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POLICE CHIEF FIRED FOR INQUIRY FAILURE

'WAIL OF BAD LOSER,' THAT'S JIM'S PLANT

—DAN MOODY

Attorney General Takes A Crack At Ex-Governor's Latest Speech

TALKS AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The "wail of a bad loser" was the phrase used by Attorney General Dan Moody to describe Former Governor James E. Ferguson's Temple speech in replying to it before an immense audience at Hermann park here tonight.

"Jim Ferguson doesn't know how to bow to the will of the people," said Mody. 'He is a tyrant in victory and a whiner in defeat. His charge of fraud in the July primary election is noting but a wail of a bad loser.

Moody replied to what he called Ferguson's three latest "clap-trap issues," enumerating them as the charge of fraud in the election, the charge of ku klux klan control and the advocacy of a three-cent gasoline tax.

More Votes for Governor.

"Everybody knows that in every statewide primary more votes are cast for governor than for the other offices," said Moody, "that's because there is more interest in the governor's race than in the others. That has been the case in every election, and when Jim Ferguson attempts to base a charge of fraud on such a foundation as that he is simply trying to fool the people."

Moody said that the law prohibiting candidate for office contributing to the campaign funds of other candidates was not intended to apply to instances of candidates for the legislature and similar offices contributing to the fund of candidates for governor.

"The law was passed in order to prevent candidates for office putting forth stalking horses against their opponents running for the same office," he said. "It was suggested by a well-known case in which a candidate for state office brought out another candidate of the same name as his opponent and paid all expenses, in an effort to split his opponent's vote.

Moody pointed out that in the case of the two candidates who contributed to his campaign there had been no effort at concealment and that the public interest was in no way injured by the contributions.

Knew all This.

"Jim Ferguson knows all this," said Moody. "He knows there has been no fraud in the election. He is simply running true to form as a bad loser."

Moody declared that "Ferguson's three clap-trap issues" were designed to divert attention from the real issue and "to swindle the people out of their votes."

"In charging that I am in any way in sympathy with the ku klux klan he says something that no honorable man would originate, and no honest man, knowing the facts, would circulate," said Moody. "And Jim Ferguson knows the facts. In attempting to appeal to religious intolerance and racial prejudice by raising the ku klux question he is guilty of the very thing he pretends to oppose. What Ferguson is trying to do is to cloud the real issue, which is Fergusonism—the reign of irresponsible power in the governor's ofice under his proxy control and his abuse in the control of that power. He is like the doctor who only knew how to cure the fits. He did not know how to treat any other disease and when a patient with some other malady was brought to him he would try to throw him into a fit because he could cure that. Jim Ferguson is trying to throw the run-off campaign into the Ferguson fits. He wants people to forget the real disease they are suffering from—Fergusonism—and to think that their trouble is ku kluxism.

"But Ferguson will fool nobody by that issue, for the people know him too well. They know that if anybody's religious liberty was being threatened or any other constitutional rights of any group of citizens endangered, right - thinking people throughout the state would rise up in their defense. And they know that Jim Ferguson would not be among such defenders unless he found it politically expedient and to his own interest to line up in that way."

THE WEATHER

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls vicinity as reported by the weather bureau at the Wichita Falls Electric company Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock follows: Maximum temperature, 91 degrees; minimum, 70; present temperature, 87; precipitation .51 inch; north wind; cloudy; maximum wind velocity 13 miles per hour; average, seven miles per hour; Barometer, 29.20.

OKLAHOMA: Tuesday partly cloudy, showers and cooler in east portion; Wednesday partly cloudy.

EAST TEXAS: Tuesday and Wednesday showers, cooler in the interior Tuesday; moderate to fresh easterly to northerly winds on the coast probably increasing Tuesday.

WEST TEXAS: Tuesday partly cloudy, probably showers in the Rio Grande valley; Wednesday partly cloudy.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS

Meeting of the Ad Men's club at Kemp hotel for luncheon.

The Olympic, "The Wise Guy," comedy and Kinogram News.

The Strand, "Into Her Kingdom;" comedy and Pathe News.

The Mission, "More Pay Less Work;" Kynne; Chapter 5 of Play Ball.

The Palace, "Fight for Honor;" "One Year to Live," and double program.

The Gem, Helen Holmes in "Mistaken Orders," and comedy.

The Garden, Mary Pickford in "Little Annie Rooney," "Twentieth Century Love."

Oil Firms Remit for Disputed Tax

Boy's Pride In Riding Ability Cause of Death

A Cossack's pride in the mastery of his steed cost 16-year-old Lloyd Berry, Wichita Falls messenger boy, his life Monday night. Death ended at 9 o'clock a fight the youth had waged for eight days since Sunday afternoon a week ago against paralysis and coma, the result of a crushed skull, received when the motorcycle he was attempting to ride standing on the seat with one hand on the handle bars, bumped out from under and threw him head first to the pavement.

He was picked up then and taken to the general hospital. But once since did he regain consciousness, that for a few minutes on Monday morning of last week. Then it was but to tell his mother "hello." He lapsed thereafter into coma which deepened into death last night.

Berry, a student of the junior high school, had served as a messenger boy for the Haley Drug company at Tenth and Broad for the last eight months. He had his motorcycle most of this time and had become unusually proficient in its management—so much so that where his companions stopped he just began. There were other tricks to riding his "bike" than sitting in the saddle. It was one of these, riding standing upright after the manner of an Indian or a Cossack cavalryman, that he was attempting when he lost control of his machine and was thrown to the pavement.

Berry was well liked, an athlete at school, where he had pitched for the school "nine," and had served as a caddy at the Country and and Municipal Golf clubs.

"A gentleman through and through. One of the best employes that I have ever had," Frank M. Haley, his employer, stated Monday night.

He lived with his mother, Mrs. L. C. Berry, and two brothers, Louis and Wilbur, and sister, Verna Fay at 1326 McGregor street.

No funeral arrangements had been announced late Monday but it was understood that services will be held sometime today at the Burris Dalton funeral home, and the body shipped to Bellevue for burial.

Arrest Man Inside Catholic Church

A man arrested in the interior of the Catholic church at Ninth and Holliday before ten o'clock Monday night was all prepared to break out of jail if once he got in. A 14-inch hack-saw blade was found secreted between trouser leg and skin when he was searched at the city hall.

He was arrested following an alarm from people living near the church that a man had been seen to pry open a window and crawl through into the church. Police found him there when they arrived.

Officers stated Monday night that they believed that his arrest may aid in solving the burglary of the rectory of the church more than a month ago.

Storm Brewing Along Gulf Coast

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The weather bureau tonight ordered storm signals displayed along the Gulf coast from New Orleans to Matagorda, Texas, and warned that a tropical storm may strike the coast, possibly tomorrow.

The bureau estimated the disturbance of considerable intensity as central over latitude 25 1-2, longtitude 90 1-2. The warning said it was "impossible to indicate where the storm will strike the coast, but shipping interests have been advised to prepare for quick action on tomorrow morning's advices."

Eliot Funeral At Noon Today

NORTHEAST HARBOR, Maine, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Funeral services for Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard who died yesterda at his summer home here will be held at noon tomorrow in the Union church of Northeast Harbor. Dr. Francis G. Peabody of Cambridge, Mass., a brother of the first Mrs. Eliot will preach the sermon and he will be assisted by Dr. Henry Wilderfoote of Belmont, Mass a nephew of Dr. Eliot.

The body will be taken by boat to Cambridge where services will be held on Wednesday in the Appleton chapel at Harvard.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT!

Cat Loses Ship in Australia, Finds it Again in U. S. by Way of China.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 23.—(AP)—This cat came back, after considerable detouring. Third Officer Kneen of the British freighter Mahseer, had a peculiarly marked and particularly friendly cat as a pet for six months last year when he sailed on the steamship Anchoria between Calcutta and Melbourne. It took shore leave in the latter port and was missing when the Anchoria sailed. Three days ago, when the Mahseer tied up in Boston Kneen's former pet climbed off a boat just in from Singapore and raced aboard the Mahseer to Kneen. The Mahseer sailed today with Tabby confined in a cabin.

MEXICO SEES PEACE HOPES FADING AWAY

Church Officials Decline To Resume Services After Meeting

SITUATION THE SAME

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Hopes for a speedy settlement of the religious controversy were crushed today when the Roman Catholic Episcopate unanimously decided not to resume church services for the present.

The situation as regards the church and the government remain the same as before the conference held Saturday night between President Calles and the representatives of the Episcopate. The boycott will continue, and in the meantime the Catholic church leaders will discuss plans for a congregational campaign with the object of amending the constitution.

No Date Fixed

No date has been fixed for further conferences with the president and there is some uncertainty as to whether there will be any more.

Bishop Diaz secretary of the Episcopate in announcing the decision, declared that it was considerably influenced by the statement attributed to President Calles by the newspaper El Universal this morning in which the president was quoted as saying:

"If the priests return to the temples they must do so subject to the laws." In the view of the Episcopate, this does not harmonize with the attitude taken by the president Saturday night and the Episcopate at its meeting this morning decided and it leaves the situation precisely as it was before and that the church's constant and unqualified position was that it cannot accept these laws.

There are indications that the decision also was influenced by the strong belief in certain Catholic circles that the Episcopate's statement regarding Saturday's conference was issued too hastily and that the church should not commit itself to the resumption of services without more definite promises from the government.

Riff's Bonaparte Soon to Sail For His Saint Helena

FEZ, Mofroco, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Abd El Krim, the fallen chieftain of the Riff will get a short glimpse of southern France when he lands at Marseilles on September 1, on his way to exile on Reunion island, an isolated spot in the Indian ocean.

The emir is scheduled to sail from Marseilles on September 3, accompanied by only his immediate family and by French officers entrusted with the task of escorting him to his exile.

Abd El Krim has lived very simply since his arrival here early in June, but the idleness of his days has caused him to take on weight and now he is really a fat elderly gentleman instead of the lean desert hawk he was when he challenged France and Spain in the desolate wastes of his own country.

The fallen chieftain appears to have lost spirit and ambition. No doubt he is a fatalist for the sole comment he ever markes on his bad fortune, his defeat and his exile, is "maktoub," it was written.

Abd El Krim's brother, Mohammed, said by many to be much more the fighting man of the two, does not face captivity with the fatalism of his brother. Mohammed complains bitterly that he has been betrayed by the French. He said he never would have surrendered if he had known that he would be exiled to a lonely island in the Indian ocean.

Negro's Spouse At Electra Stabs Him

ELECTRA, Aug. 23.—Charlie Jenkins, colored, and Lula Henson, an ex-wife, figured in a cutting affray which took place in the quarters occupied by Lula Henson in Woodruff Heights, Sunday night. Domestic troubles were given as the cause of the cutting and, according to reports, Charlie, who was trying to escape, broke a glass door cutting Lula on the right wrist, but she did the effective work, for instead of cutting his throat, succeeded in stabbing him with a long butcher knife in the left shoulder. Charlie was given medical attention and local officers were called to the negro quarters to find his spouse lying on a "cooling board," pretending she were dead.

Jimmy and Claude Speak At Melissa

M'KINNEY, Texas, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Claude Pollard and James V. Allred, candidates for attorney general in the run-off primary on August 28, will both speak at the Melissa picnic in north Collin county, to be held Thursday and Friday, August 26 and 27. Allred will speak Thursday afternoon while Pollard will speak Friday afternoon.

A Reply to the 'Why Boys'

AND STILL THEY ARE IN DOUBT DESPITE MR. SOMERVILLE'S EXPLANATIONS.

(AN EDITORIAL)

County Attorney Wayne Somerville yesterday made answer to the "why boys"—and the "why boy" convention is still in session.

In a letter to the editor of The Record News, Mr. Somerville explained his attitude with reference to certain rumors that of late have disturbed the county's curious electorate. He frankly conceded that some of the points remarked on in an editorial in Sunday's Record News had some ground for foundation; and in so conceding, he brought to a sharp focus the light of inquiry that the "why boys" have been burning.

Readers of The Record News will recall that in Sunday's editorial it presented some of the musings of an organization it chose to call the "why boys." The "why boys," broadly speaking are those of the hoi-poloi, the office building and street corner political prognosticators, the business men and grocery clerks and truck drivers and professional experts and men of science; the interested citizenry at large—those who buy beans and bacon, baby buggies and gasoline; who pay their taxes, who vote their tickets fearlessly and wonder "WHY" when they hear a whole story or merely get a wisp of humor. In short, they are the interested voters of Wichita county, intent upon the selection of capable, efficient officials.

It is these—the "why boys"—who have heard, and, hearing, have asked to whom the following letter from Mr. Somerville is presented:

SOMERVILLE'S LETTER

Dear sir:—

In Sunday's edition of your paper under the "why boys" caption you referred to the county attorney's action relative to certain affidavits and charges that had been submitted this office and commenting upon the "change of front" which this office has taken relative to these last affidavits which are in possession of the district attorney, charging certain violations of the law on the part of county officials. You desired to know why Mr. Bralley had his matter so promptly acted upon and the others are held until after the election.

In reply to the matters above referred to I wish to call your attention to the fact that Mr. Bralley's bond was made for his appearance at the September term of court, which would have brought the matter up for airing, as you state after the last primary. He demanded a prompt trial and got it.

The state was perfectly willing to wait until after the last primary to dispose of his case, as it is in the present instance as the prosecution is for the enforcement of the criminal law and not for retarding or advancing political ambitions and a trial of a case with any possible political angle to it can never be as advantageously tried from the state's standpoint before an election as it can afterwards. As to the present matters referred to in your article, the state has all the information and is making a thorough investigation and will hand the matters for the best interests of the state and for the proper enforcement of the law—with political issues left out. Neither witnesses nor possible defendants are running away and none

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MARKET PACT WINS IN COURT

Near $50,000 Judgment Awarded Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Ass'n

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 23.—(AP)—A sweeping victory in the district court of Red River county was won Monday by the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association, when Judge R. M. Williamson rendered judgment in its favor against H. Hall and C. D. Lennox, large cotton producers, on the marketing agreement. This information was obtained in a message to the association and announced by John T. Orr, president and general manager.

Judgment was given in favor of the association for $42,219.70 damages and $5,000 attorneys fees and perpetuation of the temporary injunction, as well as entering an order for specific performance of the co-operative marketing agreement to deliver 1,700 bales of the 1925 cotton now being held by Lennox and Lennox.

U. S. SENATOR DEAD

Bert M. McFernald of Maine Expires At His Home.

WEST POLAND, Me., Aug. 23.—(AP)—United States Senator Bert M. Fernald died late today at his home here after an illnes of ten days. He was in his 69th year.

The end had been expected for several days.

After the adjournment of congress he returned home greatly wearied and recently intestinal digestion developed which later affected his heart.

ASK FOR REQUISITION

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Requisition on the governor of Oklahoma for the rendition of Lynn Beckwith, charged by indictment in Cooke county, Texas, of burglary was issued today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. Beckwith is under arrest in Grady county, Okla.

LOSE MOVE IN MURDER CASE

Alleged Hall-Mills Murderers Told to Seek Elsewhere for Bail

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Willie Stevens and Henry de La Bruyere Carpender, held in Somerset county jail at Somerville on charges that they murdered the Rev. Edward W. Hall and Mrs. Elanor Mills, today lost their first move for release on bail.

Chief Justice William S. Gummere of the supreme court before whom the appeal was made, pointed out that the motion should be made before Justice Charles W. Parker whose circuit includes Somerset county, scene of the murders and where the prisoners were held last week, committed without bail for the grand jury.

COAL BROUGHT OUT

Miners Go Back to Pits In English Strike Centers

LONDON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The suspension of coal digging in England which has lasted four months was broken today and coal was brought up from the mines in Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire. About 6,000 miners, in defiance of their official leaders, descended into the pits and resumed work on the 7 1-2 hour day basis.

In the meantime, A. J. Cook secretary of the Miners' Federation and his associates are working hard to prevent growth of this break-away, which, however, has not been on such a big scale as the owners had hoped.

DEPLORES LIGHTS

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—President Coolidge's pastor deplores that a prize fight has been thrust into the forefront of a great historic celebration. The Rev. Dr. Jason Nobel Pierce, Washington congregationalist, giving his views at the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, also said that elections were bought and sold and there were too many social climbers in political life.

3 COMPANIES SEND TOTAL OF $48,417

Electra Road District Assessments Also Are Included

Collections totalling $48,417.08 were made by Guy C. Raley, county tax collector, Monday morning from the Texas company, the Texas Pipeline company and the Humble Oil and Refining company, the amount representing the entire amount due by those companies on the 1925 Wichita county tax rolls minus an amount of $2,896.02 due in support of the county's schools and paid last May. The amount includes the tax due in support of the disputed Electra road district bonds, and was collected by the county without exaction of any penalty of any kind.

Still Undecided.

A letter from the Gulf Production company and Gulf Pipeline company received Monday morning states that those two companies have not decided as yet whether or not they will pay the Electra road district tax, but contains an offer to pay the tax due minus the amount due in support of the road bonds. Mr. Raley stated negotiations with the Gulf companies on this basis would be withheld temporarily, pending other developments. The Gulf companies have already paid $851.60 due for the county schools. They still owe $16,085.91 of which $1,833.92 represents the Electra road district tax.

Collections made by Mr. Raley Monday morning close a chapter in the county tax history begun on January 30 of this year, when, following invalidation of the Texas road district bonds in a decision by the United States supreme court, the Texas company, Texas Pipeline company, Humble Oil and Refining company, Gulf Production company and Gulf Pipeline company all tendered their 1925 tax payments minus the amount due in support of the Electra road district bonds.

Payments Refused.

The "split" payments were refused by Mr. Raley, on the ground that he

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Beaded And Laced Knee Caps Coming To Help Short Skirt

PARIS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Skirts now end above the knees, that authority of women's wear A. G. B. (or Art Gout Beaut) records and they have scalloped edges which will make them still more abbreviated.

This has brought knee caps into vogue. They are embroidered, beaded, laced and made to match the hem of the dress. They look rather like the frills of the knickers that were worn in 1830, and they help to limit the revelations of a very short skirt.

Fur is being worn more and more. The latest notion is to treat squirrel, fox and rabbit with peroxide to give them fashonable blonde tint.

Dismiss "Clubbing" Case Against Officer

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Following trial on charges of having "clubbed into submission" L. F. Scott son of Police Captain Frank Scott, on the night of August 12, Patrolman Norman D. Bailey of the Dallas police department was dismissed Monday by the city commission.

Bailey's defense was that Scott had undertaken to secure Bailey's pistol in a scuffle at the entrance of the police station. Some of the witnesses declared that the police captain's son had been drinking but this was denied by other witnesses.

"MA" HITTING ON SIX

Pardon, Furloughs and Extensions in The Day.

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—(AP)—One pardon, one furlough and an extension of furlough were announced Monday by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. The extension was to Charles A. Felker, convicted in Brazos county for misapplication of public funds.

The full pardon was granted R. V. Harper, sentenced one year ago on a liquor charge in the July term of court in Eastland.

RALLY FOR DAN

Both Klan and Anti-Klan for Attorney General.

WHARTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Klan an anti-klan adherents joined here Monday at the courthouse to attend the Moody rally at which Dan Moody was the principal speaker. The attorney general was loudly acclaimed as he launched into an attack against the Ferguson administration.

BIG ABSENTEE VOTE

M'KINNEY, Aug. 23.—(AP)—More absentee votes have been cast thus far in the run-off democratic primary to be held August 28 than were cast in the first primary in July, said Miss Bessie Keen of the county clerk's office in Collin county Monday. Forty-three absentee ballots have already been cast, she announced.

"Kissing Mayor" Greets Charleston Champions

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Dallas' "kissing mayor," Louis Blaylock, was in his element here Monday when he received and osculated the national Charleston champions that are appearing here in a show house specialty.

The mayor greeted Miss Dallas first. Then in turn the other nine dancers took their treatment while a movie man ground away on the proceedings. Newspaper men at the ringside declared Miss New York registered four smacks on the veteran official's lips.

Mayor Blaylock received the sobriquet of the "kissing mayor" through his custom of thus welcoming to Dallas feminine stage and movie celebraties.

ALLRED WOULD MEET POLLARD

Accepts Cisco Invitation for Joint Debate Thursday Night

CISCO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—James V. Allred, candidate for attorney general, late Monday wired acceptance of an invitation extended by the Cisco chamber of commerce for a joint debate here Thursday evening with his opponent, Claude Pollard of Houston.

"I accept with pleasure, and am challenging Mr. Pollard to meet me there."

No word had been received from Mr. Pollard tonight, and his friends here were trying to get in touch with him by wire and urged acceptance of the challenge.

The invitation was sent following announcement that Dan Moody would make his only west Texas address of the present campaign here Thursday afternoon, and that a crowd of around 20,000 is expected.

Pollard Claims Moody Backing

CORSICANA, Aug. 23.—(AP)—"Heads of the Dan Moody organizations all over Texas are supporting me for attorney general," declared Claude Pollard of Houston, high man in the first primary and candidate against James V. Allred of Wichita Falls in the run-off primary next Saturday.

Mr. Pollard declared that in the first primary Mr. Allred carried almost every county in which Governor Ferguson lead.

Bralley Rally to Be Held Tonight

Preparations had been completed Monday for the Bralley-for-sheriff rally to be held tonight at Bellevue park, friends of Mr. Bralley stated yesterday afternoon. Interest in the sheriff's race with the issues that the two candidates had come to represent would be the means of bringing out a large crowd, they predicted.

A definite program was not announced Monday, although it was indicated that a band concert would precede the speaking, the concert to start at 7:30 and the speaking thereafter at 8 o'clock. Mr. Bralley himself will make a short talk but the principal addresses will be made by J. T. Montgomery, Joe B. Hatchett, Shields Heyser, H. F. Weldon and others.

SUBMIT INSURANCE BUDGET

Ask $61,570 First Year, and $59,570 Second Year.

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Budget of the insurance department of the state, submitted to the board of control by R. L. Daniels, commissioner of insurance, requested $61,750 for the first year and $59,570 for the second year of the next biennium. The estimate exceeds the appropriation of the last biennium by about $38,000. The sum of $3,600 a year is asked for the salary of the deputy commissioner and the remainder of the increase is desired for additional clerks and stenographers in the department.

NEW STEAMSHIP LINE

Large Wheat Cargo Makes New Line Necessary.

HOUSTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—A shipment of 35,000 bushels of this season's wheat from the wheat belt of the southwest today inaugurated a steamship freight line between Houston and ports of Mexico. The cargo was carried aboard the steamship Lake Wimico, which, based on grain exports for the next three months, is expected to make several trips monthly to Tampico, Vera Cruz and Yucatan.

NEW ALTITUDE MARK

Frenchman Reported to Have Gone Up Eight Miles

VERSAILLES, Franch, Aug. 23.—(AP)—M. Callizo is reported to have broken the world's altitude record today, by reaching a height of 12,800 meters. The record had stood at 12,066 meters, a mark made by the same aviator.

His instruments will be officially tested by the air ministry tomorrow but experts here are confident that the record will stand. The mark he set is approximately eight miles.

LENGEL GOES AS RESULT OF MELLETT CASE

Mayor of Canton Says Investigation Has Been A Failure

SUSPENDED 30 DAYS

CANTON, O., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Lengal was dismissed tonight by Major S. M. Swartz. Lengel was to have returned to duty today after a 30-day suspension imposed July 24 when the mayor considered that the police inquiry into the murder of Don R. Mellett, Canton publisher had failed.

TACTICS OF PROSECUTOR ARE VIGOROUSLY SCORED.

CANTON, Ohio, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Tactics of Prosecutor C. B. McClintock in handling the investigation into the murder of Don R. Mellett, publisher of the Canton Daily News, were assailed today by Joseph R. Roach, Chicago "clean up" lawyer, in a formal statement.

In a long recital of McClintock's alleged acts and failures to act, Roach indicated that the prosecutor, who, under normal circumstances would carry the case to the Stark county grand jury Wednesday by his action had delayed the prosecution and has been a block to the federal inquiry into an alleged liquor conspiracy out of which the murder plot is presumed to have arisen.

Says He's Not Competent.

Roach has insisted that McClintock is not competent to present the case to the grand jury and has indicated that he will not offer his evidence to the grand jury if it is handled by the prosecutor.

One of the allegations made by Roach against McClintock is that the prosecutor's views that the apprehension of Patrick Eugene McDermott, "key man" in the murder solution is absolutely essential to the prosecution of the case" has had one tendency and that is to make possible the escape both immediately and ultimately of the criminals engaged in this transaction." Roach also censured McClintock for his alleged statements that the arrest of Louis Mazer on a murder charge was a "blunder" and he accused the prosecutor of blocking the federal inquiry by calling two intended federal witnesses before the Stark county grand jury and thus tipping them off to the fact that they had become involved.

Roach said he has evidence that McClintock declared he called the witnesses at the behest of District Attorney A. E. Bernsteen, while Bernsteen, according to a telegram in the evidence, denies telling McClintock about the two potential witnesses.

Lengel has the right to appeal to the civil service commission which was reconstructed today by the appointment by the mayor of two new members to succeed Price Jansen and John Burris, dismissed earlier in the day.

"Bungled" Investigation.

Among the charges made against Lengel is one alleging that he "bungled" the investigation into the Mellett murder by not pressing the inquiry in its early days. Mellett was shot at his garage door, supposedly by underworld gangsters, early on the morning of July 16. Lengel was suspended eight days later.

Other charges against the chief are that he tolerated vice conditions and open bootlegging and that he had too intimate a contact with the underworld.

It is understood that the chief will fight the allegation that he permitted the murder inquiry to be "bungled" by attempting to show that Mellett's family interferred with the investigation immediately following the shoot ing.

Mellett had made frequent attacks in his newspaper on the police department and editorially had backed an attempt several months ago to have Lengel removed. At that time Lengel appealed to the civil service commission and was reinstated by a two to one vote, Jansen and Burris favoring his retention. James Allerdice, the one commissioner of that date who still holds his position voted to oust him.

Jansen and Burris were removed today when the mayor found them guilty of neglect of duty.

TEXAN WINS BOUT

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Frankie Fink of Texas, outpointed Jose Lambardo, Panama, featherweight in a 10-round bout here tonight, scoring a knockdown in the fourth. Fink weighed 128 and Lombardo 130 1-2 pounds.

Don't Argue With Your Wife

When she suggests new furniture!

Go through the house with her and make a list of the articles you might sell and replace.

Then write a Classified Ad about them—call telephone 4121 and put an ad of your own on the job!

THE RECORD NEWS

THE PETTER

—By— Beatrice Burton

Author of "Love Bound" "Her Man"

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"You were only eighteen when you were married dear," Merry reminded her.

READ THIS FIRST:

MERRY LOCKE, pretty and gay as her name, has been a flirt all her life. Even during her high school days, MOMS, her mother, called her "boy crazy."

At 20, Merry pays no attention to her stenography course at business college, and fails. Then, when her father dies suddenly, she takes a job in LILLIE DALE'S beauty shop. At that time she is having the first real love affair of her life. She is deeply in love with ANTHONY GAINES, a sober-minded young lawyer who wants to marry her. During the period of their engagement Merry lets other men make love to her, and when Tony finds it out, he shuts up his law office and goes to Montana to live. Merry returns his engagement ring to his mother, and gradually succeeds in forgetting him—or almost forgetting him.

HELEN, the oldest of the four Locke sisters, marries BILL HEPWORTH. CASSIE the second oldest, marries MORLEY KAUFMAN, the rich broker for whom she worked. Through Cassie, Merry meets BILL ERSKINE, a bachelor of the catch-me-if-you-can type. He sends her presents, lends her a thousand dolars to buy a share in the beauty shop, and gives Merry her first drink of intoxicating liquor. Afterward she is filled with remorse because she had promised her mother she would never drink, and she is puzzled when she hears Bill telling MURIEL KAUFMAN, Morley's sister, not to drink at one of Cassie's parties.

Shortly afterward JINNY, the youngest of the sisters, comes home intoxicated, following a New Year's Eve celebration with DERRICK JONES, who lives next door. Moms is thankful when Derrick goes back to college. Jenny and he do not see each other again until his Easter vacation. Then they go for a drive one afternoon and are late for supper. Moms goes out on the front porch to look for them, and finds a letter from Jinny stuck in the letter box.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXXIX

Moms went back into the house and turned on the light in the hall.

"You read it," she said, handing Merry the letter. "You read what she's written. I've left my glasses upstairs."

As Merry took the sheet of paper from her the wdro "married" fairly leaped at her from the scrawled paragraph.

"Why! She's married Derrick Jones!" she gasped, and then slowly read the letter to her mother.

"Moms, dear," Jinny had written, "Derrick and I are going to be married this afternoon if we can get a license and find a justice of the peace. So don't expect me home until I ring the doorbell."

That was all. She had not even signed it.

Merry looked up at her mother blankly, as she finished it, and Moms stared back at her just as blankly, for a full minute. The house was so silent that the cuckoo clock on the dining room wall seemed to shriek out the passing seconds.

"Let me see the thing," Moms said at last, and held out her hand for the letter. She held it close to her near-sighted eyes and read it for herself.

"Well," she remarked, putting it into her apron pocket, "they must have got their license or they'd be home by now. I suppose Jinny fibbed about her age. No one would give a child of sixteen a marriage license. A baby, in her second year at high school, marrying!"

She seemed to come to life all at once.

"I'll have it annulled; I'll have the marriage annulled!" she declared, shaking her forefinger at Merry as if she were to blame for the whole affair. "If she's married that booby next door, she shan't live with him! Sixteen years old! I never heard of such a thing! She ran out of words to express her fury and disgust.

"But, Moms, dear, you were only eighteen when you were married," Merry reminded her. "And you and Dad were always pretty happy."

Moms stalked into the kitchen.

"How do you know whether we were or not?" she snapped. "And if we were, it was more by good luck than good management, let me tell you! What does a girl of eighteen know about picking out a husband? What does she know about men? Nothing! Nothing at all!"

She set the water pitcher and the bread plate down on the kitchen table with a bang.

"You're the one that ought to be thinking about getting married," she said suddenly to Merry, with a piercing look from her steel-blue eyes, "That is, if you really do intend to marry Bill Erskine! You've been engaged to him for nearly a year, it seems to me—and I don't believe in these long-drawn-out engagements. They usually end nothing."

Merry couldn't help laughing. It was just like her mother to begin to scold her, because she was angry with Jinny.

"I've known Bill only eight months, Moms," she said soothingly. "And I'm not at all sure that I want to marry him. I've told you that before. Sometimes I think I care a lot for him and sometimes I can't stand the sight of him." Which was the bald truth.

They sat down to supper.

But neither of them could eat.

"I'll make some coffee," Moms decided. "It always keeps me awake when I drink it at night, but I guess I'll want to stay awake tonight. I certainly am not going to go to bed until I get some news from Jinny."

At that instant the front doorbell rang loudly and she hurried into the hall. Merry heard her open the door and give a little gasp.

Then she reappeared in the doorway, followed by—Jinny! Jinny, all alone, and looking like anything but a blushing bride.

An Eddie Cantor cap was pulled down over her eyes and her yellow slicker was covered with mud. So were her shoes, and so was one side of her little face.

"Hail to the bride of Lammermoor!" Merry greeted her with a giggle, and she scowled darkly in return.

"Bride of Lammermoor, yourself!" she snapped, angrily. "I'm no bride. Where do you get that stuff?"

"Jinny, I've told you not to say, 'Where do you get that stuff'," her mother reprimanded her. "Go out into the kitchen and take off those shoes and that coat. You're getting the carpet all covered with mud."

Jinny kicked the kitchen door open and slammed it behind her.

"Don't say a word to her," Moms whispered to Merry. "Let her do the talking—"

She leaned closer and added: "She came home in a taxicab."

Jinny was in a much more cheerful and talkative mood by the time she had eaten a mountain of baked hash and mashed potato, not to mention a roll and a piece of devil's food cake.

Jinny's appetite was a source of constant wonder to Merry. She ate like a farm hand, and the more she ate, the thinner she seemed to become.

"If I put away the food that she does, I'd look like the fat woman in a circus," Merry thought, as she watched her polish off her devil's food cake and her second cup of coffee.

"Well! I feel like myself again," she said to her mother, as she set down the cup. "That's the first food I've had since twelve o'clock today."

Suddenly her smile flashed out. "Did you get that wild note I left in the mail box?" she asked, with a laugh. "I noticed it was gone."

Moms took it out of her apron pocket and laid it on the table.

"We were going to get married, right enough," Jinny said, "but the fool marriage license clerk wouldn't believe that I was twenty-one—"

"I shouldn't say he was a fool. I should say he was pretty clever," Moms interrupted her dryly. "Too clever for you, at any rate, wasn't he?"

Jinny shrugged her little shoulders. "Well, clever or not, he wouldn't give us a license," she went on with her story. "So we thought we'd go for a drive, anyway, before we came home. And while we were in the country it began to rain, and we blew a tire, and got covered with mud."

She leaned over to look at her shoes and stockings.

"Where's Derrick?" Moms asked quietly.

"He's in jail out in Brockton," Jinny answered calmly, her eyes still on her muddy stockings. "We skidded on the way in and hit another car. It was a police car—and the bird in it arrested Derrick and made him go back to Brockton with him. Derrick tried to bribe him, and that made matters worse, you see."

"I don't see how you could be arrested for skidding," Merry remarked amiably. She could tell that Jinny was keeping part of the story to herself.

"We were speeding a little," Jinny confessed. "We didn't know that this other car was a police car, and we were racing with it. I guess we were going fifty miles an hour part of the time. It was lots of fun while it lasted."

She got up and shook her red hair out of her eyes. "Well, I s'pose I'd better go over to the Janses and break the bad news to Papa and Mamma, don't you?"

Moms did not answer. She became frozen with dignity, all at once. She and Derrick Jones' mother had not spoken to each other since last New Year's Day. And whenever Mrs. Jones was mentioned in her hearing she tried to act as if she had never heard of her before.

The first week in May, Lillie Dale came to live in the Lockes' shabby, comfortable, old house.

She took the sunny front bedroom that had belonged to Cassie. She paid Moms eight dollars a week for it, and that included her breakfast and suppers, too.

"I hate the thought of having her in my house," Moms told Merry frankly, when she moved in. "For one thing, I hate having a woman fussing around, washing out a pair of stockings in the bathroom, or coming down into my kitchen to press a dress. And for another thing, I don't like her. She may be as nice as you say she is. But she doesn't look respectable."

It was true that Lillie did not look respectable.

What she did look like was a broken-down burlesque queen, with her dyed hair, her loud clothes and her string of imitation pearls that were as big as white cherries.

But she was cheerful and kind-hearted. And after she had been in the house a week, even Moms had to admit that she was a nice woman.

"You look tired. Let me get supper," she would say at the end of Moms' ironing day, perhaps. She would tie one of her crackling white aprons around her splendid hips, and go to work like an expert cook.

She was one, too. She could beat up an omelette that was a work of art, and a panful of biscuits that were as light as a feather, in the twinkling of an eye.

"Lillie, you ought to be married and have a husband to cook for," Merry said to her one night as she sat watching her "throw a salad together," as she called it.

"How do you know I haven't a husband?" Lillie asked quietly, and the wink she gave Merry had no humor in it.

"Are you?" Merry asked curiously. But she wouldn't answer her.

It was about a week later that she came into Merry's room one night at bedtime.

"I'm going to lock the door and sit here by your open window, so Sadie won't smell my smoke," she said, as she turned the key. She and Moms called each other by their first names now.

Merry was standing beside the dresser, looking at some snapshots of himself that Bill Erskine had sent her in a letter that had come in the afternoon mail.

"Want to see my sweetie?" she asked, and tossed them down into Lillie's lap. "He's not so terribly good looking, but he's just as nice as he can be."

Lillie looked at them. Then she laid her burning cigaret down on the window sill and looked at them a second time.

"Well, of all things!" she exclaimed, in a breathless voice. "Well, of all things! Tubby Erskine! How do you happen to know him?"

(Continued in Wednesday's Issue.)

On the morning of Merry's twenty-first birthday a little thing happened that restored her faith in love and marriage and human happiness. Read Chapter 30 of "The Petter."

GODS OF RAIN HEED PRAYER

Washes Swamp Tourists In Arizona After Indians Dance

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Washes that seemed but harmless sand depressions in the desert as throngs of visitors hastened the weird ceremonies of the Hopi Indian snake dance Saturday became raging torrents of muddy water within two hours after the final ceremonies of this year's prayers to the gods for rain were concluded. As darkness descended over the landscape Saturday bringing to a conclusion the weird rites and as the priests of the antelope clan disappeared from the kivs, or prayer chamber, the clouds loosed a deluge, making the roads from the foot of the mesa near Grabi, the oldest of three Hopi villages, almost impassable.

With the coming of the deluge the snake and antelope priests of the Hopis were rejoicing while thousands of frantic tourists from all sections of the country, here for the dance, were fighting to cross the washouts which had been turned into raging torrents.

The dance is a prayer for rain and comes annually after eight days of preparation for the final ceremonies.

Last year several motor cars were wrecked on the road leading from Walpi village where the dance was held and one car sank from sight in a deep wash as the rain brought the ceremonial dance to a conclusion.

Plane Succeeds In Initial Test

ROOSEVELT FIELD, N. Y., Aug. 23.—(AP)—A successful 32-minute test was made today by Captain Rene Fonck, French war ace, and Ignor Sikorsky in the S-35 giant biplane which will be used in Fonck's proposed New York to Paris flight next month.

The S-35 carried 12,000 pounds, about half the weight it will carry on the ttrans-atlantic flight, as it circled about the country, Captain Fonck and Lieut. A. P. Snody, U. S. N., handled the controls while it was in the air, with Sikorsky making the ascent and descent. Three flight mechanicians were aboard. With the engines throttled, the plane made a speed of 90 miles an hour and rose to a height of 5,500 feet.

TROPICAL DISTURBANCE

Small But Severe Storm Is Encountered

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—T tropical disturbance of considerable intensity but of small diameter was reported today by the weather bureau in approximately latitude 23, longitude 88, in the Gulf stream. The steamer Saramacca at midnight reported a pressure reading of 29.34 inches.

The disturbance that was off Hatteras Sunday morning was reported as practically stationary, attended by strong east winds and gales near and northeast and north of the center.

Death Puts End To Family Meal

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—A strange tableau of death, such as a fiction writer may work up from his imagination, was witnessed by police today in a West Side tenement apartment.

An aged man and his wife, found dead from gas, were seated at a dining table, the woman with a partly filled bowl of soup before her and a spoon in her hand and the man, opposite her, with a piece of bread in his hand. Police found seven open gas jets in the apartment. They suspect foul play.

The couple were Tony Matthews, 60 years old, and his wife, Agnes, 65. They apparently had been dead a long time.

DYNAMITERS CHARGED

Two Held In Alleged Plot to Kill Enemy

CLEVELAND, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Joseph Marielli, business agent of laborers union No. 130, and Tony Salviggo, a member of the same union, were arrested here today charged with unlawful possession of dynamite.

The men, police charge, placed dynamite in the automobile of Edward Spencer, business agent of the bricklayers' union, in an alleged plot to kill Spencer.

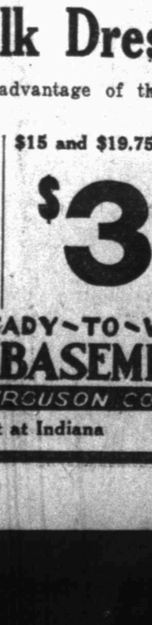
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WOMAN CONQUERS FEARS

Husband Delighted and Home Happier

St. Paul, Minn.—"Here is a little advice I would like to have you put in the papers," Mrs. Jack Lorberter of 704 Dellwood Place wrote to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company. "If young women want to keep their health and strength for the next thirty years of their lives, it is best to start in right now and take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have tried the Compound myself and received fine results." In describing her condition before taking the Compound, she writes, "I was afraid in my own house in broad daylight, I used to lock the doors and pull down the shades so that nobody could see me." One day a booklet advertising the Vegetable Compound was left on her porch and she read it through. In so doing, she found a letter from a woman whose condition was similar to her own. "I bought the Vegetable Compound," Mrs. Lorberter continued, "and have had fine results. The condition I was in made me a burden to my husband. Now I ask "How is housekeeping?" and he says, "It is just like being in Heaven!"



Young Authoress Weds Schoolmate



Sylvia Thompson, above, author of "Hounds of Spring," a best seller in London and America, has become the bride of Peter Luling. She and her husband are students at Oxford. She is 22 and wrote her first novel when she was 16.

HAIL DESTROYS HOMES

Severe Storms Sweep Hills In Portugal

LISBON, Portugal, Aug. 23.—Hundreds of persons have been made homeless by an unusually severe hail storm which razed the village of Arganil and the district near Coimbra. Bridges, wind mills and many houses were destroyed and floods swept over a large section, damaging crops. Many persons were rescued with difficulty.

Druggists's Daughter Gained 6 lbs. in 30 Days

Only 7 Years Old He Writes.

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Sixty sugar coated tablets for sixty cents at Smith and Renfro's Drug Store and druggists everywhere. Try them for 30 days and if they do not help your ailing child, money back. Ask for McCoy's.—Adv.

Cisco Planning For Moody Rally

CISCO, Texas, Aug. 23.—Cisco today was preparing for what is expected to be the greatest democratic rally in the history of west Texas to be held here next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock when Dan Moody, candidate for governor, will deliver his only speech west of Fort Worth during the present second primary campaign.

In anticipation of entertaining a crowd much too large to be accommodated in any building in west Texas, arrangements have been made to use Lobo field, home of the champion Cisco high school football team, where it is estimated 25,000 or more persons can be accommodated. Seats are permanently provided for 6,000 persons at the field, while thousands of others can be cared for. Loud speakers will be used to carry the speaker's voice to all parts of the huge crowd.

TWO KILLED

LAWRENCE, Kan., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Mrs. Nellie H. Beard, 44, and her son, Kendall J., 10, of Topeka were instantly kille when the car in which thdey were returning from a vacation trip was overturned a mile and a half east of Lawrence early today. Ira J. Beard, husband and father of the victims, escaped with a wrenched back.

HEAT WAVE BROKEN

Impending Showers to Put Stock to Suffering

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The middle west heat wave has been broken by general showers and several days of pleasant weather are in sight, it was announced at the weather bureau here today.

A fourth of an inch of rain had fallen here before noon today and cloudy skies gave promise of more moisture.

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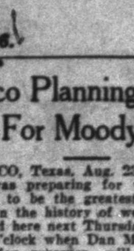
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News of Interest From Northwest Texas Towns

ELECTRA MAN KILLED BY CAR

W. T. Smith Is Victim Of Highway Accident Early Monday

ELECTRA, Aug. 23.—W. T. Smith, aged 55, formerly of Gainsville, was killed at 9:45 Monday morning, when run over by a truck driven by Frank Ragland of Wichita Falls.

Mr. Smith, who is engineer for the main line pump station of the Sinclair Oil Company, six miles southeast of Electra, was walking towards Electra on the Wichita-Electra highway, when he waved down a truck driven by Mr. Ragland, which was bringing a daily supply of ice from the Marcus Brothers Ice Company of Wichita Falls to Electra, according to the statement made by Mr. Ragland to Justice of Peace Sid W. Smith.

"Smith tried to board the truck before it came to a complete stop, but missed the running board, and the back wheels of the truck ran over his body, crushing his right leg and hip beneath the wheel, Mr. Ragland said. He declared he stopped the truck as soon as possible and summoned an ambulance from Electra and rendered assistance in every way possible.

Mr. Smith was rushed to the offices of Dr. W. H. Odgen and J. F. Burton, and died a short time afterwards from shock. He was apparently conscious until the moment of his death, and told where his family could be located.

Word was received in Electra Monday afternoon that his wife, who is in Gainsville, could not come, due to the fact that she was just recovering from an operation, but that a son, Howard Smith of Wilson, Okla. would arrive in Electra Monday night and make arrangements for burial which will in all probability include shipping the body to Gainsville for burial.

The deceased had been working for the Sinclair Oil Company for sometime and was said by oil men to hold a very responsible position.

IOWA PARK

LITCHFIELD NEW AGENT

L. C. Whitaker who has been here in charge as relief man since the resignation of G. Webb the 1st of July is going to Harrold and W. A. Litchfield comes from Harrold to take the position here as regular agent. He has been stationed at Harrold for a number of years.

SCHOOL OPENS SEPT. 6

All school preparations are about completed for the new school year which begins September 6. Several hundred dollars worth of repair work has been done on the ward school building. Three new teachers have been employed which complete the faculty for a new year. They are Mr. Milliard, seventh grade, and Miss Maybelle Hill of McKinney home economics and Stella Bell McKelvey, secretary and librarian; and Mrs. H. L. Bradford, second grade teacher. This completes the faculty of 25 for next year.

R. E. Brewster, principal of the high school took his A. B. degree from the state teachers college at Denton Friday, Aug. 20. Mr. and Mrs. Brewster are expected home the first of next week.

Mrs. Earl Apple and daughter, Miss Maurine have returned from their two weeks' vacation spent in East Texas.

Dr. J. W. McConnell and wife of Denton visited the latter's brothers, B. L. and W. R. Bradford Friday and Saturday.

J. E. Balch and family of Petrolia visited in the homes of J. F. Galey and W. R. Bradford last Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Thurber and children returned Monday from Philadelphia where they have been visiting relatives for the past several weeks and attending the sesqui-centennial.

W. H. Clark and Bert Smith left Monday for Pampa to be gone a few days on business.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bradford have returned home after visiting Mr. Bradford's claim out in New Mexico and Colorado Springs for two weeks.

Mrs. J. E. Keller and daughter, Roslie, are visiting relatives in Independence, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Greer left Monday for Nacogdoches for an extended visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark are expecting as their guest Mr. Clark's daughter, Hiss Olive Clark of Detroit, Mich.

Rawlins of the Rexall Drug tsore was in Wichita Falls Monday transacting business.

Miss Ruth Galey has returned home after spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Balch at Petrolia.

W. R. Bradford and wife, and little daughter, Bobline Jo, have just returned from Boyd in Wise county where Mr. Bradford visited three brothers.

Miss Ina Mae Bullock returned to her home in Graham Tuesday after a week's visit here with Miss Vivian Smith.

W. G. West of Phoenix, Ariz., came in Wednesday for a few days visit with C. F. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. George and family left Wednesday for Panhandle where they will spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. J. M. Smythe who has been on the sick list with the flu, is able to be up again.

Mrs. Bill Farmer and brother, Olan, Rose, of Elk City, Okla., were here Monday night visiting R. E. Gooden and family.

Mr. J. D. Overby left Wednesday for Tennessee where she will visit relatives. Mr. Overby will join her later.

Mrs. G. C. Richards has as her guest Miss Lorene Graham of Jackson, Miss.

Miss Oneta Cherry returned home Friday night from Denton where she had been attending the teachers college.

GIRL KILLED IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—A child was killed and six persons injured in traffic accidents here Sunday. Helen Chatham, 6-year-old Negress, died as a result of injuries, and J. O. Farmer, driver of the automobile which struck her, was charged with negligent collision. He said he did not see the child in the street.

Others injured in various accidents were: Herman Sample, 12, arm broken; R. E. Martin, 49, Lancaster, broken collar bone; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams of Cement City, cut and bruised; Clema Lowrey, 14, Lisbon, back sprained; and J. F. Tiller, Fort Worth, cuts on head.

Bavarians Prefer Dark Beauties



Bavarians prefer brunettes, despite the fact that most "Gretchens" are pronounced blondes. However, Fraulein Gretchen Hoffman, of Munich, has been selected as the favorite of all south Germany artists. Note her un-shingled locks.

ELECTRA

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. W. E Vaught entertained with a birthday party honoring her small daughter, Laverne's fifth birthday at her home Saturday afternoon between the hours of three and five o'clock. The residence was decorated with potted plants, with a color scheme of pink and white being carried out. The children played games and an especially interesting feature was a Charleston contest in which little Miss Betty Black and Junior Vaught won prizes.

Favors of balls were given the children and late in the evening refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Dixie and Betty Black, Marguerite Phillips, Dardanella Carnohan, Junior and Katherine Vaught, Lenda Marie Alexander, Ellen June Warden Juanita and Byron McNew, Mary Jane Burns, Junior Jenkins, Dorothy Helen Dickey, and Sally Lee Dickey of Wichita Falls. Mildred and Milton Hamer, Mrs. S. E. Terrill of Wichita Falls, W. E. Vaught, Miss Georgia Phillips and Mrs. Bob Burns, with Willie Shepherd of Wichita Falls.

MISS COOPER HOSTESS

Miss Cleo Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cooper, 403 East Cleveland avenue, was hostess to a group of young friends Friday evening honoring her sister, Mrs. Gladys McNally of Bakersville, Cal., who is making an extended visit in Texas and Oklahoma.

The guests arrived at 8 o'clock and spent the evening in playing games, with several of the young ladies rendering music on the piano. Late in the evening refreshments were served to Misses Marie Steen, Lois Kanatzer, Lois Akin, Irene Cooper, Mrs. Gladys McNally and the hostess. Messrs. L. C. Miller, Herbert Wright, Lloyd Akin, Pete Northcutt, Roy Hillard, Harold Trusdale and Leslie Ford.

ELECTRA PERSONALS

Miss Elizabeth Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Cooper will be returned to the Clinic-Hospital in Wichita Falls, soon to take additional treatments.

Dr. Frank D. Shepherd and Miss Eunice Clark motored to Wichita Falls Monday morning to the Clinic hospital.

Mrs. R. L. Lester and infant son R. L. Jr., went to their home at the Electra hotel after a few weeks in the Electra hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Newburn are in the city for a few days on business but will leave soon for Panhandle, where they will remain until school starts, when Miss Thais will again attend the Electra high school.

Little Misses Dorothy Helen Dickey and Sally Lee Dickey of Wichita Falls were visitors in Electra Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Gordon Gilbart of Breckenridge is a guest of her mother, Mrs. J. T. Ligon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parks left Friday for San Antonio, Waco and other Texas cities for a ten-day vacation.

Mrs. T. W. Owen of Mineral Wells is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gonce at the home, 101 North Main street.

Miss Evelyn McGuigan of Wichita Falls and Miss Florence Robinson and Frank Henry Young of Iowa Park were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gonce.

Miss Elizabeth Floyd has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Marion Gibbons of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McKelvey and family with Miss Evelyn Smith are home after spending a vacation with relatives in Rogers, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lindley and son, T. C., Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moreland are home after spending three weeks in the state of New Mexico, where they visited the state capital at Santa Fe, Albequerque, and other points of interest, coming back by the way of El Paso.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Virginia Bushman, 20, daughter of Francis X. Bushman, screen actor, last night announced her engagement to Jack Conway, director. The marriage, Miss Bushman said, will take place some time before the middle of October.

WEAKER SEX LOSE

PORT WASHINGTON, N. Y., Aug. 23.—(AP)—None of the three women drivers won a race in the gold cup regatta, but the "weaker sex" has not been able at this sport so very long. A fourth woman participant acted as mechanic in one race, even to wearing overalls.

JOLLY RIGHT

ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Lady Astor will never forget her visit to Maine. "Jolly right!" chimed in Lord Astor as they left Penobscot Bay for Virginia. Both referred of course to the warmth of their reception and not the cold weather.

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A Reply to the 'Why Boys'

(Continued from page one.)

of the state rights are being injured or hindered in any way by waiting until next month for a grand jury and so long as the state is the aggressor, the matters will be handled for the best interests of the state. From the above I trust that you can see there has been no "change of front" on the part of anybody.

Yours truly
(Signed) WAYNE SOMERVILLE
County Attorney.

AND STILL THEY QUERY

Mr. Somerville very plainly states in the above that political angles have been injected into the present matter of dispute, whatever it may be. He intimates that "evidence is in hand;" that "investigations are being made;" that eventually the question will be handled for "the best interests of the state."

And the "why boys" query comes again—"why do politics enter at all into the minds of those whose duty is to prosecute violations of the law. Assuming that some such violation has been made, why, the convention wonders, is it not openly and vigorously pursued regardless of an impending election.

Mr. Somerville proposes to act when there is no possibility of politics or the political fortunes of any individual being concerned. In short, he does not want the results of his promised action after the election to have influence of any nature on the ballots the "why boys" will cast next Saturday. The "why boys," they understand, are to be kept in darkness concerning the conduct of some one UNTIL AFTER THE ELECTION. The county attorney concedes there is something in the air; he admits some facts are at hand; yet these facts, which he also admits have a political importance, are to be concealed from the "why boy" voters until too late to assist them in weighing judgment and passing on an important political question.

Because they are cosmopolitan and thoroughly American in character, the "why boys" want fair play. They want to know all the facts and they dislike to see any man under a cloud of suspicion. They have heard, and Mr. Somerville has now told them that something meriting investigation has been uncovered at the court house. Whether the investigation, when finally sifted, will substantiate or disprove charges that are now made is not as important as the fact that the political future of some one may be endangered if all the evidence the officials now have is kept under cover until election day is past. The "why boys" have heard sufficient to convince them they ought to hear more. And Mr. Somerville as well as the other county officials seem inclined to the conviction that they will overstep their official bounds if they do anything now that offers the possibility of injecting political angles.

As stated before ,the "why boys" are broad minded and want justice done. They would rather see some one cleared than convicted; but they thoroughly dislike a hang-fire policy that, in principle, amounts to closing the door of the barn when the horse has escaped.

The "why boys" are still in session.

3 COMPANIES

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was not authorized to accept any payment except the whole amount due. He was upheld in this position by the attorney general, Dan Moody, who, in a telegram, instructed him not to accept "split" or partial payments. At that time the companies were given notice that the amounts due would in the proper course of time be adjudged delinquent, and that collection would be sought on the basis of principal, interest and penalty.

In May the county's rural schools in some districts were threatened with a shut-down unless some of the money due them by the companies whose split payments had been refused was received. Acting upon the request of the county school superintendent, Burl Bryant, Mr. Raley accepted money aggregating $3,754.62 from the five companies, the companies offering the payments in answer to letters from county school authorities representing the urgency of occasion.

In June the attorney general's department practically reversed itself in regard to the split payments from a central Texas county tax collector was told that the split payments were acceptable and might be made by the company owing the tax, the case of Ritchie versus Moore being quoted, wherein a supreme court decision ruled in 1923 that any property owner might discharge any tax lien upon property without regard to other liens.

Letters Sent Out.

With this recent decision in the back-ground the state's tax collectors that had refused the "split" payments had to reconsider their stand, it is stated, and in the case of Wichita county letters were forwarded a few weeks ago to the companies offering to accept payment of the entire amount due without payment of penalty of any sort. It was in answer to this offer that Monday's collections were made.

The amounts received were: Texas company, $33,898.40, of which $5,803.44 represented road tax. From the Texas Pipeline company, $8,072.78 of which $548.84 represented road tax; Humble Oil and Refining company, $6,445.85 of which $326.68 represented Electra road district tax.

"Inasmuch as a tender of the money had been made, at the proper time," Roy A. Jones, chief deputy to Mr. Raley stated Monday, "we waived our right to collect that additional amount in return for clearing the books of the Electra road tax items."

He did not state what disposition would be made of the Gulf companies' taxes, indicating, however, that their refusal to make payment minus penalty complicated matters somewhat.

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David Sarnoff, vice president and general manager of the Radio Corporation of America, looms as the czar of radio. He heads the two largest radio broadcasting stations in the country, WEAF and WJZ, which have just been combined by the sale of WEAF to the Radio Corporation, which controls WJZ

TO CALL PRIMARY

AUGUSTA, Maine, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Although Governor Brewster will issue no official word until after the funeral of United States Senator Bert M. Fernald who died this afternoon at West Poland, a special primary election will be called to select a successor. The date of the primary will probably be sometime in October with the election in November.

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Panhandle Opens New Territory In South Wichita Co.

Opening up a new pool in strictly wildcat territory the No. 1 test of the Panhandle Refining company on the H. S. Griffin fee, approximately seven miles north of Dundee in south Wichita county was drilled in Sunday and is swabbing 150 barrels high gravity oil from four feet of rich sand at 1,830 to 1,834 feet. A sandy lime was first encountered on the test at 1,820 feet which was penetrated to 1,830 feet when the real pay was found.

The new well just south of the Big Wichita river and in a bend made by that stream is located 380 feet west and 1 110 feet north of the southeast corner of section 6, W. H. Spiller survey, abstract 157 and is near the old Dundee Oil company tests which produced some oil from sand around this depth but later was abandoned. The Gulf company also drilled a test about one-half a mile north of this well and carried it to a depth of 2,067 feet but the status of that hole could not be learned at a late hour Monday night. In this same general area and in the same survey the Humble company and Cap McDonald of Electra recently completed two dry holes, the second of which had a good showing in a sand at about the same depth as the Panhandle well.

The new producer will probably start quite a bit of prospecting in that part of the district which has been comparatively quiet for some time.

Builds Fireproof Tank For Storage

J. R. Hill, a tin and cornice man of Tulsa, has patented a new tank cover for a tank that apparently renders a tank immune from fire, especially from lightning. It is on the principle that a sufrace of water above that of oil will cause the electrical bolt to spend itself, and extinguish the flame that may have developed from escaping vapors. The same water also has a tendency to cause the vapors that are being developed to recondense and return to the tank and its contents by hitting the water.

The water is carried in a sort of compartment above the oil and Hill says that his device can be attached to an old tank, but is especially intended for new tanks. He has asked the U. S. Bureau of Mines to experts to allow him to demonstrate his tank device there.

TWO MEN KILLED

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Two aged men, neighbors for 25 years in the same community near Rio Hondo are dead as the result of a long standing feud which reached a climax Sunday night at a dance when both were killed in a gun fight.

Alfred Garza, 70 years old shot and killed Fernandez de Leon, nearly 70, with a pistol at the dance not a word being said before the shooting began.

Garza was then shot to death by an officer while resisting arrest. Garza ran down the road and when pursued by Constable Burleson turned and fired at the officer. The constable returned the fire, killing Garza.

Magnolia Buys 60-Acre Tract

The Magnolia Petroleum company Saturday purchased the lease on a 60-acre tract offsetting the new Kimmel and Dillard producer in Wichita county from C. E. McCutcheon, J. C. Clayton and Carlyle Norwood of Wichita Falls for a cash consideration of $30,000, it was learned Monday.

The property involved is owned in fee by Fasset and Tuttle and is in the southwest 60 acres of the Day Land and Cattle company survey, abstract 596, approximately five miles south and west of Iowa Park and offsets the new wildcat well to the south.

This buy gives the Magnolia company 120 acres close up to the well, they having already owned a 60-acre offset to the east on which location has been made for a test.

CALIFORNIA DROPS

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 23.—California crude production in July, averaged 604,619 barrels a day, a loss of 4,361 barrels from June.

Stocks of crude oil held by principal marketing companies at all points on the Pacific coast on Aug. 1 were 149,011,772 barrels, a decrease of 27,582 barrels from 68 wells. Compared with 30,346 from 67 wells in June.

Aiblene Alumni Hold Celebration

FORT WORTH, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Development of Abilene Christian college from an institution of 35 students and $12,000 worth o fequipment to one with 1,300 members of the student body and an investment of $500,000 was reviewed Sunday when 500 alumini gathered in Forest park here for the fifth annual reunion of north and central Texas ex-students.

President Emeritus Jess P. Sewell, Corsicana, delivered the principal address after the opening of the reunion with a picnic luncheon at 1 p. m. After 12 years of service with the college, Sewell retired, being succeeded by Batsell Baxter. The latter was unable to attend because of a similar meeting held at Lubbock.

ANOTHER SHOOTING AFFRAY

TEMPLE, Aug. 23.—(AP)—This city, shocked by the fatal shooting of Police Chief Wiley Fisher in Belton last week, was stirred again this morning by a shooting affray on Main street, but in which no one was wounded. J. A. Lugo was charged with assault to murder in a difficulty with his son-in-law, Edward E. Oedeing and was released on $500 bond. Oedeing was released on $300 bond on a charge of aggrivated assault. Only one shot was fired.

TOO MANY MALES.

DUBLIN, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Males outnumber females in the Irish Free State. Reversing the relative positions of the census of 1911, the latest census shows there are now 978 women in the Free State for every 1,000 men. In northern Ireland there are 1,066 women for every 1,000 men. The population of all Ireland has decreased 161,000 in 15 years.

Spot Gasoline Price Softening

Midcontinent refiners report that all products except motor fuel are strong. Gasolines are softening, that a straight runs, while natural gasolines are steady and due for new advances.

Refiners willing to sell their U. S. Motor gasoline for immediate shipment was offered 10 3-4 to 11 cents Saturday. Some refiners are still holding for 11 to 11 1-4 cents. They expects prices to stiffen in September

Kerosene is steady, with a feeling that present prices may be near the 1926 peak. Distillates are in good demand and advancing. Fuel oil prices are tight, due to most refiners storing and waiting for higher quotations.

Chicago gasoline prices found U. S. motor from 10 7-8 to 11 1-4 cents.

NIGGER CREEK OUTPUT IS UP

Total Production Of New Field Near Mexia Shows Advance

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 23.—Total production of the Nigger Creek field west of Mexia on Nigger Creek structure, Limestone county, east Central Texas, is starting to advance.

At the end of the past week it was making close to 15,000 barrels a day with a flock of wells due to be completed into the Woodbine sand there. The 12 producing wells made 14,726 barrels, as follows.

No. 1 Rosson	295
No. 2 Rosson	1,459
No. 3 Rosson	2,790
No. 2-A Rosson	1,798
No. 1 Cogdell	1,037
No. 3 Cogdell	150
No. 1 Atkins	710
No. 1 Cockrum	273
Murchinson & Fain	
No. 1 Rosson	600
Godley Oil company	
No. 1 Rosson	1,602
Moss and Kelling	
No. 1 Rosson	3,245
Atlantic Oil Producing Co.	
No. 1 Rosson	674

Transcontinental's No3 Cogsdell, had pay from 2,837 to 2,847 feet, and it made 150 barrels the first three hours and then apparently sanded up. Its No. 1 Atkins did 600 barrels the first 16 hours and then quit flowing. It is now being swabbed. Its No. 1 Erskine had salt water sand at 2,827 feet, and is now plugging back three feet to test.

Murchison & Fain No. 1 Rosson had sand from 2,832 feet to 2,848 feet.

Wild Man Back At Kelly Field to Prove His Point

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Kelly Field's "wild man" has returned from the sticks, from proving to his "buddies" that man is still a self reliant animal, and that a reincarnated "cave man" would not starve to death in the open country around San Antonio.

The "wild man" is Corporal Henry P. Veder of the Tenth School group headquarters, who three months ago, at the beginning of a furlough, went into the woods near Von Ormy with the expressed determination of "living off of nature."

Though he took with him only a dog and a pipe for companionship and aid, those who watched him depart predicted his return within a week.

But the week stretched into months and now he has returned looking nothing at all like the spick and span soldier who departed, but none the worse for his successful experiment.

Visited often by "buddies" who made sure he did not call on farm houses of vicinity for aid, Corporal Veder asked only for tobacco for his pipe.

He lived entirely off nature, sleeping in an improvised shelter and eating herbs, fruits and berries, that he gathered and game and fish he trapped.

Upon his return to the round of duty, Corporal Veder said the primitive life is "great stuff" and very apt to make one entirely satisfied with conditions as they are today.

SMUGGLERS ESCAPE

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Four horses and 548 bottles to tequila were captured by customs officers in Duval county, according to word received in San Antonio Monday. The smugglers spied the officers and escaped in the brush.

FUR COAT TIME

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Fur coats on Fifth avenue in August. The reason was a Sunday temperature of 58 degrees.

News of The Fields

PAN'-EASTLAND CO.

The Panhandle Refining company is drilling at 500 feet on its test on the R. O. Prideaux land, 150 feet each way from the southwest corner of the McMullen survey, abstract 198, approximately half way between the Prideaux Pool and the new producers in the Dawson survey and in southwest Archer county.

MAGNOLIA RICH'

The Magnolia Petroleum company has moved off and abandoned as a dry hole at a depth of 2220 feet its test on the Richardson land located in the northeast corner of the south half of the west 160 acres of the east 320 acres of block 122, M. E. P. R. R. survey, abstract 745, north of Olney in Archer county.

HUMBLE, CHAUNCEY

The Humble Oil and Refining company is drilling at a depth of 2975 feet on its wildcat test on the Chauncey and Gambill fee in section 21, block 11, extreme northern Wilbarger county.

GULF SPINDLETOP

The Gulf Production company in No. 1 Jacks, at Spindletop, on the Gulf Coast of Texas, has 4500 barrels a day of pipe line oil through a one-inch choke. It extends the proven area 800 feet to the south. By the last of the week the Gulf expects its production there to be more than 30,000 barrels a day.

AMERICAN ET AL 'TURB

The No. 2 well of the American Refining company et al, 437 feet south of their discovery well in block 150 of the Carson survey and on the Turbeville land in Archer county, has been placed on the pump and in the first 24 hours made 250 barrels of oil.

ATLANTIC ET AL LOG'N

The Atlantic Oil Production company and D. M. Whittiken have derrick up and will put down a test 150 feet each way from the northwest corner of their 60 acre lease in the J. Taylor survey, abstract 648, block 25, southeast of the Oldham pool and northwest of the Murchison and Fain new producers on the same fee in southwest Archer county.

WANDERER, SMITH

The Wandered Oil company and the Winnipeg Oil company are drilling at 1100 feet on their wildcat test on the Smith land, in the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 31, block 15, H. & T. C. R. R. survey, 12 miles north of Vernon in Wilbarger county.

PIGG ET AL, FOSTER

Pigg and Murchison have abandoned at 2570 feet as a dry hole their wildcat test on the Foster and Allen land, 1300 feet from the north line and 150 feet from the west line of block 833, of the Stephen Dennison survey, abstract 68, north of the Hirshi pool in Wichita county.

SIMMS, TURB

The Simms and Consolidated Oil companies joint test in the northwest corner of the southeast 40 acres of block 150, Carson survey, Turbeville land, approximately 1700 feet southeast of the new American Refining company producers in the same block, is showing up for a nice extension to those wells and is swabbing 100 barrels from sand 1497 1-2 to 1503 feet.

PANHANDLE, PRID'

The Panhandle Refining company drilled a test on the J. R. Wright land, four miles east of the town of Eastland in Eastland county, encountered a sand at 902 feet and the well made 2,000,000 cubic feet of gas. The hole will be deepened and the oil sand is expected in the neighborhood of 1450 feet.

C-S, SAUNDERS

Clark and Smith drilled in Sunday afternoon on their No. 4 Saunders test in the Sunshine hill area of Wichita county, in the A. B. & M. survey abstract 339, and offsetting to the east their discovery well in the deep sand, and after bailing to within 1000 feet of bottom the hole cleaned itself and flowed 20 feet over the derrick, placing 100 barrels of oil in the tanks in 2 1-2 hours. Sand is reported from 1358 to 1373 feet.

AMERICAN, TURB

The American Refining company and Harry Hines have abandoned as a dry hole at 1605 feet their wildcat test, located in the center of the south 72 acres of block 152, Carson survey in Archer county, about two miles south of the American company et al new producers in block 150 and possibly the same distance to the east of the Simms pool in block 172. The test encountered one foot of likely looking sand at 1553 feet.

SIMMS ET AL TURB

The Simms Oil company No. 5-A Turbeville, approximately 800 feet south of the discovery well in the Simms new pool and in block 172 of the Carson survey in Archer county, drilled more sand Sunday and is in the pay from 1513-38 feet the well swabbed and blowed 300 barrels in 9 hours and goes on record as the best completion to date in that field. This well offsets to the north the No. 2-C oil of the Texas company, completed last week and which is making 380 barrels daily from sand at 1509-25 feet.

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BUYERS CUT IN PANHANDLE

Plenty of Storage At Amarillo, Demand Shows Decline

While some of the Texas Panhandle operators have been hollering about the lack of pipe line outlet for their production, the facts are that the fault is not with the pipe lines and railroads, but that many refiners are not buying as much Panhandle crude as they did. The plentitude of crude from nearer fields has tended to back up the Panhandle oil.

Word from Amarillo says that on August 1 there were 70 storage tanks of 5,500 barrel capacity or larger, in five counties of the Panhandle, with a crude capacity of close to 4,000,000 barrels, and that nearly 2,300,000 barrels of oil was then in the tanks, leaving more than 1,675,000 barrels of open or available storage room for oil. Since then many new tanks have been erected and others are still going up.

Field reports show that there were nine tanks of 80,000 barrels capacity, of 55,000 barrels capacity and 2 of 5,500 barrel capacity.

According to the Amarillo News-Globe there are 800 actual operations in 18 counties of the Panhandle, viz: Carson, 42; Children, 1; Collingsworth, 1; Dallam, 1; Gray, 88; Hansford, 1; Hartley, 8; Hemphill, 2; Hutchinson, 430; Lipscomb, 1; Moore, 10; Potter, 3; Randall, 1; Roberts, 4; Sherman, 4; Wheeler, 22.

REPLAY KOSSE AREA

The Pandem Oil corporation is planning to drill a Trinity sand well near Kosse, south of Mexia, on a 2,000-acre block. Oil companies in that area will co-operate to send the hole down to 6,000 feet to seek the source of the famous Jones well that came in for 20,000 barrels a day in the Edwards lime, but went dead after producing 100,000 barrels of oil, about five years ago.

FUTURE OIL MEETINGS

The American Chemical society will hold a meeting at Philadelphia on September 6 to 11, inclusive.

National Petroleum association will hold its annual meeting at Atlantic City, N. J., from September 15 to 17.

National Petroleum Marketers association will meet October 26, 27 and 28 at Atlantic City, N. J.

American Oil Men's association will hold its annual meeting November 16, 17 and 18 at Chicago.

American Petroleum institute will hold its annual convention in Tulsa on December 7, 8, and 9.

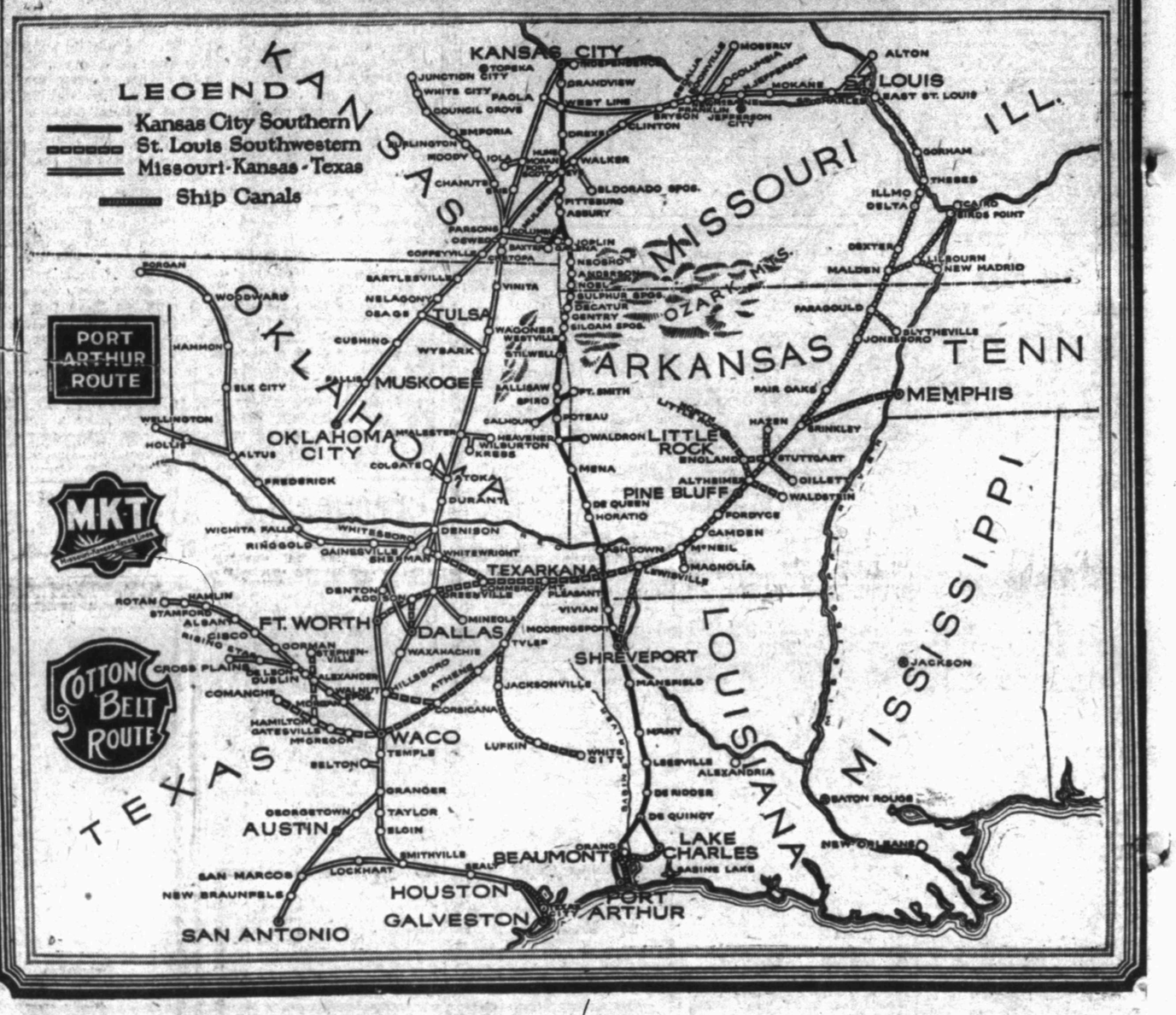
RATES ARE HIGH

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Rates for San Antonio parks when used as hotels, announced Monday by Judge John F. Onion of corporation court are $1 a minute in Alamo Plaza and $2.50 a minute in Travis park. These rates were compiled after two youths said that they had been sleeping in Alamo Plaza only 15 minutes when arrested and objected to fines of $15. A third man said to have been asleep 10 minutes in Travis park drew a fine of $25.

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The proposed new Southwestern System extends from Kansas City, St. Louis and Memphis, south, gridironing the extensive territory between these cities and the Gulf. Entrance is provided to all the principal cities of the Southwest and to the ports of Houston, Galveston, Texas City and the Sabine District, including Port Arthur, Beaumont, Lake Charles, Orange, Neches and Sabine. At Kansas City, St. Louis and Memphis, it affords connections with the major trunk lines from the east, west and north.

Only by combining could these companies meet effectively the competition of the other consolidated systems in this region, while strength is given by continuing the active interest of men who have long operated the properties. A unified system, specifically adapted to the transportation requirements of the Southwestern territories, can better serve the need of its communities than could several independent and disconnected railways. The operation of these three lines as a transportation system means improved and expedited service.

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The Southwestern territory, extending roughly from the Mississippi River to the foothills of the Rocky Mountains and from the Gulf of Mexico to St. Louis and Kansas City, is rapidly growing in population and wealth, and in all forms of agricultural, mineral, industrial and commercial activities. This wide-spreading territory, an empire in itself, nearly as large as all of Europe without Russia, needs at least one transportation system whose interests are its own and whose commercial and civic objectives are unreservedly identical. To this end, the bringing together of these three properties has been deemed amply justified, after much thought and study.

The Kansas City Southern-Katy-Cotton Belt combination forms a strictly Southwestern system, keeping within the general limits as defined by the map shown above and putting forth constantly increasing efforts to meet adequately the growing transportation requirements of the Southwest. Lastly, the unified system will be a determining factor in the preservation of the identity of the Southwestern territory as an integral trade area, and in the protection and enlargement of existing channels of trade and commerce.

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SOCIETY

Lamar Baptist D. A. Hold Allday Meeting

Members of the Lamar Avenue Bap- Monday when the hours were spent in making scrap books and completing garments for the orphan's home.

Luncheon was served at the noon hour and those present were Janie McGardy, Vivian Walters, Lucile Knox, Lilliam Martin, Effie Mae Conant, Dolores West and Mrs. J. B. O'Bannon.

Ponder-Browning Nuptials Solemnized

Announcement is made of the marriage Sunday morning at 8:45 o'clock of Miss Majorie Browning and Russell Ponder, which took place at the Lamar Baptist parsonage, Rev. W. H. Townsend officiating.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Y. Ponder, while the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ponder will be at their home with the bride's parents on Burnett street temporarily.

Endeavor Society Program On Prayer

With Miss Velma Pearce leader, members of the Floral Heights Presbyterian Endeavor society met Sunday evening at the church and studied a program on the subject, "Prayer." Miss Pearce gave the scripture and talked on the subject and the Rev. E. F. McGaughey also made a brief talk.

Willabel Griffin and Lloyd Corder talked on "Bible Words on Prayer" and J. T. Morrow gave a vocal number. Lona Ray and Annie Anderson talked on "The Discussion of Prayer."

Twenty-five members and 16 visitors were present and Annie Anderson was appointed leader for the program next Sunday.

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LEAVES FOR NORTH

ELECTRA, Aug. 23.—Miss Ethel Pierce, well known trained nurse of this city, left Sunday afternoon upon receipt of a message stating that her mother, Mrs. Pierce of Marshall, Ill., had been killed in an automobile accident in that city at 9 o'clock Saturday night. No word was received other than her mother had been killed.

Asks Damages Of $25,000 As Result Of May Arrest

Alleged injury to his reputation and humiliation as a result of a "third degree" is made the basis for a $25,000 damage suit filed in district court by C. W. Rowland, naming the Western Hardware company and H. L. Tooker as defendants. Tooker is specified as the agent of the Western Hardware company, which is made responsible in the plaintiff's petition, for his actions.

Rowland alleges that on May 5, 1926, he was arrested and in a small room of the Wichita county court house subjected to a "third degree" examination in which, his petition recites, he was abused, called opprobious names, and otherwise maltreated. While he was so held, he charges, his house in the residence section of the city was entered by officers and searched in full view of the neighbors. His reputation was accordingly damaged, he alleges, the officers finding nothing out of the way in the house in an ensuing trial on a charge of petty theft, Rowland states that he was acquitted by the court.

Rowland alleges that his reputation as a law-abiding and honest citizen built up through years of residence here has been irreparably damaged as a result of the incident.

A few days following the incident alleged above, Tooker also charged Rowland with assault and battery as the result of an affray, occuring immediately after Rowland had been charged with theft.

Waltrip Launches Revival In Electra

ELECTRA, Aug. 23.—A revival of young people of Electra was begun Sunday evening in the First Baptist church, although regular services will be held in a tent on the corner of Garrison and Dunbar avenue with Burrough A. Wiltrip of Decatur preaching, assisted by Thomas L. Glosup, song leader and Miss Slyvia Smith of Wichita Falls at the piano. Earl McDuff, chalk talk artist will also be present.

There was a good attendance and the revival will be mainly for young people, with the ushers to be young men of the city.

Pirates Kidnap River Passengers

HONG KONG, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The Chinese river steamer Mansing enroute from Malowchow, Chinese maritime customs station near Macao to Sunning, was boarded by 30 pirates last night and the passengers and crew terrorized and kidnaped. It is believed the passengers were wealthy Chinese returning to China from San Francisco.

The pirates boarded the ship off Kaulan Island, otherwise known as "the pirates' fortress." They fired a volley of revolver shots and the passengers were panic stricken. The Chinese master and crew were covered with revolvers and compelled to steer the ship to Wongohu where more than 100 passengers and the members of the compradore (native steward) staff were kidnaped, beside's the ship's eight armed Chinese guards.

MAYBE HE DID

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The Rev. John McNeill, Presbyterian, thinks Connie Mack has pulled a bone. Connie, getting an injunction against interference with Sunday baseball, said a Sunday game would not be soo noisy as a week-day one. Mr. McNeill rises to remark that it would be strange indeed when Babe Ruth has made a home run if the fans should sing, "Hallellujah."

MORE GLORY FOR TRUDIE

HIGHLANDS N. J., Aug. 23.—(AP)—More glory for Trudie Ederle who learned to crawl here. A mere man failed to swim the 26-mile channel from Santa Barbara to Santa Cruz island and 27 men had to give up in trying to swim 9 1-2 miles in Boston harbor.

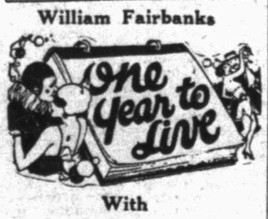
FATE IS FALSE

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Irony of fate; Mrs. Peggy Roome, stunt aviatrix, who had her picture taken standing on an airplane wing up in the air, has been killed in an automobile accident.

PALACE THEATRE



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Also Comedy

Baron and Baroness



"With a silver spoon" these children of Baron and Baroness Rothschild of Vienna are being raised, certainly, but they're human and just as healthily happy as any other youngsters, irrespective of Baroness Bettina Rothschild, the future holders of Europe's greatest Baroness Bettina Rithschild, the future holders of Europe's greatest banking fortune.

"Uncle Ike" of "The Shepherd Of The Hills" Dies Suddenly Sunday From Severe Attack of Asthma

Famed Character in Harold Bell Wright Novel Held Place in Affections of Missouri Ozark Mountaineer Residents

RED SPRINGS, Mo., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Levi Morrill, 89-year-old postmaster of Notch, Mo., widely known as the "Uncle Ike" of Harold Bell Wright's "The Shepherd of the Hills," died here last night of a sudden attack of asthma. The aged philosopher of the Ozarks came here to celebrate his eighty-ninth birthday anniversary Saturday, but plans for the celebration were cancelled when he became ill on the eve of the festivities.

Born of Quaker parents at Portland, Me., August 21, 1837, Mr. Morrill graduated from Bowdoin college at the age of 15 and immediately started a career which carried him to many sections of the country. He was employed as a printer on the New York Tribune where he came to meet Horace Greely. He followed the advice accredited to Mr. Greeley to "go west" and joined in the California gold rush.

Always searching for a place similar to his boyhood home in the Maine woods, he traveled through Kansas and other middlewestern states, took part in the Civil war and finally located in a then isolated section of the Ozarks. With the exception of a few short trips he remained in his hill retreat. The spot he selected four decades ago was 16 miles from the nearest store and could be reached only by the Ozark trails used by the mountaineers.

Well educated, his first act was to organize a school district and later the postoffice which became known as Notch. He quickly gained the confidence of the mountain folk and the postoffice at "The Forks" soon became a community center. The hill folks came to have their letters written or to have communications from the outside read.

While "Uncle Ike" refused numerous chances to enter public life, others of his family held high national and state offices. Lot M. Morrill, an uncle, served as secretary of the treasury during the administration of President Grant, and a brother was governor of Kansas and also representative to congress in the nineties.

About a year ago some one recommended the aged postmaster be relieved of "his duties, but thousands of protests came to the postoffice department from all sections of the nation and "Uncle Ike" was permitted to keep his title and his job.

He married Jennie Dickerson of Lamar, Mo., in 1881 at the home of Truman Powell, the original shepherd of the hills. He settled in Stone county in 1892. The widow and son, O. R. Morrill, survive. Funeral services will be held here today.

CASH FOR TRUDIE.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Don Graff, local sportsman, has wired an offer of $5,000 to Gertrude Ederle, American champion, for a 30-mile swim in Sacramento river to start and end in this city. Graff is making the offer to the conqueror of the English channel in conjunction with William Wrigley, Jr., offer of $10,000 for a swim from the mainland to Catalina Island as an added attraction to bring the New York girl to the Pacific coast.

USE TEAR BOMBS
Tear Gas Required to Subdue Deranged Man

New York, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Tear gas bombs were used today to subdue Everett Holton, 45, who suddenly became mentally deranged and fired at a squad of policemen at his home in Jamaica.

Holton began to act queerly and his wife ran into the street in her night clothing seeking aid.

Twelve officers were summoned and Holton fired at them, the police returning the fire.

All West Texas Democratic Rally
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—At—
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THURSDAY, AUGUST 26
2 P. M.
Moody's Only Speech in West Texas

The greatest political rally in the history of West Texas is to honor this distinguished visitor. The famous Lobo football field has been obtained for the address with seats provided for thousands. Loud speakers will make it easy to hear from all parts of the field. Brass bands from all West Texas are expected to be present. All Democrats are invited to make this the greatest gala day in the history of West Texas.

CISCO, AUGUST 26, AT 2 P. M.

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$54,000 COST OF AIR TRIP

Davis Says Long Flight To South America A Wise One

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP) Secretary Davis of the war department estimated today that the proposed flight around South America by five army planes would cost about $54,000. He said it would be "a wise investment."

"The purpose of this flight," Mr. Davis said, "is to strengthen the amicable relations already existing among the American republics, to demonstrate the feasibility of aerial transportation and communication between these widely separated nations and finally to subject the amphibian planes to a severe test over both land and water.

"Efforts will not be made to attain speed records, stops being arranged so as to permit the personnel of the flight to visit the capitals of the nations along the itinerary and give opportunity for examination of the airplanes by such observers of these nations as may be interested in the development of commercial air transportation."

Kiwanians Plan Big Convention

Preparations are being made for a lively time to be had by the Kiwanians at the district convention to be held at Muskogee, Okla., Sept. 6 and 7, according to announcements made at the weekly luncheon at the Kemp hoel.

Reservations are being made and it is likely that a special Pullman car will be chartered for the local delegation. They will leave here Sunday morning, arriving in Muskogee at 3 in the afternoon.

The convention proper will begin Monday, but the majority of the Kiwanians from the cities represented will arrive Sunday when special church services will be held for them Sunday night, it was announced.

E. F. Riley, chairman of the Muskogee committee, notified members to obtain identification slips from him in order to secure reduced railroad rates. Walter Nelson announced that a number of good stunts and program features and also a parade pageant is being planned as Wichita Falls' contribution on the convention program. Songs were practiced, and the final Muskogee rally will take place at the Kiwanis meeting next Monday.

J. L. Jackson Jr., president, welcomed back several members who returned from their vacations. He also read communications from some who are still away.

John Barnard of the P. B. M. company was received as a new member and was given a welcome by Walter Caldwell.

Mr. Jackson also announced that $419 was realized from the carnival that was recently brought here in the interest of the Day Nursery.

HE LIKED HER

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Harry J. Martin, Louisville theatrical manager, likes "My Girl." The star of the play, Edna Morn, is his girl and this is their wedding day.

At The Garden



Mary Pickford At the Garden

"Little Annie Rooney," the comedy-drama of tenement life in New York in which Mary Pickford stars, and which comes to the Garden theatre on Tuesday and Wednesday under a United Artists corporation release, appears to have been written to order for the "World's Sweetheart" for it is an ideal Mary Pickford story.

Combining comedy and drama, smiles and tears, children's gang battles and a pretty love story, "Little Annie Rooney" is the type of play in which the public loves to see Mary Pickford, and the type she can do as no actress can.

"Little Annie Rooney" is as Irish as its name and as Irish as the curly-haired little ragamuffin who plays the title role. It deals with the young daughter of an East Side policeman whose playmates are about 30 young boys, and who enters into the gang fights and rows of these tenement lads with all the vigor at her command.

Unexpected tragedy stalks into the policeman's family, and the girl is suddenly faced with some of the grim realties of life that seldom come to a child of her age.

Through the gang battle sequences Miss Pickford romps gloriously, a leader of the dirty-faced boys and the idol of her "gang."

In the dramatic scenes she does some of the finest and most convincing work of her whole screen career.

She is sweet and appealing as the sweetheart of her "Joe," and through the entire picture the artistry of Mary Pickford is again revealed.

TWO CHILDREN DIE

COFFEYVILLE, Kan., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Death has dealt a double portion of grief to Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Roszel of Coffeyville. Diphtheria claimed Margaret 5, Saturday night and took Mildred, 3, yesterday.

$45,000,000 SUIT FILED

Aluminum Company Named Defendant in Action For Damages

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—A suit for $45,000,000 damages was started in federal court today by George D. Haskell of Springfield, Mass., president and director of the Bausch Machine & Tool Company, against the Aluminum Company of America and others under the Sherman anti-trust law.

Haskell alleges he was damaged $15,000,000 through a conspiracy entered into by officers and directors of the Aluminum Company of America with the late James B. Duke, to whom he had confided his own plans for aluminum industry development. He asked three times the amount of his actual losses under the provisions of the anti-trust law.

TO GRANT LOANS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP) The government commission recently appointed in Spain to study the problem of textile manufacture will function primarily to facilitate the exportation of cotton goods by granting cash loans to exporting factories, the commerce department was advised today from Madrid.

EDDY DEBATES.

MOSCOW, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Sherwood Eddy, lecturer for the Y. M. C. A., who has been conducting a group of 20 or more American tourists around Russia, debated publicly yesterday with Michael Reissner, professor of law in Moscow university, and with the editor of the bolshevik anti-religious publication, "The Godless One," on the existence of God.

Weinert Man Is Killed In Kansas

PARSONS, KAN., Aug. 23.—H. Jenkins, 20, Weinert, Texas, was killed Sunday when he slipped and fell under the wheels of a Katy freight train just north of Parsons. According to Cody West, a companion from Stamford, Texas, he and Jenkins were beating their way to Kansas City where they had secured jobs.

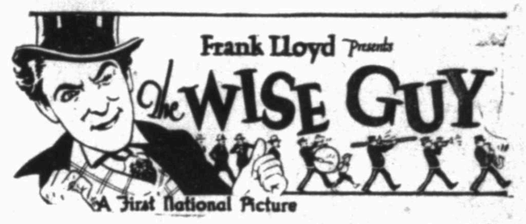
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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY
August 24, 1926
City tax rate set at one dollar and thirty cents, reduction of twenty cents, by council.

SPEAKING OF PRIMARY RESULTS

THERE is a run-off on. It will be settled by the democratic voters of Texas Saturday, August 28. In the July primary Moody received 409,732 votes. Ferguson received 283,487 votes; Davidson received 122,449 votes, all other candidates, 5,571 votes.

In the July primary 150,000 democratic voters scratched their ballots after having voted for the favorite candidate for governor. There are many important run-offs outside of the contest for governor. There is to be an attorney general to be nominated. There is a state treasurer to be nominated.

According to a map issued by the Southwestern Bell Telephone company Attorney General Moody not only carried a majority of the Texas counties in the first primary but with the exceptions of south-central and east Texas he also carried every section of the state.

This map indicates that Moody was strongest in West Texas and in the Panhandle but he carried more than 49 counties in southwest Texas as well. Altogether Moody carried more than 180 counties of which 86 were in West Texas and the Panhandle.

Before the coming of the July primary this newspaper carried political reviews which forecasted that Moody would sweep the country west of Fort Worth. This map issued by the Southwestern Bell Telephone company would indicate that the forecast was verified by the election returns.

In other years the largest primary vote ever cast in Texas was in the 1924 run-off. Will the people of Texas, or rather the democratic voters of Texas, run true to form in the run-off this year and cast a larger total vote than they did in 1924?

MAINE

MAINE usually goes hellbent for the republicans. Maine was a democratic Gilbraltor before the coming of the Civil war. Maine has been a republican Gibraltar ever since. Of course a democrat breaks into the senate once in 50 years and in the 50 years three or four democrats have pushed their face into the lower house picture gallery.

Maine elects state and county officers and a congressional delegation September 13. Congressman John Tilson of Connecticut is the chairman of the congressional campaign committee of the republican party. He has opened headquarters in Maine to arrange for the republican oratory which is to flow in that state from August 30 to the elections.

Tilson is one of the shrewdest of the republican political managers. He predicts an overwhelming majority for the Maine republicans. Regardless of this, he is going to turn a thousand orators loose on the natives.

Tilson never trusts to blind chance. He never sleeps at the switch. He knows that Maine is going republican but he wishes to get out every republican and independent vote in September to stiffen the nerves of republican voters in doubtful states and doubtful districts.

He has the coin. He never enters a campaign unless, or rather, until the chest has been flattened. Republicans are liberal contributors. They pay as they go. They know the value of organization and they know that it takes coin to pay for organization.

Chairman Tilson is very cocky as to the future of the republican party. He predicts a continuation of republican control in both national houses as a result of the fall elections. Like all campaign managers he claims everything in sight.

There is only one fly in the republican ointment and that is the wheat fly in the west where the Brookhart legions have been very busy this year. Now that the price of wheat is climbing the fly may disappear from the ointment. If so it will be republican luck.

WHERE RUM FLOWS

A PROHIBITION official in the old states says rum is flowing in rivers in the Carolinas and Georgia. He blames lack of support on General Lincoln C. Andrews. Think of a river of rum "flowing freely."

A SUN PROPHET

IN the days of Charles A. Dana The New York Sun said to shine for all. Now the political prophet of the Sun says Governor Al Smith can win a presidential nomination in 1928 if his friends succeed in setting aside the two-thirds nominating rule but under the old system McAdoo will still hold the veto power and prevent the nomination of Smith.

"If" is always in the way. William Gibbs McAdoo and Governor Alfred E. Smith are not the only democrats in America of presidential size. The election this year may bring to the surface democrats who will be seekers for the presidential nomination.

Former Senator Atlee Pomerene of Ohio is the democratic nominee for a seat in the upper house. Should he defeat the republican nominee, Frank B. Willis, then Pomerene will be the favorite son of Ohio and the Ohio delegation may present his name to the delegates sitting in the national convention in the year of 1928.

Then there is Governor Vic Donahey, who is in the running. He is a candidate for re-election to the office of governor and the gamblers who bet on elections have picked him as the winner.

Should Pomerene be defeated and Donahey be elected he may be the favorite son of Ohio in 1928. Men die. Politicians are defeated. New issues come to the front. There is no telling what will happen in 1928.

There is one thing that should happen. The two-thirds nominating rule should be abolished and the unit rule should go with it. This is the advice of John W. Davis, who carried the flag in 1924 and who is one of the best equipped and ablest of all democratic leaders.

He went down in defeat but he went down like a man. He may come again. There is never any telling in advance just what the leaders of the national democratic party will do after sitting in a deadlocked convention for 30 or 40 days.

As for the republicans they are not hampered with the rules. They have leaders and the rank and file follow the leaders. They have defined policies of government. They do not desert these policies of government.

They know what the want in a political sense and they get it. As for many of the democratic leaders who shape the policies of the party they do not know what they want and they land in the ditch.

WEINERT FOR MOODY

FORMER STATE SENATOR FERDInand C. Weinert of Guadalupe county motored from his home to San Antonio to attend the Moody recepion and speech making in the great auditorium built by the people of San Antonio under the direction of Mayor John Tobin. This is what the veteran of many political battles said to the reporters:

"I came to San Antonio to Tell Dan that the people are going to make him governor of Texas by a majority that will be overwhelming."

For many years Senator Weinert was a stalwart champion of the Fergusons. And in days gone by Guadalupe was one of the Ferguson's strongholds in Texas. He has held many high offices and is largely responsible for all the reform legislation connected with the penitentiary system.

Senator Weinert is one Texas democrat who follows his own flag and votes his own convictions. Furthermore, he is a power in many counties in Texas.

WHY MEN ARE BALD

A BRITISH scientist has announced the important discovery that lessened hair growth came with increased brain power. This is the reason why all the brilliant men of the world are hairless or near hairless and all the lowbrows of the world are the owners of lion's manes. Speaking of the ladies, are there many bald headed women in existence or do the brilliant women wear wigs? If so, do they effect the bob?

SONG OF THEIR FATHER

BLOOD must tell. Chief Justice William Howard Taft has two sons in Ohio, in the law and in republican politics. Robert A. Taft is speaker of the Ohio house of representatives and has served three terms. He is only 37. Charles P. Taft is the republican nominee for prosecuting attorney for Hamilton county. He is only 29. And he whipped the republican bosses in Cincinnati when he won the nomination. "Flaming oYuth" is hell.

The Toonerville Trolley That Meets All The Trains



SPEAKING OF OSTRICHES

By Frederick Arnold Kummer

The girl at the typewriter in the outer office paid her clothes the tribute of an envious glance, then called shrilly through the half-open door:

"Lady to see you, Mr. Cartwright!"

The realtor appeared at once, wearing his "best customer's" smile. There was a puzzled look in his eyes for a moment, then as recognition came he put out his hand.

"Why, Mamie Harwood! This is a surprise! To think of seeing you, of all people! Come right in." He drew her into the private office and closed the door. "What about going for a drive this afternoon—and taking dinner with me tonight? I haven't forgotten the good times we used to have before you went away—or the things we said to each other, either."

Mary Ellen sank into a chair and fluttering motions in the direction of her ears.

"I've been dreadfully sick, Jimmy," she said, wistfully. "It left me stone-deaf. Isn't it awful? You'll have to write everything down."

"What?" Mr. Cartwright's jaw sagged, the enthusiasm in his eyes went out like a blown candle. "You can't mean it?"

"Just use a pencil and paper, Jimmy, won't you?" Mary Ellen's smile was blandly vacant. "Remember, you'll have to write everything."

Followed a dull silence. To relieve it Mr. Cartwright went to his desk, hastily scrawled a few words on a pad.

"I'm mighty sorry to hear of your affliction. Isn't there any hope?"

"The doctors consider recovery most a miracle," whispered Mary Ellen, shaking her head dolefully.

The silence thickened, grew dismal. Mr. Cartwright, drumming on the desk with his pencil, succeeded in breaking its point. Gloomily he sharpened it, wrote another message.

"Too bad,' it read. "Is there anything I can do?"

As Mary Ellen glanced at the words a flare of anger rose in her eyes, but Mr. Cartwright, who was gazing pointedly at his watch, failed to see it.

"Why, no—I guess not, Jimmy," she said, making a pretty gesture of helplessness. "You see, when I got to town this morning, I thought—that is I remembered what good friends we used to be, and so, as I had to give up my position in New York on account of my—my illness. I thought maybe you might know of some work I could do—or—something." Mary Ellen was an excellent actress; her little appeal fairly dripped pathos.

Smothering his annoyance in a rasping cough, Mr. Cartwright scratched half a dozen words on his pad, then rose and left the room.

'Excuse me. Back in a moment," they read.

With a somewhat wintry expression of her charming face, Mary Ellen listened to th conversation which drifted in from the outer office.

"Look here, Sadie. There's a girl inside I used to know—she's lost her hearing, see? And I've got to get rid of her. Just because I happened to be a little mushy about her once, she's expecting me to make a fuss over her—to give her a job. It can't be done. Why, a fellow would have to take a secretary around with him to carry on a conversation. Tell you what you do. Run over to Thompson's office and call me up. Say I'm wanted at the bank—note due—anything. And hurry, will you? I can't have her sitting around here all the afternoon."

When he came back Mary Ellen was staring out of the window, reflecting bitterly upon the quality of what men—some men, at least—called love. Mr. Cartwright proceeded to write a long, rambling message which she read, unsmiling.

"It's great to see you again. How long are you going to stay? Sorry about tonight, but when I suggested dinner I forgot I had another engagement. Where are you stopping? I must run in and see you sometime. And if I hear of any opening I'll let you know. Why don't you consult a specialist? I knew a fellow in Cleveland once got cured with X-rays. Can't you really hear a thing.

Mary Ellen rose and walked to the door, two spots of red blazing in her cheeks.

"I'm stopping at the Sherman House, in case you find time to call," announced Mary Ellen from the door.

The telephone bell jangled its useless message as she went out.

Business hours at the Planeville National bank were just over as Mary Ellen reached its imposing portals. A satisfying luncheon had served to restore her good nature. Roy Baker would surely be waiting for her. She had sent him a little note by messenger saying she would meet him.

He was standing on the sidewalk as she came up, smiling his well-remembered smile. There had always been something particularly attarctive about Roy, Mary Ellen reflected, as she gazed at his well-groomed six-feet-two. Surely he would stand the test!

"Maniac!" she exclaimed, as he hurried up, hat in hand. "I can't tell you how glad I am to see you." His voice was very low, very caressing. "You dear, beautiful child, why didn't you let me know you were coming to town, so I could have met you at the station? If there weren't so many people around, I'd take you right in my arms and kiss you."

"I'm so glad you, Roy," said Mary Ellen, and meant it. "You're just as good looking as ever." She grasped his eager hand.

"You're a thousand times more so," Mr. Baker announced, beaming enthusiastically at her. "Why, Mamie, you're a dream!"

Mary Ellen shook her head, smiling helplessly. She hated to do it, but she must know.

"I—what did you say?" she murmured.

"I say you're a dream!" Mr. Baker repeated in louder tones, to the great delight of some boys who were passing by. Beneath their very audible and ribald snickers he reddened uncomfortably.

"I'm so sorry, Roy," Mary Ellen confided, in tones of the deepest dejection. "But I had a frightful illness and it left me quite deaf—stone deaf I believe is the proper word.

"What is this?" he asked. "A joke?"

(To Be Continued.)

DOROTHY DIX

Questions from the World of Love Answered by a Noted Authority

Why a Man With a Dependent Mother Shouldn't Marry Until He Can Support Her Outside the Home—Old Problem of the Employer and Stenographer—Advice to Miss 18 About Marriage.

Dear Miss Dix—I am a widow with two sons. One is married to a lovely woman. The other is about to marry a girl who flatly refuses to have me in the house with her, not because she objects to me personally, but because she wants to live alone with no mother-in-law around.

My husband died when my boys were small children. I supported them and educated them by keeping boarders and roomers. I did everything for them when they were little and helpless, and now that I am old and helps it seems hard that I cannot have a place in their homes.

I don't want to live with this girl who doesn't want me any more than she wants to live with me, but what is to be done? I don't want my son to sacrifice his happiness for me, and yet will he be happy wit ha woman who takes this attitude toward his mother, for he loves me veary dearly? — A. Troubled Mother.

Answer:

The human triangle never offers such an unsolvable problem as it does when the three sides of it are composed of a man, his mother and his wife. No other situation in life ever engenders such bitterness, such strife, such heartaches and jealousy as is brought about by the fight of the wife and mother over the man they both love, nor is any man ever put in so cruel a predicament as the one who must choose between wife and mother.

For the trouble is that each side is perfectly right from its own viewpoint. Only the woman whose angel's feathers are already sprouting can ever see another woman's side of the queston. And angels on earth are few and far between.

Take your own particular case, dear lady. Of course, you are perfectly right in feeling that your son owes you a debt of gratitude that he can never repay. You think of the weary years you toiled to support him. You think of the hard and sordid labor you did in that boarding house to keep him fed and clothed and warmed, and give him the advantages of educaton. You were sick and weary unto death; of the nights you have gone to bed too tired to sleep.

Never once did you fail your boy. No sacrifice was too great for you to make for him, and it seems to you that in all fairness and justice, as well as in love and appreciation, you should have the warmest place at his fireside, the seat of honor in his house, and that you should be welcomed and cherished by his wife.

You are perfectly right. That is your due. That is your side of the proposition.

The girl's side is this: She is marrying a man she loves, and she wants him for herself alone. Any third party breaks up the intimacy between husband and wife. They can have no close heart-to-heart communion with another person sitting around listening in. Endearments freeze on the lips. The moment for confidences passes with a stranger present. It takes the edge off every pleasure if an old woman has to be dragged along.

The more a woman loves her husband, the more she yearns to be alone with him, and she doesn't want her mother to live with them any more than she wants his mother to live with them.

Then the young wife wants to run her home in her own way. From the time a girl baby has her first set of doll furniture and doll dishes, she begins to plan how she is going to have things when she gets married and has a house of her own. It is the one fixed idea of her life, and becomes an obsession with her, but she cannot do this if her mother-in-law lives with her.

There is no use in the mother-in-law saying that she will not interfere, or that she will never offer advice or suggestions and never criticize. She will. She can't help it. For running a house is also her passion and she feels that she has a right to boss her son's house and say how her son's money shall be spent.

So the girl who knows how statistics show that the in-law trouble is the cause of more divorces than everything else combined, and who has listened to the tales of woe of innumerable of her friends who have tried living with their mothers-in-law, is perfectly right in saying that she will not risk her happiness by having her mother-in-law in the house.

And there you are.

It seems to me that the only way that the queston can be solved is for a man who has a dependent mother to put off marrying until he is able to support her outside of his own house.

Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

LYRICS OF LIFE.
By Douglas Malloch.
A WOMAN'S WORK.

Pails and kettles and pots and pans—
Oh, a woman's work isn't much like man's
For a man's out there where the shouting is,
It's a different world that world of his.
But he comes back home when the shouting dies,
And he thinks of cake and he talks of pies,
And he loves to come—and that helps lots
With pails and kettles and pans and pots.

Pails and kettles and pots and pans;
He stands around and he plots and plans,
He talks of his work, while I do mine,
And I take a pan and I make it shine.
Though he may not see and he may not know,
It's one of the reasons he loves me so.
Love often dies when a woman fails
With pots and kettles and pans and pails.

Pails and kettles and pots and pans;
It's the well-kept house that a husband scans
That sends him out to upset earth
To do some work that's work of worth.
For a man will toil for a home like this,
Though that's a truth that we often miss.
So a woman's work is as fine as man's,
Though it's pails and kettles and pots and pans.

WILLIE WILLIS



"I wish babies could run around as soon as pups, so big brothers wouldn't have to mind 'em."

What Do You Know About It?

DAILY SCIENCE SIX.

1. What is vulcanized rubber?
2. What are the advantages of vulcanized rubber?
3. What is plantation rubber?
4. Who first discovered the uses of rubber?
5. Why are Mackintoshes so called?
6. What was rubber first used for in Europe?

Answers to these questions in tomorrow's Record News.

WAR RUBBER

Throughout the World war the Germans, though cut off from rubber supplies, were able to produce rubber for their needs; it was a mystery to the allies how they were doing this. The truth is that they were making it synthetically. Synthetic rubber had been the dream of the chemist for years, but had never been made a practical success, though the theory was well understood. The Germans discovered that it could be made with acetone, a sumstance that they had always imported from the United States. They discovered that acetone could be derived from the action of a bacteria that causes the ferment and decay of storage potatoes.

Now what do you know about that?

Answers to yesterday's questions:

1. The condor is found in the Andes of South America.
2. The buzzard is not a harmful bird, but rather useful as it eats dead animals.
3. The owls hunt at night.
4. When birds peck holes in fruit trees they sometimes do the trees a slight mechanical injury, but they are really beneficial because they pull out the bark-tunneling beetles and eat them.
5. Cockoos build poor nests.
6. Meadow larks lay eggs in the grass.

WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

BY MARY BLAKE

VIRGO.

Today's planetary aspects are adverse until noon, at which time they change and become favorable, remaining so for the balance of the day. During the morning, it will be necessary to exercise will-power and self-control, in order to overcome the desire that will be sensed to make yourself a nuisance to all those around you. The afternoon, although propitious, is not suitable for the launching of any new enterprise or undertaking, especially one of large proportions. It is better adapted to the completion of some task that has been, at an earlier time, attempted but not finished.

Children born today will not, during infancy, enjoy exceptionally good health. None of their many ailments will, however, present any undesirable complications, if their nutrition be carefully regulated and if they be given an abundance of fresh air. Long before reaching their 'teens, they will have outgrown all their early weaknesses. In character, they will be firm and unyielding, masterful and dominating, but not necessarily domineering. Although they will try to hide all evidence of it, they will be very emotional, and amenable to almost any tale of woe, provided it be told in a manner to awaken their sympathy. They will be clever and ambitious.

If today is your birthday, you are generous—both in thought and action. You never speak or think ill of anyone, and are always willing to give the benefit of the doubt to the accused one. Your sympathy often outweighs your judgment, for, as a matter of fact, you are far-sighted and generally accurate in your opinions. You are more than just—you are liberal—in your dealings with others. This, on rare occasions, causes you a material loss, but you would rather experience this than sacrifice your confidence in humanity.

You love music and possess considerable talent, even though it may be critical rather than executive. Your friends find in you an entertaining talker—both bright and humorous and there are very few gatherings in your immediate social circle where your presence is not desired and sought. In your home, you are kind, loving and solicitous for the happiness and welfare of those whom you love.

Successful people born this date are: Henry Stevens, bibliographer; John Newton, soldier and civil engineer; William Walter Phelps, statesman and jurist; John C. Watson, naval officer; Charles H. Sabin, banker, and Max Beerbohm, actor.

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The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

Is Your Fun Dial Functioning, Folks!

Sun dials are exceedingly attractive things we know,
But most of us lack gardens to park 'em in and so
We advocate fun dials, Folks, they take so little space,
In fact we each display one when we wear a smiling face!

Handy.

Dora: "You say all the pockets are torn out of your suit! Then where do you carry your personal belongings?"
Robert: "Oh, there's bags at both knees of the trousers!" —Mother B.

WHEN BLACK IS READ.
On the Other Hand.

In summer cooling things are nice
And welcome is the good they do you,
But when a maiden's cold as ice
It isn't at all refreshing to you!
—N .M. Levy.

The Vampire.

She was a beaut!
As I passed by
She caught my eye
In her tight-fitting, one-piece bathing suit.

I frankly gazed
At her soft curves,
With tingling nerves:
With her sweet beauty I was fairly dazed!

I loved the scene!
I lost my wits,
Paid two bits
And brought the lady on the magazine!
—Maj. William E. Brougher.

Logical!

"Fred, please don't. You'll muss my hair!"
And she seemed badly fussed.
But Fred kept right on petting her;
He said if he mussed he must!
—Ted Osborne.

Not Half Bad.

First Prisoner: "I never heard such abuse! Why that lawyer just called you a moron, a dangerous, half-witted and preverted criminal with the intelligence of a six-year-old child!"
Second Prisoner: "That's my lawyer speaking in my defense. You ought to have heard the prosecuting attorney!"
—Alma Droegers.

A cold bottle may cool one off,but the cold shoulder makes one hotter!

THE PRIZE FIGHTER TURNS AUTHOR.
A Love Story.
By Battling Kid Kelly (Heavy-Light-weight Champ.)

"Oh, kiddo, I love yer," croaks the good-looking skirt, giving him a look outa her lamps that leaves him groggy.

Dey comes in together in a clinch, and he gives her a straight kiss to the heezer. They holds mitts for a while in the dark. The gal is a great looker, and weighs -75. Her mug is the hot-stuff—she has a snappy pair of glims and a nice little snout. There ain't nothing cauliflower about her ears, and the guy loves her.

"Let's match up for life and weigh in down ter the preachers!" he says, as they breaks away.

The skirt goes down in a faint for the count of ten, and the guy grabs her around the belt and carries her to the preacher, who signs 'em up for a finish fight provided the gal splits the purse 80-20.

What She Wanted.

Ice Man: "Any ice today, ma'm?"
Mrs. Newlywed: "Yes; what have you got, orange or lemon?"
—H. S. Wingate.

THE PI-EYED POSTOFFICE.
(Ezra Triplett, Postmaster.)

Postmaster: "There's two cents too much postage on this letter for you."
Iona Ford: "Then how come it didn't go too far?"
Postmaster: "Mebbe it did—read it and see how far it went."
Iona Ford:
"U R OB C said to me,
S U R 2!
'Twould take N LFN2 A
As much as U!"
("You are obese, he said to me;
Yes you are too.
'Twould take an elephant to weigh
As much as you!")
—Maude Caro.

Postmaster: "No mail fer you today."
Homer Seidel: "How about the rest of thefamily? None for Sue A. Seidel or Parry Seidel, either?"
Postmaster: "Here's one for your sister, Germine. I reckon it's from her beau that tuk her to the circus and made her sick on red lemonade. Better read it."
Homer Seidel:
"Mucsh 2 I HRG made
4 that off LMN aid.
I M 6 O R U—
It will W. P. D. Q."
("Much too high a charge he made
For that awful lemonade.
I am sick, so are you—
It will double you, p. d. q.")
—Ted Robinson.

I'M THE GINK

I am the profane gink. I swear to impress people with my he-mannish qualities. When I am around younger men I use a lot of tough words because I can imagine them going away and talking about what a regular fellow I am. I don't spare the ladies. I swear right ahead. Of course it is unpleasant and distasteful to others. They'd rather not hear it. I don't mind. I also have a choice lot of dirty stories. They all react to my disadvantage, but I think it helps. That's why I am profane.

MARION SURPRISED

ASHBURY Park, N. J., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Marion Talley has been stunned by so many girls smoking in the east. Girls in the middle-west don't puff nearly so much, she says.

YOU GUESSED IT

ALEXANDRIA BAY, N. Y., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Irving Berlin is fishing from a motor boat named "Always." There are reports that the title of his next song will contain four letters.

Radio Program

International Radio Programs
ETHER'S WHITE-CAPS

5:15 P. M. WPG (300) Atlantic City—Ethel Rattay Fowler's Fashion Flashes and Theatrical Review.
6:00 P. M WMBB (250) Chicago—Trianon Duo Operatic Program, and Genevieve Burnham, vocal.
7:00 P. M. WIP (509) Philadelphia. Chalfonte-Haddon Hall Dual Trio, Atlantic City N. J.
7:30 P. M. WHO (526) Des Moines—Fourteenth U. S. Cavalry Band by remote control from Fort Des Moines Army Post.

EVENING CONCERTS
5:30 P. M.
KFAM (341) Lincoln. Musicale.
6:00 P. M.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Salon Concert, also WEEI WGR, WCAE, WTAM, WWJ.
6:30 P. M.
WEAF (492) N. Y. "Eveready Hour," also from KSD, WCAE, WCCO, WEAR, WEEI, WFI, WGR, WGN, WJAR, OC, WSAI, WTAG, WWJ.
7:30 P. M.
BAP (476) Fort Worth. Recital.
WHO (526) Des Moines. Fourteenth U. S. Cavalry Band by remote control from Fort Des Moines Army Post.
8:00 P. M.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Moment Musicale, to WEEI, WGR, WTAG, WFI, WRY, KSD, WTAM and WCSH.
WOC (484) Davenport. Seventh Band Concert.
8:30 P. M.
WFAA (476) Dallas. Musical.
9:10 P. M.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Organ Concert.
10:00 P. M.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Accordeon Selections.
FEATURE TALKS — CONCERTS
9:10 P. M.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Southwestern Road Bulletin.
WANT TO DANCE
(Name of Orchestra Given.)
8:30 P. M.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Jack Albins, to WEEI, WFI, WWJ, WCAE, WGR, WTAM, WTAG, KSD, WCSH.
10:00 P. M.
WOAW (526) Omaha. Krug Park Orchestra.
11:00 P. M.
WFAA (476) Dallas. Jimmy Jay's.
12:30 A. M.
KHJ (405) Los Angeles. Hickman's.

My Favorite Stories

By IRVIN S. COBB

THE PASS-WORD WOULD BE "FORE!"

casion to take a business trip into interior Georgia. He bore his golf sticks with him, intending to stop off on his way back for a match on the famous course of Augusta.

He dropped off the train at his business destination—a small town on a branch road—and, carrying his luggage, climbed into an ancient hack and bade the driver, who was an old negro man, take him to the local hotel.

The darky eyed the queer-looking leather bag that the stranger toted with the peculiar sticks in it. His curiosity got the better on him.

"Boss," he began, "please suh, 'scuse me—but mout I ax you a question?"

"Go ahead and ask," said the passenger.

"Whut kind of a lodge is you institutin'?"

JEALOUSY CAUSES DEATH

Cafe Operator and Man Found Dead In Corn Field

CLARINDA, Ia., Aug. 23.—(AP)—A theory that jealousy may have been the cause of the fatal shooting of Miss Elsie Benge, formerly of Maryville, Mo., and Thomas E. Anderson, a traveling salesman for the U. S. Stock Powder company of Council Bluffs was advanced today.

Persons at a cafe at which the girl was the proprietor said she had been paying attention to other men and it is the theory of county officers that Anderson shot her and himself following a quarrel. Their bodies were found yesterday in a corn field near here.

ATTENDS FUNERAL

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Michael Rado attended his own funeral yesterday as a mourner.

While the funeral was truly his own, it was not for all of him. To be exact, it was for his right leg which had been amputated. The leg was embalmed and a requiem mass held for it.

PLAN WIRE SERVICE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Expansion of a federal telegraphic communication service, based on the vast system of the army and navy to provide free facilities for all federal agencies, including congress, is planned by the budget bureau.

A start in this direction was made a year ago and the plan already has developed to such proportions, Director Lord has found, that there are few federal establishments which do not make some use of the extensive communication systems operated by the war and navy departments.

TRACKS WASHED OUT

Heavy Rains In Mexico Damage Right-of-Ways

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Headquarters of the national railways here has received reports that heavy rains have washed out the tracks near Queretaro, causing suspension of the Mexico-City-Laredo service.

Dispatches from Leon report that the nearby town of Salao has been inundated my flood waters from the Salao river. Considerable property damage has been reported, but no loss of life.

D.o.t.s P.u.z.z.l.e.s



JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"Five Cents for Your Thoughts."
"That'll Buy An Ice Cream Cone!"

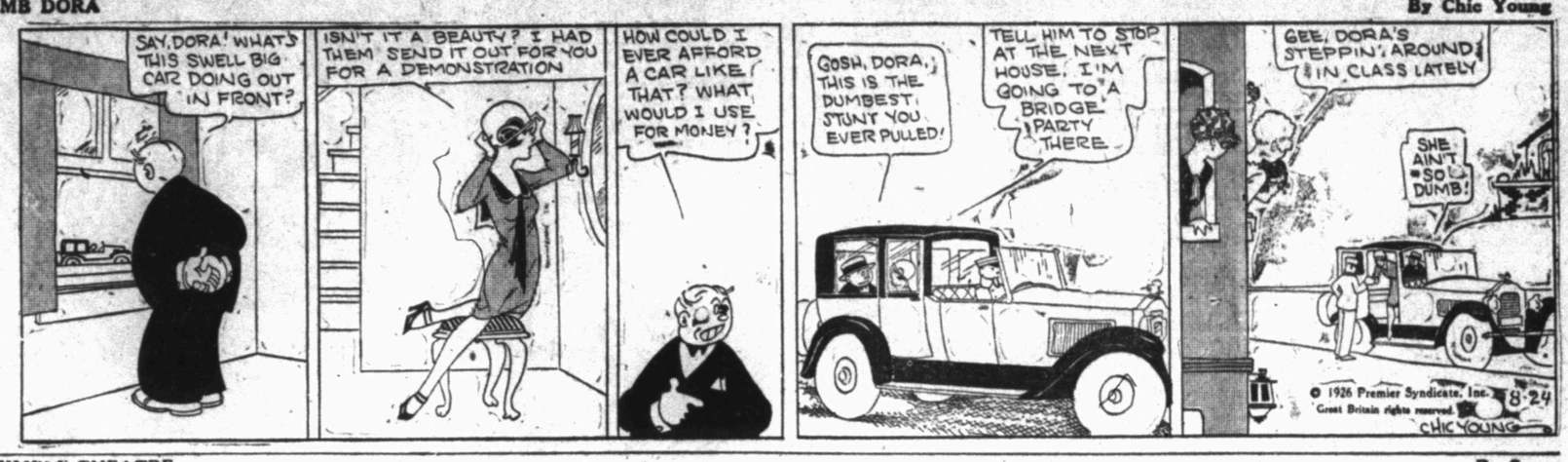
THE NEBBS

By Bi Sol Hess



DUMB DORA

By Chic Young



THIMBLE THEATRE

By Segar



REGULAR FELLERS

—By Gene Byrnes



MINUTE MOVIES

By Wheelan



YOU KNOW ME AL

—Words By Ring Lardner



SPORTING NEWS — THE RECORD NEWS — FIRST ACCURATE COMPLETE

Shades of Rube Waddell And Eddie Plank! Buster Shows Dallas Real Stuff

LaFayette, Ross and Jenkins Combine on Hunter to Defeat Leaders by 3-2 Score.

BY BLONDY CROSS.

Chester (Bus) Ross, Carl Williams' baby boy wronghander, went the route yesterday against the Texas league's leading team without so much as an intimation of very serious casualty being registered on him.

What is more, the boy wonder tagged it on the arrogant Dallas outfit in one of the sweetest pieces of pitching battles enacted on the domestic greensward the current season.

Hurling for all the world like a youthful prototype of the ancient Rube Waddel and Eddie Plank combined, Buster let a couple of hits, an error and a walk get him in bad during the first round, then settled down and slung huge goose eggs at the loop toppers the rest of the way, copping the series opener by a 3 to 2 score.

Hap Morse led off in the initial frame with a single to center. Turgeon dropped the throw to first base on Turkey Gross' sacrifice bunt and then Fred Brainard laid another down, advancing each runner a base. Miller was purposely passed and Riley singled down first base way, scoring both Morse and Gross. Lamb chunked Riley out at second when the latter tried to stretch the blow. O'Brien retired with a hoist to Fitzgerald in center. That concluded the advance for Dallas.

Win Fourth.

Wichita Falls found Spike Huuter's slants difficult to solve in the clinches but finally through the pummeling ability of the great Jenkins along with biffs by LaFayette and Bus himself, mixed with a couple of walks, refrigerated the affair in the fourth and sent Spike shuffling to the bench.

There was one out in the fourth when Lapan drew a base on balls. Ross followed with a bingle at the box that bounded away before it could be snared and a play made. Lapan went to second. LaFayette punched a Texas leaguer back of short, scoring Lapan. The blow evidently unnerved Hunter, because he promptly walked Turgeon. That was a tough break for Dallas, for the mighty Jenkins came next to the firing line. He already had hit a couple, so perhaps Spike figured a percentage was against the swarthy Mr. Dynamite. And again your gambler's odds were wrong. To make the tale short, but not necessarily spicy, permit us to chronicle without further ado the fact this fellow Jenkins shot a burning rift to left field.

Only a Single, But—

'Twas but a single. 'Twas enough. Ross and LaFayette, ever on his toes, dashed home with the tying and victory markers.

There's little more to recount. Manager Snipe sent Scott Perry, huge right hander, to the chunking dome. It mattered not that Scott had heaved a nine-inning game the day before. He turned back the homelings scoreless thereafter.

After the third, when Gross opened with a single but could get no further than second, Ross never was in any appreciable trouble. Base hits on the whole were a scarcity. The Spudders combed seven from the combined deliveries of Hunter and Perry. Dallas and Fred Brainard, who doubled once, slapped a sextet of safeties off Buster.

There were several flossy fielding feats we should elaborate on. For instance, Jenkins pulled a number of neat cowboy gallops and startling stabs in the Spud port garden. Parry O'Brinesky roamed back to the center wall at one stage and filched Lapan of a base blow. DeFate and Benton sparkled on the inner defense, Choco coming up with two or three unordinary maneuvers.

DALLAS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Morse, 2b	4	1	2	1	6	0
Gross, ss	2	1	0	1	2	0
Brainard, cf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Miller, rf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Riley, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Hungling	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lind, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Brien, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Tate, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Billings, c	4	0	1	5	0	0
Hunter, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Perry, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Conley, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sutherland p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	2	6	24	10	0

Conley batted for Perry in the seventh.

Hungling batter for Riley in the eighth.

WICHITA F.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
LaFayett. 1b	4	1	2	8	2	0
Turgeon, 2b	4	0	0	6	0	1
Jenkins, lf	4	0	3	5	0	0
Lamb, rf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Benton, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Fitzgerald, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
DeFate, ss	4	0	0	2	2	0
Lapan, c	3	1	0	2	1	0
Ross, p	4	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	3	7	28	8	1

Dallas—

Runs	200	000	000—2
Hits	201	100	110—6

Wichita Falls—

Runs	000	300	00x—3
Hits	201	300	10x—7

Two base hits, Jenkins, Fitzgerald, Brainard; sacrifice hits, Gross 2, Brainard; runs batted in, Jenkins 2, Riley 2, LaFayette 1; left on bases, Dallas 7, Wichita Falls 11; struck out, by Ross 2 (Tate, Hunter) by Hunter 1 (Fitzgerald) by Sutherland 2 (DeFate, Ross); bases on balls, off Hunter 4 (Benton 2, Lamb, Turgeon), off Ross 3 (Miller 2, Tate) off Perry 1 (Fitzgerald), off Sutherland 1 (LaFayette); Hits and runs, off Hunter 6 and 3 in 3 1-3 innings, off Perry 0 and 0 in 2 2-3 innings. Losing pitcher, Hunter; Time of game 1:45; Umpires Daley and Held.

TAKES MEDALIST HONORS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Bagging an eagle four birdies and eight pars in a round in a steady shower, Mrs. Lee W. Mida, ranking player of the Butterfield Country club, Chicago, took medalist honors in the qualifying round of the women's western championship tournament today with a remarkable 80, two under women's par for the difficult number four course at Olympia field.

SEEDED STARS WIN.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Four of the nine seeded stars in the annual Newport invitation tennis tournament including William T. Tilden and William M. Johnston, came through their opening matches today with Brian I. C. Norton of San Antonio, making the pace for the favorites by pushing into the fourth round.

Dutch Will Be Well Protected, Says Boss Cop

Dutch Mantell, the Amarillo ape, evidently has been doing quite a bit of heavy thinking since his bout the past week with Billy Romonoff when the wolves came very near to ganging him.

The comical Dutch wrassler is billed with Yaqui Joe the Indian speedster in a finish match Thursday. Dutch declared when notified he had been carded with Joe that he was a bit dubious or words similar meaning about meeting the popular redskin in Wichita Falls. "If you've got to have me wrestle him send him up to Amarillo," he said, "if I mess up your pet down here I'm liable to get mobbed."

Mantell pulled out for Amarillo Saturday morning. Monday morning he sent a rush wire to Matchmaker Alec Ross saying:

"How about police protection for Thursday? I will not come down until you have arranged for same. Wire me at once. New York rules, nothing barred Am waiting reply."

The local promoter answered Dutch as follows:

"Wichita Falls has the best police protection of any city in the United States. Chief Hodgins says that if he can't give you sufficient protection any other way he will put you in jail and protect you there."

130,000 Tickets For Big Fight Put On Press

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 23.—(AP) Orders for 130,000 tickets for the Dempsey-Tunney heavyweight championship bout September 23 have been placed with the printers and it is expected they will be placed on sale before the end of the week. The advance sale exceeds $200,000.

Although Dempsey is understood to have decided on finishing his training at Atlantic City, exposition officials are hoping they can persuad. him to establish his camp here. Tunney's new site has not yet been announced.

Dempsey, Tex Rickard, promoter of the fight, and Billy Gibson, Tunney's manager, had engagements today as guests of Mayor Kendrick and exposition officials.

James J. Corbett, former world's heavyweight champion, is due Tuesday. Corbett asserts he has the first claim to use of the stadium for a fight in which Dempsey would be one of the principals and he is contemplating proceedings for an injunction.

Cats Curb Sports With Early Lead

SHREVEPORT, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The Panthers went back into third place here today when they beat the Sports 6 to 5 in the opener of a three-game series. Wildness of Pitchers Gleason and Wilkins, a recruit from Texarkana, gave the Fort Worth Cats a five run lead in the opening inning but the locals outplayed them in the remainder of the game. Dick Kerr worked for the Atmen and was hit hard at times though three errors helped in Shreveport running its count to five runs.

FT. WORTH	ab.	h.	po.	a.	SHREVEPORT	ab.	h.	po.	a.
E. Moore cf	4	1	3	1	Distel ss	5	2	2	3
P'kinson 3b	4	0	1	3	Taylor cf	5	0	1	0
Compton rf	5	0	0	0	Gulley rf	4	1	2	0
Sears lf	5	2	1	0	Kirka 1b	4	0	12	2
Koney 1b	5	1	11	1	Hoffman 2b	4	2	5	5
Smith c	3	1	7	0	Woehrs 3b	4	2	1	4
L'more 2b	3	1	3	5	Nason lf	4	3	1	0
Windle ss	2	0	0	4	Graham c	1	0	1	0
Kerr p	4	2	1	2	Wilder c	2	0	1	0
					Gleason p	0	0	0	0
					Wilkins p	0	0	0	0
					T'mpson p	1	0	2	1
					1Adkis	1	0	0	0
					2Phelan	0	0	0	0
					Cason p	2	0	0	0
Totals	35	8	27	16	Totals	37	10	27	15

1Batted for Graham in 5th.
2Batted for Thompson in 5th.

Fort Worth	500	000	010—6
Shreveport	000	020	003—5

Runs, Parkinson, Compton, Koney, Smith 2, Lindimore, Hoffman, Woehrs 2, Nason; errors, Parkinson, Compton, Kerr, Nason; two-base hits Lindimore, Nason; three-base hit, Hoffman; sacrifice, Lindimore; double play, Kerr to Lindimore to Koney; bases on balls, off Gleason 3, off Kerr 1, off Wilkins 1; struck out, by Kerr 2, by Thompson 1, by Cason 1; pitching record, off Gleason 1 hit, 4 runs in 2-3 innings, off Wilkins 1 hit, 1 run in no inning (pitched to two batters), off Thompson 2 hits, no runs in 4 1-3 innings; left on bases, Fort Worth 7, Shreveport 5. Time, 1:45. Umpires, Osborne and Griggs.

New York Girl Beaten By Channel

DOVER, England, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The English channel for the second time has beaten Miss Clara Bell Barrett of New Rochelle, N. Y., who today made brave attempt to emulate Gertrude Ederle's achievement, but was obliged because of the rough sea, sickness and cold to abandon her task after swimming for three hours, forty minutes. She was then about five miles off south Foreland in the vicinity of Goodwin Sands.

On the way back to Dover in the motor boat, she said:

"I shall not try again this year. I am going back to the United States in a few days, but will come over again next summer and try once more."

CUBS OUTHIT BEARS TO WIN

Free Hitting Affair Too Much For Bears, Who Get 16 Hits

WACO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The Waco Cubs celebrated their return home today by trouncing the San Antonio Bears 19 to 8. Both teams slugged the ball hard and often, but the Cubs had the edge in hitting in the pinches. In the third inning Siglin, pinch-hitting for Watt, hit a home run with two on and put the Bears in the lead. The Cubs had scored five runs in the second inning on five hits. In the fifth Boggess hit a homer and West also cracked one in the eighth. Bodie hit a homer in the eighth. The Bears used four pitchers and the Cubs got by with two although the visitors got 16 hits.

SAN ANTONIO	ab.	h.	po.	a.	WACO	ab.	h.	po.	a.
G'nzales 2b	6	2	4	4	M'N'ara rf	4	2	2	0
P'amper ss	6	2	1	3	Pratt 2b	6	4	1	3
Rabbitt cf	5	5	1	0	West cf	5	4	3	0
Bodie lf	4	1	2	0	Boggess lf	6	2	0	0
Phipps rf	4	2	1	0	Glass 3b	5	1	0	2
Segrist 2b	3	2	2	3	W'gamot c	4	2	11	1
Golvin 1b	5	1	6	0	Ussatt ss	4	2	3	3
Wirts c	2	0	5	1	Shires 1b	2	1	8	1
Watt p	1	0	0	0	Henson p	1	0	1	0
1Siglin	1	1	0	0	P'smith p	2	0	0	1
Lindsey p	0	0	0	0					
2Long	1	0	0	0					
Owens p	0	0	0	0					
Ward p	2	1	0	0					
Miles c	1	0	2	0					
Totals	41	16	24	13	Totals	39	19	27	9

1—Hit for Watt in third.
2—Hit for Lindsey in fifth.

San Antonio	015	000	110— 8
Waco	050	245	03x—19

Runs, Flaskamper, Rabbitt, Bodie 2, Segrist 2, Wirts, Siglin, McNamara, 3, Pratt 5, West 2 Boggess 2, Wolgamot 2, Ussatt 2, Shires 2, Priesmith; errors, Bodie, Segrist, Golvin; two base hits, Rabbitt, Ussatt, Pratt, West, Glass, Wolgamot, Flaskamper; double plays, Shires to Ussatt; home runs, Siglin, Boggess, Bodie, West; sacrifices, Wolgamot, Priesmuth; losing pitcher, Lindsey; winning pitcher, Priesmuth; bases on balls, Watt 1, Henson 4, Priesmuth 2, Lindsey 2 Wards 2; struck out, Watt 1, Hensen 4 Priesmuth 6, Lindsey 1, Watt 1; pitching record: Hit by pitcher, Segrist, by hensen, McNamara by Ward; by Watt 2 innings, 5 runs, 7 hits; Hensen 7 2-3 innings, 6 runs, 8 hits; Lindsey 2 innings, 2 runs, 4 hits; Owens 1 inning, 4 runs, 3 hits. Umpires, Donohue and Fanning.

Electrics Shade All-Stars, 4-3, In Ten Frames

Wichita Falls Electric company defeated the Electra All-Star baseball team at Electra Sunday in a well played tenInning game, 4 to 3. Each team used two pitchers Kollman and Audree pitched good ball for the Electric company. A timely single by Sargent drove in two runs and tied the score in the eighth inning, neither team could score in the ninth. nI the tenth Skeen got on by an error. Gordon singled and Buss singled, scoring Skeen with what proved to be the winning run. Ray, first man up in the tenth for Electra went out, second to first, Courtney walked, Williamson drove a hot one at Audree which Williamson a hot one at Audree which he snagged and doubled Courtney off first.

W. P. ELECTRIC CO.	AB	R.	H	PO	A.	E.
Andree, 2b-p	5	0	1	4	8	0
Whatley, ss	5	0	0	2	1	1
Skeen, cf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Blue, 2b	5	1	2	1	3	1
Gordon, 1b	5	0	1	15	0	0
Buss, lf-c	5	0	1	1	0	0
Taylor, rf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Duke, c-lf	4	0	0	4	1	0
Kollman, p-2b	4	1	2	1	1	0
Totals	42	4	10	30	14	2

ELEC ALL-STARS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Ray, 2b	4	1	0	2	2	0
T. Courtney, ss	4	0	1	3	1	1
Williamson, c	5	0	1	10	0	0
Mullens, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Sargent, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Scott, 1b	4	0	0	7	0	0
Warren, 3b	4	0	0	3	1	1
Nix, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Stevens, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Mullens, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
F. Ray, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	37	3	6	30	6	2

Two base hits, Kollman, Blue, Courtney. Sacrifice hits, Andree. Innings pitched, by Koliman 6, one run, two hits; Andree 4, 2 runs, 4 hits; Mullen 6, 3 runs, 6 hits; Ray 1 run, 4 hits. Struck out by Andree 4, Mullins 3, Ray 3. Bases on balls, Andree 2, Mullen 2, Ray 1. Passed ball, Williamson. Double play, Andree to Gordon.



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

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

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

Hunt Prisoner

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Search of more than 100 officers and men for two armed military prisoners who escaped from Fort Sam Houston prison Saturday continued Monday, with the searchers believed close on the refugees' trail.

Capt. Charles Mueller, prison commander, reorganized his hunt for the men, who may have gained entrance into San Antonio under cover of darkness.

The prisoners escaped by choking and clubing their guard into unconsciousness. One was from New Orleans and the other from New York. Both had been sentenced to long terms by court martial.

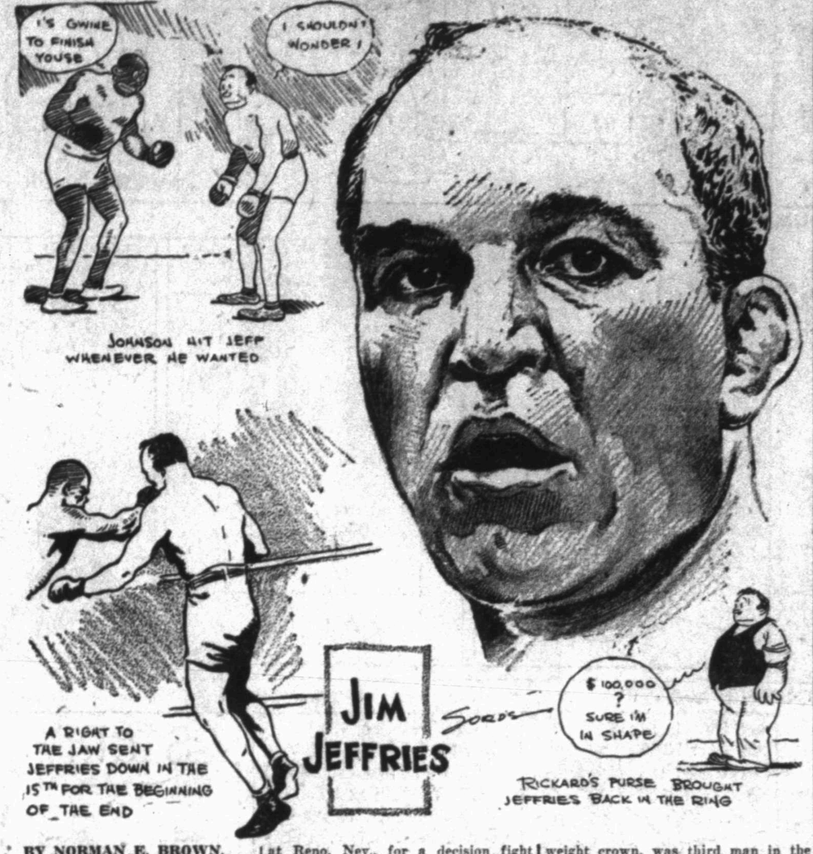
MAJOR LOOP LEADERS

NATIONAL

Batting, Hargrave, Reds, .370; hits, Brown, Braves, 157; runs, Cuyler, Pirates, 83; doubles, Heathcote, Cubs, 32; triples, Walker, Reds, 20; homers, Ruth, Yankees, 39; stolen bases, Rumsfield, White Sox, 31; pitching, Dauss, Tygers, won 9, lost 3.

BASEBALL
WICHITA FALLS
—vs.—
DALLAS
4 p. m.
Tickets on sale Renfro's, Miller's and Smith's No. 4 Drug Stores, Noble Gray's News Stand and City National Bank Cigar Store.

THE LAST ROUND
Jeffries Is Foolish Enough to Meet Crafty Johnson



BY NORMAN E. BROWN.

On the third day of July, 1900, Marvin Hart and Jack Root, two heavyweights, climbed into the ring at Reno, Nev., for a decision fight for the world's heavyweight championship.

Jim Jefferies, holder of the heavyweight crown, was third man in the ring that day. When Hart dropped Root in the twelfth round the referee raised Hart's hand in token of victory and thereupon presented him with the world's championship crown, figuratively at least, to defend against all comers. Jefferies had retired, had ignored unheeded pleas to remain in the game and took this way of passing on the crown.

The following year Tommy Burns won a 20-round decision over Hart and claimed the title. For two years Jack Johnson, later destined to write a sensational and black page in pugilistic history, hounded Burns for a match. They finally met in Australia. Burns, meanwhile had defended his "title" twice—against Jack O'Brien and Bill Squires.

Johnson beat Burns in 14 rounds, the police interfering, I believe. The bout was staged in Sydney, Australia, whence Johnson had chased Burns.

Jefferies Hears Call.

Immediately the hue and cry was raised for Jefferies to come out of retirement and bring the title back to the white race. On July 4, 1910, five years after he had handed down the title and six years after his last appearance in the ring, Jeffries came out.

He had led a peaceful, contented life of comparative ease. Always huge in frame he had taken on weight. Those close to him advised him against heeding the public call but the $100,000 purse offered by Tex Rickard swung his decision.

Johnson was then at the height of his career. There are those who will tell you that Johnson, in his prime, was the greatest of all heavyweights—combining bulk, stamina, speed, hitting power and a world of science. They have some grounds on which to argue.

Jeffries trained for the fight for many weeks. He trained listlessly, however. Friends and experts called in to help him train found it hard to "drag" him to his daily workouts. He became surly and even resentful. He was but a shadow of the old Jeff when he climbed into the ring. There was talk afterward that he had been doped. This probably was unnecessary, however. Johnson outclassed him in speed, stamina and even hitting power. He toyed with the old boilermaker for 15 rounds—knocking him out in that one.

Tex Rickard refereed the fight himself.

The gate receipts were the largest ever taken in up to that time. Betting on the fight was huge, western men backing Jeffries heavily despite his age—or rather because he was white. Johnson's victory set his colored followers wild with delight. Then, with the opportunity before him of holding the title with honor for years and permitting his people to bask in the sunlight of glory he reflected, Johnson proceeded to run wild. His dissipation finally turned public sentiment against him.

When Jim Jeffries Took the Count

Here's how the wires told the tale of Jim Jeffries' end at Reno, Nev., July 4, 1910, at the hands of Jack Johnson:

Round 15—They rushed straight into a clinch. Johnson wriggled out of it and hooked a left to the jaw. Jeffries clinching promptly. Getting clear of his man again Johnson whipped three lefts to the jaw and the boilermaker reeled. The negro realizing that the end was near, rushed his man to a point near the ropes, and with a right on the jaw, followed by a left uppercut, he knocked Jeffries down flat upon his back. The white man got up on one knee and took a count of nine. As he struggled up Johnson was on top of him, piling in blow after blow and almost knocking Jeffries out of the ring. This time the referee's count was slower and Jeffries managed to crawl to his feet in a dazed and helpless condition. The timekeeper had counted him out. But nobody heard him. With a chance for a knockout presenting itself Johnson rushed him across the ring, swinging right and left for the head. A hook on the jaw finally tumbled Jeffries in a heap in the corner. Jeffries, game to the end, tried to get his bearings and managed to get upon his feet before the count of 10 had been told, when Berger jumped into the ring and ordered Rickard to stop the fight for the purpose of saving Jeffries from a knockout.

Jeffries was hanging over the ropes with his face toward the crowd, apparently oblivious to his surroundings, when Berger made this move, and as Rickard seemed to hesitate the crowd, satisfied that Johnson was the better man, cried "Stop the fight!" Then Rickard ordered the negro to his corner and declared him the winner.

So passed Jeffries the great.

MISS CANNON BEATEN.

CAPE GRIS-NEZ, France, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Miss Lillian Cannon of Baltimore abandoned her attempt to swim the channel tonight, when 4 1-2 miles from Cape Gris-Nez, where she had entered the water.

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YANKS ADD TO LENGTHY LEAD

Shocker Bests Levsen In Pitching Duel By 3 to 2

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The Yankees increased their lead in the American league to ten full games here today when they defeated the Indians by a score of 3 to 2. Urban Shocker had the better of Emil Levsen, Cleveland's young star in a pitching duel.

CLEVELAND	ab	h	po	a
M'Nulty lf	4	0	1	0
S'rgeon 2b	4	1	2	1
Speaker cf	4	1	4	0
Burns 1b	3	1	4	0
J.Sewell ss	4	2	1	3
Summa rf	4	1	1	0
L.Sewell c	4	1	6	2
Lutzke 3b	3	0	1	0
Wyatt	1	0	0	0
Levsen p	2	0	0	1
2Richrodt	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	7	24	8

NEW YORK	ab	h	po	a
Gazella ss	3	1	3	3
Combs cf	4	1	2	0
Lehrig 1b	3	1	11	1
Ruth rf	3	0	1	0
Meusel lf	3	0	2	0
Lazzeri 2b	3	0	3	2
Dugan 3b	4	1	1	1
Severeid c	4	1	3	0
Shocker p	2	0	1	2
Totals	26	5	27	14

Cleveland ..... 100 000 010—2
New York ..... 000 120 00x—3

1—Batted for Lutzke in 9th.
2—Batted for Levsen in 9th.

Runs, Spurgeon 2, Gazella, Meusel, Severeid; errors, Meusel, Lazzeri; two base hits, Gazella; stolen bases, Meusel; sacrifices, Lazzeria, McNulty, Shocker, Burns; double plays, Lazzeri Gazella and Gehring; left on bases, New York 8; Cleveland 4; base on balls, off Shocker 2; Levsen 7; struck out, by Shocker 2, Levsen 1; passed ball, L. Sewell.

Tigers Cop Series Opener With Boston

BOSTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Detroit opened its Boston series today by defeating the Red Sox 9 to 1 in a game featured by hard hitting on the part of the visitors. Collins did his part by holding Boston to eight hits while his team mates chalked up eleven off the Red Sox pitchers. The hitting of Fothergill and Heilmann and Blue's fielding stood out. Score:

DETROIT	ab	h	po	a
Blue 1b	3	0	16	1
Manush cf	4	0	0	0
F'hergill lf	3	2	9	0
H'mann rf	4	2	4	0
O'R'rke 3b	4	2	0	2
G'ringer 2b	4	1	0	4
Tavener ss	3	0	3	2
Woodall c	3	1	4	0
Collins p	4	2	0	3
Totals	32	11	27	12

BOSTON	ab	h	po	a
Tobin rf	4	0	1	0
Rigney ss	3	1	2	3
Jenkins cf	4	2	1	0
Rsenthal lf	4	2	1	0
Regan 2b	4	1	1	7
Todt 1b	2	1	14	0
Haney 3b	4	1	4	1
Gaston c	4	0	3	1
Wiltse p	0	0	0	1
Welzer p	3	0	0	4
Russell p	0	0	0	2
2Shaner	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	8	27	19

1—Batted for Russell in 9th.
Detroit ..... 211 000 050—9
Boston ..... 000 100 000—1

Runs, Manush 2, Fothergill 1, Heilmann, Tavener, Woodall 2, Collins, Rosenthal; errors, Heilmann, Rosenthal, Regan; two base hits, Fothergill, Heilmann, Collins, Rigney; sacrifices, Woodall 2, Collins, Blue; double plays, Gehringer to Tavener to Blue; Blue to Tavener; Gaston to Haney; Haney to Todt; Welzer to Rigney to Regan to Todt; left on bases, Detroit 6; Boston 5; base on balls, off Collins 3; Wiltse 2; Welzer 6; struck out, by Collins 4; Wiltse 2; Welzer 1; hits, off Wiltse 6 in 7 1-3; Welzer 4 in 5 1-3; Russell 1 in 1; hit by pitcher, by Welzer (Fothergill); Passed ball, Gaston; losing pitcher, Wiltse.

Browns Biff Sens In Late Rally, 8-4

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—A Wild pitch by Marberry and poor defensive playing by the Senators in the eighth inning enabled St. Louis to score four runs to break a tie and win today's game, 8 to 4. The Senators had knotted the count in the seventh after the Browns had crossed the plate four times in the third inning.

ST. LOUIS	ab	h	po	a
Bennett lf	4	2	3	0
H.Rice cf	3b 5	3	3	0
Sisler 1b	4	1	9	0
Miller rf	4	2	2	0
M'M'nus 2b	5	1	5	4
Schang c	4	2	3	0
R'tsn 3b	3	0	2	4
Durst cf	1	0	0	0
Gerber ss	2	2	0	5
Giard p	2	0	0	1
Ballou p	0	0	0	0
Wingard p	0	0	0	1
1Williams	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	13	27	13

WASHINGTON	ab	h	po	a
M'Neely lf	4	3	2	0
Stewart 2b	4	0	2	2
E. Rice rf	5	2	2	0
Myer ss	3	0	5	3
Goslin cf	4	1	1	1
J. Harris 1b	3	1	7	0
Reeves 3b	0	0	0	0
Bluege 3b	1	0	1	0
Judge 1b	1	0	1	1
Tate c	3	0	6	1
Murray p	4	2	0	2
Marberry p	0	0	0	1
2Peck	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	9	27	11

1—Batted for Ballou in 8th.
2—Batted for Reeves in 9th.
St. Louis ..... 004 000 040—8
Washington ..... 002 000 200—4

Runs, Bennett 2, H. Rice, Miller, Schang, Robertson Gerber 2, McNeely, Myer, Goslin, Murray; errors, Reeves, Tate; two base hits, Bennett, McNeely 2; three base hits, H. Rice; stolen bases, Schang; sacrifices, J. Harris, Bennett, Judge, Stewart; double plays, Gerber to McManus to Sisler; left on bases St. Louis 7; Washington 12; base on balls, off Giard 8; Murray 2; Marberry 1; struck out, by Ballou 1; Wingard 1; Murray 3; Marberry 1; hits, off Giard 7 in 6; Ballou 1 in 1; Wingard 1 in 2; Murray 10 in 7 (none out in 8th); Marberry 3 in 2. Hit by pitcher, by Murray (Schang). Wild pitch, Marberry; winning pitcher, Ballou; losing pitcher, Murray.

Pittsburgh Drops To Second Place

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Pittsburgh dropped to second place by a mere percentage point by splitting a double header with Brooklyn here today. Max Carey recently waived from the Pirates was in center field for the Dodgers. Brooklyn won the first game 6 to 3, with oppertune hitting, but the Pirate sluggers were turned loose in the second for a 10 to 2 verdict. Score:

FIRST GAME.

BROOKLYN	ab	h	po	a
Fewster 2b	5	0	1	1
Carey cf	3	2	2	0
J'cobson rf	3	2	5	0
Herman 1b	5	1	8	0
Felix lf	4	2	4	0
Marriott 3b	5	2	1	2
Butler ss	5	2	2	2
Deberry c	4	0	4	0
Petty p	4	1	0	1
Totals	38	13	27	6

PITTSBURGH	ab	h	po	a
Waner rf	4	1	0	0
Rhyne ss	3	1	1	2
Cuyler cf	3	1	1	0
Traynor 3b	4	1	1	3
Barnhart lf	4	1	5	0
G'ntham 1b	3	0	10	1
R'wlings 2b	4	1	4	3
Smith c	2	0	8	1
1Bush	1	0	0	0
Aldridge p	0	0	0	0
2M'Innis	1	0	0	0
Meadows p	1	0	0	2
Morrison p	1	0	0	0
Spencer c	1	0	0	2
Totals	32	6	27	12

1Batted for Smith in 7th.
2Batted for Aldridge in 8th.
Brooklyn ..... 005 000 101—7
Pittsburgh ..... 200 003 10x—6

Runs, Carey 2, Jacobson 2, Herman, Felix Petty, Cuyler, Traynor, Rawlings; errors, Herman, Deberry, Cuyler, Aldridge; two-base hit, Herman; three-base hit, Traynor; stolen bases, Barnhart, Cuyler; sacrifices, Jacobson, Felix; left on bases, Brooklyn 9; Pittsburgh 6; base on balls, off Meadows 1 off Petty 3, off Morrison 2; struck out, by Meadows 2, by Morrison 1, by Petty 2, by Aldridge 1; hits, off Meadows 6 in 2-3, off Aldridge 2 in 2, off Morrison 5 in 4 2-3; losing pitcher, Meadows.

SECOND GAME.

BROOKLYN	ab	h	po	a
Bohne 2b	4	1	1	6
J'cobson cf	3	0	3	1
Cox rf	3	2	3	0
Herman 1b	3	1	8	1
Felix lf	3	1	1	0
Marriott 3b	4	1	1	0
Butler ss	4	2	2	3
O'Neil c	4	0	7	0
Barnes p	1	0	1	1
Ehrhardt p	1	0	0	0
Williams p	1	0	0	1
Totals	32	8	24	13

PITTSBURGH	ab	h	po	a
Waner rf	5	3	3	0
Rhyne ss	5	3	3	2
Cuyler cf	4	3	4	0
Traynor 3b	5	1	3	0
Barnhart lf	3	1	2	0
G'tham 1b	4	2	4	1
R'wlings 2b	1	1	4	3
Gooch c	4	1	3	0
Yde p	4	0	1	1
Totals	35	15	27	6

Brooklyn ..... 000 100 001— 2
Pittsburgh ..... 025 101 10x—10

Runs, Cox, Herman, Waner 2, Rhyne 2, Cuyler, Traynor, Barnhart 2, Grantham; errors, Cox, Butler; two-base hits, Rhyne, Cox; three-base hits, Grantham, Cuyler 2; sacrifices, Rawlings 2, Felix; double plays, Rawlings, Rhyne to Grantham; Bohne, Butler to Herman; Yde, Rhyne to Grantham; left on bases, Brooklyn 8, Pittsburgh 6; bases on balls, off Yde 4, Barnes 1, Williams 2; struck out, by Ehrhardt 1, by Yde 3, by Williams 1; hits, off Barnes 7 in 2 2-3; Ehrhardt 3 in 2 1-3; Williams 5 in 3; losing pitcher, Barnes.

Leads Western League Hitters



Although he slipped recently from .420 to .409, Jim Blakesley, Omaha outfielder, still has a comfortable margin over his team mate, Ernest Orsatti, for the batting leadership of the Western league. Blakesley has participated in over 110 games to date and it is predicted that he will better the mark of .416 made by Jack Lelivelt, who played with Omaha in 1920. Blakesley has more than 30 home runs to his credit.

Corbett Completely Outclasses Osteen But Loses Decision In 8th Round on Accidental Foul

Moore Scraps Dean to Draw in Furious Four-Rounder—Carr Krocks Out Offutt.

BY BLONDY CROSS.

Jack Osteen, Hot Springs welterweight, was absolutely no match for Pat Corbett, Kansas City glovester, last night in the 10-round main event of the American legion punch program at the Eleventh and Ohio arena. Osteen was out-socked and out-boxed the greater part of eight rounds by a different Corbett than the one who participated in several mills here a year or so ago. But in the eighth and in seeming anxiety to atone for what had been a comparatively slow battle, Corbett during a rush in which he had Osteen retreating accidently sank his right below the belt, ringing the cup and sending Osteen to the canvas unable to return.

Osteen was awarded the fight on a foul by the writer who served as referee.

Osteen Hangs on.

There is not the slightest doubt but that the foul punch was unintentional. Corbett had had by far the better of the scrap throughout, pummeling his adversary back onto his heels several times and driving him into a shell out of which Osteen came only in occasional flurries. A greater part of the fight was done at close quarters and fandom hissed the clinching tactics. Osteen was guilty of holding most of the route with Corbett shooting hooks to his ribs and then endeavoring to push him away. It was when Corbett, apparently trying to get either a sorry fight finished or speed it up at any rate, chargeing Osteen with both fists flailing the foul occurred.

Corbett looks far better than he did on his last appearance here.

Before the bout started it was announced the winner probably will meet Duke Tramel of Fort Worth next week. Corbett was the physical winner all the way, technically the loser. He probably will be called upon to take Tramel.

Real Mixers.

Dempsey - Moore, Wichita Falls high school boy, weighing 175 pounds, made his ring debut in a four-round semi-final with Herschel Dean, announced as a 168-pounder from Shreveport. These boys mixed it freely throughout. Referee Wildcat Mopte rendered a draw decision. The verdict was good. Had there been a winner selected Moore would have earned a wee shade.

Trooper Carr, Wichita Falls 108-pounder, knocked out Frankie Offutt of Louisville, in the second round of a four-rounder with a right clip to the jaw.

Battling Dummy, black lightweight, beat Battling Slim, another dummy, into submission during the fourth round of a scheduled six-rounder.

Roughhouse Smith beat Battling Bill in a three-round curtain raiser. Both are peewees.

Club Standings

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.	Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas	75	58	.564	B'mont	65	68	.489
Santone	72	59	.549	Houston	65	68	.489
Ft. Worth	69	64	.519	W. FALLS	61	69	.469
S'rveport	67	63	.515	Waco	54	79	.406

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.	Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
N. York	77	45	.631	Wash'ton	59	59	.500
Cleveland	67	55	.549	Chicago	60	61	.496
Phila.	67	56	.545	St. Louis	51	71	.418
Detroit	63	57	.525	Boston	42	82	.339

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.	Club—	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	69	50	.580	N. York	58	59	.496
Pitts'gh	66	48	.579	Brooklyn	58	65	.472
Cinci.	69	51	.575	Boston	47	70	.402
Chicago	61	57	.517	Phila.	43	71	.377

Time For Desperate Deeds In Dallas

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Darkness before dawn. Deathly quiet. The hour for desperate deeds. Two news delivery boys stop their automobile at a downtown corner. Hold their papers. Suddenly they are halted by a clatter in an adjacent store. Robbers making their getaway.

Youth's chance for heroic adventure. They called night watchman. He tiptoes, gun in hand, prepared for anything. There is a faint disturbance within, the culprits stealing away, but no one to be seen. More help is called. The store is stealthily surrounded.

Then doors are suddenly flung open. Officers enter and discover—five big rats feasting on a can of overturned peanuts.

RANGEL IN MEXICO

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—General Jose M. Rangel, pardoned by Governor Ferguson a few days ago, after 13 years imprisonment in connection with the slaying of Deputy Sheriff Candelario Ortiz of Dimmit county, is now in Mexico, Consul General A. P. Carrillo said Monday.

He said that Sunday, in Laredo he had heard that the general and his companions had crossed over safely at Matamoros and were on their way to Mexico City.

It had been thought that Rangel would be re-arrested, District Attorney Valls of Laredo having said he intended such action.

Ma Charges Pen Change Combine

AUSTIN, Aug. 23—(AP)—Relocation of the entire prison system in Williamson county, home county of Attorney General Dan Moody, is being planned by Moody supporters, Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson charged here Monday.

Governor Ferguson vetoed the bill of the thirty-ninth legislature providing for concentration of the prison system within 75 miles of Austin.

"This scheme would cost the people more than $10,000,000 clear loss and somebody will make a profit out of it that would make any road contract look like thirty cents," the governor said.

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Yesterday's Results

TEXAS LEAGUE

WICHITA FALLS 3; Dallas 2.
Waco 19; San Antonio 8.
Fort Worth 8; Shreveport 5.
Only three games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York 3; Cleveland 2.
Detroit 9; Boston 1.
Philadelphia 4; Chicago 1.
St. Louis 8; Washington 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn 7-2; Pittsburgh 3-10.
Cincinnati 7; New York 6. (10 innings.)
Only two games played.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Tulsa 6; Omaha 7.
Wichita 1; Des Moines 7.
Oklahoma City 4; Denver 6.
Three games.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Jersey City 0; Toronto 3.
Newark 5-6; Buffalo 9-3.
Baltimore 2-6; Rochester 1-4.
Reading-Syracuse played as part of double header Tuesday.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Mobile 7; Chattanooga 6.
Mobile 0; Chattanooga 3.
New Orleans 1; Nashville 5.
Birmingham 9; Little Rock 0.
Atlanta 0; Memphis 2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville 1; Minneapolis 3.
Indianapolis 8; St. Paul 0.
Toledo 6; Milwaukee 3.
Columbus at Kansas City rain.

Macks Make It 2 Straight Over Sox

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The Athletics made it two straight over Chicago today by winning 4 to 1. Recruit Alex Metzler of Texas, distinguished himself in the field by throwing a runner out at the plate in the fourth and in the 8th inning he robbed Falk of an extra base drive by a race to the rear and a leaning catch. The efforts cut off at least three runs. Score:

CHICAGO	ab	h	po	a
Mostil cf	5	1	3	0
M'ehart 2b	4	2	1	1
Sheely 1b	4	1	8	2
Falk lf	2	0	4	0
Barrett rf	3	2	1	0
M'efield ss	4	0	0	5
Kamm 3b	4	0	1	1
Crous c	4	1	3	0
Thomas p	3	1	1	0
1Harris	1	0	1	0
Totals	34	8	24	7

PHILADELPHIA	ab	h	po	a
Bishop 2b	4	2	7	1
French rf	4	1	4	0
Metzler lf	4	1	4	1
Hale 2b	1	1	0	1
Simmons 2b	3	1	2	0
Poole 1b	4	1	6	1
Cochrane c	3	0	4	0
Galway ss	3	1	2	2
Ehmke p	1	0	0	1
Totals	31	9	27	7

1Batted for Thomas in 9th.
Chicago ..... 100 000 000—1
Philadelphia ..... 003 100 00x—4

Runs, Mostil, Bishop, French, Galloway; errors, Hale Poole; two base hits, Simmons, French; three base hits, Poole; stolen bases, Mostil; sacrifices, Ehmke 2, Barrett; double plays, Metzler and Cochrane; left on bases Chicago 9; Philadelphia 5; base on balls, off Ehmke 2; struck out, by Thomas 1; Ehmke 11; wild pitch, Ehmke.

PART OF MID-CONTINENT.

The question has arisen among oil men as to whether the Texas Panhandle was a part of the Mid-Continent general oil area, or a new oil district. Mid-Continent oil men are of the opinion that it is an integral part of the Mid-Continent.

MOLLA GAINS CROWN AGAIN

Defeats Bess Ryan In Sensational Fight, 4-6, 6-4, 9-7

FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Aug. 23. (AP)—Mrs. Molla B. Mallory of New York, seven times former champion, today regained the national women's tennis title in a sensational comeback that carried her to uphill victory over Miss Elizabeth Ryan of California 4-6, 6-4, 9-7, in the final round match of the championship tournament.

The result was a distinct upset as Miss Ryan was a strong favorite to take the title which Helen Wills relinquished after holding for the past three years. Mrs. Mallory last held the title in 1922.

Miss Ryan was erratic, losing control particularly at critical moments. The deception characteristic of her game was lacking for the most port as she struggled to gauge Mrs. Mallory's smashing drives. These fiery shots passed her repeatedly and were the deciding factor in the last two sets.

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Red Rally Puts Big Breeches On Giants

CINCINNATI, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Cincinnati started a brilliant rally to tie the score in the ninth and won in the tenth with none out, 7 to 6, over the Giants today. It was the fourth straight game the Reds carried into extra innings this first of which was a tie Saturday with Boston. It also marked the 9th straight victory for Cincinnati. George Kelly hit over the left field fence for a home run in the sixth inning. Score:

NEW YORK	ab	h	po	a
J'hnson rf	4	0	1	0
Mueller rf	2	0	1	0
L'strom 3b	4	1	0	1
Jackson ss	5	1	2	2
Meusel lf	4	1	6	0
Kelly 1b	4	2	9	0
Tyson cf	5	2	4	0
Farrell 2b	5	2	4	4
Snyder cf	5	3	0	2
G'efield p	4	0	0	3
Davies p	1	0	0	0
Totals	43	14	x27	12

CINCINNATI	ab	h	po	a
Critz 2b	4	2	4	5
Roush cf	5	1	2	0
Walker rf	5	1	2	0
Bressler lf	2	0	0	0
C'tensen lf	1	0	0	0
Pipp 1b	4	2	12	0
Picinich c	4	1	3	0
2Zitmann	0	0	0	0
Wingo c	0	0	1	0
Dressen 3b	4	1	1	6
Ford ss	3	0	2	4
Rixey p	2	0	0	0
Meeker p	0	0	0	0
1Lucas	1	0	0	0
Donohue p	0	0	0	0
3Hargrave	1	0	0	0
4 Allen	0	0	0	0
May p	0	0	0	0

x—None out when winning run scored.
1Batted for Meeker in 7th.
2Ran for Picinich in 9th.
3Batted for Donohue in 9th.
4Ran for Hargraves in 9th.
New York ..... 010 002 200 0—6
Cincinnati ..... 001 101 003 1—7

Runs, Lindstrom, Jackson, Meusel, Kelly 2, Tyson, Critz, Roush, Walker, Christensen, Zitman, Dressen 2; errors, Lindstrom, Dressen; two-base hits, Roush, Walker, Dressen, Lindstrom; home run, Kelly; stolen base, Christensen; sacrifices, Pipp, Ford, Meusel; double plays, Critz, Ford to Pipp; Greenfield, Jackson to Kelly; Lindstrom, Farrell to Kelly; left on bases Cincinnati 7, New York 10; bases on balls, off Rixey 1, off Meeker 1, off Greenfield 2, off Davies 1; struck out, by Rixey 1; hits, off Rixey 9 in 5 1-3; Meeker 3 in 1 2-3; Donohue 2 in 3; May, none in one; Greenfield 11 in 8 2-3; Davies 3 in 1-3 (none out in 10th); passed ball, Picinich. Winning pitcher, May; losing pitcher, Davies.

COOPER IS WINNER

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Earl Cooper won the first sprint race on the automobile speedway program here today, averaging 128.9 miles an hour to capture the first 25-mile event. His time was 11:38.5.

Officials announced that Cooper's mark was a world record for machines with ninety-one cubic inch motors.

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Latest News of the Markets

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK.—Stocks, higher; General Motors renews leadership.

Bonds, steady; Mexican issues improve.

Foreign exchanges, heavy; continental rates react 4 to 5 points.

Cotton, strong; bullish government report.

Sugar, easy; trade selling.

Coffee, lower; disappointing Brazilian cables.

CHICAGO.—Wheat, steady; sympathy with corn.

Corn, firm; decreasing stocks.

Cattle, steady to strong.

Hogs, firm.

15,284,000 Bale Crop Forecast by Government; Is 63.5 Percent Normal

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Cotton of this year's growth ginned prior to August 16 amounted to 181,572 running bales, counting round as half bales, compared with 572,291 bales ginned prior to that date last year and 135,901 bales in 1924, the census bureau today announced.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP) A cotton crop of 15,248,000 bales this year is indicated by the condition on August 16, which was 63.5 per cent of a normal, compared with 15,621,000 bales indicated on a condition of 69.8 on August 1, the department of agriculture today announced. Last year 16,103,676 bales were produced and the August 16 conditions were 62.0.

If developments during the rest of the season are as unfavorable as during 1921-22-23, a production of about 14,000,000 bales might be expected but if as favorable as during 1924-25 production of about 16,221,000 bales may result, the crop reporting board stated.

The August 16 condition of cotton by states follows:

Virginia 65; North Carolina 73; South Carolina 53; Georgia 56; Florida 70; Missouri 74; Tennessee 70; Alabama 65; Mississippi 67; Louisiana 64; Texas 61; Oklahoma 66; Arkansas 67; New Mexico 86; Arizona 83; California 94; all other states 79; Lower California (Old Mexico) 95.

Cotton

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—An advance of over $5 a bale in the cotton market followed publication of the government crop report today. December contracts which had sold off to 16.58 in the morning, advanced to 17.75, or 102 points above the closing price Saturday and 197 points above the low level of August 13. December closed at 17.69, the general market closing very steady at net advances of 94 to 99 points.

The opening was steady at an advance of two points to a decline of three points. There was some buying on reports of further showers in the south over the week end but Liverpool was relatively easy and the market here was rather easier during the forenoon on further pro-bureau liquidation. October sold off to 16.58 and January to 16.69, net declines of 12 to 15 points. The market was only a few points up from the lowest when business was suspended for the usual twenty minutes to receive the government report at mid-day.

The official condition figure of 63.5 and crop indication of 15,248,000 bales proved substantially below expectations. The crop indication was about 200,000 bales lower than the average of the private reports recently issued and probably half a million bales lower than anticipated by many local traders.

There was a rush to buy as soon as business was resumed after publication of the report. There was a good deal of realizing as prices worked higher, but offerings were readily absorbed by a broadening demand which was supposed to include considerable buying for European trade account and other buying to hedge prices. October sold up to 17.74 and January to 17.84, while March touched the 18 cent level or 98 to 104 points above Saturday's closing quotations. The close showed reactions of a few points under realizing.

Port receipts today 20,346, U. S. port stocks 592,675. Exports today 9,574, making 231,179 so far this season.

Cotton futures closed very steady at net advance of 94 to 99 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Oct.	17.74	16.58	17.69-71	16.70
Dec.	17.75	16.58	17.69-70	16.73
Jan.	17.84	16.69	17.77-79	16.83
Mar.	18.00	16.88	17.96-99	17.02
May	18.16	17.02	18.10-12	17.15

Opening: October 16.72; December 16.73; January 16.81; March 17.02; May 17.13.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Trading in the cotton market was extremely active today, particularly after the government crop report was made public. This report proved a surprise to traders as it showed a 6.3 per cent deterioration since August 1, and 373,600 bales smaller than the crop indication of two weeks previous. Prices which had declined 13 to 17 points on liquidation before the bureau totals were issued immediately jumped 81 to 91 points and during the trading of the late afternoon prices showed advances over the ruling previous close of 115 to 119 points. Prices eased off a little in the final trading on profit taking but the close was steady, showing net gains for the day of 103 to 107 points.

At the start Liverpool was lower than due but first trades here showed gains of five to six points. The market soon eased off on final pre-bureau liquidation and October traded down to 16.55, eDcember to 16.50 and January to 16.45, or 13 to 17 points below the close of Saturday.

As soon as the government figures were issued prices advanced sharply, October trading up to 17.45, December to 17.45 and January to 17.40, or 90 to 95 points above the lows. There were slight recessions at times on realizing but a great deal of new buying came into the market and eventually October traded as high as 17.86, December to 17.82 and January at 17.77 or 131 to 132 points above the lows. Final realizing cut off about 12 to 14 points of the gain.

Exports for the day totalled 9,574 bales.

Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 103 to 107 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Oct.	17.86	16.55	17.74-75	16.69
Dec.	17.82	16.50	17.68-70	16.63
Jan.	17.77	16.45	17.65	16.62
Mar.	17.91	16.67	17.80	16.77
May	17.93	16.82	17.92	16.85

Opening: October 16.74; December 16.68; January 16.57; March 16.80; May 16.88 bid.

LIVERPOOL SPOTS

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Cotton spot fair demand; prices easier. American strict good middling 10.65; good middling 10.35; strict middling 10.10; middling 9.90; strict low middling 8.90; low middling 7.93; strict good ordinary 7.00; good ordinary 6.25. Sales 5,000 bales, including 4,300 American; receipts none. Futures closed firm; August 9.46; September 9.35; October 9.26; December 9.09; January 9.11; March 9.16; May 9.20; July 9.18.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Spot, cotton closed steady, 104 points up. Sales 1,231; low middling 15.49; middling 18.74; good middling 19.39; receipts 981; stock 126,809.

N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—With General Motors resuming the leadership of the market, stock prices rallied briskly today after another unsuccessful attempt had been made to unsettle the general list by hammering a few of the so-called "pivotal industrials." Trading was largely of a professional character public buying apparently having been discouraged by the recent sharp decline in U. S. Steel common following soon after the raising of the New York Federal Reserve rediscount rate.

Outside the stock market chief speculative interest centered in cotton which rallied $5 a bale on publication of a government report showing both the expected yield and ginning figures below expectations, coincident with reports of crop damage by a tropical storm in Texas. The rise in cotton helped to create bullish enthusiasm for stocks, as did reports of a strengthening of scrap iron and steel prices and a further drop in California crude oil production.

Revival of activity in General Motors was generally attributed to buying for the account of William C. Durant, automobile manufacturer who was to have sailed for Europe last Saturday but postponed his trip. The stock was bid up nine points to 210¾, closing within a fraction of the top, with buying considerably stimulated by the prediction of President Sloan that August sales will set a new high monthly record and that all divisions were operating at capacity following a slight slowing up in mid-summer due to the preparation for new models. DuPont, which has large General Motors holdings, jumped 8½ points to 308.

U. S. Steel common, after a temporary sinking spell during which it was forced down to 148⅝, rallied to 152⅛ for a net gain of 1⅞ on the day. Total transactions in that issue ran close to 200,000 shares, or nearly one-sixth of the entire volume of business. General Asphalt continued its sensational advance by moving up over two points to a new high record at 91⅛ while the preferred touched a new top at 139.

Despite public apathy in the market, pool operations were conducted in a few issues which hold promise of special dividend developments in the near future. Chesebrough Manufacturing company and Warner Pictures, "A", all were elevated to new peak prices recorded by Allied Chemical, Butterick, for the year, while substantial gains were Case Threshing, International Combustion Engineering, Pressed Steel Car and U. S. Realty.

With more favorable July earnings statements scheduled to make their appearance this week the railroad shares displayed a firm undertone, the average of 20 leading issues touching the highest figure since 1928. Missouri Pacific, Northern Pacific and Great Northern preferred all broke through to new 1926 highs while Wabash common was lifted over two points on predictions of an early inauguration of dividends at the $4 annual rate.

Call money held steady at 4½ per cent. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged, but a slight stiffening was noted in the bid and asked rates on bankers' acceptances.

Foreign exchanges were heavy. Demand sterling eased 3-16 of a cent to $4.85 5-16 despite the efforts of the British government to maintain the currency around parity by shipping gold here from Australia. French francs sold off five points, being quoted just above 2.80 cents, Italian lire sold down to 3.23 cents, or within seven points of the year's low. Moderate recessions took place in most of the other European rates.

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Am Tob. "B"	1	118¾	118¾	118¾
Am Woolen	32	31⅛	29⅞	31⅛
Atch Top & S F	93	148⅝	146¼	148⅝
Beth Steel	33	47¼	46⅝	47⅛
California Pet	15	32⅝	32	32
Chi R I & Pac	99	63⅛	60	61⅝
Chrysler Motor	93	36¾	35⅝	36⅜
Coca Cola	18	161⅞	159⅛	161⅝
Consol Gas	62	107⅝	106⅛	107⅝
Corn Products	31	43¼	44⅛	43⅞
Dodge Bros	53	30½	29	30¼
Dupont de Nem	85	308	299	308
Fisk Rubber	7	18¾	17⅝	18
Freeport-Tex Co	14	27⅛	27	27⅛
Gen Electric	141	93¼	90¾	92⅝
Gen Motors	14121	210⅜	201	210⅛
Gulf States Stl	5	72⅜	71	72⅛
Ind Oil & Gas	7	24⅝	24½	24⅝
Int Nickel	4	138	137⅜	138
Mack Truck	305	133¼	130	132¾
Marland Oil	51	58½	57⅝	57⅞
Mid-Cont Pet	5	31¼	31	31
Mo Kan & Tex	11	37¼	35½	36⅛
N Y Central	35	137	135¾	136¾
North Am Co	29	54½	53⅝	54⅛
Pacific Oil	15	1⅝	1½	1⅝
Pan-Am Pet "B"	18	68	67	67
Phillips Pet	31	48¼	47⅜	47⅝
Pure Oil	10	26⅝	26⅛	26⅝
Reynolds Tob B	13	97⅞	97⅛	97
St L & S Fran	36	97⅞	97⅜	98⅛
Shell Union Oil	68	29¼	29⅛	29⅛
Simms Pet	23	16¼	16⅛	16⅛
Sinclair Con Oil	31	21⅝	21⅛	21⅛
Southern Pac	20	107¼	106⅞	107¼
Southern Ry	15	120⅝	120	120⅝
Stan Oil of Cal	39	61¼	61	61⅛
Stan Oil of N J	92	43⅝	43¼	43⅝
Stude Corp	57	55⅝	54½	55⅝
Texas Co	12	54½	53⅝	54
Tex Gulf Sulph	17	167½	165	167½
Texas & Pac	30	59¼	58	58⅝
Transcont Oil	50	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
U S Rubber	21	60	59	59⅝
U S Steel	1872	152¼	148⅝	149⅞
Willys Over	104	28⅛	27½	28⅛

DALLAS SPOTS

DALLAS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 110 up; middling 18.05 sales 3,709 bales.

Financial

CALL MONEY

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)— Call money firm; all loans 4½; closing bid 4½. Time loans, firm: 60-90 days 4½@4¾; 4-6 months 4¾@5; prime mercantile paper 4¼@4½.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)— United States bonds: Liberty 3½s 101.4; first 4¼s 102; second 4¼s 100.22; third 4¼s 101.2; fourth 4¼s 102.4; treasury 3¾s 101.9; do 4s 103.12; do 4¼s 107.18.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Foreign exchanges, heavy; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.85 3-16; cables 4.85 11-16; 60-day bills on banks 4.81⅝. France demand 2.81⅛; cables 2.81⅜. Italy demand 3.23; cables 3.24. Demand: Belgium 3.71; Germany 23.80; Holland 40.05; Norway 21.92; Sweden 26.75; Denmark 26.57; Switzerland 19.30½; Spain 13.43; Greece 1.17; Poland 11.50; Czechoslovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.76⅝; Austria 14.12½; Rumania .48; Argentina 40.37½; Brazil 15.37½; Tokyo 48.00; Shanghai 68.67½; Montreal 100.15⅝.

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The Central of Jersey is essentially an anthracite carrier and coal forms over half its freight tonnage, but in 1923 it sold its own anthracite properties and after using some of the proceeds for equipment and betterments, had, as of December 31, 1925, $10,250,000 invested in government securities or the equivalent of $37.50 a share of the stock. Revenue freight and passenger density has always been heavy and freight train load has been steadily increased. This with higher rates has resulted in doubling the train mile revenue in the last 10 years. Expenses have also increased and in the last 8 years earnings have only three times been sufficient to cover the dividends paid, the exceptions being in 1921, 1924 and 1925.

Funded debt totals $58,750,500 with $7,581,000 additional in subsidiary issues guaranteed. Capital stock consists of $27,436,800 outstanding in shares of $100 par, of which the Reading owned $14,504,000 January 1, 1926. According to the company's balance sheet, there is an equity for the stock of $411 a share. The regular dividend rate is 8 per cent, but since 1909 not less than 10 per cent, including extras, has been paid to shareholders. An extra dividend of $2 a share was paid January 15, 1926.

Gross revenues for 1925 were $55,092,100 and net operating income $7,753,462. For the first 4 months of 1926, gross was $17,238,659 and net $1,778,085.

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Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Cattle receipts 4,600 including 1,100 calves; steady; beeves 5.50@8.60; stockers 5.50@6.50; fat cows 3.85@5.50; cutters 3.50@4.00; canners 2.25@3.75; heifers 5.25@9.00; yearlings 6.00@8.00; bulls 4.00@5.50; calves 5.50@10.25.

Hogs receipts 500; steady; choice light butchers 13.00@14.25; medium 13.75@13.85; heavy 13.50@13.80; common 10.00@11.00; sows 10.00@10.25; pigs 12.00@12.50.

Sheep receipts 1,000; steady; lambs 11.00@13.00; shorn feeder lambs and yearlings 9.00@10.00; wethers 7.50@7.75; culls 1.00@3.00; stockers 4.00@6.00; goats 2.00@4.00.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Cattle: 20,000; fed steers 10 to 15c higher; yearlings 10@25; heavies 10@25; Montana rangers 6.25@7.75; she stock uneven, higher.

Sheep: 18,000; higher; Idaho and Montana lambs, 14.50@14.75; natives 14.25@14.50; fat ewes 5.50@7.00.

Hogs: 35,000; higher; packing sows 10.25@10.75; slaughter pigs 13.25@13.65; heavy hogs 11.50@12.85; medium 13.50@13.65; light 12.75@13.75.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 23.—Cattle: 24,000; calves 6,000; grain fed steers and yearlings strong, spots a shade higher; yearling steers 10.50; heavy steers 9.50 few opening sales westerns steady; Texas cake feds 7.85, averaging 1150 pounds; she stock and bulls steady; vealers active, fully steady; practical top 12.00; stockers and feeders steady to strong; bulk 6.25@7.75.

Hogs: 6,000; uneven, 10 to 25c higher than Saturday's average; top 13.40 on 160 pounds; bulk of sales 12.50@13.30; desirable 13.00@13.35; light lights up to 13.40; heavy butchers and mixed grades dull; few choice 300 pound butchers 11.75; packing sows 25c higher; bulk 9.75@10.50; stock pigs steady, 12.50@13.25.

Sheep: 7,000; lambs steady to strong; Colorado held at 14.50; few fed natives 13.75@14.00; bulk better grades 13.25@13.50; sheep around 25c lower; Texas wethers 6.75@7.25.

Grain

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard 1.29½@1.37½; No. 2 red 1.28@1.30; September 1.29⅝; December 1.33¼; May 1.38.

Corn: No. 2 white 78@79; No. 2 yellow 81½@82½; No. 2 mixed 78@79; September 79⅝; December 82¾; May 88⅝.

Oats: No. 2 white 40@41; No. 3 white 39@40.

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
Sept.	1.36⅞	1.35⅝	1.36⅝
Dec.	1.39⅞	1.38½	1.39⅝
May	1.45	1.43⅞	1.44⅞
CORN—			
Sept.	.79⅝	.77⅞	.79⅜
Dec.	.85¼	.82⅝	.85½
May	.86⅝	.86⅛	.86⅝
RYE—			
Sept.	.98	.97	.97⅛
Dec.	1.02¼	1.01⅛	1.02⅛
May	1.07¼	1.06	1.07⅛
LARD—			
Sept.	14.92	14.82	14.92
Oct.	15.07	14.95	15.07
RIBS—			
Sept.	.....	.....	14.30
Oct.	.....	.....	13.85
BELLIES—			
Sept.	17.65	17.57	17.65
Oct.	16.95	16.82	16.95

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—(AP)— Cash wheat: No. 2 red 1.36¼@1.37; No. 2 hard 1.38@1.39.

Corn: No. 2 mixed 77@78¼; No. 2 yellow 79@79½.

Oats: No. 3 mixed 36½; No. 2 white 39¼@40¼.

Produce

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Butter, lower; receipts 11,741 tubs; creamery extras 39¾; standards 39¼; extra firsts 38½@39; firsts 38@37½; seconds 33@35.

Eggs, unchanged; receipts 11,944 cases.

CHICAGO POULTRY

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—(AP) Poultry, alive, hens steady, springs easy; receipts 17 cars; fowls 26½@25½; broilers 24@30; springs 23½@26; roosters 18; turkeys 24; ducks 21; geese 15@20.

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MYSTERY IN MAN'S DEATH

Cloak Of Secrecy Wound About Slaying Of Bus Driver

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Mystery still envelope the slaying of W. A. Gray, San Antonio bus driver who was killed near Medina City Sunday afternoon.

A man about 23 years old believed to be responsible for the killing was brought to the Bexar county jail by Sheriff Stevens and Deputy W. E. Faris of Bandera. He probably will be questioned Monday as to what he knows of the slaying.

Gray's body was found on the Medina City-Bandera road near Medina City. The first news of his death was given by Constable E. H. Freirichs of Hondo who said he saw one man beating another but when he got out of his car to interfere he was driven back and told to go on.

That Gray was knocked senseless an hour or two before his death and then taken out on the road and killed is the theory held by citizens of Bandera and officials of the bus company who said that Gray's body shows evidence of being run over several times by some heavy vehicle.

The man being held in the Bexar county jail had known Gray for a long time.

Valentino Films To Be Continued Despite His Death

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Although Rudolph Valentino is dead, his admirers are still to be able to see him on the silver screen.

Hiram Abrams, president of United Artists corporation which had the screen lover under contract announced this afternoon that "The Son of the Sheik," the latest Valentino picture will continue in circulation throughout the world.

This was considered an unusual procedure, in that motion picture producers have been known to say that they have found it impossible to show pictures featuring artists who have died. It has been said that audiences had shown a version to watching the apparently living actions of a person they knew in fact to be no longer living.

NEW APPOINTMENTS.

Beatty and Farris On Boll Worm Commission.

AUSTIN, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Monday appointed Lee Beatty of Lockhart, and W. D. Farris of Ennis, members of the Texas Pink Boll Worm commission, which, beginning September 1, will hold hearings at Odessa, Seminole and Marfa. One member is yet to be appointed.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 23—(AP)—Gulf production company now has a daily output of 18,000 barrels of oil in the Spindletop field, Texas, with completion of No. 3 Mann well yielding 6,000 barrels of 27 gravity pipe line oil at a depth of 3,501 feet.

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Pyramid Signs Come True When Greece Revolts

CHESHAM, Eng., Aug. 23.—(AP)—The Rev. Walter Wynn, who asserted that the pyramids showed a momentous event would occur on August 22 is pointing to the coup d'etat in Greece as a striking fulfillment of his prophecy.

Speaking from his pulpit last night, Mr. Wynn said:

"It was an event in clear harmony with the pyramid symbolism denoting a period of accelerative chaos. This Greek revolution will have many indirect effects. Therefore the pyramid date, August 22, will be found an index to events that will transpire of a varied revolutionary character between now and November 7 of next year. This outstanding event of August 22 points to the revolutionary spirit that is symptomatic of the condition of European nations.

CHILDRESS

CHILDRESS PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. A. Sparkman and son are spending their vacation in California.

Miss Olga Streiman of Dallas and Mrs. F. F. Davis and daughter, Dean, visited the family of Mr. and Mrs. Y. D. Knight Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence Baley has returned home from Wichita Falls where she had been under medical treatment.

Bill Ross, Herman Smith and James Leslie have returned from a trip to Flint, Mich., to get Mr. Ross' new Buick car. From Flint they took a nice trip through Canada before returning home.

Mrs. Fred Woodruff and children of Amarillo are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Franklin.

Mrs. O. E. Lancaster and son, Owen, have left for their home in San Antonio after a visit with the family of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wicher.

Mrs. J. E. Kinney is visiting relatives in Missouri and Arkansas.

Mrs. R. E. Kelley and son are visiting relatives in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stegall are the parents of a baby girl, born Sunday morning.

DUE IN STORM

SAULTE STE MARIE, Mich., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Missing three days George Pond, Mackinac Island; George Ackerman, Detroit, and Charles Black, Chicago, are thought to have lost their lives in a storm which enveloped Upper Lake Huron last Friday.

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Pay $1,000 to $1,200 to begin with, will be waiting for those who master the world-famous Draughon training. Scholarships insure positions to those who begin now—either at college or by mail. Low summer rates now. Mail coupon to Draughon's college, Wichita Falls, Texas, for special offer and catalog.

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ADDRESS .....

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COMPETENT stenographer desires permanent position. Especially experienced in oil and legal work. References furnished. Phone 4435.

FINANCIAL

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Business Opportunities 40

FOR SALE—Hamburger and pop stand at Sand Beach swimming pool. Phone 6585-9256.

HIGHEST cash prices for your used furniture. Winters Furniture Company, new location, 613 Seventh. Phone 4219.

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MONEY—Small loans, easy terms—confidential dealings—Dixie Credit Co., 702 1-2 Indiana. Phone 7160.

LONG TERM straight loans on or before. 7% interest. Prompt service. BLAIN & STONE Dial 3747.

LOANS TO BUILD
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CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 816 Ohio. Phone 3223.

MONEY—MONEY.
City Loan and Jewelry Co.
Loans on personal property.
Unredeemed bargains in diamonds.
613 Eighth. Phone 7842.

Barter and Exchange 45

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For small house or lots in Scotland addition furniture of eight rooms. 702 Austin.

Miscellaneous for Sale 46

HOME made jelly to order. 3606.

FOR SALE—Young bird dog. Call 9160.

Furniture 47

CHRIS AND SONS, 113 INDIANA—The house of furniture bargains. Buy, sell and exchange; phone 7750.

FOR SALE—Hoover kitchen cabinet in tip-top condition. Inquire at Grand studio. 605 1-2 Eighth street.

FURNITURE for sale cheap. Come and see it. It is a real bargain. 2207 Holliday.

WE PAY cash or trade for your furniture. Home Furniture Co., 816 Ohio Ave. Phone 3223.

NEW and used furniture, Millican Furniture Co., 714 Seventh St. Phone 8514.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for used furniture. See us before you sell. Bolton Furniture Co., 807 Tenth st., Phone 3389.

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SPECIAL IN large porcelain lined refrigerators. Many other bargains in new and used furniture. Micks Furniture company. 716 Seventh. Phone 5528.

SEE our complete stock of used dressers, beds, kitchen cabinets, gas stoves, sewing machines, etc. Attractive terms. Bolton Furniture Co. 807 Tenth St. Phone 3389.

Business and Office Equipment 48

FOR SALE—Almost new seven column desk model Burroughs. Guaranteed. Box 1155.

FOR SALE—Santa Anna birds, 1605 Elizabeth street. Phone 6327.

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles 53

FOR SALE—Good fresh Jersey cow. Phone 21823 or call 504 Denver, after 6 o'clock.

Dogs, Cats and Pets 54

FOR SALE—Three white angora kittens. 906 Baylor. Phone 7845.

MERCHANDISE

Wanted to Buy 61

MILLICAN Furniture Company. New and used furniture. 714 Seventh street. Phone 8514.

WICHITA JUNK CO. specialize in metal. Get our bid first. 311 Indiana. Phone 9249.

HIGHEST cash prices for your used furniture. Winters Furniture Company. New location, 613 Seventh. Phone 4219.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

Rooms With Board 62

ROOM AND BOARD, $10 per week. 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

ROOM AND BOARD, home cooked meals, $10 per week. 1405 Seventh.

NICE, clean beds with home cooked meals at 1500 Austin. Phone 21202.

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The Record News

REAL ESTATE---RENT

Rooms With Board. 62

NICELY furnished convenient bedroom. Special rate to two men. 907 Denver.

TWO LOVELY furnished rooms with board; next to bath, in private home. Reasonable. 1100 Monroe. Phone 8289.

NICE front southeast room, downstairs for four men or four women. Nice glassed-in sleeping porch on second floor, best of service, close in, 904 Lamar. Phone 21406.

Rooms Without Board 63

BEDROOM for rent. 906 Ninth street. Phone 8645.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom. 1002 Burnett street.

COOL bedroom close in reasonable. 1207 1-2 Travis.

FOR RENT—To gentleman, nice bedroom, convenient to bath; garage, at 1507 Tenth.

NICE LARGE front bedroom, private entrance, 1207 Burnett, phone 9033.

COOL BEDROOM, Adjoining bath, close in, 1206 Bluff, phone 6617.

FOR RENT—Bedroom, $20 per month, 1206 Sixteenth street.

DOWNSTAIRS front bedroom, adjoining bath; for two men only, 906 Austin.

REFINED lady wants roommate. Reference exchanged. Phone 9638.

SOUTHEAST bed room and garage, on pavement. 1509 13th street.

FOR RENT—Nice cool southeast bedroom, bath and garage; to gentlemen. Phone 21888.

FOR RENT—Nice furnished cool bedroom. 702 Burnett street. Phone 5743.

COOL bedroom to gentlemen only. Reasonably priced. 1509 Travis street.

BEAUTIFUL south bedroom to one or two gentlemen, garage, very reasonable. 1209 Marshall street. Phone 21892.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms, also two unfurnished rooms, near Junior college and bus line. 1113 Polk Street. Phone 8543.

FOR RENT—Nice, cool bedroom. 1310 Broad street.

NICE front bedroom, walking distance from town; gentlemen preferred. Phone 5693.

NICELY FURNISHED front southeast bedroom and garage. Phone 9421. 1404 Austin.

Rooms For Housekeeping 64

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, bills paid. 804 Fifth. Phone 3280.

THREE unfurnished modern rooms. 200 Bluff.

TWO or three light housekeeping rooms. 118 Jalonic.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms. 2506 Filmore St.

SLEEPING ROOM with kitchen privilege; two blocks east of Barwise school.

TWO FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; two beds, private entrance, all modern, on bus line, clean and cool; bills paid. Phone 9411.

FOR RENT—Four-room nicely furnished duplex. Apply 1320 Brittain.

THREE unfurnished rooms and bath or one-half of duplex house, at 308 Austin. $25 per month. Phone 7500

FOR RENT—Duplex at 710 Holliday street, one apartment furnished if desired. Phone 6515-6439.

NICELY furnished two-room apartment and garage; private entrance; on paving. Phone 6592.

TO ADULTS—Nicely furnished four-room (and private bath) apartment in new duplex, garage, desirably located. Call 9295.

FOR RENT—Three new unfurnished rooms and garage on pavement at 1302 Brittain Ave.

LARGE cool front room with large kitchenette, one block south of majestic. 1100 Indiana avenue.

NICELY furnished two-room apartment; private entrance and garage. phone 5867. 1509 Burnett street.

UNFURNISHED one-half of duplex, three rooms private bath, window blinds and shades apply 1600 Magnolia.

BEAUTIFUL furnished apartment, three rooms. Built-in feafures, private bath and garage bedroom, southeast exposure. Adults only. Phone 9488.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished one and two room apartments; everything furnished. 105 Dallas street. Phone 4822.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

Apartments and Flats 65

UNFURNISHED small four-room apartment, $32.50 per month, 1910 Keeler street, three blocks south Pearl street. Phone 3307.

GARAGE apartment unfurnished, three-room, hall and bath; modern built-in features on Monroe bus line, desirable location. Phone 5397 or 21863.

TWO four-room apartments in duplex; strictly modern, on pavement, double garage. 2105 Buchanan. Call 6450.

UNFURNISHED half of new duplex, four rooms, built-in features, private bath, garage, on Elizabeth street, to couple. Phone 6150, 7761.

NEAR BROOK and Eighth street, Five-room furnished apartment. Two lovely large bedrooms, hardwood floors, new rugs and draperies, private bath, garage, something extra nice. Adults only. Price $65.00. Phone 7831.

TO ADULTS—Beautifully furnished apartment, built-in features, breakfast nook, private bath, garage, on pavement, one block of car line. Apply 1908 Eighth street. Location 1910 1-2.

Houses for Rent 66

FIVE-room and breakfast nook, 2311 Grant. Phone 4902.

FOR RENT—Furnished house 1102-1-2 Burnett street. Phone 8080-5436.

FOUR-ROOM partly furnished house; Wyatt addition, 1518 McGregor St. Phone 4240.

EIGHT-ROOM house for rent, everything convenient, god location. Call 5532 today.

Five-room modern home, 700 Holliday, $50.
Two-room modern home, 702 Taylor, $20.
C. C. JONES
407 Staley. Phone 6450.

MODERN furnished cottage, everything furnished, $38. 2006 Buchanan. Phone 5361.

FURNISHED seven-room house; for two families, double garage. 1507 Polk. Phone 9777.

FOR RENT—1315 Filmore street, eight rooms, built-in features, beautiful light fixtures, garage, on pavement, one block of carline. Call 5532.

FOR RENT—Six-room modern home completely furnished, 1812 Filmore. $80.

Five-room modern home, 700 Holliday, $50.

Two-room modern home, 702 Taylor $20.
C. C Jones.
407 Staley Phone 6450.

SEVEN-ROOM modern house with window shades, garage and servant room. Walking distance of Junior college, high school and Sam Houston. $45 per month. 2006 Kemp boulevard.

Business Places for Rent. 68

ANY PART of vacant lot, corner Lamar and Ninth street. Phone 3248.

REAL ESTATE---SALE

Business Property for Sale 74

FOR BUSINESS, factory or machine shop sites call S. Y. Ferguson, Brown Bldg. Phone 9004.

Farms and Lands for Sale 75

BRAND NEW six-room house with fo acres of ground, on Petrolia road. All under ditch, house modern except electric lights. This is an ideal suburban home for some one. Price $4,500, $500 to $750 cash, balance arranged. Just Wright Realty Co., 4 Ohio. Phone 4918.

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WE STILL have a number of four-acre tracts on Petrolia road, which we can t for quities in city property or sell on very easy payments. All under ditch, near pavement. Price $400 pe acre. We are at your service. Just Wright Realty Co., 804 Ohio. Phone 4918.

Houses for Sale 76

FOR SALE—Four-room house and one two-room; has good orchard; everything convenient. 201 Maple street.

FOR SALE—Five-room, all modern house, fireproof roof and inside walls; $2500, $30 monthly, including interest. 1217 North Eighth St. Phone 5794. Apply 1323 North Third.

FOR SALE—Two Dutch colonial houses, all modern; 60x150 lot, $500 down and $40 monthly including interest. This property rents for more than payment. Apply 205 North Broadway.

FOR SALE—New five-room house, located on dandy east front lot, to be paved soon. Priced right. Will take automobile or lot as cash payment. Balance easy. Eli Morgan owner, Phone 7500.

REAL ESTATE---SALE

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Houses for Sale 76

FOR SALE—Four-room modern home, garage, poultry house, near pavement; price $3,000; $350 cash, balance $35 month including interest. Phone 7500. Eli Morgan, owner.

BUY now close to school while we can suit you in a new home with terms to suit. H. Sonnamaker, 202 Staley. Phone 5429.

A BARGAIN for someone, five-room house, modern in every respect, all built-in features, fireplace, bookcase, edgegrain floors, built-in ironing board, lawn and garage. Street to be paved soon. Price $4,500, about $250 cash, balance $45 per month. Call Just Wright Realay Co., 804 Ohio. Phone 4918. Home phone 21676.

FOR SALE or trade at 2307 Yale, we have a four-room strictly modern cottage, lawn, garage, built-in features, street being paved. One block of bus line, three blocks of school. Price $3,250. $250 cash, or will take car, lot or what have you as first payment? Balance like rent. Just Wright Realty Co. 804 Ohio. Phone 4918. Home phone 21676.

FOLKS, we have something that will surprise you at the corner of Twenty-first and Princeton in the form of three beautiful bungalows, if you are in the market for a small home, priced right, with terms to fit your pocketbook. You had better investigate these. Just Wright Realty Co. 804 Ohio. Phone 4918. Home phone 21676.

FOR SALE BY OWNER

A duplex, less than a year old, with extra large rooms. Something exceptionally nice, at a reasonable price. Will sell furnished if desired. 1651 Pearl, one block off Brook.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five-room house 2500 block Buchanan street. Will sell at bargain or trade my equity for same in other property. Address Box B-497.

Lots for Sale 77

PAVED lot cheap, good neighborhood. Cash or terms. Phone owner, 6040.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—In the Fairview addition, a dandy five-room modern bungalow, high east front corner lot, built in cabinet, cement foundation, walks, within three blocks of Sam Houston school at 2714 Fairview boulevard. Price $3,500. $250 cash, balance like rent. Just Wright Realty Co. Phone 4918. Home phone 21676.

To Exchange—Real Estate 80

WILL trade equity in six-room duplex for smaller place, lot or small business. Phone 3456.

Realtors 83

BALDRIDGE REALTY CO.
716 1-2 Seventh St. Phone 4040

MRS. F. C. LYON, Specializing in homes. Phone 3252-7520.

W. C. YOUNG
Archer County Land and Leases.
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1925 Chrysler Coupe $1,350

1925 Chrysler Sedan $1,350

1925 Chrysler Roadster $1,050

1925 Chrysler Touring $950

OTHERS

1923 Packard Touring $1,175

1925 Studebaker Special Sedan $1,000
1925 Studebaker Special Roadster $875

1924 Studebaker Special Touring $485

1925 Buick Master 6 Touring $1,000

1925 Buick Master 6 Roadster $875

1923 Buick Six, Red Sport.....$575

1925 Dodge Special Coupe.....$675

1925 Dodge Roadster $425

1923 Dodge Touring $350

1925 Willys-Knight Coupe $850

1925 Nash Six Roadster $750

1922 Hup Touring $350

FORDS

3 1926 Ford Coupes $450 to....$550

1 1925 Ford four-door Sedan...$450

1 1924 Ford Coupe $275

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1 1926 and 2 '25 Chevrolet tourings $300 to.....$435

Two Ford Tourings, $150 and..$165

1924 Ford Coupe, five good tires, priced $265

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1925 Overland Truck $125

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1925 Willys-Knight touring reconditioned $800
1926 Chevrolet touring .. $400
1924 Ford sedan, Duco paint and seat covers $275
1925 Star coupe, a real bargain $350
1926 Studebaker roadster, just like new $1,400
1925 Overland touring .. $250

TERMS

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1925 Buick Master 6, 7 Pass., new tires $875
1925 Buick Master 6 Roadster, 6 tires, duco paint $825
1925 Buick Master 6 Roadster, perfect shape, good rubber $800
1924 Buick Master 6 Roadster, new rubber, rebuilt duco $725
1924 Buick Master 6 Touring, a good buy $650

OTHERS

1925 Studebaker Sport Model Duplex roadster .. $875
1925 Hupmobile Roadster $525
1924 Dodge Coupe .. $275
1924 Dodge Special Deluxe sedan, perfect $600
1923 Hupmobile Touring $350
1922 Hupmobile Touring $175
1925 Overland Touring $150

FORDS

1925 Ford sedan, balloons, fully equipped $350
1925 Ford Coupe, new rubber $325
1925 Ford Coupe $300
1924 Ford Coupe $225
1925 Ford Coupe tool pusher $200

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One 1924 Ford Touring....$175
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Three 1925 Ford Coupes $225 to $275

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FURNITURE

Furniture! Furniture! $1,000

In cash would be invested in second-hand furniture; we need the furniture and we will pay the best prices for it. Call us immediately. PHONE 5157

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For New and Used
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A Carload of
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Beautiful three-Piece Suites in Miami Tan and Decorated Walnuts for $98.50.
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REAL ESTATE



Five rooms: We have a nice little five-room home on Walnut street, newly papered and painted, which we can sell for $2,500 and on very reasonable terms. If you need a home of this kind it will pay you to see us about this place.

Six rooms: On Fillmore street we can sell you a good six room house, with double garage and servants house for $5,250, paving paid. Two rooms have hardwood floors and the house is strictly modern with all built-in features, comparatively new and in good condition. This place is worth the money.

Six Rooms: On Wilson street we have a very pretty six-room home practically new, with all built-in features; driveway, walks and garage; beautiful shrubs and flowers; fenced; child's play room; swing, etc. You will not find a better buy than this place at $5,500, paving paid.

Our listings are very complete and we believe we have the home to suit you, but if not we will build for you.

Our lot listings are as complete as any in the city.

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Realtors
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SPECIAL

Buy this little palace in Talunar place for $5,600. Portecochere all built-in, hardwood floors. Terms right. We advertise bargains only. Phone 9331.

DOW TATE
With
Otto Stehlik

61 Take Tests for U. S. Postal Positions in Wichita Falls

LIST FILLED FOR A YEAR

35 Applicants Give City As Homes; Many Out-of-Town

Sixty-one persons made formal application for employment in the Wichita Falls-United States Postal department Saturday afternoon, when they participated in an assembled examination under the supervision of C. K. Johnson, local secretary of the civil service board.

The examination was held for the purpose of forming a list of persons eligible to fill vacancies which may exist or may occur in the Wichita Falls post office or in the city carrier service. This list will furnish all needed clerks and carriers for Wichita Falls during the fiscal year, but will be supplemented each year with additional names furnished through assembled examinations.

The sixty-one persons taking the examinations were from various parts of the state, thirty-five, however, being residents of this city. There were 56 men and 5 women taking the examination, but a great many more had filed for the examination but did not report for same.

In addition to the 35 persons from this city there were six from Bryson, Texas, three from Myers and one each from Chico, Jermyn, Vernon, Bellevue, Hopkins, Knox City, Whitewright, Stamford, Pilot Point, Abilene, Fort Worth, Holliday, Archer City, Grandbury, Megargel, Eagle Pass and Olustee, Okla.

First Cotton Gets Reward From C-C

The two enterprising farmers who brought in the first and second bales of cotton to be marketed in Wichita Falls this season will not go unrewarded, it was decided at a meeting of the Valley Development Committee of the Wicita Falls Chamber of Commerce Monday morning.

Last Saturday the two bales were brought into the city and created considerable interest to cotton buyers and raisers alike. The first bale to arrive was raised by C. Fierro whose farm is on the Mangold place, ten miles east of the diversion dam; and the second bale was raised by R. M. Miller, who lives six miles northwest of the city.

Both were regulation bales of cotton and were classed as well above the average for first bale showing, by experts who enjoyed getting a look at the lint of the first bale here.

The committee, after some deliberation, decided to make a flat price of $100 for the first bale and $50 for the second bale, and also voted to pay this amount out of the regular chamber of commerce fund for valley development purposes, rather than to raise it by public subscription, as has been previously done. This was considered to be far the most satisfactory as causes to bother to local merchants, and is merely using this fund in the manner for which it was appropriated.

Mother of Mrs. E. S. Goodner Dies

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Goodner, 1029 North Morengo street, Pasadena, Calif., former residents of this city and well known here, received word Monday announcing the death of Mrs. Goodner's mother, Mrs. J. C. Grow. She has made her home with the Goodners for a number of years, and was also well known in this city.

Besides Mrs. Goodner, Mrs. Grow is survived by another daughter, Miss Margaret Grow, connected with Miss Hackaway's school at Dallas, and by two sons. She was the widow of a Presbyterian minister who was a Texas pioneer holding pastorates in the early days at Llano, Comanche and Sulphur Springs.

140 Absentee Votes Cast With Clerk

A total of 140 absentee votes had been cast Monday with the county clerk, Miss Elizabeth Hall. Tuesday is the last day for absentee voting, she stated Monday.

The 140 indicates a drop of approximately two-thirds in the number of people away from the city voting as contrasted with those voting before the first primary, she states, a total of more than 400 casting their votes then.

Of the 140 thirty-two have been received through the mail and 108 over the counter.

Wichitans Go to Comanche Races

Comanche, Okla., staged one of the most successful horse racing events last Friday and Saturday in the history of this section, according to local citizens who attended the event. There were fifteen or twenty thousand people present and a full line of usual attractions for their entertainment, including some Indian war dances and sports.

A first class aggregation of racing animals participated in the racing events and good purses were put up for the winners.

GRANT PERMIT

The county commissioners at their meeting Monday granted the Northern Texas Utilities company, now constructing a gas pipe line from the Texas Panhandle to Wichita Falls, a permit to run their gas lines under county roads with the understanding that roads are to be repaired and left as found. The Northern Texas Utilities company is a subsidiary of the Upham Gas company of Mineral Wells.

COMMITTEE MEETS

The valley development commitee met at the chamber of commerce offices Monday and officially awarded premiums of $100 and $50 respectively for the first and second bales of Wichita cotton brought in this season.

C. Fierro, who lives 10 miles east of the diversion dam on the Mangold farm, won the first premium while R. M. Miller, whose farm is six miles northwest of the city, was awarded second.

Teaches Dress Mannequin's Art



Mlle. "Professor" Sandor is an educational institution, all by herself. Moreover her school is unique. For she runs the only known school where dress models—pardon!—"modes mannequins" are instructed in the art of charming the eye and inducing anesthesia of the pocket-book. She supplies graduates to all of Paris' most exacting modistes.

N. W. TEXAS ON EXHIBIT

Long List of Fairs And Expositions Are Scheduled

People of northwest Texas have a brilliant array of attractions scheduled for them this fall in the way of county and district fairs and celebrations, according to a list of events issued by Jealks Castellaw of Ennis, president of the Texas association of fairs.

The stellar attractions of the entire lot is the Texas-Oklahoma fair, which opens on October 2nd. The Texas-Oklahoma fair has grown steadily each year and today has reached that pinnacle of fame enjoyed only by the largest assemblages of this kind in the nation. In addition to this great central offering at Wichita Falls there are a number of excellent smaller fairs and rodeos to be staged in various towns in the Wichita Falls trade area, and which are worthy of the attendance of any and all of our citizenship. Following is the list as furnished:

Seymour, Baylor County Fair, September 2-4.

Quanah, Hardeman County Fair, September 8-11.

Spur, Northwest Texas Fair, September 16-18.

Memphis, Hall County District Fair, September 14-17.

Childress, Childress State Fair, September 14-18.

Post, Garza County Fair, September 24-25.

Breckenridge, Oil Belt Fair, September 27-30.

Haskell, Haskell County Fair, September 30-October 2.

Sweetwater, Nolan County Fair, October 6-9.

Stamford, Stamford Fair, October 9-16.

Lubbock, Panhandle South Plains Fair, October 18-23.

There are also fairs to be held at Bowie, Matador, Pampa and Wellington, but the dates of these attractions are not available.

Gasoline Increase Burden to People

"Wichita Falls city officials are back of the efforts of Dallas and the Texas League of Municipalities to exempt municipalities from the payment of the one-cent gasoline tax," Mayor R. E. Shepherd stated at Monday night's meeting of the city council. "Increase of the present tax to three cents a gallon as is being advocated would impose an additional and I think unfair burden upon the people, and would in effect mean a type of double taxation."

Similar views were expressed by Oral Jones, finance commissioner.

Mr. Shepherd stated that he had been approached for his views by the Dallas city authorities who were organizing a state-wide movement for an amendment to the present tax law or repeal so far as municipalities are concerned.

Labor Invites Aid For Sept. Pageant

Printed forms inviting co-operation in the Labor day celebration and industrial celebration have been mailed to industrial houses and mercantile firms in the city "friendly" to organized labor, P. B. Roberts, chairman of the Trades Council Labor committee, stated Monday.

Plans for the pageant are progressing rapidly, he said.

FARMERS TO CHILLICOTHE

Fifty Wichita county farmers went to Chillicothe Monday to attend the field day demonstration at the state experiment station there. Cars also stopped at Iowa Park and Electra to pick up men going to the demonstration, it is stated.

WICHITANS TO ATTEND FAIR

Shepherd and Crowd Of Boosters To Go To Seymour

Mayor R. E. Shepherd is making plans to take a large delegation of Wichita Falls business men and boosters to the Baylor county fair at Seymour, which opens September 2.

Baylor county is one of the rich sections of the country contained in the Wichita Falls trade area, and they also have a big time in store for everybody at their county fair, the mayor said. For this reason the mayor is anxious to take a big delegation from this city and further demonstrate this city's interest in the affairs of this entire section of the state.

Scraps of News

J. W. Combs left yesterday for a business visit in Dallas.

B. J. Thomas is a business visitor in Fort Worth.

Harold Keim of the Keim Motor company is back on the job after an illness of several weeks.

B. E. Scales has returned to the city after spending a several weeks vacation in south Texas points.

C. J. Ritican and Katherine B. Ritican left Monday for a visit with friends in St. Louis.

Rev. and Mrs. E. F. McGaughey have returned from a vacation trip to points in New Mexico.

R. A. Watland, local manager for J. C. Penny company, has returned to the city from his vacation tour.

Mrs. H. E. Harrison, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned Monday to her home in Roanoke, Va.

J. Lewis, conected with the marketing department of Texhoma Oil company is spending two weeks in West Texas and New Mexico.

Mrs. J. W. Rodgers and infant daughter, Mildred Maurine, have gone to Fort Worth where they will visit Mrs. Rodgers' mother and friends.

Mrs. Benton, wife of "Rabbit" Benton, third base Spudder, is leaving today for Portsmouth, Ohio, to visit with relatives.

Joseph Long and family have returned from a vacation trip to Yellowstone Park, Salt Lake and points in Colorado.

The condition of Miss Virginia Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Robertson, who has been ill in an El Paso sanitarium for some time, is reported improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hudson, and Misses Clara and Maudie Hudson of Hobart, Okla., parents and sisters of Mrs. Tom Wynne, are her guests at 1615 Filmore.

Rabbi Samuel Phillips, pastor of the Temple of Israel has returned home from his summer vacation trip which included a visit to New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and Cleveland.

Gaines county was the second to sign a contract for exhibit space in the agricultural building of the Texas-Oklahoma fair, acording to Mayor R. E. Shepherd, secretary of the fair association, Randall county was the first to take space the mayor said.

Word received by Mrs. J. D. Avis from the bedside of her niece, Catherine Weeks, who was operated on at Mayor brothers for appendicitis states that Miss Weeks is improving nicely.

MOODY RALLY THURS. NIGHT

John Boyle of San Antonio Will be Principal Speaker

John Boyle, of San Antonio, recognized as one of the most brilliant political speakers in the state, will be the principal speaker at the big Moody rally which is to be held at Bellevue park Wednesday night. The program will start promptly at 8 o'clock and will include a band concert by the municipal band and several speeches. J. T. Montgomery will preside at the meeting and Charles I. Francis will introduce the speaker.

Mr. Boyle will take up the pardon record of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson and show some of the heretofore unpublished details of this record, as well as to call attention to some pardons recently issued by the governor. He has all the latest available information on that subject, and promises to disclose some startling facts here Wednesday night.

Arrangements are being made to handle a large crowd at the park. Additional seats will be provided in anticipation of a crowd of more than 5,000 people.

ABEL HELD ON DEATH CHARGE

Murder Complaint Filed As Result of Man's Injury

Jack Abel, arrested Sunday afternoon following the death of Jess Harris in a fistic affray in east Wichita Falls, was formally charged with murder in the court of O. L. Gibbs, justice of the peace, Monday morning. Abel had been released Sunday afternoon on a bond of $5,000, signed by Martin Litrell, E. G. Abel and G. P. Parks.

Justice Gibbs stated Monday that to all appearances Harris' death was caused by a blow received in a fight with companions Sunday afternoon.

C-C Gets Books Of Texas Game

The Wichita Falls chamber of commerce is in receipt of two hundred copies of a recent publication of the State Game, Fish and Oyster department by Turner E. Hubby, which is entitled "Wild Game Life of Texas," and is a most interesting and highly illustrated treatise on the subject of its title.

These books are for free distribution and will be dispensed by the chamber of commerce to every request as long as they last. They are well worth the time and effort necessary to acquire one of them and will not last long.

Renew Proposed Auditorium Plans Again Next Week

Work on the matter of a proposed new municipal auditorium for Wichita Falls will probably be started again next week, Mayor R. E. Shepherd stated Monday night at the meeting of the city council.

"At present," he declared, "a number of the committee of five appointed to work with the city council are out of the city. We don't want to do anything until they are back here and can work with us. I am led to believe, however, that all will be back in Wichita Falls by next week."

He added that the city council would be asked to take definite action of some sort or other on the matter within the next ten days.

Pageant Will Be Given At School

A two-act play "The Pageant of Nations" will be presented at 8 o'clock tonight in the auditorium of the Carrigan school by the young people of the Yale Avenue Evangelical church. It will be a mission play in which a large and capable cast has been assembled.

Prior to the pageant, a short program including violin numbers and vocal selections will be given. Miss Claudean McCarty will be featured as solist, accompanied by Miss Roma McCarty. Mrs. L. H. Gilbreath will also give a violin number as a prologue and, between the acts, the Methodist men's quartet, will sing Mayor R. E. Shepherd will sing "The Wayside Cross" during a tableaux at the end of the play.

10 Persons Out For Swim Class

Ten persons turned out Monday for the first swimming lessons given at the Westmoreland park pool with the government Red Cross Brink system used. All but one of the beginners, it was reported, were able to swim about eight feet after a little practice.

Those appearing the first day were Fred Stephenson, Wilson Massie, Vernon Howell, Jim Howell, Ford Massie, Gene Howell, Joan Huffman, Bob Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chenault.

PASS NEW ORDINANCE.

The city's new junk ordinance, specifying licensing of junk dealers and regulating the trade within the city limits was passed on its second reading Monday night by the city council. It will probably come up for its third reading next Monday night.

NEW BUSINESS BUILDING.

An open hearing will be held in the city council room on Monday night, September 6, on the application of T. L. McGee to construct a business building at the corner of Avenue J and Taft street. The application was handed the city council Monday night.

More Marriage Licenses Daily

Matrimonial aspirants showed themselves in ever-increasing numbers at the county clerk's office Monday.

Seven licenses were issued to the following: Gene Beckner and Daisy Patrick; H. L. Kreager and Thelma Glary; Harry L. Hoag, Galveston, and Zula M. Ward; Wm. Irwin Larts and Helen Burington; C. L. Davis and Mrs. Elizabeth Stephenson; Al. C. Modgling and Mrs. Vera Kendall; E. L. Rymal and Mrs. Hattie Fuller.

FURNISH LONG T-O AD TOUR

Harrison Returns From Bally-Hoo Swing Through Trading Area

J. Malcolm Harrison, publicity agent for the Texas-Oklahoma fair and special representative of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce, accompanied by the famous "Little Red Car" poster wagon for the fair, finished an advertising tour last week in the trade area of this city, giving a full account of the attractions scheduled for the fair and putting out all sorts of posters and stickers for the fair.

The trip included visits at Electra, Vernon, Chillicothe, Quanah, Crowell, Truscott, Benjamin, Seymour, Maybelle, Dundee, Mankin, Kemp City, Burkburnett, Randelett, Waters and finished up Friday and Saturday with the big horse race and picnic affair at Comanche, Okla.

Publicity matter is now well scattered in all parts of the trade territory and will be followed up with continuous advertising of one kind or another up to the date of the fair.

EIGHT PAVING CONTRACTS LET

Plains Paving Co. And L. E. Whitman Receive Awards

Paving occupied the major portion of the city council's time Monday night. Eight contracts were let, four to the Plains Paving company and four to L. E. Whitham company. One stretch was reported completed, and petitions were received and hearings authorized on three stretches.

Plains Paving company was granted the work on Forrest avenue, York to Lexington; Lawrence, York to Lexington; Joline, Avenue J to L; Filmore, Talunar to city limits. L. E. Whitham company was granted the work on Filmore, Avenue K to M; Avenue A, Monroe to Tenth; Mississippi, alley block 18, to Elm street; Mississippi to Kentucky.

Plains reported that the paving on Harrison street, Seventh to Tenth had been completed. Petitions were received and hearings authorized on Fourth, Lee to Michigan; Brittian, Avenue I to end of street; and Sixth street, Indiana to railroad tracks.

U. C. V. REUNION

An annual United Confederate Veterans convention and Old Settlers reunion is to be staged at Nocona, Tuesday, August 26th, according to information received at the local chamber of commerce Monday. This event is an attraction for old and young for that entire section of the country each year, and this year the directors are planning better and more expensive attractions than ever.

Death Stalks on Trail of Great Screen Lover as He Jests With Doctors Who Fail in Their Quest

Rudolph Valentino Dies Monday Afternoon In New York Hospital After Desperate Battle of Week Against Overwhelming Odds

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Rudolph Valentino, called the greatest lover in the history of motion pictures, died today.

For eight days he had waged battle with disease such as he never had to fight to vanquish his opposing forces on the screen.

In the hospital, as on the silver sheet, he had fought valiantly, his determination to win never clouding the essential cheeriness of his disposition. The last words he ever spoke a few hours before he died, were said in friendly conversation with one of the doctors who had tended him since his operation for appendicitis a week ago Sunday.

He said then that the greatest thing he was looking forward to was a fishing trip, on which he invited the physician to accompany him.

Soon after that he lapsed into coma from which he never roused. From time to time he strained and tossed as though there were words he wished to utter. His three doctors and two nurses bent above him, trying to catch his meaning from the faint muttering which was all that passed his lips.

Too Weak to Talk

But they could make no sense of it and if Rudolph had a last message some word to send to family or friends, to actor companions or fan admirers, his weakness forbade its delivery.

As the end approached and the priests had paved the way that Valentino might take his last journey in the manner of his faith, his business manager and close friend, S. George Ullman, left the room, unable longer to withhold his grief.

And so the shiek of fildom passed from the screen of life in the company of the tireless workers who had done all that sympathy and science and religion could do to save his life.

Valentino who rose from a $50 a week job as a movie "heavy" to become the greatest "matinee idol" the stage or screen has ever known, came here recently to attend the premiere of a new picture in which he was starred and to see his brother off for Italy. A week ago yesterday he collapsed in his hotel suite and was rushed to Polyclinic hospital.

Suffers From Appendicitis

Examination showed him to be suffering from appendicitis and gastric ulcers and an immediate operation for both was determined on. The double operation was a success but the actor's condition had become so aggravated by the time he collapsed that peritonis set in and for several days he remained in a critical condition.

By last Wednesday, however, his natural vigor seemed to have won the battle and his doctors announced that no more bulletins would be issued unless there was a change for the worse.

This change came Saturday night, a severe relapse due to pleurisy that developed in his left lung and gained rapid headway because of the patient's weakened condition.

Throughout last night his life was held together by the slinderest of threads. Every resource of the medical profession being resorted to to sustain him.

At 3:30 o'clock this morning Valentino roused, smiled, and talked of the time when he would be up again. And then darkness closed in on him never to lift. Until the end was without knowledge that he was to die and death stole upon him as he lay peacefully as though in sleep.

RUDOLPH WANTED TO DIE YOUNG

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Rudolph Valentino, who died today in New York, had a premonition of an early death and welcomed it in preference to living to a decrepit old age it was revealed here today by John W. Considine, producer of his pictures.

Considine said: "alentino several time sremarked to me 'I shall die young. I know it and N shall not be sorry. I would hate to be an old man.' Valentino's prophecy has been fulfilled but it has been a terrific blow to his friends. My association with him was one of the most fascinating episodes of my life. Far different from the person I had imagined him to be before I met him. He will be greatly missed."

The death of the "movie sheik" occasioned a signed statement of sympathy from his close friend, Mayor James Rolph, Jr., of San Francisco.

Gouvernor Morris, at whose Monterrey home Valentino visited several times since the first of the year, paid the screen favorite tribute when told of his death today.

"His death means a terrible loss to art," Morris declared. "Valentino was an excellent actor and a fine fellow. I am deeply grieved to learn of his passing."

While fildom mourned Valentino's passing his Italian countrymen here led by Cleto Paroni, editor of L'Italo Americano of Los Angeles, started a movement to erect to the great sheik character of the silver sheet.

Polo Negri of the films who announced her trial engagement to Valentino several weeks ago has retired into seclusion tonight and could not be reached. Her current picture, on which she has been at work at the Famous Players Lasky studio has been halted temporarily. June Mathis, who wrote the screen story for the "Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," the picture which lifted Valentino from an obscure dancer to the dizzy heights of film favor paid a glowing tribute to him as a man and an actor. She added, 'he was charmingly democratic."

ESTIMATE APPROVED.

The last estimate of $5,855.90 of the Austin Brothers Bridge company for the new bridge across Holliday creek at the end of Harrison street was approved and ordered paid by the county commissioners at their meeting Monday.

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FAIR OFFERS BARGAIN DAY

Sale of Thrift Tickets Will Start Here Next Monday

Bargain days for everybody who intends to attend the Texas-Oklahoma fair will open up Monday morning of next week with the sale of thrift tickets to the fair. These thrift tickets are offered every year in advance of the fair for the purpose of helping those who have large families and all who intend to take in the entire attractions every day.

The sale price of a thrift ticket is forty cents, and it is good for a general admission, which costs fifty cents at regular prices. It is also good for fifty cents on the purchase of grand stand seats.

The tickets will be on sale at the office of the fair association in the Perkins-Snider building, and arrangements are being made for local ladies societies and organizations to conduct sales of the tickets. They may also be ordered by mail or draft to Mayor R. E. Shepherd, Texas-Oklahoma Fair Association, Perkins-Snyder building.

TO HOLD PICNIC.

The annual picnic and educational meeting at Walters, Okla., will be sponsored by the Walters Rotary club this year and will be in full sway at ten o'clock this morning. The program is dedicated to the eighth grade students of the Walters public school and will carry a varied array of educational renditions.

A band concert, group singing, solos, readings and essays will compose the program, which is intended in the main to foster the "back to school movement."

HUNT FOR MAN

An appeal has been received by the sheriff's department here, requesting assistance in the search for John Barron, aged 23, who has been missing from his home in Childress since August 14. Barron formerly lived at Graham and the request for assistance came from friends in that city.

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