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Special to the Record News.

GRAHAM, July 16.—Electra was chosen over Weatherford for the 1925 district convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce here today with the vote 39 to 20, with Fort Worth not voting. The Wichita Falls delegation cast their votes for Electra. Twenty-two cities and towns were represented at the one day convention.

The Electra delegation with a 25-piece band started early in making a bid for the convention next year.

**Railroads Urged**

Good roads, extension of railroad lines in West Texas, and co-operation between various districts were the chief keynotes of the speakers.

The convention opened at 10 o'clock with the singing of "America." R. E. Shepherd of Wichita Falls, was the song leader. Dack Walker, Graham, vice president of the West Texas chamber of commerce presided at the morning session.

The invocation was asked by Rev. G. Smith, pastor of the German Presbyterian church.

Mayor A. Beddleman welcomed the delegates to Gra. The response was by A. V. Peterson of Nocona.

R. A. Highsmith and Homer B. Wade, convention manager and assistant manager, respectfully, of the west Texas chamber of commerce delivered short addresses during the morning and afternoon business sessions. The luncheon was featured by two-minute talks from the various delegates of the cities and towns in the district. Mr. Wade was toastmaster.

**Predicts Cotton Mills.**

"The day is coming when west Texas will have many large cotton mills. The cotton will be raised, spun and made into fabrics and goods and sold to west Texas people," said Rudy Copeland, Fort Worth, head of the Worth Mills.

Mr. Copeland gave a vivid mental picture of the cotton industry in west Texas. He stressed the absence of the boll weevil in the plains country.

Walter Burton, poultry expert, Arlington, gave an interesting address during the afternoon session. He stated the poultry industry was becoming more profitable than ever in west Texas.

**Iowa Park Man Speaks.**

"Banking and Agriculture," was the subject of an address delivered by C. E. Birk of Iowa Park. "The Community Fair," was discussed by Cliff Cates of Decatur. C. C. French of Fort Worth told the delegates the importance of fostering the breeding of purebred cattle.

The Texas-Oklahoma fair was presented to the convention by R. E. Shepherd. Advertising matter announcing the fair was distributed among the delegates.

The convention adjourned at 5 o'clock and west Texas chamber of commerce officials declared it one of the best district conventions held since the founding of the organization.

Those from Wichita Falls attending the district convention were: R. E. Shepherd, O. D. McCoy, J. D. Parnell, Fred Reaser, Guy Jones and Jimmie Allison.

## BRAZIL CUTS OFF PRESS DISPATCHES

By The Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, July 16.—Authoritative advices received here today from Rio de Janeiro state that the Brazilian government yesterday stopped the American Press associations from sending or receiving news dispatches in Brazil.

Both the Associated Press and the United Press serve newspapers in Brazil and apparently the censorship has been so extended as to prevent the sending or receiving of messages considered unfavorable to the government interests.

### Neff's Still Presidential Contender

At least that's the hint given by a staff writer in the Woman's Home Companion, in an article in the August number.

The story in full will be reprinted in The Record News Sunday, following authorization from the magazine for exclusive publication in Wichita Falls.

Watch for this feature with half a hundred others in the Big Sunday Record News.

## *HOUSTON INVITES PRINCE OF WALES TO VISIT TEXAS*

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, July 16.—The Houston delegation to the international advertising convention has already started work preparing for the 1925 convention in the Texas city.

They hope to make the visit of the Prince of Wales the big feature of their convention and have already opened negotiations with St. James Palace, which they hope to bring to a successful conclusion after their return to the United States.

If the convention dates would allow the prince to make the trip after his visit to South Africa in the spring, according to the Texans' scheme, the prince would be able to leave Houston to make another short visit to his ranch in Canada.

The Houston delegates have arranged with the various English clubs to have the English men and women make the 1925 trip directly to Houston, from an English port in a chartered ship.

## YOUNG KILLERS PLANNED OTHERS

**Loeb and Leopold Boys Had Schemes Against Families, Declared**

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, whose trial for the kidnaping and murder of young Robert Franks will open in a few weeks, planned to abduct their fathers for ransom, according to information brought to the state's attorney's office today. They had also planned to make Thomas Loeb, 10-year-old brother of Richard, another victim.

Both plans, however were rejected when difficulties appeared, the informant stated. Loeb's father was ill and could not have been kidnaped without serious danger of detection while in the case of Mr. Leopold the youth believed that the fact that Mrs. Leopold was dead would make it more difficult for them to exact ransom from other members of the family.

## AIRMEN REACH LONDON TOWN

**Welcome Enthusiastic; To Overhaul Planes for Final Jump**

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, July 16.—Six bronzed American birdmen, 244 flying hours out of Seattle and with two-thirds of the world's circumference behind them, glided into the Croydon airdome just outside of London this afternoon ready for their first real rest on the round-the-globe flight and for a week of preparation for their final dash across the Atlantic via Iceland and Greenland.

They left the LeBourget airdome outside of Paris at 11:03 o'clock this morning, fought head winds all the way across the English Channel, but jumped from the continent in otherwise perfect flying conditions and landed at the British airdome just three hours and four minutes later to be greeted by a crowd of enthusiasts who nearly mobbed them as they climber stiffly from their cockpits. They tried futilely to get a good stretch before they assumed company manners to face the shower of greetings from the British and American welcomers.

## POLICE HUNT FOR SLAYER OF BOY

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Police of Staten Island today continued search for the slayer of eight-year-old Francis McDonald, son of a policeman, whose mutilated body was found late last night in a hastily constructed grave of brush and leaves near the child's home.

## TEXAS POLOIST HURT IN GAME

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colorado, July 16.—Lieut. Mark McClure of the Fort Sam Houston, Texas, polo team, was injured in a hot scrimmage in the this afternoon with the Fort Leavenworth polo team. He was taken to a hospital where doctors said they would be unable to determine the extent of his injuries until a later hour.

## TEXAN'S VICTORY IS BIG TENNIS BREAK

By The Associated Press.

BOSTON, July 16—The first break in the seeded ranks in the thirty-second annual Longwood Bowl singles tournament in progress at Chestnut Hill, came late today when Hugh Kelleher fell before Lewis N. White of Austin, Texas, three sets to one. Tomorrow's singles match will find in every instance a collegian will oppose a veteran.

## LOCAL WOMAN FEARS HUSBAND MET FOUL PLAY

**Leroy Wright Has Not Been Seen Here Since July 5**

**APPEALS TO POLICE**

**Wife and Three-Months-Old Baby Awaiting Return Of Father**

In a small room at 806 Tenth street a young mother with a three-months-old child in her lap sits near a window awaiting return of her husband, who disappeared from his home, 408 Scott street, Saturday morning, July 5.

From the time that Leroy Wright left his wife a week ago last Saturday he has not been seen or heard of till now.

At noon of the day he disappeared Wright told his wife that he was going to the abor temple and he never returned home. There had been no trouble between the couple since they were married over a year ago and before he left Wright was on the best of terms with his wife and seemed very devoted to both her and the child, it is said. He was a steady worker, being employed at a local cafe. He drew his pay Saturday morning, came home, and then departed, the wife said.

Wright is a small man, being only about five feet and seven inches in hight and very slender. He is dark haired and has snappy dark eyes. He is part Indian and its Indian blood shows very plainly in him.

The woman has appealed to the police for aid in the search for her husband as she believes that the has met with foul play. No reports had been received as to his whereabouts Wednesday night.

## *Man Admits To Major's Murder*

By The Associated Press.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 16.—Major Samuel H. McLean, missing army officer, was killed by Mortimer H. King, living near Canton, and a confession whose identity is still unrevealed by authorities, on the afternoon of July 2, says a sworn confession made at Canton late today by King. A search is being conducted for the body of the major, which is said to be hidden in the brush about ten miles from Cheraw, S. C.

## BARTON CHALLENGE GIVEN ROBERTSON

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 16.—Wayne Davis of San Antonio, representing Adjutant Thomas D. Barton, candidate for governor, today addressed a letter to Judge Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, challenging him to joint debate over alleged "insidious attacks" made upon Barton by Robertson, also a gubernatorial candidate.

## CHICAGO GETS NEXT RAINBOW VETS MEET

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 16.—Chicago was selected as the 1925 meeting place of the National Rainbow Veterans' association at the closing session today at its annual convention.

## JAP BOATS FAIL TO FIND BRITISH AIRMEN

TOKIO, July 16.—Japanese destroyers have not yet found any trace of A. Stuart MacLaren, the British aviator, and his companions, who left Yetorufu Island early yesterday morning for Paramu-shiru Island, Kurile, a flight of 450 miles.

## DE MOLAY DEGREE TEAM IN CEREMONY



(Here are members of the degree team of Hope chapter, De Molay, who took part in installation of officers of the chapter recently. Reading from left to right):

Front row—Ted Brown, junior councillor; Philip Pink, master councillor; Harold Naylor, senior councillor.

Second row—J. B. Fletcher, treasurer; John Ebner, standard bearer.

Third row—Fred Smith, senior deacon; James Calvert, chaplain; Frank Curtiss, junior deacon.

Fourth Row—Maxwell Jones, junior steward; Orville Walkup, Almoner; Carlton Bowman, marshal; Charles Jenkins, scribe; T. J. Dubose, sentinel; Willie Sounders, senior steward.

Fifth row—preceptors—William Brown, George E. Rose, Jerry Donaldson, Cleburne Crunk, (substituting for J. B. Fletcher); Leland Miller, Jack Welch, Odell Thomas (substituting for Edgar Smith).

## PROSTRATION IS REPORTED HERE

**Aged Brick Mason Found Wandering In Dazed Manner**

The first heat prostration in Wichita Falls this year was reported Wednesday morning when Harvey Young, an aged brick layer, was overcome while at work in the 1900 block Grant street. Apparently out of his mind, he was found wandering aimlessly about the block shortly after 11 o'clock.

Residents of the neighborhood summoned officers from the city hall. Seeing his condition, officers took him to his home at 107 Chester street and medical attention was called.

It was stated last night that he was recovering in satisfactory shape and would be all right in a short time.

Mr. Young is said to be about 75 years of age.

## RAILROAD MAN DIES FROM HEAT

By the Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, July 16.—The first heat casualty of the year in Fort Worth was recorded Wednesday.

David Byers, 55 years old, died at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon two hours after he suffered a heat stroke. Five physicians were called in an effort to stay death.

Mr. Byers was general freight and passenger agent of the Texas and Pacific railroad at Waco.

## FIVE HEAT VICTIMS IN K-C RECORD DAY

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, July 16.—Five persons were overcome here today by heat, as a result of the highest temperature registered here this summer, 97 degrees. This rise in the mercury followed several days of cool weather, and was accompanied by heavy humidity.

## DALLAS REDISCOUNT RATE IS REDUCED

By The Associated Press.

DALLAS, July 16.—Effective today the rediscount rate of the Dallas federal reserve bank was reduced from 4 1-2 to 4 per cent.

## *Publisher Held For Attempt To Kidnap Daughter*

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Courtland H. Young, publisher of Young's magazine, and other periodicals was arrested in his wife's West 94th street apartment, charged with attempting to kidnap their three-year-old daughter, Rosabelle.

According to Mrs. Young, the publisher broke into the apartment, snatched the child from its bed, and when the mother resisted, seized her by the throat. They were struggling when a policeman appeared.

The couple were separated in May 1923. Mrs. Young charged her husband with cruelty. Before her marriage Mrs. Young was Dorothy Campbell, a vaudeville dancer and follies girl.

## DRUGGED MAN IS FOUND HERE

**Picked Up Unconscious Near Junction of Creek And River**

W. H. Tabor, aged about 35, is in a critical condition in the General hospital from what physicians say is an over-dose of morphine taken some time Wednesday morning. At a late hour last night he was unconscious and was reported to have a temperature of 106 degrees.

The man was found about 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, unconscious on the banks of Holliday creek near the point where it empties into the Wichita river. Two companions were with him at the time and both are now held in the city jail. They are said to have had a quantity of drugs on their persons.

Tabor was taken to the city hall by Motorcycle Officer Joe Blocher and Plainclothesman Scott. An investigation there revealed that his condition was serious and he was taken to the hospital where a medical examination revealed the gravity of his case.

Police officials and hospital authorities had been unable last night to learn much of the man. His residence and family connection are unknown.

## LOUSANNE TREATY RATIFIED—BRITISHER

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, July 16.—Arthur Ponsonby, under-secretary for foreign affairs, declared in the house of commons today that Great Britain had ratified the treaty of Lausanne.

## THE WEATHER

Weather report for Wednesday, July 16, issued by the bureau of the Wichita Falls Electric company:

Maximum temperature, 103 degrees; minimum, 75; no precipitation; southwest breeze; partly cloudy; average wind velocity, 11 miles per hour; maximum, 20 miles per hour; barometer, 29.06.

OKLAHOMA: Thursday partly cloudy, probably thundershowers in east portion; Friday generally fair.

EAST TEXAS: Thursday and Friday generally fair.

WEST TEXAS: Thursday and Friday partly cloudy.

**Texas Highway Data.**

DALLAS, Texas, July 16.—The highway report of the United States follows:

Highways are passable and generally in fair to good condition, except rough and also dusty in places.

## *Hot Days Bring Heavy Demand For Milk and Ice for Poor*

**More Out-of-Town Persons Contribute to Local Fund Than Citizens of Wichita Falls**

Another warm day was registered in Wichita Falls Wednesday and the demand for milk and ice was increased materially at the Salvation Army yet not a donation was received by the Record News milk and ice fund. Nearly $30 was received Tuesday and it was hoped by the Salvation army that a supply of milk and ice could be given to several families who really need the ice and milk for sick children but with no donations Wednesday these families will be forced to go without these necessities. The demand for the milk and ice and a little bread is far too great for the Salvation Army to supply, due to the lack of money in the Record News milk and ice fund and many needy cases are set aside.

A striking fact concerning the fund is that more out of town people are subscribing to it than people living in Wichita Falls. People in nearby towns are contributing generously to the fund for the starving people of Wichita Falls. Scarcely a day passes unless a donation is received from Electra, Burkburnett, Thrift, Grandfield or some other generous hearted town. Another unusual fact is that those who are contributing are not the wealthy of the city or even the well to do but in the majority of cases people who are working for a salary.

Anyone desiring to help supply ice and milk to a hungry baby should send donations to the Record News milk and ice fund, care of the Record News.

## TEXAS MURDER CASE TO JURY

**Boy Slayer of Beautiful Young Divorcee Held In Suspense**

By the Associated Press.

HOUSTON, July 16.—The jury trying Bob Robinson, boy slayer, for the murder of Mollie Dudley, beautiful young divorcee, in Houston, January 2, was deadlocked early tonight after having deliberated for several hours.

Judge J. M. Combs, before whom young Robinson is being tried, sent the jury to the jury room and announced that he would wait up for a verdict as long as they were awake. He indicated that he will keep the body together for the remainder of the week if an agreement cannot be reached tonight.

The case was given to the jury at 2:45 p. m.

**Defended Home, Declare**

Both the defense and the state reviewed the relationship of Dr. C. H Robinson, father of the accused, and Mollie Dudley, whom young Robinson shot because he said she was breaking up his mother's home.

One of the defense lawyers charged that the "son is on trial for the sins of the father."

Mrs. Robinson, mother of Bob, created a commotion in the courtroom when she gave way to her emotions.

**Judy Asks Question**

All through the long afternoon and during the early evening the jury made only one sign. It sent a written question to the judge, who declined to divulge its nature.

## ODD FELLOWS PLAN STATE CONVENTION

Committees on entertainment for the convention of I. O. O. F. to be held in Wichita Falls next year met last night and discussed tentative plans for the reception of a host of delegates.

The Wichita Falls lodge is taking enough time to be able to present a memorable hospitality to the Odd Fellows.

## "KING DAVID" LOSES $20,000 VERDICT

By the Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, O., July 16.—The United States court of appeals today affirmed the southern district of Michigan in granting John Hansel and wife of Grand Rapids, Mich., a verdict for $20,000 against Benjamin Purnell, "king" of the House of David.

The Hansels turned $200,000 in property over to Purnell when they joined this alleged religious colony, but withdrew when they learned that it was a private undertaking for the benefit of Purnell personally. The federal court previously had issued a decree dissolving the House of David colony.

## STATE LETS BIG GROCERY CONTRACTS

By the Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Tex., July 16.—Contracts for $250,000 worth of groceries for state institutions have been let by the state board of control. Among the successful bidders were: J. M. Radford, Abilene; Walker-Smith, Brownwood.

## HOISTING MEN WALK OUT AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Tex., July 16.—All commercial building in Houston, so far as union hoisting engineers were concerned, was tied up today when the engineers walked off all jobs as a result of the refusal of contractors to grant them an increase in wages from $8.50 to $10 a day.

## LAWYERS CLAIM 'TEAPOT DOME' TO BE ECLIPSED

**Placer Claim of Burk Divide Company Given Recognition**

**SENATOR IS NAMED**

**Attorneys Assert They Have Evidence Of Fraud At Hand**

Asserting that they have evidence of official scandal that "will eclipse the Teapot Dome" expose, Wichita Falls lawyers representing claimants to oil lands in the disputed Red river area Wednesday began preparations to contest recommendations of the general land office at Washington that the claim of the Burk Divide Oil company affecting a large portion of the disputed land be recognized.

**Claim Evidence At Hand**

General indignation at the recommendation and condemnation of alleged methods used in getting such decision were heard in all local oil circles Wednesday, and legal talent employed by claimants to the lands said they would not hesitate to use a mass of purported evidence of fraud when final hearing of the case comes up some time after August 31.

**Indianans Interested.**

The Burk Divide Oil company is an organization with is home offices at Terre Haute, Indiana, a large portion of the stockholders being residents of that city and vicinity. When the litigation into which the Red river oil lands were thrown by various conflicting claims put a stop to the operations of that company on such land as it had claimed in the river bed, various means were put to use to insure an ultimate outcome of the litigation favorable to the Burk Divide Oil company.

**Watson Pushes Bill.**

Senator James A. Watson of Indiana is credited with having caused the passage of a bill aiding the placer claims, and which they declare was purposed to ultimately result in the award of certain disputed territories to the Burk Divide Oil company, of Indiana. Under the amended bill, as finally passed by congress, the department of the interior is authorized to adjust and determine the right of the claimants in accord with the amount of money actually expended in development of the claims.

With this authorization it is contended by local attorneys that the land office should have made a decision in favor of claimants, whose possession of the land was originally made in good faith and who subsequently spent large sums of money in development of that land in the same good faith. It is pointed out here that the Burke Divide Oil company spent approximately $40,000 in the development of such property as has been recommended to be awarded them.

On the other hand, the attorneys point out, the Texas litigants have spent more than $1,000,000 in development of their claims.

## FIANCEE SHOOTS POET ON REQUEST

By The Associated Press.

PARIS, July 16.—Slowly dying from an incurable malady, Jan Zozonowski, well known Polish writer, repeatedly begged friends and attendants at the sanitarium at Villejuif to put an end to his sufferings. Today his fiance, Mlle. Stanislawa Umicuska, visited him and was so overcome at the sight of his agony that she could not resist his pitiable pleadings. She shot him in the head and he is not expected to recover.

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**WICHITANS TAKE PART**

**Good Roads Also Come In For Discussion By Leaders**

Special to the Record News.

GRAHAM, July 16.—Electra was chosen over Weatherford for the 1925 district convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce here today with the vote 39 to 20, with Fort Worth not voting. The Wichita Falls delegation cast their votes for Electra. Twenty-two cities and towns were represented at the one day convention.

The Electra delegation with a 25-piece band started early in making a bid for the convention next year.

**Railroads Urged**

Good roads, extension of railroad lines in West Texas, and co-operation between various districts were the chief keynotes of the speakers.

The convention opened at 10 o'clock with the singing of "America." R. E. Shepherd of Wichita Falls, was the song leader. Dack Walker, Graham, vice president of the West Texas chamber of commerce presided at the morning session.

The invocation was asked by Rev. G. Smith, pastor of the German Presbyterian church.

Mayor A. Beddleman welcomed the delegates to Graham. The response was by A. V. Peterson of Nocona.

R. A. Highsmith and Homer B. Wade, convention manager and assistant manager, respectfully, of the west Texas chamber of commerce delivered short addresses during the morning and afternoon business sessions. The luncheon was featured by two-minute talks from the various delegates of the cities and towns in the district. Mr. Wade was toastmaster.

**Predicts Cotton Mills.**

"The day is coming when west Texas will have many large cotton mills. The cotton will be raised, spun and made into fabrics and goods and sold to west Texas people," said Rudy Copeland, Fort Worth, head of the Worth Mills.

Mr. Copeland gave a vivid mental picture of the cotton industry in west Texas. He stressed the absence of the boll weevil in the plains country.

Walter Burton, poultry expert, Arlington, gave an interesting address during the afternoon session. He stated the poultry industry was becoming more profitable than ever in west Texas.

**Iowa Park Man Speaks.**

"Banking and Agriculture," was the subject of an address delivered by C. E. Birk of Iowa Park. "The Community Fair" was discussed by Cliff Cates of Decatur. C. C. French of Fort Worth told the delegates the importance of fostering the breeding of purebred cattle.

The Texas-Oklahoma fair was presented to the convention by R. E. Shepherd. Advertising matter announcing the fair was distributed among the delegates.

The convention adjourned at 5 o'clock and west Texas chamber of commerce officials declared it one of the best district conventions held since the founding of the organization.

Those from Wichita Falls attending the district convention were: R. E. Shepherd, O. D. McCoy, J. D. Parnell, Fred Reaser, Guy Jones and Jimmie Allison.

## BRAZIL CUTS OFF PRESS DISPATCHES

By The Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, July 16.—Authoritative advices received here today from Rio de Janeiro state that the Brazilian government yesterday stopped the American Press associations from sending or receiving news dispatches in Brazil.

Both the Associated Press and the United Press serve newspapers in Brazil and apparently the censorship has been so extended as to prevent the sending or receiving of messages considered unfavorable to the government interests.

### Neff's Still Presidential Contender

At least that's the hint given by a staff writer in the Woman's Home Companion, in an article in the August number.

The story in full will be reprinted in The Record News Sunday, following authorization from the magazine for exclusive publication in Wichita Falls.

Watch for this feature with half a hundred others in the Big Sunday Record News.

## *HOUSTON INVITES PRINCE OF WALES TO VISIT TEXAS*

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, July 16.—The Houston delegation to the international advertising convention has already started work preparing for the 1925 convention in the Texas city.

They hope to make the visit of the Prince of Wales the big feature of their convention and have already opened negotiations with St. James Palace, which they hope to bring to a successful conclusion after their return to the United States.

If the convention dates would allow the prince to make the trip after his visit to South Africa in the spring, according to the Texans' scheme, the prince would be able to leave Houston to make another short visit to his ranch in Canada.

The Houston delegates have arranged with the various English clubs to have the English men and women make the 1925 trip directly to Houston, from an English port in a chartered ship.

## YOUNG KILLERS PLANNED OTHERS

**Loeb and Leopold Boys Had Schemes Against Families, Declared**

By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, whose trial for the kidnaping and murder of young Robert Franks will open in a few weeks, planned to abduct their fathers for ransom, according to information brought to the state's attorney's office today. They had also planned to make Thomas Loeb, 10-year-old brother of Richard, another victim.

Both plans, however were rejected when difficulties appeared, the informant stated. Loeb's father was ill and could not have been kidnaped without serious danger of detection while in the case of Mr. Leopold the youth believed that the fact that Mrs. Leopold was dead would make it more difficult for them to exact ransom from other members of the family.

## AIRMEN REACH LONDON TOWN

**Welcome Enthusiastic; To Overhaul Planes for Final Jump**

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, July 16.—Six brogued American birdmen, 244 flying hours out of Seattle and with two-thirds of the world's circumference behind them, glided into the Croydon airdome just outside of London this afternoon ready for their first real rest on the round-the-globe flight and for a week of preparation for their final dash across the Atlantic via Iceland and Greenland.

They left the LeBourget airdome outside of Paris at 11:05 o'clock this morning, fought head winds all the way across the English Channel, but jumped from the continent in otherwise perfect flying conditions and landed at the British airdome just three hours and four minutes later to be greeted by a crowd of enthusiasts who nearly mobbed them as they climber stiffly from their cockpits. They tried futiley to get a good stretch before they assumed company manners to face the shower of greetings from the British and American welcomers.

## POLICE HUNT FOR SLAYER OF BOY

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Police of Staten Island today continued search for the slayer of eight-year-old Francis McDonald, son of a policeman, whose mutilated body was found late last night in a hastily constructed grave of brush and leaves near the child's home.

## TEXAS POLOIST HURT IN GAME

By The Associated Press.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colorado, July 16.—Lieut. Mark McClure of the Fort Sam Houston, Texas, polo team, was injured in a hot scrimmage in the this afternoon with the Fort Leavenworth polo team. He was taken to a hospital where doctors said they would be unable to determine the extent of his injuries until a later hour.

## TEXAN'S VICTORY IS BIG TENNIS BREAK

By The Associated Press.

BOSTON, July 16—The first break in the seeded ranks in the thirty-second annual Longwood Bowl singles tournament in progress at Chestnut Hill, came late today when Hugh Kelleher fell before Lewis N. White of Austin, Texas, three sets to one. Tomorrow's singles match will find in every instance a collegian will oppose a veteran.

## LOCAL WOMAN FEARS HUSBAND MET FOUL PLAY

**Leroy Wright Has Not Been Seen Here Since July 5**

**APPEALS TO POLICE**

**Wife and Three-Months-Old Baby Awaiting Return Of Father**

In a small room at 806 Tenth street a young mother with a three-months-old child in her lap sits near a window awaiting return of her husband, who disappeared from his home, 408 Scott street, Saturday morning, July 5.

From the time that Leroy Wright left his wife a week ago last Saturday he has not been seen or heard of till now.

At noon of the day he disappeared Wright told his wife that he was going to the abor temple and he never returned home. There had been no trouble between the couple since they were married over a year ago and before he left Wright was on the best of terms with his wife and seemed very devoted to both her and the child, it is said. He was a steady worker, being employed at a local cafe. He drew his pay Saturday morning, came home, and then departed, the wife said.

Wright is a small man, being only about five feet and seven inches in height and very slender. He is dark haired and has snappy dark eyes. He is part Indian and the Indian blood shows very plainly in him.

The woman has appealed to the police for aid in the search for her husband as she believes that the has met with foul play. No reports had been received as to his whereabouts Wednesday night.

## *Man Admits To Major's Murder*

By The Associated Press.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 16.—Major Samuel H. McLean, missing army officer, was killed by Mortimer H. King, living near Canton, and a companion whose identity is still unrevealed by authorities, on the afternoon of July 2, says a sworn confession made at Canton late today by King. A search is being conducted for the body of the major, which is said to be hidden in the brush about ten miles from Cheraw, S. C.

## BARTON CHALLENGE GIVEN ROBERTSON

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 16.—Wayne Davis of San Antonio, representing Adjutant Thomas D. Barton, candidate for governor, today addressed a letter to Judge Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, challenging him to joint debate over alleged "insidious attacks" made upon Barton by Robertson, also a gubernatorial candidate.

## CHICAGO GETS NEXT RAINBOW VETS MEET

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 16.—Chicago was selected as the 1925 meeting place of the National Rainbow Veterans' association at the closing session today at its annual convention.

## JAP BOATS FAIL TO FIND BRITISH AIRMEN

TOKIO, July 16.—Japanese destroyers have not yet found any trace of A. Stuart MacLaren, the British aviator, and his companions, who left Yetorufu Island early yesterday morning for Paramushiru Island, Kuriles, a flight of 450 miles.

## DE MOLAY DEGREE TEAM IN CEREMONY



(Here are members of the degree team of Hope chapter, De Molay, who took part in installation of officers of the chapter recently. Reading from left to right).

Front row—Ted Brown, junior councillor; Philip Pink, master councillor; Harold Naylor, senior councillor.

Second row—J. B. Fletcher, treasurer; John Ebner, standard bearer.

Third row—Fred Smith, senior deacon; James Calvert, chaplain; Frank Curtiss, junior deacon.

Fourth Row—Maxwell Jones, junior steward; Orville Walkup, Almoner; Carlton Bowman, marshal; Charles Jenkins, scribe; T. J. Dubose, sentinel; Willie Saunders, senior steward.

Fifth row—preceptors—William Brown, George E. Rose, Jerry Donaldson, Cleburne Crunk, (substituting for J. B. Fletcher); Leland Miller, Jack Welch, Opdell Thomas (substituting for Edgar Smith).

## PROSTRATION IS REPORTED HERE

**Aged Brick Mason Found Wandering In Dazed Manner**

The first heat prostration in Wichita Falls this year was reported Wednesday morning when Harvey Young, an aged brick layer, was overcome while at work in the 1900 block Grant street. Apparently out of his mind, he was found wandering aimlessly about the block shortly after 11 o'clock.

Residents of the neighborhood summoned officers from the city hall. Seeing his condition, officers took him to his home at 107 Chester street and medical attention was called.

It was stated last night that he was recovering in satisfactory shape and would be all right in a short time.

Mr. Young is said to be about 75 years of age.

## RAILROAD MAN DIES FROM HEAT

By the Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, July 16.—The first heat casualty of the year in Fort Worth was recorded Wednesday.

David Byers, 55 years old, died at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon two hours after he suffered a heat stroke. Five physicians were called in an effort to stay death.

Mr. Byers was general freight and passenger agent of the Texas and Pacific railroad at Waco.

## FIVE HEAT VICTIMS IN K-C RECORD DAY

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, July 16.—Five persons were overcome here today by heat, as a result of the highest temperature registered here this summer, 97 degrees. This rise in the mercury followed several days of cool weather, and was accompanied by heavy humidity.

## DALLAS REDISCOUNT RATE IS REDUCED

By The Associated Press.

DALLAS, July 16.—Effective today the rediscount rate of the Dallas federal reserve bank was reduced from 4 1-2 to 4 per cent.

## *Publisher Held For Attempt To Kidnap Daughter*

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Courtland H. Young, publisher of Young's magazine, and other periodicals was arrested in his wife's West 94th street apartment, charged with attempting to kidnap their three-year-old daughter, Rosabelle.

According to Mrs. Young the publisher broke into the apartment, snatched the child from its bed, and when the mother resisted, seized her by the throat. They were struggling when a policeman appeared.

The couple were separated in May 1923. Mrs. Young charged her husband with cruelty. Before her marriage Mrs. Young was Dorothy Campbell, a vaudeville dancer and follies girl.

## DRUGGED MAN IS FOUND HERE

**Picked Up Unconscious Near Junction of Creek And River**

W. H. Tabor, aged about 35, is in a critical condition in the General hospital from what physicians say is an over-dose of morphine taken some time Wednesday morning. At a late hour last night he was unconscious and was reported to have a temperature of 106 degrees.

The man was found about 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, unconscious on the banks of Holliday creek near the point where it empties into the Wichita river. Two companions were with him at the time and both are now held in the city jail. They are said to have had a quantity of drugs on their persons.

Tabor was taken to the city hall by Motorcycle Officer Joe Blocher and Plainclothesman Scott. An investigation there revealed that his condition was serious and he was taken to the hospital where a medical examination revealed the gravity of his case.

Police officials and hospital authorities had been unable last night to learn much of the man. His residence and family connection are unknown.

## LOUSANNE TREATY RATIFIED—BRITISHER

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, July 16.—Arthur Ponsonby, under-secretary for foreign affairs, declared in the house of commons today that Great Britain had ratified the treaty of Lausanne.

## THE WEATHER

Weather report for Wednesday, July 16, issued by the bureau of the Wichita Falls Electric company:

Maximum temperature, 103 degrees; minimum, 75; no precipitation; south west breeze; partly cloudy; average wind velocity, 11 miles per hour; maximum, 20 miles per hour; barometer, 29.05.

OKLAHOMA: Thursday partly cloudy, probably thundershowers in east portion; Friday generally fair.

EAST TEXAS: Thursday and Friday generally fair.

WEST TEXAS: Thursday and Friday partly cloudy.

**Texas Highway Data.**

DALLAS, Texas, July 16.—The highway report of the United States follows:

Highways are passable and generally in fair to good condition, except rough and also dusty in places.

## *Hot Days Bring Heavy Demand For Milk and Ice for Poor*

**More Out-of-Town Persons Contribute to Local Fund Than Citizens of Wichita Falls**

Another warm day was registered in Wichita Falls Wednesday and the demand for milk and ice was increased materially at the Salvation Army yet not a donation was received by the Record News milk and ice fund. Nearly $30 was received Tuesday and it was hoped by the Salvation army that a supply of milk and ice could be given to several families who really need the ice and milk for sick children but with no donations Wednesday these families will be forced to go without these necessities. The demand for the milk and ice and a little bread is far too great for the Salvation Army to supply, due to the lack of money in the Record News milk and ice fund and many needy cases are left unaided.

A striking fact concerning the fund is that more out of town people are subscribing to it than people living in Wichita Falls. People in nearby towns are contributing generously to the fund for the starving people of Wichita Falls. Scarcely a day passes unless a donation is received from Electra, Burkburnett, Thrift, Grandfield or some other generous hearted town. Another unusual fact is that those who are contributing are not the wealthy of the city or even the well to do but in the majority of cases people who are working for a salary.

Anyone desiring to help supply ice and milk to a hungry baby should send donations to the Record News milk and ice fund, care of the Record News.

## TEXAS MURDER CASE TO JURY

**Boy Slayer of Beautiful Young Divorcee Held In Suspense**

By the Associated Press.

HOUSTON, July 16.—The jury trying Bob Robinson, boy slayer, for the murder of Mollie Dudley, beautiful young divorcee, in Houston, January 2, was deadlocked early tonight after having deliberated for several hours.

Judge J. M. Combs, before whom young Robinson is being tried, sent the jury to the jury room and announced that he would wait up for a verdict as long as they were awake. He indicated that he will keep the body together for the remainder of the week if an agreement cannot be reached tonight.

The case was given to the jury at 2:45 p. m.

**Defended Home, Declare**

Both the defense and the state reviewed the relationship of Dr. C. H. Robinson, father of the accused, and Mollie Dudley, whom young Robinson shot because he said she was breaking up his mother's home.

One of the defense lawyers charged that the "son is on trial for the sins of the father."

Mrs. Robinson, mother of Bob, created a commotion in the courtroom when she gave way to her emotions.

**Judy Asks Question**

All through the long afternoon and during the early evening the jury made only one sign. It sent a written question to the judge, who declined to divulge its nature.

## ODD FELLOWS PLAN STATE CONVENTION

Committees on entertainment for the convention of I. O. O. F. to be held in Wichita Falls next year met last night and discussed tentative plans for the reception of a host of delegates.

The Wichita Falls lodge is taking enough time to be able to present a memorable hospitality to the Odd Fellows.

## "KING DAVID" LOSES $20,000 VERDICT

By the Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, O., July 16.—The United States court of appeals today affirmed the southern district of Michigan in granting John Hansel and wife of Grand Rapids, Mich., a verdict for $20,000 against Benjamin Purnell, "king" of the House of David.

The Hansels turned $200,000 in property over to Purnell when they joined this alleged religious colony, but withdrew when they learned that it was a private undertaking for the benefit of Purnell personally. The federal court previously had issued a decree dissolving the House of David colony.

## STATE LETS BIG GROCERY CONTRACTS

By the Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Tex., July 16.—Contracts for $250,000 worth of groceries for state institutions have been let by the state board of control. Among the successful bidders were: J. M. Radford, Abilene; Walker-Smith, Brownwood.

## HOISTING MEN WALK OUT AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Tex., July 16.—All commercial building in Houston, so far as union hoisting engineers were concerned, was tied up today when the engineers walked off all jobs as a result of the refusal of contractors to grant them an increase in wages from $8.50 to $10 a day.

## LAWYERS CLAIM 'TEAPOT DOME' TO BE ECLIPSED

**Placer Claim of Burk Divide Company Given Recognition**

**SENATOR IS NAMED**

**Attorneys Assert They Have Evidence Of Fraud At Hand**

Asserting that they have evidence of official scandal that "will eclipse the Teapot Dome" expose, Wichita Falls lawyers representing claimants to oil lands in the disputed Red river area Wednesday began preparations to contest recommendations of the general land office at Washington that the claim of the Burk Divide Oil company affecting a large portion of the disputed land be recognized.

**Claim Evidence At Hand**

General indignation at the recommendation and condemnation of alleged methods used in getting such decision were heard in all local oil circles Wednesday, and legal talent engaged by claimants to the lands said they would not hesitate to use a mass of purported evidence of fraud when final hearing of the case comes up some time after August 31.

**Indians Interested.**

The Burk Divide Oil company is an organization with is home offices at Terre Haute, Indiana, a large portion of its stockholders being residents of that city and vicinity. When the litigation into which the Red river oil lands were thrown by various conflicting claims put a stop to the operations of that company on such land as it had claimed in the river bed, various means were put to use to insure an ultimate outcome of the litigation favorable to the Burk Divide Oil company.

**Watson Pushes Bill.**

Senator James A. Watson of Indiana is credited with having caused the passage of a bill aiding the pioneer claims, and which they declare was purposed to ultimately result in the award of certain disputed territories to the Burk Divide Oil company, of Indiana. Under the amended bill, as finally passed by congress, the department of the interior is authorized to adjust and determine the right of the claimants in accord with the amount of money actually expended in development of the claims.

With this authorization it is contended by local attorneys that the land office should have made a decision in favor of claimants, whose possession of the land was originally made in good faith and who subsequently spent large sums of money in development of that land in the same good faith. It is pointed out here that the Burke Divide Oil company spent approximately $40,000 in the development of such property as has been recommended to be awarded them.

On the other hand, the attorneys point out, the Texas litigants have spent more than $1,000,000 in development of their claims.

## FIANCEE SHOOTS POET ON REQUEST

By The Associated Press.

PARIS, July 16.—Slowly dying from an incurable malady, Jan Zoscowski, well known Polish writer, repeatedly begged friends and attendants at the sanitarium at Villejuif to put an end to his sufferings. Today his fiance, Mlle. Stanislawa Uniczska, visited him and was so overcome at the sight of his agony that she could not resist his pitiable pleadings. She shot him in the head and he is not expected to recover.

## AIR SERVICE ROUTE LAID IN MEXICO

By The Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, July 16.—The government yesterday signed a contract with the Mexican Aviation company for the establishment of an airplane service between Mexico City and the port of Tampico to begin within six weeks. Fifteen planes will be in commission, each carrying three passengers and mail. The concession is for 10 years.


**A Continuous Procession Of Good Used Cars**

passes before the eyes of Record News readers daily over on the Classified Page.

Under "Automobiles" you'll find advertised there the best Used Cars in Wichita Falls. Both individuals and dealers are offering you these opportunities—turn to these ads and read them today and every day.

**Wichita Falls Record News**

"Where buyer and seller meet"

# More Than 2,000 Attend Opening of West Texas Baptist Camp

## GEO. W. TRUETT DUE TO ARRIVE

### Many Are Camped About Grounds For Big Meeting

Special to The Record News.

STAMFORD, July 16.—The Central West Texas Baptist encampment opened last night and more than two thousand people were present.

Owing to the death of a brother's wife at Whitewright, Texas, Dr. Geo. W. Truett could not be present but will arrive tomorrow morning. In his absence Rev. White opened the encampment last night.

There were perhaps two hundred in the choir. Many people are camped on the grounds which are located sixteen miles southeast of Stamford and one mile east of Lueders.

## Henrietta News

HENRIETTA, July 16. — Mrs. Mattie Young and granddaughter, Margaret Young, who have been visiting relatives in Marlow, Oklahoma, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lannon Sunday, eproute to their home in Petrolia.

Miss Katherine Weldon, who has been the guest of Miss Rachael Brown, has returned to her home in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Andrew Myers and small daughter, have gone for a visit to their old home in Harrisburg, Virginia. They were accompanied as far as Chickasha by Mrs. E. C. Carter and daughter, Christine, who will visit relatives there.

Miss Loreal Puckett is visiting Miss Mary Orton of Bellevue.

Clyde McGowan of Shreveport, Louisiana, is here for a week's visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hutcheson.

Miss Erma Spaulding of Fort Worth is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dan Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hamm have returned from a trip to Dallas.

Mrs. Emma Hawkins and daughter, Mary, of Chico, recent visitors in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Edwards, have gone for a visit to relatives in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Holiday of Dallas, accompanied by Mr. Holiday's mother, Mrs. Alice Holiday, of this city, are spending the week at Medicine Park.

Four cars of chamber of commerce boosters went from here to Thornberry Friday night in the interest of the work of the City County Fair association.

Frank Weaver of Abilene arrived here Sunday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. H. Shelton of Archer City is visiting her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hutcheson.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Allison and daughter, Mary, accompanied by the Rev. M. H. Terry of this city, attended funeral services in Fort Worth Tuesday of a relative of Dr. Allison.

Bailey Fuller of Denton is a visitor in the home of his son, Alvis Fuller, of this place.

Miss Maurice Mount is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cadenhead, of Fort Worth, this week.

Miss Catherine Carrow, who has been attending the summer session of C. I. A. at Denton, has returned home.

Mrs. Carl Barker and little daughter, Ruth, have returned from an extended trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. Marvin Smith and children of Wichita Falls are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Connor Terrell and children were in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mrs. L. L. Wells and daughter, Bessie, have returned from a visit to Mineral Wells.

C. W. Easley, Sr., who for several weeks has been confined in the Wichita general hospital from severe injuries received in an automobile accident on the streets of Wichita Falls, was returned to his home here Tuesday, his physical condition materially improved.

Miss Virginia Hale of Miami, Texas, who has been the house guest of Mrs. W. B. Walker, has gone for a visit to Fort Worth. Mrs. Walker honored Miss Hale while here with a swimming party at the Country club, which included the following in addition to the honored guest: Misses Virginia Roberson, Maurice Mount, Annette McMordie, Allene King, Ethel Campbell and Ellen Harrold of Mabledean; Mildred, Katherine, Helen and Dorthea Walker, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King, and Messrs. Dickerson and Nelson of Wichita Falls.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES GRANTED AT VERNON

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, July 16.—The following were granted marriage licenses to wed last week: Pete Werley and Miss Della Wolfe, W. S. Currin and Miss Jessie Johnson. Claude Smith and Miss Myrtle Grizzs, Thomas Oscar Black and Miss Ollie Belle Lane, W. F. Minton and Miss Grewtell Stillman.

## Quanah Shops Extension Now Is Under Way

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, July 16.—Material is being unloaded today for the extension of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Railway company shop buildings. Work will be commenced at once. The brick work is expected to be finished within thirty days. The main building of this extension will be 100 by 85 feet, and the boiler room will be 25x 40 feet.

## METHODS CLASS AT HENRIETTA

### Sunday School Workers To Receive Ideas On Leadership

Special to the Record News.

HENRIETTA, July 16.—A school of methods for officers and teachers in the Sunday school and for other childhood workers, designated "A Leadership School" will be conducted at the First Methodist church of this city, July 20 to 25 inclusive.

The school will be conducted by the conference Sunday school board and is intended for all Sunday schools in Clay county.

According to Rev. W. O. Howell, local pastor in charge, a great number have already enlisted for the course which will be given free of tuition of any kind.

The course will include "The Modern Sunday School" with Rev. O. W. Moerner of Dallas instructor, and "Pupil Study" with Mrs. F. V. La Bountie of Dallas instructor. The texts to be used are "The Organization and Administration of the Sunday School" by Cunningham and North, and "The Pupil" by Barclay.

The meeting for registration and for first class session will be on Sunday afternoon, July 20 at 3:30 o'clock. All other class sessions will be held at night only throughout the week, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock.

Persons of all Protestant denominations are being urged to attend and it is expected that a large class will be in attendance.

## Bomarton

Special to the Record News.

BOMARTON, July 16.—Mrs. G. R. Dowdy of this place returned Friday evening from Wichita Falls where she has been visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Myrtle Witty returned Sunday from Wichita Falls where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

G. R. Dowdy, local merchant, left Monday for Kentucky to visit relatives and friends.

A. H. Golden's sister of Oklahoma is visiting him for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parker and family of Wichita Falls were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Witty Sunday.

Mrs. Archie Lee Cockrell of Seymour, is helping her mother while the thresher is at G. W. Prichard's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snyder of Seymour spent Sunday with his brother, J. R. Snyder.

Hugh L. White of Seymour was in town Monday shaking hands with his friends.

Bill Frances of Seymour was in town transacting business Monday.

## Dundee News

Special to the Record News.

DUNDEE, July 16.—Hayden Fields is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. West Maxwell.

Mr. Larkin of Dallas, Texas, was in Dundee Monday looking after the interest of his daughter, Mrs. Hugh Reiley.

Mrs. Flora Wynn of Wichita Falls spent last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Kelsey.

Albert and Guy Baggett returned home Saturday from Goose Creek, where they were called by the illness of their father.

Velma Holmes, Edith Miller and Mrs. Harry Moseley motored to Seymour last Saturday.

Frank Woodrum and family are visiting relatives in Post City.

Miss Wilma Sparks returned to Floydada after a two weeks' visit here.

Mrs. Poston, son and two daughters from the Griffin ranch attended Sunday school here Sunday.

Dr. Woodall and family went to church at Mankins Sunday.

The young folks, enjoyed an ice cream supper at the home of Mrs. E. L. Barnes last Saturday night.

Miss Ruby Briules of Weinert, Texas, spent Saturday with Lalia Jackson.

Mrs. Clyde Funk and babies of Clyde, Texas, are the guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Sanders.

William Sanders has gone to south Texas to spend his vacation.

## QUANAH WHEAT BRINGS BIG SUM

### 10,000 Bushels Sold For $1.14 Per Bushel This Week

QUANAH, July 16.—What is believed to have been the highest price yet paid for Texas wheat this season, a price of $1.14 a bushel, was paid for 10,000 bushels purchased by the W. M. Martin Grain company today. This wheat tested strictly A-1 soft wheat, and came from the Taylor brothers farm six miles west of Quanah.

The Martin Grain company have buyers and load from six other stations besides Quanah—Goodlet, Ey, ans Switch, Tolbert, Vernon and Oklaunion. They report that the harvest this year is averaging a better yield and higher grade wheat than ever in the Panhandle section.

## Vernon Society

Special to the Record News.

VERNON, July 16.—B. G. Byrd has returned from a visit to east Texas points.

Evans Mason returned Saturday from Boston, Mass., where he attended the national convention of the Phi Kappa college fraternity.

Cy Long, manager of Perkins-Timberlake company, left the first of the week for New York city where he will buy fall and winter goods for the store.

Miss Moselle Parker has returned from a visit with Miss Eloise Earnest at Champaign, Ill.

Dr. L. E. Peterson has returned from College Station where he attended the veterinarian short course.

Mrs. J. W. Roberts of Childlecthe is a guest of Mrs. Ben Leutwyler this week.

E. L. Dohoney, of Amarillo is here on business.

W. M. Satterwhite and family of Keller spent the week-end here with his sister, Mrs. W. M. Thompson.

E. H. Pigg and B. Daniels left Saturday for a fishing trip in Colorado.

R. R. Sandifer of Wichita Falls, oil scout for the Texas company, was here on business this morning.

Roy B. Thompson left today for Colorado Springs, Col., and will drive through. Mrs. Thompson and baby will leave tomorrow by train to join Mr. Thompson there.

Mrs. R. F. Wright of Amarillo, who has been at the bedside of her sister, Miss Allie Rogers, for some weeks, has returned home. Miss Rogers is much improved.

Miss Mary Coleman is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. F. Wright at Amarillo.

Mrs. T. S. Bell returned home Saturday from Dallas where she submitted to an operation. She is very much improved.

Mrs. Mary Bell of Pottsboro is here for an extended visit with her sons, T. S. and Frazier Bell and their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fowler, former residents here, now of Amarillo, announce the birth of a daughter, Wanda Jean, July 11. Mrs. Jenna Fowler, is there, for a visit with her new granddaughter.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Carlor left last week for their ranch near Walsenburg, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Summerour, T. J. Summerour and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ish have returned home after a trip to Antlers, Okla., to visit with W. A. Ish, Jr., and enjoy an outing on Little River, near Antlers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Oliver and sons left today for an automobile trip to their ranch near Roswell, N. M. They will stop over in Fort Sumner en route to Roswell.

### STATE SENATORIAL ASPIRANT AT NOCONA

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, July 16.—R. R. Tribble candidate for state senator of the senatorial district, was a Nocona visitor this week.

Tribble's platform is for better rural schools, economy in government and tax reduction and equalization. Against open port law, special privileges and foreign emigration.

## Delphian Society At Seymour Has Interesting Discussion Of History of Human Race

Special to the Record News.

SEYMOUR, July 16.—The Delphian society met Saturday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. J. M. Roach.

Each member was permitted to invite a guest which added greatly to the pleasure of the afternoon.

The ladies were received by their hostess and until all had arrived, jolly conversation and music was enjoyed.

An interesting program on "A Resume of Human Progress from the Prehistoric Man to the Fall of Rome," was then entered into, as follows: "Science and the Mechanic Art," Mrs. D. McDaniel; "Government," Mrs. J. H. Milam; "Schools and Education," Mrs. S. W. Pistole; "Laws," Mrs. Charlie Martin; "Position of Women and Children," Mrs. J. M. Roach; "Slavery," Miss Lucile Rupe; "Military Science," Miss Luctle Rupe.

Religion and other cultural topics of the time were brought out, also upon conclusion of the program a social hour was enjoyed at which time Mrs. Roach, assisted by her neice, Miss Louise McDonald, served refreshing pineapple ice with angelfood cake.

Those present were Mesdames: G. S. Plants, R. D. Mugg, D. McDaniel, Raymond Plants, Alva Hill, Mont Lankford, Charlie Martin, G. W. Andress, Robert Haley, Joe Rollins, G. S. McGown, S. W. Pistole, J. H. Milam, Charlie Randal, Neal Jack St. Clair, McDonald, Misses Lucile Rupe and Louise McDonald.

**Temple Dickson's Party.**

Temple Dickson was host to a few of his friends Monday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. P. Dickson.

The lawn was beautifully lighted and furnished a delightful setting for the many games and contests which had been planned. The punch bowl, filled with refreshing fruit punch, was also an attraction during the evening.

The guests were later invited into the house where music was furnished by the phonograph, to which they danced.

Delicious ice cream and cake was served late in the evening by Mrs. Dickson, assisted by Mrs. Ruth Willoughby.

The guest list was composed of Misses Frances Buie, Love Farmer, Aline Briggs, Georgie Britton, John Bess Howe and Ruth Farmer and Dell Heasley, Allen Hulen, Henry Gray Briggs, Dave Crittenden, Clarence Lowry, and the host.

**Birthday Party.**

Master Pat Lankford celebrated his ninth birthday Thursday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lankford. Many outdoor games were played with much merriment after which they were invited into the dining room where a beautiful white birthday cake topped with nine burning candles greeted them. After making wishes and the candles were blown out, ice cream was then served with the cake and Hershey almond bars were given as favors.

Pat's guests were Walton Newton, Krit McDonald, Leighton St. Clair, Shubert Breedlove and Jack Lankford.

## Seymour News

Special to the Record News.

SEYMOUR, July 16.—The following B. Y. P. U. members left Tuesday afternoon for Leuders to attend annual B. Y. P. U. encampment at that place: Misses Jeannette Smith, Esther Donaho, Burnett Jones, Opal Quilan and her guest, Mable Sproles of Marlin, Demy Bryan, Mildred Donaho, Marie Bryan.

Mesdames W. E. Bailes and Charlie Martin and Wesley Harrison, B. Y. P. U. workers, drove their cars, furnishing transportation for the young ladies.

### REVIVAL MEETING TO START AT BONITA

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, July 16.—A protracted meeting by the Church of Christ at Bonita, will be held in August, beginning July 27, and continuing a week or ten days. The preaching will be done by Elder W. R. Wolfrum of Sanger.

## Old Soldiers To Hold Reunion At Nocona Soon

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, July 16.—The annual reunion of the Bob Stone Camp of Confederate veterans at Nocona is set for August 14, 15 and 16.

This reunion has been held here annually for over 25 years.

### NOCONA FARM TO SHOW TRACTOR VALUE

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, July 16.—A local automobile concern has a demonstration farm near town, where the plowing is all done with the tractor. Another field nearby is being cultivated with teams. The dealers expect to show that tractors are better to farm with than teams.

### CANDIDATE FOR JUDGE VISITS AT NOCONA

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, July 16.—J. W. Chancellor, candidate for district judge was a Nocona visitor Tuesday. Chancellor is mayor of Bowie and has been for several years.

### Noted Churchman Praises Karnak



Rev. Marcus M. Vaughn

Among the thousands of well known men and women praising the celebrated new medicine, Karnak, is Rev. Dr. Marcus M. Vaughn, one of the most widely known and universally respected ministers of Texas.

"For fifteen years," says Dr. Vaughn, who resides at 5331 Larkin St., Houston, "I suffered from a chronic stomach trouble and nervousness that finally compelled my retirement from the ministry. Frequently I had to remain in bed all day from sheer weakness. The best medicines and treatments failed to help me until I began taking Karnak. Two bottles of the medicine has completely overcome my troubles and I am again like my old self."

Karnak is sold in Wichita Falls by Ben. F. Smith Drug Co., and in Burkburnett by the Burkburnett Pharmacy. —Adv.

## DRUGS STOLEN QUANAH STORE

### Entire Narcotics Stock Taken; Nothing Else Is Bothered

Special to the Record News.

QUANAH, July 16.—The entire stock of narcotics of the Magee Drug store was stolen last night by someone evidently familiar with the prescription case and the location of the drugs. Nothing else in the store was taken or disturbed.

Entrance was effected by prying off the moulding around the glass of the back door and removing the glass. After removing the box containing the drugs and taking the dope the thief put everything back and went out as he came in. The loss is estimated at about $75.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water cools and heals red eyes. Doesn't hurt. Red Folding Box. All druggists.—adv.

Keep the air alive around the office with an electric fan, Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Adv.

## "Yours and Mine" Is New Slogan At Clarendon

Special to The Record News.

CLARENDON, Texas, July 16.—Clarendonites have discarded the old slogan of "Boosting for Clarendon College" for a more suitable battle cry of "Clarendon College, Yours and Mine," which denotes something of possession rather than exploitation and promotion. Windshield stickers, circulars and other advertising matter is being distributed over the Panhandle, western Oklahoma and eastern New Mexico bearing the new slogan. "Yours and Mine" conveys an impression of joint ownership which is in accord with the contention of Clarendon that the institution is maintained here for the benfit of the entire section and belongs to the people as a whole.

### NOCONA SHOE PLANT TRIPLES CAPACITY

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, Texas, July 16.—The H. J. Austin & Sons boot and shoe factory here has installed more new equipment and is now prepared to turn out three times as many pairs as in past. Their present output is 200 pairs per day. A larger force is being employed and the floor space occupied in the mechanical department is nearly twice as large.

### Why Nobody Likes a Person With Stained Teeth

Nothing will ruin a person's appearance or popularity quicker than dark, spotty, yellowish, stained teeth. Unclean or tobacco-stained teeth denote untidiness and carelessness. These are fatal to business or social success. Yet it is now so easy to remove teeth stains and have clear sparkling white teeth! This is through Bleachodent Combination, consisting of a mild, safe liquid which softens stains, and a special paste which gently removes them, without affecting enamel. Perfected by two prominent dentists. Brings instant results. Make your teeth flashing white this new, safe way. Get Bleachodent Combination today, at all good dealers, such as: Wilford Harrison Drug Co., Mack Taylor Drug Co., Smith Drug Store, Tipton's Drug Store, Palace Drug Store, Miller's Drug Store, Francis-Portis Drug Store, city.—adv.


GREAT SALE

LEMONS

Fancy Sunkist and Red Ball Brands, 360 Size

DOZEN 15c

We bought them cheap, we are going to let the Wichita Falls public in on our good buy.

WATER MELONS

A new car of Tom Watson's. Some of these melons will weigh 40 lbs. Come down and pick yours out

50c AND 75c

CANTALOUPES

Home Grown are now the kind to buy because they have that sweet ripe cantaloupe taste.

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PIGGLY WIGGLY

ANOTHER SPECIAL

For This Week

5-Piece Bedroom Suites in Ivory, Gray and Walunt Finish ..... $97.50

Don't Miss This Big Value—Your Terms Suit Us

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The Best in Dentistry for Less.

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Teeth Without Plates

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My plate work is of the highest class, restoring the facial expression and giving you the comfort of the natural teeth ..... $12.50

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BRIDGE WORK—My bridge work is of the best 22k gold and the best that money can buy. Bridge work ..... $5.00

Dr. Manning, Dentist

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# Lynch Davidson Predicts Vicious Attack As Campaign Nears End

## CLAIMS OTHERS VILLIFYING HIM

### Asserts Truth Disregarded In Eleventh Hour Campaign Efforts

Special to the Record News.

TEXARKANA, Texas, July 16.—Lynch Davidson, candidate for governor, before an audience at Texarkana tonight stated that his opponents in the present campaign "not satisfied with the combined attack they have been conducting upon me, the only business man candidate in the gubernatorial race, have now planned the most vicious assailment to take place within the next ten days yet witnessed in a Texas campaign."

**Will Disregard Truth.**

"Information has come to me," continued the candidate, "of plans by those who oppose me to utterly disregard truth, in the ten days mudslinging and villification now in preparation. Attempt will be made to secure publication of bogus affidavits concerning my rehabilitation of the state railroad; affidavits as bogus as the letter supporting T. W. (The Wrong) Davidson, purporting to have been signed by Oscar Touchstone of Dallas, and appearing in public press of the state after editors had been misled into printing it, Mr. Touchstone my close personal friend, was notified by wire in Seattle on his way to Alaska, that such a letter had appeared over his name, and immediately wired back saying he had not written a letter, and had authorized nothing in connection with the campaign over his name. The campaign of misrepresentation to be launched against me, will predominate with misstatements and half-truths, which are worse than lies. Another candidate has purchased full page inserts in practically every newspaper of Texas for eleventh hour publication to be filled with attacks upon Lynch Davidson.

**Railroad Record Target.**

My rehabilitation of the state railroad, by which I conserved a million dollar property to taxpayers of Texas, and checked losses of $80,000 annually, is to be an especial target of attack. My answer is that those who doubt the railroad has been rehabilitated should go down and ride on it. I planned to traverse it myself this week end on my way to Palestine. Those who doubt my rehabilitation of that road saved the state $320,000 in losses have only to investigate the record of that road in the comptroller's office before and after I took it over.

"The increasing personal bitterness which is to be launched against me shall not swerve me from my determination, made at the outset of this campaign not to deal in personalities, but to constantly present to citizens of Texas fundamental issues which confront them, and my business platform, by which I proposed to take $10,000,000 biennially out of the cost of running this state's government, without hindering needed appropriations one iota, and in fact make my administration stand out in the matter of education. The campaign of bitterness and mud-slinging now being conducted against me is the reason it has been impossible to get men of tried ability to offer their services to management of our state's affairs and is indicative of politicians' vision of real problems of our government."

## Seymour Society

Special to the Record News.

SEYMOUR, July 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Massie of Abilene are the guests of the latter's granddaughter, Mrs. Horace Nichols.

Alex Kerr came in Saturday from Dallas to spend a two weeks vacation with his father, A. D. Kerr and sister, Mrs. O. McDaniel.

Miss Florence Cooper left Sunday for Dallas to visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Richard Ray Blythe.

Miss Anna Knox of Anson came in Monday to visit her cousin, Pauline Knox.

W. T. Britton returned Saturday from a business trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Cockrell returned Monday from Colorado Springs where they spent a two weeks vacation very pleasantly.

C. J. Norton of Wichita Falls spent last week end in Seymour as the guest of Miss Jessie England.

Mrs. Eschol Pistole and son Harry have returned to their home in Albany after a two weeks visit in the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Pistole.

Mrs. G. W. Smith of Wichita Falls is visiting her mother, Mrs. Georgia Lester.

John Britton of Wichita Falls spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Britton.

Mrs. Ross Lewis and daughter, Miss Louise, have returned to their home in Dallas after visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Schultz and other relatives and friends. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Schultz.

Mrs. T. S. McCarty has returned from a visit to her sister in Tahoka, Okla., who is ill.

Mrs. Hawkings of Wichita Falls is visiting her mother Mrs. Claude McKeehan and sister, Mrs. Horace Nichols.

Mrs. Duce Howsley of Throckmorton visited her sister Mrs. J. E. Calver Saturday.

Mrs. L. N. Word, Mrs. Katherine Estotinal and two children of New Orleans are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Word.

Mrs. Jess Carney of Shreveport, La., left Thursday for Amarillo to visit relatives after a brief visit with her sister Mrs. R. H. St. Clair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edwards spent Mrs. S. Gorman has returned from Mrs. S. Garman has returned from Dallas where she underwent an operation.

Alex Fancher has returned from a visit in the home of his sister in Tahoka, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Blakney have returned to their home in Silverton, Texas, after a two weeks visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Metz.

Attorney and Mrs. J. Ross Bell have returned to their home in Paducah after a visit in the home of Mrs. Bell's sister, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Nugent.

## VERNON WOMAN ILL WHILE ON VACATION

Special to the Record News.

VERNON, July 16.—Mrs. H. C. Coffee who left with her husband for an automobile trip to their ranch in Colorado was taken suddenly ill at Colorado Springs. She is improving and will continue her journey soon.

## TWO SISTERS MEET AT VERNON AFTER FORTY-FIVE YEARS

Special to the Record News.

VERNON, July 16.—Mrs. T. J. Griffiths has as her guest this week her sister, Mrs. J. F. Dorris of Kilgore. The sisters had not met in 45 years although they have been living in the same state, since their separation. Soon after Mrs. Griffiths' marriage, Mrs. Dorris moved to south Texas and in the meantime reared a family of eight children. Her daughter, Mrs. Annie Moore, postmaster at Kilgore, accompanied her here.

## Charlie

Special to the Record News.

CHARLIE, Texas, July 16.—Charlie pople picnicked on Red river Sunday, at luncheon and then went swimming. The ones attending were; Mr. and Mrs. Alf Beck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geunells and Miss Jewel Boyce and Nata Lee Guenells.

**Personals.**

Miss Maude Hensley of Wichita Falls spent Saturday with her mother Mrs. W. P. Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gambie and family were in Petrolia Sundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Billingsley and children were in Petrolia Sunday.

Jack Bailey and J. Tankersery of Brown Field are visiting friends in Charlie.

Misses Audrey Hensley and Maude Hensley were in Duncan, Okla., Sunday.

Misses Mae Hensley and Jewel Stanley were in Byers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Greer and family were in Petrolia Sunday.

Miss Vivian Stapley has been visiting relatives in Petrolia for a few days.

Robert Bailey of Brown Field, Texas, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. B. A. Patterson in Duncan, Oklahoma, is on his way home and stopped here to spend a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. G. Orr and children of Burkburnett visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tourner of Burkburnett visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bagley of Slaton, Texas, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Copher have returned home.

Mrs. Sidney Copher was in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Copher were in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mrs. Fred Barger is visiting relatives in Wichita Falls this week.

Mrs. C. M. Meador and Mrs. W. F. Hensley were in Wichita Falls Monday.

## CLARENDON POOL PAYING PROPOSITION

Special to the Record News.

CLARENDON, Texas, July 16.—The city of Clarendon is realizing quite a substantial revenue from the recently opened bathing pool in the basement of the city hall according to Mayor W. A. SoRelle, who announces that contrary to expectation the pool is becoming a paying proposition. At the same time the city is realizing sufficient income to more than offset operating expenses the kiddies of the town are enjoying the privileges of the pool immensely.

## VERNON SATURDAY BRIDGE CLUB FETED

VERNON, July 16.—Mrs. R. H. Coffee of East Wilbarger street was hostess Saturday afternoon to members of the Saturday Bridge club and other guests. Five tables of guests played. Mrs. A. B. Swartwood won high score and was puresented with a perfume atomizer. Mrs. W. K. Long, as winner of the guest prize received a deck of cards. The hostess served a salad and ice course at the close of the afternoon.

## TRINITY QUARTET TO SING AT VERNON

Special to the Record News.

VERNON, July 16.—A male quartet from Trinity university will sing at the morning service hour at the Presbyterian church Sunday, is announced by Rev. E. L. Moore, pastor. It is not known whether they will sing at the evening service or not. Music lovers are promised a treat Sunday.





**Back Bad This Summer?**

ARE you tired, weak, all worn-out this summer? Do you feel old and dispirited—tortured by constant backache and knife-like pains when you stoop or lift?

Look then to your kidneys! Well kidneys keep the blood-stream pure. Weak kidneys allow poisons to accumulate and upset blood and nerves. Then comes backache, stabbing pains, headaches, dizziness, a tired, "blue" feeling and kidney irregularities.

Don't wait. Use *Doan's Pills*. *Doan's* have helped thousands. They should help you. *Ask your neighbor!*

**Here is Wichita Falls Proof:**

Will McDonald, Prop. blacksmith shop, 603 Third St., residence 1711 Truehart St., says: "My kidneys acted irregularly and at first the secretions passed too freely, making it necessary for me to get up during the night. Backache annoyed me a great deal with a dull, throbbing ache. If I stooped, a sharp catch took me and I could hardly straighten. Doan's Pills soon regulated my kidneys and rid me of backache."

**Doan's Pills**

*Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys*

At dealers, 60c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfg. Chemists, Buffalo, N.Y.


## 200 ATTEND VERNON CAMP

### Farm Boys From Five Counties Take Part In Outing

Special to the Record News.

VERNON, July 16.—The farm boys encampment started this afternoon at the fair park. Over 200 boys are in attendance and everything is in readiness for their entertainment, according to P. D. Chaney county agent. The county agents of the five counties, Baylor, Foard, Knox, Wichita and Wilbarger will lecture on the topics of interest to the boys.

Mayor Harry Mason will welcome the boys and the response to the welcome address will be made by H. M. Cantrell, Knox county agent. B. G. Byrd will have charge of the athletics and the physical exercises will be conducted by G. C. McGowan. John R. Edmonds, district agent, is general supervisor.

Guy R. Jones, former Wilbarger county agent now of Wichita county, will have charge of the contest on judging pure bred hogs. Soil conservation and crop rotation will be in charge of C. E. Birk of Iowa Park. Dairy cattle judging will be given by R. E. L. Pabilo and Fred Reynolds of Foard county. A gas engine demonstration will be staged. Edwin Smith, local poultry expert will lecture.

Swimming parties have been arranged and a trip will be taken through the Kell mill. The Lions and Rotary clubs and the chamber of commerce will entertain for the boys. The Vernon concert band and the Boy Scout band of 35 pieces will furnish the music.

## Color Cut-Out



The gipsy girl's brother was different. He was very quiet and did not seem to like visitors. He looked at Betty Cutout, but would not say anything.

"What kind of language was your brother talking to you?" Betty asked her newfound friend.

"Romany. That is what all gipsies talk among themselves. They have talked it always. They do not talk it before strangers. That is why my brother looked angry. He thought you were away, so he started talking Romany. Now he see you still here."

"I'm sorry," said Betty, a little hurt.

"O, he be all right," laughed the gipsy girl, as the boy went into the gipsy wagon. "Come, now I show you how we cook."

The gipsy boy wears blue overalls and a tan shirt and cap. He is carrying a red apple. Color his face a deep tan.

## Senior Endeavor Party Welcomes New Pastor of Henrietta Church

Special to The Record News.

HENRIETTA, July 16.—The Senior Endeavor of the First Christian church of this city, with Misses Mary Allison and Gladys Harmon as hostesses, gave a welcome party Monday night for their pastor, Rev. M. H. Terry, who has been here only a short while.

An informal program was carried out with Judge J. S. Dickey master of ceremonies, which included a talk by Rev. J. N. Hunt, pastor of the First Baptist church, and a sing-song led by Connor Terrell.

Mr. Terry was presented a number of useful gifts, including among the personal ones, several for his study.

Refreshments were served at the close of the evening to betwen fifty and seventy-five guests.

## YOUNG COUPLE WED BY VERNON PASTOR

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, July 16.—Will S. Currin and Miss Jessie Johnson were married Thursday afternoon at 7 o'clock by Dr. E. F. Lyon, pastor of the First Baptist church at his home on Main street. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnson of Childress but has been making her home here for several years with an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Penton.

Mr. Currin is the son of Mrs. L. M. Currin of Olive street and was reared here. He served overseas in the 36th division. They will make their home for the present with Mr. and Mrs. Penton, on Pearl street.

## CONTRACT AWARDED FOR NEW BRIDGE IN DONLEY CO.

Special to The Record News.

CLARENDON, Texas, July 16.—The commissioners court of Donley county has awarded a contract to Austin Bros., of Dallas, for construction of bridges across Carroll creek and Salt Fork of Red River on highway 33 between Clarendon and Jericho. This will greatly facilitate traffic between here and the newly discovered oil field 35 miles northeast in Gray county, eliminating all ford crossings of streams along the route. The portion of the highway lying in Donley county is to be improved according to present plans of the court.

## VERNON MAN GIVEN SALESMANSHIP PRIZE

Special to the Record News.

VERNON, July 16.—J. W. Hutley, local fruit tree agent received a prize of a silver fruit basket from the company he represents for taking orders for $100 worth of trees in six selling days. Mr. Huntley has worked for the company for several years.

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

Higgins—Machinery installed in cotton gin.

## FOREST FIRES ARE UNABATED

### Several Persons Are Still Reported To Be Missing.

By The Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Forest fires continued unabated today in the Pacific coast states, with the exception of Oregon and in British Columbia. In California the fires were confined for the most part to the national forests and thousands of acres of timber land were reported to have been burned over despite the efforts of hundreds of men recruited by federal officials.

Eastern Washington and northern Idaho reported fires beyond control while in British Columbia, four members of the Doukhobor colony have been missing since yesterday in the vicinity of Porcupine Creek where a forest fire has been raging.

Several boukhorbors, of a party of sixteen who escaped from the flames may lose their eyesight, according to physicians at Nelson. The town of Ymir was reported to have been saved although the mine Yankee Girl was in danger.

## HOT WEATHER HALTS WEEVILS AT NOCONA

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, July 16.—The hot dry weather, after showers, is fine on cotton in this section and farmers claim it will hinder the boll weevils. Corn is nearly made in many parts. The yield will be large.

## Three Held On Charge Breaking Fish Regulations

Three men arrested within the past four days on charges of having violated provisions of the new ordinance regulating fishing in Lake Wichita will stand trial before a jury in the city police court Friday night. One of the cases was passed in the Tuesday morning session of court and the other two were laid over Wednesday morning.

All of the defendants have asked for a jury trial and all will be given an opportunity to tell their stories Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

The men have been arrested by game wardens for selling fish taken from the lake. This is now prohibited under the new law recently enacted by the city council and wardens are keeping a close watch to see that it is adhered to.

## GRAND JURY FAILS TO MAKE A REPORT

No report was made Wednesday by the grand jury of the 30th district court, although it had been expected that a partial report would be made some time during the day to Judge H. R. Wilson. It was announced by the district attorney's office that a report might be made this morning.

The grand jury is now understood to be investigating other cases than the Wesley Ashmore murder, which has occupied its attention for the past week.

## ROTARY CHIEF COMING TODAY

### Harry Rogers, District Governor, To Visit Local Club

Harry H. Rogers of San Antonio, the new governor of the 13th district, will be in Wichita Falls this Thursday and speak at the weekly Rotary club luncheon at the Kemp hotel. Many of the Rotary club members are acquainted with Mr. Rogers and as he has a reputation of being a convincing speaker it is thought that a large percentage of the members will be present.

Chairman Gutzman announces the program committee for today: Frank Keim, chairman; Hubert Harrison, C. R. Hartsook, Burns Hegler, Les Hockersmith, Joe Huckins III, Bill Huff, J. M. Isbell, G. C. Jensen, Joe Jones, George Keith and Bill Killingsworth.

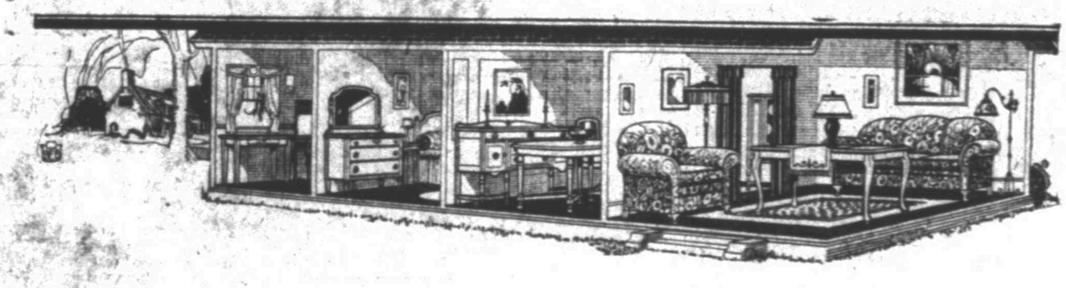
We have electric fans, 9 to 16 inches from $10 to $36. Wichita Falls Electric Co.—Adv.


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# FREEAR'S JULY SALE



Our big annual clearance sale has been attended by hundreds of people who took advantage of the exceptional values we are offering in every department of our store. You effect a definite saving whether you buy a complete outfit for your home, a complete suit, or a single piece. We can list only a very small portion of the hundreds of articles in our great store. Come today and share in the bargains.

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| Four, Five and 6-Piece **BEDROOM SUITS** *$98.50 to $327.50* | **3-PIECE LIVING ROOM SUITS** *$94.50 to $327.50* | **3-Piece Kroehler Bed Attachment Suits** *$98.50 to $184.50* | **8, 9 and 10- Piece Dining Room Suits** *$114.50 to $295.00* |
| **Five and Six-Piece BREAKFAST SUITS** *$16.65 to $72.50* | **9x12 AXMINSTER RUGS** *$24.85 to $56.75* | **9x12 WILTON VELVET RUGS** *$68.75 to $127.50* | **9x12 FRINGED VELVET RUGS** *$38.75 to $65.85* |
| **SIMMONS' STEEL BEDS** *$6.50 to $22.50* | **SIMMONS' BED SPRINGS** *$3.35 to $17.75* | **4-Foot PORCH SWINGS** *$3.15 and $3.45* | **27x54 AXMINSTER RUGS, Heavy Quality** *$3.95* |
| **LEONARD REFRIGERATORS** *$16.75 to $93.50* | **A-B GAS RANGES** *$27.75 to $98.50* | **KITCHEN CABINETS** *$24.75 to $52.75* | **9x12 CONGOLEUM RUGS** *$14.85* |

**EXTRA SPECIALS**

This morning we place on sale 3 groups of Walnut and Mahogany finish Bedroom Chairs, Rockers and Benches at ..... **$2.95 and $3.75**

See them in our windows. Exceptional Bargains.

**EXTRA SPECIALS**

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## BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER

JULY 17, 1924.

THERE IS NO DISCHARGE:—There is no man that hath power over the spirit to retain the spirit; neither hath he power in the day of death; and there is no discharge in that war.—Ecclesiastes 8:8.

PRAYER:—O Lord, we live and yet not we; God liveth in us, and death hath no longer dominion over us.

## EUGENE V. DEBS.

Eugene V. Debs is the apostle of American socialism and the venerated leader of the socialists of America. He has carried the national standard in three presidential campaigns and in one election received more than a million votes.

Senator Robert M. La Follette has been endorsed by the socialists as their nominee for president. Senator La Follette is not a socialist. He says he is a republican, running as an independent candidate for president of the United States. Congressman John M. Nelson of Wisconsin is the La Follette campaign manager and has established headquarters in the city of Chicago.

It goes without saying that Senator LaFollette and his forces plan to take an active part in the congressional elections next fall. They intend to support progressives irrespective of parties. They intend, so far as possible, to avoid taking on the burdens of any state or legislative or county candidates. On these they will make no endorsements unless they are forced to.

According to campaign manager Nelson they are very much interested in maintaining their present position of holding the balance of power in both houses of congress. This is the Nelson viewpoint:

"We can't lose. It is within the range of possibility that we can win. We are bound to hold the balance of power in the house and senate."

This is the real purpose of the LaFollette campaign—to throw the election of the next president into congress. If this takes place, then the American Mussolini will be the dictator of American politics. He will dictate who is to be president as well as dictate the legislation that is to come under the new administration.

There is many a slip twixt the cup and the lip. Senator La Follette is playing for high stakes. He is playing for all the stakes. He may lose all.

## RUSSIA COMING BACK.

Russia proposes to export nearly two million tons of oil in the coming year compared with half that amount in the present twelve months period. This new figure will be about three-quarters of the prewar production. Russia has purchased more than two hundred thousand bales of American cotton since the fall of 1923 and the demand for textile goods in Russia is increasing all the time.

Russia is a large producer of wheat. Russia has great reservoirs of petroleum. Russia has a stable government. It may be red but it is stable. It has endured for five years.

Why has it endured? Well, when the break up came the peasants were given the land which they tilled. They are sitting easy now and telling all the world to go to hades. Man is a glutton for land and when he is land hungry he is dangerous.

## WHERE THE CAPITAL GOES.

Uncle Sam is a rich old codger. American investments in Latin America now reach approximately $3,759,000,000, according to statistics compiled by government experts. Of all the countries considered Cuba leads with a total of $1,360,000,000. Mexico is second with $1,022,000,000. In Argentina there is a large American investment. It seemed the Texas cotton crop last year had a value of a billion dollars. If it has a billion dollars this year Texans will forget all about grasshoppers, practical politicians and other pests. Then there will be more money to swell the volume of the actual wealth of America.

John Bull has decided against the construction of a tunnel under the English Channel. He is close enough to France as it is.

## PANTOMIME -:- By J. H. Striebel




## WHY NOT BOB LA FOLLETTE FOR A RUNNING MATE AND NOT RISK ANY INTERNAL DISSENSION




# "OLIVER OCTOBER"

"And what else did she say?" rang out the voice of Josephine Judge.

"Oh, a lot of things that don't matter now," yelled a man back in the crowd. "Get busy, boys. We can't—"

"Stop! Listen to me, varlets! You believe she spoke the truth when she uttered that prophecy? Answer!"

"Yes!" came from a hundred throats.

"Then you must know that this boy was adjudged innocent of this crime on the day he was born," fell slowly, distinctly from the lips of Josephine. "I will repeat the words of the gypsy woman. She said: 'He will not commit a murder. He will be hanged for a crime he did not commit.' Speak! Are not those the words of the gypsy?"

Absolute silence ensued. It was as if the crowd had turned to stone.

"And so," she cried, leveling her finger at the men in the front rank, "you have done your part toward making the prophecy come true. You have hung Oliver October Baxter in spite of the fact that you were told 30 years ago that he would be innocent."

The mob stood rooted to the ground. A sudden shout went up from those in the front rank— a strange shout of relief.

Oliver October was struggling to his feet, assisted by Jane and Lansing. His arms released from their bonds, were thrown across their shoulders, his chin was high, he was coughing violently.

"Don't try to speak yet, Baxter," cautioned Lansing. "Plenty of time. You're all right. You'll be yourself in a few minutes. Thank God, we got here when we did."

They got him into the forward car, where he huddled down between Jane and her mother. They heard him whisper hoarsely, jerkily:

"Never mind about me—I'm—all right. They won't try—it again. Look after Aunt—Serepta first. She's hurt. They left her—lying up—"

"Don't worry, old top," cried Sammy eagerly: "I'll go back and look out for her. You go along with Doc. He'll fix you up. All you need is a good stiff—"

"Clear the road!" roared a score of voices as Lansing car moved slowly forward, and off the sides, down the slope and up the bank, slunk the obedient lynchers. The once bloodthirsty horde bore off swiftly, apprehensively, but still dubiously through the night which now seemed to mock them with its silence.

An hour later Sammy Parr expressed himself somewhat irrelevantly in the parsonage sitting-room.

"Say, Miss Judge, you were great. I never heard anything like that speech of yours. And your voice—why, it gave me the queerest kind of shivers."

Josephine was pacing the floor, her fine brow knitted in thought. She was muttering to herself. Oliver, lying on a couch, smiled up into Jane's lovely eyes. Then he sat up.

"Sammy," he cried out thickly but with the ring of enthusiasm in his voice, "do me a favor, will you?"

"Sure," cried Sammy, springing to his feet.

"Stand up with me. I'm going to be married.

"Great!" cried Sammy. "I'll not only stand up with you, old boy, but I'll let you lean on me."

"Now?" gasped Serepta Grimes, in great agitation.

"Yes—now!" cried Jane softly, and for the first time that night the color came back to her cheeks.

### CHAPTER XXVIII
### Mr. Gooch Sees Things at Night

Horace Gooch was going to bed. He had had a hard day, and it was 9 o'clock. He had a book, a well-worn copy of "David Harum," but he did not begin reading at once. He was thinking of the many dark and lonely nights old Oliver Baxter had spent in Death Swamp. It gave him a creepy feeling. He tucked the covers a little more tightly under his chin—but still the creepy feeling persisted.

"Hey, Horace!"

Some one was knocking at the front door—and the voice! There was only one voice in the world like that.

Mr. Gooch went to the window. He hesitated a moment, then boldly drew the curtain apart.

"Hello, Horace," came wafting up to Mr. Gooch. "That you? Say, open up and let me in."

Mr. Gooch grasped the window frame for support. "Good God!" he gulped, but in a voice so strange and hollow that he did not recognize it as his own.

The figure drew nearer the house.

"I'm Ollie Baxter. For goodness sake, Horace, don't tell me you've forgotten your only brother-in-law. I—"

"Go away! You're dead!"

"You come down here and let me in," cried the other. "I'll derned soon show you I'm not dead."

Mr. Gooch was now convinced. It was Oliver Baxter and he was very much alive.

"Well, what do you want?"

"I want to come in and spend the night with you, that's what I want."

Presently the two were seated in Gooch's warm kitchen.

"Now," demanded Mr. Gooch, "where have you been all this time?"

Mr. Baxter stretched out his wrinkled legs, and filled his pipe and lit it, all the while keeping his keen little eyes on his brother-in-law.

"Well, sir," he began presently; "I hunted this country over before I found her. She remembered everything. It took me nearly two weeks to get her to admit that she lied, and I guess she wouldn't have done it then if I hadn't offered her a hundred dollars to tell the truth."

"Are you talking about the gypsy who told his fortune?" inquired Mr. Gooch, comprehending suddenly.

"Yes. Queen Marguerite. I finally got her to confess that everything she said was false. Oliver ain't going to be hung any more than you or I. All spite work, she says. Got mad at all of us."

"So that's what you've been up to, you blamed old idiot," exclaimed Gooch. "Letting us all think you were dead! That reminds me—I was just wondering whose body it is, since it can't possibly be yours. The one they found in the swamp yesterday, I mean."

Mr. Baxter inquired with sudden interest, eh: "In the swamp, eh? Out in one of the pools. Why, it must be Tom Sharp's body. Tom Sharp was killed with an axe right out there on the edge of the swamp 30 years ago. He was killed by a gypsy—Say, Horace, if they think that body is mine, who is supposed to have killed me?"

Mr. Gooch experienced a strange and unsuspected softening of the heart.

"A man that used to work around your place," said he, after a moments hesitation.

Silence fell between them. Mr. Baxter was thinking profoundly, his brow wrinkled, his eyes fixed on one of his bony hands.

"Just so it wasn't Oliver," he said at last, swallowing hard. He had removed the gaudy muffler. His Adam's apple rose and fell twice convulsively. "I'd hate to have people think he did it."

"Don't worry about that," said Mr. Gooch brusquely. "Get along to bed now."

THE END.

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## WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

By MARY BLAKE.

CANCER.

The planetary aspects of today are more propitious for affairs of the heart than of the head. It is a day meant for love, and is not especially favorable for business or work. This is a good opportunity for putting the "unspoken question" to the final test, and, once the ice is broken, the vibrations are so good that little fear need be entertained of the nature of the response.

A child born today will have more than its share of baby ailments, which, however, can all be overcome successfully by proper nutrition and care, its disposition will be sunny and its character lovable, but not by any means weak. Given the right environment—one of love and a high sense of duty—the child born today will develop into glorious manhood or womanhood—a shining example of what is best in human nature. Sparing the rod, in this case, will not spoil the child.

If today is your birthday, why do you fail to see the bright spots in life? You are too morose, and radiate too much gloom either for your own good or that of those around you.

The true basis of cheerfulness is love, hope and patience. Love evolves love, and begets loving kindness. Love cherishes hopeful and generous thoughts of others. It is charitable, gentle, and truthful. It sees "the glory in the grass, the sunshine on the flowers." It costs nothing, yet is invaluable. Even its sorrows are linked with pleasure, and its very tears are sweet.

Kind words cost no more than unkind ones. Kind words produce kind actions not only on the part of him to whom they are addressed, but on the part of him by whom they are employed.

Good and friendly conduct may meet with an unworthy and ungrateful return, but the absence of gratitude on the part of the receiver cannot destroy the self approbation which recompenses the giver. Seeds of courtesy and kindliness may be scattered around you at very little expense.

The kindness of true sympathy, of thoughtful help, is never without beneficient results.

Successful people born on this date, are:

Timothy Pickering, statesman.

John J. Astor, merchant-founder of the family in America.

William Cranch, jurist.

Alexander B. Meek, jurist and author.

Robert M. Patterson, author and Presbyterian clergyman.

Horatio M. Spencer, physician, famous as an otologist.

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## So Goes It

By BURNS HEGLER

We now have with us the straw vote. The fine thing about straw votes is that they don't elect anybody.

Fishing next season should be good in the region of Wichita Falls—that is, if all the big ones that got away this year, can be landed next year.

A kick town is a place where bobbed hair attracts attention and sensational comment.

There are two kinds of crop failures—the ones that come before the harvest and the one that comes after. The latter are the only ones of any serious consequence.

Our idea of nothing to do is to be sergeant-at-arms of the United States senate.

We believe the mystery of the long session of the democratic party in New York City has been solved. There is an inside story to the effect that the amplifier, used to carry the human voice to all parts of the great garden, made all voices sound alike.

This made it hard on the born orator. Fancy one of these—such as W. J. B.—having his voice sound like that of any other man by the time it reached his hearers.

Robbed of its mellowness, shorn of its pathos, it was just a voice, nothing more. These are indeed hard times for the silver tongued orator of days gone by.

Paragrapher for the Kansas City Star wants to know "What a loafer does the rest of the time?" Answer: Nothing.

One reason there are so many democrats named Davis is because there are so many men named Davis who are democrats. Flawless reasoning.

It's never hot at the ball game.

## Pointed Paragraphs

By ROBERT QUILLEN

Example of verbosity: Corrupt politics.

The only recognized liberal party in this country is dad.

Don't envy the traveler. The home billboards are equal to those he sees.

An ideal parent is one who doesn't see more than half of what takes place.

Peace is better. You don't hear so many people using the word "militarism."

It frequently happens that repentance is just a conviction that the jig is up.

Scenery: What you would see if you climbed over the billboards.

Fewer male parents have "nerves." Fewer male parents listen to music lessons.

America's floating population is the part that does business twelve miles out.

There are many complicated intelligence tests, but few are more efficient than a canoe.

A kick town is where the attending physician relates the details to loafers on Main street.

Dobbin had his faults, but you could court a gal without pretending that he needed cooling off.

We've found the prize absent-minded, in the person of a dentist. While prying the top from a can of sardines he muttered, "Open wider, please, wider."

Americans will win the Olympic broad jump if some patriot will toot a horn at the right time.

And yet the critics who scorn America might be induced to scorn anything at a nickel a word.

All of us could speed up. With twenty million more heads to shingle the barber still has time to talk.

One of the strange things about nature is that a Jersey bull always knows where there is to be a picnic.

Correct this sentence: "She is very rich," said the count, "but I love her for her own sweet self."

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## Mothers

AND THEIR CHILDREN



A Neighborhood Circus.

One Mother Says:

Several years ago I started a neighborhood circus, and it was such a success that it is now held in our yard every summer, the children preparing for it for days in advance. Acrobatic stunts, clown and animal tricks are planned and rehearsed, and something in the way of a pageant is put on, the girls making the costumes. The circus is held in the evening, and pink lemonade, pop corn and peanuts are always a big feature. I can guarantee that this amusement will absorb at least two or three weeks of the long vacation.

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## More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

THE EFFECT OF CIVILIATION

The Chicasaw Indians are suing Uncle Sam for two hundred million dollars for lands which they assert have been taken away from them.

The redskin walks the ways of peace,
And with his education,
One notices his nerve increase,
With glowing admiration.
He's taken up the white man's tasks,
He wears the white man's collars,
And for the land he's lost he asks
Two hundred million dollars.

In early days he held a view
Uncivilized and narrow;
He bent a wicked bow of yew
And shot a wicked arrow.
But when we took away his land,
He asked no money for it,
Nor did he savagely demand
That we forthwith restore it.

Old William Penn, in course of trade,
Considered he was reckless,—
When for a sovereign state he paid
Two shillings and a necklace.
And never did the red man wax,
Beneath the collar heated,
Or lift his trusty battle ax,
Declaring he was cheated.

But now, if we prechance encroach
Upon his reservation,
He hies to court with loud reproach
And bitter indignation.
No longer in his forest haunts,
He slays and whoops and hollers;
He's educated, and he wants
Two hundred million dollars.

KIND WORDS

The democrats said good-bye to the league of nations, but at least they said it with flowers.

CINCH

An Englishman has started to walk around the world. He'll probably pass the globe girdling aviators on the way.

NO SUCH LUCK

Ghandi has promised to keep silent for two days. Here is an example for some of our campaign orators.

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## Dr. Frank Crane's Daily Editorial

### What a Woman Can Do

In these days of emancipation, women are dabbling about at all sorts of things.

It is natural also that many of them should be a little dazed with their new freedom, and puzzled at the many doors open to them.

It is natural also that some of them should make mistakes, the business of making mistakes being the one in which we are all more or less adept.

And the principal mistake that they make is the very primary one of mistaking the peculiar kind of activity in which they are endowed by nature to excel and in which no mere man can cope with them.

There is such a thing as sex in ideas. There is such a thing as feminity of spirit. And it is not a thing to be ashamed of nor to be regarded as in any wise second rate.

There are three things a woman can do better than any man can do them; three things so vital that the world's pulses would stop and the world's spirit would droop without them.

These three things are love, management and appreciation.

In the first place the world's most precious treasures, the immediate jewel of its soul, the last possession with which it would willingly part is love.

It is no extravagance to say that love belongs to her, and that without her this so great fire of the gods would fall upon every hearthstone.

The second of her possessions is management.

Man thinks he manages, but he does not. He has strength as the horse has strength, but the woman has the bridle.

It is a man's duty to work, to create and to produce. In these a woman cannot cope with him. But he cannot preserve the result of his work, and his production and creation become wastage without the woman's management.

The third business of woman is appreciation. Appreciation is the bread of life. It is the vitamine of the spirit.

Appreciation does not judge; it does not condemn; it does not punish. It understands.

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## Irrigation

By A. M. McPHERSON

Kahn Bldg., Eighth and Indiana
Consulting Engineer

SOILS AND SOIL PHYSICS.

Leveling Land and Some of the Effects It Has on Crops.

In preparing land for irrigation it is often necessary to level it. This is especially true where the land does not have a good slope. Flat land is generally very difficult to irrigate.

In levelling land knolls are generally scraped off with fresnos and the low places filled up, until the whole field has a more or less level slope.

When the farmers here have to begin levelling their land preparatory to irrigation they will find that wherever they have removed a foot or more of top soil their crops will grow very poorly on this new soil which has been exposed.

A chemical analysis of this newly exposed soil would in most cases fail to show any reason why crops should not grow.

It is quite often thought by the farmer that in removing the top soil he has exposed soil impregnated with alkali. This is a fallacy. The chances are that the deeper soil does not have as much alkali as the soil which has been removed.

The real reason why crops do not grow is that this new soil is lacking in soil bacteria and the products of such bacteria.

Most soil bacteria live and thrive close to the surface, the greater part of them within plow depth. Therefore when the top soil is removed it leaves a soil that is lacking in bacterial life which is the principal reason why crops fail to do well on such spots.

## NEWTOWN REVIVAL REPORTED SUCCESS

Rev. W. L. Nelson, pastor of the Walnut Street Baptist church is conducting an unusually successful revival at Newtown, according to a report received Wednesday. The meeting according to the information is proving very interesting and drawing large crowds. Martin Smith of the First Baptist church at Electra is leading the singing. Rev. Nelson will teach at the First Baptist church at Electra Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

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Beaumont—Contract to be let for repairs on school in $40,000 remodeling program.

## WICHITANS CHARTER PETROLEUM COMPANY

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AUSTIN, Texas, July 16.—Chartered: Falls Petroleum Co., Wichita Falls, capital stock $50,000; incorporators, W. E. Brothers, G. C. Wood, C. E. Mitchell. Amendment: Archer Oil corporation, Wichita Falls, increasing capital stock from $64,000 to $100,000.

## BRAZILIANS BEATING REBELS NOW, REPORT

By The Associated Press.

PARIS, July 16.—The Brazilian embassy today announced receipt of a cable direct from Rio De Janeiro to the effect that the federal troops clearly had the advantage in their encounters with the rebels holding Sao Paulo, but that they were not pushing that advantage too aggressively in order to avoid damaging property.

## CONDUCTORS MAY GO FOR LA FOLLETTE

By The Associated Press.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., July 16.—The board of directors of the Order of Railway Conductors, which meets in semi-annual session here tomorrow, is expected to endorse formally the candidacy of Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin for president, according to L. E. Sheppard, president of the order, who returned from the Cleveland convention today.

## LOCAL LOBBIES

TEXAN

C. B. Aiver, Bowie; R. F. Butler, Dallas; Sol Archer, Fort Worth; R. C. Rollin, St. Joseph; E. D. Esmond, St. Joseph; W. H. Caryle, Amarillo; W. M. Masterman, city; Sidney Reid, Altus, Okla.; R. G. Boone, New York; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haupt, city; W. H. Hegr, Dallas; W. H. Pitts, Dallas; C. W. Cunningham and wife, Eldorado; N. F. McWilliams and wife, El Dorado; Ruth McWilliams, El Dorado; Dr. J. A. Moore and wife, El Dorado; Walter Moore, El Dorado; W. M. Sample and wife, El Dorado; Frank Caldwell, Ranger; Mrs. John Vance, Ranger; Guy McClean, Forreman, Ark.; C. B. Wylie, Dallas; W. F. Thomas and wife, Dallas; F. Valentina, Fort Worth.

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# Bunco Party For Younger Set Proves Delightful Event of Wednesday

## Miss Katherine Kay Is Hostess at Home of Her Parents On Tenth

AN EVENT of Wednesday morning proving delightful for members of the younger set was the bunco party given by Miss Katherine Kay at the home of her parents, Judge and Mrs. John C. Kay, corner Tenth and Harrison.

The spacious rooms were colorful and fragrant with decorations of summer flowers where five tables were arranged for the games. Miss Susan Aynsworth was fortunate and won the high score favor, a vanity, while Miss Mary Virginia Barron was consoled for low with a case of dainty handkerchiefs.

Orange sherbot and cake was served to Misses Mary Virginia Barron, Mildred Sherrod, Sibly Wiley, Etheline and Frances Gaskin, Marjorie Dalton, Marjorie Wilhite, Catherine Weldon, Oliv and Louis Kay, Virgie May Adams, Berniece Brown, Margaret Kendall, Martha Johnson, Adele Hatchitt, Susan Aynsworth, Josephine Kelley, Elizabeth Langford, Roberta Kemp and Margaret Bond.

### POPULAR CLEBURNE GIRL HONOREE AT PARTY.

Complimenting Miss Mary Lou Doby of Cleburne, popular house guest of Miss Judith Sherrod, Mrs. E. M. Brown and her daughter, Mary, were hostesses at a swimming party at the Municipal club followed with breakfast at home, Wednesday morning.

Tables were arranged for bridge following the breakfast. Those enjoying the hospitality besides the honoree included Misses Elizabeth Carrigan, Marjorie Winston, Elizabeth Weldon, Mabel Bundy, Katherine Hopper, Florence Datson, Dorothy Nolen, Anna Ruth Kahn, Gene Nelson, Judith Sherrod, Helen Grisham and Mrs. Frank Wood.

### MISS DESSA KEYS HOSTESS AT BRIDGE

Miss Dessa Keys, assisted by Mrs. Charles Pridgen, entertained four tables of girl friends at bridge Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Pridgen on Denver, complimenting Miss Maurine Muller of New York City.

Miss Janie McCallster was fortunate in the games and received a dainty bottle of bath salts for the high score favor. Miss Frankie Adickes was consoled for low with a pretty phial of black narcissus. The honoree was remembered with a pretty vanity.

An ice course was served to Misses Helen Knotts, Frankie Adickes, Janie McCallster, Dorothy Rugeley, Margaret Bond, Neva Black, Florence Datson, Lucile Benson, Elizabeth Carrigan, Marjorie Woolsey, Caroline Dawson of Galveston, Bernice Pross, Fern Sides, Maurine Muller and Mrs. Frank Wood.

### AGOGA CLASS HOLDS BUSINESS MEETING.

Members of the Agoga Sunday school class of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church met in business session at the church Tuesday evening in an important business session. Plans were made for future work of the class and the following officers were elected: T. P. Cannon, president; T. P. Walker, Ward and Hampton, first, second and third vice-presidents; W. H. Conn, secretary; Mr. Michael, treasurer, and A. J. Holt, re-elected teacher.

### BUSINESS GIRLS PLAN PICNIC AND SWIM.

A picnic and swimming party is planned for the members of the Business and Professional Women's club as a sort of summer get-together, according to Miss Eldora Bundenberg, chairman of the entertainment committee.

The members and their friends are asked to meet at the Y. W. C. A. at 7:30 this evening from which place they will go to Downing's swimming pool for a swim followed by refreshments of watermelon.

### JOVIAL EIGHT CLUB WITH MRS. HANKS.

Mrs. Elbert Hanks will be hostess to the Jovial Eight Bridge club at her home on Ninth street this morning from 8:30 to 11 o'clock.

### FORMER WICHITAN WEDDING ANNOUNCED.

Mrs. E. L. Biggerstaff announces the marriage of her daughter, Mary, to J. Ralph Lee of Childress, the ceremony being read on July 12. Mr. and Mrs. Lee will be at home at Childress after July 26.

Miss Biggerstaff will be remembered by friends here as a teacher in the Austin school last year. She also received her degree in home economics later, at Columbia university.

## Paving Releases Now Necessary

City officials are advising that property owners here who have recently paid up paving assessments in full, secure their release from the contractor and file these with the county clerk. A number of final assessments are now being paid, it is said, but in numerous instances the proper releases are not being obtained and filed.

Such releases from paving assessments are placed in the abstracts and are necessary if the property is sold again. It is also advised that any one purchasing property on a paved street should examine the abstract closely to see that the release from the assessment is properly recorded.

### POLICE COMMISSIONER OFF FOR VACATION

Police Commissioner John T. Young and Mrs. Young will leave today on a six week's automobile tour that will take them into Canada and to places of interest all along the Atlantic coast. They will go from here to Buffalo, N. Y., and Niagara Falls and will later go up the St. Lawrence river.

On the return trip they will come back by way of New York, Washington, the Virginias and the southern states.

Mr. Young has secured a six week's leave of absence from the city council.

Nederland—$150,000 high school building to be ready for occupancy by fall term

## Society Personals

Miss Anna Keevil, secretary at the First Christian church left with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson for a vacation of several weeks on the Ferguson ranch near Amarillo.

Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Tyson and children, Katherine and Frances, are leaving this morning overland for points in New Mexico and Colorado where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Carl Hare who has been ill at the General hospital, is reported much improved and has removed to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. George are in Glenrose, Texas, where they will remain for some weeks for the benefit of Mr. George's health.

Mrs. J. F. Goins and family are in Colorado where they will stay the remainder of the summer.

Fred F. Cone is spending his vacation in Floydada, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dale and children, Dorothy and Johnnie Margaret, will leave the latter part of the week overland for points in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fisher and daughters, Thelma and Fay, left Wednesday overland for New York City, Atlantic City and other points in the northeast.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Blanton leave this morning for Amarillo, Claude, Panhandle, and other points for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Russell leave this morning for a two weeks stay in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crane Jr., have moved to Shreveport, La., where they will make their home. Mr. Crane is well known here where he has been associated in the real estate business with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Solon Downing have returned from a short visit at Medicine park.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Tolbert and sons, have gone to their ranch north of Amarillo for a few days visit.

Mrs. W. E. Doleman and children have gone to Colorado where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. S. Y. Ferguson left Wednesday for Los Angeles where she will visit her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gilchrist and family have gone to Colorado Springs to spend a month.

Mrs. Wiley Wyatt and daughter, Miss Delphyne, left Wednesday afternoon for New York City, where Miss Wyatt will continue her study of the ballet. They will return September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Burks and Miss Dorothy Burks will leave today for Dallas where they will visit several days. While there Miss Burks will sing the pre-nuptial solo at the wedding of her friend, Miss Bon Sory, who will be married to Dick Robinson at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Fine and daughter, Dorothy Elaine, will leave today in their car for Colorado, Yellowstone Park and Salt Lake City. They expect to be away until September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Art and daughters, Rose Marian and Pauline, have gone to Chicago, Detroit and points in Ohio. Mr. Art will return in two weeks, while Mrs. Art and the children will spend the remainder of the summer at the Great Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Gwynn and daughter, Miss Gay, have gone to Chicago expecting to go from there in a couple of weeks to Canada. They will return by way of water to New York City, expecting to be home about the middle of September.

### FAULTY FLUE BRINGS FIREMEN TO BANK

A faulty flue in the Stanley building filled the Security National bank rooms on the ground floor with smoke and caused a hurried run of the fire department at 10 a. m. Wednesday. Smoke supposed to go up the flue and out of the top of the building was escaping into the banking rooms.

No damage was done, although considerable excitement resulted.


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## Blondes Triumph Over Brunettes in France



Blondes triumphed over brunettes in the annual beauty contest conducted in France by Parisian motion picture companies. The first prize went to Mlle. Signat (right), a blonde. Mlle. Frea (left) was adjudged the most beautiful brunette contestant.

## Dorothy Dix

**The New "Tired Business Woman" Species That Mothers Cannot Understand—Is a Husband's First Duty to His Wife or to His Family?—The Crime of Learning the Necessary Domestic Arts After Marriage.**

Dear Miss Dix—Is there any way by which mothers can be cured of nagging their daughters, who work all day in shop or office under a heavy strain, and then come home to be "nagged" about little things by their mothers until they are perfectly frantic?

I come home at night utterly worn out, wanting nothing but silence and food and rest until I can pull myself together. But my mother meets me at the door with, "Are you going to finish that dress tonight?" "Why don't you go to such and such a place?" "You said you were going to do this and that." And when I beg her not to worry me, just to let me alone for a while, she is hurt and offended. She says that if she had nothing to do but to sit all day at a mahogany-topped desk that she would think she was having an easy time. Is there no way to make mothers understand?

BUSINESS GIRL.

Answer: I am afraid there isn't my dear, because mothers think that they have a perfect right to supervise every detail of their children's lives, and they don't consider it nagging when they tell them a hundred times what they think of a thing. Harping on the same subject is a maternal prerogative that women refuse to give up, no matter how maddening it is to their children.

The lack of sympathy that mothers show for their daughters who work outside of the home is to be explained and excused by their ignorance. They have never been in business themselves and they have not the faintest conception of what it means to stand all day behind the counter, or bend over a typewriter, or walk a million miles, more or less, peacocking around in model hats and dresses, trying to please grouchy bosses, and to induce peevish customers to buy.

To the mother, going downtown to see pretty things, and mingle in the crowds, is a lark, and she never gets over the belief that business is a perpetual picnic. Therefore, she thinks that her husband and her daughter, who have been at the office or the store, are perfectly unreasonable when they complain of being tired of an evening, and when they want to stay at home and sit up in silence trying to rest their weary tongues and eardrums from the incessant chatter they have been in all day.

So I fear it will take another generation of mothers, the women who were in business when they were young themselves, to understand just how nerve-worn and weary a working girl is when she comes home at night, and how it irritates her to be asked questions and told over and over again to do the same thing.

DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix—I am married to a man who makes only a moderate income, but he sends more than half of it back to his people, although his father and single brother are both able to work and could support the family if they would. Of course, I have to deny myself many things that I might have if we had this money to spend, but I can't make my husband see that his duty is to his wife and children, instead of his brothers and sisters, or that he should lay up something with which to educate our children when they are older. Do you think that I am right?

WORRIED WIFE.

Answer: Of course you are, Worried Wife. When a man gets married his first duty is to his own household. He has no right to deny his wife and children the things they need to give to his family.

Yet many men do this. In their early youth they somehow got their families fastened, like old men of the sea, upon their backs, and they never have the courage to shake themselves free of the load. Nor does the family ever seem to realize that they have no right to continue to make a pack horse of their sons and brothers when they have assumed other burdens.

Because John has always turned over his money to his family, and bought the girls pretty dresses and paid the boys' debts, they feel that they continue to have a perfect right to call on him for everything they want as long as they live. And John hasn't the nerve to say "No!" and shut his pocketbook. And so John's wife and children have to be sacrificed to the family fetish.

Of course, a man is obligated to take care of his father and mother when they are old and helpless, but he certainly is not called upon to support his husky brothers and sisters, and he does them a great wrong if he encourages them in being parasites instead of independent men and women.

Try to make your husband see that he is being made the family goat, and that the quicker he resigns the position the better for all concerned.

DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—I was talking to a bride the other day and asked her if she knew how to cook and keep house. She said, "No," but she intended to learn how as soon as she was married. Don't you think it is pretty late for a woman to start to learn a profession after she goes to practice it? And don't you think that mothers do very wrong in not teaching their daughters how to cook and sew and keep house?

RUTH.

Answer: I think it is little short of a crime, Ruth, for a mother not to prepare her daughter for matrimony by teaching her the things she is going to need to know in her new life, and the trade she is just starting to follow.

I think that the ignorance of the domestic arts is one of the main reasons why so many marriages are a failure.

A man marries a girl dreaming of a happy, comfortable, thriftily run home, of good dinners and a contented wife. Nine-tenths of the time he gets a wife who doesn't know the first thing about cooking or buying food, who wastes his money and sits him down to dinners that would poison an ostrich. And his wife is nerve-frazzled and hysterical over her failure. Nobody can blame him for being disgruntled and disappointed. Nobody can blame her for being discouraged and miserable. Nobody can wonder that they quarrel and reproach each other.

But all would have been different if the girl had been taught how to do housework efficiently and easily. Housework is only hard to the untaught. Of course, the mothers say that their girls will learn how to cook after they get married. True, but they learn through a bitter experience that they could have been saved. And, anyway, it is not fair that a girl should get her domestic training at the expense of her husband's pocketbook and stomach.

The woman who is a good cook and a good housekeeper has a lure that never fails and a charm that never palls on her husband, and the wise mother provides her daughter before she marries with this reliable conjure.

DOROTHY DIX.

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## 200 Ready To Attend Picnic Here Saturday

Two more days until the big picnic at Lake Wichita. Approximately 200 boys and girls have thus far secured three new subscribers to the Record News and thereby will get to attend the picnic free. Any boy or girl who has secured three new subscriptions may bring his or her parents as guests to the picnic. A great day has been planned for those in charge of the picnic and there will be plenty of good things to eat for all those who are lucky enough to attend.

Two more names were added to the lucky list Wednesday, one of the lucky young workers sending in three subscriptions from Olney, Texas, which means that he intends to travel 50 miles to attend the picnic. The names that were added to the list Wednesday were Louis Poer of Olney and Durwood Barnes, 1209 Indiana avenue.


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### MAIDS AND MATRONS AT BURK ENTERTAINED

BURKBURNETT, July 16.—The Maids and Matrons Bridge club held their last meeting in the pleasant home of Miss Weltha McClain and spent a most enjoyable evening around the pretty bridge tables.

In the games, Mrs. Floyd Hatfield won high score and was given an exquisite vanity pendant and Mrs. I. D. Russell was consoled by a pretty corsage bouquet.

A delicious ice and fruit course was served and favors of hand-painted butterflies and tiny fans were presented to each guest.

Those present were Mrs. Lyn Kincaid, R. B. Saxe, I. D. Russell, Misses Winnie Jean Waldroup, Eunice Gordan, Gladys Gibbons and Eoline Word. And the guests of the club were Misses Geneva Felty and Erey Cannon of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Floyd Hatfield.

### GOLF COURSE IS OPENED.

CLARENDON, Texas, July 16.—The golf course here was formally opened Monday by officials of the Clarendon Golf club, and Clarendon golfers are in the field ready to meet any and all competitors. The course is nine-holes complete, covering an approximate distance of 3,300 yards and contains plenty of natural hazards, criss-crossing a small canyon at various points. The club has approximately 80 members to date and several others have indicated an intention of joining.


### To Whiten Skin with Lemon



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# Spudders Capture Entire Houston Series

## FOUR CIRCUIT SMASHES ARE DRIVEN OUT IN 9-1 CONFLICT

### Drake Holds Buffs to Seven Blows and Hits Homer Himself—White and Jonnard Non-Stoppers, Too

Lowen Drake, Spudder right hander who was knocked from the box in the fourth inning the day before, came back at Houston's Buffaloes Wednesday, held the Buffs to seven safeties, and allowed one run, a home run by Compton in the third, while his cohorts pounded Marvin Goodwin untiringly for ten hard knocks and nine runs.

The victory swept the series for the homelings, and while Shreveport was losing to San Antonio, put Wichita Falls in third place barking at the heels of the leaders, Dallas and Fort Worth.

Unlike the first two games, the Spudders used but nine players, and all nine crossed home plate from a third base angle.

The Spudders did not pelt Goodwin so very frequently, but when they did get to the veteran spitballer it was with gusto. Two doubles and a trio of non-stoppers were whammed out by the Tannermen. Homers by White, Drake and Jonnard, and doubles by Locker and Weis accounted for nearly all the Spud tabulations.

**Drake In Rare Form.**

Drake, who has not been going so good since his arrival several weeks back at the Spud lot, had everything in the world, and didn't fail to mix it up. Usually rather wild, hence in much trouble, he was rarely in danger yesterday.

Galveston will visit Athletic park this afternoon for the first of a pair. Either Musser or Fussell, more than likely Fussell, will go to the mound for the homelings.

**Buffs Menace.**

Buffs indicated in the first when Compton and Monroe with single and double got to third and second after there was one away. The threat was a meagre one. Gainer popped out to Buddy and McDonald aviated to Fitzgerald in center.

Spuds failed in the latter half of the first. The only events of the Buff second was the fanning of Kane by Drake and the romping back of Al White, Spudder keystoner, for a pair of popups.

**Three In Third.**

Both clubs tabulated in the third. Compton of Houston hoisted a mighty drive over the starboard barriers with none on base. Spuds busted back for three runs. After two had gone down, Drake not to be outdone, jarred one over the left field fence, tying the score. Fitzgerald followed with a single through the shortfield. Tanner popped a Texas leaguer to right and hoofed it to second when McCarty threw to cut Fitzgerald at the plate. Goodwin intercepted the peg, and heaved into left center, trying to stop Tanner who had set out for second. Buddy scampered on around the trail home. Locker retired the Spuds by bounding to short.

**Three More In Fourth.**

Crew brutally bludgeoned Goodwin for three more in the fourth. After the Buff infield had done away with Weis and Turge, Coombs pulled Marvin for a free ticket. White came through with a crash to port for non-stop passage, scoring Coombs in front of him. Bubber Jonnard got excited over the turn of events, and frantically lashed another to jungle territory this time back of the right field wall. The ball cleared the score board in right center.

**Spuds Accept One.**

Spuds accepted another tally in the sixth. Turgeon was the recipient of a four-balls donation. Coombs singled through short, and Compton in left let the ball get by him. Turge tabulated and Coombs halted at third. White grounded to third. McDonald in that section grabbed up the ball, held Coombs to the base, and threw out Al at first. Jonnard hoisted to right. Coombs was caught at the platter attempting to score after the catch.

The result of the inning brought the enumeration to 7-1, Spudders.

**Two In Eighth.**

Homelings counted two more in the eighth. Locker doubled to right center, and scored when Weis shook up the boards in the same precinct. Turgeon laid one down, a sacrifice advancing Weis to third. Coombs singled through short, and Weis checked at the plate.

| Houston | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Compton lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| McCarty rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Monroe 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Gainer 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| McDonald 3b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Hollohan cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Kane ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Lothes c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Goodwin p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| xKnight | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 1 | 7 | 24 | 12 | 3 |

xBatted for Goodwin in ninth.

| Wichita Falls | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fitzgerald cf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Tanner 3b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Locker 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Weis rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Turgeon ss | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Coombs lf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| White 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Jonnard c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Drake p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 9 | 10 | 27 | 10 | 0 |

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| Houston | 001 000 00—1 |
| Wichita Falls | 003 301 02x—9 |

Two-base hits, Monroe, Locker, Weis, McDonald; home runs, Compton, Drake, White, Jonnard; sacrifice hit, Turgeon; double play, McCarthy to Lothes; earned runs, Houston 1, Wichita Falls 7; left on bases, Houston 8, Wichita Falls 3; strikeouts, Goodwin 1, Drake 3; bases on balls, Goodwin 3, Drake 2; hit by pitcher, Fitzgerald by Goodwin; time 1:45; umpires Newnam and Kane.

## PANTHERS BEAT SHIPPERS, 7-1

### Kraft Punches Home Runs Number 32 And 33

FORT WORTH, July 16.—Pate was in good form today, while Foreman was hit hard in the pinches and the Cats won 7 to 1. Kraft hit two homers, running his string for the season to 33, one more than his best previous season's record. The score:

| Beaumont | AB | H | O | A | Fort Worth | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rabbitt cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Calvo cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Knaupp 2b | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | Phelan 3b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Ostergard rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Sears lf | 3 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Huber 3b | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | Kraft 1b | 4 | 3 | 6 | 1 |
| Kearns 1b | 4 | 1 | 7 | 1 | Palmer 2b | 4 | 0 | 4 | 3 |
| Burns c | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Edington rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bernsen c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | Tavener ss | 3 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| Taylor lf | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | Moore c | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Deviv'os ss | 4 | 1 | 3 | 4 | Pate p | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Foreman p | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | | | | | |
| Totals | 34 | 8 | 24 | 11 | Totals | 31 | 8 | 27 | 7 |

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| Beaumont | 000 000 001—1 |
| Fort Worth | 200 02? 10x—7 |

Summary: Runs, Calvo, Phelan, Sears, Kraft 2, Edington, Tavener, Taylor; errors, Edington, Sears, Kraft, Deviveros. Two base hits, Calvo. Home runs Kraft 2; struck out by Pate, 4; Foreman 2. Bases on balls off Foreman 4; Pate 5.

## GALVESTON SOUEEZES DALLAS OUT, 6 TO 5

DALLAS, Tex., July 16.—After ten consecutive victories for a season record, the Dallas club was stopped today by Galveston, losing 6 to 5. Frank Moon pitched well in the pinches, retiring the side runless in the eighth after putting three on with no outs. The score:

| Galveston | AB | H | O | A | Dallas | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hurt 2b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | Barnes 1b | 5 | 2 | 11 | 1 |
| Ban'mer 3b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Do'hue rf-lf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Whiteman lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Bauman 2b | 4 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| Bagwell rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Vache cf | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Brown cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Griffin lf | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Mueller 1b | 4 | 1 | 8 | 1 | Wano rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Burkett ss | 4 | 1 | 5 | 4 | x Lingle | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wolgamot c | 2 | 1 | 6 | 3 | Eberhard p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Moon p | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 | Segrist 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | | | | | Rader ss | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| | | | | | Withrow c | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| | | | | | Mitchell p | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| | | | | | xx Deputy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Thor'len rf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | xxx Stow | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 9 | 27 | 13 | Totals | 34 | 11 | 27 | 17 |

x batted for Wano in 8th.
xx ran for Mitchell in 8th.
xxx batted for Thormahlen in 9th.

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| Galveston | 000 120 021—6 |
| Dallas | 020 100 002—5 |

Summary: Runs, Stow, Rader, Griffin, Vache 2, Moon, Wolgamot, Bagwell, Whiteman, Bandrimer; errors, Rader, Bauman, Whiteman; Two base hits, Barnes, Withrow, Moon. Home runs, Whiteman, hits and runs off Mitchell 7 hits and five runs in 8 innings: Eberhard 2 hits 1 run in 1 inning. Struck out by Moon 4; Eberhard 1; Bases on balls off Moon 1; Mitchell 3.

## SANTONE BREAKS GASSERS STREAK

SHREVEPORT, July 16.—San Antonio defeated the Gassers 7 to 6 today, breaking the Gasser's winning streak.

| San Antonio | AB | H | O | A | Shreveport | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | French rf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Brovold 3b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | Connolly 2b | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Fuller 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Riley 1b | 5 | 0 | 11 | 1 |
| Booe lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Sperber lf | 5 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Mayer 1b | 4 | 3 | 6 | 2 | Barnes 3b | 4 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Galloway 2b | 4 | 1 | 5 | 3 | King cf | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Warwick c | 4 | 0 | 3 | 1 | Sheer ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| Myers cf | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | Rowland c | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Lovelace rf | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Craig p | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Gross ss | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | Gilder p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Collins p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | x Brown | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Marshall p | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | | | | |
| xx Coleman | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Couchman p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Totals | 34 | 11 | 27 | 11 | Totals | 35 | 11 | 27 | 14 |

x ran for Craig in 7th.
xx batted for Marshall in 9th.

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| San Antonio | 020 000 212—7 |
| Shreveport | 010 002 300—6 |

Summary: Runs: Brovold, Mayer, Myers 2, Lovelace 2, Gross, Connolly, Sperber 3, King, Brown; error, Mayer. Two base hits, Sperber, Mayer. Three base hits, Sperber, Rowland, Mayer. Home run, King. Double plays, Craig to Sheer to Riley; Barnes to Connolly to Riley; Gilder to Connolly to Riley. Stolen bases: Sperber. Hit by Collins (French). Bases on balls Collins 2; Craig 4. Struck out, Craig 2; Collins 2. Left on bases, San Antonio 5, Shreveport 5; Time 2:20; umpires Miller and Coe

## CARDS NIP BRAVES IN PAIR, 7-4, 11-3

ST. LOUIS, July 16.—Bunching their hits off Jess Barnes in the first game and driving four hits, scoring four runs for a safe lead off their former team-mate, Lou North in the second. St. Louis won both games of their double header with Boston here today.

FIRST GAME

| Boston | AB | H | O | A | St. Louis | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Felix cf | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | J. Smith rf | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Cun'ham lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Holm cf | 5 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Mann rf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Hornsby 2b | 3 | 2 | 4 | 2 |
| McInnis 1b | 5 | 3 | 13 | 1 | Mueller 1b | 4 | 1 | 7 | 0 |
| Padgett 2b | 5 | 1 | 2 | 4 | Blades lf | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Tierney 3b | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | Toporcer 3b | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| Smith ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | Gonzales c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| O'Neil c | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Cooney ss | 4 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Barnes p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | Dyer p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Stryker p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| x Gibson | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Totals | 38 | 12 | 24 | 14 | Totals | 33 | 12 | 27 | 11 |

x batted for Barnes in 8th.

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| Boston | 010 100 011—4 |
| St. Louis | 200 200 11x—7 |

Summary: Runs, Cooney, Blades 2, Hornsby, Holm, J. Smith 2, O'Neil, Tierney, Padgett, Cunningham. Two base hits, Toporcer, Felix, McInnis, Cunningham. Three base hits Toporcer. Bases on balls Barnes 3; Dyer 3. Struck out by Barnes 1; Dyer 1. Hits off Barnes 11 in 7 innings; off Stryker 1 in 1 inning.

SECOND GAME

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 000 300 000—3 | 8 | 3 |
| St. Louis | 000 403 13x—11 | 13 | 0 |

North and Gibson; Stuart and Niebergall.

## GOLDSTEIN RETAINS TITLE IN GO WITH CHARLES LEDOUX

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Abe Goldstein, world's bantamweight champion, successfully defended his title in a close, uninteresting 15-round exhibition against Charles Ledoux of France at Velodrome A. C. tonight.

# Maywood Expects to Kayo Trammel In Tilt Tonight

## Four Americans Still In Olympic Net Play

## MALLORY WEARS NORWAY COLORS

### Richards, Williams, Jessup, And Wills Remain In Singles

By The Associated Press.

OLYMPIC STADIUM, Colombes, France, July 16.—Only 16 tennis players—eight men and eight women—remain in the running for the Olympic singles championship tonight as the fourth day of play on the courts at Colombes.

Two of the members of the octette surviving in the men's singles are Americans, R. Morris Williams and Vincent Richards.

Similarly, two of the eight women remained in the fight are Americans, Miss Helen Wills and Mrs. Marion Z. Jessup.

In both events the Americans are in opposite halves of the draw, so that all four of them may reach the semi-finals and thereby win points for their country. When the championships end next Sunday, ten points will be awarded to winners in each event and five to each of thier opponents in the final round. The losing players in the semi-finals play matches among themselves to decide who shall get four points and who shall receive three points.

There is a third American woman among the eight remaining in the women's singles—Mrs. Molla Mallory—but she is wearing the colors of her native Norway. On Friday, Mrs. Mallory will play Miss Wills, who dethroned her last year as champion of the United States.

In the men's doubles, the United States still retained the two teams which have represented her from the beginning, R. Norris Williams and Watson Washburn, in the upper half of the draw, and Vincent Richards, and Francis T. Hunter in the lower half. Both teams came through with victories.

## DEMOCRATS TO RUN UMPS FOR SHERIFF

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 16.—Democratic leaders here came out strongly today urging the candidacy of William Dinnen, American league umpire, for sheriff of Onondaga county. The democratic county committee at its meeting tomorrow night is expected to endorse the Dinnen candidacy.

## FLORAL DEFEATS TEXHOMAS, 9-5

### Shadie Hale Hits Homers And Brings In Six Counters

The Floral Heights Methodists jumped on Len Smith, Texhoma ace, for a 9 to 5 victory Wednesday afternoon on the Twilight league diamond. The game was salted away when the Methodists scored five runs in the sixth inning. Shadie Hale hit his second home run of the game in this inning, scoring two runners ahead of him. His big bat was the deciding factor in this tilt. He got three hits out of three trips to the plate, and two of them were home runs. His slugging accounted for six of the Methodists' runs, driving in four and scoring two himself.

The game was standing 5 to 4 in favor of Texhomas in the fatal sixth inning when Hale jarred loose with the artillery.

Lee Courtney, ace of the Methodists' staff, was back in uniform yesterday after an absence of two weeks, and pitched a wonderful game, letting the hard hitting Texhomas down with five hits. He struck out six men. He was a trifle wild in the beginning, but steadied as the game proceeded. Highfill of Texhomas hit for the circuit in the fifth with none on base.

Peyton Thurman, Floral Heights center fielder was hit in the eye and knocked unconscious by Gordon's line drive in the fifth.

| F. H. Methodists | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Montgomery 3b | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Mathis 1b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 1 |
| Hale ss | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Powell 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| F. Randell lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Thurman cf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Brown cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Randell rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Crouch c | 3 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| Courtney p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 27 | 9 | 10 | 21 | 10 | 3 |

| Texhoma | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boone cf | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Highfill 3b | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Gordon rf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kellogg 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 |
| Leach c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 0 |
| Johnson 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Kinsar ss | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Haney cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith p | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 26 | 5 | 5 | 18 | 5 | 4 |

By Innings.

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|---|---|
| F. H. Methodists | 001 035 x—9 |
| Texhoma Oil & Ref | 200 120 0—5 |

Summary.

Two-base hits, Montgomery, Haney, Gordon; three-base hits, Gordon; home runs, Hale 2, Highfill; stolen bases, Montgomery; sacrifice hits, Gordon; struck out by Smith 5, Courtney 6; bases on balls, off Smith 5, Courtney 5; wild pitches, Courtney 2; time of game 1:35; umpire Iney.

## Methodists Get On Christians

First Methodists defeated the First Christians, 13 to 1, in Wednesday's Sunday school league play. The Christians failed to show up with a full team, so were allowed to use several ineligible players. The game, a listless affair, made so by the Christians, was called at the end of the fourth because of darkness.

Pitcher McDuffy held the losers to two safe hits.

| METHODISTS | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Whotley, c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 0 |
| McMahon, ss | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kennedy, 2b | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Brown, 3b | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hare, 1b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Akin, lf | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McDuffey, p | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Clark, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| E. Callaway, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 22 | 13 | 9 | 12 | 3 | 1 |

| CHRISTIANS | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Caskey, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| L. Callaway, cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Keevil, 1b-lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Bailey, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| H. Hicks, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| C. Hicks, c | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Bundy, rf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Benton, lf-rf | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Deems, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Blakeney, lf-2b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 15 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 2 | 8 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Methodists | 256 0—13 |
| Christians | 010 0— 1 |

Two base hits, McMahon, McDuffey; three base hits; McDuffey; home run; Whatley; stolen bases: Keevil, Kennedy 3, L. Callaway 3, C. Hicks; sacrifice hits: McMahon; innings pitched: by McDuffey 4, by Deems 4; struck out: by McDuffey 4, by Deems 3; bases on balls: off McDuffey 1, off Deems 4; batsmen hit: by Deems, Akin; left on base: Methodists 5, Christians 3; passed balls: C. Hicks; time of game: 1 hour; umpires: McLain.

## FIRST ROUNDS MUNY TENNIS TOURNEY TO BE FINISHED TODAY

All of the first rounds Municipal club men's singles tournament are to be wound up today, cacording to officials. Four matches have already been run off, Ellis defeated DeLee, 6-0, 6-0. Seevers defeated Works, 6-1, 6-1. Ferguson beat Tatum, 6-2, 6-0. Fisher carried Matthews to three sets before losing by the scores of 4-6, 6-4, 6-0.

## Lions, Panhandle, And Tidal Win At Burkburnett

BURKBURNETT, July 16.—The Lions club defeated Charles F. Noble in Twilight competition, 7 to 1.

Panhandle, a recent addition to the league, stepped on Humble Refining company nine, 9 to 6.

Tidal Western beat Frick Reid, another newcomer to the league, 8 to 4.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lions Club | 7 | 9 | 2 |
| Charles Noble | 1 | 6 | 3 |

Jordan and Pulliam; A. Thomas and Pence.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Panhandle | 9 | 15 | 3 |
| Humble Refining | 6 | 12 | 4 |

Ball and Bryant; Green and McKenzie.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tidal Western | 8 | 11 | 3 |
| Frick Reid | 4 | 5 | 4 |

Sands and J. Thomas.

**EAST TEXAS LEAGUE.**

Tyler 3, Texarkana 7.
Paris 5, Longview 6.
Marshall 1, Sulphur Springs 8.
Greenville 4, Mount Pleasant 5.

## GIANTS NOSE PIRATES, 8-7

### Five-Run Lead in First Too Great For Pitt To Beat

PITTSBURGH, July 16.—New York defeated Pittsburgh 8 to 7 in a hard fought contest today. The Giants obtained the lead by scoring five runs in the first inning and were never overtaken. Kelly hit a home run in the seventh.

| New York | AB | H | O | A | Pittsburgh | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Young rf | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | M'an'vle 2b | 5 | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| Frisch 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | Carey cf | 4 | 2 | 6 | 0 |
| Sou'wrth cf | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Cuyler lf | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Meusel lf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Wright ss | 5 | 0 | 2 | 4 |
| Kelly 1b | 5 | 2 | 11 | 0 | Barnhart rf | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Jackson ss | 4 | 2 | 6 | 5 | Traynor 3b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Grob 3b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Grimm 1b | 4 | 2 | 8 | 0 |
| Gowdy c | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Smith c | 3 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| Watson p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Cooper p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ryan p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | Kremer p | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Jonnard p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Bigbee x | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Stone p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Yde xx | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 8 | 27 | 11 | Totals | 37 | 12 | 27 | 9 |

x batted for Kremer in 7th.
xx batted for Stone in 9th.

| | |
|---|---|
| New York | 510 000 200—8 |
| Pittsburgh | 120 020 101—7 |

Summary: Runs, Maranville 2, Carey 2, Cuyler, Traynor, Grimm, Jackson, Kelly 2, Meusel, Southworth 2, Frisch, Young; errors, Wright, Meusel. Two base hits, Frisch, Jackson, Carey. Three base hits Cuyler 2, Carey, Maranville; home run, Kelly. Bases on balls off Ryan 1, Cooper 1, Kremer 5, Stone 1, Jonnard 1. Struck out Ryan 1, Kremer 3.

## BROOKLYN SPLITS WITH CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI, July 16.—Cincinnati and Brooklyn broke even in a double-header today, the visitors winning the first game 5 to 4 and the Reds the second, 9 to 6.

FIRST GAME

| Brooklyn | AB | H | O | A | Cincinnati | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| High 2b | 5 | 4 | 2 | 3 | Critz 2b | 5 | 0 | 3 | 5 |
| Joh'son ss | 4 | 2 | 2 | 5 | Daubert 1b | 4 | 1 | 7 | 6 |
| Wheat lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Roush cf | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Fournier 1b | 4 | 2 | 9 | 0 | Duncan lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Brown cf | 4 | 2 | 6 | 0 | Hargrave c | 4 | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| Stock 3b | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Walker rf | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Neis rf | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Pinelli 3b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| DeBerry c | 4 | 0 | 4 | 1 | Caveney ss | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Vance p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | x Fowler | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Benton p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | | | | | xx Shorten | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Sheehan p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | xxx Bressler | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 36 | 14 | 27 | 12 | Totals | 36 | 9 | 27 | 11 |

x ran for Caveney in 9th.
xx batted for Benton in 7th.
xxx batted for Sheehan in 9th.

| | |
|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 101 000 210—5 |
| Cincinnati | 100 200 001—4 |

Summary: Runs, Walker 2, Hargrave, Critz, Neis, Stock, Fournier, High 2; errors, Neis, Stock Fournier. Two base hits Walker, Johnston, three base hits, Walker, High, Wheat. Struck out by Benton 4; Sheehan 1; by Vance 4.

SECOND GAME

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brooklyn | 111 010 200—6 | 11 | 0 |
| Cincinnati | 000 004 23x—9 | 12 | 2 |

Osborne, Henry and Taylor; Donohue, Sheehan, May, Rixey and Wingo.

## FORMER SPUD LOSES FIRST

### Phillies Defeat Guy Bush And Cubs By 3 To 2 Score

CHICAGO, July 16.—Chicago staged a rally in the ninth inning, knocking Ring out of the box, but fell short by one run, Philadelphia winning 3 to 2. Guy Bush, just in from the Texas league, pitched eight innings for the Cubs.

| Philadelphia | AB | H | O | A | Chicago | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sand ss | 4 | 2 | 3 | 5 | Statz cf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Harper rf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Hollocher ss | 3 | 2 | 6 | 2 |
| Wri'sone 3b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | Gran'am 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Schultz lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Cotter 1b | 4 | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| Williams lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Barrett 3b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Holke 1b | 4 | 2 | 12 | 0 | Grigsby lf | 3 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Ford 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 6 | Heathcote rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Wilson c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Hartnett c | 4 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Ring p | 4 | 2 | 0 | 3 | Bush p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Couch p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | z Adams | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Jacobs p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | zz Vogel | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | zzz Miller | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 36 | 10 | 27 | 17 | Totals | 30 | 6 | 27 | 10 |

z batted for Bush in 8th.
zz ran for Hartnett in 9th.
zzz batted for Jacobs in 9th.

| | |
|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 000 200 100—3 |
| Chicago | 000 000 002—2 |

Summary: Runs, Grigsby, Heathcote, Ring, Williams, Schultz; error, Grantham. Two base hits, Statz. Three base hits, Hartnett. Bases on balls off Bush 1; off Ring 6. Struck out by Bush 6; Ring 2. Hits off Bush 9 in 8 innings; off Jacobs 1 in 1; off Ring 6 in 8 1-3; off Couch, none in 2-3.

## Griswold Loses To Lina Motors

ELECTRA, July 16.—In one of the fastest games played on twilight diamond this season Lina Motor defeated Griswold by a score of 6 to 1. Lina Motor made five runs in the last inning when misfortune played with Griswold in that balls were fielded with basemen's eyes in the sun giving them several errors on wild throws and passed balls.

| Score by innings: | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lina Motors | 001 05—6 | 2 | 1 |
| Griswold | 000 01—1 | 3 | 5 |

Lina Motor, Ray and Brock; Griswold, Blakley and Scholdberg.

Blakley struck out four men and Ray four.

## TEXAS POLO TEAM DEFEATS KANSANS

By The Associated Press.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., July 16.—The army polo team, representing Fort Sam Houston, Texas, today defeated the Fort Leavenworth, Kan., team in the final match for the Mar Land cup by a score of 12 to 7. Lieut. Mark McClure, who was injured in a scrimmage with Major Swift of the Leavenworth team, was still unconscious in a hospital early tonight.




## The Club Standings

**TEXAS LEAGUE.**

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dallas | 10 | 2 | .833 |
| Fort Worth | 10 | 3 | .769 |
| Wichita Falls | 7 | 6 | .571 |
| Shreveport | 7 | 7 | .500 |
| Houston | 5 | 9 | .357 |
| Beaumont | 5 | 9 | .357 |
| Galveston | 5 | 9 | .357 |
| San Antonio | 5 | 9 | .357 |

**Scores Yesterday.**

Wichita Falls 9, Houston 1.
San Antonio 7, Shreveport 6.
Fort Worth 7, Beaumont 1.
Galveston 6, Dallas 5.

**Where They Play Today.**

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

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 55 | 26 | .679 |
| Chicago | 44 | 36 | .550 |
| Brooklyn | 44 | 38 | .537 |
| Pittsburgh | 42 | 37 | .532 |
| Cincinnati | 43 | 43 | .500 |
| Boston | 33 | 48 | .407 |
| Philadelphia | 32 | 48 | .400 |
| St. Louis | 32 | 49 | .395 |

**Yesterday's Results.**

St. Louis 7-11, Boston 4-3.
Cincinati 4-9, Brooklyn 5-6.
Chicago 2, Philadelphia 3.
Pittsburgh 7, New York 8.

**Where They Play Today.**

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

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 48 | 36 | .571 |
| Washington | 47 | 36 | .566 |
| Detroit | 47 | 38 | .553 |
| Chicago | 41 | 41 | .500 |
| St. Louis | 39 | 42 | .481 |
| Cleveland | 39 | 44 | .470 |
| Boston | 38 | 46 | .452 |
| Philadelphia | 34 | 50 | .405 |

**Yesterday's Results.**

Boston 4-3, Detroit 5-11.
Philadelphia 5-6, Chicago 0-5.
New York 3, Cleveland 4.
Only three games scheduled.

**Where They Play Today.**

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

## Amateur Leagues

**WICHITA TWILIGHT.**

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| F. H. Methodists | 5 | 1 | .833 |
| K. of P. | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Texhomas | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Pond Laundry | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Security Nationals | 1 | 4 | .200 |
| Public Utilities | 1 | 5 | .167 |

**Score Yesterday.**

F. H. Methodists 9, Texhomas 5.

**Who Plays Today.**

Ponds versus Securities.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL.**

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| First Presbyterians | 5 | 1 | .833 |
| Grace Methodists | 5 | 1 | .833 |
| First Methodists | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Yale Evangelicals | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| First Christians | 0 | 4 | .000 |
| F. H. Presbyterians | 0 | 5 | .000 |

**Score Yesterday.**

First Methodists 13, First Christians 1.

**BURKBURNETT TWILIGHT.**

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Panhandle | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Humble Refinery | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| First Baptists | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| Lions Club | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| Humble Pipe Line | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Tidal Western | 1 | 4 | .200 |
| Charles F. Noble | 0 | 3 | .000 |
| Frick Reid | 0 | 1 | .000 |

**Scores Yesterday.**

Lions 7, Nobles 1.
Panhandle 9, Humble Refinery 6.
Tidal 8, Frick Reid 4.

**ELECTRA TWILIGHT.**

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lina Motors | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| Griswold Oil | 2 | 1 | .667 |
| Texhomas | 2 | 1 | .667 |
| Magnolias | 1 | 1 | .500 |
| Lions Club | 0 | 2 | .000 |

**SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.**

Atlanta 1-3, Mobile 6-4.
Little Rock 3, Chattanooga 6.
Memphis 4, Nashville 2.

**TEXAS ASSOCIATION.**

Waco 1, Corsicana 0.
Marlin 1, Temple 2.
Mexia 0, Austin 8.

**BOXING**

American Legion Arena
Tenth and Ohio Streets
THURSDAY NIGHT 8:15

Duke Trammel vs. R. Maywood
Ft. Worth — Wichita Falls

Ewell Paul vs Battling Jennings
Lawton, Okla. — Henrietta, Tex.

Tabbie Levine vs. Johnie Rivers
Wichita Falls — Ft. Worth

Good Preliminaries

## LOCAL BOXER DECLARES HIMSELF IN FIRST CLASS SHAPE AT LAST

### Trammel to Try for Comeback Under the Guidance of Veteran Bobby Burns, Manager

For a long, long time, has Ray Maywood, welter scrapper of this city sought to get Duke Trammel of Fort Worth back into the ring with him. Ever since the draw fought here several months ago by the pair, Maywood has been after Trammel's scalp. And Maywood gets his chance tonight, according to Promoter Don Wofford of the American Legion.

Trammel and Maywood are billed for a ten-rounder as the feature bout of the weekly Legion card. Both boys have been working hard for the battle, and each should be in rare condition, said Wofford last night. Trammel has been training in Waco, his new stamping grounds, under the tutelage of the veteran Bobby Burns. Maywood has been training doggedly in the Legion hall here daily, putting his utmost into getting prepared for the fight which will mean either a comeback for him in Wichita Falls boxdom or complete failure.

**Will Duke Come Back.**

On the other hand, should Trammel win decisively, or by a knockout, the former local favorite would then be in position to box here regularly, and to again assume the crown which was one time his as far as Wichita Falls fight fans were concerned.

Maywood, in a letter to The Record News sports editor Wednesday, declared that he had been stale, and had not trained for his last several fights, but is now in the pink of condition. Another missive from Battling Darr, his manager, was to effect that Maywood will give Trammel the blow that "killed daddy." Darr enthusiastically declared that Maywood is in good shape physically, and will probably kayo Trammel.

**Attractive Prelims.**

The remainder of the card lines up as an attractive one. Ewell Paul of Lawton and Battling Jennings of Henrietta, lightweights, are billed for eight rounds. Tabby Levine of Wichita Falls and Johnny Rivers of Fort Worth, feathers, will resume hostilities. These boys have also fought a draw. Jimmy Carrol, middleweight, of Fort Worth will hook up with Young Altus of Altus in a four-rounder. Jimmy Riley, lad who fought on the card here last week, will tangle with Mickey Savage of Sapulpa. Riley is from Altus, too. The two Altus boxers expect to bring quite a contingent of rooters over for the fights.

## U. S. PUGS WIN IN OLYMPICS

### Four Victories Marked Up Against Lone Defeat

PARIS, July 16.—Heartened by the victory of Jackie Williams of New York over Tarrant, Great Britain's Artful Dodger, in the next to the last bout this afternoon, coming on top of the fluke disqualification of Joe Lazarus of Cornell, the American fistic artists entered the velodrome D'Hiver this evening determined not to lose another bout.

The Lazarus incident is closed, due to the decision of Col. Robert M. Thompson, head of the American Olympic committee, not to protest. The head of the American committee declared: "We're not here to take protests; we're here to win as gentlemen and to lose as gentlemen."

He entirely absolved Lazarus of blame, saying that the blow which caused the disqualification was cleanly struck and Andren of Sweden, Lazarus' opponent, agreed.

The day's game bag contained four United States victories and one defeat.

**WESTERN LEAGUE.**

St. Joe 7, Denver 1.
Tulsa 2, Omaha 1.
Oklahoma City 7, Lincoln 0.
Wichita 1-1, Des Moines 5-3.

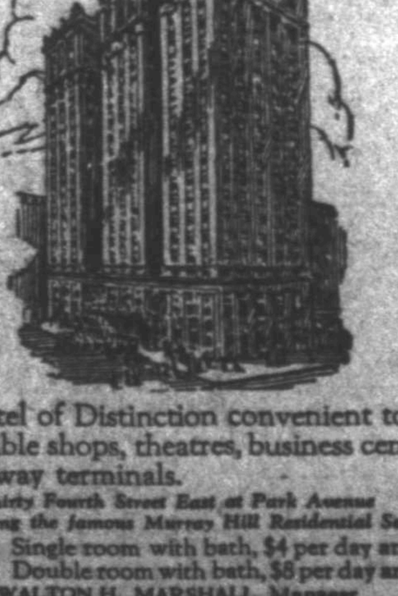
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## Weismuller Leads Galaxy of U. S. Stars to Victory in Olympic Swims

By The Associated Press.

LESTOURELLES, France, July 16.—Johnny Weismuller, the American aquatic star, made his bow to the Paris public in the Olympic swimming competition today, the lanky and rangy son of the United States getting a rousing cheer from the throng of swimming enthusiasts.

Weismuller led a galaxy of American swimming stars qualifying for the semi-finals in the 400-metre swims, free style, the American finishing ahead of Andrew Charlton, the youthful Australian phenomenon in a heat in which neither man exerted himself, the two being satisfied to come within the qualifying limits.

Lester Smith of the Olympic club, San Francisco, and Ralph Breyer, Northwestern university, also won their respective heats in the event.

Warren Kealoha of Hawaii, and Paul Wyatt of Union Town, Pa., qualified for the 100-metre back stroke, but Henry Luning of Hawaii was eliminated in the second heat. His elimination caused the first protest the Americans have lodged since the swimming competition opened. Luning finished first but was disqualified by the French judge for "beating the pistol." Luning disclaimed any intention of getting away prematurely and was certain he had not done so. The case went to the Olympic jury

# Texas Gives High Gravity Crude In This District 25-Cent Cut

## EMPIRE CUTS TO SINCLAIR LEVEL

### Prairie Stands Alone Among Big Fellows With Old Schedule

The long looked for reduction in the Texas company crude oil purchasing prices came to north Texas and north central Texas yesterday morning with a revision of their grading system, whereby all oil above 36 degrees gravity would bring only $2.00 a barrel instead of $2.25 a barrel for such of that as measured 39 degrees gravity and above under the old schedule.

This action of the Texas company is identical with a similar step of the Sinclair Crude Oil Producing company last Saturday, but still a step behind that company's action of Tuesday where that company's top grade was named as 33 degrees gravity and above, and a top price of $1.75 a barrel named for that grade of crude oil.

The only other cut recorded yesterday was a revision of schedule by the Empire Petroleum and Pipeline company of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, to conform to the new Sinclair schedule, i. e. crude oil measuring 33 degrees gravity and above $1.75.

The Prairie offices at Independence, Kan., reported "No change" when asked if their company had taken similar action. So far as is known the two cuts, as they were in realty, most of the oil in Oklahoma and this part of Texas being high gravity oil above 37 degrees gravity, were the only ones made yesterday.

The new prices of the Texas company are quoted below:

| | |
|---|---|
| Below 30 deg. grav. | $1.25 |
| 30-32.9 deg. grav. | $1.45 |
| 33-35.9 deg. grav. | $1.75 |
| .30 degrees grav. and above | $2.00 |

The new prices of the Empire Petroleum and Pipeline company follow:

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| Below 30 deg. grav | $1.25 |
| 30-32.9 deg. grav. | $1.45 |
| 33 deg. grav. and above | $1.75 |

The prices represent no change except for high gravity oil, in the instance of the Texas company 39 degrees gravity and above, reduced 25 cents, and in the case of the Empire company 36 degrees gravity and above, reduced 50 cents for all above 39 degrees and 25 cents for all between 36 and 39 degrees.

## OIL MAN SAYS 50 CENT GAS BUT FOR CRACKING PROCESS

L. M. Fanning, special writer for the Oil and Gas Journal, is the authority for the statement that "men who are pushing the government suit against the oil companies for controlling the patents on cracking processes are credited with the statement that the public is paying $63,500,000 annually for cracked gasoline because of royalties thus added to the price that is passed on to the consumer."

One oil man, says Fanning, who was asked to comment on this angle of the case declared that in his opinion, based on estimates he had made the consumer of gasoline would be paying 40 to 50 cents a gallon for gasoline today, if use of the cracking process had not developed as it has, and that the automobile would be years behind its present position in development.

## NEW TEST WILL BE STARTED NORTH OF SWASTIKA FIELD

Barbee, Anderson and Goldsmith have a derrick up and are rigging up for a test with the expectation of spudding this week 150 feet south and 150 east from the southeast corner of block 48, Meads pasture subdivision. The test itself is located in block 23 of the South Anderson subdivision between the Swastika district and the Sun company's No. 5 well on the Bell county school lands, Farmer land.

It is located 1500 feet north and 300 feet east of the Herbert et al well, southwest corner of the Anderson land, Meade pasture subdivision, finally abandoned after two months' effort to shut off water, but believed to have been a potential producer.

## NEW TEST SOON WEST OF MEGARGEL

Daniel and Grady, Dallas operators, have a derrick up and are moving in tools for their No. 1 Lester, 150 feet north and 450 feet west of the southeast corner of block 2451 TE&L Co. survey, about a half mile west of Megargel in Archer county.

## SINCLAIR OMITS USUAL DIVIDEND

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Directors of the Sinclair Consolidated Oil corporation today omitted the quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share due on the common stock at this time.

## NEW ORLEANS GRASS FIRE UNDER CONTROL

By The Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, July 16.—A grass fire which has been burning two weeks in the marsh between the shores of Lake Ponchartrain and the city and which last night threatened Gentilly Terrace, a fashionable residence district, was under control today.

## BANDITS LOOT STORE OF $20,000 GEMS

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Three bandits today held up the jewelry store of Louis Fried on crowded Avenue A on the lower East Side and escaped with gems valued at $40,000.

## DE VALERA FREED FROM IRISH PRISON

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, July 16.—Eamon de Valera and Austin Stack, Irish republican leaders, were released from prison today by the free state government, according to a news agency dispatch from Dublin

## Two New Big Wells Completed In Watkins-Roberts and Hill District

### Atlantic and Bass and Dillard Et Al Both Complete

Two new good wells have been added to the Watkins-Roberts and Hill district, one from the 1700-foot sand and one from the 1600-foot sand. Both wells are estimated at around 300 barrels a day.

The Atlantic Oil Producing company and Cap McDonald (Electra Gulf) have completed their No. 1-A, Murray, twin well to their 1600-foot No. 1, and estimate its potential production at 300 barrels a day. The well is being swabbed now for the sand at 1760-67 feet.

Bower, Bass and Dillard have completed their No. 5 Peeler, east offset to the No. 1 Peeler of Cullem, Gardner and associates and estimate its potential production at 300 barrels a day from the sand 1654-59 feet.

The largest initial producers of the Wichita district for the past month have come from this district. Several are drilling and the week should see other completions with equally large production.

## TIGERS WALLOP BOSTON IN TWO

### Cobb Fails to Hit, But Burke Cracks Double And Triple

BOSTON, July 16.—Detroit advanced to within a game and a half of the league leading Yankees today by defeating Boston twice, 5 to 4, and 11 to 3. Cobb went hitless. In the seventh inning of the second game, Burke doubled off Piercy and tripled off Workman.

FIRST GAME

| Detroit | AB | H | O | A | Boston | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Burke 2b | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | Ezzell 3b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Manush lf | 4 | 2 | 4 | 1 | Wamby 2b | 5 | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| Cobb cf | 2 | 0 | 8 | 0 | Harris lf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Heilmann rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Boone rf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Blue 1b | 4 | 0 | 6 | 1 | Flagstead cf | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| Rigney ss | 4 | 3 | 1 | 3 | J. Collins 1b | 4 | 1 | 10 | 1 |
| Jones 3b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Heving c | 3 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| Bassler c | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | Gerggan ss | 3 | 0 | 4 | 2 |
| Whitehill p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | z Shanks | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Ferguson p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | | | | | Ross p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | | | | | zz Picinich | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 8 | 27 | 8 | Totals | 34 | 8 | 27 | 15 |

z batted for Gerggan in 6th.
zz batted for Ross in 9th.

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|---|---|
| Detroit | 041 000 000—5 |
| Boston | 000 200 002—4 |

Summary: Runs Picinich, Heving, J. Collins, Whitehill, Bassler, Jones, Blue; error, J. Collins; two base hits, Manush, Jones, J. Collins. Bases on balls off Whitehill 4; Ferguson 4; Ross 3. Struck out by Whitehill 2, Ferguson 3, Ross 1.

## ATHLETICS STOP SOX IN DOUBLE BILL

PHILADELPHIA, July 16.—The Philadelphia Athletics took the Chicago White Sox into camp today for a double victory winning the first game 5 to 0 and the second 6 to 5.

| Chicago | AB | H | O | A | Philadelphia | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arch'con cf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Dykes 2b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Mostil rf | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 | Lamar lf | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Collins 2b | 2 | 0 | 5 | 5 | Welch rf | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Sheely 1b | 4 | 1 | 6 | 1 | Hauser 1b | 4 | 4 | 10 | 0 |
| Falk lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Simmons cf | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Kamm 3b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Riconda 3b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| Barrett ss | 4 | 0 | 4 | 3 | Galloway ss | 3 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| Crouse c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | Perkins c | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Connally p | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | Gray p | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | 31 | 4 | 24 | 13 | Totals | 33 | 12 | 27 | 11 |

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|---|---|
| Chicago | 000 000 000—0 |
| Philadelphia | 001 020 20x—5 |

Summary: Runs, Dykes, Lamar, Welch, Hauser 2, errors, Archdeacon, Mostil, Crouse, Hauser, Galloway. Bases on balls off Connally 2, Gray 3. Struck out by Connally 2; Gray 3.

SECOND GAME

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 050 000 000—5 | 8 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 001 201 002—6 | 9 | 1 |

Lyons, Connally, and Grabowski; Heimach, Hasty and Perkins.

## TRIBE WINS SERIES FIRST FROM YANKS

NEW YORK, July 16.—Cleveland won the first of a six-game series from New York today by a score of 4 to 3. The defeat reduced New York's lead in the American league to a half game. Hoyt started again today and was knocked out in the 6th.

| Cleveland | AB | H | O | A | New York | AB | H | O | A |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| McNulty rf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Witt cf | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Jamie'n lf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Dugan 3b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Speaker cf | 5 | 2 | 5 | 0 | Ruth rf | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| J. Sewell ss | 4 | 2 | 2 | 5 | Meusel lf | 5 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Myatt c | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Pipp 1b | 5 | 2 | 9 | 2 |
| Brower 1b | 2 | 1 | 11 | 1 | Schang c | 4 | 0 | 5 | 2 |
| Fewster 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Ward 2b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Lutzke 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | Scott ss | 4 | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| Shaute p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | Hoyt p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| | | | | | Jones p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Horan | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Shawkey p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Bush xx | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | Gaston p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 37 | 13 | 27 | 13 | Totals | 37 | 9 | 27 | 11 |

x batted for Jones in 6th.
xx batted for Shawkey in 8th.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cleveland | 010 003 000—4 |
| New York | 100 001 001—3 |

Summary: Runs, Schang, Ruth, Witt, Myatt 2, J. Sewell, Speaker; errors, Witt, McNulty, Jamieson; two base hits, Ward. Three base hits, Witt, Scott. Home runs, Myatt. Bases on balls off Hoyt, 2, Shawkey 2; Shaute 5. Struck out by Hoyt 1; Jones 1; Shawkey 2; Shaute 1.

## FROG MENTOR GETS PLAYS FROM ROCKNE

FORT WORTH, July 16.—Matty Bell, football and basket ball coach at Texas Christian university, arrived here last week from Wisconsin where he attended a coaching school taught by Knute Rockne and Dr. Walter Meanwell. He reported that he had learned a number of grid and cage plays which he will have the Horned Frogs use this year.

## MORE SPEED IN ELK HILLS SUIT

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The government's special oil counsel, Atlee Pomerene and Owen J. Roberts, announced today that they soon would ask the federal district court in Los Angeles to expediate the hearing in the government's proceedings against the Pan-American Petroleum company involving cancellation of the lease held by that corporation to the Elk Hills naval oil reserve in California.

## NORWAY REFUSES TO REJECT PRO LAW

By the Associated Press.

CHRISTIANA, Norway, July 16.—The Odelsting today by a vote of 63 to 49, rejected the government's bill to abolish prohibition in Norway. In consequence of the adverse vote the government is expected to resign.

## Over the Fields

### TEXAS

WILBARGER COUNTY.

DANIELS, MURCHISON, PIGG

Shut down around 700 feet with boiler trouble. Boiler was destroyed last week by explosion and trouble has been experienced with new one. Well is located on the Davis farm about a mile south of Vernon.

WELLS-GUIBERSON.

Wells-Guiberson No. 1, A. B. Wharton, is drilling past 1,725 feet with cable tools after passing up a sand with an oil showing at 1,695 feet. The well is located in section 99, H&TC-RR, block 14.

KEMP-BIRDSONG.

Drilling with a Star machine past 350 feet after experiencing some trouble obtaining water. Test located on Dill farm, section 84, H&TCRR block 14, north of the Church gasser.

S. A. CASTLEBERRY.

Bowers No. 1 test, section 100, H&TCRR block 14, ready to spud with cable tools. Delay in rigging up has held back drilling for some time.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

| | (Sales in Hundreds) | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kennecott Copper | 38 | 40⅛ | 39⅞ | 40 |
| Louisville & Nash | 3 | 96½ | ¼ | |
| Mack Truck | 90 | 92⅝ | 90⅝ | 91⅝ |
| Marland Oil | 86 | 29⅝ | ¼ | ½ |
| Middle States Oil | 108 | 1⅞ | ⅝ | |
| Mo. Kans. & Tex. | 63 | 14⅜ | ¼ | ⅜ |
| Mo. Pacific pfd | 16 | 47⅝ | 47⅝ | |
| New York Central | 180 | 106⅛ | 105¼ | ⅛ |
| N. Y. N. H. & H. | 283 | 26⅜ | 25⅛ | 26⅜ |
| Norfolk & Western | 40 | 123⅜ | 122⅛ | ⅜ |
| Northern Pacific | 46 | 63⅝ | 62⅝ | |
| Pacific Oil | 64 | 46⅛ | 45⅛ | ⅝ |
| Pan-Am Pet. "B" | 38 | 48 | 47⅛ | |
| Pennsylvania | 14 | 45⅝ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Phillips Petroleum | 81 | 33⅛ | ⅜ | ⅝ |
| Producers & Ref. | 15 | 24⅝ | ⅛ | |
| Pure Oil | 5 | 20⅛ | 20 | |
| Reading | 65 | 58¼ | 57 | 58⅛ |
| Republic I. & Steel | 18 | 47 | 46⅝ | ⅛ |
| Reynolds Tob. "B" | 19 | 71½ | ⅛ | |
| St. L. Southwestern | 85 | 45 | 44 | |
| Seaboard Air Line | 26 | 13⅛ | 12⅞ | |
| Seaboard A. L. pfd | 16 | 28⅝ | 38 | |
| Sears Roebuck | 7 | 95⅝ | 95 | |
| Shell Union Oil | 52 | 16⅛ | | |
| Sinclair Con. Oil | 465 | 16⅛ | 15 | ⅛ |
| Sloss-Sheffield Steel | 8 | 59 | 58½ | |
| Southern Pacific | 270 | 94⅛ | 92⅝ | 94 |
| Southern Ry. | 51 | 64⅛ | 63⅝ | ⅛ |
| Southern Ry. pfd | 17 | 75 | | |
| Standard Oil of Cal. | 13 | 56⅜ | 56 | ⅛ |
| Stan. Oil of N. J. | 20 | 34⅛ | 34 | |
| Stewart Warner | 280 | 57⅛ | 53⅝ | 54⅝ |
| Studebaker Corp. | 86 | 37⅛ | 36⅛ | ⅝ |
| Tennessee Copper | 1 | 7 | | |
| Texas company | 66 | 38⅝ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Texas & Pacific | 15 | 32⅝ | 32 | |
| Tobacco Products | 4 | 60⅝ | ⅛ | ⅝ |
| Transcontinental Oil | 85 | 4⅛ | ⅛ | |
| Union Pacific | 30 | 138 | 136⅛ | 137 |
| U. S. Cast Iron Pipe | 45 | 100⅛ | 98⅜ | 99⅝ |
| U. S. Ind. Alcohol | 10 | 72⅝ | 71⅝ | 72⅛ |
| U. S. Rubber | 7 | 37⅛ | 37 | |
| U. S. Steel | 106 | 100⅛ | 99⅛ | 100⅛ |
| Westinghouse Elec. | 21 | 62⅛ | ⅛ | |
| Willys Overland Mfg. | 6 | 67⅛ | ⅛ | |
| Allied Chem & Dye | 105 | 75⅝ | ⅛ | |
| American Can | 218 | 117⅝ | 116⅛ | ⅛ |
| Am Car & Foundry | 1 | 167 | | |
| Am. Inter. Corp | 35 | 24 | 23⅛ | |
| Am. Locomotive | 28 | 79⅛ | 78⅛ | |
| Am. Smelt & Ref. | 23 | 65 | 64⅛ | ⅛ |
| American Sugar | 17 | 43⅜ | 42⅝ | 43⅝ |
| Am. Tel. & Tel. | 26 | 128⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Am. Tobacco | 3 | 144⅛ | | |
| Am. Woolen | 30 | 72 | 70⅛ | 71⅛ |
| Anaconda Copper | 13 | 30 | 29⅝ | 30 |
| A. Top & Santa Fe | 73 | 105 | 104⅛ | ⅛ |
| Atlantic Coast line | 2 | 124 | 123⅜ | 124 |
| Baldwin Locomo. | 59 | 116⅛ | 115⅛ | |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 152 | 61⅝ | 61 | ⅝ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 31 | 46⅛ | 46⅛ | |
| California Petro. | 103 | 103⅛ | 102⅝ | |
| Canadian Pacific | 13 | 148⅛ | 148 | |
| Cerro de Pasco | 58 | 45⅝ | 45 | ⅝ |
| Chandler Motor | 29 | 46⅝ | 45⅝ | 46 |
| Ches. & Ohio | 48 | 86⅛ | 85⅛ | |
| C. M. & St. P. pfd | 182 | 26⅜ | 24⅝ | 26⅛ |
| Chicago & Northw. | 10 | 57⅛ | ⅛ | |
| C. R. I. & P. | 104 | 31⅝ | ⅛ | |
| Chile Copper | 37 | 28⅝ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Coca Cola | 15 | 72⅝ | 71⅝ | |
| Congoleum Co. | 28 | 44⅛ | 43⅝ | 44 |
| Consolidated Gas | 60 | 70⅝ | 70 | ⅛ |
| Consolidated Tex. | 60 | 4⅛ | 3⅝ | 4⅛ |
| Continental Can | 50 | 55⅝ | 54⅝ | ⅛ |
| Cosden Oil | 107 | 26 | 25⅛ | ⅛ |
| Crucible Steel XD | 36 | 53⅝ | 52⅛ | ⅛ |
| Cuba Cane S. pfd | 18 | 61⅛ | 60⅛ | 61 |
| Davison Chemical | 90 | 60⅛ | 58⅛ | ⅛ |
| Dupont de Nem | 12 | 126⅛ | 126 | |
| Erie | 72 | 31⅛ | 30⅛ | ⅛ |
| Famous Play. Las. | 12 | 79⅝ | 78⅝ | 79⅛ |
| General Asphalt | 36 | 43⅛ | 42 | ⅛ |
| General Electric | 36 | 242⅛ | 240⅛ | |
| General Motors | 98 | 14⅛ | ⅛ | |
| Great Northern pfd | 29 | 63⅛ | 63 | |
| Gulf States Steel | 26 | 70⅜ | 69 | |
| Houston Oil | 9 | 69⅛ | 67⅛ | |
| Illinois Central | 5 | 109⅝ | ⅛ | |
| Inter. Harvester | 44 | 91⅛ | 89⅝ | 91 |
| Int. Mer. Mar pfd | 158 | 38 | 36⅛ | 37⅝ |
| Invincible Oil | 6 | 11⅛ | ⅝ | |
| Kelly Spring. Tire | 1 | 13⅛ | | |

## THREE CHURCHES IN CANADA ARE UNITED

By The Associated Press.

OTTAWA, July 16.—The church-union bill, uniting the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches of Canada, passed its final stages in parliament early today. The house of commons, without opposition, adopted a senate amendment, providing that any congregation wishing to do so may remain out of the united church.

## FARMERS' GRAIN CO. GAINS RECOGNITION

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO, July 16.—Official recognition of the plan for inviting farmers to purchase and operate the $26,000,000 grain elevator company, whose formation under co-operative laws was announced yesterday, was noted here today in a statement from the headquarters of the American Farm Bureau federation. The statement said it was hoped it would work out details at a meeting Friday.

## MEETING TO TAKE UP CROSSING ACCIDENTS

By The Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 16.—Efforts to solve the problem of accidents at grade crossings are to be made next fall at a meeting of representatives of the Texas railroad commission, the state highway commission and the railroads, Clarence E. Gilmore, chairman of the railroad commission, announced today.

## MEXICAN MILITARY MEN TO BE SHIFTED

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, July 16.—The Mexican government today decided that no military commander in any section of the republic shall remain in office permanently but that all such commanders shall interchange offices frequently.

The step, it is understood, is aimed at prevention of development of political connections which are said to have been largely responsible for last revolution.

ROCKDALE—First oil gusher in Milam county brought in making 30 barrels

## OILS WEAKER FOLLOWING CUT

### Sinclair Is Hammered Down When It Passes Dividend

STOCK MARKET AVERAGE.

| Date | 20 Industrials | 20 Railroads |
|---|---|---|
| Wednesday | 95.87 | 88.71 |
| Tuesday | 96.56 | 88.39 |
| Week ago | 96.43 | 87.83 |
| High 1924 | 101.24 | 88.71 |
| Low 1924 | 90.27 | 81.00 |

Total stock sales 976,400 shares.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Contrasting price movements featured today's active stock market, strength of railroad shares being counteracted by the weakness of the oil and steel issues. Dividend news and rumors were an important contributing influence in the determination of values. Omission of the Sinclair common dividend bringing a flood of selling orders in the oils while several high grade rails moved up smartly on the likelihood of increased dividend payments.

Sinclair was hammered down more than one point to 15, a record low for all time, but rallied later to 15 1-2. Atlantic Refining broke nearly six points to 78 1-2 and then snapped back to 80 1-4, while losses of a point or more were recorded by California Petroleum common and preferred, Cosden, Houston and Atlantic refining preferred. Announcement of additional gasoline price cuts also was a factor in the selling of the oils.

Reports questioning the safety of the Bethlehem Steel dividend sent the common stock down 2 5-8 points to a new 1924 low at 43 1-4. Other independent steels reacted in sympathy. Crucible Steel dropped 1 1-4 points and Gulf States Steel 2. U. S. Steel common dropped below par, but later rallied and closed at a slight fractional gain.

Another flock of new high records were established by the railroad shares, including such issues as New Haven at 26 7-8, Southern Pacific at 94 5-8, Baltimore and Ohio at 61 7-8.

Call money continued to rule at two per cent. The time money market was quiet with rates unchanged.

## NEFF REPEATS PARK REQUEST

### Several Sites Shown On Concho River As Links

By The Associated Press.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 16.—A plea by Governor Neff for denations of land for a chain of state parks connected by highways, one in every county if possible, featured the visit here last night and today of members of the Texas state parks board and the Texas highway commission.

The party is on a two weeks automobile tour of proposed state park sites, coming here from San Antonio and leaving this morning for points as far fest as Pecos and the Davis mountains. Several sites on the three Concho rivers that conflow here were shown the inspectors. Park sites at Boerne and Keerville already have been donated during the tour.

### Chicago Produce.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Poultry unchanged; fowls, 17@22; broilers, 28@33; roosters, 14c. Butter, lower; creamery extras, 38 1-2; standards, 38 1-4; extra firsts, 37 3-8; firsts, 36 1-2; seconds, 33@35. Eggs unchanged.

## Cattle Decline 25 Cents With Receipts High

By the Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, July 16.—The cattle market was in a state of semi-demoralization today, receipts of 5,500 head of cattle and 1500 calves running the three-day total to more than 30,000 head. Prices were generally 25 cents lower, calves averaging 50 cents down. Some of the best grades of steers received offers to 8.00, grass steers went at 3.50@4.50.

Hogs were 5 to 10 cents higher. The top price was 7.80 and bulk 7.50 to 7.75. Pigs gained 25 cents, selling at 6.50@6.75. Receipts were 1000 head.

Sheep were steady. Wethers brought 7.25, ewes 6.00 and fat lambs ranged up to 2.00. Receipts 8.00.

### Chicago Livestock.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Cattle 19,000; slow and uneven; 15 to 40 cents lower; top steers 10.70; fed steers and yearlings 8.50@10.00; cake-fed Texans 8.25@9.00; stockers and feeders scarce; fat cows and heifers scarce, canners 3.00; bologna bulls 4.85@5.00; veal calves 9.00@9.50.

Hogs 23,000; mostly 15 cents higher; top 7.90; medium and heavy 7.65@7.85; light 7.15@7.65; packing sows 6.90@7.25; pigs 6.25@6.50; estimated holdover 24,000.

Sheep 9,000; generally steady; fat native lambs 14.25@14.50; culls 9.50@10.00; range lambs 12.00; yearlings 11.75@12.00; two-year-old Texas wethers 10.00; fat ewes 5.00@6.00.

### FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Foreign exchange, firmer; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.37 1-4; cables 4.37 1-2; 60-day bills on banks 4.34 1-2. France demand 5.17; cables 5.18; Italy 4.31 1-2; Belgium 4.58 1-2 and 4.59; Germany demand (per trillion) 23 7-18; Holland 37.81; Norway 13.47; Sweden 26.62; Denmark 16.13; Switzerland 18.24; Spain 13.30; Greece 1.71; Poland 19; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.18 1-4; Austria .0014; Rumania .45 1-4; Argentina 32.50; Brazil 9.50; Montreal 99 5-16.

### LIBERTY BONDS.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—United States bonds closed in dollars and 32nds of dollars: Liberty 3 1-2s, 101.13; first 4 1-4s, 102; second 4 1-4s, 101.15; third 4 1-4s, 102.5; fourth 4 1-4s, 102.5; government 4 1-4s, 104.22.

### Chicago Cash Grain.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Wheat: No. 2 hard $1.28.

Corn: No. 2 mixed, 1.11 1-2@1.12 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 1.12@1.12 1-2.

Oats: No. 2 white, 58@60c.

### Kansas City Cash Grain.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, July 16.—Wheat: No. 2 hard, 1.13 1-2@1.30; No. 2 red, 1.20@1.21.

Corn: No. 3 white, 1.09; No. 2 yellow, 1.11.

Oats: No. 2 white, 61@62c; No. 3 white, 59@61c.

## PROS DISGRUNTLED BY THIRD PARTY

By the Associated Press.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 16.—National headquarters of the prohibition party will be transferred immediately from Washington, D. C., to Harrisburg. Dr. B. E. P. Prugh, prohibition national chairman announced today.

In a statement announcing the change Dr. Prugh took exception to what he termed the "superfluous references" in the press "to the third party," declaring the prohibition party "has the only rightful claim to that name."

## COTTON TAKES SHARP UPTURN

### New Crop Months Lead Market in Substantial Rise

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

By the Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, July 16—Cotton futures closed very steady at net advances of 38 to 81 point.

| | High | Low | Close | Previous Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| July | 27.40 | 27.00 | 27.40 | 27.02 |
| Oct. | 25.95 | 24.98 | 25.78-80 | 25.04 |
| Dec. | 24.83 | 23.93 | 24.77 | 23.97 |
| Jan. | 24.72 | 23.90 | 24.71 | 23.95 |
| March | 24.00 | 24.00 | 24.75 | 24.02 |

Opening: July 26.95; October 24.17; December 23.99; January 23.98; March 24.07 asked.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Cotton futures closed barely steady.

| | High | Low | Close | Previous Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| July | 30.60 | 29.95 | 30.40-50 | 30.03 |
| Oct. | 25.95 | 24.97 | 25.78-80 | 25.04 |
| Dec. | 25.10 | 24.18 | 24.90-95 | 24.24 |
| Jan. | 24.90 | 24.02 | 24.85-86 | 24.11 |
| March | 25.17 | 24.30 | 25.00-04 | 24.80 |

Opening: July 29.95; Oct. 25.00; Dec. 24.30; Jan. 24.15; March 24.36.

By the Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, July 16.—The cotton market developed sharp upward swings today, with very attractive trading. At the start new crop months were seven to nine points up on good Liverpool cables, but they soon eased off, October trading down to 24.09 and December to 23.93, or 4 to 6 points below the previous close. The dip was due to a more favorable weather map, particularly for the eastern belt. The weekly weather crop report proving bullish, where a bearish document had been expected, the market rallied sharply, and although there were slight reactions from time to time, the market kept on gathering strength and in the afternoon October traded as high as 25.05 and December at 28.43, or 90 to 96 points above the early lows. The close was at the top, the new crop months showing net gains for the day of 80 to 81 points. July was not very active but advanced from 27.00 near the start to 27.40 and the close showed a net gain for the day of 38 points.

The upward swing was kept going with constantly increasing strength by reports of high temperature and drought in Texas where 25 stations showed temperatures of 100 to 108 degrees. The prospects for another hot wave in Texas induced scared shorts to cover freely during the afternoon and the advance was further helped by a good rally in the grain markets. Rumors from New York that a prominent spot house was still short of a big amount of July contract undoubtedly helped the advance by stimulating covering.

The market was entirely dominated by weather and crop news but the general average of such advices tended to shake confidence in favorable semi-monthly condition reports by the government due Monday next.

### New Orleans Spots.

By the Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, July 16.—Spot cotton steady, 30 points up. Sales on the spot, 103; to arrive, none. Low middling, 25.65; middling, 28.90; good middling, 30.08; receipts, 1907; stock, 62,702.

### Liverpool Spots.

By the Associated Press.

LIVERPOOL July 16.—Cotton spot fair demand; prices easier. Good middling, 17.60; fully middling, 16.95; middling, 16.35; low middling, 15.50; good ordinary, 14.50; ordinary, 14.90. Sales 5000 bales, including 3,900 American: receipts 1,000 bales, including 400 American.

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### NEW YORK MONEY.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Call money, steady; high, low, ruling rate and closing bid 2; offered at 2 1-4; last loan 2; call loans against acceptances 1 1-2. Time loans, easy; 60-90 days 2 3-4@3; 4-6 months 3@3 1-2; prime commercial paper 3 1-2@3 3-4.

## GREAT DAMAGE BOOST GRAIN

### Predict Price of $1.50 At Winnipeg This Season

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 16.—A wild stampede to the buying side of the wheat market today sent prices whirling up as much as 5 3-8 cents. Reports that a large part of the Canadian crop had been irreparably damaged 50 per cent and that $1.50 a bushel would likely be reached at Winnipeg were chiefly responsible.

New high price records for the season were made here both for wheat and corn and for oats and hogs as well. Wheat closed excited 3 3-8 to 5 3-8 cents net higher, September $1.26 7-8 to $1.27 and December $1.29 to $1.29 1-2.

Corn finished 3 3-4 to 4 1-2 cents up, oats at 1 to 2 3-4 cents advance, and provisions showing a rise varying from 5 cents to 42 cents.

Corn and oats acquired much of their strength from wheat.

Provisions advanced with hogs and grain.

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| July | 1.22 | 1.25⅛ | 1.21¼ | 1.26 |
| Sept. | 1.20½ | 1.27 | 1.20¼ | 1.26⅝ |
| Dec. | 1.24 | 1.29½ | 1.23⅞ | 1.29 |
| CORN: | | | | |
| July | 1.06½ | 1.10⅝ | 1.06⅛ | 1.10⅝ |
| Sept. | 1.00 | 1.05 | 1.06 | 1.04⅞ |
| Dec. | 85⅝ | 90 | 85¼ | 89⅝ |
| OATS: | | | | |
| July | 54¼ | 55¼ | 54 | 55¼ |
| Sept. | 45¼ | 48⅛ | 45¼ | 48⅛ |
| Dec. | 47⅛ | 50 | 47⅛ | 50 |
| LARD: | | | | |
| July | | | | 12.00 |
| Sept. | 12.02 | 12.20 | 12.00 | 12.20 |
| Oct. | 12.10 | 12.35 | 12.10 | 12.32 |
| RIBS: | | | | |
| July | | | | 10.35 |
| Sept. | 10.55 | 10.55 | 10.55 | 10.55 |
| Oct. | 10.75 | 10.75 | 10.75 | 10.75 |
| BELLIES: | | | | |
| July | | | | 11.12 |
| Sept. | 11.07 | 11.50 | 11.07 | 11.50 |
| Oct. | 11.40 | 11.62 | 11.40 | 11.62 |

### Texas Cotton Spots.

By the Associated Press.

DALLAS, Texas, July 16.—Middling cotton, 28.80; Houston, 28.60; Galveston, 29.25.

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Jack Keefe

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## Billy Whiskers

By FRANCES TREGO MONTGOMERY.

The chums were disturbed by a noise just as they started to eat their supper.

Clumpety, clump, clumpety, clump, down the stairs came a stupid looking servant girl with a plate of fried chicken in one hand and a dish of lovely crisp lettuce in the other. These she put on the shelf and then turned and stumped her way up the stairs again. Then they heard her locking up for the night, as they thought, but soon she appeared wearing her hat and went out the side door through which they had come still for a little while, then Button



still fo ra little while, then Button meowed to Stubby to tell him what he could see on the shelf for them to eat, and where Billy could find some potatoes and other vegetables. Stubby crawled out from under the tubs and ran to where Button said the shelf was, but alas, alack! how was he to get at the things on the shelf? It was six feet above him and so hung from the ceiling that there was absolutely no way for him to climb up to it.

"Gee, whiz! It makes me hungrier than ever to smell all those goodies and not be able to get at them!"

While Stubby was standing there trying to think out a way to reach them, Button cautiously climbed down from the boxes onto the shelf and with his nose and paw poked a big, round potato and a thick slice of meat off the plate to the floor. As they fell, they hit Stubby on the nose and made him jump, it was so unexpected, and at first he thought some one was throwing things at him. While he ate the meat, Button helped himself to fried chicken and Billy came over and baned to him not to be so greedy but to throw him down some lettuce.

"Why don't you go over into that corner and eat those carrots and other vegetables?" meowed Button.

"Because I am not such a goose as to eat cold, dirty potatoes and cows' food when I can eat my favorite nice, crisp lettuce."

The three ate and ate, for they were very hungry after their long tramp on the road all day. After Button had pushed all the food onto the floor he did not want for himself, and had licked the plate, he said: "I wish I had a nice drink of milk now, to quench my thirst. If I had that, I could go to sleep and sleep until daylight without waking, even if a rat chewed my tail and a mouse bit my ear."

"A pail of clean, cool water would please my critter, said Billy.

"Me too, said Stubby. "Listen! I hear water running somewhere," he added.

"It sounds to me as if it were in the kitchen upstairs," said Billy. "I don't hear any one stirring around up there, so let us go and get a drink and then turn in for the night."

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## THE 5:15

—By Segar




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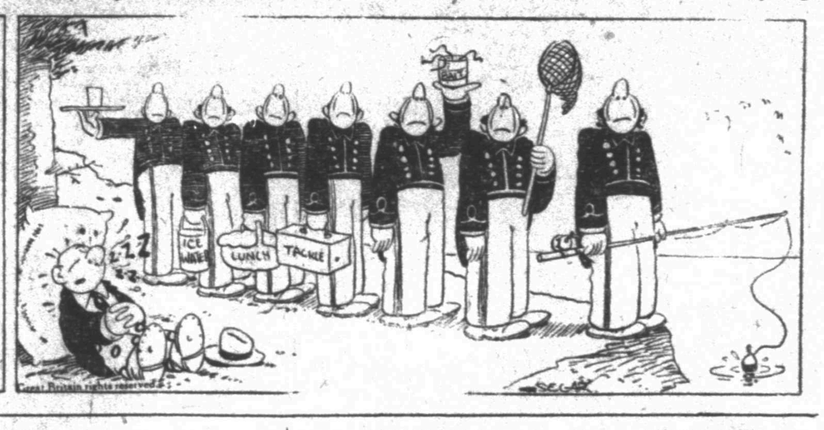
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Wichita Falls Council No. 166 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting 1st Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
Ed Bunnenberg
W. J. Webb
Sec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 58—Stated conclave 2nd and third Thursdays of each month.
JAMES H. BAUMGARD, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 656 A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
J. W. Lyle, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Secy.

Instructions in the E. A. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, July 15th, 16th and 18, 7:30 p. m.
Instruction in the F. C. Thursday, July 17th, 7:30 p. m.
Work in the Master Degree Wednesday, July 16th, 7:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 302 R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
W. K. Niles, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.

Faith Lodge No. 1138, A. F. & A. M. Stated meeting the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813 Scott street.
Degree team and those interested in learning floor work meet with F. W. R. Fritz Friday evening, July 18, 7:30 o'clock.
Will confer the Entered Apprentice and Fellow Craft degrees Saturday afternoon, July 19, beginning 3 o'clock.
W. B. Baldwin, J. W., in charge.
THOS. R. WYNN, W. M.
G. W. Curd, Sec'y.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237 of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. ESTELLE KARKENBRUCK, W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ McGLNN, Sec'y.

Wichita Falls assembly No. 17, Order of the Rainbow for girls, meets second and fourth Tuesdays, 7:30 p. m., in Masonic Temple. Miss Edmongine Friberg, worthy advisor; Miss Dorothy Coleman, secretary.

Pat Carrigan Post No. 120 American Legion — Meets every second and fourth Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Legion Hall, 812 1-2 Ohio Ave.—VOYLE N. ARMSTRONG, Post Commander; H. J. CLAYPOOL, Adjutant.

Wichita Falls Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Faith lodge rooms in Chenault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
L. G. HAWKINS, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1160 B. P. O. E. meets 1st and 3rd Monday at Elks club corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
G. R. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
H. G. ENGLISH, Sec.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 9982 of Modern Woodmen every First and Third Tuesday night, 8:00 I. O. O. F. Hall. Scott and Tenth Ave.
R. J. CLAYPOOL, Clerk.
Office 2332, Res. 6078, 810 Ilo.

# 'BRAZIL' TOPIC AT LIONS CLUB

### A. A. Rutis Tells Varied Story of Life In That Place

A. A. Rutis, former consul-general of Persia, and cosmopolitan, spoke to the Lions at their luncheon yesterday noon on a self-chosen topic, "Brazil." Mr. Rutis, while consul-general of Persia, was required to come and go throughout the world, spending time in every nation of the globe, and his talk yesterday on Brazil was tempered with a thorough knowledge of all countries and a perception into the habits and customs of a people that is found only in the cosmopolitan.

The talk had its comical features as incidents of life in the largest country of South America were told, and its horrible features as he told of the hundreds of dead in Rio de Janeiro during an epidemic of yellow fever. In this connection it was brought out that the city was now comparatively healthy, there not having been a case of yellow fever there since 1910.

**Peculiar Incidents.**

Mr. Rutis told of the use of snakes to keep off hordes of rats, and remarked at length upon the eyes and favorable qualities of such a serpent to kept with him for some time for such purposes. He made mention of Roosevelt's "River of Doubt," now known as the Rio Roosevelte, and told of the stretch of land in the interior of Brazil where 25 bands of soldiers sent there by the Brazilian government for exploration purposes have failed to send a single survivor back to civilization, all having perished and been eaten by interior bands of cannibals.

**To Make Another Trip.**

Mr. Rutis will leave Wichita Falls soon for a trip to Europe, the voyage to be his fifty-ninth across the world's seven oceans.

Musical features at the club meeting yesterday were furnished by Mrs. Bryan and Miss A. Cole, consisting of two vocal solos, given in an attractive and pleasing manner.

## Polk, Democratic Campaign Manager, Davis' Close Friend



Frank L. Polk of New York City, chosen by John W. Davis to direct the democratic campaign, was the last of several men to hold the office of secretary of state in the Wilson cabinet. He is one of the closest friends of the nominee.

# OPTIMISTS IN ORGANIZATION

### Vote To Have Reporters From Newspapers As Guests

Final organization plans were completed at the weekly luncheon held Wednesday by the Optimist club at the Kemp hotel. The club was recently organized in Wichita Falls by Grady Gaston, representative of the International Optimist club.

In appearing before the club for the last time Mr. Gaston urged the members to attend the meetings regularly and to keep the interest in the club high at all times. A rising vote of thanks was given to Mr. Gaston for the work he has done in organizing the local club.

Teams of five members each were formed with a captain over each team. Before each meeting it is the duty of the captain to notify the members on the team and to urge their attendance.

The members of the club, upon the suggestion of Mr. Gaston, voted that one reporter from each local paper should be regarded as a guest at all the luncheons and should not be required to pay for the luncheon. Mr. Gaston pointed out the advantage of having a newspaper representative present at each luncheon in urging the club to regard the reporters as guests of the Optimist club at each weekly luncheon.

## COAST GUARD BOAT BEATS ARCTIC SEAS

By the Associated Press.

NOME, Alaska, July 16.—After fighting ice floes which put several dents in her hull and encountering Arctic weather in the Bering sea since May 14, the United States coast guard cutter Bear will arrive in Nome late today, according to a wireless report received here.

## GRAND OINTMENT MAKES PIMPLES and BLOTCHES GO

Ever since the introduction in this country of the wonderful Black and White Ointment, and Soap, skin specialists say that such troubles as pimples, blotches, bumps, rash, tetter, eczema, "breaking out," etc., are becoming fewer every year.

Wide distribution of Black and White Ointment, and Soap, has made it possible for millions of people to get the benefit of this wonderful, quick effect in clearing disfigured skin and making it smooth and good to look at. Dealers everywhere say they are selling faster than anything of a similar nature they have ever handled, and they attribute this popularity to the low prices at which they are sold, as well as their dependability. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size.—adv.

# Local Boy Hiker Makes 90 Miles On First Day

The last report received from Kenneth Barker, the boy hiker who left Wichita Falls Monday morning on a 2000-mile hike to California, was that he had arrived at Childress, Texas, which is located about 90 miles from Wichita Falls. Barker made the trip to Childress in one day. When he left Wichita Falls Barker said that he did not intend to pay one cent transportation on his way to California but that he would accept all offers to ride from tourists.

Barker plans to arrive in California by the middle of August and enter the University of California this fall. While attending the university he will be entirely self-supporting. Enroute he will be joined by James Calvert, another local boy who was detained in Wichita Falls several days on business.

## STATE SAYS PRICE OF OIL TOO HIGH

By the Associated Press.

AUSTIN, July 16.—Contracts for supplying state institutions with oil have been suspended by the state board of control because the prices were considered too high, R. B. Walthall, member, announced today. So-called independent companies operating in Texas are to be asked to bid, Mr. Walthall said.

# ASHMORE CASE STILL MYSTERY

### More Witnesses Called Before Grand Jury; Will Continue Probe Today

Another long day of investigation by the grand jury failed to bring any more definite developments in the investigation being conducted into the slaying July 8 of Wesley Ashmore. The usual raft of witnesses were on hand when the jury convened at 9 o'clock, and those who had not been examined were ordered to report back at 9 o'clock Thursday morning when the inquisitors adjourned for the day at 5:30.

**Still Investigating.**

Officials continue steadfast in their determination to sift the murder to the bottom, but they have admitted that progress is being made all too slowly. The secrecy in which the grand jury is working has led to the belief in some quarters that information has been uncovered which may have an important bearing on the case. This is naturally being withheld, however, until all angles of it have been gone into.

The five negro men who have been held for over a week were still in custody last night. The ones in jail here were examined again yesterday by the grand jury but no announcement was made as to what they had revealed.

# Local Girl Given Honor Too Late

Receipt of a letter from an old friend, N. F. Reed of Des Moines, Iowa, chairman of the floor at the recent democratic convention offering her the appointment of assistant secretary or assistant sergeant at arms from either the state of Texas or Iowa reached Miss Dezie L. Dee too late for acceptance.

Miss Dee, prominent Wichita Falls young woman and attorney-at-law is associated with her brother, Roy Dee, and spending her vacation at present in Edgewood hotel at Chicago, wrote to her friend Mr. Reed before her departure stating her desire to attend the convention. The answer which she received too late was an offer of the above honors.

Miss Dee received the appointment of assistant sergeant at arms four years ago when the convention was held in California and unfortunately was unable to attend.

Department of agriculture expands and improves cotton market news service.

HOUSTON—Harris county to receive $221,000 state aid for road and bridge construction.

DALLAS—Floors of Santa Fe terminal being paved with rock asphalt.

# Red Cross Child Health Conference Is Slated Today

The Red Cross Health conference will be held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the Northside Community house, according to an announcement made Wednesday. Mothers of babies under seven years of age are invited to bring them for physical examination. They will be carefully weighed and measured and defects in feeding and care pointed out. The conference is for well babies according to the announcement. Dr. A. W. West will be in charge, assisted by Miss Mary Quinn, Red Cross nurse.

## COURT DISSOLVES BOND INJUNCTION

The temporary injunction granted recently against the sale of $22,000 worth of school bonds voted by the Geraldine school district of Archer county was dissolved Wednesday by Judge H. R. Wilson of the 30th district court.

The bond sale was objected to on grounds that the election had been illegally held.

Judge Wilson, however, after hearing evidence in the case ruled that the election had been legal.

That part of the temporary injunction barring sale of the bonds on grounds that the charges being made for the printing were excessive was continued by the court.

## PUBLIC RECORDS

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**

Wesley Morton, Frederick, Okla., and Elsie Nider, Frederick, Okla.

W. J. Askew, Wichita Falls, and Frankie Mae Roach, Wichita Falls.

J. W. Ratliff, Electra, and Esther Lyon, Electra.

James Morton Whitworth, Wichita Falls, and Fanny Cosby, Fort Worth.

Herbert Lashlee, Mankins, and Ida Bilderback, Monday.

**SUITS FILED.**

F. E. Neff vs. Ruby V. Neff, divorce.

D. W. Young vs. W. P. Mason et al, injunction.

W. G. Carrington vs. Onalee Carrington, divorce.

F. E. Neff vs. Ruby B. Neff, divorce.

Nadine Newton vs. W. L. Newton, divorce.

# LIONS HEAR OF DEM CONCLAVE

### L. R. Buchanan Praises Nominating Speech For Smith

L. R. Buchanan, innocent bystander at the recent democratic national convention at New York, spoke to the Lions at their regular weekly luncheon at the Kemp hotel dining room yesterday on various phases of the convention. He told of most of the nominating speeches, all of which he heard, and remarked at length upon the oratorical ability of Franklin D. Roosevelt, nominator of Al Smith of New York. He spoke of Mr. Roosevelt's talk as the most finished and the best of the whole lot, praising it unstintingly. Comments on the speech of Senator Phelan, the man who nominated William G. McAdoo, were not so favorable, he classing this man as a poor orator.

Various aspects of the theatrical life of New York were also given some prominence in Mr. Buchanan's talk.

# New Cemetery Map Is Drawn

A revised map of Riverside cemetery has been prepared by the city and filed with the county clerk so that persons purchasing lots there may check up their deeds and see that the locations they have contracted for have been obtained.

Some confusion, caused partly by a mix-up in the cemetery records, and partly through carelessness on the part of purchaser, has resulted from sales of lots by the city. These have been ironed out satisfactorily thus far, but city officials are striving to eliminate the possibility of more mistakes of the same kind.

# Special Rate To Farmers' Course Has Been Given

M. B. Oates, local agricultural agent, announces that A. & M college has arranged for special rates of one and one fifth for the round trip to Bryan to all those who desire to take the farmers short course at the college from July 28 to August 2 inclusive. Representatives of the extension service estimate that the largest crowd that they have ever had will attend this year.

The course of study is planned especially for farmers who desire to take a few day's study of scientific agriculture every year. An interesting and complete program has been planned for every class who attend, according to Mr. Oates.

El Paso—Big ditch to drain basements of seepage water to be constructed as part of river cut-off program.







# MARRIED TWELVE YEARS BEFORE BABY CAME

### Gladly Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Louisville, Nebraska.—"I was married twelve years before my boy was born. I had a lot of female troubles and had been treated by a physician for them but they continued much the same. Then I read your advertisement in the newspapers and thought I would give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a good trial, for if it had helped others, why not me? I have taken 36 bottles of the medicine and am never without it in the house. My baby boy is three years old now and I sure am happy since I got relief from my troubles. When any one has troubles like mine, or any ways like mine, I am always glad to recommend the Vegetable Compound so that they will get the right kind of medicine."—Mrs. Jos Dupraz, Box 606, Louisville, Neb.

In a recent country-wide canvass of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, 98 out of every 100 report they were benefited by its use. For sale by druggists everywhere.



# Insure Your Car For Long Service Life

Most motorists take out fire, theft and accident insurance on their cars; but many neglect one of the most important forms of insurance—*lubrication insurance*—that is, the use of a high-grade motor oil; so as to insure freedom from motor troubles and repair bills, and a long service life for the motor.

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**Double-Strength**

**Mosquitoes, Flies, Ants and Bugs Killed While You Look.**

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