Nelson's son, Claude, at his home in Little Rock, Arkansas, for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Anderson and son Edward, are moving to Wichita Falls from Mangum, Okla. Mrs. Anderson and Edward have just returned from a trip to Los Angeles. The Andersons will make their home at 1312 Kemp Boulevard.

Joe McCullan of Burkburnett is leaving by auto for California on a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stuckey and Mr. and Mrs. John Sparks have gone to Denver to spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stadbaugh and son Leighton, Jr., are leaving Friday for an overland tour of Utah, Idaho, and the Canadian Rockies.

Miss Ada Mae Able, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Able of 1713 Magnolia street is visiting her sister in Wichita, Kansas.

J. B. Reighard is returning today from a short business trip to Dallas.

Landon H. Cullum is leaving by train for a few days visit with his wife and Landon, Jr., who are spending the summer in Colorado.

Mrs. Marjorie Neal is enjoying a camping trip with relatives in the Arizona mountains near Flagstaff.

Mrs. J. B. Reighard is leaving today by auto for a visit with relatives in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Laura Kuykendall of Paris, Texas, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Frank Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cox and daughter, Miss Mary Louise are returning today from a trip to Sunshine Hill.

Mrs. H. C. Walker of Henrietta has returned home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Wilson at 1708 Downing street.

Mrs. Frank Ramsey and son, Frank Jr., have returned from a week's stay in Paris, Texas, their former home. Mrs. Ramsey, who is secretary of the local chapter of Rebekahs attended a big Odd Felolws picnic held at Paris last week.

Mrs. J. A. Russell and daughter, Mrs. Vandeventer, were guests for a day in the home of Mrs. Russell's son, M. F. Russell at 1706 Downing street, while en route to their home in Devol, Okla., after a visit in Mineral Wells, Texas.

Helen Wilson, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson, is quite ill at her home, 1800 Bluff street.

Dr. H. B. Ledford has gone to the mountains of North Carolina for a two week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ledford of Ashford. Dr. Ledford expects to return by August 15.

Miss Edith Berney has returned to her home in Fort Worth after a visit with Misses Marie and Blanch Berry at 1008 Thirteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Riley, of Fort Worth, are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Apple at 1206 Sixteenth street.

J. L. Downing and sons, Wynoor and Leighton, accompanied by Marlowe Thornberry, W. H. Downing and son, Gerald, have gone to Medicine Park for a wek's outing.

Today's Poem

HOLIDAYS.

The holiest of all holidays are those
Kept by ourselves in silence and apart;
The secret anniversaries of the heart
When the full river of feeling overflows;—
The happy days unclouded to their close;
The sudden joys that out of darkness start
As flames from ashes; swift desires that dart
Like swallows singing down each wind that blows.
White as the gleam of a receding sail,
White as a cloud that floats and fades in air,
White as the whitest lily on a stream,
These tender memories are;—a Fairy Tale
Of some enchanted land we know not where,
But lovely as a landscape in a dream.
—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

DISCOUNTED CHECKS TO STATE WITNESSES

Special Dispatch to Record News

AUSTIN, Texas, August 1.—Witnesses in Texas courts have for the last 60 days been paid witness fees in state warrants which are no better checks than those paid state employes, and which are subject to the same three per cent discount.

The witness fee appropriation and the sheriff's expense appropriation went on deficiency more than two months ago, and there are now more than $113,000 warrants issued against the two funds which there is no money to meet, it was stated at the controller's office yesterday.

GRAHAM MASONS ON TRIP TO WICHITA

Special Dispatch to Record News

GRAHAM, Texas, August 1.—A group of local Masons went to Wichita Falls about noon yesterday and put in degree work for Faith lodge of that city. They attended the Wichita Falls-Galveston baseball game that afternoon. Those who went on the trop were: C. B. Hockaday, E. H. Graves, E. F. Mallow, I. K. Parker, H. L. Thornton, C. C. Hampton, C. E. Humphreys, O. Fauntleroy, and D. E. Stimson.

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One of the first members of the aristocracy to become identified with the fascisti movement.

MOVIE STUFF

By JOSEPHINE FISK

Your own little Pollyanna Mary! Would you ever believe it? Mary of the hoydenish parts is to play a Spanish dancer in her next picture. She chose it in preference to Marguerite in "Faust." "The Street Singer" is the name of the picture and Mary as "Rosita" wears earrings, a colorful shawl and all the regulation Spanish trimmings.

We are not as fond of Mary as we once were because she said to someone who told some one else and they told us that that she did not like fat women or dramatic critics and as we have been called both we think Mary can never be our friend.

VIOLA EATS FOR ART'S SAKE.

Losing twenty pounds during an operation for appendicitis and having a story. Rita Welman's "Rouged Lips," which called for her to wear tights in her role of chorus girl, put Viola Dana far from the reducing squad of Hollywood. Food at all hours, milk between times and from 10 to 12 hours' sleep per night have been Viola's program lately. Result: Fifteen pounds gained in one month. Some actresses certainly envy the Metro star.

LATEST REPORTS ON SEPARATIONS.

Florence and Kink Vidor have admitted that they're not living under the same rooftrees, but they deny that a divorce is contemplated. "We are the best of friends," explains Mrs. Vidor, "and there is no 'other man' and no 'other woman.' It is just a problem of individual freedom we have to work out in our careers."

Anito Stewart has also admitted that a separation is in vogue in the Stewart-Cameron household. Miss Stewart says she is considering divorce from the handsome Rudolph.

PLANS "GIRL OF LIMBERLOST"

Gene Stratton-Porter is completing plans for her second independent production, to be "A Girl of the Limberlost."

Meantime her first feature, "Michael O'Halloran," directed by James Leo Meehan, and personally supervised by Mrs. Porter, is ready for release through W. W. Hodkinson orporation.

GIRL AT IVAN DIES.

Special Dispatch to Record News

GRAHAM, Texas, August 1.—Ross May Gann, five months old daughter of Smith Gann, living in the Ivan community, died at a local hospital of a bowel complication. Her body was buried in the Cedar Creek cemetery in Stephens county.

The cool comfort of a G.-E. Fan costs but a fraction of a cent per hour for current. Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Adv.

CHANGE OF LIFE LOSES TERRORS

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Greenville, Pa.—"I took your medicine through the Change of Life and it did wonders for me. I was down in bed when I started to take it and weighed 95 pounds. I had hot flashes and was so nervous and weak that everything would get black and I could not see. I would sit and cry and did not know what I was crying for. Since I have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel younger than I did ten years ago, and my friends all tell me I look younger and I owe it all to the Vegetable Compound. I do all my housework for a family of seven now. I will be glad to answer any woman who writes me in regard to my case."—Mrs. JOHN MYERS, 55 Union St., Greenville, Pa.

Many letters similar to this have been published testifying to the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. They are sincere expressions from women who describe as best they can their feelings before and after taking this well-known medicine.

ZONAGALE

In Collaboration With Russell Gore Writes On

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THE ROBIN AND THE ELEPHANT

A robin feeding the young of an have been told that this shrdleuta other species. Goethe is said to have been told that this had happened, and by the news to have been thrown into the highest excitement. If that could be proved to be a true report, said Goethe, then the principal of "mutual aid" is established! One such instance will prove that mutual aid is a law of nature, and not mutual destruction alone.

Members of the animal kingdom helping one another!

There is a story told by South American aigret hunters. These men were climbing a sharp slope and by their progress ground birds were startled from their nests and flew into the air.

Helplessly fluttering down the rocky incline came their young, unable to find footing.

One mother bird had stayed on her nest and watched with terrified eyes the passing of the men. But when one of the little birds of another nest came tumbling and struggling down the declavity near to the dauntless mother on the nest, she saw it, and in all her fear she extended her wing and tried to brush the little thing to safety.

A thousand instances of preying and destroying in animal life for one instance of mutual aid? But yet if the one instance is there, it is not to be dismissed!

One blue daisy in a whole field of white daisies proves that there are two species.

Moreover, when one begins to collect instances of animals helping one another, these instances flock to one. From the cat who brings up another's kittens, we have come now to Carl Akely's magnificent bronze of "The Wounded Comrade," the eephant, helping on, by tusk and trunk, the hurt beast of his tribe.

The next step, of Goethe's robin feeding the young of another species has been familiar in the hen's mothering young geese. There are innumerable instances known to the farmyards of animals nurturing the young of another species—by choice and not by fraud, like the fraud under which the chipping sparrow feeds the great young cowbird which has been hatched, uninvited, by her in her own nest.

Domestic animals take this quite casually, as casually as do we who watch and never infer that thus a great law of nature, opposed to the law of tooth and fang, is making its way known. Many of us had not heard that this law of mutual aid is known even in the jungle among the beasts of the same species. Perhaps, even in the jungle, it is known among animals of differing species!

Some men exploit and make war on and starve their kind.

Some robins and cats and elephants know a better way.

Man has not always "improved on nature."

In some respects he is still running to catch up with it—or merely falling behind.

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TEXAS CHARTERS

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 1.—Chartered: Southern Cartridge Co., Inc., Houston; capital stock $250,000. Incorporators: H. E. Sherman, W. C. Munn, John H. Crooker and others. Purpose: manufacture of shot gun shells and other cartridges.

Majestic Gasoline Co., Fort Worth; capital stock $250,000. Incorporators J. F. Mues, L. E. Hirt, B. V. Franklin and others.

Gaulding Loan and Investment Co., Inc., Dallas; capital stock $100,000. Incorporators: W. P. Luse, C. A. Tosh, C. P. Haynes and others.

Cecil and Co., Inc., Cleburne: capital stock $50,000. Incorporators: J. P. Cecil, J. A. Atchley, E. A. Abrams. General merchandise.

Fullers Cafe, Inc., Beaumont; capital stock $15,000. Incorporators: E. T. Fuller, L. J. Fuller, W. H. Wright.

The Memphis Literary Society Club; San Antonio; no capital stock. Incorporators: William Taylor, James Day, Delbert Wilson.

Amendment: New Central Cigar Co., Dallas; decreasing capital stock from $80,000 to $40,000.

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Child-birth

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Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a young man and at times I am at a loss to know when and how to do certain things when with friends or strangers especially.

Is a man supposed to tip his hat on being introduced to a lady, and with which hand should it be executed?

Does an invation from a girl from another city to a man to come to see her imply that he should stay at her home that night or should he go to an hotel?

Is the girl expected to meet him at the depot? Should the man ask her to do this? On departure, should he expect her to accompany him to the depot or merely say good-bye at the house?

Should the man suggest going out in the evening while at her home or should he expect her to have some form of entertainment? ANXIOUS.

Occasions govern actions to a great extent, and therefore when you are in doubt watch others or do the thing which seems courteous and appropriate to you.

It is correct to remove your hat when you are introduced to a lady. Do it with the right hand.

If the girl says nothing about staying at her home, the young man should count on staying at a hotel.

The girl is not expected to meet him at the depot, but there is a great chance that she will be there. In case she is not the young man should telephone her from the hotel or call at her home. On departure the good-bye should be said in the home, unless the girl has arranged to go to the depot. Circumstances govern such a case.

The young man might suggest a theatre or ask the girl if there is any place in particular she would like to go. If she has other plans she will say so.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a girl 15 and a sophomore next year. I like boys and like to go with them. I am not "boy crazy," but it is just natural that I like them as any girl does at my age. But unlike most other girls I don't like the so-called "mush." I can't stand to have a boy kiss me or put his arm around me. That is what most boys do if you go with them.

I had one friend who came to see me one night. He wanted me to kiss him and I wouldn't. I didn't see why he should expect me to even if other girls did. He never came to see me again, just because I wouldn't kiss him and wasn't "fast" enough. I liked him very much and still do. Should I lose all my boy friends just because I am not fast?

There is another boy whom I like very much, but the other girls say he is the fast kind so I have never gone out with him. Should I give up all company with boys and never go out with them? Or should I give into my wishes and lower my ideals?

ANGEL CHILD.

At the age of 15 you are very young to spend much time with boys. By no means lower your ideals. You would gain nothing by giving into the wishes of the boys who want to go with you simply for love making. Such boys kiss a girl and then boast about it, and talk about her afterward. You might gain a cheap and short-lived popularity if you let boys have what they want, merely for the sake of going with them. My advice is to let them go, one after another, even if the case looks hopeless. There is a higher type of young man you will meet sooner or later and he will take you for yourself and will be interested in your companionship. It will be well worth while to hold out for the type of young man you feel that you can admire.

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$3.50 White Matlasse skirting silk in novelty effect.

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White Silks $3.98



$5.98 White Angora silk crepe in novelty sports effect.
$6.50 Sports silk in white with puffed checks.
$6.50 White Roshanara silk crepe with silk chenille stripes.
$4.98 White silk alligator crepe.
$4.98 Russian Crepe in novelty effect in white.



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Spudders Even Count With Sand Crabs, 7-5

CARLSON HOLDS SAND CRABS AFTER DYER IS BATTED HARD TO GIVE SPUDS EVEN BREAK

Eighth Round Rally Scoring Four Markers Gives Spudders Last Game of Home Stay; Bischoff Celebrates Return With Home Run; Spudders Rest Today.

BY BILLIE SMITH.

Going into the game with the visiting team leading by five scores "Ole" Carlson proceeded to pitch a high class baseball, holding the Sand Crabs to two singles for the remainder of the game, while he and his mates staged an eighth inning rally to win for the Spudders by the score of 7 to 5.

The Crabs seemed to like the southpaw offerings of Eddie Dyer for in three innings they lambasted his curves and foot balls for a total of seven hits, which gave them a five run lead before Skipper Raim could get Dyer out of the box.

Although they failed to hit Dyer hard enough in the first inning to put over any markers, the Crabs came right back in the third and put over two runs. Both came as a result to a walk to Kearns and a homer by Witry. In the third the Crabs rapped out two singles and a pair of doubles before Dyer was taken out of the battle. The barrage netted the Islanders three runs and all they were to get for the day.

Dyer Grooved Too Many.

Evidently Dyer was trying to throw the ball by the Galveston batters. In the three innings he was in there four batters went out on strikes and only one man received a walk. Dyer grooved too many balls, although on several occasions he made some of the hardest hitters on the Crab batting list look sick on his curve balls.

"Ole" Carlson is the gentleman that gets credit for tieing the series with the Crabs. Carlson furnished the defensive work while he and the rest of the Spudders poled out enough base hours to cause one pitcher to the cool showers and make another pitcher wish he was something else other than a Sand Crab hurler.

Carlson Did It.

Carlson went into the game in the third inning after two men were out and allowed the Sand Crabs but two hits for the rest of the game. One of those was a double by Munson in the fourth and the last, a single by Rose in the ninth.

From the fourth till the ninth, only 12 men faced Carlson. Three men went to bat and these same three went out in order.

It was hard to see what Devinney had on the ball that let him stay in the game so long. Till he was chased from the box in the eighth, the Spudders had hit him hard every inning, but were unable to garner but three scores off his delivery.

In five innings of the contest the Spudders put the first two men at bat on board the sacks, yet they didn't have the required punch to put the men across. Devinney seemed to have all the luck and Salm's crew none at all.

Win in Eighth.

In the eighth the Spudders started off as they had been doing all through the game. Cotter, the first man to bat, walked, and Weiss doubled. Berger singled, scoring Cotter. Here Pilot Pat Newman of the Crabs decided that Devinney's luck had left him so sent young Mister Iefer to the box to check the incoming tide. Kiefer allowed but one more hit, yet his mates began to kick the ball around, and hold fly balls as though they didn't need the game. When it was all over, the Spudders had scored four runs on three hits, and had won a ball game.

George Bischoff celebrated his return to the line up by swatting out a homer over the left field wall with Berger on base in the third, and scoring a runner with a timely single in the eighth.

George has been out since the first game of the home stay with Beaumont with a bruised finger.

Hooks Cotter, Joe Berger and Art Weiss, also had fat days at the bat. Each batter collected a pair of hits, while Weiss and Berger scored two runs.

Dallas Locker, who has been hitting the ball squarely on the nose during the home stay, was shoved into third place in the batting order. He proved Manager Salm's judgement by getting a single and a double in five times at bat.

Batting Shaken.

Salm gave his batting order a bit of a shake up. Grimsley was elected to head the list and the rest of the batters droped down one position. From the standpoint of hitting strength, the change proved to be a wise one.

Joe Berger and Baddy Tanner, the two veterans of the Spudder infield, figured in some grand fielding plays. In the seventh, Berger made a good stop and throw to first of Distel's grounder near third. Tanner made a similar stop and throw on Wendell's grounder down the third base line in the eighth.

The Sand Crabs jumped on Dyer for two harmless hits in the first inning. Munson, first up, got credit for a double on a pop fly just back of shortstop. The next two men were retired quickly, but Brown singled.

To start the second, Kearns walked and Witry sent him around with a circuit blow over the left field wall. Dyer struck out, two of the next three batters.

Distel opened the fireworks in the third with a single, and went to second on Ostergard's sacrifice. He scored on Brown's single, which was a pop fly just back of short. Wendell struck out, but Kearns sent Brown home with a double to deep center. Witry scored Brown with another doublye and sent Dyer out of the game.

Although the Spudders made hits in the first two frames, it was the third before any runs were produced. Berger opened up with a single and scored on Bischoff's homer over the left field wall.

Hits But No Runs.

Tanner and Cotter, the first two men up in the fourth, singled but were left stranded when the next three men were retired on easy outs.

In the fifth, Carlson singled and went to second on Grigsby's single. Bescher advanced both a notch with a sacrifice. Carlson scored on Locker's infield out.

The Shimates won the game in the eighth with a barrage of bingles, errors and walks. Cotter opened with a free pass and went to third on Weiss' double. Cotter scored on Berger's single. Weiss scored on Bischoff's single and Carlson sent Berger home on a sacrifice fly. Bischoff scored on Kearns' error on Grigsby's grounder. Four runs was the result, and thus a ball game was won.

KEEP IT UP SPUDDERS

GALVESTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Munson, lf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Distel, ss	4	1	1	4	2	0
Ostergard, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Brown, cf	4	1	2	2	1	1
Wendell, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	0
Kearns, 1b	3	2	1	8	0	1
Witry, c	4	1	2	5	2	0
Rose, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Devinny, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Kiefer, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
xGraham	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	5	9	24	10	2

SPUDDERS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Grigsby, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Bescher, lf	3	0	0	4	0	0
Locker, 2b	5	0	2	1	1	0
Tanner, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Cotter, ib	3	1	2	8	0	0
Weiss, cf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Berger, ss	4	2	2	2	8	0
Bischoff, c	4	2	2	6	0	0
Dyer, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Carlson, p	3	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	7	13	27	*9	0

Galveston .....023 000 000—5
Wichita Falls .....002 010 04x—7

Summary: Stolen base, Cotter; sacrifice hits, Bescher (2), Ostergard; sacrifice fly, Carlson; two-base hits, Munson (2), Kearns, Witry, Weiss (2), Locker; home runs, Witry, Bischoff; left on bases, Galveston 4, Wichita Falls 8; double plays, Wendell to Distel to Kearns, Berger to Cotter; pitching statistics, 5 runs 7 hits off Dyer in 2 2-3 innings, 2 runs 12 hits off Devinny in 7 (none out in eighth); struck out, by Dyer 4, by Carlson 2, by Devinney 3; bases on balls, off Dyer 1, off Carlson 1, off Devinny 2; hit by pitcher, by Devinney (Grigsby); time of game, 2 hours; umpires, Brashear and Weir.

TEN INNING BATTLE GOES TO CATS, 4-3

Associated Press Dispatch

FORT WORTH, Aug. 1.—Hogworth's double in the tenth with one out and Kraft on second, enabled the Cats to beat the Exporters today 4 to 3. Allen hit a homer in the first, while Calvo also made a homer in the second with Stoner on base. Bailey and Stoner both pitchd fine balls, especially in the pinches. Huber was ejected in the last inning by Umpires Sweeney for grabbing the arbiter by the arm and turning him around. Strong went to third and Jackson to first. Score:

BEAUMONT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
DeMaggio lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Turgeon, ss	5	1	2	3	2	0
Allen, cf	5	1	1	3	0	0
Kirkham, rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Black, 2b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Strong, 1b-3b	3	1	0	10	0	1
Huber, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Jackson, 1b	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kitchens, c	4	0	2	3	0	1
Bailey, p	3	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	37	3	8	x28	10	2

xOne out when winning run scored.

FT. WORTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Calvo, cf	5	1	3	0	0	0
Sears, lf	4	0	1	1	0	1
Edington, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Kraft, 1b	4	1	0	14	1	0
Hoffman, 2b	5	1	2	3	3	0
Haworth, c	5	0	2	6	1	0
Rapp, 3b	4	0	2	0	2	0
Tavener, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
Stoner, p	4	1	1	1	3	0
Totals	38	4	11	30	12	1

Beaumont .....100 011 000 0—3
Ft. Worth .....002 001 000 1—4

Summary: Sacrifice hit, Bailey; three-base hits, Hoffman, Rapp, Turgeon, Kitchens, Haworth; home runs Allen Calvo; double plays, Turgeon to Black to Strong, Bailey to Turgeon to Strong; struck out, by Stoner 5, by Bailey 3; bases on balls, by Bailey 4, by Stoner 2. Time, 2:05. Umpires, Sweeney and Daly.

YESTERDAY'S HOMERS. TEXAS LEAGUE.

Bischoff, Wichita Falls (7).
Witry, Galveston (3).
Wight, Shreveport (3).
Simmons, Shreveport (9).
Allen, Beaumont (9).
Calvo, Fort Worth (5).
Love, Dallas (2).

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Wheat, Brooklyn (7).
Alexander, Chicago (1).
Statz, Chicago (8).
Miller, Chicago (14).

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Lutzke, Cleveland (3).
Ruth, New York (25).

FAREWELL—ON OUR ROAD TRIP! By Hasty Walker



DALLAS DRUBS HOUSTON BUFFS

Love Wins His Own Battle From Buffs With Home Run in Eighth

Associated Press Dispatch

DALLAS, Aug. 1.—Love's home run in the eighth inning decided today's game which Dallas won from Houston, 8 to 4. Score:

HOUSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sperber, rf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Stansbury, 2b	4	0	0	4	0	0
Schultz, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Schmandt, 1b	4	1	2	3	0	0
Portier, 3b	4	1	1	2*	1	1
Bliss, cf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Vick, c	4	0	0	7	3	0
Sell, p	4	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	34	4	8	24	6	2

DALLAS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hamilton, ss	4	1	0	0	5	0
Wano, 1b	2	3	2	11	0	1
Dugoue, rf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Vache, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Connolly, 2b	5	0	1	1	1	0
Griffin, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Mathes, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Lingle, c	4	0	1	9	0	0
Ryan, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Love, p	1	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	8	13	27	9	1

Score by innings:
Houston .....000 000 310—4
Dallas .....000 010 34x—8

Summary: Two-base hits, Wano, Bell, Connolly; three-base hit, Sperber; home run, Love; stolen bases, Griffin 3, Mathes, Vache, Wano, Sperber; caught stealing, Wano, Mathes, Connolly; earned runs, off Sell 3, off Ryan 3, off Love 1; sacrifice hits, Stansbury, Fortier, Griffin, Donohue, Vache; hits and runs off Ryan, 6 hits, 3 runs in 7; Love, 2 hits run in 2 innings; struck out, by Sell 6, Ryan 6, Love 2; bases on balls, off Sell 7, off Ryan 1, off Love 1; left on bases, Dallas 11; Houston 7. Time, 2:20. Umpires, Kane and Fanning.

WHITE SOX DIVIDE TWO WITH BOSTON

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—Chicago defeated Boston, 4 to 2, in 11 innings and then the home team won the second game of the double-header today, 7 to 3. Robertson held Boston to six hits in the first game and Chicago scored two runs in the eleventh inning with the help of a hit. Score:

FIRST GAME.

Chicago	AB	R	H	O	A
Hooper, rf	4	2	3	0	0
Happeny, ss	4	1	1	3	2
Collins, 3b	5	0	1	1	2
Mostil, cf	3	0	3	0	0
Strunk, cf	0	0	0	0	0
Sheely, 1b	4	0	1	9	0
Falk, lf	4	1	2	1	0
Kamm, 3b	3	0	1	3	0
Schalk, c	4	0	0	11	1
Robertson, p	3	1	0	0	0
Totals	39	6	12	27	5

Boston	AB	R	H	O	A
Pittenger, 2b	5	0	0	2	3
Devormer, c	5	1	2	5	0
Fstead, rf	4	1	1	4	0
Burns, 1b	5	1	1	11	0
Reichle, cf	4	0	1	4	0
Harris, lf	3	1	1	2	0
Shanks, 3b	4	2	0	2	3
McMillan, ss	4	0	3	4	3
Piercy, p	3	0	0	1	2
Totals	37	6	9	33	11

Score by innings:
Chicago .....001 001 000 02—4
Boston .....001 100 000 00—2

Summary: Runs batted in, Mostil, Strunk, Sheely, Robertson, Flagstead, Harris; error, Burns; two-base hits, Flagstead, Falk; left on bases, Chicago 8, Boston 6; bases on balls, off Robertson 3, off Piercy 3; struck out, by Robertson 4, by Piercy 2.

SECOND GAME.

Chicago	AB	R	H	O	A
Hooper, rf	4	0	2	1	0
Happeny, ss	4	0	3	3	5
Collins, 3b	4	1	2	0	2
Mostil, cf	4	1	2	0	0
Sheely, 1b	4	3	9	0	0
Falk, lf	3	1	2	1	0
Graham, c	2	0	2	1	1
Kremer, c	2	0	0	1	0
Bishop, p	1	0	0	4	0
†Strunk	0	0	0	0	0
Thurston, p	2	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	24	14	8

Boston	AB	R	H	O	A
Pittenger, 2b	5	2	2	1	2
Walters, c	3	2	1	8	0
Fstead, rf	4	0	2	2	0
Burns, 1b	4	0	1	11	0
Reichle, cf	3	2	1	1	0
Harris, lf	3	1	3	0	0
Shanks, 3b	4	0	2	4	4
McMillan, ss	4	1	3	2	3
Ferguson, p	2	0	0	0	4
Totals	30	12	27	17	13

†Batted for Blankenship in sixth.

Score by innings:
Chicago .....000 00 110—3
Boston .....401 020 00x—7

Summary: Runs batted in, Collins, Mostil, Sheely, Pittenger, Flagstead (3), Burns (2), Harris, Graham, Kamm (2), Shanks, two-base hits, Collins, Sheely, Kamm, Reichle; three-base hit, Harris; left on bases, Chicago 6, Boston 9; bases on balls off Blankenship 2, off Ferguson 2; struck out, by Blankenship 1, by Ferguson 3; hits, off Blankenship 8 in 5 innings, off Thurston 4 in 3.

JOHN HOFFMAN'S CAR STOLEN AS HE KEEPS KEY IN SWITCHBOARD

A seven-passenger Nash touring car belonging to John H. Hoffman was stolen from in front of the chamber of commerce building Wednesday night while Hoffman was across the street with his family at a picture show.

Hoffman said he left the key in the car and that he had always made a habit of never taking the key out. The Nash had two new spare cord tires on the rear. The police were notified of the theft and said it was probably "borrowed" by joyriders.

YOU'RE O. K. GEORGE



GEORGE BISCHOFF

A good man can't be kept down says George Bischoff. The popular Spudder catcher celebrated his return to the line yesterday by rapping out a homer in his first appearance at bat. George has been out for 10 days with a bruised finger.

FINALS OF NET MATCHES TODAY

Bill Powers Defeats Akin By Staging Flashy Comeback

By defeating Henry Akin three sets Wednesday afternoon Bill Powers gained the right to play Rippey in the tennis singles in the city tournament of Wichita Falls which is being held at the local Country Club. Powers took the first set 6-4 after some of the prettiest playing that has ever been witnessed in Wichita Falls. In the second set Akin had Powers 5-0 but by a great comeback Powers deuced the set and finally won 9-7. Akin took the third set 6-1 but Powers came back in the fourth set and won 6-3 and by so doing entered the finals.

Rippey and Powers will play Thursday afternoon at the scheduled place for the championship of Wichita Falls. Rippey gained the right to play Powers by defeating Donald Halman in the semi-finals.

In the second round of double Akin and Hines defeated Underwood and Albright in two straight sets, 6-2, 6-2. The winners will probably play Powers and Haynes Thursday or Friday.

O'NEILL BEATS BRUINS FOR GASSERS, 7-0

Associated Press Dispatch

SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 1.—O'Neill's airtight pitching coupled with home runs in the second and third innings by Wight and Simmons, a Gasser scoring ahead each time, won the game for the locals by the score of 7 to 0. Score:

SAN ANTONIO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fuller, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Todt, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Boone, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Simon, 3b	4	0	0	3	3	0
Meyers, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Galloway, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Schulte, c	2	0	0	6	0	0
Gross, ss	3	0	0	1	3	0
Lucas, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	32	0	4	24	9	0

SHREVEPORT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Stow, ss	4	0	0	2	1	1
Shirling, lf	3	2	1	2	0	0
Simmons, 1b	4	1	2	12	1	1
Jolley, rf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Wight, 3b	4	1	1	0	3	0
Eichrodt, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Moore, 2b	4	0	1	4	1	0
J. Burns, c	3	1	2	4	0	0
O'Neill, p	3	1	0	1	3	0
Totals	33	7	9	27	12	2

San Antonio .....000 000 000—0
Shreveport .....022 000 30x—7

Summary: Two-base hits, Simmons, Todt; home runs, Wight, Simmons; double play, Simmons (unassisted); stolen base, Gross; bases on balls, off Lucas 1, off O'Neill 2; struck out, by O'Neill 4, by Lucas 4.

All Kinds of Fighting To Be Seen At Lake Wichita Ring Friday Eve

Featuring a battle royal with Battling" Nelson as the main attraction the American Legion will give Wichita Falls fans a crowded bill of high-class boxing Friday night at Lake Wichita. Some of the fighters that will exhibit their ring prowess to local fight fans are "Country Boy" Lance of Gainesville, Billy Rose of Sapulpa, Okla., Fighting Simmons, Bob Terry, Kid Snyder and Otis Bell. The last named scrappers are well known in local boxing circles.

Fans are assured their money's worth in the battle royal of local negroes. Battling Nelson, who was rescued from the county jail by the American Legion, says that he can whip any four negroes in Wichita Falls all at one time. Nelson is an ex-service man of the 138th Pioneer regiment known as the labor battalion. In his regiment he was heavyweight champion. Four husky blacks have been chosen to enter the ring against the challenger.

The main go of Friday night's affair is a ten-round match between "Country Boy" Lance of Gainesville and Billy Rose of Sapulpa, Okla. Both fighters have been in the scrapping business for quite awhile, and both bring a long list of victories with them to Wichita Falls.

This fight is expected to be the best drawing card of any of the bouts staged this season at Lake Wichita. Lance has made a reputation that has carried him high in fight circles all over the United States. He has fought in Fort Worth, New Orleans and points in Florida. He has been featured on bills that listed such fighters as Billy Miske, who once fought Jack Dempsey.

Billy Rose has a reputation that reaches as far as does Lance's. He is well known for his scrapping ability around the west and south. In fact he is rated as good.

Wichita fans have already seen Fighting Simmons of Henrietta in action. They have seen him knock out Red Bird and Cyclone Bowser in less than four rounds. So far the local fight managers have been unable to find anyone to stay the limit with the Clay county puncher. Lance has brought over Bob Terry of Gainesville, who he says will stay with Simmons, easily, all the way.

Kid Snyder of Burkburnett and Otis Bell of Electra are other attractions in the preliminaaries. With these will be a first-class wrestling match and several scraps between local youngsters.



TEXAS LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Wichita Falls 7; Galveston 5.
Fort Worth 4; Beaumont 3.
Dallas 8; Houston 4.
Shreveport 7; San Antonio 0.

The Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	103	61	42	.592
Dallas	105	59	46	.562
Wichita Falls	103	55	48	.534
San Antonio	107	57	50	.528
Galveston	102	52	50	.510
Houston	107	49	58	.458
Beaumont	104	47	57	.452
Shreveport	103	38	65	.369

Where They Play Today.
San Antonio at Shreveport.
Beaumont at Fort Worth.
Houston at Dallas.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Pittsburg 2; New York 1.
Cincinnati 5; Philadelphia 3.
Chicago 8; Boston 2.
St. Louis 11-7; Brooklyn 10-6.

The Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	98	63	35	.643
Pittsburg	96	59	37	.615
Cincinnati	98	60	38	.612
Chicago	98	51	47	.520
St. Louis	101	51	50	.505
Brooklyn	97	49	48	.505
Philadelphia	97	31	66	.320
Boston	97	27	70	.278

Where They Play Today.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburg.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Chicago 4-3; Boston 2-7.
Cleveland 5; New York 3.
St. Louis 2-8; Philadelphia 0-3.
Detroit-Washington (rain).

The Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	96	65	31	.677
Cleveland	99	54	45	.545
St. Louis	95	51	44	.537
Detroit	91	45	46	.495
Chicago	95	46	49	.484
Philadelphia	95	42	53	.442
Washington	93	41	52	.441
Boston	94	35	59	.372

Where They Play Today.
St. Louis at Washington.
Chicago at Boston.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Oklahoma City 7-7, Denver 6-4.
St. Joseph 3, Des Moines 10.
Wichita 5, Sioux City 8.
Tulsa 6, Omaha 2.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Austin 6; Sherman 10.
Corsicana 5; Waco 4.
Marlin 1; Mexia 3.

Keeping Pace In The Chess Match

Houston Starts Again Electra Preliminary Stage Quanah An End Game

Electra—Knight to King 5.
Wichita—Queen to Rook 3.

Houston—Rook to Queen 2.
Wichita—Rook to Queen 3.
Houston—Bishop takes Rook.
Wichita—Next move.

That looks mighty bad to us. Jimmie Cassell, custodian of the board at the Kemp hotel drug store, says Wichita Falls seems to be on the run.

Championship To Be Decided In Twilight League

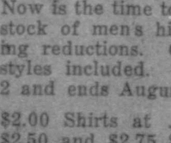
Now that the Spudders have gone baseball fans of Wichita Falls can enter their interests around the coming championship game of the Twilight League, Texas Company, winners of the first half of the race will play the Utilities, winners of the second half at Spudder Park Friday afternoon.

The Texas Company admit that the Utilities have a good club and deserved to win the last half of the race, but they don't believe tha they can be beaten in one game. Just one game will decide the championship.

There have been a number of good ball games in the City League this season. There was one no-hit and no-run game listed, and several have been close score games. The one on tomorrow afternoon at Spudder Park promises to be the best of the entire season.

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Take It Or Leave It

The Spudders will rest today, as the schedule says they can take it easy before jumping over to Shreveport to play the Gassers. Four games will be played with Shreveport and four at Dallas. The road tour will wind up with a couple of games at Panther city, and then the Spudders will come back home for two series.

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The home stand although much better than the road trip can not be said to be very successful, at least not successful as compared to the home stays previous to this one. Only one series was taken and that from San Antonio. One series was dropped to the Exporters, while an even break was the result of the Houston and Galveston series.

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On the road the Spudders will meet some real opposition. The Gassers have played better ball than the Saimites have during the past month, while Dallas and Fort Worth have managed to stay right around the top very successfully. If the Spudders expect to be in the race for the flag they will have to at least win half of the games on the road trip. Anyway the road trip will go a long ways to make or break Wichita.

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Since returning home the strength of the club has been added to greatly by the acquisition of some new blood. Dallas Locker has proven that he can play the class of ball that is played in this league and star. Eddie Dyer, although bumped in his first start yesterday, shows enough promise to be kept on the pay roll. Bob Barrett looked like a million dollars in the two games that he took part in before he became a victim of a leg injury. It is the opinion of Spudder fans and Spudder bosses that Barrett is a good Class A ball player.

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Sport fans can turn their attention to the championship game of the Twilight league to be played at Spudder park Friday afternoon. The Texas company and Utilities are the two teams that will battle for the flag. The Texas company won the right to play off for the championship by taking the first half of the race, and the Utilities won out in the last half. Both of these clubs have listed some of the best amateur talent in Wichita Falls, and tomorrow's game is sure to be well worth seeing.

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Other attractions in Wichita will be the American legion fight night affair on Friday night at Lake Wichita. The battle royal between Battling Nelson, the negro heavyweight who the legion officials got out of the county jail, and four picked black huskies of Wichita Falls is going to be worth the price of admission. Nelson was an army heavyweight champion, and calmly says that he can whip any four negroes that will get in the ring with him.

HELEN WILLS LOSES

SEABRIGHT, Aug. 1—Miss Helen Wills, the young Berkeley, Calif., star, was defeated in the Seabright singles by Miss Eleanor Goss, 5-7, 6-3, 6-2.

BROWNS DEFEAT MACKS' TWICE

Danforth Gets Into Trouble Again By Doctoring The Ball

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 1.—St. Louis took another double-header from Philadelphia today winning the first game, 2 to 0, and he second, 8 to 3. The Athletics have now lost ten games in a row and have dropped to sixth place. The first game was protested by Manager Mack following the banishment of Pitcher Danforth of St. Louis, who was alleged to have been discoloring the ball. Danforth held the locals to two hits up to the ninth, when he was removed. Score:

FIRST GAME.

St. Louis	AB	R	H	O	A
Robin, rf	4	0	0	3	0
Rassell, 3b	0	0	0	0	0
Foster, 3b	3	0	1	2	0
†Collins	1	0	0	0	0
Willingham, lf	4	2	2	0	0
Jacobson, cf	4	2	2	0	0
McManus, 2b	3	1	1	1	2
Gerber, ss	4	2	2	3	3
Severeid, c	4	1	3	1	0
Schlicher, 1b	4	0	0	9	1
Danforth, p	4	0	0	0	2
Shocker, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	10	11	27	9

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	O	A
Matthews, cf	4	1	2	0	0
Hale, 3b	4	0	0	0	5
Hauser, 1b	2	0	1	0	0
Miller, lf	3	0	0	3	0
Perkins, rf	3	1	1	5	0
Galloway, ss	3	0	0	3	1
Dykes, 2b	3	0	0	2	2
Welsh, rf	3	0	1	1	0
Harris, p	1	0	0	0	2
†Walker	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	2	2	7	13

†Batted for Foster in ninth.
‡Batted for Harris in ninth.
Score by innings:
St. Louis .....000 000 110—2
Philadelphia .....000 000 000—0

Summary: Runs, Williams, Gerber; error, Williams; two-base hits, Severeid, Schlicher; left on bases, St. Louis 9, Philadelphia 5; bases on balls, off Danforth 1; struck out, by Harris 3, by Danforth 2.

SECOND GAME.

St. Louis	AB	R	H	O	A
Tobin, rf	4	1	1	0	0
Ezzell, 3b	4	1	2	0	6
Williams, cf	5	1	1	0	0
Jacobson, lf	5	1	1	2	0
McManus, 2b	5	3	3	4	2
Gerber, ss	5	1	1	2	4
Severeid, c	4	1	3	9	1
Schlicher, 1b	4	0	1	8	0
Kolp, p	3	0	0	0	1
Totals	39	9	13	25	14

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	O	A
Matthews, cf	5	0	2	3	0
Griffith, rf	5	1	2	2	0
Perkins, rf	4	1	2	2	1
Galloway, ss	3	0	0	2	5
Dykes, 2b	4	1	2	1	5
Welsh, lf	4	0	0	1	0
Walker, rf	3	0	0	2	0
Heimach, p	2	0	0	0	0
Rommel, p	2	0	0	1	1
Totals	37	3	8	15	7

Score by innings:
St. Louis .....021 040 002—9
Philadelphia .....000 100 000—3

Summary: Runs, Tobin (2), Ezzell, McManus, Severeid, Schlicher (3), Hale, Miller, Galloway; errors, Jacobson, Hale, Hauser; two-base hit, Perkins, McGowan; left on bases, St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 10; bases on balls, off Kolp 2, off Heimach 1, off Rommell 1; struck out, by Kolp 3, by Heimach 2, hits, off Heimach 6 in 5 innings.

RUTH GETS 25TH BUT INDIANS WIN, 5-3

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Cleveland took the first of four game series with the New York Yankees today 5 to 3. Ruth hit his twenty-fifth home run of the season in the ninth with Witt on base. Score:

Cleveland	AB	R	H	O	A
Jamieson, lf	5	0	1	4	0
Connolly, rf	5	0	1	1	0
Summa, rf	3	0	1	0	0
Speaker, cf	4	1	2	3	0
J. Sewell, ss	4	0	1

DOUBLE HEADER WON BY CARDS

Last Game Goes 14 Frames But Both Are Lively Slug Matches

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1.—St. Louis went into a tie with Brooklyn for fifth place by winning a double-header from the Dodgers here today. After winning the first game, 11 to 10, the Cardinals were forced to travel 14 innings before annexing the nightcap, 7 to 6. Score:

FIRST GAME.

Brooklyn	AB	R	H	O	A	St. Louis	AB	R	H	O	A
Dalley,cf	5	2	2	1	0	Flack,rf	5	2	2	2	0
Johnston,2b	7	2	3	0	4	J.Smith,lf	5	1	1	4	0
T.Griffith,rf	6	0	1	4	0	Hornsby,2b	4	0	2	2	0
Neis,rf	0	0	0	0	0	Bottomley,1b	5	2	2	7	1
Fournier,1b	4	1	2	9	1	Stock,3b	5	2	1	1	1
B.Griffith,lf	5	1	3	4	0	Myers,cf	5	1	2	6	1
Taylor,c	5	2	1	5	1	Toporcer,ss	5	1	1	5	2
High,3b	4	0	1	2	1	McCurdy,c	3	0	1	4	1
French,ss	3	1	1	1	1	Stuart,p	4	1	0	1	0
G.Smith,p	2	1	0	1	0	Shorde,p	0	0	0	0	0
Decatur,p	0	0	0	0	0	xMueller	1	1	0	0	0
Dick'mann,p	0	0	0	0	0						
Grimes,p	0	0	0	0	0	Totals	41	13	17	27	8
†Delberry	1	0	0	0	0						
‡Reuther	0	0	0	0	0						
‖McCarron	0	0	0	0	0						
*Olsen	0	1	1	0	0						
Totals	36	11	15	27	8						

†Batted for G. Smith in sixth.
‡Batted for Decatur in ninth.
§Ran for Reuther in ninth.
‖Batted for T. Griffith in ninth.
*One out when winning run scored.
xBatted for Shorde in ninth.
Score by innings:

Brooklyn	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	4—10
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—11

Summary: Runs, Dalley (2), Johnston, T. Griffith, Taylor (2), High (2), McCarron, Olsen, Flack, J. Smith, Hornsby (2), Bottomley, Stock, Toporcer (2), McCurdy, Stuart, Mueller; errors, Johnston, High, French, Hornsby; two-base hits, McCurdy, Stock (3), High, B. Griffith, Toporcer; three-base hits, Bailey, French, Flack, Mueller; left on bases, Brooklyn 9, St. Louis 10; bases on balls, off Smith 3, off Decatur 3, off Stuart 5; struck out, by Smith 2, by Stuart 2, by Shorde 1; hits, off Smith 7 in 5 innings, off Decatur 6 in 3, off Dickerman 1 in 1-3, off Grimes 2 in none, off Shorde 4 in 6 (none out in ninth, off Shorde 2 in 1.

SECOND GAME.

Brooklyn	AB	R	H	O	A	St. Louis	AB	R	H	O	A
Dalley,cf	6	0	3	1	0	Flack,rf	5	1	4	0	
Johnston,2b	7	1	2	0	3	Blades,lf	6	1	4	0	
T.Griffith,rf	6	0	4	0	0	Hornsby,2b	4	2	1	4	0
Fournier,1b	4	1	2	9	1	Bottomley,1b	4	2	2	12	0
B.Griffith,lf	6	1	3	0	0	Stock,3b	6	1	1	3	
Dellerry,c	6	2	4	4	1	Myers,cf	4	1	2	0	
High,ss-3b	5	2	3	5	0	Ainsmith,c	4	2	3	9	
French,ss	1	0	0	2	0	McCurdy,c	2	0	1	3	
McCarron,3b	2	0	0	1	0	Feagan,ss	2	0	1	2	
Berg,ss	0	0	1	1	0	Toporcer,ss	2	0	0	3	
Reuther,p	0	1	0	1	0	Doak,p	3	0	0	0	1
Dick'mann,p	0	0	0	0	0	Barfoot,p	3	1	0	2	
†Wheat	1	1	0	0	0	‡Smith	0	0	0	0	
Totals	50	12	*40	20		Totals	49	14	42	37	

*One out when winning run scored.
†Batted for French in ninth.
‡Ran for Ainsmith in ninth.
Score by innings:

Brooklyn	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
St. Louis	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	6

Summary: Runs, Fournier, DeBerry, High (3), French, Wheat, Flack, Blades, Hornsby, Bottomley, Myers, Ainsmith, Smith; errors, Blades, Stock, Feagan; two-base hits, Ainsmith, Flack; home run, Wheat; left on bases, Brooklyn 8, St. Louis 12; bases on balls, off Reuther 4, off Dickerman 3, off Doak 3, off Barfoot 1; struck out, by Reuther 3, by Doak 2, by Barfoot 2; hits, off Reuther 12 in 13 innings, off Dickerman 3 in 1-3, off Doak 11 in 9, off Barfoot 1 in 5.

PIRATES EVEN COUNT WITH GIANTS, 2-1

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 1.—Pittsburgh evened the count of a five-game series with New York by winning the fourth game today, 7 to 1. Score:

New York	AB	R	H	O	A	Pittsburg	AB	R	H	O	A
Young,rf	4	1	0	0	0	Rawlings,2b	4	1	2	3	
Groh,3b	4	1	1	2	2	Carey,cf	3	1	4	0	
Frisch,2b	3	0	1	3	3	Sigbee,lf	3	0	0	0	
Meusel,lf	4	2	1	0	0	Barnhart,rf	3	0	4	0	
Cunningham,cf	3	0	4	0	0	Traynor,3b	3	1	2	2	
Kelly,1b	4	0	1	8	0	Marquille,ss	3	1	2	3	
Jackson,ss	4	0	4	5	0	Grimm,1b	3	1	8	0	
Gowdy,c	3	0	1	1	0	Schmidt,c	3	0	4	0	
Bentley,p	2	0	0	0	0	Cooper,p	3	0	1	1	
†Snyder	1	1	0	0							
O'Connell	0	0	0	0		Totals	28	4	27	9	
Leonard,p	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	32	5	24	19							

†Batted for Bentley in eighth.
‡Ran for Snyder in eighth.
Score by innings:

New York	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0x	2

Summary: Runs, Groh, Rawlings, Grimm; error, Traynor; three-base hit, Carey; left on bases, New York 6, Pittsburgh 5; bases on balls, off Bentley 1, off Leonard 1, off Cooper 2; hits, off Bentley 4 in 7 innings, off Leonard none in 1.

CINCY WINS CLOSE ONE FROM PHILLIES

CINCINNATI, Aug. 1.—Cincinnati bunched hits on Ralph Head today in two innings and defeated Philadelphia, 5 to 3. Score:

Philadelphia	AB	R	H	O	A	Cincinnati	AB	R	H	O	A
Sand,ss	3	1	0	4		Burns,rf	4	0	2	3	0
Williams,cf	3	0	2	0		Daubert,1b	4	0	10	1	
Wstone,2b	4	1	1	2		Roush,cf	4	2	1	0	
Tierney,3b	4	1	2	2		Duncan,lf	3	2	3	0	
Walker,rf	4	3	2	0		Hargrave,c	4	1	3	1	
Lee,1b	3	1	11	1		Pinelli,3b	4	2	1	2	
Henline,lf	4	3	3	0		Bohne,2b	3	0	1	3	
Wilson,c	4	0	5	0		Caveney,ss	3	0	3	4	
Head,p	3	0	0	5		Benton,p	3	1	1	2	
†Leach	1	1	0	0		Luque,p	1	0	0	0	
Totals	35	11	24	14		Totals	35	10	27	12	

†Batted for Head in ninth.
Score by innings:

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Cincinnati	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	2x	5

Summary: Runs, Wrightstone, Walker (2), Daubert, Roush (2), Duncan, Pinelli; errors, Sand, Wilson; two-base hits, Daubert (2), Pinelli (2), Walker, Lee; three-base hit, Hargrave; left on bases, Philadelphia 7, Cincinnati 8; bases on balls, off Benton 1, off Head 2; struck out, by Benton 1, by Luque 1; hits, off Benton 9 in 7 1-3 innings, off Luque 2 in 1 2-3.

"BIG ALEX" BEATS BRAVES WITH HOMER

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Great pitching and hitting by Grover Alexander enabled Chicago to defeat Boston today, 8 to 3. Alexander's home run, his first in two years, sent two runners in in front of him in the fourth inning and put the locals out in front. Score:

Boston	AB	R	H	O	A	Chicago	AB	R	H	O	A
Felix,lf	5	1	0	0	0	Stats,cf	5	2	5	0	
Powell,cf	4	0	4	0	0	Adams,ss	5	3	1	2	
Sworth,rf	4	1	0	0	0	Gr'tham,2b	4	1	1	7	
McInnis,1b	4	1	0	9	0	O'Farrell,c	4	1	2	9	
Boeckel,2b	3	1	1	1	1	Hartnett,c	0	0	0	0	
R.Smith,c	4	1	3	5	0	Friberg,3b	5	2	1	3	
Ford,2b	4	1	1	4	4	Miller,lf	4	1	2	0	
H.Smith,ss	4	2	0	3	0	Calla'han,rf	4	1	1	0	
Genewich,2b	2	0	0	1	2	Elliott,3b	4	1	2	3	0
†Gibson	1	0	0	0	0	Alex'der,p	3	2	3	0	
Fillingim,p	0	0	0	0	1						
‡Bagwell	1	0	0	0	0	Totals	38	15	27	15	
Totals	36	8	24	10							

†Batted for Genewich in seventh.
‡Batted for Fillingim in ninth.
Score by innings:

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Chicago	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	0	2x	8

Summary: Runs, Felix, Southworth, Stats, Grantham, Friberg, Miller, Callahan, Elliott, Alexander (2); error, Adams; two-base hits, Boeckel, Grantham, R. Smith; home runs, Alexander, Miller, Stats; left on bases, Boston 8, Chicago 9; bases on balls, off Alexander 1, off Genewich 2; struck out, by Alexander 2,

"Yes, that wedding of Maud's was certainly a mix-up. She is a Presbyterian and he is a Methodist, the best man was a Baptist, and they were married by a Congressionalist preacher in Elk's hall.

"Gimminy! If they have any chil—"

"Aw, they'll all be politicians."

SPORTS through Edgren EYES



By Robert Edgren

The Argentine is puting Luis Firpo's name in the list of the world's greatest conquerors. Alexander, Napoleon and the rest of the old boys are forgotten in the Argentine. Mr. Elwood Brown of the National Amateur Athletic federation, who recently visited Buenos Aires in connection with developing amateur sports in South America, says that everybody talks about Firpo all the time and that Luis is better known and more famous than any president.

For all that the Argentine probably couldn't pay a record breaking gate for a Dempsey-Firpo fight. Tex Rickard's ambition to take the proposed match below the Equator doesn't hinge on taking a bigger gate than the money paid for the Carpentier-Dempsey fight.

The fact is that there probably never can be another such gate in America, because New York and New Jersay have put a limit to the ticket prices that can be charged. New Jersey by state law and New York by a boxing commission rule. That is why the ringside seats for the recent Firpo-Willard match were only $16.50 tax included. Ringside seats for Dempsey and Carpentier were $50. That made a big difference in the total.

If Rickard were to hold the fight in the Jersey bowl he might have to build another 10 rows of seats around the upper rim to take care of the ticket sale, and extend the ringless area back until it began to climb the incline. Ten rows of added seats, each row half a mile long would add something worth while to the gate. There's no doubt that Firpo and Dempsey would fill any arena that can be built, at reasonable prices, anywheres within easy reach of New York. That fight would draw a crowd from all over the country, and thousands of spectators from foreign lands.

GENE SARAZEN STILL HAS HIS SMILE.

Gene Sarazen hasn't lost his smile, although Gene has been in poor luck this year. He flopped in the British open and flopped again at home. But Gene is an optimist. "I'll cop again next year," said he when he came trailing in with Bobbie Jones, hopelessly out of the scoring.

Perhaps life has been to easy for Gene. When he was working his way up to the open and the professional titles, last year, he studied his courses months in advance and trained up to the day of each match. Afterward, when he beat Hagen in their individual match, he felt that luck always run his way. But it doesn't do that in golf.

DEMPSEY'S LEFT HOOK.

Almost everyone I meet, who talks about Dempsey and Firpo, seems to think that Dempsey will easily whip the South American by dropping a left hook on his chin when he pulls back his right hand.

Personally, I don't think it is going to be easy for Dempsey. It would be easy if Firpo was slow. Firpo has speed and plenty of it. With speed and strength combined a boxer is likely to do anything. Firpo doesn't pull his right hand back so much when ready to put the punch over. He hits from close to his body, and shoots the punch fairly straight. He doesn't miss much. At least he didn't miss Willard. When he failed to get the right through to Willard's body it was because Willard had an excellent guard against a body punch.

Of course Dempsey may drop the first punch over on Firpo's chin for a knockout. But it's a 100-1 shot he won't.

Dempsey never fought as tough a man as Firpo. Willard, Fulton, Morris and the rest of the big fellows were soft for a punch on the chin.

There's nothing soft about Firpo. He's rugged. He can take punches and come tearing back to fight.

FIGHT TO BE SHORT.

The fight may be short when they meet. Because Firpo isn't a Tom Gibbons in boxing skill and cunning use of lock holds and clinches ducking and running and twisting away from trouble. He is as direct and aggressive as Dempsey himself, and his inch and a half of height and 25 pounds of good hard weight may do something to offset Dempsey's great advantage in having a left hand that's as good as his right-two good hands to Firpo's one. Chances are Dempsey will take him. But this is one time Dempsey won't be sure of winning until it's over.

Dempsey is going to be like a man with a repeating rifle fighting a man with an old fashioned buffalve gun. He'll have the advantage, but there's a chance he may be hit first. Major Cushman Rice, who fought through a score of South American revolutions in the Phillipines and China, and served six months at the front in Belgium, remarked after he returned from the big war that they killed men faster in Europe, but as far as he observed the men killed by machine gun fire were no deader than the men popped over with slugs down in the cane brakes in Luzon.

Firpo is about as tough and strong as Tom Sharkey. Gus Ruhlin and some of the other big birds Jeffries used to wallop, Jeff broke three of Sharkey's ribs, and Sharkey fought him 25 rounds. No reason why Firpo should flop the first time he is hit, even by Dempsey.

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Canned Heat And Irishman Cause Police Scramble

Canned heat and an Irishman made one of the drunkest combinations that has called at the police station for a night's lodging in many months, it developed about 11 Wednesday night.

The Irishman was relieved of two cartons of canned heat but not until he had wrestled with several of the detectives at the police station. When Night Sergeant Thomason wanted to know the Irishman's name so he could assign him a room for the night, the latter stubbornly refused. "Well, I know you are a Swede, but I don't know your name," the desk sergeant said.

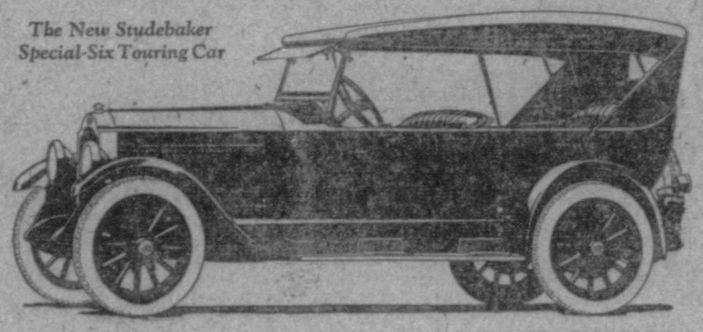
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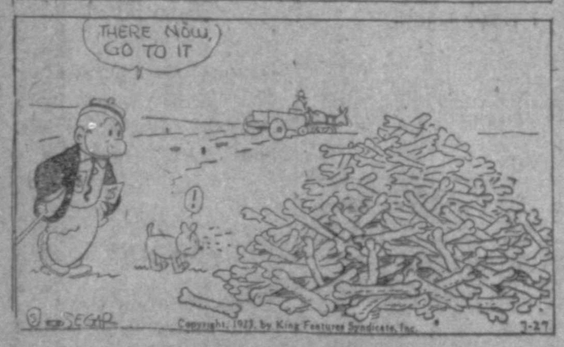
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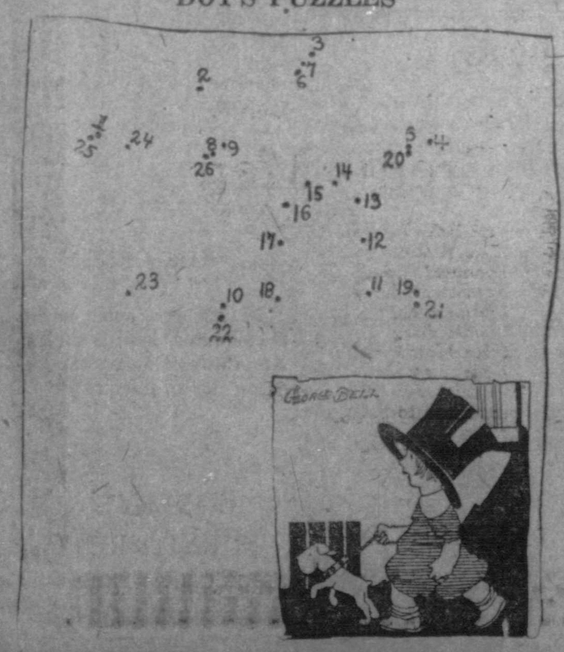


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DOT'S PUZZLES



BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN ANYTHING —By RUBE GOLDBERG



RUBE GOLDBERG APPEARS EXCLUSIVELY IN THE RECORD NEWS EVERY SUNDAY.

BARNEY GOOGLE— Barney Feels Safe Again —By Billy De Beck



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YOU KNOW ME AL It Takes More Than Size Words by Ring Lardner.



REG'LAR FELLOWS— At That Rate He'll Be His Own Father —By Byrnes



ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES— Successful Bait —By O. Jacobsson



The Busiest Repair Shops---Any Kind---Usually Advertise

LODGE DIRECTORY

Wichita Falls Council No. 146 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
W. J. WEBB, T. I. M.
G. W. LAWLER, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59 — Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month.
OTTO STEHLIK, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
W. P. WIENT, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.
Instruction in the E. A. degree Monday and Tuesday, July 30 and 31, 7 p. m.
Instruction in the F. C. degree Wednesday, Aug. 1, 7 p. m.
Instruction in the Masters' degree Thursday, Aug. 2, 7 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 207, R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
KINDEL PAULK, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.
Work in the Past and Most Excellent, 7 p. m.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meeting the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813 Scott street.
Master's degree, Tuesday, July 31, 8 p. m.
E. A. and F. C. degrees, Friday, August 3, 7:30 p. m.
Stated meetings and examinations, Tuesday, August 7, 8 p. m.
SIDNEY A. GAINES, W. M.
G. W. CURD, Secretary.

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Faith lodge rooms, in Chennault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Secretary's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3594.
FRANK COLLIER, Potentate.
AT. ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, of the Eastern Star, meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. ESTELLE BARRENBROCK, MRS. NENA FRITZ McGLYNN, Secy.
W. M.

Order of the Rainbow meets second and fourth Tuesdays. Stella B. Winters, Worthy Advisor; Dorothy Coleman, Secretary.

Faith Chapter O. E. S., order of the Eastern Star, meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month, 813 Scott.
RUTH A. VERMILLION, W. M.
AUGUST WISDOM, Secy.
Residence 2213 Ninth. Phone 2896.

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. 3091, 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.
W. BUSSEY, Recd. 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.
HARRY COHEN, Scribe.

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 Nat. Bk. Bldg.
CLEM J. GALLAGHER, F. S.
800 Harrison St.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Shrine Pin, either at Burk-Burnett or Wichita Falls. Finder phone 79 Electra, and receive reward.

WILL party who picked up bunch keys at 702½ Indiana leave same at Frank Portis Drug Store at 700 Indiana. Reward.

LOST or strayed, a female Airdale about two years old who answers to the name of "Babe." A. Clark, 1204 Monroe. Phone 5900 or 7012. Reward offered to finder or anyone furnishing information leading to her recovery.

LOST—Between town and lake a bunch of keys. Finder kindly return same to 701B Tenth St. and receive reward.

LOST—Airedale pup, 7 months old; answers to name of "Neal." Please return to 1606 Austin St. or phone 3793 or 4484. Reward.

SOME are born with a silver spoon in their mouths—others get it by using The News want ads. Phone 4121.

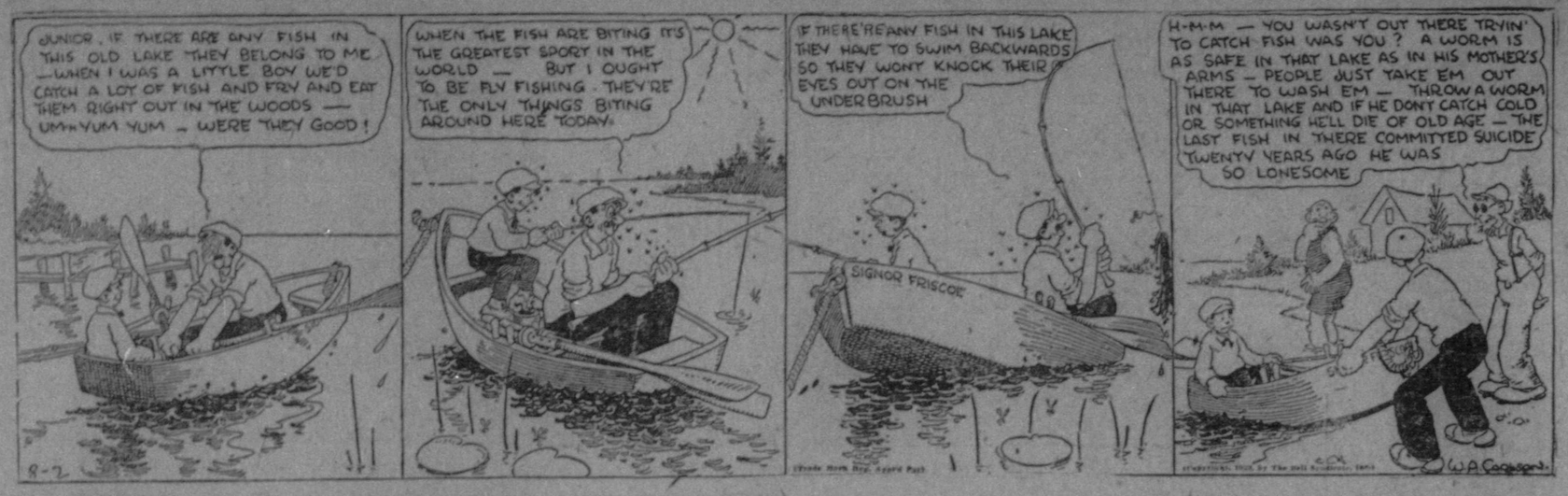
LOST—Pointer bird dog, liver and white colored. Reward. Phone 6266.

HELP WANTED—MALE

YOUNG man attending National Business College wants work all day or part of day. Will work reasonable. Phone 5656.

I AM looking for a man who can organize; must be neat in appearance, able to furnish good reference; no has been need apply or those looking for a premium. Apply 9 a. m. to 12 p. m. See sales manager. Bring this ad. 701B Tenth St.

THE NEBBS — Fresh Fish — —By Sol Hess



Want Ad Rates

1c Per Word

1 insertion, per word	1c
4 insertions, per word	3c
7 insertions, per word	5c
30 insertions, per word	20c

No advertisement accepted for less than 25c for the first insertion.

We will not be responsible for errors in ads after first insertion.

Closing Hours

All ads for publication must be in the Record News office before 7:00 p. m. Saturday.

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS when it is more convenient. Our collector will call within 24 hours, and as this is a cash service, only one insertion is permitted without the cash for the order.

PHONE 4121

Notice to Subscribers

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

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED four brick layers. Call 5074. Oil Center Lumber Co.

SAVE $80.
Phone 5656 and find out how. National Business College. No branch school.

BOYS WANTED
TO SELL RECORD NEWS
EVERY MORNING

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

SAVE $80
Phone 5656 and find out how. National Business College. No branch school.

WANTED—MALE OR FEMALE

YOUNG lady wants position in a doctor's office or any kind of clerical work. Phone 6363, Miss Barber.

SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Two additional sales people for attractive line. 1206 Kemp Blvd., phone 6767.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

WANTED by experienced bookkeeper small set of books to keep in the evenings. Care of Record News, Box A496.

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

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

FOR PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER CALL MISS STULTS, 605 STALEY BLDG. PHONE 2986.

PUBLIC stenographic work. Phone 5605; office 702½ Indiana.

ROOM AND BOARD

TWO lovely rooms, board if desired. The Haven Tea Room.

ROOM and board for two men at 1106 Burnett. Aug. 1. Phone 6440.

BEDROOMS

FOR RENT—Cool bedrooms, close in; $4 per week. 707 Burnett.

A POOR EXCUSE is better than none at all—but there's no excuse for not using our want ads. Phone The News your trouble, 4121.

CLEAN cool bedrooms. 709 Lamar. Under new management.

NICELY furnished bedroom to one or two gentlemen; garage. 2013 Ninth. Phone 6265.

FOR RENT—Furnished desirable upstairs bedroom; hot and cold water; bath; use of phone; gentlemen only. 805 Bluff. Plone 5394.

BEFORE you start your vacation you shoul dhave good luggage.
THE BAUCH LEATHER CO.

FOR RENT—Nice, cool front bedroom and garage to gentlemen only. Apply 2300 Tenth.

ROOM for rent to men only. 1304 Travis. Phone 6371.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms for rent, best location in Floral Heights, quiet place. Prefer couple with car, have garage, phone 2581.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms and two unfurnished rooms. 105 Dallas street. Phone 5426.

ROOMS to rent. Neatly furnished with garage, 1408 Burnett. Phone 6369.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished housekeeping rooms. 1007 Fourteenth St.

NICELY furnished bedroom, south exposure. Phone 2705, 1604, 12. Call after 6 p. m. or on Sunday.

CLOSE-IN housekeeping rooms. Phone 7075.

THREE light housekeeping rooms, all modern; front and back entrance and garage. 312 Indiana Ave.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms, cool and clean. 704 Travis.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms and sleeping porch in modern home; one dollar per day. 308 Burnett St. Phone 2445.

APARTMENTS

THREE room furnished apartment connecting bath, adults only. 1602 Polk street. Phone 6357.

FOR rent, choice 2 rooms furnished apartment. Sink, front and side entrance. East and south exposure. Use of phone and living room. References, 1206 Scott.

FOR rent a duplex three room furnished apartment, front and rear entrance, sink in kitchen. Close in on car line. Call at 1007 17th.

TWO or three room newly furnished apartment on Tenth street. Gas, lights, water, telephone and garage furnished. To a couple only. If you are looking for something cheap, don't bother. Phone 2644 office hours.

FOR RENT
Neatly furnished 5 room lower apartment. Modern garage. Phone 2642.

FOR RENT—5 or 3 room furnished apartment with garage. Phone 6659. 1906 Tenth street.

FOR RENT — Completely furnished two-room apartment and garage to couple; also access to living room. Phone 2708.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, with private bath, for two adults. Apply Hoffman Apartments, Tenth and Lamar. Phone 5226.

HOUSES FOR RENT

WANTED—To rent my home for one month. W. Newton Maer. Tel. 5483, or room 704 City National Bank Bldg.

WANTED—ROOM

SPECIAL reduction on all leather luggage at
THE BAUCH LEATHER CO.

BUSINESS LOCATIONS

FOR RENT—Balcony store space; best location in city. Jones Bros., 407 Staley Bldg. Phone 6450.

FOR RENT—Ideal location for millinery, art store or beauty parlor. Balcony space in best location in city, well lighted and ventilated. Jones Bros., 407 Staley Bldg. Phone 6450.

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Star rig; give price with description. A. Cervin, P. O. Box 681, Iowa Park, Texas.

WANTED—To buy men's second-hand suits and shoes. Call G. W. Wright, 613 Seventh. Phone 2514.

LAUNDRY, DRY CLEANERS AND PRESSERS

NEW YORK TAILORS to do your cleaning and pressing. We do alterations of all kinds. Phone 7021. 701 Tenth St.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Balcony space; best location in city. Jones Bros., 407 Staley Bldg. Phone 6450.

SELF-CONCEIT may lead to self destruction. Don't kid yourself that any old method can accomplish the same results as a News want ad. Phone 4121.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—One complete set of carpenter's tools. Apply 1204 Austin St.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

WINFREY FIXIT shop. We repair and recover umbrellas. Phone 5213.

FOR SALE
RED CEDAR SHINGLES
$4.50 PER
Texas Lumber Salvage Co.
Phone 7427 1110 Ohio

INSURANCE AND LOANS

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

PETS, CATS AND DOGS

WANTED—Dogs to board at the Blue Cross Kennels. Phone 3069.

REGISTERED bull pups cheap; Bulldogs. 501 Rockwood, Dallas, Tex.

PERSONALS

SPIRITUALIST medium gives lectures and tests at Labor Temple every Saturday and Wednesday nights, beginning at 8 o'clock. Private consultations daily. Room 3, Stratford Hotel.

"IT is sure to be dark if you shut your eyes"—open the eyes of Wichita Falls by selling with News want ads. Phone 4121.

POULTRY

CHICKENS will come home to roost—as sure as news ads get results.

FOR SALE—White Plymouth Rock Wyandotte and Leghorn hens one year old, 5 miles on Petrolia road; also broilers. B. B. Brown.

POULTRY raisers everywhere find it easy to get rid of blue bugs, lice, mites, fleas and red bugs. A few drops of Star Lice Remover in the drink water does the work or money back.
MORGAN FEED STORES

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To buy, a nice, modern home in the next two days. Want to deal with owner. Call H. C. Owen, phone 2916.

SPECIAL NOTICE

P. B. CURD
Fire Insurance and Farm Loans

PURE goose feather pillows, best grade feather ticking, $2.50 each. Patton Mattress Factory, phone 2930.

MATTRESS RENOVATED
Have your old mattress made new; reasonable price. Call and deliver same day. Sanitary Mattress Co. Phone 4783.

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.

WE NICKELPLATE ANYTHING. WICHITA NICKEL PLATING CO. 906 ELEVENTH ST.

WANTED—Second hand suits and shoes. Call Ben's place, 709 Ohio. Phone 5645.

ANYONE returning from Dallas to Wichita Falls with an empty truck or partly empty, call 3718.

PACK up your troubles in good leather and let's take a few day's vacation.
THE BAUCH LEATHER CO.

FOR SALE—5-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 IndianaA ve., Phone 2930.

PAINT AND WALL PAPER adds value to your property. A well known business man recently bought $20.95 worth of paint at our store and after applying it himself during spare hours promptly sold his place for $750 more than he had been asking. Our paints and wall paper add greatest value at lowest cost.
Wichita Falls Paint & Paper Co.,
Successors to Wilhite & Townly
910A Scott Avenue

GET your quilts quilted now and comforts tacked now before cold weather. Quilts, $2.50; comforts, $2. 1113 Monroe. Phone 2160.

—WATERMELONS.—
—WATERMELONS.—
fresh watermelons arriving daily, hot or cold. One to train load. Hobs and Johnson Produce Co. Phone 5546. 1014 Ohio.

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.

MACHINERY AND TOOLS

FOR SALE—French doors 2x8 by 6x8 and 2x8 by 6x6. $8.00 each. Texas Lumber Salvage Co., phone 7427, 1110 Ohio.

FOR SALE—One No. 38 gasoline star special drilling machine and tools. All in A-1 condition. Box 244, Iowa Park, Texas.

PLUMBING AND HEATING

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300 904 Sixth St.

L. A. CHILDS—Plumbing and gas fitting. 1207 Scott. Phone 5584.

PLUMBING—Our vans 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.

PLUMBING — David Black, phone 3644.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone, day 6011; night 2224.

WELDING

WHY BUY NEW PARTS
We weld all metals. Nichols Welding Co., 506 Ohio. Phone 4078.

FINANCIALS

WE ARE making real estate loans every day. If you want to borrow money to take up existing notes, or to build or buy a house, see us today. Wichita Falls Building and Loan Association, Inc., ground floor Morgan Bldg. Telephone Fifty-Fifty.

ALL IS not gold that glitters—it is real stuff when you see it in our classified. Phone 4121.

WANTED—FURNITURE

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 PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICES FOR ALL USED HOUSEHOLD GOODS. DOELL'S FURNITURE CO., 720 SEVENTH ST., PHONE 4720.

THE STAR FURNITURE CO.
Will pay you more for your used furniture.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011

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. Doctor & Son. 918 Scott

WE pay you the highest cash prices for your furniture. Mick's Furniture Co. Phone 5528. 716-18 Seventh St.

"WILL PAY CASH"
Wanted to buy, five or six rooms of furniture. Phone 3316.

WE BUY
WE SELL,
WE TRADE
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
MICK'S FURNITURE CO.
Phone 5528. 716 7th St

WILL PAY the highest cash prices for used furniture.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
910 Indiana. Phone 6011

MOVING AND STORAGE

WE WILL move you for $2.50 per load. Brown's Transfer. The Careful Movers. 605 Seventh. Phone 2286.

LOCAL and long distance oil field rig moving our specialty. Bolton Wilson. Phone 4784, 1009 Ohio.

DRAKE TRANSFER and Storage. Day phone 5735; night phone 3990. does crating, packing and shipping; local and long distance hauling. Oil field trips a specialty. Shelby Drake, manager.

SERVICE CARS AND TAXIS

$ DOLLAR DODGES $
One or four persons, any part of city for $1.00. Day and night service. Phone 7272.

BARTER AND EXCHANGE

FOR SALE or trade—Would 30 to 33 1-3 per cent on your investment interest you; good rental proposition. Call 315 Front St.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

FOR SALE
SIX ROOMS FURNITURE, CAN RENT HOUSE TO PARTY BUYING. LEAVING CITY. APPLY 1603 KEMP BLVD. PHONE 4497 POSITIVEL NO DEALERS NEED INQUIRE.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One and two panel doors, $4.50 each.
TEXAS LUMBER SALVAGE CO
Phone 7427. 1110 Ohio

The Home of Good Leather
THE BAUCH LEATHER CO.

FURNITURE reduced to the lowest prices. Stoves still cheaper; money saved by figuring with us.
CARLTON FURNITURE CO.
Phone 2666. 617 Indiana.

MRS. Carson, 105 Dallas street, you are invited to be a guest of the Olympic theatre to see "The Law of The Lawless" now playing. Call at the Record News for pass.

FOR SALE—Furniture for 5 room house, all practically new 802 Van Buren, phone 2445.

SOME office furniture for sale. Call 7446.

SOME MEN are wise and some are otherwise. Get wise and phone The News your ads. 4121.

FOR SALE — All or part of three rooms of furniture; almost new; been in use but a few weeks. Can be bought at a bargain as party is leaving town. Phone 6275 or call 1627 Collins.

A SACRIFICE
you should see. Will only last for one week. New overstuffed living room suite $225, going for—
$175.00
Slightly used, extra heavy constructed fumed oak living room suites from—
$40 to $75
These prices are good for this week only.
"It's a pleasure to show you."
Terms.
Mick's Furniture Co.
Phone 5528 716-18 Seventh St.

FOR SALE—New 200 pound refrigerator, side icer, has been used two weeks. Suitable for large family or small store. Will sacrifice for cash. Phone Haggard at Record News. Phone 4121.

AUTO AND ACCESSORIES

SEE THESE
1923 FORD COUPE.
1922 FORD COUPE.
1922 TOURING.
1922 SEDAN.
1921 TOURING.
1921 ROADSTER.
LOTS OF OTHERS.
THESE CARS ARE PRICED TO SELL AND GUARANTEED TO BE WORTH THE MONEY.
L. & M. AUTO MARKET.
912 SCOTT

BUICK 6 roadster, new cord tires and battery, in good shape to exchange for light weight touring car. Ever Ready Electric Co.

DO you want a home right in town you can make a living on. Cheap for cash. 513 Bluff street.

AUTO AND ACCESSORIES

TERMS
TO
SUIT
—YOU—
At Our Big Used
CAR SALE
will continue all this week. About 20 cars, all in A-No.-1 condition and priced to sell.

WHY WAIT?
See us now. We are open
EVENINGS
KING & WEAVER AUTO CO.
1012 Scott Phone 6808

LLOYD-WEAVER
COMPANY
Used Car Bargains

1-DODGE ROADSTER	$175.00
1-FORD TOURING CAR	75.00
1-FORD TOURING CAR	150.00
1-BUICK TOURING CAR	250.00
1-FORD COUPE	275.00
1-BUICK ROADSTER	200.00
1-BUICK TOURING CAR	450.00
1-HUDSON SPEEDSTER	550.00
1-ESSEX TOURING CAR	450.00
1-CADILLAC 5-PASENGER	250.00

USED CAR
—SALE—
CONTINUED
ALL THIS WEEK
We have had such splendid results on our sale of used
CARS
will continue through this week. See our many bargains.
KING & WEAVER AUTO CO.
1012 Scott Phone 6808

We will buy your car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 9th St. Phone 2015.

ROYALTY WANTED
We have calls for Royalties and can handle some if price right.
Stehlik & Baker

ANNOUNCEMENT

WE DESIRE TO NOTIFY OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS THAT WE HAVE MOVED TO THE GROUND FLOOR OF STALEY BUILDING, IMMEDIATELY EAST OF EIGHTH STREET LOBBY ENTRANCE. WE INVITE ALL WHO ARE INTERESTED IN REAL ESTATE LOANS, INSURANCE OR ANY REAL ESTATE DEALS, TO SEE US.

COVINGTON BROS.
PHONE 7446

NOTICE

Let us figure your next job. We guarantee to save you money. Phone us and our construction man will call and see you.

TEXAS LUMBER SALVAGE CO
Phone 7427 1110 Ohio

DID YOU KNOW?

Should see this beautiful six-piece breakfast room suite, two-tone finish. Only $30.00.

Two-inch post steel beds going at $7.00.

—CAN—
You afford to let these many bargains be sold without seeing the thing we are selling for less.

A wonderful three-piece fiber living room suite, only $55.00.

Choice of 500 records for 25 cents. Good used raphaphones for one-half price.

—SAVE—
25 to 50%
Sleep cool. Gold metal army cots. $3.25 woven wire steel cots. Just a few left, going at $1.00 each.

—MONEY—
Buy Here and Save.
Five gallon water coolers for $3.50 each.
White Rotary machine $60.
Other White machines for $40.

—AT—
BARGAINS!!
Beauty in a home means a contented family, and to miss this sale means the loss of an opportunity to save.

RILEY'S
FURNITURE CO.
816-18 Ohio. Phone 5465.

AUTO AND ACCESSORIES

BARGAINS!!
1923 Chevrolet coupe, demonstrator, good shape, reasonable with terms. Oldsmobile coupe, Ford sedan, Ford roadster and a few others.
LOCKHART CHEVROLET CO.
Phone 2442 808 Lamar St.

A SALE you can't forget is now on. Used cars. Bargains! You should see King & Weaver Auto Co.

WE BUY AND SELL FORDS AND OTHER STANDARD MAKES. L & M AUTO MARKET. 912 Scott.

WE HAVE a number of trunks you can carry on your car. Make your trip a pleasure.
THE BAUCH LEATHER CO.

BUSINESS goes where it is invited and stays where it is well treated. Phone 4121 and we can send out your invitations.

BUICK 4, just overhauled, also new tires and tubes all around. Price reasonable. Phone 2388. 908 Ninth.

HOTELS AND ROOMING HOUSES

EVERY little bit helps. Just try our want ads and see for yourself. Phone 4121.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE

HAVE cash buyer for cheap five room modern house. Must be a bargain.

HAVE Dodge car and a little cash to apply as first payment on four or five rom house.

HAVE client with $300 for down payment on five room modern house.
HAGER REALTY CO.
Phone 2785 14 Ward Bldg.

"H.RD luck is a polite name for the sleeping sickness"—change your luck. News want ads never sleep. Phone 121.

HAVE cash buyer for cheap five-room modern house; must be a bargain. Have Dodge car and a little cash to apply as first payment on four or five room house. Have client with $300 for down payment on five-room modern house.
HAGER REALTY CO.
Phone 2785. 14 Ward Bldg.

FARMS AND RANCHES

NOTICE
See or call Covington Bros. if you desire to sell your city or farm property or if you desire to purchase a real bargain in a modern home. Phone 7446. Ground floor Staley Bldg.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two-room house, furnished; place for car. See it at 608 Fifteenth.

A PERSON is judged by the company he keeps, also by the luggage he carries.
THE BAUCH LEATHER CO.

YESTERDAY is dead—forget it. Tomorrow has not come—don't worry. Today is here—use it. Do it today with a want ad.

Your Opportunity

New 5-room modern home, south front, built-in features, on Elizabeth street. Price $6,000. Small cash payment, with good terms on balance. A like home, located on Eleventh street, has hard wood floors, excellent garage and servant house. These properties must sell at once.
A 6-room modern dwelling, built-in features, sleeping porch, excellent front porch with brick peers, south front on Cullin street. Can be purchased with small cash payment. Price $6,000. Phone 7446. ground floor of Staley Bldg.
Covington Brothers.

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LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the estate of Homer H. Hale, deceased.

Know ye that T. J. Moss, executor of the estate of the said Homer H. Hale, deceased, has filed in the county court of Wichita county his final account of the conditions of said estate, together with an application to be discharged as executor thereof, which will be heard by our said court on the first Monday in October A. D. 1923, same being the 1st day of October A. D. 1923, at the court house of said Wichita county in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas at which time and place all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said final account and application, if they see proper.

Witness Alma Y. Miller, clerk of the county court of Wichita county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at my office in Wichita Falls, Texas, on this the 1st day of August A. D. 1923.

Alma Y Miller, clerk
County court Wichitta county Texas
By M. F. Yeager, deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon E. M. Simmons 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 Seventy-eighth district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1923 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No 14644-B, where-in W. K. Miller is plaintiff, and E. M. Simmons is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of certain real estate situated in Wichita county, Texas, the same being lots Nos. 20, 21 and the east one half of lot 22 in block No. 46, as shown and designated by the recorded plat of the town of Electra, Texas, together with all buildings, improvements and appurtenance thereto belonging.

That on the 18th of September, 1919, one E. M. Simmons sold and conveyed by deed the following described real estate, to-wit: 50x150 and 50 feet off of the west end of lot "E" or R. G. Shurer subdivision of the southwest corner of block 2 of the Bellevue addition to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, according to the map of said subdivision, as shown by the records of Wichita county, Texas, to one W. K. Miller, who was at said time a resident of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, and while he bears the same name and initials as this plaintiff, he is a separate and distinct person from, and bears no relation to, this plaintiff, W. K. Miller.

That as a part and parcel of the above transaction with E. M. Simmons, the said W. K. Miller, then a resident of Wichita Falls, Texas, executed and delivered his two promissory notes to the said E. M. Simmons, evidencing the residue of the purchase price of the last above described real estate, and the said W. K. Miller having made default in the payment of said notes, according to the terms and tenor of the same, the said E. M. Simmons did on the 19th of August, 1920, cause to be filed in the Seventy-eighth district court of Wichita county, Texas, his suit, being cause No. 8720-B, seeking a judgment for the sums represented by said notes and a foreclosure of his vendor's lien against the last described property to secure the payment of said unpaid purchase price of same. That on the 10th of May, 1921, E. M. Simmons recovered judgment against the said W. K. Miller, being the sum of $2,516 and interest, costs and attorney fees, and for a foreclosure of vendor's lien, that an abstract of judgment in said case was filed in the county clerk's office and duly recorded in book 6, page 202. That the said judgment of E. M. Simmons against W. K. Miller for the sum of $2,516 appears in the abstract to the property of this plaintiff located in the town of Electra, Texas, and erroneously and wrongfully constitutes a lien against, and creates a cloud upon his title to said property, to the damage of this plaintiff in the sum of $2,516 and interest and costs and attorney fees, as shown in said abstract of judgment.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that E. M. Simmons be cited to answer herein, a judgment and order be entered by this honorable court canceling the said judgment for $2,516 with interest, cost and attorney fees, in so far as the said judgment may affect the title to the property of this plaintiff, and removing the cloud from the title to said property belonging to this plaintiff, for costs of suit, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you 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 24th day of July, 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 Harve McNatt 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 Seventy-eighth district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1923, the same being the third day of September, A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the sixth day of July A. D., 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 14581-B, wherein Vola McNatt is plaintiff and Harve McNatt is defendant and said petition alleging: That on Dec. 20, 1919, said plaintiff was duly and legally married to defendant, and continued to live with him his wife until the fall of 1920. That during the spring of 1920 the said defendant commenced a course of harsh and violent treatment toward plaintiff, and his temper was ungovernable and violent, and that on many occasions too numerous to mention during the time she lived with him defendan addressed her in the most opprobrious epithets, and more especially during all of said time said defendant was guilty of being an habitual drunkard and was engaged in the whiskey business, contrary to the law and contrary to the wishes of and over the protest of the plaintiff, and that he left her on Nov. 23, 1922 That all of said cruel treatment rendered her life insupportable while living with said defendant. Wherefore plaintiff asks that citation be had on said defendant, and that on final hearing she be granted a decree of divorce and all other relief that she may be entitled to in law and equity.

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 ninth day of July, A. D., 1923.

A. F. KERR, Clerk, District Court.
Wichita County, Texas.
By Eunice Jackson, Deputy.

FOR TWORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 1.—Heavy receipts arrived Wednesday at least 5,500 head of cattle and 3,500 calves being on offer. The market dragged and practically everything had to sell at a decline. A few cars of medium priced steers sold on the morning rounds at rates that were close to steady, but fed cattle dragged and were called 15 to 25 cents lower. Calves were dull at a decline of 25 to 50 cents. A few choice calves averaging around 200 pounds were here and sold steady, the demand for that class being broad.

Taking everything into consideration, the hog market was 15 to 25 cents higher. However, trade was very spotted. Local and outside buyers were in the competition. Shippers paid $7.90 for two cars and one sale was made to a packer at $7.80. Most of the run of 1,200 head went at a range of $7.75 @ $7.90; pigs remained quitably unchanged, the big end of the run clearing at $5 @ $5.50.

Sheep receipts amounted to 1,200 head. The supply cleared early on a fully steady basis. Shorn wethers sold at $7.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Cattle 10,000; active; top matured steers 11.75; best long yearlings 12.80; bulk beef steers and yearlings 8.50 @ 10.75; bulk wethers 1.50 @ 11.00; outsiders paying up to 12.00; bulk bologna bulls 4.25 @ 4.75; stockers and feeders 5.00 @ 6.00.

Hogs 20,000; good kind active; other slow; bulk good choice 175 to 230 pound averages 7.70 @ 7.90; bulk good and choice 250 to 325 pounds 7.50 @ 7.65; packing sows mostly 5.85@6.15; strong weight pigs 6.75 @ 7.15; estimated holdover 14,000.

Sheep 12,000; fat western lambs 12.50@13.00; top to shippers 13.00; natives 12.00@12.25; culls 8.50@9.00 medium and handy weight ewes 5.00 @ 6.25; good light weight ewes 7.00 @ 7.25; heavies 3,500 @ 3.75.

COTTON REPORT DOWN TO 67.2

Market Jumps $7 a Bale With October Up To $22.50

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, August 1.—The agricultural bureau furnished another sensation for the cotton market today when its report, made public at 12 o'clock, showed a condition of only 67.2, or 2.7 points down from the previous month and fully three points below the average of all the private reports that were issued.

Immediately following the report the market jumped fully 140 points or $7 a bale. October reached 22.50 and December 22.42 on this rise, elsewhere in the belt, reports told of crop deterioration which was becoming serious. Prices recovered from the earlier losses, but just before the publication of the government report became heavy again and were around the low est of the morning. A feature of the bureau report was the drop of five points in Texas condition to 71, which was all the more surprising because Texas had been considered one of the bets states in the belt as to crop prospect.

Exports today 377, and the same for the new season, which began today. Port receipts 1,464. U. S. Port stocks 185,879.

Later the market became somewhat quieter and eased off about 30 points from top, but near the close showed a renewal of its earlier strength with some prices reaching new high ground for the day and final quotations were 115 to 131 points net higher.

The market opened ten points lower on December and 4 to 8 points higher on other months. During the forenoon October sold as low as 21.07 and December 20.92 under offerings that were influenced by predictions for showers in the southwest.

TEXAS SPOT.

Associated Press Dispatch

DALLAS, August 1.—Cotton steady, 22.65; Galveston 23.15; Houston missing.

NEW YORK COTTON.

	High	Low	Close
Oct.	22.50	21.07	22.41-43
Dec.	22.42	20.92	22.33-30
Jan.	22.18	20.73	22.15
Mar.	22.30	20.80	22.15-23
May	22.25	20.77	22.10-15

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	High	Low	Close
Oct.	21.93	20.43	21.89-93
Dec.	22.00	20.59	21.98-22c
Dec.	22.00	20.50	21.98-2c
Jan.	21.90	20.53	21.87-90
Mar.	21.97	20.52	21.92-97
May	21.79	20.44	21.82bid

COTTONSEDD OIL.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Active covering of short, prompted by the bullish government report on cotton and sharp bulges in lard and cottonseed oil futures up to 4 to 30 points after which the list reacted slightly under realising sales. Final bids were 10 points higher for August and 32 to 39 net higher for the balance. Sales 20,500 barrels. Prime crude nominal Prime Summer yellow spot 9.90 @ 10.20; September 9.72; December 8.48; March 8.60, all bid.

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Mexican Petroleum 8s	108
M. K. & T. prelien 5s	76⅜
Missouri Pacific gen. 4s	55⅜
New York Central deb. 6s	104⅜
Northern Pacific 4s	83⅜
Pennsylvania gen. 5s	100⅜
Reading gen. 4s	83⅜
St. L. & S. F. adj 5s	73
Seaboard Air Line con. 6s	73
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	91⅜
Southern Railway 5s	94⅜
Southern Railway 6½s	101⅜
Union Pacific 4s	93⅜
U. S. Steel 5s	102
Virginia Caro. Chem. 7½s	81⅜
Wilson & Co. 7½s	96⅜

RAW SUGAR EASY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The raw sugar market was easy but trading was light and the only sale reported was a lot of 2,500 bags of Dominicans for prompt shipment to a local refiner at 4 c cif, equal to about 4 7-16 cost and freight for cubas.

There was a further sharp decline in raw sugar prices today on renewed selling by trade interests and houses with Cuban connections prompted by the continued inactivity of the spot market. Closing: September 4.07; December 3.83; March 3.27; May 3.33.

The market for refined was easier and prices were 25 to 35 points lower with fine granulated listed at 7.90 to 8.00 cents.

Refined futures nominal.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, August 1. — Butter, higher; creamery extras 41. Eggs, exchanged.

Poultry alive, lower; fowls 17@21; broilers 25; springs 29; roosters 14.

LIBERTY BONDS.

Associated Press Dispatch

NEW YORK, August 1.—Liberty bonds closed:

3 1-2's 100.1; first 4 1-4's 98.4; second 41-4's 98.5; third 4 1-4's 98.22; fourth 4 1-4's 98.5; U. S. treasury 4 1-4's 99.20.

WICHITA FALLS WHEAT.

Wheat still unchanged. Yesterday's quotations: Basis No. 1, 80 cents. Basis No. 2, 77 cents.

WHEAT YIELD ESTIMATE CUT

Crop To Be 13 Millions Less Than July Forecast

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, August 1.—Estimates that the 1923 domestic yield of wheat would be 13,000,000 bushels less than the government's July forecast had a decided bullish influence on the wheat market today. Prices closed firm, 7-8 @1 cent to 1 5-8 cents net higher, with September 98 1-8 to 98 1-4 cents, and December 1.01 1-4 to 1.01 3-8. Other leading staples, too, scored gains, corn, 1-4 to 1-2 cents, oats, 5-8 to1@1 1-8 cents, and provisions 10 cents to 42 cents.

Hot winds in Kansas gave independent firmness to the corn market and so too, did an estimate that the condition of the corn crop throughout the United States had been reduced 2.6 points in July. The condition of oats was reported to have declined five points during July.

Provisions ruled higher in line with grain and hogs.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—Open			
Sept.	$ .98⅜	$ .98⅜	$ .98⅜
Dec.	1.01⅜	1.01⅜	1.01⅜
May	1.04⅜	1.03⅝	1.03⅝
Corn—			
Sept.	.76	.76	.77⅜
Dec.	.62⅜	.62⅜	.63⅛
May	.64⅜	.64⅜	.65⅛
Oats—			
Sept.	.34⅝	.34⅝	.35⅛
Dec.	.36⅝	.36⅝	.37⅜
May	.39⅝	.39⅝	.40
Lard—			
Sept.	10.55	10.55	10.85
Oct.	10.67	10.67	10.95
Ribs—			
Sept.	8.00	8.00	8.20
Oct.	....	....	8.17

CASH GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

Associated Press Dispatch

CHICAGO, August 1.—Wheat No. 2 red 98 1-2; No. 1 hard 97 1-2@1.00 1-2.

Corn, No. 1 mixed 87; No. 2 yellow 88 1-8.

Oats, No. 2 white 40@1-4; No. 3 white 38 1-2@39 1-4.

KANSAS CITY, August 1—Wheat, No. 2 hard 94@1.04; No. 2 red 95@99.

Corn, No. 3 white 82@1-2; No. 2 yellow 87@88.

Oats, No. 2 white 39@40 1-2; No. 3 white 38@39 1-2.

COTTON CONDITION 67 PER CENT NORMAL

Associated Press Dispatch

WASHINGTON, August 1.—Cotton production this year was forecast at 11,516,000 bales from its condition July 25, which was 67.2 per cent of normal, the department of agriculture announced today.

NEW YOR STOCKS

	Sales (hds.)	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem. & Dye	32	65	63	64
Am. Beech Magneto	10	32	31	32
American Can	332	88⅞	87⅞	87⅞
Am. Car & Fdry.	6	156⅝		
Am. Inter Corp.	18	18⅝	17⅜	18⅜
Am. Locomotive	230	70⅛	68	69⅞
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	5	54⅛	54	54⅛
American Sugar	15	58⅜	57	58⅜
Am. Tel. & Tel.	18	121⅛	121⅛	122⅝
Am. Tobacco	5	142⅜	141⅞	142⅜
Am. Woolen	51	83⅛	81⅞	83⅛
Anaconda Copper	18	39⅝	39	39⅝
Asso. Dry Goods	10	95⅞	95⅜	95⅞
Atl. Gulf & W. I.	12	11⅜	11⅛	11⅜
Baldwin Loco.	341	114⅝	111⅞	113⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	80	47⅞	46⅞	47⅛
Beech-Nut Packing	6	63⅛	62⅜	63
Bethlehem Steel	91	47⅝	46	47
Canadian Pacific	3	145⅞	144⅜	145⅜
Central Leather	29	20⅜	19⅝	
Cerro de Pasco	8	38	37⅜	38
Chandler Motor	13	49	48	48⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	9	58⅜	57⅜	58⅜
C., M. & St. P. pfd.	27	59⅜	57⅝	59⅛
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Chile Copper	14	26⅜	26⅛	
Coca-Cola	17	76⅞	75⅜	76⅝
Consolidated Gas	49	61⅜	60⅜	60⅜
Consol. Textile	16	8⅝	8⅜	
Continental Can	33	46⅝	45⅞	46⅜
Corn Products	22	119⅜	117⅞	119⅛
Cosden Oil	184	34⅜	32⅝	33⅞
Crucible Steel	45	61	59⅛	60⅝
Cuban Am. Sugar	32	25⅛	24	24
Cuba Cane Sug. pfd.	29	38⅜	36	
Endicot Johnson	2	66⅛	66	66⅛
Erie	11	18⅜	18⅛	18⅜
F. Players-Lasky	18	73⅜	71	71⅛
General Asphalt	4	35⅝	35	35⅛
General Electric	8	175⅛	173	173⅝
General Motors	68	14	13⅞	14
Gt. Northern pfd.	14	57⅜	56	57⅜
Gulf States Steel	44	69⅜	69	69⅜
Illinois Central	7	106		
Inter Harvester	23	74	71	73⅝
Int. Merc. Mar. pfd.	6	23		
Int. Paper	8	34⅛	33⅜	33⅜
Invincible Oil	9	9	9	9
Kelly-Springfield	94	31⅛	29	30⅝
Kennecott Copper	34	33⅝	33	33⅛
Lima Locomotive	20	61	60	60⅝
Louisville & Nash.	3	88⅜	88	88
Mack Trucks	63	73	70	71⅛
Mariand Oil	126	29⅜	28⅛	28⅝
Mo. Pacific pfd.	20	26⅞	25⅜	25⅜
New York Central	25	97⅜	96⅝	97⅜
N. Y., N. H. & H.	19	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝
Norfolk & West.	120	100⅝	100⅛	100⅜
Northern Pacific	42	58⅜	58⅛	58⅜
Pacific Oil	26	32⅜	32	32⅜
Pan-Am. Petr.	118	59	57⅜	57⅝
Pennsylvania	10	43	43	43
Phillips Petroleum	137	22⅝	21⅜	21⅞
Prod. & Ref.	136	31	29	30⅜
Pure Oil	5	17⅜	17⅛	17⅜
Repub. I. & Steel	23	43⅜	42	
Reynolds Tob. B.	5	62⅜	62	
St. L. & S. F.	5	28⅝	27⅜	28⅛
Seaboard Air Line	6	5		
Seaboard Air L. pfd.	4	8⅜	8⅛	8⅜
Sears Roebuck	13	73⅜	70⅜	72⅝
Sinclair Oil	65	22	21	21⅜
Southern Pacific	10	85⅝	85	85⅝
Southern Ry.	61	33⅛	31⅛	31
Southern Ry. pfd.	5	66		
S. O. of Cal.	32	48	47⅜	47⅝
S. O. of N. J.	25	31⅜	31	31⅜
Studebaker	307	103	101⅛	102⅜
Tennessee Copper	8	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
Texas Co.	43	40⅜	40⅛	40⅜
Tob. Products A.	3	80	79⅜	80
Trans. Oil	13	5⅜	5⅜	
Union Pacific	40	137⅜	136⅛	137⅝
United Fruit	1	165		
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	13	45⅜	44⅛	45⅛
U. S. Rubber	208	40⅛	38⅜	39⅝
U. S. Steel	283	87⅝	86	87⅛
Westinghouse Elec.	21	55⅜	54⅜	55⅜

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Associated Press Dispatch

LIVERPOOL, August 1.—Cotton spot increased demand. Prices dull. Good middling 13.50; fully middling 13.40; middling 13.25; low middling 13.00; good ordinary 12.50; ordinary 12.20; sales 5,000 bales; including 3,700 American. Receipts 7,000 bales no American.

STOCK PRICES RALLY SHARP

Improvement in Harding's Condition and Favorable Reports Causes

FEATURES.

Total stock sales 583,200 shares.

Twenty industrials averaged 87.06; net gain 1.05; High 1923, 105.28; Twenty railroads averaged 77.91; no gain .77. High 1923, 90.63; low 70.85.

NEW YORK, August 1.—Extensive short covering operations, inspired by the marked overnight improvement in the president's condition, publication of several favorable earnings reports and a bullish government cotton report, brought about a sharp recovery in prices in today's stock market. Most of the popular rail and industrial leaders closed at net gains of one to 2 1-2 points.

Opening Very Strong.

The opening was the strongest in several months. Earnings of the steel corporation were nearly $3,000,000 above earlier estimates, and this fact together with an optimistic statement by Chairman E. H. Gary on the business outlook, brought about heavy buying of the steel shares. U. S. steel common was pushed up more than two points to 87 3-4 and then fell back to 87 1-4. Bethlehem, Crucible, Republic and Gulf States steels closed 1 3-8 to 2 1-8 points higher on the day.

Rubber and sugar shares developed temporary weakness. Both U. S. rubber and Kelly-Springfield established new lows for the year.

Baldwin, Studebaker, Corn products, American Car and Foundry, Du-Pont, General Electric, Houston, the Pan-American issues, Pullman, Sears Roebuck, Stromberg Carburetor and Maxwell Motor A, were among the active issues to show net gains of 1-3-4 to 3 points on the day.

Call Money Drops.

Rails also moved to higher ground but gains as a rule were limited to a point or so.

Call money renewed at six per cent but softened to 5 1-2 and thence to 5, confirming the impression that the higher rates was merely incidental to month-end settlements. Time money was somewhat scarcer with some of the longer maturities being arranged at 5 1-4 per cent.

Weakness of the French franc which dropped 7 1-2 points to 5.73, a new low for the year, was the feature of the irregular foreign exchange market. Belgian francs also touched a new low at 4.66 1-2 cents. Sterling held stead around 4.56 5-8.

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WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

LEADS IN LOCAL NEWS

Y. W. SITUATION STILL PENDING

Report and Decision To Be Made Friday Morning

Thus far no final decision has been reached as to whether the Y. W. C. A. organization will continue to exist in Wichita Falls or be abandoned Sept. 15. At a meeting last Sunday the Young Business Women of the city offered to finance the Y. W. for two months until the present crisis was passed but to do this the $1,000 raised for the building fund would have to be used. In order to use this money a consent of all the pledgers will have to be obtained.

Several women have been busy since Monday making a canvass of the pledgers and it is thought that the consent of all will be obtained with very little difficulty.

A meeting will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at which time a report will be made and the decision reached.

If the Young Business Women take charge of the organization it is expected that the force will be reduced to the secretary and the volunteer help.

EIGHT VACANCIES IN TEXAS LEGISLATURE

AUSTIN, Aug. 1.—There are eight vacancies to be filled in the Texas legislature before the next special session is held. Six places are to be filled in the house, while successors to two senators will be elected. The elections have not yet been called by Governor Neff.

Successors to Representatives Pinkston of Tenaha and Lamp of Mexia, resigned, are to be chosen, and to Representative Sweet and Adams of Fort Worth, Merriman of Port Neches, and Rountree of Bryan, deceased.

Senators Dudley of El Paso and Baugh of Brownwood have resigned, Dudley to become mayor of El Paso and Baugh to qualify as associate justice of the third court of civil appeals at Austin.

Macon Company's Test in Archer Closely Watched

A test being closely watched and looking good for opening a wide stretch of new Archer county territory is that of Macon Oil and Gas company being drilled by E. W. Gould on the J. H. White land, block 40, American Tribune lands, which was cored Wednesday from a 1,630 foot sand and showed good.

This test is three miles east of the River-Bailey well and in the neighborhood of the Art-Haynes producer.

M'BROOME SWEARS IN NEW CITY OFFICIALS

Four new city officials were sworn in Wednesday morning by City Clerk W. E. McBroome and began on their new jobs immediately.

W. R. Hyer took the oath of office succeeding H. J. Anderson as city tax collector and assessor. W. E. George began his duties as city attorney succeeding Edgar Mann. Joe Carrigan is the new city judge, in place of W. R. George. W. N. McConnell became new day desk sergeant at the police station in the place of F. E. Johnson, resigned.

MILITARY FUNERAL FOR MARVIN HOLDER

Funeral service for Marvin Holder, 19, who was killed Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock when he fell beneath a truck on the Seymour road, were held from the residence, 2016 Taylor street, Wednesday afternoon at 5:30. A military funeral was held by Battery D, One Hundred Thirty-first F. A., Texas national guard, of which Holder was a member. Burial was in the Rosemont burial park.

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THINGS YOU SAY, DO AND SEE AND SOME YOU DON'T

The first day of August did not upset the weather bugs by mortisers, icicles, snow or other phenomena.

No. Angeline, the term "Spudders" applied to our baseball club has no connection in any way with potatoes.

Those persons polluting the city water supply by bathing in Lake Wichita probably offer the best as an alibi.

Justice Gibbs made it four fines Wednesday, two for peace disturbing and as many for traffic violations.

Not a marriage license issued on the first day of August. Maybe those getting the marriage permits in June are now offering a little free advice which is being pondered over by marriage prospects.

Mayor Collier and Commissioner Staton are in Dallas today conferring on the gas question and making arrangements so there will be no fuel shortage and to see that everybody keeps warm in Wichita Falls next winter.

Four diamonds recovered by the sheriff's department in last two days.

"You Gotta Quit Cussin' My Car Around" probably will be Henry Ford's presidential campaign slogan.

George E. Newland, formerly of the Al Ellis Advertising company, left Wednesday for Beaumont, where he will live.

In a divorce case the counsel of the lady plaintiff pleaded among other reasons incompatibility of temper, and described the husband's character as: "Brutal, violent, passionate."



This husband's counsel then arose in his turn and represented the lady as being: "Spiteful, angry, waspish."

"I beg your pardon," interrupted the judge, "but, gentlemen, I really don't quite see where the incompatibility of temper comes in."—Weekly Telegraph (London).

SEEN AT 2:30 A. M.

1. Two "coppers" sitting on a corner—still sitting there three hours later.
2. Gay young college sports and others in a downtown restaurant at 2:30 a. m.



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WILLIAM-MARY.

R. T. Miller, city; N. O. Monroe, city; B. Nelson, city; Mrs. L. Parmenter, Dallas; J. O. Pressly, city; W. E. Skeen, city; J. D. Staples, Fort Worth; L. M. Solomon, Fort Worth; W. S. Throop, Fort Worth; L. J. Taylor, city; Miss Jessie Wilson, city; F. R. Williams, city; G. E. Crane, city; J. H. Allison, city; R. M. Copp, city; W. V. Carroll and wife, city; L. B. Cooper, city; C. B. Curtner, city; L. O. Doane, city; C. O. Davis, city; G. W. Budrick, city; G. B. Ellis and wife, city; Mrs. M. Eastwood, city; Miss L. Garret, city; Mrs. F. Gaffner, city; L. Guttman, city; Miss Cora Golding, city; C. Greenberg, city; H. F. Hines, city; M. E. Harrison, Fort Worth; R. R. Heath, city; Gladys Horan, city; K. Kennedy, city; M. N. Kronman, city; Mrs. P. Lyons, city; D. Murphy, city; E. S. Markham, city.

TEXAN.

C. B. Raynes, Dallas; F. P. Fain, city; A. D. McGee, Columbus, Ohio; L. A. Busby, Dallas; A. P. Lonnox, Dallas; O. D. Judd, Chickasha, Okla.; G. D. Peller, Vernon; W. W. Masterman, Ranger; R. H. Connor, Amarillo; R. Roach, Fort Worth; F. L. Page, New York; S. R. Giles, Duncan; P. T. Roberts, Dallas; C. S. Dolsng, Duncan; A. F. James and wife, Phoenix, Ariz.; R. C. Fisher, Dallas; O. C. Collin, Quanah; P. Wynes and wife, Dallas; A. M. Stoughbo and wife, Gainesville; J. O. Johns.

$10,000 INCREASE IN BUILDING PERMITS

A gain of nearly $10,000 in building permits issued for Wichita Falls in July as compared to June is shown by the records of City Clerk W. E. McBroome.

In July permits totaling $96,955 were issued. The June record shows $87,015 in permits were taken out. This leaves a gain of $9,840 for July over June.

Planning Ahead on the Money Question

Will you need money five years from now? Your opportunity to invest advantageously perhaps to buy an interest in your employer's business, may come at almost any time.

You may have still other needs for money, five years hence. Sinckness may come—unemployment—or the opportunity to make a substantial payment on your home. Your children may be bound for college—any number of things may bring about a need for money.

Old Ben Franklin once pointed out that if one would understand the value of money, he should try to borrow some. Why not start saving? To decide to save is a decision which is never regretted.

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"Partrician Serenaders" Make Rounds

A bevy of babbling beauties in two automobiles aroused the sleeping Lotharios in several well-known apartment houses about midnight Tuesday with rueling melody produced by stringed instruments and vocal accompaniment.

The old system of male collegiana, Spanish troubadors and other representatives of the worst sex arousing sleeping beauties with song was entirely reversed. In this instance it was Julieta on the ground with Romeo in the balcony.

The inspiration for the lady serenaders was probably moonLIGHT that caused them to burst forth in sweet harmony instead of the moonSHINE that has caused many a male quartette to venture forth on a serenading jamboree.

Instead of bassos, baritones and tenors from male articulatory organs ringing the welkin with "Sweet Ad-o-Line," there were sopranos and contraltos humming from nightingale throats "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming."

The time-old scene of beautiful feminine pulchritude sihlouetted from behind a curtain lace throwing kisses at the serenaders below the scene was shifted. Instead were drowsy-eyed, bewhiskered, pajama-clad males who rudely shifted aside the curtains, poked heads from windows, and asked the fair feminine troubadoresses what it was all about.

"We are the Patrician Serenaders," one of the contralto singers said to the male audience as the cars speeded away to the tune of "My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean," instead of "Hail! Hail! The Gan's All Here."

Public Records

SUITS FILED.

The following suits were filed in the office of the district clerk Wednesday: Enoree Wilfe et vir against Connor O'Neil, suit for community interest in real estate; Myrtle Bryant against Amos Bryant, divorce.

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Wichita Without Ministers; Many Off On Vacation

Wichita Falls is to a certain extent "preacherless." Several of the leading ministers of the city decided to take their vacation at the same time and for that reason Wichita Falls may be termed for the next few weeks as the city "without ministers."

Dr. N. F. Grafton of the First Presbyterian church, is spending the month of August in California. Dr. C. M. Simpson, of the First Methodist church left recently for Arkansas, where he will spend three weeks. Dr. O. L. Rowers of the First Baptist church left Wednesday for North Carolina, where he will be for several weeks. Rev. J. L. Keevil of the First Christian church is in New Mexico on the Ferguson ranch and will probably be there for the remainder of this month.

Guard baby from hot weather ills by using a G.-E. Fan in the nursery. Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Adv.

JUNE BRIDES RUN TRUE TO FORM

June, month of birds, brides and orange blossoms, ran true to form as far as leading in marriage licenses is concerned, the records at the office of Mrs. Alma Y. Miller, county clerk, show.

There were 108 couples getting marriage licenses here in June. In July only 88 couples were classified as matrimoniacs, the records say.

JAIL SENTENCE FOR CARRYING PISTOL

H. Coburn plead guilty to carrying a pistol and was given a 30 day jail sentence Wednesday morning by Judge Guy Rogers of the county court at law.

"Vag" Draws $1 Fine

Eugene Hunter plead guilty to vagrancy Wednesday morning and was fined $1 and costs by Judge Rogers of the county court at law.

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