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REPORT MERGE TWO BIG OIL CORPORATIONS

Information Current Friday Consolidation Kansas and Gulf and Southern Oil Corporation.

Deal Is Said to Involve Consideration Running Well Into Seven and Nearly Eight Figures.

Consolidation of the Kansas & Gulf company, one of the largest companies operating in this district, and one of the pioneers in the Burkburnett pools, and of the Southern Oil Corporation, also an "old timer" in the Burkburnett operations, has been agreed upon, according to information from what is believed to be authoritive sources early Friday.

The consideration involved, according to the reports, will run well into seven and nearly to eight figures.

The new concern, according to the reports, will bear the Kansas and Gulf's name, and the combined capitalization will be, it is expected, around $25,000,000, making the concern one of the largest independents operating in the Mid-Continent field.

Confirmation of the deal could not be obtained Friday, an effort on the part of the Record News to get into touch with the head of one of the companies concerned, who stays here, being without success.

The Kansas and Gulf company has a production in this district of around 4,000 barrels per day. They have acquired production in a number of big deals, and have developed leases on their own account, since their entry into the field.

One of the largest deals in the history of the district was the one where they acquired the production of Staley, Langford and Chenault last year for a consideration of around $5,000,000. They also own a gasoline plant in this district, as well as valuable production in Oklahoma and Kansas.

The Southern Oil Corporation is also among the largest and best known independents of the Mid-Continent. Their holdings include a four-inch pipe line, with field gathering lines, to a refinery at Walters, Okla., another refinery at Yale, and a plant at Kansas City.

STATE RESTS CASE AGAINST TULSA CHIEF

By Associated Press.

TULSA, Okla., July 15.—The state this afternoon rested its case on the first count on which it had introduced evidence against Chief of Police John A. Gustafson, suspended and on trial for removal. The defense asked that the charge be quashed.

It accuses the chief of failure to do his duty in stopping and preventing the race riot. There are three other counts against the chief on which the state is expected to offer evidence when a ruling is made on the riot charge. Arguments were being heard on the motion by District Judge Redmond S. Cole.

FIND KIDNAPPED BOY IS HEIR TO FORTUNE

By Associated Press.

OLATHE, Kans., July 15.—Orval McKinistry, 11 year old son of Albert McKinstry, ranchman killed at his home near Lakin last February and who recently was recovered from kidnapers near Globe, Ariz., is heir to part of the large estate of his father, Frank Hodges, Olathe lumberman and administrator of the estate, announced here today. McKinistry left land and other property at between $300,000 and $400,000, it was stated, part of which is involved. The boys' probable share was placed at about $100,000.

STAMFORD TAXES SHOW INCREASE.

Special to The Record News.

STAMFORD, Texas, July 15.—The city tax assessor announces the completion of the tax rolls of Stamford for 1921. The total will exceed taxes for 1920 a little more than $100,000. In view of the general depression of business, which is reported everywhere, the city council is very proud of the showing made, and the fact that it is greater than that of last year.

LLOYDS WIN RAIN BET

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 15.—The cards of fate are stacked against the St. Louis Municipal Opera Association. Rain insurance doesn't pay, say officials of the organization.

For eighteen days the association has bet Lloyds $60 to $1,000 that more than a tenth of an inch of rain would fall on the Railway Exchange Building roof, twenty stories high, between 4 and 8 p. m. While heavy showers have prevented presentation of operas in the west and openair theatre, only slight sprinkles have fallen atop the specified building.

MEXICO HAS ALASKA CONSUL

SEATTLE, Wash., July 15.—Rodolfo Ramirez, Mexican consul at Antwerp when the Germans bombarded the town, and awarded the decoration of the Order of Leopold by King Albert for his service to humanity in relief work, has been named by President Obregon as Consul at Juneau, Alaska. Ramirez sailed for Juneau on the S. S. Alameda [illegible] Seattle [illegible]

JUNIOR KU KLUX ROLLS MEMBER IN SORGHUM AND SEED

By Associated Press.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, July 15.—Word has been received here of the forming of a junior Ku Klux Klan at Wharton. One of the first official acts of the klan was to roll one of its members, who could not keep his mouth shut, in sorghum syrup and cotton seed hulls.

RECOMMIT BONUS BILL IN SENATE

Soldiers' Relief Measure Ordered Deferred at Request of President Harding.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—The administration won its battle in congress today when the senate, responding to President Harding's recent request, recommitted the soldiers' bonus bill indefinitely to the finance committee.

The vote for recommittal was 47 to 29 and interpreted by democrats to mean the "death" of the bill but by republican leaders to mean postponement for only a few months, with no substantial loss to war veteran beneficiaries.

Both parties divided on the roll call, nine republicans voting against, while eight democrats joined the bulk of republicans for recommittal. Republican losses on the vote were offset exactly by democratic accessions, as two more republicans were paired against recommittal and three more democrats for the motion.

An effort for an order directing early return of the bill to the senate was defeated by a vote of 69 to 7, a motion of Senator Kenyon, Republican, Iowa, to have the bill brought back early in January being rejected. Senator Pittman, Democrat, Nevada, thereupon announced that he would make a motion every week hereafter to bring back the bill from committee.

Stormy clashes between Democratic opponents and Republican advocates of recommittal marked the closing debate. But they were mild compared to scenes which followed the roll call. Among the incidents was a challenge by Senator McCumber, Republican, North Dakota, champion of the bill, to Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, to settle a question of veracity "outside" and shouts of "sit down," made to Senator McCumber by Senator Watson, Democrat, Georgia.

Senatorial dignity and rules were lost in the confusion. A half dozen senators were speaking at once, clamoring for recognition by the vice president. To add to the direction, a mid-summer storm broke over the capitol, pouring torrents of rain on the glass roof of the senate while lightning flashes vied with its lighting system.

BIG FIRE STARTED SMOKING OUT SNAKE

By Associated Press.

AUGUSTA, Kentucky, July 15.—A six foot black snake refused to budge from his den under an old stump today. W. H. Winter, a farmer, near Augusta, decided to smoke it out. Fire spread from the stump to a twenty acre hay field. The flames shot out in every direction. Farmers "for miles around" it was said, hurried to the scene and with the aid of a timely shower, managed to save the city. The snake escaped.

U. S. DESTROYERS SINK HUN SHIPS

By Associated Press.

ON BOARD THE DESTROYER SICARD, ENROUTE NORFOLK, Va July 15.—The former German destroyers V-43 and S-132 were sunk this evening by the combined shell fire of the destroyers Leary and Herbert and battleships Florida and Delaware of the Atlantic fleet. They went down at a point seventy-five miles off the Virginia capes, selected as the grave yard for the once enemy vessels turned over to th United Stats after the world war.

Make Attempt To Resuscitate Hanged Bodies

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 15.—An organized gang, banded together to seize bodies cut from the gallows and resuscitate them by means of pulmotors and other machines was revealed today by Walter E. Boerger, attorney for Harry Ward, the "Lone Wolf" bandit, who was hanged this morning.

Boerger said that before the hanging he was approached by a stranger with an offer to attempt to resuscitate Ward. He proposed that the body be obtained immediately after the hanging and taken to an undertaker where the effort to revive life would be made. Boerger refused the offer and told authorities, who held the body in the jail an hour after Ward had been pronounced dead.

A similar attempt was made recently according to jail officials in the case of Sam Cardinella, a notorious gang leader. After his body was cut down from the gallows, his friends labored for hours to revive him, it was said.

ELECTION IS EXPECTED BY BOTH SIDES

Both Bralley and Fitts Confident of Result in Saturday's Special City Election.

Bralley Standing for Reelection on Record, He Says, and Fitts on Economy Platform.

Confidence of election today was expressed in the camps of both candidates for police commissioner, W. G. Bralley, whose election in the regular municipal election in April, was held void through failure of election judges to sign the ballots, and J. B. Fitts, who came into the race after the withrawal of Mr. Bralley's opponents in the former contest.

"I am confident of the election through feeling that the record of the police department during my administration will commend itself to the law abiding voters of Wichita Falls, and I won't get any votes from the other bunch, for I have borne the result of their vindictiveness since I have been in the office."

With reference to a long statement issued by J. B. Fitts Friday Mr. Bralley said that he had no comment to make.

"There is nothing in the statement to comment on—it did not begin to reply to the statement which I issued the day before and which, I think, effectually punctured the bombastic bubble which has been issuing from 511 Eighth street since Mr. Fitts, taking advantage of a situation which his negligence did a great deal to create, came into the race."

Mr. Bralley mentioned hearing reports that eleventh hour attacks on himself and members of the police department would be put into circulation on election day, but expressed himself as not believing that this would be the case.

"I don't believe that the opposition would attempt this, if they wanted to, for I credit them with enough intelligence to believe that this would prove a boomerang—for a charge made after another man has a chance to reply on the face of it lacks truth and sincerity," he said.

A reiteration of his platform planks previously announced, the pledge of "taking care of the home folks" on the police department, a reduction of city running expenses, and the securing of a lower gas rate, was made by Mr. Fitts in expressing his confidence of election.

"I think that this is a platform which will appeal to the right thinking voters of the city, and will result in my election," he said.

NAVY BROTHERHOOD PROVES STRONGER THAN TIES OF LAW

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 15. — The brotherhood of the navy proves stronger than the law today when deputy city marshal refused to evict from her home in Brooklyn widow of John Jacob Nowaki, steward who lost his life when the transport Lincoln was torpedoed in 1918.

When the deputy, John Hagen appeared with his assistants, Mrs Nowaki, her three children clinging to her skirts, cried out that if her sailor husband had not been killed in the war, she would not be forced from her home.

"Why, he was my buddy, and as square a gob as ever lived. Here's where I quit."

His assistants followed him.

ABERDEEN DRIVES 100 I. W. W. AWAY.

By Associated Press.

ABERDEEN, S. D., July 15.—One hundred and three alleged I. W's were driven out of Aberdeen and vicinity tonight by citizens posses aiding Sheriff Henry C. Elliott of Brown county. They were herded in two groups, one sent east and the other north. Each group was driven about ten miles. Other towns in the vicinity have been notified to keep the men moving.

ARCHBISHOP ASKS PEOPLE TO PRAY FOR RAIN

By Associated Press.

PARIS, July 15.—Cardinal Dubois, archbishop of Paris, today called on the people to pray for rain because of the prolonged drought, which has caused much damage and suffering. The cardinal instructed the clergy to say special prayers for rain during masses for the next nine days.

TRUCK FIRE CALLS OUT DEPARTMENT

A Ford truck parked in an alley, south of Ninth and between Bluff and Broad streets, catching on fire Friday morning at 11 o'clock, occasioned a short run for firemen. The flames were extinguished with but little damage being done, according to firemen.

BRING 'EM IN; THE AKIN BROTHERS WILL PLAY 'EM

LONDON, July 15.—The British Isles team which will play in the Davis Cup tennis series will sail for the United States tomorrow.

GINNERS MEET

By Associated Press.

ABILENE, Texas, July 15.—The Ginners' association of West Texas met in annual convention at Fair Park in Abilene this morning for a one day session. President C. B. Hunt of Longworth presided. Prominent speakers appeared before the 150 or more delegates during the day.

BRYAN ADDRESSES C. E. CONVENTION



W. J. Bryan wearing Dixie fez at the convention.

One of the distinguished persons present at the Christian Endeavor convention in New York is William Jennings Bryan. Bryan marched in the parade wearing a Dixie fez and addressed the delegates afterward.

MRS. KABER'S FATE NOW IN JURY'S HANDS

State and Defense Conclude Testimony and Arguments in Murder Trial.

By Associated Press.

CLEVELAND, July 15.—The jury in the case of Eva Catherine Kaber, charged with the murder of her husband, Daniel F. Kaber, had not reached a verdict at 10 o'clock tonight and was taken to a hotel for the night.

It will resume deliberations at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Her trial on a charge of first degree murder for plotting the killing of her husband, Daniel F. Kaber, by hired assassins in their Lakewood home, two years ago, ended at 5:50 o'clock this evening.

Before being sent to their room for deliberation the jurors were taken out for dinner. Mrs. Kaber, who had sat apparently oblivious to the arguments of counsel in which the state asked that she pay the extreme penalty, fainted just as Judge Bernon told the jury the case now was in their hands. She was carried from the court room.

HAYS TO WHACK $15,000,000 OFF POSTOFFICE BILL

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Plans for cutting down expenditures of the postoffice department approximately $15,000,000 during the next twelve months, are understood to have been outlined today to the cabinet by Postmaster General Hays. He was said to have declared the proposed economies would in no way weaken the efficiency of the service.

MINGO CASUALTIES HUNDRED IN YEAR.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—One hundred casualties resulted during the past year from labor troubles in the Mingo, W. Va., coal fields, C. F. Keeney, president of the miners district union, today testified before a senate investigating committee. Mr. Keeney agreed with representatives of the operators, who placed the casualties in the same period at 27—that the dead were "mostly men on the other side."

INCREASE OF KANSAS FREIGHT RATES ORDERED

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Railroad freight rates and passenger fares within the state of Kansas were ordered today by the interstate commerce commission to be increased by August 24 to the level in effect in interstate commerce. Petroleum and its products were exempted from the increase.

GENERAL PERSHING DISCUSSES PROMOTION

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—General Pershing discussed army promotion legislation today with members of the senate military committee, finding the committee room filled with captains protesting against the operation of the reorganization act as it affects priority rule. The pending McKellar bill is designed to meet these objections. General Pershing made no formal statement of his views.

FOREIGNERS IN JAPAN BRING THREATENED

By Associated Press.

YOKOHAMA, July 15.—Some Americans here, but more Englishmen, have received letters written in English, threatening them and their families with death unless they pay the writers of the letters large sums of money. The police are investigating.

HOLD SECOND CONFERENCE ON IRELAND

Lloyd George Meets Again With De Valera in Effort to Unite Emerald Isle Parties.

After First Consultation Prime Minister and Sir James Craig Have Long Talk on Affairs.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, July 15.—Two more important conferences were held today in the effort by the Prime Minister, Lloyd George, and leaders of southern and northern Ireland to lay the foundation for a meeting of the leaders of the two countries in an endeavor to reach a solution of the Irish problem.

The first conference was between Mr. Lloyd George and Eamonn De Valera, the Irish republican leader and the second between Mr. Lloyd George and Sir James Craig, premier of Ulster. No official information as to results attained was issued, but it may be said that the preliminary negotiations are shaping better than any one would have dared hope a week ago. No hitch thus far has occurred.

Mr. De Valera will meet Mr. Lloyd George again on Monday while Sir James has summoned some members of his cabinet which would appear to indicate that some suggestion worthy of consideration by the Ulster government has come to light.

Finally, it is expected by those in close touch with the negotiations, that there is every prospect that the proposed conference of Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. De Valera and Sir James will materialise early next week.

The two days' interim in the Irish peace preliminary, which will terminate Monday when the prime minister and Mr. De Valera meet for the third time, promises to be a critical period in the negotiations, but in the councils of neither of the three parties concerned is there manifestation of fear that difficulties of the situation will not be abridged.

When the Ulster premier lefte Downing street at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon, Mr. Lloyd George had had four hours of "man to man" discussion with Mr. De Valera and two hours and a half with Sir James.

MORTGAGED FARMS SHOW BIG NUMBER

Bureau of Census Reveals More Texas Estates Hypothecated for Loans Than Ever Before.

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS,
Record News Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—The number of farms both mortgaged and unmortgaged in Texas is greater than ten years ago, the census bureau today announced.

There were 105,687 mortgage free farms operated by their owners in Texas in 1910, compared with 128,082 in 1910. The increase in the number of mortgaged farms is probably accounted for by the fact that the farm law makes it possible for farmers to place long-term loans on their farms for the purpose of obtaining needed money for improvements. Two states—Kentucky and Ohio—have more mortgage free farms than Texas.

The total number of mortgaged farms operated by their owners in Texas was 69,719 in 1920, as compared with 64,008 in 1910. There were 27,479 farms operated by their owners in Texas on which the census enumerators last year failed to get a report as to mortgage status. The percentage of owned farms mortgaged in 1920 was 39.7 as compared with 33.3 ten years.

The total number of farms operated by their owners in the United States in 1920 was 3,925,090, of which 41 per cent were mortgaged. The states having the highest percentage of farms mortgaged in 1920 were North Dakota with 75.9 per cent of the owned farms mortgaged; Montana with 64.6 per cent; South Dakota with 63.1 per cent; Idaho with 62.8 per cent; Wisconsin with 62 per cent, and Oklahoma with 60.4 per cent.

In general, the percentage of farms mortgaged is relatively low in all Southern states except Oklahoma, and relatively high in a group of North Central states, extending from Michigan on the east to Idaho on the west.

The states having the lowest percentage of farms mortgaged in 1920 were as follows: West Virginia, 16.3; North Carolina, 19.2; West Virginia, 19.8; Tennessee, 23.5; Florida, 24.5; Louisiana, 24.7; South Carolina, 25, and Kentucky 25.8.

The states reporting the largest number of mortgaged farms in 1920 were as follows: Wisconsin, 98,957; Missouri, 94,413; Michigan 82,802; Texas, 79,965; Minnesota, 74,671; Iowa, 71,994, and New York 71,115.

WOODEN LEG SAVES LIFE

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 15.—A wooden leg saved the life of George Smith, fifty-two, owner of a houseboat on the Missouri River. When his boat capsized the artificial leg was caught in a door of the little vessel. In a frantic effort to escape he battered the wooden leg with an iron rod until he broke it, effecting his release. His escapade was enacted [illegible]

JAPAN'S RELUCTANCE TO DISCUSS EASTERN AFFAIRS CLOUDS CONFERENCE PLANS

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Japan's reluctance to take part in an unrestricted discussion of Far Eastern affairs at the disarmament confrence led the United States to set forth anew today its idea of the probable scope of the proposed negotiations.

Details of the latest American representatives to the Tokio government were not disclosed but they are held by officials here to be sufficiently definite to permit of a comprehensive re-consideration of the whole subject by Japanese statesmen. American officials look forward to the result with entire confidence.

Although holding to its firm belief that Far Eastern and Pacific problems are linked closely with any efforts to reduce armaments, the position of this government is understood to be that the important object, after all is to get the powers together around a council table where each is willing to speak and act in entire frankness in the interest of good understanding. The feeling here is that once that object has been attained an agreement will be easily reached as to subjects of discussions, provided none of the powers ties its own hands before the conference begins.

There is reason to believe that American officials, who stand in the capacity of hosts to the conference, have no idea of dictating in advance just what subjects shall be considered. At the same time there is manifest here a belief when the moment of decision comes, that no nation will care to take on its shoulders the responsibility for refusing to discuss any question which seems vital to the peace of the world.

All of these considerations, officials here believe, will make for full Japanese participation in the conference when the sentiments and intentions of the American government are fully understood in Tokio.

Those in charge of the negotiations are so confident of an agreement that the purpose to proceed with the issuance of formal invitations was reaffirmed after the whole question has been received at today's cabinet meeting.

Hides Removed From Free List In Fordney's Tariff Measure

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Hides, raw, green and pickled, were thrown off the Fordney tariff free list today by the House which voted 152 to 97 to impose an ad valorem duty of fifteen per cent, to be followed by another amendment taxing all leather products, including shoes. Eight Republican members of the ways and means committee which framed the bill, voted for free hides, and representative Garner of Texas, ranking Democratic committeeman, and in charge of the general fight against the bill was counted with Republicans voting for the tax.

There were many breaks from straight party lines on the first contested section of the measure, but finding themselves with votes to spare Republican leaders forced an early adjournment over the Democratic demand that the bill be read for amendment.

Representative Hawley, of Washington, Republican member of the committee, in pleading against the duty, declared the farmers by a tariff would get less than they were now paid, and that eighty one million dollars would be added annualy to the nation's shoe and leather bill. He was joined by Representative Burton, Republican, Ohio, a former member of the senate, who told the house that the Payne-Aldrich bill did not put one cent of tax on the hide of cows.

The action of the leaders in adjourning after a five hour session, and on the heels of an eleven hour sitting yesterday, ended the hope of Democrats of a chance to demand a vote on amendment generally. After discussion had been running two hours, Representative Garrett, Tennessee, acting Democratic leader, offered a motion to close debate at once, that the House might have an opportunity to work on the bill, under the five minute rule, according to the legislative custom.

Republicans countered with a motion for two additional hours of debate, and got it by a party vote. Then when the vote was taken Mr. Garrett insisted that the House keep on the job but all he could do was to force a roll call which showed Republications voting solidly to quit.

WICHITAN KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Miss Emma Childers Victim of Automobile Crash in Yellowstone

Miss Emma Childers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Childers, was killed Friday evening in an automobile accident in Yellowstone Park, according to a message received by the family Friday night. Miss Childers was in the Yellowstone on her vacation with a party of friends and details of the accident were lacking.

Miss Childers has for several years been executive secretary of the Fort Worth Young Women's Christian association, but was planning after the vacation trip to go to the Houston Y. W. C. A. She was in Wichita Fallas a short time ago, on her way to the north.

For several years Miss Childers was head of the history department of the city high school, leaving school work for the Y. W. C. A. work. The family are among the pioneers of the city, and their friends, as well as Miss Childers' personal friends, will bear the news of Friday's tragedy with regret.

LOST BATALLION VETERAN DIES IN GOTHAM HOSPITAL

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Full military honors marked the funeral today of Private John J. Monson, hero of the lost batallion, who died in Bellevue hospital after being taken ill while on leave of absence from his post in regular army. Monson died last Friday and it was three days before his body was identified. As soon as it became known that he was the man who on September 28, 1918, carried the message through the German lines that re-united the lost batallion in the Argonne, scores of civic organizations planned that fitting honors might be paid him at his funeral. Today a column five blocks long marched behind the cassionett that carried the body to the Church of the Ascension.

Technically, Monson was absent without leave at the time of his death, but military officials declared the charge dropped.

Movements have been started to erect a memorial to the heroic soldier.

BEARS AND SAND CRABS IN BARGAIN BILL SUNDAY

SAN ANTONIO, July 15.—San Antonio and Galveston will move up Monday's scheduled game to Sunday and play a double header, it was announced today. Pitcher Bob Couchman, traded to San Antonio for Pitcher Fincher, reported on arrival of the Galveston team today.

FIND YOUTH DEAD ON "PITCHER'S MOUND"

By Associated Press.

SOMERVILLE, Mass., July 15.—Arthur Evanson, a youth of Fairmont, W. Va., was found lying across the pitcher's mound of Tufts College oval today dead from a bullet wound through his heart. A note addressed to the mother said he was in despair over illness and that he had decided to end his life on the field where he had often played baseball.

HANNA IMPROVES STAMFORD HOME.

By Associated Press.

STAMFORD, Texas, July 15.—Judge J. M. Hanna, who owns one of the most attractive additions to Stamford, announces that he expects to spend from $15,000 to $20,000 beautifying the addition with sidewalks, curbs and paved streets.

The addition comprises more than 100 lots and work will begin upon these in the next few days. It is believed that this addition will offer considerable relief to the building shortage in the city.

BANDITS ROB MAIL CAR IN HOUSTON

By Associated Press.

HOUSTON, Texas, July 15—Three masked robbers held up four railway mail clerks in a mail car on the Houston and Texas Central "Owl" train as it was being loaded in the grand central station at 10 o'clock tonight, the robbers getting a registered bank package, a registered and an ordinary mail pouch.

The mail car was being loaded with mail for Dallas and other points at 10 p. m., when the three masked men crawled into the car and herded the four mail clerks into one corner and then grabbed the mail.

Postal officials tonight would not give out an estimate of the amount stolen.

SOLONS SILENT ON PROPOSED MEASURES.

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 15.—Just what members of the legislature will introduce Governor Neff's bills when the session convenes Monday morning, is still unknown.

RANGERS STOP DYNAMITING.

By Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 15.—State Rangers were ordered to Gregg county today by Adjutant General Barton to aid the local officers in stopping the dynamiting of dipping vats in that county.

FORCES ATTORNEY TO ROB OWN HOME

By Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 15.—Raymond Buck, city prosecuting attorney here, was forced to rob his own home late this afternoon, when a negro burglar entered the Buck residence, placed a large revolver against the attorney's side and ordered him to help search the house. Buck told the police tonight that he did not "intentionally turn robber, but circumstances were of such nature that I [illegible]"

IOWA PARK HOSTESS TO LARGE CROWD

City Entertains Hundreds on Occasion of Completion of Paved Highway From Wichita Falls.

Day's Festivities Include Old Fashioned Round Up, Barbecue and Baseball Game.

By Staff Correspondent.

Iowa Park was host yesterday to probably the largest crowd in its history, the first of a two-day celebration of the completion of the concrete highway of that place.

The crowd—variously estimated as being between 2000 and 5000 men, women and children—was entertained in royal style with plenty of eats and a variety of amusements which furnished something for everybody from early in the morning until late at night.

The big free barbecue at noon at which several hundred were more than fed probably featured the day's entertainment.

Fourteen steers were slaughtered for the occasion and although there was plenty for all yet there was little left when the visitors coming from a radius of several miles had been satisfied. Hot coffee, soup, bread and pickles were the accessories served.

The crowd, in spite of the threatening rain, began to assemble early in the morning. Visitors came from Electra, Burkburnett and other towns, while the concrete road between this city and Iowa Park, the completion of which brought about the occasion furnished a constant stream of automobiles from this city and adjacent points during the entire day.

The main events of the day including the barbecue were staged in the park in the center of the town. The athletic contests, bicycle and mule races and other events were held in the morning and afternoon. The ball game between Iowa Park and the Electra Producers drew a large crowd during the afternoon. The game was won by Electra by a score of 11 to 10.

In addition to entertainment features, merchants of the city took advantage of the opportunity to display their wares with many bargains offered.

The auction sales attracted many throughout the day. Everything was sold including merchandise, live stock, household goods, farm implements and poultry. The sale was open to all who had any surplus saleable goods which they wished to dispose.

The Chamber of Commerce maintained open house at their quarters with every effort being made to look after the comfort of those who spent the day as the city's guest. Mayor Arnold and other city officials took active part in seeing that the day's events were carried out as scheduled.

The celebration will continue today. New athletic events and amusements have been planned and it is expected that even a greater crowd than that of yesterday will be present. A big basket dinner will be held at noon. The Honorable Earl B. Mayfield, state railroad commissioner and candidate for the United States senate, will speak at 2 p. m.

Iowa Park and Electra ball teams will play their second game at 4 p. m.

SHERIFFS NOT TO BE GIVEN CUT IN RAILROAD FARES

By Associated Press.

DALLAS, July 15.—Sheriffs and other peace officers of Texas will not be allowed to ride on one cent fare or on free passes if action taken by officials of railroad headquarters in Dallas is followed by other roads.

The officials, in answering the sheriff's petition which was adopted at their meeting in Amarillo last Thursday, emphatically declare that no special privileges will be granted. Railroads having general offices here are the Texas and Pacific and Missouri, Kansas and Texas of Texas. The sheriffs gave notice in the adoption of a formal resolution that deputy sheriff's commissions granted to special agents of the railroads will be cancelled unless the railroads grant some sort of transportation concession to the sheriffs.

JURY PLACES VALUE OF $12,500 ON EYE.

By Associated Press.

BELTON, Texas, July 15.—The value of an eye was placed at $12,500 by a jury in district court here today when it returned a verdict for that amount in favor of Willie Christmas, who brought suit against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway, following injuries alleged to have been sustained from hot cinders two years ago.

BOOTLEG BUSINESS BRISK BUT SHORT.

By Associated Press.

KILLEEN, Texas, July 15.—Business was brisk for an enterprising but inexperienced bootlegger who invaded Killeen today, but before the foundation of a comfortable fortune had been laid the adventurer accosted a thirsty looking trio and offered the last of his wares at bargain prices. The trio happened to be the mayor of the town, an alderman and a deputy sheriff. The bootlegger was jailed.

The Weather

Oklahoma: Saturday partly cloudy, Sunday fair and somewhat warmer.

West Texas: Saturday, partly cloudy, probably local showers in extreme western portion; Sunday fair; [illegible]

GATHERING EVIDENCE FOR BOUNDARY CASE

Wallace Hawkins and C. S. Stone, assistants in the attorney general's department, arrived in this city Friday in connection with their work in the gathering of testimony to be presented to the special commissioner in the presentation of Texas claims in the Texas-Oklahoma boundary dispute.

Messrs. Hawkins and Stone have been engaged since last month in the taking of evidence starting at Texarkana and taking the testimony at all county seats between that city and here. According to Mr. Hawkins no testimony will be taken here at this time, all evidence to be used from this county having been obtained in previous stages of the boundary dispute.

Beginning the first of the week testimony will be taken for Wilbarger county, and later at Quanah for Hardeman county. It is expected that their work will be completed within the next week or ten days.

The testimony now being obtained will be presented by the state of Texas before Special Commissioner Tyler, appointed by the Supreme court, to hear evidence as to what constitutes the exact south bank of the Red river designated by the Supreme court in a previous decision as the boundary line of Texas and Oklahoma.

The latter state and United States will present their testimony previous to Texas. The hearing starts August 15.

OPERATORS SAY REPORT PROPAGANDA

"Purely propaganda" is the opinion passed by local oil men on the recent widely published statement of the Standard Oil company that they have ceased purchasing Mexican crude oil and that the scarcity of production in Mexico has caused them to lay off their employees wholesale.

"This publicity given by the Standard Oil company and its subsidiaries to the falling off of Mexican crude importations is for effect upon congress and should not be taken seriously, except as it shows the tactics of the Standard Oil company," a sales manager of a large independent concern here said Friday.

Reports of big oil strikes in Mexico are being throttled by the big oil companies, according to this source, in order to make the people believe that the crude oil production of that country is falling off.

"Record breaking wells are being brought in in the Mexican coastal fields," declared this oil man, citing a case recently of a driller who returned from Mexico and exhibited a gold watch given him by his company for drilling in a 200,000 barrel well.

"This does not look like the supply is running short," he said.

Figures have been submitted, showing that on the week of July 4, 18 cargoes of Mexican crude oil were received at New Orleans, representing something like 1,004,000 barrels. The next week after the order curtailing imports, temporarily went into effect, this local oil man says, the Standard Oil company did not receive a single barrel of the seven cargoes which were brought into New Orleans.

DISTRICT COURT SETS DATES FOR CRIMINAL CASES

Additional settings of criminal cases for trial in the 30th District court for the period between July 20 and August 10 were announced Friday from the office of the district attorney. Although Judge H. F. Welden has announced that he will call all criminal cases now pending in his court on July 20, it is expected that the state will announce ready in the cases given below on the dates mentioned.

Following are the settings as announced:

July 20th.

2707—State of Texas vs. Dan Bennett, murder.
2783—State of Texas vs. Anderson Lancaster, theft over $50.
2772—State of Texas vs. Willie Davis, theft over $50.
2704—State of Texas vs. T. L. Greer, forgery.
2649—State of Texas vs. Thomas H. Morgan, swindling over $50.
2813—State of Texas vs. A. H. Keedy, forgery.

July 25.

2788—State of Texas vs. Wiley Smith, robbery with firearms.
2820—State of Texas vs. J. A. Richards, statutory assault.
2817—State of Texas vs. John Edwards, theft over $50.

July 27.

2764—State of Texas vs. H. J. Toussaint, murder.

August 1.

2760—State of Texas vs. L. S. Brannon, murder.

August 2.

2794—State of Texas vs. W. R. Muse, statutory assault.
2834—State of Texas vs. Otto Umberger, assault with intent to murder.
2754—Church Powers and Jim Hughes, theft over $50.

August 6.

2805—State of Texas vs. Vernon Darby, murder.

TAYLOR RESIGNS CITY POSITION

Closing what was declared by his superiors to have been a most efficient and painstaking two years of service the resignation of Tom B. Taylor, as city sanitary inspector, was announced Friday by Dr. A. H. Douglass, city sanitary officer.

Mr. Taylor announced that circumstances had arisen which made it necessary that he sever his connections with the city. He announced that he expects to leave within a few days for visits with relatives in Coleman county.

In accepting the resignation, Dr. Douglass, in an official communication, declared the work of Mr. Taylor to have been an important factor in the administration of the sanitary department and one who could always be relied on for efficient and obliging service.

Local Lobbies

KEMP

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H. H. Anderson, St. Louis.
J. O. A. Hogaway, Dallas.
J. S. Van Tassell, Houston.
W. R. Lindsay, New oYrk City.
R. R. Brader, Muskogee.
B. Rogers, Petrolia.
Sam Eiting, New York City.
T. E. Kiley, Dallas.
F. G. Vigor, Tulsa.
C. B. Ferguson, Tulsa.
A. Sorrenson, Chicago.
W. E. Simpson, Graham.
I. V. G. Smith, Amarillo.
G. F. Howard, Fort Worth.
W. A. James, Fort Worth.
Clyde Alexander, Bartlesville, Oklahoma.
G. O. Kimmerell, Wichita, Kans.
J. W. Goldstone, Breckenridge.
R. Gibbs and wife, Oklahoma City.
Peyton Gibbs, Oklahoma City.
Louise Clinkscales, Vinita, Okla.
Chas. S. Reid, Cleveland, O.
W. C. Campbell, Walters, Okla.
E. L. Blakeney, Dallas.
H. E. Axley and wife, Graham.
W. D. Bryan, Tulsa.
Robert Elmer, Dallas.
W. N. Thomas and wife, Ft. Logan Colo.
Velma Faulkner, Jackson, Miss.
Miss Marion Faulkner, Jackson, Miss.
Dick Connaly, Fort Worth.
C. H. Julian, Graham.
J. D. DeGrace, Graham.
R. J. Pope, Graham.
E. C. DeYarmett, Muskogee.
Roy Marks, Chicago.
E. H. Kreitter, Mendota, Ill.
John W. O'Day, Burkburnett.
L. J. Bush, Atlanta, Ga.
G. R. Smith, McKinney, Texas.
J. B. Calvert, Fort Worth.
R. B. Stichter, Dallas.
Dave Blum, Chicago.
W. W. Queensberry, Houston.
F. L. Tucker, Dallas.

HEARN

J. W. Skinner, Dallas.
C. E. Harris, Dallas.
G. D. Hutchinson and family, San Antonio.
F. H. Pearson, Graham.
J. R. Nunneley, Fort Worth.
W. W. Newland, Fort Worth.
W. L. Johnston, Dallas.
U. S. Mitchell, Childress.
C. F. Logan and wife, Dallas.
William Jones, Electra.
H. S. Quinn and wife, Enid.
T. J. Pitts, Dallas.
A. L. Bergland, Texhoma.
B. F. Stovall, Dallas.
B. J. Pian, Dallas.
J. L. Cole, Dallas.
J. S. Mauldin and wife, Electra.
Ehrma Houston, Seymour.
L. V. York and wife, Chillicothe.
Mrs. F. E. Cowsert and daughter, Stamford.

ST. JAMES

R. L. Allen, Frederick.
W. L. Logan, St. Louis.
J. C. Portman, Dallas.
Theo Ferguson, Dallas.
C. A. Boyle, Oklahoma City.
J. W. Wells, Bonham.
H. Weitzmann, Dallas.
A. O. Ways, Dallas.
E. R. Portechuck, Abilene.
W. H. McDavid, Electra.
J. B. McMurray, Denison.
J. W. Stephens, Dallas.
H. C. Lawson, San Antonio.
C. G. Hancock, Dallas.
G. A. Pitzer, Abilene.
C. A. Irvin, Denver.
S. E. Davis, Denver.
A. Walker, Quanah.
B. Violett, Fort Worth.
R. W. Miller, Beaumont.
E. J. Valentine, Fort Worth.
Harry L. Duty, Fort Worth.

MURPHY BACK FROM STUDY OF BUDGET SYSTEM

W. W. (Pat) Murphy, county auditor, who has been in Houston for several days studying the workings of the budget system as used in Harris county is commonly credited with having perfected the use of the budget system, having used it for several years.

Mr. Murphy recently announced that it was his intention to work out a budget to cover expenditures of this county for the coming year and recommend that it be adopted by the commissioner's court as the official method of controlling disbursements. Certain members of the commissioner's court have expressed themselves in favor of the plan.

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COMPLETES LONG HIKE TO FRISCO

Completing an overland tour of 2,300 miles, 700 of which was made on foot, Donald Cook, son of Mr and Mrs. W. D. Cook, west Holliday street, arrived in San Francisco, Cal., from Shreveport, La., a few days ago, winner of a wager including $750 in cash and an automobile, according to an article appearing in the San Francisco Inquirer.

The trip was made in 31 days, according to the article.

Friends of Mr. Cook, who is well known here, declare that such a wager would be nothing short of a bargain for him, as he is accustomed to take long and arduous hikes over the surrounding country for sport. On numerous occasions he is reported to have hiked to Medicine Park and back in preference to making the trip by automobile.

The article appearing in the San Francisco paper, follows:

"On the last lap of a 2,300 mile trip Donald S. Cook, a 17 year old Texas boy, arrived here Sunday from Shreveport, La., having hiked 700 miles of the distance. The boy made the trip in 31 days, his expenses for the whole trip totaling only $17.50.

Arriving two months ahead of his schedule, Cook has won the wager of $750.00 and a roadster for which he undertook the trip.

Rules attached to the wager prevented Cook from accepting a lift of more than 50 miles with any one person each day, beating his way on trains or accepting money. The boy left Shreveport with $10.00 and earned $7.50 working in the harvest fields of Texas for three days.

The young Texan took 20 days in crossing his native state, a distance of 750 miles, and crossed New Mexico, Arizona and Central and South California in eleven days.

TAX BOARD ADJOURNS TO TUESDAY

The county board of equalization, composed of members of the county commissioner's court, adjourned Friday afternoon to meet Tuesday when they will complete their work for the year.

The adjournment was made Friday after the board had been in session three successive days in which they had heard and passed on protests made by property owners as to taxing values which had been increased from their renditions.

An attempt was made Friday by several officials of oil companies and individual operators to agree as to a uniform scale of values on oil properties. The question was not finally settled and it is expected that it will come for final action at the Tuesday meeting.

Sir Christopher Wren designed more than fifty churches.

HOME BREAKERS AND MAKERS, IS SUBJECT OF KNICKERBOCKER

"Sunday night at the great 'al fresco' tabernacle on 11th and Scott," said Rev. H. D. Knickerbocker, pastor of the First Methodist Church, South, to a Record News reporter, "I will preach on the subject, 'Home Breakers and Home Makers.' A poetic subhead on this interesting and practical subjelt is 'My Interview With a Mocking Bird.' All husbands and wives and young people that expect to become husbands and wives, will be greatly interest and practical subject is ligious discussion. The secrets of a number of homes in Wichita Falls were sufficiently revealed during our great revival to show the necessity for Godly counsel on the subject I have chosen. We had a great crowd out last Sunday night, and the hotter the weather, the greater our crowd will be, because it certainly is deliciously cool under the pale stars and silver moon.

"At 9:30 at the Olympic Theater, I will lecture to men on the subject, 'Is Old Time Religion Dying Out?' At 11 a. m. at the church, my subject will be 'The Danger of Tolerance.' Please note I say 'tolerance,' not 'intolerance.' The sermon will be a plea for tolerance of a certain kind.

"We cordially submit that no cooler Sunday can be spent than with us in our services, as all three meeting places are amongst the coolest in this part of the moral vineyard."

COFFEE AND SUGAR NEWS SANCTIONED

NEW YORK, July 15.—Publication of sales of coffee and sugare will be sactioned hereafter by the New York coffee and sugar exchange.

This reserves the action taken yesterday by Superintendent C. B. Stroud which resulted in cutting off the information from newspapers. The explanation was made that Mr. Stroud's action was due to a misunderstanding. Estimated sales today were 65,000 bags of coffee and 1,500 tons of raw sugar futures.

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FRESNO CO. WINS TITLE TO LEASE

Following a report Friday by W. J. Townsend, special auditor appointed to conduct an accounting, Judge P. A. Martin of the 30th District court rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiffs in the suit of the Fresno Oil company against C. B. Farquharson, involving title to a valuable oil lease in the Ramming pool. By the terms of the court order the title and possession of the property goes to the plaintiff.

The property involved in the suit has been in litigation between the two parties for over a year. The lease was originally sold to the Fresno Oil company by Farquharson for $350,000. Later the property was returned to Farquharson.

BURK OFFICERS TAKE WHISKEY

Officers R. H. Taylor and Charles A. Ray of the Burkburnett police department Friday turned over to Sheriff Smith 22 pint bottles of whiskey which they secured Thursday night in a raid of a rooming house at Burkburnett. No arrests were made in connection with the raid.

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SCOTTY LEARNS TO ASK NUMBER BEFORE TALKING

There is one fireman in Wichita Falls who will always ask to what number is speaking before he begins a telephone conversation.

Thursday afternoon Scotty called a number, and without waiting for an answer when the receiver went up began in honeyed accents: 'Well, you got all that work done and ready to come to town."

"Who do you think you are talking to?" roared back an unexpected masculine answer.

Awkah! Ugh! Gluk! "I beg your pardon, I have the wrong number," stammered Scotty.

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BEEF CATTLE SCARCITY IS FACING NATION

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS.
Record News Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—A comparative scarcity of feeding cattle next fall seems probable according to information gathered by the United States bureau of markets and crop estimates and made public today.

The number of beef cattle on hand January 1 in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, North Dakota and South Dakota was 5,000,000 or 400,000 less than on January 1, 1920, according to the bureau of crop estimates. This represents a decrease of approximately 9 per cent. In certain sections of the above named states the decrease was undoubtedly more than that, some stockmen declaring that in their particular localities the number of beef cattle available was not more than 50 per cent normal.

That there has been a general decrease in the number of beef cattle in the United States would seem to be proved by the fact that during each of the past 11 months receipts at 68 live stock markets have been less than during the corresponding month a year previous, the total decrease for the first five months of 1921 amounting to approximately 928,000 head. Furthermore the fact that receipts of cattle and calevs during the month of May at such markets as Denver, Cheyenne, Salt Lake City, Pueblo, San Antonio and Fort Worth were, in many instances, less than half those of the corresponding month last year, would seem to indicate that the shortage was especially great in the range sections of the country.

Bought by Feeders.

Normally a considerable percentage of the cattle marketed from the range states consists of stockers and feeders. These are bought on the great middle western markets by feeders and taken back to the corn belt and eastern feeding lots for finishing. The past winter, however, was very favorable from the standpoint of the cattle raisers of the Northwest. The weather, as a rule, was mild and spring opened early. Good grass was available at a much earlier date than usual. Calving occurred under favorable conditions and a subnormal number of high winds, weather and range conditions have been good throughout the spring and reports indicate a sufficient supply of grass and leguminous crops to carry a normal supply of cattle through an entire year.

This abundance of feed and the fact that cattle went onto spring grass in much bettre fresh condition than usual leads stockmen to believe that range cattle will not only start marketward earlier than usual, but that the average weight and quality will be above normal. Should this last condition eventuate it will probably mean that next fall feeders will have to compete with slaughterers for a larger percentage of the offerings than usual and in such competition the slaughterer usually has an advantage.

Tariff Act Cuts Number.

Another factor which may be expected to reduce the number of stock and feeding cattle is the emergency tariff act. During 1920 importations of beef cattle from Canada amounted to approximately 300,000 head. Competent observers have estimated that of such Canadian cattle fully 75 per cent may be classified as stockers and feeders. Most of these cattle are distributed to the feeders of the middle western and eastern parts of the United States through the markets at Chicago and East Buffalo. The fact that the new tariff law imposes a tax of 30 per cent ad valorem on cattle imported for other than breeding purposes may reasonably be expected to materially curtail these Canadian imports.

In brief, it can be stated that if the anticipated shortage of stocker and feeder cattle materialized next fall, it will probably be due largely to: First, a known and material decrease in the number of cattle in the range states; second, a market improvement in the average weight and flesh condition of the cattle offered, rendering a larger percentage than usual suitable for immediate slaughter; and, third, a sharp curtailment of imports of stocker and feeder cattle from Canada.

BUCK PASSING CONTEST ON IN CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, July 15.—House leaders are alarmed over the growing tendency of the Senate to pass the legislative "buck" to the lower branch of Congress.

In previous years this practice was indulged in frequently by the House, which passed its chestnut burrs along to the Senate with the excuse, by way of justification, that the longer terms of the Senators permitted the sins of omission or commission to pass from the minds of the voters and prevented immediate retaliation at the polls.

The Senate is getting ready now to send to the House for final decision a soldier cash bonus bill. The bill will carry the approval of the Senators, and responsibility for its defeat will be placed squarely on the House.

Enactment of the bonus legislation requires the levying of additional taxes to meet the new drain on the treasury. The House does not want to take responsibility either for new taxes or for defeat of the soldier bonus. Each proposition is charged with political dynamite of the most dangerous character, and the campaigns for re-election of House members will open in less than one year.

House leaders recall that at the outset of the special session of Congress the Senate leaders forced on them responsibility for the decision that tariff revision should precede tax revision when it was the plan of the House leaders to have the two revision measures run concurrently. Younger Republican members of the House and many Senators are now complaining vigorously against delay in securing both the tariff and tax revision and the lightening of burdens on the people.

Somehow the Senate leaders seem to have shifted responsibility to the House for the delay in enacting legislation terminating the State of war with Germany. House members complain. They assert that the Senate acted on its peace resolution before the administration judged it safe to have done so because of the difficulties experienced by the Allies in getting Germany to acceed to reparation terms, and the House was called upon to help out the administration by holding up the peace resolution. Immediately following satisfactory action by Germany the House passed a peace resolution. The Senate took its own time in reaching a decision.

Protest Senate's Non-Economy

Likewise, complaint the House, the Senate and the House jointly are pledged to the Republican pledge of economy, yet the House has not sent one appropriation bid to the Senate that the latter has not added millions to its total of draft on the treasury. This is true paticularly of the army and navy supply bills. When protests come from that numerous class of citizens who demand a large army and a large navy as insurance against aggression and war the Senate calmly announces that it sought to provide funds for the two establishments but the House obstinately prevented.

The Senate is going quietly about its business according to time-sanctioned custom, but apparently is enjoying its new role of passing the "buck." It is waiting, carefully concealing whatever impatience it may feel over delays, for the House to pass and send along its tariff and tax measures. Responsibility for the legislation will be evidenced then by the Senate, which proposes, according to Senator Penrose, to investigate thoroughly and possibly make many changes in the measures.

FLEECE IMMIGRANTS OFFICIALS ARE TOLD

NEW YORK, July 15.—Employes at the immigration station on Ellis Island held indignation meetings today, in protest against the charges made by Immigration Commissioner Frederick A. Wallis that wholesale grafting prevailed there and that immigrants had been fleeced of five hundred thousand dollars.

AUTO DEALERS ORDER STREET SAFETY POSTS

Declaring their body behind all movements for decreasing the liability of automobile accidents, three markers for use of busy downtown street corners were ordered at the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Automotive Dealers' association Friday night at the Wichita Club.

The markers, according to the announcement, are to be placed with a view of assisting in preventing autoists from turning corners at too short an angle, and are expected to increase the safety of pedestrians in crossing the streets.

The report of Carl Waelder, chairman of the road committee, was received and the committee complimented on the road signs erected with a view of helping tourists in finding their way in and out of the city.

A report also was made by W. J. Daugherty, who was a delegate to the state association meeting, which was held at Dallas for the purpose of formally expressing opposition to the proposed truck bill, which was presented before the legislature. Mr. Daugherty reported that some amendments had been obtained for the bill, which he feels will make, the proposed law satisfactory to the big truck owners of the state.

On a formal motion by the association, a vote of thanks was tendered George Harshberger, automobile editor of the Record News, who is leaving the first of the coming week. The association thanked Mr. Harshberger for his efforts in its behalf, expressed regret at losing his services and extended best wishes for his success in other fields.

AUXILIARY SENDS BOX TO SOLDIER

A box containing many useful articles made from materials donated by various members of the Woman's Auxiliary to the American Legion were completed and sent to the ex-service man and his family whom the auxiliary have adopted. The man received wounds while in service which has left him incapable of supporting himself, wife and baby.

Among the articles of clothing sent was a blue serge suit, a woman's suit, two voile and linen dresses, two pair of ladies' shoes, one lady's gown, three pieces of lady's lingerie, seven baby dresses, three baby caps, one man's undershirt, two baby gowns and two pair of baby sox.

Walter F. Stanley of Charlotte, N. C., went into an army salvage store there the other day to buy a pair of reclaimed trousers. He bought a pair that suited him and upon examination found that they were the very same pair that he had worn in France, as his name was still plainly written on the waistband.

The harvest moon is full within a fortnight of September 22 or 23.

GIVES UP HUSBAND TO OTHER WOMAN

CHICAGO, July 15.—Mother love won out over the love of a wife for her husband in one of the strangest "eternal triangles" ever revealed in the Chicago courts.

Mrs. Lynn N. Hitchcock "gave" her husband away to the "other woman" that her children might not suffer from a faithless father. She was granted a divorce here with custody of her two children, John, 8, and Evelyn, 7, and $100 alimony a month. Hitchcock will marry the "other woman."

Mrs. Hitchcock blamed her marital troubles on the fact that her husband was a "traveling salesman."

"I gave up my husband for my children," she explained. "The mother love was greater than my love for my husband. The other woman may have him now.

"If I had insisted on living with him he might have starved me and my children. I wouldn't want them to live under the stain of a faithless father.

"He was always loving and dutiful until he went on the road as a traveling salesman. Then his whole attitude changed. He met this other woman—Myrtle, he called her—on one of his trips. She was his affinity, I suppose.

"It was hard at first to decide. It seemed impossible to give him up. I knew a lot of women would have wanted to punish him for wasting my love. But I couldn't do that for the love of my children was greater than that. There is no love greater than mother love."

SIGHT RESTORED AFTER 16 YEARS

NEW YORK, July 15.—Probably no one would blame Miss Bertha Loopoldine, of Brooklyn, for not having stopped smiling, except when she was laughing.

She didn't find she had been left a million dollars on that day. Neither did she wake up to find herself famous.

In fact, what happened was entirely different. She suddenly found she could see out of a left eye that had been stone blind since she was three years old. She is nineteen now.

Not only that, but Miss Loopoldine also discovered that the eye—a very dark and very bright eye—was not nearly so crossed as she always had remembered it. In fact, it was practically as straight as its equally bright twin.

Recent figures given out by Lloyd's show that, in spite of the present depression in the ship carrying trade, there are over 7,000,000 tons of shipping being constructed throughout the world. This is made up of 921 ships representing a gross tonnage of 3,708,916 which are being built in the United Kingdom and of 1,059 ships of a combined gross tonnage of 3,470,862, which are being built by all other countries of the world. The last figures do not include Germany, for which no statistics are as yet available.

A Japanese representative has introduced a prohibition bill at nineteen consecutive sessions of the diet.

Most Extraordinary Dress Sale of Season Opens This Morning at 9 o'Clock

—This sale will eclipse any dress sale which has been so far held in Wichita Falls this season, both from a standpoint of the beauty of the garments and the values at which they will be offered. This is indeed your opportunity to buy at the lowest possible prices dresses which you will be proud to wear either at home or at a fashionable resort. Come early in the morning and get your choice of this wonderful assortment.

LOT 1

—We believe this assortment of the newest Summer Dresses to be placed on sale this morning is the prettiest selection in the city. Many new ones just received and unpacked. Beautiful chic models of ruffles and over-skirt effects in pretty combinations of colors. Materials of Swiss Organdy, Voile and Dotted Swiss of the best grades and permanent finish. These are choicest of our entire stock. In fact today you can buy the best Summer Dress in our house for $14.85.

Values to $35.00. On Sale Today at

$14.85



LOT 2

—Another lot of beautiful Dresses in most any wanted color and style. The assortment includes Swiss Organdies, Voiles and Dotted Swisses of the best grade and permanent finish. Included are some very attractive dresses in dark patterns which will prove very serviceable. You will be sure to like these.

Values to $25.00. On Sale Today at

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LOT 3

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RECORD NEWS SPORTS



RIOT ON FIELD MARKS CLOSE OF ELEVEN-INNING BATTLE IN WHICH SPUDDERS NOSE OUT CATS, 7-6

By C. F. CARTER

There's a hush o'er the crowded city,
There's death in the heated town;
Each man is whetting his jack-knife
And wearing a cruel frown.
There's blood on the moon, Oh, brother,
There's hate in the hearts of men—
For Jakey Atz, and his Clawin' Cats
Arp back in the Falls again!

Blood on the moon? M-m-m, boy, we'll say so! Seventeen hundred and forty fans at Athletic Park saw the Spudders win a sensational eleven-inning game from Fort Worth, and witnessed a near-riot afterward in which players, umpires, Texas Rangers, policemen and rooters participated with great freedom and enthusiasm. Watching Blondin dance on a tight rope over Niagara Falls would be a tame spectacle compared to that ball game, and its grand finale.

With the game tied up at six-all in the eleventh, and with two men out, Bob Bescher hit to Dutch Hoffman. Bill Kraft juggled the ball at first, but Umpire Kane was behind the bag and could not see the momentary bobble. He called Bescher out, and a heated wrangle arose. Umpire Daley, appealed to by Bescher and Salm, admitted he had seen Kraft juggle the ball, and Kane thereupon reversed his decision. Both umpires were absolutely correct in their actions on the play, but Jakey Atz immediately worked himself into a high fever, and several more minutes of wrangling ensued before play was resumed.

Buddy Tanner worked Pate for a base on balls, and it became up to Tex McDonald to deliver the punch. Tex caught one of Pate's fast-breaking curves on the end of his bat and socked it down the third base line for a single, scoring Bescher with the winning run.

Standing on the roof of the grandstand, any man with ordinary eyesight can spot a fair hit ball from a foul almost instantly, for the entire playing field is spread out evenly below him. The ball that Tex hit struck fair by at least eighteen inches.

The Riot Starts.

The Fort Worth players began rushing in from every side to protest. At the same time a Texas Ranger ran on the field, and grabbed Ziggy Sears, who had raced in from left field and was gesticulating wildly in front of Umpire Daley. From that point on a general push and pull battle raged. Other Rangers appeared, policemen bobbed up, fans rushed on the field and the mix-up became feverish. In our own judgment it would never have occurred, if the Rangers had wisely permitted the Fort Worth players to spend a few minutes in argument with Umpire Daley. The good ball player doesn't live who won't protest a close decision when a ball game hinges on it—and the wild waving of arms, verbal abuse and even the slight "laying on of hands" don't cripple the umpire for life. He's used to it; he gets paid for it. Now and then an umpire takes a crack on the jaw, but it's the exception not the rule when that occurs—and every league has penalty provisions to take care of such action. The Fort Worth players want to win ball games, yes, but with the possible few exceptions that you can find on almost any ball club they're just as clean, we imagine, as other ball players.

Anyway, the excitement lasted fifteen or twenty minutes, and made a great spectacle from the roof. We enjoyed it immensely, although for the general good of baseball we hope it don't happen often.

Fort Worth got away to a two-run lead off Hollingsworth in the third inning, when they touched up Holly for three bingles. They added another marker in the fourth on two singles and a sacrifice.

The Spudders, after going runless and more or less hitless for four frames, squeezed a lone run from Tiny Goodbred in the fifth. McElwee led off with a single to left, and went to second on Works' single to center. Kitchens sacrificed both runners along, and McElwee scored while Hoffman was throwing out Holly at first. Bob Bescher flied to Sears in left.

For two more innings the game resumed its "pitchers' duel" aspect—and then in the eighth the Spudders landed on Tiny with both feet.

Five Runs in Eighth.

Bescher led off with a right field single, and was safe at second when Buddy Tanner hit to Rigney and Hoffman dropped the peg to the second sack. McDonald bunted down the third base line, and Bescher scored when Haley threw poorly to first. Danny Clark won the rubber doughnut with a terrific smash over the center field fence that sent two more runs in ahead of him. Griggs slammed a double to center and went on to third when Kraft dropped a throw on McElwee's sacrifice. Griggs was caught at the plate on an attempted squeeze—and Caddy Works socked a double to left center that brought McElwee home. Kitchens singled over second, Works being held at third. Sewell was thrown out by Goodbred, and Kraft cut the ball back to the plate in time to get Works coming home.

And there the darn ball game apparently was won—but the Cats came back in the ninth, drove Jim Sewell, who had replaced Holly, to cover under a shower of hits, and scored three runs, tieing up the count. Rube Marshall took Jim's place on the hill, and the hectic struggle continued until the Panthers downfall in the eleventh as described earlier.

The same Panthers are here today.

Need we say more. Will you be there this afternoon—certainly.

The score:

WICHITA F'LS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bescher, lf	6	2	2	5	0	0
Tanner, ss	5	1	1	1	3	1
McDonald, 3b	6	1	2	2	4	0
Clark, 2b	5	1	1	0	6	1
Miller, cf	2	0	1	0*	1	0
Griggs, cf	2	0	1	1	0	0
McElwee, rf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Works, 1b	5	0	3	13	0	0
Kitchens, c	4	0	2	8	2	0
Hollingsworth, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Sewell, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Holloway	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	44	7	15	33	17	2

FORT WORTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Phelan, rf	6	1	2	2	1	0
Coombs, cf	6	0	3	2	0	0
Sears, lf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Kraft, 1b	5	0	1	17	2	2
Hoffman, 2b	5	1	2	2	9	1
Haley, 3b	4	1	2	0	3	1
Rigney, ss	5	1	1	1	4	1
Moore, c	4	0	3	4	3	0
**Wachtel	0	1	0	0	0	0
Haworth, c	2	0	0	0	0	0
Goodbred, p	2	1	0	2	4	0
Pate, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	45	6	14x32	27	5	

*Batted for Hollingsworth in 7th.
**Ran for Moore in 9th.
xTwo out when winning run was scored.

By innings:

Wichita Falls	000 010 050 01—7
Fort Worth	002 100 003 00—6

Two base hits, Griggs, Works, Haley, Tanner, Phelan. Home run, Clark. Sacrifice hits, Haley, Kitchens, McElwee. Double plays, Phelan to Moore; Clark to Tanner to Works; Goodbred to Kraft to Moore. Hits, off Hollingsworth, 8 in 7 innings; off Sewell, 4 in 1 2-3 innings; off Marshall, 3 in 2 1-3 innings; off Goodbred, 12 in 8 innings; off Pate, 3 in 3 innings. Bases on balls, off Hollingsworth 1, off Goodbred 1, off Pate 1. Struck out, by Goodbred 2, by Hollingsworth 5, Marshall 1. Time of game, 3 hours and 10 minutes. Umpires, Daly and aKne.

PRESS BOX PATTER

BY C. F. C.

Run, quick, children, and hide! Daddy's coming home from the ball game full of fight!

While the Panthers are here, the baseball management should charge extra for riots, fights and the like; might tack on, say, another four bits and issue a rain check—if there isn't a fight during the game or after, just step to the box office, gentlemen, present your rain check and your fifty cents will be gladly refunded!

After the Cats tied it up in the ninth, how the Spudders did battle to keep the alien feet from the home plate. Rube Marshall threw in an extra grunt with every ball he shot over, Kitchens made a desperate running effort after Coombs' foul in the eleventh, and McElwee came in on the dead run almost to the infield to nail Hoffman's high fly in the tenth—every man, in fact, showed the old fight and determination.

And special mention should be made also of a beautiful running grab by Tex McDonald of Pat's foul in the eleventh, Tex going to the wire fence back of third and almost piling headlong into it as he speared the falling pellet.

Jake Miller was the victim of a bad "Charley Horse" in his right underpinning in the seventh, when he raced to third on Works' foul in the seventh—and checked himself too suddenly. Griggs replaced Jake in centerfield, and took care of the garden in good style. Jake will probably be back in the line up today.

Jakey Atz is just beginning to realize that life isn't all sunshine and roses when accidents begin to touch a ball club. "Chink" Taylor is still in the hospital suffering from the effects of being beaned; Wachtel has an injured thumb, which explains why the Spudders didn't draw him yesterday, and "Possum" Moore was spiked in the arm when Caddy Works hit the dirt at home plate yesterday in the third frame. Posum's injury isn't serious.

The fans rode Big Boy Kraft to a fare-thee-well. Bill had a bad day in the field, and struck out three times out of five trips to the plate.

Bob Bescher raised quite a rucus in the eleventh when his Umps called Bob's wallop to right foul. Bob claimed it hit the chalk line, but we've got to side with the umpire on this one. The ball was foul by a very few inches. Fortunately Bob reached first safely a minute later, and was able to bring home the tally that settled the battle.

Rube Marshall looks better every day. Come on, big fellow, show us all something right through this second half.

Yesterday's Results

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
At Birmingham 0, Nashville 0.
At Memphis 4, Mobile 0.
At Atlanta 4, Chattanooga 3.
At Little Rock 11, 2; New Orleans 8, 0.

KUEPPER AND EVANS MEET IN GOLF FINAL

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 15.—R. E. Knepper, Sioux City, Iowa, a student at Princeton university, won the right today to contest with Chick Evans, national champion, in the finals tomorrow at Westmoreland for the western amateur golf championship, a title now held by Evans for the fifth time.

Knepper won his semi final match by defeating George Hartman, a Chicago public links golfer 3 and 2 in a 36 hole contest, while Evans took a step nearer to his prospective sixth crown by eleminating Harrison Johnston, the long driving Minnesota champion, six and four, the St. Paul player falling off from the spectacular game he had exhibited in the earlier rounds.

For so late in a championship struggle today's golf was excellent, Evans scoring 38-34—72 and Knepper 39-34—73 in the first round as compared with par 36-37—73, while Johnston and Hartman had scores of 39-39—78 and 37-38—75 respectively. Evans even bettered his play in the second circuit of the 6504 yard links, scoring 37 on the first nine and going one under fours for the five holes played on the second half.

Johnston also took one off his morning endeavor on the first half but was one over fours for the last five holes played. Knepper also fell off 33 strokes while Hartman fell off four on the third nine, each taking 41 strokes, but the Iowa champion was even with four from the 27th to the 32nd hole when his match ended. Hartman was two above fours for his final seven holes.

Evans outclassed the other three semi finalists in all departments, except distance with the wooden clubs. For the most part he was on a straight line to the hole, seldom ever, rarely under and putted well, while Johnston who frequently drove more than 300 yards was not so exact as to distance or direction and missed several comparatively easy putts. Knepper and Hartman got good distance but were not always straight with long shots or deadly in approaching.

Amateur League

The Methodists' grip on the Twilight League leadership slipped a bit last evening, when the Pond Laundry nine took the church brethren into camp, 4 to 3, in a pitcher's battle between Anderson and Taylor. 'Andy' helped the Methodists to four hits, while errors back of Taylor counted frequently in the Ponds' scoring. The score:

METODISTS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
F. Brooks, c	3	1	1	8	0	0
Neel, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Martin, ss	3	2	2	0	3	0
Cushman, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Hefner, 2b	3	0	0	7	2	0
F. Taylor, p	3	0	0	0	1	1
C. Brooks, 1b	3	0	0	4	1	1
Mooring, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	1
H. Taylor, cf	3	0	0	1	0	1
Totals	27	3	4	21	9	4

PONDS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Branum, ss	3	1	1	0	3	0
Kizzan, 2b-3b	4	0	1	0	2	0
S. Anderson, p	4	1	1	1	1	1
B. Anderson, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
Railey, 3b-1b	3	0	1	5	2	0
Martin, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
R. Anderson, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
V. Ross, c	3	1	0	9	0	0
B. Ross, rf-cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
McDowell, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	4	6	21	11	1

By innings:

Ponds	000 040 0—4	6	1
Methodists	101 001 0—3	4	4

Summary: Pitchers statistics, 6 hits and 4 runs off Taylor in 7 innings; 4 hits and 3 runs off Anderson in 7 innings. Stolen bases Brooks Ross. Two base hits Cushman, S. Anderson. Three base hits Martin. Struck out by Taylor 7; by Anderson 9. Base on balls off Taylor 2; off Anderson 0. Umpires Taylor and Stanfil.

With the Pugs

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 15.—Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion of the world, who is spending a few days in Chicago following his release from Leavenworth penitentiary, has expressed a desire to meet Jack Dempsey, in a statement to newspapermen.

PHILADELPHIA, July 15—Tickets for the 8-round fight between Benny Leonard, world's champion lightweight, and Lew Tendler of this city, at the National League baseball park here August 12, will be placed on sale next Monday, it was announced here today. Mail orders will be filled as soon as requests are received.

BOSTON, July 15.—Johnny Wilson, world's middleweight champion, won the decision over George Robinson, negro middleweight of Cambridge, in ten rounds here tonight. Robinson, three and a half pounds over the 158 pound stipulated weight, had the better of the first and the ninth rounds.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Charley White, Chicago lightweight who was suspended by the National boxing association following the Wisconsin boxing commission's complaint of his bout with Sailor Freedman, was reinstated today.

The fox-tailed monkey of South America utters loud cries before sunrise and after sunset.

Maine attracts more summer visitors than any other state in the Union.

Adrianople was the Ottoman capital until the fall of Constantinople in 1453.

IS SHE JACK DEMPSEY'S FIANCEE?



Champion Jack Dempsey and Miss Sylvia Jocelyn, mentioned as Jack's future wife.

The rumor will not down that Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, is preparing to sign a new contract—for life. And Miss Sylvia Jocelyn, movie actress, is the young lady mentioned as Jack's fiancee. Of course, both deny any such thing. Dempsey and Miss Jocelyn met while Dempsey was on the Pacific coast some months ago starring in a movie serial. The photo above was taken while they were together there.

BEARS TAKE MOUND DUEL FROM CRABS

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 15.—The Galveston Crabs dropped the opener to San Antonio here today by a score of 2 to 0. The game throughout was a pitchers' duel between Lee and Williams. Errors by Bittle and Distel accounted for the two Bear runs. A new record was set for the local grounds when the game was played in 1 hour and 25 minutes. The score:

GALVESTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bittle, rf	4	0	1	1	0	1
Hughes, ss	4	0	1	4	3	0
Schliebner, 1b	3	0	0	9	2	0
Lapan, c	4	0	1	2	3	0
Distel, 2b	4	0	1	3	3	1
Knight, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McDonald, cf	2	0	0	2	0	1
Grubb, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Lee, p	3	0	2	1	3	0
Totals	31	0	6	24	14	3

SAN ANTONIO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Booe, lf	3	1	1	3	0	0
Nee, 3b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Fuller, 2b	2	0	0	5	2	0
Connolly, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Henry, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	1
Bowen, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Gross, ss	3	0	1	2	5	0
Hruska, c	3	1	1	5	2	0
Williams, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	26	2	5	27	14	1

By innings:

Galveston	000 000 000—0
San Antonio	002 000 00x—2

Stolen bases, Distel 2, Booe. Sacrifice hits, McDonald. Two base hits, Hughes, Hruska. Double plays, Lee to Lapan to Schliebner. Base on balls, Williams 3, Lee 2. Struck out, Williams 5, Lee 1.

EXPORTERS 3, BUFFS 1

HOUSTON, July 15.—Beaumont won a listless game from Houston here today by the score of 3 to 1. The score:

HOUSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Baggan, lf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Darringer, ss	4	0	1	0	7	0
Bailey, 1b	4	1	2	11	0	1
Whiteman, cf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Doyle, Joe, 3b	3	0	0	3	5	0
*Eiffert	1	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Blades, 2b	4	0	0	3	3	1
Griffith, c	3	0	1	1	1	0
Bolden, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	34	1	8	27	18	2

*Batted for Doyle in 9th.

BEAUMONT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
DeMaggio, rf	3	1	1	2	1	0
Stansbury, ss	5	2	2	2	6	0
Johnson, 1b	3	0	1	10	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	2	1	1	0
Alexander, c	4	0	0	3	0	0
Durst, cf	3	0	2	3	0	0
Ripperton, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Breaux, lf	2	0	0	5	0	0
Doyle, Jim, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Scott, p	4	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	34	3	9	27	13	0

By innings:

Houston	000 100 000—1
Beaumont	101 000 001—3

Two base hits, Durst, Whiteman. Three base hits, Smith. Stolen base, Joe Doyle, Baggan, DeMaggio, Smith 2, Bailey 2. Sacrifice hits, Johnson. Double plays, DeMaggio to Smith; Joe Doyle to Bailey; Bolden to Bailey. Base on balls, Bolden 5. Hit by pitcher, Bolden 1. Struck out, Scott 3. Left on base, Houston 6, Beaumont 12. Umpires, Donaldson and Barfoot.

MARINES 5, GASSERS 4.

SHREVEPORT, La., July 15.—Dallas took the first game of the series from Shreveport today, 5 to 4. The Gassers scored two runs in the tenth but failed to tie the score with three on bases and one out.

The score:

DALLAS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Falk, rf	2	3	1	1	0	0
Munson, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Galloway, 1b	5	0	2	13	3	0
Conley, ss	4	0	2	1	2	0
Palmer, 2b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Mattick, rf	5	0	1	7	0	0
Segrist, 3b	2	0	0	0	4	0
Smith, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Robertson, c	4	0	0	6	0	0
Mitchell, p	3	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	33	5	8	30	16	0

SHREVEPORT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Long, cf	5	0	0	5	0	0
Ewoldt, 3b	4	0	1	0	3	0
Jackson, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Eibel, 1b	5	1	2	5	1	0
Hollahan, 2b	5	1	3	4	2	0
Storey, lf	4	1	0	5	0	0
Hartford, ss	5	1	3	3	2	0
Vann, c	4	0	3	8	1	0
Flaherty, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
*Henry	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	42	4	12	30	11	0

*Batted for Flaherty in 10th.

By innings:

Dallas	101 000 000 3—5
Shreveport	000 200 000 2—4

Two base hits, Hollahan, Falk, Eibel, Vann. Three base hits, Hollahan, Hartford. Sacrifice hits, Munson, Conley, Falk, Robertson. Double plays, Vann to Hartford. Base on balls, off Flaherty 7, Mitchell 3. Struck out, Flaherty 6, Mitchell 5. Left on bases, Dallas 6, Shreveport 11.

The Standing

TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results

Wichita Falls 7; Fort Worth 6. (11 innings.)
Dallas 5; Shreveport 4 (10 innings)
San Antonio 2; Galveston 0.
Beaumont 3; Houston 1.

	W.	L.	Pct
Wichita Falls	4	2	.667
Beaumont	4	2	.667
Fort Worth	4	3	.571
Houston	3	3	.500
Dallas	4	4	.500
San Antonio	2	3	.400
Galveston	2	3	.400
Shreveport	1	4	.200

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results

Chicago 3; Washington 2 (11 innings.)
Philadelphia 3; Detroit 2 (10 innings.)
New York 7; St. Louis 3.
Boston 3; Cleveland 2.

	W.	L.	Pct
Cleveland	52	30	.635
New York	50	31	.617
Washington	46	42	.523
Detroit	42	43	.494
Boston	38	43	.469
Chicago	35	47	.427
St. Louis	35	48	.422
Philadelphia	33	47	.413

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results

All games posponed; rain.

	W.	L.	Pct
Pittsburgh	54	27	.667
New York	50	29	.633
Boston	45	32	.584
Brooklyn	42	40	.512
St. Louis	40	40	.500
Chicago	33	44	.429
Cincinnati	29	49	.372
Philadelphia	22	54	.290

Where They Play Today
Pittsburgh at New York
Chicago at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Boston (2 games.)
Cincinnati at Philadelphia (2 games.

DICKY WINS FIRST EXTRA INNING GAME

CHICAGO, July 15.—Dick Kerr won his first extra inning game since coming to the American league when Chicago beat Washington in eleven innings, 3 to 2 today thereby evening the series. Score:

WASHINGTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Judge, 1b	5	0	2	8	0	0
Harris, 2b	5	1	3	3	3	1
Rice, cf	5	0	1	7	0	0
Smith, rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Miller, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Shanks, 3b	2	1	1	4	1	0
Gharrity, c	4	0	2	4	2	0
O'Rourke, ss	5	0	1	1	1	1
Erickson, p	5	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	40	2	11	*32	10	2

*Two out when winning run scored

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Johnson, ss	5	2	1	3	5	1
Nulligan, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Collins, 2b	4	0	1	4	8	0
Strunk, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Mostil, cf	3	0	0	2	1	0
Sheely, 1b	4	0	0	18	1	0
Schalk, c	4	0	0	1	0	0
Kerr, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	3	5	33	18	1

Washington	000 001 100 00—2
Chicago	100 100 000 01—3

Two base hits Harris, Falk, Shanks, Judge, Mulligan. Double plays Erickson, Shanks and Judge; Harris and Judge; Johnson, Collins and Sheely. Triple play Sheely to Johnson. Base on balls Erickson 1; Kerr 3. Hit by pitcher Erickson (Mostil). Kerr (Miller.) Struck out Erickson 3.

INDIANS 2, RED SOX 3

CLEVELAND, July 15.—Boston won another pitchers' battle from Cleveland today, 3 to 2. Pennock injured his pitching hand when he stopped a line drive by Sewell and had to retire. Catcher O'Neill made his first appearance in a game since May 30. Score:

BOSTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Leibold, cf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Foster, 2b	2	1	1	3	1	0
Neitzke, lf	5	0	1	2	0	0
McInnis, 1b	4	1	1	13	1	0
Ruel, c	3	0	2	1	0	0
Scott, ss	3	0	1	3	4	0
Pittinger, rf	3	0	2	3	0	0
Witt, 3b	3	0	0	1	5	0
Pennock, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Russell, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	31	3	8	27	14	0

CLEVELAND	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Evans, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Jamieson, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wambaganss, 2b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Speaker, cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Wood, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Smith, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Gardner, 3b	4	0	1	2	8	0
Sewell, ss	4	0	3	1	5	0
Burns, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Sothoron, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nunamaker, c	4	0	0	5	1	1
Mails, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
Stephenson, 2b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Johnston, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Graney, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
*O'Neill	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	2	9	27	15	1

*Batted for Sothoron in 9th.

By innings:

Boston	200 001 000—3
Cleveland	000 100 010—2

Two base hits, Ruel 2, Speaker 2, Sewell, Mails. Base on balls, Pennock 1, Russell 3, Mails 4, Sothoron 1. Struck out by Russell 1, Mails 3, Sothoron 1.

YANKEES 7; BROWNS 3

ST. LOUIS, July 15—New York made it three straight over the Browns today, batting Van Gilder for nine hits and seven runs, in six innings to win 7 to 3. Babe Ruth batted out his 35th home run of the season in the sixth inning with one on base. Walter Gerber played his first game at short since June 8, when his hand was fractured by a pitched ball at Boston. Score:

NEW YORK	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fewster, lf	4	0	1	4	0	0
Peckinpaugh ss	4	2	2	3	1	0
Ruth, cf	3	2	1	4	1	0
Baker, 3b	3	0	1	1	1	1
Meusel, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Pipp, 1b	3	1	3	9	1	1
Ward, 2b	3	0	0	3	3	1
Schang, c	2	1	0	1	2	0
Hoyt, p	4	0	1	1	3	0
Totals	30	7	10	27	12	3

Tobin, rf	4	0	1	3	1	0
Ellerbe, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	0
Sisler, 1b	4	1	2	6	0	0
Williams, lf	4	1	1	3	1	0
Jacobson, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Collins, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Gerber, ss	3	0	0	7	2	1
McManus, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Van Gilder, p	2	0	1	0	3	0
Bayne, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morris, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Severeid, *	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	6	27	12	1

*Batted for Bayne in 8th.

New York	000 133 000—7
St. Louis	010 000 002—3

Two base hits, Willams, Pipp 2; Peckinpaugh, Sisler. Home run Ruth. Stolen base Schang. Double plays Gerber and Sisler. Base on balls, Van Gilder 7; Bayne 1. Struck out by Van Gilder 4; Hoyt 1; Morris 1.

ATHLETICS 3; TIGERS 2.

By Associated Press.

DETROIT, July 15.—Philadelphia divided the series with Detroit taking today's game 3 to 2 in the tenth inning. Score:

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Witt, rf	5	0	0	3	0	0
Dykes, 2b	4	1	1	4	2	0
Welch, cf	5	0	0	6	0	0
C. Walker, lf	5	2	2	2	0	0
J. Walker, 1b	5	0	2	8	0	0
Perkins, c	5	0	2	3	2	1
Dugan, 3b	4	0	0	2	4	0
Galloway, ss	2	0	0	2	5	0
Hasty, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Keefe, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rommel, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Brazil	1	0	0	0	0	0
**Griffin	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	39	3	8	30	13	1

*Batted for Hasty in 7th.
**Batted for Keefe in 9th.

DETROIT	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bush, 2b	5	0	0	1	4	1
Flagstead, ss	5	2	2	1	4	0
Shorten, cf	5	0	0	3	0	0
Veach, lf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Heilmann, rf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Blue, 1b	4	0	2	12	0	0
Jones, 3b	3	0	1	0	2	1
Bassler, c	4	0	2	8	0	0
Dauss, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Middleton, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
*Cobb	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	2	10	30	14	2

*Batted for Dauss in 9th.

By innings—

Philadelphia	000 000 110 1—3
Detroit	110 000 000 0—2

Two base hits, C. Walker, Bassler, Perkins, Heilmann. Three base hits, Flagstead. Home run, C. Walker. Stolen base, J. Walker. Base on balls, off Hasty 1, off Dauss 3. Struck out, by Hasty 1, by Keefe 1, by Dauss 5, by Middleton 1.

HAWAIIAN GIRL IS NEW SWIM STAR



Mariechen Weselau.

This Hawaiian girl, Mariechen Weselau, will eventually succeed Ethelda Bliebtrey, as all-around feminine swimming star of the world, Hawaiians insist.

JURY PICKED; SOX TRIAL TO BEGIN MONDAY

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 15.—The jury which will decide the guilt or innocence of the Chicago White Sox players and others indicted on conspiracy charges in connection with the alleged throwing of the 1919 world series, was completed today. Actual trial of the men will begin Monday.

The final panel of four jurors was sworn in late today amid cheering from spectators and veniremen of the kind which greets a ninth inning rally by the home team. More than two weeks had been taken up in selecting the twelve jurors. Approximately 600 persons were questioned by state and defense attorneys.

George E. Gorman, assistant state attorney, in charge of the prosecution, will make the opening statement for the state Monday. Prior to his address to the jurors, however, the defense plans to move that the baseball grand jury statements of Eddie Cicotte, Claude Williams and Joe Jackson, indicted White Sox players, be barred from the trial. The defense will contend that the evidence given the grand jury by these men cannot be used even against themselves, although they signed immunity waivers before testifying. In these statements the three players confessed to receiving money to throw games and Cicotte admitted that he deliberately hit Rath, the first man up in the first game, according to state officials.

Another motion planned by the defense is for dismissal of the last two counts in the indictments. These charge conspiracy to defraud Ray Schalk, White Sox catcher, out of $1,700, the difference between the winner's and loser's share in the series money, and to injure and defraud the Chicago American League base ball club. The defense will contend that there is no law covering such charges.

Defense attorneys will be permitted to interview Bill Burns, who was indicted but who has agreed to turn state's evidence. This interview will be in the presence of state attorneys. They also will talk with Joe Gedeon, another state witness and if they wish with Billy Maharg of Philadelphia. Neither Maharg nor Gedeon were indicted, but both are state's witnesses.

The jury is made up of two clerks, two machinists, a telephone repair man, a stationary engineer and the foreman of a motor company, a steel worker, a salesman, a florist, a hydraulic press operator and the foreman of a stockyards rendering plant. All but two are married and their ages range from 30 to 47. All said they understood baseball and occasionally saw major league games, but none has played semi-professional or professional baseball and none is a student of the game, or is of the "fan" type.

GAS SELLS FOR TWENTY CENTS IN LOUISIANA

By Associated Press.

SHREVEPORT, La., July 15.—Following the lead of the Standard Oil Company's retail sales department other local filling stations today posted a reduction of one cent per gallon in gasoline making the price 20 cents. Efforts to reduce the filling station price by organization of a co-operative filling station by consumers failed when the co-operative plan collapsed.

One British military cemetery in France, just outside Boulogne, contains nearly 12,000 graves.

As the importation of luxuries in Russia is prohibited, only goods of necessity can be brought in.

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WICHITA FALLS
—VS.—
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STEADY DAY IN MARKET EXPECTED

There are no changes in price scheduled to take effect in the local wholesale markets this morning, all lines being reported steady. Indications point toward minor changes in the fresh fruit and vegetable lines in the next few days, according to reports.

Grocery lines, poultry, eggs and the dairy lines are the same as for several days.

The following prices were obtained at the opening of the day's business from local jobbers and can be relied upon as official, although subject to fluctuation:

Fresh Vegetables.

Selling prices in Wichita Falls to retailers: Cauliflower 15@18c a lb.; egg plant 20 cents a pound; lettuce $1.25 a dozen; turnips 4 cents a pound; cabbage, 4c a pound; yams, 5 cents a pound; onions 3½c a lb.; parsley 75 cents a dozen bunches; mustard 80c a dozen bunches; potatoes 3 3-4 cents a pound; tomatoes 8¾ cents a lb.; new potatoes, 3½c a pound; string beans $3.50 per 80 pounds, squash 7 1-2 cents a pound; roasting ears 50 cents a dozen; cucumbers 10 cents a pound; beets, 5c a lb.; celery, $3.00 a dozen.

Fresh Fruits.

Selling prices to retailers: Bananas 9 cents a pound; limes $1.50 a basket; lemons, $12.50 a box; grape fruit $6.00 box; oranges, California navel, $5.00 and $6.00; apples, $3.50@4.00 a box; strawberries, $7.00; plums, $3.50 a crate; pineapples $9.00 a crate; canteloupes $4.50 and $5.00 a crate; watermelons 2 1-4 cents a pound; apricots, $3.50 a crate; cherries, $5.50 a crate; grapes, $4.50 a crate.

Flour and Meal.

Selling prices to local retailers: Flour, extra high patent, $8.50 basis 196 pounds; bakers, $8.00; high patent $8.00, 196 pounds; meal 65 cents a 24-lb. sack.

Canned Vegetables.

Selling prices to local retailers: Asparagus, fancy quality, No. 1 round, white $3.35, green $3.10; stringless beans, No. 2 fancy, $2.50; No. 2 standard $1.65; corn, extra fancy No. 2 standard $1.65; corn, extra fancy No. 2 $2.25; standard No. 2 $1.10; No. 2½ $1.50; okra and tomatoes, fancy No. 1, $1.10.

Sugar and Syrup.

Selling prices to retailers: Sugar, beet, $6.85 a 100 pounds; pure cane, $7.10 a 100 pounds; Louisiana plantation, $9.50 a 100 pounds. Syrup, Louisiana pure, No. 10 cans $6.00 a case; No. 5 cans $6.25 a case; No. 2½ cans $6.50; Georgia pure cane $7.75; corn syrup No. 10 cans $4.80 a case; No. 5 cans $5.00.

Onion Sets and Seed Potatoes.

Onion sets $1.50 a bushel; Seed potatoes 3½ to 4¼ cents a pound.

Canned Fish.

Selling prices to retailers: Salmon, fancy, Alaskan sockeye, 1 round, a dozen $5.40; ½-pound, $3.40 dozen, fancy red, 1 pounds $4.10 a dozen; ½-pounds $2.65 a dozen; tall pink, 1 $2.10 a dozen; tall chum 1-pounds $1.15 a dozen; sardines, California, oval cans, 1 pound, $9.00 a case; ¼ pound $4.20 a case; Maine quarters in oil keyless, ½-pound cans, a case $7.25; smoked, with keys, in cartons, $11.00 case; Norwegian 1-4-pound in olive oil, $17.00@19.50 a case. Tuna, white meat, 1 pound $6.15 a dozen; 1-2-pound $3.50 a dozen; 1-4-pound $2.10 a dozen; albacors tuna, 1 pound $1.75 a dozen; 1-4-pound $1.15 a dozen.

Dairy Products.

Prices to local retailers: Butter, creamery, 44 to 46c a pound; cottage cheese, 15 cents a pound; milk 50 cents a gallon; buttermilk 40 cents a gallon; single cream $1.80 a gallon.

Poultry and Eggs.

Prices paid by local jobbers to interior shippers: Hens, 15 cents a pound; roosters 6 cents a pound; broilers, 18c a pound; turkeys, 15c a pound; ducks $4.80 a dozen; geese 15 cents a pound; candled eggs, $6.60 a crate; packing butter, 12c a lb.

Beans and Rice.

Selling prices to retailers: Choice recleaned baby limas, $3.40 per hundred pounds; limas, choice, recleaned, $8.75 per 100 pounds; pinks $7.60 per 100 pounds; pintos $5.75 per 100 pounds; large white $6.75 per 100 pounds; small white $6.25; black eyes $8.50 per 100 pounds; rice, fancy Honduras $6.50 per 100 pounds; fancy head $8.00 per 100 pounds.

Canned Fruit.

Selling prices to retailers: Apricots, special extra, No. 2½ $5.00; No. 1 tall $3.00; extras, No. 2½ $5.00; extras, No. 1, $2.50; standards No. 2½, $4.00; No. 10 $9.50. Cherries, Royal Anne, special extras, No. 2½ $6.60; No. 1 tall $3.75; extras, No. 2½ $5.60; standards, No. 2½ $4.75. Pears: Bartlett special extras No. 2½ $6.60; No. 1 tall $3.70; extras No. 2½ $5.00; No. 1 tall $3.75. Peaches, yellow cling, halves, special extras, No. 2½ $5.75; extras No. 2½ $4.75; No. 1 tall $3.15; sliced yellow cling, No. 2½ $4.75; No. 2, $3.45. Red raspberries, No. 2½ $4.75; No. 2, $3.45. Red raspberries, No. 10 solid pack $21.50.

Evaporated Fruit.

Selling prices to retailers: Apples, California, extra 60-pound boxes 12½c a pound. Apricots, choice 30 cents a pound. California peaches, 25-pound boxes, choice 28 cents; fancy 24 3-4c; extra fancy, 25 3-4c. Raisins, 15-ounce choice, 27 cents; 1-pound floated Muscatels (nearly seedless) 25-pound bulk, 25 cents; Thompson's bleached seedless, 25-pound boxes, choice 26 cents. Prunes 40-50s, 25 cents a pound. 50-60s, 22 cents a pound.

Canned Milk.

Evaporated, baby size, 6 dozen a case, $4.50 a case; 8 dozen a case, $6; tall, 4 dozen a case $6.75. Compound, baby 8 dozen a case, $4.60; 4 dozen tall, $4.75 a case. Sweetened, condensed, 2 doz. $5.50 case; 4 doz., $9.50 a case; No. 10 confectioners' milk, 1-2 dozen to the case $5.40.

Oil and Shortening.

Shortening, Tierces, 18 cents; 100-pound metal drums, 18 1-2c. White oil tanks 10 1-2 cents. Peanut oil, tanks, per pound, 18 1-2 cents.

Feeds.

Bran, $1.50 per cwt.; shorts $1.75 per cwt.; corn chops $1.80 per cwt.; maize chops $1.50 per cwt.; mixed corn, $1.00 per bushel, sacked; mile maize, $1.00 per bushel, sacked; hay, alfalfa, $35 per ton; prairie, $25.00 per ton; Johnston grass, $20 per ton.

Prices paid by local elevators to oats 65 cents per bushel. Cotton seed meal, $55 per ton.

Wichita Falls Grain.

Cash wheat No. 1, $1.10; No. 2 $1.07; No. 3 $1.04.

Oats 30c a bushel.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

	Number of Sales.	Last Sales.
*Bid.		
Amer Beet Sugar	700	27⅛
American Can	1200	25⅜
Amer Car & Fdy	1900	123
Amer H & L pfd	400	50⅜
Amer Int Corp	3500	32
Amer Locomotive	400	80
American Linseed	900	24⅛
Amer S & Ref		36⅜
American Sugar	2300	66½
Amer Sumat Tob	8200	45½
Amer Tel & Tel	1100	103⅛
American Woolen	13200	67
Anaconda Copper	600	37⅛
Atchison	300	82⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	100	84½
Atl, G & W I	3300	23½
Baldwin Locomotive	9800	72½
Baltimore & Ohio	4200	37
Bethlehem Steel "B"	11000	45½
Canadian Pacific	2100	108½
Central Leather	600	35
Chandler Motors	4600	49¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	2800	51⅝
Chi, M & S P	900	25½
Chi, R I & Pac	4700	30½
Chino Copper	200	22¾
*Coca Cola		29
Colorado F & I	200	20½
Corn Products		64⅛
Crucible Steel ex div	12000	72½
Cuba Cane Sugar	1100	8⅛
Erie	500	12⅞
General Electric	8700	120¼
General Motors	5000	10⅜
Great Northern, pfd	700	67⅛
Gulf States Steel	500	30½
Illinois Central	100	91⅝
Inspiration Copper	500	33¾
Int Mer Mar, pfd ex div	800	43
International Nickel	700	13⅜
Internationa Paper	1300	51
Kennecott Copper	2400	19½
Louis & Nash	1100	110½
Mex Petroleum	34400	103½
*Miami Copper		20½
Middle States Oil	3000	11
Midvale Steel	2400	23½
Missouri Pacific	600	19¼
N Y Central	800	68⅛
N Y, N H & H	200	17⅝
Norfolk & Western	100	94
Northern Pacific	2300	71
Okla Prod & Ref	600	1⅜
Pan-Amer Petroleum	4100	49
Pennsylvania	600	34⅜
Pittsburgh & W Va	400	27
Pure Oil	1000	25⅝
Ray Con Copper	200	12⅛
Reading	2700	66⅜
Replogle Steel	500	18½
Rep Iron & Steel	3000	45¼
Royal Dutch, N Y	2900	53
S L & S F	400	22¾
*Seaboard Air Line		5½
Seaboard A Line, pfd	300	9
Shell Trans & Trad	1400	39
Sinclair Oil & Ref	3200	20
*Sloss-Shef Steel & I		34
Southern Pacific	6300	73⅛
Southern Railway	2400	19
So Railway, pfd		44⅜
Stand O of N J, pfd	100	106⅛
Studebaker Corp	9900	70
Tennessee Copper		7⅝
Texas Co	4100	33⅝
Texas & Pacific	100	22½
Tobacco Products	1100	54½
Trans Oil	4000	7¾
Union Pacific	800	117½
United Fruit	900	103¼
U S Food Products	100	16½
U S Ind Alcohol	2300	49⅝
U S Retail Stores	500	53
U S Rubber	6800	49
U S Steel	58000	71⅜
U S Steel, pfd	200	105
Utah Copper	3100	47½
Vanadium Corp	300	28⅜
Virginia Caro Chem	900	25⅝
Western Union	1000	82½
Westinghouse Elec	4000	41½
Willys-Overland	200	7
Allied Chemical ev	600	37⅜
General Asphalt	11600	49
Invincible Oil	800	10½

Total sales, 341,300.

STOCKYARDS LIFELESS AT FORT WORTH

By Associated Press.

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 15.—Very little life was exhibited in the cattle trade today. Only 1200 head of cattle and 500 calves arrived, but the small receipts did not serve to strengthen the market. Salesmen peddled throughout and prices were barely steady, with the declines quoted since Tuesday.

Four cars of hogs were good enough to bring $10.30 on a 25c higher market and most of the run sold at $10 to $10.30. Only 1000 head arrived. Pigs remained steady, most deals ranging from $9 to $9.25.

No quotable change was observed in sheep prices. Receipts reached 350 head. Genuine lambs brought $8 and stocker ewes sold from $1 to $3. Quotations:

Cattle: Beeves, $3.00@6.25; stockers, $2.00@4.00; cows, $2.00@4.50; canners, $1.00@2.00; heifers, $3.00@6.50; bulls, $1.00@3.00; calves, $1.00@6.75; yearlings, $3.00@7.00.

Hogs: Light, $10.15@10.30; medium, $9.75@10.15; mixed, $9.25@9.75; common, $8.25@9.25; heavy, $9.25@10.15 rough heavy, $8.25@9.25; pigs, $7.00@9.25.

Sheep: Lambs, $6.00@8.00; lambs and yearlings, $5.50@6.50; wethers, $4.25@4.50; ewes, $3.00@3.50; culls, $1.00@2.00; goats, $2.00@2.50; stocker wethers, $2.00@2.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, July 15.—Cattle, 4200; Texas steers made up bulk of supply; sales generally 25c lower, $5.00@7.25; dry fed native steers, steady; top heavies, $8.50; best yearlings, $9.25; she stock mostly 25c lower; heavy heifers, $7.00@10.00; most cows, $4.25@5.50; calves, steady to weak; most vealers, $8.00@8.50; fewer, $8.75@9.25; other classes, steady.

Hogs, 1800; active generally 10 to 20c higher; bulk lights, $10.00@10.05; bulk of sales, $9.80@10.00; packing sows mostly $8.50@9.00.

Sheep, 400; limited offerings; killing classes, steady; native lambs, $9.50

WOOL SALES

LONDON, July 15.—At the wool auction sales today 12,049 bales were offered. There were large sales comprising a moderate selection. Good wools were steady and others frequently were withdrawn.

CLAIM AGENTS CHANGE NAME OF ORGANIZATION

EL PASO, Texas, July 15.—Members of the Railway Claim Agents Association of Texas, which embraces the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana, in annual convention here today voted to change the name of the organization to the Texas-Southwest Railway Claim Agents Association. It was said Arizona and New Mexico probably will come into the association.

O. F. Ellington of Dallas is prominently mentioned for president for the ensuing year, to succeed A. H. Kilpatrick of Little Rock. Dallas, Fort Worth and Galveston are the strongest bidders for next year's convention.

FOUR TOWN LEAGUE IS STARTED BY STAMFORD

STAMFORD, July 15.—A conference of base ball fans representing Haskell, Stamford, Anson and Hamlin was held today, as a result it was decided to organize a four-town-league. It will have a three weeks season only and will begin the first of August.

All of these towns have crack independent teams and the arrangement will insure some real independent ball during the month of August.

REMOVE PRISONER TO FORT WORTH

A man arrested by local police and thought by Fort Worth officials to be wanted there in connection with the disappearance of an automobile belonging to Carl Smith, sheriff of Tarrant county, was removed to that city Friday.

Deputy Constable McCoy was sent from Fort Worth to take charge of the man. He was arrested last Saturday.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW

NEW YORK, July 15.—Dun's tomorrow will say:

An inactive summer having been expected and discounted, the continued quietness of most markets occasions no special comment. Crop damage through drought is reported both here and abroad. Waiting results from the harvest makes for some further contraction of business and any early decided change for the better is highly improbable. It is possible here, to discuss progress in some lines and current adjustment of one kind or another are regarded as shaping the way for the anticipated revival with prices and wages still undergoing revision, more natural conditions are being steadily restored.

Weekly bank clearings $5,680,297,835.

HENNESSY WINS IN STRAIGHT SETS IN WESTERN NET PLAY

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 15.—John Hennessey of Indianapolis won the semi-final round of western tennis championship here today defeating Clifton Herd, Chicago in straight sets, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2. Hennessey will meet Vinvent Richmards of New York, national junior champion in the regular finals tomorrow and the winner will play Walter T. Hayes, of Chicago, western champion for the title Sunday.

PERHAPS HE'S NOT TOO GOOD FOR SPUDS; WIRE HIM, WALTER

OGDEN, Utah, July 15.—"Dandy Dave" Davenport, former St. Louis pitcher, and one time star of San Antonio, was released today by the Ogden team of the Northern Utah league because other league teams contended he was too good for the league. Davenport pitched seven games and won all for Ogden. He pitched one no hit game, one one hit game and one three hit game. His strikeout record averaged 16 men to a game. Davenport says he will pitch for the Casper, Wyoming, team of the Mid-West league.

STOCKS, TOO LIFELESS IN DAY'S TRADE

NEW YORK, July 15.—The stock exchange today experienced another lifeless session with significant dealings in only a few prominent issues which showed irregular or lower tendencies.

Fully two thirds of the trading embraced oils, steels, equipments, motors, shippings and food shares. Rails were unusually stagnant.

Pressure was most apparent against steels and tobaccos.

British exchange rates fell back to recent minimum quotations with reactions of five or 25 points in all continental quotations. Scandinavian rates were most adversely affected.

All call loans were negotiated on a six per cent basis with more offerings of time money.

There was little trading in bonds, including liberty issues, in most cases gains being recorded, with industrial and equipment company issues offering the exceptions.

LIBERTY BONDS.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s, 86.50; firsts 4s, 87.17; second 4s, 86.92; first 4¼s, 87.34; second 4¼s, 87.02; third 4¼s, 91.16; fourth 4¼s, 87.16; victory 3¾s, 98.34; victory 4¾s, 98.32.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Prime mercantile paper, 6¼@6½. Exchange, heavy; sterling 60-day bills and commercial 60-day bills on banks, $3.58; commercial 60-day bills, 3.57¾; demand, 3.62½; cables, 3.63¼. Francs demand, 7.79; cables, 7.80. Belgian francs demand, 7.61; cables, 7.62; guilders' demand, 31.78; cables, 31.84. Lire demand, 4.52; cables, 4.53. Marks demand, 1.33; cables, 1.34. Greece demand, 5.40; Sweden demand, 21.05; Norway demand, 13.25; Argentine demand, 29.12; Brazilian demand, 10.50; Montreal, 12⅜ per cent discount.

Government and railroad bonds, irregular. Time loans, steady; 60 days, 90 days and 6 months, 6 per cent.

Call money, firm; high, 6; low, 6; closing bid, 5½; offered at 6; bank acceptances, 6.

NUMBER OF OIL WELLS SHOWS GAIN

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS
Record News Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Capital invested in mining enterprises, including oil wells, increased 1747.6 per cent in Texas between 1910 and 1920, the Census Bureau announced today. The increase was almost wholly on oil and gas wells for mines and quarries decreased from 92 in 1910 to 81 in 1920.

The total capital invested in mine, quarry and well operations in Texas is given as $161,684,392 as compared with $19,755,699 in 1910.

The number of petroleum wells in Texas when the census was taken 18 months ago was 8,749 compared with 2,279 ten years previously, an increase of 283.9 per cent.

Persons engaged in mine, quarry and well operations last year were 22-890 as compared with 7,066 ten years before. Salaries amounted to $6,-429,958, an increase of $1,086 from the $541,762 of ten years previous. Wages increased from $3,997,495 ten years previous to $29,557,997 last year, or 639.4 per cent. Supplies and material increased from $1,833,-415 ten years ago to $45,401,592 last year or 2376.3 per cent. Fuel and power used cost $6,189,559, as compared with $255,614 ten years ago, or 2321 per cent.

Rents and royalties increased from $917,799 ten years ago to $23,912,-179, or 2505.4. Texas increased from $62,333 to $4,045,961.

The total value of the product of Lone Star mine, quarry and well operations last year was $160,378,158 as compared with $10,742,150, ten years ago or 1392 per cent.

AMERICAN HERDS MAY TEMPORARILY GRAZE IN MEXICO

Special to The Record News.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Because of frequent requests from cattle raisers along the Mexican border for permission to send their herds into Mexico for temporary grazing, and in view of the fact that there was no established precedent for procedure in such cases, the President of Mexico, has issued a decree to the effect that all persons desiring to transfer herds temporarily into Mexican territory for grazing purposes must first obtain the necessary permission of the Mexican secretary of agriculture through the customs officers of the districts at which the herds must cross. The import duty on cattle for temporary importation is placed at 50c U. S. currency per head when full grown and intended for six months grazing while for younger cattle the duty is placed at 10c per head.

ACQUIT AMERICAN IN IRISH RETRIAL

By Associated Press.

BELFAST, July 15.—William Conlin, said to be a resident of the state of New Jersey, who demanded a hearing after a court martial had convicted him and two others on the charge of having murdered Wm. McConville, cashier of a linen thread corporation's factories, Sept. 3, last, was honorably acquitted today on a retrial of the case. Two other men convicted on the same charge also were given an honorable acquittal.

New York Bonds

*U S 2s, registered	100½
*U S 2s, coupon	100½
*U S 4s, registered	104½
*U S 4s, coupon	104¼
*Panama 3s, registered	75
*Panama 3s, coupon	75
Amer S & Ref 5s	76⅝
Amer Tel & Tel cv 6s	97⅝
Atchison gen 4s	76¼
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	78
Baltimore & Ohio cv 4½s	68¼
Bethlehem Steel ref 5s	86
*Central of Georgia Con 5s	81
Central Leather 5s	89⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio cv 5s	81
Chi, M & S P cv 4½s	65
Chi, R I & Pac Ry ref 4s	66½
Colorado & Southern ref 4½s	74¾
Denver & R G consol 4s	63¼
Dominion of Can 5s (1931)	87½
Erie gen 4s	42⅝
Illinois Central ref 4s	77⅝
Int Mer Marine 6s	79
K C Southern ref 5s	75¼
*Ligget & Myers 5s	85
Louis & Nash un 4s	81½
M, K & T 1st 4s	61
Missouri Pacific gen 4s	53
N Y Central deb 6s	90¼
Norfolk & Western cv 6s	101½
Northern Pacific 4s	75⅝
Pennsylvania gen 5s	84⅝
Reading gen 4s	78⅝
*Rep Iron & Steel 5s (1940)	81
S L & S F adj 6s	66¾
Seaboard Air Line adj 5s	25⅞
*Southern Bell Tel 5s	80
*Southern Pacific cv 5s	85
Southern Railway 5s	82⅝
Southern Railway gen 4s	56½
*Texas & Pacific 1st	79
Union Pacific 4s	80⅝
U K of G B & I 5½s (1937)	86
U S Steel 5s	94⅜
Virginia Car Chemical 5s	91
*Wabash 1st	84½
Wilson & Co cv 6s	78½

COTTON KEPT STEADY WITH SPOT DEMAND

NEW ORLEANS, July 15.—Favorable accounts from the spot department kept cotton steady today but no very aggressive operations were undertaken on the long side and during most of the session were at small net gains. Strength of the spot situation was illustrated by closing prices. For the first time in many months spots were materially higher and contracts, middling in the spot market closing thirteen points up at 11.86 while July contracts were two points up at 11.68. This premium of a dollar a bale on spots caused considerable comment.

More or less liquidation was felt and this caused a break to a level of five points under yesterday's close in early trading but later the market went to net advances and at best was 17 to 19 points higher than yesterday's final prices, October rising to 12.56. In late trading there was more liquidation and it pared the gains down closing quotations showing net advances of 2 to 12 points. October stood at 12.43 on the close.

N. Y. COTTON

NEW YORK, July 15.—Cotton was comparatively quiet today but showed a generally steady tone owing to continued good spot demand in Liverpool, reports of increased running time in Lancashire mills and nervousness over further eastern belt crop progress because of wet weather. An advance to 13.01 for October contracts, or sixteen points above yesterday's closing quotation, was checked by realizing and a little hedge selling, but offerings were not heavy and that month closed at 12.90. The general market closed steady net unchanged to 12 points higher.

The market opened stead yat an advance of one to seventeen points on firm Liverpool cables. This bulge met considerable cotton with southern selling a feature and prices eased right after the call with July selling off from 12.35 to 12.13 and December from 13.35 to 13.22. The market firmed up during the middle of the day on reports that Lancashire spinners of American cotton had decided to increase their working schedules from 24 to 35 hours per week and that British spinners of Egyptian had discontinued the short time schedule. Prospects for showers or rains in the eastern belt were also a factor on the rally creating apprehension of increased insect damage. December sold up to 13.42 with active months generally showing net gains of fourteen to sixteen points, but offerings increased slightly as October reached the thirteen cent level and the market later was quoet and irregular. Closing prices were a few points off from the best under realizing. According to cotton men here who make a specialty of weather and crop conditions, the belt needs dry weather, and the prospect for further rains or showers in eastern belt sections seemed to make a considerable impression on sentiment.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

By Associated Press.

LIVERPOOL, July 15.—Spot cotton in good demand; prices, easy; good middling, 9.09; fully middling, 8.69; middling, 9.19; low middling, 7.29; good ordinary, 6.14; ordinary, 5.39. Sales 10,000 bales, including 8600 American. Receipts, 4000 bales, no American. Futures closed steady; July, 8.49; October, 8.77; December, 8.85; January, 8.85; March, 8.89; May, 8.94.

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HIGH PRICE TOUCHED FOR FUTURE WHEAT

CHICAGO, July 15.—New high price records for the season were reached today by September and December deliveries of wheat. Bullish crop reports furnished the explanation. July was depressed by storage difficulties here. The market finished unsettled at 1 3-4c net decline to 2c advance with September 1.32 1-2 to 1.33 and December 1.36 3-4 to 1.37. Corn finished 1-4 off to 1-2 up. Oats gained 1 3-8c and provisionsh 12 to 47 cents.

At first wheat showed a general downward tendency owing to cooler temperatures. Crop experts in the northwest however, sent word of danger from blackrust and there was talk of liberal export buying. An all around advance in prices followed.

Expectance of large shipments of corn soon to Montreal helped to rally the corn market from effects of rains. Oats displayed strength as a result of the poor crop outlook.

Higher quotations on hogs lifted provisions.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
Sep.	1.29¾	1.34¾	1.29½	1.32½
Dec.	1.33	1.38¼	1.33	1.36¾
CORN—				
Sep.	61½	62¼	61¼	62
Dec.	59⅞	61¼	59⅞	60⅞
OATS—				
Sep.	40⅞	41⅝	40⅜	41½
Dec.	43	44⅛	42¼	43⅝
PORK—				
July				18.55
Sep.	18.60	18.75	18.60	18.75
LARD—				
Sep.	11.75	12.00	11.70	11.95
Oct.	11.85	12.10	11.85	12.07
RIBS—				
Sep.	11.00	11.17	11.00	11.17
Oct.	11.00	11.10	11.00	11.07

KANSAS CITY CASH WHEAT.

By Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, July 15.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard, $1.24@1.50; No. 2 red, $1.27@1.28.

Corn No. 2 white, 57½c; No. 2 yellow, 57@58c.

Oats No. 2 white, 38½@39c; No. 2 mixed, 36½c.

WHEAT GOES TO $1.10 A BUSHEL IN MARKET

Another 5 cent advance in the local price of wagon wheat was posted to take effect Friday, making the price $1.10 a bushel for No. 1 grade. No. 2 is $1.07 and No. 3 $1.04 according to the recent change.

Wheat receipts continue to hold up very well, local grain men say, and the movement is still heavy, although the bulk of this year's crop has already been moved.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, July 15.—Butter, higher; creamery extras, 40½c. Eggs, easy; receipts, 12,527 cases; firsts, 28½@29½c. Poultry alive, higher; fowls, 30c; broilers, 30@36c.

LIGHTNING DENUDES MAN

PARIS, July 15.—Extraordinary freaks of lightning are reported in a violent thunderstorm which swept the Riviera coast.

At Levens, near Nice, the lightning stripped off every inch of clothing from a shepherd tending his flocks on the mountain side. Even his boots disappeared.

The man walked naked to his home. His body bore one or two burns.

WIFE OF JAP WOULD ADOPT WHITE CHILD

DENVER, July 15.—International relations and questions of citizenship and Christianity were involved in a case before Judge Ben B. Lindsey in Juvenile court here when application was made for the adoption by an English woman with a Japanese husband, of an American-born baby.

The citizenships of fifteen-month-old Mildred Lorraine Jones, daughter of an American mother, hung in the balance while Judge Lindsey pondered over the application of Sen Okazaki, Japanese, for adoption of the child.

According to immigration officials little Mildred, if permitted to go to the Okazakis, would lose her American citizenship and could never regain it except by marriage to an American citizen.

Not willing to take the responsibility of robbing the child of its birthright, Judge Lindsey refused to grant the application for adoption, but declared the baby a dependent of the court and awarded its temporary care to Mr. and Mrs. Okazaki.

Judge Lindsey declared that the child's natural mother had forfeited her rights by neglecting the baby. The mother, now Mrs. Alta Jones Duff, announced that she would continue to fight for her baby, and has appealed to federal officials for the restoration of the child to her.

Witnesses testified that the Okazakis had cared for little Mildred from the time she was a few weeks old and had given her the best of treatment. Testimony was offered by Mrs. Okazaki, a cultured and educated woman, to the effect that the fatherhood of Mildred was uncertain, and that the mother had consented in writing to the adoption of the baby when it was first taken by the Okazakis. Mrs. Okazaki stated that she had lost a son born several years ago and related a touching story of her desire to have Mildred to fill the void caused by the death of the boy born of her Japanese husband.

Akazaki is an ex-officer of the Japanese army, a graduate of Tokio university, and has taken courses in Columbia and Denver universities. He is now engaged in business in Denver.

In his testimony he described how, through the loss of his son, born to his Christian wife, he had embraced Christianity, and said that 'would have become an American citizen long ago if it had been possible.

FRENCHMAN FAVORS LOTTERY TO HELP FIND TAX DODGERS

PARIS, July 15.—New methods of collecting income tax returns are now being discussed in parliament the majority of French taxpayers having failed under the present system to show any returns or pany any tax. For the past financial year returns show that 33 per cent of the taxable population of France failed to produce any statement of its income.

Leon Ballby, editor of l'Intransigeant, suggests that some sort of lettery be organsed for the benefit of those taxpayers who have been honest enough to declare their revenues and pay and to the disadvantage of those who continually evde paying a tax on their income. He proposes that the population of France be split up into sections of from three to five thousand people and that from ten to fifty names in that number be chosen at random. If these have declared their revenues and offered to pay their income tax they shall be exempted. Any of that number who shall not have shown any returns shall have their taxes doubled or even tripled and in addition be sentenced to several months' imprisonment. The same would apply to any taxpayers in the 5,000 who had not made any returns.

M. Ballby remarks that it would cost little to institute this control and he thinks it would have the advantage of frightenng would-be evaders of the law.

PARENTS CHAIN BOYS TO TREE FOR SWIMMING

By Associated Press.

EDGEWOOD, Iowa, July 15.—County Attorney W. E. R. Eichendors of Clayton county, today was investigating the chaining of two small boys to a tree by their parents near here all day Wednesday as punishment for going swimming without permission.

Charles Croyle, city marshal here, who released the boys, David Hammond, 13, and Floyd Bailey, 9, informed the county prosecutor the boys told him they had had neither food nor water and were exposed to the sun the greater part of the day. The boys told the marshal their parents had fastened wires around their necks and to these they had locked dog chains which were in turn locked to a tree.

The mace of the speaker of the house of commons is a notable historic relic, for it is the mace that was carried before King Charles I as he walked to the scaffold.

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GOVERNMENT WINS RIGHT IN TAX ROW

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS,
Record News Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—The right of the federal government to impose certain restrictions with respect to the profits which wool dealers might make on wool handled by them in 1918, when the government took over the year's wool clip, has been definitely settled in favor of the government by Judge Sessions in the United States District court for the western district of Michigan, at Grand Rapids. To defendant's motion to dismiss the government's case was denied. While this did not involve a large amount, the principle issue is of great importance in view of many cases yet to be prosecuted by the government, some of them involving large sums of excess profits.

To aid in the prosecution of the war the government, in the spring of 1918, took over the wool clip of the season. To make this purpose effective regulations were issued by the wool division of the war industries board, requiring dealers who wished to handle wool to obtain permits or licenses. When the war industries board was disbanded, this work was transferred to the department of agriculture.

Limited Profits.

These licenses were, in effect, contracts between the dealers and the government. The regulations also limited definitely the profits which wool dealers might make on all domestic wool handled by them. In the case of country dealers or buyers, such as the one decided by Judge Sessions this profit was limited to 11-2 cents a pound the whole object being to prevent speculation, and to stabilize the wool market, at a time when it was important to the success of the war that America's army and navy be assured proper clothing.

All except about 60 wool dealers have voluntarily paid over to the government any excess profits made. Among those who did not pay was the defendant in the above-named case. Judge Sessions declared in his decision that in time of war broad powers are conferred upon the president both by the constitution and by standing statutory enactments of congress, but the president's powers were not necessarily involved. The power of congress to authorize the action of the war industries board, the court said, could not be doubted.

Cannot Challenge Congress.

With the power conferred upon it by congress this governmental agency had entered into a contract with the defendant, and the defendant, the court held, was in no position to challenge the right of the congressional branch of the government to approve and affirm that contract.

Congress, the court declared, had approved and affirmed contracts of this kind made by the boards through its officers. If the contract was valid in behalf of the government then the government certainly had a right to bring suit in its own courts to enforce its terms.

Court Notes

Producers Supply and Tool Company vs. Gaines Motor Sales Company, suit on account.

Cliff Strawn and Jim Strawn vs. Wm. Lackey, suit to set aside judgment.

J. A. Patton vs. T. J. Boley et al, debt.

First National Bank of Wichita Falls vs. A. W. Allen, debt.

Oil Leases and Assignments.

J. E. Tolliver et al to Modern Petroleum Company, block 5 out of W. and F. C. Ry. Company survey, $10 and other considerations.

Arkansas-Texas Company to City National Bank of Commerce, 340 acres out of B. S. and F. survey No. 1—$10 and other considerations.

Real Estate Transfers.

Nell Bryan et al to J. M. Burke, lot 12 out of the College Heights addition to Burkburnett, $600.

DECLARES SHE COULDN'T EAT SOLID FOOD

Daughter of Noted Texas Pioneer Finds Relief From Twenty Years Suffering

"Mrs. Annie Lyons, 901 Henderson street, Houston, Texas, whose father, Rufus E. Campbell, made the irons that bound General Santa Anna after his capture at the battle of San Jacinto, has joined the host of Texans who are praising Tanlac as the most remarkable medicine of the age. In relating her truly wonderful experience she said:

"For 20 years I suffered agonies from rheumatism and catarrh of the nose and throat. My knees and legs were swollen and my joints ached so bad that sometimes I just thought I couldn't stand it a minute longer. I never knew what it was to get a whole night's rest and often didn't sleep a wink. My nose and head were choked up with mucous and I could hardly get my breath at times. For four years I wasn't able to eat solid food and fell off until I was little more than a shadow.

"I was treated by noted specialists in California and Chicago, but nowhere did I get the slightest relief until I got hold of this blessed Tanlac. I am a well and happy woman today all through the power of this wonderful medicine. I eat meats, eggs, and anything I want, my nervousness is all gone. I sleep like a child and I haven't an ache or a pain. It's hard for me to realize that I am the same woman who was all bent over with rheumatism and tortured with pain a short time ago. I just feel like I want to tell everybody far and near about Tanlac. It certainly is the greatest medicine in the world."

Tanlac is sold in Wichita Falls by Miller Drug Store; in Electra by Thetford Drug Store; in Burkburnett by West-Reed Drug Store, and by all leading druggists in each

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES



Earl Misner, Boys' Club '20 and '21, Speakers' Club '20 and '21, Baseball '20. Mr. Misner is the son of Mrs. Wade S. Stanfield, 2008 Eighth street.



Luke Wilson, Football '18 and '19, Track '21. Mr. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wilson, 1301 Twelfth street.

Town Topics

N. H. Martin, vice-president of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company, is back from Austin where he attended a hearing of the railroad commission.

Misses Dona Lita and Robbie Standifer, of Vernon, are visiting Miss Louis Pender. Miss Pender returned here Thursday from Vernon, where she had been in a house party given by the Misses Standifer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wharton arrived here from Philadelphia Thursday to make their home here. Mr. Wharton, who is with the Nunn Electric company, recently went on his vacation to the city of brotherly love and was married.

Kenneth T. Millican, of the Bankers Utilities company, of San Francisco, who has been in the city for the past few days visiting the local banks, left Friday night for Galveston and other South Texas points.

C. W. Reid, active vice-president of the City National Bank of Commerce, Shadie Hale and Leo Sellers have returned from Comanche where they attended court.

Allen Gerock, of the Wichita State Bank, is spending a few days of his vacation in Fort Worth.

Scout Executive H. E. Taylor will return today from a visit of a week in Kentucky.

Harry B. Crosier, special correspondent of the Dallas News, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCutcheon and son, Jimmy left Friday afternoon for Colorado Springs. Mr. McCutcheon will be absent for about a month and his wife and son will be gone all summer.

Paul Zerbine of the Alx La Ben Cafe, left today to spend a week in Galveston.

S. B. Oswald left Friday afternoon for a business trip to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blackstock and family left Friday afternoon for Los Angeles where they will make their home.

Mrs. H. G. Helgerson left Friday afternoon for Bangor, Maine, where she will spend the summer.

Dr. L. P. Amason went to Dallas Friday afternoon.

S. O. Vick left Friday for Chillicothe.

Mrs. Essie Belle McKenzie has returned to her home in McKinney after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Rowling.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon G. Butler have returned from a four weeks wedding trip which included points in the New England states and Canada. Mrs. Butler was before her marriage recently, Miss Joella Terrill. They will be at home at 200 Elisabeth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Wormer of Kempt Kort will leave Tuesday for a month's visit in California.

Misses Artie Allen, Maxine Noble and Charles M. Noble of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who have been guests of Mrs. John Noble at 1107 Alma street, returned home Saturday.

Misses Mary Terrill and Beula Hatchett are spending the week with friends at Fort Worth.

Sheriff Fred K. Smith returned Friday from Amarillo where he had been in attendance at the meeting of all the sheriffs of the state. One hundred and twenty-six sheriffs were in attendance at the meting.

Miss Carrie Walstip, stenographer in the office of the city engineer, will leave Saturday for Cleburne to spend a two weeks' vacation with her mother.

Homer Brown of Fort Worth is in the city on business.

S. A. Covington, general superintendent of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad, who took up his office in Wichita Falls April 1, is preparing to move his family here from Fort Worth.

D. Mendelsohn of Los Angeles, president of the International Securities company, is in the city on business.

Mrs. Charles Blacksmith left Thursday for a two weeks' stay in Harrisonville, Mo.

M. L. Meyer of— Chicago who has been here on business, has returned to that city.

Judge M. E. Peters is back from Oklahoma City, where he attended court for several weeks.

Mrs. A. Zachary is visiting her parents in Chicago.

R. N. Graham of Austin is here on business.

ham, who have been visiting here for some time, have returned to their home.

Renne Allred, Jr., court reporter of the Eighty-ninth District court, accompanied by Mrs. Allred, left Friday on a six week's vacation to Mineral Wells and other points. They will return here the first of September when court term of the Eighty-ninth District opens. The present term does not officially close until July 20th.

J. B. Fletcher and George Bolin, members of Troop No. 1 of the Wichita Falls Boy Scouts, left Friday for the Y. W. C. A. camp at the 77 club where they will relieve the two scouts now on duty as guards and swimming instructors.

Mrs. Louise Salm of the ladies' department of Baum and Gardner's, leaves today for the eastern markets.

WHITES OWN NEARLY ALL TEXAS LAND

Special to the Record News.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—White farmers operate 109,106,553 acres of the 113,580,716 acres of farm lands in Texas, the census bureau announced today. Of this, 103,507,582 acres is operated by native born white farmers and 5,598,971 acres by foreign-born white farmers.

Colored farmers operate 4,474,163 acres of land. The average was 306.5 acres for white farmers in Texas and 56.7 for colored farmers.

Incidentally, the report showed that the 113,580,716 acres under cultivation in Texas was double and a half more than any other state, Kansas ranking second with 45,425,179 acres. The Texas farm acreage was more than double the combined acreage of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

The Texas farm acreage also was larger than the combined farm acreage of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. It was one and a half times as large as the combined acreage of Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida.

It had 10,000,000 more acres in farms than the combined farm acreage of Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Utah and Nevada.

Comparative figures of farm acreage in Texas by color and nativity follows: White farmers, 1920, 109,106,553 and 1910, 108,154,404; Colored farmers, 1920, 4,474,163 acres and 1910, 4,283,663.

The size of the average farm in Texas in 1920 was 269.5 acres as compared with 269.1 in 1910. The average size of the white man's farms in Texas in 1920 was 306.5 acres compared with 310.9 acres in 1910. The average color farm in Texas was 56.7 acres in 1920 as compared with 61.3 acres in 1910.



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SCREENS FOR TESTING CORN ARE CHANGED

Special to the Record News.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 15.—Announcement of a change in the official grain standards of the United States for shelled corn was made at the United States department of agriculture here today. Under an order signed by Secretary Wallace, effective October 3, 1921, the size of the perforations in the screens used for determining foreign material and cracked corn is fixed at twelve sixty-fourths of an inch instead of fourteen sixty-fourths of an inch as at present.

Action was taken after a thorough investigation of numerous complaints made to the department by merchandisers of shelled corn that the larger holes permitted a considerable percentage of small whole kernels and fair-sized pieces of broken kernels of corn, which are entirely suitable for milling and feeding purposes, to pass through the sieve and be classified as foreign material and cracked corn. The result was a lowering of grade. This was especially true of kiln-dried corn, which fractures easily in handling. Officials believe that the smaller perforation will overcome these objections and meet the approval of the trade.

The date set for the change to become effective is before the bulk of the next corn crop starts to move on its way to the markets.

FORTY PICKED AS IMMORTALS OF ENGLISH WRITERS

Who of England's living writers are likely to enter into the sacred realms of the "immortals?" It is an interesting speculation, as interesting, perhaps, to the Americans as it novelists, essayists, poets and historians is to the British, for many English novelists, essayists, poets and historians have now their biggest sales in the United States.

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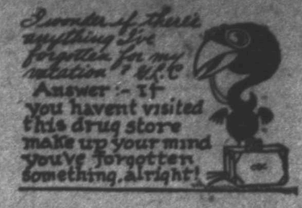
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GOVERNMENT WINS RIGHT IN TAX ROW

By BASCOM N. TIMMONS,
Record News Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—The right of the federal government to impose certain restrictions with respect to the profits which wool dealers might make on wool handled by them in 1918, when the government took over the year's wool clip, has been definitely settled in favor of the government by Judge Sessions in the United States District court for the western district of Michigan, at Grand Rapids. To defendant's motion to dismiss the government's case was denied. While this did not involve a large amount, the principle issue is of great importance in view of many cases yet to be prosecuted by the government, some of them involving large sums of excess profits.

To aid in the prosecution of the war the government, in the spring of 1918, took over the wool clip of the season. To make this purpose effective regulations were issued by the wool division of the war industries board, requiring dealers who wished to handle wool to obtain permits or licenses. When the war industries board was disbanded, this work was transferred to the department of agriculture.

Limited Profits.

These licenses were, in effect, contracts between the dealers and the government. The regulations also limited definitely the profits which wool dealers might make on all domestic wool handled by them. In the case of country dealers or buyers, such as the one decided by Judge Sessions this profit was limited to 1 1-2 cents a pound the whole object being to prevent speculation, and to stabilize the wool market, at a time when it was important to the success of the war that America's army and navy be assured proper clothing.

All except about 60 wool dealers have voluntarily paid over to the government any excess profits made. Among those who did not pay was the defendant in the above-named case. Judge Sessions declared in his decision that in time of war broad powers are conferred upon the president both by the constitution and by standing statutory enactments of congress, but the president's powers were not necessarily involved. The power of congress to authorize the action of the war industries board, the court said, could not be doubted.

Cannot Challenge Congress.

With the power conferred upon it by congress this governmental agency had entered into a contract with the defendant, and the defendant, the court held, was in no position to challenge the right of the congressional branch of the government to approve and affirm that contract.

Congress, the court declared, had approved and affirmed contracts of this kind made by the boards through its officers. If the contract was valid in behalf of the government then the government certainly had a right to bring suit in its own courts to enforce its terms.

Court Notes

Producers Supply and Tool Company vs. Gaines Motor Sales Company, suit on account.

Cliff Strawn and Jim Strawn vs. Wm. Lackey, suit to set aside judgment.

J. A. Patton vs. J. J. Boley et al, debt.

First National Bank of Wichita Falls vs. A. W. Allen, debt.

Oil Leases and Assignments.

J. E. Tolliver et al to Modern Petroleum Company, block 5 out of H. and T. C. Ry. Company survey, $10 and other considerations.

Arkansas-Texas Company to City National Bank of Commerce, 340 acres out of B. S. and F. survey No. 1—$10 and other considerations.

Real Estate Transfers.

Nell Bryan et al to J. M. Burks, lot 12 out of the College Heights addition to Burkburnett, $600.

DECLARES SHE COULDN'T EAT SOLID FOOD

Daughter of Noted Texas Pioneer Finds Relief From Twenty Years Suffering

"Mrs. Annie Lyons, 901 Henderson street, Houston, Texas, whose father, Rufus E. Campbell, made the irons that bound General Santa Anna after his capture at the battle of San Jacinto, has joined the host of Texans who are praising Tanlac as the most remarkable medicine of the age. In relating her truly wonderful experience she said:

"For 20 years I suffered agonies from rheumatism and catarrh of the nose and throat. My knees and legs were swollen and my joints ached so bad that sometimes I just thought I couldn't stand it a minute longer. I never knew what it was to get a whole night's rest and often didn't sleep a wink. My nose and head were choked up with mucous and I could hardly get my breath at times. For four years I wasn't able to eat solid food and fell off until I was little more than a shadow.

"I was treated by noted specialists in California and Chicago, but nowhere did I get the slightest relief until I got hold of this blessed Tanlac. I am a well and happy woman today all through the power of this wonderful medicine. I eat meats, eggs, and anything I want, my nervousness is all gone. I sleep like a child and I haven't an ache or a pain. It's hard for me to realize that I am the same woman who was all bent over with rheumatism and tortured with pain a short time ago. I just feel like I want to tell everybody far and near about Tanlac. It certainly is the grandest medicine in the world."

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HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES



Earl Misner, Boys' Club '20 and '21, Speakers' Club '20 and '21, Baseball '20. Mr. Misner is the son of Mrs. Wade S. Stanfield, 2008 Eighth street.



Luke Wilson, Football '18 and '19, Track '21. Mr. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wilson, 1301 Twelfth street.

Town Topics

N. H. Martin, vice-president of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company, is back from Austin where he attended a hearing of the railroad commission.

Misses Dona Lita and Robbie Standifer, of Vernon, are visiting Miss Louis Pender. Miss Pender returned here Thursday from Vernon, where she had been in a house party given by the Misses Standifer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wharton arrived here from Philadelphia Thursday to make their home here. Mr. Wharton, who is with the Nunn Electric company, recently went on his vacation to the city of brotherly love and was married.

Kenneth T. Millican, of the Bankers Utilities company, of San Francisco, who has been in the city for the past few days visiting the local banks, left Friday night for Galveston and other South Texas points.

C. W. Reid, active vice-president of the City National Bank of Commerce, Shadie Hale and Leo Sellers have returned from Comanche where they attended court.

Allen Gerock, of the Wichita State Bank, is spending a few days of his vacation in Fort Worth.

Scout Executive H. B. Taylor will return today from a visit of a week in Kentucky.

Harry B. Crozier, special correspondent of the Dallas News, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCutcheon and son, Jimmy left Friday afternoon for Colorado Springs. Mr. McCutcheon will be absent for about a month and his wife and son will be gone all summer.

Paul Zerbine of the Alx La Ben Cafe, left today to spend a week in Galveston.

S. B. Oswald left Friday afternoon for a business trip to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blackstock and family left Friday afternoon for Los Angeles where they will make their home.

Mrs. H. G. Helgerson left Friday afternoon for Bangor, Maine, where she will spend the summer.

Dr. L. P. Amason went to Dallas Friday afternoon.

S. O. Vick left Friday for Chillicothe.

Mrs. Essie Belle McKenzie has returned to her home in McKinney after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. Rowling.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon G. Butler have returned from a four weeks wedding trip which included points in the New England states and Canada. Mrs. Butler was before her marriage recently, Miss Joella Terrill. They will be at home at 200 Elizabeth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Wormer of Kempt Kort will leave Tuesday for a month's visit in California.

Misses Artie Allen, Maxine Noble and Charles M. Noble of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who have been guests of Mrs. John Noble at 1107 Alma street, returned home Saturday.

Misses Mary Terrill and Beula Hatchett are spending the week with friends at Fort Worth.

Sheriff Fred K. Smith returned Friday from Amarillo where he had been in attendance at the meeting of all the sheriffs of the state. One hundred and twenty-six sheriffs were in attendance at the meting.

Miss Carrie Wa[illegible]p, stenographer in the office of the city engineer, will leave Saturday for Cleburne to spend a two weeks' vacation with her mother.

Homer Brown of Fort Worth is in the city on business.

S. A. Covington, general superintendent of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad, who took up his office in Wichita Falls April 1, is preparing to move his family here from Fort Worth.

D. Mendelsohn of Los Angeles, president of the International Securities company, is in the city on business.

Mrs. Charles Stechsmith left Thursday for a two weeks' stay in Harrisonville, Mo.

M. L. Meyer of— Chicago who has been here on business, has returned to that city.

Judge M. E. Potter is back from Oklahoma City, where he attended court for several weeks.

Mrs. A. Zachary is visiting her parents in Chicago.

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Renne Allred, Jr., court reporter of the Eighty-ninth District court, accompanied by Mrs. Allred, left Friday on a six week's vacation to Mineral Wells and other points. They will return here the first of September when court term of the Eighty-ninth District opens. The present term does not officially close until July 20th.

J. B. Fletcher and George Bolin, members of Troop No. 1 of the Wichita Falls Boy Scouts, left Friday for the Y. W. C. A. camp at the T7 club where they will relieve the two scouts now on duty as guards and swimming instructors.

Mrs. Louise Salm of the ladies' department of Baum and Gardner's, leaves today for the eastern markets.

WHITES OWN NEARLY ALL TEXAS LAND

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WASHINGTON, July 15.—White farmers operate 109,106,553 acres of the 113,580,716 acres of farm lands in Texas, the census bureau announced today. Of this, 103,507,582 acres is operated by native born white farmers and 5,598,971 acres by foreign-born white farmers.

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Incidentally, the report showed that the 113,580,716 acres under cultivation in Texas was double and a half more than any other state, Kansas ranking second with 45,425,275 acres. The Texas farm acreage was more than double the combined acreage of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

The Texas farm acreage also was larger than the combined farm acreage of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. It was one and a half times as large as the combined acreage of Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida.

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Comparative figures of farm acreage in Texas by color and nativity follows: White farmers, 1920, 109,106,553 and 1910, 108,154,404; Colored farmers, 1920, 4,474,163 acres and 1910, 4,283,663.

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Action was taken after a thorough investigation of numerous complaints made to the department by merchandisers of shelled corn that the larger holes permitted a considerable percentage of small whole kernels and fair-sized pieces of broken kernels of corn, which are entirely suitable for milling and feeding purposes, to pass through the sieve and be classified as foreign material and cracked corn. The result was a lowering of grade. This was especially true of kiln-dried corn, which fractures easily in handling. Officials believe that the smaller perforation will overcome these objections and meet the approval of the trade.

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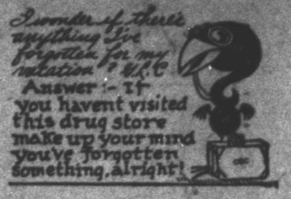
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—All piece goods the last day are cut to the bone in price; look for the red tag.

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—ONE LOT suits including Spanish Linen Mercerized Repp and Palm Beach. Values to $13.50 at $7.75

—LOT 2. Light weight Woolens, Silk Mohair, Palm Beach and Kool Kloth. Values to $25.00 at $13.75

—LOT 3. Gaberdines and Tropical Worsted. Values to $42.50 at $23.75

—OUR ENTIRE LOT OF SUMMER PANTS including Silk Mohair, Crashes, Palm Beach and Kool Kloth at $4.95

SUMMER Union Suits $1.00



One Lot Straw Sailors
Values to $7.50
$3.45

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One Lot of Panama Hats
Values to $9.00
$4.95