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# SHERIFF AND DEPUTY SHOT TO DEATH

## *"Pride of Detroit" Plane Passes Over Plymouth, England*

## Faith

**A Place to Worship—**
**Country Towns—**
**Woman's Age —**
**August Business—**

THE REV. S. STEPHEN McKENNEY speaks tonight at the union church services at Bellevue Park, there will be special music, and a band concert following the sermon. It will be an entertaining, educational and inspirational program, just as have been the other union services.

If you are a church member, or if you seldom go to church, you should attend at least one union service at Bellevue Park. There could be no finer setting for an hour of worship, nor could the hour be better spent.

SAYS the editor of the Turkey Enterprise in this week's issue:

"To a great extent the future of Turkey depends on the start we make and our accomplishments within the next twelve to eighteen months. In that time we will lay plans and the foundation for a real city, or if we just sit down and take what comes, we can hope for nothing, other than just a good country town."

Those who have been watching the growth and development of Turkey for the last few months have no doubts but that Turkey's citizens are going to lay the "foundation for a real city." At least they will have little comfort if they attempt to "just sit down and take what comes," as long as the town has a sterling home paper such as the Turkey Enterprise.

THE fate of becoming "just a good country town," however, does not seem such a terrible one to this writer. There are many now living in cities, large and small, who would like nothing better than to go back to a good country town. There are things, worthwhile things like cows, chickens, gardens, neighbors, quiet days and peaceful nights, dusty roads and cool shade trees, to be found in the country that can not be duplicated in cities.

If aviation and other means of transportation continue to develop and improve as in the last few years, there is a time not far distant when a great many persons who work in cities are going to country towns to build their homes and rear their children. In the meantime, more power to Turkey and its bustling citizens determined to make of it a real city.

GONE are the good old days. Not long ago at Borger a ranger shot a deputy sheriff through the seat of the pants. Not a scratch. Then the wires told a story of a Borger constable who was shot through the hat by a private citizen. Gone the buffalo; gone the wild horse; gone the deer and the antelope; gone the marksmen of the good old days who were able to toss a dime in the air and split it with a pistol ball.

This is a degenerate age. Now men who handle pistols are unable to hit a barn door and women who have never practiced with a pistol can grasp an automatic and kill a husband without firing a second shot.

This is woman's age. She has the ballot and everything else and yet some of the sisters are clamoring for what they call equal rights.

AUGUST is said to be the tail-end of the year in the business world, but it must be different in the auto business. According to figures of the county tax collector, 141 new automobiles were sold in the first 26 days of the month, and a total of 184 have been sold in the last 30 days. This is pretty good business for any month.

### Uncle Sam's Workers Ask Higher Wages

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—A drive for higher minimum salary for Uncle Sam's civilian army of 500,000 will be started at the convention of the National Federation of Federal Employes which will open at San Antonio, Texas, September 5.

Contending that the present minimum wage is still far below the level of present living standards, the federation is determined to have the low figure fixed at $1500 for all full time employes.

The federation also will launch a movement to increase the present $1000 maximum allowance for retired employes and ask various liberalization of the retirement law.

### THE WEATHER

**OKLAHOMA: Sunday and Monday partly cloudy, warmer Sunday in northeast portion.**
**EAST TEXAS: Sunday and Monday generally fair.**
**WEST TEXAS: Sunday and Monday partly cloudy.**

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls as reported for the past 24 hours by the Texas Electric Service company bureau follow: Maximum, 102 degrees, minimum 72 degrees, temperature at 5 p. m. 94 degrees; no precipitation; south breeze; clear; average wind velocity three miles per hour; maximum eight; barometer 28.89.

## FORGERY RING SMASHED IN POLICE PROBE

### Three Women and Two Men Jailed In Investigation

### LOOT WORTH $3000

### Merchants In Iowa Park, Wichita Falls And Electra Victimized

The smash-up of probably the largest ring of purported check forgers known in many months to Wichita Falls and surrounding communities was announced late Saturday night after a week's investigation by Sam B. Spence, assistant district attorney, Chief Deputy Sheriff Harvey F. Hawkins and Deputy Warren Belcher.

**Equipment Seized**

Culmination of the affair, which Saturday lodged three women and two men in jail, was reached late Saturday night, when the third woman was arrested with machines and apparatus for use in alleged forging of checks, using the names of the Texas Pipe Line company, the Prairie Pipe Line company and other oil concerns, which has resulted in the cashing of more than $3000 in worthless checks, Mr. Spence said.

The instruments used, Mr. Spence said, were customer's drafts, all made out to persons supposedly employed by the company on which the check was written and the habit of the accused was for the women to cash the checks, posing as wives of the employes. The checks, Mr. Spence said, were always cashed at night, giving the proprietor of the victimized store no opportunity to check the value of the paper.

**Must Face Charges**

Officers said the persons held were all identified by employes or department heads in stores in Wichita Falls, Electra, Iowa Park, and other surrounding towns, who have been complaining of check forgers for the last few months.

The last woman held was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Warren Belcher, who was given the number of the car in which she was driving in Iowa Park by the manager of the Palace Drug store in that city.

According to Mr. Spence she has made a complete statement of the affair, and more arrests are expected.

All will be charged with forgery and the passing of forged instruments in justice court probably Monday, Mr. Spence said.

**HARD BOILED**
**Audacity — —**

**A woman, under arrest in the sheriff's office in connection with a forgery case late Saturday night, motioned to the meek newspaper man.**

**"Are you with The Record News?" she asked.**

**The reporter nodded.**

**"Stick around, kid," she said, I'll give you a good one—maybe a column and a half."**

### Discover Narcotic Ring in Penitentiary

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Aug. 27. (AP)—Another narcotic ring inside the Missouri penitentiary by prison officials resulted in the discovery of 35 more cubes of drugs, it was announced today at the prison. Sixty-seven cubes were found in the cell of two Kansas City convicts Thursday.

### Better Babies Contest For Baylor Fair

SEYMOUR, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—A "Better Babies" contest is to be held in connection with the Baylor county fair this year. Age limits for entrants are six months to three years.

## Newman Refuses To Quit Drive

### "I'll Complete Test or Pass Out," Says Endurance Champ; End at 3 Today

**Rosser J. Newman, endurance champion, was being given cups of steaming black coffee shortly after 1:30 o'clock this Sunday morning.**

**His condition was said to border on that of coma. The windshield of his car was raised to allow the wind to strike him in the face.**

**Still clinging to the wheel of his car, Newman's answers to questions amounted to little more than a mumble.**

Half-blind, exhausted, worn and haggard, Rosser J. Newman, endurance champion, was clinging to the wheel of his Star car Saturday night with dogged determination to complete his 125-hour test which ends at 3 o'clock this Sunday afternoon.

Newman was repeatedly urged by his friends and his manager Saturday to abandon the drive, and attempt it later when the weather is cooler, but he steadfastly refused to comply with their suggestions.

"I'm going to stick here until I finish or pass out," Newman declared.

The driver suffered his most trying day of the test Saturday when the temperature climbed to 102 Saturday afternoon, and failed to moderate to any great degree until late at night. With a little cooler weather today, Newman still believes he will be able to complete the drive, although his eyes are failing so rapidly it seemed doubtful if he would be able to see within a few more hours.

**Condition Improved**

Repeated adjustments given Newman by Dr. T. H. Myers during the day Saturday improved temporarily the driver's condition, and probably saved him from total collapse. Dr. Myers accompanied Newman on his Saturday tour, and will be waiting for him at the end of the drive today to give him treatment as he drops into the oblivion of the first sleep in five days and nights.

**Even Money He'll Fail**

Opinion was divided among those who have been watching Newman's drive as to whether or not he will be able to complete the test. Several small wagers at even money were reported that he will collapse before 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Success of Newman's undertaking seems now to depend upon his will power and his determination to reach his goal. Friday he suffered from the heat, his eyes becoming inflamed, so that at times Newman drove while almost blind. Saturday his eyes were still giving him trouble, Newman said, but he seemed to be in little worse condition than Friday. Much will depend upon the driver's stamina today and upon the temperature, it is believed.

If able to keep going until 3 o'clock this afternoon, Newman will end his drive at the Zale Jew-

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### Fight For Control Of Locomotive Works

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27. (AP) The Philadelphia Record says today that in a financial struggle to control the Baldwin Locomotive Works Samuel M. Vauclain, president of the company, won the first battle yesterday.

Those seeking control of the $30,000,000 plant, the paper says, are the Fisher Brothers of Detroit who own the Fisher Bodies corporation, and are heavily interested in General Motors. Continuing, the paper says:

**NEWMAN DRIVE**

**Duration: 125 hours (More than 5 days).**
**Start: At 10 o'clock Tuesday Morning.**
**End: At 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.**
**Place: Zale Jewelry company, Eighth and Ohio.**
**Daylight driving: Eight hours from 7 a. m. Sunday.**

## MRS. HILL CUTS SON IN WILL

### Jury Fixes Date of Her Death

By Universal Service.

STREATOR, Ill., Aug. 27.—Mrs. Eliza Hill disinherited her son, Harry, now sought for her murder, because he would not drop his attentions to Miss Alice Sawyer, it was stated today. He had planned to marry the girl next month, it was reported, but she denied this.

The will which was disclosed following the report of the coroner's jury, recommending that Hill be taken into custody for the killing, was regarded by authorities today as a fresh motive for the slaying.

The date of the crime was fixed by the jury as either August 13 or 14.

Information of disinheritance came from William Brydges, a friend of the sought youth, and at whose home Harry stayed on Monday night.

"Hill told me that on one occasion his mother wired him she would disinherit him if he didn't stop going with Alice Sawyer," said Brydges. "He told me then that it would make no difference to him as his mother had already arranged to leave all her money to churches and charitable institutions."

The unexpected return from a vacation in Canada of Arthur Shea, La Salle county criminal lawyer, gave rise to report that Dr. H. C. Hill, the slain woman's former husband, had sent for him to prepare a defense for his son.

Meanwhile authorities are tracing down every clue as to the whereabouts of the youth. The last report had him going westward to Denver by automobile.

### Standards Bureau Studying Pressures

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Wind pressures and wind phenomena are now being studied by the bureau of standards by methods that involve the actual production of a minature hurricanes and for purposes that touch upon problems in a half dozen fields of human enterprise.

Air pressure that can be produced by gales is being worked out to a definite gauge for the bridge and building builder; while for the automobile industry the tests will determine how much power is required to move a machine against a breeze, and for the aviator the experiments are aimed at determining the proper shapes and curvature of the wings to reduce air resistance the stresses that materials must endure and the effects that propellers may at-

### Haskell Lodge Team Wins Degree Prize

Special to The Record News.

HASKELL, Aug. 27.—The Haskell delegation to the two-day meet of I. O. O. F. lodge and Rebecca auxiliary members at Rochester, won first prize in degree work. The meeting was held Thursday and Friday. The Haskell delegation was composed of 24 ladies and four men. Miss Gladys Lawson of Haskell is noble grand. The next meet, which is for Knox, Fisher, Jones and Haskell counties, will be held in Haskell in February.

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## LONDON GOAL OF FLIERS IN HOP OVER SEA

### Schlee and Brock Make Jump From Newfoundland

### WEATHER FAIR

### Takeoff Without Trouble Amid Cheers of Bystanders

LONDON, Aug. 28.(AP). The Devises radio reports that the monoplane Pride of Detroit passed over Plymouth at 6 a. m., Greenwich mean time today.

Plymouth is approximately 200 miles by air line from Croydon field, the objective of the trans-Atlantic fliers on board the Pride of Detroit which took off from Horbor Grace, N. F., Saturday morning. At the rate the plane had been maintaining the distance should be covered in around two hours.

By Universal Service.

HARBOR GRACE, Newfoundland, Aug. 27.—Taking up the challenge of the elements, an American airplane piloted by two American airmen is tonight far out over the Atlantic ocean, winging its way to London, England.

The airplane is the "Pride of Detroit," and its crew is Edward F. Schlee, of Detroit, and William E. Brock, formerly a United States air mail pilot.

The aviators left this port at 7:44 a. m., o'clock, local daylight saving time.

The weather conditions were fairly favorable when the start was made. The take-off was accomplished without trouble. Cheers from the assembled spectators sent the boys on their way.

**Arrive Today.**

The airplane arrived at Harbor Grace yesterday, flying from Old Orchard Beach on the Maine coast. Last night, the refuelling was done, the engine was tuned up, and everything was made ready for the hop.

Early this morning, Schlee, a wealthy oil man, and Brock, the actual pilot of the airplane, scanned the weather charts and without further ado, went to the flying field, a little less than two miles from the center of this town.

Although they paid little attention to the process of satisfying the inner man on the long trip, Schlee and Brock stored food in the craft.

**Use Wright Motor.**

The world-famous Wright whirlwind motor, the praises of which have already been sung by Chamberlin, Byrd and Lindbergh, will again essay the task considered impossible a few years ago.

Brock, the pilot, is optimistic. He hopes to land the airplane at Croydon in record time. Schlee does not profess to be a pilot, but he

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### Farm Clubs Close Meet at Childress

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Aug. 27.—Approximately 300 members of the 4-H Farm clubs of Childress and Collingsworth counties closed a two-day meeting here today, with Luther T. Hunter, county agent, and Miss Mary Sitton, home demonstration agent, of Childress county, in charge. The meeting was held at Fair park.

### Nicaragua Bandit Ready to Quit

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Aug. 27. (AP)—General Carlos Salgado, who has been keeping northwest Nicaragua in a state of turmoil by acts of banditry the last few weeks is disposed to turn over his arms and cease his operations provided he receives money for himself and his followers.

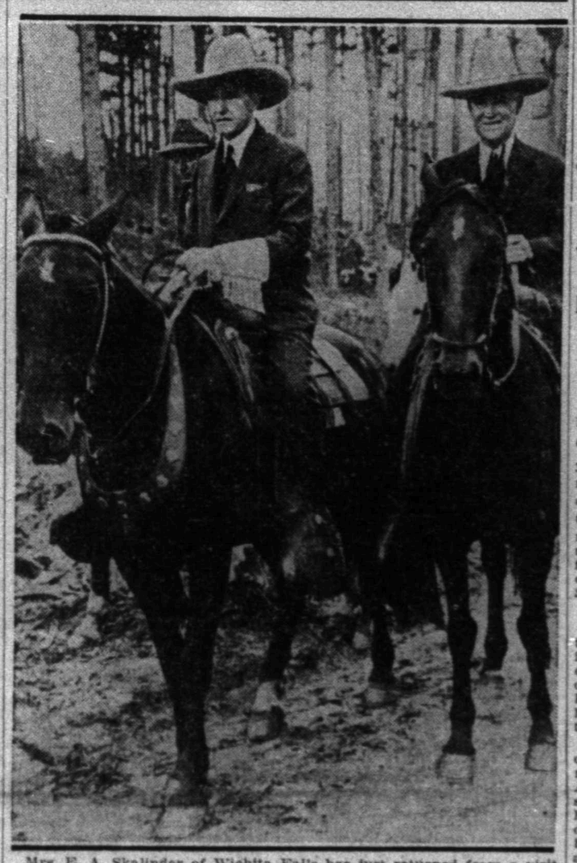
### Armour Plants To Close Tuesday

CHICAGO, Aug. 27. (AP)—All plants of Armour and company will close at 2 o'clock Tuesday Aug. 30, in respect to the son of the company's founder, the late J. Ogden Armour, who will be buried on that day. Mr. Armour's body was to arrive in New York today from London where he died.

### Gas to Be Installed In Frederick Schools

FREDERICK, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—Contract for installation of natural gas in all heating systems in the Frederick schools was awarded to the Community Natural Gas company by the board of education. Work is to begin immediately.

### President Climbs Mountain To Speak



Mrs. E. A. Skalinder of Wichita Falls has just returned from a visit to her old home at Black Hills, S. D., where she heard President Coolidge deliver an address. The president is shown above riding up the mountain with Simeon D. Fess of Ohio.

## *"Silent Cal" Eloquent Speaker, Says Wichitan, Back From Black Hills*

President Calvin Coolidge did not impress Mrs. E. A. Skalinder of Wichita Falls as "Silent Cal," the name which has been given him since he became president. Mrs. Skalinder declared upon her return to Wichita Falls from the Black Hills of South Dakota, the president's summer home and the former home of Mrs. Skalinder.

Mrs. Skalinder attended the annual celebration of the Deadwood, S. D. pioneers which commemorates the discovery of gold in that section in 1876. Here she saw President Coolidge named chief of the Sioux Indian tribe. She attended the Rushmore memorial ceremony and later the ceremonial at Keystone, S. D., where the president delivered an address.

"The president has been called "Silent Cal," but I want you to know that he spoke before 7000 people at the Keystone ceremonial and I never heard a more wonderful address, said Mrs. Skalinder.

"Flags of the various nations to which the United States belonged a various periods were displayed on the top of the mountains and as they were raised, a band on the other side of the mountain played the national air. You can't imagine anything more impressive than the entire ceremony and the touching speech of the president in which he emphasized the progress of the people of the Black Hills country."

**Boy Preacher**

"At this gathering were congressmen, senators and governors from four states, also the boy preacher, Rolf Lium, the vacation minister to the president, who gave the benediction."

Mrs. Skalinder, who is a daughter of one of the pioneer families of the Black Hills in South Dakota, declared that she was thrilled as never before on finding her former home town filled with celebrities and in seeing such wonderful progress and development as has taken place there in the past few years.

**Coolidge Made Chief**

"The small town of Deadwood, with its 5000 inhabitants, was never so gaily decorated and never presented such a holiday appearance as it did while I was there and attended the yearly celebration of the Deadwood pioneers."

At this celebration were at least 500 Indians all dressed in colorful costumes and on this day President Coolidge was named Chief

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## CHILDRESS BOY DIES IN CRASH

### Youth Killed as Truck And Auto Collide

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Aug. 27.—Jack Cooksey, 11-year-old son of J. W. Cooksey, an employe at the Fort Worth and Denver shops, was instantly killed here about 7 o'clock Saturday evening when the S. A. Pittman dairy truck on which he was riding collided with a car driven by a woman who gave her name as Miss Markham, at the insection of Sixth street and Avenue F Northwest. The lad was a delivery boy for the dairy, and was riding on the fender of the truck when he was struck in the collision, it was reported.

Blame for the accident has been fixed on neither party, and the affair is still under investigation by Chief of Police Dick Moore, it was said.

### Train Kills Man Near Monroe, La.

MONROE, La., Aug. 27. (AP)—An unknown middle aged man was struck by a passenger train of the Missouri Pacific near Wisner yesterday and so badly injured that death occurred last night at a Monroe hospital.

The only clue is the name of "E. E. Langmire, Cole, Miss." found on a paper in the man's pocket.

It is thought that the man was trespassing on the right-of-way at the time of the accident.

## MEN HELD FOR COTTON THEFT KILL OFFICERS

### Slayers Reported Headed Toward Wichita And Okla. Line

### WOMEN IN CAR

### Bob Smith and Jake Owens Killed at Home Of Prisoner

Sheriff R. J. (Bob) Smith of Roby, Fisher county, and Jake Owens, a deputy, both about 36 years old, were shot to death four miles north of Roby about 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon while they were in company with two men and two women they had arrested only a few moments before for the alleged theft of a bale of cotton, according to reports to Sheriff W. G. Bralley here.

**Head for Oklahoma**

The four escaped in a sedan after the affray, officers here were informed, and were last seen east of Aspermont, about 3:30 o'clock, coming in the direction of Wichita Falls, apparently headed for Oklahoma, where it was learned one of the men has relatives.

The shooting occurred in front of the home of one of the arrested men, according to the sheriff at Aspermont, who described the shooting as it was seen by one of his friends to H. F. Hawkins, chief deputy sheriff here. The man had been allowed to enter his home alone for a few moments, it was said, and on his return opened fire on the officers, killing both instantly. Both men were shot twice it was reported, one bullet entering Sheriff Smith's heart.

**Both Young**

Officers here were posted at vantage points to keep lookout for the car and its occupants. One of the men is said to be 19 years of age; the other 26 years old; and one, according to J. N. Bonnell, county judge of Fisher county is a stranger in the Roby vicinity.

Officers of all northwest Texas have taken up search for the fugitives, and are being assisted by messages sent through the air by a Fort Worth radio station. The last message received in Wichita Falls said the four were riding in this direction at a terrific rate of speed in an Oldsmobile sedan.

**Bodies Found With Car**

Additional details of the slaying of Sheriff Smith and Deputy Owens were given by Roby officers to A. W. Von Struve, Record News Staff member at Knox City, Saturday night when the Roby officers passed through Knox City in pursuit of the slayers.

According to Roby officers, the body of Sheriff Smith was found slumped against the car in which he and Deputy Owens had gone to make the arrests. The body of Owens was a short distance away. The guns of the two Fisher offi-

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### State Labor Head Slightly Injured

AUSTIN, Aug. 27. (AP) — Charles McKemy, state labor commissioner, was reported slightly injured and his 13-year-old son, Carter, probably fatally, in an automobile accident today at Mason, some 100 miles west of Austin.

Robert B. Gragg, chief deputy commissioner, was informed of the accident by telephone and left soon afterward for Mason. Further details of the accident were not given.

McKemy and his son were enroute to the state sanitarium at Carlsbad, Tom Green county, to visit a patient there.

### Mexican Laborers Slip Into United States

DALLAS, Aug. 27(AP)—Hundreds of Mexican laborers escape the watchful immigration officials and slip into the United States every year said J. F. Deloney, Brownsville federal immigration patrolman, here today.

There are 26 patrolmen in the Brownsville district, he declared, while rigid enforcement of the law would require 300 officers.

Mr. Deloney said much liquor is being smuggled into this country by air.

### Argentina Returns To Gold Basis

BUENOS AIRES, Aug. 27. (AP)—Argentina has returned to the gold standard. A government decree announces the re-opening of the Caja de Conversion (conversion office), closed at the outbreak of the world war, and thus the paper peso once more is convertible into 44 centavos gold.

## *State Traffic Law Requires City Officers To Wear Gray Suits*

AUSTIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—The new state traffic law requiring officers making speeding arrests to wear gray uniforms and badges was construed to apply the equal force to city as well as county officers, in an opinion from the attorney general's department today.

The opinion also held void any municipal ordinance attempting to fix speed rates or speeding fines at variance with the state law allowing a speed limit of 20 miles an hour for cities and towns and prescribing a fine of from $5 to $200.

The provision of the law, written by Representative W. A. Williamson of San Antonio, requiring stipulated uniforms was cited as a means by which a motorist can determine whether "the man appearing before him is attempting to enforce or break the law."

James J. Collins, Dallas city attorney, who sought the opinion was "accordingly advised that no arrests should be made for violation of ordinances a speed limit greater or less than 20 miles per hour within a town or city, or prescribing a greater or less penalty than a fine of from $5 to $200, irrespective of the uniform worn by city officers."

## *Services Held Saturday For Vernon Man, Drowned in Tank*

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Aug. 27.—Funeral services for Rueben B. Thornell, 33, who was drowned in a small tank two miles northwest of here Friday afternoon, were held from the family home Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with the Rev. W. J. Darnell officiating.

Thornell was at the swimming pool with his two sons, R. B. Thornell Jr., aged 11, and William Accie, aged 8, and Elmer Owen, 15 son of W. M. Owen. Death probably resulted after an attack of cramps, it is supposed.

Mr. Thornel lis survived by his widow: his two sons, who were with him at the pool; two daughters, Nellie and Jewel Thornell; and three brothers, George Thornell of Houston, and Luther and Arthur Thornell of Post City.

# HODGINS TO POLICE FAIR

## 12 to 15 Men to Watch Exhibits Here

A police department complete in the details of its organization will be on duty at the Texas-Oklahoma fair this year, it was announced Saturday following a conference of Mayor R. E. Shepherd, secretary and general manager of the fair, and Lester Jones, superintendent of safety, with George H. Hodgins, former police chief, here.

Arrangements were made for Mr. Hodgins to police the fair which will be held Oct. 1 to 6. Mr. Hodgins, who operates the Hodgins merchants police service, stated that he will have from 12 to 15 uniformed men and several plain clothes and mounted men on duty at the fair grounds.

A lost child department will be maintained by the Hodgins police. Lost children will be cared for at an accessible spot until their parents call for them, Mr. Hodgins said.

The safety council will place placards over the entire fair grounds stating the location of the lost child department.

This will be the first year that a lost child department has been maintained at the fair, it was stated.

Details as to parking space, etc. will be worked out this week when Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Jones and Mr. Hodgins visit the fair grounds.

"I will be at the fair grounds during the entire time," Mr. Hodgins stated Saturday, "in order to see that every possible service is rendered by the fair police department."

# Newman Refuses To Quit Drive

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elry company, and will then go to sleep in the window of the Parmenter Motor company. He will be allowed only three hours sleep, however, and will be awakened shortly after 6 o'clock.

"Otherwise he might never awake," said George Robertson, Newman's manager.

After his first nap in five days Newman wil auction off the furniture in the model bed room which has been installed in the Parmenter company window.

Newman said Saturday night that if he finished the drive a large part of the credit would be due the Star six he is driving. The ease with which the car runs makes it easier on him, he said. Its mechanical efficiency enables him to conserve his strength.

"Panhandle motor oil is also an important factor in this drive," Newman said. "One hundred and twenty-five hours of continuous driving would be a terrific strain on even a Star if the highest quality oil were not used to lubricate the motor. Panhandle keeps the little motor runnnig in perfect tune."

**No Punctures.**

Newman hasn't had a puncture or, blow-out during his drive of thousands of miles. Goodrich tires have saved him this unpleasant trouble, he said.

Auto specialties used by Newman in this drive include trimmings fro mthe George W. Blandin Top company, 804 Eleventh street, and specialty automobile glass equipment from the Malacord & Son Mirror and Glass works.

Newman said that this drive has been the pleasantest in his three years of endurance drives because he is getting the best service of food he has ever had. His meals are specially prepared for him at Mae's Coffee shop, including a special bread baked by the Cream bakery. He drinks a lot of milk furnished by James Brothers creamery.

**Will Finish Sunday.**

Newman will finish his drive at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Zale Jewelry company, Eighth and Ohio, accounting the time by an Optima strap watch presented to him by the ale company.

Immediately after the drive ends Newman will go to sleep in a model bedroom set up in the window of the Parmenter Motor company, 1013 Scott avenue, by the E. F. Riley Furniture company. While he sleeps he will be given another chiropractic adjustment by Dr. Meyers.

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Brin Evans, formerly a coal miner of Swansea, Wales, has just obtained his M. A. degree at the University of Edinburgh.

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# Sheriff Is Killed By Cotton Picker

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cers were found in their car, and had not been fired.

It is believed that Sheriff Smith, who was driving, was shot by the man with him on the front seat of the car. The auto then went into a ditch, and Deputy Owens is believed to have been killed as he leaped from the car.

**SMITH AND OWENS NEW IN SERVICE**

ABILENE, Aug. 27. (AP)—The long hand of the law reached out tonight in search for two men, Bill Smith and Lloyd Kerensky, sought in connection with the fatal shooting near Roby today of Sheriff Bob Smith and his deputy, Jake Owens.

Bill Smith and his companion made the escape in an automobile shortly after the killing. It is believed they were making a dash for Oklahoma where Smith formerly lived. The car had been traced as far as Rule, Haskell county.

**Three Witness Shooting**

Sheriff Smith and Owens were slain at 2:15 this afternoon at North Roby, 55 miles northwest of here, a few minutes after they had placed Bill Smith and Karensky under arrest on a charge of stealing a bale of cotton on Thursday night from Garland Barnes, farmer.

Three persons, one man and two women, neighbors of Bill Smith, witnessed the shooting. According to their version the officers searched the two men then permitted them to go into the house. When they returned a few minutes later, they got into the sheriff's car, Karensky on the front seat with Sheriff Smith and Bill Smith on the back seat with Owens. After the car had gone about 50 yards Sheriff Smith was shot twice through the back. Owens leaped from the car and darted behind it. Owens fell mortally wounded, two wounds in his body.

Both men died instantly. The sheriff's car kept moving until it ran into a ditch a few yards from the scene of the shooting.

The two men ran back to Smith's house. A few minutes later they reappeared with their wives, got into Smith's car and dashed away to the north, officers were told.

**First Term**

Sheriff Smith, who was 32, was born and reared in Fisher county and was serving his first term as an officer. He is survived by his widow and three children. Owens was 34 and also was born and reared in Fisher county. Bill Smith and Kerensky were said to be about 36 years old. Bill Smith had lived near North Roby since last spring, having bought 15 acres of land there. Kerensky moved from Fisher county Levelland four or five years ago and had been visiting with Bill Smith for several days.

City and county officers who returned from a careful scrutiny of the Knox City and Seymour road after midnight Sunday reported no trace of the Roby fugitives. It is believed, they said, the men made a detour, or are in hiding. They did not meet the pursuing officers from Roby, who, it was presumed, are close on the trail of the four occupants of the car.

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**Special to The Record News.**

KNOX CITY, Aug. 27—Two men and two women, sought by officers in the slaying of Sheriff Bob Smith and Deputy Jake Owens of Fisher county, passed through Knox City shortly after 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. They headed their Oldsmobile sedan toward Wichita Falls.

When the car passed through Knox City, it was not known its occupants were being sought by Fisher county officers. A pursuing posse, composed of Fisher officers, arrived here shortly after 3 o'clock in pursuit of the sedan, and were joined by officers from Knox City. The party followed the sedan up the Wichita Falls road.

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In order that the King of Spain could enjoy greyhound racing under electric light a special race was postponed until 10 o'clock recently.

# 21,547 ATTEND PARK SHOWS

## Attendance For Week Sets Record

The programs staged at the various parks of Wichita Falls last week drew a record total attendance of 21,547. The greatest attendance for one night was 10,000 on Wednesday night.

One thousand and thirty-two children attended the playground parks last week. Free motion picture shows attracted 4665 people. The sing-song at Grant street Friday night was attended by 1500. The total attendance of Sunday night church services was 3700. The Bellevue park attendance Tuesday night was 750.

# Round-the-World Fliers Start Hop

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can handle a 'plane and will relieve Brock at the stick when necessary.

There was no stalling on the part of Schlee and Brock. They squinted at the sky, gave the weather charts the once-over, and made the jump.

"Let's go!" said Schlee.

"You're on!" replied Brock.

And that was that.

**2350 Miles.**

The actual distance from Harbor Grace, Newfoundland (which, despite many reports, has nothing whatever to do with Canada) is 2350 miles. The airmen will follow the steamer lane in as much as it is recognized as the safest route.

"The Pride of Detroit" will average 100 miles an hour, if it lives up to the expectations of the crew.

From Croydon, Schlee and Brock will fly to Stuttgart, Germany.

**FEAR THAT REDFERN BLOWN OFF SOUTH AMERICAN COURSE**

By Universal Service.

BRUNSWICK, Ga., Aug. 27—With his gas probably exhausted, Paul Redfern, young Georgia aviator, was missing tonight somewhere in the vast expanse or sea or jungle that lies between Brunswick, Ga., and Rio De Janerio, Brazil.

More than 50 hours had elapsed without authentic word of the gallant pilot, who hopped off on his perilous non-stop flight at noon Thursday.

His wife, Gertrude, waiting in Brunswick tonight, torn between hope and fear for his safety, grew more and more anxious as the weary hours of silence dragged slowly by.

Paul J. Varner, chairman of the flight committee, also was worried tonight as late afternoon and early evening brought no tidings.

It was estimated that Redfern a gdhasoline enough to last only 51 hours and must make a landing by 4 o'clock this afternoon, eastern standard time. He took 518 gallons in the monoplane "Port of Brunswick," and it was believed he would use ten gallons to the hour.

While flight officials at Brunswick tonight were greatly concerned they pointed out that Redfern wore a parachute and carried a life raft, fire arms and provisions enough to last several days. It was thought possible he had been forced down in the Caribbean sea o ron one of the many remote islands that dot these tropical waters.

Late this afternoon three seaplanes from a commercial aviation unit at Miami, Fla., were prepared to fly over teh Bahamas as far south as Turks island in a search for the missing plane.

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There is a movement to abolish dives in Atlantic City, but the announcement doesn't say which kind.

# Blow On Head With Brick May Bring Death To Wichita Negro

Mozellus Cobb, negro, was not expected to live through Saturday night as the result of injuries received earlier in the week when he was hit in the head with a brick in an alleged affray. Cobb was at first thought to have been only slightly injured.

Jesse Wright, another negro, who was arrested shortly after the fight and released by police on a cash appearance bond for an affray charge, was rearrested Saturday night and is being held in the city jail awaiting the outcome of Cobb's injuries.

The fight in which Cobb was injured occurred at a negro cafe on the 200 block in Mill street. Cobb was taken to the Wichita General hospital and later taken to his home on the 100 black in Mill street.

His condition has grown steadily worse and Saturday night an attending physician told Police Officer W. P. Belcher that the negro's skull had been fractured by the blow of the brick.

Officers Belcher and N. Daves arrested Wright at a local garage.

# State Department Fears For Safety of Americans in Mexico

By Universal Service.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—State department officials waited anxiously today for further news from Mexico as to the safety of 18 Americans and 11 British employes, who were rescued from a band of revolutionists at the American-owned Amparo mines in Jalisco.

While all of the Americans were reported removed from the threats of revolutionary sympathizers of Sacco and Vanzetti, no news has come forward as to whether any had been injured. It was believed that all escaped unhurt.

"Red syndicalists" were reported busy stirring trouble in the mine, Uast Suoso. When their threats became menacing to the foreigners, Mexican troops were summoned. They reported having the situation "well in hand."

The American mine is located near Etzatland, Jalisco. It is owned by an American corporation, whose president is A. F. Racher of Philadelphia. It is capitalized at $2,000,000.

The report received from the American embassy at Mexico City, that the Mexican troops had the situation under control at the mine, conflicted with a later report from the American consul at Jalisco, Guadalajara, stating that no Mexican troops, either national or state, had yet reached the scene.

The state department has cabled the embassy at Mexico City, seeking to clear up the conflicting dispatches.

# REASON HUGE WAVE ROLLS

## Navy Hydrographers' Explain Recent Storms

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Navy hydrographers who have studied reports of the sudden arising of huge waves out of apparently calm seas off the north Atlantic coast in recent days have advanced three possible explanations, although the data at hand was too scant to permit definite conclusions.

The liner France was slapped by a big wave off Ambrose light at the entrance to New York harbor August 23 and a somewhat similar experience was undergone by the steamer Saugus off the Delaware breakwater the next day.

G. W. Littlehales, navy hydrographer, said today the most likely explanation was that the wave phases of distant storms in the Atlantic coincided generating much larger waves which "slapped" these ships. It is plausible, also, he said, that this sudden coincidence was as abruptly terminated, restoring the sea to relative calm.

"Such an occurrence might also have resulted from a fast incoming tide-stream, forming what is known as a 'tide boar' near inlets," he continued. "This means that the friction of land underneath would hinder the tide at lower levels, causing a steep reserve incline.

"Contact of waters of different physical qualities such as density and temperature has also been known to cause such an abrupt disturbance. I hesitate, however, to give any definite reason for the occurrences other than to say that some natural explanation exists and that the big wave was not a spiritual manifestation."

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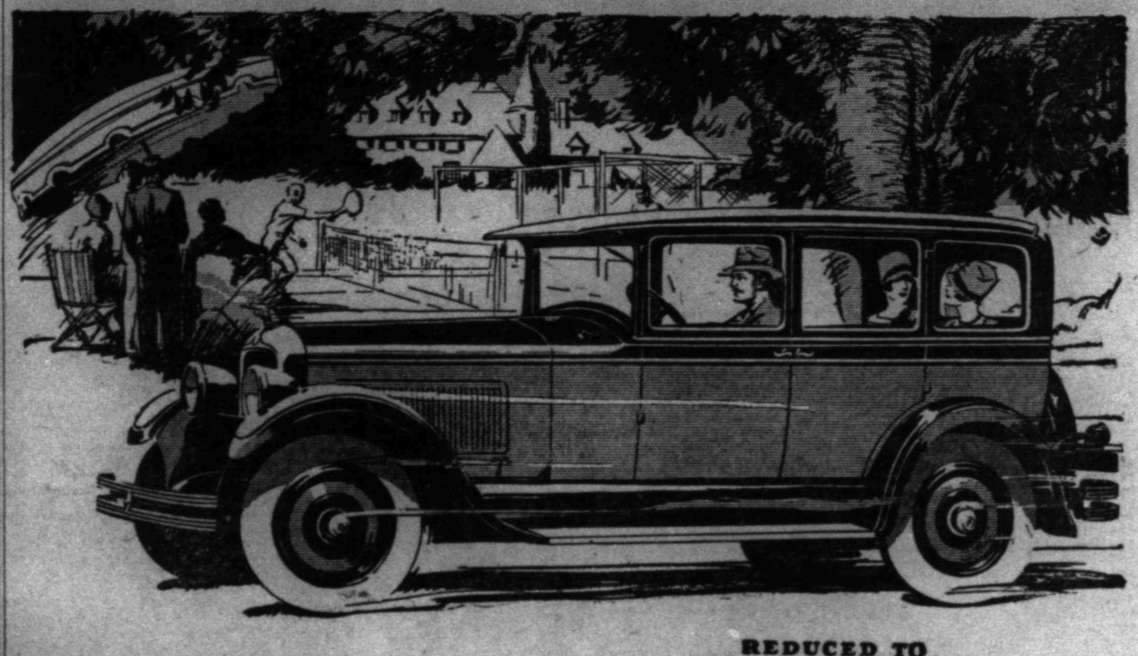

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| Sedan [4-dr.] | $1245 | $1195 |
| Sedan, *Royal* [4-dr.] | 1335 | 1295 |
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| Duplex Phaeton | 1195 | 1195 |
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| Sedan | $1585 | $1495 |
| Sedan, *Regal* | 1710 | 1625 |
| Victoria | 1575 | 1495 |
| Victoria, *Regal* | 1645 | 1625 |
| Coupe, *for 2* | 1545 | 1495 |
| Coupe, *Regal, for 4* | 1645 | 1625 |
| Roadster, *for 4* | 1675 | 1595 |

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| Sedan, *for 7* | $2245 | $1985 |
| Tourer, *for 7* | 1845 | 1795 |
| Limousine | 2495 | 2250 |

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| Custom Sedan | $995 | $945 |
| Sport Coupe, *for 4* | 995 | 945 |
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# PARK PROGRAM WELL FILLED

## Musical Numbers Feature Week's Schedule

The park program for the week of August 29, as announced by C. C. Bunnenberg, superintendent of parks, includes some attractive musical numbers as well as motion pictures and games for children.

The following is the program for the week:

Bellevue park—Ninth and Broad, Monday night, free picture show; Tuesday night, sing-song under direction of Alva Willgus; Wednesday night, program at Bellevue park, games, plays and handcraft under supervisor from 8 to 1 o'clock every day.

Sibley-Taylor park—Twenty-second and Yale, Tuesday night, free picture show; Thursday night, sing-song. Play games and handcraft under supervisor from 8 to 11 o'clock, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Grant Street—Corner Grant and Avenue H, Thursday night, free picture show, Friday night, sing-song. Games, plays and handcraft under supervisor from 8 to 11 o'clock on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Scotland park — Wednesday night, free picture show. Plays, games and handcraft under supervisor from 8 to 11 o'clock every day. Park opens at 8 o'clock to 11 o'clock p. m.

Northside Community— Saturday night, free picture show.

Travis school—Fourth and Lee streets, Saturday night, free picture show. Play, games, handcraft under supervisor from 8 to 11 o'clock on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Austin school playground—Play, games, handcraft under supervisor from 8 to 11 o'clock on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Barwise school— Jalonick and Virginia. Play games, handcraft under supervisor from 8 to 11 o'clock on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Lincoln park (colored—Friday night, free picture show.

Program for Bellevue Wednesday night:

1—The Little Rovers.
2—Steel guitar, Mr. Thompson.
3—Banjo, Mr. McDaniel.
4—Piano, two pupils of Mrs. Flanigan.
5—Harmonica solo by Mr. Martin, winner in recent city-wide contest.
6—Harmonica solo by Billy Savage, winner in the junior harmonica contest.
7—Entertainment by Camp Fire Girls.

## Livestock Expert To Hold Crowell Clinic

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Aug. 27.—Dr. E. A. McCain, noted poultry and swine specialist of Omaha, Neb., will hold a poultry and pig clinic at the Foard county courthouse in Crowell on September 7 for the benefit of the farmers of this section.

The object of the clinic is to assist farmers and poultry raisers to reduce losses due to disease. Those in attendance will be taught how to readily recognize, diagnose and treat as well as to prevent many of the diseases of poultry and pigs. Specimens for post-mortem examination will be brought into the clinic by farmers from over the county and the full value of the demonstration will naturally result. Interest in the free clinic is increasing in all communities and excellent attendance is expected at it.

## Laying of Tulia Gas Mains Completed

TULIA, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—Laying of gas mains here has practically been completed and gas will be available here as soon has a small uncompleted section of the big main is installed. The franchise is held by the West Texas Gas company.

Japan's production of barley this year will be 25,000,000 bushels, which is 2,000,000 bushels less than last year.

## Her Figure Wins At Contest

Marcedes Schwartz of St. Paul, Minn., has been selected as the girl with the most beautiful figure at a contest staged at the public bathing beaches there.

**TEXAS WEEKLY ACCIDENT REPORT**
**August 16-23, 1927.**

| Causes | Injured | Killed |
|---|---|---|
| Automobile | 73 | 19 |
| Railway Train | 10 | 6 |
| Interurban Car | 0 | 0 |
| Street Car | 0 | 0 |
| Motor Car | 2 | 0 |
| Other Vehicles | 3 | 0 |
| Falls | 8 | 1 |
| Burns | 6 | 0 |
| Asphyxiation | 0 | 0 |
| Drowning | 1 | 1 |
| Firearms | 6 | 3 |
| Explosives | 3 | 3 |
| Other Causes | 22 | 5 |
| | 133 | 38 |
| Jan. 1, 1926 to date | 3545 | 1090 |

Courtesy Texas council of safety.

## Electra Pioneer Dies After Long Illness

ELECTRA, Aug. 27.—J. C. Russel, age 79, died at 12:10 Friday as the result of heart trouble following a lingering illness. Death occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Willard Parsons in Woodruff Heights.

Surviving relatives include his wife and nine children, six sons and three daughters. The sons are W. T. Russell of Electra; H. T. Russell of Panhandle, S. F. Russell of Shawnee, Okla.; D. E. Russell of Columbus, Texas; and J. W. Russell of Texico, New Mexico. The daughters are Mrs. J. N. Porter of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Mamie Smith of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Willard Parsons of Electra.

Mr. Russell was born in Kentucky but came to Texas 36 years ago. He was a member of the Masonic order, and the First Baptist church of this city.

Funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of relatives but burial will be in Electra.

## Cooke County Fair To Open September 1

GAINESVILLE, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—The Cooke county fair will open here September 1. Ribbons of award have been received by the chamber of commerce.

The purchase of a $5,000 ambulance by a hospital near Manila has caused a public protest against the "extravagance."


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## Burkburnett Rabbit Breeders to Meet

BURKBURNETT, Aug. 27.—All rabbit breeders and parties interested in the raising of rabbits are urged to meet with the chamber of commerce Tuesday night, Aug. 30, at 8 o'clock.

The object of this meeting is to organize an association of those in the industry for the promotion of Burkburnett community fair to be held at the opening of the new free bridge nearing completion over Red river.

## Citrus Hearing To Be Held Monday

BROWNSVILLE, Aug. 27. (AP)—One of the most important hearings affecting the citrus industry of the lower Rio Grande valley will be held here Monday when state and federal horticultural officials and the county commissioners meet to set the date when citrus shipments may begin from the lower Rio Grande valley.

## Crowell Quickly Gives Salvation Army Quota

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Aug. 27.—Crowell quickly raised its quota for the Salvation Army Friday when its representative, J. C. Donley, with Judge John Myers, chairman of the Crowell advisory board, solicited funds for this worthy organization. Crowell's quota was $50, however $54.50 was raised in a short while.

Through organization, merchants of Crowell carefully guard against undeserving solicitors and fakes but stand always ready to help anything that is deserving of their support after a careful investigation of solicitors, beggars and advertising schemes have been made by a committee of the chamber of commerce and when a letter of endorsement has been given by it. Not until a solicitor can be proved worthy through local investigation will the people of Crowell donate to him. Consequently many solicitors impersonating the Salvation Army, homes of different kinds and unworthy beggars have been refused letters of endorsement when they could not be proved worthy or show proper credentials.

## Hollis Schools To Open Sept. 12

Special to The Record News.

HOLLIS, Aug. 27.—The 1927-28 term of the Hollis public schools will open Monday, September 12, according to Lester Sherrill, principal of the high school.

All of the faculty members have been selected and assigned to the various grades and departments of work. The seniors in high school will enroll Friday and Saturday before the opening, and the rest will enroll the Monday following.

Minor repair work has been done on all the school buildings, and are in fine shape for the beginning of the school year. Gas has also been installed in all the buildings.

S. W. Parton, superintendent of city schools, is expected to return to Hollis this week. He has been at Granite, Okla., where his father has been seriously ill for several weeks. Prior to that time he had spent several weeks with Mrs. Parton who is in New Mexico, taking treatments.


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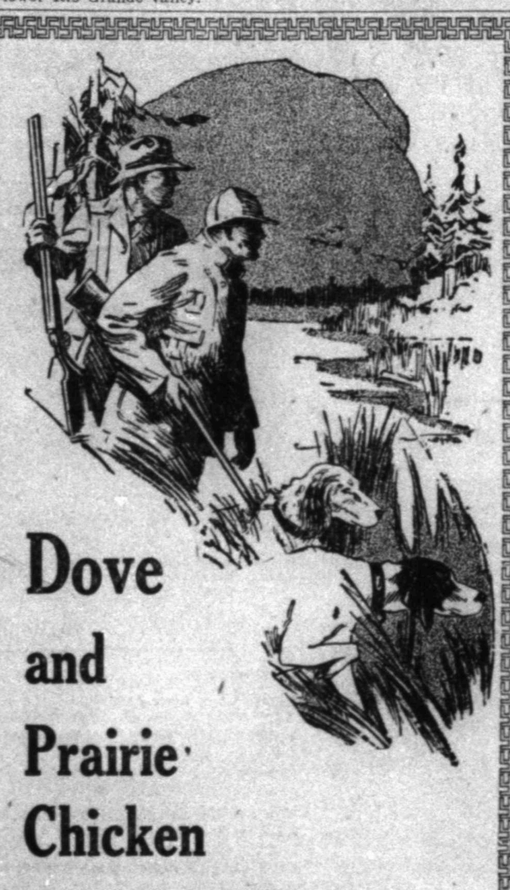

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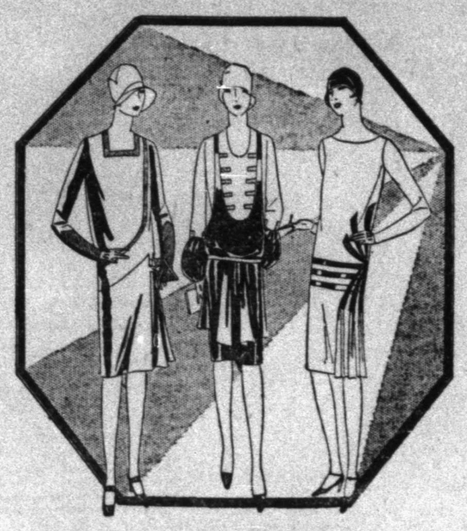

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# OIL ROYALTIES BACK ON FARM

## Farmer Uses Money For Improvements

CROWELL, Aug. 27.—By placing profits from oil royalties back on his farm, John Matus is setting a fine example for other Foard county farmers to follow should they be as fortunate as he. Mr. Matus lives about 12 miles northeast of Crowell, near Foard county's first producer, the Roxana Fain-McGaha Matthews No. 1, and received $10,000 for quarter royalty on his 160-acre farm recently. He has received a total of about $14,000 in royalties on his land since oil activities began in this section and is spending a large portion of this amount in improving his farm instead of neglecting as is commonly done in oil centers.

Nearly three-fourths of Foard county is now leased for oil and tests are going down in various sections of the county. Over 270,000 acres have been leased in the county and has averaged about four dollars per acre. Foard county's prospects of becoming a large oil field are considered very bright by geologists, however, agriculture will always be the basis of material prosperity in this section, no matter how large an oil field might result, and neglect of the agricultural industry would in all probability prove hurtful as it has in practically all other oil centers.

For that reason it is hoped that the exampe set by Mr. Matus will be followed in all parts of the county if oil developments continue and efforts among organizations all over the county will be made for agricultural development along with oil development. Frank Matthews, owner of the lease on which the first producer is located, like Mr. Matus, has not in the least neglected his farm as his clean crops and recent improvements will show. On a visit to the well one can generally find Mr. Matthews at work in his cotton field which promises a heavy yield.

## Two New Business Houses For Clarendon

CLARENDON, Aug. 26.—Two new business houses have opened their doors in Clarendon the past month. The first to open was the White Motor company agency for Chrysler cars. This company opened by Bascom White of this city will also handle gas, oil and accessories.

The second house to open was the Bryan-Miller gents furnishing store which was opened August 17 with Col. Charles Goodnight as the first customer. This store is one of the first-class business establishments of the city, occupies the south half of the newly completed Goldston building, Clarendon's most modern business structure.

Another business house will open its doors this fall in the city. The Chenault company of Wichita Falls will put in a variety and racket store and will occupy a building belonging to T. M. Little of the Little Dry Goods company.

The coming of these new businesses and buildings to Clarendon is only an evidence of the steady growth of Clarendon and the whole of the Texas Panhandle.

## Foard County Crops In Good Condition

CROWELL, Aug. 27.—Crowell has received 15.65 inches of rain since the first of the year, 4.35 inches of which has fallen so far this month. Present conditions practically assure good crops all over Foard county even though the rainfall has been slightly below normal. Heavy rains last fall have helped crop conditions much this year.

Feed crops are in splendid condition and will supply the heavy local demand with a surplus, probably larger than ever before, for shipment. The leaf worm has been reported in only a few cotton fields, however, many farmers are securing supplies of poison for protection in case the worm reaches their fields and some spraying is going on.

Most of the wheat land in the county has been prepared and has benefitted from the large amount of moisture received this month. Conditions for sowing this fall are expected to be the best that could be asked for.

## Canyon Professor Leaves For New York

CANYON, Aug. 27.—Prof. Frank R. Phillips, head of the agriculture department of the West Texas State Teachers college, left this week for New York where he will sail for Europe to make a study of agricultural and dairying conditions along the coast.

Phillips will study shorthorn cattle in England, co-operative marketing in Denmark, dairy farming in the Netherlands and Belgium, and the history of the Jersey stock on the Isle of Jersey.

Mr. Phillips is a World war veteran and will spend a few days in Paris during the American Legion convention there.


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## Bertaud With Old Glory Ready for Rome Hop

Old Glory, flown by Lloyd Bertaud, inset, and J. D. Hill, has been awaiting last-minute preparations at Curtiss Field, L. I., before attempting a non-stop flight to Rome, Italy.

## ELECTRA PERSONALS

Miss Mary Epperson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Epperson of Tioga, Texas, became the bride of Lee Roy Pouncey, at 9 o'clock Thursday night at the Baptist church, with Rev. E. M. Francis, pastor of the church, officiating.

The young couple leave Friday for Tioga to visit for a few days after which they will make their home in Seminole, Okla., where the groom is employed.

Mrs. Pouncey has made her home with Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Chunn for the past year.

The groom is the son of A. C. Pouncey of Cone, Texas.

Miss Catherine Smith entertained with four tables of 42 Thursday evening honoring Miss Lula Bell Shannon and Burl Shannon of Brownwood, at the Sid Smith home in Woodruff Heights. During the game candies were served, while at the conclusion of the evening iced watermelon was served.

The guests were Misses Letrice Wofford, Brunetta Cloninger, Leona Smith, Evelyn Smith, Mildred Francis, Leola Tunnell, Lula Bell Shannon, Juanita Alexander, Ferp Tubb, and the hostess; Messrs. Brewer Smith, Burl Shannon, Olen and Knox Smith, Pug Sanderlin, Tom Gooch of Elliott and Roscoe Luttrell of Elliott, La Verne Gilliger and Carter Hughes.

Misses Gallagher and Bohney of Dallas were special guests at the regular weekly luncheon of the Electra Lions club at the Marriott hotel, Thursday. The young ladies rendered a group of musical numbers, with Miss Gallagher, who is a talented soloist, singing several selections.

Other features of the program were comic dances by Lions Tutten and Shanafelt. Other visitors of the occasion were Erwin LeBus and Charles McGann, young business men of the city. No business of importance was taken up.

Miss Juanita White was hostess to the N. T. G. S. club at her home on East Magnolia avenue, last Monday afternoon, when a most delightful social meeting was enjoyed. At the conclusion of the evening a dainty plate luncheon was served to the following: Misses Cliffie and Jodie Mae Smith, Thelma and Odia Hudson, Edith Auldridge, Blanch Tilley and Sibel Jenkins of Waco, and the hostess. A new member will be accepted into the club next week at the meeting.

A group of young people of this city enjoyed a most delightful weiner roast at the Wichita river bridge Thursday night, when games were enjoyed until a late hour and much merriment was acquired from roasting weiners and marshmallows over a bon-fire. Those making the trip were Misses Frances Carnohan, Bernice and Winnie Sue Bishop, Odia and Thelma Hudson, Byrl Rhinehart, Melba Adams, Ruth Horn, Lucille Maroney, Mayme and Oconeta Lowe, Nina Bills, Juanita White, Jodie Mae and Cliffie Smith, Mesdames D. L. Lunsford, W. A. White and Rhinehart. Messrs. Clyde Robb, Jess Blackard, Doe Smith, Theodore Bishop, , Kinnebrue Bishop, Martin Hodges, James White, G. C. Rowe, R. E. Corley, Dewey Lunsford, Emmitt Robertson, Hayes Lowe, Millard Welch.

Little Miss Joyce Beasley, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. U. Beasley of West Ida avenue was honored on the occasion of her birthday with a very pretty party, Thursday afternoon. Games were played on the lawn and in the living room until a late hour when refreshments of soda water, ice cream cones and birthday cake were served.

A Charleston contest was held with little Miss Eleanor Ray LeBus winning the prize. The small honores received a collection of attractive gifts. Mesdames H. A. Saye, Jere Barnes and Clyde Dunn assisted Mrs. Beasley in serving the small guests.

The guest list included Anita, Eloise and L. B. Stephenson, Elizabeth, Jimmy and Jack Orr, Jacquelyn Runnels, Truman Vandeventer, Betty Joe and Doris Jean Miller, Baby Sister Miller, Reginal Simmons, Louise Cross, Virginia Mattfield, Rollo Davidson, Jr., and Joe Carter Davidson, Edward and Mary Helen McKelvey, Bonnie Lawrence, John, Jr., and Kathryn Sue Beasley, June and Loma Lee Richardson, Jr. Chilton, Claudia Mae and Mary Jo Bates, Ludame and Billie Wisdom, Charlie Bill and Mary Helen Beasley, Betty and Frances Aline Slaton, Robbie Lou Denny, Georgia Jeraldeen Barnes, Marshall Clyde Dunn, Berl Allen, Jeanette and Earnie D. Brown, Edith Hubbard, Mary Ann Keller, Betty Jo McDannald, Sammy Joy Boswell, Marie and Armilda Jane Magee, Hugh Saye, Jeraleen Ormand, Earmeine Gray, Mildred Hamer, Anna Bell and John, Jr., Daggs, Lynn Weller, David Latimer, Virginia and Reba Lois McKinnis, Ethel Marie LeBus, Dana Dale, Polly Ann Richardson, Frank, Jr., and Eleanor Ray LeBus, Joe Burks Ligon, Mary Louise Ligon, and Henry Ogden, and Juna Warden, Eddie Mae Kubola, Albertine Schulkey, H. B. Krohn, Jr., Earline Craig, Pierce Grisham, Jr., and the little honorees.

Little Miss Chrystal May, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kerby, is recovering from an injury received the early part of the week, when she sprained an ankle, while swinging.

Mrs. Luther Tinnin is confined to her bed ill.

Wayne Conway is recovering after having his tonsils removed Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Chunn leave Saturday for Austin to visit their son, Barker, who will complete his examinations this summer in the University of Texas. He will join the family for a trip before returning to Electra.

Miss Edith Auldridge is home after an extended visit spent in Waco. Miss Sybil Jenkins of Waco returned with her for a visit in this city with the Auldridge family.

Miss Juanita White is home after a visit with relatives in Quannah. Her brother, James White, spent the first part of the week in that city.

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## OLD COWBOYS AT REUNION

### Assemble On Baird Farm At Canyon

CANYON, Aug. 27.—Yesterday the cowboys of the "eighties" assembled at the C. W. Baird place, a half-mile north of Canyon, for their fourth annual reunion. A crowd of some 250 persons enjoyed the barbecue, the son-of-a-gun stew, coffee and basket dainties brought by the ladies.

The entire morning was spent in chatting among themselves and recalling memories of the early days. At 2 o'clock the program began. At the end of the program, John Arnot and Miss Laura V. Hamner were re-elected president and secretary by unanimous vote.

Among many other noted cowboys attending the reunion were Colonel Goodnight, "to whom all eyes are turned when one mentions 'the pioneer of the west'," and Dott Babb, the story of whose capture by the Comanches at the age of 12 is known to every student of Texas history.

**SALES TALK.**

Mr. Dawes says his job is an easy one. He is probably getting ready to wish it on somebody else.

Sydney, N. S. W., may add a theater to its public hospital building.

## Vernon Completes Plans For Labor Day Meet

VERNON, Aug. 27.—Plans are practically complete for the Labor day celebration to be staged in Vernon September 5 by labor organizations here. Prominent speakers, a big parade and a barbecue and basket dinner are on the program for the day's entertainment. The parade will be in charge of the Albert E. Robinson post No. 67 of the American Legion, although the general celebration is being sponsored by members of the local carpenters', painters' and barbers' unions.

C. Y. Welch of Quanah, Cecil Storey of Vernon, and Dr. Will Hogg, noted evangelist, are included on the speaking program to be held in Allingham park following the barbecue and dinner.

## Quitaque Farmer Buys Restaurant

QUITAQUE, Aug. 27.—Paul Hamilton who has been very successful in farming, one mile west of town, is now the owner of the Denver cafe that is located in the west part of town. Paul says that he has much faith in the future developments of Quitaque, and he is of the opinion that with the coming of the Denver railroad and the crop prospects that this will be a good town for most any kind of business and especially for the cafe business.

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MRS. H. E. STEARNS.

**MRS. SHARPE**

Gentlemen:

Is there any known antidote for a Record News Ad? How do you stop this thing—once it gets started? Two weeks ago, I inserted a want ad for a waitress in my Angelina Tea Room—after gaining my husband's consent to answer all calls and interview all applicants.

The first day we did not have time to attend to business for the personal and telephone calls—and the second day my husband left home. The third day we were swamped with letters from nearby towns—even though we had frantically canceled the ad after the first day.

Even this late, never a day passes that we do not have two or three calls—answering the first and only day of our classified ad in your department. Something must be done. We want to get back into our original Tea Room business. Can your repair department function in this case? Record News Ads are far reaching and just where it ends we can't say. After you employ help through such if you find they are efficient and can render such service as the public likes, the satisfied public is constantly advertising for you, such has been my experience.

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# NEW DISTRICT FOR W. T. C. C.

## Embraces 15 Counties West Of Canadian

WELLINGTON.—A new district comprehending the country west of the Canadian River and embracing a tier of some 15 counties of Northwest Texas, is to be organized by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Announcement of this plan was made by Manager Homer D. Wade of the organization during the Panhandle-North Plains district convention held at Wellington on August 25.

Over 1400 miles were covered by Manager Wade during the last week in a trip over the Panhandle territory which will be incorporated into the new division of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. This tour was made preceding the Wellington convention, and covered the following cities: Amarillo, Spearman, Perryton, Canadian, White Deer and McLean. The area inspected showed a vast acreage the majority of which is devoted to wheat growing and oil development, the temporary oil depression in the region being seemingly neutralized by excellent crop conditions and a good livestock price. Farmers throughout the country were turning under thousands of acres by tractor preparatory to planting more wheat than has ever been sown before.

The same wholesome atmosphere dispelled by the Panhandle-North Plains land to be in the confines of the new district was evident at the regional convention at Wellington where tentative plans for organizing the region were discussed. A big street parade preceded the record gathering which claimed more than 500 in attendance, with 421 official registered delegates. Some representatives travelled over 200 miles to attend the convention, among these being delegates from Portales, N. Mex.

## CHARLIE PERSONALS

CHARLIE, Aug. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard and children spent the week end with relatives in Marlow, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Graham of Henrietta visited Mrs. Graham's father, J. T. Gay, and sister, Mrs. M. W. Watkins, Saturday.

Mrs. Martha Elam of St. Joe, is here visiting the family of Joe Howard.

Mrs. J. T. Gay who has been on an extended visit with relatives at Bonham and Memphis, Texas, returned to her home here Saturday.

Mrs. Marion Dowell and children and Mrs. Clarence Meader of Wichita Falls were guests of Mrs. G. P. Edwards Thursday.

G. P. Edwards went to Marlow, Okla., last week to visit his mother who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Curington and children of Clara visited relatives here Thursday.

Mrs. Grady Holten returned last week to her home in Phoenix, Ariz., after an extended visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Lorenza Wheelis and children of Junction City, La., who have been here visiting her father, H. C. Curington, and other relatives, returned home Saturday.

J. W. Pinkerton and Franklin Allison went to Wichita Falls on business Saturday.

Mrs. Dan Street of Linsey, Okla., visited her father, H. C. Curington, and other relatives here last week.

Mrs. Will Connett and children of Petrolia were guests of her sister and father, Mrs. W. W. Watkins and Rev. J. T. Gay, Friday.

K. Bandy of Wichita Falls was in Charlie on business last week.

Mrs. Claude Copher of Chickasha, Okla., is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. W. P. Hensley, and other relatives.

Mrs. M. D. Hardwick and son, Elmer, have gone to Chickasha, Okla., for a visit with her brother, Babe Barger, and family.

Rev. Hunley of Byers was in Charlie Saturday afternoon.

George Garner of Wichita Falls was in Charlie Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Hensley of Rush Springs, Okla., is visiting Mrs. W. P. Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Pumphrey and daughter of Leedy, Okla., visited Mr. Pumphrey's sister, Mrs. W. P. Hensley, here last week.

Mr. Allen Gibbs and sons, Elmore and Allison, of Morganville, Texas, visited the families of T. W. Cunningham and J. W. Pinkerton last week.

Miss Eleanor Fleming of Wichita Falls visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. J. C. Lutrelle and daughter, Mrs. Tom Curington, and children left Wednesday to visit relatives at Granite, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black went to Wichita Falls on business Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Pinkerton and son, Franklin, spent Monday with friends in Henrietta.

Rev. H. C. Curington went to Commerce last week end to attend the Association of the Primitive Baptist church.

Mrs. Sam Leath returned Tuesday from Wichita Falls, where she was called by illness of her mother.

O. B. and Sam Leath went to Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Howard, Mrs. Rex Kemper, and Mrs. Buster Holten went to Petrolia Tuesday evening.

Miss Zelma White went to Wichita Falls Wednesday.

J. L. Black and W. W. Barger made a business trip to Dallas Thursday.

Mr. and Ms. Cook and children of Temple, Okla., attended services at the Church of Christ here Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thornton of Vernon accompanied by their niece, Miss Carrie Carlisle, of Henderson, Texas, attended the closing of the singing school here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Silvey and family and Mrs. Jodie Chapman of Henderson were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andy Silvey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Massingale of Electra were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Silvey Sunday.

Perry Thornton of Vernon who has been attending the three weeks singing school here, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Curington and daughter, Wanda Lynn, are visiting relatives in Junction City, La.

Miss Mildred Evans of Leedy, Okla., visited her aunt, Mrs. W. F. Hensley, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cherry went to Wichita Falls and Henrietta on business Tuesday.

Ernest Koen of Stinnett is here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Johnson and daughter, Miss Addie, who have been on an extended visit with relatives here, left for Anson, Texas, Wednesday.

Albey Johnson and family of Wichita Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gamble Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pronget, daughter, Dorothy, and son, Alfred, of Stratford, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arrington and son, Fred Robert, of Duncan, Okla., were guests of Mrs. Arrington's sister, Mrs. John Fleming, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming and family of Wichita Falls were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Ollee Thornton of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with relatives and friends here.

Mr. Howard Garner and Tom McClure went to Joy, Thursday, to attend the Baptist association.

The revival that had been in progress for the past twelve days at the Church of Christ here closed Tuesday evening. The Rev. Arceneaux, of San Antonio, who conducted the meeting, going from here to Anson, Texas.

### Singing School Closes

Mr. J. Daniels of Quannah closed a very successful fifteen-day singing school here Friday. Interest and attendance have been good throughout the entire school. The last day singing began at 10 o'clock. The Rev. Arceneaux of the Church of Christ made a talk on gospel singing. Blue ribbons for punctuality were given to Misses Clara, Georgia, and Lillian Ranles, Lorene McMullen, Beatrice and Merle Dell Silvey. Those for drawing to Misses Thelma Hair, Opal Minor, Lorine McMullen, Georgia Raines, Lorine Pemberton and Perry Thornton. At the noon hour lunch was spread on the ground. In the afternoon. Class songs were led by the pupils. Specials were a double quartet sung by Misses Bernice Barger, Dorothy Wallace, Lorine McMullen and Leona Matthews, Messrs. J. Daniel, Johnny Greer, Milam Holland and Flavis Greer. The closing song, "Who Will Sing for Me When I Am Gone," was led by Mr. Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edwards with the following young people went to the bridge on the Wichita river Sunday taking lunch and a feast of watermelons. Misses Dorothy Wallace, Ruby Pearl and Victoria Barger, Estelle Curington, Miss Eleanor Fleming of Wichita Falls, Messrs. John D. and Albert Fleming, Randel and Milton White, Boyd Curington, and Warner Lewis Barger.

Mrs. Louie Hellen was hostess Friday evening to the following ladies at her home just south of town. Mesdames Sam Leath, Pat Bober, S. T. White, Claude Dowdy, Joe Edwards, G. P. Edwards, H. L. Kreager. Misses Edna Leath, Mildred Baber, and Edith Jarrett of Quannah, Mrs. G. P. Edwards mother of Mrs. Hellen was guest of honor having recently returned from an extensive tour through Colorado. Mrs. Hellen served the guests with ice cream and cake.

## Teachers College Holds Final Examinations

Special to The Record News.

CANYON, Aug. 27.—Final examinations held on Friday are not the only event of interest to the summer students of the West Texas State Teachers college during the closing days of the term.

An intra-mural track meet was conducted by two upper classmen under the direction of Coach S. D. Burton, and a swimming contest was conducted by Coach Mitchell Jones at the college swimming pool.

The Physical education department for women came in for its share of attention with a program of dances in the college auditorium.

## Remodel Clarendon Public Schools

Special to The Record News.

CLARENDON, Aug. 27.—Preparatory to opening Clarendon's two new schools this fall the buildings and equipment have been remodeled and replaced. All schools of the city will open doors September 5. This will be the first year for Clarendon Junior high school, which will occupy the old high school building, as well as the first of operation of the Clarendon Municipal Junior college, which will occupy the buildings of the former Clarendon Methodist college. Three years of high school work will also be in the college buildings in connection wit hthe college.

One of the more important changes will be the making of the college administration building basement into a gymnasium providing space for lockers, athletic rooms and shower baths for both boys and girls. Together with the equipment already on hand for home economics will be added the equipment taken over from the college when it was acquired by the local board. With college equipment at the disposal of both high school and college, Clarendon students will be especially well provided for along educational lines.

## Plan to Organize Olney Orchestras

Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, Aug. 27. — Plans are being made to have orchestras organized both in the high and ward schools, as a follow-up of last year's orchestra and glee club program in the high school.

T. W. Thomason, who has been elected to a position in the ward schools, played the cornet lead in the Simmons University Cowboy band last year, and has done orchestra work both in Abilene and in Denton, where he attended school this summer. He is expected to become a determining factor in the orchestra work of the high school.

For the ward school orchestra the faculty is looking to Miss Hanna Purdy, a member of the faculty of the South Ward school, who also played in the Cowboy band, and worked with the College Symphony orchestra at Abilene.

## Miss Ladd Appointed Vernon Sponsor

VERNON, Aug. 27.—Miss Maudie Ladd has been appointed as sponsor for Vernon in the all-West Texas reception committee to greet Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, trans-Atlantic flyer, when he visits Abilene next month on his tour of the country in the interest of aviation. Col. Lindbergh will visit Abilene in his famous ship, "Spirit of St. Louis on September 26.

POOR SUBSTITUTE.

Billboards are what might be called synthetic scenery.

## Pour One-Mile Concrete On Gulf Highway

VERNON, Aug. 27.—Approximately one mile of concrete has been poured on the Colorado-Gulf highway back to Harrold, according to County Engineer John B. Nabers. The J. P. Foty Construction company hopes to complete the 2.45 miles remaining on the final stretch between September 15 and 20, Mr. Nabers said. The work of paving the last gap in the highway from a point midway between Oklaunion and Harrold back to Harrold was started on August 12, but work has been frequently delayed due to rains and shut downs caused by breaks in the equipment.

The Foty company will rush the job to completion and is now working 10 hours a day when the weather will permit, Mr. Nabers stated. Wednesday 763 feet of concrete was poured. The final gap in the 52-mile paved road to Wichita Falls over highway No. 5 will not be open to the public before October 20, as the road must season 28 days before it is open to the traffic. However, a portion of the road beyond Oklaunion may be opened soon in order to shorten the detour.

## Cotton Picking At Quitaque Late

QUITAQUE, Aug. 27.—It will be some time before cotton picking will be general here, on account of the lateness of the bulk of the crop. The plant is growing and fruiting satisfactorily, however, and with favorable seasons from now on a fully good crop is expected.

Both the boll worm and leaf worm are doing some damage in this locality, but neither have become general as yet and it is thought that but very little damage will be done here if the hot and dry weather continues.

## Chillicothe Field Day Monday

CHILLICOTHE, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—Annual field day at the Chillicothe experiment station will be held Monday, it was announced today by Superintendent J. Roy Quinby. A chicken barbecue will be served the guests through the co-operation of the Chillicothe chamber of commerce.

## Childress Calf Wins Grand Championship

CHILDRESS, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—A calf off of the Gourd ranch owned by Crews Brothers won the grand championship over all breeds at the Illinois state fair, according to message received here. The calf won in a class of 55 calves.

King Alfonso of Spain has become a stamp collector.

## County Agent Writes Report On Olney

Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, Aug. 27.—County Agent Hal eworking under the extension service department of the United States department of agriculture, has written a report of the crop conditions over the county. Mr. Hale, in the course of his work, covers the agricultural sections of the county thoroughly and being an expert in the line gives an opinion which should carry some weight. His reports read as follows:

"The outlook for a banner crop year in Young county is very promising at this time. The cotton, which is two weeks more advanced than usual, promises an excellent yield unless a heavy infestation of weevils or boll worms occurs.

"There have been very little damage from these insects, except in the southern and eastern sections of the county. The cotton along the river has suffered some damage and reports in infestations have come from the Jean and Loving districts.

## Quitaque Schools Will Open September 12

Special to The Record News.

QUITAQUE, Aug. 27.—The Quitaque public schools will open September 12, as was announced by Prof. A. L. Kelsay, the principal. All children are expected to report at their respective rooms on that day, and classes will be arranged on that day.

The city school boundaries and tutitions will be the same this year as last, a great school year is expected with the co-operation that prevailed last year to be present this school year, it is hoped.

A splendid year is being looked forward to.

The faculty for the Quitaque independent school is composed of the followin gteachers: High school teachers, G. W. Dowell, superintendent; A. L. Kelsey, principal; Mrs. G. W. Dowell and Mrs. A. L. Kelsey. Seventh grade teacher, Miss opal Cross of Canyon; sixth grade teacher, Miss Jewell Cantrell of Tulia; fifth grade teacher, Miss Edyth Ross of Kearnes; fourth grade teacher, Miss Vista Kooker, San Antonio; third grade teacher, Miss Conna Davis, Abilene; second grade teacher, Miss Irene Hall, Tulia, and Miss Zelma Shackelford will teach the first grades.

## New Quarters For Chillicothe Postoffice

CHILLICOTHE, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—Sealed proposals for new quarters for the Chillicothe postoffice will be received until September 10, said Postoffice Inspector A. S. Page of Fort Worth who was in Chillicothe. The receipts of the local office have gained heavily for five years and enlarged quarters are needed.

Nearly 10,000 houses are being built at Dageheir, England.

## First Tolbert Cotton Bale Brings 22 1-2 Cents

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Aug. 27.—The first bale of 1927 cotton sold in Tolbert brought 22 1-2 cents per pound. The bale was produced by F. H. Coburn on the J. W. Dockery farm immediately east of Tolbert, and was sold to T. A. Gilchrist. It weighed 460 pounds and was ginned Wednesday.

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Presented in gleaming black patent, Fall's favored mode, at a very low price .....$5.95

Done in lustrous black satin, smart for Autumn wear .....$5.95

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NEW Silks

For Autumn Frocks

Crepe Satin $2.98

The mode for fall calls for crepe satin, both sides of which are used. Saul's selection includes black, navy, dark green, medow pink, new blues and tans.

FINE CHIFFON VELVET, $4.98

Two 40-inch silks, for which Saul's is famous, in all the newest shades for Fall wear.

FLAT CREPE AND GEORGETTE, $1.85

Very smart for Fall wear. Shown in black, navy and brown.

EXTRA HEAVY GEORGETTE, $2.98

The new extra heavy georgette, a wonderful material for dresses.

NEW School Frocks

A Special Purchase

On Sale Monday at a Very Low Price ... $1.19

They have just arrived—a shipment of girls' school dresses that were bought at a price, and will be sold at a price! Pretty little ginghams, prints and plaids for girls aged 7 to 14. Select yours early.

BALCONY—SAUL'S

NEW Boys' Knickers

New Styles and Fabrics for School Wear

$2.25 Others $2.95, $3.95

Boys like knickers like these—golf style and made of new woolen in Fall colors. And mothers appreciate the low price. A large assortment for boys, ages 6 to 10 years.

NEW Men's Hats

New Shapes for Fall

$5 $6

And up to $8

"Time For a Felt"

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# SPORTING NEWS — THE RECORD NEWS — FIRST ACCURATE COMPLETE

## SHIPPERS FAIL TO HALT SPUDS

### Swenson and Fitzgerald Get Homers

BEAUMONT, Aug. 27. (Sp.) — The Spudders Started a slugging fest in the sixth frame this afternoon and took the second straight game from Beaumont by 9 to 5, giving Fred Fussell credit for his 21st victory.

The outcome looked gloomy for the Spudders until Benton hit a single in the sixth after Turgeon had received a free base. Lamb then flied one to left and Griffin, batting for Jenkins, singled to right, scoring Turgeon and sending Benton to third. Swenson popped to first and Lafayette doubled to right, scoring Benton and sending Griffin to third. J. Cobb's double to left scored Griffin and Lafayette. Fussell grounded out to second.

Beaumont's first marker was made in the second by Watkins, who, after walking, went in on a sacrifice and a single. Dorman scored in the third, having doubled and gone home on Odom's triple to the right. Watkins flied to Fitzgerald, Odom scoring after the catch. Connolly gave Beaumont a fourth score with a circuit drive in the fifth. Herring chalked up the fifth run in the eighth, having singled and scored after Shaw flied to Fitzgerald and C. Robertson, batting for Darrough, singled through center.

Wichita Falls copped five more runs in the eighth. Swenson hit one over the left field fence, scoring Griffin, who beat out an infield hit. Cobb doubled to left, Doty's low throw to first let Fussell on and gave Cobb third. Fitzgerald hit a home run, scoring Cobb and Fussell ahead of himself.

| WICHITA F— | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fitzgerald, cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Turgeon, 2b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Benton, ss | 4 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Lamb, rf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jenkins, lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Griffin x-lf | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Swenson, 3b | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| LaFayette, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Cobb, c | 5 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 0 |
| Fussell, p | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 39 | 9 | 11 | 27 | 10 | 0 |

xBatted for Jenkins in 6th.

| BEAUMONT— | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dorman, 3b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Connolly, 2b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Odom, rf | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Watkins, cf | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Herring, lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 |
| Doty, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Shaw, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Darrough, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| Ketchum, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| C. Robertson xx | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 5 | 10 | 27 | 13 | 3 |

xxBatted for Darrough in 8th.

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|---|---|
| Wichita Falls | 000 004 050—9 |
| Beaumont | 012 010 010—5 |

Home runs, Swenson, Fitzgerald, Connolly. Three-base hits, Odom. Two-base hits, Lamb, LaFayette, Cobb 2, Dorman. Sacrifice, Turgeon, Watkins 2. Stolen base, Doty. Hits and runs off Darrough 9 and 9 in 8 innings. Struck out by Fussell 7; by Darrough 1. Bases on balls off Fussell 4; off Darrough 3; off Ketchum 1. Interference with batter, Shaw. Left on bases, Wichita Falls 9; Beaumont 8. Umpires Kane and Daly. Time 1:50.

**SANTONE 13; DALLAS 6**

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27. (AP)—Working on three pitchers the Bears accumulated 20 hits to win the second straight game of the Dallas series Saturday 13 to 6 after the Steers had a two-run lead until the fifth inning. The Bruins got to Tiny Owens in the fifth inning when he was relieved by Kent, a youngster from the Lone Star league, who filled the bases and forced in a run with a walk, after which Dickie Shuman took the hill and temporarily checked the landslide.

| DALLAS. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Morse s | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Mulvey cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Diester r | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Bagwell 1 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Riley 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| Tate 3 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Baumn 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 0 |
| Berry c | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Owens p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Knott p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shuman p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 6 | 24 | 12 | | |

| SAN ANTONIO | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hthrely 1 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Harris s | 5 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Philbin 2 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Moos 1 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 14 | 0 |
| Klein r | 5 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Najo cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Giles l | 5 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Arsatti c | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Newms p | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 46 | 20 | 27 | 12 | | |

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|---|---|
| Dallas | 202 003 529—6 |
| San Antonio | 101 080 21x—13 |

Summary—Runs, Morse, Mulvey, Diester, Bagwell 2, Riley, Hetherly, Harris, Philbin 2, Moos 4, Klein, Giles, Arsatti, Newman. Errors, Morse, Diester, Bagwell, Riley, Tate, Newman. Two-base hits, Bagwell, Moos, Philbin 2, Klein, Arsatti, Hetherly, Harris. Three-base hit, Riley. Stolen base, Moos. Sacrifice, Berry. Struck out, Newman 1, Owens 1, Knott 1. Base on balls off Newman 8, Owens 1, Knott 4, Shuman 1. Losing pitcher, Owens. Left on bases, Dallas 4, San Antonio 15. Double plays, Harris to Moos, Hetherly, Philbin, Moos. Wild pitches, Newman, Shuman. Pitching record, 7 runs, 10 hits off Owens in 4 1-3, 2 runs, 2 hits off Knott in 1-3. Time, 2:05. Umpires, Hill and Erwin.

**CATS 12, CUBS 7.**

WACO, Aug. 27. (AP)—Jakie Atz' Fort Worth Cats continued their mauling tactics here today and coupled with Elliott's wildness took their second straight contest from the Waco Cubs, 12 to 7. The locals started off by scoring three runs off Sullivan, including a home run by West with Edington on base. In the Cats' half of the second hits, walks and a home run by Lindimore scored six runs, West hit for the circuit twice and Edington, Windle and Lindimore one each. The score:

| FORT WORTH. | AB | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| E Mre cf | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Ladmre 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Richdson 3 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 0 |
| Sweeny c | 4 | 3 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Holland r | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith c | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Bonwitz 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Lewis s | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Sullvan p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 39 | 13 | 27 | 11 | 0 |

| WACO. | AB | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Windle s | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Edington l | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| West cf | 4 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Pratt 2 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Bickrby r | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Shires 1 | 4 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 0 |
| Vigare 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Murphy c | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Elliott p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Freese p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 8 | 27 | 17 | 2 |

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|---|---|
| Fort Worth | 062 001 201—12 |
| Waco | 300 020 020—7 |

Summary—Runs, R. Moore, Lindimore, Richardson, Sweeny 2, Holland 2, Bonowitz, Lewis 2, Sullivan, Windle, Edington 2, West 2, Blackerby, Freese. Errors, None. Two-base hits, Sweeney, Lewis 2, Richardson. Home runs, West 2, Windle, Lindimore, Edington. Left on bases, Fort Worth 5, Waco 6. Double plays, Pratt to Windle to Shires, Pratt to Windle, Stolen bases, Blackerby, Shires, E. Moore. Base on balls off Elliott 2, Freese 1. Struck out, Freese 2, Sullivan 1. Pitchers' records: 6 runs, 5 hits off Elliott in 4 2-3. Losing pitcher, Elliott. Three-base hit, Holland. Sacrifice, Bonowitz 2. Time, 1:55. Umpires, Grigg and Gaddy.

## State to Buy $50,000 Worth of Paint

AUSTIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—Around $50,000 worth of paint will be contracted for by the state highway department early in September, it was announced today.

## THEY HOW. STAND

**TEXAS LEAGUE**
**Saturday's Games**

WICHITA FALLS, 9; Beaumont, 4.
Fort Worth, 12; Waco, 7.
Dallas, 6; San Antonio, 13.
Shreveport, 3; Houston, 5.

**Standings**

| | G. | W. | L. | Pct. | B'h'd |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| WICHITA F | 128 | 89 | 50 | .635 | — |
| Houston | 128 | 77 | 61 | .558 | 11 |
| Waco | 128 | 74 | 64 | .536 | 14 |
| Fort Worth | 128 | 70 | 68 | .507 | 18 |
| Dallas | 128 | 66 | 72 | .478 | 22 |
| Shreveport | 128 | 65 | 76 | .471 | 24½ |
| San Antonio | 128 | 61 | 78 | .439 | 27½ |
| Beaumont | 127 | 51 | 86 | .372 | 36½ |

**Sunday's Schedule**

WICHITA FALLS at Beaumont.
Fort Worth at Waco.
Shreveport at Houston.
Dallas at San Antonio.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**
**Saturday's Games.**

Washington 1; Chicago 6.
New York 14; St. Louis 4.
Philadelphia 4; Detroit 7.
Boston 2; Cleveland 9.

**Standings.**

| Clubs— | G. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 123 | 86 | 37 | .699 |
| Philadelphia | 123 | 70 | 53 | .569 |
| Detroit | 120 | 68 | 52 | .567 |
| Washington | 122 | 66 | 56 | .541 |
| Chicago | 122 | 58 | 64 | .475 |
| Cleveland | 123 | 55 | 68 | .447 |
| St. Louis | 120 | 47 | 84 | .493 |
| Boston | 121 | 37 | 84 | .306 |

**Sunday's Schedule.**

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

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**
**Saturday Games.**

Chicago 1-10, Philadelphia 2-6.
All other games rained out.

**Standings.**

| Clubs— | G. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 120 | 79 | 47 | .808 |
| St. Louis | 125 | 67 | 48 | .582 |
| Pittsburgh | 117 | 68 | 49 | .581 |
| New York | 119 | 67 | 52 | .563 |
| Cincinnati | 117 | 52 | 65 | .444 |
| Boston | 116 | 50 | 66 | .431 |
| Brooklyn | 119 | 51 | 68 | .428 |
| Philadelphia | 121 | 44 | 77 | .364 |

**Sunday's Schedule.**

St. Louis at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Only games scheduled.

**SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.**
**Saturday Games.**

Mobile 1; Atlanta 2.
Chattanooga 3; Nashville 14.
Memphis 8; Little Rock 5.
New Orleans 7; Birmingham 10.

**Standings.**

| CLUBS— | G. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Birmingham | 121 | 81 | 40 | .618 |
| New Orleans | 133 | 78 | 55 | .586 |
| Memphis | 132 | 75 | 57 | .571 |
| Nashville | 129 | 72 | 57 | .558 |
| Atlanta | 128 | 62 | 66 | .484 |
| Mobile | 133 | 60 | 73 | .451 |
| Chattanooga | 134 | 52 | 82 | .388 |
| Little Rock | 134 | 47 | 87 | .351 |

**Sunday's Schedule.**

Birmingham at New Orleans. (Two games).
Chattanooga at Nashville.
Little Rock at Memphis.
Only games scheduled.

## They All Look Alike, Says Clyde

### Texas No Stronger Than Aggies, Rice Or S. M. U.

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—"All football teams in the Southwest conference this year are just about on equal terms in strength and prospects and Texas looks no better than S. M. U., A. & M., Rice or the others," said Clyde Littlefield, University of Texas football coach, in discussing the 1927 season. Littlefield has just returned from his vacation and is getting everything ready for the opening of his first year as head coach at the university.

"Texas must develop new men for several important positions," he said. "For instance, we have no proven punter, passer, kick-off man or place-kicker. New men will play both of the end positions.

**Watch Baldwin**

"Strength of other positions will depend on the condition in which Co-Captain Ox Higgins, Leo Baldwin, Johnnie Estes, and Eddie Beuler, who were crippled by leg injuries last year return. If they come back in good shape, that will help make us.

"Good material in track makes a good team, but football is different," Littlefield said. "It takes something else to make a football team. I had the best high school football team I have ever seen once. I could beat any high school football team in Texas with it today. Its success did not depend as much on the material as on the support it got.

There are three things that I believe football players must be taught. They are knowledge of the strategy of the game, knowledge of the fundamentals and familiarity with the rules.

**Got to Keep "Heads Up"**

"To learn the strategy of the game, the men must watch every play in the games and know why they are good or bad. None of my players can have his head under a blanket while the game is going on.

"We drilled on the fundamentals in the spring and we are going to work hard on them this fall. I have sent each player a rule book so they can learn the rules.

"Sucess of a team sometimes depends on how well it is taken care of. Accidents can ruin a good team.

**Schedule Advantage**

"Texas appears to have a slight schedule disadvantage, playing both S. M. U. and A. & M., two of the strongest teams away from home.

"Much will depend on the play of Linesman Jack Cowley of Blossom, Nono Rees, Mac Burnett and Frank Cheatham of San Antonio, Co-Captain Ox Higgins, Gordy Brown and Harry Phillips of Dallas, Ike Sewell of Wills Point, Steve Wray of Donna, Herb Tigner and Cotton Mobley of Houston, Coleman Cox of Longfellow, B. R. McLemore of Beaumont, Pottie McCollough and Balis Earle of Waco, Charlie Reynolds, Charles Adleta, Ben Whitsell, Theron Willbanks and Holly McLemore and backs, Co-Captain Rufus King of Austin, Joe King, Johnnie Estes, Big 'Un Rose, and Bill Ford of Dallas, Eddie Buelar of Beaumont, Potsy Allen of Luling and Tommie Hughes of Texarkana."

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## RUTH KNOCKS 41ST HOMER

### Yanks Trounce Browns By 14 to 4 Score

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27. (AP)—The Yankees had no difficulty in disposing of the Browns today by 14 to 4, marking the sixteenth straight defeat for St. Louis at the hands of the Hugmen this year. Thus far the St. Louisians have not won a single game from the leaders. Babe Ruth, Combs and Meusel hit homers, Ruth's coming in the eighth with one on off Pitcher Nevers. It was his forty-first of the season and gave him a one-run shade over Gehrig. The score:

| NEW YORK. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Combs cf | 6 | 4 | 6 | 0 |
| Koenig s | 5 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| Ruth l | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Gehrig 1 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 1 |
| Meusel r | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Lazzeri 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Dugas 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Wera 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Collins c | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Hoyt p | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | 39 | 15 | 27 | 13 |

| ST. LOUIS. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| O'Rrke 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Rice r | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Bisler 1 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 2 |
| Willms 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| E Miller cf | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Melillo 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Dixon c | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Gerber s | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| O Miller x | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Jones p | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Nevers p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ballou p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stewart p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 Bennett | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 Schang | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 10 | 27 | 17 |

1Batted for Jones in fourth.
2Batted for Ballou in eighth.
xDixon awarded first base on interference by Collins.

| | |
|---|---|
| New York | 003 213 140—14 |
| St. Louis | 100 000 030—4 |

Summary—Runs, Combs 3, Koenig 2, Ruth 3, Gehrig, Meusel, Lazzeri, Hoyt 2, O'Rourke, Williams, E. Miller, Melillo. Errors, E. Miller. Two-base hits, Koenig, Gehrig, Combs, E. Miller, Melillo, Dixon. Three-base hit, Ruth. Home runs, Combs, Ruth, Meusel. Sacrifices, Williams, Ruth. Stolen base, Gehrig. Double plays, Melillo (unrelated), Koenig to Lazzeri to Gehrig. Hit by pitcher, by Hoyt (O'Rourke.) Base on balls, off Jones 5, off Hoyt 4, off Nevers 4. Struck out, by Jones 1, by Hoyt 1. Hits, off Jones 4 in 4 innings, off Nevers 9 in 3, (none out in eighth), off Ballou none in 1, off Stewart 2 in 1. Left on bases, St. Louis 10, New York 8. Losing pitcher, Jones.

**MACKS BUMP TIGERS.**

DETROIT, Aug. 27. (AP)—The Athletics after trailing the Tigers for three innings today staged a ninth inning rally driving in three runs to win, 8 to 7. The Athletics' victory placed them in second place. Smith, relief pitcher for Detroit, drove out a home run in the sixth inning. The score:

| PHILADELPHIA. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bishop 3 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 2 |
| Hale s | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| French r | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Cobb cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Cchrane c | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Dykes 1 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| Wheat l | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Boley s | 3 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| Ehmke p | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Jhnson p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowers p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Walberg p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 Fox | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 Collins | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 37 | 11 | 27 | 10 |

| DETROIT. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warner 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Neun 1 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 1 |
| Ohrnberger 2 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| Hlmann r | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Manush cf | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Fthrgill l | 2 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| McMns s | 4 | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Shea, c | 3 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Billings p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Smith p | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Stoner p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 Wingo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 9 | 27 | 9 |

1Batted for Ehmke in sixth.
2Batted for Johnson in eighth.
3Batted for Billings in fourth.

| | |
|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 000 000 203—5 |
| Detroit | 200 221 00x—7 |

Summary—Runs, Bishop, Cobb 2, Cochrane 2, Dykes, Wheat, Boley, Neun, Ohrnberger, Heilmann, Fothergill, McManus, Shea. Errors, Warner, Gehringer, Shea. Two-base hits, Shea, Dykes, Heilmann, McManus. Three-base hits, Wheat, Boley, Shea, Cobb. Home run, Smith. Stolen bases, Cochrane. Sacrifices, Fothergill, Wingo. Double plays, McManus to Neun, Neun, McManus to Neun, Boley to Bishop to Dykes. Left on base, Philadelphia 5, Detroit 7. Base on balls, off Billings 3, Ehmke 6, Johnson 1, Smith 2. Struck out by Billings 1, Ehmke 2, Smith 1. Hits off Ehmke 7 in 5, Johnson 3 in 2, Powers 1 in 1, Walberg none in 1, Billings 6 in 4, Smith 4 in 4 2-3, Stoner 1 in 1-3. Wild pitch, Ehmke. Winning pitcher, Powers. Losing pitcher, Smith.

**INDIANS DOWN SOX.**

CLEVELAND, Aug. 27. (AP)—Cleveland shot its winning streak to seven consecutive games today when it downed Boston, 9 to 2. For three innings, Rommel and Wiltse held their adversaries scoreless then things began to pop. Boston scored one and Cleveland back with two and repeated for two more in the fifth. In the sixth they clouted Southpaw Wiltse from the box and Wingfield, who replaced him, was batted even harder, Cleveland scoring four runs in the seventh. The score:

| BOSTON. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rthrock s | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| Tobin 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Flagstd cf | 3 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Myer 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Regan 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 |
| Rhner l | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Todt 1 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Hfmann c | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Moore c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Wiltse p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wgfield p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 Rollings | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 4 | 24 | 14 |

| CLEVELAND. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jamson 1 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| Fonseca 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| Summa r | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Burns l | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Sewll s | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Hdlin 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Schrodt cf | 4 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Sutzke c | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Hudlin p | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Totals | 35 | 11 | 27 | 15 |

1Batted for Wiltse in seventh.

| | |
|---|---|
| Boston | 000 100 100—2 |
| Cleveland | 000 221 40x—9 |

Summary—Runs, Myer, Shaner, Jamieson 2, Fonseca 2, Summa, Burns 2, Sewell, Hudlin. Errors, Rothrock 2, Myer, Hudlin. Two-base hits, Regan, Rothrock, Jamieson. Three-base hit, Fonseca. Sacrifices, Hofmann, J. Sewell. Double plays, Rothrock, Regan, Todt. Regan, Rothrock to Todt. Left on base, Boston 6, Cleveland 4. Base on balls, off Wiltse 1, Hudlin 2. Struck out, by Wiltse 1, Hits off Wiltse 11 in 6, Wingfield 5 in 2. Hit by pitcher, by Hudlin (Flagstead). Losing pitcher, Wiltse.

**LYONS BEATS SENATORS.**

CHICAGO, Aug. 27. (AP)—Ted Lyons held Washington to four scattered hits today while Chicago bunched hits off Hadley to win the first game of the series off the Senators, 6 to 1.

Flaskamper's error in the ninth inning helped Washington to its lone run. Lyons also led the attack of the White Sox with two doubles and a walk in three times up and he scored half of the White Sox runs. The score:

| WASHINGTON. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rice r | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Harris 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Speakr cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Goslin l | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Judge 1 | 4 | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| Ruel c | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Bluege 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Reeves s | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Hadley p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 1 Tate | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Burke p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 4 | 24 | 17 |

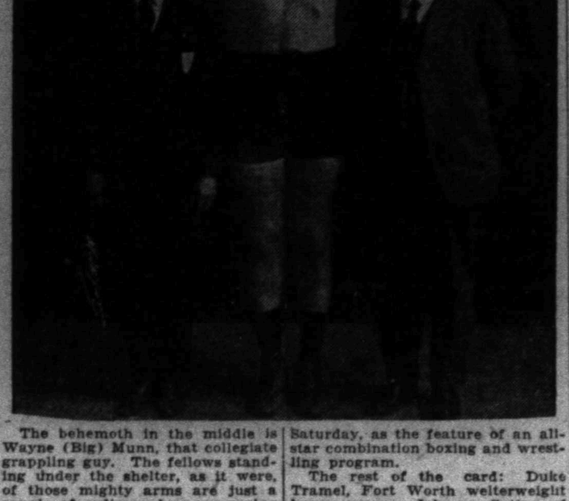
| CHICAGO. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Flskper s | 4 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Kamm 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| Metzler cf | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Barrett r | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Falk l | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Ward 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Clancy 1 | 4 | 0 | 17 | 1 |
| Crouse c | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Lyons p | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Totals | 32 | 10 | 27 | 13 |

1Batted for Hadley in eighth.

| | |
|---|---|
| Washington | 000 000 001—1 |
| Chicago | 002 031 00x—6 |

Summary—Runs, Harris, Flaskamper, Metzler, Barrett, Lyons 3. Errors, Flaskamper. Two-base hits, Lyons 2, Flaskamper 2, Kamm, Barrett. Three-base hit, Bluege. Stolen base, Ward. Sacrifice, Flaskamper. Base on balls, off Hadley 2, Lyons 1. Struck out by Hadley 3, Lyons 2. Hits off Hadley 16 in 7 innings, Burke none in 1.

## Mastodon of Mat Shows Here Labor Day



The behemoth in the middle is Wayne (Big) Munn, that collegiate grappling guy. The fellows standing under the shelter, as it were, of those mighty arms are just a couple of ordinary humans posing with the mastiff of the mat just by way of displaying how much more along elephantine lines is stacked up this Mr. Munn than is the average person.

Munn meets Mike Zarnovich in a finish match at the Ross wrestling stadium the evening of Labor Day, Matchmaker A. B. Ross announced Saturday, as the feature of an all-star combination boxing and wrestling program.

The rest of the card: Duke Tramel, Fort Worth welterweight boxer, versus Johnny Sutton of San Antonio, 10 rounds. Kid Pancho, San Angelo junior welterweight, versus Spike Steward of Wichita Falls, six rounds boxing. Leo Voss, Wichita Falls bantam, versus Harley Foster, Little Rock, six rounds boxing. Kenneth Adams versus Jhonny Voss, lightweights, four rounds boxing.

## *Check Another For The Book By The Noble Mr. Champion Tunney*

By HERBERT WESTEN
Universal Service Staff Correspondent.

SPECULATOR, N. Y., Aug. 27.—The quick witted Gene Tunney has his whole camp chuckling over the success of his subterfuge to escape the crowds which are constantly heckling him.

Tunney is far too retiring to live up to the popular conception of how a world's heavyweight champion pugilist should act. As a result his big problem, even up here in this isolated mountain retreat, has been to devise ways of escaping handshakers.

Although his cottage is not more than 200 yards from the hotel where he eats, Tunney cannot come along the road to get his meals without a dozen automobiles stopping and their occupants leaping panting from behind the wheel to pump his hand and ply him with foolish questions. Most of them don't know how to pronounce his name and care less. All they want is to show friend wife, who is sitting pop-eyed in the car, just what big boys they are now and later to impress their friends with the hand that shook the hand of John Arthur Tunney.

To some champions this is music, but to Tunney it is just a nuisance.

As a result, three days ago, without telling any one, Gene invited his friend, John Garfield, a Cleveland millionaire and grandson of the late president, into camp. Garfield doesn't follow out the popular conception of the wealthy business man. He looks more like a wealthy pugilist. In fact he looks near enough like Tunney to be mistaken for him.

The champion hid Garfield away in his cottage, made him strip down and change into Gene's clothes. Then to add the final touch, Tunney turned over the precious maroon sweater which he has been wearing all summer and which can be seen a mile off on field or stream.

After surveying his creation with no little satisfaction, Gene himself slipped into an old pair of trousers and an inconspicuous colored sweater. He then turned Garfield loose to the lionizers. To make it good, Tunney walked quietly and unrecognized out of his cottage first. Garfield followed in the maroon sweater. Tunney turned and with a wave of his hand shouted "hello Gene" at the unfortunate Mr. Garfield and the mob rushed at him. Gene slipped quietly down the road unhonored and unsung.

There was no work-out today. Tunney had arranged to spend a quiet day picnicking in the woods with friends. At the last moment, however, a tribe of newspaper photographers descended on the camp and the day was lost. They photographed the champion chopping wood, standing on his head and playing tennis, all of which the champion never does.

Jimmy De Forrest, Jack Dempsey's former trainer is the latest arrival in camp. He has not seen Gene work out yet and will not until Monday. De Forrest, however, brings word, that in his opinion, Dempsey's legs are gone and 25 per cent of his punching power will be missing in the Chicago fight.

## S. M. U. Gridsters Already On Job

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Coach Ray Morrison of Southern Methodist university will make a discovery when he herds his bunch of football eligibles in for S. M. U. training camp on Sept. 10.

He'll find that the lads who hope to again take a conference championship this year, have been "thinking" football for some time.

Morrison has been in the Carolinas at a boys' camp since the close of the Rockne-Meanwell coaching school at S. M. U. in June. He stopped off for a visit to his father at McKenzie, Tenn., and is expected at Mustang quarters by Sept. 1.

With Gerald Mann, 1927 co-captain as host, some 30 men, including eligibles from last year's frosh team, and those who are practically assured positions in the 1927 regular lineup, sat at dinner a couple of Sundays ago and discussed Mustang chances on the basis of the 1927 schedule. The talk-fest started football thought and it is predicted that Morrison will see results therefrom the very minute the men are put through the first jumps of training.

The Brown outfield is going to barnstorm this fall. The way St. Louis played this year the fans will probably do a little storming themselves.

Jack Kearns has become Harry Wills' manager. Now both of them can talk over what a bad actor this fellow Jack Dempsey is.

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## PHILS SPLIT WITH CUBS

### Peslsy Tailenders Divide With Leaders

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27. (AP)—The tail-end Phillies proved as pesky as ever for the Cubs this afternoon by forcing the league leaders to divide a double-header. The Phillies won the first game behind Ulrich's fine pitching by a score of 2 to 1 and lost the second after ten innings, 10 to 6.

Percy Jones, who went to Bush's rescue with the bases filled in the eighth inning of the first game, issued a pass that forced the winning run over the plate. Charley Root acted in the rescue role in both games and by pitching the last four innings of the second contest hung up his 24th victory of the season. The score:

**FIRST GAME:**

| CHICAGO. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adams 2 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| English s | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| Webb r | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| L Wisn cf | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Stphan 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Grimm 1 | 4 | 0 | 9 | 2 |
| Hrtnett c | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| Yyter 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Hthcte | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bush p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Jones p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Root p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 7 | 24 | 15 |

| PHILADELPHIA. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Spilding 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Sand s | 4 | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Willms r | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Wstone 1 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| Leach cf | 2 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Mokan cf | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Wilson c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Thpson 2 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 2 |
| Friberg 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| Ulrich p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 9 | 27 | 9 |

1Batted for Yoter in ninth.

| | |
|---|---|
| Chicago | 010 000 000—1 |
| Philadelphia | 000 001 01x—2 |

Summary—Runs, Wilson, Sand, Williams. Errors, Hartnett. Double plays, Adams, English and Grimm. English, Adams and Grimm. Left on base, Chicago 7, Philadelphia 4. Base on balls off Bush 3, off Jones 1, off Ulrich 1. Struck out, by Bush 3, Root 1, Ulrich 2. Hits, off Bush 9 in 7 1-3, Jones none in none, pitched to one batter, off Root none in 2-3 inning. Hit by pitcher, by Bush (Leach.) Losing pitcher, Bush.

**SECOND GAME:**

| CHICAGO. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adms 2-3 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 5 |
| English s | 5 | 2 | 2 | 7 |
| F Scott s | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| L Wisn cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Stphson 1 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Grimm 1 | 5 | 4 | 11 | 2 |
| Gonzles c | 5 | 2 | 5 | 1 |
| Yster 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 Hrtnett | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Benk 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brlihrt p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Root p | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 44 | 15 | 30 | 16 |

| PHILADELPHIA. | AB. | H. | O. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thpson 2 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 6 |
| Sand s | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5 |
|

# SPORTING NEWS — THE RECORD NEWS — FIRST ACCURATE COMPLETE

## Gardner Maker Of Flag Machine, Carl Chauffeur

### Real Credit For Wichita Falls Copping Pennant Goes To J. Alvin and Lee Wilson With Team Manager Next

BY BLONDY CROSS

Fort Worth won six consecutive pennants. Why?

Forgetting Joe Pate, Paul Wachtel, Ziggy Sears, Lefty Johns and other cogs in those championship machines, if you asked the average fan who copped for cowtown he would tell you JAKE ATZ. All right, sir, fine and dandy. Jake's due a lot of credit. But the REAL pennant winner was one Paul A. LaGrave, the man who pulled the purse strings, the man who stepped out and dickered, swapped and swore, bought and sold until he could place on the field for J. Atz a winning combination. Credit where it belongs.

Wichita Falls has won a pennant. At least, no team ever got any nearer to winning a pennant than the Spudders of 1927.

Who won for Wichita Falls. Everybody will tell you Carl Williams. All right, all right, Carl Williams is a fine fellow. He's a "wonder" and all that. Certainly knows how to keep his pitchers working effectively. Large credit to Carlos, the Old Trojan.

But lissen, gents, the REAL winner of that 1927 Texas league gonfalon is none other than Jabez Alvin Gardner, not only the man who pulled the purse strings, but the man with the purse.

And, oh yes, let us not overlook your friend Lee Wilson who with Gardner owns the major portion of Spudder stock. Good-natured Lee, big-hearted Lee, allow us to commit, has been more than liberal with his money in aiding Gardner toward bringing Wichita Falls its first Texas baseball championship.

**Gardner and Wilson.**

Did it ever occur to you that Gardner and Wilson BUILT the championship machine for Carl Williams to win a pennant with? That gives the situation another angle, doesn't it. Sure, Carl teamed in right nobly with the Spudder powers and he has made good, but GARDNER is the man who has brought, or rather BOUGHT, a pennant to Wichita Falls.

How long does it take to manufacture a pennant winner? In most cases, a number of years. In Wichita Falls' case, just ONE year, perhaps a little more. Depends on how you want to look at it. Anyhow, Wichita Falls ran seventh in the 1926 gonfalon pursuit. Wichita Falls runs first in 1927.

Checking back over the files the other day I ran across something that to me was more or less astonishing. Some have said Wichita Falls has been building seven years for a pennant. But the figures showed that Wichita Falls has built in less than two seasons a championship combination.

J. Alvin Gardner took the helm as president of the Wichita Falls club shortly before the 1926 campaign opened. He started building in the spring of 1926. He saw what looked like a sure winner turn into a dismal flop and close the drive in lower seven of the percentage column. But still firm in belief he had at least a strong nucleus to build on, Gardner chose up, so to speak, and started all over again during the following winter. He kept plugging right on through the spring and then right on through the summer of 1927 even though it already appeared he had the flag cinched. Today, not counting Fitzgerald who was traded to the Red Sox and then re-purchased later, Gardner has a squad on which appear the names of only two men who were members of the team when he took the helm. Check your Spudder data and you will find these two are Petey Turgeon, the fighting little second sacker, and Carl Williams himself.

So Gardner has built up from the bottom to bring the glorious victory of 1927. How much did it cost? We'll let you estimate that. Gardner, doing most of his own scouting, went out and pulled in the present banner pitching staff, revamped an infield, made over an outfield and tagged up with a new set of catchers.

**All New Pitchers.**

The pitching corps:

If I remember correctly, George Payne who has stowed away his 21st victory for the Spudders was purchased from Portland of the Coast league last winter for about $3000. Milt Steengrafe, one of the most effective heavers in the league, was bought from the White Sox for $5000. Herb Cobb was drafted from Wilson of the Virginia loop, $1800. Lefty Kallina, still property of the Spudders, was purchased this summer at a $4000 figure or there about. He hasn't figured in the pennant winning but may do us some good next year. He's going nicely, they say, with Des Moines. Tom Estell, the spitballer, came to us last year from Dallas. Cost about $2000. Tom has helped a lot toward winning that flag. Also, last year came Harlem Joe Kiefer from the Boston Red Sox with the heavy-hitting Tom Jenkins and Lefty Buster Ross, who since has departed our midst, in swap that sent Howard Fitzgerald, the portside outfielder, up to the big tent.

And the great Fred Fussell who goes back to the major leagues next spring was purchased at the start of the 1926 campaign from Seattle where he had helped win a pennant. Fussell played here in '25 and Gardner knew his worth. Smart move, that one. So much for the flingers.

You already have the Jenkins deal. Then Gardner pulled a deal with the Red Sox for Fitzgerald. I think it cost the Spudder prez about $5000. Lamb, you recall, was bought from Portland last year for something like $3500. He's that other outfielder who has gone far in bringing Gardner, Wilson and Williams a pennant. Gardner didn't stop at that in the outfield, for this year he purchased Pug Griffin from Des Moines at about a cost of $6000.

**Then Came Cobb.**

To the catchers: Lapan came from New Orleans last year for $2500 or there about. The Spudder prexy rarely divulges the purchase prices of his players. Tobin came from Portland last winter as part of the deal that sent Metzler to the Athletics. Mack owns Portland, you know. Metzler later dropped back with the Spudders and then was sold to the White Sox. With the 1927 race almost over, Gardner suddenly decided to bolster his catching department, so he bought Joe Cobb from Jersey City at something like a $4000 throw. And has Joe come through! Man, you tell them he has!

The infield: Washburn with $1000 went into a deal wth Portland for LaFayette. Quite an improvement at first base, what? Gardner traded Distel for Rabbit Benton last year at Shreveport. And Rabbitt has won himself a home with spectacular work at short and an ever-fighting disposition. Johnny Mann, shortstop, was bought last winter from Macon of the South Atlantic for $4000. Swenson was purchased from Danville of the Three-Eye for that third-basing job. Cost about $2500 unless I got my wires crossed when the deal broke last winter.

There isn't much else to say. Hillin, the rookie pitcher, was bought the other day from a Lone Star club. Gardner purchased Buddy Lewis, infielder, from Laredo of the Texas Valley.

Now, tell me who is responsible for a pennant in Wichita Falls this year? Gardner, of course, the man who put the machine together. And you've got to give credit to Lee Wilson, old liberal Lee, and the rest of the Spudder baseball association.

Gardner is the maker of the machine, Carl Williams the chauffeur.

## Panhandle Drops Series Opener

### Moore Holds Wichita Falls To Five Hits

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27. (AP)—Turrentine and Thompson Printers, amateur baseball champions of Fort Worth, trimmed Panhandle Refiners of Wichita Falls, 7 to 1, in the first game of an inter-city championship series.

The Fort Worth team got to Randolph, Wichita Falls pitcher, early in the game, amassing a good lead.

"Slick" Moore, spitball pitcher, held Panhandle to five hits. Randolph gave up six hits and six runs in two and-third innings. Parker was touched for one run in 3 and two-thirds innings. McDuffy pitched good ball the short span he was in the game.

Slick Moore was stingy in the pinches and the Longhorns lost. Randolph was hit hard in first three innings but for the last four Parker and McDuffy retired them in order. The Fort Worth infield made many nice plays. Maddox's shoestring catch in the second inning on Booth's fly was the fielding feature for Wichita Falls.

Booth opened the first with a single to right. B. Kennedy bunted, Roberts threw wild, Booth going to third, Kennedy to second. Hinds booted Baker's roller and Booth scored. Baker stole second. Allred went out to Hohen with no advance. Hughes singled past third. Kennedy and Baker scored. Hughes going to second on the throw-in. Allred struck out, Kennedy fouled to Roberts.

B. Kennedy opened the third with a triple to left. Baker singled to left. Allred sacrificed. Hughes beat out an infield hit to short, Hughes stole second, Allred singled past third, scoring both. Parker now pitching. Kennedy walked. Hovencamp was hit, Moore fanned, Booth forced Kennedy, third unassisted.

Maddox doubled in the fourth but Rawls, Melear ar Hoehn hit to the infield.

B. Kennedy singled to left in the fourth. Baker sacrificed. Allred singled past short and stole second. Kennedy scored on a passed ball. Hughes fanned. Allred rolled out to Hohen. Fort Worth went out in order the rest of game.

Hinds and Graves singled in the fifth. Parker fanned. McMahon forced Graves. Hinds was thrown out at plate on an attempted double steal.

McDuffy went out to first in eighth. McMahon walked, Roberts was safe on Short's boot. Maddox walked. Rawls forced Maddox, short to second. McMahon scored. Melear bounded out to second.

Hoehn walked in the ninth but two force-outs and a roller to short ended the game.

| WICHITA FALLS— | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| McMahon, cf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Roberts, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Maddox, lf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Rawls, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Melear, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hoehn, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Hinds, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Graves, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Randolph, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Parker, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| McDuffy, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 1 | 5 | 24 | 7 | 2 |

| FORT WORTH— | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Booth, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 0 |
| B. Kennedy, 3b | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Baker, lf | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Floyd Allred, 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Hughes, cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Frank Allred, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 |
| L. Kennedy, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Cogsdell, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hovencamp, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Moore, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Totals | 39 | 7 | 8 | 27 | 20 | 1 |

Cogsdell batted for L. Kennedy in the eighth.

Score by innings:
Wichita Falls .....000 000 010—1
Fort Worth .....302 100 00x—7

Two-base hits, Maddox; three-base hits, B. Kennedy; hit batsman, Hovencamp; sacrifice hits, B. Kennedy, Baker, Floyd Allred; stolen bases, Baker, Floyd Allred, Hughes; hits and runs, off Randolph 6 and 6 in 2 1-3, off Parker 1 and 1 in 3 2-3; struck out, by Moore 3, Randolph 1, Parker 3, McDuffy 1; bases on balls, off Moore 5, Parker 1, McDuffy 1; double play, Frank Allred to Booth to Floyd Allred; passed ball, Graves; left on bases, Fort Worth 5, Wichita Falls 8; time of game, 1:55; umpires, Davis and Vaught.

## Wichita Falls Amateur Champs In Back - to - the-Wall Struggle

Wichita Falls has one set of champions, those proud Spudders, and maybe the city soon will boast another set, the Panhandle Refiners, amateur baseball kings of this section, who opened inter-city play with the Fort Worth champs Saturday.

Panhandle lost that first game, 7 to 1. But Panhandle lost the first game last year to the Fort Worth champs, then rallied and copped the series. The Longhorns are liable to turn the trick again this year.

Two games remain in the series, both to be played Sunday afternoon in Fort Worth.

Snipe Connally, who pitched the Panhandle to victory over Fort Worth last summer, probably will take another fling today.

In the cut the Panhandle team, reading from left to right, top row, Jim Parker, pitcher; Riley Rawls, first base; Bill Hoehn, second base and team manager; W. F. Sims, superintendent of the Panhandle refinery; Snipe Connally, pitcher; Hubert Maddox, left field; Joe Randolph, pitcher.

Bottom row, Spec Roberts, third base; Johnny McMahon, center field; Peewee Hinds, shortstop; Toad Graves, catcher; Odell McDuffy, pitcher; Bun Melear, right field.

## POLOISTS BOOK BATTLE TODAY

### Civilian Club Tangles With National Guardsmen

Wichita Falls pololets are booked for a practice encounter Sunday afternoon at Call field, the National guard team tackling the civilian club led by Horace Robbins in what is to be the first game of a series of conditioners leading up to tournament play next month. The contest is to start at 4:30 o'clock.

The civilian club and possibly several of the National guardsmen intend participating for one in the Fort Reno tournament during September.

Practically all the old Wichita Falls polo stand-bys will be in harness this afternoon. In fact, Charley Featherston, now playing in Colorado, looms as the only absentee. Dr. J. H. Fletcher, veteran poloist, will hold down Featherston's position on the civilian club. Dave Whyte and Robbins will wear the Blue with Dick Goodman of the guard outfit probably holding down Jim Minnick's position.

Prendergast, Wieler and Hogan are expected to form the guardsmen nucleus.

**WESTERN LEAGUE**

Amarillo ..... 2 8 0
Oklahoma City ..... 8 14 1
P. Newton, Shpue, Funk and Mondino; Craig and Groft.
First game:
Omaha ..... 6 12 2
Des Moines ..... 10 10 2
McGrew and Johnson; Ortman and Sprintz.
Tulsa ..... 6 7 0
Wichita ..... 1 7 3
Blaeholder and Haworth; Day, Brown and Haley.
Second game:
Omaha ..... 11 14 1
Des Moines ..... 0 5 0
Landrum and Meyers; Pallas, Kallina, Zahn and Brandon.

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**

Baltimore 2-5; Toronto 3-1.
Jersey City 1-8; Rochester 6-1.
Newark 5; Syracuse 8.
Reading 7; Buffalo 12.


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## AL SAYS HE'LL BEAT MATSUDA

### Dutch to Meet Jap Under Police Gazette Rules

Al (Dutch) Mantel versus Matty Matsuda!

That's the delicacy to be dished up for Wichita Falls wrestling fans Tuesday night at the Ross stadium.

But there's a new wrinkle to this match. The Dutchman will enter the ring without his "submarine sock," a clout adroitly put to the midriff with one foot. And Matsuda has promised to leave out the jiu jitsu.

They are to wrestle under Police Gazette rules.

Says Mantell, "I showed them once I could wrestle clean and I would have beat Jack Reynolds in that match if the referee hadn't called me down when only one shoulder was touching the mat. At least, I would have had a two-hour draw. But about this Chinaman (Matty is a Jap), I'm sure I have a better chance with him if he leaves off the jiu jitsu. I know I can out-wrestle him in straight wrestling if he doesn't foul me with some dirty Japanese trick like he usually does everybody."

Matchmaker Ross expresses opinion the rough-and-tumble Dutchman really stands a better shot against Matsuda in a "clean" match where only strength was wrestling skill is depended on than were he to go at the Jap in bar-room style. Matsuda's "press-the-button" stunt has saved his face many times before in matches with Mantell. With this trick and other similar jiu jitsu stunts barred, Ross says Matty may find the going pretty stiff against the rugged Mantell.

A newcomer, the Greek Nick Kovos of Chicago, a rugged customer, says Ross, will be featured in the preliminary bout. Kovos tackles the old stand-by, Yaqui Joe, colorful Yaqui Indian. It is to be a finish match.

## PARKERS WIN OUT

IOWA PARK, Aug. 27.—Iowa Park of the cotton oil league defeated the strong Chillicothe team. The score was 6 to 5. The game was hard fought all the way. O'Donohoe's Parkers scored in the ninth breaking the tie.

This is Iowa Park's ninth straight game under the management of Jim O'Donohoe, putting them in the league lead by one game over their closest rival Frederick. The parkers having defeated Frederick.

Battares were Vanhorn and Crawford, Iowa Park, Johnson and Davies, Chillicothe. This is the ninth win for Van horn in the last half.

Iowa Park plays Electra Sunday at Electra. This is expected to be one of the deciding games of the series, the last game having been a draw 10-10, 11 innings called darkness.

## CITY NETSTERS PLAY AT WACO

### All-Wichita Falls Tourney Billed Sept. 20

Wichita Falls tennis luminaries, winners of the recent elimination tournament held under direction of the city recreation department, entrain Thursday morning for Waco, where they will participate in the Texas amateur athletic federation net tournament Friday and Saturday.

Tom McCarty will represent Wichita Falls in the singles. McCarty and John Cook will enter the doubles play. Jewell Williams will represent the city in women's singles and Clay Neal will play the junior boys' singles. Neal and Jack Jameson will mix it up in the junior boys' doubles.

The Wichita Falls tennis detachment will go to Waco under supervision of William Ward of the recreation department.

Tentative plans are under way, it was said yesterday for the opening of the annual all-city tourney about September 20 with the old cup in play and a new one added.

The coming football season will be another social success if the number of fur coats holds out.


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# First Call To Grid Arms Issued By Coyote Coach

### Maroon and Black Football Squad Hits Deck This Week —Ludgate's Indians Turn Out Sept. 5

Up and at 'em, young men!

Leo Baldwin, Curtis Beaty and a number of Wichita Falls' college and university athletes already have been tossing the pigskin around, but it remains for Coach A. Y. (Bud) McCallum and his Wichita Falls high school Coyotes to blast open the regular football training season in earnest.

If present plans do not go awry the high school stalwarts of the Maroon and Black will buckle down to business this week. Several of the boys already have been knocking off a bit of limbering up exercises.

First call to arms has been issued for Monday at which time the coach will begin marshalling his forces for later stiff exercises as the conditioning struggle proper gets under way.

**Green Squad**

Already many of the youngsters are on edge for the starting ball. Many youths on an almost brand new squad will turn out to meet the Coyote mentor this week several days ahead of the junior college practice opener. Coach Herb Ludgate of the Indians has set out the call to arms for September 5, Monday a week, hence the Coyotes will get somewhat of a head start on Ludgate's bunch. As the land lies right now, the Coyotes will need that early jump very much, for eligibility rules and graduation have cut deeply into that banner eleven of 1926.

**Skeleton Array**

McCallum will be greeted with but a skeleton of that sturdy array he put on the gridiron last fall. There will be many newcomers, but let's say nothing about these lads until they hit the deck and begin rounding into shape so the coach can get an intelligent line-up on them.

The 20-year rule for one has taken Edmonson, Newman, Pinney, Smith, Chewning, George and Hanks from the squad. Francis and several other stars such as Captain Dobson won't be back this fall, either.

**Where's Captain?**

Captain-elect Raymond Mitchell, fleet halfback, is expected to return to the fold, although few of the boys can tell you much about Mitch, where he is and why right now. Maurice Allred, fullback, and Pete Powell, guard, will just about round out the pitiful handful of vets who will return.

One new star who will greet McCallum is Lefty Watson, backfield flash with Seymour year before last. Watson attended Wichita Falls high school last year but was not eligible to play. Lefty hopes to get into the game with a rush this fall.

Ludgate, on the other hand, has a handsome squad coming up to meet him Monday a week with many high school stars from over the north Texas and southern Oklahoma section joining the junior college squad.

# LITTLEFIELD HAS REAL GOODS AS COACH, BALDWIN DECLARES

### He'll Be Top Mentor in Southwest Conference, Says Wichita Falls Football Scintillant As He Leaves For Austin

"Clyde Littlefield is a FINE man!

"I sure like him, anyhow. And I believe he'll make the best coach in the conference."

Thus spoke Leo Baldwin, Wichita Falls' greatest football athlete, while he prepared Saturday to depart Sunday morning for Texas university to join the football squad under tutelage of the new Longhorn mentor, Clyde Littlefield, for years freshman mentor and coach of Varsity track who this fall succeeds Doleful Doc Stewart as head football coach at State.

You didn't turn out for football at State last year, did you, Leo? Are you going to try for the club again this year? Baldwin was asked.

"AM I? I'm going to try as hard as a man ever tried," the former Coyote star exclaimed.

"What was the matter last year; you weren't really crippled like everybody said?" came another question by an inquisitive reporter.

Leo just grinned. "Well, that's gone and forgotten, but I KNOW Littlefield will make a better coach with me than Stewart did."

The Wichita Falls athlete turned out for Varsity practice back in 1925, but saw little service to speak of until the Aggie-Longhorn game Thanksgiving day. As on his few appearances before during that season, Baldwin was the leading light of the Longhorn play.

**Didn't Play Last Fall**

Last fall Baldwin failed to show at all. Refused to don a uniform with the Varsity. Some said Baldwin remained off the field because of an ankle or foot injury. Others said it in one word, "Stewart." And those others said Baldwin DID keep up football of a sort with Littlefield's freshman team.

Now Stewart has quit Texas, succeeded by Clyde Littlefield who with exception of Uncle Billy Disch, veteran baseball coach, ranks as the most popular man ever at the helm in any phase of Longhorn athletics.

Stewart has gone, Littlefield is there, and Baldwin is back.

Football critics all over the Southwest conference aver that Baldwin, if given any kind of a fair break, will scintillate this year as one of the greatest stars of the game the conference ever has seen.

With Littlfield an athlete makes his own breaks, says Baldwin. Littlefield wants athletes who are willing to work, who will hustle and who will stay in training. Baldwin asks no favors. He expects none.

But with Littlefield at the helm he hopes to "make" the club. That's all. If it falls his fortune to be a more valuable man to the team that some other athlete, that's good. "I'll be in there trying; that's all I can say," Baldwin puts it modestly. "I haven't MADE the team yet this year. I just hope to and if I am fit and capable, then I know Littlefield will give me my chance."

Baldwin says he believes Curtis Beaty, Wichita Falls athlete, this year eligible for a Varsity try-out, will make Littlefield a valuable man, "because Curtis is the type of athlete Littlefield wants. He lives cleanly, doesn't use tobacco or drink, stays in shape and is willing to work."

**Watch Curtis Beaty**

Beaty last year loomed as promising material, working under Littlefield with the freshman squad.

Both Beaty and Baldwin have been taking conditioning exercises here all summer and each expresses himself as being in top condition. Beaty with Marconi Hobbs, former Coyote star, has worked as a life saver at Westmoreland.

It is likely Hobbs, also Wylmore Downing, former Coyote linesman, will enter Texas university this fall.

Baldwin believes Littlefield will turn out a powerfu team this year. Leo is not making any predictions, but he "just" believes Littlefield has the stuff as a coach. He is the type of mentor an athlete is ever willing to work for, likeable and four-square. And on top of this, "Littlefield has been studying football under Hurry-Up Yost, adding to his already wide knowledge of the game," says Baldwin.

# DALLAS GOLFER LEADS TOURNEY

### Moreland, With 75, Low For Day's Score

Bus Moreland of Stevens park, Dallas, with a score of 75 won the classification round in the fourth annual tournament of the Texas Municipal Golf association at Weeks park Saturday afternoon. Bill Strachan, Wichita Falls professional, was in charge of the tournament.

Dennis Lavender of the Crescent Golf club, Abilene, was runner-up with 77. Leo Acker of the Tenison Park club, Dallas, shot a 78 for third place.

Dallas was winner in the city team competition. The Dallas team is composed of Moreland, Acker, Jim McGonagill with 81, and Arthur Jordon with 81. Individual scores of Lavender and Acker go into the team total.

Championship play will open on the Weeks course at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

A raft of golfers turned out yesterday for the classification play and several more are expected to join the force Sunday morning. A gang of golfers, for one, is expected in from Waco.

Milt Saul, first vice president of the association is due in from Dallas today, also.

Any Wichita Falls muny club golfers who were unable to participate in Saturday's rounds are eligible to play in the championship drive today if they register no later than 10 a. m. said Charles Kelrsey, president of the state association.

Schedule of starting of championship medal play, 36 holes, Sunday morning and afternoon of all players entered up to 7 o'clock Saturday night:

**CLASS A.**

Number One, T. L. Downs, F. H. Ames, Everett Whatley and Dennis Lavender, 7:30 a. m., 1 p. m.

Number Two, E. F. Dosch, C. F. Nalle, H. C. Mieth, R. E. Weldon, 7:40 a. m., 1:10 p. m.

Number Three, D. B. LaRue, Bob Menefee, Gus Moreland, Jack Hale, 7:50 a. m., 1:20 p. m.

Number Four, Paul Whatley, Leo Acker, H. Mieth, O. M. Taylor, 8 a. m., 1:30 p. m.

Number Five, Howard Estep, Chick Nolan, R. E. Mott, E. W. Weldon, 8:20 a. m., 1:40 p. m.

Number Six, Charles Kelrsey, Arthur Jordan, Frank McGonagill, Buddy Jewers, 8:29 a. m., 1:50 p. m.

Number Seven, E. J. Hatzenbuehler, J. McGonagill, N. F. Melton, R. H. Williams, 8:39 a. m., 2 p. m.

**CLASS B.**

Number Eight, W. F. Jacoby, Ray Beicher, F. S. Martin, E. R. Fisk, 8:49 a. m., 2:10 p. m.

Number Nine, George Lanning, A. J. Lee, R. A. Gussman, L. E. Taylor, 8:45 a. m., 2:16 p. m.

Number Ten, F. M. Parker Jr., Joe Frazier, J. C. Thompson, B. K. Evans, 8:50 a. m., 2:20 p. m.

Number Eleven, H. W. McConnell, Jack Springfellow, Bob Humphrey, George Morgan, 8:55 a. m., 2:25 p. m.

Number Twelve, Frank Parsons, C. B. Walker, Julian Sory, Watts Bowser, 9 a. m., 2:30 p. m.

Number Thirteen, Charles Green, R. F. Cayton, Gabe Biggs, Eddie Vaeth, 9:05 a. m., 2:35 p. m.

Number Fourteen, M. P. Rogers, E. C. Jordan, Bob Lipscomb, M. C. Danley, 9:10 a. m., 2:40 p. m.

Number Fifteen, C. F. O'Hara, Jimmie Anderson, Tim Thompson, Al Parker, 9:15 a. m., 2:45 p. m.

Number Sixteen, J. J. Lawrence, W. E. Millican, Jack Hamilton, J. R. Mount, 9:20 a. m., 2:50 p. m.

Other entries taken Sunday morning will be started after the starting of the foregoing schedule; however, if it happens that time is gained on the above schedule, then additional entries may be received and started in between some of the above matches.

The financial year of the State of New South Wales has just closed with a surplus of $7,500,000, the greatest since the year of federation.

# PORTSIDE AMBITION REALIZED

### Fussell, Traded to Bucs, Gets Another Shot at Big Time

Well, it's going to be good bye to the lefthanded apple of your baseball eye in a few more weeks. Sure, the season closes and Freddy Fussell goes away, taking with him 20-some-odd victories in the Texas league and no telling just how many in the Dixie series this year.

Freddy copped his 21st game Saturday with Beaumont's Shippers serving as the victims.

But that's not the big item: Haven't you been told all along about how the noble portsider has set his aim for another trip to the big show? Haven't you been told all along this summer that as sure as you're living he's going up again soon?

All right, now you have it officially. FRED FUSSELL, the aristocrat of Texas league southpaws and large portion of the Spudder pitching corps' backbone, has been traded to the Pittsburgh Pirates.

So it was announced by Spudder officials Saturday simultaneously with a bark from Pittsburgh to effect Fuss had been "bought."

The eminent wronghander goes to the Pirates next spring in deal that brings three new players to Wichita Falls, President Gardner announces. It has not been decided just who the new Spudders are, but they must be satisfactory to Gardner or the deal's off, he said.

So your friend Freddy Fussell bids Wichita adieu at the close of the 1927 season. He's going up.

It's a return voyage for Fred. The lefthander was picked up in 1922 by the Chicago Cubs, plucked from Nebraska semi-pro ranks. So effective did Fussell work in the Denver Post tournament of that year the Cubs could not overlook him. He was pitching at that time with the Friend, Neb., team and it was greatly through his work on the mound Friend copped the tourney.

Fussell was on the Cub pay roll part of the 1922 season and all of the 1923 span. He was sent to Wichita Falls in 1924 where he hurled a neat brand of ball. Just before the 1924 Texas league season ended, Fred was sold to Seattle of the Coast league and he was a strong factor in bringing the pennant to the Seals that year. He was with Seattle in 1925 and was repurchased by J. Alvin Gardner in 1926. He worked like a wonder last year after Manager Fred Brainard shook Wichita Falls dust off his heels and relinquished the Spudder reins to Carl Williams.

You know what Fred has accomplished this year. He's whipped Dallas every time he faced the Steers, six in all, has won 21 games and pitched his way back into a major league uniform.

## What'll They Cost?

What will the Dixie series seats cost?

Well, maybe, we can't tell you exactly, but almost.

Spudder Secretary Guy Airey has doped it out with Doak Roberts, the league prexy, that the field or bleacher seats will go for $1.10. That's the tentative arrangement, anyhow. Grandstand admission (that's to the new addition being constructed now) will be $1.65. Reserve seats will sell at $2.20 and box seats at $2.75.

## Volley Ball Players Organize Sunday School Combination

The Sunday school volley ball league was organized this last week at a meeting held at First Methodist church. Representatives from the various churches were present and appointed a schedule and rules committee. These committees have met and have their reports ready for the meeting Monday evening at 8:15. The schedule, however, is O. K. as it stands. The committee on Monday evening will decide where all the games are to be played. Several courts have already been secured but a few more are needed. These will be ready by Friday evening when the first games are to be played. We have instructed the winning teams to be responsible to you after each game to give you full details as to scores, line-up, and standing of the teams in the league.

The schedule runs for nine weeks with two games played each week. In this way each team will play each other team two games during the series. No doubt several double-headers will be necessary on account of bad weather. Two firemens teams asked for membership in the league and this request was granted.

**SCHEDULE.**

Sept. 2 and Oct. 4—First Methodist vs. First Baptis; First Christian vs. Floral Heights Methodist; Grace Methodist vs. First Presbyterian; Highland Heights Christian vs. Firemen No. 1; Eastside Presbyterian vs. Firemen No. 2.

Sept. 6 and Oct. 7—First Methodist vs. Firemen No. 2; First Baptist vs. Eastside Presbyterian; First Christian vs. Firemen No. 1; Floral Heights Methodist vs. Grace Methodist; First Presbyterian vs. Highland Heights Christian.

Sept. 9 and Oct. 11—First Methodist vs. Eastside Presbyterian; First Baptist vs. Firemen No. 1; First Christian vs. Highland Heights Christian; Floral Heights Methodist vs. First Presbyterian; Grace Methodist vs. Firemen No. 2.

Sept. 13 and Oct. 14—First Methodist vs. Firemen No. 1; First Baptist vs. Highland Heights Christian; First Christian vs. First Presbyterian; Floral Heights Methodist vs. Firemen No. 2; Grace Methodist vs. Eastside Presbyterian.

Sept. 16 and Oct. 18—First Methodist vs. Highland Heights Christian; First Baptist vs. First Presbyterian; First Christian vs. Grace Methodist; Floral Heights Methodist vs. Eastside Presbyterian; Firemen No. 1 vs. Firemen No. 2.

Sept. 20 and Oct 21—First Methodist vs. First Presbyterian; First Baptist vs. Grace Methodist; First Christian vs. Eastside Presbyterian; Highland Heights Christian vs. Firemen No. 2; Floral Heights Methodist vs. Firemen No. 1.

Sept. 23 and Oct. 25—First Methodist vs. Grace Methodist; First Baptist vs. Floral Heights Methodist; First Christian vs. Firemen No. 2; First Presbyterian vs. Firemen No. 1; Highland Heights Christian vs. Eastside Presbyterian.

Sept. 27 and Oct. 28—First Methodist vs. Floral Heights Methodist; First Baptist vs. First Christian; Grace Methodist vs. Highland Heights Christian; First Presbyterian vs. Firemen No. 2; Eastside Presbyterian vs. Firemen No. 1.

Sept. 30 and Nov. 1—First Methodist vs. First Christian; First Baptist vs. Firemen No. 2; First Presbyterian vs. East side Presbyterian; Floral Heights Methodist vs. Highland Heights Christian; Grace Methodist vs. Firemen No. 1.

All games called at 7:45 p. m.

British India will produce this season 10,000,000 bales of jute, from which rope and binding twine is made.

# PRATT STICKS AT LOOP TOP

### Jenkins May Crash Into Select Hitting Circle

A week of consistent hitting holds Derrill Pratt at the front of Texas league regular hitting with an average of .345. The four Waco sluggers kept their even pace and now only Jenkins of Wichita Falls seems to have a chance to crowd in. In number of hits, West, Waco, ran his total to 197 against 191 for Pratt and 186 for Jenkins. Jenkins continues to lead in runs scored with 123 to 113 for E. Moore, Fort Worth, and 106 for Pratt. There was practically no change in the home run standing over week, Miller, Dallas, now back in the game, still leading with 29 to Pratt's 25 and West's 21. Gross, Dallas, holds the base theft leadership with 35 against 28 for Martin and 19 for Turgeon, Wichita Falls.

Hanson, Beaumont, remains the titular pitching leader with a winning average of .800, but the real leader is Frankhouse, Houston, who is also the only pitcher to win 21 games. With a total of 114, E. Love, Dallas, leads the four pitchers who have whiffed over 100 batters but Shores, Waco, with 102, has worked in 26 fewer innings.

Waco sets the pace in club hitting with .312 and leads in base hits and home runs. Wichita Falls leads in run scoring. Houston, stealing 15 bases in one week, has taken the lead in this department from San Antonio. .300 hitters, club batting, and pitchers winning half or better of their games through Thursday, follow:

**Batting.**

| Player—Club | G. | AB. | R. | H. | HR. | SB. | BA. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mathes, Hn. | 17 | 32 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | .391 |
| Grenbeck, SA. | 17 | 49 | 5 | 19 | 0 | 0 | .388 |
| Pratt, Wa. | 136 | 496 | 106 | 194 | 25 | 14 | .395 |
| Edgn, Ht-W | 106 | 315 | 77 | 119 | 13 | 3 | .378 |
| West, Wa. | 134 | 535 | 102 | 197 | 21 | 4 | .368 |
| Bn Zfrs, Wa | 107 | 441 | 81 | 162 | 4 | 8 | .367 |
| Frnkhouse, Hn | 64 | 119 | 18 | 43 | 1 | 0 | .361 |
| Wilkins, St. | 28 | 29 | 5 | 14 | 0 | 0 | .359 |
| Jenkins, WF | 137 | 523 | 123 | 186 | 20 | 9 | .356 |
| Hickrby, Wa. | 123 | 416 | 69 | 145 | 12 | 10 | .349 |
| H Herls, St. | 137 | 497 | 105 | 170 | 8 | 10 | .342 |
| Roettger, Hn. | 63 | 231 | 29 | 79 | 1 | 5 | .342 |
| Glloway, Bt. | 127 | 425 | 61 | 145 | 17 | 8 | .341 |
| E Mrs, FW. | 134 | 514 | 113 | 185 | 1 | 16 | .338 |
| Sweeney, FW. | 124 | 506 | 88 | 171 | 10 | 21 | .338 |
| C Miller, Ds. | 100 | 249 | 96 | 116 | 20 | 8 | .336 |
| Mulvey, Ds. | 92 | 378 | 72 | 126 | 2 | 8 | .333 |
| Valla, FW. | 27 | 84 | 14 | 28 | 0 | 2 | .333 |
| Grtwahl, Hn. | 21 | 27 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | .333 |
| Herring, Bt. | 9 | 33 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 0 | .333 |
| Orsatti, Hn. | 116 | 380 | 65 | 126 | 4 | 14 | .332 |
| Riley, Ds. | 136 | 512 | 79 | 169 | 6 | 7 | .330 |
| Berry, Ds. | 90 | 294 | 40 | 97 | 7 | 5 | .330 |
| Powell, Hn. | 114 | 416 | 72 | 135 | 4 | 8 | .325 |
| C L Tyle, St | 136 | 540 | 79 | 172 | 5 | 11 | .319 |
| Vigare, Wa. | 121 | 477 | 64 | 151 | 18 | 9 | .317 |
| Lamb, WF. | 127 | 554 | 86 | 175 | 7 | 13 | .316 |
| Rchrdsn, FW. | 123 | 511 | 71 | 156 | 3 | 5 | .305 |
| Klduff, St. | 121 | 441 | 60 | 139 | 9 | 13 | .315 |
| Gill, St. | 41 | 147 | 24 | 46 | 8 | 5 | .313 |
| Bengs, Wa. | 32 | 83 | 15 | 26 | 0 | 0 | .313 |
| Hock, Hn. | 136 | 529 | 95 | 165 | 0 | 14 | .312 |
| Beeton, WF. | 103 | 344 | 67 | 107 | 0 | 6 | .311 |
| Ry Mrs, St. | 109 | 386 | 61 | 120 | 10 | 6 | .311 |
| Griffin, WF. | 27 | 132 | 25 | 41 | 5 | 4 | .311 |
| Holland, FW. | 80 | 1327 | 41 | 61 | 5 | 9 | .310 |
| Tensend, Bt. | 6 | 13 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | .308 |
| Philbin, SA. | 126 | 467 | 67 | 144 | 0 | 14 | .308 |
| Connolly, Bt. | 134 | 527 | 89 | 162 | 1 | 8 | .307 |
| Lndimore, FW | 80 | 261 | 45 | 80 | 3 | 5 | .307 |
| Bischoff, FW. | 92 | 262 | 48 | 82 | 4 | 7 | .305 |
| Fingrld, WF. | 114 | 430 | 89 | 128 | 12 | 7 | .305 |
| Turgeon, WF. | 137 | 528 | 102 | 159 | 15 | 19 | .305 |
| Sullivn, FW. | 26 | 69 | 6 | 21 | 0 | 0 | .304 |
| Martin, Hn. | 132 | 504 | 104 | 152 | 7 | 28 | .302 |
| Bonnitt, FW. | 123 | 491 | 63 | 148 | 7 | 5 | .301 |
| H Tylor, Hn. | 124 | 443 | 87 | 133 | 6 | 8 | .301 |
| Pate, FW. | 6 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | .300 |

**Club Batting.**

| | G. | AB. | R. | H. | HR. | SB. | BA. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Waco | 136 | 4656 | 759 | 1447 | 112 | 75 | .312 |
| W. Falls | 137 | 4653 | 786 | 1385 | 80 | 83 | .297 |
| Ft. Wrth | 139 | 4634 | 666 | 1359 | 43 | 81 | .293 |
| Houston | 137 | 4628 | 720 | 1339 | 56 | 124 | .289 |
| Beaumnt | 136 | 4566 | 622 | 1299 | 56 | 65 | .284 |
| Shrvport | 138 | 4562 | 640 | 1281 | 55 | 80 | .281 |
| Dallas | 135 | 4662 | 716 | 1286 | 69 | 101 | .276 |
| San Ant. | 138 | 4552 | 604 | 1218 | 31 | 113 | .268 |

**Pitchers.**

| | G. | CG. | IP. | BB. | SO. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bensn, Ds. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Isbnn, Hn. | 1 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Wilkns, St. | 24 | 2 | 92 | 45 | 21 | 5 | 1 | .833 |
| Hnson, Bt. | 14 | 10 | 107 | 41 | 21 | 8 | 2 | .800 |
| Pate, FW. | 9 | 3 | 30 | 7 | 5 | 4 | 1 | .800 |
| Prkhse, H | 34 | 23 | 262 | 104 | 78 | 21 | 8 | .724 |
| Stngf, WF | 26 | 13 | 142 | 52 | 38 | 13 | 5 | .722 |
| Payne, WF | 38 | 16 | 219 | 56 | 90 | 20 | 8 | .714 |
| Powell, WF | 32 | 17 | 225 | 80 | 113 | 17 | 8 | .680 |
| Thpson, Bt | 24 | 5 | 99 | 38 | 36 | 9 | 4 | .692 |
| Smith, Hn | 12 | 4 | 59 | 25 | 15 | 4 | 2 | .667 |
| Penny, Hn | 23 | 22 | 249 | 52 | 77 | 19 | 10 | .655 |
| Kiefr, WF | 28 | 14 | 229 | 65 | 87 | 21 | 9 | .640 |
| Merill, WF | 29 | 14 | 192 | 53 | 43 | 12 | 7 | .632 |
| Inge, Wa. | 32 | 18 | 205 | 42 | 77 | 16 | 10 | .615 |
| R Lve, Ds | 23 | 4 | 99 | 40 | 33 | 6 | 4 | .600 |
| Shres, Wa | 25 | 15 | 179 | 80 | 102 | 10 | 7 | .587 |
| E Lve, Ds. | 37 | 25 | 315 | 84 | 114 | 17 | 12 | .586 |
| Adkins, St. | 25 | 21 | 246 | 85 | 45 | 17 | 12 | .586 |
| Tuero, Wa. | 26 | 12 | 164 | 47 | 57 | 12 | 9 | .571 |
| Krr, FWW | 25 | 1 | 80 | 26 | 19 | 5 | 4 | .556 |
| Pilgm, SA | 27 | 15 | 169 | 58 | 55 | 11 | 9 | .550 |
| Frse, Wa | 23 | 3 | 98 | 57 | 25 | 6 | 5 | .545 |
| McCll, Ds. | 38 | 15 | 291 | 48 | 57 | 12 | 11 | .542 |
| Lndsy, SA | 31 | 14 | 209 | 93 | 77 | 13 | 11 | .542 |
| Nwmn, SA | 41 | 6 | 202 | 117 | 96 | 16 | 13 | .552 |
| Jacbs, Hn | 20 | 6 | 144 | 77 | 43 | 9 | 8 | .529 |
| Wrth, Hn | 37 | 9 | 184 | 40 | 43 | 11 | 10 | .524 |
| D.Bns, FW | 27 | 10 | 207 | 70 | 53 | 11 | 10 | .524 |
| Wchtl, FW | 38 | 18 | 221 | 84 | 93 | 14 | 13 | .519 |
| Elltt, Wa | 39 | 22 | 248 | 103 | 92 | 17 | 16 | .516 |
| Johns, FW | 28 | 11 | 160 | 51 | 66 | 9 | 9 | .500 |
| Wlkp, FW | 20 | 10 | 110 | 21 | 24 | 8 | 8 | .500 |
| C.Wlms, WF | 5 | 2 | 26 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .500 |

# Bud McCallum No Pessimist

### Coyote Coach Says Team Prospects Better

That Bud McCallum is not pessimistic even though he will greet but a shell of his powerful 1926 football squad when Wichita Falls high school players answer first call to practice this week, is shown by a letter to The Record News received Saturday night from McCallum shortly before Bud set sail from Austin, his home, in order to be here Monday.

The letter follows:

"Coyote" football practice begins at the Junior college on Monday morning, August 29 at 10 a. m.

All candidates for this year's team are expected to report for the first practice at that time. Captain Mitchell, Allred, Ramey and Powell are the letter men of last year's district championship team who will return. Taylor, a letter man of the 1925 team will don the moleskins again this fall.

Practically all of the members of the spring practice squads will return, and are expected to form the bulk of the 1927 team. A good many of last year's junior high players are expected to make a good showing.

A first glance at the prospects may seem a bit discouraging to some because only four letter men of last year's squad are returning, and of these only one was a regular throughout the entire season. However, a subsequent and closer study of the prospects is far from discouraging. I believe that the prospects, taken as a whole are better than were the prospects of last year.

This does not mean that I am predicting a district championship. It simply means that the team will be a little farther along at the beginning of practice because of last spring's intensive training. I expect all the teams in the district to be stronger this year. Therefore, if we are to win, we must necessarily be stronger.

Our schedule is as follows:

Friday, Sept. 16, Grandfield here.

Saturday, Sept. 24, Lawton or Oklahoma City here.

Friday, Sept. 30, Decatur Baptist college here.

Oct. 8, open date.

Oct. 15, open date.

Oct. 22, Vernon at Wichita Falls.

Oct. 29, Wichita Falls at Lubbock.

Nov. 5, Electra at Wichita Falls.

November 12, Quanah at Wichita Falls.

Nov. 19, Plainview (place undecided).

Nov. 24, Wichita Falls at Amarillo.

Best regards,

BUD McCALLUM.

## FELL'S TEAM WINS

Fell's team defeated McElreath's team, 3 to 1, Friday afternon on the Jalonic street diamond. Robertson pitched a near perfect game for the confectionery clubbers, allowing only one hit. Crowley connected for a home run off the McElreath pitcher.


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# BOBBY JONES WINS AGAIN

### Eight Up, Seven to Go Final Verdict

By WARREN BROWN
Universal Service Staff Correspondent

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 27. Just Jones—Bobby Jones. A morning round of 67, equalling the course record at Minikahda, "softened" up the Chicago veteran, Chick Evans, sufficiently to make the afternoon round, the usual formality that all these daily jaunts of Bobby in quest of another amateur championship have been, and very probably will be for a long time to come.

Eight up and seven to go, was the final verdict, in the golfing argument between Jones and Evans, and the best tribute that can be paid to the golf of Chick today, was that he did well to make it even that close.

Beating Jones, on the form he has shown at Minikahda, has long ceased to be a possibility, and, all things considered, 8 and 7, with Jones, the par-breaker, is a fairly close game.

Evans was not particularly dismayed at the six up lead that Bobby held over him after the brilliant 67 of the morning round. He moved along in his usual care-free fashion, and at one stage cut Bobby's lead to four holes.

**Closing Effort**

That was his closing effort and after that Bobby was either too good, or Chick too careless, especially with that cussed putter, to ever get close to the champion, any more.

Some of the things that Evans did with his putter in this final round, should have caused him to wind up and toss the blamed thing over into the woods. What trouble he has been in from the start of the tournament, was traceable to the putter, and it seemed fitting that, while getting ready to putt on the final green, the eleventh of the afternoon, he had to wobble the club enough to move the ball, and lose hole, match, and all but a host of friends he had acquired in giving Bobby what was the best 29 hole workout he has had in this championship.

Bobby was but one shot over par on the outward trip in the afternoon, but for all of Evans' activity, he managed to be seven up when the turn was reached, winning the last hole with a birdie, where an eagle was his effort in the morning.

The cards:

Jones, out .....444 553 434—36
Evans, out .....443 553 545—36

Jones, in, 53; Evans, in, 54.

The cards for the outward journey:

Jones . . 4 3 3 4 4 3 4 4 3—31
Evans . . 4 4 4 5 4 3 4 4 6—38

Bobby put his second six feet from the pin, and snared a birdie three to win the tenth, but Evans finally managed to win a hole, right afterwards, getting close enough to the pin at the short eleventh so that even his ailing putter was about to function, and produce a deuce.

**Evans Off**

Evans was off the fairway all the way at the fifteenth and lost that one, but came back to win the sixteenth, the only hole on the round in which Bobby was over par. A missed short putt accounted for this slip, if one stroke over par on any hole of eighteen can be adjusted a slip. The last hole was a wild one for Chick. He was in the rough at the right from tee, put his second in a bunker beyond the green, to the left, dubbed his out, and took two putts for his five. Bobby was par all the way, to finish the round six up. The cards:

Jones 3 3 4 4 5 4 5 4 4—36—67
Evans 5 3 4 4 4 5 5 4 4 5—38—76

**BIG GOLF TOURNEY BILLED FOR COWTOWN.**

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27. (AP)—The record field of 200 or more golfers expected here next Tuesday when the first annual southwest tournament opens at Rivercrest in conjunction with the club's ninth invitation meet, will probably include many of the rising young stars and well as most of the veteran aces of the section. Lewis Levinson, youthful San Antonio southpaw who recently broke the monopoly of older players by winning the Texas state championship is likely to compete for the handsome $375 trophy offered the winner of the tourney here. Lamar Seeligson, C. L. Campbell, T. B. Gregory, Reuben Albaugh and a number of other players just coming to the fore in championship.

After serving 35 years continuously as pastor of the Moneymore, Ireland, church, Rev. J. R. McKim, has just resigned.


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## Baseball Park Addition Largest Project

Sixteen building permits, calling for an expenditure of $70,925, were issued by the city during the week ending August 27.

The largest building project authorized by the city during the last week is a $25,000 addition to the grandstand at the ball park. The addition will increase the seating capacity of the stand by approximately 2500, making the total seating capacity about 6500 and the total for the park about 12,000.

The following permits were issued:

**L. E. Hudgens,** 1403 Austin, garage, $500.

**G. D. Anderson,** 512 Eighth, business house; $800.

**E. B. Chancellor,** 2215 Kings highway, residence and garage; $3000.

**E. W. Irvine,** 1621 Ardath, residence and garage; $5000.

**R. G. Helgerson,** 2810 Avenue L, residence and garage; $3000.

**J. Caruthers,** 1709 Tilden, residence and garage; $5000.

**Dr. C. E. Bailey,** 2305 Ninth, residence; $1000.

**Wichita Falls Baseball association** grandstand; $25,000.

**Gordon West,** Beach street, residence and garage; $5000.

**Lawrence Hoyt,** Juarez street, Mexican school; $4575.

**B. P. Huthorn,** 2006 Elizabeth, residence; $1600.

**J. O. Polhemus,** 1603 Speedway, apartment house; $3500.

**Esther Lymore,** 416 Brick, residence; $500.

**Colored Church of God and Christ,** 614 Marconi, tabernacle; $450.

**W. R. Anderson,** 2506 Avenue N, residence and garage; $3000.

**Total,** $70,925.

## Owens To Conduct Baptist Revival

Dr. George W. Owens of Marshall will open a two weeks' revival at the Floral Heights Baptist church in a tent erected for this purpose on the church lawn beginning Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, it is announced. The music for the affair will be under the direction of the Rev. Glossitt of the Decatur college.

The public is invited to attend the meetings.

## Cook to Clear Court Docket of 2 8Cases

Judge W. W. Cook of the 78th district court, announced Saturday that the following cases would be dismissed when court opens September 6 unless cause was shown why they should remain on the docket:

M. B. Chenault vs W. Y. Hammock, et al; Frick-Reid Supply company vs City National bank of Wichita Falls; Leroy vs John M. Scott; E. D. Davenport et al vs James L. Duffy; Martin-Morgan company vs Beach Royalties corporation; John G. Fowler et al vs Texas Pipe Line company et al; Waggoner Refining company vs Noble Oil and Gas company; E. D. Hunter vs F. A. Anderson et al; Magnolia Petroleum company vs Tidal Western Oil corporation; T. G. Brown vs J. Mat Thomas et al; Lee Flowers vs G. C. Schoonmaker; Lee Flowers vs James B. Douglas; M. A. Overall et al vs Jackson Kitzelman Oil company; Ranger State bank vs Young Brothers and Kennedy et al; Rush Brin and company vs J. E. Strong et al; Electra Oil Land company vs H. W. Wiseman et al T. L. Head vs T. E. Sheldon, Jr., et al; The Munger Automobile company vs T. R. H. Smith et al; S. Bridwell et al vs Waggoner Refining company; Fritz Motor company vs T. A. Preston; Mrs. Caroline B. Henley vs J. V. Henley et al; George G. Burnett vs NW. Texas Transportation, Inc.; C. D. Shamberger vs J. C. Cox et al; in the matter of Dorothy, Dora and G. W. Simpson (habeas corpus); Fritz Motor company vs L. A. Benson; Oil Well Supply company vs L. C. Smith et al; N. O. Moore vs Security National bank, garnishee.

## Approval of Refunding Bonds Held Up

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.(AP)—Approval of about $112,000 worth of refunding bonds for the city of San Juan, Hidalgo county, was being held up today by Assistant Attorney General D. W. Whitehurst on the strength of a telegram from Hidalgo county citizens claiming a suit to test legality of the refunding bond election will be filed.

Whitehurst said he does not know how long he will postpone action. Meanwhile Attorney General Claude Pollard being out of his office, it could not be learned whether he has received a petition from an alleged 200 Hidalgo county residents asking that action be postponed on bond approval and for an investigation of the county's affairs.

## Will Cut Hill To Make Ozona Street

OZONA, Aug. 27—The nose of a projecting hill which disturbs the beauty of a prominent Ozona street is to be cut to its base by a three-way arrangement completed here. The expense for the improvement will be borne by the West Texas Utilities company who have agreed to loosen the dirt and rock, by the county who will load the material on trucks, and by the Crockett County Fair association who will haul it away to use in repairing its race track. Amputation of the objectional probocis is expected to enhance beauty and convenience of the street as a building site for new industries here.

## Liquor Hearing Fills Streets of Victoria

VICTORIA, Texas, Aug. 27.(AP)—Streets leading to the federal building here were congested with traffic for a time today when nine men and tw owomen from the Halletsville and Yakum sections answered summons to appear before the United States commissioner on charges of violation of the prohibition law. The eleven accompanied by scores of friends and relatives, waived preliminary and were released on bond.

## Deny "Red Tape" Exists In Postoffice Operations

SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 27.(AP) Th eimplication that red tape methods exist in the operation of postoffices was vigorously denied here today at the annual convention of the Louisiana branch of the National League of District Postmasters. C. W. Page of Shreveport was the one to first make the declaration. Other speakers voiced similar sentiments and the entire convention expressed approval of the remarks.

## Reigns As Queen At Festival

Miss Rose Kiell of Newark, N. J., was selected to reign as queen of the masque fete and mardi gras at Bradley Beach, N. J., on Sept. 2.

# Late Society News

### *Alpha Sunday School Class Has Tacky Party*

Members of the Alpha Sunday school class of the Floral Heights Methodist church enjoyed a tacky party in the basement of the church Thursday evening. Games, contests and music furnished the diversion, and at a late hour, refreshments of hamburgers and red lemonade were served.

Those attending included Misses Bobbie Carter, Walldean Cardwell, Ada Hall, Ollie Lou Kimbell, Flora Roberts, Coralie Roberts, Maurine Scoggins, Gladys McKinnon, Enes Ewing, Marie Beaty, Macie Lester, Lucille Lee, Marjorie Nurwood, Marie Harris, May Kay, Clovis Robertson, Mary Lou Freeland, Lillian Pardue, Lennie Merle Walker of Dallas and Vera Beth Bramblitt of Dallas.

### *Annie Laurie Long League To Give Play*

A Spanish play entitled "The Waiting Guest," will be presented at the First Methodist church in the Wesley Girls class room Sunday evening beginning at 6:30 o'clock, by members of the Annie Laurie Long Epworth league, according to an announcement made Saturday.

Those taking part will include Jean Fisk, Thomas Haynie, Charles Warman, Jennie V. Shaw, Marie Albritton, Eleanor Kinsley and Eva Remington.

Special numbers will include a costume song with guitar accompaniment by Miss Josephine Fisk and a violin duet by Thelma Norvell and Claudine McCarty.

### *Girls' Auxiliary Has Slumber Party*

A slumber party followed by a sunroise breakfast at Cedar Park, furnished recreation for members of the Girls' auxiliary of the Highland Heights Baptist church Thursday when the night was spent at the home of Mrs. W. F. Booher.

Those enjoying the hospitality were Alene and Helen Miller, Lola Moss, Melba Burnett, Ruby Fay Curfman, Mary Evelyn Vaughan, Novice Riley, Opal Skelaton and Cora Lee Ludolphus.

### *Cantawayua Group Holds Meeting*

Meeting with their guardian, Mrs. Frank Young, members of the Cantawayua group of Camp Fire Girls spent several hours making smoked prints Friday afternoon.

In the party were Edith Brown, Lois Corbin, Mildred Johnson, Beatrice Sharpe, Berniece Trevathan, Dorothy Sommerville, Winelle Ward and Ola Frances Walton.

### *Durland Grove Will Elect New Officers*

Election of officers will feature the business session of the regular meeting of Durland Grove No. 1487 this week, according to an announcement made Saturday. At a recent meeting, Mrs. W. F. Wallace, guardian of the circle, who will leave soon to make her home in New Mexico, was presented a dainty gift.

### *Benfor-Oakey Nuptials Announced*

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Clara May Oakey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Oakey of 2113 Polk street, to Phillip Benfor, formerly of Denver, Colo., and now employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone company. The ceremony was read Saturday morning at the parsonage of the First Christian church at 10 o'clock by the assistant pastor, the Rev. Guy E. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Benfor will make their home in this city.

### *SOCIETY PERSONALS*

Miss Lennie Murle Walker of Dallas is the guest of Miss Lucille Lee.

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Miss Vera Beth Bramlitt of Dallas is the guest of Mrs. Robert Bones.

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Olan Harvey and Roscoe Burks have returned from a cart trip through Oklahoma, Arkansas and Missouri.

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W. L. Hawkins and his sister, Mrs. H. Willis, left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Pampa and Las Vegas, N. M.

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Dr. and Mrs. G. K. Wilson and family, accompanied by their sister, Mrs. Hal Kidd of Houston, are spending the week end in Cleburne. Mrs. Kidd will go from Cleburne to her home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hardy and two grandchildren, Bon Hardy and John, Jr., Chambers, have returned from a three weeks stay in the Ozarks. The children will visit here awhile before going to their home in Dallas.

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Mrs. G. F. Shults of Snyder, Okla., Miss Milly Givens of Tipton and Mrs. Ted Mullunnix of Cisco were among the out-of-town guests here for the wedding of Miss Golda Shults and Ross Givens which took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Blanton Saturday at high noon. Mrs. Schults is a sister of Mrs. Blanton, and Miss Givens is a sister of the bride-groom.

## Scurry County Has Bumper Feed Crop

SNYDER, Aug. 27.—Old Scurry county has a bumper feed crop tucked under its wing, and a record cotton crop is in sight. In addition to this rosy outlook, due to activity of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce recently organized, more than 3000 acres of peanuts are to be harvested this fall which indicate a big yield.

Scurry county will have no trouble in securing cotton pickers this fall, as arrangement has been made by the chamber of commerce to secure them when and where needed free of charge. Last year more than $9000 was spent fruitlessly in an effort to get laborers.

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# LARGE STATE GENERAL FUND

## Probable Treasury Will Have $2,000,000

AUSTIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—Probability that the state treasury will have a general fund balance of $2,000,000 or more at the end of th efiscal year, Wednesday, Aug. 31, instead of the $500,000 "allowed" by the state automatic tax board was seen here today.

When the treasury opened for business Saturday the general fund balance was $3,643,080.46.

It is believed that there will be enough receipts between now and the end of the present fiscal year to insure a final balance of at least $2,000,000.

If the automatic tax board, which recently set the year's tax rate at 25 cents, had figured in the probability of the largre balance, the rate might have been retained at the present 23 cents.

State Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher held out for retention of the present 23-cent rate, but Governor Dan Moody and Comptroller S. H. Terrell believed it safer at the time to figure on a $500,000 balance and compute the rate from that.

## Identify Headless Body Found in N. Y.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP) — Morgue attendants announced late today that the headless body found in a flushing thicket had been identified by Mrs. Helen Marmaro of Ozone Park, Queens, as that of her husband. The body had previously been tentatively identified by police as that of Charles Patty, a missing restaurant man.

## Parade Will Open Tillman County Fair

FREDERICK, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—A downtown parade will open the Tillman county fair here Wednesday. Arrangements for holding the fair are practically completed according to Secretary John G. Brown.

## Auto-Train Crash Kills One, Hurts One

ALEXANDRIA, La., Aug. 27.(AP) Miss Patsy D. Beck, 19, was killed adn Mrs. Fannie Macanally, 64, her grandmother, was seriously injured late yesterday when the automobile Miss Beck was driving was struck by a Louisiana and Arkansas freight train at a crossing at Midway, La.

## Ways and Means Committee Called

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Expressing the belief that there is no necessity for a special session of congress and forecasting a substantial tax reduction, Chairman Green of the house ways and means committee has called a meeting on October 31 of his committee which has original jurisdiction over the formulation of a new revenue bill.

The lowering of taxes, however, will be controlled to a large extent, the Iowa representative declared, by the extraordinary appropriations which are to be met by the next session. But he characterized the estimates of treasury officials of a $150,000,000 surplus available for this purpose as too low. He indicated that corporation levies and certain brackets of the income tax would receive primary consideration in the decreases.

## B. Y. P. U. to Hold Memphis Meeting

MEMPHIS, Aug. 27.—The Panhandle district Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. convention will meet with the Memphis Baptist church Sept. 8 and 9. Dr. W. Marshall Craig, pastor of the Gaston Avenue Baptist church of Dallas, will be the principal speaker. Mr. T. C. Gardner will have charge of the B. Y. P. U. work and Mr. E. S. Hopkins the Sunday school work. Leon Waite of Canyon, president of the district, will direct the meeting.

This district is composed of about 40 counties and Memphis is expecting and hoping for a large attendance.

Good homes will be provided for all those attending.

## Homer Wade To Attend Oil Jubilee

RANGER, Aug. 27.—Manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been invited to attend Ranger's homecoming oil jubilee to be held here October 21-22, celebrating the tenth anniversary of the discovery of oil in Eastland county, and has been asked to assist in plans for the big meeting.

Prominent oil men over the state and men of national prominence are expected to attend the fete. Walter C. Teagle of the Standard, New Jersey, and W. S. Farrish of the Humble, have been issued invitations, and a number of senators are to be asked to attend.

## Bellevue Bank's Books Audited

BELLEVUE, Aug. 27. (Sp.)—Under the direction of the state banking commission, the books of the First State Bank of Bellevue are being audited by a private concern of Dallas. The bank closed its doors last Saturday.

# *"Flapper Loafer" Takes Place of Male Idler in Postoffice Halls*

The "flapper loafer" has made her appearance at the Wichita Falls postoffice, according to Postmaster O. P. Maricle.

Postal regulations do not allow loitering and loafing about the premises of a postoffice and no seats are provided for the "guests" but the radiators are conveniently low and the writing tables are just the right height to "hang on by the elbows."

The ever present male loafer has long since learned that a United States postoffice building is no place in which to practice his profession, but the modern flapper offers a new problem, said Mr. Maricle.

Saturday morning as the postmaster passed through the lobby of the postoffice he noticed two members of the fairer sex, one a blonde, the other a brunette, reclining luxuriously on the down (?-surface of a steam radiator. One of them, the blonde, vainly tried to make the hem of her 1927 skirt reach her knee when she discerned that the postmaster's glance was something akin to a scowl.

"Er-a, ladies, that isn't a seat; its a radiator," informed the postmaster in polite terms. The ladies were immediately on their feet.

"That happens every day now," Mr. Maricle said.

# *Barnes To Deliver Sermon To New Church Congregation at Park Today*

Dr. S. A. Barnes, pastor of the Floral Heights Methodist church, will deliver the initial sermon in the recently organized South Side Methodist church, which will meet for its first congregational worship and its first quarterly conference Sunday evening at 8 o'clock in the Sibly Taylor park on Princeton street, it is announced.

W. A. Lynn, chairman of the finance committee, is to preside at the conference meeting which will follow the sermon, at which time the board of stewards, the superintendent of the Sunday school, and the various officers of the new church will be appointed by the pastor.

It is hoped that the tabernacle for the new church, to be erected at 23rd and Princeton, will be completed by next Sunday in time for the inauguration of Sunday school classes. Members of the finance committee are planning a drive for the first part of next week to raise the remaining half of the $1 000 requisite for this purpose, it was said. Approximately $500 was raised for the building fund during the last week.


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# JACK COUNTY GETS GREATEST OIL PLAY IN ITS HISTORY

## AREA MAKES 27,000 IN WEEK

### Production Due to Increase Rapidly

Special to The Record News.

JACKSBORO, Aug. 17.—Jack county scored two new producers and seven new locations during the past week. Never before in the history of the oil development of this county has the activity been so great or leasing so active as it is at the present time. During the time from the 20th of July to the 20th of August, Jack county producers have run through the pipe lines something like 27,000 barrels of oil, or on an average of 900 barrels a day. This production is due to take a big increase as several new wells are nearing completion and with the possibility of a pipe line connection being made with the Millett Pool in the northwesteren part of the county where several shallow producers have been completed.

The Seaboard Oil and Gas company-J. W. Cullers No. 1, J. R. Cullers survey, abstract 2188, topped the sand at 1994 feet and oil rose rapidly in the hole accompanied by some gas. This well has been drilled one foot further in the sand and is now flowing by heads and is rated as a 150 barrel pumper.

The second completion during the week was the Stampfli-Walton and Kell C. C. Bloodworth No. 1, J. F. Chears survey, abstract 149, which is making 14 barrels on the pump in twelve hours pumping time. The sand was encountered at 322 feet and drilled to 332 feet.

**Sand at 90' Feet.**

It is reported here that the Marland and Zoch-Cherryhomes No. 1, E. Robinson survey, abstract 488, has been shut down at 200 feet waiting on orders concerning a very nice showing in a sand encountered at 90 feet.

Bland and Chandler-Ellis and Dubose No. 2, Jas. W. Williams survey, abstract 887, is reported on the sand at 466 feet, and preparations being made to drill in. Machine is being moved on location for their Ellis and Dubose No. 4 which is located just west of their No. 3.

Bland and Strang-Millett No. 4, Jas. W. Williams survey, abstract 887 is spudding, while location for their Millett No. 5 has been made 300 feet north and 300 feet west of theier Millett No. 2.

Leidecker is moving his machine on location for his Holman No. 3, P. H. Rice survey, abstract 1442, which is due west of his Holman No. 1.

**New Locations.**

Shaw and Rathke have made two new locations one being south and the other being west of their J. W. Cullers No. 1 on the J. R. Cullers survey, abstract 2188.

The Buttram Petroleum corporation have made two new locations on the Jones estate, S. P. R. R. Co. survey, abstract 550, offsetting the Seaboard-J. W. Cullers No. 1 on the east and the Shaw and Rathke-J. W. Cullers No. 1 on the east.

The deep test of the Watchorn-Williams No. 1, B. S. and F. Co. survey, abstract 88, is still drilling in a hard black formation at 4790 feet.

The Fletcher Royalty and Drilling company-A. S. Johnson No. 1, Ben Terry survey, abstract 611, is drilling at 1415 feet.

Reed and Neely-Keyser No. 1, L. Watkins survey, abstract 1502, just north of the Leidecker discovery well, is reported logging true to form at 1815 feet and production is expected to be found at 2000 feet.

## Must Pull Eight-Inch Before Drilling Again

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Aug. 27.—It will be necessary to pull 1875 feet of eight-inch casing before drilling can be resumed on the Roxana Fain-McGaha Matthews No. 1, 12 miles northeast of Crowell due to damaged joints as a result of ten days activities to recover los tools and the gas explosion that recently occurred in the well. Drilling will be resumed as quickly as possible at 1875 feet. The sand from the Fluhman field, 10 miles southeast will likely be picked up at around 1950 feet and a heavy producer is expected when this sand is reached. The test is in block 3 of the G. C. and S. F. survey.

## Exporters Take Million Gallons of Gasoline

AMARILLO, Aug. 27.—Exporters have taken more than a million gallons of high gravity gasoline out of the North Texas refinery area this week, so North Texas and Panhandle refiners report.

First buy was 300,000 gallons of 64-66, 390 outpoint gasoline at 6 1-2 cents flat, and an inquiry for 300,000 gallons more. The next two days found that exporters had also taken considerable 64-66, 375 endpoint at an average of 6 5-8 cents a gallon.

The 58-60, U. S. motor grade, is quoted at 6 cents flat at the refinery, a low price.

**RAILROAD TO DRILL**

The Orient railway's application to the railroad commission to drill six oil wells on its right-of-way in Upton county has been approved. The Orient has successfully drilled several wells along its line already.

## Opposed Standard Oil Chiefs

On the left, Walter C. Teagle, president of Standard Oil of New Jersey, at "war" with Herbert L. Pratt, president of Standard Oil of New York, over oil contracts with Soviet Russia.

## "War" Between Standard Oil Firms Not Deadly One, Says Inside Rumor

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
Exclusive Central Press Dispatch to The Record News

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Is Standard Oil at war within itself?

When the government broke up the big parent company, did it manage to do it so effectually that the offsprings actually have fallen to fighting one another?

Has the Standard of New York really "put one over" on the Standard of New Jersey?—In connection with that Russian oil dicker we hear so much about. And is the Standard of New Jersey genuinely as mad as the Standard of New York as it appears to be?

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The various Standard Oil companies do unquestionably have their separate interests and affiliations.

It happens that the Standard of New Jersey is hooked up with the Royal Dutch Shell group, a concern partly British in its makeup, and partly Dutch, as its name implies.

What the Royal Dutch Shell gets out of its alliance with the Standard of New Jersey is its own affair, but what the Standard of New Jersey hopes to get out of its relationship with the Royal Dutch Shell isn't hard to guess. The Standard wants certain important oil concessions in the Dutch East Indies, where the Royal Dutch Shell is mighty influential.

**Nationalized Deposits.**

Now in Russia there are immensely valuable oil deposits, formerly privately owned but nationalized, expropriated, confiscated or stolen—choose your own term—by the soviet government, when the latter came into power.

The soviet folk had the oil but lacked machinery to market it advantageously.

"How about a bargain with us?" suggested the Standard of New Jersey and the Royal Dutch Shell, which were well provided in this respect. The Soviet Naphtha Trust, very anxious for money, was agreeable and negotiations began.

They had not progressed far before it became evident that the soviet government's and the Royal Dutch Shell's ideas of a satisfactory arrangement differed widely.

The soviet was willing to furnish the oil on favorable terms, to be sold, but that was all. Sir Henri Deterding, head of the Royal Dutch Shell, insisted on a concession — a vested right in the deposits—in fact, a monopoly.

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The upshot was a speedy termination of the discussion—with considerable heat on the part of Sir Henri, who said he wouldn't have anything to do with a government which didn't recognize private property and had grabbed that oil besides.

The Standard of New Jersey seemingly wasn't as unyielding as Sir Henri, since it continued chatting with the Soviet Naphtha Trust for some time after he had stopped, still trying to come to terms.

However, it was clear enough that the New Jersey company could not finally offer any more favorable conditions to the societ than Sir Henri had offered without offending its own ally, the Royal Dutch Shell. Sir Henri's scheme, according to the Russians, was to "put the screws" on them—to prevent them from disposing of their oil at all except as he dictated.

For the Standard of New Jersey to have cut the ground from under the Royal Dutch Shell's feet would have been a most unfriendly act—and the New Jersey company had the Dutch East Indies to think of.

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**What's Heard in Washington.**

It can't be proved, of course, but is it conceivable—it certainly is conceivable to some eminent oil authorities here—that the Standard of New Jersey, in this situation, said very, very confidentially to the Standard of New York?—

"You can see how we're tied up on this Russian oil situation. We're all Standard Oil companies together. Why don't you see what YOU can do?"

At all events, the next thing we know about it, the Standard Oil of New York and its affiliated Vacuum Oil company have framed up just such a deal with the Soviet Naphtha Trust as Sir Henri Deterding had refused to have anything to do with.

Sir Henri's boycott—if there was one—had exploded.

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The Standard of New Jersey has made a decent show of indignation over the Standard of New York's "underhanded conduct."

That's the utmost it can do.

No protest to the state department, no governmental action of any kind can possibly be available.

An American concern is at perfect liberty to enter into whatever trade relations it likes in Russia. If it gets into trouble there, it can't look to the Washington administration for help or support but its commercial ventures in Russia are none of this government's business.

The Standard of New York probably isn't afraid of anything of the sort. The soviet government has been far from respectful of old left-over czarist bargains, but it has an enviable reputation for keeping its own to the letter.

## STATE BUREAU NEEDS FUNDS

### Geologists Back University In Program

A movement to have a larger sum appropriated for the use of the Texas university bureau of economic geology at the forthcoming special session of the legislature is gaining support among geologists and geological organizations over the entire state, say members of the North Texas Geological society.

C. W. Clark, geologist, declared that the bureau, although doing much valuable work, is greatly handicapped by a lack of funds. The bureau already has a large amount of material for bulletins made out but cannot publish them until more funds are available.

Geologists feel that the bureau has duties to perform just like the Oklahoma Geological society, one of the most successful and efficient in the country. The Texas bureau proposes to make a survey similar to Oklahoma bulletin No. 118 which deals with nearly every county in that state.

The West Texas Oil and Gas association, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, North Texas Geological society, Panhandle Geological society, West Texas Geological society and other organizations are to endorse the bureau's program for more funds for its work in 1928 and 1929.

Dr. E. H. Sellards, associate director of the bureau of economic geology was in Wichita Falls recently and conferred with local geologists about plans for the future. He is expected to return here this fall.

## Gulf to Loop Field With New Pipeline

Special to The Record News.

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 27.—The Gulf has announced it would build a loop of 25 miles of 8-inch pipe to the McElroy pool in Crane county. This will increase the handling capacity to 30,000 barrels a day. The loop will be from the Midland terminus of the trunk line.

Production of around 22,000 barrels is owned by the Gulf in this area, including its State-Lasseter production in the University pool. Some of the wells are pinched in as this is the capacity of the present eight-inch pipeline.

## Randall Courthouse Asks First For Gas

AMARILLO, Aug. 27.—First consumer of the West Texas Gas company, a subsidiary of the Prairie Oil and Gas company, and which is constructing a natural gas pipeline from the Panhandle field to the South Plains area, with plans laid for extensions into a portion of West Texas, will be the Randall county courthouse at Canyon. Deposit required before a connection can be made has been received at the West Texas Gas offices in Amarillo.

## Panhandle's 1357 Wells Go Back Over 100,000 Barrel Mark Past Week

AMARILLO, Aug. 27.—After slumping for weeks and weeks, the Panhandle oil field the past fiscal week stopped its decline and revealed a gain of 2364 barrels a day, to a daily average of 102,212 barrels. The week before it slumped to 99,848 barrels, being the first drop below 100,000 barrels a day in a year's time.

Two good wells in Hutchinson county, one a new producer, and one an old well pepped up with the gas lift, accounted for 80 per cent of the gain and the come-back. Additional gains were accounted for by Gray, Moore and Wheeler counties.

There are 1357 producing wells this week, a net gain of three wells, and with 10 new completed the discrepancy is explained that a flock of wells that were commercially not worth retaining were dropped from the lists and killed.

The summary follows:

| Area— | Wells | Output | New Wells | Well Avrg. | Gain | Loss |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carson | 159 | 9,557 | 1 | 60.16 | ... | 377 |
| Gray | 152 | 10,461 | 1 | 68.82 | 634 | ... |
| Hutchinson | 1005 | 80,341 | 8 | 79.94 | 1875 | ... |
| Moore | 3 | 185 | . | 61.66 | 134 | ... |
| Potter | 1 | 35 | . | 35.00 | ... | ... |
| Wheeler | 37 | 1,633 | . | 44.13 | 98 | ... |
| Totals | 1357 | 102,212 | 10 | 75.32 | 2364 | 377 |
| Prev. Week | 1354 | 99,848 | 1 | 73.74 | 321 | 5818 |

## 22 LOCATIONS BEFORE SLASH

### Upton County Leads In New Drilling

Special to The Record News.

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 27.—Twenty-two locations for oil tests were made in a half dozen counties in the Trans-Pecos, on the Edwards plateau and in far western Texas, all save two in Upton, prior to the slash Tuesday in the price of crude. Building of derricks and rigging up in some instances is under way for many of the tests and it is believed all will be drilled at this time, since the majority are in semi-proven areas.

Especially is this true in Pecos county, where eleven of the twenty-two locations were made. Only one location there is a rank wildcat, Roxana's No. 1 J. H. Tippett, 275 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the east line of section 102, block 12, I-G-N Railway Company survey. Six locations were made in Winkler county, two by Roxana, two by Landreth and one each by Amerada and Texon. The World Oil company made a location in Crockett county, where it brought in the discovery well in May, 1924; the Milham Corporation made one in Terrell county and Mayes & Nixon one in Howard county.

**Third in River.**

The latest Pecos county location was for Allsman & Bell's third test in the bed of the Pecos river, 600 to 1000 feet north of its No. 1 producer, 382 feet north and 113 feet east of the northeast corner of section 60. The No. 3 will be north and east of Mid-Kansas and Transcontinental's No. 3B, one of the big gushers in the field.

Two tests will be drilled by the Mazda and Savoy Oil companies jointly on the eighty acres adjoining on the east the 140 acres in section 24, block 194, G. C. and S. F. Ry. Co. survey, on which the Red Bank's No. 1 M. A. Smith, Pecos county's sixteenth and latest producer is located. Mazda and Savoy received the "80" for drilling the No. 1 M. A. Smith for the Red Bank. Their No. 1 M. A. Smith will be 660 feet east of the Red Bank's uncompleted producer, 330 feet south of the north line of the section and on the north and south line that divides the section in half. Mazda-Savoy No 2 will be approximately 1340 farther west in section 24, leaving room in between for a thidr well. It is expected that Roxana will drill northern offsets in section 27 to Red Bank No. 1 Smith and Mazda-Savoy Nos. 1 and 2 Smith and an eastern offset to Mazda-Savoy No. 2 Smith. Roxana's eastern offset to Mazda-Savoy No. 2 Smith will be in its 40 acres out of the extreme northeast corner of section 24.

**Location Changed.**

In Pecos county, a change was announced in the location for the California company's No. 2 Yates, in section 34, from 785 feet each way to 250 feet north and west from the northwest corner of section 61, block 1, L and G. N. Ry. Co survey. Rigging up now is underway. California No. 2 Yates will be in section 34. It is building rig. The location is being cleared for California No. 4 Yates in section 34. The California's first well on its lease No. 3 on land owned by M. A. Smith of San Angelo will be 322 feet north and 275 feet east of the lease.

McMan-Marland, which recently brought in a producer on Ira G. Yates land, in section 34 1-2, will drill its No. 2 Yates in the same section No. 3, also in 34 1-2, will be 275 feet south and 330 feet west of the southwest corner of section 103, block 194. No. 4, in 34 1-2, will be 275 feet north and 330 feet east of the northeast corner of section 36, offsetting California's No. 1 Smith.

Other locations during the week follow:

Amerada Petroleum Corporation, in section 43, block 26, Winkler Co., public school lands, on Walton farm.

Landreth Production company, two locations in Winkler, one being the Gresham & Hunter No. 1, section 45, block 26, public school lands, and Hendricks, section 29, block B-5, public school lands.

Roxana has two Winkler locations also, one being on the Hendricks lease, section 45, block 26, 1650 and another on the same lease in section 29, block B-5.

Texon Oil and Land company has a location on its Hendricks lease in Winkler, being on section 43, block 26, public school lands.

World Oil company expects to spud a 3000-foot test within sixty days on the Sarg farms, section 50, block BB, E. L. and R. R. survey, Crockett county.

In Terrell county, Milham Oil Corporation will drill on the Bassett ranch, W. H. Robertson survey, section 95, block V, center of the north line of the section.

A recent location in Howard county is the Mayes & Nixon et al W. J. Flowers, section 42, block 31, T. and P. survey.

**FIND GRANITE HORIZON**

The Texas company at No. 1 Bell in section 71, block 13, of H. & G. N. survey, northeast of Shamrock, in Wheeler county, is drilling below 2400 feet in a very hard formation, resembling granite.

Angus and others No. 1 Vermillion in section 80, block 17, shut down at 2139 feet, and is making 10,000,000 feet of gas from 2040 to 2045 feet.

## NEWS of the FIELD

**HASKELL COUNTY**

If Haskell county's newest drilling well is as successful as the man after whom it was named another oil field is assured for northwest Texas. Luncky Lindy No. 1 M. O. Bouldin is the designation of a well just spudded by S. S. Kouri of Wichita Falls 1510 feet from the north and 150 from the east line of section 10, block 3, H. & T. C. survey. Mr. Kouri is adopting one of the renowned flier's nicknames after drilling eight dry holes in Haskel lcounty.

A new location for Haskell county has been made by Edmiston and Critten, being No. 1 Reynolds Cattle company in section 13, H. Cunningham survey.

Blackstone Oil company's No. 1 Grisson is plugged as a dry hole at a depth of 2706 feet. It is located in section 12, W. J. Montgomery survey.

**WILBARGER COUNTY**

Marland Oil company and Golding and Cochran are drilling at 1280 feet in their No. 1 Waggoner located in section 107, block 14, H. & T. C. survey of Wilbarger county.

**WICHITA COUNTY**

Atlantic Oil Producing company has set and cemented pipe on a sand at 1536 feet in its No. 1 H. Waggoner, south of Electra and in section 33, block 5, H. & T. C. survey, Wichita county. The test is a wildcat.

**COTTLE COUNTY**

Woodley Oil and Gas company is building a derrick on the old No. 1 Dulaney in section 15, block "M," H. & T. C. survey of Cottle county with the intention of carrying the test on down in the search for petroleum. The test was abandoned about two years ago at a depth of 3366 feet.

**DENTON COUNTY**

Big Indian Oil company is moving off of its No. 1 Forrester, located in the J. W. Chandler survey, Denton county, after drilling to a depth of 2512 feet.

Henri Rondeau is plugging his No. 1 Owens in the S. H. Lewis survey, Denton county, at a depth of 2004 feet.

**KOLL-TEX IN ARCHER**

Koll-Tex Oil corporation is drilling below 800 feet in its No. 3 White, located in lot 12, block 41, A. T. N. L. C. survey, in north Archer county. This test is a north offset to No. 2 producer.

**FOARD COUNTY**

Texas company is reported drilling at 2080 feet in its No. 1 Watkins, located in the Armstrong survey, Foard county.

Humble Oil and Refining company is running six-inch pipe at 3635 feet in its No. 1 McAdams Brothers, located in section 27, block "L," H. & T. C. survey.

Roxana Petroleum corporation and Fain-McGaha are pulling the 8 1-2 inch pipe in No. 1 Matthews, north of Thalia, at a depth of 1875 feet. A bit was lost in the hole.

**HARDEMAN COUNTY**

The Milham corporation is drilling at 610 feet in its No. 1 Reeves, southwest of Quanah in Hardeman county and located in section 2, East Texas railway survey.

## Runs to Refineries Decline in Past Week

AMARILLO, Aug. 27—Crude oil runs at 124 of the principal Mid-Continent refineries were cut 4500 barrels a day the week of August 12 to 19, says word from Tulsa. The production of gasoline fell off 39,146,000 gallons, and shipments dropped 809,000 gallons.

Decline in shipments overshadowed the loss of production, and stocks increased 200,000 gallons to 70,733,000 gallons. Shipments amounted to 37,921,000.

Kerosene production fell off 300,000 gallons to a total of 26,685,000 gallons.

## Mexia Strike Causes Renewed Oil Activity

MEXIA, Aug. 27.—Activity was revived around Mexia the latter half of the week by oil operators following the bringing in of the Reiter and Lewis No. 1 Mrs. R. P. Ward, flowing 550 barrels initial. Most of the activity was in royalty trading as it is almost impossible to buy leases.

The new well opens up a new territory in the Cedar Creek area two miles south of the Nigger Creek pool. Transcontinental Oil company has made location for an offset. Prairie Pipeline company is taking the oil.

## Young and Cooke Counties Gain Heavily, But District Declines

Due principally to continued decline in Archer, Wichita, Montague and Wilbarger counties, the daily average production in the fields of North Texas decreased 185 barrels the past week, according to the official estimates.

Cooke county reached its high water mark, averaging 6305 barrels daily during the past week. An unofficial calculation made on this county credited its 127 wells with making 6255 barrels daily. Muenster has 47 of the wells making 2689 barrels and Bulcher has 80 doing 3566 barrels. There are three gas wells in Cooke county.

Young county registered the heaviest gain, making 14,270 barrels, an increase of 390 barrels. This was due to Stovall's new well in the South Bend field.

Jack county gained only 30 barrels but several of its new shallow producers were not included in the estimates. This county is now getting the greatest play in its history.

Throckmorton county gained 50 barrels, thanks to Humble's No. 1 Elliott.

Production by fields follows:

| Field— | Past Week | Prev. Week | Gain | Loss |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Electra | 14,530 | 14,615 | ... | 85 |
| Burkburnett | 11,175 | 11,265 | ... | 90 |
| Iowa Park | 3,965 | 3,970 | ... | 5 |
| Archer County | 25,480 | 25,810 | ... | 330 |
| Baylor County | 90 | 90 | ... | ... |
| Clay County | 560 | 565 | ... | 5 |
| Cooke County | 6,305 | 6,165 | 140 | ... |
| Jack County | 940 | 910 | 30 | ... |
| Montague County | 11,075 | 11,220 | ... | 155 |
| Throckmorton County | 1,660 | 1,610 | 50 | ... |
| Wilbarger County | 11,980 | 12,115 | ... | 135 |
| Young County | 14,270 | 13,880 | 390 | ... |
| Totals | 102,030 | 102,215 | ... | 185 |

## ALANREED TEST UPSETS DOPE

### Geologists Say It Should Not Make Oil

AMARILLO, Aug. 27.—The Texas Panhandle's most interesting wildcat today is the St. Clair Petroleum company No. 1 Crews, in section 9, block 25, of H. & G. N. survey, and northeast of Alanreed, in southeastern Gray county.

Interest in the St. Clair well is due to a number of outstanding incidents. First of all the well is geologically an upset, for according to geologists and backed up by logs of other wells drilled in the area, is south of the granite ridge that runs from the southeast to the northeast through the Panhandle area. On that account it could not be regarded as an oil producer, and yet it is making some oil.

Reason for the oil and gas is believed due to the erosion away of part of the granite ridge, through developing an opening for oil to penetrate and be trapped on its upward sweep from its place of origin nearer the shores of the ocean.

The St. Clair well had gas several months ago at regular depths, but when it showed some oil then it began to be classified as interesting.

Word from the well says that it has been cleaned out at 2745 feet, after being shot, and it was averaging less than one barrel of oil an hour.

The 6 5-8-inch casing was set in it at 2674 feet, steel line measurement and the setting of this pipe caused it to make a spectacular flow a week ago and hold the interest.

So interested are major operators in the St. Clair well that they are now buying around it, and acreage that went begging recently is now commanding $5 to $15 an acre, according to location and legality of titles.

## Build Storage In West Texas

Special to The Record News.

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 27.—When 21 Simms Oil company and Atlantic Oil Producing company joint wells in the University pool in Crane county yielded 27,372.38 barrels of oil Thursday—a new peak—total production from their five University leases reached 1,705,161.46 barrels. Pipeline runs Thursday totaled 21,656.34, of which 10,078.18 barrels went to the Humble and 11,478.16 to Atlantic tanks. Pipeline runs through Thursday totaled 1,634,743.80, leaving the lease storage 70,417.66 barrels. The available lease storage space was 34,914.16 barrels.

With the Humble pipeline taking only around 10,000 barrels at present from the Simms-Atlantic in its pro-rating, necessitated by steadily mounting production that long since has exceeded the pipeline facilities, these two companies are increasing their storage. Late in the week the sixth ring was being run on Atlantic's second 55,000-barrel tank on the University D lease. The first ring was being run on Simms' first "55" on the University D lease, and the bottom was being laid for Simms' second "55" on the same lease. The seventh 10,000-barrel tank on the University A lease was completed Friday. The second ring on the eight 10,000-barrel tank on the same lease was being run.

The addition Thursday of 11,578.16 barrels to oil in steel storage increased Simms-Atlantic's total to 237,896.68 barrels. The total steel storage capacity at that time was 348,916.65, leaving available space for 11,019.97 barrels. Total available storage in all tanks was 45,934.13 barrels.

Crane and Upton counties each with four led last week in completed oil producers in the Trans-Pecos, on the Edwards plateau and in far West Texas. Pecos county came next with three wells — the largest of the week—and Howard county added one. Completion of the Simms-Atlantic No. C6 in the University (Church-Fields) pool in Crane county for 2300 barrels daily, after a shot, and improvement of older wells by cleaning out contributed to a new production record for the two companies on Thursday. On that day their yield totaled 27,327.38 barrels.

## Tax Foreclosure Lands Cannot Be Redeemed

AUSTIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—No appointments have been announced by Governor Dan Moody for six state offices, although terms of four of them are up, by law, next Wednesday night.

The governor is at Galveston for a week-end fishing trip with friends and is not expected back here before Tuesday. It is not known here whether he intends to make appointments before the expiration dates of the terms affected. For several weeks speculation at the capital as to the possible appointees has gone unsatisfied.

The SQUIRE *of Smithville*

At that I believe the sardine packers could get a number of pointers from the subway guards.

## *Wildcat Operations Hold Interest Of North Texas Operators in Week*

### Throckmorton and Jack Counties Score Producers; Gas Found at Muenster

BY TOM TRULY

Wildcat wells in all parts of the North Texas district held the attention of oil operators during the past week. Jack and Throckmorton counties saw two tests outside of production materialize as producers.

The Throckmorton county well was Red Bank Oil company's No. 2 Cole in section 972, T. E. & L. survey, a short distance north of the company's No. 4 Virginia Parrott which came in several months ago flowing 2700 barrels. The new well found pay at 4282-94 feet and flowed 275 barrels in 24 hours with two million feet of gas.

Jack county also scored a flowing well in Seaboard Oil and Gas company's No. 1 J. W. Cullers in the J. W. Cullers survey, abstract 2188, and nearly a quarter of a mile south of Leidecker's No. 1 Holman. The well found the pay at 1994-96 feet, considerably high, and flowed at intervals 150 barrels.

**Showing in Knox.**

There was an undercurrent of excitement, somewhat shortlived, when Humble Oil and Refining company got a "smell" of petroleum in a lime at 3230-36 feet in No. 1 Goode, three miles south of Goree and in section 7, H. T. and B. survey. At last reports the test was drilling at 3280 feet. It has a gas sand at 1307 feet.

Hopes of a deeper pay at Muenster received a jolt when Lawson and Houseman tested dry in a sand at 1936 feet in their townsite test. Jack Abernathy, drilling No. 2 Dayton, his third test south of Gainesville in Cooke county, has set pipe on a sand at 1425 feet and next week may have an oil well.

**Gas at Muenster.**

The most interesting event from several angles in Cooke county was the discovery of a gas vein in the Muenster pool. Sun Oil company completed two producers making gas an doil. The No. 4 Hacker had 3,000,000 feet of gas and 100 barrels while No. 3 made the same amount of oil and considerably less gas.

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## Sunflower State Has New Oil Pool

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 27.—A drilling campaign is expected to start soon in McPherson county, Kansas, northeast of the town of McPherson and about 30 miles northwest of the old Florence pool in Marion county, as the result of the Texas company's test which had 2000 feet of oil in the hole yesterday.

The test is the No. 1 Chinberg, NW corner NE NW of 32-18-2w, which topped the pay at 2336 feet and drilled to 2359 feet. It was bailed for eight or 10 hours yesterday but the oil could not be lowered. It will be swabbed.

Four or five other wells are expected to begin drilling soon around the well of Livingston and associates No. 1 Luckman, SW corner SE of 11-9-16w, Rush county, Kansas, now making 50 barrels daily.

This well is about 18 miles north of Larned and the same distance west of Great Bend, Kan. More than 11,000 barrels of storage are now on the grounds.

## W. T. C. C. Supports Yates In Oil Suit

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is to give its support to Ira G. Yates of San Angelo in the state's suit to recover title to Mr. Yates land in Pecos county which has been proved productive of oil, says an article in West Texas Today, official publication of the regional chamber of commerce.

Interest in the suit is running high in West Texas, according to reports. The commissioners court of Pecos county has condemned the state's action in bringing the suit.

Mr. Yates originally bought the land without the mineral rights but when the legislature passed a law allowing him to purchase one sixteenth interest in the mineral rights he did so.

Since the first oil well was completed on the land the state has brought the suit on the grounds that the legislature's action allowing the sale of the mineral rights was unconstitutional.

## Women to Vote For Dry Candidates

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 27. (AP)—Unless the two major political parties nominate dry candidates for president next year the 600,000 members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will vote for independent candidates. Thus did Mrs. Ella A. Boole of New York, W. C. T. U. president, outline the political stand of the organization at the opening of the annual convention last night.

Automobile registration in the United States and Canada are almost five times the total of the rest of the world.

Business depression in Germany caused its largest railway to discontinue a number of trains this summer.

Peasants of Estonea are taking over land that has been for centuries in the hands of a few great families.

## BREWSTER HAS NEW ACTIVITY

### Huge Ranches Leased By Eastern Operators

ALPINE, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Increase in oil drilling operations in Brewster county are noted in the activity of promoters here recently. Several test wells are now being drilled.

In addition to a test well going down on the McIntyre ranch a few miles south of Alpine, one or two are to begin soon on the O2 ranch below here, another test near Marathon on the Decie ranch and two more going down near Lennox, still greater drilling activity is expected to begin in the county within the next few weeks as a result of leases recently obtained by eastern operators.

D. W. Light and Asa A. Jones, who own about 80,000 acres of land in eastern Brewster county in the Tesnus district, recently gave an oil and gas lease on 33,000 acres of land to C. W. McCall, oil operator of Pittsburgh, and O. B. Schaffer of Chicago, it was announced.

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## *Seminole Pool Continues Slump*

TULSA, Aug. 27—Seminole field production declined 1365 barrels yesterday, from 437,150 barrels to 435,785 barrels.

The reduction was made in the Bowlegs, Earlsboro and Searight pools, but the Seminole pool climbed about 1400 barrels. The Little River pool declined 182 barrels.

The Bowlegs decrease was approximately 1000 barrels, the Earlsboro drop was about 1000 barrels while the Searight decline was around 500 barrels.

There were 708 producing wells yesterday against 707 on Thursday. The Bowlegs pool had 206 wells, Earlboro 142, Seminole 316 and Searight 45 wells.

The Indian Territory Illuminating Oil company's Little River discovery well in 1-7-6, Seminole county, which came in for more than 12,000 barrels, made less than 8000 barrels yesterday for the first time.

The day's production was 7866 barrels of oil and 255 barrels of water. For the 24 hour period ending Thursday morning 7 o'clock it made 8048 barrels. The decrease was 182 barrels yesterday.

## Panhandle Crude Piles Up in Storage Tanks

AMARILLO, Aug. 27.—Panhandle crude oil continues to pile up, being further held back by Pecos and other West Texas pools.

The plentitude of crude oil in all areas, and especially in Oklahoma where the oil market is quite weak, and probably confronted with a price cut, is making it more difficult for producers and transporters to keen movement from the field above production.

For the week of Aug. 13 to 20, production averaged 99,850 barrels a day and the outgo in pipelines, tank cars and local refineries took 81,455 barrels a day, leaving an average of 8395 barrels to storage. The latter for the week just ended increased to 15,440 barrels a day.

**HALE CENTER AREA**

L. L. Donnell Petroleum company at No. 2 Mullican ranch, in section 21, block B, of R. M. Thompson survey, which had a show of oil at 404 feet, drilled on and found a hole full of fresh water at 412 feet. It had a rainbow show oil at 252 to 256 feet, accompanied by a puff of gas. It may go deeper.


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# NORTH HEDGING HOLDS BUYING

## Selling For Profits Offsets Demand

BY CHARLES J. LEYDEN.
Universal Service Staff Correspondent.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—Hedging pressure from the northwest today coupled with some local selling for profits more than offset the commission house demand for wheat, and prices for wheat closed lower after rallying early. The other markets also eased off from the early tops, all grains finishing somewhat lower. There was some commission house buying on the dips, and offerings were fairly well taken.

Predictions for mostly fair and warm weather over the northwest and Canada checked buying and no great attention was paid to forecasts for frosts over the week-end. Cash trade was of moderate proportions. Closing prices were ⅝ to 1⅛c off for wheat, ¼ to ⅜c lower for corn, unchanged to ⅛c down for oats, and ¼ to ⅝c lower for rye. For the week wheat was 2⅝ to 3½c off, corn unchanged to ½c up; oats ⅜c up to ⅝c off, and rye ¼ to ⅝c higher.

Cash corn prices were ½ to 1c off relatively today and this modified bull sentiment in the pit to some extent, while the setback in wheat was influential in causing free late selling which wiped out early gains.

The primary movement of oats was smaller than a year ago, which bears out predictions that farmers are inclined to bin their oats in many cases.

Rye was a little higher early, but there was a lot of profit taking and while the September was firm relatively, the market finished lower.

### CURB MARKET PRICES.
By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—High, low and close of stocks active on the curb market today:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cel Cor Am N | 79⅛ | 77⅞ | 78 |
| Dypraut Motors | 19⅛ | 19 | 19 |
| Federal Water | 30⅝ | 30¼ | 30⅜ |
| Gillette S R | 94⅛ | 93¼ | 93½ |
| Johns-Manv N | 114 | 112 | 113¾ |
| Leh Pow N | 18⅝ | 18 | 18⅝ |
| Mavis Corp | 23⅝ | 23 | 23 |
| N Y Cent N Wi | 156 | 154⅝ | 154⅝ |
| North Oh Pow C | 14⅞ | 14⅝ | 14⅞ |
| Reo Motors | 22⅝ | 22 | 22 |
| U S L Battery N | 49 | 49 | 49 |
| Wesson O & Sn Vte | 65 | 63¾ | 65 |

### MINING STOCKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Newmont Mining | 96 | 95¾ | 95¾ |
| Noranda | 24⅝ | 24¼ | 24⅝ |
| Ohio Cop | 1.5-16 | 1⅛ | 1.5-16 |
| Tech Min | 2 | 2 | 2 |

### INDEPENDENT OIL STOCKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Am Con Oilfds | 62 | 58 | 62 |
| Cit Serv N | 49⅝ | 49⅝ | 49⅝ |
| Em G & F $ pct P | 109½ | 109½ | 109¾ |
| Tidal Osage O N V | 22⅝ | 22⅛ | 22⅛ |
| Venezuelan Pet | 6⅛ | 6¼ | 6¼ |

### STANDARD OIL ISSUES.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chesebr'h Mfg | 109½ | 109⅛ | 109¾ |
| Cont'l Oil N | 18⅝ | 18 | 18⅝ |
| Illinois P L | 169 | 169 | 169 |
| Imp Oil of Can | 48⅝ | 48⅝ | 48¾ |
| Int. Pet C Ltd | 30⅝ | 30⅛ | 30⅜ |
| Ohio Oil | 61⅛ | 61⅛ | 61⅜ |
| Prairie O & G N | 61⅜ | 61¼ | 61⅜ |
| P W Penn P L | 75 | 75 | 75 |
| S O of Indiana | 74 | 73⅞ | 73⅞ |
| S O of Kentucky | 122⅛ | 122⅛ | 122½ |
| S O of Ohio new | 81⅜ | 81⅛ | 81⅜ |
| Vacuum Oil | 129¼ | 129 | 129 |

# Wichita Woman Hears President

(Continued From Page One.)

Leading Eagle of the Sioux tribe, with the Princess Rosebud Robe, decorating him in the headdress of the tribe.

"Mrs. Coolidge was an interested spectator and seated in her box, dressed in the style of the average well groomed American woman. I couldn't help but think what a real woman, our first lady of the land is," Mrs. Skalinder said.

"She was not only interested but seemed so deeply appreciative of the efforts the people of the Black Hills were making to entertain her and the president."

A gorgeous pageant was the entertainment at the annual gathering, depicting the progress of that section of the country from the year of 1876 to the present time and given in the open with famous Black Hills furnishing the background.

Special writers from the largest newspapers in the country and the Saturday Evening Post were there as well as myriads of moving picture people, Mrs. Skalinder said.

### Memorial Ceremony

"My next thrill and one of the joys of my life, was attending the Rushmore Memorial ceremony and a visit with the sculptor, Gutzon Borglum, and his wonderful family. Four great epochs in the history of the nation are represented in this memorial by the heads of Washington, chosen first as leader of the republic; Jefferson, the greatest expansionist; Lincoln, as saviour of the union, and Roosevelt, who completed the vision of Columbus in his search for a new passage to the Orient, the Panama canal.

"And then, along with all these other celebrities, to top the trip off, as the most eventful one I have ever taken, I stopped at Kansas City for a few days to visit a friend and arrived just in time for the reception of Lindbergh. Thousands and thousands greeted him but I was fortunate in being close to him, and after looking into his clear blue eyes, seeing his wholesome strong courageous face, I no longer wondered that he could go alone across the Atlantic in an airship."

## New Entries Received In Livestock Section

The list of livestock entries in the Texas-Oklahoma fair to be opened here October 1 was increased last week by entries of Hereford cattle by B. A. Elliott of Moran, and an exhibit of Duroc Jersey hogs by Mrs. C. C. Perry, Anadarko, Okla.

George D. Keith, superintendent of the livestock division of the fair, reported Saturday that the number and class of entries indicated that the livestock exhibits at the fat rthis year would be the bost extensive and finest in the history of the fair.

Announcement that the Kraft Cheese company would open a plant in Wichita Falls in the near future has awakened interest in the dairy division of the fair's livestock department. The exhibits of dairy cattle are expected to be fine.

## Farewell Meeting For Capt. Thomas

Capt. George W. Thomas, commander of the Salvation Army post at Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Thomas, who is his assistant, will leave the service of the post here Sunday night, when a farewell meeting will be held for them at the Salvation Army citadel.

### TOOL HOUSE BURNS

A Plain's Paving company tool house, located at Eighth and Bluff streets, was almost destroyed by fire of undetermined origin about 4:30 o'clock Friday morning. Firemen of stations No. 4 and 1 laid 600 feet of hose.

# Cotton--Stocks--Latest Market Quotations--Grain--Cattle

# N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—The stock market displayed a complete reversal of form in today's brief session, bouncing upward at the opening under the leadership of th epivotal industrials, several of which attained record high levels, and then turning reactionary under the combined weight of realizing sales and a renewal of professional selling pressure against the oils and a few of the vulnerable specialties.

General Motors issues continue to dominate trading, the "old" stock touching another new high record at 250¾, and then slipping back to 249 for a small fractional loss on the day, while the new "when issued" stock reacted about a point from its peak of 126¾. Sales of both issues approximated 140,000 shares.

General Electric, directors of which declared only the regular dividends yesterday, was nevertheless run up four points to a new peak at 138, as against a low of 41 earlier in the year. U. S. Steel common reached a new high level at 142. Both Steel and General Electric closed near the top. Baldwin Locomotive showed a net loss of 2 points at 256 as a result of the conflicting reports regarding the proposed admission of Fisher Brothers interests to the directorate.

Buying of the General Motors issues was stimulated by the publication of a newspaper interview by John J. Raskob, chairman of the finance committee of the corporation, who expressed the opinion that business conditions were healthy, and that a turn for the better could be expected in the motor industry. Chrysler attained a new high at 61 on buying credited to First National bank interests, while Pierce Arrow issues sold at new low levels for the year.

Pan-American issues sank to the lowest levels since 1924 when selling pressure was renewed against the oil group. Houston Oil broke three points to 150 but snapped back to 153 and 10 shares of Texas and Pacific Land Trust old stock which was recently split up on a 100 for one basis, changed hands at 2845, a drop of 155 points below the previous sale.

Publication of additional unfavorable earnings statements had a depressing effect on the rail group, Delaware and Hudson standing out with a break of 9½ points. Recessions in other seasons dividend paying issues were held to a point or so.

Easing tendencies characterized the foreign exchange market. Italian lira sinking 4⅛ points to 5.28⅝ cents and Japanese cables dropping 5 to 47.26 cents. Demand sterling and French francs were quoted practically unchanged around 4.85 13-16 and 3.91⅜ cents respectively.

### STOCK MARKET AVERAGES.
(By The Associated Press.)

| | 20 Inds. | 20 Rails |
|---|---|---|
| Saturday | 173.21 | 146.18 |
| Friday | 173.14 | 147.02 |
| Week ago | 177.29 | 145.94 |
| Year ago | 143.48 | 122.58 |
| High, 1927 | 178.21 | 149.56 |
| Low, 1927 | 141.25 | 125.58 |

Total stock sales 1,021,700 shares.

| | Sales | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allied Chem & D | 28 | 157¾ | 156½ | 156¾ |
| American Can | 27 | 61¾ | 60⅝ | 61⅜ |
| Am Locomo | 4 | 111¼ | 110⅜ | 110⅜ |
| Am Smelt & Ref | 31 | 170⅜ | 169 | 169 |
| Am Sugar | 4 | 91¾ | 90¼ | 90¼ |
| Am Sumatra Tob | 2 | 60 | 59⅝ | 60 |
| Am Tel & Tel | 4 | 169¾ | 168¾ | 168¾ |
| Am W W & El | 4 | 106⅜ | 105 | 105 |
| Am Tob B | 2 | 144¾ | 144 | 144¾ |
| Am Woolen | 4 | 22 | 21⅝ | 22 |
| Anaconda Cop | 34 | 53⅝ | 52⅝ | 53⅜ |
| A T & S F | 80 | 197 | 195¾ | 195¾ |
| Atlantic C L | 10 | 197 | 195½ | 197 |
| Bald Locomo | 61 | 258 | 255 | 256 |
| Balti & Ohio | 29 | 120 | 119¾ | 119¾ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 71 | 64¾ | 63¾ | 63¾ |
| Calif Pet | 10 | 21⅜ | 21⅛ | 21⅛ |
| Chess & Ohio | 7 | 195½ | 195½ | 195¾ |
| C M & St P pfd | 9 | 82⅝ | 81⅝ | 82 |
| Chic & N W | 6 | 90⅜ | 89⅝ | 89⅝ |
| C R I & P | 11 | 110 | 109 | 110 |
| Chrysler Motor | 483 | 61¾ | 60⅜ | 60⅝ |
| Comi Solv B | 3 | 379 | 378½ | 379 |
| Consolidated Gas | 6 | 113¾ | 113½ | 113½ |
| Corn Products | 1 | 64⅞ | 64⅝ | 64⅝ |
| Dodge Bros | 29 | 20⅝ | 20⅜ | 20⅜ |
| Dupont de Nem | 29 | 206⅜ | 203⅝ | 206⅛ |
| Elec Pow & Lt | 18 | 26 | 25½ | 25½ |
| Elect Refrig | 82 | 14⅜ | 13⅝ | 14⅜ |
| Erie Railroad | 37 | 61 | 60⅜ | 60½ |
| Freeport-T Co | 13 | 73⅜ | 74⅛ | 74⅛ |
| Gen Asphalt | 73 | 66⅝ | 64 | 66⅝ |
| Gen Electric | 220 | 138 | 133⅝ | 137⅝ |
| Gen Motors | 456 | 250⅝ | 248⅝ | 249 |
| Gt North pfd | 5 | 99⅝ | 99¼ | 99⅝ |
| Hudson Motors | 98 | 86 | 85¼ | 85½ |
| Inter Harv | 6 | 182 | 182 | 182 |
| Inter Nickel | 3 | 67 | 66⅝ | 66⅝ |
| Kennecott Cop | 30 | 70⅜ | 70⅛ | 70⅜ |
| Louis & Nash | 3 | 146 | 146 | 146 |
| Mack Truck | 17 | 101⅜ | 100⅛ | 101 |
| Marland Oil | 12 | 34⅝ | 34 | 34⅛ |
| Mid-Cont Pet | 28 | 30⅜ | 30 | 30 |
| M K & T | 5 | 46 | 45⅝ | 45⅝ |
| Mo Pacific pfd | 45 | 102 | 100¼ | 102 |
| Mont Ward | 26 | 72⅝ | 72⅛ | 72⅝ |
| N Y Central | 29 | 156⅝ | 155⅝ | 156⅛ |
| N Y N H & H | 182 | 61⅝ | 59¾ | 59¾ |
| Norf & West | 3 | 189¼ | 188¼ | 189 |
| North Am Co | 31 | 52⅜ | 52⅛ | 52⅜ |
| Northern Pac | 3 | 95 | 94⅜ | 95 |
| Pan-Am Pet B | 135 | 158⅝ | 153 | 153½ |
| Pennsylvania | 26 | 65⅝ | 65¼ | 65⅝ |
| Phillips Pet | 119 | 43 | 42¾ | 42⅞ |
| Pierce Arrow | 70 | 11¾ | 10½ | 10⅝ |
| Pure Oil | 82 | 26⅝ | 26⅛ | 26⅜ |
| Radio Corp | 65 | 52⅜ | 52⅛ | 52⅜ |
| Reading | 25 | 114⅜ | 114⅛ | 114⅛ |
| Rep I & Steel | 1 | 68 | 68 | 68 |
| Reyn Tob B | 2 | 137⅜ | 137¼ | 137¼ |
| St L & S F | 12 | 113⅜ | 113⅛ | 113⅜ |
| St Louis S W | 1 | 84 | 84 | 84 |
| Seaboard A L pfd | 3 | 40⅜ | 40¼ | 40¼ |
| Sears Roebuck | 6 | 72⅜ | 71⅞ | 72⅛ |
| Shell Union Oil | 3 | 26⅜ | 26⅛ | 26⅜ |
| Sinclair Con Oil | 2 | 16⅜ | 16⅛ | 16⅜ |
| Skelly Oil | 12 | 24⅜ | 24⅛ | 24⅜ |
| Sou Pac | 27 | 127 | 127 | 127 |
| Southern Pac | 12 | 121 | 120¼ | 120¼ |
| Southern Ry | 24 | 134⅞ | 133⅜ | 133⅞ |
| Southern Ry pfd | 1 | 99⅝ | 99⅝ | 99⅝ |
| Stand Oil of Cal | 3 | 53⅞ | 53⅝ | 53⅝ |
| Stand O of N J | 15 | 34⅛ | 34⅛ | 33⅝ |
| Studebaker | 19 | 48⅜ | 47⅞ | 48⅛ |
| Texas Co | 12 | 49⅝ | 49 | 49⅛ |
| Tex Gulf Sulp | 80 | 68¼ | 67⅝ | 68 |
| Tob Products | 1 | 101⅛ | 101 | 101 |
| Transcont Oil | 24 | 5⅝ | 5½ | 5½ |
| Union Pacific | 11 | 189 | 188¾ | 189¼ |
| Unit Cig Sto | 27 | 36⅝ | 36¼ | 36¼ |
| U S Ind Alcohol | 2 | 78⅝ | 78⅜ | 78⅝ |
| U S Rubber | 21 | 49 | 48¼ | 49⅛ |
| U S Steel | 276 | 142 | 141⅛ | 141⅝ |
| Wabash Ry | 1 | 65⅛ | 65 | 65⅛ |
| Westinc Elec | 26 | 85⅝ | 84 | 85⅛ |
| White Motor Co | 42 | 38⅛ | 37⅝ | 37⅝ |
| Willys Over | 104 | 18¼ | 17 | 18¼ |
| Woolworth & Co | 8 | 172⅛ | 171¼ | 171¾ |
| Brown Shoe | 2 | 44 | 44 | 44 |
| Hoe A | 15 | 40⅝ | 40 | 40⅛ |
| Simms Pet | 6 | 15⅝ | 15 | 15⅝ |
| Stand O of N Y | 6 | 31¼ | 31¼ | 31⅝ |

# Livestock

### TEXAS LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27. (AP)—Hogs: Receipts 200; top $10.75; packing sows steady; smooth sorts $7.75; few choice stocker pigs $9.75, steady.

Cattle: Receipts 900, including 300 calves; nominal; week's tops: Fed steers $16.00; fed yearlings $11.00; car lot cows $6.50; fed heifers $9.50; veal calves $12.25; 300 pound fat calves $9.25.

Sheep: Receipts 1200; steady; good spring and fresh shorn slaughter yearlings $10.25; best fat lambs $12.00; desirable feeder yearlings $8.00; black face yearling ewes to breeders $10.00.

### KANSAS LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 27. (AP)—Hogs: Receipts 1000; steady; medium to good 190 to 210 pound average $10.25@10.45; odd lots up to $10.65.

Cattle: Receipts 700; calves 100; top for the week, heavy steers $14.50; medium weights $13.65; yearlings $14.00; vealers $13.50; bulk fed steers $11.00@13.10; straight grassers $7.50@10.00; wintered Kansans $10.25@11.40.

Sheep: Receipts 250; for week, steady; western lambs closing top $13.25; week's bulk $13.25@13.75; top natives $12.00; top ewes $6.75; breeding ewes largely $8.00@11.00; feeding lambs $12.00@13.35.

### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27. (AP)—Hogs: Receipts 25,000; steady; top $10.80; bulk of heavy hogs $9.35@10.00; most packing sows $8.00@8.50.

Cattle: Receipts 400; steady; light yearlings $14.40; most fed steers $11.50@12.50; western grass cows $6.50@8.25; western grass heifers $7.75@9.25; fed $10.50.

Sheep: Receipts 1000; practically none on sale; lower; week's top fat western lambs $14.40; fat native lambs $15.75; slaughter yearling wethers $10.50; fat ewes $7.25; feeding lambs $13.75.

Peru's first national products fair, held recently, was a great success, the rooms containing the exhibits being thronged for 10 days.

# Investment Issues In Excellent Demand In Saturday's Short Session

## By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Investment issues were in excellent demand in the short session on Saturday while selling developed in the oils and profit-taking in some of the rails. Specialties were stronger. The best demand, however, prevailed for the smaller automobile company shares, particularly Nash which was influenced by rumors that the dividend would be increased from $4 to $6. Realizing was noticeable in General Motors and puying in steel. Foreign exchange remained quiet. Wheat closed lower but cotton advanced $3.50 a bale to a new high for the season. The December option sold near the 23-cent level and October passed the 22-cent mark. A clean-up on the long side of cotton appears in prospect. This column has been persistently bullish on cotton for the past two months and the white commodity is up nearly 4 cents a pound since the condition of the crop was first pointed out here. Boll weevil damage reports are pouring in from all sections of the cotton belt and the trade is beginning to realize the condition of the crop. Some well posted cotton speculators are talking of a 11,000,000-bale crop for 1927. Last years' exports of line cotton were in excess of 11,000,000 bales and the carry-over of lint cotton in the United States is 3,500,000 bales in all positions, including mill stocks. American mills are consuming 7,000,000 bales of lint annually.

Selling developed in General Motors and funds reinvested in steel, which will assume leadership next week. Banking interests of this city and Pittsburgh have been the principal buyers of steel the past week which has sent it to new heights.

The steel corporation should get some large battleship orders from the government and in addition there is the likelihood that directors will assume a more liberal dividend policy toward stockholders. The corporation is now in a position where it finds it unnecessary to plow back out of earnings big sums for plants all of which are in perfect physical condition.

General Electric was one of the star performers and was in demand at higher prices. Buying of General Electric is due to plans under way for a stock dividend ranging from 20 to 25 per cent. New bookings are coming in at a steady rate and are said to be the largest in the history of the corporation.

Railroad stocks were generally lower and neglected. One exception, however, was New Haven which was bought in response to earnings and the optimistic stand taken by Boston banking interests. Buying of the stock would indicate a price of 60 on dividend prospects next year. The company is being whipped into shape and operating costs being reduced with a consequent increase in earnings.

General American Tank Car went higher on dividend prospects and Pressed Steel Car sold near its high mark. Pressed Steel Car is in the strongest technical position in its history. The bear tip circulated to sell the stock among the country clubs of Long Island and New Jersey has caused the largest short interest ever known in the stock. As ownership of the stock is concentrated, there is no danger of the shorts not getting all the stock they care to sell.

Shubert Theater closed strong under an active demand. Earnings of this company are showing up well and are understood to be running at a rate twice dividend requirements. This would place the stock in a position for an increase. American Home Products held firmly on reports that the dividend would be increased to $3 annually. Buying continued in Reynolds Spring which closed the stock at the top. Considerable short selling has taken place in this stock which has been taken by strong interests.

Selling occurred in the oils with Pan-American reaching a new low on the belief that the dividend will be cut in half. Shorts picked out Phillips as a short sale.

# 2000-Pound Shipment of Okra Cleans Out Produce in Valley

## Price of Eggs to Producers Advances Two Cents Dozen; Lettuce, Celery and Yams Cheaper

Okra shipments, aggregating 2000 pounds, made during the past week practically cleaned out the okra in Wichita valley, and there will be little if any okra available here for some time, said Calvin Keith of the Wichita Produce company Saturday.

While there are small amounts of several vegetable items being brought in now by local farmers, bell pepper is all that is coming in in large quantities, Mr. Keith said. No pepper shipments are being made. Hot pepper is being shipped into Wichita Falls.

Fresh produce prices held their own during the last half of the week and the few changes made effecting Monday will mean cheaper food. Lettuce is down from $5.50 to $5.00 per crate. Celery is $1.25 per dozen bunches as compared with $1.50 during the past week. Yams will be $1.75 per crate as compared with three cents per pound.

The fresh fruit list gained two items. Fresh figs are being received and wholesale at $3 per crate. Grape fruit is again offered and brings $6 to $8 per box. Gravenstein apples are down a half dollar and sell at $4 per box. Apricots from California bring $1.50 as compared to the previous price of $1.25.

A two-cent advance in the price to producers of eggs, making the price 21 cents, was the only change in the poultry and egg market and the milk and cream market is unchanged.

Local prices follow:

**Vegetables**

| | |
|---|---|
| Idaho potatoes | $3.75 |
| White globe onions | $4.50 |
| Walla Walla Spanish onions | $2.50 |
| Eggplant | 12 1-2c |
| Spinach | 12 1-2c |
| Cauliflower | 15c |
| Lettuce crate | $5.00 |
| Turnips, doz. | 40c |
| Celery, doz. | $1.25 |
| Squash, lb | 5c |
| Green peas | 12 1-2c |
| New potatoes | 4c |
| Tomatoes, lb | 15c |
| Green beans | 12 1-2c |
| Radishes, doz. bunches | 20c |
| Carrots, doz. bunches | 75c |
| Beets, doz. bunches | 75c |
| Hot Pepper | 15c |
| Bell pepper | 15c |
| Cabbage | 2 and 3 1-2c |
| Onions, doz. bunches | 60c |
| Colorado cucumbers | 15c |
| Okra | $1.25 |
| Mustard, doz. bunches | 60c |
| Yams, crate | $1.75 |

**Fruits**

| | |
|---|---|
| Fresh figs, crate | $3.00 |
| Grape fruite, box | $6.00 to $8.00 |
| Red Malaga grapes | $2.50 |
| Gravenstein apples | $4.00 |
| Pears | $4.00 |
| Casaba melons | $2.00 |
| Cantaloupes, doz. | 20 to 30c |
| Fresh apricots | 75c |
| Bananas | 7c |
| Oranges, box | $6.50 to $8.00 |
| Lemons, box | $7.00 to $8.00 |
| California peaches, bu. | $4.00 |

**Milk and Cream**

| | |
|---|---|
| Butter | 28 and 29c |
| Sweet cream, lb | 30c |
| Sour cream, lb | 32c |
| Milk, per lb. butter fat | 55c |

**Poultry and Eggs**

| | |
|---|---|
| Eggs, per doz. | 21c |
| Hens, 4 lbs. and over | 15c |
| Hens, under 4 lbs. | 12c |
| Broilers, colored | 20c |
| Leghorn broilers | 15c |
| Old roosters | 8c |
| Geese | 8c |
| Ducks | 8c |

### $2.50 A BALE RISE.

DALLAS, Aug. 27. (AP)—Rising about $2.50 a bale over Friday's closing mark, cotton resumed its steady advances Saturday and reached a new high mark for the season of 22.52 cents per pound.

Dallas buyers and traders were very active. Some were careful, contending that the market is advancing too rapidly, while others held the opinion that the price would soar to much higher levels.

### COTTON GOODS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Cotton goods markets were strong today with the price tendency steadily upward. Yarns were firm and advancing. Raw silk held steadier. Silk goods sold moderately. Burlap markets were strong with Calcutta prices above the parity of sales here.

### MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK (AP)—Stocks, irregularly lower; Steel, General Motors and General Electric at record highs.

Bonds, quiet; convertible issues easy on profit taking.

Foreign exchanges, easy; Italian lira under pressure.

Cotton, strong; trade alarmed over crop prospects.

Sugar and coffee, holiday.

CHICAGO, (AP)—Wheat, easy; decreased foreign buying.

Corn, easy; small cash demand.

Cattle, steady.

Hogs, higher.

# Financial

### NEW YORK BONDS.

**Foreign.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Argentina 6s, 1959 Cot | 99¼ |
| British 5½s, 1937 | 105¼ |
| Czechoslovak 8s, 1946 | 106¾ |
| French 7s, 1949 | 108⅝ |
| German 7s, 1949 | 106⅜ |
| Italian 7s, 1951 | 95¾ |
| Norwegian 6½s, 1965 | 102⅜ |
| Polish 8s, 1950 | 97½ |
| Rhinelbe Un. 7s, 1946 | 101⅛ |
| Seine 7s, 1942 | 103⅝ |

**Domestic.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Am. Smelting 5s | 102⅜ |
| Anaconda Cop. 6s, 1953 | 106⅝ |
| Baltimore & Ohio cvt., 4½s | 90 |
| Bethlehem Steel con. 5½s | 102 |
| Bklyn & Manh. Trans. s. f. 5s | 97⅛ |
| Central Leather 5s | 106 |
| Chic. & East Illinois 5s | 90⅝ |
| Chic. Great Western 4s | 72 |
| Chic R I P rfg. 4s | 94⅜ |
| Chile Copper 5s | 98¾ |
| Dodge Bros deb. 6s | 97⅝ |
| Empire Gas & Fuel 6½s | 101 |
| Erie cvt. 4s D | 121⅝ |
| Florida E. Coast Ry 5s 1974 | 98 |
| Great Northern 7s, A | 115¼ |
| Hudson & Manh. adj. inc. 5s | 91⅜ |
| Int. Rap. Trans. ref. 5s | 97¼ |
| Inter Merc. Marine s. f. 6s | 102⅝ |
| Inter. Tel & Tel cvt. 5½s 1945 | 114⅜ |
| Kansas City Southern 5s | 101 |
| Lbuis & Nash 1st rfg. 4½s | 93¼ |
| Mo Pacific gen. 5s | 99⅝ |
| Mo Pacific gen. 4s | 77⅜ |
| New Orleans, Tex. & Mex 5½s | 105⅜ |
| N Y C & H rfg & imp 5s | 108⅝ |
| Northern Pacific 6s, B | 115 |
| Penne. R. R. 5s 1964 | 104⅝ |
| Public Service of N J 5s | 107 |
| St L & San Fran, inc, 6s | 84⅜ |
| Seaboard Air Line con. 4s | 87⅛ |
| Sinclair Con Oil 6s 1927 | 100⅛ |
| Southern Pacific rfg. 4s | 96¾ |
| Southern Railway gen. 4s | 89 |
| Union Pacific 1st 4s | 97½ |
| U S Rubber 5s | 94¾ |
| U S Steel s. f. 5s | 109 |
| Western Electric 5s | 107 |

### FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Foreign exchanges, easy; quotations in cents; Great Britain demand 4.81 13-16; cables 4.86-1-32; bankers bills on banks 4.81 12-16; France demand 3.91⅜; cables 3.92⅜. Italy demand 5.29⅛; cables 5.40. Belgium demand: Belgium 13.91¼; Germany 23.77; Holland 40.03; Norway 25.98; Sweden 26.81⅜; Denmark 26.76; Switzerland 19.28; Spain 16.81¼; Greece 1.30¼; Poland 11.20; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96¼; Jugo-Slavia 1.76; Austria 14.09; Rumania .62; Argentina 43.60; Brazil 11.81¼; Tokyo 47.21¼; Shanghai 69.62½; Montreal 100.07 13-16.

### LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—United States bonds: Liberty 3½s, 101.8; first 4¼s, 102.11; second 4¼s, 100.9; third 4¼s, 101.2; fourth 4¼s, 104.1; treasury 4¼s, 113.16; 4s, 106.24; 3½s, 105.25.

### BUTTER AND EGGS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27. (AP)—Butter, lower; receipts 12,421 tubs; creamery extras 44c; standards 43½c; extra firsts 41@42c; firsts 37½@39½c; seconds 36@36½c.

Eggs, unchanged; receipts 10,927 cases.

### COTTON SEED PRODUCTS.

DALLAS, Aug. 27. (AP)—The following are the prices of cotton seed and its products in car lots as reported by the Dallas cotton exchange: Prime cotton seed $35 per ton delivered Dallas; prime cotton seed oil 9¾c per pound f. o. b. Dallas; prime cotton seed meal 43 per cent protein $36.50 per ton f. o. b. Dallas; prime cotton seed hulls $5 per ton f. o. b. Dallas; linters average mill run 2¼ @5c per pound f. o. b. Dallas.

### POULTRY PRICES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27. (AP)—Poultry alive, weak; receipts four cars; fowls 15@22½c; springs 21@24c; broilers 21@24c; turkeys 29c; roosters 16c; ducks 18@21c; geese 12@18c.

### NEW ORLEANS SPOTS.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 70 points up. Sales 7969; low middling 20.09; middling 22.06; good middling 22.76; receipts 1912; stock 198,246.

People of the Irish Free State refuse to eat American chocolate, but enjoyed nearly 100,000 pounds of other confectionery from this country last year.

Every motion picture house in Turkey must submit a list of new films to government officials before showing the pictures.

# Grain

### CHICAGO PROVISIONS TABLE.

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT— | | | |
| Sept. | 1.39¾ | 1.37⅝ | 1.38 |
| Dec. | 1.43 | 1.41⅝ | 1.41⅝ |
| March | 1.46 | 1.44⅛ | 1.44⅝ |
| CORN— | | | |
| Sept. | 1.12⅛ | 1.11⅛ | 1.11⅛ |
| Dec. | 1.15⅝ | 1.15⅛ | 1.15⅜ |
| March | 1.19⅛ | 1.18⅛ | 1.18⅝ |
| OATS— | | | |
| Sept. | .46⅞ | .46⅛ | .46⅛ |
| Dec. | .50⅜ | .50 | .50⅛ |
| March | .53⅞ | .53⅛ | .53⅝ |
| RYE— | | | |
| Sept. | 1.00¼ | .99⅛ | .99⅛ |
| Dec. | 1.02⅛ | 1.01⅛ | 1.01⅛ |
| March | 1.06 | 1.04⅛ | 1.04⅝ |
| LARD— | | | |
| Sept. | 12.85 | 12.77 | 12.85 |
| Oct. | 12.95 | 12.87 | 12.95 |
| RIBS— | | | |
| Sept. | 11.95 | 11.90 | 11.95 |
| Oct. | 12.15 | 12.00 | 12.12 |
| BELLIES— | | | |
| Sept. | 12.40 | 12.23 | 12.40 |
| Oct. | .... | .... | 13.05 |

### TEXAS CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27. (AP)—Wheat closed the week with a slight gain; exporters Saturday bidding $1.48@1.49, basis No. 1 hard delivered Texas gulf ports, and mills reporting a better demand but prices only firm. Corn was lower on the movement of new Texas corn while oats were maintained at their levels by the light offerings.

Receipts Friday were: Wheat 18 cars, corn 16, oats two, barley one, sorghums four, and snapped corn four cars.

Estimates on Saturday receipts called for: Wheat 16 cars, corn 12, oats three, barley one, sorghums four, and snapped corn two cars.

Wheat: No. 1 dark hard milling $1.55 @1.60; No. 1 ordinary hard milling $1.51 @1.54; No. 1, 75 per cent red milling $1.52@1.55.

Corn: No. 2 yellow $1.15@1.16; No. 3 white $1.14@1.17; No. 3 white $1.07@1.11; No. 2 mixed $1.00@1.02; No. 3 mixed 98c@$1.00.

Oats: No. 2 red 57@58c; No. 3 red 55 @56c; snapped corn old 89@95c; snapped corn new 80@85c; No. 2 barley 89@ 90c; No. 3 barley 88@89c; No. 2 milo $1.60@1.61; No. 3 milo $1.55@1.60; No. 2 kaffir $1.60@1.61; No. 3 kaffir $1.55@ 1.60; maize heads $19.00@20.00; kaffir heads $18.00@19.00; red top cane seed $1.40@1.50.

### CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27. (AP)—All grains developed sinking spells in the late trading today after firmness at the start. Buyers who took hold on the declines earlier in the week were free sellers, and there was not much disposition to go heavily long over the week-end. At the finish wheat showed a past loss of ⅛ to 1⅛c, corn was unchanged to ¼c down, oats unchanged to ¼c off and provisions 7½ to 20c advance.

Provisions were firm with hogs and cotton.

### KANSAS CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 27. (AP)—Wheat: No. 2 dark hard $1.31⅛@1.60½; No. 2 hard $1.30⅛@1.60; No. 2 red $1.37@ 1.39; Sept. $1.29⅜; Dec. $1.33⅝; May $1.31¾.

Corn: No. 2 white $1.04½@1.05¼; No. 3 yellow $1.04@1.08; No. 2 mixed $1.04½ @1.05¼; Sept. $1.03⅜; Dec. $1.07¼; May $1.12⅝.

Oats: No. 2 white 47¼@50c.

### NEW ORLEANS COTTON TABLE.

| | High | Low | Close | Prev. Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 22.67 | 22.22 | 22.63-67 | 21.92 |
| March | 22.78 | 22.37 | 22.75-76 | 22.06 |
| May | 22.54 | 22.43 | 22.51 | 22.16 |
| Oct. | 22.40 | 21.95 | 22.33-40 | 21.75 |
| Dec. | 22.67 | 22.23 | 22.64-67 | 21.96 |

Opening: January 22.22; March 22.38; May 22.57; October 22.00; December 22.26.

### NEW ORLEANS COTTON TABLE.

| | High | Low | Close | Prev. Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 22.57 | 22.15 | 22.55-57 | 21.85 |
| March | 22.68 | 22.25 | 22.65 | 21.97 |
| May | 22.65 | 22.26 | 22.60-65 | 21.94 |
| Oct. | 22.27 | 21.85 | 22.21-26 | 21.55 |
| Dec. | 2.15 | 22.13 | 22.50-55 | 21.84 |

Opening: January 22.15; March 22.25; May 22.26; October 21.89; December 22.14.

### NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27. (AP)—The cotton market soared to new high records for the season today, all months crossing the 22-cent line. Continued unfavorable crop and weather advices were the main stimulating influences. December after dropping to 22.13 in the early trading rallied to 22.55 and closed at 22.50, compared with 21.84, yesterday's closing figure. The general market closed firm at net advances of 66 to 70 points.

Liverpool was much better than due at the start and first trades here showed gains of 32 to 34 points. There was considerable realizing and liquidation in the early trading and it was absorbed at recessions of 3 to 5 points. The market rallied rapidly after this on many private reports of crop deterioration.

Th emarket was on the upgrade during most of the session and near the close October reacher 22.57, 72 points above the previous close. At the highest today prices were nearly 5½ cents a pound above the price ruling just before the government report was issued on August 1. Exports for the day totaled 1900 bales.

### NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Continuance of unfavorable crop reports was reflected in a broadening demand and a further advance of approximately $3.50 a bale in the cotton market today. Prices made new high records for the season on all deliveries, December contracts selling up to 22.67, or 71 points net higher, and nearly 5½ cents a pound above the price prevailing shortly before publication of the government crop report at the beginning of this month. December closed at 22.62, the general market closing steady at net advances of 19 to 70 points.

The market opened firm at an advance of 24 to 48 points. Buying was stimulated by strong cables from Liverpool. Heavy overnight gains were absorbed on comparatively slight reactions in early trading.

Reports of unseasonably low temperatures in the eastern belt, prospects for showers in Texas and Oklahoma, and continued bullishness of private crop advices from nearly all sections of the south, appeared to be causing more general alarm over the outlook for the season's yield. Buying was attributed to trade interests as well as recent sellers, and broadening of commission house demand was reported on the advances which extended to 12.40 for October and 12.78 for December or to 76 points net at higher levels on the general list.

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Kansas City, Dallas, Austin and San Antonio ..... 3:25 p.m.
38—"11 o'Clock Katy" Dallas, Austin, San Antonio and Houston ..... 11:30 p.m.

Arrivals from—
37—"11 o'Clock Katy." Houston, San Antonio, Austin and Dallas ..... 6:15 a.m.
31—"Texas Special." St. Louis Kansas City, Galveston, Houston, San Antonio and Austin ..... 2:45 p.m.
35—"Katy Flyer." St. Louis, Kansas City, Galveston, Houston, San Antonio, Austin and Dallas ..... 9:25 p.m.

Northwestern District.
Departures to—
54—Forgan, Okla., Wellington, Texas and all intermediate points ..... 7:15 a.m.
53—Mangum and intermediate points, also Oklahoma City via Altus ..... 3:30 p.m.
Arrivals from—
51—Mangum and intermediate points; also Oklahoma City via Altus ..... 7:00 a.m.
52—Forgan, Okla., Wellington, Texas, and all intermediate points ..... 7:35 p.m.

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Arrivals from—
8—Denver, Amarillo, Childress ..... 1:40 a.m.
7—Dallas, Fort Worth and all intermediate points ..... 4:40 a.m.
6—Amarillo and intermediate points ..... 8:30 a.m.
5—Dalas, Fort Worth and intermediate points ..... 11:55 p.m.
1—Dallas Fort Worth ..... 2:55 p.m.
2—Denver Amarillo and Intermediate points ..... 11:45 a.m.
Departures to—
8—Fort Worth, Dallas and all intermediate points ..... 2:00 a.m.
7—Denver and intermediate points ..... 5:00 a.m.
6—Dallas, Fort Worth and intermediate points ..... 7:00 a.m.
5—Amarillo ..... 12:05 a.m.
3—Amarillo, Denver and intermediate points ..... 2:05 p.m.
2—Dallas, Fort Worth and intermediate points ..... 11:55 a.m.

WICHITA VALLEY.
Arrivals from—
3—Abilene and intermediate points ..... 11:55 a.m.
5—Abilene and intermediate points ..... 11:05 p.m.
Departures from—
4—Abilene and intermediate points ..... 12:30 a.m.
1—Abilene and intermediate points ..... 2:55 p.m.

WICHITA VALLEY—EAST.
Arrivals from—
9—Waurika, Byers, Petrolia and Dean ..... 6:30 p.m.
Departures to—
10—Dean, Petrolia, Byers and Waurika ..... 11:30 a.m.

WICHITA FALLS AND SOUTHERN.
Arrivals from—
24—Breckenridge, Graham, Olney and intermediate points ..... 11:30 a.m.
Departures to—
23—Olney, Graham, Breckenridge and intermediate points ..... 2:30 p.m.

## LODGE NOTICES

Lodges.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings first and third Friday nights. G. D. Kinard, W. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, Secy. Instruction in the E. A. Degree.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings first and third Tuesday. 812 1-2 Scott avenue. John C. McDonald, Worshipful Master. G. W. Curd, Secretary.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237 O. E. S. Meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month. Lillian A. Ward, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, Secy.

Faith Chapter, No. 713, O. E. S.—Meets second and fourth Thursday evenings 812 1-2 Scott. Miss Carrie Walldrip, W. M.; Lucile Campbell, Secretary.

Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M. 812 1-2 Scott avenue. Stated convocation first Wednesday night of each month. Jacob B. Price, High Priest. G. W. Curd, Secretary.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. Stated convocations second Friday night. W. E. Stampfli, H. P.; Geo. W. Lawler, Secy.

Security Benefit Association, Friendship Council No. 3743—Meets the fourth Wednesday night of each month at Eagles hall, 910½ Ohio avenue. Mrs. Emma Sanders Financier. 1703 Truebeart. Phone 6940.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59—Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays, M. M. Cooke, E. C.; Geo. W. Lawler, Recorder.

Masbat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S. Meets first Monday at Faith Lodge 813½ Scott. Recorder's office, Guy Rogers, Potentate; Al Ellis, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Council Knights of Columbus, No. 1472—Meets every first and third monday evening, hall, 1509 Ninth street. C. B. King, G. K.; John J. Block, F. S.

Knights of Pythias, Pioneer Lodge No. 49—Meets every Tuesday night 8 o'clock, corner Seventh and Travis, Labor Temple. Ben F. Dancer C. C. P. L. Myers, K. R. S.

Wichita Falls Council No. 180, R. & S. M. Stated meeting first Monday. Jno W Lawler, Rec.

Wichita Rebecca Lodge No. 236—Meets the second and fourth Thursday and first and third Saturday. 910½ Ninth street. Mrs. Ella Ramsey, N. G.; Mrs. Blanche Mann, secretary.

Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets second and fourth Thursday 910½ Ninth street. R. E. Wallace, C. P. J. W. Bussey, Scribe.

W. M. of A. Lodge of Electra, Texas—Meets every second and fourth Wednesday nights. Electra lodge No. 12065.

I. O. O. F. Panhandle Lodge No. 311—Meets every Monday night, 910½ Ninth street. E. M. Fowler, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, Rec. Sec., Route 6, Box 12.

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Lodges.

Canton Wichita No. 16, I. O. O. F.—Meets first and third Thursday nights at 910½ Ninth street. J. W. Bussey, captain; B. M. Fowler, Clerk.

Wichita Council No. 2361 Security Benefit Association—Meets every first Wednesday, at the Labor Temple. Financier, Mrs. Ada Ramsey.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, Order of Eastern Star—Meets Masonic Temple on first and third Tuesdays. Mrs. Lilyan A. Ward, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, secretary.

Rainbow Assembly No. 17 — Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Mary Zigler, Worthy Advisor. 1200 Burnett. Phone 8713. Dorothy Parker, secretary. 1644 Lucile. Phone 6133.

FRATERNAL AID UNION regular semi-monthly meeting 2nd and 4th Fridays 8 o'clock at the Labor Temple.

Lone Star Camp No. 4108, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Eula Islar, O.; Mrs. Susie Boone, secretary.

Modern Woodmen of America. Wichita Falls Camp No. 1566, Modern Woodmen of America — Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. hall. C. R. McConnell, consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.

Hope Chapter, Order of De Molay—Meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays at the Masonic Temple at 7:30. Hope Patrol meets every Tuesday night. Jack Wiech, M. C.; Gordon Brown, secretary.

Odd Fellows.

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Repairing & Refinishing 22

"INVEST IN REST." Mattress Renovating, one day service. Furniture taken in payment. Phone 9930. 402 Indiana. Patton Mattress & Furniture Co.

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PAINTING, paperhanging, decorating. Deliver samples to you. Galloway. Phone 8553.

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HEMSTITCHING, dressmaking, buttonholes made. Mrs. Hattie Robinson, on balcony Miller-Ferguson.

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WANTED—Silk blankets and lace curtains to laundry. Felix Lindsey, 801 Jalonic. Phone 6951.

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ELECTRIC and acetylene welding of all metals. Gunn Rush Welding Co., 410 Ohio. Phone 6327.

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Help Wanted—Male 41

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WANTED—Salesman or saleslady; make $100.00 week; no experience required. Phone or call Sunday morn only. Mr. Murphy, room 403 Hotel Marchman.

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$50 to $85 weekly, taking orders for charming dresses direct from factory at big savings. Easy work. We deliver. Write for sample outfit and how to obtain attractive dress free. Fashion Frocks, Inc., Dept. 828, Cincinnati.

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SPACE occupied by second hand store, 721 Ohio for rent. Check up, make bid, two year lease. Phone 3248.

GOOD corner filling station, other business use, 25th and Holliday. Ground lease any period. Might arrange to suit. Phone 3248, Swanson.

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Loans On Real Estate 48

LOANS on city property at low rates with liberal privileges. Blain and Stone, 1111 City National Bldg.

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Loans on personal property
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A BARGAIN—Gulbransen player piano, used one year; one White rotary sewing machine; one day bed, one folding bed. St. Paul Hotel, 605 Scott Ave.

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FOR SALE—Nice gas range, 1310 Thirteenth. Phone 5309.

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FOR SALE—5 pure blood Jersey bulls, one to four years old; 4 Guernsey bulls, one to four years old. Guernsey Farm Dairy.

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ONE load of Jersey milch cows, ages range from 3 to 5 years, also one load 2-year-old spring Jersey heifers. Phone 2-4145 or call 2222 Broad St.

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DRIVE out today and see my growing samples of shrubs and roses. Twenty thousand gladolius, some blooming. Orders taken for Kerr Nursery. P. H. Jones, 2300 Holliday.

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REFINED girl desires room-mate, nicely furnished room, two meals a day. Phone 6306.

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TWO unfurnished rooms on pavement and carline. 1313 7th St.

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Apartments and Flats 75

NEW furnished apartment $75, at 1518 Lucile street.

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2404 8th, 5 room, $35.00.

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SIX-ROOM house, with garage. Corner Magnolia and Elizabeth. Rent $50.

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| 1926 Nash Roadster | $650 |
| 1927 Studebaker Custom Sedan | $1050 |
| 1925 Standard Studebaker—Duplex Touring | $550 |
| 1924 Special 6 Studebaker Touring | $350 |
| 1925 Reo Touring | $450 |
| 1925 Chevrolet Touring | $150 |
| 1925 Star Touring | $150 |
| 1924 Overland Touring | $100 |
| 1925 Ford Coupe | $145 |
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## HENRIETTA SOCIETY

Miss Ruth Townley entertained Monday night with a slumber party. The guests enjoyed the show at the Dorothy theater after which they returned to the home of the hostess, where games and music were indulged in. Dainty refreshments were served. The guests included Misses Louise Majors of Chickasha, Okla., Rachel Brown, Mattie Allene Wood, Julia Ruth Smith, Christine Carter, Marjorie Howard, Viola Blake and Virginia Edwards.

Miss Jimmay Norman presented her voice and piano pupils in recital Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Neb Gault in Bellevue. This closed the summer class, but will she will resume teaching in September.

The Camp Fire Girls met Monday afternoon with Miss Marjorie Moore and engaged in quilting. Members present were Misses Bessie Harris, Allene Bevering, Bernadine Britain, Laura Marie Marberry, Jessamine Nutter, Maurine Cook, Anna Catherine Oheim, Ida Catherine Neville, Mozelle Hodge, Dorothy McKinney, Christine Royer and Blanche Chowning.

Dr. and Mrs. T. K. Jones entertained a number of their friends Tuesday afternoon with a barbecue. The guests were Messrs. and Mmes. G. B. King, E. P. Bomar, H. M. Tannahill, E. P. Worsham, W. O. Cockrum and Mrs. Phil Owens of Fort Worth; Misses Lula Johnson, Willie Wiseman, Jewell Cunningham, Jimmay Norman, Messrs. C. B. McDonald, Tom Weldon, E. P. Hall and Clyde King.

Miss Blanche Chowning celebrated her birthday by entertaining a large number of her young friends Saturday evening. Miss Bernadine Britain of Wichita Falls was guest of honor. Various games were enjoyed and dainty refreshments were served to Misses Dorothy McKinney, Mozelle Hodge, Allene Bevering, Nell Powell, Maurine Cook, Jessamine Nutter, Ida Catherine Neville, Anna Catherine Oheim, Marjorie Moore, Laura Marie Marberry, Lola Gates, Christine Royer, Messrs. Randell Sadler, Billie Elkins, Morris Carpenter, Harlan Townley, Paul Kerlow, Newell Dodd, Henry Nutter, Frank Neville Ikard, Ray Boyd, Lawrence Brazier, Joe Allen and Lloyd Biggerstaff.

County Agent McNeil has returned from Amarillo and Santa Fe, N. M., where he attended a county agents meeting composed of agents from district No. 2, in Texas and New Mexico.

Mrs. James Patterson of Wichita Falls was here Monday.

Mrs. F. G. Van Houten has gone to Sierra Blanco to visit her daughters, Misses Emma and Virginia.

Alvis Van Houten has gone to Mineral Wells.

G. S. Lumkins of Joy was here Friday.

L. L. Brown of Benegrove was here Wednesday.

Mrs. E. L. Brown and daughters, Sue and Helen, and son, Herbert, have returned to their home at Lubbock after a visit here.

Misses Jess Cunningham and John Cunningham were in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Miss Emma Kosanke of Chicago, vocalist, and Miss Doris McDonald of Henrietta, pianist, will appear in a joint recital over WBAP, Star Telegram broadcasting station in Fort Worth, Monday, August 29.

Bryant Edwards was in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Misses Catherine Carrow, Mae Fields and Lois Mangrove was in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Alexander were in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Miss Clara Vaughn has returned from Denton, where she has been attending summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayes spent Wednesday in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hembree and children have returned from a three weeks' trip to the Rio Grande valley.

Mrs. B. F. Schwend and Miss Doris McDonald were in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Miss Alice Strange of Decatur was here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Millsappe are in Dallas.

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## MEMPHS PERSONALS

J. M. McMurry went to Sulphur last Friday after Mrs. McMurry, Cleron and Jacquelee. They returned by way of Sherman, Whitewright, and Wichita Falls, and visited with relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Jameson and son, Alfred and daughters, Ellen and Elizabeth left Tuesday for a few days stay with relatives at Dodsonville.

Mrs. Blanch Brewer and family moved to Wellington this week where they will make their future home. They have many friends here who will regret to learn of their leaving Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Hoy of Geneso, Ill., who have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Hoy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden, left this morning on their return trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman and son, Henry Boyd and Joe Hammond returned this Thursday morning from two weeks vacation trip to points in South Texas.

R. S. Greene left Sunday morning for the eastern markets to buy a fall and winter stock of dry goods. He was accompanied by Bill Greene of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bishop and daughters, Nelma and Mildred returned Saturday from a ten days vacation at Fort Stockton, El Paso and Old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard and daughters, Crystal and Phyllis, returned Saturday from a months' visit with relatives in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Moore and son, Walter and Burnett Cox returned the latter part of last week from a visit with relatives at Lamesa.

Mrs. W. F. Nichols returned to her home in Duncan, Okla., Friday after a two weeks' visit with her son, Louis Nichols.

Ben Wright is here from Lubbock visiting his sister, Mrs. E. W. Henderson, and brother, B. F. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Deaver and children returned last Saturday morning from a two weeks outing in Colorado.

Miss Ina Mae Shannon returned Friday evening from a several weeks visit with relatives in Fort Worth and Burleson.

Fred Lusk, Roger McCool and Jack Anthony left latter part of last week for a ten days outing in Arizona.

Mrs. J. W. Forbis of Shamrock, and Mrs. George Richards and children of Plainview came Sunday for a few days visit with Mrs. George Greenhaw.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Markham were here from Childress Sunday to attend the revival at the Seventh and Brice streets Church of Christ.

The Methodists will begin a revival meeting at Lodge Sunday evening, August 28. Rev. Eldridge of Hedley will do the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin and children have gone for a visit with relatives at Harrah, Okla., Gunter, Wichita Falls, and Vernon.

The Walter White gin, which was destroyed by fire last spring, is being rebuilt and nearing completion, and will be ready for the ginning season.

Med Barton of Estelline was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. Sue Coleman is visiting her son in Wellington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pierson of Vernon visited old friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fain and son, J. J. of Childress were visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conley Ward visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Noel at Hedley Sunday.

W. A. McIntosh and sister, Mrs. J. R. Turlington, visited relatives in Wheeler Friday.

Chas. Dameron and J. T. Stephenson were visitors in Lubbock Saturday. They returned Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Cooper and daughter, Rena of Childress were visitors here Sunday.

J. F. Ogden left Friday evening for a visit with relatives in Tennessee.

Atty. Jack Randal of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. P. M. Randal, from Friday until Sunday.

Don Wright returned to his home in Bellevue last Friday morning after a week's visit here.

Mrs. A. W. Read left last Saturday morning for a visit with her sister in Elk City, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Sisk went to Wichita Falls Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Bill Greene and sons of Clarendon visited relatives here Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Emery Patrick and Miss Esta McElrath were visitors in Estelline Monday.

Miss Ruby Stephenson of Harrell Chapel was the guest of Miss Mae McElrath Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turlington are visiting relatives in Texico this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Curkendall of Childress visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Wallace and daughter Bill of Montague came Monday evening for a visit with her son, D. Wallace.

## RULE SOCIETY

RULE, Texas, Aug. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Palm of Espanola, N. M., visited Mrs. Palm's sister, Mrs. Elgin Carothers, last week.

Miss Nina Murphy of Rochester is spending the week with Miss Myrtle Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Logan of Knox City were the guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Neal Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Fiske, in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barkley of Oakwood are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lee Yarbrough.

Mrs. Cretia Brooks and children, who have been attending summer school in Abilene, have returned to their home in Rule. Mrs. Brooks will teach again this term in the Rule school.

Mrs. R. P. Cole has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. M. Steele at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Norman are visiting relatives in Waco and Galveston for several weeks.

Marshall and Esther Rogers spent the week end in Anson with relatives.

Elmer Turner transacted business in Haskell Tuesday.

Mrs. L. N. Stevens visited friends in Stamford Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lester Jackson of Dallas is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. J. Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leon returned the first of the week from a two weeks' vacation spent in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mrs. Florence Cook returned the first of the week from the Dallas markets where she purchased goods for the Ladies' store.

Carl Adkins of Terral, Okla., visited friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sellers and daughter, Mrs. Hoyt Hale of Gatesville, were the week end guests of their son and brother, J. B. Sellers, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Davis left Wednesday for Craterville, Okla., to visit relatives for a week.

Born to Mr. adn Mrs. Fred Cole, August 22, a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Smith returned Tuesday from Roaring Spring where they have been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Thompson and two children of Amity, Ark., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cole.

Sam Salem of Dallas visited his brother, George Salem, and family the first of the week.

J. M. Ivey of Jud transacted business in Rule Monday.

Miss Inez Logan of Knox City was the week end guest of her cousin, Miss Mattie Lee Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines were business visitors to Stamford Saturday.

Mrs. J. J. Payne returned the latter part of last week from an extended visit to relatives at Fort Worth, Dallas, Glen Rose, and Milam county.

Mrs. Lula A. Lindsey returned Monday evening from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Jim Denton at Big Spring.

Mrs. Leonard Florence and children spent the week end in Wichita Falls with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lorance.

Mrs. P. M. Chambers has returned to her home in Snyder after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Towns.

Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Abbott of Spur were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vick.

Mrs. S. M. Warren and sister, Miss Pauline Walthall of Haskell were the week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Warren.

Miss Gaynell Whited, who has been visiting relatives in Sentinel, Okla., returned home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Wilson visited friends in Goree the first of the week.

Morris Head of Oklahoma City and Pauline and Sheila Head of Seymour are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. K. Head.

Mrs. W. L. Whited and daughter, Miss Maud, visited friehds in Goree the first of the week.

Miss Hazel Fields, who has been visiting friends in Stamford returned home Sunday.

Mr. adn Mrs. C. D. Head entertained the following relatives over the week end: Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. King and son and Mrs. A. M. White and children of Childress and Mrs. J. T. Allison and two children, Bartie and Elizabeth Allison of Alexandria, La.

Mrs. R. L. Pinson and two children of Swenson and Miss Edna Pinson of Wichita Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Jackson Wednesday of last week.

Dr. J. O. Leath of T. W. C. at Fort Worth visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Smallwood Thursday of last week.

Misses Louise Teague and Lillian Towsend spent the latter part of last week in Lubbock completing arrangements for attending Tech college this fall.

Miss Clifford Shaffler has returned to her home in Sudan after a week's visit to Miss Nora Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde D. King have returned to their home in Brownwood after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watson of this city.

Mrs. C. E. Ball is visiting her mother near Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Bean, who have been making their home in Wichita Falls, have moved back to the Jud community to make their future home.

Warn Lee of Ralls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ray last week.

Alpha Wood of McCamey, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. West, has returned to his home in that city where he is working with the Southern Pipe Line company.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. McNabb have returned from Iowa Park where they were called a few days ago to attend the funeral of Mrs. McNabb's neice, Miss Fay Stonger, who drowned in a lake near their home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Ivey are visiting relatives in Hillsboro.

Rev. C. E. Ball returned Tuesday from Mineral Wells where he accompanied his wife on a short visit to her mother. Mrs. Ball remained over for several days.

Mrs. J. W. Hill has returned to her home in Amarillo after a two weeks' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones.

Mrs. J. E. Lindsey and two children, Delvin and Joy, have returned from a two weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. N. L. Peters, of Lubbock.

J. M. Steele and Joe Bullock returned Monday from the eastern markets where they purchased goods for the J. L. Jones and company.

Mrs. E. B. Harris visited relatives in Haskell Tuesday afternoon.

A. C. Fouts and son, Aubrey, J. E. Place and Frank Turner returned Sunday from a trip to the Carlsbad Cavern and other points in the plains.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery returned Sunday from a two weeks' vacation spent in New Mexico and Denver, Colo.

Mrs. C. E. Ball and children are visiting relatives in Gordon this week.

Mrs. M. W. Rogers visited in Stamford Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lee attended the wedding of Miss Laverne Cummins in Haskell Wednesday evening.

Mayor W. D. Payne of Rule and Editors Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Harris of the Rule Review have each received an invitation to serve on the reception committee in welcoming Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh when he arrives in Abilene on Mcnday, September 26, for his visit to west Texas. The mayor has been asked to designate some lady of this city to represent Rule and Miss Mildred Jones was designated as the "Spirit of Rule."

Miss Authorine Williams of this city and Carl R. Adkins of Terral, Okla., were married in Haskell Monday evening at 9 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage in that city with Rev. W. B. Vaughn performing the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Williams of Rule, and is very popular with the younger set, and was graduated from the Rule high school last June. The groom is a prominent business man of Terral, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Adkins left Tuesday morning for their home in Terral.

Mrs. Opal Nash of Haskell and John E. Walton were married at the Rule Methodist parsonage Sunday by Rev. L. B. Smallwood. They left immediately after the ceremony for points in New Mexico. Mrs. Walton is a sister of Mrs. Cretia Brooks of this city.

Miss Ruby Miller and Ruben Stone of the Sweet Home community were married Saturday afternoon in Rule at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. C. E. Ball, pastor of the Baptist church of this city. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Miller of the Sweet Home community and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stone of the same community. They will make their home in that community on the groom's farm.

The Woman's Missionary society met Monday afternoon at the Methodist church in their monthly business meeting and programs from the year book and Bulletin News. The devotional was conducted by the president, Mrs. R. P. Cole.

After reports from officers the year book program was presented by Mesdames C. B. Breedlove, Carrol Leon and W. H. McCandless with Mrs. Breedlove leader. The Bulletin News with Mrs. E. B. Harris leader was presented by Mesdames S. B. Warren, Sawyer Leon, L. B. Smallwood, J. E. Parsons and Earl Brashar.

After the routine of business the society adjourned to meet Monday, August 29, at the church in their Bible study.

On Monday afternoon, Mesdames A. Williams, Homer Chambers, A. B. Arnett and Jim Norman entertained with a pretty miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Authorine Williams, bride-to-be at the home of Mrs. Jim Norman. The rooms were beautifully decorated in cut flowers where guests were entertained for an hour. Many pretty and useful gifts were presented to the honoree. Refreshments of punch and cake were served to 30 guests. Miss Irine Ham presided over the punch bowl and was assisted in serving by Misses Myrtle and Adina Norman.

# FORUM WILL PLAN PAGEANT

### Tuesday, Oct. 4, Selected As Wichita Falls Day

Mayor R. E. Shepherd, secretary manager of the Texas-Oklahoma Fair association, announced Saturday that the art department of the Woman's Forum with Miss Margarette Fisher in direct charge will supervise the plans for the pageant and coronation of the queen at the Texas-Oklahoma fair this year. This event, which has heretofore been the opening night feature will be offered Tuesday evening, Oct. 4, at the new Memorial auditorium. Tuesday will be Wichita Falls day at the fair. The program will be the first to be presented in the new auditorium. Contractors, Mr. Shepherd says, are rushing the work on the new auditorium in order to have it ready for this event.

"We are delighted that the Woman's Forum will have charge of this pageant and coronation feature," Mr. Shepherd said Saturday.

"It means the success of the event and it ought to be one of the outstanding features. We are already assured that princesses will be here from seven cities and towns as follows: Stamford, Lubbock, Nocona, Dallas, Petrolia and Austin, Texas, and Ardmore, Okla. We are hoping for at least 30 princesses. The detailed program, which is always of more than ordinary society interest will be announced within a few days."

### New Mexico Counties To Exhibit at Fair

New Mexico will have five county exhibits at the Texas-Oklahoma fair, October 1 to 6, according to Coe Howard of Portales, N. M., who conferred with Manager R. E. Shepherd of the fair association. All of the exhibits will be from eastern New Mexico counties.

"We have always gotten our money's worth at the Wichita fair," Mr. Howard said. "It is a great time to get your products before the people and we are hoping to have the best showing this year in our history. Our crops are excellent and conditions are unusually promising."

### Bank Clearings For Week Total $1,901,664

The total clearings of Wichita Falls banks for the week ending August 27 was $1,901,664.62, according to announcement from the clearing house.

Comparative figures for the corresponding week of 1926 showed a decline of $242,029.70 in 1927.

The following are the daily statements for the week past:

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| Monday | $ 366,252.29 |
| Tuesday | 293,524.66 |
| Wednesday | 281,624.93 |
| Thursday | 275,666.16 |
| Friday | 293,968.73 |
| Saturday | 288,579.77 |
| Total | $1,901,664.62 |
| 1926 | 2,143,694.32 |
| Decrease | $ 242,029.70 |

# Miss Elva Killingsworth To Greet Lindbergh As "Miss Wichita Falls"

Mayor R. E. Shepherd Saturday appointed Miss Elva Killingsworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Killingsworth, 2003 Ninth street, to represent Wichita Falls as "Miss Spirit of Wichita Falls" at the reception to be given for Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, trans-Atlantic flier, at Abilene Sept. 26.

A letter received by Mayor Shepherd from the chairman of the reception committee at Abilene requested that he, with a young lady representative of the city and representatives of the press, attend the reception as official representatives of Wichita Falls. The mayor said Saturday that he would attend.

Official representatives from all the cities in this section of Texas are to join in the welcome of the noted flier to Abilene.

# SONG CONTEST HERE SEPT. 5

### District Winner to Be Named Labor Day

The winner of the 23rd senatorial district contest for the selection of a state song, who will represent this district in the final contests at Dallas during the state fair, will be chosen in contests to be held in Wichita Falls on Labor Day, Sept. 5, it was announced Saturday by T. A. Bradley, chairman of the district state song committee. The contest was to have been held in Graham but notification of change in plans, owing to the central location of Wichita Falls, was made in a letter from Senator W. D. McFarlane Friday.

At the same time, Mr. Bradley, who has taken an active interest in furtherance of the contest, was officially appointed chairman of the district committee, Senator McFarlane announced in his letter.

Through the courtesy of P. B. Roberts, and other officials of the Labor union here, the contest is to be held in Scotland park, where contestants will be privileged to use the platform, chairs, piano and other facilities, Mr. Bradley announced.

In announcing preliminary plans for the contest, Mr. Bradley pointed out that owing to the number of contestants expected to enter, and to better make impartial judging possible, the contestants will draw lots, and will be called by number to present their song. The songs may be submitted by the composer or a friend, and by trained or untrained voices, Mr. Bradley said. The contestant must submit the song with the words. Incomplete submissions will be ruled out of the contest.

Members of the district state song committee, who act as judges in the contest follow: T. A. Bradley, chairman; Ernest Katz; G. W. McDaniel, Henrietta; C. E. Davis, Quanah, and Miss Lillie Mae Calvin, Graham.

# Robbers Slay Building Head

### Murdered While Sitting In Car

NEW YORK, Aug. 7 (AP)—Robbers today boldly murdered Judson Pratt, construction superintendent, as he sat in his automobile in broad daylight and fled with a $5000 payroll he was carrying.

Pratt's body was found slumped over the steering wheel of the machine by a patrolman who went to investigate the reason the car had been parked in the center of the roadway in an isolated section of the Bronx. There was one bullet hole in the right temple.

The murdered man, who was 38 years old and recently married, had left the Manhattan offices of T. H. Rhodes and company about 10 o'clock with the payroll which was destined for employes upon a building operation only a few blocks away. The spot in the Bronx where his body was found is several miles from his destination. About 11:25 o'clock the patrolman who made the find 20 minutes later said the car was not there.

### Ruins of Ancient City Found in Russia

ODESSA, Russia, Aug. 27. (AP)—Ruins of an ancient Greek city of the fourth century before Christ have been discovered on the left shore of the Dniester river near the village of Seurti, in soviet Mildavia.

The area thus far explored is said to comprise about 30 acres and contains ruins of houses, black and red painted pottery, Greek vases and other objects.

It is thought to be one of the numerous Greek colonies founded by the intepid early Greek traders.

The S. P. C. A. of Australia uses American motorcycles as dog ambulances.

### YOUNG LAWYER

Father Ill, Son Appears In Court; Sentence Suspended

NEW YORK, Aug. 27. (AP)—Irving Yankelowitz, 14, appeared in court to explain that his father was ill and could not answer a summons for disobeying a traffic signal.

"You seem to be a pretty smart youngster," said Magistrate McKinery. "What would you do if you were a lawyer representing your father?"

"I'd plead guilty; I know him."

"You win. Sentence suspended."

Piled high just as are potatoes, eggs are being transported over highways of the Netherlands in an American truck.

# Wichita Falls Women Winning Success In Business World

### Fair Merchants of Modern Day Prove Independence In Commercial Life Once Ruled by Men

By RUTH MORRISON

Not so long ago woman was considered incapable and thoroughly out of place when it came to starting out in the cold, wide world in a business of her own. Unless widowhood and actual necessity had descended upon her, she was looked upon as declasse if anything more than fine sewing or delicate cookery was resorted to as a means of livelihood.

And look at them now! Firms pendence of the hard working husband or the girl of long ago who sat with her hands folded waiting for a bread-winner to come along and support her for the rest of her uneventful days!

**Successful Group.**

Wichita Falls boasts of perhaps the most successful group of business women in this part of the state. Whether the city offers more in the way of opportunity or whether their ability and initiative in dealing and managing are responsible it is hard to say. It is probably both.

But they have atttained success, there is no doubt. Their shops are among the most exclusive and merchandise-satisfactory places sought by shoppers in the city.

True to their sex, nearly all of these are devoted to apparel for women, feminine needs and luxuries, which are dear to the heart of every shopper—and it is said that 85 per cent of the world's purchasers are women!

Mrs. August South is owner and manager of The Parisian, one of the oldest and best known ladies' apparel shops in North Texas, located at 805 Indiana. Mrs. South has long been successful in her choice offerings of frocks, coats, millinery and accessories.

The Wichita Dress Shop occupies a portion of the Joza Dickson Millinery shop and is managed by Mrs. C. H. Melton. Joza Dickson chapeaux are well-known throughout this part of the country, for their quality and style.

Mrs. David Beatty operates the Georgianna Shop, another ladies' wear shop at 711 Indiana. Chic costumes, complete furnishings and the last word of the vogue are featured by Mrs. Beatty.

**Charming Shops.**

A well known millinery shop is located in the balcony of Kimberlin's store known as the Rose Murphy Millinery shop. Miss Murphy has for many years been associated in this business and was formerly with Mrs. South at the Parisian.

Still another exclusive women's wear Shop is the Constance-Anne Shop, the latest venture in the circle of business women, owned by Miss Anne Edwards. It is located in the Hamilton building, facing Eighth street. Since Feb. 7 the public has known the Constance-Anne as one of the most enticing shops in the city.

Photography is included too in women's activities. Merrell Ellis Shop, located at 725 1-2 Indiana avenue, is an establishment of repute, specializing in children's and women's portraits.

Perhaps one of the most suitable lines of profession for the natural born homemaker is that of books and stationery. Miss Ann Cargill opened a charming shop of stationery, artcraft, books, party favors and gifts in the Hamilton building on the ground floor. She has returned within the past few weeks from Chicago where she has been taking a special course in art work and spent some time buying for the new shop.

September first will see the opening of the Ruth Nan Shop at 11th and Holliday, owned by Mrs. Ruth Robertson King, Mrs. R. L. Budlong and Mrs. J. D. Robertson. Millinery and novelties will be included in the merchandise.

It remains to be seen whether or not oil corporations, finance firms, banks or the lumber business will become as successfully operated by women as are these smaller though highly important enterprises. It seems that only a question of time is to be considered in woman asserting her ability in every ocupation hitherto reserved for man, and whether it meets with his approval or not she is rapidly beating a great many men to their goal of success.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

The Rev. L. S. White, pastor of the First Church of Christ, 10th and Austin streets, will deliver the regular sermons at the morning and evening devotional hours Sunday. Sunday school classes begin at 9:45.

Mrs. J. S. Riggs and Mrs. T. A. Bradley, both of Wichita Falls, were in Byers Saturday visiting friends.

### Dr. Holmes to Speak At First Christian

Dr. J. B. Holmes, state superintendent, and treasurer of the Texas Missionary society of Fort Worth, will deliver the morning sermon Sunday at the First Christian church at 10:30 o'clock, it was announced Saturday. His subject was not announced.

Judge W. H. Penix will address members of the Men's Bible class at 9:30 o'clock; while James V. Allred will address members of the Young People's Co-ed class.

### "America" Stripped By Souvenir Hunters

TETERBORO, N. J., Aug. 27. (AP)—The America, in which Commander Richard E. Byrd and his companions flew to Europe, has been stripped of all removable parts by souvenir hunters.

Ivan R. Gates discovered the condition of the plane today when he went to the workshop formerly used by Clarence D. Chamberlin and in which the America was stored.


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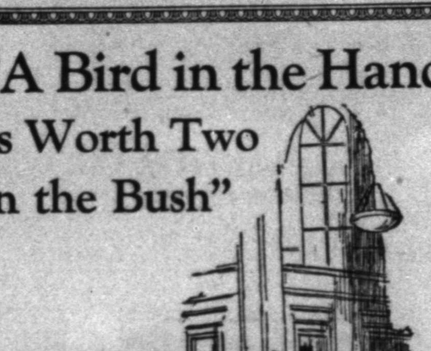

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# Farmers Must Terrace Land

### Federal Land Bank Delivers Ultimatum

HOUSTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—On its own initiative the Federal Land bank of Houston is requiring 60,000 of its borrowers in Texas to terrace their land where terracing is necessary and failure to do so will result in part or all of $135,000,000 in loans being recalled, H. Douglas Johnson, vice president and treasurer of the bank, announced here Saturday.

He said that Texas A. & M. college and the county agents of the various counties are co-operating in the movement, with the result the loans not only will be amply secured but thousands of acres of land will be greatly benefitted.

Cost of terracing the land will be approximately $2 to $2.25 an acre, according to A. K. Short, who is in charge of the work for the bank. Mr. Short has had more than 25 years experience in the work.

Mr. Johnson declared that thousands of acres of land in Texas, especially in North and East Texas are suffering from erosion but terracing can save it, make the land valuable as security and more profitable to the farmers for years to come.

"No hardship will be worked on any one," he said. "The terracing will not be done in the middle of the crop season but at times during the off-season when it is convenient to the farmers."

It has been the policy of the Federal Land bank to lend long time money for agricultural purposes at a nominal rate of interest and the object of the terracing is to make it possible for this policy to continue, Mr. Johnson said.

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SOCIETY SECTION

# Wichita Falls Record News

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 1927.

## *Wichita Falls Girls Holds Many Honors In Swimming and Diving*

"Hang your clothes on a hickory limb and don't go near the water," is an age old admonition mothers gave to daughters. If daughter departed from this rule at all, it was to don a modest, knee-length, high-necked, sleeved bathing suit, stand doubtfully in three feet of water and wonder if she should risk going into it any deeper.

Wichita Falls girl swimmers consider the old saying, even in its most exaggerated sense, a fairy tale. When they decide to swim, they don one-piece bathing suits, make neat dives into the water and swim the overhand stroke across the pool.

Miss Mabel Drinkard, 1510 Kemp boulevard, began swimming so young that her bathing suit was an undersized one from the children's department store. She says that she never was afraid of the water and that it semes that she has known how to swim all of her life. "I am sure I could swim well when I was seven years old," Miss Drinkard declared. She is also one of the most accomplished divers seen at the local swimming pools where she has spent many happy hours this summer, besides attending the Camp Fire Girls' conference at Palacios where swimming in the gulf was a daily recreation. Others who attended this conference, and enjoyed the swimming were Misses Dell Hatchitt and Catherine Weldon, both of whom are among the most accomplished of Wichita Falls' girl swimmers.

"The first time I ever dived I was somewhat frightened but I think we all feel that way don't you?" Miss Willette Jarrell, 1503 Garfield, said, "but the more you do it the better you like it. The side stroke is the easiest to learn on and is still my favorite stroke." Both Miss Jarrell and Miss Laura Lee Hampshire, received medals and honors at Kickapoo camp for girls in the Ozarks this summer, where swimming was taught along with many other forms of recreation. Both girls have passed all junior tests in life saving and have received certificates from Washington. They are artists in various kinds of diving including the racers plunge, the front dive, the jack-knife, the back jack-knife, the back and the swan. The junior tests are given girls and boys under 17 years of age.

Another Wichita Falls girl who has passed the Red Cross life saving test, and is rated one of the best among local fast and long distance swimmers, is Miss Josephine Berryman, 1646 McGregor street. Miss Berryman likes to scoot down coasters play on the water concessions, but her favorite sport of any kind is a long-distance swim.

Friends of Miss Cliftine Butler modestly say they don't believe she could swim the English channel. But if qualifications were limited to time spent swimming they believe that she surely would be eligible. For it has been her favorite summer's exercise since she was a small child. Miss Butler is at present out of the city, so her record as one of the best among the local girl swimmers is given by her associates. She is under 17 years of age, and has received her junior life saving Red Cross medal.

Now, even as in the days of "back to the ole swimming hole," that sport is the most popular for the hot summer months when you want to make yourself think it's cool even as the thermometer is making record-breaking races upward. And Wichita Falls' girls have lost no time in participating in this refreshing summer recreation.

## SOCIETY Personals

Mrs. Dean J. Wolf is spending a few days in Oklahoma.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thorn have returned from a vacation trip to the Ozarks.

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Mrs. Wilbur Cahoon, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported improving.

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Miss May Gooch of Lubbock is the guest of Mrs. Harold Murph on Jones street.

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Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Johnson left Friday for Dallas, where they will spend two weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Allred left Friday for Houston where they are spending a few days.

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Miss Cynthia Mae Pettit is spending the week end with her brother at Gainesville.

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Miss Lucille Ballard of 1913 Tenth street, has returned from a two weeks' visit in Dallas.

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Mrs. E. F. Bohmfaik and son, E. F. Jr., are guests of Mrs. Bohmfaik's parents at Carnes, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Oral Jones and son, Oral Jr., have returned from a vacation trip to points in Colorado.

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Miss Lulabelle Thomas of Greenville is the guest of Mrs. H. P. Thomas at 1317 Fourteenth street.

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Dr. and Mrs. S. S. McKenney and family have returned from the Ozarks where they spent 10 days.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murdock of Phoenix, Ariz., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ballard on Tenth street.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Donaldson and J. D. Jr. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Donaldson at Tahoka, Texas

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Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Coplin have returned from Colorado and New Mexico, where they spent two weeks.

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Mrs. R. O. Harvey and son, Eugene, are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Harvey's sister, in New York City.

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Mrs. Claude Woods who has been ill at her home on Tenth street for some time, is reported improving.

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Miss Oteal Kuhfuss of New Braunfels is the guest of her sister, Miss Mame Kuhfuss, at 2000 Elizabeth street.

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Raymond Myers, who is attending a Beta Theta Pi convention at Bigwin Inn, Canada, is expected home in 10 days.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Blocker are guests of Mrs. Blocker's sister, Mrs. R. C. Johnston. Mr. Blocker is consul in Mexico.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rayzor and daughters, Emil Beth and Jacqueline, are guests of Mrs. Rayzor's mother at Denton.

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Mrs. George Kimmell of Burkburnett has returned home after a visit with her mother, Mrs. A Anderson, on Taylor street.

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Mrs. Patrick Henry and children, Patrick, Jr., and Elizabeth, of San Antonio, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradley.

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Mrs. Frank Jackson and sons, John and Walter, of Fort Worth are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Butts on Harrison street.

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I. R. Sheldon has gone to Colorado Springs to bring Mrs. Sheldon and the children home. They have been there the past two months.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schmidt, 112 San Antonio street, announce the arrival of twin girls born at the General hospital August 12.

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Mrs. J. L. Downing and two children, Layton and Elizabeth, have returned from Corpus Christi where they spent several weeks.

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Mrs. W. A. Ford and daughter, Alene, of Electra have returned home after a brief visit with Mrs. Hill Eubank at 1645 Pearl street.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hall and son, Bobby, 1631 Pearl street, have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Bowie and Nocona.

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Mrs. L. Morrison, 1646 Pearl street, who was injured in an automobile accident the Fourth of July, is still confined to her bed.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Andrews and daughter, Mary Alice, who are spending two weeks with relatives at Amherst, will arrive home this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brin of Dallas are spending the week end with Mrs. Brin's parents, Judge and Mrs. B. Y. Cummings on Hays street.

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Mrs. Joel MacGregor and Joel Edward are expected to return the first of the week from West Texas, where they have been the guests of relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Duncan and daughter, Mayanna, who have been spending a month in Albuquerque, N. M., are expected to arrive home this week.

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Mrs. J. B. Evans and Miss Vera Hale are spending the week-end at Oklahoma City where they are guests of Mrs. Evans' daughter, Mrs. E. E. Hardin.

—Photo by Story

*EMILY BETH RAZOR*

## Texas Congress Of Mothers Will Hold Meeting at Houston

By MRS. WILL T. DECHERD
P.-T. A. Publicity Chairman

Great Interest is being manifested in Parent-Teacher circles concerning the annual convention of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher associations.

One big reason for this is that this is election year, the first election in three years. According to the revised by-laws of the organization, adopted in 1924, officers elected then in Wichita Falls were to serve three years, so that the terms of the district presidents elected the preceding spring would not expire the year a new corps of state officers were to be installed. This procdure would, it was believed, insure the roganization some experienced officers either in state or district, so that the work would never have entirely new and inexperienced direction.

This week, the nominating committee for the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher associations, elected at the post convention meeting of the board of managers at Fort Worth last November and consisting of Mrs. H. Worth Jones, Houston, chairman; Mrs. Sam Calloway, Fort Worth; Mrs. James P. Simpson, Dallas; Mrs. J. E. Griggs, Amarillo, and Mrs. G. E. Howard, Del Rio; has mailed to each of the 56 members of the board of managers an official nominating ballot. This ballot is to be made out by each member and returned to the chairman of the nominating committee at once whereupon the committee will compile from the ballots a slate of candidates for president, recording and corresponding secretary, treasurer, historian, and seven vice presidents. The slate so formed will be the report of the nominating committee and will be submitted with the call for the annual meeting for November 15-19, Houston, Texas, to every board member and every president of a Parent-Teacher association in membership with the Texas Congress.

This is done in accordance with the provisions of the revised by-laws, article 2, section 2:

"A nominating committee, consisting of five members and representing different sections of the state shall be elected by the board of managers at its post-convention meeting of the year, preceding the convention at which the election of officers is held. The chairman shall be named from these by the board. It shall be the duty of this committee to solicit nominations for each office from each member of the board of managers. These are members before they are submitted to the nominating committee by the board of managers. From these nominations, the nominating committee shall by majority vote elect the nominees. A list of these nominees shall be attached to the call for the convention. There may be nominations from the floor."

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon West have returned from Colorado, where Mrs. West has been for several weeks. Mrs. W. A. Brooks of Forney, who has been with Mrs. West, is expected to arrive about September 1 to spend a few days with her daughter.

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Judge and Mrs. George Johnson and daughter, Mary Margaret, and Mesdames C. M. Hughes and J. R. McGee of New Boston, have returned after a visit with the families of T. L. and W. A. McGee of this city, and W. L. Hubbard at Electra.

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Mrs. George T. Davis and her mother, Mrs. R. C. Cato have returned from a stay of several weeks in New York City and Chicago, where Mrs. Davis took special normal courses in dancing.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Stephens of Haskell arrived Saturday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Fritz Taylor. Mr. Stephens will spend the week-end, and Mrs. Stephens will remain a week.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Woodruff and children, Margaret and Frederick, of Amarillo, who have been guests of Mrs. Woodruff's brother, Charles Kjersey and family, have returned home.

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Miss Margaret Fox is spending the week-end in Graham.

—Photo by Nossett

*Miss Camilla van Sickle*

## IN THE PICTURES

Mrs. Ralph L. Toombs Jr., and small daughter of Springfield, Mo., are expected soon to visit Mrs. Toombs' parents, Judge and Mrs. B. Y. Cummings. Little Miss Barbara is only two and one-half years old, and girlhood friends of her mother are anxious to see the young daughter and are watching her growth and development with interest. Mrs. Toombs is remembered here as Jewell Cummings, the youngest of three attractive daughters of Judge and Mrs. Cummings.

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Little Miss Emily Beth Rayzor is the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rayzor and is considered a prodigy in dramatic art by critics who have heard her in recital. The young artist is heard often on local programs.

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Miss Camilla van Sickle of Childress is the house guest of Miss Ursule Johnson at 1405 Ninth street and is a talented pianist. Miss van Sickle played a number on the program at the Optimist club luncheon the past week.

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### *Wichitans Register For Kiwanis Trip*

Members of the Kiwanis club of Wichita Falls who have registered for the Kiwanis Texas-Oklahoma district convention to be held in Corpus Christi September 4, 5 and 6 and will drive down there, leaving Friday, are Dr. and Mrs. V. E. Wratten and daughter Daisy Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Colvert, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jackson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sherrill and Dr. Casteper, Walter Nenson and W. E. Young. Mr. Young will take part in the Kiwanis program during the convention.

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### *Tabitha Society Will Hold Social Session*

Members of the Tabitha society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet in the social room of the church Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Hostesses will be Mesdames Jacob Kroettinger and Harry Vogtsberger.

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Judge and Mrs. P. A. Martin, Jim and Barbara, left Friday for Roaring Springs, Texas, where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. S. W. Weatherall and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis and son, Billy, of Asheville, N. C., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cato and of their son, George T. Davis and Mrs. Davis on Lamar street.

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H. W. Caldwell and Dr. J. R. Bruce of Marshfield, Mo., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Winslow of 1623 Lucile street, have returned home.

—Photo by Nossett

*MRS. RALPH L. TOOMBS JR., AND BARBARA*

## Prominent Couple Married at High Noon on Saturday

Of interest to numerous Wichita Falls friends of the couple, is the announcement of the marriage Saturday at high noon of Miss Gelda Shults of Snider, Okla., and Ross Givens of Tipton. The ceremony was read at the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Blanton at 2204 Taylor street, by Dr. L. S. White, paster of the Church of Christ, in the presence of intimate friends and relatives.

A unique feature of the musical program was the entrance of the bridal party to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march played over radio WBAP by Will Foster, organist at the First Methodist church at Fort Worth.

The bride was charming in an afternoon gown of blue georgette, with accessories to harmonize, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and illies of the valley.

The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion in ferns and cut flowers, and the ceremony was read under an arch of ferns.

Punch and cake was served at an informal reception.

The bride has taught in the public schools at Snider, Okla., for several years and comes from one of Oklahoma's most prominent families. Mr. Givens will enter Abilene Christian college this fall where he is taking his senior year's work for the ministery. Mr. and Mrs. Givens will live in Tipton until they leave for Abilene where both will enter school.

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### *Mrs. McCulley Elected Chairman of Circle*

At a meeting of Circle one of the South Side Baptist W. M. S. held the past week at the home of Mrs. C. P. Batterton, Mrs. E. G. McCulley was elected chairman, and other news officers named as follows: Mrs. Batterton, secretary; Mrs. J. W. Nicholson, mission study chairman; Mrs. F. E. White, personal service chairman; Mrs. M. V. Horton, mission chairman, and Mrs. J. W. Tallant, reporter.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. Tallant, after which the business session was held.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Tallant, R. Chafin, Horton, F. E. White, Batterton and McCulley.

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### *Japan Missionary Makes Talk*

Women of the Sibley-Taylor Methodist church, south, in the Sibley park after prayer meeting Wednesday evening with Mrs. S. E. Trevathan, district secretary of Woman's Home Missionary societies, in charge, and a discussion relative to the organization of a society for the new church was held.

It was decided that those interested in the work, are asked to meet at the home of Mrs. L. A. Gilbreath, 2207 Yale avenue, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Dr. S. A. Barnes will preach at the Sibley-Taylor church in Sibley park Sunday night, according to the announcement.

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### *Ladies Aid Society Will Meet Monday*

The Ladies Aid society of the Grace Methodist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the parlors of the church. This is the first meeting of the fall season and members are requested to be present. There will be a special demonstration which promises to be of much interest.

## *IN THE GLOW OF THE CAMP FIRE*

Camp Fire Girls who are working for their second rank, Fire Makers, will have an opportunity to work off 15 of the 27 requirements for the rank. Special instruction will be given in knot tying, first aid, civic and national organizations, child welfare and Camp Fire songs. Each girl will give a five minute talk on Camp Fire, tell the career of some woman who has done much for her country or state. Interesting lectures will be given at each class. Classes will be held at 3 o'clock on Monday and Thursday afternoon in the basement of the First Methodist church. Plans have been made so the work can be completed in four classes with an outdoor meeting or over-night for members of the class.

Camp Fire day in the parks has created a great deal of interest among other children as well as Camp Fire girls. On Tuesday of this week at Kemp library park Edith Crump reviewed the star lore of the previous week and gave instruction in first aid, demonstrating the use of splints, bandaging wounds, and treatment for snake bites. On Wednesday at Bellevue park Edith Crump demonstrated the laying of various fires, discussing the uses for cooking and warmth. Friday morning Miss Alice Downing, gyardian of Tinkawa group gave instruction in making of count books. She explained how the Camp Fire girl creates her own Camp Fire name and symbol. Each child chose a symbol and used it on the count book she made. Several boys became interested and made count books for themselves. Beadwork was demonstrated.

Next week Edith Crump will give fire lore on Tuesday at Kemp library and Alice Downing will give instruction in count book making at Bellevue park on Wednesday which closes the summer park work.

The members of the Tinkawa group had their meeting at Scotland park where they worked on their head bands and other requirements for rank. They enjoyed a picnic lunch and made plans for a hike and meeting for next week.

Miss Mary Mellheran will go to Henrietta Wednesday to conduct a three-day camp for the two groups organized there under the guardianship of Mrs. F. O. Moore and Mrs. Ruth Brewer. These groups have done splendid work and have the entire town interested in Camp Fire girls programs. The Kiwanis clubs of both Henrietta and Wichita Falls have helped make the two benefit box suppers a real success, raising the necessary funds to finance the camp. On Friday night the Council Fire of the camp will be open to friends and parents. Camp Fire girls and friends from Wichita Falls expect to attend the council fire.

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### *Classes Are Given Delightful Social*

Mesdames J. F. Powell and C. F. Sommerville assisted Mrs. L. A. Cone, entertained their Sunday school classes of the Lamar Baptist church at Weeks park Thursday evening.

Games were played, and refreshments served to Misses Loma Conn, Edith Cone, Katherine Scott, Kathleen Byrd, Ruth Mae George, Lily Waters, May Powell, Ora Lee Sommerville and Mrs. J. L. Powell.

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### *Missionary Society Will Meet Monday*

The Woman's Missionary society of the Floral Heights Presbyterian church will meet in the church Monday morning at 9 o'clock. "India" will be the topic of the program with Mrs. Frank Ray in charge.

## *Peggy Piedmont*

*Vacationists Return— Federation Politics—*
*Ready for Fall— Wichitans Abroad—*
*And Club Activities— In Washington—*

SWIMMING parties, bridge and entertainment of out-of-town guests, have furnished the chief diversion for old and young this summer, until now that the end of August is near and September right on the threshold we are beginning to think seriously of our autumn and winter club work. Everybody who has been away for the summer is rapidly returning home, and the signs of life are again making their appearance in places that have been deserted for the past three months.

Members of the Womans Forum (those who have been in town) have worked all summer even as the little ants that have to toil so energetically in storing up their winter supplies. Only the women are working to get in readiness, the lovely new clubhouse, which was recently completed. The furniture and draperies have arrived, also the handsome grand piano, and by September the first the stage equipment will be here. A grand opening and house warming is planned to be held the last day in September and on this date the whole city will be invited to call and inspect the finished work of the forum which has occupied the thought and time of hundreds of women for the past year.

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MRS. EVELYN BAIN, the clubhouse hostess, will take charge of the building September 1 and will be ready to book luncheon and party engagements for the fall.

"You should see our china and glassware," Mrs. B. G. Oneal, president of the forum, said. "That little touch of individuality so dear to the feminine heart is the keynote of all the furnishings and the china in the Italian design, fits in admirably with the colored glassware and the rich tones which are featured in the draperies."

The yearbooks which have engrossed the attention of the yearbook committee all summer, have gone to press and will be ready for distribution at the first meeting of the forum early in October. Mrs. A. R. Bleakley, who is chairman of this committee, and who has worked hand in hand with Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin, chairman of the program committee, declares that many surprises are in store for the members in the many noted artists that the organization will bring here this season.

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MRS. JOHN F. SIPPEL of Baltimore, Md., director of the Maryland Federation of Women's clubs, has been announced by the Maryland federation a candidate for the presidency of the general federation, the election to take place at the 1928 biennial meeting to be held in San Antonio May 29-June 6. In speaking of the next meeting place of the general body Mrs. Sipple said: "I am interested in the club women of Texas not only as prospective hostesses but because they have given such fine women to the general federation. Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker of Austin, Mrs. Florence C. Floore of Cleburne, Mrs. Maggie Barry of College Station, Miss Anne Shelton of Fort Worth, Mrs. Duy Mille of Texarkana and Mrs. J. U. Fields of Haskell have done and are still doing a large share of federation work and have endeared themselves to all who know them.

"Continued growth and increased usefulness of the general federation are largely dependent upon three vital activities in our federation program. They are junior membership, club institutes and rural clubs, and they constitute my greatest interest in club work. The future of the woman's club marches forward on the feet of its junior members; club leadership offers the greatest adventure in life; rural women bring us the fresh and untrammeled vie point which we need, and we owe them a share of everything which as city women our lives have given us."

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THOSE not motoring to coast resorts are indulging in bathing parties either at home or in other cities; else out on the floating palaces on the ocean, as many of our people having gone abroad and reaching the other side are at seaside resorts over in Europe. But, take it from me, if you're not on the water or in the water you're simply out of it (that's Irish, isn't it—and that's me.) Next season we may be in the air, but this one we've surely been in the water, and from Corpus Christi to California, even up in Maine, we are bathing.

We used not to talk about such things, but Kitty, that was when the old joke about Saturday night bath was started. Nowadays not to be included as a guest at a bathing party marks you as an individual too old to enjoy sports or else an invalid, and when you go aboard some of the liners and see the elegant comfort and entertainment provided for passengers you no longer wonder so many have sailed this summer. Just think of even having a floating art gallery, for I read where the Belgenland, sailing for Antwerp, and the Santa Elisa and the Santa Louisa, bound for South American ports, departed carrying valuable collections of art, including the works of Charles H. Davis, Charles Hawthorne, Paul Dougherty, Emil Carlsen, George deForest Brush and many others.

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I BELIEVE I told you in a previous letter about what a good time Mrs. Sam Holliday and her children are having in Austin visiting her parents and girlhood friends. That same good time is continuing, with each friend vieing with the other in which can do the most entertaining for her.

The past week one of the most delightful affairs given in which Mrs. Holliday was named one of the honorees was a swimming party and breakfast at Barton Springs at the Molesworth home on Archway. A clipping from the Austin American says that Mrs. Mike Thomas of Dallas, house guest of Mrs. Dan McCaskill, Miss Camilla Winslow, bride-to-be of the week-end, and her sister, Mrs. Sam Holliday of Wichita Falls, were the honor guests. The breakfast table is described as being laid with a Spanish cloth and decorated in varicolored ziennias artistically arranged, and the list including a group of close friends of the three honor guests.

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ANOTHER Wichita Falls visitor in another city, who is spending a most pleasant summer, is Mrs. S. H. Burnside of Kemp Fort, who is with her daughter, Mrs. Vernon Lowery, in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Lowery was reared in this city and has numerous friends who remember her as Miss Marguerite Burnside. Mrs. Burnside is also spending some time with another relative, Col. Joseph S. Randall and family near Frederick, Md., according to clippings from the Washington, D. C., social notes.

But after discussing visitors, swimming parties and club work at length, and the warm days continue to hang on, I am afraid you are becoming weary with reading this long epistle and will hasten to sign myself as ever, your friend,

Peggy Piedmont

## Popular Couple Wed at Collier Home on Sunday

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Lucile Collier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Collier of 1814 Lucile street to Gus O. Bowen, which took place Sunday morning at the home of the bride's parents.

The ceremony was read at 9 o'clock, by Dr. S. S. McKenney, pastor of the First Methodist church in the presence of a few relatives.

The bride is a popular member of the younger set here, and is a graduate of the local high school and Junior college. Mr. Bowen is connected with the clothing department at McClurkan's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen left immediately following the ceremony for a wedding trip which will include Springfield, Mo., and Eureka Springs, after which they will be at home at 1814 Lucile street.

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### *Missionary From Japan Gives Talk at Picnic*

An interesting talk by Miss Cecelia Lancaster, a missionary from Japan, featured the delightful afternoon picnic given at Scotland park Thursday when members of the Lockett circle of the Floral Heights Baptist W. M. S. entertained the other circles.

A varied and entertaining program was also given and games were played. A grab bag furnished much amusement.

A picnic lunch was spread at a late hourt. Those enjoying the affair included: Mesdames D. M. Burkan, Lon Jones, L. L. Bristow, Ada Bell Demere, W. L. Ross, Walter Bristow, Mallanee, S. W. Trout, L. H. Franks, Warren, R. O. Owens, W. E. Putty, L. P. Amason, J. C. Owens, S. R. Featherston, C. D. Owens, J. W. McCutchen, J. T. Henry, J. W. Cooper, H. M. Hines, J. J. Warren, L. A. Dulaney, J. M. Ward, L. Stokes, R. E. Lee, J. S. Whatley, Ella Miller, J. D. Morgan, A. M. Olliver, Z. W. Harvey, L. C. James, R. J. Mathews, T. E. Williams, S. L. Flatt, C. S. McClung, L. H. White, R. M. Merrick of Nocona, and Misses Panay Whatley and Cecelia Lancaster, Master Howard Wayne Miller and the Rev. C. S. McClung.

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### *Mrs. Anderson Hostess To Las Amigas Club*

Mrs. George Anderson, 2206 Marshall street, was hostess to the Las Amigas Bridge club at her home Thursday afternoon. The living room was prettily decorated for the occasion in cut flowers, and in the games Mrs. Frank Murray received the high score favor, an embroidered tea apron. Mrs. Harry Smith was awarded the second high favor, a china flower bowl.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames A. A. Lindsey, Frank Murray, Harry Smith, E. O. Samms, R. E. Dorsey, C. E. Crump, R. A. Wolf, Porter Stack, T. R. Glass, Grady Taylor, J. G. Birkman and T. P. Pichard.

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### *Pretty Bridge Party Given by Mrs. Ketner*

Mrs. J. W. Ketner entertained a group of friends at her home, 1107 Lamar, Wednesday afternoon at bridge. A green and yellow color scheme was featured in the decorations and refreshment plate. In the games, Mrs. J. W. Fowler won the high score favor, and Mrs. Clyde Hammond, low.

An ice course was served to Mesdames J. W. Fowler, R. S. England, Clyde Hammond, J. Kimbrough, L. A. Walther, D. Dellis, Neal Walker and C. S. Burnett.

The hostess was assisted in serving by her small daughter, Joyce Ketner.

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### *Day Nursery Children To Be Organized*

Forty-two children of the Day Nursery were entertained at a picnic at Scotland park Thursday morning, sponsored by the Kiwanis club. Ice cream was furnished by the Colvert Ice Cream company, and Hank Wolf treated the small guests to candy.

Women from the Federated Missionary society, chaperoning the gathering, included Mrs. Knox Finley, the president, and Mesdames Harry Weeks, J. N. Sherill, A. F. Kimmell, Harry Hines and C. E. Harrington.

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### *Philathea Class To Give "Kid" Party*

A "kid" party will be held by members of the Philathea Sunday school class of the Grace Methodist church at 8 o'clock at the church. All members are requested to attend and bring their chums with them.

# WILL FIGHT LAKE GANG

## New Prohis After Liquor Smugglers

BY M. L. RAMSEY.
Universal Service Staff Cor.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—An imminent conflict with some of the richest and most highly organized liquor smuggling combines in existance operating throughout the Great Lakes region and in the northwest, today faced the new prohibition high command in its first great test.

New and burdensome enforcement problems sprang up almost simultaneously in these two areas just after Seymour Lowman took office as assistant secretary of the treasury in charge of prohibition on August 6, and before James M. Doran, as the new prohibition commissioner, had completed reorganization of his forces.

Great Lakes smuggling runs into many millions of dollars yearly. Its backbone is a 25 to 30 mile stretch of the Detroit river, only a mile wide at some points and honeycombed with smugglers lairs and impenetrable hiding places.

Throughout the regime of Gen. Lincoln C. Andrews it survived his innovations in organization and stragedy and the exertions of some of his best enforcement "aces" a swift succession of happenings has dropped the resulting problem squarely into the laps of Lowman and Doran, with need for immediate action.

Enforcement heads in the area were changed, control of the border patrol forces was shifted from prohibition to the customs bureau, extensive plans were made for cooperation of customs brokers and the railroads in suppressing liquor shipments by rail, all with the result that smuggling went on much as before.

Ontario going wet has brought at least the threat of an increased flood of liquor across the border. The tourist season has added by thousands to the number of automobiles to be watched and the highly touted liquor treaty with Canada, according to private but emphatic satements of government officials, has proved virtually worthless in checking smuggling of the Detroit river variety.

Before Canadian liquor shipments declared for export to the United States can be reported to this government, as the treaty provides, the rum boats have made a quick dash in the darkness to the American side and landed their cargoes.

Lowman and Doran have shifted the prohibition command closer to this battle ground, setting up a separate enforcement district in Michigan, with Thomas E. Stone as administrator. Their plan is to reenforce this effort by linking his forces more closely to the border patrol and the coast guard and strike concerted blows at all phases of the smuggling.

They concede that their problem is difficult. Meanwhile a heavy movement of smuggled liquor from Vancouver and elsewhere into Washington and Oregon has come to light to test their mettle at the western end of the border. Allegations that bribery of agents has helped to make this traffic possible have so complicated this problem that personnel changes are expected when investigations have been completed by the treasury.

Damming of the flood of Canadian liquor is regarded as in many respects a more dificult task than the disruption of the Atlantic "rum row" which General Andrews, leaning heavily on the coast guard, is conceded to have accomplished.

# Air Fashions Are Listed

## What to Take And How To Carry

By Universal Service.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Here's the latest fashion note from airland and answers the questions—"What should the well-equipped trans-Atlantic plane carry?"

Old Glory, the Rome-and-return monoplane, waiting for a favorable wind in order to take off from Roosevelt field has in its rear compartment:

One emergency life raft capable of sustaining 2000 pounds.

One box of patches for rubber boat.

One pair of oars.

One hand pump and two bottles of compressed air.

Six tins of army rations and one tin of hardtack.

Two emergency armburst cups—a device to condense the moisture of the breath into drinking water.

Four white calcium flares; eight red flares; a box of green Very signals and one Very pistol.

Seven gallons of water.

A bubble sextant, charts and maps.

Three pairs of gloves.

One air mattress and two air pillows.

One first aid kit.

One radio set.

One pair field glasses.

Two fire extinguishers.

Two flashlights with extra batteries.

One speaking tube leading to the cockpit.

That's all it takes to span the Atlanttic besides a faithful motor and a lot of nerve.

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In the past year 456 lives were saved from shipwreck along the coast of Great Britain.

## SALLY'S SALLIES

What's happened to the heroine who used to flag trains when the bridge washed out, by waving a red flannel petticoat?

# HUSBAND HELPS ERRING WIFE

## Will Continue to Support Her

By LORENA A. HICKOK
By Universal Service.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Aug. 27.—Twelve years ago this fall, John W. Bache, steel manufacturer, married a pretty southern girl, a widow with one child, and took her to the handsome home he had bought in South Plainfield. She was 21. He was $4. He called her "Little Girl."

Two months later she became ill. For 10 years she was an invalid. Many times as he sat by her through the nights of those 10 years, she begged him to let her die. One night she looked up at him, tried to smile, and murmured weakly:

"Jack, your hair is turning gray. I'm not worth it."

Two years ago she recovered. Then, quiet, gray-haired, "solid" John Bache decided that "Little" Girl should have a good time.

One day last March, he had an appointment to meet her at a garage to have monogrammed plates on the doors of a car he had just bought her. As he entered the garage, an attendant handed him a letter from "Little Girl."

"God forgive me for what I am going to write," it began—and it went on and told him that she had gone away in her car with Joseph Dever, a Plainfield traffic policeman.

Wednesday Dever was arrested in Columbus, O., charged with abandoning his young wife and a baby born after he left. Bache's brother was in Columbus, too, to look after the interests of "Little Girl," found working in a department store there, having spent the $1800 she withdrew from the bank before she left and all the money she could raise on her $3,000 worth of jewels. Dever under arrest and Mrs. Bache are on their way back to Plainfield tonight.

Bache's brother was in Columbus today to look after "Little Girl"—But not to bring her back home.

"They have said to me, 'you'll never see her suffer,'" the husband said today, staring out the window of his office, No. 50, Church street. 'And I don't suppose I shall. But—I'm afraid, Little Girl, that the curtain was rung down on the play.

"I gave her everything she asked for," he went on. "Sometimes I used to think she was having a good time. But—well, I guess she wasn't."

Out in Columbus today Mrs. Bache told police she went away with Dever because she "couldn't stand Plainfield."

"But that wasn't all she said," Bache sighed. "She told somebody she couldn't love me any more because I was too fat—and too old—and too homely.

"And I guess the highest compliment anybody ever paid me was when she wrote to the surrogate of Plainfield and asked him to appoint me her boy's guardian. If I am appointed I am going to bring him up as my son. I have no children of my own but—well, I'll have him anyway."

Bache learned of his wife's whereabouts Wednesday night when a reporter telephoned him she was under arrest in Columbus. He immediately called the Plainfield chief of police.

"She shouldn't be arrested," he protested. "There are no warrants out for her, are there? I don't want her arrested."

Asked whether he would take his wife back, Bache answered sadly: "I shall take care of her, but as for taking her back into my home as a life partner, all that is gone. That is impossible."

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Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hunter and sons, Scott and Frank, and daughter, Helen, have returned from a several weeks' trip to Colorado and other points.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Deaton and son Clifford Jr., and Mrs. Walter Bachman have returned from a vacation trip to points in Colorado and New Mexico.

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Misses Virginia Hicks and Agnes Widmeyer of Terry, Texas, are guests of Mrs. Sam Man.

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To aid anglers using its road railway running in Scotland and England, has engaged an expert angler.

# Houston Naturalist Defends Birds Believed Harmful; Asks Protection

HOUSTON, Aug. 27. (AP)—Prof. H. P. Attwater, widely known Houston naturalist, has a good word to say for some of the so-called harmful birds, the extermination of which has been advocated in many quarters.

Special investigations of the fish-eating birds, he said, proved that by far the greater part of the fish consumed by pelicans, terns, gulls and other seabirds are not food fish, but of a species of fish so enormously abundant that their chief economic value is for fertilizer and oil, hundreds of tons of which are annually produced by the fertilizer factories on the coast. Moreover, Mr. Attwater said, pelicans, gulls, cormorants, and other seabird are nature's greatest scavengers of the ocean and should be protected.

Of the socalled predaceous birds, according to the professor, hawks and owls are the most prominent. However, he continued the United States government has proven that the majority of the 50 species of hawks and owls in this country are mainly or wholly beneficial, as they destroy mice, rats ,gophers, reptiles and other vermins. Only three species of hawks, the goshawk, Cooper's hawk and the sharp-shinned hawk, which is commonly known as the blue darter, were condemned as harmful.


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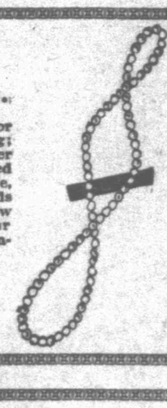

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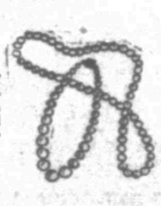

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# Sunday Church Programs, Class Activities, Religious News and Views

## M'KENNEY TO SPEAK SUNDAY

### Special Music For Union Church Services

"How to Know God's Will," has been announced as the subject of a sermon to be delivered by the Rev. S. Stephen McKenney, pastor of the First Methodist church, at the third union service to be held Sunday evening at Bellevue park beginning at 8 o'clock.

**Sing-Song First**

The meeting will be opened with a sing-song led by Joel H. MacGregor, choir director of the First Methodist church, to be accompanied by the Municipa band under the direction of R. A. Brollier. The invocation will be given by the Rev. Dan F. Grieder, junior pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

The scripture reading will be given by the Rev. Gaines B. Hall, pastor of the First Southern Presbyterian church, which will be followed by a male quartet selection, "The Church in the Wildwoods," directed by Mr. MacGregor, and with piano accompaniment by J. S. Pitman.

A concert by the Municipal band, to follow the sermon, has been made possible by business concerns of Wichita Falls. The program for the latter follows:

**Band Concert**

1. "Royal Bridesmaids," Jno. W. Gasto. (March.)
2. "Serenade," Franz Drdla.
3. "High, High, High Up in the Hills," Lewis, Young, Abrahams. (popular fox trot.) Published by Shapiro, Bernstein & Co., New York City.
4. "Lustpiel," Keler-Bela, (Overture.)
5. Vocal, "Hearts Bow'd Down," from "The Bohemian Girl," Tobani, Alva Wilgus.
6. "Sweet Marie," Rose, Frankl, (late song success,) Published by Irving Berlin, Inc., New York City.
7. "The Booster," Lake, (an American Absurdity Rag.)

## Presbyterian

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**
**Corner Tenth and Bluff Streets.**
**Pastors: Dr. N. F. Grafton and Rev. Daniel E. Grieder.**

Sunday services: At the 11 o'clock hour, Rev. Grieder will preach the concluding sermon of his series on the meaning of Christ: "The Call of Christ." All the departments of the Sunday school begin their opening exercises at 9:30. The three Christian Endeavor Societies continuing through the summer will meet in general assembly on the lawn at 6:30. This congregation will join in the union park service in Bellevue Park at 8:00, at which time Dr. McKenney of the First Methodist church will preach.

Week-day services: Our mid-week service will be held in the ladies parlor. The subject for meditation this week is, "The Consuming Fire." Special music: Mrs. A. Y. Tully will sing Sunday morning: "The Voice in the Wilderness" (Scott.) The organ numbers by Mrs. Bently Nelson include a hymn (Haydn) and "Maestoso" (Lvoff.)

The young people of the church will attend the mid-week service on Wednesday and then enjoy a social hour at the home of Mr. D. B. King on Ninth street.

**FLORAL HEIGHTS PRESBYTERIAN**
**Buchanan and Avenue J.**
**Rev. David Rees-Jones, Pastor.**

Sunday services: Sunday school 10 a. m. Lesson, "Nathan Leads David to Repentance." II Samuel XII 1-13.

Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon: "The Wayward Child's Homecoming."

Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.; Miss Guyrene Rettig will lead in the consideration of "Why Is Missionary Work Needed in a Christion Country?"

Evening service, 8 p. m. Subject of sermon, "A Great Loss and a Great Promise."

Woman's Missionary society, Monday, 9 a. m.

Tuesday, 8 . m. The newly constituted general committee meets to plan the fall and winter work.

Mid-week service, Wednesday, 8 p. m. "Seven Things Christians Should Do." will be the subject for Bible study.

Choir rehearsal, Friday, 8 p. m.

**FIRST SOUTHERN PRESBYTERIAN.**
**In Front of Junior College.**
**Gaines B. Hall, Minister.**

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Fred T. Story in charge. All children near the tabernacle, not in Sunday school cordialy invited to visit the school.

Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "The Mind of the Master." The choir will sing an offertory anthem: "Only Our Blessed Lord."

Mrs. J. Brown Hopkins will sing "The Plains of Peace" (Bernard)

Visitors and new people in the city especially invited to worship with us.

Doom-palm nuts, or vegetable ivory, is being sent from the Sudan to America for the manufacture of buttons.

## Electra Churches

**Church of Christ.**

Sunday school at 9:45. L. B. Stevenson, superintendent. Prayer service at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening with W. A. Ashley, leader. Morning worship at 11 o'clock following the communion service at 10:45. One of the elders of the church will have charge of the worship, while B. W. Wisdom will have charge of the song service in the morning.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock, with Milton Woolard, in charge of the song service and one of the elders to have charge of the devotional service. Rev. Thomas L. Millhollon, the regular pastor, will be back in the city, in September.

**Church of God.**

Sunday school at 9:45. Howard Lane, superintendent. A revival meeting is going on at the church, with Rev. E. W. Williams of Lawton, Okla., who is state overseer, conducting the services, assisted by Miss Vivian Hayworth of Lawton and Miss Ava Mae McClure, a personal worker. Morning worship at 11 o'clock and evening services at 7:45. The meeting will continue for some time yet.

**Assembly of God.**

Sunday school at 10 o'clock, Henry Brotherton, superintendent in charge. Preaching at 11 o'clock with the pulpit to be filled by a visiting minister, in the absence of a regular minister. Rev. E. W. Crump of Austin the newly elected pastor having not yet arrived.

Evening worship at 7:45, with the pulpit to be filled at that time also by a visiting minister or lay leader.

**First Christian Church.**

Bible school at 9:45, with John Houser the superintendent in charge. The Communion service and church services at both the morning and evening services will be dismissed due to the illness of the pastor, Rev. C. C. Klingman.

**First Methodist Church.**

Sunday school at 9:45, with W. M. Austin, assistant superintendent in charge. Epworth leagues at 7:30 for the seniors and Junior Epworth league at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock, preaching by Rev. Hugh Anderson, pastor. Evening worship at 8 o'clock in the evening by Rev. Anderson, also.

**First Baptist Church.**

Sunday school at 9:45, C. O. Roberts, as superintendent and B. Y. P. U.'s in general assembly at 7 o'clock and in class rooms at 7:20. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, with Rev. E. M. Francis, pastor in charge. No special music has been arranged.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock with Rev. E. M. Francis, the pastor, also in charge.

**Catholic Church.**

Morning mass at Saint Francis Catholic church in the city at 8 o'clock Sunday, with Father William Bender in charge, while mass at the Mount Carmel Catholic church, north of the city at 9:15, with Father Bender also conducting the services. No special musical program has been planned for either service.

**Presbyterian Church.**

Sunday school at 9:45, I. W. Wilson, superintendent; Junior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. Ladies Missionary society, and regular preaching services, at both morning and evening will be dismissed, due to the absence of the pastor, Rev. H. E. Anderson, who is taking a vacation and who will return in September.

## Baptist

**HIGHLAND HEIGHTS BAPTIST**
**3003 York**
**H. J. Ballew, Pastor.**

Sunday services: Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; Jewel Cunningham, superintendent; preaching both morning and evening by the pastor.

The subject at 10:45 a. m. is, "Christ and the Lonely" and the subject for the evening is "A Man's Strength." Jail service at 2:15 p. m. We leave the church and begin service at 2:30 p. m. The B. Y. P. U. will meet at 7 p. m.

Week day services: Monday evening special deacons meeting; Wednesday evening, the entire membership is urged to meet and pray for a revival in our church and for all southern Baptists.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. The Men's Bible class meets in the main auditorium. Morning worship, 11 o'clock, with sermon by the pastor, Dr. O. L. Powers. Music by the chorus choir and vocal trio by Mesdames P. M. Cordell, R. M. Wilhite and J. E. Stratton. Miss Elizabeth Cole at the organ.

B. Y. P. U.'s meet at 6:45 in the evening. Evening preaching service 8 o'clock, with sermon by the pastor, Dr. Powers. Special music by the choir and quartet. Congregational singing everyone enjoys and takes part in. Auditorium equipped with electric fans. Invitation for church membership is given at the close of both morning and evening services. Services limited to one hour each.

**SOUTH SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH.**

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
W. C. Perkins, general superintendent.

Morning service 11. Evening service 8. Adult, senior, Intermediate and Junior B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. will render an extra program and all visitors are welcome. Girls auxiliary Monday evening 8. Junior laymen Tuesday evening 8. Regular weekly prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:45.

Maidelle Anderson, church reporter.

**LAMAR AVENUE BAPTIST**
**Fourth and Lamar Streets.**
**W. H. Townsend, Pastor.**

Sunday school 9: 45 a. . Preaching service 11 a. m. Subject, "The Seventh Saying From the Cross." All B. Y. P. U.'s meet 6:45 p. m. Preaching services 8 p. m. Subject, "The Hope of Glory"; prayer and praise service Wednesday, 8 p. m. Bring your Bible and come.

## Evangelical

**YALE AVE. EVANGELICAL.**
**Corner Yale Ave. and 22nd St.**
**Pastor J. Harbes.**

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. W. A. Lynn, superintendent.

Rev. J. Curtis Cook will preach at the 11 o'clock morning service and at the evening service at 8 p. m. The ladies aid will meet weekday services at the church Monday at 3 p. m. Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday 8 p. m.

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.**
**Church Edifice.**
**Corner Tenth and VanBuren Sts.**

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Lesson sermon at 11 a. m. Subject: "Christ Jesus." The Sunday evening service has been discontinued until September.

Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Reading Room, 201 Brown building, 902 1-2, Lamar Street, is open Sundays from 2:30 until 5 p. m. and week days, except legal holidays, from 10:30 a. m. until 5 p. m. The Librarian is not in attendance from 12:30 to 1:30.

The public is cordially invited to attend the services and use the reading room.

## Methodist

**GRACE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.**
**Seventh and Lamar Streets.**

Morning service 10:45. In the absence of our pastor, Rev. Leslie Miller, who is attending the Epworth league institute, at Guthrie, Oklahoma, E. F. Bohmfalk, religious director of the M. E. church, South, this city, will have charge of the morning service. His subject will be "The Church and Religious Education."

Sunday school 9:30 a. m., J. F. Friberg, superintendent, featuring the Men's Bible class.

Evening service at Bellevue Park in joint union service.

Junior league 3 p m. Mrs. B. H. Davidson, superintendent.

Epworth league, 6:45, Emmett Remington, president. The subject for discussion will be "Under the Surface in Local Industries," led by Mrs. Tom M. Underwood.

Friday 7:30 p. m. Boy Scouts. Don Ross, scoutmaster.

**FIRST METHODIST**
**Tenth and Lamar.**
**S. Stephen McKenney, D. D. Pastor.**

9:30 a. m., Sunday school; W. B. Hamilton, superintendent.

Kay Bible closs for men meets Olympic theater.

Morning worship 10:30 p. m. Sermon, "The Matchless Book,"—Pastor.

Junior league 3 p. m.

Annie Laurie Long league and Ansil Lynn league in joint meeting 6:30 p. m.

We join in with other leading churches of city in union services at Bellevue park at 8 p. m.

**Week Day Activities.**

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday 8 p. m. Dr. McKenney, leader.

Choir rehearsal Thursday 8 p. m.

Special music for sunday includes: Anthem, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" (Williams) —By Choir; soprano solo, "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings" (Liddle) —Miss Modena Howell; Joel H. MacGregor, choir director; Miss Cleo Stripling, organist.

**FLORAL HEIGHTS METHODIST CHURCH**
**S. A. Barnes, Pastor.**

Sunday school will meet at 9:30 a. m. Judge W. B. Chauncey, superintendent: morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Barnes. Evening worship will be held at Bellevue park at 8:15 p. m.

The senior league will meet at 7 p. m. at the church. All young people are welcome.

Prayer meeting will be held Wednsesday evening at 8:15 o'clock at the church. Everyone is urged to be present.

### *Make Your Own Skin Whitener with Lemons*

The juice of two lemons squeezed into a bottle with Orchard White, will soothe sunburn, and clear up freckles, tan, discolored skin quicker than anything you can buy already prepared, and it doesn't cost you near as much.

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## Christian

**HIGHLAND HEIGHTS CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**
**Opposite Junior College.**
**Dr. Paul Henry Packard, Pastor.**

Sunday services: Bible school at 9:30, all departments thoroughly graded and taught by competent teachers, Judge B. D. Sartin, superintendent.

Communion and divine worship at 10:50, with sermon by Dr. Packard.

Junior and senior Christian Endeavor at 6:45. The evening church services will be dispensed with in order to meet with the various other churches in their union services at Bellevue park. The mid-week prayer meeting will be held as usual in Wednesday evening at 8.

## Nazarene

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**
**Corner Fifth and Burnett.**
**J. P. and Rosa L. Ingle, Pastors.**

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject "Encouragement to the Discouraged." Evangelistic message at the evening hour. There will be services every night during the week beginning at 7:45 p. m. Rev. Herman Burton of Okarche, Okla., will be conducting revival services for the young people's society. He is an excellent young preacher, and we hope to have services that will be largely attended by the young people. There will be plenty of special singing and good music. Everybody welcome.

## Lutheran

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**
**Eleventh and Holliday Streets.**
**Rev. C. M. Beyer, Pastor.**

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning services in the German language with celebration of the Lord's supper at 10:40 a. m. Preparatory services at the same hour. At 7:30 p. m. the Barea Bible class will have its weekly study meeting. Lesson, Matthew IV. Immediately after morrning services the voting members will have a short meeting. Tuesday night at 7:30 the choir will meet for rehearsal. Wednesday night at 7:30 the Walther league convention committee will meet in the social room. The public is cordially invited to worship with us and to attend our Bible study meetings.

## Catholic

**SACRED HEART.**
**1501 Ninth St.**
**Lawrence Hoyt, O. S. B., Pastor.**

Rev. J. H. Untereiner, assistant.

Services: 6:30, 8 and 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE, MOTHER OF CHARITY.**
**Homes and Marconi Sts.**
**Lawrence Hoyt, O. S. B., Adm.**

Services 9:30 a. m. and Sunday school 3 p. m.

Among the products being manufactured from corn cobs are mucilage, guncotton, talcum powder, shoe polish, printers' ink, leather textiles and the fireworks called "sparklers."

## WALKER MAN IS OLDEST CLERK

### J. B. Lee, 90, Oldest County Official in State

HUNTSVILLE, Aug. 27. (AP)—The oldest county official in the state of Texas in the point of service and age. That is the record of J. B. Lee, 90, who has served as district clerk of Walker county for 30 years, claims.

Lee has been in public office for 43 years. In 1878 he served one term as county clerk of Madison county, then was elected district clerk of Madisgn county where he served for 12 years.

In 1890 Judge Lee moved to Walker county and was out of office for two years. He was appointed district clerk of Walker county, succeeding John White. In 1898 White came back and defeated him for the office. Four years later Judge Lee regained the office by beating White once more. Since 1906 he has held the district clerk's office of Walker county, without opposition.

In 43 years he has been in public service there has not been a single complaint against him, and without a doubt can hold the district clerk office as long as he desires. Although Judge Lee is 90 years old he is in the best of health, and every morning he takes a walk over town to get in condition for his day's work in his office.

Judge Lee was born May 2, 1837 in Alabama, and came to Texas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee in 1855. His father settled near Old Waverly in Walker county.

Judge Lee said he was one of the first to go to the Civil war and was one of the last to come out. He was in Parson's 12th cavalry and all the time while he was not fighting he was detached to scour the country in search of corn. He was in about six or seven battles.

Mr. Lee had three brothers who served through the war with him.

## Keep Away from Calomel!! It is Quicksilver—Mercury

Never take calomel. It is mercury—a dangerous drug. If you are constipated, bilious, sick, headachy, stomach sour, meals don't taste right, hot days make you drowsy and lazy, take Dodson's Liver Tone. That's all you need.

Calomel ralivates. That's why you have to take salts the next day to get it out of your system so it will not eat your bones. You have to stay at home a day to recuperate from the shock it gives you.

No wonder Dodson's Liver Tone is so popular. All you do is take a spoonful at night. By morning your are cleaned out good, head is clear, you feel as light as a feather; you are not sick, no danger of salivation, and you can eat anything you want. Think of that.

Get the big bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone from your nearest store. They all have it. Keep it in the house so you will have it handy to take nights before going to bed.

## IOWA PARK PERSONALS

IOWA PARK, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Curtis Hill and children have returned home from a visit with relatives in Paris. Mr. Hill met them at Whitesboro and made the return trip with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellis are the guests of relatives in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Marvin Morgan and Mrs. W. E. Thompson and her daughter, Miss Zella drove over to Mankins Monday.

Prof. Paul Smith, director of the Electra band and four of his players visited the Triangle band Monday night.

Miss Willie Mae Bryant of Seymour has returned to her home after a visit with Misses Pearl and Shirley Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Appleby of Wichita Falls were here Sunday visiting in the W. H. Brubaker home.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Barbour and two children and Miss Elizabeth, Davis and Loys Barbour are expected home Wednesday from Norman, Okla., where they have been visiting relatives and friends since Saturday.

Mrs. O. E. Austin and children from Bushland are visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. J. P. Sunday. Mrs. Austin will be remembered as Miss Lena Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Denny of Wichita Falls was a visitor in Iowa Park Sunday.

Miss Ruth Lowrance was the guest of Miss Mary Ashmore of Wichita Falls last week.

Mrs. Fred Thompson and daughter, Imogene, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Royster of Wichita Falls the first of the week.

Thomas Tittle and John Beasley made a business trip to Wichita Falls yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Nobles and family went to the Diversion Dam Tuesday for a day of fishing and a picnic dinner. They caught some nice fish.

Miss Mary Ashmore of Wichita Falls attended the birthday party of Miss Mary Anna Lowrance Tuesday evening and remained over for the rest of the week with Mary Anna and her sister, Ruth.

Paul Sisk is home again from a two weeks' stay on the coast. He is still limping about on a sprained ankle which he sprained in jumping from a truck while at sea. He was confined to his bed for several days with it, but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sewell had as their guest Tuesday, Lloyd Spotswood of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Yauger, an old time resident of Park now living in Wichita Falls, is visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. J. H. Sherwood was on the sick list the first of the week.

A. A. Birdwell has gone to Gypsy to stay awhile for his health.

Mrs. Alice Trice returned home Monday from a few days spent with relatives in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hunter and children of Dallas were callers at the Richey Alternathy home last Wednesday while eneroute to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruschle of Sand Springs, Okla., and Mrs. Ray of Burkburnett spent Saturday evening in the home of C. J. Thurber.

Mrs. Susie Carpenter and her mother, Mrs. Shelton Smith are visiting in Sulphur Springs this week.

Mrs. Royal Ramey of Electra and Miss Maude Ramey of Sulphur Springs visited Mrs. J. P. Luton last week.

Miss Helen Ferguson has returned from a five weeks' visit in Rhome.


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## Adventures In the Shops

*As Told By*

Jacqueline


SHOES

At The Booterie for ENSEMBLE

Shoes are of major importance in carrying out the ensemble feeling which is so strong in fall costumes, and the new footwear shown at Sanderford's Booterie includes a wide range of styles, shades and leathers. A few of their smart fall offerings are listed in the following paragraphs.

Midnight blue kid is most elegant with any of the many blue and gray frocks sponsored for fall. Silk gunmetal kid is especially smart combined with imported French kid of the same shade. The costume for more formal occasions calls for black satin, in which the Booterie shows an attractive two-eyelet tie. Worthy of note, too, is the tendency of chic women to choose black patent leather for afternoon wear.

for TAILLEUR

The tailored mode finds true expression in the fall styles shown here. Various shades of distinctly autumnal browns make many of the soft kid street shoes in both low and high heels, a favored trimming being a small tailored bow. Genuine alligator skin with medium heel should find a place in many a school and college girl's trunk.

The mature woman, in search of the shoe of perfect craftsmanship, will be particularly pleased with a patent leather model cut with the beautiful tapering toe ("Eastern toe," we might call it).

See them at the Booterie tomorrow.

Transparent velvet is perhaps the most strongly sponsored of the new fabrics. This is easily understood as it is much softer and more luxurious than even the finest of Pan or chiffon velvets. Although often shown in color, it is most frequently found in black. Among the smart transparent velvet frocks at Miller-Ferguson's the lovely lace trim registers strong. The flattering lace, a cleverly placed pin or clasp of rhinestones and the graceful draping of skirt and blouse, place these dresses among the smartest for fall.

Drop by and see them for yourself—they must be seen to be appreciated. You'll find metallic and velvet combinations that are also most attractive.


### Do You Profit By What You Read?

COLONEL NEWCOME is one of the best beloved of Thackeray's characters, brave, simple and good, how unfortunate that he had so little wisdom that he should die in the Charterhouse (charitable institution in London). Most of us have bemoaned lack of foresight in appealing characters of the books we have read, from the time when we "just wished" we could warn the princess that she would be only a sleeping beauty if she touched the spinning wheel! But how many of those who deplore Colonel Newcome's end are building a protection between themselves and poverty in old age?

There is one safe and sure path to peace and freedom from worry when the days of active work are past, whether they arrive as usual in the course of time or illness brings them unexpectedly upon one. Investments which Hoover recommends and which rank with government bonds give the needed security against neglect and want — such are Building and Loan shares.

Drop by the North Texas Building and Loan Association, 822 Scott, and talk this over. There is an investment and savings account for every purse and purpose here, the 6 per cent interest-bearing accounts, which may be withdrawn at any time, being especially suitable for women.


### When the Iron-izer Builds Health

THE remarkable restorations to health, which Dr. L. D. Harding's Iron-izer has effected, sound like the miracles of old, so astounding are the results often obtained from using it only a few times. Perhaps you have friends among the many who are benefitting from the use of the Iron-izer in Room 223 of the Perkins-Snider building, and have been able to hear from them, and observe for yourself, the added vitality they have received. Even so, you may not know just why the Iron-izer builds health.

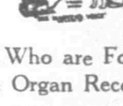
The iron existing in the blood of the human system needs and uses a constant supply of oxygen to permit it to perform its great duty of body-building. Nature's way of providing oxygen is through breathing. Merely breathing is not enough, however, the oxygen must be completely assimilated by the cells, tissues and glands or they will be starved and seriously affect the whole system. A rundown condition or inoculation by some disease germ immediately affects the oxygen-gathering power of the system. It is then necessary to hasten the supply of oxygen that is delivered to the cells and tissues. This is what the magnetism in the Iron-izer does and why it so effectively overcomes such a diverse list of diseases and afflictions.

A week's trial will be given free of charge. Every person afflicated with chronic ailment or in a rundown condition should take advantage of this offer. Names of persons in Wichita Falls who have benefitted by the Iron-izer will be given as references by Mr. L. E. Ewing, District Manager, Telephone 2-4452.



WILL your friends cherish the letters you write from school or college? Suitable notepaper means so much. An entirely new sheet and envelope combination is among the new stationery at Lovelace's Book Store. Select yours now.





### Those Who are Fond of Pipe Organ Records

—Will be glad to hear that "At Sundown," played by Jesse Crawford on the Wurlitzer pipe organ, has just arrived at the Nunn Electric Company, 909 Scott Street. This is the best pipe organ record that has been released in months—you'll want "At Sundown." Nunn's telephone number is 8118 but it is certainly worth a few steps to go in and ask to hear the new Orthophonic Automatic Electrola. There is nothing like it in all the realm of music! It changes its own records and has a wonderful, rich and natural tone.


### "Reverie Is the Luxury of the Mind,"

—Says Victor Hugo in "Les Miserables," and, as usual, le sublime enfant was both dramatic and profound. We hear a great deal of dieting at present, but here is a type of indulgence, much more invidious, which weakens the mind instead of the stomach and is, as yet, seldom denounced. To sit indulging the mind in happy fancies far removed from the day's work does not bring the fancy one mile or one hour nearer, but rather lengthens the distance. There is only one way to accomplish, it is to act.

Do not postpone the beginning of an interest bearing account another day. It is the one safe, sure step that may be taken each day toward success. Learn to save systematically—a bank balance is so much more substantial than a Castle in Spain, and there is a bank in Wichita Falls where courtesy and friendly advice make it easy to save—it's the Wichita State Bank and Trust Company.


YOUR clothes talk about you. Every moment, no matter where you are, they are saying, "She's so well groomed that she always looks smart," or "She buys nice things but never looks well because she isn't 'tidy'."

Remember this and begin the fall season by sending frocks, coats and furs regularly to the Wichita Cleaning and Dye Works. If you are tired of last season's garments, have them dyed the fashionable shades here.

Dial 4877 for satisfactory cleaning and dyeing—the most perishable frock is safe with the Wichita Cleaners.

### Your Baby

OF COURSE you want your baby to be strong, and round and rosy, and more than any other one thing, the Frigidaire electric refrigeration will help protect baby's health. "Spoiled milk, owing to a faulty refrigerator, is not rarely a cause of acute illness among infants. To be really effective, a refrigerator should have a temperature, where the milk is placed, of not over 50 degrees Fahrenheit," says L. Emmett Holt, M. D., LL. D. An article in the Good Housekeeping Magazine on "The Baby's First Year" also insists upon this temperature and adds "Most home refrigersiors are opened so often and so carelessly, that one hardly dares keep food for the baby in them."

Frigidaire may be bought for $15 down and $10 a month—have one in the home, it will benefit the health of the entire family. It will maintain a dry, uniformly cold temperature below 50 degrees, which will not only keep baby's milk sweet and pure, but will relieve you of many worries, for delicate foods which must be prepared with extreme care, can be made to last for long periods in a Frigidaire, and do not require preparation several times a day.

Eleven different models and sizes of Frigidaires are offered and, too, any good refrigerator can be equipped with a Frigidaire at low cost. Call at the Texas Electric Service Company, 904 Scott Street.

# Society Briefs and Personals From Cities In Wichita Falls Trade Territory

## HENRIETTA NOTES

HENRIETTA, Aug. 27.—Carl Barker has returned from a trip to St. Louis, Chicago and other points.

Hamin Douglass of Belvus spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Myers and children Harry Jr., and Ann of Jolly were here Sunday.

Oliver Orton of Bellevue spent Friday here.

Miss Christine Carter spent Saturday in Wichita Falls.

Miss Willie Bayles has returned from a visit at Denton.

Miss Mildred Scudder has returned from a visit at Denton and Bellevue.

Mrs. Edward Garrett of Fort Worth is the guest of Mrs. F. N. Winslade.

Joseph Phillibert of New Orleans is the guest of his mother, Mrs. F. N. Winslade.

Mrs. R. W. Ridniger and children have returned from a trip to Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Sprinel Cook have returned to their home at Corsicana after a visit here with Mrs. Bula Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson and son, Leroy of Normatn, Okla., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Solomon of Dallas have been guests of Mrs. W. B. Frey.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kuchenbacker of Dallas, have been guests of their mother, Mrs. W. B. Frey.

Mrs. Harold Ferris has returned from a trip to Dallas.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mount and daughter, Miss Maurice Mount are visiting in Weinert.

Miss Peggy McGhan of Electra has been the guest of friends here.

Messrs. W. R. and W. A. Lannon have returned from a visit at Sulphur, Okla.

Supt. and Mrs. L. B. Gill and daughters, Misses Frances, Alice Mae, Ida Pearl and Emmalynn of Decatur have returned to their home after attending the funeral of Mrs. J. D. Pickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Younger and children were in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pickens have returned to their home at Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harper and daughter, Miss Julia Claire and son, Pickens have returned to their home at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dubbs have returned to their home at Anson. They attended the funeral of Mrs. J. D. Pickens here.

Miss Norene Sadler has returned from Dallas where she attended the wholesale millinery style show.

Mrs. R. B. Duggar and children have returned from Fort Worth.

W. A. McNahan has returned from a trip to east Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas.

Miss Anna Bangs of Kingfisher, Okla., is the guest of Miss Lazelle Hohenstein.

Mrs. R. H. Palmer and Miss Ruth Palmer have returned to Dallas after a visit here.

E. J. Paisin of Taylor was here last week.

Mrs. Albert Duffer and children have returned to Ranger after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mangum.

Mrs. W. C. Grubbs and children of Acme are guests of Mrs. E. Enloe and Mrs. E. M. Hilgenfeld.

Mrs. A. F. McMillian has returned from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davies have returned from a visit at Bonham.

Wm. Hershey of Allendale, Iowa, was here Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Pool and son of Waco have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Grump.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Ellis and Wm. Williford of Nocona were here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. West have returned from Breckenridge and Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lewis have returned to their home at Mineral Wells after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook.

Mrs. Bettie Burkett of Dallas is the guest of friends here.

Misses Jewel and Gladys Russell are visiting in Lawton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Carr are visiting in Newport.

Mrs. M. E. Heath of Rockwall is the guest of her son, E. C. Carter.

Misses Tiona and Dorothy McDonald have returned from a visit at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson and children of Frederick, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mangum last week.

Miss Mary Lou Freeland has returned to her home at Memphis, after a visit here with Miss Norinell Gentry.

Mrs. C. B. McDonald is visiting in Colorado.

Mrs. H. B. McPeak of Dallas is the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. D. Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gilvin of Fort Worth spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Garrison and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kimbrough.

Mrs. J. A. Allison is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. James Barr in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Keyley have returned from a visit at Sherman.

Miss Mandell Gentry has returned from a visit at Montague.

Mrs. Lee Thompson of Amarillo is the guest of Mrs. W. D. Cockrum.

Mrs. J. H. Hughes and daughter, Miss Mildred have returned from a visit at New Braunfels.

Miss Molena Williams of Denton was the guest of Miss Lorene Puckett this week.

Mrs. J. S. Myers of Mineral Wells is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Preston Thaxton.

Miss Denice Thaxton has returned from a visit at Byers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williams and small son have gone to California.

Miss Edna Dickerman of Gainesville is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Kosanke.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cheim of Kinsley, Kan., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cheim.

J. P. Norman has returned from the annual convention of secretaries of Odd Fellows lodges at Corsicana.

Joe Mac Allison of Nocona was here last week.

Mrs. A. L. Mallick has returned from a trip to Kansas City.

Mrs. K. A. Hicks has returned from a several weeks' visit in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Sue Faulkner is visiting in Petrolia.

Miss Mary Cook has returned from a visit at Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Walker and daughters, Misses Mildred, Catherine, Helen and Dorothea, have returned to their home at Miami after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham.

Mrs. E. A. Hicks and Miss Ruth Hicks have returned from Glenrose.

J. R. Gates has returned from a several weeks' visit in Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. D. A. Curtsinger of Dallas is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Hicks.

Misses Willie and Kathleen Wiseman spent last week-end in Fort Worth.

Miss Irene Wiseman has returned from a visit at Decatur.

Mrs. Lillie Dare has returned from Ventura, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Butler and daughter, Miss Geneva, have returned from points in West Texas and Oklahoma.

H. H. Laidler of Ventura, Cal., was here last week.

Mrs. W. R. Evans has returned to her home at Electra.

John Millsapps of Sweetwater was the guest of his brother, W. K. Millsapps, last week.

Mrs. Jake Lebus has returned from a visit in Dallas.

Mrs. E. P. Romer is visiting in Dallas.

G. T. Hickey of Electra has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. L. F. Hickey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williams have gone to California to spend two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ikard have gone to Chicago for a two months' visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. R. McIlvane.

Thompson Carter and Jack Fulgham have returned from a vacation trip to the Ozarks.

Mrs. Howard Nichols and daughters, Misses Leola and Janice of San Angelo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ikard.

Mrs. W. H. Cook has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cook at Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hickey of Electra have been guests of Mrs. L. F. Hickey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Staton and Miss Goldie Shackelford have returned from Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kosanke and Mr. and Mrs. John Kosanke have returned from a visit at Tulsa.

Mrs. Claude Vaughn and Miss Mamie Kae Nutter spent Monday in Wichita Falls.

Henry Edwards is at home from Boulder, Colo., for a few weeks vacation.

Mrs. John White and children have returned to Wichita Falls after a visit here with Mrs. W. B. Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wiest have returned from Fort Worth.

Mr. an dMrs. P. H. Boddy and son, Macon, and Miss Kate Patterson have gone to Colorado.

Miss Naomi Kimbrough has returned from a visit in Bellevue.

Lloyd Barker of Wichita Falls spent the week-end here.

Miss Helen Thaxton has returned to her home at Shawnee, Okla., after a several weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Lee L. Wells.

Miss Edith Maricle of Wichita Falls was the guest of Miss Catherine Carrow last week.

## A Pair of Circus Queens

Of the 900 horses that will be seen in Wichita Falls on Saturday, September 24, when the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey circus comes to town, there will be 550 of them that are used throughout the performance.

Of this number 200 of them are used in one single display which takes place on the mammoth Hippodrome track. Among the expert men and lady riders that will take part in this gorgeous display will be two of the latest arrivals on the "big show's" program—The Reiffeneach Sisters, a charming team of daring and graceful equestriennes who have recently been added to the program, having been imported from Europe where they were discovered traveling with a small Spanish circus.

These two young ladies have fast advanced to stellar position with the "big show" and now are featured along with other headliners such as May Wirth, Lillian Leitzel, Con Colleano and other sawdust celebrities.

Not yet out of their teens but with the training and ability of years these beautiful Hungarian misses will thrill and entertain in a novel way and will present for the first time a unique routine of bareback riding and which has brought them to the eyes of the circus world.

## BURK PERSONALS

BURKBURNETT, Aug. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bent spent Saturday night and Sunday among relatives in El Reno, Okla. They were accompanied home by their foster son, Bobbie Trask and her sister, Miss Florine Trask, who will visit in Burkburnett for a short season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mansfield, their guest, Miss Mary Elizabeth Torrns and granddaughter, Thelma Jean Armstrong and Mrs. Annie Carroll, visited in Archer county this week.

Miss Anna Sandler of Fort Worth and Miss Eunice Cooles sister and niece, respectively, of Abe Sandler, are guests this week in his home in this city.

Mrs. O. L. Birchfield returned Saturday to Pampa, Texas, after a few days business visit in Burkburnett.

Mrs. L. Freed and Mrs. Abe Sandler have returned from a brief visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mahan and Mr. and Mrs. W. Kelley of Vernon, spent Friday and Saturday visiting friends in Burkburnett and Wichita Falls. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rankin of Thrift, and all enjoyed a swim in Westmorland pool Friday evening.

Miss Nannie May Snoddy has returned from a recent visit in Frederick, Okla. She has been attending summer school at Wichita Falls during the season and will enter Burkburnett high school this fall as a member of the senior class.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeb Henson left this week for their home near San Marcus where he owns a good farm and an outing tract of land, known as Eagle Cave Camp ground, famous for its fine fishing, hunting, swimming and other summer sports in this section of Texas.

J. F. Brookman, who has been a guest in the home of his son, Fred Brookman of the Star office, has returned to Belton, Texas. Miss Brookman, his daughter, will remain in Burkburnett until the opening of Belton college in September.

The marriage announcement of Miss Clara Belle Rholes to Marcus L. Flores are received among friends in this city this week from Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Rholes of Mineola, Texas, parents of the bride.

The ceremony took place in Mineola, Monday, August 22, 1927, in that city.

The news is of special interest to readers of Burkburnett, as the bride is a sister to Mrs. Clyde Furgason of this city.

The sudden death of F. B. Mashburn in the Joline Hotel at Wichita Falls Sunday night came as a gret shock to his many friends in this city where he lived for 15 years prior to his move to Wichita Falls.

He will be remembered here as a prominent business man before the oil boom, when he operated one of the largest livery stables of the vicinity in the building adjacent to the K. of P. Lodge hall. During the oil boom he was associated with prominent oil promoters; and as a lodgeman, he was past master of the Masonic orders, holding official honors in other relative organizations, also.

His wife and daughters have the sympathy of many local friends in their sad bereavement.

Announcements have been received in this city of the marriage of Miss Mollie Fowler to Carl Holtsen last week in Colorado Springs, Colo., where she has been spending the vacation season. They will make their home in Glenwood Springs, Colo.

The bride has been a member of the Burkburnett school faculty for a number of years and is a young lady of ability, high character and lovable disposition.

Her many friends in this city are extending congratulations and best wishes for her happiness in the new home in Colorado.

Miss Lucile Clendennin, daughter of Mrs. Clendennin and the late M. Clendennin, former editor and owner of the Burkburnett Star, was awarded the first prize for the best concluding chapter of the serial story running recently in the Record News of Wichita Falls and offered by that publication.

Miss Clendennin resides at 204 Ave. D. in this city and her many friends are congratulating her on success in this story writing contest.

This first prize was a check for $15, mailed out Thursday from the News office. Another prize of $10 was awarded Mrs. P. L. Bentley of Wichita Falls, as the next best concluding chapter.

At a call meeting of the University Study club Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. W. R. Hill, the following changes were made in the officials of the organization caused by the resignations of several officers elected at the close of the club year in June.

L. A. Hinkle of Grandfield won the third place, but no prize was offered for this rating.

Mrs. Hill, second vice president, was declared president for 1927 and 1928, to fill vacancy by Mrs. R. C. Tevis' resignation to that office.

Mrs. Russell Chamberlain was elected first vice president to fill the vacancy by Mrs. Rex Smith's resignation from the club membership and Mrs. W. P. Martin was elected by acclamation as second vice president for the new coming year. Other officers for the year are: Mrs. Russell Chamberlain, secretary; Mrs. Ed J. Williams, treasurer, and Mrs. J. M. F. Gill, corresponding secretary.

The first meeting will be held on Wednesday afternoon, September 7 at the home of Mrs. W. P. Martin on West Main street.

Those present at the call session of the new president, Mrs. Hill, were the following members: Mesdames Robert Gilchrist, R. P. Wate, B. F. Shomaker, Ed J. Williams, Russell Chamberlain, Glenn Kincaid, W. P. Martin, Russell E. Cunningham, W. D. Utts, John E. Haynes and J. M. F. Gill.

The "Jolly Workers" club was delightfully entertained Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Patterson.

Following the business session two unique and original contests were enjoyed ending with the following as prize winners: Mesdames J. G. Beard, A. W. Brown, C. N. Ellis and J. A. Moore.

A jolly exchange of gifts were made in which many lovely and useful articles were received by the respective members.

The hospitality of the hour was concluded with a summer treat of ice cream and cake, graciously served by the hostess to the following guests: Mesdames P. W. Cunningham, W. T. Reece, A. W. Brown, Herman Petty, L. H. Brown, J. H. Cecil, W. C. French, J. G. Beard, C. N. Ellis, F. R. Smith and J. A. Moore.

Announcement was made that Mrs. Herman Patty, on East Third street would be hostess to the "Jolly Workers" on the 14th of September.

The Panhandle Ladies club meets with Mrs. J. H. Cecil on East 9th street, September 6th. All the members are urged to be present at 2 o'clock, as the business session will start promptly at 2:30 o'clock.

The last meeting of the Hardin Demonstration club was held at the home of Mrs. E. E. Knauth where the time was given over to the making of sauce for the barbecue menu to be used Thursday at the district rally in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Rex Smith, a friend of the organization directed the making of the special accessory to barbecue feasts.

Those present were Mesdames T. D. Tarkington, J. H. McKown, Thomas Boyd, Ben Knauth, house guest of the hostess; Mrs. Smith and Miss Mary Schmoker.

Miss Lillian Garret was the honoree of a delightful birthday dinner given Sunday by her mother at the family home in Stringtown.

There was a feast of delicious chicken and all the splendid accessories that go with this menu, together with a course of dessert served around a perfectly appointed table specially decorated for the occasion, which celebrated the young girl's fourteenth birthday.

Those enjoying this happy occasion were Misses Viola Blackwell, Susan and Geneva Chambers, Verna Mae Davis, Vivian Gray, Maxine Bunstine, Alma Garret, the honoree and others of her family.

An unusually large crowd of people from the city and surrounding leases were in attendance at the community night concert Monday.

The program was rendered by the Burkburnett band boys and a number of other impromptu entertainers, as the three special numbers listed for the evening were unavoidably absent. The pictures for the open air screen had been destroyed early in afternoon in the fire that consumed the booth of the Liberty theater, and the two out of town speakers and musicians scheduled for the hour, could not be present, it learned at too late an hour to secure substitutes.

The boys, however, did their part, and with the help of several little children who danced, the director Mr. Cowles filled the entertaining hours, that was appreciated by all.

A full and varied program is being planned for Monday night, on Labor Day when it is hoped that a good gathering of citizens from far and near in the community will be present.

The Thrift Methodist church Missionary Society met Wednesday at the rome of Mrs. Charles Schock with an all day session of study, work and sociability.

The morning was given over to quilting. An elegant dinner was served at the noon hour to the following ladies: Mesdames Brooks, T. A. Bankhead, Gladwell, Hays, Dodd, McKenzie, Swim, Voorheis, Stirling, Hauser and Schoch.

The afternoon session was devoted to the study of the book: "Life As Stewardship" given by Mrs. Swim and Mrs. Sterling. This was given by the ladies in an interesting and splendid way and enjoyed by all present.

The hostess then entered the room dressed as a wash woman; she stretched a clothes line across the room, disappeared and came again with a large ladened basket, from which she took many dainty and beautiful articles and garments and pinned them on the line. Every guest was astounded at the peculiar and assorted wash and they were informed that this special line was a good luck wash for Mrs. Sam Cope one of their number.

The lady mentioned "took in the clothes" expressing appreciation and love for each of her devoted friends.

In keeping with the "wash day" idea, the hostess, Mrs. Schoch, served an afternoon lunch of navy beans, ham hock and cake.

Those enjoying the quilting, the stewardship study and the "Shower," including the morning guests mentioned were the following:

Mesdames Gletcher, Paschall, H. Buzbee, B. Busbee, Blankenship, Matthews, Bogy, Nichols, Monis, Clowers, Cope and Culiver, the latter a visiting sister in the Cope home. Others not in attendance, but represented by gifts were Mrs. Frank Hill, Sam Anthony and John Grant.

The pleasant gathering of friends departed with good wishes for the honoree and every expression of appreciation to Mrs. Schoch for a delightful and helpful day.

## GRANDFIELD SOCIETY

GRANDFIELD, Aug. 27. — Tuesday evening, September 6, the Odd Fellows lodge of this city is to have a big home coming program, and will offer three prizes as follows:

One prize to the oldest Odd Fellow present.

One prize to the Odd Fellow who has been absent from the lodge the longest.

One prize to the ugliest Odd Fellow present.

A program committee has been appointed and is now arranging one of the most interesting programs ever held by the local lodge.

The officers are planning for one of the largest crowds of the year.

The Laff-A-Lote Bridge club was entertained Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Gourley, on West Fifth street. Favors in the game were won by Mrs. Henry Douglas and Mrs. Leo Winchell.

Members of the club present were (Miss Fay Temple Fox, Mrs. Raymond Eversole, Mrs. Allen Holt, Mrs. Frank Parrish, and Mrs. Henry Douglas. Additional guests were Mrs. Leon Winchell, Mrs. E. T. Quinlan, Mrs. Jack Medlock, Mrs. Reid Anderson, Mrs. Leslie Standley, Mrs. Dan Chapman and Mrs. Dave Robinson of Electra, Texas.

Dainty refreshments were served to those present.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Lee Griffith on Wednesday, August 31.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wiley and children and Mrs. B. M. Pike of Frederick and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patterson and family of this city departed Thursday morning for Camp Boulder to spend the week end. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Reagan and Miss Nell Chism are already there and the former party will join them.

Herman Potts of Frederick was a visitor in Grandfield Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Frank Parrish and Mrs. Reid Anderson were shoppers in Wichita Falls, Texas, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lax have returned home from a few days' visit with relatives in Graham, Texas.

Rev. F. M. Bates of the Nazarene church of this city will resign from that church October 5, it was announced here.

Rev. and Mrs. Bates will move to Bethany September 13, where he will attend school, but will not be able to give up the work here until the first week in October.

Rev. Bates has been pastor of the local Nazarene church here for the past two years, and under his direction the church has grown until it is one of the strongest religious organizations in the city.

Two hundred or more preachers and delegates from various churches of the Primitive Baptist organization from southwest Oklahoma and north Texas are expected here this week when the association convenes Thursday morning at the Primitive Baptist church. The meeting will continue from Thursday until Sunday.

Three services will be held each day, the morning service, at ten, the afternoon service at two, and in the evening the hour will be 8 o'clock.

Some of the most prominent preachers in the two states will be here and the local committee anticipates a big gathering and a great meeting.

Tom Stanley arrived in the city Tuesday for a few days' visit with his parents, bringing with him a bride of a few hours, having been married to Miss Inez Boyd of Madill at Waurika shortly after noon and following the ceremony the couple drove to Grandfield.

For the past two years Tom has been employed by the Sewell Paint company at Dallas, Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. U. W. Standley of this city, and has a host of friends here.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd of Madill. She is very popular in the younger set of Madill and Marshall county.

The couple will remain here until Sunday when they leave for Dallas, Texas, to make their home.

W. H. Brasher transacted business in Burkburnett, Texas, Wednesday morning.

Mrs. J. W. Miller and children motored to Wichita Falls, Texas, Wednesday. J. Richardson, Mrs. Miller's father, accompanied them to Wichita Falls where he will depart for his home in Bolivar, Texas, after spending the past two weeks with his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Miller.

Mrs. Stringer of Randlett was a shopper in Grandfield Thursday morning.

Because of the great number of automobiles stolen in South Wales, an attempt is being made to organize a flying squad to round up the thieves.

## WAURIKA PERSONALS

WAURIKA, Aug. 27. — Mrs. Romie Davis and children who have spent the last week with Mrs. Gail Durham and Mary, Wade, left for their home at Healdton Sunday. Mr. Davis drove over after them.

Rev. A. E. Price and family are visiting at Borger, Texas, where Rev. Price expects to hold a meeting for two weeks.

Mrs. R. H. Hollinger and son, Billie, of Wichita Falls arrived Monday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Turnage and Hazel.

Mrs. J. A. Balnor and son, Bobbie, of El Reno came down Monday to look after property interests here and to mingle with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stuart and son, Don Robert, drove to Byers Sunday to visit Mrs. Stuart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grogan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Laidon, P. P. Dawson and son, William, wrove to Sulphur and Turner's Falls Sunday.

County Judge Robert Dunn and Ivan Tarper returned Sunday night from Mineral Wells, where they have been taking the baths for the past week.

Fred Pittman, chief agent at Chickasha, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Murphy and children spent Sunday in Ryan guests at the L. R. Gopnick home.

Mrs. M. Musgrove and little daughter of Lawton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibbens Sunday. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Gibbens Monday morning.

Earl Shields of Ryan attended church at Waurika Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wilkinson who formerly operated a skating rink here, were in town Monday. They have moved their rink to Ryan and are open for business.

Waurika baseball team went to Chattanooga Sunday. They played a double header and were defeated in both games.

Miss Gail Durham and daughter, Mary Wade, left Tuesday for Healdton to spend the remainder of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Romie Davis.

R. C. Clark, Dr. J. T. L. Snead, Holmes Taber and W. Fuller drove to Wichita Falls Sunday to attend the ball game.

Mrs. J. E. Moore of Chattanooga and Mrs. Ed T. Jenson and son of San Antonio spent a few days with Mrs. A. D. Cummins.


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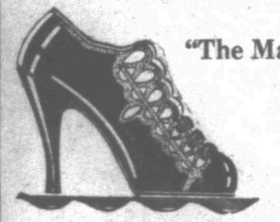

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# Society Briefs and Personals From Cities In Wichita Falls Trade Territory

## ALTUS SOCIETY

ALTUS, Aug. 27.—Members of the Young Women's society of Altus were hostesses at a district meeting of the Young Women's societies Wednesday, at the First Methodist church.

The girls were happy to have had as guests on this occasion two conference officers, Mrs. H. A. Cherry of Chickasha, vice president of the West Oklahoma conference of the Women's Missionary society, and Mrs. George Dismukes of Chickasha, superintendent of the Young People's work; and also Mrs. E. B. Dunlap of Lawton, secretary of the Lawton district.

Miss Christine Fuqua, president of the Altus auxiliary, had charge of the meeting and the devotional was led by Miss Lorene Ford of Altus.

Mrs. Dismukes stated the purpose of the meeting and in the election of officers which followed Miss Christine Fuqua was elected president of the district, and Miss Francelle Bellenger was elected district secretary.

Mrs. Dismukes has sent subjects to the various auxiliaries and splendid talks on "The Real Meaning of Social Service, and How the Young People Can Assist in This Department of Our Work," "Mission and Bible Study," and "A Study of the Standards of Excellence" were given. Miss Mary Virginia Dunlap of Lawton gave an excellent talk on "Finances."

Mrs. Dismukes presented an interesting feature in the form of a questionnaire, when all topics discussed were of interest and information to the young people present.

Mrs. E. B. Dunlap gave an inspirational talk on "Reflow of the Young People's Society to the Adult Auxiliary."

Miss Lorane Salter of Frederick had charge of the afternoon devotional, and gave a beautiful lesson on the thought, "Remember Now Thy Creator in the Days of Thy Youth."

Social musical numbers which interspersed the program were: organ solo, Miss Francelle Bellenger of Altus; song, "Look for the Beautiful," Miss Daisy Salter of Frederick, and several numbers by the Altus quartet, composed of Miss Lorene Ford, Miss Mary Lou Reid, Miss Francelle Bellenger and Miss Mildred Austin.

The slogan of this organization is "Our Master's Service First," the aim, "Each One Win One," and the prayer, "A Deeper Consecration and More Volunteers."

On account of a misunderstanding, we are sorry to report about forty delegates from Hollis, Midway, Headrick and Tipton, came on Tuesday and were unable to attend on Wednesday.

Those in attendance were Mrs. C. B. Hale, Mrs. M. L. Miller, Mrs. G. A. Reed, Miss Ruby Mayer, Miss Annie Brown of Eldorado, and Miss Brown's guests, Miss Olive Neal of Trinadad, Col.; Mrs. Howard Timberlake, Mrs. J. D. Salter, Miss Mary Pauline Cole, Miss Helen Cook, Miss Lorane Salter, Miss Beaulah Potts, Miss Helen Litchfield, Miss Ophelia Litchfield, Miss Alice Fay McLelland and Miss Daisy Salter of Frederick; Mrs. H. A. Cherry and Mrs. George Dismukes of Chickasha; Mrs. E. B. Dunlap, Miss Mary Virginia Dunlap, Miss Charlotte May Babcock, Miss Betty Rye and Sidney H. Babcock of Lawton; and Mrs. Tom Bray of Frederick; Mrs. Gage, Miss Ruth Gage and Miss Grace Taylor of Blair; Mrs. C. H. Austin of LeMesa, Texas; Mrs. R. C. Campbell, Mrs. L. H. McConnell, Mrs. C. W. Hogsett, Mrs. J. B. Hix, Mrs. J. Cavenor, Mrs. H. B. Bellenger, Mrs. B. H. Wooldridge, Miss Christine Fuqua, Miss Mary Ellen Doughty, Miss Glenna Polley, Miss Gneva Palmer, Miss Eva Ruth Williams, Miss Mamie Dewberry, Miss Jean Garnett, Miss Ruth Highsmith, Miss Ila Serratt, Miss Opal Dewberry, Miss Francelle Bellenger, Miss Mary Lou Reid, Miss Lorene Ford, Miss Jewel Porter, Miss Juanita Anderson, Miss Marguerite Clanton, Miss Mildred Austin and Miss Gladys Lorene Brooks of Altus.

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Mrs. Howard Timberlake, Miss Mary Pauline Cole, Miss Helen Cook, Miss Lorane Salter, Mrs. J. D. Salter, Miss Alice Fay McLelland, Miss Daisy Salter, Miss Beaulah Potts, Miss Helen Litchfield and Miss Ophelia Litchfield, of Frederick, were among those who attended the district meeting of the Young Women's Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, which convened at the First Methodist church here Wednesday.

Doyle Powell of Cleveland, Oklahoma, Texas is greeting old friends in Altus this week.

Houston Howard returned recently from Phoenix, Ariz., where he has been for several months.

Mrs. Mary E. Fink of Glasden, Ala., arrived recently for a visit with her son, A. F. Fink and Mrs. Fink of 609 North Main street.

William M. Tinsley of Olustee, who recently suffered a broken hip, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Inglish and children of Stamford, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meier of 210 North Benson street. Mr. Inglish is editor and manager of the Stamford Leader.

Shuman Charles Davidson and Miss Nellie Essie Mae Houchin of Olustee were married Saturday, August 20, at the Jackson county court house, with Judge J. Orr officiating. They were accompanied by Mrs. Cora Houchins, J. J. George and grandson, George Edward McCord, of 903 North Main street, are visiting in San Antonio, Corpus Christi and other south Texas cities.

Benjamin Franklin Webb and Miss Audie Lemaster of Headrick were married Tuesday, August 22, at the court house, when Judge J. P. Orr read the wedding vows.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fisher of Leonard, Texas, were in the city this week. Mrs. Fisher will be remembered by friends in Altus as Mrs. Ann Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCord, of Oklahoma City, who are guests of Mr. McCord's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCord, of 420 East Cypress street, were guests a few days this week of Mrs. McCord's brother, Cecil Ford and family in Hollis. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bill Ford of Cache were also guests of the Cecil Fords, enroute to Los Angeles, Cal., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Howard Timberlake of Frederick, president of the Young Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church of that city, attended the district meeting of Young People's work, here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Cornell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eldridge and R. E. Blanton, Jr., have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blanton in Fort Worth, Texas.

Mrs. C. B. Hale, Mrs. M. L. Miller, Mrs. G. A. Reed, Miss Ruby Mayer and Miss Annie Brown of Eldorado, and Miss Brown's guest, Miss Olive Neal of Trinidad, Colo., were Altus visitors Wednesday.

Miss Dorothy Stroud of 516 West Commerce street, is the guest this week of Miss Mary Frank Dixon in Olustee.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bray of Frederick were Altus visitors Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. H. McConnell and son, Henry Lee McConnell, of 413 North Main street, left Thursday for a few days' visit in Sulphur, Okla.

Mrs. Gage and daughter, Miss Ruth Gage, of Blair were in the city Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. A. Cherry and Mrs. George Dismukes of Chickasha attended the Methodist Young People's rally in Altus Wednesday.

Miss Grace Taylor of Blair was an Altus visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. E. B. Dunlap, Miss Mary Virginia Dunlap, Miss Betty Rye, Miss Charlotte Fay Babcock and Sidney H. Babcock, Jr., of Lawton were in Altus Wednesday to attend the Young People's meeting at the First Methodist church.

## ALTUS PERSONALS

ALTUS, Aug. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bailey returned Saturday from a visit in Hot Springs and other Arkansas cities. They were away two weeks.

Miss Juanita and Miss Wynona Gregg have returned to their home in Burkburnett after a three week's visit with relatives and friends in Altus.

H. L. Lance of this city spent Friday in Hollis on business.

Hugh Fry, manager of the Bell Telephone company, was in Hollis Friday, on company business.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Daniel have returned from Sulphur where they spent their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burkett Jr., of Amarillo, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Burkett and Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

Edward Garnett of Oklahoma City is the guest of his uncle, Elmer Garnett and family this week.

Richard Peterson of Tucumcari, N. Mex., who is the guest of his brother, Tom Peterson, east of the city, and of his sister, Mrs. Ben Moreau of Olustee, this week, filled the pulpit at the First Baptist church Sunday. Mr. Peterson is pastor of the Baptist church of Tucumcari.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Henshaw who have been guests of Mrs. Henshaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Folley of 202 East Elm street, for several weeks, left Sunday for their home in Borger.

Fred Watts of the Oklahoma Baptist university in Shawnee, who is visiting relatives in Martha, spent Sunday in Altus.

A. F. Folley of 202 East Elm street, who suffered a stroke of paralysis recently, is some improved.

Rev. H. H. Burton and sons, Thornton, Harold, LeRoy and Paul, spent last week in Dallas.

Jack Folley and Green Cannon of this city spent last week in New Mexico and the Panhandle of Texas.

Melton Rogers and Jack Foss, who have been guests of Melton's aunt, Mrs. J. A. Liles and sister, Miss Minnie B. Rogers of 214 East Elm street for several days, left Saturday for their home in Logan, N. Mex.

Mrs. A. E. Bilbrey and family of Norman, are visiting relatives in Altus this week.

Mrs. A. B. Goodner and daughter, Mrs. Viola Carmichael of Norman, are guests of friends and relatives in Altus.

Mrs. Fred Erdwurm and daughter, Miss Norma Erdwurm of Chickasha, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Livermore of 213 East Walnut street, this week-end returned to their home Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Livermore, Miss Winifred Livermore and William Livermore, who will visit there for a week.

Miss Nell Guthrie of Norman, who has been visiting Miss Opal Eley for several days has returned to her home in Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Wooldridge and daughter, Imogene Wooldridge returned the latter part of the week from a few days visit in Amarillo, Texas.

H. K. McGinty, B. E. Steele, M. L. Little, Cecil Darwin, C. W. Hogsett and Dale Hogsett spent Sunday in Wichita Falls, Texas, and attended the Waco-Wichita Falls ball game.

Evan Stanton and Paul Culwell spent Sunday in Wichita Falls, Texas.

Jess Raines and L. A. Goodwin spent Sunday in Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mrs. George Dismukes of Chickasha, West Oklahoma conference superintendent of the young peoples' work of the Methodist Womens' Missionary society, will be in Altus Wednesday, when a meeting of the Young Ladies' Missionary societies of the district will be held at the First Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carey of New York, are guests of Mrs. Carey's mother, Mrs. W. N. Green and daughter, Miss Orma DeAlvis, of 400 East Like Oak street.

Mr. Sam Haggard and daughter, Miss Nora Haggard of Verden, Ill., are guests of Mr. Haggard's sister, Mrs. D. A. Richardson and family of 802 North Hudson street.

A. M. Cherry of 809 North Main street, is at home from a three weeks' business trip to St. Louis.

Luke Bottoms of Norman was the guest Monday night of his niece, Mrs. Clyde Chambers and Mr. Chambers of 609 East Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Bretherton and daughters of 716 East Walnut street were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kerr in Chickasha.

Mrs. LeRoy Johnson of Duncan spent Saturday night as guest of her sister, Mrs. Clyde Chambers and Mr. Chambers of 609 East Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shelton and daughters, Mary and Martha, of 305 North Spurgeon street, spent Monday in Frederick, where they were guest of Mrs. Shelton's cousin, Dr. Roberts and family.

Mr. Goff of Altus was a week-end visitor in Wichita Falls, Texas.

Twenty ladies were present Monday afternoon, when the Ladies Bible class of the Church of Christ met in regular session at the church, with W. Claude Hall, minister, as leader of the lesson.

Mr. and Mrs. Smalling of Humphreys were in Altus this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Turner and son, Billy, of Plainview, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Turner of Altus.

R. C. Clifton and daughter, Jell, were in Altus Monday.

Miss Ona Mixon spent several days this week with Miss Althea and Pansy Lowry in Hess.

## NOCONA SOCIETY

NOCONA, Aug. 27.—Mrs. H. J. Justin and daughter, Miss Murel, of Denton, who have been on quite an interesting vacation trip to the White mountains and Carlsbad caverns, New Mexico, are visiting Mrs. J. L. Stelzer.

Quite a number of social affairs have been given for Miss Justin, who is very popular here with the younger set and a number of parties are being planned in her honor.

On Monday evening Miss Lelian Crain entertained honoring Miss Murel Justin of Denton. A lovely supper was served picnic style on the lawn.

Those who enjoyed this delightful affair were: Misses Mary Nell McCall, Virginia Hood, Polly Wilkes, Frances Bowdry, the honoree, Miss Justin, and the hostess, Miss Crain.

Miss Virginia Hood entertained with two tables of bridge Tuesday afternoon complimenting Miss Murel Justin of Denton.

After the games a lovely refreshment ice cream course was served to Misses Murel Justin of Denton, Mary Nell McCall, Frances Bowdry, Lelia Crain, Polly Wilkes and the hostess, Miss Hood.

Mrs. Jess Thompson was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Two tables were arranged for the players. Miss Carmen Crain won high score and received the prize, a dainty hand painted bridge table bridge cover, while the cut prize, a lovely framed motto by Wordsworth went to Mrs. J. A. Montgomery.

A delicious salad course was served to Mesdames Scott Coffman, J. L. Stelzer, H. A. Heath, E. P. Daniel, J. Grover Kilgore, J. A. Montgomery, Misses Carmen and Lelia Crain and the hostess, Mrs. Thompson.

On Friday, August 19, Mrs. J. O. Cobb entertained Mr. Cobb on his birthday. It was all a delightful surprise to the guest of honor.

A very enjoyable evening was spent on the lawn with friends and relatives.

Delicous watermelon and birthday cake was served to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cobb of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Groves and small daughter, Augusta Jean, of Crowell, Mrs. Edna Dowd and children, Otto, Dexter, W. D. and Miss Cleo Dowd of Illinois Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cobb and daughter, Nadyne, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. McHoh, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Fleming and daughter, Miss Ruth Fleming and Miss Orean Cobb.

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Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Wilton and daughter, Miss Ruby Chestnut, Mrs. J. G. Palmer and daughter, Miss Orby of Nocona, and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hodges of White Deer returned home Thursday from a month's vacation trip to Colorado. They visited Denver, Colorado Springs and Pikes Peak. The latter place was visited during a snow storm. They visited many places of interest and reported a wonderful trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Leonard and children returned home Monday from a 10 day's vacation trip to various points in Texas, New Mexico and Colorado.

Among the most interesting places they visited were, Canyon, Texas, Clayton, N. M., Trinidad, Colorado Springs. They visited the cave of Winds and the Garden of Gods. En route home they visited Dalhart and Childress and fished for bass in Lake Pauline which resulted in a good catch.

They report a most delightful and wonderful trip. At Colorado Springs they met Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Williams, who are enjoying a vacation.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. W. McGrew returned home Thursday from a visit to various points in New Mexico and West Texas. At Grady, they visited Mr. and Mrs. McCrew's parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walls. Other places they visited were Clovis, N. M., Lelia Lake, Canyon, and Amarillo. They report a very pleasant and interesting trip.

On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Shackleford, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Shackleford went to the Fowler ranch where Mr. and Mrs. George Shackleford reside and spent a delightful day picnicking.

Miss Hazel Wales of Fort Worth visited friends in Nocona Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Neely and Miss Cyrena Wilkes have returned from a delightful vacation trip to Colorado Springs, Colo., and Pikes Peak.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Vaughn of Denton are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Vaughn.

Miss Mary Nell McCall went to Dallas Sunday. On Saturday Miss McCall will receive a degree from the College of Industrial Arts, Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Kirby and son, Arley, were Terrell, Okla., visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Nell Addison and children, Virginia and James, will leave Monday for Kansas City where the children will attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stump are visiting their old home at Mountain View, Okla.

Mr. Jacob Norvell of Sour Lake is the new man in the People's National bank.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Anderson and family were Gainesville visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sanders of Burkburnett visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Quinn last week-end.

Messrs. H. A. Foster and Jim Foster of Saratoga were Nocona business visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. J. R. Modrall and daughter, Helen, have as their guests Mrs. Modralls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Young, and daughters, Misses Jessie and Dixie Young, of Mangum, Okla. and Mrs. J. L. Guthrie and children, John L. and Miss Nell of Norman, Okla. On Wednesday morning Mrs. Guthrie and children accompanied by her mother, Mrs. oung left for Norman, Okla.

Mr. John Wilson returned to his home at Eaton, Ohio, Monday, after visiting his aunt, Mrs. Mattie Salmon, and other relatives.

Mrs. Lena Long spent the week-end in Ringgold with her daughter, Mrs. Otho Jackson.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Peterson and son, Don Jr., spent Tuesday in Dallas.

Mrs. Lucy Meek of Forestburg is the guest of her brother, Mr. J. A. Foshee, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Dodson and family of Decatur were guests of Mrs. Annie Jordan Sunday.

Mrs. Noel Hunter and Miss Juvine Hunter were Bowie visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Crites had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Davis of Duncan, Okla., Mrs. Euna Hamm and daughters, Misses Gladys and Melba Hamm of Shawnee, Okla.

Miss Addie Bell Crites spent last week in Wichita Falls as the guest of Mrs. Henry Milliken.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker and small daughter, Evelyn, of Laskin, Texas, were guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Crain last week.

Mrs. Sam King of Gainesville was the guest of Mrs. C. E. Quillen last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John King of Nocona, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keene of Wichita Falls, attended the funeral of Mr. King's brother, Mr. Ben King at Bonham, Texas, Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Mitchell and son, James Clark, motored to Denton Friday and were accompanied home by Miss Doris Clark, who has been taking the summer course at the Teachers college.

Mrs. Cora Antrum returned home Monday from Amarillo where she has been visiting her son, Mr. Jim Antrum.

Messrs. R. R. Alexander and Jim Alexander met Mrs. R. R. Alexander in Fort Worth Sunday. She was returning from Temple, having been there two weeks on account of the serious illness of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Dallas came Sunday accompanied by Neal Alexander, who had been spending the week there Miss Edna Mitchell who had been visiting here accompanied her parents home. They were the guests of Captain and Mrs. George A. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Welker and son, Jack, of Fort Worth, returned to their home Sunday after visiting Mrs. M. A. Welker. On Friday they all visited Mrs. Welker's farm at Antelope.

Mrs. Robert Fortune and son, Glen, of Dallas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Goodspeed.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Leonnard and son, Dick Jr., and Mr. Ralph Humble spent Sunday in Burkburnett.

Mrs. C. A. Thomason, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thomason and small daughter, Peggy Lou, of Fort Worth, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bryant, Ray Beay and Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Beal.

Al Watson returned to his home in Wheeler after visiting Miss Hazel Beal for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stump and children Joy, Helen and Gaty were Gainesville visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Nivens and children, Opal, Orval, Mitchel and Horell of Bonita were guests of Mrs. J. O. Cobb Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Telbert of Amarillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Reynolds last week.

Mrs. W. O. Reynolds and son, Wilton, have returned home from Auburey where they visited Mrs. E. H. Tatum. They also visited in Denton and Pilot Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Elliott of Shawnee, Okla., are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bonds and sons, Bobby and R. L., of Wichita Falls, visited J. M. Bonds last week.

Mrs. V. L. Nicholes of Spearman, Texas, is visiting her father, J. R. Leonard and Mr. and Mrs. Holliday Bonds.

Mrs. J. T. Foster went to Abilene to attend the funeral of a cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Tripp and son, Baird, returned to their home in Fort Worth Wednesday after a few days visit with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weiss.

Mrs. R. L. Myrick had as her guests on Wednesday Mrs. L. H. Franks, Mrs. Lester Flatt, Mrs. Charles Hines and Miss Franks of Wichita Falls. They came to hear Miss Cecelia Lancaster speak at the Baptist church Wednesday.

Miss Cecelia Lancaster of Waco, who is a foreign missionary from Japan who has been the house guest of Mrs. R. L. Myrick accompanied by Mrs. Myrick went to Wichita Falls Wednesday evening and will be the guests of Mrs. L. H. Franks Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hanson returned to their home at Amhurst, Texas, Wednesday after visiting her father, G. P. Pribble who is seriously ill.

Mrs. L. P. Goode and children of Earlsboro, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Goode's mother, Mrs. Will March.

Mrs. Charley Berry and Miss Marjorie Berry of Hollis, Okla., came Wednesday and are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Shackelford returned Saturday from a 10 days' trip to West Texas and Colorado.

Mrs. C. C. Williard of Shawnee, Okla., left on the 20th of the month with a party of friends for a trip to Europe. Mrs. Willard is the daughter of Mrs. P. J. Benton of Nocona.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henry and daughter, Carlos Jean, have returned home from a month's visit with relatives in Belcherville.

Miss Vera Thomason is taking her vacation and visiting her parents in Coleman, Texas.

Mrs. E. P. Hughes and small daughter, Ruth, of Ralls, Texas, came Thursday and are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Goodspeed.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hicks of Oklahoma, visited Mr. and Mrs. Julius Floyd last week.

Mrs. J. R. Modrall and daughter, Helen, and their guests, W. D. Young, Misses Jessie and Dixie Young of Mangum, Okla., visited the Johnson chicken ranch at Bowie on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson and son, Woodrow, of Fort Worth, were week-end guests of Mrs. Sam Howard in Spanish Fort.

Mrs. Harry Saolmon and daughters, Gwyendolyn and Mattie Leonria, returned home Monday from Mineral Wells. Mrs. Frank Banack and son have returned to their home in Dallas after visiting Mr. Nanack who is employed here.

Mrs. W. E. Barcus and Miss Mary Barcus and Samuel Hill went to Olustee, Okla., on account of the illness of Mrs. Barcus' mother, Mrs. Simmons.

Mrs. Ora Lemon left Thursday for Wichita Falls and Electra where she will visit over the week end.

Mrs. Joe Benton spent the week end at Sulphur, Okla., with her sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Johnson of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lesh and sons have returned from a delightful vacation trip to Colorado, Yellowstone park and Salt Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cole and small daughter, Mary Jane, of Electra, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Flynt. They were accompanied home by little Miss Kathryn and Bee Lemon.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin C. Potts and small daughter, Betty Nell, from the oil field, visited Nocona over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hammet Hammet returned to their home in Atlanta, Ga., Thursday after visiting relatives in Molsbee community.

Misses Dorothy Duckworth and Era Kanady of Denison were guests of Miss Minona Easly last week. Miss Duckworth took her tonsils Wednesday. Her parents came and accompanied her home. She was operated on Sunday for appendicitis and is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Beasley were Bowie visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vowell and family returned home Tuesday from Chickasha, Okla., where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Willie Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Odom of Alexandria, La., were guests of the following Nocona relatives Mr. and Mrs. J. Haralson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skillman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Walter Hill on Sunday and Monday. They went from here to White Deer to visit relatives.

Mrs. H. C. Masterson returned to her home in Ringgold Sunday accompanied by Mrs. B. D. Kemp who will be her guest for the week.

Mrs. Clifford B. Keene and daughter, Evelyn went to Burkburnett Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Billings and son, Billy Joe, returned home Saturday from a two weeks vacation trip to the following places in Oklahoma: Okmulgee, Sulphur, Ada, Muskogee and Hugo. They were visiting Mr. Billings relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Anderson and family were Gainesville visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. McNew, Miss Mary Mlark and Preston Temple spent Sunday in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gill and daughter, Jewell, have returned home from a vacation trip to Colorado.

Mrs. Jewell Childers and son, Roy, returned to her home in Wichita Falls Tuesday after visiting her sister, Mrs. H. G. Halcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Russell and family of Chickasha, Okla., visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lasster had as their guests Tuesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reed of Jayton, Texas, Miss Ona Reed, Louise and Jeassy Brown of Nocona.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Reed of Davidson, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lasster Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luter Simpson and children of Wewoka, Okla., were guests of Mrs. S. Hill Monday and Mrs. Add Martin and children of Chickasha, Okla., were her guests from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Benton of Waurika, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Anderson of Loveland, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Anderson Thursday. They also visited relatives at Blue Grove before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Anderson and daughter, Miss Mattie, and son, Orville, and Miss Myrtle Anderson visited Mr. and Mrs. John at Blue Ridge Sunday.

Mrs. Harmen Clay has as her guests ser sons, Scott Clay, Oli Clay and daughter, and Bunk Clay and son Murry of Clovis, N. M.

Mrs. Tom Walker and Miss Letha Walker were Montague visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Nelson were Gainesville visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Wesley Hill and sons, Wayne Reece and Paul of Dallas, are visiting Mrs. J. W. Hill and Mrs. Mamie Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cheshier of near Dallas were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson last week.

R. B. Price of near Bonita visited Nocona relatives and friends Wednesday and Thursday.

Hal Milam spent the week-end in Wichita Falls.

## SEYMOUR SOCIETY

SEMOUR, Aug. 27.—Mrs. A. D. Kerr was honored on Thursday evening in happy celebration of her seventieth birthday by her daughter, Mrs. O. McDaniel, with a delightful birthday supper in the park.

Mrs. Kerr is one of the pioneers of Baylor county, having come to Seymour in November 1884 from her home in the Dunbuton, Scotland. The railroad came to Seymour then and she was met in Wichita Falls by her brothers. It was here in this new home of America that she met Mr. A. D. Kerr, a young surveyor of the road, and whom she married in February 1886. The party was a happy family affair as the honoree is never happier than when having her family grouped around her. As only four Mr. Alex Kerr of Dallas, was up for the event as well as a daughter, Mrs. Stanley Patterson of Dallas, and her family. The guests of the occasion were the honoree, Mrs. A. D. Kerr, Mr. A. D. Kerr, Mr. Alex Kerr, Mr. Stanley Patterson, Mrs. Stanley Patterson, their three daughters, Martha Bello, Mary Betsey and Ruth Kerr; O. Mcaniel, Mrs. O. McDaniel, and sons, Glen and Frank McDaniel; Mrs. Jeannie Martin, only sister of the honoree, Mr. Dave Ferrier, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kerrier, brothers of the honoree; Mr. Kerr Martin, a nephew; Mrs. Kerr Martin, Douglas and Jeanette Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith of Altus, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kerr, Mr. E. A. Rogers, Mrs. C. C. Cargill, Mrs. W. E. England, W. W. Mcaniel, Neal McDaniel and William McDaniel.

### Party for Visiting Girls

Miss Margaret Davie of Denton, guest of Mrs. W. F. Kirkland, and Miss Margie Frizzell of Knox City, house guest of Miss Love Farmer, were the honorees at a delightful party given in their honor by Miss Ruth Farmer on Friday evening. Five tables were arranged for the merry game of "42" which happily took up the evening.

A delicious refreshment course of marshmallow pudding topped with whipped cream and cherries with angel food cake was served at the conclusion of the games.

The guests to enjoy the evening were Misses Davie and Frizzell as honor guests, Misses Pauline Knox, Christine Caldwell, Aline Humphreys, Love Farmer, Ruth Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Dutton, J. Bailes, Roscoe Caldwell, Berney Neathrey, Messrs. Henry Gray Briggs, Dr. Kloberg, Gus Cook, Tat Heard of Knox City, Lee Morris, J. D. Mening of Avery, George Morris, Mrs. W. F. Kirkland and Mrs. S. G. Farmer.

Mrs. George Cook entertained with tables of bridge at her home on Tuesday afternoon to announce the engagement of her daughter, Lois, and Mr. Raymond E. Skrabanek of Houston. The wedding will take place on the morning of September 7 at 7 o'clock at the home of Miss Cook's parents.

The guests were received by Mrs. Cook and presented to her sister, Mrs. B. Garrison of Waco, who is her guest until after the happy event. The reception suite of the lovely Cook home was gay and colorful with pretty zenias and fern in lovely arrangements.

The announcement came as a complete surprise to the many friends of the honoree at the conclusion of the games of bridge, when Glen McDaniel as a grocery boy, heavily loaded, came merrily and boisterously into the room and deposited his groceries on the table. In doing so he "spilled the beans" so he at once gave out the secret of the approaching wedding.

With tiny wedding bells on the plates as favors, a refreshment course of frozen fruit salad in individual moulds was served after the happy expressions of surprise and greetings to the bride-elect were voiced.

The guests were Mrs. B. Garrison of Waco, and Miss Edna Wood of Olney, a former chum of the honoree, Mesdames Roscoe Smith, D. B. Daugherty, J. Donnell Dickson, I. O. Newton, H. K. Jackson, Margaret McCracken, Berney Neathery, Ann Carraway, Carl Anderson of Wellington, Seth Cockrell.

George Andruss, E. L. Humphrey, J. E. Culver, H. B. Colwell, F. E. Culver, Lester Cook, Misses Paulina Knox, Christine Caldwell, Aline Humphreys, and Ruth Farmer.

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## Texas Rice Growers On Guard

TEXAS rice growers are on guard. They make this warning to al concerned through C. R. Wharton, attorney for the growers for the lower Colorado river. He speaks for those engaged in the production of rice along the lower Colorado in the counties of Colorado and Wharin and Matagorda. In the warning notice is given that all would be water users on the upper Colorado river and its tributaries must realize that the right of these rice growers of the three counties named are fixed and cannot be ignored or interfered with.

The argument is made that the growers have levied no taxes for they were financed by private enterprises. Furthermore the rice growers have no war "with these new discoverers of the new idea of irrigation in so far as they can carry on without diminishing the normal flow of the Colorado river."

Speaking thrugh their attorney they give this advice to the west Texans who are responsible for the Abilene mass meeting: "If they can build storage dams and impound flood waters to meet their needs and allow the old river to flow on unvexed to the sea all well and good. If they cannot and insist on diverting this normal flow then they had better prepare."

Prepare for what? Well the gentleman who is the legal advisor of the rice growers is responsible for the statement that the aforesaid growers "at the proper time if interfered with will haul any and all trespasses before the district court of Matagorda county for a redress of any injuries we may sustain."

It appears that in 1895 the legislature of Texas passed a statute permiting the appropriation of water for irrigation somewhat after the plan long in force in the western states from whence has come our present irrigation laws. Attorney Wharton reminds the west Texans that the people along the lower Colorado river were first to take advantage of this law and various canal companies were organized between 1889 and 1905, who made the filings required by statute and financed and built expensive canal systems in these counties.

In 1902 there were more than 40,000 acres irrigated in this lower Colorado river rice belt. At this time large irrigation systems are operating under what they call their vested rights. And the claim is made that more than one million dollars of capital has been invested in canal systems and pumping plants in these three counties and the rice industry "which they have developed and kept alive during these years has become one of the staple enterprises of the coast country."

This is the conclusion of the argument of the rice growers of three counties, speaking through their legal advisor, "a normal flow of the Colorado river is not large and it requires all available waters which passes Columbus to meet the needs of these companies in dry years. For several years the board of water engineers has realized that there is no unappropriated water in the normal flow of the Colorado river."

This makes it interesting all around. Conservation of flood waters for domestic purposes is getting to be a burning issue in Texas. Control of the normal flow of the Colorado is another burning issue. There is a campaign coming next year and the politicians are taking up the so-called issues.

## Speaking of Fat Dividends

ACCORDING to a Wall street financial journal United States steel, with Elbert H. Gary as its guiding head, placed in the pockets of stockholders $1,390,000,000 in dividends in 26 years.

In making his will Gary had an eye to the future. He handed his wife and two daughters a fortune of $8,000,000 and advised them to keep away from the ticker and never invest their money in stocks that were not stable and ever making safe dividends.

Now the Duponts and two great New York banking houses are the heads of the house of steel left behind by the son of an Illinois farmer who won fame and fortune after he had passed his 52nd year. There is money in steel.

ROUGH JUSTICE.

The first thing we know the courts will have robbed the sovereign citizen of his right to pay $6.00 for a 66 cent theater ticket.

## Hoover On Business Outlook

HERBERT HOOVER is a business man. He is an executive of the highest order. He is secretary of the department of commerce in the cabinet of President Coolidge. He is said to be better posted on foreign conditions and foreign markets than any man in America. As for affairs at home he keeps at the head of the procession as an observer and a close calculator.

A summary of business conditions in the United States as presented to the secretary by commerce department study has convinced him that the outlook for American prosperity during the next five or six months is very fair. He confined himself to the coming five or six months. Unlike many students of economics or captains of industry he did not venture to predict or even guess what business conditions would be next year or in the years to come.

American wheat growers have been given a warning that foreign competition is going to be keen in the markets of the world next year. There are 38 wheat producing countries. All foreign wheat producing countries are yearly increasing the acreage planted to the grain from which flour is made. Canada is getting to be an enormous producer of wheat and this year the Canadians will have a surplus above its own consumption greater than ever before.

If the wheat growers of the northwest this and next year are disappointed in wheat prices and foreign demands for their commodity there may be another political outbreak in the northwest and the middlewest.

When the price of wheat is low the American farmer insurges. When it is high he damns the democracy and its offerings and votes the republican ticket straight.

## The Day Book of a New Yorker

By BURTON RASCOE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Despite the fact that a good many people have probably made the same observation before, the fact remains that Grand Central station is unique, magnificent, what you will. It is a city in itself. A careless list of the shops contained exclusively in the railroad building include a first-rate fruit merchant, carrying in stock the choicest delicacies in all seasons, two clothing and haberdashery stores for men, ranking well up in this class, a jeweler, four restaurants, at least four soda fountains, three counters for light lunch (including the stand which serves only milk, cruellers and sandwiches), an electric supply store, a better class hardware store, four cigar stores, a woman's dress shop, a delicatessen, two first-rate candy shops, a good book store, a postoffice, a shop for leather goods and traveling accessories, an interesting exhibit of old-time railroad equipment, a music store, flocks of what are called news stands, but which sell a variety of articles from best sellers to children's toys, and a number of other establishments which have slipped my mind.

These shops, for a great part, do not depend on transient trade. They have equally as much steady patronage as like establishments in ordinary districts. Witness the fact that the clothing stores sell men's equipment on the installment plan, that the woman's dress shop makes things to order, that the music store does a good deal of business in sheet music—an article which I do not believe a traveler would have much use for. It also sells an occasional victrola. The electric shop handles repair work.

Someone is going to make a great deal of money in the station with a butcher shop and also a grocery store. Not only would these places attract a great deal of trade from the neighboring apartments, but should also be a great convenience to the lady commuter. How many times have women fumed in the station, waiting for a train, as they worried about preparing the evening meal promptly? What a help is would be to utilize this waste time in securing the necessary foodstuffs. As one woman suggested, there could even be an automat butcher shop, in which rows of steaks, chops, roasts and what not would repose coyly in lighted glass chambers. Drop a quarter in the slot and out comes a chop! This idea is freely offered and in a kindly spirit to any with the foresight to use it.

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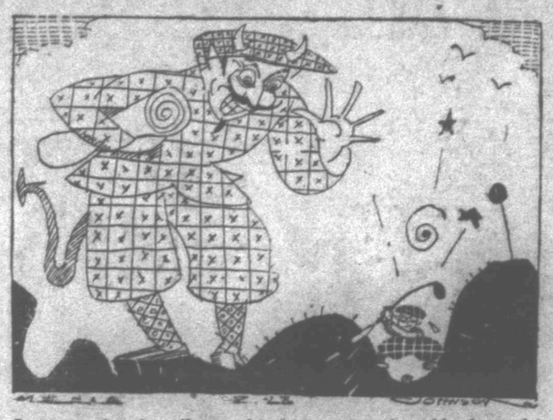
When I first came to New York I headed for the Woolworth building. And I am quite sure that while peering over the tower at the crowds below, I observed that from so great a height these scurrying humans looked a great deal like ants. Everyone who has been on the tower has described the sensation with the same comparison. Yesterday, after an interval of many years, I visited the place again. I found a lone couple on the narrow platform.

The young sweet thing was hanging over the rail.

"Don't they look just like a lot of ants?" she said.

As a matter of fact, they DO look like ants.

# Masters of Their Craft—*By Montague*



I am sure that the evil one, when he was at work on his plan to lure erring human beings from the patch of rectitude must have consulted a golf architect.

The only golf architect I ever met was a mild mannered man who never would be suspected of planning the ruin of thousands of men for two or three score years ahead. In vain did I gaze into his kindly eyes for an indication of the guile that I knew must lie behind them. But now and then as we strolled over a new course, when a ball from a distant tee dropped near us and rolled directly on the green he took out a pad and made a note. I knew why. He was planning to render the recurrence of that sort of thing impossible the next time alterations in the course were altered.

This golf architect visits the Grand Canyon and the Alps, and the Canadian Rockies and the Everglades regularly every year. He goes there to get ideas. On his return from a journey his notebook is filled with sketches and suggestions. None of these he adopts while he is laying out a new course. It is necessary by making such a course comparatively easy to lull the members into a false sense of their golfing ability. It is only when the pro or the club champ or somebody starts a campaign to make Numbre Three a little more difficult and Number Seven utterly impossible that this gentleman avails himself of his carefully accumulated knowledge of the processes of erosion which have scarred the face of the earth.

When he is employed to make the changes he retires to his office, moulds a relief map of the course in clay, and proceeds to roll a tiny pellet from point to point across it. If the pellet by any chance is not diverted from a straight line before it has roled a quarter of an inch, arrangements are made to deflect it. Sometimes a tiny pit is depressed in its path; sometimes a mound is reared. But neither pit nor mound alone are sufficient. Something must be done to turn the ball to left or right, and provide it with some fresh obstacle to its progress.

I can easily imagine a meeting of golf architects and a comparison of experiences among them. One will have discovered that a 150-yard drive, which is about the average of the ordinary club member, can be canted off into the rough by an elevation on the fairway so slight as not to be noticeable to the unaided eye. Another will announce that by raising the green just an eighteenth of an inch between the approach side and the pin, the truest putt will be forced to rim the cup instead of dropping in. Another will have learned the trick of arranging a vista of trees on either side of the fairway so that a brook which is 150 yards distant appears to be only half that far away from the tee. That of course will persuade the player to hit the ball with only two-thirds of his strength with the result that it will be borne away by the current of the stream.

They must learn everything that they know from one another. No man, however Machiavellian, and however traveled and experienced could possibly know what a golf architect needs to know simply as the result of his own study and thought. My theory that collusion exists among the members of the craft is borne out by the fact that the most skilful score increasers belong to the largest number of organizations of golf architects.

I am not going to try here to account for the quality of human nature which is responsible for the acts of this class of persons. I merely state what I know about them, or rather about their work, and allow the reader to draw his own conclusions. But I am sure that the Evil One, when he was at work on his plan to lure erring human beings from the path of rectitude must have consulted a golf architect, if there were any at hand when the planning was done. And if there were worlds before this one, subject to the same laws I have no doubt that Satan had a large number of golf architects within call.

It has frequently occurred to me when I was mounting 30 stories in an office building, or rising in the darkness of my bedroom to shut a window against a thunderstorm, that we, as a race should be thankful that regular architects are not mentally furnished as are golf architects. Imagine an elevator full of passengers which started straight and fast from the first floor, and was suddenly deflected 45 degrees when it reached the sixteenth floor. Such an arrangement would be decidedly bad for the nerves of the occupants. Imagine going from your office into the hallway of a giant building and plunging suddenly into an unguarded swimming pool which had been let into the floor at some unexpected spot. You wouldn't like it.

If my house had been laid out by a golf architect the threshholds would be just high enough to trip me up when I tried to go through a door. The dining room perspective would be so arranged that when the maid thought she was setting a platter of fricassied chicken on the table she would really let go of it six inches before she reached the table with results that would be distressing, especially if there was company. And the coal man, trying to get his wares into the bin would shoot them into a contrivance which would flick them up through the back areaway into the kitchen hall.

To get up at night and try to go anywhere in a house designed by a golf architect would not be safe at all. There would be slight elevations under the rugs which would cause your feet to stumble. The lights themselves would be cunningly placed so as to be just out of your reach unless you stood on tiptoe. And all around the edges of each room would be thorny growths, which once you stepped in them, would stubbornly oppose your most earnest efforts to get out again.

Golf is a noble game, and affords not only relaxation from the cares of business, but complete concentration of mind, which is good for the tired business man who finds it hard to forget his cares and responsibilities. But this latter feature of the game can be and is overdone by those who are paid to provide for it. One would probably forget all about his overdue bills or the progress of a dangerous business rival in taking away his trade if he were afloat in the Niagara river a quarter of a mile above the Horseshoe Falls, or engaged in trying to beat a man-eating tiger to the nearest settlement. But that kind of detachmen isn't good for anyone. And neither are the pitfalls and gins which golf architects delight to set in the way of the poor dub who for 20 years has been hoping that before he dies he may have a good day and break 110.

## To Place Canadian Antelope in Texas

KERRVILLE, Aug. 27. (AP)—Twenty-fleet-footed antelope are now being caught on the wild ranges of a Calgary, Alberta, Canada, ranch to be shipped to the Schreiner estate near this city early in October, it is announced.

The animals, thousands of which once roamed over the vast expanses of West Texas prairies, will be given an opportunity to "come back" in the hill country here. They are to be liberated on L. A. Schreiner's 3000-acre ranch and game preserve near Kerrville. There the will range in a rugged haunt already inhabited by other wild game life, including four buffalo, purchased last fall from the Colbert ranch at Stamford, a flock of pheasants and numerous deer and wild turkeys.

Preserving wild animal life is a hobby with Schreiner, Kerrville banker and capitalist. His estate is protected so that no shooting is allowed and every encouragement is given to propagation of wild game life, both native and introduced.

## West Texas Growth Shown in Telephones

ABILENE, Aug. 27. (AP)—Telephonic expansions are telling figures of West Texas progress. Of a year's activity and record expenditure in increasing the area served by telephones over the state, nearly one-half was made in West Texas during the past year, particularly in those regions where oil play has developed.

Though a large amount of money has been expended in the west on improvements and extensions, it is expected that good returns may be obtained during the coming months as business prospects seem very favorable.

Most noticeable telephone development has been made in the Folsom and Big Spring. The dial lowing towns: Stamford, Amarillo, system is to be installed in Amarillo.

# The Fable of the Baseball Man Who Took the Only Known Cure

More than once he had let drive with a Pop Bottle at the Umpire.

One upon a time a Base Ball Fan lay on his Death-Bed.

He had been a Rooter from the days of Underhand Pitching.

It was simply Pie for him to tell in what year Anse began to play with the Rockfords and what Kelly's batting Average was the Year he was sold for Ten Thousand.

If you asked him who played Center for Boston in 1836 he could tell you quick—right off the Reel. And he was a walking Directory of all the Glass arms in the Universe.

More than once he had let drive with a Pop Bottle at the Umpire and then yelled, "Robber" until his Pipes gave out.

**His Last Request.**

For many summers he would come Home, one Evening after another with his Collar melted, and tell his Wife that the Giants made the Cubs look like a lot of Colonial Dames playing Bean Bag in a Weedy Lot back of an Orphan Asylum, and they ought to put a Trained Nurse on Third, and the Dummy at Right needed an automobile, and the New Man couldn't jump out of a boat and hit the Water, and the Short-Stop wouldn't be able to pick up a Ball if it was handed to him on a Platter with Water Cress around it, and the Easy One to Third that ought to have been Sponge Cake was fielded like a One-Legged Man with St. Vitus Dance trying to do the Shimmy.

Of course she never solved his Chatter but she put up with it. Year after Year mixing Throat Gargle for him and reading the Games to him when he was having his Eyes tested and had to wear a Green Shade.

At last he came to his Ninth Inning and there were Two Strikes called and no Balls, and his Friends knew it was All Day with him. They stood around and tried to forget that he was a Fan. His Wife wept softly and consoled herself with the Thought that possibly he would have amounted to Something if there had been no National Game. She forgave Everything and pleaded for one Final Message. His Lips moved. She leaned over and Listened. He wanted to know if there was Anything in the Morning Papers about the condition of Babe Ruth's Knee.

Moral: There is a Specific Bacillus for every Classified Disease.

**Yelled, "Robber" Until His Pipes Gave Out.**

At a Bazaar, the purpose of which was to Hold up the publis for the Benefit of a Worthy Cause, there were many Schemes to Induce Visitors to let go of their Assets. One of the most likely Grafts perpetrated by the astute Management was a Voting Contest to Determine who was the Most Beautiful and Popular Young Lady in the City. It cost Ten Cents to cast one Vote. The Winner of the Contest was to receive a beautiful Vase, with Roses on it.

A prominent Young lawyer, who was Eloquent, Good Looking, and a Leader in Society, had been selected to make the Presentation speech after the Votes had been counted.

In a little while the Contest had narrowed down until it was Evident that either the Garage Owner's Daughter or the Contractor's Daughter was the Most Beautiful and Popular Young Lady in the City. The Garage Owner and his Friends pushed Ten Dollar Bills into the Ballot Box, while the Contractor, just before the Pools closed slipped in a check for One Hundred Dollars.

When the Votes were counted, the Management of the Bazaar was pleased to learn that the Sixty-Cent Vase had Netted over Seven Hundred Dollars. It was announced that the Contractor's Daughter was exactly Nine Dollars and Twenty Cents more Beautiful and Popular than the Garage Owner's Daughter.

Thereupon the Committee requested that the Eloquent Young Lawyer step to the Rostrum and make the Presentation Speech. There was no Response; the Young Lawyer has Disappeared.

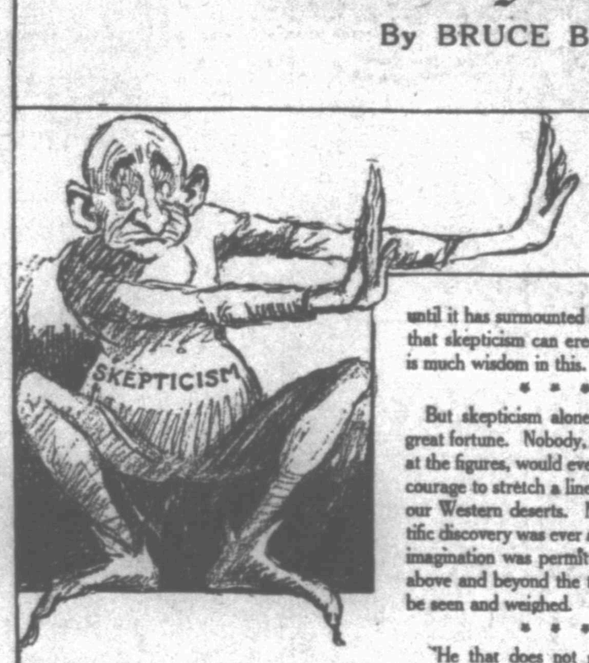
One of the Members of the Committee started ona search for him, and found him in a dusky Corner of the Japanese Tea Garden, under the Paper lanterns, making a Proposal of Marriage to a Poor Girl who had not received one Vote.

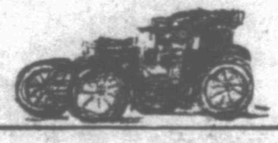
Moral: Never believe a Relative.

# Believing Too Little

By BRUCE BARTON

Illustrated by RAEBURN VAN BUREN



HENRY FORD told me that when he was building his first factory his father was greatly worried.

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Every few days the old gentleman shook his head and said:

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"You are too late, Henry. Before you can begin to produce automobiles, everybody in the United States who can afford a car will have one."

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This sounds much funnier today than it sounded twenty years ago, when it was freely predicted that the automobile would be a short-lived fad like the bicycle.

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Many of our "most conservative business men" shared that view. You probably have never heard the names of these "most conservative business men," though they lived carefully and left comfortable estates. But you have heard of Fortl, the dreamer, who was foolish enough to believe that the American people have an almost unlimited capacity for buying automobiles.

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We live in what is called a materialistic age; everything is submitted to scientific tests; nothing can go forward until it has surmounted all the barriers that skepticism can erect. And there is much wisdom in this.

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But skepticism alone never built a great fortune. Nobody, looking merely at the figures, would ever have had the courage to stretch a line of rails across our Western deserts. No great scientific discovery was ever achieved unless imagination was permitted to soar far above and beyond the things that can be seen and weighed.

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"He that does not go beyond the facts," said Huxley, "will seldom get as far as the facts."

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J. P. Morgan, when he died, left several million dollars in worthless stocks. These represented his adventures in faith, the penalties charged against him for believing too much.

But he left many more millions in sound securities—the reward of a faith which was right far more often than it was wrong.

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The great practical joker of the last generation was P. T. Barnum. He played upon the credulity of more people than any other man of modern times. Therefore, when he talks about how much it is safe to believe, he is an authority whose word is worth consideration. He said:

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"If the fact could be definitely determined, I think it would be discovered that in this 'wide-awake' country there are more persons humbugged by believing too little than by believing too much."

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Of course, the ideal middle ground is to believe just enough; but few of us can attain that state of perfection. Therefore, since we must err on one side or the other, I prefer to be one of those who is fooled occasionally by believing too much. It is much pleasanter.

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And, as is proved by Henry Ford, Mr. Morgan and many others, it is generally much more profitable.

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# Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

Author of "The Fast Way to Health"

Questions in regard to health and diet will be answered by Dr. McCoy, who can be addressed in care of this paper.

**IS SURGERY NECESSARY?**

Great advancement has been made in the art and science of surgery during the past quarter of a century. A correct early diagnosis, followed by the proper surgical measures, has no doubt contributed much to the prolongation of life. The treatment of disease by medicine has not been nearly as successful, and the newer study of dietetics and physiotherapy is rapidly taking the place of the antiquated systems of drug medication.

The surgeon of today is a highly skilled technician who spends years of study both in the classroom and through practical experience while assisting in the operating room. A surgeon cannot be considered competent to handle all classes of cases unless he has spent, at least, five or six years after his school work is completed in assisting some experienced surgeon whose methods he can learn only by the practical experience of watching hundreds of different kinds of operations. In spite of its good points, such training may produce a surgeon who can only see disease from a surgical viewpoint, and consequently, the skilful surgeon is often somewhat onesided in his opinion as to whether or not a surgical operation is necessary. Anyone who contemplates the use of surgical feasures will do well to get the opinions of several physicians of different schools before deciding upon such a serious thing as a major operation. If the operation seems necessary, then, of course, the services of the best available surgeon should be secured.

Gallstones have been dissolved and eliminated by dietetic measures alone, but in some cases a gallbladder is completed filled with these alkaline concretions, or the gall-bladder is so thoroughly diseased that the entire organ should be removed.

Kidney stones may often be dissolved and eliminated through the fasting and diet treatment but again, in some cases, the stones are too large, or the kidney so diseased that only surgical interference will save the patient's life.

Ulcers of the stomach or small intestines can usually be cured through a well regulated diet treatment, but when a penetrating ulcer develops, a surgical operation is usually necessary.

The experienced surgeon should always be called in case of a serious accident where the tissues are torn or bones broken. The average practitioner does not have enough experience with such cases to handle them with the latest modern methods of treatment.

Many kinds of tumors can be dissolved and eleminated through the proper kind of treatment, but frequently it seems the best policy to remove at least the larger growths, and then the patient may learn to live so as not to produce any more.

A good thing for the layman to remember is that the cause of the disease cannot be cut out with the knife, and if a surgical operation seems necessary to remove the effects of wrong living, the patient must afterwards be all the more careful to live so as not to produce a recurrence of the trouble, or some other disorder which may prove to be more serious.

**QUESTION:** A. W. D. asks: "What would you suggest to drink instead of coffee? I am very nervous, and I think coffee is to blame."

**ANSWER:** Substitute some "Teakettle Tea." This is made by adding a small amount of cream to a cup of hot water. It makes a pleasing, warm drink, and will not make you nervous.

**QUESTION:** Miss Twenty-one writes: "When I walk a distance of two blocks I have a severe pain in the right corner of my left lung. When I walk a long distance or get very tired I have a burning pain in the back between the shoulder blades. Both pains seem to shorten the breath at the time."

**ANSWER:** Your description of your case sounds as if you had some form of functional heart trouble, but it is useless for me to guess at the probable cause, as your physician should be able to tell you, and advise you how much walking you can take with benefit.

# HEROES OF THE SERVICE

By COLONEL THEODORE ROOSEVELT

*Illustrated By* CAPTAIN JOHN W. THOMASON, JR.

A SERIES OF 9 STIRRING STORIES, EACH ONE GRAPHICALLY DESCRIBING UNUSUAL ACTS OF GALLANTRY BY SOME UNITED STATES SOLDIER, SAILOR, OR MARINE

## FOREWORD

"For Valor" is the simple inscription of the most prized of all American decorations, the Medal of Honor. Generally, the deed which won it is recorded in a condensed, bald statement reading like a definition in a dictionary. Generally it is all that remains by which it is possible to visualize some action forming a part of the tradition which is the United States.

Histories concern themselves with laws, constitutions and wars. The individuals of whom they speak are the great statesmen or generals. When they describe battles they pay little attention to the junior officers or enlisted men.

I believe that a nation is mirrored in war by the rank and file of its soldiers, not by any individual strategist; just as I believe that it is mirrored in peace by its ordinary every day citizens rather than some brilliant statesman. For this reason I have written the stories that follow.

I have written them now because I wished to have them as historically accurate in every detail as is possible. In order to accomplish this, it was necessary to get the material before the records were lost or destroyed, and the memories of witnesses blurred by time.

The deeds selected are not necessarily the most heroic in our army, where many were gallant. They are, however, the peers of any acts performed by our troops. The men with whom the stories deal typify not only sacrifice and devotion, but also through their birth and ancestors, some of the varied strains that go to make up the colorful skein from which is woven our national character.

It would be wrong to pay tribute to the men whose deeds are recorded by story and citation and to neglect to recognize the great number who failed of notice for one reason or another. In every engagement that is fought there are many who handle themselves with the highest heroism, but who pass unmarked. Sometimes there are no witnesses to the act; sometimes all who saw it are killed. Every man who was privileged to fight in France recalls countless instances of this.

A typical example occurred in Belleau Woods. The 2nd Division had been struggling to drive the Germans from this position. Burial details were sent out after the battle. Two of the men who were engaged in this work, Sergeant Sweeny and Private Price, found the following mute story of herorism.

There had been a German machine-gun placed between two rocks on the crest of a rugged hill. A couple of squads of marines under the command of Sergeant Edwin Kishler, while advancing across the valley, had come under its fire. Two or three dead soldiers were crumpled in the underbrush at this point.

The Sergeant had evidently ordered a charge. The bodies of a half-dozen Americans were sprawled on the slope that led to the emplacement. Half way up the hill the detachment had been halted by the fire. More dead soldiers marked this line. Apparently here all were killed but Kishler and a Private McDonough. A few yards further on was McDonough, dead, with empty cartridge clips and an automatic rifle by him. Finally, five yards from the enemy emplacement, pitched on his face, lay Sergeant Kishler, a rifle with a fixed bayonet clutched in his hand and a dozen bullet wounds in his chest.

The days of small professional armies are past. Now entire nations go to a war, and therefore the army is the replica of the country itself. Our army in France was more representative of the United States than is the national congress. The strength and the weakness of the nation were shown in it. In its ranks were cowards as well as brave men. Anyone who ever saw active service knows that in every company some man flinched or tried to run away. It is as idle to say that no Americans were cowards as it is to say that there are no thieves or criminals in our large cities. What we can say, is that the record of the American soldiers as a whole, is one of which we may well be proud.

### FIRST ARTICLE

"A regular, See, my ornament
Bears the old brand—U. S.—
I'm neat. Long Army training
Makes you careful in your dress."
—Phillips.

IN our country, indeed in all countries, there are groups of citizens who have little if any contact with their fellow-countrymen. They live lives of their own, whose triumphs and sorrows are not only unknown but ununderstandable to the rest. Such, for example, are scientists, among whom a life's friendship may be broken by a dispute over the furthest point south that a species of wood-mouse is found.

One of the most isolated of these groups is the regular soldier, the enlisted man who has made the Army his profession. He is little known and less considered by the hundred odd million of our people. Through a long Army life, he has so separated himself from the community where he was born that it has forgotten him.

When war breaks and the nation rises to arms, every community pours its quota into the service. The regiments and divisions of the National Army and National Guard are organized by localities. Community pride burns high. The actions of the young men from the home-town are watched with eager interest. The state celebrates every victory of the troops raised within its borders. Even politics play a part, for the officials know that praise and welcome for local men are easily translated into votes.

The regulars come from nowhere. Though they are not men without a country, they are certainly men without a community. Naturally, when heroism is celebrated, when the bands play and the crowds cheer, when orators pour forth their best efforts for the benefit of the people and the glory of themselves, the regulars pass largely unnoticed. On the whole the regulars do not mind. They are philosophers. The Army is their vocation, not their avocation. Arms are their trade, and they do not expect the plaudits of the crowd.

They are a hard-bitten outfit, as men always are who associate entirely with men—it would be both foolish and untrue to say otherwise—but they have their splendid traditions and traits. When pay-day comes, to many of them it spells "spree," but when the battle breaks their loyalty to the flag is paramount.

KIPLING wrote of the old British sergeants, "The backbone of the Army is the non-commissioned man." What holds true in England holds true with our regular troops. Any officer of the United States Army can furnish instance after instance of efficiency and unswerving devotion on the part of old N. C. O.'s who have served under them.

One of the old sergeants of my battalion in the 26th regular infantry, was a drunkard. When sober he was an unusually efficient soldier; when he started drinking he would be useless for days. He had served terms in nearly every guardhouse we established in France. At last I hit on a plan. I made him acting sergeant-major of the battalion, and gave him my identification card and some of my personal papers to carry, telling him if he got drunk with them in his possession he would disgrace me. It worked like a charm. For eight months he never touched a drop.

During the early days of the 2nd division's tour in France they were holding a sector near Verdun. I and L companies of the 9th infantry were in the line. The Germans decided to raid. They put down a box-barrage around these two companies, and cut all communication with the rear. Then they sent against the Americans a battalion of veteran strum-truppen.

It was pitch-dark. All the soldiers in support could see was the flare of the bursting shells. They knew an attack was going on, for beneath the roar of the high explosives they could hear the rattle of machine-guns and rifles. The telephone wires had been cut by the shells, and they could get no news.

Finally a breathless runner lifted the blanket door of the dugout that served as battalion headquarters and staggered in. Fortune had favored him, and he had got through the barrage unhurt. He told the major what was happening. There was nothing to be done, troops could not be sent forward through the barrage which was tearing to pieces the terrain in front of the support companies.

Meanwhile the rumor sped back from unit to unit. A rumor in the army is like gossip in civil life. It does not lose in telling. By the time an excited private repeated it at the rolling kitchen of I company, it was "I and L companies wiped out by the Germans!" The mess-sergeant of I company was an N. C. O. with many years' service to his credit. He was fat, as mess-sergeants usually are, and was nearly fifty years old.

When he heard the report he jumped to his feet and seized a rifle and a trench-knife. Calling, "Hell! I company ain't wiped out as long as I kin use these," he started on the fat waddle to the front. Through the barrage he worked his way, joined his company and fought all night.

SOME of these old-timers were given commissions during the war and did splendid work in the line. Many others refused to be made officers. There was a sergeant in my battalion who was a very sober man and an excellent soldier. I sent him to school, recommending that he be commissioned. In a week he came back, expelled for drunkenness. Six months passed during which he walked the straight and narrow path and gave gallant service. Again I sent him to school. Again he came back, expelled for drunkenness. This was so foreign to his character that I questioned him closely. The cat popped out of the bag. He did not want to be an officer, and had taken this means to prevent it.

Among these old regulars were men who could not behave themselves out of the line, but were towers of strength in battle. There were two in particular, in the 26th infantry, who went absent without leave and committed every type of disorder when in rest billets. As a result, of course, they would be broken to the rank of private and confined in the guardhouse. As soon as we went to the front it would be a different story. Generally about the second day, if I passed their platoon, I would find them acting sergeants again. Under danger they automatically came to the fore.

The regular, contrary to the generally accepted idea, is not belligerent. He knows far too well what battle means to wish for it. He knows that, come what may in an engagement, many will go in and few come out. He has no desire to slay or be slain unless it is part of his duty. Indeed, there is nothing of the furious ferocity of the non-combatant in his make-up.

The affection and respect of all of the best of the regular army officers for their long-service non-commissioned officers is a fine tribute. The dependance of the enlisted men on them is an even finer one. Time and again I have seen young soldiers under fire turn to their N. C. O.'s with an ushakable faith in what they say and do.

Our roll of honor in the last war is sprinkled with names of old-time soldiers who, though they never mentioned patriotism, gave their lives for this country.

IN 1879 Anthony John Eliasz and his wife came to this country. They were Polish immigrants from Dantzig, that queer old Hanseatic city that fronts on the shallow Baltic "where the seas are sharp and short." Neither spoke a word of English. Huddled on the dock with their few wordly possessions done up in untidy, lop-sided bundles, they gazed on the tall buildings and bustling humanity with wide puzzled eyes.

Soon, through some Polish friends, they learned of work in an inland city, and joined the tide of immigrants that flowed west in jolting day coaches. Such groups form a definite picture in the kaleidoscopic panorama of the building of America.

The Eliaszs arrived at St. Louis and took lodgings in a cheap, ramshackle tenement. Anthony got work as a laborer, and changed his name to Ellis in order to make it pronounceable by the average American.

Soon they moved to a small two-room cottage. They had a number of children. In 1892 a boy was born whom they named Michael, but the strain was too much for Michael's mother. Shortly after his birth she was forced to go to a hospital, where she died.

The father by himself could not take care of the family of children so Michael was adopted by a Polish priest named Stanowski. He was educated at the St. Lawrence O'Toole Parochial school. He wanted to continue his studies, but had to leave his lessons at an early age. When there are many mouths to feed and only small factory wages to depend on, but little time can be spared for the "frills" of education.

Just across the river from the great city of St. Louis there is a town known as East St. Louis. It is not in Missouri, but in the state of Illinois. There Michael, when he was twelve, took a job with a publishing company.

East St. Louis is a city of poor people, who work in the big packing industries and factories. Beyond the business district rows of dreary little frame houses line the streets. They are dilapidated, dismal and soiled with the smoke of countless chimneys.

MICHAEL B. ELLIS
As Sketched by Joseph Cummings Chase

MANY of the people are foreign born. Every country of Europe has representatives among them. Perhaps twenty languages are spoken within the city limits. Often these immigrants have had little or no education. They have come to this country because they vaguely understood that here men and women were given a fair chance.

Michael Ellis worked for eight years in various positions with the publishing company. By the time he was twenty he had grown to be an active hardy man, by no means large, for he was under five feet, five inches, but stockily built. His hair was yellow and his eyes the light-blue of the typical Pole. He wearied of the monotony of the endless round of office work. He had been attracted by enlistment circulars to the army—they seemed to hold forth to him all he missed and desired.

Early in February, 1912, a young fellow came to Fort Jefferson Barracks to enlist. With him was his father. The physical examination was passed. The papers were signed. On them, witnessing the signature, is an X followed by A. J. Ellis, "his mark." The boy was Michael Ellis, and he was starting his career in the regular army.

For nearly three years Michael served with the 7th infantry. He was discharged early in 1917, only to re-enlist six months later and join Company C of the 28th infantry.

When we declared war in the spring of 1917, our regular army was woefully inadequate. It was scattered from the Philippines to the Panama Canal. The Allies were hard-pressed. France in particular had been bled white and her morale was suffering badly. Naturally, when we entered the struggle, England and France wanted us to send troops at once. Even if we were not ready to send enough for an effective fighting force, they wished us at least to ship a division or so. This would enable them to say that Americans were on the western front, would give the Germans food for thought, and bolster the spirits of the desperately tired English and French soldiery.

There was a hectic search for men who might be spared. The 16th, 18th, 26th, and 28th infantry, with the 5th, 6th, and 7th field artillery and complementary units, were selected. Hastily, by transfer and enlistment, they were recruited to war strength, and in June they embarked for France. With them, as a member of the 28th infantry, went Michael Ellis.

IN France they were formed into the 1st American division. They had in their ranks more old time regulars than any of the other divisions, with the exception of the 2nd. Soon they were as engrossed in the war as a nervous man is in a nightmare. It seemed to the rank and file that there never had been, and never would be, any other existence but service on the western front.

Through the winter they manned slimy trenches, where the snow and sleet glazed the dugouts and duckboards. Tin cans and refuse of all kinds garnished the parapet. Gray dropsical rats ambled around the shelters. Men were soaked from one day's end to the other. At times a bursting German shell would throw to the surface fragments of a long-buried soldier where the earth could "no more cover her slain."

In March the division moved into the Montdidier sector. This part of the line had just stabilized after the German drive on the Somme and was very active. There was shelling and raiding continually.

Here Michael Ellis' regiment, the 28th infantry, bore the brunt of the attack on Cantigny and added honor to their colors.

By July, the division was smashing forward over the poppy-starred, blood-stained wheatfields south of Soissons. In company with the 2nd American division and two French divisions, they drove a wedge seven kilometers deep in the German lines and caused them to begin the retreat from Chauteau Thierry salient.

Duty in a quiet sector and the St. Mihiel drive followed in quick succession. Of the men who landed in France a year and a half before, only a corporal's guard was left. Their graves were sprinkled over a hundred and fifty miles of the battle front, but those who still survived carried the torch of the tradition and pride of the division.

THE Germans were reeling under the hammer-like blows of Foch delivered unceasingly along the entire line. To the American first army was assigned the mission of attacking in the Argonne. When the battle started, the old 1st division was placed in army reserve to be thrown in wherever the need might be. For three days they moved forward in the wake of our victorious troops.

Cold autumn rains were falling. The troops bivouacked in the mud. Terrific marches were made. One night the soldiers slogged through the wet for twelve continuous hours. The roads had all but ceased to exist. The retreating Germans had blown great craters in them with mines, and had destroyed every bridge. At times the men were forced to march in single file, which meant that their rate of progress was cut to one-fourth of normal. Hard as it was for the men it was even worse for the artillery and motor transport.

At times the buzz of an airplane sounded from the pitch-black of the sky. Then a hush fell on the seething traffic, as men held their breaths and wondered whether it were friend or foe. Sometimes it droned off into the distance. Sometime a flash and an explosion told the silent ranks that it was a hostile machine "laying eggs."

Meanwhile Ellis and his comrades of the First Division were plugging forward, generally hungry and always desperately tired.

Gradually the battle that was raging took a new turn. In the initial stages the dash of the new American Divisions had carried them forward with resistless force. Then their communications broke down, as always happens with green troops. The German's resistance also stiffened as we struck their main line of defense.

FINALLY there came a check. Some of our Divisions, worn with fatigue and losses, reeled back before the vicious counter-attack of the Boches. The advance was halted.

Orders reached Ellis' outfit where it lay in the mud at Neuxvilly. There is a military phrase which runs, "At this moment the General threw fresh troops into the action." This is a false phrase. As far as I have seen, no fresh troops are ever thrown into a major engagement. They are always worn by long marches, scant food and scanter rest.

The veteran First Division filed up and took the place of the 35th on the night of September 30-October 1st. The roads were in such condition that the machine-gunners were unable to use their mule-carts, and for sixteen kilometers toiled through ankle-deep mud, carrying their guns over their shoulders.

The line occupied extended from the little village of L'Esperance to a point just south of Toronsol farm. There on the scrub-covered slopes the men dug in and waited. For three days they crouched in shell-holes while the Boche artillery hammered them unceasingly. They were rocked with high explosives and drenched with gas. Food came up only at night, and even then many of the kitchen force lost their lives while carrying it forward. The casualties averaged five hundred men a day.

In front of the line lay a group of wooded hills, ideal for defense, on which rested the German main line.

The second day heavy combat patrols were sent forward to gain contact and develop the German positions. They were successful, but in most cases at a cost of more than half of their personnel. The patrol of the 26th infantry took with it a field-telephone. The officer in charge, Lieutenant Thomas Emory of Boston, reported back at intervals to his commanding officer.

The first few messages were to the effect that everything was all right and that he had found no Germans. Then he called to say that machine-gun fire had developed on his front. Almost immediately he said that firing had spread to his flanks, and developed in the rear. He was surrounded. A few minutes later the message came that Lieutenant Emory was shot through the head. Then the wire went out. The remnants of these patrols were often picked up only when the division forced its way forward some days later.

On October 3 all ranks were advised of the mission assigned the division. It was to attack next morning and drive a wedge into the hostile lines east of the Aire river. If successful this would force the evacuation by the Boches of the Argonne forest, and bring up both the left and center of our lines, which had been halted.

EARLY next morning with no preliminary bombardment but a rolling barrage, the doughboys went over. Opposing them were two comparatively fresh hostile divisions, the 5th Guards and the 52nd. All day the fighting was of the bitterest; the enemies' orders were "to hold to the end." The first rush carried our men up the slopes and into the Boche lines. There, true to their orders, the Germans were standing.

Hand to hand, and body to body, with bayonet and trench knife, the struggle swayed through the woods. The enemy used their machine-guns until our assaulting troops were in the emplacements, and then fought like tigers with their rifles and bayonets. Over all the brown autumn leaves drifted down serene and undisturbed.

All day long the olive-drab figures struggled forward—at times a surging line, at times in desperate groups when the sweep of a machine-gun had decimated an advancing company. The losses were staggering. The lead battalion of the 16th Infantry started that morning with eight hundred men and twenty officers. By noon there were left but two hundred and forty men and two officers. A battalion of the 26th, with one thousand men and thirty officers, left one ridge to cross a little valley and assault the hill on the other side. In an hour their mission was performed, but only two hundred and eighty-five men and six officers reached the objective.

When night fell the 16th Infantry on the left was in the outskirts of Fleville. From there the line bent south along the foot of Montrefagne hill, and west just south of Hill 212.

Montrefagne hill, a center of German resistance, was steep, high and covered with woods. It was thoroughly organized with machine guns. The Boches depended on it to break the American offense.

The men were dog-tired. They lay where they fell, and slept soddenly. During the night, runners stumbled to and fro between the headquarters. Orders were issued. Next morning the 18th Infantry and Ellis' Regiment, the 28th, would assault Montrefagne.

In the mists of the early dawn the platoons were roused by their leaders. The stiff men staggered to their feet and shambled forward. The assault was on.

Ellis went forward with his company. Time after time, as they came out of clumps of bushes, they were met by the swishing hail that told of a machine gun. Time and again those in advance fell, some dropping in their tracks, some throwing up their arms and staggering to and fro before finally crumpling down.

THE captain realized that if he were to get even the remnant of his company to the objective, he must not attempt frontal attacks. So he formed a combat-patrol with Corporal Galvas in command. Ellis was one of this group. Their immediate objective was a gun on the right that was sweeping the terrain over which the company must pass.

On their bellies they wormed their way forward over mud, dead leaves and twigs. Corporal Galvas felt his leg touched. He turned. It was Ellis. "Say, Corporal, you fellows stay right here. Let me go ahead alone to try for the gun. If I go alone, I got a lot better chance of getting to them," whispered Ellis. Galvas agreed. The men of the patrol lay where they were.

Ellis crawled to the right and disappeared among the shell-torn brush. Holding his breath, he worked as rapidly as possible towards the clump of bushes screening the German gun that was spitting bullets across the front. Concealment was far more important than quiet, for the roar of the battle drowned any sound he might make. Gradually he worked around the flank. He could now see both the machine-gunner and his helper.

Carefully, he aimed at the gunner. The Springfield cracked, and the Boche pitched forward on his gun. For an instant the helper stood bewildered. Again the rifle cracked, and he dropped beside his comrade. Turning on the rifle-squad behind, Ellis called to them to surrender. Believing they were covered by a large detachment of Americans, they threw down their arms, calling "Kamerad!"

Corporal Galvas, watching from the edge of the opposite woods, at once advanced with his patrol. Word was sent to the company and they pressed on over the ground just cleared.

They had gone barely a hundred yards when the sweep of another machine gun again stopped them in their tracks. This time the trouble lay in a patch of woods to the left. Again Ellis left the patrol and disappeared. Shaking himself through the under growth like an old-time Indian, he got to a place to the left and to the rear of the German emplacement where a burst of fire gave him the position of the gun. Peering between the shattered tree trunks and branches, he finally caught the movement of gray-clad bodies.

He slipped a little closer. At last he could make them out clearly. There were two machine guns placed to cover two sides of a slight ridge. In some hastily-dug trenches just behind were a couple of squads of infantry. All ranks were watching the front and flank. No one thought of looking to the rear. Every few minutes the gunners would spray with bullets the brush that lay below them on the hillside. Occasionally a rifleman would shoot at some real or imaginary target.

THE roar of the battle sounded as ceaselessly as surf on a rocky shore. Ellis loosed an extra clip of cartridges in his belt and cautiously sat up. Resting his elbows on his knee, he started shooting. The range was not more than thirty yards. It was impossible to miss. By the time he finished his first clip three Boches were down. Jamming the next clip into his Springfield he commenced firing again. The Germans were bewildered. They could not tell from whence the deadly bullets came under which they were falling.

It is one thing to decide the point from which the firing comes in a blackboard problem, and quite another in battle. In addition, so rapid had been the American's shooting, the Germans thought they were surrounded by a company or more. They were being struck down by a death they could not see. A man would grip his rifle, start to turn to where he thought he heard the noise, and fall coughing blood from a bullet through his lungs.

Seeing how panic-stricken they were, Ellis yelled to them to surrender. They threw up their hands at once.

When Corporal Galvas and the rest of the Americans came up panting they found Ellis with twenty-seven prisoners, two of whom were officers. One of these latter could speak a little English. Turning on him fiercely, Ellis demanded where the nearest machine guns were. With a mud-stained finger the Boche pointed to a little knoll fifty yards above and said "other side." Without waiting Ellis barged off, scrambling up the steep, slippery slope.

Twice more he attacked machine gun emplacements. Twice more he killed part of the Germans and captured the rest. Single-handed that morning, Ellis took ten machine guns and more than sixty prisoners.

Towards the crest of the hill the fighting became more desperate. It was hand to hand, with every yard of the ground bought at a fearful price.

A watery sun shone comfortlessly. At one o'clock, a tired, draggled remnant of the 28th victoriously reached their objective, the crest of the hill. The men were filthy beyond description. Even their helmets were mud coated. Their uniforms were torn. They were unshaven. Some were wounded, but their sunken red-rimmed eyes gleamed fiercely.

BELOW them was the slope up which they had fought. There the dead and wounded told the story. At the base were crumpled American soldiers. In front of one nest of Boche machine guns there were fifty bodies. Above were Germans. In place after place the German officers would be lying surrounded by their men. Finally, just before the crest where the death-grapple had taken place, Americans and Germans, drab uniforms and gray, were mixed in one terrible tangle.

Montrefagne had been won but the First Division's task was not finished. Five more days they battered their way forward. Much of the time their flanks were exposed, for much of the time they were a kilometer ahead of the flanking divisions. Finally they drove through the last of the wooded hills that had been the German center of resistance. Before them stretched the open country that surrounds Landre-St. George. Their mission was completed. They had broken the German main line.

Through the night of October 11th the worn remnants of the Regiments moved out, as the 42nd Division came up to relieve them. Back through the night they plodded. A pale moon threw a leperous white over shattered tree, crumpled corpse, and the silent files of the soldiery as they stumbled through the mud. An occasional short command, a muttered curse as some man tripped, and the roll of the artillery, were the only sounds. The gray dawn saw their hardly less gray faces, as they made camp in the torn woods of a back area. Not more than thirty per cent of the four infantry regiments was left.

Ellis was unhurt and with his regiment. What he had done was all in the day's work. It was part of his profession. He was made a sergeant.

Once again the division went into the line. Once again Ellis and his comrades met the Boches—this time in full retreat. The morning of November 7th saw the division on the heights above Sedan.

The Armistice was declared. The Allied troops were following the retiring German army into Germany. It was a gray, rainy day. A column of infantry marched across the pontoon bridge that spanned the Rhine at Coblenz. By the steep road towards the frowning heights of Ehrenbreitstien, they wound their way. Over the great fortress the German flag was flying. As the column reached the gates, the German flag fluttered down, and the American flag took its place.

The troops were the American First division. In the ranks marched Sergeant Ellis.

The war is over. Peace again is in the land. In St. Louis stands a massive smoke-grimed building which is the postoffice. People entering to make an inquiry may be waited on by a stocky, quiet, good-natured clerk. He will answer their questions with a courteous smile. The clerk is ex-Sergeant Michael B. Ellis, late of the 28th Infantry, winner of the Medal of Honor.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt snapped in the trenches. He was commissioned Major in the 26th Infantry during April, 1917. He arrived in France with the 1st Division, 1st Army, A. E. F.; participated in major engagements at Cantigny, Soissons, Argonne-Meuse, and in St. Mihiel offensive. He was wounded in action and received the American Distinguished Service Cross, Croix de Guerre, and is a member of the Legion of Honor.

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Several dozen instructors are now organizing their classes for the fall and winter terms, little or no classes are held here during the summer months when teachers and pupils alike seek a term of recreation and rest, but with the opening of school, activities along these lines begin again in both class work and individual instruction.

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Included in the list of Wichita Falls instructors who through ability and consistent work have established themselves as foremost in the city, and who are announced the opening of their studios are: Misses Annette Walsh, Ella Merle Mathis, Edna Rundell, Dorothy Moxley, Elizabeth Cole, Dorothy Nolen, Ora Watkins Arnold, and Mesdames Clara S. Baber, May Belle Jones, Beatrice Fleming, Mary B. Adams, Ida M. Harrison, E. E. Fisher, Myrtle Ashmore, R. D. Thorn, H. L. Robertson, Bruce Dickson Ruffner, R. A. Sanders Wichita School of Music, Pitman Art school, Mrs. Rundell's school, China Art school, McHam Primary school, Knickerbocker studio, and Joseph Rabinowitz and Ethel Allen Nelson.

## Tax Survey Men To Meet in Austin

By Universal Service.

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—The tax survey committee will meet here Monday to study data relating to taxes which has been furnished by 200 county judges, 350 mayors, 2000 firms and corporations and about 300 farmers, former Governor O. B. Colquitt, chairman, announced today.

"The committee will formulate a preliminary report with a view of enabling the legislature to make taxes more equal and uniform," Colquitt said.

Senator A. E. Wood, member of the committee, said today he would vote for the committeemen working without compensation if the question came up.

Representative A. H. King, Throckmorton, recently filed an injunction suit seeking to restrain Comptroller S. H. Terrell from paying the committeemen. King claims it is unconstitutional to pay the committeemen.

## Motor Bus Hearing Scheduled For Oct. 8

By Universal Service.

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—The railroad commission will hold a hearing here on October 8 on nine applications of motor bus companies operating bus lines from Corpus Christi, through San Antonio, Austin, Waco to Dallas. Several protests will also be heard.

The companies are the Red Ball and Union bus lines, the Southland Transportation company and the Parker Transportation company.

In all instances where these companies parallel each other, protests have been made, it was stated.

## Gas Tax Collections Increase During July

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—Gasoline tax collections for July amounted to $1,700,000, an increase of $100,000 over June, it was revealed in a compilation of reports by the comptroller's department.

Five major companies paid $1,191,079 of this amount in the two cent gasoline tax.

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The standard manufacturers of tubes have recommended the use of power tubes in the last stage of audio amplification for many months. The direction sheet which accompanies the tube, while technical, explains how necessary they are to good speaker reproduction. Volume is dependent upon the easy flow of electrons or current in the tube and only power tubes have sufficient capacity to carry volume without distortion.

Circulars of the manufacturers give the full characteristics of the various types of power tubes. For example, tubes of the 112 type usually give quite satisfactory results, but have some limitations. In using the 112 type no choke coil and condenser combination or output transformer is required up to its rated voltage. With tubes of the 171 type a choke and condenser combination is suggested when voltages of 150 and up are used in order to prevent excessive current flow through the speaker.

## MISSION RUINS BARED IN ROAD

### Forgotten Spanish Mission Forms Curbstone

MONTELL, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—Ruins of a forgotten Spanish mission act as a curbstone for a section of the highway to Camp Wood several hundred yards west of this town.

Part of the walls and foundation of the old structure were bared when the grader cut the drainage ditch for the highway, and investigation showed that the foundations were almost intact, although very little of the superstructure remains.

The bottom of some of the embrasures, which once served as loopholes and windows can still be seen and the outline of the walls can be traced. Few people in the vicinity know that the ruins exist, although crumbling stones are plainly visable from the road.

The history of the mission is apparently lost. The oldest old timer in these parts has no recollection of the building and search of the historical records so far has failed to reveal the name of the mission. Missions were started in many parts of Texas during the mission building period and many of them were abandoned after a short time because of Indians, the difficulty of getting supplies or lack of patronage from the Indians. It is presumed that the mission near here is one of those buildings which were erected by the black robed priests, whose enthusiasm overestimated the necessity for such an institution.

## Youth, 19, Is Youngest University Professor

AUSTIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—Roland Andrews Egger, 19, doing summer research work in government at University of Texas, is believed to be the youngest university professor in the United States.

He is a professor of municipal government and will teach it at Southern Methodist university, Dallas, next season.

Egger has attended universities for only three years, but had gotten a master's degree in that time. He entered Southwestern university, Georgetown, in 1924, and obtained a B. A. degree in two years, and wound up with a master's degree from Southern Methodist university last spring.

## TAXPAYERS TO TALK PROBLEMS

### Conference On Water Conservation Sept. 1-3

AUSTIN, Aug. 27. (AP)—Taxation and water conservation, "outstanding economic problems," will be discussed by authorities at the fifth annual meeting of the Western States Taxpayers' conference to meet at Santa Fe, N. M., September 1, 2 and 3, according to John T. Smith, executive committeeman from Texas.

Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Texas, Utah, Washington and Wyoming will be represented.

Smith said state, county and city officials and all others interested in such matters should attend as the state is "vitally interested in both questions."

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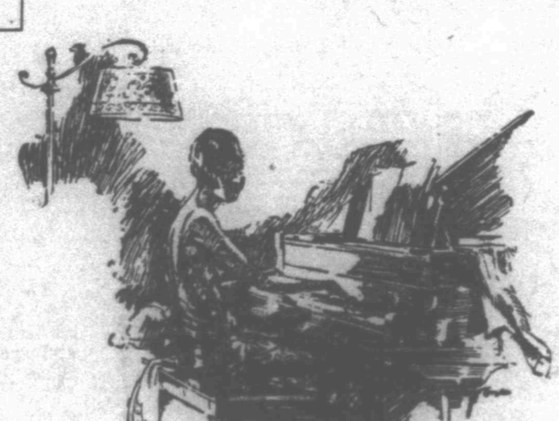


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# TEACHERS TO MEET SEPT. 10

## New Term Here Will Start Sept. 12

A material increase anticipated in the enrollment of Wichita Falls schools during the coming session of the board of education's building program is progressing rapidly on additions and improvements being made at five of the city schools, said Dr. J. W. Cantwell, superintendent, Saturday.

Total enrollment for the 1926-27 school year was 10,309 and practically every elementary school in the city was crowded but the additions now being made will increase the capacity by more than 800, giving relief to the crowded conditions, Dr. Cantwell said.

The last scholastic census showed that there were 10,449 persons within the school ages in Wichita Falls, which maintained the average gain of about 1000 scholastics made by the city during the past several years, according to Dr. Cantwell.

The additions, totalling 20 new class rooms, will not be ready for occupancy on Sept. 12, the date set for opening the school session, but will be ready for use in time to care for the peak enrollment, he said.

Additions and improvements being made are as follows: Four new rooms at Pat Carrigan school, completing that plant's capacity; six rooms and an auditorium-cafeteria at Sam Houston school; four new rooms and installation of plumbing and steam heating plant at the Bowie school; doubling the capacity of Huey school by adding six new rooms and a complete improvement of the San Jacinto building.

Dr. Cantwell announced that the principals of each school will meet with their teachers on the morning of Saturday, Sept. 10 to make preparations for opening the term. Entrance examinations for Junior college students will be held Sept. 9 and 10. No teacher's institute will be held this year.

# *Music - Musicians*

BY MME. COBINA WRIGHT.

Famous Songstress and Society Leader.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—While to all intents and purposes the musical season is as dead as the proverbial doornail, jottings from here and there show that musicians are coming home from Europe and the seaside, taking their precious instruments out of mothballs, engaging apartments for the approaching season, and putting the finishing touches to their repertoires which indeed industrious artists have been widening and polishing assiduously during these so-called idle months.

It is only a matter of a short time new before the great orchestras being assembled will go into rehearsal, the roster of Carnegie, Town and Steinway halls have long since been full with reservations for debts, orchestral programs and the annual concerts of our leading artists.

IN THE teacher's studios all is a hubbub of activity. Pasquale Amato for example in addition to his own engagements has been teaching daily at his studio at the Ansonia, and already his pupil Rodolfo Hoyos has been engaged for three operatic appearances and Amato, it is divulged will appear again in opera this season singing his famous role Lago in "Othello."

In the studio of George Ranseller Shiels, the noted voice teacher at Carnegie hall who has mended many a damaged voice and developed many a beautiful one, there has been no cessation of all the summer for this is a time when many an ambitious pupil from out of town improves the shining hour by extra months of study. His specialty is a vaudeville and musical comedy work of which he has wide knowledge. Frank La Forge, likewise, has kept his studio open all summer, not only for his artist pupils who motor in from the country to coach with him, but for the great numbers of young singers from all over America whom he loves to develop.

AS FOR the artists, already our young soprano Mary Lewis and Michael Bohnen have returned to America whence they fled so unexpectedly after their sudden marriage last spring. From the summer home of the talented Japanese soprano Tamaki Miura in Prospect Plains, N. J., I head that far from just feeding the chickens, instructing her parrot and romping with her little dog Juggs, she is studying the new Italian text of Franchetti's opera "Namiko San." To my mind Miss Miura's acting of Madame Butterfly is perfect, and if only she managed her voice as beautifully as her histrionic powers, she would indeed be great. In voice production, her performance of Namiko San will be something to look forward to.

AND from abroad come echos of American favorites, Wanda Landowska is triumphing in France, Felix Salmond to whom the British public at large had failed to rally, acclaimed him wildly since his return from America, where he has established himself as a great favorite.

Alexander Tansman, Polish composer pianist, and Lubka Kolessa, Austrian pianist, are among the newcomers who are arming themselves with passports and international paraphernalia preparatory to making their American debuts. Mr. Tansman, a young man about 30, is due here soon and will conduct a concert of his own orchestral works as well as give his recital. Miss Nolessa is a protegee of Willem Furtwaengler and hails from Czecho-Slovakia.

**WORTH CONSIDERING.**

Anyway we ought to get some credit with our sister powers for our limitation of the size of our merchant fleet.

**EASY FAME.**

Marco Polo got his reputation as a traveller before the mayor of New York started roaming the world.

**IMPOSSIBLE.**

Mr. Hays is trying to bar drinking scenes from the movies, but the scenario writers are sure to find a way to bootleg them in.

## Charming Visitor

Senora Eduardo Centeno, daughter of the Argentine ambassador, and Mme. de Pueyrredon, is being extensively entertained by society in Washington, D. C., where she is visiting her parents.

# DEBS RADIO GIVEN LICENSE

## WEVD Issues Appeal For Sacco-Vanzetti

The Federal Radio commission yesterday granted a license to the Debs Memirial Radio fund, 31 Union Square, for the operation of Station WSCM at Woodhaven, Long Island, whose call letters will be changed to WEVD, in honor of Eugene V. Debs, the late labor leader. The station will continue to operate on a 245.8 wave length and on a 1220 kilocycle.

WEVD will share its time, as WSOM has done, with stations WGBB at Freeport L. I., and WAAT of Jersey City. The Debs fund takes over complete control of WSOM October 1, when it will begin to broadcast complete programs of a varied nature, stressing, however, subjects of interest to the labor movement, progressive and radical opinion. The personnel of the board of trustees is such as to guarantee all phases of progressive opinion to be heard from the station. The station will be a crusading vehicle for union labor, actively participating in its efforts to improve standards of labor in this country.

The trustees had originally hoped to call the station WDABS, but were informed by the radio division of the department of commerce that designations of five letters were reserved for aircraft carrying radio equipment. It was then decided to christen the station WEVD—the last three latters being the initials of the great leader whose name is memorialized. The first efforts of the Debs fund, even while station WSOM was not yet under its complete control, was to broadcast a series of stirring pleas for the lives of Sacco and Vansetti.

## Senator Harrison Against Instructions

GULFPORT, Miss., Aug. 27.—Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi, conspicuous figure in the last democratic national convention, is opposed to state delegations instructed against any candidates.

Senator Harrison's opposition to fettered delegations was expressed in a letter to Fred E. Wankan of Jackson, Miss., grand dragon of Mississippi Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, answering the dragon's telegram requesting the senator to state his position with respect to passage of a resolution at the next Mississippi state democratic convention instructing the delegation not to vote for Governor Al Smith of New York as the democratic presidential nominee.

The answer of Senator Harrison to the dragon's inquiry was the statement that he favored "an uninstructed delegation to the next democratic national convention" and that he was "opposed to sending a delegation instructed against any candidate."


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# JOHN GILBERT AT MAJESTIC

## 'Twelve Miles Out' Brings Many Thrills

Thrills, romance—and John Gilbert. This is the combination that makes "Twelve Miles Out" one of the most sensational successes of the screen today.

The new adventure drama, now playing at the Majestic theater, is a sensational example of what motion pictures can do; it sways an audience by a gigantic theme; it astounds with the daring of its thrills; it enchants with the delicacy of the love story that like a golden thread runs through the amazing tale of intrigue, daredevil chances and desperate battles.

It gives Gilbert an ideal role—a swashbuckling hero with all the romantic appeal that marked his work in "The Merry Widow." It has all the whimsical bravery of "Baffelys" in ultra modern garb—for it is essentially a story of today, based on the very latest problem the nation faces.

The cast is as notable as the story, adapted by A. P. Younger from William Anthony McGuire's great stage success. Joan Crawford gives a remarkable performance as the heroine. Ernest Torrence is inimitable always; as McCue, the rum-runner, a strange mixture of the sinister desperado and the whimsical humorist, he has a role that perhaps only Torrence could play. Bert Roach as his comical satellite, and Tom O'Brien as his burly bodyguard are two other outstanding figures. Edward Earle gives a clever delineation as the cowardly attorney Paulette Duval, Dorothy Sebastian, Gwen Lee and others of note are also in the cast.

The thrilling chase of rum-runners on the high seas by revenue boats; the desperate battle between Gilbert and Torrence, the dramatic episodes aboard the rum-runner's sloop, and Gilbert's sensational tricks with the motorcycle are among the highpitched excitements of the new play.

Jack Conway, who proved himself a master of thrills with "Brown of Harvard," directed the new picture.

A scene from the "Cradle Snatchers," starring Louise Fazenda, showing at the Olympic theater.

## Theater Calendar For the Week

**MAJESTIC THEATER**

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, "Twelve Miles Out," with John Gilbert, Fables, Topics of the Day and Paramount News.

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, "Painting the Town," with Glen Tryon and Patsy Ruth Miller, Felix the Cat, and Paramount News.

Starting Saturday for four days, Clara Bow in "Hula," Fables, Topics and Paramount News.

**OLYMPIC THEATER**

Starting Sunday for four days, "Cradle Snatchers," with all star cast. Hal Roach comedy and Pathe News.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, "On ze Boulevard," with Renee Adoree, Lew Cody and others, comedy and Pathe News.

**MISSION THEATER**

Sunday and Monday, "Racing Romance," with Reed Howe, comedy and Fox News. On the stage Honey Hank Harris and His Honey Girls.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Laura La Plante in "Beware of Widows," and comedy. On the stage, Honey Harris and company.

Friday and Saturday, "The Circus Ace," with Tom Mix, Andy Gump comedy and Fox News. On the stage, Honey Hank Harris and His Honey Girls.

**GEM THEATER**

Sunday—Bob Custer in "Fighting Hombre," "45 Minutes From Broadway," comedy.

Monday—"Tramp, Tramp, Tramp," with Harry Langdon; "The Horse Trader," western; "His Day Off," comedy.

Tuesday—"The Fighting Ranger," with Al Hoxie and his horse, "Pardner;" Naughty Boy," comedy.

Wednesday—"When Bear Cat Went Dry," with Lon Chaney; "Many a Slip," comedy.

Thursday—Tom Tyler in "Red Hot Hoofs;" "What'll You Have?" comedy.

Friday and Saturday—Buddy Roosevelt in "Code of the Cow Country;" No. 4 "Golden Stallion," serial; "On the Trail," Krazy Kat comedy.

**GARDEN THEATER**

Sunday and Monday—Buck Jones in "Desert Valley;" "Old Tin Sides," comedy.

Tuesday—Colleen Moore in "Ella Cinders;" "Roaring Gulch," western; "The Champ," comedy.

Wednesday—"Loco Luck," with Art Acord; "Peggy in a Pinch," comedy.

Thursday—"McFadden's Flats," with Charlie Murray; "Should Men Walk Home?" Mable Norman comedy.

Friday and Saturday—"Wild Horse Canyon," with Yakima Canutt; No. 10 "Whispering Smith Rides," serial; "Digging for Gold," Fable comedy.

# "Son of the Shiek" At Monroe Street

A drama that never dies is embodied in the late Rudolph Valentino's picture "The Son of the Sheik," showing at the Monore street theater Sunday.

It is a tense, gripping picturization of Arab love as was Valentino's "The Sheik," which was possibly his best work. Vilma Banky is co-starred and plays her role with the utmost perfection. "The Son of the Sheik" will be remembered by those who see it as the star's latest and one of his greatest achievements.

# Plenty of Music On Mission Bill

Plenty of music, a flock of dancing and a presentation of one of the outstanding musical comedies of the season will hold the boards Sunday at the Mission theater with Honey Hank Harris and his Honey Girls furnishing "what it takes" to entertain the customers.

Honey will be supported in his comedy by Fat Haughton, and the singing will come from Zoe Frazell, queen of "blues" singers and Elvie Herndon, the "red-headed gal," who can dance as good as she can sing, and believe us, she can sing.

In addition to the principal presentation, Harris has announced that several "specialties" will "go on" for the entertainment of the customers.

John Gilbert in "Twelve Miles Out," showing at the Majestic theater through Tuesday. John Crawford is co-starred with Mr. Gilbert.

# "Cradle Snatchers," Mirth Covered Sermon, Offered at Olympic

"Cradle Snatchers," a mirth covered sermon, will bring gale after gale of laughter from the audience witnessing the first showing of this hilarious farce at the Olympic today.

Without exaggeration this is the best comedy drama seen locally in a year. This story, of three wives who find that their husbands go hunting, not for ducks as they claim, but for chickens, and who turn the tables on their deceivers by hiring three college boys to make love to them to arouse their husbands' jealousies, is screamingly funny.

The sub titles which accompany the action, the casting, direction and the story itself make, all together, a perfect picture.

Louise Fazenda, gorgeous blond, who insists on having a real Spanish lover with a kick, while she is at the business of getting even with hubby, is ideally cast and gives a perfect performance of a neglected wife who turns loose for the time of her life. While J. Farrell Macdonald as her duck hunting husband who finds too late that his wife was not as easy as she looked, brought down the house.

Ethel Wales and Dorothy Phillips as the other two wives, and the three college boys hired to act the Romeos for the occasion do their share toward making "Cradle Snatchers" the unqualified success it is. An entertainment supreme from every angle.

# Small Town Boy Shown in City

If your constitution can stand an hour or so of hearty and almost continuous laughter, go to the Majestic theater and see "Painting the Town," the feature picture which opens Wednesday. It is ideal film entertainment built around the adventures of a small-town smart aleck and his adventures in New York. Also, it serves to introduce to the moving picture public a new comedy star in the person of Glenn Tryon. Watch him come to the front.

Tryon, who has been seen here in short comedites with more or less success, seems to have hit his stride in "Painting the Town." As a young village combination of Thomas Edison and Henry Ford with a flare for tricky inventions and wise-cracking, he creates a sensation in New York on his quest for fame and fortune. His specialties are a quick-stopping front wheel brake automobile, and his interest in a certain Follies beauty. His efforts in landing a big contract from the Fire Commissioner for his cars, and in winning the interest and heart of the Follies queen provide a rapid succession of laughable situations and opportunities for funny gags and subtitles.

Patsy Ruth Miller is the girl and as usual is easy to look upon and competent in her acting. The others in the cast are well chosen including George Fawcett, Charles Gerard, Sidney Bracy and Max Ascher.

The story of "Painting the Town" has to do with one Hector Whitmore, a country town inventive genius and smarty who goes to New York to astonish the town with his inventions, principal among them being a front-wheel brake auto that will stop in its own length at any speed. He also wants to renew a chance acquaintance with Patsy DeVeau, a Follies beauty. How he is "framed" by Patsy's former sweetheart in his quick stop demonstration for the Fire Commissioner and how he finally gets the best of those conspiring against him, to win a big contract for his "wonder car" and also the heart of the Follies girl, is depicted in fast action abounding in laughs.

**TEST.**

If Mussolini is as powerful as he thinks he is let him come over here and try to enforce the Volstead law.

**COMFORTING.**

The birth rate is rising, so that the supply of caddies seems to be assured for a time at least.

**A BIG COUNTRY.**

It is not surprising that an earthquake has been lost in China. A war was recently lost there.

One of 10 lectures delivered in Glasgow prisons last year was entitled "How to Be Happy."

Three bridesmaids at a recent wedding at Islington, England, were named Sunshine.

A scene from "Painting the Town," coming to the Majestic theater Wednesday for three days. This production was selected by the Motion Picture Theater Owners Association as the best picture of the month. June claimed "Rookies," according to the association and July finds "Painting the Town" as the winning picture, with Patsy Ruth Miller and Glenn Tryon starring.

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"Among the other advantages claimed for the use of these insulators are elimination of all necessity for the disagreeable job of lubricating, reduction of operating costs by saving of expense for grease and oil, doing away with adjustments and replacements of shackle bolts and bushings, and lengthened life for springs and tires."

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**ADDED EXPENSE.**

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# CADILLAC WINS HONOR ABROAD

## La Salle Also Scores in European Shows

Cadillac and LaSalle cars continue to draw new honors for beauty of design and color schemes in European art centers. Following reports of recent victories at Berlin and Vienna, news of further honors has just been received. At the Concours d'Elegance held in Paris under the auspices of the newspaper "L'Auto," two first prizes have been won by LaSalle cars. In another contest at Baden-Baden, the celebrated continental watering place, a Cadillac and a LaSalle in their respective classes were awarded first prize for beauty, and the Cadillac incidentally won first prize for the best floral decorations.

In the Concours d'Elegance in Paris, in the two-seated open sport model class, first position was given to a LaSalle roadster. The car embodies the sport motif both in its youthful lines and in its striking details of equipment. The cowl lamps are "bullet nose" in design, matching the headlamps and are attached to a nickel cowl band in a stream line effect. The hinged one-piece windshield folds forward over the cowl, accentuating the raciness of body lines.


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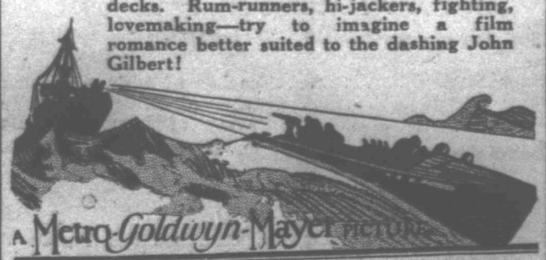

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# Revolutionary Change Predicted in New Automobile Designs

## TWO NEW CAR MODELS FOR AUTO DEALERS

### Rumors Fly Thick and Fast As Buying Season Nears

By RAY PRIEST
Universal Service Automobile Editor

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 27.—It will be only a matter of days before revolutionary changes in automobile design will be presented by two of the leading motor car companies.

It is a coincidence, perhaps, that the new designs should be offered by two companies located at either end of the automobile price fields.

Should those two new cars be announced within a few hours of each other, they will be certain to turn universal attention to automobiles for at least the run of the day's news.

Ford dealers are taking on new life. In every section of the motor city, the windows of Ford showrooms are adorned with some sort of request for the automobile buying public to wait "just a little longer."

Following the announcement of Oldsmobile that it was preparing an eight-cylinder car in the medium price field, comes a report from a competitor that there will soon be a new six-cylinder car in that field.

This competitor will have three distinct lines of motor cars upon the addition of the new light six. The announcement of the new car is expected within the next six to eight weeks.

Rumors of Chevrolet changes have met with a steadfast denial by officials at the General Motors building. Their denials were backed up with the figures showing their September and October commitments on contracts.

Motor car manufacturers readily tell of the speed attainments of their various products within the last week. Packard, Auburn and Franklin have broadcast speed results of their various products.

Packard tells of 12 new records established by a flying boat in the air near San Diego, Cal. It seems that Packard engines started establishing records back in 1904 when the "Gray Wolf" racing car travelled a mile in 46 and 2-5 seconds.

Since Packard power plants have to their credit more than 60 world records.

The world's record for duration of flight with sea planes was nearly doubled by the Packard Powered PN-9, piloted by Lieut. Byron Connell, when he remained in the air 28 hours, 35 minutes and 20 seconds.

Auburn, under the youthful executive E. L. Cord, lets the world know through the press this week that Auburn stock cars have set 34 new records and shattered 27 old official American Automobile association records over a period of 10 days driving on the Atlantic speedway.

Three cars were employed in the series of record breaking runs. Two were roadsters and the third a sedan.

It took a small army of pit men, technical men, commissary men and the A. A. A. officials and observers to keep the 10 days' grind going.

Entire direction was under Val Haresnape of the American Automobile association. The entire run was made at an average of better than a mile a minute.

Franklin has been given adequate cause for calling attention to its air-cooled power plant by the recent aviation successes of air-cooled motors. It was in 1902 that the first four-cylinder engined automobile was placed on the market by the Franklin company in Syracuse, N. Y. The company built 13 cars that year.

Since that the engineering staff has been guided by H. N. Franklin, through an epochal development period. Franklin can claim having presented to the automobile buyer first the air-cooled motor. During the same year came a six-cylinder air-cooled power plant. Franklin offered the transmission brake in 1906; automatic spark advance in 1906; case hardened crankshaft in 1921; fuel transformer in 1922; centrifugal dust separator in 1922, and duralunin in 1922.

Franklin takes credit through its engineering achievements for the present development in aviation success. The most successful aviation engines today use the same system of finning the cylinders that Franklin used in 1902.

## New Stearns-Knight Cabriolet Roadster Offers New Features

The latest product of the F. B. Stearns company of Cleveland, Ohio, makers of the Stearns-Knight line of six and eight-cylindered Knight motored cars is a cabriolet roadster. This new body is featured by the compactness with which the collapsible top folds back when it is desirable to use an open body. The landau irons which hold the weatherproof fabric top in position when it is raised are of marked sturdiness in construction.

Consistent with the body development in all Stearns-Knight cars, the front body posts which also act as the side members of the windshield frame are narrow in order that a clear forward vision may be afforded the occupants of the car.

Three passengers may ride in full comfort on the wide single seat in this cabriolet roadster which is also exceptionally deep to give ample leg room for the occupants.

An attractive feature of the finish of the body is the division of the moulding at the cowl with one line curved upward to frame the top of the cowl while the other line follows back along the contour of the rear deck.

The hood is featured by the characteristic Stearns-Knight white line inside the radiator shell and by the diagonal louvres in the hood itself.

The cabriolet roadster is also featured by a rumble seat which folds into the rear compartment under the deck when not in use.

This new model is furnished with complete equipment including spare tire, bumper in front, bumperettes at the rear, motometer, automatic windshield wiper and all necessary accessories.

This new member of the Stearns-Knight eight family is an aristocratic addition to the line which is reported as having created a noticeably marked demand immediately upon its presentation.

Reginald Denny, the noted amateur racing driver whose reputation for the selection of speed cars is national, chooses the new Stearns-Knight eight cabriolet roadster as his favorite in the convertible type of motor car which is now the vogue.

## BARTH SEES BUSY SEASON

### Chevrolet Head Predicts Active Fall

That business conditions generally throughout the country are exceedingly fair, with every indication that they will continue so this fall, was the keynote of a statement issued Saturday by C. E. Barth, vice president in charge of manufacturing of the Chevrolet Motor company. Mr. Barth's statement followed the announcement that on August 12 Chevrolet topped its entire output for 1926 by turning out the 732,147th car so far this year.

"We are looking optimistically toward the fall season," Mr. Barth declared. "There is ample evidence of countrywide prosperity. Crop conditions are considerably better than last year, diversification having helped the south and west. In the northwest alone the yield this year is expected to be substantially above the average for the past 10 years. In Minnesota, the Dakotas and Montana the grain crop being estimated as worth $150,000,000 more than last year.

"Other healthy signs include heavy railway shipping, which stands above the million cars weekly mark, unusually large postal receipts, exports and imports above last year's high figures, and—perhaps the best business barometer of all—dividend increases far outnumber reductions.

"The automobile, like every other staple commodity, is sensitive to any change in the economic situation. Although Chevrolet may not be considered as representative of the industry because the phenomenal demand for our cars is shattering all previous production figures for gear shift cars, their even distribution shows that healthful conditions prevail from coast to coast and border to border. There are of course spotty areas of unemployment and depression, but they are relatively small and not of sufficient numbers to cause alarm or check the general era of good times ahead.

"We are proceeding under the heaviest production schedule in our history. Not only did we on August 12 turn out the 732,147th car so far this year and thus outstrip our entire output for 1926, but our August schedule calls for 89,474 units, an increase over January, February and July of this year and a considerable gain over August of 1926. Every month so far this year we have increased by a wide margin our own high marks for 1926.

"If the past may be used as a yardstick, we will set still more records before the close of this year. In both 1925 and 1926 our September production exceeded that of any other month in those years.

"While the total volume of automobiles manufactured during the past six months of 1927 may not exceed the output during the same period last year, when the United States census bureau figures show that 1,694,641 units were built from July to January, it must be remembered that last year was the most successful and remarkable in all automotive history, and that a considerable drop from last year's figures would still not mean that business was below normal.

"With so many healthful signs all pointing the same direction, there is every justification for the manufacturer of a dependable product to look confidently into the future months."

## New Dodges Are Roomy and Fast

Astonishing roominess and exceptional riding comfort are outstanding characteristics of the bodies on Dodge Brothers new four cylinder cars. The new sedan bodies measure 36 1-2 inches from the back of the front seat to the pedals—exactly the same distance as in Dodge Brothers six cylinder sedan. The headroom in the new sedan is actually somewhat greater than in the former four cylinder sedan.

The new Dodge Brothers four cylinder sedan is built to hug the ground at the high speeds which the cars are capable of making. The over-all height is 70 3-8 inches, over three inches lower than in the former sedan. In the attainment of this lower height nothing has been sacrificed in the height of the seats. The front seat is 12 5-16 inches from the floor compared with 11 1-2 inches on the former sedan and the rear seat is 13 1-8 inches against 12 3-4 inches.

The powerful four cylinder engine in the new Dodge Brothers line makes these cars the fastest fours in America. This motor was developed by Dodge Brothers engineers after months of experimentation and is said to be the best four cylinder motor Dodge Brothers ever built. It is of the L-head type with a bore of 3 7-8 inches and stroke of 4 1-2 inches. Its displacement is 212.27 cubic inches. It has a five-bearing crankshaft made of chrome-vanadium steel, machined all over and ground. On the brake block test it develops from 35 to 40 horsepower. Its taxable horsepower, N. A. C. C. rating, is 24.03.

The engine is lubricated by the circulating-splash type system. The oil pump is of the gear type. It is located in the bottom of the crankcase and is driven by worm gears from the camshaft. The pump is provided with an oil strainer and with siphon by-pass.

## Texas Youth Makes Records With Songs

BRYAN, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—In George Griffin Jr., Bryan's 20-year-old singing prodigy, Texas may have another Reinald Werrenrheh, considered America's leading baritone singer. "Nina" an Italian love song, and "On the Road to Mandalay?" Are two records recently made by Griffin in Kansas City.

Young Griffin first attracted attention as a baritone soloist in Victoria three years ago when he was a senior in high school there. after finishing school, he studied for a year and a half in Houston under George Campton, musical director of the Christian Episcopal church.

Last year he was a student at Bethany college at Lindsborgh, Kan. He intends to return there next month to continue his studies.

## Goree Farmers Find New Pest Variety

GOREE, Aug. 27. (AP)—A new variety of cotton test for this part of the country has been reported by farmers of this community in Knox county. It is a whitish green in color, being about one-fourth inch long. The worm feeds upon the cotton bolls.

Despite the presence of the pest in a number of fields, the cotton is good, and the general corn outlook is promising.

## Unique Athletic Board At Bryan High School

BRYAN, Texas, Aug. 27. (AP)—The Citizen's high school athletic committee of Bryan, which is endorsed by Roy B. Henderson, of Austin, director of the Interscholastic league of Texas, is one of the most unique boards in the state.

This body, which is organized to promote high school athletics here, is composed of two members of the school board, one citizen at large, and the superintendent of schools. It is in charge of the sale of tickets, the buying of athletic equipment and general business management of high school sports.

## Franklin Startles English Observers In Wales Test Climb; Keeps Cool

Climbing 1605 feet in a distance of approximately one mile and a quarter, or a gradient of one foot climb to every four feet of travel, a Franklin stock demonstrator from the sales room of the Franklin Motor Company, Ltd., of London, negotiated the famous Bwich-y-Groes hill near Dinas Mawddy, Wales, on July 5, and at the end of the run the official observer placed his hands on the cylinder fins and found them cool enough touch.

H. Edwin Plaister, former racing driver and now manager of the English distributorship, piloted the car.

The hill, which affords one of the finest views in the United Kingdom, is a mecca for tourists and is usually climbed on foot due to the fact that water-cooled cars can not make the grade without overheating and boiling most of the water out. Two hairpin turns with a curve ratio of one in three are along the route and two sharp reverse turns keep down the speed.

Samuel Davies, representing the "Autocar," one of England's leading motoring journals, and winner in the recent 24-hour grand prize endurance run at Le Mans, France, acted as observer, expressing surprise at the engine's cooling performance. "It is almost unbelievable," Davies exclaimed when the summit was reached and he found he could place his fingers on the cylinder fins without burning them.

Standard British gasoline was used for the test and the car was driven from London to the test hill, a distance of 204 miles, beginning the ascent without any adjustment or further preparation.

## Alpine Grape Vine Has Enormous Yield

ALPINE, Aug. 27. (AP)—One grape vine in Alpine probably has the record production for the state. The vine is in the yard of City Clerk W. A. Daugherty and this year supplied two families with eating grapes for the summer. In addition to this, 40 quarts of jelly and 32 quarts of grape juice were made from the fruit of this one vine. A number of small crates of the grapes were sold on the local market. Mr. Daugherty says that the vine is a cross between the mustang and another grape and is a prolific bearer each year.


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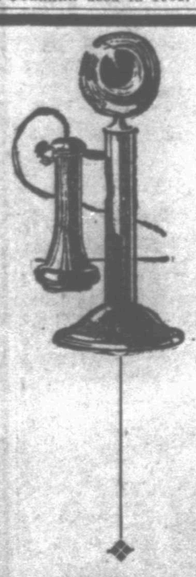

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# Society Notes and News Briefs of Interest From Correspondents At Northwest Texas Points

## HASKELL SOCIETY

HASKELL, Aug. 27.—The First Christian church of Haskell was the scene of a beautiful wedding Wednesday evening, August 24, at 8 o'clock when Miss Anne LaVerne Cummins, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David Lipscomb Cummins, became the bride of Mr. Eugene Marshall Regen of Franklin, Tenn. The altar of the church was banked with palms and ferns and tall peaked candelabra, holding cathedral tapers, formed an outline for the greens. Large baskets of tube roses on each side of the altar steps completed the setting. The pre-nuptial songs, "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly," were sung by Mrs. Wayne Koonce, accompanied by Mrs. John W. Pace, who also played the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin" preceding the ceremony. The Rev. Mr. George Robert Forrester entered from the south and took his place at the altar, followed by the groom and his brother, Mr. Clair Regen. The ushers in pairs, advanced down the aisle. They were Messrs. Reynolds Wilson, Earnest Sanders, John Rike, and John W. Pace Jr. Following the ushers were the bridesmaids, Misses Agnes Cox and Virginia Evans, who were lovely gowns of beaded yellow georgette; then Misses Sula Maye Ratliff and Madalin Hunt, gowned in exquisite models of beaded green georgette. They were corresponding shoes and hose and their flowers were corsages of rose buds. The maid of honor and sister of the bride, Miss Lucy Cummins, were headed orchid georgette. Mrs. Andrew Benj Pumphry, the matron of honor, also sister of the bride, was attired in a beaded flesh and silver lace gown. Little Misses Virginia Belle Berry and Geraldine Connor, dressed in dainty bouffant frocks of lace over satin, scattered flower petals in the bride's pathway. Virgil Meadows Jr. carried the ring on a white satin pillow. The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her wedding gown was a beautiful creation of white satin basque with bouffant skirt of white satin trimmed with tulle and silver flounces. The veil of real lace was caught by a coronet of orange blossoms and fronted on cloud of tulle. She carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley and her only ornament was a pearl necklace with diamond and blue sapphire pendent, the gift of the groom. During the double ring ceremony, Mrs. Virgil Walter Meadows, sister of the bride, played "To a Wild Rose" on the violin. The recessional was Mendelssohn's "Wedding March." Following the reception in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. Regen left for Nashville, Tenn. The bride's going away costume was a black Elizabeth crepe gown with hat and accessories harmonizing. Mrs. Regen is a prominent member of Haskell's younger social set. She is a graduate of the University of Texas. Mr. Regen is a graduate of Davidson college and a senior in the medical school of Vanderbilt university. Out of town guests for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis, grandparents of the bride; Mrs. J. P. Berry and children, Virginia Belle and Anne LaVerne of Fort Worth; Miss Virginia Evans, Nashville, Tenn. Mr. Clair Regen of Franklin, Tenn., and Mrs. Frank Morgan and Mr. Marshall Morgan of Sweetwater.

Those who entertained with pre-nuptial affairs were: Mrs. D. L. Cummins and Mrs. Virgil Walter Meadows; Mrs. Ben W. Bryant, Mrs. L. L. Taylor and Miss Agnes Cox, Mrs. A. B. Pumphry at the 10x Ranch, near Rule; Mrs. R. R. English and Mrs. Courtney Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Pace.

On last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Courtney Hunt, she and Mrs. R. R. English entertained on the lawn with a 42 bridge party, honoring Miss Virginia Anne LaVerne Cummins and her fiance, Mr. Eugene Marshall Regen of Franklin, Tenn. Japanese lanterns canopied the 12 tables arranged for the players and the attractively placed baskets of flowers were zennias and lantannas. Mrs. Hunt met the guests at the pavement and Mrs. English headed the receiving line composed of the honorees, Mr. Regen and Miss Cummins and Mr. Clair Regen, Miss Virginia Evans, Mrs. D. L. Cummins, Mrs. J. P. Berry, Fort Worth; Mrs. A. B. Pumphry, Mrs. H. K. McWhirter and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cannon, Dallas, and Mr. G. E. Comegys of Merkle; Mrs. Minnie Barron and Mrs. Wayne Koonce gave out the score cards.

The hostesses presented the honorees with a silver tomato server. High score for the ladies was won by Miss Maybell Taylor and she was given a corsage bouquet; low score was made by Miss Helen Harbison and she was given a handkerchief. High score for the men was captured by Mr. Herman Weinert of Weinert, a tie; low score for men by Mr. John V. Davis, a memorandum. An ice course, with bridal satchels of mints was served to Misses LaVerne Cummins, Lois Earnest, Alberta Smith, Joan Irby, Maybelle Taylor, Agnes Cox, Lois Norton, Virginia Evans, Nashville, Tenn., Sula Maye Ratliff, Lucy Cummins, Nettie McCollum, Helen Harbison, Mildred Shook, June Smith, Florence Shook, Mammie Barron, Velma Martin, Austin; Madalin Hunt, Messrs. Eugene Regen, Clair Regen, Franklin, Tenn.; Emory Menefee, Raleigh Lemmon, Hugh Ratliff, John Rike, Kenneth Oates, Herman Weinert, Weinert; John W. Pace Jr., Oscar Oates, Von White, L. Townsand, Reynolds Wilson, John L. McCollum, Henry Aetchison, Eugene English, Parker Pumphry, Mrs. D. L. Cummins, Mrs. J. P. Berry, Fort Worth; Mrs. H. K. McWhirter, Dallas; Mrs. A. B. Pumphry, Mr. Comegys, Merkle; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Koonce, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. John V. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cannon, Dallas; the hostesses and Mr. R. R. English and Mr. Courtney Hunt.

After the rehearsal at the Christian church on Tuesday evening, the bridal party of the Cummins-Regen wedding, repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Pace and played bridge. Pink and white flowers in baskets denoted the color tone used in all appointments. A heart shaped Norwandy lace pillow was the hostess' gift to the Ride-elect and the groom-to-be, she gave a bill folder. Mrs. Pace served an ice course to Misses Anne LaVerne Cummins, Agnes Cox, Virginia Evans, Sula Maye Ratliff, Madalin Hunt, Lucy Cummins, Messrs. Eugene Regen, Clair Regen, Franklin, Tenn.; Reynolds Wilson, Earnest Sanders, John Rike, John W. Pace Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Koonce, Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Cummins and Mr. John W. Pace Sr.,

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Mrs. C. L. Lewis is in Abilene this week the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Girand.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Williams and daughters, Misses Geneva and Mildred, former residents of Haskell, but now of Abilene, spent last week-end with Haskell friends.

Miss Helen Neff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Neff, was the past week's guest of Miss Mildred Williams of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Alexander have returned from El Paso where they visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alexander.

Miss Ethel Irby has returned from Abilene where she was the guest of her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bickley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Waldrip and baby of West Point, Ga., are guests in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Burt.

Mrs. L. E. Fuller and son, Lawrence of Covington, have returned to their home after visiting her parents here, Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Baker.

Mr. Cecil Koonce is reported quite ill this week at his family residence.

Mrs. W. J. Bowell and grandchildren, Elizabeth and Beverly Gilbert have returned from Los Angeles, Cal., where they spent the summer.

Mrs. G. E. Patterson and sons, O. E. Jr. Thomas and David have returned from a visit to San Antonio.

Mr. Bill Morrow of Cattula, Texas, was last week-end guest of Miss Brucile Bryant.

Mrs. Sam Randal of Hermleigh, Texas, was the guest of Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant last week.

Miss Syble Hancock of Wichita Falls was the house guest of Miss Brucile Bryant last week.

Miss Alletia Abbott of Amarillo is the present guest in the home of Dr. O. M. Guest and Judge and Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant.

Mrs. J. J. Guest is visiting her children in Plainview and Amarillo at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander have returned from the northern markets where they purchased goods for the F. G. Alexander and Sons store.

Mrs. Olivia Mays has returned from St. Louis where she bought the fall stock of goods for the Guy Mays store.

Mrs. D. S. Davidson and children of Fort Worth, and Mrs. M. L. Davidson of Sanger are guests in the home of Mrs. Olivia Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Odell of Abilene were guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Donohoo, a few days of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. R. G. Forrester left Thursday for Cisco to attend the encampment of the Christian church. Rev. Forrester will have a place on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ballard and children of Colorado, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard.

House guests of Miss Lucy Martin last week were Misses Ruth Gray, Abilene; Veta Humphry, Knox City; Frances Atechison and Thelma Newsom, Munday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Vaughn are entertaining Misses Mattie Vaughn and Bess Neeley and Mr. W. O. Neeley of Clovis, N. M., for a few weeks.

Miss Ila Kinney of San Angelo spent two days of last week with Miss Sula Maye Ratliff and they visited mutual friends in Abilene.

Misses Lois Johnson of Corsicana and Ruth Milstead were guests of Miss Melba Bledsoe last Sunday.

Mrs. Marshall Pierson and little daughter, Daisy Bell have gone to Galveston where they will visit their sons and brothers, Dr. Rogers Pierson and Mr. Ryan Pierson.

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London's oldest grocery store is still conducted by members of the family which started it in 1716.

## BURKBURNETT SOCIETY

BURKBURNETT, Aug. 27.—The Wesley Bible class of the Methodist church will hold their annual election of officers and teachers Thursday, September 1. All members of the class are urged to come to this meeting.

Dr. W. A. Fite of Tulsa, Okla., will preach at the First Baptist church of this city Sunday, serving as supply pastor.

Dr. Fite comes highly recommended as a man of unusual training and culture, being a graduate of Union University, Jackson, Tenn., with doctors degrees from S. W. Seminary at Fort Worth and a teacher of Bible in the Wayland College at Plainview. He has also been the pastor of the Las Vegas church, New Mexico, and for several years in Woodward, Okla. He is now one of district enlistment men from that state.

The members of the First Baptist church and their friends of the congregation are cordially invited to come out Sunday and hear Dr. Fite.

W. A. Moore was here this week from Muenster, visiting his family.

A. C. Horn and L. H. Horn were among the first to bring cotton into town this season. The latter brought a bale to Burkburnett Tuesday, and his son's came in last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayt Smith were here this week from Electra.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Roberts and son, who have been away on a vacation have returned to their home on the Hobb's lease, south of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kincaid are moving this week to their new home on East Fourth street, in the residence formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. E. Watt. The latter will reside in the Woodard house on East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bonher are spending their vacation touring in Missouri and Oklo, visiting relatives in Kansas City and Cleveland.

L. A. Pritchard is located in Pampa, Texas.

J. E. Truelove have returned from New Mexico to their home near the Dodson farm southeast of this city.

Mrs. E. L. Blum is spending a while in Wichita Falls with her mother and other relatives.

Greeting from Judd Exley and family report them visiting in Niagara Falls and will be back in Burkburnett the latter part of the month.

Messages from W. Kent in California stated that he will spend this week in the Catalena Island.

Andy Ford who has been spending a while in Muenster, Texas, has returned to Burkburnett.

W. O. Johnson and family have returned from a vacation trip to Galveston where they report a delightful season.

Ben Turner and family of Borger, Texas, are in the city visiting friends and enjoying their vacation season.

W. A. Evans of Fort Worth, superintendent of the Atlantic and Pacific stores in northwest Texas, was here this week in the interest of their local business.

Bill Brumbalow, of Wichita Falls was in the city this week greeting friends.

Mr. Jack, formerly of this city and residing on block 36, is reported to be dangerously sick in a local hospital in Wichita Falls. He has many friends in Burkburnett and was prominently associated with the oil interests during the boom days of the town.

Mr. Bryant, brother to Burl Bryant, has moved his family here from Vernon and will occupy the McCracken residence on East Second street. Mr. Bryant is connected with the Burkburnett Gin company.

Mrs. Dan Robinson of Ponder, Texas, is a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Horace Gotscher and husband this week.

The friends of Mrs. Eber Wolfe will regret to learn that she is reported to be ill with blood poison at her home near Ciera. Her illness was caused by an accident in which that cut and lacerate her knee a few days ago.

Among the marriage licenses issued this week of interest to Burkburnett readers was that of Buster Andrews and Miss Vera May Norvell of Burkburnett.

Mrs. A. L. High and children, Miss Nadine, Rama Jean and Tony B. left early Thursday for a visit with relatives in Aspermont, Texas. The trip was made overland.

Twenty ladies of the Hardin Demonstration club of Burkburnett attended the district rally held in Wichita Falls Thursday. They were distinguished by artistic ribbon badges of green and gold, carrying the word "Hardin." Speaking and a barbecue will feature the program of the rally of the demonstration clubs of this district.

S. P. Hawkins and son of Mineral Wells was in the city greeting friends Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Heine is visiting in Vernon this week, the guest of Mrs. W. M. Hall of that city.

Walter Horne, a well known driller of the section was here this week from Jacksboro, Texas.

Mrs. Mabel Fuller made a business trip to Wichita Falls Tuesday afternoon.

Pete Roberts and Earl King were business visitors from Vernon this week.

Mrs. Paul Browning accompanied her sister, Mrs. Hall to her home in Vernon at the close of a pleasant visit in Burkburnett.

John Pleasant of Wichita Falls was in the city week-end greeting his friends.

Ed Owens of Rabbit Creek community was in the city this week and reports his health much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lacey and son, James Busby, are enjoying a pleasant vacation with his father, J. T. Lacey and other relatives in Tyler, Texas.

Mrs. Hollis Goodwin spent Sunday in Vernon with relatives and friends.

Mr. Dodson of the Burkburnett Gin company has moved his family to this city from Vernon.

Mrs. J. A. D. Smith who has been spending a while in New Mexico is expected home in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cox and children and Mrs. Fred Cox and children are visiting in Donna, Texas.

L. E. Fowler, who has been in East Texas with the Gulf company, has returned to Burkburnett.

Miss Bee Burrow, who is employed at the First National Bank in Wichita Falls, visited her family and friends in this city this week.

Miss Anne Tarr of Archer City, has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Maxwell Hardware company. Miss Tarr is a sister-in-law to Bill Anderson, manager of the store.

W. A. Roberts and family are enjoying a vacation trip into Missouri, making the journey overland.

Mrs. Roger Lester and little daughter, Bernice, from El Paso, Texas, visited Mrs. W. B. Smith and family while enroute to Waco where she will visit her mother.

Walt Worley of the Star office spent the week-end visiting his family in Bowie, Texas.

Mrs. W. J. Jetton and children of Electra were Sunday visitors in the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Greeson on East Main street.

Mrs. Hyram Berry and children of Cross Cutt, Texas, are spending two weeks in the home of her mother and sister, Mrs. J. A. Moody and Mrs. Hallie Duggan. The family formerly lived in Burkburnett and have many friends here who are pleased to greet them.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cannon and family are enjoying their vacation season at Sulphur, Okla. Mr. Cannon is prescriptionist at the Key Drug store.

Miss Fay Furgason of Tehoka, Texas, is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. Martin Duval on East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Dabney, sister, and Miss Ouida Reynolds, neice of Mrs. J. H. Brumley are guests this week in the latter's home. These relatives are from Alvord, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Henry and children, Reese Jr. and Miss Helen Henry, also Miss Pansy Mills have returned from a pleasant visit in Lott, Waco and other points in East Texas.

Mrs. J. W. Barnett of the Texas Store Beauty Shop left Monday for Hamilton, Texas, and other points in the state where she will spend a brief vacation season.

Miss Sarah Goldberg, sister of Mrs. Abe Sandler and a friend, Miss Ruth Weil, returned to Dallas after a pleasant visit in the Sandler home in this city.

Mrs. L. L. Douggan spent the week-end with her husband in Seminole, Okla., where he has accepted a position with the Sinclair Oil company, his former employes for a number of years.

## FARMERS VALLEY

FARMERS VALLEY, Aug. 27.—Mr. Ed. Swim and daughters, Rubye and Mae of Vernon were community visitors Friday.

J. F. Frost, local merchant, was a Jurrman in the Vernon court this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Frost and daughter, Erma, accompanied by Dr. Pertle, departed Tuesday for Lubbock, where Mr. and Mrs. Frost will visit their daughter, Mrs. Royal Arnold. Dr. Pertle is returning to his home at Loveland.

Jodie Hardage returned recently from Oklahoma, where he has been visiting relatives.

Miss Della West spent Saturday night with Misses Beulah and Berta Hardage.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Frost accompanied by Miss Mary Barnett of Vernon, left Monday for a visit with friends and relatives at Bonham and Renauna, Texas.

Miss Vivian Coats was a guest in the J. W. West home Sunday.

Messrs. Dale Baldwin, Elton McAdams and Misses Erma Frost and Annie Reynolds attended church at Prairie View Sunday night.

Mrs. Author Duckworth and Misses Madge, Beulah and Berts Hardage and Miss Della West visited Ruth Keyton Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. J. Frost and little daughter, Carolyn Veryl were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Frost's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Frost and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dobson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sanders and family attended church at Prairie View Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Dockery of Elliott visited Mrs. Dockery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Randel, Sunday.

Misses Jewel Culpepper and Lois Barnes returned to their home in Ranger Monday after a two weeks' visit with their father and grandfather, Mr. J. H. Culpepper.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Herdago and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Rubs Clemens and son and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duckworth and family are attending the Baptist revival at Prairie View this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Randel, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Randel of Chillicothe and Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Dockery of Elliott visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Baldwin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Culpepper and family were Vernon visitors Monday.

Lloyd West of Bailey high visited Clarence Grimes Sunday.

Miss Ophelia Reynolds and little neice, Tommy Moore, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Frost.

Mrs. Mollie McCaslin and son, Avis of Daily high visited in the E. H. Baldwin home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Frost and Miss Ruth Keyton were guests in the J. B. Cox home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Bennie Glover attended church at Tolbert Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones Sr., of Chillicothe are visiting in the community this week.

Wade Terry and Mrs. Floyce Drake of Post City visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Drake Wednesday.

Miss Mary Baldwin was a guest in the home of Mrs. C. S. Saunders Wednesday.

Misses Carrie Church, Vivian Coats and Della and Shirley West were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Hardage Wednesday.

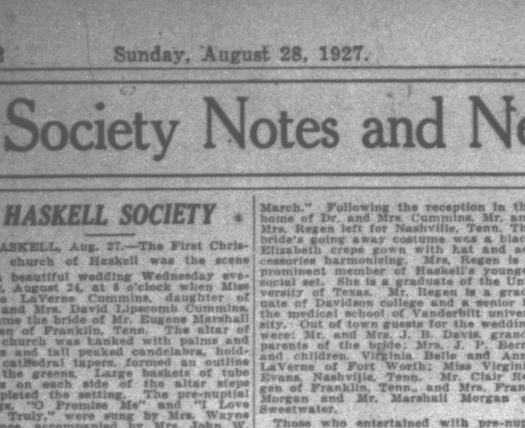
Mrs. Olean Coats is recovering from a three weeks' illness of typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blanchard and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Randel Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Phillips and Miss Lillian Cox were Vernon visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Saunders and sons, John Jr., and Thomas Lowery of Breckenridge visited Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Saunders Tuesday.

Mrs. C. M. Keylon and daughter, Ruth, visited Mrs. Rolla Randel Wednesday.

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# Wichita Falls Record News

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 1927.

# Latest Facts from Science, Mechanics and Invention

## The Kitchen Cabinet Orchestra

### How a Band of "Sinkopaters" Make Music with Tin Pans, Pots and Spoons.

A Couple of Uniformed "Sinkopators" Coaxing Melody from Instruments Made of Cooking Utensils.

TIN pans, pots, spoons, funnels and other kitchen utensils as musical instruments are suggestive of nothing but discordant notes worthy of a jungle band. But, according to the latest kitchen recipe, such "ingredients" go to make up a cook's orchestra, the members of which, as real "sinkopaters," are enabled to coax harmony out of tinware.

The basic formula for such a recipe, as given in Popular Mechanics, goes something like this:

"Take one tin funnel of medium size, six tin spoons and three or four extension curtain rods. Coat the ends of the rods with soldering flux, heat slightly with the iron and apply a good grade of solder.

"Add one of those queer little instruments, called a 'kazoo,' at one end and serve it up in the kitchen cabinet band under the nom de plume of a trombone."

Imagine a large band of fifty pieces, completely equipped from drums to French horn and from clarinets to the strings of the bass viol. Such a band isn't unusual, but if every one of the instruments is made out of kitchen tinware soldered together and every one, regardless of what it looks like, is held to the lips and blown into, you have something decidedly novel.

Where the idea of a kitchen cabinet band originated nobody knows for sure, but there is evidence that it came out of the Kentucky mountains by way of southern Illinois.

Mrs. Harvey S. Smith, wife of a dentist of East St. Louis, Illinois, heard about such a band and after a course of soldering lessons under the tutelage of her radio-building husband, proceeded to make a full set of instruments, guided only by a postcard illustration of a similar organization. Mrs. Smith's idea was to create a novel form of entertainment to raise a charity fund for one of her clubs. She succeeded so well that others wanted to do the same, and a brisk trade in rented band instruments sprang up. A kitchen story in scenario form was written to go with the concert and add hilarity to an already laughable performance.

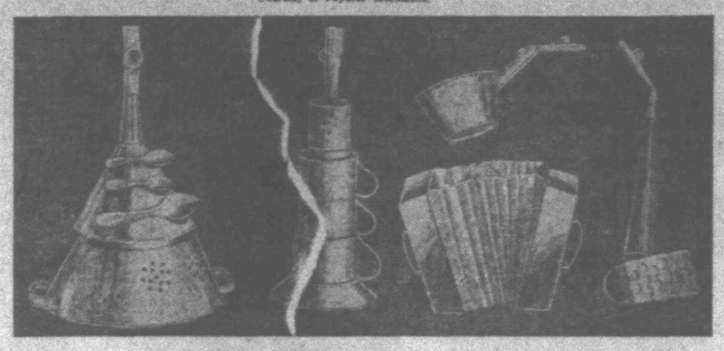
The instruments themselves are as varied as the ingenuity of the maker. They include about every odd and end that can be culled from the kitchen. Tin cans soldered together, with tin ice-cream spoons as keys, a flour sifter at one end and a kazoo at the other, become a moaning saxophone. Frying pans with picture wire strings and split clothespins for keys are translated into ukuleles. A washboiler top, fastened to an old mop handle and strung with picture wire, makes a neat-appearing cello. Tomato cans, graduated in size, soldered to form a circle, with a washbasin at the end and tin spoons for keys, make a passable bass horn. The drum is a dishpan covered with oil cloth.

Extension curtain rods make excellent slides for such things as trombones, or extension coat hangers can be used for the same purpose.

If you want a tom-tom, a worn-out washboard is excellent, particularly when a retired slipper is used as a mallet. Bake tins, with the handles of other pans soldered to their bottoms and connected by cold-starched and pleated muslin, can be converted into accordions. For the director's baton, a curtain rod is excellent, though a kitchen band composed of members of the faculty of a Los Angeles high school is ruled by a feminine drum-major armed with a feather duster.

An entire outfit of instruments for a good-sized band costs little more than five dollars, plus several hours' work with a soldering iron.

Courtesy of Popular Mechanics.



Baby Saxophones, Horns and an Accordion, All Built from Odds and Ends of Kitchen Tinware by a Woman Who Learned How to Solder.

And for musicians, one need not have a single person in the band who can read one note of music, for the kazoo plays when the player hums, and anybody who can hum a tune is eligible for membership. One kazoo alone doesn't make a band, but when twenty-five or thirty or more are hummed in unison, the result is surprisingly good, with a stirring quality and rhythm that is startling. The history of the kazoo is as shrouded in mystery as the origin of the kitchen band, but one story is that it goes back to the days of Cleopatra, when a frightened slave, ordered to play on a reed, extemporized with a crude hollowed stalk.

The bands were such a success at the start that, by the time half a dozen sets of instruments were on the road constantly, being rented to organizations all over the country, Mrs. Smith turned to uniforms. Brilliant red caps, scarfs and sashes, garnished with small tin spoons instead of gold frogs, and with toy knives and forks to add a special touch here and there, carried the kitchen band one step further. The demand for instruments and uniforms became so great that it was necessary to design special boxes for packing and shipping them. At that, a full set of instruments and uniforms for a twenty-eight-piece band rent for only $12.

The maker saves the tin cans that pass through her kitchen and buys the rest of the supplies at a dime store. With constant practice, she has become proficient with tin snips and soldering iron and has reached the point where she not only doesn't cut her hands any more, but is seldom scratched. Her bands, in the last three years, have earned more than $4,000 for women's organizations, in addition to the profits from others designed in imitation of the originals.

## Why Sweet Odors Are Preferred

JUST why those scents characterized as "sweet" should be best liked by man has never been satisfactorily explained. However, such an attempt is made by F. A. Hampton in a book entitled "The Scent of Flowers and Leaves; Its Purpose and Relation to Man." It simplifies the question, this authority thinks, to use the word "sweet" rather than "pleasant"; for many scents, such as the scent of newly baked bread and of the earth after rain, are pleasant, but not sweet in the more definite sense in which this word is used in describing the jasmine and syringa.

"If we make a list of sweet scents," says Mr. Hampton, "we shall find that the sweetest are those of the heavy and aromatic group of flowers, and that, in general, a scent, whether animal vegetable or chemical is 'sweet' in so far as it resembles these flower scents."

The author defines a sweet scent as one that can stir the instinct of courtship. It is more exact to use the word "courtship" rather than "mating," since the appeal of scent, in civilized man, is associated with the stirring of an emotion and not with the satisfaction of it. Since no object for the wakened instinct is presented to consciousness, the emotion set free is diffused into a vaguely pleasurable state, which is the characteristic of sweet scent.

"The definition of sweet scent," Mr. Hampton continues, "affords a basis from which to explain certain individual and national preferences for different types of scent, for the sweetness of scent depends upon the degree to which it stirs the primitive instinct. It depends upon the sensitiveness of the individual, and upon his capacity to appreciate and remain content with a vague and tenuous emotion.

"English people in general show a preference for rose, lavender, violet, and the more definitely aromatic scents, like clove pink. The Latin races seem to be less sensitive and they can enjoy scents which we find too sweet and heavy.

"In the Eastern nations the preference for heavy scents is still more marked, and is extended to an appreciation of scents with a strongly animal quality, such as patchouli, spikenard and pachak. The tendency reaches its limit in the use of crocodile musk by the natives of Somaliland.

"Scent, as something invisible yet strongly felt, has always excited the interest of mankind, and a certain magic power has often been attributed to it. Sweet-scented substances were supposed, by their tenuousness and subtlety, to act directly upon the brain and were held to be antidotes to disease. For the cause of disease was often pictured as a noisome, pestilential vapor, and a sweet scent, being similar in nature but opposite in quality, was reasonably supposed to counteract it."

## How to TREAT the BITES of SNAKES

TREATMENT for a person bitten by a poisonous snake is outlined as follows in Hygeia by Dr. Howard A. Kelly:

1. Above all else, act promptly. Time is, of all things, the one and most vitally important factor.

2. Keep cool and act with deliberation.

3. If a person not needed to treat the patient is available, let him get the snake and keep it for identification.

4. The bite being almost invariably on hand, arm, or leg, throw a handkerchief around the limb well above the wound, knot it, and insert a stout stick under the loop and twist until the circulation of the limb below is cut off.

5. Take a sharp knife and cut deeply in the long axis of the limb through each fang puncture. Then join the cuts by an incision from one opening to the other.

6. If permanganate of potash is at hand, make a strong, dark solution and insert it into the bottom of the wound, washing it out and putting in more. Fifteen minutes after the bite it is useless to use the permanganate, the poison having diffused itself into the tissues.

7. Release the tourniquet (ligature) after twenty minutes for ten or fifteen minutes and apply it again for twenty minutes.

Whiskey should not be given to a person who has been bitten by a snake, warns Dr. Kelly. The foolish but popular notion is that when a man is bitten by a snake he cannot be made drunk and that a pint of whiskey is good, but a quart is better for him. Whiskey has buried many a victim who would have survived; alcohol does no good, but acts as a depressant.

There are several other detrimental and foolish notions prevalent in primitive communities. One is that some old wiseacre in the community is a better person to treat snake bite than an experienced physician; another, that some unusual and unpleasant dose must be given to meet the emergency. Then there still linger stupid ideas about the efficacy of madstones (the State of Virginia actually bought one for a large sum from a quack in the eighteenth century).

"I am almost inclined to assert that in our country more people are killed by the 'remedies' for snake bite than die from the snakes' poison," asserts Dr. Kelly. "Kerosene, so often given, is of no use, and is fatal when taken in large quantities. In a case I know of, no venom had been injected, yet kerosene was given. It was fatal!"

Never stupidly put a lot of gunpowder on the bite and explode it. Remember that "recoveries," when an overdose of the remedy has not been given, have often followed the bite of a harmless snake, real or imaginary.

## MOLLUSKS Now MADE to WRITE in Mother of PEARL

MOLLUSKS are made to produce writing in mother-of-pearl on the inside of their shells by an original process perfected by Roy Walter James, a young scientist and inventor, of Covina, Calif. For the last five years he has made a study of the abalone, a large sea-snail, and has accumulated much data relative to the habits of the creature and has produced many interesting pearl forms.

First efforts to retain specimens any length of time from crawling away were fruitless. Just how Mr. James worked out a system of tethering them with chains is described in the Pathfinder. Taking advantage of natural holes in the shell used by the animal for breathing a flathead stove bolt was inserted from the inside outward in one of these holes. The end link of a 14-inch brass chain, with a snap and swivel on the opposite end, was put on the bolt, which was fastened down permanently with a lock-nut. The specimens were then snapped on a long chain and fastened down to the sea floor at intervals of two feet.

This method of retaining specimens has made it possible to study them for any length of time desired. Much has been learned as to the rapidity of growth of pearls of the different species of abalone that abound along the Pacific Coast. The abalone has been used so extensively in the past for food, especially by the Japanese population, that the shell-fish is almost extinct except for the isolated regions to which few people have access.

The abalone produces mother-of-pearl of more colors than any other mollusk in the world. Sometimes it is a bright green, sometimes deep purple, or bright blue, or pink, or the common silvery color. According to Mr. James, the pearl is produced faster on this mollusk than on any other mollusk of its size. He has handled thousands of specimens and has never seen one which produced a spherical pearl. Hence there are no beautiful blue, purple and brilliant green pearls on the market, although there are reports about such being found. Several such reports have been traced and turned out to be myths, or pearls of such low grade as to be worthless.

Mollusk Shells Showing Initials Grown on the Inside in Mother of Pearl.

## WALL SAFES to Encourage SAVING

MANY workers in office buildings, factories and shops are only too apt, when they get their pay envelopes to squander at least some of the money as quickly as possible. If a savings bank were close at hand, they might avoid the spending temptation by depositing a part of their money.

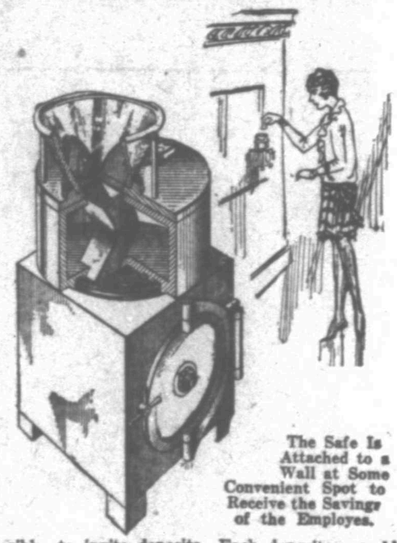
Why not have a little bank in every office building, factory, or shop? It need only be a safe, with one attendant in charge. Not an ordinary safe, but a small vault constructed on a pattern which is suggested by Clare W. Banta, of San Francisco.

It looks much like an every-day office safe, except that on top of it is mounted a circular turret which carries a hopper. From the hopper a chute leads down through the turret into the safe, wherein is hung a sack (its mouth held open by hook brackets) to receive the money dropped into the hopper.

As the drawing shows, the lower part of the chute is in the safe, passing through the top of the latter. It co-acts with the upper portion (inside the turret) to form a continuous tube. But the turret is rotatable on a central post, so that the two portions of the chute can be readily disconnected from each other.

In case of a holdup or a fire, the attendant in charge of the apparatus has only to touch a switch with his foot. The switch controls an electric motor inside the safe, which, through a worm and worm-wheel connection, causes the turret to rotate and throws the two portions of the chute out of connection. When this is done a spring-pressed bolt moves into a depression in the turret and locks it fast. It can then be released only by opening the door of the safe, which has a combination lock.

The idea of the inventor is that banks shall distribute these portable vaults as widely as possible, to invite deposits. Each depositor would himself place his money in a container, drop it into the hopper, and receive from the attendant a temporary receipt. At intervals during the day the bank's armored car would make a round of the deposit stations and collect the money from the safes.



The Safe Is Attached to a Wall at Some Convenient Spot to Receive the Savings of the Employes.

## SCALP-PATTER to Invigorate HAIR

MASSAGING the scalp is recommended to promote the growth of the hair. To accomplish this without injury to one's "crowning glory," Thomas F. Homan, of Cincinnati, has invented what he calls a "scalp-patter."

The device consists of a rubber skull-cap which fits snugly on the head and extends downward at the rear to embrace the nape of the neck and the uppermost vertebrae of the spine.

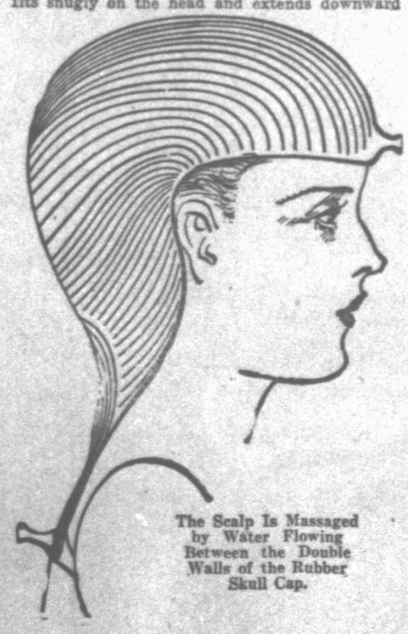
The skull-cap is double. Its outer coat is lined with numerous ridges which form channels. The under coat, which contacts with the scalp of the user, is of very thin rubber.

A channel runs all around the edge of the skull-cap, and from it lead other channels to another main channel that follows the central line of the hair-parting down to a coil-channel in the portion of the device that covers the back of the neck.

Connected to the lower end of this coil portion is a rubber tube for admission of water into the cap. At the front of the latter, where it covers the forehead, is an exit nozzle for the attachment of a second tube.

In operation, water is forced into the cap at the back of the neck by means of an instrument familiarly known to physicians as a "pulsator," and, flowing through the channel coils, it emerges through the tube in front.

The inner wall of the skull-cap (next to the scalp) being thin and flexible, the trickling pulsations of the water give to the scalp a multitude of little pattings, which, the inventor claims, stimulate circulation of the blood and growth of the hair.



The Scalp Is Massaged by Water Flowing Between the Double Walls of the Rubber Skull Cap.

## What the Inventors Are Doing

USEFUL for an auto trip, in fact for any purpose when an entire meal must be kept warm indefinitely, is a generously-proportioned thermal food container which holds several vessels for vegetables and meats.

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Odd though it seems, the amplifiers and horn projectors of the newly-invented vitaphone are of the same type as those used for magnifying the sound of heart-beats—resort being had to this contrivance for the purpose of testing the rhythm of the heart and to diagnose cardiac troubles. Used for this purpose, it is in effect an enormous electrical stethoscope. An ordinary stethoscope, placed over the "subject's" heart, is connected to an apparatus containing vacuum tubes, and the heart-beats, electrically amplified, are transmitted through a huge horn.

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Training persons with cross-eyes to recover normal vision is the chief function of a projecting instrument which is reported to have been successful in eighty per cent of the cases undertaken for correction.

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## How the XYLOPHONE Was INVENTED

XYLOPHONES, those wooden musical instruments popular throughout Central America, were invented indirectly as the result of a command issued by the celebrated Saladin, who captured Jerusalem and commanded that all bells, great and small, should be broken, in order to remove a means whereby the people could be called together. The same measure was adopted in other countries conquered by the Turks or "Saracens." Thus it came about that bars of wood or iron, hung from towers or otherwise suspended, and struck with hammers, took the place of bells. Even at the present time bells are unlawful in Mohammedan countries, metal or wooden bars being used instead to summon worshipers to the mosques.

Such bars have different tones according to their length, and their use in lieu of bells gave rise to the invention of musical instruments in which small bars of wood or metal, of different lengths for gradations of pitch, were caused to vibrate by striking them with hammers. Hence the xylophone, which was introduced into Mexico and Central America at least a century before it became known in the United States. At first, in those countries, it was constructed with hollow gourds for resonators, these being attached beneath the bars.

In view of the expectation that there is soon to be dug a new interoceanic canal across Nicaragua, it is interesting to learn that the xylophone is more highly developed there and in nearby Guatemala than anywhere else in the world.

The highly-developed xylophone of Nicaragua is a topless table with cords stretched its length. The cords support bars of wood, graduated in size, and beneath each bar is suspended a hollow wooden resonator. The instrument is played by four or five performers, each using a pair of drumsticks with heads of raw rubber.

The xylophone has considerable popularity in America but when it was first introduced, in 1879, it aroused an amazing enthusiasm. The instrument, played by a single performer, was a crude affair compared with the type above described.

## How Shaving May Give Some Men a Bad Temper

THERE is a good reason why many men lose their temper more easily when they shave. This is because the nerves on the side of the face, according to Popular Science Monthly, are linked closely to the anger centers of the brain, and disturbing them causes trouble. This is one fact brought out in a recent scientific study of shaving. Here are others:

In stropping your razor, use a rigid strop, or if you prefer a supple one, use a slow stroke. If the strop is too supple, or stroke too rapid, a tiny following wave in the leather or other material curls up after the blade and dulls it.

Don't let the blade get heated. Soft steel, such as that in safety blades, heats quickly, so in stropping them use a very slow and rather short stroke. Don't dip your razor in boiling water just before shaving, for this softens the steel.

Washing the face with toilet water before applying the lather makes the beard soft and should insure an easier shave.

# Why Science Says Our Next Beauty Queen Will Be

## *Bobbed, Freckled, Plump and Pigeon-Toed*

### *A Famous Expert's Voice from the Grave Prophesies a Startling Shift in Standards of Splendor.*

"Beauty's Eyes"—Close-Up of Catherine Campbell, of Columbus, O., Who for Two Successive Years Held the "Miss America" Title. Will Orbs Like Hers Win the 1927 Prize—or Less Limpid, Narrower Ones?

The Late Dr. Paul Kammerer, Whose Beauty Philosophy Is Explained On This Page.

WHEN Science declares that man is the millionth cousin of the ape, that a tiny gland at the base of his brain influences 90 per cent of his life, or that an "inferiority complex" can make him famous, the ordinary mortal takes it at face value and honors the findings with silent agreement.

But when Science declares flatly that the next American beauty queen will be bob-haired, plump, freckled—and pigeon-toed—the average man might lift an eyebrow to express a polite, but stubborn, "How come?"

The explanation of this positive assurance of a reversal of beauty standards at the forthcoming annual Atlantic City pageant is not too complicated and is, in general, convincing. Consider the history of the pageant. Year after year, for six years, prize-winning contestants have, with slight exceptions, run true to a given form. From 1921 to 1926 "Miss America," no matter what State she came from, no matter what the hue of her eyes, no matter what her age, has been:

Long-haired, with a blonde tendency.
Clear and fresh of complexion;
Slim as a poplar, and
Straightforward in her gait.

Well, you may say, all the more reason why the beauty type should continue to conform to this standard. What object would there be in deviating from this rigid system of "coincidences?" That is where Science, in the person of the late Dr. Paul Kammerer, famous Austrian biologist, steps in, ghost-like, and exclaims: "No!" Before he had time to force the world at large to accept his philosophy, Dr. Kammerer died by his own hand. But he left behind him documents and records of experiments which entitle his wraith to a hearing, with special reference to what he considered the utter impossibility of "coincidences."

In an unusual book which he calls "The Law of Series" (Das Gesetz der Serie), Dr. Kammever makes a unique contribution to "a theory on repetition in life and cosmos." The book may be described as a by-product of twenty years of biological investigation. It is not wholly an abstract philosophical and scientific work, but it is a tangible, concrete and practical study of daily occurrences which are generally classed as coincidences.

Of this double activity, Kammerer says: "I am a biologist, but I cannot help being a philosopher, too. As a by-product of my biological studies and my observations on life I have come across certain facts, which I hereby submit to the judgment of thinkers. Many will say that these facts parallel their own experiences. But explanation of the facts has not been found."

When Dr. Kammerer wrote "Das Gesetz der Serie," he risked not only his scientific reputation but invited the criticism of himself as a victim of superstition and a disciple of the occult. His treatise is an attempt to explain coincidence in daily life. Briefly, Dr. Kammerer holds that there is no such thing as "coincidence," but that the happenings so termed are determined by what he calls "the law of series." Underlying all happenings, Dr. Kammerer states, is a natural law of repetition which expresses itself through the recurrence of the object which set the series in motion. Kammerer does not commit himself to any explanation of "series," but presents his findings to the jury of his readers with the implied question, "What is your explanation?"

In formulating his law, Kammerer had recourse to the history tables of Friedrich Stromer von Reichenbach, who states that he has no doubts as to the recurrence of events in history; his tables tend to prove conclusively that "history repeats itself." Von Reichenbach claims that the series in which world history revolves has a "wave length" of approximately 300 years, and presents many illustrations to support his assertion.

To return to our bathing beauties before we go too far astray in the study of so-called coincidence, we have had illustrated in the contests of the last six years a "long-haired cycle," in which precedence has been given to the purely feminine type of beauty. According to Kammerer's scale of time on a "series," six years represents a long period of repetition. Hence, we may believe that the cycle is nearing its end, and, since all periods are reactionary, a new type—the freckled, bob-haired, rather pudgy hoyden—will reign in place of her slender, stately, Helen-of-Troy sister.

In reviewing past events in the support of his theory, Dr. Kammerer relates many examples of curious coincidences. Koch and Baumgarten discovered the tubercle bacillus within the same year; Darwin and Huxley formulated the origin of species almost simultaneously in the course of independent researches; Hertz and Marconi discovered etheric waves at approximately the same time; Zeppelin and Santos Dumont developed the dirigible within the same period, and in the last five years, Voronoff and Steinach worked out theories of rejuvenation "on their own."

Within the last decade we have had striking examples of this underlying force toward coincident occurrence. Countries, poles apart, have been visited simultaneously with social unrest; widely scattered, smouldering flames, due to various economic causes, burst into one conflagration upon the occasion of the murder, in 1914, of the Austrian archduke; and, as the most recent illustration, the present "aviation cycle" has left thrilling records of international air conquests.

In his book, Kammerer points out that a coincidence in daily life generally evokes the comment, "Life is an echo." To illustrate: an unusual word may not have been seen for years. Suddenly one stumbles across it on every page. One may not have heard a certain name for years. Then, quite suddenly, one meets a person bearing this striking name. Hardly has one recovered from the surprise than one learns of two or three other persons bearing the same name. In daily life such occurrences are so numerous that they hardly excite comment. "Life is an echo," agrees Dr. Kammerer, "because the law of series underlies existence."

Dr. Kammerer points out a striking illustration of his law in the life of Napoleon. Passing through Badenia, on October 11, 1809, the Emperor, then at the height of his power, remarked: "You know, I am very much in love with St. Helena. It must be wonderful to end one's life in so quiet and congenial a place."

A few years later, the dethroned Emperor boarded the Bellerophon, which took him to St. Helena—not the pretty little hamlet in Badenia, but the barren island in the South Atlantic.

From "odd coincidences" in every-day life, Kammerer comes to his chapter on "Different Types of Series." He speaks of the unexpected gratification of long-sought wishes, of the receipt of a letter from a person who has been in our thoughts for some time, but from whom we have not heard for a considerable period. He mentions the common experience of meeting someone of whom we have been speaking or thinking, or of meeting a number of people with similar characteristics.

One may have a period of "luck" or "ill luck." Breaking a piece of crockery may be repeated a second or third time, although it may have been years since one had a similar experience. One may express a "cycle within a cycle" or a "recurrence of coincidences within coincidences."

Thus we have Science giving a plausible explanation of what first seemed a sweeping and unsupported statement. The first "Miss America," Miss Margaret Gorman, of Washington, had blond curls that reached below her shoulders. Catherine Campbell, of Columbus, Ohio, who twice wore the crown, had long chestnut curls. Ruth Malcolmson, of Philadelphia, the winner in 1924, possessed a wealth of light brown ringlets. Fay Lanphier, of California, who won in 1925, had long, golden hair. Norma Smallwood, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who won the crown in 1926 and will reign as queen regent of the approaching pageant, has straight, light brown hair. The "runner-up" last year, "Miss Washington," also had long, light hair, reaching well below her waist.

Yet the board of judges, composed of fifteen of America's most eminent painters and sculptors, declared last year that they had no prejudice against short hair.

Last year's winner of the crown, "Miss Tulsa," adopted a really trying coiffure. Her hair was smoothly parted in the center, and no softening wave relieved its severity of line. Her long locks were plaited in two braids and coiled over each ear. Many of the judges thought she might have adopted a more effective arrangement of her luxuriant tresses and yet it may have been the simplicity of her coiffure that won.

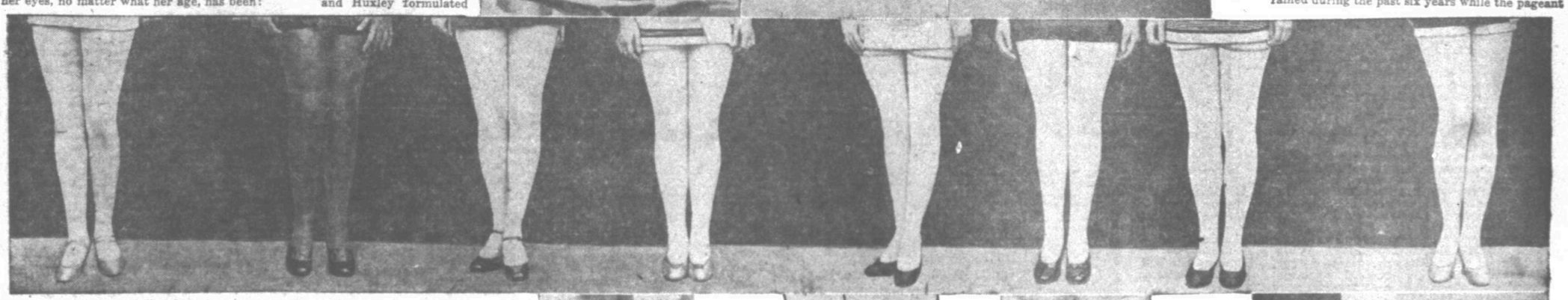
Now once more Atlantic City is preparing to turn the spotlight on the beauty of the nation. The parade of pulchritude, known as the Atlantic City Pageant and National Beauty Exhibition, will be staged on September 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10. (And, by the way, another unusual fact in the history of the pageant is that it has never rained during the past six years while the pageant was in progress!)

The most beautiful girls of at least one hundred and ten cities will compete in the approaching tournament. In addition, beauties chosen from State-wide contests will represent eleven different commonwealths. The Dominion of Canada will send two representatives.

The figures this year will not be over-exposed. This rule does not apply to professional beauties entered by national advertisers, but merely to the official beauty, sponsored by the Pageant Committee and her home-town and home-State newspapers. All contestants for the crown of "Miss America" must be between sixteen and twenty-five.

During the pageant, the inter-city beauties are treated as visiting royalty—potential queens. Each girl is provided with a gaily-colored motor, bearing the name of the city she represents. She dwells in a suite of rooms at a luxurious Boardwalk hotel. Flowers and gifts are showered upon the contestants. They are feted and cheered by the immense crowds. Many prizes are awarded. Almost every girl wins a cup of some kind, for there are three prizes for each division, and also honors for the most beautiful girl in evening dress. Whether she is crowned "Miss America" or not, the inter-city beauty who is lucky enough to compete in the tournament may complacently sigh and say, "Well, I was a queen for five days, anyway. 'La Reine est morte. Vive la Reine!'"

With all these plans nearing completion for the 1927 Beauty Contest, it will be interesting to see, when the award is made in September, just how accurate science will have been in its forecast of a sudden shift in repeated "coincidence."



Panoramic View of Various Pairs of Shapely Legs Displayed by Contestants at Atlantic City in 1926. One-Piece Bathing Suits, However, Are Now Tabu, a Change in Taste Which Would Not Have Surprised Philosopher Kammerer.

Above, from Left to Right: Norma Smallwood, Last Year's Beauty Queen; "Miss X," the Probable "Dark Horse" Winner of the 1927 Contest, and Fay Lanphier, 1925's "Miss America."
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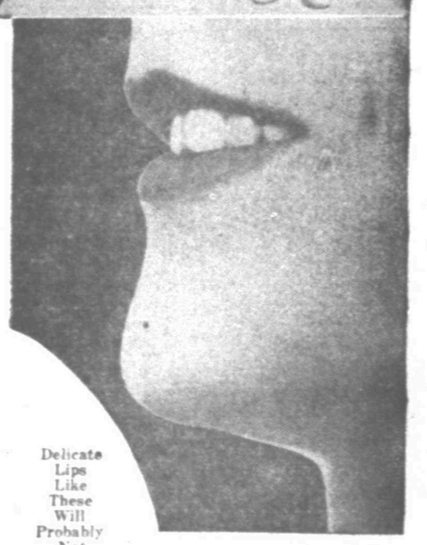
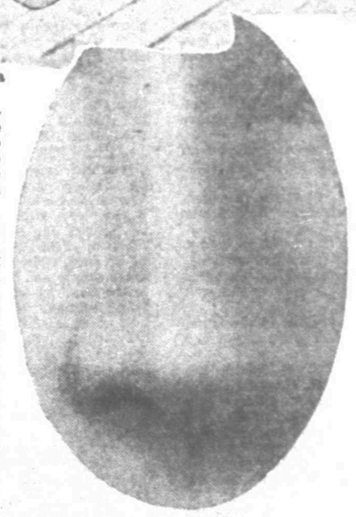


Delicate Lips Like These Will Probably Not Be Duplicated by the Winner of This Season's Beauty Battle, Affirms Science.



Perfectly Formed Nose of Ruth Malcomson, of Philadelphia, 1924 Beauty Queen. And This Year—a "Pug" Triumphant?

Newspaper Feature Service, 1927.

# Battles of Her Boy Admirers Over Rich Old Mrs. Tucker

## Out Into the Bitter Night Bounced Susie's "Adopted Son," Bearing a Black Eye Given Him by Her Husband, and Vanished!

Above: Richard Granville, 19-Year-Old Pal of Mrs. Tucker's Boy-Husband, Whose Proposed Adoption Menaced the May-December Romance. Left: Mrs. Burton Tucker Wreathed in Smiles Over the Joyful Outcome of the Rumpus.

MRS. SUSIE SIMPSON, wealthy, elderly widow and hotel-owner, who several years ago created a sensation by marrying 16-year-old Burton Tucker, is again receiving a limelight shower bath.

But whereas, in 1923, comment on her was limited to the fact that the corpulence and age of the bride were in distinct contrast to the extreme slenderness of her tall, juvenile husband, the 1927 flood of publicity was due to the admission into their domestic menage of a third person, boy-friend of the boy-husband.

Following the Tucker-Simpson wedding which brought about manifestations of parental disapproval and court injunctions, the millionaire bride announced that anything her boy-husband desired would be his for the asking. There followed the gift, among others, of a beautiful limousine, and handsome wardrobe.

All swept along smoothly until it was indicated that his wealthy wife's generosity was not to embrace Burton exclusively. Upon the announcement that she planned to adopt Richard Granville, her husband's 19-year-old chum, then employed at Mrs. Tucker's N. Y. City hotel. Burton registered vigorous objections—and furthermore, did not stop there. Granville was established in the Tucker suite at the Pasadena, and rumors of heated discussions and the interchange of heavy blows by the two young chaps leaked out to the guests.

Burton, it appears, was willing to accept his wife's financial favors, and, was not averse to his friend's receipt of the same, but when it came to a matter of adoption, he drew the line. And having drawn the line, early one morning, he firmly proceeded to draw the curtain on any future adoptions by inelegantly thrusting his potential stepson out into the cold.

Burton's fury had been goaded into this outburst when he heard that his wife was not only contemplating adoption, but had promised Granville heavy financial backing in establishing a chain of newspapers. Immediately prior to Richard's rapid exodus, he had been going over the estimates of the proposition with Mrs. Tucker, when Burton, in a rage, yanked him from his chair, superimposed a black bruise over his startled blue eye, and kicked him downstairs.

Richard took refuge in a Fifty-eighth Street rooming house, where he nursed his bruises and wounded feelings. His repeated attempts to communicate with Mrs. Tucker were frustrated, and he disappeared completely. He is said to have laid claim to the titular rank of Earl of Kilkhampton and Stowe, and it is possible that he has gone to England to press this claim. At any rate, his presence no longer threatens the happiness of the Tucker menage.

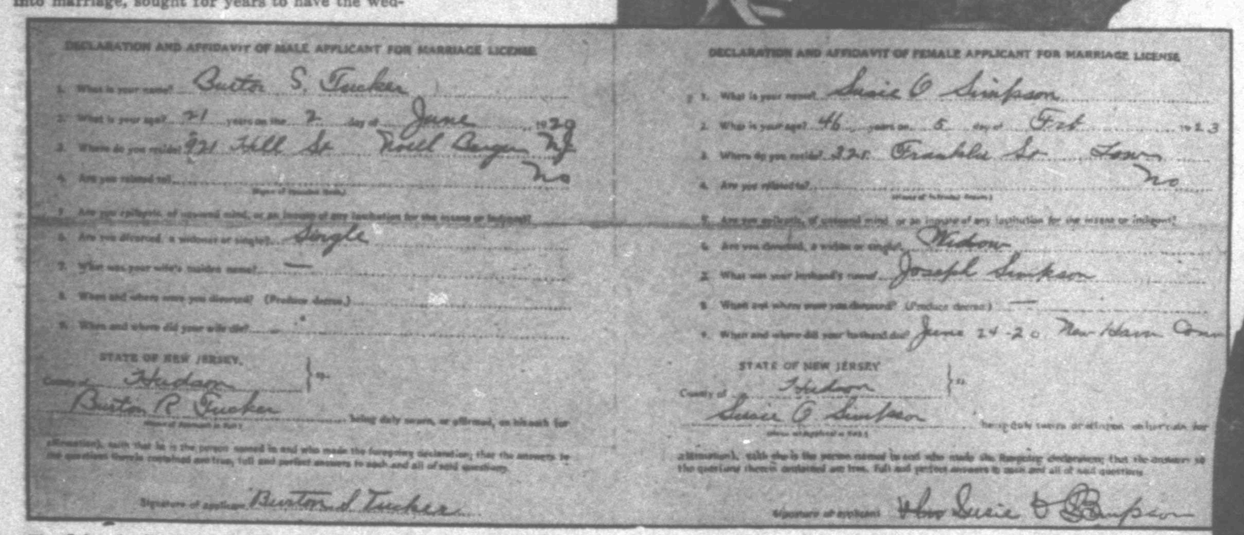
After this rumpus the Tuckers left for Altadena, California, where their second child, Burton (Tommy) Tucker, was born. Hoping to avoid the publicity which had resulted from the birth of their first child, they saw to it that the baby was not born in their luxurious California home, but in a small room in a house nearby.

No wedding of recent years has received more comment than did that of Mrs. Simpson to her 16-year-old husband. His irate parents, hailing her as a schemer who had "coerced" their son into marriage, sought for years to have the wedding annulled—a struggle which they did not give up until some time after the birth of the Tuckers' second child.



Mrs. Tucker's Small "Daughter," Adopted by Her Some Time Prior to Her Sensational Marriage to "Bud."

At Right: "Bud" Tucker, Gazing Adoringly at His Plump Wife and Holding One of Their Two Children, Who Will Inherit a Fortune.



DECLARATION AND AFFIDAVIT OF MALE APPLICANT FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE

1. What is your name? Burton S. Tucker
2. What is your age? 21 years on the 2 day of June 1927
3. Where do you reside? 321 Hill St Rural Cargen NJ
4. Are you related to? No
5. Are you epileptic, of unsound mind, or an inmate of any institution for the insane or indigent?
6. Are you divorced, a widower or single? Single
7. What was your wife's maiden name?
8. When and where were you divorced? (Produce decree.)
9. When and where did your wife die?

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, County of Hudson } ss.
Burton S. Tucker, being duly sworn, or affirmed, on his oath (or affirmation), saith that he is the person named in and who made the foregoing declaration; that the answers to the questions therein contained are true, full and perfect answers to each and all of said questions.

Signature of applicant Burton S. Tucker

DECLARATION AND AFFIDAVIT OF FEMALE APPLICANT FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE

1. What is your name? Susie C Simpson
2. What is your age? 46 years on the 5 day of Feb 1923
3. Where do you reside? 321 Franklin St Town No
4. Are you related to?
5. Are you epileptic, of unsound mind, or an inmate of any institution for the insane or indigent?
6. Are you divorced, a widow or single? Widow
7. What was your husband's name? Joseph Simpson
8. When and where were you divorced? (Produce decree.)
9. When and where did your husband die? June 24-20 New Haven Conn

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, County of Hudson } ss.
Susie C Simpson, being duly sworn or affirmed, on her oath (or affirmation), saith that she is the person named in and who made the foregoing declaration; that the answers to the questions therein contained are true, full and perfect answers to each and all of said questions.

Signature of applicant Mrs Susie C Simpson

The Joint Application for a Marriage License Which Got the Tuckers Into Temporary Hot Water. Note How the Document Lists Their Ages as 21 and 46, Despite the Facts.

The Tuckers' runaway wedding took place in New Jersey. There had been a falsification of their ages, according to a comparison of the official documents; a license had been obtained and it was declared that the license had been antedated so as to make it appear that the bride and groom had been in Jersey for the requisite number of hours between the taking out of the license and the solemnization of the wedding ceremony.

Soon afterward Tucker's parents persuaded him to return to Salem, where his father was employed as postmaster. Hoping to come to some amicable arrangement, he accepted their invitation and stayed with them for ten days. During that time, his parents claimed, Mrs. Tucker employed means to intimidate her young husband and force him, against his will, to return to her. This accusation Mrs. Tucker denies, saying that Burton met her in Gloucester voluntarily, and, in the company of one of his boy companions, drove back with her to their home in Ridgefield, New Jersey.

Reporters were denied the right of entrance to the Tucker home in Ridgefield, and every attempt to avoid publicity was made—but such an achievement was not possible. An inquiring member of the press succeeded in getting Mrs. Tucker on the 'phone, and, upon questioning her, received the following information:

"My husband was not forced to return to me," she said. "He came of his own accord, because he loves me. Probably you don't believe me, but I will have him tell you himself and then you may credit the statement."

Whereupon she called to Burton, instructing him to pick up the receiver of a third 'phone connection. "Now," she said into the transmitter, "ask him if he loves me."

"Is it true that three detectives visited you at your home and forced you to return to Mrs. Tucker?" came over the wire.

Mrs. Tucker cut in. "That is not the question you were to ask," she said quickly. "Ask him if he loves me."

The reporter complied with the question, and a high voice answered him in an indistinct mumble.

"There! You see!" came back Mrs. Tucker's triumphant comment. "He says he loves me now and always will."

Which remark, although inaudible at the time, was repeated by young Tucker on many later occasions.

Soon after Burton's return from Salem, the couple left for Southern Pines, N. C., where they planned to tighten the nuptial knot with a second wedding ceremony. This time, Burton and his wife gave their ages as 16 and 48 respectively. The second ceremony, with its admission of their true ages, far from accomplishing its purpose, merely strengthened the senior Tucker's feeling against Susie.

Inasmuch as it was then Christmas time and no court sessions could be held until after the first of the year, no attempt was made to force the couple to return to New Jersey. However, they returned in due course of time and, having presented themselves for trial, were released in $5,000 bail.

The proceedings limped along for several years, postponed from time to time for various reasons, and finally, three years later, the charges were dropped.

At the time of the birth of their first child, there was great discussion as to whether the baby was really Mrs. Tucker's or whether it had been adopted by her and claimed as her own, merely to tighten her hold upon her husband. While one does not in the least assume this to be true, it is nevertheless a fact that there was great mystery attached to the birth, none of the actual circumstances being known. A week after the baby was born, the Tuckers left for Altadena, California, where, it was said, Mrs. Tucker planned to build for Burton the beautiful mansion she had promised him.

Mrs. Tucker is a distant relative of Burton's mother, and first met Burton several years ago when she was visiting in Salem. She engaged him as her chauffeur, and a mutual infatuation is said to have sprung up between the strangely assorted pair. The boy followed her to New York when she left in the Fall. Their marriage followed.

When questioned by reporters following the publicity of their son's marriage, his parents said that he had always been a restless boy and had run away from home the previous year and worked for a time in the movie studios of Hollywood. Pecuniary difficulties had driven him home, where he had met his fate in the form of his fifty-year-old bride.

Susan Simpson's marriage to Burton Tucker was her fourth in a series of romances. She was first married in 1888 to Edward Packham, a Lynn shoemaker. The couple were not happy, and there was a divorce. Came Wedding Number II—to David Malone, a New York racing enthusiast. This second marriage was no more successful than the first, and was followed by a divorce—and a third marriage. The groom this time was Dr. Joseph Simpson, a former clergyman of South Essex. He then became a physician and died four years later.

Having withstood the vicissitudes of three previous marriages, it now remains to be seen whether Mrs. Tucker's latest match will run its gamut in perfect bliss. Will the disparity of their ages eventually wreck their happiness, or will it prove the theory of complete harmony in opposite personalities? Will Mrs. Tucker propose further adoptions, or will she allow the course of love to run its own smooth way?

At any rate, whatever the cards hold for the future, it is apparent that, for the present, the young Romeo and his elderly Juliet are at peace with the world—and each other.

In contradistinction to this happy denouement of the May-December romance comes the story of sixty-five-year-old Mrs. Stella Woodward Latourneau, who is now suing to divorce her 21-year-old husband. Paralleling the tale of the Tuckers in that, previous to his marriage to Mrs. Latourneau, the young husband was employed as her chauffeur, it has no similarity in any other respect.

The marriage was marked by bitter quarrels and recriminations and now, after nine months, may terminate in the divorce courts. Mrs. Latourneau charged cruel and abusive treatment and claimed her husband was guilty of confirmed intoxication. Police Chief Redmond, of Deerfield, testified at the hearing that the plaintiff had shown him bruises which were inflicted, she said, by her husband. Judge Thompson reserved decision in the suit, which was uncontested.

Mrs. Latourneau doubtless regrets that she did not adopt the means which Mrs. Tucker decided upon to retain the admiration of her young husband. When a glance in her mirror revealed to her that time had begun to take its toll of her features and the smoothness of her skin, Susie did not sit back resignedly and accept the "inevitable."

On the contrary, the wealthy Susan hied herself to a beauty specialist and had herself completely "made over." Gone were the haggard outlines around the eyes; gone wrinkles and crowsfeet; gone the sagging cheeks.

Of the four treatments undergone by Mrs. Tucker, the "draw-and-lift" was the most drastic. This was accomplished by snipping out long arcs of skin on both sides of the face. The surgeon began near the lobe of the ear, the cut entering within one-quarter of an inch of the eye and continuing in an inward curve across the temple.

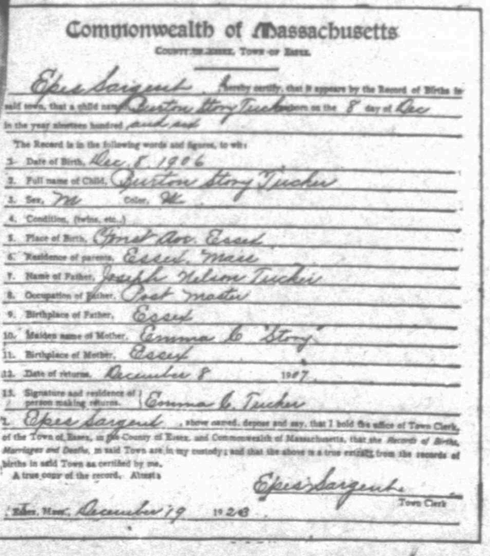
The suture corrected three conditions; crow's feet vanished from around the eyes; lines from nose to mouth were removed; and the lower part of the cheeks was lifted into plump firmness.

The second operation was an elliptical cut above the temple artery, to raise the eyebrow. The incision was a comparatively small one, but the result proved effective. The patient's temple became smooth and creaseless, and the curve of the eyebrow was made beautiful in contour.

The third and fourth operations affected the face above and below the eyes. Small bow-shaped arcs of skin were cut away between the lower lids and the cheeks. The effect was to give the widow Simpson's eyes a wide-open, alert appearance.

Haemastasis forceps, a kind of scissors, are used for cutting the heavy flesh. For eye operations a finer pair is used.

A Pretty High School Classmate of Young Tucker's Pre-Nuptial Days, When He Was More Interested in Mathematics Than Matrimony.



Commonwealth of Massachusetts
County of Essex, Town of Ipswich

Ephes Sargent Hereby certify, that it appears by the Record of Births in said town, that a child named Burton Story Tucker was born on the 8 day of Dec in the year nineteen hundred and two

The Record is in the following words and figures, to wit:

2. Date of Birth, Dec 8 1906
3. Full name of Child, Burton Story Tucker
3. Sex, M Color, W
4. Condition, (twins, etc.)
5. Place of Birth, Ernest Ave. Essex
6. Residence of parents, Essex, Mass
7. Name of Father, Joseph Nelson Tucker
8. Occupation of father, Post master
9. Birthplace of Father, Essex
10. Maiden name of Mother, Emma C Story
11. Birthplace of Mother, Essex
12. Date of return, December 8 1907
13. Signature and residence of person making return, Emma C. Tucker

I, Ephes Sargent, above named, depose and say, that I hold the office of Town Clerk of the Town of Essex, in the County of Essex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, that the Records of Births, Marriages and Deaths, in said Town are in my custody; and that the above is a true extract from the records of births in said Town as certified by me.

A true copy of the record. Attest:

Ephes Sargent Town Clerk

Essex, Mass. December 19 1928

Facsimile of Tucker's Birth Certificate, Giving His Actual Age Today as 21 Years, He Having Been Born on December 8, 1906.

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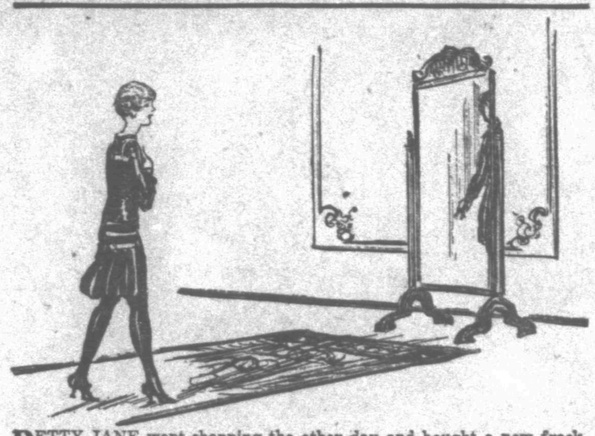
# MAGIC — The Weekly Puzzle Page — RIDDLES

## A Puzzle Problem

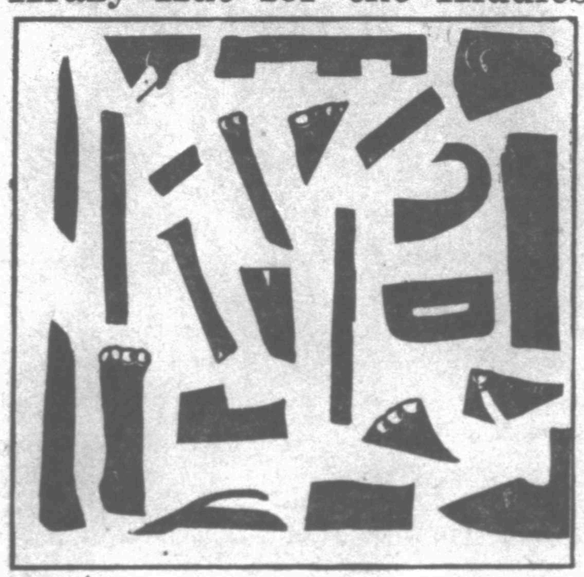


BETTY JANE went shopping the other day and bought a new frock. She hurried home to try it on again in front of the big mirror in the living-room, walking to and fro to admire the full effect.

Betty's brother Bob, who is a mathematical "bug," observed that she walked at the rate of two feet a second. Suddenly it occurred to him to find out at what rate did both his sister and her image approach each other?

Can you figure it out?

## Krazy Kut for the Kiddies



BEFORE this drawing was cut apart as you see it here, it was composed of certain letters arranged not only to spell the name of the animal in question, but also to form a drawing of it. Cut out and rearrange the odd-shaped pieces correctly.

## Checker Board Strategy

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THESE sixty-four squares represent a checker board. Starting at the square numbered 51, trace the fewest possible straight lines (sixteen or less) that will pass through each square only once and return to the starting point.

Indicate your route by the number on each square.

## Magic with a "Magnetic" Cigar

THE amateur conjurer tells his audience that he can "Magnetize" a cigar and make it cling to the edge of a table or a window sill. He proceeds to borrow a cigar from one of his friends and then gently rubs it from end to end with his forefinger to "magnetize" it.

As soon as the magician thinks that the cigar is sufficiently "magnetized" he puts it on the table, for example, so that all of it extends over the edge, except one end which clings to the table. The magician now pretends to balance the cigar carefully and then he removes his hand. The audience is surprised to see the cigar remain in its suspended position like a nail clinging to a magnet.

The trick is really very simple, being performed with the aid of a pin which beforehand has been pushed up to its head into the cigar and at an angle so that only the point protrudes downwards. It is the point of the pin that holds the "magnetic" cigar in position. Of course, the magician takes care to insert the pin in the cigar so that it will not be noticed by his audience.

## RIDDLES

1. When is it unnecessary for a man to be a mathematician to study figures?

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2. What is the difference between a loaf of bread and a suit of clothes?

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3. What kind of a life does a hen-pecked husband lead?

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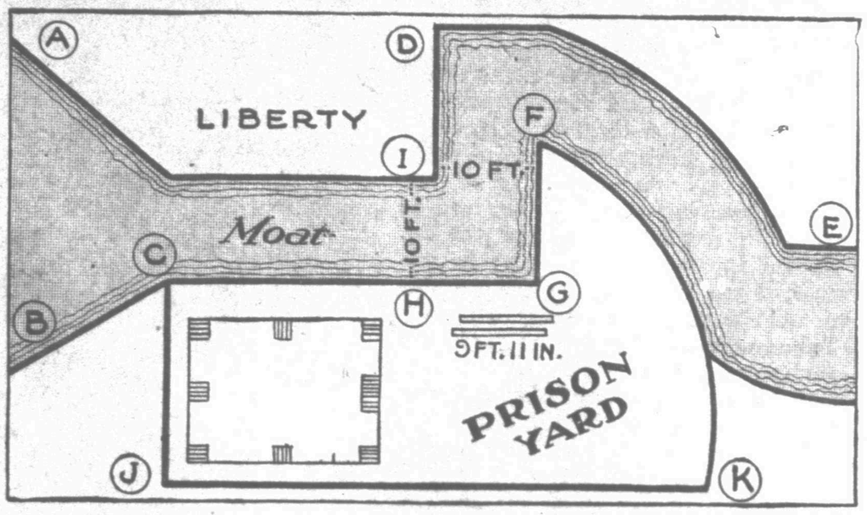
4. What row in every theatre is the coolest?

## How Did the Prisoner Escape?



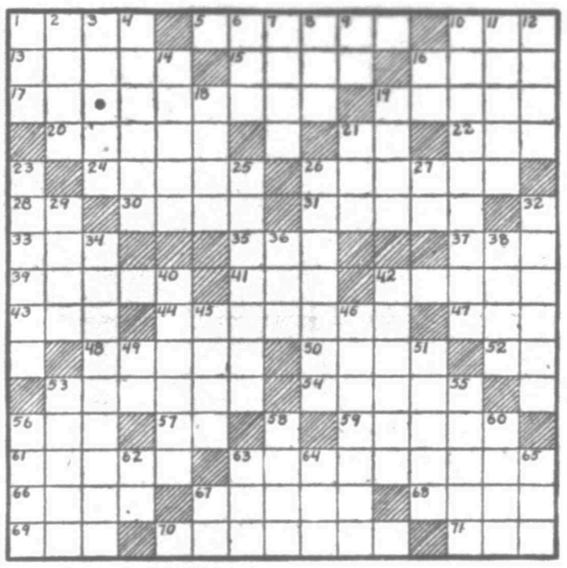

PRISONER No. 41144, serving a term of twenty years, had won for himself by his excellent record of ten years the privilege of working in the yard of the penitentiary, one wall of which was surrounded by a ten-foot moat which ran between the prison wall and an outer wall.

One day the prisoner discovered two heavy planks in the yard, which suggested a means of escape. He was dismayed at first when he discovered that the two boards were only nine feet and eleven inches long, just one inch short of reaching from wall to wall across the moat. However, the prisoner exercised his wits and managed to use the planks in effecting his escape, only to be recaptured the next day.

The prison officials were mystified as to how the prisoner got over the moat until he explained it.

Can you show on the accompanying diagram how the prisoner placed the planks to enable him to get to the outside wall?

## New Premier Cross-Word Puzzle with Questions and Answers



**HORIZONTAL.**

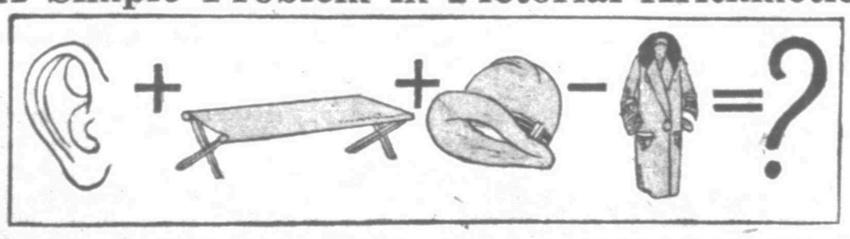
1—Who invented the telephone?
5—Of what State is Topeka the capital?
10—What Biblical character was noted for his patience?
13—Labor organization.
15—Food regimen.
16—Who was the wife of Zeus?
17—Who led the Rough Riders?
19—What is an unbeliever in Mohammedanism called?
20—Shore-bird esteemed game.
21—Plural pronoun.
22—Marsh.
24—Trap.
26—Who composed "The Messiah"?
28—Light Dragoons (abbr.).
30—Joyous.
31—Penetrate.
33—Part of a circle.
35—What do the following gods symbolize: Mars, Ares, Thor?
37—Discern.
39—What is the middle name of the poet Emerson?
41—Ecclesiastical garment.
42—What is the positive electric pole?
43—Female sheep.
44—Swerves dizzily.
47—Pester.
48—Cast a ballot.
50—Destroy.
52—Myself.
53—Evergreen trees.
54—Against what form of monopoly did Pres. Roosevelt wage a fight?
56—Measure of length.
57—What is the "Empire State"? (abbr.).
59—Relation of degree, number, etc.
61—What is the missing word in this title: "Jack the ——— Killer"?
63—What inheritable English rank comes below a barony?
66—Taverns.
67—What English poet of Shakespeare's time wrote the "Caelum Britannicum"?
68—Price.
69—Turf.
70—What was a supporter of Charles X and his line called?
71—At this moment.

**VERTICAL.**

1—Burdock, as of the chestnut.
2—What son of Seth derives his name from the Hebrew, signifying "man"?
3—What animals are symbolic of Great Britain?
4—Mislaying.
6—What American humorist wrote "Fables in Slang"?
7—Near the mouth of what river did Nelson defeat the French in the famous battle of August, 1798?
8—Who was the brother and opponent of Osiris?
9—Nearby.
10—Who wrote "The Declaration of Independence"?
11—Window supported by a bracket.
12—Shelter for farm animals.
14—What kingdom lies between Tibet and India?
16—Exclamation.
18—Girl's name
19—A county in England.
21—Pallid.
23—Scratched, as with claws.
25—Who was the great American theologian of the Pre-Revolution period?
26—A boy's name.
27—Prefix: down.
29—Sketch.
32—What American poet, killed in action, wrote: "I Have a Rendezvous with Death"?
34—What New York State Governor became 24th President of the United States?
36—Malt liquor.
38—What Dutch town is famous for its cheeses?
40—Eighth part of a circle.
42—What famous Egyptian dam was completed in 1902?
45—Nest of a bird of prey.
46—What is the chief entrance to New York harbor?
49—Hypothetical force.
51—Compound of ether.
53—Bend or slope combining form.
55—What fabled race of giants rebelled against Olympus?
56—What was the name of Minerva's shield?
58—Man's name.
60—Prefix: eight.
62—Nova Scotia (abbr.).
63—Prohibit.
64—Portuguese coin.
65—The wood of what Old World tree is used in archery?
67—What is the chemical symbol for calcium?

### Answer to Last Week's Cross-Word Puzzle

## A Simple Problem in Pictorial Arithmetic



THE letters that spell the name of each of the four objects pictured in this simple problem in pictorial arithmetic are to be added and subtracted as indicated. If you do this correctly the result will spell the name of the object that is the basis of a fascinating study.

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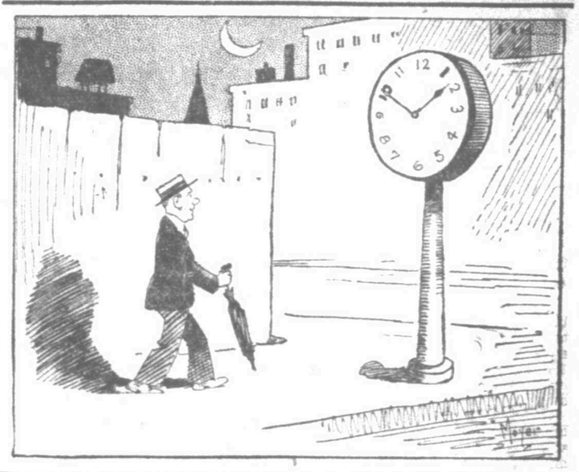
## What Word Is Missing?



THE other evening Bill Bloop went to a party where he had such a good time that he stayed a whole lot later than he intended. When he turned the corner on his way home he was surprised to see that it was ten minutes to two in the morning.

As he had to get up very early, Bill was so provoked at himself for staying out so late that he exclaimed:

"What a ——— I am!"

Study the drawing and see if you can figure out just what Bill called himself.

## More "Postmark Patches"




HERE are ten disassembled postmarks for you to put together again. How many can you guess before cutting them out? If your scissors aren't handy, block out the halves with pencil as you guess them. It's just as much fun.

"The Elm City" of New England is here, you will find the capital of the state named in honor of Louis XIV of France, and one of the "Twin Cities" of a middle western state. Your home town may also be named here.

How quickly can you find the others? This is educational as well as fun—and some of the places have such funny names!

Look for another "postmark patch" next week.

## Anagrams

THE letters of the anagrams that follow, when properly rearranged, will spell some geographical name. How many of them can you solve?

1. Bear need
2. Bing mar him
3. Wag logs
4. O, over pill
5. Len, cat sew
6. Steamer H N C
7. We brick
8. X, I come
9. A cub
10. Ma, a pan
11. If a car
12. Not rent
13. Thin gas won!

## Answers to Last Week's Puzzles

**Postmark Patches:** Brooklyn, N. Y.; Ames, Iowa; Jeannette, Pa.; Lynn, Mass.; Yakima, Wash.; Newport, R. I.; Birmingham, Ala.; San Luis Obispo, Calif.; Branford, Conn.; Sewanee, Tenn.

**Rebus:** Manhattan and Galveston. (Man hat on and girl (gal) vest on.)

**Kinds of Trees:** 1. Olive. 2. Beech. 3. Pine. 4. Yew. 5. Poplar. 6. Spruce. 7. Sloe.

**Missing Words:** 1. Hasten, has ten. 2. Painted, paint, Ed. 3. Together, to get her.

**Word Square:** 1. Host. 2. Omar. 3. Saga. 4. Trap.

**Jolly Jingle,** "When Mother Goes Away": The words are: Away, prayers, please, more, there, sweet, play, harm.

**Pictorial Arithmetic:** America.

**Krazy Kut:** Parrot.

**Riddles:** 1. Take a roll in bed. 2. Noblemen, because they have titles. 3. Because it has currents in it. 4. Because they have only twenty fore feet. 5. A spider. 6. A poultry dealer. 7. A harvesting machine. 8. Those who belong to a standing army.

**Mohammed's Monogram:** There are two ways. 1. Begin at A, trace the curve A E F, then F D B, then B C G and G D A. 2. Begin at A, trace the curve A D G, then G C B, then B D F and finally F E A.

## Find the Hidden Animal

THE artist has sketched here a scene in a park in which he has cleverly concealed the head of an animal which practically every boy and girl likes to have for a pet.

In addition to the animal in question you should also be able to find the letters that spell its name.

Study the drawing carefully and see just how long it will take you to find the concealed objects.

### Tongue Twisters

HOW many times can you quickly repeat these tongue-twisting sentences without making an error?

1. The season's styles surely show smart skirts cut severely short.

2. Six slender, selfish and silly snobs from Siam sat in the shrubbery sweetly singing school songs.

# INTROSPECTIVE GIRL *FANNIE HURST*

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## The World's Highest Paid Short Story Writer

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AS the Introspective Girl put it, rather artily, she wanted to realize herself. No member of her somewhat too well-meaning family quite knew what she meant—perhaps the Introspective Girl least of all. It was Introspective Girl's way of trying to get said, the sort of spiritual itch (to put an emotion quite inelegantly), which had her constantly in its grip. Introspective Girl was nineteen and young enough to be ashamed of it.

She read the precocious sort of literature which pigeon-holed her in her family and "set" as an intellectual. Well, this much should be said for Introspective Girl: If not intellectuality, she had what is probably youth's even greater asset—intellectual curiosity. She read her Havelock Ellis, Jung and Freud, but without any of the preparation necessary for comprehensive appreciation. She had ideas about the spiritual resemblances between Nietsche and Goethe, but the ideas had been lifted ready-made from the columns of the esoteric magazines to which she subscribed.

Introspective Girl's father, who was a good-humored, prosperous Wall Street broker, read the "Saturday Evening Post" and kept it on his bedside table. Introspective Girl also read the "Saturday Evening Post", but did not keep it on her bedside table. A fifty-cent magazine, edited by America's prize-ring iconoclast, reposed there instead. It was from the latter type of journal that Introspective Girl culled her ideational phrases.

In a subtle way that matched up with her temperamentally, she had quite an astonishing kind of beauty. A slow beauty that came up at you with the delicacy of a young moon. Introspective Girl might have been a blood sister of Simonetta. And knew it. She wore a drooping sort of coiffure that suited admirably a heart-shaped face, in an age when an unshingled woman was a thing apart. She had long, placid hands, with curving, possessive fingers, in an age when women's hands were quick and avid. She had tranquility of manner with which she might have stepped out of a Godey's lady book.

And she was introspective. Now, in a family of nine normal children, healthy ones, and a pair of good-humored, harassed parents, an Introspective One is apt to create quite an area of isolation about herself. Her family was not so impressed as it was, frankly, bored. Her brothers were facetious. Her sisters sarcastically intolerant, and her mother, poor dear, a woman to whom a spade was a spade and who always referred to Havelock Ellis, on those rare occasions that she quoted her daughter's erudition, as Ellis Havelock, was frankly perplexed.

Although the eldest of the brood of pretty daughters and, in many ways—to those clever enough to realize it—by far the most beautiful, Introspective Girl remained the only unmarried one of the flock.

Even after the boys had all shot up into manhood and left the paternal nest, Introspective Girl, not without her wooers, remained the last of the fledglings. Except for their desire for her own happiness, her parents might be said to have been glad that this rather shy and lovely offspring of theirs, this curiously mystifying girl who had somehow found her way into an every-day environment, was still part of the home, and yet, when Introspective Girl's mother looked at her, at the lovely tilt of her profile, at the gesture of her head, so characteristic of her, as if she were smelling the stars, something smote her. Pain for this girl. Foreboding. What queer currents flowed and met and fermented within the lovely frailty of her being!

Only Introspective Girl could answer that. Only she knew the yearnings that were like a perpetual, if inelegant itch on her soul.

The gripping, flashing things that poetry said to her.

The hurt in her heart at the streak of a lark cutting upward through morning.

The rhythm of Ruth St. Denis.

The wild things Stravinsky meant.

The curve of her own long fingers.

How could she convey to anyone how to find her storm-lashed inner-self. The ecstacies and torments that were so intimately her own.

Regular Young Man slid into her life almost before she knew it. Otherwise, lovely thing, she might not have let him in. He was regular in a way that made her brothers act facetiously toward her. He must have got in, if she would ever permit herself to admit it, on the ticket of his simply irresistible pair of teasing blue eyes. And the kind of flash of teeth which shone brazenly from tooth paste advertisements in subways and an exuberance of vitality that swept you off your feet.

He was impudent; he was gay; he was debonnair he was unlike anyone she had ever known, for his unquenchable capacity for life.

To be crushed in his arms was an ardor she had never known.

Something altogether outside her reckoning was suddenly without precedence, without her own better judgment, without even her freedom of within, sweeping her off her feet.

Introspective Girl was devastatingly, without rhyme, without reason, for the first time in her life in love and with a Regular Fellow. The kind of fellow her brothers had been. Boys who were typically American, somewhat shallow in her eyes, with clean-cut faces and collar advertisement profiles. Men whose interests were as mundane as salesmanship, baseball, commutation tickets, stocks and bonds and life insurance.

This Regular Fellow who had crashed into the life of the Introspective Girl had a major interest that appalled her. He was in the coffee business. He talked about coffee beans, mocas, Brazilian plantations, until her own morning beverage came to be one of horror to her. He was the sort of Regular Fellow whose daily newspaper was a pink sheet and who went in for candy stripes and loud neckties and said "atta girl" at whatever pleased his fancy. He was an easy spender and rather obvious about it. He called all negro waiters "George" and every telephone operator "sister". He was a hail-fellow-well-met in the hailer sense of the term.

When Introspective Girl cerebrated about him, she shuddered. With horror. When Introspective Girl lay in his arms, she shuddered. With ecstacy.

He was as reckless as a young colt. As demanding as a young prince. One day, he swept her off her feet with the sudden project of a hurry-up marriage. He was sailing immediately for Ceylon on a tea project. His firm had chosen him to represent a new branch of its activities.

New possibilities, new worlds, new horizons had opened up for the Regular Fellow. Here was a chance to make good on the scale he had dreamed of.

Here was a chance to prove himself a go-getter. Introspective Girl, of course, held back. She thought of her inhibitions. Regular Fellow was dumbfounded. It had not occurred to him that this lovely thing of his choice would not be in accord with the windfall that had descended upon him. A curious, flint-like quality came out in him that she had not observed before. "Don't disappoint me this time," he said, "if you do, it will be the end."

And with a strange foreboding, she knew that he meant what he said.

That was why, for twenty-four hours, she fought the battle of decision. With her mind, she reasoned this man was not for her. Their incompatability must inevitably assert itself. They were of different stuffs.

With her heart, she yearned. . . .

Hours and hours of self-chastisement, self-torture, self-analysis, self-questionings.

In the end, she let him go.

FANNIE HURST.

*Introspective girl!*
*Regular fellow!*
*A girl, in the lovely frailty of whose being queer currents flowed and met and fermented.*
*Regular fellow, who called every colored waiter "George" and every telephone operator "Sister".*
*Their hearts met and the choice was far Introspective girl to make.*