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158,000 Miners Called Out

New Orleans Negro Comptroller Is Indicted

COHEN HELD AS ACCOMPLICE IN BOOZE SCANDAL

Sheriff and 32 Others Included in Grand Jury Charges

A BIG CONSPIRACY

Wholesale Violations of The National Prohi Act Alleged

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27.—Walter L. Cohen, negro comptroller of the customs for the New Orleans district; Dr. L. A. Meraux, sheriff of St. Bernard parish and 32 others, including Alonso Patterson and Arthur Battistella, alleged heads of a gigantic rum ring, were indicted by the federal grand jury here late today on charges of conspiring to violate the national prohibition act.

Single Case Cited.

The indictment specifies a single instance in which it is charged that Cohen, Sheriff Meraux and the 32 others conspired to transport 4,250 cases of liquor from Havana, Cuba, to New Orleans between June 1 and August 10.

Cohen is involved by allegations that he was consulted by heads of the rum running conspiracy on the movements of customs craft; that he advised when and how it would be "safe" to transport liquor from the Cuban capital into the United States.

Progress of the alleged conspiracy is traced from early June, when Battistella is said to have gone to Cuba to purchase a shipment of liquor which the indictments charged was shipped to "rumrow" aboard the schooner Paulina B. Mosher.

"Bought Protection."

That the principals involved believed they were buying "protection" for their traffic is indicated by a charge that $10,000 was paid to Patrick Needham, a prohibition agent with the understanding that it was to be turned over to O. D. Jackson, federal prohibition director for Louisiana.

This money officials said, was collected by Needham who was operating under instructions to accept such payments, and is being held as evidence.

2 Army Airmen Die in Chicago

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP).—Two army aviators were killed tonight at the air mail field in Maywood when their ship collided with another plane while attempting a landing. Both planes burst into flames and fell to the ground, the pilot of the second ship being seriously injured. The two aviators who were killed jumped in their parachutes but they failed to open.

Hall County Road Award on Sept. 14

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP).—The awards on 17 road projects in ten counties are to be made by the highway commission here September 14. The contracts call for grading and drainage structures and include Hall county, three projects for total of 14 miles; Bowie county, 3.98 miles; Jones, 9.68 miles; Cass, 5.64 miles; Madison, 10.18 miles; Ward, 11.13 miles with caliche surface.

Rum Row Deserted For the First Time

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Rum row, famous rendezvous for the North Atlantic fleet of liquor ships, was deserted today for the first time in years. However, Captain George C. Carmine, new commander of the New York coast guard division, declared the coast guard blockade of rum row would not be relaxed.

CHINESE ABDUCT DOCTOR

Bandits Have Chicago Medical Man; Troops Offer Chase.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP).—Minister MacMurray advised the state department today from Peking that Chinese bandits who captured Dr. Harvey Howard, an America, attached to the Peking Union Medical college, had escaped with their prisoner and were being pursued by Chinese troops.

Mr. MacMurray said he had received a telegram from Roger Greene, representative of Rockefeller institute in China, reporting the escape of the bandits to a point about 50 miles up the river in Kirin after they had been surrounded.

KLAN MEET CLOSES.

BUCKEYE LAKE, Ohio, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The national council of klan dragons and titans of the ku klux klan ended here today after having been in session since Tuesday. A great many of the officials of the order scattered to their homes, but others remained for the Ohio state conclave which will be held Saturday and Sunday.

Vagrant Coin Gives Cops Clue

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP).—A coin, rolling out of a dectective's hand, today led three sleuths in its fickle course directly to a cache in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn where $75,000 worth of stolen crude rubber was hidden and resulted in the arrest of two men on charges of grand larceny.

The elusive coin rolled underneath the doorway of a garage. The detective opened the door to retrieve it and was ordered brusquely from the premises by the two occupants.

Suspicious, the detectives forced their way in and upon searching the garage found a quantity of rubber, later identified as having been stolen Monday from a Pennsylvania railway shop in Brooklyn. A quantity of women's apparel valued at several thousand dollars was also found.

HARRINGTON IN URGENT PLEA FOR IRRIGATION

Use Water at Disposal, Is His Challenge To Farmers

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Increase in irrigation to eliminate crop failures in dry years and the consumption of water in Texas streams, were urged in a statement issued today by Dr. H. S. Harrington, member of the board of control.

"The state has for the last two years, been appropriating considerable money to conserve the water of our flowing streams," the statement said. "But there is a vast quantity of subterranean water that can be tapped and used with advantage in agricultural practice. It is little less than an economic crime for the waters of the Brazos, Colorado and Guadalupe rivers, particularly, to be allowed to go to waste."

Dr. Harrington told of the rate charged for irrigation water in the Rio Grande valley and how other farmers in Texas permit water in streams to be wasted when they might have crops each year by irrigation. Timidity of conservation on the part of the farmers were the reasons given by Dr. Harrington for the fasilure to generally practice irrigation in Texas.

Germany Comes To Conference With Her Hands Untied

BERLIN, Aug. 27.—(AP).—Germany will enter next week's conference of judicial experts in London with her hands free insofar as her obligations to participate in a future formal conference over a security pact is concerned. The invitation extended to Foreign Minister Stresemann by the French ambassador for London parleys was accepted with the understanding that the discussions with the allied jurists would wholly concern themselves with a non-political consideration of the legal phases involved in the conclusion of a security pact.

Crude Is Cut, In Louisiana

SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 27.—Late Thursday all but one pipe line purchaser of crude oil in North Louisiana and South Arkansas had met the 25 cents cut posted, effective at 7 o'clock this morning on all grades but Smackover, Cotton Valley, and Bellevue, by the Standard Oil company of Louisiana.

New prices for crudes in this district are Caddo $1.95 to $1.60; Homer $1.70 to $1.35; Haynesville and Eldorado $1.60 and $1.50; Bull Bayou $1.75 to $1.45; Smackover unchanged at 35c to 85c; Desoto 85c; Crichton 60c; Bellevue unchanged at 65c; Cotton Valley unchanged at $1.50.

BANCROFT FUNERAL HELD

Simple Service Held Thursday for Ambassador

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The simple funeral service of the Presbyterian church was said today for Edgar A. Bancroft, whose recent death in Tokyo ended a long career which had been crowned by his appointment as ambassador to Japan.

Charles G. Dawes, the vice president; Tsuneo Matsudaira, Japanese ambassador to the United States, and J. Butler Wright, assistant secretary of state representing President Coolidge; Chief Justice Taft and Secretary Kellogg were among the high dignitaries who attended the brief ceremony.

MOSCOW ASKS AMERICANS TO QUIT COUNTRY

Orders Research Party To Leave Mongol Area At Once

PARTY SKETCHED MAPS

Charges Americans Broke Faith With Mongol Government

MOSCOW, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The Mogolian mission in Moscow issued a statement today asserting that the third Asiatic expedition of the American museum of natural history, under the leadership of Roy Chapman Andrews has been ordered expelled from Mongolia territory by the Urga government on ground that the expedition violated agreements made by the leaders to the Mongolian officials.

The statement alleged that the expedition entered Mongolia in May, fully armed in military fashion and that it included lieutenants of the British army an English consular agent and other persons whose names Mr. Andrews did not register with the Mongolian authorities.

Disregard Warnings.

The statement continues: "Andrews was cautioned several times to limit his activities to scientific work but he disregarded all warnings."

The Mongolian government, thereupon, the statement says, had no other choice than to order the expedition's expulsion.

The Mongolian mission denied the statement attributed recently to Mr. Andrews that friction between the Russian Soviet government and the Arga government had created conditions which made continuation of the expedition's scientific research impossible.

"The expedition trespassed and went beyond its scientific program and began to engage itself in non-scientiffic work in the Tumulus region which had been forbidden by the government.

"It also made topographical surveys and its members threatened any one who attempted to interfere."

Ordered to Leave.

An Urga dispatch on August 19 said that the Mongolian government had ordered the third expedition to cease its exploration and scientific work and leave Mongolian territory.

The expedition is known to have included Lieutenant Robinson, assistant topographer of the British army stationed at Peking. Other members were Lieutenant Butler, an assistant topographer, formerly on the staff of the commander of the American military forces in China; Major L. B. Roberts, topographer, who was a member of the American army in France during the war and J. McKenzie Young, in charge of motor transportation, formerly of the United States marine corps.

Debts Smaller Nations Absorb Washington Eye

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP) While awaiting clarification of the foreign debt situation as regards French debts the Washington government has moved to hasten action by the smaller powers, whose debts to the United States remained unfunded. With the Italian negotiations scheduled to be resumed as soon as that government can assemable data requested by the American debt commission and the French mission expected to arrive here for conferences about Sept. 24, officials feel that the time has arrived for the nations owing smaller amounts to talk business. Some of them have been told, and others soon will be informed, that this government sees no reason for further delay in receiving funding proposals from them.

Sue Gulf $105,000 For Swabbing Well

LOCKHART, Texas, Aug. 27.—Suit was filed here today against the Gulf Production company by the Texas railroad commission for penalties amounting to $105,000 for the alleged swabbing of a well into earthen storage for a greater period than is provided by law. It was declared that production from the well had been placed in earthern storage for 21 years, while the state oil conservation law prohibits swabbing into earthern tanks after 10 days.

Bolivia Politics In Bad Situation

LAPAZ, Bolivia, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The political situation in the Bolivian capital, LaPaz, is admitted to be grave. President-elect Jose Gabino Villanueva, whose inauguration was to have taken place last Tuesday, has been prevented from taking office by force of arms.

Oklahoma Posse Slays 2 Bandits, Captures Third

KINGFISHER, Okla., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Two men, believed to have participated in the robbery of the Bank of Navina this morning, were killed today by a sheriff's posse and a third man was captured in a battle on the highway eight miles northeast of here.

None of the men had been identified this afternoon. The captured man refused to talk although he was being questioned by county officials and detectives. Navina is a small town in Logan county.

A. C. Black, Kingfisher county sheriff, Clay Oakley, under-sheriff, and L. G. McIntosh, city marshal, were responsible for the capture and killings. None of the three was injured.

Receiving news of the Navina robbery, the officers started in the direction of Navina in a large car. They met the small car carrying the three men on the highway without stopping.

The officers then turned their car around, passed the other automobile and halted in the road ahead of the oncoming men.

The sheriff's men dismounted from their car with rifles in their hands and the other party opened fire.

The driver of the small car was killed by the first fusillade and another was shot to death soon afterward. The third man escaped from the car unarmed and ran for nearly a mile before he was overtaken and captured.

HOOF DISEASE AREA SWITCHES FROM HOUSTON

Pasadena Families Without Much as Result of Quarantine

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—Many Pasadena families spent a milkless day today. For old Bossie was in the clutches of the government. Moreover hundreds of additional cattle have been marked for slaughter, principally because some Pasadena residents have been obstructing the fight against the foot and mouth disease in that vicinity by keeping their cows penned up all day and letting them out at night to graze. They scattered in all directions from the town. Early in the morning they were driven home. The quarantine officers reported all this to headquarters.

Orders a Drag

Dr. Marion Imes, in charge of the fight against the stock plague for the bureau of animal industry, ordered a "drag" through the town and surrounding open country today. He hadn't heard how many cows were picked up by the line of cowboys in the drag, but he knows there would be a good many.

Pasadena is now the danger poin, Dr. Imes said.

Alleged Slayer In Effort for Freedom

DALTON, Ga., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Alleging his is a case of mistaken identity, a prisoner believed by officials to be Will Jones, slayer of Police-Chief Hannah here in 1899, has filed habeas corpus proceeding to gain his release from jail.

In his petition, the man claims he is J. B. Jones, that he is not guilty of murder, that there is no charge against him, and that the sheriff has no legal right to hold him.

WEALTHY BANKER DEAD

W. K. Ewingof San Antonio Succumbs in Bolder, Colo.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—W. K. Ewing, wealthy investment banker, died unexpectedly in Boulder, Colo., early Thursday. The body will arrive in San Antonio Sunday morning. Funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing went to Colorado several months ago to spend the summer. Their trip was made on account of his health which had been failing for some time. Their two children, Elizabeth and W. K., Jr., are in Pennsylvania.

KAPLAN-HERMAN FIGHT DRAW

Featherweight Champion Only Able to Land a Draw

WATERBURY, Conn., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Louis (Kid) Kaplan of Meridian, Conn., world's featherweight champion fought a 15-round draw with Babe Herman, Pacific coast featherweight before 20,000 fans at Brassco Park tonight.

VANDY PLANS BIG AIR - BASE FOR ATLANTA

Freight-Carrying, Non-Passenger Scheme Booked For Southern City

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 27.—(AP).—Plans to establish a large commercial air base in Atlanta from which lines will radiate to the west and south and extend to Cuba, today were announced by Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr.

Eleven thousand acres of land near the city have been purchased or are under option, and planes probably will be placed in operation by Christmas. The development program for this section of the country will require about five years and involve the expenditure of several million dollars.

Arrives From Detroit.

Mr. Vanderbilt arrived here yesterday from Detroit, where he held conference with his associates, whose names he did not reveal, and will remain until next week. He then will go to California to superintend the opening of an air line between Los Angeles and Salt Lake City. Ten planes will be operating on this line by September 1, he said.

Many local men have been working with him for a period of six months, but he said their names will not be made public until after a conference within the next 90 days, when construction will begin on the fields. The group of men associated with him, he continued, represent the leading engineering and financial interests of the country.

They plan to make Atlanta the third largest commercial air base in the United States.

No Passengers.

"It would be impossible to give anything like an accurate estimate of the amount which will be expended in this development but regardless of what it may cost there is sufficient capital interested to insure its success, "Mr. Vanderbilt said.

"Our planes will carry freight, express and mail, but no passengers, we are building two airships a month and should be in a position to have ten planes in Atlanta before the first of 1926."

The plans as outlined by Mr. Vanderbilt, include facilities for the operation of diriigbles as well as airplanes.

DAUGHTER SHOOTS FATHER

Claims Step-Father Abused Her; Is Held on Assault Charge.

CORSICANA, Texas, Aug. 27.—Sam Gillman, about 50 years old, is in a local hospital suffering from a pistol bullet wound in the thigh and his step-daughter, Mrs. Willie Fay Pierce, 17, is held in connection with the shooting. The step-daughter surrendered following the shooting, declaring in an alleged statement, that she shot Gilliam because he abused her. A charge of assault to murder was filed against her.

The injured man will recover, attendants said.

NO AGREEMENT REACHED OVER RIVER CONTROL

Tri-State Meet Comes To End With Inter-State Collusion

NEXT AT LITTLE ROCK

Satisfaction Expressed By Officers With Results Of Meeting

AMARILLO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Although water commissioners of Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas refused to sign today a proposed agreement regarding flood control of the South Canadian, submitted by President E. E. Blake of the tri-state water conference they adopted the plan as the working basis toward a final agreement, which they believe will be reached at a conference expected to be held at Little Rock, Ark., within a month. President Coolidge will be asked to appoint an official federal representative to meet at Little Rock with water commissioners of Arkansas, Colorado, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Kansas and Texas.

Flood control problems of the entire Arkansas river system will be considered at the Little Rock meeting.

Pay As Benefit

President Blake told The Associated Press he regarded article 10 as the most interesting and revolutionary section of the proposed interstate agreement. Article 10 provides that each irrigation district, municipality, corporation or person, that profits from control of the flood waters of the South Canadian shall pay in direct proportion to the benefit received.

Nothing was said in the conference of today regarding percentages of the water to be allocated to Texas and New Mexico. This proposition, together with New Mexico's statement that it will not allow a dam to be erected on the South Canadian near Logan constitute two of the major points of controversy that will be settled at Little Rock, Mr. Blake said.

No more formal sessions will be held by the commissioners. A banquet Thursday night and an all-day trip Friday to the proposed dam site near Logan, N. M., will conclude the conference.

Pleased With Results

President Blake is well pleased with results of the conference thus far. "There is not a doubt in my mind but that the sixty-ninth congress will be petitioned by the states of Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico, Colorado and Texas for federal aid to put over perhaps the most comprehensive flood control and irrigation project yet conceived in this country.

"The harnessing of the Arkansas river and its tributaries means the reclaiming of many millions of acres, and the saving annually of many millions of dollars in flood damages," he said.

President Blake said he was confident he would be given every encouragement next week when he will ask the active participation of Arkansas in the flood control work. "Senator Caraway of Arkansas at a conference held in Washington about a year ago pledged himself to fight for any legislation looking toward the subjugation of the Arkansas and its tributaries," he said.

Men's Clothing Prices to Drop

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Men's clothing prices are coming down if the objective of a board of arbitration of clothing manufacturers and retailers is obtained.

Eighteen representatives of each have been named by the national Association of Retail Clothiers in convention here. The get-to-gether movement, clothing men say, presages a purchasing look-in for the ultimate consumer who will be enabled to follow the haberdashers advance to "dress well and succeed" without incurring an undue strain on the pocketbook.

SEAMAN IS KILLED.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Peter J. Carini, a seaman, second class, of Chester, Conn., was the sailor killed in the drill accident Tuesday on board the Battleship Oklahoma while en route from New Zealand to Samoa.

A dispatch received today from Admiral Robison, commander in chief of the battle fleet, said an investigation had been ordered to determine the cause of the accident.

Market at a Glance

NEW YORK—Stocks, firm: Frisco common crosses par to record high.

Bonds, irregular; rain issues lower on profit taking.

Foreign exchanges steady; Brazilian currency at new high.

Cotton, steady; trade buying.

Sugar, featureless.

Coffee, easy; commission house selling.

CHICAGO—Wheat, higher; sympathy Winnipeg.

Corn, steady, light country offerings.

Cattle, irregular; better grades of year.

Hogs, higher.

Queen To Be Crowned At T-O Fair Oct. 3; Plan Big Pageant

The historical pageant and coronation of the Texas-Oklahoma fair queen will be staged before the grandstand on the evening of October 3, according to plans perfected Thursday afternoon at a meeting held at the fair association offices in the Kahn building.

It was planned originally to hold the historical pageant, style show and crowning of the queen on the evening of October 5, but because of added features in both programs it was decided to alter the plans and perfect a more elaborate presentation for both evenings, as the style show will be held Monday evening, October 5.

Those representing the merchants interested in the style show at the meeting were: Miss Grace Sanderford, Mrs. Augusta South, R. D. Kennedy, Marvin Smith and Jack Barnard.

Harry A. Gray, Jr., superintendent of the horse show, R. E. Shepherd, secretary of the fair association, Mrs. E. L. Fulton and Mrs. Jouette Bonner, in charge of the historical pageant and coronation of the fourth Texas-Oklahoma fair queen, discussed various features to be staged in connection with the three major amusement attractions.

Work Halts In Hard Coal Area On September 1

John L. Lewis, President of Workers, Calls Men Out After Another Failure Marks Attempt to Conciliate Matters

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27.—(AP)—A suspension in the hard coal fields September 1 was called tonight by John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America.

The suspension was called because the miners were unable to obtain from the operators a ten per cent wage increase, adoption of the check off, equalization of wages for day workers and various other demands which they made conditional to renewal of the wage contract expiring August 31.

The order involves a walkout of 158,000 men, of whom about 10,000 will probably be left in the mines for maintenance work, as such as the prevention of flooding and caveins.

The operators and the miners were deadlocked at a meeting today on the terms to govern the maintenance work. The miners insisted that the full number of men be used as in times of normal production and that these men be retained during the emergency period without either reduction or replacement by monthly men.

The operators, on the other hand, had wanted the right to skeletonize these forces where practicable.

No Decision.

The meeting adjourned without decision at 5:30 p. m., to resume at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The snarl had never come up before for the discussion before the two sides but was brought up by the miners this year because of abuses they alleged had occurred in suspensions in the past.

The suspension order follows:

"Philadelphia, August 27, 1925.

"To the officers and members of local unions of districts numbers 1, 7 and 9, United Mine Workers of America:

"Dear Sirs and Brothers:

"The present agreement between the anthracite operators and mine workers expires August 31, 1925. Your scale committee, charged with the responsibility of making a new contract has been unable to arrive at any understanding affecting wages or conditions of employment to be effective after August 31, 1925. Therefore our membership in districts 1, 7 and 9 is advised that no contracts being in effect, a suspension of mining will automatically take place at midnight Monday, August 31, 1925.

"Concerning the question of maintenance men remaining at work during the suspension, we advise that the proper instructions will be issued to our membership as soon as an agreement covering this subject can be consumated with the representatives of the anthracite operators. Please hold yourselves in readiness to put our policy with respect to maintenance work into effect as soon as possible after receipt of its contents.

Seek Agreement.

"Your scale committee will continue to exercise every possible influence to bring about, if possible, a general agreement which will mean a substantial progress for the anthracite mine workers.

We will endeavor from time to time to keep you fully advised as to the situation. We hope that the utmost co-operation will be exercised between our membership and the scale committee.

President Lewis said that the issuance of the suspension call had been held up as long as possible in the hope of coming to terms with the operators on the question of maintenance men. Failing of agreement today, the union could wait no longer in making the call, he said, because of the mechanical problem of reaching 158,000 workers embraced by 325 union locals in the region in time for action Monday midnight.

Mr. Lewis said that miners would attend the meeting of the anthracite board of conciliation tomorrow and there co-operate in every way with the operators in attempts to settle the question.

A supplementary order will then follow tonight's suspension call containing whatever agreement is reached.

MECHANIC DIES

ABILENE, Aug. 27.—J. B. Weaver, 21, automobile mechanic, died this morning from burns received yesterday when a can of gasoline exploded in a garage here.

THE WEATHER



"Mamma is funny sometimes. She was awful scared when I told her about us playin' hospital an' Skinny givin' me some old medicine his folks had throwed away."

LYRICS OF LIFE.
By Douglas Malloch.
Heart Trouble.

A doctor of divinity
And any other doc
Are much alike, it seems to me—
Each has his patient flock;
And oftentimes it's hard to tell
Which doctor has the art
To stop the flutter, cure as well
The palpitating heart.

If coffee makes you palpitate,
Tobacco bothers you,
Then see the doc before too late
And get a pill or two.
But if your heart is all awhirl
Upon another plan,
In other words, if it's a girl,
Then see the preacher man.

The pill the doctor gave you may
Not do a bit of good,
Because the doctor, anyway,
He only hoped it would.
The preacher may your hands unite
And cure the ills you've got.
Ah, yes, many make the matter right,
And, then again, may not.

A doctor of divinity
And any other man
Are much alike, it seems to me:
Each does the best he can.
Remember, when a wife you win.
This short and simple verse:
You take a wife, like medicine,
For better or worse.

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls for the past 24 hours as reported by the observation bureau of the Wichita Falls Electric company were as follows: Maximum 95; minimum 70; 5 p. m. 94; percipitation 0; southeast breeze; partly cloudy; maximum wind velocity 10 miles per hour; average wind velocity 7 miles per hour; barometer 29.14.

OKLAHOMA: Friday and Saturday fair, not much change in temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Friday and Saturday generally fair, warmer in extreme northwest portion Friday.

WEST TEXAS: Friday fair, warmer in north portion; Saturday partly cloudy.

Gasoline Prices Cut in Wichita

Gasoline prices, tank wagon and retail were slashed two cents here yesterday by the Gulf Refining company, others working in the city following suit during the day or at the opening of business this morning. The Gulf prices are now 20 cents retail, with their no-nox gas selling at 22 cents. Tank wagons are 17 cents. It is the first reduction for Wichita Falls in several months.

STEAL OWN CATTLE.

Waco Man Arrested for Taking Animals from Neighbor.

WACO, Aug. 27.—Complaint charging Arthur Ruble, south Waco dairyman, with stealing his own cattle, was filed today in Justice R. B. Stamford's court. Ruble's cows are said to have strayed into the fields of Davis Gurley, a neighbor, who locked them up until Ruble should pay for the damage they had done and also pay the regular fee for keeping them. Instead of paying the money, the complaint alleges, the owner of the cows went and got them.

NEED COTTON PICKERS.

Demand in Northeast Texas Is Increasing Say Advices.

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Demand for cotton pickers in Northeast Texas is continuing, J. E. Fallin, special deputy of the department of labor here said today. The demand in that section has exceeded the supply he said.

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Mexican Eagle Interests Are Reported Back of Waite Phillips Deal

AMARADA MAY BE BUYER IN BLAIR DEAL

'El Aguila's Founders Are Reported Now as Interested

DEAL NOT CLOSED

Phillips Petroleum Company Denies That They Are The Buyer

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 27.—The identity of the purchasers of Waite Phillips company is still unknown.

The innumerable conjectures that have been made by Mid-Continent oil men were given a new lead to dwell on when the Oil and Gas Journal of this city received a statement from Frank Phillips, president of the Phillips Petroleum company, denying a report that the Phillips Petroleum company was the buyer. Incidentally it came to light that E. DeGolyer, petroleum engineer and geologist, and vice president and general manager of the Amerada Petroleum corporation, had made an appraisal inspection trip of the Waite Phillips and Phillips Petroleum properties for Blair and company of New York City, the purchasers of Waite Phillips company.

As Mr. DeGolyer is directly in charge of the Amerada corporation, the Cowdray or Pearson interests in this country, oil men wonder if the great British concern which made the Mexican Eagle (El Aguila) company a big concern in Mexico is the purchaser of Waite Phillips company.

Sinclair Takes Export Gasoline In North Texas

While an unsettled tone still exists in the Mid-Continent refinery market because of the all too-frequent gasoline reductions in first one and then another market territory, the Oklahoma-Kansas and North Texas markets have been materially strengthened by the export purchases of two companies.

Sinclair Refining company purchased 1,500,000 gallons of 64-66, 375 endpoint, gasoline of North Texas refiners and thus cleaned up any surplus in that market, and Bell Oil and Gas company countered with the purchase of 1,000,000 gallons of Oklahoma-Kansas refiners.

This is the first export activity for some weeks, although several times there have been reports that exporters were after high test gasoline for shipment throad. The Sinclair's acquisition was at around 11 3-4 cents a gallon, and the Bell's purchasse were at from 11 1-2 to 11 3-4 cents.

Several refiners reported that prevailing spot prices were fairly firm, and would hold unless the crude market suffered a relapse. The Magnolia crude reduction Wednesday intensified the uneasiness that has prevailed among refiners about crude. The refiners report that the Tuesday tank wagon cut of two cents a gallon by the Standard of Indiana was not as severe as they had anticipated and the result is that much buying has taken place. The jobbers, while always seeking cheaper products, realizes that gasoline prices cannot drop much lower until after cold weather comes.

Escaped Forger Is Found in Beaumont

BEAUMONT, Aug. 27.—A man arrested here for investigation was identified by means of finger prints Thursday as Eugene Pettis, forger who, according to his own story, escaped from the Texas penitentiary guards by sawing through the chain around his neck which bound him to other prisoners and jumping from the train near Houston while he was being transferred from the penitentiary to the Blue Ridge farm near Richmond.

The chain collar, fastened by a padlock, was still about his neck when he was arrested and the man had hidden it by keeping his shirt collar turned up.

The escape occurred Tuesday night, he stated. Several marks said to have been found upon his body were attributed by Pettis to be the result of beatings received at the hands of his guards. Two saws for cutting steel were found on his person.

MAY CROSS OCEAN

French Fliers Make Plans to Come To America.

PARIS, Aug. 27. — (AP)—The Petit Parisitn's Pau correspondent says that Lieutenant Paul Tarascon, the French flier, has informed Raymond Ortig of New York that he and his companion flier, Captain Coli, intend to attempt their proposed flight from Paris to New York some time betwen September 5 and 12. Mr. Orteig has offered a prize of $25,000 for the flight. He is spending the summer at his birthplace in Louvre-Juzon.

Tarascon told Mr. Orteig that if the trans-Atlantic cruise was successful he and Coli would try to encircle the globe, crossing the American continent to the Pacific ocean and returning to France by way of India.

FIRMS GO BANKRUPT

Sao Paulo Firms Ruined by Government Squeezing.

RIO JANEIRO, Aug. 27.—(AP) Three important Sao Paulo firms have become bankrupt within the last month with liabilities totalling approximately $7,000,000, largely, as a result, it is said in financial circles, of the government's continued campaign to squeeze out inflated money from the national currency. The largest of the bankrupt firms with obligations exceeding $5,000,000 has asserted that its failure was traceable to a shortage of money in the banks which prevented its discounting bills to secure funds.

News of the Fields

Magnolia, Jiggs

Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 1 Jiggs-Waggoner, newest Waggoner pasture test, southern Wilbarger county, was last reported drilling at a depth of 650 feet.

Throckmorton Test

Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 1, N. L. B. Davis, north of the Humble's Stubblefield group in central Throckmorton county, is last reported drilling at a depth of 1,230 feet.

Kentucky, Gose

Kentucky Oil corporation is rigged up and will spud soon on its No. 1 Gose in the northwest corner of block 9, section 8, ATNCL, east of the Texhoma-Gose pool, northwest Archer county.

Texhoma, Boellstroff

Texhoma Oil and Refining company was reported spudding yesterday on its No. 1, Boellstroff, located in lot 9, Harris sub-division of the Club ranch, due south of the Comac pool, southwest Archer county.

Dixie-S. E. Co., Stevens

Dixie Oil company and Southern Exploration company's No. 1 Stevens in the center of block 23, Colorado county school lands, north Throckmorton county, has spudded and is drilling below a last reported depth of 300 feet.

Black Cat Duster

The Black Cat Oil company's No. 1 Gather south of the Upshur county school lands in northern Throckmorton county is a dry hole at a depth of 1,660 feet after getting a good gas showing at a depth of about 1,000 feet. The well may be carried on to 2,500 feet.

Texhoma, Gose

Texhoma Oil and Refining company has taken two feet of oil sand at 1,599 to 1,601 feet in its No. 46 Gose east of the south offset to the Riner and Bailey discovery well, section 8, ATNCL, and were standing yesterday with a few hundred feet of oil in the hole and coring deeper.

Texhoma, Covert

Texhoma Oil and Refining company has abandoned its No. 2 Covert in north Wilbarger county at a total depth of 2,315 feet, section 8, block 15, H&TCRRCO survey, north of Vernon. The well was the second hole drilled in this lease, the first having been lost at 1,564 feet.

Marland, Campbell

Marland and Murchison and Fain were seemingly too deep yesterday morning in their No. 2 E. Campbell, located just 300 feet north of their No. 1 extension well to the southeast of the Litchfield pool. At that time they were down 971 feet and no sand. The sand was expected at about 980 feet.

Minnich, Etewart

Bo Minnich No. 1 Stewart, David Dawson survey, north Young county line, east of Olney, is a bad job after showing for a possible 20-barrel well from a sand around 800 feet. Attempts to set casing five different times all met with failure. When it was cemented the last time the casing slipped down and shut off the sand entirely.

"Grass Root" Well

North Texas grass roots production shows up every once in a while. Texhoma has the latest find in its No. 1 D. L. Horton in the southeast corner of its 140 acres in the BBB&CRRCO survey, abstract 28 showing for about 10 barrels a dray from sand at 257-267 feet. The well will be equipped to pump, and No. 2 drilled just 300 feet to the north.

Big Day Planned For Oil Scouts

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 27.—The National Oil Scouts association, which includes oil field scouts in Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Texas and other oil states, are being invited by the Mid-Continent Oil Scouts association to join hands and make oil scouts day—Oct. 9—at the international petroleum exposition a huge success.

The general committee named to work out the plans for oil scouts day is to communicate with the officers of the National Oil Scouts association and secure their promise to attend. It is reported that the scouts of the Wichita Falls, Shreveport and Corsicana areas plan to come here in a large body, thus insuring at least 250 scouts to be on the job.

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Yesterday's Cuts

Prairie Oil and Gas company and the Gulf both posted new crude oil prices for North Texas yesterday, the Prairie leading off early in the morning and the Gulf following. Information regarding Sinclair action was not available, but it is believed that they followed the cut, too.

Prairie's new schedule is slightly higher than either the Humble or Magnolia, both the basis of other schedules in North Texas. Gulf's schedules conform with that of the Prairie.

The new prices follow:

28 to 28.9, $1.15; 29 to 29.9, $1.23; 30 to 30.9, $1.31; 31 to 31.9, $1.39; 32 to 32.9, $1.47; 33 to 33.9, $1.55; 34 to 34.9, $1.63; 35 to 35.9, $1.71; 36 to 36.9, $1.79; 37 to 37.9, $1.87; 38 to 38.9, $1.95; 39 to 39.9, $2.03; 40 to 40.9, $211; 41 to 41.9, $2.19; 42 to 42.9, $2.27; 43 to 43.9, $2.35; 44 and above, $2.43.

GAS DROPS IN HOUSTON.

Motor Car Owners Get Benefit of Price War.

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—Local motor car owners, enviously reading of gasoline price reductions the country-wide and passing up Houston and Texas common point territory rejoiced that the price was reduced today two cents a gallon, from 23 to 21 cents. The Humble company started it by reducing its tank wagon price two cents, 19 to 17 cents. The Gulf Refining company immediately followed and this means, to the initiated, that the other marketers will all soon be in line.

Story says let 'em pay later.—Adv.

Jim Tells Bankers To Take a Chance

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—During the visit of former Governor James E. Ferguson to Houston yesterday, it was revealed how the state of Texas several days ago borrowed $100,000 from Houston banks to pay its portion of the cost of the fight on the foot and mouth disease in this county.

The livestock sanitary commission was without funds to carry on the fight in conjunction with the federal government. It was up to Governor Ferguson to raise the money.

The former governor came here and asked for a meeting of all the members of the Clearing House association. He explained the situation. Some of the bankers wanted to know if the state could be bound on a note.

"No, you will just have to take chances on the next legislature repaying you," Mr. Ferguson explained. "But even if you should lose every dollar of it you would be better off than you will if your business is disrupted here by quarantines and embargoes that will not be lifted until the disease is stamped out. I believe, however, the legislature will consider this a debt of honor and repay it promptly."

RAILWAY IN TROUBLE

Irish Line Meeting Serious Financial Difficulties.

DUBLIN, Aug. 27.—(AP).—The serious financial situation of the Amalgamated Southern railway owing to continued losses is emphasized by an appeal issued to all employes to agree to a voluntary reduction of 5 per cent in wages. The directors promise if the appeal is favorably answered that they will reduce their own salaries by a much larger percentage.

Rattlesnake Bite Is Fatal for Man

FREEPORT, Texas, Aug. 27.—Henry Hanson, 26, of Galveston, died from the effect of rattlesnake bites on both legs here late last night. He had been bitten early Wednesday while casting for bait on the Bernard river near here. His brother, John, who was camping with him, rushed to his aid and immediately placed his lips to the wounds and attempted to suck out the poisoned blood. It was hoped throughout the day that this would save his life, but the effort proved of no avail.

The snake-bitten man was placed in an automobile and rushed to Freeport. Three physicians were called, and another brother, Archie Hanson, brought a fourth from Galveston in the evening.

SHAM FIGHT PLANNED.

Student Flyers at Santone to Put on Air Fight.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—Student flyers of the advanced flying school, Kelly field, will be divided into two hostile forces and will complete their advanced training with battle maneuvers in which two composite air forces will oppose each during the period of September 7 to 12.

The class will graduate and receive their wings September 15.

Under plans being drawn for the final maneuvers, two hostile states are assumed with the Colorado river separating them.

A TEXAS WONDER

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HE'S BRICK CHAMPION.

Paving Crew Worker Wants to Meet Missourian for Title.

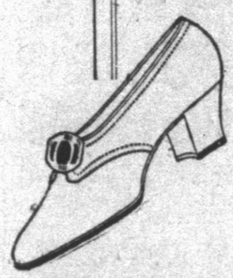
OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 27.—(AP)—B. H. "Swede" Johnson, member of a paving crew on the Edmond-Guthrie highway near here, laid 50,000 bricks in eight hours yesterday and wants to meet James Brown of Missouri, who laid 36,000 in a day two weeks ago and now is hailed as the world's champion brick layer.

It required twenty other men, carriers and stackers, to keep enough bricks before Johnson to keep him busy. He laid 25 tons of brick, 6,250 an hour, or 104 a minute. Johnson did not know a check was being kept of his day's work.

Story, Wichita's baby specialist.—Adv.

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DARROW COMES IN FOR MORE JUDICIAL IRE

Chief Justice of Ohio Court Flays Darrow for His Stand at Dayton

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 27.—(AP)—The conduct of Clarence Darrow in the Scopes trial in Dayton, Tenn., was pointed out today by Carrington T. Marshall, chief justice of the Ohio supreme court, as "an example of the unethical practioner which should bring upon him the condemnation of all self-respecting members of the bench and bar."

The chief justice's criticism was made in an address to some 200 students sworn in as attorneys here.

Law Was Plain.

"The law in that case was plain and simple," he said. "Neither the indictment nor the statute under which the indictment was framed contained any mention of evolution, neither did they in the remotest degree involve or necessarily provoke any discussion of the theory of evolution.

"The Tennessee statute provides that it shall be unlawful for any teacher in any public schools of the state to teach any theory that denied the story of divine creation of man or to teach that man has descended from a lower order of animals. That the forbidden doctrines were so taught was freely admitted by the defendant. No defense was open, therefore, except that of the constitutional validity of the law itself.

"And yet Darrow sought to browbeat and to bluff the judge into admitting expert evidence upon the soundness of the theory of evolution.

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Leading Woman Is Seriously Burned

DEADWOOD, S. D., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Miss Edna Gregory, leading woman of a motion picture making a "western" here is convalescing today from severe burns about the head and shoulders received yesterday when she was thrown from the rear end of a prairie schooner into the path of a forest fire. The director had set the fire in pursuit of a wagon train. Miss Gregory was riding in the rear wagon of the train. A high wind whipped up the blaze and before her absence was noted it had completely enveloped her. Her director, Al Rogell, rescued her.

MODEL AIRWAY RUNS 3 YEARS WITHOUT DEATH

Army Service Claims a Unique Record By Operations

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP).—The army air service has operated for three years what it describes as a "model airway" without a single fatality or a serious accident.

The airway, covering many thousands of miles, has been maintained to train pilots in flying under all weather conditions and incidentally has rendered "considerable service" in transporting personnel and supplies for the service.

Statistics just compiled for the three years operation show 546 trips started, 525 completed, 11,583 hours flown, 849 passengers carried, 951,130 miles flown and 46,707 pounds of express carried. In 14 crashes there were no deaths and only minor injuries sustained.

The airway touches New York, Washington, Norfolk, Dayton, Detroit, St. Louis, Kansas City, Muskogee, Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio. The schedule of operation calls for weekly flights totaling thousands of miles.

"All this flying," the service reported, "has been done at no additional expense, inasmuch as existing personnel and facilities of the army were used exclusively."

Voices of Dead To Be Heard in Isles

LONDON, Aug. 27. — (AP) — Voices of the dead are to be heard throughout England if plans of the British broadcasting companies are carried out. Through co-operation with talking machine companies the voices of Theodore Roosevelt, Adelina Patti, the singer, Sir Beerbohm Tree, the actor, and other prominent personages, long dead, will be transmitted through the ether to be heard by the present generation, countless thousands of whom never heard the original voices.

The records to be used have been stored away for many years and there is some question as to whether they will broadcast satisfactorily. There are many records of prominent persons in the British museum and one company possesses one of Queen Victoria. It is not purposed to try to broadcast the late queen's voice and it is doubtful whether the museum authorities will allow any of their stock to be used.

Another Slain As Tong Leaders Give A Pledge of Peace

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP)—New York police are attempting to end the war of Chinese tongs in the east and middlewest where five tongsmen have been assassinated.

When tong leaders were closeted with police here yesterday a Hip Sing was murdered in Baltimore. He was the first Hip Sing to die, the others in New York, Chicago, Minneapolis and Pittsburgh have been On Leongs.

Tong leaders promised at police headquarters here to try to end the war. They agreed to cease hostilities in New York pending a final settlement and another meeting was arranged for tomorrow. Telegrams were sent summoning Su Ho Soon, national On Leong president, and Lee Gee Ming, secretary, from Detroit.

SENTENCED TO DEATH

MOSCOW, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Nine contractors charged with defrauding the military equipment department of the war office through systematic theft of war supplies today were sentenced to death by a military tribunal. Thirty-two others were given various terms of imprisonment and 25 others were acquitted.

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THE AIRPLANE COMING.

Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker may be a little enthusiastic in his prediction of a nation-wide system of airways within the next five years but he is far from an impractical visionary whose views on aviation are the unstable fancies of a crank. There is considerable room for belief, in fact, that the story he told several hundred Wichita Falls business men Wednesday noon has a good deal more truth than many of his listners at first suspected. He may have seen what Wichita Falls has not yet seen clearly—that the day is not far distant when the city must provide some sort of airport if it is to keep up with the rest of the country.

Commercial aviation, it must be admitted, has made wonderful advancement since the world war. Across the seas, especially, it has been developed to a high state of efficiency and safety. And in America, too, as Capt. Rickenbacker pointed out, men of vision, ability and wealth are establishing air lines that are already past the experimental stage. The success of the government's own air mail is a case in point. Henry Ford's freight service from his Detroit factory to Chicago, Cleveland and other points is another.

The time is coming, no doubt, when airplanes will maintain a regular route between Dallas, Fort Worth and Denver. When this comes, of course, Wichita Falls will take its place as an important stopping point. It is unlikely that the city will ever be on an important trans-continental air route; its geographic location precludes that; but there is no reason for its not becoming an important aviation center for North Texas.

Rickenbacker's plea for immediate construction of an airport here may not require serious attention for a time yet, but the day is coming when such a thing will be a reality.

WHY IS A FAIR?

The open season on fairs of all sizes, sorts and descriptions is just about to descend. A few whiffs of it, in fact, have already found their way hereabouts from Frederick, Okla., where Tillman county's fine free fair is now under way.

What is it that impells a community to spend thousands of dollars each year and devote weeks and months of painstaking labor to plan and stage such a thing? Nothing. Nothing save an insatiable craving to "show off;" show the rest of the country what it can do; and to provide something from which will be reflected the stimulating light of personal glory.

And why not? Man is a peculiar brute that thrives on flattery. Nothing gives him so much unadulterated satisfaction as a pat on the back, and that is just what a fair offers. It let's him see the products he himself has made; it offers means of sizing up his accomplishments with those of his neighbor. It makes him feel he's a pretty darn good guy at that.

Of course the educational aspects of the fair are important. An exposition of any size always brings attractions instructive as well as interesting, but after all, the fair in the last analysis is a sort of community mirror we all like to stand and primp ourselves before.

COBB OF DETROIT.

The Detroit city council has made an appropriation of $1,000 to be used for a testimonial banquet in honor of Tyrus Raymond Cobb, who Saturday completes his 20th year as a baseball player with the Tigers. In asking his commissioners for the appropriation, Mayor Smith said that two men had linked their names inseparably with Detroit and had done more to get it the attention of the world than any others. Those two were Henry Ford and Ty Cobb.

This is a testimonial to the fact that clean sport, be it commercialized, professional, amateur or what not, can be of inestimable value to a city. For years Ty Cobb has been the living embodiment of the great national game, and his long years of service in the majors has been without a blemish except the occasional outbursts of fire that are peculiar to any one of ability in any line of endeavor.

Detroit has indeed been fortunate that the flashing Georgian has carried the spangles of the city for this score of years. "Cobb of Detroit"—a byword wherever baseball is played.

It is no small accomplishment to be recognized as a great man in a city a great as Detroit, but Cobb probably merits the honor for he has done much for his adopted city as well as for baseball in general.

COME TO TEXAS.

The eastern states are preparing for their annual sandbagging at the hands of the coal miners.

This perennial squabble between the coal barons and John L. Lewis would be funny if it were not getting tiresome through repetition. As usual, charges and counter charges have been hurled. The coal magnates, it appears, are a bunch of bloated slave drivers, driving their workmen at killing rates and paying them mere pittances. On the other hand, the miners seem to be a gang of cut throats whose demands are out of all reason—this, of course, coming from the barons and the opinion on the barons coming from the miners.

In the end they will arbitrate the matter! each side will make some concessions—and the consumer will pay the difference.

Happy is the man who can turn a button and get all the heat he needs cold winter days. Consumption of gas may not be without its evils, but we of this section at least are not confronted with the annual spectre of a coal shortage and the knowledge that, if it does not come, the price will probably go up anyway.

As S. P. in the Dallas News would say, "Come to Texas."

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE.

There Is No "Next Round."

The golfer who has made a bad score comforts himself with the reflection that he will do better on the next round.

By that time, if the course is a new one, he will know it better.

He will profit by his mistakes. He will remember what he has done wrong and why, and the next time he goes over the course he will make a lower score.

Sometimes he does, and sometimes he does not.

But at least he has a chance to do so. The golf course is always there. There are many days in the year when he can play over it.

Considering the opportunity for practice and improvement it is remarkable that there are so many bad golfers.

But this has to do with the eternal fight that people are engaged in with themselves, which we shall try to write about some other time.

Just now we are talking about doing things over, which is always good, when it can be done.

But on the big course, where we are all playing, There is no next round.

One by one the fairways present themselves, with their own problems.

We must meet those problems as they come.

All we can do is to put all the knowledge of the game that we possess into every shot. One hole well played ought to be a help in playing the next one well.

And playing two or three well in succession ought to put into us enough confidence so that we shall make a very good round.

But one round is all that we shall have on this earth.

If we have made mistakes, they are made, and the bad score is recorded to stand till the end of the game.

If we have played well, that too is recorded, and to our credit.

We can learn about the hazards and the traps as we go along. They do not differ so very widely in character.

But we must take them as we find them. Some of the fairways are "blind" and we cannot see where we are going when we start. On these we must take our chances, knowing that if we play well and calmly we cannot go far wrong.

If we could play the whole game over perhaps we would do much better, although we cannot be sure about it.

We might remember some of the foolish things we did, and some of the careless things, and some of our cardinal mistakes.

And in the next round perhaps the score would not make us blush to regard.

But no such round is to be.

When we reach the last fairway we pick up and quit. And we must stand or fall by what has been written on the card.

So there is every reason in the world that on our one round we should be calm and even tempered and determined, and ben everything we have learned about the game toward making the best possible score.

GOING HOME.

Six weeks ago Wichita Falls witnessed a steady stream of tourists from points to the south speeding their way northward—Colorado's lofty peaks and bracing air. Camp equipment almost hiding the car, decked out in knickers of all descriptions, head bent for rough life and back-to-nature stuff they sailed through town in high spirits. The magic of "vacation" held them.

Now the flow is reversed. The same steady stream comes through town, but it is running the other way.

Maybe the old buss has a knock in one cylinder; very probably the pocketbook of the old man is badly bent; perhaps the new knickers are torn and frayed; no doubt some of the enhusiasm has waned under the persistent attack of burnt bacon, canned beans and bumping over knobby roads.

Not that they are not glad they went. Of course they are. It's just good to be going home again.

GARY A CRIME FIGHTER.

Now American business men have organized a national commission to fight crime and Elbert H. Gary of the steel trust is to be the president of the commission. Judge Gary is eighty. He is hale and hearty and is seeking new worlds to conquer.

His crime exterminators should begin work in the city of Chicago. Chicago has a red record that has staggered the sane minds of civilization. Gary has been a warrior all his life. He fought organized labor forty years and then gave his men the eight-hour work day.

If he fights crime forty years he will be 120 when he has completed his task. He was appointed because his associates believed in old men for counsel and young men for war. Gary is a very young man. He is very like Chauncey Depew. Ever ready for a scrap.

USING THE CAMERA.

The Germans are making intelligent use of the movies. They are running to educational themes and many films are produced with the idea of instruction rather than amusement. In many there is a blend. Just now the most puplar picture in Germany is titled "The Way to Strength and Beauty" and is virtually a series of lessons on physical culture. In a way it is historical as well as educational. The physical condition of factory and office workers at different periods is shown in contrast with scenes in the Greek gymnasiums. The exercises and pastimes of ancient and modern peoples of many lands are depicted and there is a gradual approach to the best methods of physical training. It is all arranged in so attractive form that the theatres in which the picture is shown are crowded every night. The government approves the film on the theory that it means bigger and better Germans.

A BIG ITALIAN LOAN.

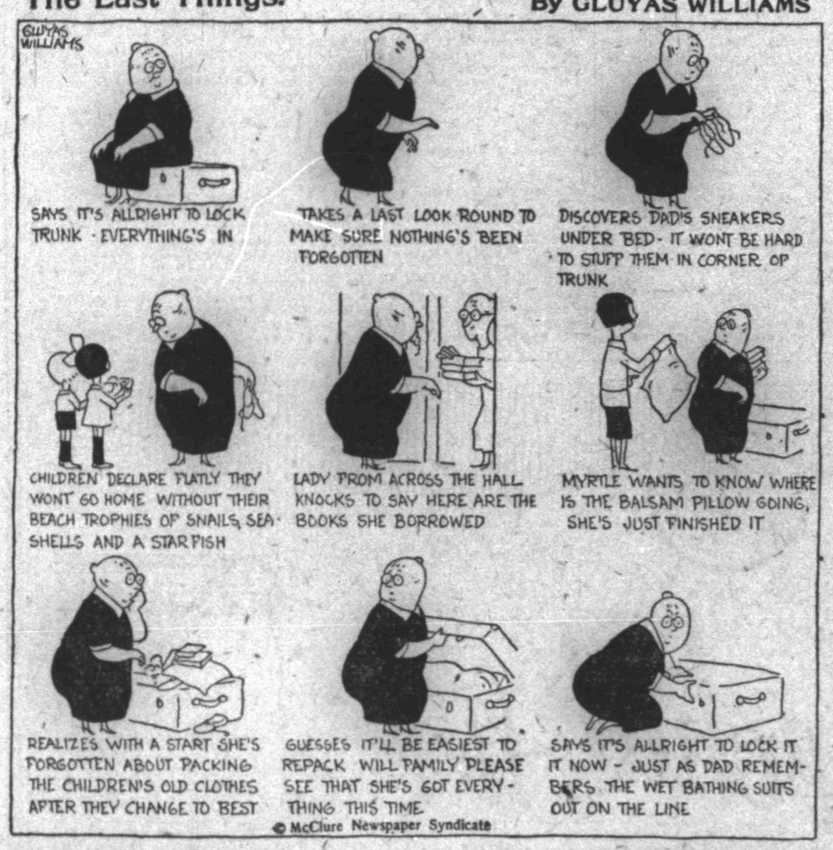
New York bankers will loan to the Italian government $200,000,000 at 5 1-2 per cent and with commissions and other expenses the cost of the loan will rise to 7 per cent.

New York bankers always take down the velvet. They are going to take it away from the Italians this time.

This is the way the world goes round. Those who borrow must pay the piper. Those who lend pat the piper on the back and smilingly say, "On with the dance."

Holiday Days The Last Things.

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

By MARY BLAKE.

Virgo.

Today's planetry aspects are very complex, and while not favorable, neither are they entirely adverse. The worst period of the day is between noon and sundown. During this short period, there is an indication that every influence will be at work to cause quarrelsomeness, disputes, and general discontent. "To be forwarned is to be forarmed," and with a resolution not to be affected by these untoward conditions, this transitory stage can be successfully passed. During the remainder of the day, it would be wise not to attempt any task out of the ordinary, and to be satisfied with conditions as they are, without endeavoring to change or alter them.

A child born today will, during its early years, develop exceptional physical strength. During later years, it will show a tendency to grow up too quickly, and care must be taken to regulate its exercises, and to see that it secures the nourishment most appropriate for one in its developing condition. In character and disposition, it will be tractable, amenable to good influences, and rebellious against everything that is disloyal and unfair. Its mind promises to be very sensitive, and its sensibilities must not be blunted by measures of repression and acts of coercion. It may not achieve any great worldly success, but its character will always serve as a beacon light to those of its associates who are weak and ineffective.

If today is your brithday, you are very methodical, and have no room in your life for untidiness of action or slipshodism of thought. You resent impulse, never speaking without careful thought, never attempting to do anything without much deliberation. You are slow, but very sure, never satisfied with superficial reasons that would convince others, but only act after having delved deeply, and weighted all the "pros and cons." You man not achieve those dizzy heights attained by others, but, in any case, the position to which you may climb will be built on a sure and safe foundation.

In your mating, you will probably apply the same methods as prevail in the non-sentimental side of your life: You will never be attracted by externals. This prognostication, however, is open to amendment, if you should choose your partner in Virgo (August 24—September 23.)

Successful people born on this date are:

M. A. De Wolfe Howe, author.

Frederick H. Bigelow, astronomer.

Rufus F. Zogbaum, artist and author.

Bellamy Storer, lawyer and diplomat.

Placide L. Chappelle, R. C. Archbishop.

Ira D. Sankey, evangelist and author.

PLANE A "WASHOUT"

It Crashes at Brooks, Field After Bad Landing.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—A training plane was listed as a "washoue" Wednesday night following a crash on Brooks field during night flying by students of the primary flying school.

Cadet F. S. Hopkins, the pilot escaped from the wreck without injury.

The accident was the result of a bad landing.

HUNT FOR SLAYER

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Texas rangers today were ordered by the adjutant general's department to watch for two men wanted in North Platte, Neb., for the slaying of a policeman and in Colby county, Kan., for killing a sheriff. The men are believed to be headed toward Mexico, in an automobile and rewards are offered for their capture.

Italian Airman Is Delayed by Rains

MANILA, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Commander Francesco de Pinedo, Italian airman, flying from Italy to Japan, dropped down on Manila during a rain storm today after flying from Antimonan, where he had been held by storms since last Sunday.

The daring adventure of the airman was prompted by the irritation caused by continued delays at Antimonan and his desire to reach Tokyo soon. He made his way from his previous landing in a storm that continued until he reached Manila.

Commander De Pinedo's stay at Manila depends upon weather conditions and the time required to make slight repairs on his plane.

The aviator must await favorable weather on his northward course where typhoons are frequent at this season. An extensive entertainment has been prepared for Commander De Pinedo, including a dinner with Governor General Leonard Wood, luncheon at the Army and Navy club and a reception by Filipino government officials.

HOW IT STARTED

"Person."

In the history of our word "person" for the human being, the individual, we have an illuminating example of the romance that is in words.

It is quite true that not every person is an individual in the strict sence of the word—that is, not all have individuality. Nor can all of us escape the indictment of not being always strictly ourselves! But it would hardly be fair to say that we are all actors, that our personalities are masks.

Yet such is the significance of the word "person!" Speaking in accordance with its origin, that is the implication when you refer to a person or persons. For, the word comes from the Latin "persona," meaning mask, and the reference was originally to the masks used by actors in the theatricals of the ancients. Subsequently the term came to be applied to the character who wore the mask, and in its survival through time it acquired the modern significance.

PURSE IS RECOVERED

$1,400 in Currency Found Intact In Pocketbook.

WACO, Aug. 27.—Her purse, filled with $1,400 in currency and some jewelry, belonging to Mrs. B. H. Hay of Fort Worth, and taken from her by a white man, late last night, while she was a passenger on a Katy train, coming to Waco to visit her sister, was located for her by Waco police, with the contents intact. The pocketbook was thrown through a car window, Mrs. Hay said, who declared the man had been on the train ever since it left Fort Worth. He escaped. The purse was found near the tracks where it had fallen.

STOREKEEPER APPOINTED

Former Merchant to Start Work At Confederate Home.

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Appointment of H. S. Lawson of Travis county as storekeeper of the Confederate home here, was announced today by A. W. Tabor, superintendent, who will take charge September 1. Lawson is a former merchant and a son of a Confederate veteran.

Appointment of Mrs. Fannie Been of Waco, as matron, and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Been as musician and reader, were announced by Superintendent Tabor. The board of control confirmed the appointments

IRRIGATION

Making Lake Kemp Into a Federal Bird Reservation.

Now that Lake Kemp has been fenced and its use by the general public greatly restricted, it has been suggested by some that it be made into a federal bird reservation.

Under certain acts of congress, migratory game birds are protected in all the states of the union. No state may pass a law allowing an open season on this class of game if it conflicts with the federal law.

A number of bird reservations have been created in different states. There are at least two in Louisiana our neighboring state and Florida has some.

Whether or not congress could declare Lake Kemp to be a migratory bird preserve or not without purchasing it from Mr. Waggoner we do not know.

It would seem that it might. Simply prohibiting all hunting of ducks, geese and similar birds within a given area without buying the land involved would seem to be perfectly possible. The land would not be used; only the birds protected, and these birds are already protected for a part of the year no matter on whose land they may be.

A migratory bird reservation at Lake Kemp would be a great thing for the sportsmen in this section. It would act as a source of supply for all the lakes and tanks in this vicinity with consequent better hunting.

Whether or not Mr. Waggoner would oppose the creation of such a reservation on his land is a question that will probably only be answered when an attempt is made to secure the passage of such an act through congress.

Treasures Laid On Unknown's Tomb

LONDON, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The crypt underneath the tomb of the "unknown soldier" in Westminster Abby is fast becoming a vertible store of gold and silver tributes laid on the tomb by visitors to the Abby.

A close watch revealed the fact that many women, possibly having lost relatives in the war, had developed the habit of leaving some personal trifles in gold or silver on the tomb.

So numerous have these offerings become that the tomb daily is cleared of the various article which are taken down to the crypt underneath. It has not yet been decided what shall be done with the tributes.

BOBS HER TRESSES

Ethel Barrymore Returns From London With Shorn Locks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP).—Ethel Barrymore, whose long tresses have contributed greatly to her fame as an actress, returned from London on the Olympic yesterday with a shingle bob. She surprised questioners by saying:

"I did it because I felt too conspicious in London theatres with it long."

She did not comment on the fact that some of her most famous roles have been enhanced by her wealth of hair.

CRACK FLYER WRECKED

Engineer Injured in Accident Near Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The engineer and fireman of the Pittsburgh to Buffalo flyer of the Pennsylvania railroad were injured, the former seriously, when the train was derailed at Braeburn, 20 miles north of here, today. A number of passengers in two day coaches were shaken up, but were able to continue their journey to Buffalo. The cause of the wreck is unknown.

THE STORY SO FAR

Sheik Ahmed Ben Hassan, a powerful desert ruler, and his wife have just been discussing their son, Caryll, whom they have not seen in 14 years. He left them when five years of age and was reared and educated in England. He has just returned to his father's vast and luxurious desert camp with Raoul Saint Hubert, his friend and friend of the family.

The boy has made little effort to hid the fact that he is bitter and resentful toward his parents who he regards as little better than native Arabs.

In the meantime, Ahmed, twin brother of Caryll, has been missing for days and has gone off on a headstrong adventure of his own.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

But what you want is there, I'm convinced, if you'll only dig down and try to find it. But you'll have to meet him half way, you'll have to make allowances. Promise me, oh promise me, Ahmed, that you'll be gentle with him—as you are gentle with me. For he is more my son than yours, I think," she added with a tremulous smile.

But the Sheik shook his head.

"I doubt it,' he said, slowly. "He has got your face, my dear, but there the likeness ends. I can see no other point of resemblance."

"But, Ahmed, you'll promise——"

"I'll promise anything in reason that will dry the tears in those lovely eyes" he interrupted quickly, "but I can't promise to perform the impossible. Caryll is hidebound in his prejudices and appears to have come prepared to make things as difficult as possible. The concessions will have to be mutual. If I am to make allowances, so must he. And, to put it mildly, his attitude today has hardly been conciliatory."

Diana sighed. "I know," she said, sadly. "He seems to be on the defensive the whole time. He gives one no help, no opening. It's like trying to get inside a stone wall—and, oh, Ahmed, I want to get in. I want to make him love me. It hurt me so to let him go, even you don't know how much it cost me——" She broke off with a sob.

The Sheik's own eyes were dim as he stroked the bowed head tenderly. "Don't I-?" he murmured, with a twisted smile. "Diane, I have always known. But speaking of it would not have made it any easier. It was hard for me, too. But it had to be, and the result was inevitable. I knew that in sending him we were probably parting with him for always. But what else could I have done? He had to go."

For a little time she lay still, wrestling with the emotion to which she had given way and forcing back the tears that still threatened to fall. Then as if stirred by a sudden impulse she moved into his arms and sat up, pushing the heavy hair from her forehead and looking at him wit wet eyes that were full of timid entreaty. "If he could only be told," she faltered, her fingers plucking nervously at the folds of his burnous. But she saw refusal in his face even before he spoke. With a negative shake of the head he rose to his feet, putting her from him gently.

"Impossible, Diane," he said—and she knew the accent of finality in his voice—"neither you nor I can tell him."

Years before she had learned the futility of argument, so she made no further effort to persuade him, keeping silent while she watched him leave the room. But her face was still troubled, and the heavy curtains that swung to behind him had long ceased quivering before she turned, with another weary sigh and went back to the dressing table to finish her preparations for dinner.

They could not tell him—no but Raoul could.

And yet how to ask him?

And not very far away, in one of the luxurious guest tents that had been pitched on the quiet desert side of the Sheik's own tent, removed from the bustle of the main camp, their son was sitting at that same moment, moodily waiting for Saint Hubert.

Already dressed for dinner, he had just dismissed his man. The sight of Williams's glowing and excited face, his unconcealed enjoyment at finding himself at last in the midst of what he enthusiastically termed "the real thing" was more, just now, than Caryll cared to contemplate. He was far from feeling the same enjoyment himself.

From start to finish the day had been a failure.

Even last night, the first greetings over, he had been conscious of a state of tension which he knew was due entirely to himself. And, if it were so, how could he help it, he thought angrily. What else had they expected? Was it reasonable to suppose that he could express delight in this meeting with parents who were strangers to him, whose attitude in the past he did not hesitate to condemn, whose mode of life he deplored! Was this tardy recognition of his existence sufficient recompense for the neglect of years? Was he to condone the estrangement that had saddened the life of the dearly loved old man whose death had seemed to leave him alone in the world? Were his own prejudices to go for nothing?

The momentary and totally incomprehensible desire for his father's approbation, the sudden wave of emotion that had passed over him when his mother's arms had first clung about him and her soft, eager lips touched his, had vanished abruptly as it had arisen, and giving way again to the old feeling of bitter hostility, he had withdrawn even more closely unto himself, coldly reserved, tongue-tied and restrained.

Last night daring dinner, and for the subsequent hours that followed, he had been acutely aware of a sense of aloofness, of an embarrassment that had augmented his shyness and reduced him to almost complete silence.

Despite all attempts to draw him into the general conversation, he had felt himself to be the odd man out. And a common topic of conversation had been difficult to find. Burning with resentment, he could not speak of the English home he loved so dearly, and of Algeria he would not speak. And all the time he had been sensible of piercing eyes that seemed to be always turned in his direction, that seemed to be mentally dissecting him. Under their steady scrutiny he had flushed and fidgeted until hot discomfort had turned to angry annoyance that had become almost unbearable. Sensitvely alive to the fact that he was unable to disguise his own emotions, the Shek's calm, impassive features filled him with a kind of unreasonable fury. And he had an instinctive feeling that that same calm impassivity was only a blind that it cloaked tremendous forces that were held in check by the strength of an iron will. What was hidden under that suavely courteous exterior What lay behind that stern, inscrutable face?

Twenty-four hours ago he had asked himself these questions. Now he knew, or thought he knew. And the knowledge made him wonder what were to be his future relations with this French-speaking barbaric-looking father, between whom and himself there seemed to be such a wide and unsurpassable gulf.

How was a basis of understanding ever to be arrived at between them who were poles apart—who had not one thought, not one impulse in common?

Last night had made that fact very evident. He had seen nothing today that inclined him to alter his opinion. On the contrary, he had seen what had aroused him to almost ungovernable rage and which had strengthened his feelings of hatred and antagonism.

The morning had begun unfortunately. Rising very early, he had gone out for a tour of the camp and the course of his wanderings had led him to a secluded spot where an act of justice was being carried through with Oriental thoroughness and severity. He had, of course, no knowledge of the crime or misdemeanor for which the unhappy wretch was paying so dearly, but the punishment he had involuntarily witnessed had driven him back to his tent sick with disgust and horror.

Unseen he had slipped away, carrying with him the remembrance of a grimly impassive figure that had watched unmoved what had sent the cold sweat pouring down his own face.

So that was his father—with the mask off!

A savage—a cruel, relentless despot who not only tolerated but was responsible for such an infamy!

This, then, was the real man—the man Saint Hubert admired, the man his mother loved!—Good God in heaven, how was it possible? And above all, his mother—his gentle-eyed, gentle-voiced mother—how could she knowing these things, retain any affection for such a brute. Was it the wild life she lived that induced this apparent callousness? Was it the atmosphere of the desert that bred such an indifference to suffering?

Later, when they had met, he had watched her closely, but he had seen nothing that led him to suppose that she knew of the morning's happening.

Had she any knowledge of it, or was she deliberately shutting her eyes to an occurrence to which time had accustomed her? But, whether she knew or did not know, one fact remained clear and indisputable, she adored the man who permitted these savageries and she was happy amidst surroundings that her son found horrible beyond description.

For Caryll, the early morning episode had colored all the subsequent events of the day. He had conceived a loathing for everything about him. He seemed to see just cause now for the unreasonable hatred he had always entertained towards his father.

And men, as well as leader, appeared to be imbued with the same callous indifference. Moving about the camp during the day in company with the Sheik and Saint Hubert, he had seen no evidence of resentment against, or even remembrance of, the incident that had made so great an impression on him. It seemed to have passed from the memory of all concerned. It was, then, nothing to these savages who were ruled by one as savage and as brutal as themselves!

Even his enjoyment in the marvelous horses that otherwise would have been a source of unalloyed delight, was marred by the sight of a steed being broken by methods he considered unhumanly cruel. Inwardly criticizing and condemning, he had become every hour more silent, more frigidly unapproachable.

His whole sensitive being in revolt, he had withdrawn to the seclusion of his own tent as early as possible to brood morbidly and magnify the importance of everything that seemed contrary to his own scheme of reasoning. He had passed from furious indignation to raging anger and then to utter despondency before Saint Hubert joined him. One look at his flushed and sullen young face convinced the warm-hearted Frenchman that there was need for open confidence between them before the time came to join the family circle. He had had a shrewd idea all day as to Caryll's state of mind and he had come prepared to speak frankly, whatever the consequences.

That he was in a position to see both sides of the case, and that his sympathies were very equally divided, made him all the more anxious to utter the word of warning he saw clearly would have to be spoken.

"What is it, Caryll?" he said dropping into a chair and coming to the point with characteristic abruptness. "No need to tell me that things have been going badly, I have seen that for myself all day. I don't want to rush in like the proverbial fool and heaven knows I don't want to force your confidence, but I'm here to listen if you care to speak. We have always been frank with each other. Be frank with me now. What is the special trouble?"

Caryll's haggard eyes met his for only a second.

"Special trouble?" he retorted "Good God, it's everything! It's all too utterly beastly, too utterly, damnably beastly."

It was an echo of his first outburst in Touggourt, and Saint Hubert shrugged his shoulders with a touch of impatience. "That's generalizing," he said quickly. "You will have to be more explicit if I am to help you at all. I know you hate the country and came prepared to dislike everything.

(Continued Tomorrow)

MERCHANTS CAUGHT

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Letters were mailed to county tax collectors in Texas today by Comptroller S. H. Terrell to warn merchants to disregard advances of a man operating as a representative of the comptroller's office and who has been collecting from $200 to $500 a day occupational taxes from dealers.

ROTARY MEETS AT ASYLUM IN HONOR WHITES

Dr. and Mrs. Frank White Honored in Dinner At Lake Wichita

Rotarians and their guests numbering in all 125 were the guests of Voelker and Dixon, achitects, at the new male ward building of Wichita Falls insanse asylum at Lake Wichita southwest of the city last night. The visitors met at the hospital grounds at 6:30 o'clock yesteday evening, and spent half an hour in inspection of the new building, which has just been finished and is all but ready for occupancy. Dinne followed in the new dining room of the institution. The affair was in the honor of Dr. and Mrs. Frank White, retiring superintendent of the institution.

Speakers for the evening were J. D. Parnell, state senator from this district and Drs. E. Mackeckney and Q. B. Lee, both former associates of Dr. White. Their remarks regarding the administration of the retiring head of the institution were laudatory in the extreme as were also the address of Judge B. D. Sartin, who followed them on the program. A slight reference was made to plans whereby Dr. White will be kept in the city.

It was announced that the new building is now ready for occupancy. Formal acceptance is being withheld pending the naming of a new head to the asylum board. The building was erected and furnished complete at an expenditure of around $120,000. It will increase the residents of the hospital from 350 to 550, it was announced. The dinner last night was served from the kitchen of the building. Voelker and Dixon were architects.

Levelland Pioneer Has Seen City Grow Up From Wilderness

LEVELLAND, Tex.—Twnty-three years ago John H. Doyle, one of the earliest settlers in what is now Hockley county, hauled by wagon lumber 125 miles from Big Spring in Howard county to the site he had selected for his shack 14 miles south of what is now Levelland. Mr. Doyle told of his eperiences a short time ago, when a celebration was held here commemorating the building of the Doud extension of the Panhandle and Santa Fe through Levelland. This road, now in process of construction, will be the first rail connection for Levelland. The Doud extension is a 65-mile branch running from Doud, a few miles south and west to Lubbock, west through Hockley county to Bledsoe, a new town in Cochran county.

"When I came to the fertile South Plains in 1902 from Erath county Hockley county had not been organized," Mr. Doyle said. "My nearest neighbor was 25 miles away. I was unmarried, and some times weeks would pass without my seeing another human being. Game was so plentiful that a man might have lived off what his rifle could have killed.

"I bought two sections of school lands for one dollar an acre. The terms were most reasonable, one-fortieth down, and 40 years in which to pay out, with only three per cent interest. In other words for an initial payment of $32 I obtained possession of a fertile farm of 1,280 acres. So generous was the state with the homesteaders that I found later I had been given 334 acres more than I had paid for. Of course I later paid for the additional 334 acres.

"For the same land I paid one dollar an acre. I have refused forty dollars an acre. The land is as fertile as one could wish. And the same is true of most of the land in Hockley county."

Mr. Doyle now owns more than 3,000 acres in Hockley county, and recently organized a bank that has just opened in his triving little town.

Stephens Farmers Will Visit Here

A delegation of farmers and business men from Stephens county will leave that county next Monday afternoon for a trip to Wichita Falls and through the irrigated valley, according to word received here yesterday morning. The party will come via Graham and Olney and will camp at Wichita Falls Monday night. J. C. Patterson, Stephens county agricultural agent will be in charge of the party from that county. The tour will be conducted by the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce.

Martin Case Is Sent to Dallas

DENTON, Texas, Aug .27.—The case of W. A. Martin, charged with murder in connection with the slaying of W. B. Parsons, deputy sheriff here recently, has been transferred to Dallas county on motion of defense attorneys. After a conference of counsel and court it was announced the state had joined in the motion, believing that the case could not be completed by the end of special term of court, which closes Saturday.

MORE HANDSHAKING

Atwell Advises Youngster to Tell Pals to go to Hell.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Judge William H. Atwell of Texas, sitting in the federal district court, shook hands warmly with Samuel Alpert, 21, whom he had just sentenced to 13 months in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta for stealing packages from mail boxes.

"When you come out of Atlanta," advised Judge Atwell, "and meet bad companions tell them all to go to hell and say 'I'm going to be straight.' Give me your hand, my boy, promise me you'll try what I have told you."

Sam tearfully promised.

BANK ORGANIZED

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Organization of a new bank at Ranger with a capitalization of $50,000 was sought before the state banking board today by a delegation headed by O. B. Dillingham of Ranger.

Wilbur Incensed At Failure To Convict Two Nurses In Navy

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—(AP) Secretary Wilbur has again expressed his disapproval of the recent court martial proceedings in which two navy nurses were acquitted of charges of illegal importation of liquor on a transport by admonishing Lieutenant Andrew L. W. Gordon of the marine corps for his conduct as prosecuting officer in the trail.

Failure of Lieutenant Gordon to present to the court statements in his possession from the two nurses, Miss Ruth M. Anderson and Miss Catherine Glancy, drew the chief criticism from the secretary. He also disapproved of the prosecutor's failure to cross examine Miss Anderson and concluded "it is perfectly apparent that there was no effort upon your part to establish the guilt of the accused."

Before taking this action in a letter yesterday the secretary had previously disapproved the acquittal verdict in the case, but this had no punitive effect as the verdict is final. His letter to Lieutenant Gordon will be filed with his record.

Citing Lieutenant Gordon't explanation in his report that the statement by Miss Anderson, in which she admitted receiving "as a gift a package which I knew was intoxicating liquor," and by Miss Glancy, were not presented to the court because he was informed by their counsel that they would object on the grounds that the statements were not freely and volantarily made. Mr. Wilbur's letter took exception to such action. These statements should have been presented with evidence concerning circumstances under which they were made.

Auburn Car On Display in Drug Store Downtown

A new Auburn Eight Eighty-Eight sedan has been placed on display in Renfro's drug store at Eighth and Scott streets by the Auburn Wichita Motor company. The sedan is finished in blue and is specially upholstered with blue leather upholstering. The graceful Auburn lines and special interior work makes it a masterpiece of motor car building. The car, although it is already sold, will be left on display for about ten days.

FIREMEN INVADE

Residents of Building Aroused By Fire Cry.

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Peacefully sleeping occupants of a dwelling were awakened suddenly early today by firemen seeking a blaze in the building. The search revealed only an ordinary electric light which had been draped with a red cloth. Further investigation revealed the alarm had come from a neighbor woman who had awakened suddenly and seeing the red gleam thought there was a fire.

McClurkan Company Host to Employes

Marvin Smith and Lamar Fain of W. B. McClurkan company, were host at the Wichita Falls Rod and Gun club southwest of the city last night to some forty of their employes in a barbecued chicken dinner.

Games and speeches filled an enjoyable evening for everybody. Among the speechmakers were Temple Shell and Jess McClary, the latter chef for tne night, and in charge of barbecuing the chicken.

NEW FUEL INVENTED.

Russian Develops Improved Form of Gasoline.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP)—A new liquid motor fuel called carbonan has been invented by a Russian engineer named Makhonin, say advices from Horten, Norway, to the American Chemical society. Its basis is said to be distillates of wood and peat.

"A statement from the French navy where the fuel has been tried in submarine motors, declares that carbonan gives 10 to 15 per cent higher efficiency than benzine," the message to the society said.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water refreshes and strengthens weak and tired eyes. All druggists 25c.—Adv.

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER, MAN ENDS HIS LIFE

Dr. Thomas W. Young Hangs Himself in Cell At Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—(AP).—Dr. Thomas W. Young, dentist, on trial here for the murder of his wife and the burying of her body in a cistern, killed himself in the county jail here early today.

County jail employes discovered the dentist's body hanging in his cell by a piece of wire. He had been dead for some time when the body was found.

The wire used by Dr. Young was probably smuggled in to him, the county jailer said. Permission had been asked several days ago to take a coil of wire into Young's cell, ostensibly for use in rigging up a radio receiving set, but this was denied. The dentist had twisted the wire about his neck and then turned it tightly with a stick.

Assistant County Jailer George Palmer visited Young's cell at five minutes to six this morning and roused him with instructions to prepare himself for court where his trial is in progress. An hour later County Jailer Croushorn was summoned by the prisoners' distress signal. When he reached Young's cell the dentist was dead.

GRANT CHARTER TO COMPANY

North Texas Loan and Investment Company Capitalized at $125,000.

A charter has been granted the North Texas Loan and Investment company of Wichita Falls, a telegram from the state department at Austin yesterday states. Capital stock is named at $150,000. The company has been in operation here for about the last six months, and deals in automobile securities and loans. Headquarters are maintained at the Lloyd Weaver Motor company.

HOSTS AT DINNER

Honoring their out-of-town guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Woolsey of Mexia, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Martin, 1602 Holliday, were hosts Wednesday night at a dinner in their home. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hayes, Mrs. Mary E. Hayes, Miss Roberta Hayes, Miss Elizabeth Martin and Miss Jimmy Ruth Martin.

Mattress Factory Coming to Wichita

The Sweet Mattress Factory of Fort Worth will open a branch of their plant here on October 15, according to announcement yesterday by E. T. Sweet, president of the company and James T. Bawie, a representative, who have been in Wichita Falls for the past few days making arrangements for the opening of their plant. A 50x150 foot building is to be erected an Grant street near the railroad tracks to house the factory.

The company will represent an initial investment of about $35,000, and when operating will employ about 30 persons and keep a mimimum of ten trucks operating.

Harrison to Speak At Ft. Worth Rotary

Hubert Harrison will make the principal address at a meeting of the Fort Worth Rotary club at that city today, according to announcement here yesterday. Several members of the Rotary club here together with the Masat Temple Shrine quartet will leave Wichita Falls this morning to put on a program for the Rotary club there. C. A. Rogers and J. H. Allison are expected to make the trip also. The party will return this evening.

TO TRANSFER STATION

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP).—Commissioner of Agriculture George B. Terrell and J. Austen Hunter, market news specialist, will go to San Antonio Friday to complete arrangements to transfer the Texas Radio Market News service bureau from Austin to San Antonio, it was learned today. The transfer probably will take place September 1.

'MA' AND 'PA' HERE ON LABOR DAY PROGRAM

Governor Ferguson Will Address Trades Council Then

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and former Gov. J. E. Ferguson will speak at the Labor day celebration of the Wichita Falls Trade council here on September 7, it was announced yesterday by R. E. Newman, chairman of the Labor day committee of the Trades Council. Notice of acceptance of the invitation to speak here was brought to Wichita Falls by Judge B. Y. Cummings, who returned Wednesday from a visit to Austin where he saw the Fergusons.

Eleborate plans are being made for a big Labor Day celebration, in which the public will be invited to take part. Governor Ferguson will speak at 2:30 p. m., according to present arrangements, while her husband will follow her on the program. Place for the celebration has not been decided as yet.

Wade Here; Says Board Here 25-26

September 25 and 26 has been set as the definite dates for the annual meeting of the Texas Conservation association to be held here next month, according to Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who arrived in Wichita Falls Thursday morning.

Details of the program are being worked out; a busines ssession will probably be held on the morning of September 25, followed by a luncheon at the Kemp hotel at noon and a tour of the irrigated valley in the afternoon.

It is the intention of the visitors to spend the night at the Point Breeze hotel at Lake Kemp. It was the expression of Mr. Wade that at least 125 would be in attendance. The meeting will include a study of the practical side of irrigation and will afford a pleasant outing for visitors.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—Lawrence Pratt, proprietor of a restaurant, is in a hospital here today with a bullet wound in his left leg. The bullet, from a .45 calibre pistol, broke the bone. Pratt was said to be in a serious condition.

He said the injury was the result of the accidental discharge of a pistol which he pulled from inside his shirt when he went to bed.

DETECTIVE IS CHARGED

Railroad Man Held for Murder of Merchant Policeman.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—Willis Layne, 26, railroad detective, was charged by complaint in Justice of the Peace L. F. Bolts's court with murder Thursday noon, in connection with the fatal shooting Thursday morning of Joe Lozano, 50, merchant policeman and ex-ranger.

Layne waived preliminary hearing and was remanded to jail without bail.

NEW MARSHAL NAMED

Dallas Officer Becomes Appointee at Galveston.

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—W. R. Hightower, until recently a United States deputy marshal at Dallas, today was named deputy marshal for Galveston by United States Marshal R. A. Harvin of the southern district of Texas to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of the last incumbent, August 3. Hightower resigned from the Dallas marshal's staff only a few days ago.

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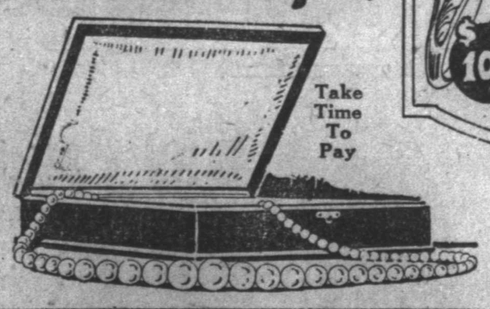
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Pence Holds Spuds To 4 Blows, Dallas Wins Four Straight, 5-0

CONLEY HELPS WITH ANOTHER 4 BASE BLOW

12 Wichitans Fan as Opposing Moundsmen Hurl Well

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Rusty Pence shut out Wichita Falls here today, striking out 12 batters and only allowing four singles, two of them being of the scratch variety. Conley's home run in the third inning started a Dallas onslaught which resulted in three runs. In this frame Kearns scored on a double steal staged with Segrist. The final score was 5 to 0.

Dallas took the first lead in the fourth. After one man had skied to Fitzgerald, Snipe Conley again showed the fans that he may be old but he can soak the ball, by uncorking a drive over the left field wall. Griffith walked and went to third on Kearns single through the box. Griffith scored, Kearns took third and Segrist first when Roberts heaved his bunt wild. As Hungling fanned the two runners pulled a double steal and Kearns scored.

A double by Griffith, an error by Distel and a double play sent Griffith oveg the platter for another Dallas score in the sixth.

Singles by Distel and Bodie, sandwiched in with a walk to Fitzgerald filled the bases for Wichita Falls in the eighth with one down and gave them their only real chance to score; but Tanner and Callaghan both sent up pop flies.

Two singles spliced in with two infield outs, scored another run for Dallas in the eighth.

The Spudders play in Waco today. They probably will use either Osborn or Martin. Pratt may use Tuero in the game.

WICHITA F.—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Metzler, rf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Distel, ss	4	0	1	0	5	1
Fitzgerald, cf	1	0	1	2	1	0
Bodie, 1b	4	0	1	10	0	0
Tanner, 2b	4	0	1	3	1	0
Callaghan, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Dorman, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Query, c	4	0	0	7	0	0
Roberts, p	3	0	0	0	4	1
Turgeon, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	0	4	24	13	2

x Batted for Roberts in 9th.

DALLAS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bauman, 2b	4	0	0	3	2	0
Gross, ss	4	0	2	2	2	0
Williams, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Conley, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Griffith, cf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Kearns, 1b	4	1	1	7	0	0
Segrist, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Sunglind, c	3	0	0	12	0	0
Pence, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	32	5	9	27	8	0

Score by inning:

Wichita Falls	000	000	000—0
Dallas	000	301	01x—5

Summary: Home run, Conley. Two-base hits, Gross, Griffith. Stolen bases, Fitzgerald 2, Kearns, Segrist. Sacrifice, Segrist. Struck out, by Pence 12, Roberts 7. Double play, Distel to Tanner to Bodie. Passed ball, Query, Pence 5, Roberts 1. Hit by pitcher, Fitzgerald by Pence. Umpires, Osborn and Hill. Time, 1:47.

BEARS 4-4; BUFFS 0-2.

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—By losing two games 4 to 0 and 4 to 2, to San Antonio here today the Buffs dropped the 14th consecutive game. Winters and Owens pitched well in both games. Score:

FIRST GAME.

SAN ANTONIO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gonzales, ss.	5	0	0	1	0	0
Meyers, cf.	3	1	1	2	0	0
Nason, lf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Clark, 2b.	4	2	2	4	3	0
Rosenthal, rf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Washburn, 1b.	4	0	2	9	1	0
Warwick, c.	4	0	0	6	0	0
Booe, 3b.	2	1	1	2	1	0
Winters, p.	4	0	2	2	4	0
Totals	33	4	9	27	9	0

HOUSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Kane, ss.	3	0	0	5	4	0
Bailey, cf.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Watkins, 1b.	4	0	0	10	0	0
Peel, rf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Compton, lf.	3	0	0	5	0	0
Hollohan, 3b.	3	0	0	0	4	0
Fuller, 2b.	2	0	0	0	4	0
Mancuso, c.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Goodwin, p.	3	0	1	1	4	0
Totals	29	0	3	27	16	0

San Antonio	201	100	000—4
Houston	000	000	000—0

Summary: Two-base hits, Rosenthal, Booe. Three-base hit, Clark. Double play, Fuller to Kane to Watkins; Winters to Clark to Washburn. Passed on balls, off Winters 2; Goodwin 2. Struck out, by Winters 6; Goodwin 2. Left on bases, San Antonio 6; Houston 4. Umpires, Coe and Irwin. Time 1:32. 1.32.

SECOND GAME.

SAN ANTONI—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gonzales, ss.	3	1	1	2	2	0
Meyers, cf.	3	0	1	4	0	0
Nason, lf.	1	1	0	4	0	0
Clark, 2b.	2	0	0	1	2	0
Rosenthal, rf.	3	1	1	4	0	0
Washburn, 1b.	3	0	1	4	0	0
Wirts, c.	3	0	0	4	0	0
Booe, 3b.	2	0	0	1	1	0
Owens, p.	2	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	4	4	24	5	0

HOUSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Kane, ss.	4	1	1	3	4	0
Bailey, cf.	3	0	1	2	0	1
Watkins, 1b.	4	0	1	7	0	0
Poel, rf.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Compton, lf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Hollohan, 3b.	2	0	0	1	1	0
Fuller, 2b.	2	0	1	3	2	0
McCurdy, c.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Jacobus, p.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Mancuso, c.	1	0	0	0	2	0
Boggess, x.	1	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	27	2	7	21	9	1

xBatted for Jacobus in 9th.

San Antonio	004	000	0—4
Houston	000	000	2—2

Summary: Two-base hits, Boggess. Stolen base, Washburn. Sacrifices, Meyers, Gonzales, Peel. Double play, Fuller to Kane to Watkins. Bases on balls, off Jacobus 5; Owens 5. Struck out, by Jacobus 1; Owens 3. Left on bases, San Antonio 4; Houston 1. Umpires, Wier and Coe. Time 1:35.

"MURDER" BRINGS COPS.

Santone Youths Stage Realistic Fight With Dummy.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—Blood curdling screams startled north side residents of San Antonio Wednesday night.

They looked from their windows and beheld a mob apparently dispatching a victim.

Police were called and the crowd dispersed, leaving their victim lying in the middle of the street.

Officers found a fully clothed wax figure lying in the street and five youths hiding nearby enjoying the fright they had caused.

Anything Photographic—ask Story. Adv.

YOU KNOW ME AL — The Adventures of Jack Keefe —By Ring Lardner



Cats Win Twelfth Straight as Sports Go Down in Defeat

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27.—Josephus Pate stepped out and pitched a two-hit ball game in the final stop of the Cats before invading south Texas, the Cats winning from Shreveport easily 6 to 0. Joe Gleason, who worked for the Sports, was also in rare form, pitching nice baseball all the way, until a determined Cat rally in the eighth inning accounted for four tallies. Up until the fifth not a Cat was able to touch Gleason for a safety, but they opened up in that frame and continued the assault thereafter. Score:

SHREVEPORT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wisterzil, 3b.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Ostergard, rf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Kirke, 1b.	2	0	0	8	1	0
Benton, ss.	3	0	1	1	5	1
Schick, lf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Bonowitz, cf.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Comeaux, 3b.	3	0	1	3	1	0
Polvogt, c.	3	0	1	5	1	2
Gleason, p.	2	0	0	0	1	1
Rowland, x.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stansbury, xx.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	0	2	24	10	4

xBatted for Ostergard in 9th.
xxBatted for Kirke in 9th.

FORT WORTH—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Davis, cf.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Mullen, 3b.	4	2	4	1	3	0
Sears, lf.	4	1	1	3	0	0
Konetchy, 1b.	4	1	1	14	2	0
Palmer, 2b.	5	0	1	3	4	0
Edington, rf.	4	0	2	2	0	0
Windle, ss.	3	1	2	2	7	0
Smith, c.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Pate, p.	4	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	36	6	13	27	19	0

Shreveport	000	000	000—0
Fort Worth	000	011	04x—6

Summary: Stolen bases, Mullen, Konetchy, Windle. Sacrifice hits, Windle. Two-base hits, Comeaux, Konetchy, Davis, Mullen. Double plays, Pate to Windle to Konetchy; Gleason to Polvogt to Kirke; Benton to Comeaux to Kirke. Struck out, by Gleason 2. Base on balls, off Gleason 8; Pate 2. Time of game 1:40. Umpires, Fanning and Daly.

REDS 3; GIANTS 2.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The Cincinnati Reds divided their four-game series with the New York Giants today, winning the last game of the series, 3 to 2. As the Pirates won again at Boston today, Pittsburgh increased its ead in the pennant race to six and one-half games. May, the left hander, pitched sensational ball until the ninth when Frisch and Meusel singled and Kelly doubled, bringing in the Giants' tallies. Triples by Roush and Pinelli were responsible for the three runs scored off Greenfield. Score:

CINCINNATI—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Zitzmann, lf.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Finelli, 3b.	3	2	2	1	3	0
Roush, cf.	4	0	3	1	0	0
Walkore, rf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Holke, 1b.	3	0	0	11	0	0
Critz, 2b.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Caveney, ss.	4	0	0	2	4	0
Hargrave, c.	3	0	1	7	0	0
May, p.	3	0	1	0	1	0
Mays, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	3	8	27	10	0

NEW YORK—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Southworth, cf.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Frisch, 2b.	4	1	1	6	2	0
Meusel, lf.	4	1	1	0	0	1
Kelly, rf.	4	0	3	2	0	0
Terry, 1b.	3	0	0	9	2	0
Lindstrom, 3b.	4	0	0	1	3	0
Jackson, ss.	4	0	0	3	4	0
Snyder, c.	3	0	2	3	3	0
Koehler, x.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenfield, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0
Hartley, c.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Wisner, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Grob, xx.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Benetley, xxx.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	2	8	27	16	1

xRan for Snyder in 8th.
xxBatted for Terry in 9th.
xxxBatted for Groth in 9th.

Cincinnati	000	001	020—3
New York	000	000	002—2

Two-base hits, Kelly. Three-base hits, Roush, pinelli. Sacrifice, Pinelli. Double plays, Caveney to Holke; Greenfield to Frisch; Teddy to Frisch. Left on bases, New York 5; Cincinnati 5. Base on balls, off Greenfield 3. Struck out, by Greenfield 8 in 8; May 8 in 8. (none out in ninth); Mays none in 1; Wisner none in 1. Winning pitcher, May. Losing pitcher, Greenfield.

WACO 8; BEAUMONT 3.

WACO, Aug. 27.—Beaumont failed to win a single game in Waco this season when they played their last one here today and lost it, 8 to 3. Aguilar had only one bad inning while the Cubs touched Kreneck regularly. Brown accounted for five runs with a homer in the third with two on and a double in the seventh which scored two. Foss hit for the circuit in the sixth with one on. Score:

BEAUMONT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Johnston, rf.	4	1	1	3	0	0
Ormand, lf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Taylor, cf.	4	0	1	5	0	0
During, cf.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Schwab, 1b.	4	0	0	7	1	0
Eberhard, 3b.	4	0	1	0	3	0
Deviveros, 2b.	4	0	1	0	1	0
Metz, ss.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Fillingim, x.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fields, c.	2	0	0	5	0	0
Krenek, p.	3	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	33	3	6	24	8	0

xBatted for Metz in 9th.

WACO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Ferrin, rf.	3	2	1	0	0	0
Cohen, ss.	4	2	2	6	4	0
Brown, cf.	4	1	2	2	0	0
Pratt, 2b.	3	0	1	3	4	0
Galloway, 1b.	4	1	1	12	2	1
Foss, 3b.	4	1	1	0	2	1
Stumpf, lf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Morrow, c.	4	1	2	3	1	0
Aguilar, p.	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	33	8	10	27	[illegible]	2

Beaumont	003	000	00[illegible]—3
Waco	004	002	20x—8

Summary: Two-base hit, Brown. Home runs, Brown, Foss. Double plays, Galloway to Cohen; Galloway 2. Base on balls, off Krenek 2; Aguilar 1. Struck out, by Krenek 5; Aguilar 3. Left on bases, Beaumont 4; Waco 3. Time 1:45. Umpires, Estill and Kane.

Story says have it taken now.—Adv.

The PASSING HOUR



by Wm. B. Ruggles

CONCERNING BOOKS

I buy the books the best of pros
Have written full of sage advice—
But all the lore that each one knows
Will not contrive to cure my slice.

When Vardon writes another tome,
I very promptly buy that book—
And diligently read at home
But on the golf course still I hook.

To printed merits, I'm not blind—
The expert fills out various needs—
I love the game of golf but find
It doesn't play the way it reads.

The Isle of Fistiana.

A RECENT order of the war department abolishes a peculiar legal island that has existed in the backwaters of the places where professional fisticuffs are banned by law. Fight promoters will recognize easily, of course, the military reservation on which it has been possible to stage bouts, even in states like Texas, where prize fighting is barred. Government property, of course, is immune to state intervention and the federal government has never legislated into the back alleys the art of Sullivan and Corbett.

In response to pressure brought to bear upon it, however, by various organizations opposed to the ring craft as professionalized, the war department recently issued an order to all of the army posts prohibiting the staging of bouts where they are in contravention of either state or local law. Posts in legalized fight states, like New York and Montana, can, of course, continue to operate the exhibitions, where the legal immunity of the army post has fostered the fight game and where local sentiment is not at all, apparently, opposed to pugilism professionally practiced, although the state law quite clearly prohibits it. Will the war department's order be construed as taking into account local sentiment?

The country over, however, it looks as if the isle of fistiana is about to be submerged.

ONE of the organizations working toward this end on the war department threw in its communication this sentence: "The situation is becoming grave in the colleges. Many college men are forgetting that they are gentlemen and becoming prize fighters."

Some of the prize fighters we have known have so far forgotten themselves as to be gentlemen.

Taking Sides.

AS a matter of fact, any one who has for any extended period sat alongside the fistic art as presented in its exhibition form is inclined to differ with the vehement opposition as to the prize fighting practice itself. There is nothing brutal or degrading either in the manly art or in the watching of it.

Yet for an entirely different reason—and one quite patently dodged by those who from time to time seek to induce the legislature to legalize the fight game—opposition can be justly advanced.

This is the self-evident fact—it is clear enough on a study of any place where fighting is legal—that the game attracts the scum of the earth to its environs. If the biggest majority of the rugged fighting men come from the humbler walks of life, they seem inevitably to draw with them the worst element as hangers-on.

Legalize the fight game in Texas tomorrow—and in every big city in the state and at periodic intervals in the smaller, a police problem will be promptly presented.

Let the fight game wag along as it does now—existing in defiance of the law but with the apparent tacit and sometimes supporting approval of the better class of business men who like a good fight. So long as the game is against the law, you can only attract the humbler fighters. And as long as that is true, you are practically free from the ring's blackest curse—the followers of fistiana.

Boxing per se is a good clean sport—and as conducted on its only absolutely pure amateur basis—in the colleges—it is a trainer and developer of men. Even some college men learn for the first time on the resined canvas that they are—gentlemen.

Berlenbach's busted mitt appeared to be a mental co-ordination between a weak heart and a good mind.

YOUNG STRIBLING'S ring earnings approximate half a million. A college education would only hamper that Georgia schoolboy. He might learn what he missed making it.

Or as Mr. Stribling might revise Brother Omar:
Some for the fistic titles yearn and some
Sigh for this reputation stuff to come—
Ah, take the cash, and let the credit go
To hungry scrappers who are on the bum.

We Drink the Memory of the Brave.

AH—there it is at last: "The days of Matthews, Sweeney and such men will never be forgotten. They will go down in Texas league history as real heroes." The quotations are from a Dallas column chanting on the glory that was Matthews' and the grandeur that was Sweeney's, along with a chant pagan on the vanished good umpires of the past.

No umpire is a good umpire—until he is dead or gone to the big leagues.

There was Wilson Matthews. A real umpire, gentlemen—agreed! Austin boy, player, manager, journalist, umps—saturnine in disposition but a man who knew how to handle a ball game. Any old Texas leaguer will tell you that Matty had his troubles with the rest. Texas fans have booed him—Texas players have assaulted him—Texas owners have frantically wired Texas presidents that he was hurting their patronage. Matty is dead now—peace to his ashes—his successors have their woes. Now the scribes recall that he was a great umpire.

Sentell, too, is dead. A fair, square gentleman—a good official—a trifle choleric in temper perhaps. He had his troubles, too—physical combat—the roar in the stands. Sentell went to the National league—now he is dead, and in the happy hunting grounds where perhaps the umpire finds peace, he becomes great.

Sweeney—young, ambitious—college trained—not a player but a competent official—helped by his football affiliation with Quigley—as good an umpire as the run of them, surely. But he had his troubles—all the way, too—player attack, verbal assault and the rest. Now he is in the National league. Now he, too, is great.

A prophet may be without honor in his own country. An umpire gets recognition in his after he is gone from there.

Those 60-hour sleepless tests using Washington university students were unfair. College students don't sleep, anyway.

Jockey set down for five days for riding at Saratoga got married. The crime hardly merited the punishment.

Scandal All Bunk

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Baseball Commissioner Landis announced today he had found no justification for published charges that Players Eichrodt and Roy of the Nashville Southern association team were to be switched to New Orleans via their major league contract holders, the Cleveland Americans, to help New Orleans in its pennant fight.

PHILLIES 4; CUBS 0.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Philadelphia made it two out of three by taking the final game from Chicago here today 4 to 0. Blake's wildness in the first inning and three hits clinched the game for the Phillies. The shutout was Carlson's second in succession. Score:

CHICAGO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Adams, 2b.	4	0	1	1	4	0
Heathcote, rf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Freigau, 3b.	3	0	1	0	3	0
Jahn, lf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Grimm, 1b.	4	0	0	14	2	0
Brooks, cf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Pittenger, ss.	3	0	0	0	5	0
Griffith, x.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hartnett, c.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Blake, p.	3	0	1	2	2	0
Weis, xx.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	6	24	16	0

xBatted for Pittenger in 9th.
xxBatted for Blake in 9th.

PHIL'DELP'IA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sand, ss.	3	1	0	1	3	1
Leach, cf.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Williams, rf.	4	1	1	4	0	0
Harper, lf.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Fonseca, 1b.	4	0	0	10	0	0
Huber, 3b.	3	1	2	1	3	0
Friberg, 2b.	3	0	0	1	[illegible]	0
Wilson, c.	3	0	0	6	0	0
Carlson, p.	3	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	28	4	5	27	10	[illegible]

Chicago	000	000	000—0
Philadelphia	300	001	00x—4

Two-base hits, Huber, Carlson. Stolen base, Huber. Sacrifice, Harper. Double play, Friberg to Sand to Fonseca. Left on bases, Chicago 9; Philadelphia 6. Base on balls, off Blake 5; Carlson 4. Struck out, by Blake 2; Carlson 4.

Story says avoid Xmas rush.—Adv.

"BULLET" JOE HOLDS CHAMPS TO ONE BINGLE

Veteran Walter Johnson Gets Only Hit in Sixh Inning

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Bush allowed only one hit and the St. Louis Browns blanked the Senators today, 5 to 0, in the final game of the series for three straight victories. Philadelphia had an open date today and climbed within one-half game of Washington. The veteran Walter Johnson, who had been hastily summoned from his home at Coffeyville, Kan., to take up the pitching burden, allowed nine safeties. Johnson made the only hit off Bush when he doubled in the sixth. Both starting pitchers finished the game. The Browns' first run came in the fifth when Robertson tripled and scored on H. Rice's double. The locals staged a batting rally in the eighth which resulted in four tallies. Sisler singled, advanced to second on Robertson's sacrifice and scored on McManus' double. McManus scored on Bennett's single. Hargrave tripled, scoring Bennett. Then Robertson singled, scoring Hargrave. Bush was aided by a tight defense. Manager Stanley Harris of the Senators received no word from President Ban Johnson regarding a suspension for his row with Umpire Owens yesterday and was at his position at second base. Score:

WASHINGTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
McNeely, cf.	4	0	0	4	0	0
S. Harris, 2b.	3	0	0	4	4	0
S. Rice, rf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Goslin, lf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
J. Harris, 1b.	1	0	0	5	0	0
Ruether, 1b.	1	0	0	2	0	0
Bluege, 3b.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Peck, ss.	3	0	0	1	3	1
Severeid, c.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Johnson, p.	3	0	1	0	5	0
Totals	26	0	1	24	12	1

ST. LOUIS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
H. Rice, rf.	2	0	1	2	0	0
Lamotte, ss.	4	0	0	2	2	1
Sisler, 1b.	4	1	1	7	1	0
Jacobson, cf.	3	0	1	3	0	0
McManus, 2b.	3	1	1	4	1	0
Bennett, lf.	3	1	2	2	0	0
Hargrave, c.	4	1	1	3	1	0
Robertson, 3b.	3	1	2	2	3	0
Bush, p.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	30	5	9	27	8	1

Washington	000	000	000—0
St. Louis	000	010	04x—5

Two-base hits, H. Rice, Johnson, McManus. Three-base hits, Robertson, Hargrave. Stolen base, H. Rice. Sacrifice, McManus, Jacobson. Double plays, Peck to S. Harris to J. Horris; Lamotte to McManus to Sisler; Lamotte to Robertson to Sisler; Peck to S. Harris to Ruether. Left on bases, Washington 2; St. Louis 7. Base on balls, off Johnson 4; Bush 3. Struck out, by Johnson 2; Bush 2.

TIGERS 5; RED SOX 4.

DETROIT, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Tavener's triple into center field in the tenth inning and Rothrock's wild throw to home in an attempt to nip Tavener at the plate gave Detroit a 5 to 4 victory oveer Boston today. It also won Detroit a clean sweep of the three-game series. Boston tied the count in the ninth by means of passes to Prothro and Wambsganss, Haney's ereror of Bischhoff's grounder and a single by Vache. Score:

BOSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Williams, lf.	5	0	0	4	0	0
Flagstead, cf.	5	0	1	3	0	0
Carlyle, rf.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Todt, 1b.	5	1	1	12	0	0
Prothro, 3b.	3	2	2	1	1	0
Wamby, 2b.	2	1	1	1	2	0
Lee, ss.	2	0	0	1	3	0
Rothrock, ss.	1	0	0	0	1	1
Bischoff, c.	3	0	1	3	1	0
Ehmke, p.	3	0	0	0	4	1
Ruffing, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boone,c x.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vache; xx.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	8z27		12	2

xbatted for Lee in 2nd.
xxBatted for Ehmke in 9th.
zNone out when winning run scored.

DETROIT—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Haneye, 3b.	5	1	2	0	2	1
Tavener, ss.	5	1	1	1	5	0
Wingo, lf.	3	0	1	3	0	0
Cobb, cf.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Heilmann, rf.	2	2	1	1	0	0
Blue, 1b.	3	0	1	10	0	0
Burke, 2b.	2	1	0	6	2	0
Bassler, c.	3	0	2	6	1	0
Dauss, p.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	30	5	8	30	12	1

Boston	000	000	202	0—4
Detroit	011	101	000	1—5

Two-base hits, Bassler, Heilmann. Three-base hits, Tavener. Stolen base, Cobb. Sacrifices, Wamby, Wingo, Blue, Burke, Bischoff. Double plays Burke to Tavener to Blue. Left on bases, Boston 7; Detroit 6. Base on balls, off Dauss 4; Ehmke 4. Struck out, by Dauss 5; Ehmke 1; Ruffing 1. Hits, off Ehmke 7 in 8; Ruffing 1 in 1 (none out in tenth). Hit by pitcher, by Ehmke (Cobb). Losing pitcher, Ruffing.

Boll Worms Invade Tillman Cotton

FREDERICK, Okla., Aug. 27.—Boll worms are beginning to do rather serious damage to cotton in certain sections of Tillman county, County Agent H. Beaty declared Thursday. The greatest invasion of the worms has been found in the southern and southeastern part of the county, Beaty says. An order was wired Wednesday for 500 pounds of calcium arsenate to be used in the fight on the pests.

Already there have been several acres of cotton destroyed and fields damaged. Further invasion will increase the loss unless immediate steps are taken to curb the activities of the worms.

Cotton in general in the county is good, and a good yield can be expected, Beaty says.

League Standings

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Thursday's Scores.
Dallas 5; WICHITA FALLS 1.
Fort Worth 6; Shreveport 0.
Waco 8; Beaumont 3.
San Antonio 4-4; Houston 0-2.

Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	56	42	14	.750
Dallas	56	36	20	.643
WICHITA FALLS	56	33	23	.589
San Antonio	54	29	25	.537
Houston	57	28	29	.491
Waco	53	22	31	.415
Shreveport	56	22	34	.390
Beaumont	56	10	46	.179

Friday's Schedule.
WICHITA FALLS at Waco.
Fort Worth at San Antonio.
Beaumont at Dallas.
Shreveport at Houston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Thursday's Scores.
Chicago 6; New York 5.
Detroit 5; Boston 4. (10 innings.)
St. Louis 5; Washington 0.
Only three games scheduled.

Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington	121	76	45	.628
Philadelphia	118	74	44	.622
Chicago	123	68	55	.553
St. Louis	123	64	68	.520
Detroit	121	61	60	.504
Cleveland	125	58	67	.464
New York	119	49	70	.412
Boston	121	35	86	.289

Friday's Schedule.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at Chicago.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Thursday's Scores.
Pittsburgh 1; Boston 0.
Cincinnati 3; New York 2.
Philadelphia 4; Chicago 0.
Brooklyn 10; St. Louis 9.

Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	119	73	46	.614
New York	126	70	56	.556
Cincinnati	121	65	56	.537
Brooklyn	120	59	61	.492
St. Louis	124	59	65	.476
Philadelphia	119	54	65	.454
Chicago	123	51	69	.439
Boston	124	54	70	.435

Friday's Schedule.
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Boston.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Thursday's Scores.
Mobile 6; Little Rock 4.
Memphis 5; New Orleans 3.
Atlanta 6; Nashville 4.
Chattanooga 9; Birmingham 8.

Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Atlanta	133	74	59	.556
New Orleans	128	71	57	.555
Nashville	131	68	63	.519
Memphis	127	70	67	.511
Mobile	131	65	66	.496
Chattanooga	129	60	69	.465
Little Rock	131	59	72	.450
Birmingham	132	59	73	.447

Friday's Schedule.
Mobile at Nashville.
New Orleans at Chattanooga.
Only two games scheduled.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Thursday's Scores.
Lincoln 8; St. Joseph 7.
Oklahoma City 6; Omaha 3.
Tulsa 7; Des Moines 4.
Denver 10; Wichita 4.

Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Des Moines	133	77	56	.579
Denver	132	74	58	.561
Oklahoma City	131	69	62	.527
Wichita	129	65	64	.504
St. Joseph	128	64	64	.500
Tulsa	125	56	69	.448
Omaha	132	58	74	.439
Lincoln	129	57	72	.442

Friday's Schedule.
Omaha at Oklahoma City.
Des Moines at Tulsa.
Lincoln at St. Joseph.
Denver at Wichita.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Thursday's Scores.
Toledo 9; Milwaukee 6.
Indianapolis 6; Minneapolis 5.
Louisville 6; St. Paul 4.
Only three games scheduled.

Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	131	88	43	.672
Indianapolis	131	72	59	.550
Minneapolis	133	70	63	.526
St. Paul	130	66	64	.508
Kansas City	131	66	65	.504
Toledo	131	60	71	.458
Milwaukee	135	59	76	.437
Columbus	137	47	91	.337

Friday's Schedule.
Toledo at Minneapolis.
Columbus at St. Paul.
Indianapolis at Kansas City.
Louisville at Milwaukee.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION.

Thursday's Scores.
Mexia 4; Terrell 3.
Austin 9; Palestine 2.
Corsicana 3; Temple 2.

Standings.

Clubs—	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Corsicana	63	45	18	.714
Mexia	62	33	29	.532
Palestine	62	32	30	.516
Temple	63	31	32	.492
Austin	64	29	35	.453
Terrell	63	17	46	.270

CARDINALS 9; ROBINS 10.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Brooklyn took a firmer grip on fourth place today by defeating St. Louis 10 to 9. Deberry's single in the ninth scored Brown with the winning run. When the Robins went to bat in the last frame, they were one run behind. With one out, Cox tied the score when he polled a home run over the right field wall. Hornsby hit his 34th homer of the year in the seventh with none on base. Score:

ST. LOUIS—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Blades, lf.	1	1	0	0	0	0
Mueller, lf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Shinners, cf.	4	2	2	4	0	0
Hornsby, 2b.	3	2	3	0	7	0
Bottomley, 1b.	4	2	1	10	0	0
Hafey, rf.	5	0	1	2	0	0
Bell, 3b.	5	0	2	1	2	1
O'Farrell, c.	3	1	1	4	1	0
Thevenow, ss.	5	1	4	3	1	0
Dyer, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dickerman, p.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Mails, p.	0	0	0	0	0	1
Haines, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	9	13x25		13	2

xOne out when winning run scored.

BROOKLYN—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Ford, ss.	4	1	2	2	2	0
Stock, 2b.	5	0	0	3	3	1
Wheat, lf.	5	1	2	2	0	0
Fournier, 1b.	5	1	1	8	0	0
Cox, rf.	5	3	3	1	1	0
E. Brown, cf.	5	2	4	4	0	0
Johnston, 3b.	3	1	1	2	2	0
Deberry, c.	4	1	2	5	2	1
L. Brown, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hubbell, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loftus, z.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Petty, p.	1	0	0	1	1	0
Mitchell, zz.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Oeschger, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	10	15	27	11	2

zBatted for Hubbell in 3rd.
zzBatted for Petty in 8th.

St. Louis	006	010	200—9
Brooklyn	041	300	002—10

Two-base hits, Johnston, Hornsby. Three-base hits, Bottomley. Home runs, Hornsby, Cox. Sacrifice, Haines. Double plays, Stock to Fournier. Left on bases, St. Louis 9; Brooklyn 9. Base on balls, off L. Brown 4; Dickerman 2; Petty 3; Haines 3; Oeschger 1. Struck out, by L. Brown 2; Petty 1; Haines 2; Oeschger 1. Hits, off Dyer 6 in 1 1-3; Dickerman 3 in 2; Mails 2 in 1-3; Haines 4 in 4 2-3; L. Brown 3 in 2 1-3; Hubbell 1 in 2-3; Petty 8 in 5; Oeschger 1 in 1. Wild pitch, L. Brown; Hubbell; Dickerson 2. Winning pitcher, Oeschger. Losing pitcher, Haines.

Will Play Dallas B'm't Series, Dallas

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Because of poor attendance at Beaumont, the Dallas-Beaumont series scheduled for Friday and Saturday of this week will be played in Dallas instead of Beaumont, Walter Morris, business manager of the Dallas Baseball club, announced today.

PIRATES TAKE RUBBER GAME FROM BRAVES

Aldridge and Benton Engage in Pretty Pitching Duel

BOSTON, Aug. 27.—(AP)—A brilliant pitching duel between Aldridge of the league leading Pittsburgh team and Benton of the Boston Braves ended in a 1 to 0 victory for the former at Braves field this afternoon. Each team made four hits, all singles. In the third inning Pittsburgh filled the bases when Benton passed Moore, Rawlings made a scratch infield single and Barnhart walked. With two out Benton passed Traynor, forcing in the winning run. The shutout was the second such victory for Pittsburgh in two days. Felix and Cuyler made sensational catches. Score:

PITTSBURGH—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Moore, rf.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Rawlings, 2b.	4	0	1	2	4	0
Cuyler, cf.	4	0	2	3	0	0
Barnhart, lf.	2	0	1	3	0	0
Traynor, 3b.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Wright, ss.	4	0	0	1	4	0
Grantham, 1b.	3	0	0	13	0	1
Smith, c.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Alddridge, p.	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	30	1	4	27	14	1

BOSTON—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gautreau, 2b.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Wilson, lf.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Welsh, rf.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Burrus, 1b.	3	0	0	9	1	0
Felix, cf.	3	0	0	4	0	0
High, 3b.	3	0	1	1	3	0
Padgett, ss.	3	0	1	2	2	0
O'Neil, c.	2	0	0	2	0	0
Gibson, c.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Benton, p.	2	0	0	1	3	0
Marriott, x.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	4	27	11	0

xBatted for Benton in 9th.

Pittsburgh	001	000	000—1
Boston	000	000	000—0

Stolen base, Cuyler. Left on bases, Pittsburgh 7; Boston 3. Base on balls, off Benton 5. Struck out, by Aldridge 3; Benton 3.

Australians To Meet Yankees In Doubles Finals

Patterson and Hawkes Put Griffin and Johnston Out of Running

BROOKLINE, Mass., Aug. 27.—(AP)—For the third successive year, a pair of stalwart Australians has stalked rough shod into the final round of the American doubles tennis championship. In their match through the semi-final today, Gerald Patterson and John B. Hawkes of Australia trampled on the championship aspirations of an American pair, former title holders, Clarence J. "Peck" Griffin and William M. Johnston of San Francisco. These latter heled up the Australian advance for only three brief set succumbing 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.

Tomorrow two American doubles teams, Vincent Richards, Yonkers, N. Y., and R. Norris Williams, II, Philadelphia, and Robert G. and Howard O. Kinsey of San Francisco, defending champions, will fight it out to decide which will take the courts in the championship round against the antipodeans Saturday.

SOX 6; YANKEES 5.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Chicago made it two out of three by defeating the Yankees 6 to 5 in the final game of the series. The locals bunched hits off Shawkey behind errors by Wanninger and with the aid of a wild pitch, scored six runs. Lyons was hit hard in the first inning but settled down and the two runs scored after the first inning were helped along by errors by Crouse and Barrett. The victory was Lyons' 18th of the season. He has lost eight games. Score:

NEW YORK—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Johnson, 2b. ss.	5	2	2	2	3	0
Meusel, 3b.	4	1	2	0	0	0
Combs, cf.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Ruth, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Gehrig, 1b.	5	0	1	13	0	0
Paschal, rf.	3	1	3	2	0	0
Bengough, c.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Schang, x.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Luebbe, c.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wanninger, ss.	3	0	0	4	1	2
Pipp, xx.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Shanks, 2b.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	5	11	24	13	2

xBatteed for Bengough in 8th.
xxBatted for Wanninger in 8th.

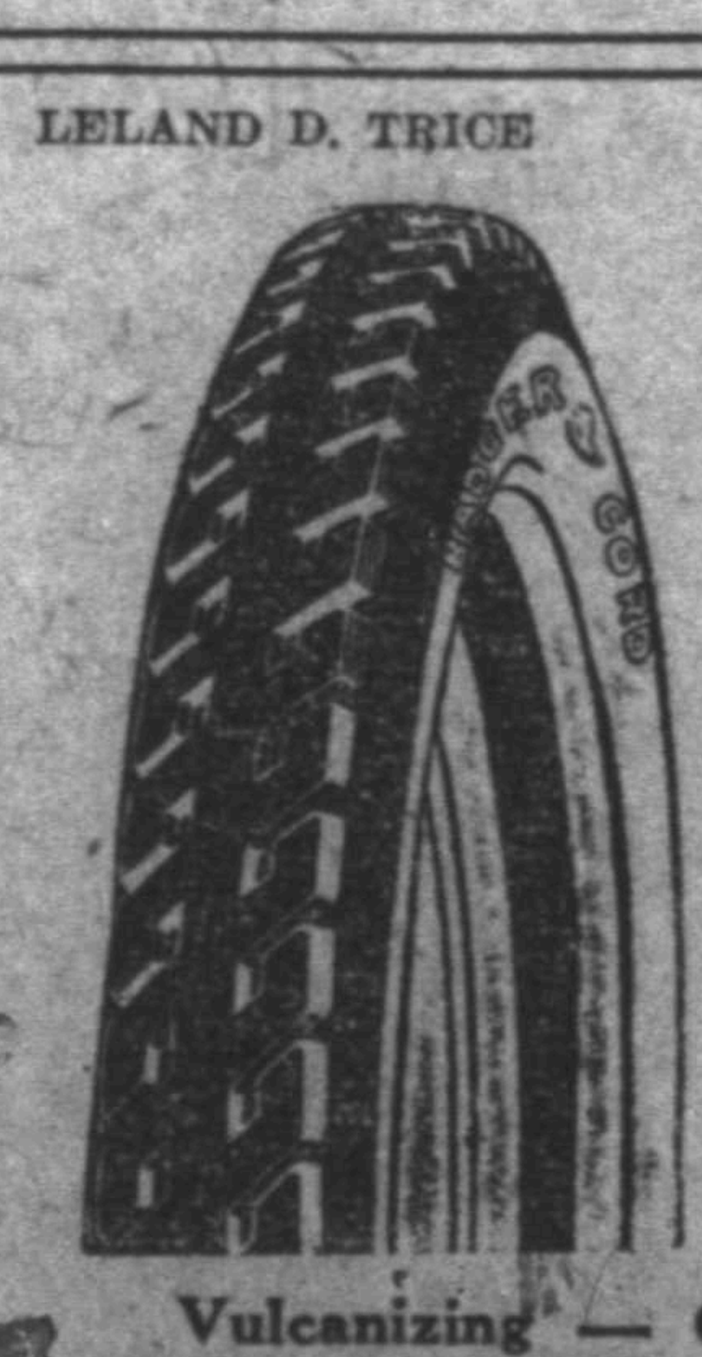
CHICAGO—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mostil, cf.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Davis, ss.	4	2	3	5	1	0
Barrett, 2b.	5	2	1	0	5	2
Sheely, 1b.	3	1	2	13	2	0
Falk, lf.	3	1	1	1	0	0
Hooper, rf.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Kamm, 3b.	1	0	0	0	3	0
Crouse, c.	4	0	0	2	1	2
Lyons, p.	3	0	1	1	3	0
Totals	30	6	8	27	15	4

New York	300	100	010—5
Chicago	220	020	00x—6

Two-base hits, Muesel, Sheely 2, Paschal, Davis. Stolen bases, Johnson, Schang. Sacrifices, Ruth, Mostil, Kamm, Pipp. Double plays, Sheely to Davis to Sheely. Left on bases, New York 9; Chicago 9. Base on balls, off Lyons 3; Shawkey 7. Struck out, by Lyons 2; Shawkey 2. Hits, off Shawkey 7 in 7; Jones 1 in 1. Wild pitch, Shawkey. Losing pitcher, Shawkey.

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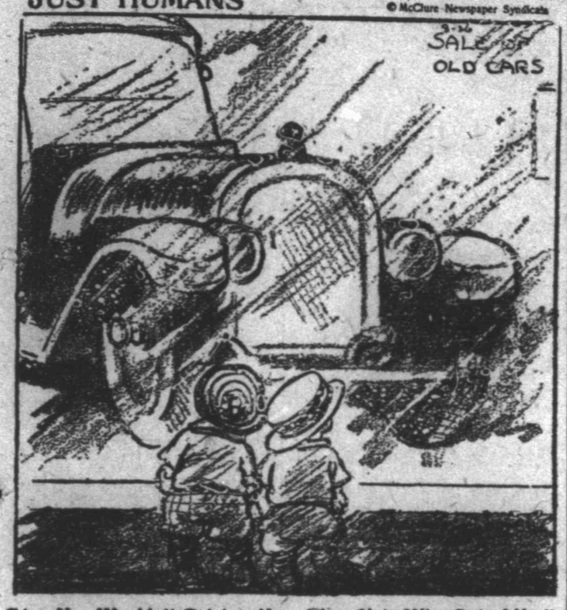
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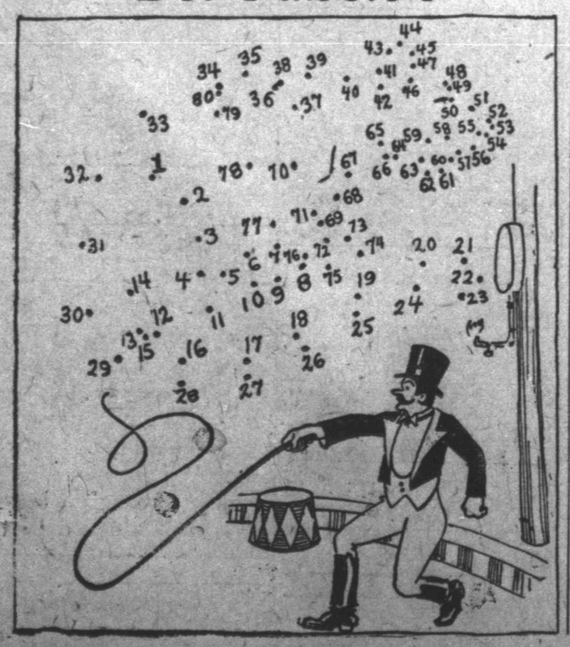
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WANTED—Second hand office desk. Phone 9121.

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Wanted—To Rent 81

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas.
To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon C. J. Cross, by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the Seventy-eighth district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the courthouse thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in September, A. D., 1925, the same being the 7th day of September, A. D., 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of August, A. D., 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 17177-B wherein, Billie Cross is plaintiff and C. J. Cross is defendant and said petition alleging that plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant about April 9th, 1921, and continued to live together as husband and wife until about July 15th, 1923, when by reason of cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff she was forced to permanently abandon defendant, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. That during the time they lived together as husband and wife they adopted a child C. J. Cross, a boy about four years old; that plaintiff has cared and provided for said child since its adoption and prays for the care, custody and control of said child; that because of the above facts their further living together as husband and wife has been rendered insupportable. Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited in terms of law to appear and answer herein, for costs of and general and special relief, etc.
Herein fail not, but have before said court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 6th day of August, A. D., 1925.
A. F. KERR,
Clerk District Court, Wichita County, Texas.

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You are hereby commanded to summon H. B. Landers by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of September, A. D. 1925. Then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1925 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 16882-B wherein E. P. Boyd is plaintiff and H. B. Landers is defendant and said petition alleging that on July 28, 1923, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of lots 7, 8, 9 and 10 in block 165 original townsite of Iowa Park, Wichita county, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple; that on said date defendant unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withholds from his possession thereof, to his damage one thousand dollars; that the reasonable annual rental value of said premises is three hundred dollars.
Wherefore plaintiff prays that citation issue, and that plaintiff have judgment for title and possession of said premises, writ of restitution, rent and damages, etc.
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FARMER'S WIFE BLESSING FOR WHOLE NATION

Speaker at Amarillo Meet Offers Praise To Rural Worker

AMARILLO, Texas, Aug. 27.—(AP)—A farmer's wife is a marvel of economy, who receives no wages for being marvelous, was the definition given today by Mrs. O. P. Russ of Panhandle, in discussing "The Farm Woman, Who and What She Is," before the West Texas Farmer's Educational congress here.

Mrs. Russ is the wife of the president of the congress. Her definition of the farmer's wife was loudly applauded.

Mrs. Russ pleaded that every farmer's wife be given as many modern conveniences as possible to lighten her heavy burdens.

No Aid for Wife.

Many a farmer, who spends hundreds of dollars annually to buy the most modern equipment he uses in tilling the soil, allows his wife to struggle along with the household devices, such as were used in the days of his grandmother, she said.

"But what the farm woman wants most of all is not modern conveniences," Mrs. Russ said, "we want most to see the arduous efforts of our husbands and children receive adequate compensation, for when the recording angel shall write the last pages of human history, He will write that what the good women of the world throughout all time wanted was love, home, peace nad happiness."

Mrs. Russ advocated more intensive cultivation of smaller acreage. "Last year two farmers came under my close observation. One cultivated 125 acres; the other about 60 acres; but the farmer with the 60 acres in cultivation made more money than the farmer who only half tended his 125 acres," she said.

Mrs. Warner Speaks.

Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner, well known Texas newspaper woman, scored farmers for indifference to proper support of country schools. In speaking of the hundreds of empty seats in the "little red school houses," of Texas, she said: "There are too many farm owners, living in town and riding in high powered automobiles, who will not vote sufficient taxes to support the country schools.

"We spend millions for insane asylums and penitentiaries but forget our schools. It is absolutely unfair the way Texas treats its country boys and girls. More than 900,000 country boys and girls of Texas are entitled to first class schools, but they don't get it. We must give the boy and girl the same school advantagee the early high school pupils enjoy."

Mexico to Start Paying on Debts

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—(AP) Mexico will begin paying her $500,000,000 national debt, owed chiefly to the United States, about Sept. 1, according to A. M. Elias, consul general for Mexico at New York, financial agent for that government and brother of President Plutarlo Calles, who passed through here today.

Mexico discharged her domestic debts Aug. 13, when 20,000,000 pesos were paid private institutions of that country.

ASK LOWER RATES

Arguments Submitted by Texas Steel Company Head.

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Oral argument was submitted today to the Texas railroad commissionon the petition of George W. Armstrong of Fort Worth, head of the Texas Steel company, for a reduction of rates on steel products to meet domestic competition. The petitioners asked the commission to restore the prewar rates plus 21 per cent in order to be equal to domestic competition. The commission also was asked to impose a differential of $10 per ton on steel products of foreign steel competition. No action was taken.

BATTLESHIP SAILS

TOULON, France, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The battleship Paris, most powerful unit of the French navy, is to sail from Toulon tomorrow under sealed orders. Her destination is reported to be Syria, rather than the Moroccan coast.

MARKETS

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 1 to 2 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev Close
Jan.	22.49	22.30	22.44-45	22.46
March	22.65	22.51	22.67-2299	22.69
May	22.75	22.67	22.77-2278	22.79
Oct.	22.23	22.02	22.18-20	22.20
Dec.	22.44	22.22	22.39-41	22.41

Opening: January 22.42 bid; March 22.65; May 22.76 bid; October 22.16; December 22.37.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The cotton market after ruling comparatively quiet today. At the start prices opened two to four points down and soon eased off to 22.09 for October and 22.30 for December or 11 points net lower compared with yesterday's close. The market rallied again making new lows at 22.02 for October and 22.22 for December or 18 to 21 points down from the early highs. In the last hour of trading the market having become oversold good buying and more activity developed and shorts were run in, prices advancing to 22.23 for October and 22.44 for December, new highs for the day and 21 to 22 points up from the lows. Some hedge selling developed on the advance and there was a recession of a few points from the top at the end. The close showed little change compared with that of yesterday.

DALLAS SPOTS.

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Spots closed quiet, 35 lower. Sales 9,587 bales. Middling 23.35; strict good middling 23.30; good middling 23.18; strict middling 22.90; middling 22.60; strict low middling 21.95; low middling 21.30; strict good ordinary 20.30; good ordinary 19.05.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 27.—Spot cotton closed steady, 6 points down. Sales on the spot 275; to arrive 2,792; low middling 21.25; middling 22.25; good middling 22.75; receipts 3,637; stock 68,894.

HOUSTON SPOTS.

HOUSTON, Aug. 27.—Cotton seed products delivered Houston:

Cotton seed per ton $38; cotton seed oil per pound 8¼c.

Cotton seed meal per ton $41.

Slag cake per ton $37.75.

Cotton seed hul's per ton $12.

Cotton seed lint per pound 4½ and 7c.

LIVERPOOL SPOTS.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 27.—Cotton spot fair demand, prirces steady. American strictly good middling 13.39; good middling 13.09; strictly middling 12.84; middling 12.69; strictly low middling 12.44; low middling 13.14; strictly good ordinary 11.74; good ordinary 11.14. Sales 4,000 bales, including 2,700 American; receipts 2,000 bales, including no American. Futures closed barely steady; August 12.46; September 12.22; October 12.10; December 12.03; January 12.05; March 12.16; July 12.13.

N. Y. Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Am Tel and Tel	8	140	139½	140
Am Woolen	15	39⅝	38⅝	39⅝
California Pet	57	26¼	25½	26¼
Dodge Bros.	26	82½	82½	82½
Freeport S Co	7	16¾	16¼	16½
General Electric	97	330	323	323
General Motors	93	98¼	88¼	89
Ind Oil and Gas	105	25	23⅝	24½
Marland Oil	105	41⅛	40⅜	41⅛
Mid-Cont Pet	16	27	26¼	27
M K and T	116	42½	42¼	42⅝
Pacific Oil	46	53	52½	53
Pan-Am Pet B	30	62¾	61½	62
Pure Oil	75	26	25⅛	25⅛
Shell Union Oil	30	22½	22¼	22¼
Simms Pet	8	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝
Sinclair Con Oil	60	19¼	18⅝	19
Stand Oil of Cal	14	53	52½	53
Stand O of N J	105	39⅝	38¾	39⅜
Texas Company	42	47⅜	47	47½
T and P C and O	48	11⅝	10⅞	11⅝
Transcont Oil	14	4	3¼	3½
U S Steel	320	125¼	124¼	124⅝
Willys Over	350	20⅝	19⅞	20⅛

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Erratic price movements, reflecting the play of opposing speculative forces, characterized today's stock market.

At the close there were many gains of on to 6⅛ points and losses of one to five points scattered throughout the list.

Neither the stock, bond, nor foreign exchange markets made any response to the publication of the details of the Churchill-Caillaux agreement for the funding of the French debt to Great Britain. In view of the fact that Great Britain's offer is contingent upon France securing similar terms from the United States, Wall Street bankers did not appear enthusiastic over the plan going through, although they withheld public comment until after the attitude of the American debt funding commission had been made known.

Considerable interest developed in the railroad group when Frisco common, which is expected to increase its dividend to 7 per cent before the end of the year, was run up nearly three points to a record high level at 101¼ and large buying orders appeared in Pennsylvania which advanced to within a fraction of the year's high at 48¼. Both of these roads made an excellent financial showing last month. Seaboard Air Line common and preferred, Western Pacific common and Kansas City Southern preferred all attained new peak prices for the year.

Standard industrials were mixed. U. S. Steel common closed ⅝ higher at 124⅝; Baldwin showed a small fractional gain at 116¾ after selling as high as 118⅝. American Can closed ⅝ lower at 238½ after having touched 241. Oils held firm in the face of a sharp cut of 25 cents a barrel in mid-continent crude prices.

Highly speculative movements characterized the trading in motor shares. Chrysler closing five points higher at 141 after fluctuating between 138½ and 144½. Mack Trucks showed a net loss of nearly three points at 216½ and White Motors yielded about a point. Special buying in Jordan carried that stock up nearly three points to 41⅞.

General Railway Signal skyrocketed from 335 to a record high at 359½ and then fell back to 350 for a net gain of eight points on the day. A sharp run up of over six points in Otis Steel preferred was accompanied by rumors of merger negotiations between that company and the Mid-West Steel Products company.

Further withdrawal of funds in anticipation of heavy month end requirements reduced the supply of money loanable on call, the rate holding firm at 4½ per cent. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Financial

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, Auug. 27.—United States bonds: Liberty 3½'s, 100.25; first 4¼'s, 102.3; second 4¼'s, 101; third 4¼'s, 101.17; fourth 4¼'s, 102.13; U. S. treasury 4's, 102.25; U. S. Treasury 4¼'s, 106.16

CALL MONEY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Call money, firm; high, low, ruling rate and last loan 4½; closing bid 4½; offered at 4¾; call loans against acceptances 4. Time loans, firm: 60-90 days 4 @4½; 4-6 months 4½@4¾; prime mercantile paper 4@4¼.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Foreign exchanges, irregular; quottations in cenets: Great Brittain demand 4.85 5-16; sables 4.85 11-16; 60-day bills on banks 4.81-11-16. France demand 4.69½; cables 4.70. Italy demand 3.74; cables 3.74½. Demand: Belgium 4.52½; Germany 23.80; Norway 19.65; Sweden 26.84; Denmark 24.61; Switzerland 19.37½; Spain 14.33; Greece 1.51½; Poland 17¼; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.79; Austria 14¼; Rumania 4.93¾; Argentina 40.37; Brazil 12.62; Shanghai 79½; Montreal 100 1-32.

BORDER FIGHT FATAL FOR ONE RUM SMUGGLER

Second Wounded in Gun Battle With Armed Inspectors

LAREDO, Tex., Aug. 27.—As a result of a pitched battle between American officers and Mexican smugglers about 1 o'clock this morning near Tordilla ranch, 18 miles northwest of Laredo near the Rio Grande river, one of the smugglers was killed, another was shot through the foot and leg and is a prisoner in the Webb county jail, and another lost, which was severely wounded in the fussilade.

The slain smuggler was an unidentified elderly man. Officers discovered him after the struggle, face downward with a rifle in his hands.

Old Offender.

The wounded man has been identified as Jesus Soto, an old offender, who was at liberty on bond after his capture last May with 179 bottles of contraband liquor in his possession. He is in the county jail with a bullet wound in his right foot and a wound in his left leg.

The third member of the party, whose car was severed during the shooting, has not been found.

Those who participated in the battle were Chief Deputy Sheriff, Joe Fierros; Customs Inspector John Chamberlain, Immigration Inspectors Gene Wilson and John Chamberlain, Jr., and State Rangers Wallace and Lott.

Sight Smugglers.

Another party on another road, also searching for smugglers, included Customs Inspector Jesse Peres, State Ranger Mays and Immigration Inspector Buck West.

Deputy Sheriff Fierros and his men sighted the smugglers first, however. They were in a small touring car and at once began to shoot at the representatives of the law. The fire was returned and almost at once the shooting became general with the result that two of them were brought down but the third man who lost his ear escaped.

The smuggler's car contained about 200 bottles of booze.

The liquor and the wounded men were brought to town. The body of the dead man was buried after an inquest had been held.

DALLAS REALTOR DEAD

Pioneer Resident Dies From Injuries in Colorado.

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—H. B. Scott, 82, pioneer resident of Dallas county and prominent real estate dealer, died today at Colorado Springs, Colo., from injuries received Friday when an automobile in which he was riding collided with another at Arlington, near here.

Mr. Scott and members of his family were en route to Colorado Springs when the accident occurred. After receiving emergency treatment, Mr. Scott made the trip to Colorado Springs, believing his injuries were not serious. He became ill on the train.

MRS. BERRY RETURNS

Dallas Woman, Victim of Attack by Negro, Goes to Austin.

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP).—Mrs. Mabel Berry of Dallas, one of the victims in a series of murders, criminal assaults and robberies by negroes in Dallas last spring, returned to her old home in Austin today to dispose of some property.

Mrs. Berry was connected with various state departments here for several years before moving to Dallas.

Mrs. Berry was mistreated by a negro who killed her escort and fiance Larry Milstead. The negro later was electrocuted.

LIQUOR IS DESTROYED

10,000 Bottles Valued at $100,000 Is Poured Out.

GALVESTON, Aug. 27.—Approximately 10,000 bottles of assorted liquor of an estimated value of $100,000 were destroyed by United States customs officials here today, acting under orders from Federal Judge J. C. Hutcheson. The liquor was taken from the customs warehouse to the west end dumps in six trucks. It represents seizures made during the past year.

FOSTER ELECTED

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP).—William Z. Foster has been elected head of the workers party, American branch of the communists.

His election last night came after a three-day session of 63 delegates of the party in convention here. Foster was opposed by C. E. Ruthenburg.

LaGrange Labor Goes to NE Texas

LAGRANGE, Texas, Aug. 27.—About 200 farm laborers are scheduled to leave here shortly for Northeast Texas as a result of unemployment conditions in the drouth area. Employment has been obtained for group in Hunt, Fannin and Cass counties.

The situation here is regarded as critical as hundreds of applications are being filed by laborers unable to find work. A large surplus of negro farm labor exists here and effort is being made to find employment for them in cotton fields. The majority of those seeking work elsewhere are reported to have no funds to pay transportation.

CHARGES ARE FILED AGAINST DENTON PAIR

Storril and Hawthorn Held As Accomplices In Bank Robbery

DENTON, Tex., Aug. 2.—(AP).—Complaints charging Robert Storrie of Denton, and Jack Hawthorn, the latter one of the four white men arrested in the raid Monday on the Yancey Story farm, as being accomplices in the robbery of the First State bank of Krum on June 9, were filed here today by Ranger Captain Tom Hickman. Storrie's arrest was in connection with use of his touring car in the robbery, Hickman said. The car was supposedly stolen.

Hawthorn, together with George Sewell, were yesterday charged with receiving and concealing stolen property valued at more than $50 in connection with the raid.

Storrie was arrested today and taken to a jail in another city.

Today's charges brings the total of those implicated in the Krum holdup to four, Yancey Story and Shelby Stiff, the other two arrested, having been charged with robbery with firearms in the case.

Prisoners Have A Sweet Tooth, Heavy Candy Sales Show

HUNTSVILLE, Tex.—Prisoners in the state penitetiary here satisfy cravings of the "sweet tooth" in the commissary which is operated in large measure by funds earned by the prisoners. During the year, a number of shows and other entertainments are staged by the prisoners. Proceeds are devoted to the operation of the commissary. Each visitor is charged 25 cents for going through the prison and this goes to the commissary.

Candies, cold drinks, tobacco and chewing gum are the main stock in trade carried by the commissary. It is located in the corridor in front of what is known as the "bull pen." After working hours and on Sundays and holidays the prisoners are permitted to come into the "bull pen" and buy through its iron bars dainties from the commissary.

An average of about $25 a day is taken in by the commissary, J. B. Evans, manager, said. "Sunday is the rush day. On one Sunday, I sold $42 worth of candies, cold drinks, etc. to prisoners, or an average of more than 10 cents from each prisoner," Mr. Evans said.

Many of the prisoners devote their spare hours after work to the making of curios and trinkets which they have their friends among the trusties endeavor to sell to visitors. Most of these workmen carry on this extra work for the purpose of obtaining sweets, Mr. Evans said. All goods are sold at cost to prisoners.

Largest Inland Town Now Has R. R.

RIO GRANDE CITY.—(AP)—The first child born in Rio Grande City was the honor guest recently at a celebration commemorating the running of the first passenger train into this place over the branch line of the Saint Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railway from Sam Fordyce. She is Miss Luciano Davis, 77 years old, the daughter of the founder of Rio Grande City. The running of the passenger train marked the passing of the largest inland town in Texas, giving this town, which was established in 1848, its first rail connection.

A rodeo and barbecue featured the fiesta, which lasted for several days.

FIRE RAZES PLANT

Three Firemen Injured in Blaze at Oil Refinery.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—(AP).—Three firemen were injured and loss of $350,000 was caused when fire early this morning destroyed the plant o fthe Texas Refining company here.

Three firemen were injured when an explosion blew out one wall of the building and buried them.

Fire Chief J. G. Sharran missed injury or death by inches when the wall crumbled, bricks showering him after the blast.

FREDERICK TO PROVIDE NEW WATER SUPPLY

Citizens Authorize Mayor To Engage Engineer And Start Work

FREDERICK, Okla., Aug. 27.—Unanimous decision that the city of Frederick should at once take steps to double its water capacity was voted by the mass meeting of citizens, called by Mayor E. U. Gamblin, and held at the city auditorium the first of the week.

By motion, adopted after the situation had been thoroughly discussed, the meeting directed the mayor and city council to at once employ a city engineer, and to begin as speedily as possible the necessary steps for the sinking of two new wells, the building of a new reservoir, and the extension of water mains in the city in such a manner as to afford a sufficient water supply to meet the growing needs of the city and to extend fire protection to all parts of the town.

Too Small Capacity.

The two wells in Frederick have a daily capacity of 500,000 gallons, approximately, and the present storage reservoir has a capacity of 300,000 gallons and the standpipe 80,000 gallons. During some days in June and July the city consumed more than 700,000 gallons of water, it was brought out.

It is planned to sink two additional wells which would give the plant a daily capacity of 1,0000,000 gallons, and the erection of an additional reservoir with a capacity of at least 750,000 gallons.

It is estimated that these improvements will cost the city about $35,000. The city at present has in its sinking fund $130,000 of which $30,000 is invested in bonds and $100,000 draws 3 per cent interest from the banks.

It is said that the city would issue its bonds,buy them with money from its sinking fund, and by making them serial bonds, retire them from year to year.

Employment of a city engineer will be made at once, Mayor E. U. Gamblin says.

Galveston Cops Raid Huge Still

GALVESTON, Aug. 27.—One of the largest distilling plants ever raided in this section was found at Dickinson, near here today by federal agents.

Two 50-gallon stills, 65 gallons of mash were confiscated and four men were arrested. Two of the men are held in jail with attempted bribery charges pending.

The raid at Dickinson followed seizure of three truckloads of liquor in Galveston last night.

Charges were filed on the arrival of a federal attorney from Houston late today.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME.

Five Persons in Dallas Narrowly Escape Blaze.

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Five persons, four of whom were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fox and two children of Fort Worth, narrowly escaped injury early today when fire destroyed the home of Mrs. E. M. Kent. The blaze is attributed to spontaneous combustion.

The occupants of the house had to jump through windows in their night clothing. The Fox family arrived here yesterday for a visit. After receiving a fresh supply of clothing from their home they returned to Fort Worth.

GERALDINE IN COMEDY

Noted Divan to Become Comic Opera Star Soon.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Geraldine Farrar is to be a comic opera star. Her premier in this new line of endeavor will come in New York some time this season.

Her manager, Alfred E. Aarons, who is associated in the venture with A. L. Erlanger, said that contracts were signed yesterday. The comic opera is being written by a composer of international repute, whose name is withheld.

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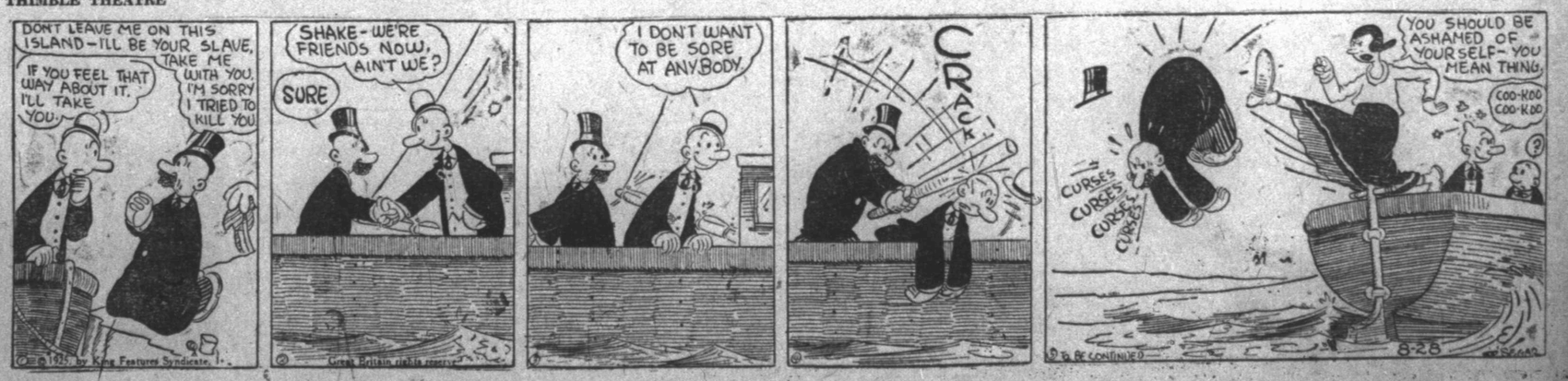


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LAMAR AVENUE AND ALL POINTS EAST

V. E. Jackson has just returned from a short business trip to Amarillo.

Glenn Butler left recently on a two weeks' trip to Goree.

Miss L. Secondine has returned from a summer's visit in Denver.

R. L. Melat has moved his residence from the 2000 block to 1717 Pearl.

Leo Hite return today from a two weeks' trip to the West Texas plains.

W. D. Wilson leaves in a few days to study law in Tennessee.

Mrs. E. Leffler and son have gone to Amarillo for a few days.

Lee Underwood and family have recently returned from a western trip.

Jimmy V. Allred was in Olney on legal business Thursday.

H. A. Glenn has just returned from a two weeks' visit to Sedalia, Mo.

H. B. Fuqua has returned from a vacation trip.

R. W. Hodges is on a short business trip to Olney.

C. R. Boling has returned from a tour of south Archer county.

Earl Cowden has just returned from a two months' business trip to Greenville.

Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Barnes are expected home today from a visit in Amarillo.

Mrs. Lloyd Young has just returned from studying in Colorado for several weeks.

A. W. Eichenberger of Electra was in the city over day yesterday on business.

Mrs. C. C. Hagmann, 1301 Polk, left yesterday for a month's visit in Wisconsin.

W. Jenks Smith has just returned from a vacation trip to Colorado, and reports a wonderful time.

Miss Margaret Swafford, Perkins-Timberlake, recently returned from a two weeks' vacation in Colorado.

Judge A. Fite and Parker A. Arnett of Lawton, Okla., were business visitors in Wichita Falls yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Fitzpatrick of Enid, Okla., a former resident of this city, is visiting friends here.

V. Pettigrew and William Earl Hubbard have just returned from an extensive tour of Archer county.

Gregg Rowe was the unwanted recipient of some calloraln information in the Humble office recently.

Miss Aline Humphreys of Seymour is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Finn, 1649 Pearl.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Gambill have just returned from a summer's vacation in Boulder, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Chauncey and son returned recently from a six weeks' vacation in Boulder, Colo.

W. T. Finn of Seymour left yesterday after a visit with his son, Richard Finn, and wife at 1649 Pearl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bolton, 1800 Seventh, announce the arrival of a baby girl, Margaret, Tuesday.

Miss Louise Newton has just returned from a ten days' tour of New Mexico, Texas and Jaures, Mexico.

N. B. Chenault has just returned from a month's stay on his ranch in the Panhandle.

J. C. Penrod returned yesterday afternoon with his wife and baby who have been visiting in Hereford.

Otis Luttrell, cashier of the First State bank of Harrold, was a business visitor over day in Wichita yesterday.

Anderson Kemp and family have returned from a several weeks' summering in Coloradao.

Mrs. H. B. Patterson was called to Fort Worth Thursday at the illness of hre mother, Mrs. S. E. Eppler.

W. L. Scott, sales manager of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company, is in Dalles on business.

Miss Carrie Finlay is enjoying her vacation on a west coast tour. Word was received recently from Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pridgen have returned from a month's vacationing in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith, 1404 Harrison, have just returned from a three weeks' visit in Kentucky.

J. R. Parkey, prominent oil and cattle man of Mankins, was a business visitor in the city over day Thursday.

C. M. Crowell and family are back from a short fishing trip to Lake Kemp, where they were guests at the Point Breeze hotel.

Miss Eula Logan and mother, Mrs. A. E. Logan, have just returned from a three weeks' overland tour of West Texas.

Miss Lena McKee, a teacher of biology in the Junior college here, has just returned from an overland tour of California.

Virgil Whitworth of Los Angeles, formerly a geologist with the Roxana Petroleum corporation, is in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Garnett and family left Thursday for Fort Worth, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Monroe Hobbs and daughters, Claudia, Hazel and Johnnie, have returned from a three weeks' vacation to their ranch at Matador.

W. M. Priddy leaves today for a week with his family in Denver. His family will roturn with him some time next week.

Ralph Anderson has just returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Dallas, and reports that he is not married.

Clyde McGowan of Shreveport, La., who has been visiting relatives at Henrietta and friends here, will return home Sunday.

J. M. McDermott, traveling freight-passenger agent for the C., B. & Q. of Dallas, is a business visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bowen have just returned from Joplin, Mo., where they were called Monday by the death of Mrs. Bowen's sister.

A. B. Duncan and Claude Vaubhn have just returned from a several days visit to the oil fields around Lawton, Okla.

Judge G. B. Smedley has just returned from a three weeks' stay at his lodge in Colorado. Mrs. Smedley is still there and will return later.

Miss Nora Lynch, stenographer for the Simms Oil company, is leaving on a week end trip to Shawnee, Okla., for a visit with her parents.

Guy W. Moseley, White Eagle Oil and Refining company of Fort Worth, is a business visitor in the city for a few days.

Guy J. Brown and family have just returned from a six weeks' tour in Minnesota and in the Great Lake region.

Cecil Burch, city chief detective, and Sheriff M. E. Elliot of Gainesville were in the city Thursday on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burkeen of Petorlia, who have been the house guests of C. A. Neath and family, 2103 Taft, returned home yesterday.

Jim Baber of Stehlik and Baber has just returned from the Rio Grande valley where he has been making a tour of inspection on irrigation conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Rabb and daughter of Greenville and Mrs. B. P. Blasingame and daughter of Fort Worth are the guests of Miss Vivian Murphey, 610 Filmore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cohen have just returned from a three months' visit with relatives in California. Mr. and Mrs. Cohen went to Los Angeles with the Shrine conventioners in May.

Mrs. R. W. McClure and daughters, have just returned from a two weeks' trip to Colorado with Mrs. L. M. Tarpley of Dallas, who is now a guest at the McClure residence, 1405 Seventeenth.

J. H. Patton, city park and sanitary commissioner, returned to Wichita Falls yesterday morning with his family, following a trip to the Panhandle. Mr. Patton attended the oldtimers' reunion at the T-Anchor ranch near Canyon.

Word was received here yesterday of the death of Mrs. E. J. Bright, mother of J. D. Bright of this city, at Hebron, O., where she was visiting relatives. Mr. Bright left here yesterday for St. Louis, where his mother is to be buried.

The Shrine Chanters, R. Vaughn Ray, Ivan Murchison, Paul von Allman and Grover Bullington, with J. S. Pitman, accompanist, will entertain at their visit with the Rotary club of Fort Worth today. They will return after the luncheon and be back on duty in Wichita Saturday.

Air-Mail Pouch Fails to Arrive

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Postoffice inspectors in every important city between Chicago and San Francisco tonight started questioning hundreds of employes of the United States air mail service in an attempt to locate a consignment of registered and other mail which disappeared somewhere en route between the two cities. The mail left Chicago August 25 but failed to reach San Francisco.

The first intimation that the pouch was missing came with a telegram from San Francisco postal officials received here late today, stating that the pouch, reported to have contained valuable commercial mail sent by Chicago banks to San Francisco had not arrarived.

Postal inspectors here questioned dozens of employes of the postoffice and at the air mail field.

One clerk whose name was withheld and who was reported to have accompanied the mail truck which carried the pouch from the postoffice to the air mail field was detained for further questioning.

Mongrel Dog Saves Woman From Death

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Even a mongrel dog can be a hero. Trily Cole of non-descript breed and appearance is such a one.

In a fire that destroyed a rooming house last night, Trily Cole led his octegenarian mistress, Mrs. Alice Harmon, deaf and partly blind through smoke and flames to safety.

Firemen and spectators did not know she was trapped. She was unaware of her danger. But Trily Cole knew she was there.

Barking and tugging at her skirts, he piloted her down a flight of stairs through a burning hall way and into the street.

HEADQUARTERS OPENED

Legion Making Ready for State Convention in Fort Worth.

FORT WORTH, Aug. 27.—State headquarters of the American Legion was opened here today, forerunner to the state convention which will be held in Fort Worth September 2, 3, and 4. Adjutant General Mark McGee, state commander, spent today in Fort Worth conferring with local committees on the final convention and entertainment arrangements.



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40 RANCHES IN TEXAS FAIL TO PAY, IS CLAIM

Net Average Loss in Last Four Years 2.05 Per Cent. Survey Shows

HOUSTON.— (AP) —Forty cattle ranches in North Central Texas have failed to pay their way in the last four years, a department of agriculture statement given out here at the office of H. H. Schutz, government statistician, says. The net average loss for 1923 alone is placed at 2.05 per cent on the aggregate investment.

Taxes and interest, it appears, have taken something more than the profits. The high cost of a suggested remedy is selection of a higher standard of cattle and systematic breeding to that type. Lower interest rates, of course, would be of material assistance the statement says.

In 1923 when the cattle industry was perhaps at the lowest point of the cattle depression period, only 15 of the 40 ranches made a profit. It averaged 1.2 per cent on the investment but allowed no wage for operators. One ranch earned 3.9 per cent on its investment and another 2.4 per cent before deducting an operator's wage. The other ranches showing a profit returned less than one per cent on the investment.

Twenty-five of the 40 operated at an average loss or 4.1 per cent on their investment. A few of them broke even. One lost as much as 14 per cent, but altogether the net loss was 2.05 per cent on the aggregate investment.

Taxes and interest absorbed 56.8 per cent of their gross incomes. Direct taxes on land and cattle alone accounted for 20 per cent.

"High taxes and heavy interest accompanied by low prices for cattle have been the chief factors in the range cattle depression in North Central Texas since 1920,", the statement read. "Taxes per calf in this area have increased 48 per cent since 1922. Interest paid per calf on some ranches was approximately equal to the price of the calves weaned."

As for interest rates, the average on land loans was 6.5 per cent and 7.5 per cent on cattle paper. Ranchmen, moreover, were paying in interest on indebtedness, much of which was contracted from 1919 to 1920 at price levels at least 75 per cent above the pre-war basis.

Helen Keller Now Radio Broadcaster

SUVA, Fiji.—(AP)—Helen Keller, speaking at KGO broadcasting station at Oakland, Calif., was heard distinctly here on a recent evening. Miss Keller was introduced by her lifelong friend and teacher, Miss Annie M. Sullivan, who taught her to talk, read and write, helping the noted blind and deaf girl to form the basis of her remarkable education.

Miss Keller's voice, which she herself was destined not to hear, was heard on this occasion in Australia and New Zealand. Reports of the reception of the Oakland program in those countries have been received here.

QUESTION STILL, OAKLAND.

Officers Confine Chase to Questioning of Doctors in Murder Case.

OAKLAND, Calif., Aug. 27.—(AP)—An Oakland physician and Oakland dentist and a San Francisco accountant were questioned by the police of the two cities today in connection with the death of Mrs. Bessie Boren, parts of whose dismembered body have been found in the ElCerrito swamp in Contra Costa county. Dr. J. J. Moyer is the physician, Dr. L. Loran Pease is the dentist and Gordon Rowe is the accountant.

HUNT WOUNDED THIEF.

Police Search for Man Surprised in Robbery.

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—Believed to be seriously wounded, deputy sheriffs are searching for the man, who with two companions, was the target early Thursday morning for four shots of buckshot after being surprised by O. V. Davis, south San Antonio resident, in the act of burglarizing his feed bin.

Davis fired at one of the would-be thieves as he leaped upon a box to jump the fence.

FUGITIVE WARRANT VOID

Arrest of Mrs. Canaday Held Illegal By Ma's Action

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—The fugitive warrant on which local officers recenly arrested Mrs. Virginia Canaday has been declared void and the $100 boud which she was permitted to sign when arraigned is nullified by the action of Governor Miriam A. Fergfuson Tuesday in refusing extradition papers to send Mrs. Canaday back to New York, District Attorney C. M. Chambers said today.

HENRIETTA

Miss Mildred Taylor has returned from an extended visit to Dallas.

District Judge M. W. Pugh of Marlow, Okla., was here Monday.

Mrs. M. E. Hamilton and small daughter of Jacksboro are guests of Mrs. C. H Wynn.

G. B. Rush of Byers was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Irvin Chapman and niece, Miss Winnie Preston, of San Antonio, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Layton and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Eaton and Misses Allene King and Helen Grogan of Byers and Lem Ashinhurst and Irad Kerr have returned from a trip to Medicine Park, Okla.

A. C. Thompson of Dallas has been the guest of his son, A. L. Thompson.

Miss Roberta Taylor has returned from Acme.

Mrs. P. H. Neville and sons, Norman and Percy, spent Tuesday in Wichita Falls.

Frank Caldwell of Burkburnett is here.

Misses Icy V. Larkin and Mary Allison have returned to their homes at Wichita Falls, after a short visit here.

Miss Lois Shawvers has returned from Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Murrell and children of Wichita Falls were here Tuesday.

Joe Hurn of Clarendon has been the guest of his brother, Frank Hurn.

Nora Lee and Coye Sandifer have gone to Dallas for a visit.

Mr. and Mrsll C. L. Norvelle of Delta, Colo., are visiting Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Moore.

M. A. Sandifer visited in Stonebury Sunday.

Conrad Kelly has returned from Mexico, where he took a six weeks' course in Spanish.

Frank Hurn of Hurnville was here this week.

Robert Hurt of Dallas was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Alcorn this week.

J. Caldwell of Corsicana is the guest of his parents here.

Hill Williams of Fort Smith, Ark., is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. W. H. Chilson.

Miss Mary Williams, who has been attending C. I. A. at Denton, has returned to spend her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Chilson.

Miss Katherine Carron has returned from Denton, where she has been a student at C. I. A.

Mrs. G. B. Pierce and children of Dallas are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones.

Miss Belle D. Jones has returned from Denton where she has been attending the normal school.

Mrs. S. L. Conn and Miss Eethel Brown of Wichita Falls are the guests of Mrs. A. Snearly.

ELECTRA

Miss Anie Boaz entertained with a birthday party, at her country home ten miles east of the city, honoring the 18th birthday of Miss Willie Lou Byrd. The guest arrived about 8:30 and games and dancing were enjoyed until 11 o'clock, when cake and sherbert were served. After the refreshments they danced untitl a late hour. Miss Byrd was the recipient of many lovely gifts. Those attending included: Misses Hatten Warren, Lora Ballard, Gladys Moore, Iona Baldwin, Kitty Tennison, Lois Brown, Anie Boaz, Johnnie Wells and the hoboree; Messrs. Truman Teel, of Vernon; Charley Snyder, Early Cato of Vernon; Weldon Ballard, Wallis Dickey, Thelbert Stroud, Flynn Chaney, Raymond Nowell and Carl Bingham.

Mrs. M. L. Wilson and children, Oleta and Foster, are visiting friends and relatives in Whitesboro, Bowie and Stoneburg. They expect to be away from the city for about two weeks.

Misses Bonnie and Isla Wilson have returned from a visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Yowell in Whitesboro.

Misses Winnie and Mydle Wilson of Wichita Falls, spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Ila Wilson.

Miss Ila Wilson and Messrs. Jack Wilson and Theo Youree motored to Whitesboro last week.

Leroy Pouncey has returned to Vernon, to resume his work, in the oil fields, south of Vernon. He has been confined to his home for the past three weeks on account of an injured foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Bernard have returned from a two weeks' visit with Mr. Bernards' mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bernard of Happy in West Texas. They were accompanied home by Miss Elsie Mae Bernard, who plans to make an extended visit with them.

Lord Has Bill For Preventing Print Of Indecent Matter

LONDON.—(AP)—With the idea of "regulating the publication of reports of judicial proceedings in such manner as to prevent injury to public morals," Lord Darling has introduced a "proceedings bill" in the House of Lords. The bill makes it unlawful to "print, circulate or publish any indecent matter or medical, surgical, or physiological morals, in relation to divorce or separation cases."

The penalty is imprisonment not exceeding three months or a fine not exceeding $2,500, or both. The measure does not apply to the publication of matter in separate volume or series of law reports, or in technical publications intended for the legal and medical professions.

Klan Mystery Is Seen for Dallas

AUSTIN, Auug. 27.—(AP)—Mystery of the klan has entered the Texas capitol in the form of an application for a charter for the "klan haven," said to be a klan body in Dallas with no capital stock, and organized for "charitable and benevolent purposes."

The secretary of state referred the application tothe attorney general to pass on legal technicalities. Both said the matter "was confidential." The application was signed by "Grand Titans."

Orphan's Home Inmate Killed

CORSICANA, Texas, Aug. 27.—Weldon Hamilton, 4, inmate of the state orphans' home here was instantly killed today when he fell from a pipe which he and climbed in the bathroom of the boys' dormitory.

SMITH AT CORSICANA.

Railroad Commissioner Will Visit Each Texas Oil Field.

CORSICANA, Texas, Auf. 27.—Lon A. Smith, member of the state railroad commission arrived here today from Austin on an inspection tour of Texas oil fields. He will remain over Friday to visit the Powell, Richland, Currie, Wortham and Mexia fields.

He expects to visit each oil producing area of the state.

JOCKEY KILLED IN FALL.

Rider at Columbus Dies In Accident At Race Trtck.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Jockey John Berg died in a local hospital late today from injuries sustained this afternoon when he was thrown by his mount in the third race at Beulah Park.

Berg's horse, Fait Accompli, slipped in rounding the first turn, throwing its rider directly in front of the second horse, Bridget O'Grady, ridden by John Kessner.

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Greeks in War On Malaria Waters

ATHENS. — (AP)—One of the most important contracts awarded by the Greek government is that given to American and British capitalists recently for improvements in the Saloniki district. The contracts provide for the abolishment of lakes in that district and for changing the course of the Vidar river in Macedonia.

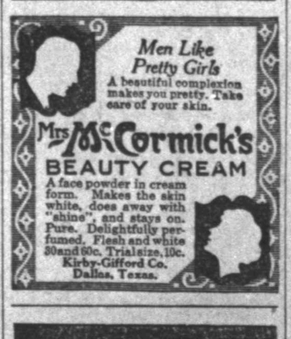
It is expected that the work when completed will result in improved health conditions for the entire district by the removal of the sources of malaria and that 400 square kilometers of land will have been reclaimed. The amount of capital to be furnished by the Americans and British is said to be $26,000,00. The contract was signed for American interests by Franklin Remington, president of the New York Foundation company.

BEAUMONT SHORTSTOP GOES TO NEW ORLEANS

BEAUMONT, Aug. 27.—Bernie Deviveros, shortstop of the Exporters for two years and recognized as one of the league's best, was today sold to New Orleans of the Southern association to report immediately.

BULLET WOUND FATAL

SANTA ANA, Calif., Aug. 27.—(P)—A bullet wound received Monday night by Elmer Campbell, 62-year-old express messenger, during the holdup between here and Oceanside of the combination mail and express car of Santa Fe train No. 75, caused his death here today.



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MONTE FOULED; GETS DECISION OVER JACKSON

Feature Card of Evening Ends in Decision For Jimmy Bean

By L. M. NACHMAN

A small crowd saw a mediocre card at the American Legion boxing arena last night, hugging and apparent stalling, of the feature event of the evening was shortened by a shower in the fifth round of the Bean-Aguilar contest.

The first bout of the evening came in a rough and tumble scrap between Batling Jack and Rough-House Bailey, two young chaps of the 72-round class, who displayed a willingness to scrap that made them popular with the crowd and put their act over good. Young Murdock and Billy Carney followed with an unpopular four-round bout, with a referee's decision at the end going to Murdock. Carney had ability to hit a clean fast blow at times where young Murdock's blows were wild. It was this that probably made the decision in this bout very unpopular.

Wildcat Monte was awarded a decision over Willie Jackson of Oklahoma City on a foul after a few minutes of fighting. Jackson showed ability to fight and willingness to mix it; the bout had every chance of being the best of the evening when the foul stopped it. Jackson was announced as the winner of 110 fights.

The match between Jimmy Bean and Senor Vincente Aguilar of Mexico City was cheduled as the feature bout of the evening, but poor boxing and rain in the fifth round dampened the ardor of the fans. A referee's decision went to Jimmy Bean.

COMPANY INCORPORATED

AUSTIN, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The Brazos Valley Irrigation company of Sugarland, Texas, which was granted a charter today by the secretary of state, was incorporated with 400 shares of non-par value stock, for which a consideration of $25,000 was paid. The company was formed to furnish water for various agricultural mining and industrial enterprises. The incorporators are W. T. Elridge, Charles Boedeker and W. G. Love.

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Skipper Arrested For Crew's Drunk

GALVESTON, Aug. 27.—Captain Marcus Brandt of the fishing schooner Madeliene was bound over to the federal grand jury under a $500 bond today on a charge of violating section 282 of the penal code, declaring that "on or about August 12, being a captain of the schooner Madeliene did negligently and by inattention to his duties permit the schooner to be navigated by an intoxicated crew, and as a result of such misconduct Cris Christoferson and John Johnson lost their llives."

STORES REMAIN OPEN

Large Retail Houses in Dallas Not To Close Labor Day.

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Department stores and other large retail houses in Dallas will remain open Labor Day, Z. E. Black, manager of the Retail Merchants' Division of the chamber of commerce announced today.

Officials of organized labor said they had not expected the stores to close for the day. Building activities will be suspended. The formal program of organized labor will start in the afternoon with addresses at a local park.

HONORS TEXAS PRIESTS

Pope Confers Title of Monsignor On Three Dallas Diocese.

DALLAS, Aug. 27.—Cablegrams from Rome, Italy, today informed three Catholic priests of the diocese of Dallas of their appointment by Pope Pius XI to the dignity of Monsignor. This honor was conferred on the Very Rev. B. H. Diamond, vicar general of the diocese; the Very Rev. Robert N. Nolan, of Fort Worth and the Very Rev. John R. Allred, dean of Sherman.

The appointments were made on recommendations of the Right Rev. Joseph P. Lynch, bishop of Dallas, now in Rome making his visit "ad-limina" at the vatican.

Stribling Adds Knockout, Santone

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 27.—(AP) Young Stribling of Macon, Ga., added another knockout to his string when he knocked out Jack League, heavyweight champion of the Eighth corps area in the fourth round of their scheduled 12-round bout at Fort Sam Houston tonight. League absorbed considerable punishment throughout and was knocked through the ropes in the third round.

Stribling gave away 25 pounds in weight to the soldier heavyweight.

FRENCH BEAT THE RIFFS.

Operations in Branes Territory Crowned With Complete Success.

FEZ, French Morocco, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The operations of the French troops in the Branes territory have meen crowned with complete success; the objective aimed at the Djebel Amescef Ridge has been occupied and the French are making progress beyond that point.

The Riffans offered desperate resistance but soon realized that the French were too strong for them, and, in accordance with their usual tactics, slipped away, driving their flocks and herds before them.

DALLAS GAS CUT, TOO.

Two Cent Reduction There Lowers Price to 21 Cents a Gallon.

DALLAS, Aug. 27. — Gasoline prices at Dallas filling stations operated by Major refining companies were cut two cents a gallon today, bringing the price to 21 cents. Tank wagon prices of 17c a gallon were not reduced.

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