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District Judge Arraigned; Spared Impeachment

WASHINGTON, June 23.—Judge Erney Speer of the federal district court of Macon, Ga., was severely arraigned by the House judiciary sub-committee, for misusing his high office, but was spared impeachment because the committee believed that the evidence was insufficient to convict.

The judiciary committee requested the House to drop the charges.

The republican minority members submitted to the house a separate report, exonerating Speer.

Judge Speer was charged with having permitted friends liberal fees in bankruptcy cases. Speer was criticized for using federal employes as personal servants.

The charges declared unsustainable were that he used drugs unlawfully seized and sold the property.

FARMERS MUST HAVE HELP QUICK.

Wm. Forbus was in from the Norton country Tuesday and when called on for a report as to the crop condition in his section of the county Mr. Forbus says "we are stuck, and must have some help. We need many hands right now to help us out of the weeds." Mr. Forbus stated that he believed that there were crops in his section of the county that would go to waste unless the farmers could get some help. He attributes this condition to the fact that the acreage in cotton and other crops in the Norton country is large on account of many acres of oats dying. When the oats died the farmers proceeded to plant the land in something else, and it was an easy matter in this country for a farmer to plant too much when the conditions are favorable. Mr. Forbus says that where the cotton has been chopped and plowed it is looking fine.

Oil Tanks On Fire

MEADOWLANDS, Pa., June 23.—Encamped in the hills where they were driven by a series of terrific explosions, residents are praying today that the wind which is fanning blazing oil tanks will not shift and touch off other tanks. The entire village will be destroyed if the winds change and set off the remaining tanks of oil.

Twenty-four homes have been destroyed since lightning struck a tank Sunday.

One boy died from excitement and another is missing.

Tourists Breaking Records

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The United States department of commerce today reported that the tourist travel is breaking all records in this country this year. The market for the average per cent of autos was never better according to the secretary of the department. He expressed the belief that a big commercial industrial revival is scheduled for the United States soon.

Dick Trail came over from Paint Rock first of the week and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Trail.

WAITING ON CARRANZA

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The American administration will maintain the present Mexican policy of "hopeful waiting" while Gen. Carranza's representatives hasten to Niagara Falls to meet the Huerta envoys and the A. B. C. mediators.

The delay of the mediation conferences is inevitable, pending the arrival of Gen. Carranza's representatives in Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 23.—The mediators are today working on time, waiting to see whether the reports that Gen. Villa's representatives are coming here are true.

DISCUSS CAMPAIGN

CONITAS, Mex., June 23.—Gen. Natera will arrive here this afternoon for a conference with Gen. Villa.

How soon the general attack of Villa's troops numbering 30,000 men, on Zaatecas, can begin and how the assault will be conducted will be decided at the conference between the leaders.

General Barron, the federal commander at Zaatecas, has plenty of ammunition and artillery. A critical campaign of the rebels is in store, it is admitted.

MOTHER AND BABY ILL.

Mrs. C. P. Shepherd and little daughter were both carried to the sanitarium Monday where they underwent an operation for ear trouble. We are glad to report that they are getting along nicely.

MARINE MISSING

VERA CRUZ A marine has disappeared off the post opposite the Mexican lines.

It is believed that he has met the same fate of Private Parks, an orderly of Col Taggart, who was killed by Mexican federals on the outskirts of the city.

The name of the marine has been withheld by the officials here.

American outposts are angered by the insults of the Mexicans, but stringent orders have been issued that the Americans must not be the aggressors of the clash when it comes.

Washington, June 23.—In a report to the officials at Washington, Brig. Gen. Funston, on the disappearance of the marine at Vera Cruz on the outskirts of the city, stated that he thought the marine was on outpost duty and that he disappeared Saturday morning early. It was learned that he had threatened desertion.

FORMER BAPTIST PREACHER MARRIED

News comes from South Texas of the wedding of Rev. Charles Pierce and Miss Elsie Bleakley. Our informant does not know where the bride lived when the wedding took place, but Rev. Pierce lives at Austin, where they will make their home. Rev. Pierce was at one time pastor of the Ninth Street Baptist Church. He had quite a reputation as an orator and won in several oratorical contests of National scope.

A. W. Wood left Tuesday afternoon for Brenham where he goes to attend a reunion of his old brigade.

Sheriff Flynt returned from a visit to Dallas Tuesday where he went on business connected with his office.

Steamer Docks As She Is Sinking With Big Passenger List

Texas Woman In Collapse

MISHAWAKA, Ind., June 23.—Mrs. Percy Pezzybecker of Austin, Texas, is in a nervous collapse and is unable to speak at the Indiana Federation of Women's Clubs which is in convention here. The collapse is a result from the strain of presiding over the General Federation of Women's Clubs biennial which recently met at Chicago.

Girl May Have Been Kidnapped

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., June 23.—The murdered girl whose torso was found in the Mohawk river is believed either to have been kidnapped from New York and placed in an Italian colony here or was murdered in New York and the body brought here for concealment. The body of the girl was wrapped in a burlap sack which was the outer wrap. It was stolen from a local coal yard.

MRS. U. P. MELTON ILL.

Mrs. U. P. Melton was carried to the sanitarium Monday where she will be under the care of the physicians and nurses in combating a typhoid fever illness. The many friends will regret to hear that Mrs. Melton is ill and will wish for her speedy recovery.

CUXHAVE, Germany, June 23.—Smashing into the steamer Cobra, which was crowded with sightseers who were following Kaiser Wilhelm's yacht Melornrace at the mouth of the Elb river, the Hamburg-American liner Queen Louise tore a great hole in the Cobra's hull.

A panic was caused by the collision and was nearly fatal to many.

The Cobra began to fill immediately but the crew got the pumps to working and ran the ship to docks, while she was almost sinking.

During the moments the boats were together, scores of the Cobra's terrified passengers clambered over the bullwarks of the liner, grasping extended hands from the Queen Louise.

C. P. Shepherd and Troy Simpson had business in Paint Rock Monday. They report that the roads to the Concho county line are good, and with the exception of one place they are in fine shape, but in Concho county the roads have been badly neglected and are in a condition at places that makes them almost impassable.

Frank Kenny returned to Bronte Tuesday at noon after spending a couple of days here looking after business.

Curtis Norman was here Monday and Tuesday visiting relatives.

Revival Is Called Nuisance

DENVER, June 23.—Society leaders, pronouncing the proposed Billy Sunday revival in this city as a nuisance, filed today with the building commission a protest against the construction of a tabernacle near their homes.

We regret to report that Mrs. E. C. Baskin is quite sick and that her little son, James is also sick.

Club Women Attend Big Murder Trial

GENEVA, June 23.—A hundred club women of this city attend each day's session of the trial of Anthony Petras, charged with clubbing to death pretty Florence Hollander in a grave yard.

The object of the attendance of the women is to prove that the women is to prove that the club where crimes against young girls are alleged.

MAYOR URGES CLEAN CITY; MUST CUT ALL WEEDS

"A clean city we can and must have," said Mayor J. W. Powell today in speaking of the weed-chopping campaign which is being urged by the citizens of Ballinger.

"I have the hearty co-operation of the city council which met in called session this morning to discuss matters pertinent to the sanitation of Ballinger and her citizens. The weeds and water holes which breed mosquitoes had full discussion at the meeting."

At the meeting the council discussed the best methods of going about destroying all weeds within the city limits. The question is a mighty one and the members resolved to put a team to work with a mowing machine to work on the weeds on the streets. Following the mower will be two men with sythes who will cut such places as cannot be reached with the machine. This work will extend from

the city limits to the city limits on all streets and alleys.

"All owners of lots," insisted the mayor, "must clean their premises whether they own vacant or occupied lots. The city will use oil on pools of water where mosquitoes breed and destroy all chances of the multiplication of the insects. The two railways will be asked to look after their right-of-ways and keep them in a sanitary condition. Will not the entire population of this good city join in and do their full part and pull together and bring about this much needed condition? The council is doing all in its power to promote health in our city but must have the aid and encouragement of the citizens. We have had an abundance of rain lately and a super-abundance of weeds and filth which calls on us all to make extra efforts to meet the occasion. Will you do your part?"



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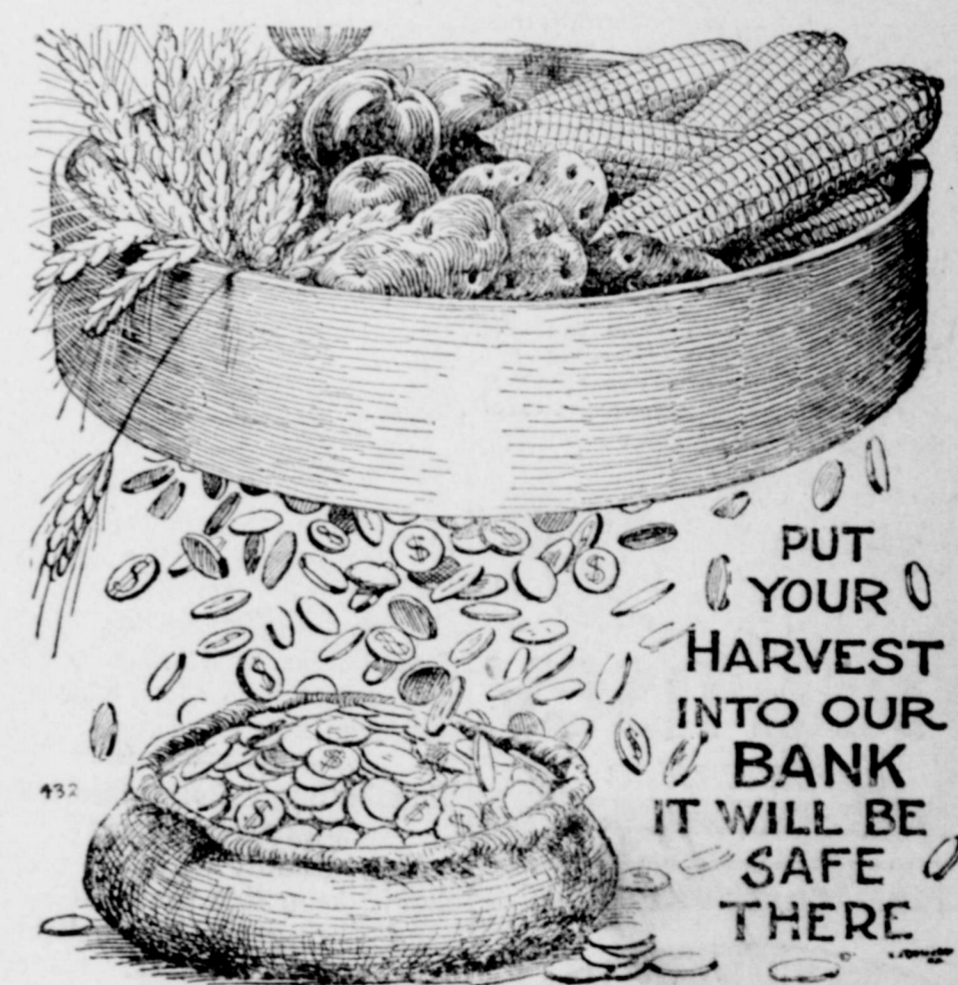
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THERE IS A HELL OF LITERAL FIRE

The distribution of millennium dawn literature in the tabernacle of the Ninth Street Baptist Church, where a revival is in progress, caused Evangelist Finney to handle the subject, "Hell with a fire in it," without gloves Monday night. It seems that some member of the Millennium faith, who believes that there is no hell, had visited the tabernacle during the day and left a quantity of Pastor Russell's literature, and when Evangelist Finney took his text and took up the discussion of the subject, he was well armed with facts that made it easy for him to shoot the Millennium dawn theory full of holes.

Rev. Finney stated that when any one put up a target for him to shoot at he generally tried to hit the mark.

In defending his position that there was a hell, and a hell with real fire in it, Rev. Finney produced some facts from court records to show that Pastor Russell had experienced some hell in his family trouble. The speaker quoted court records in the divorce trial of Pastor Russell where Russell's wife sued for divorce and secured it. He brought to light other remarkable facts about the millennial dawn man which the public that has been reading Pastor Russell's literature did not know anything about. To say that the evangelist administered a blow that will set the millennial dawn and other isms back several decades in Ballinger would be to express the sentiment of the large audience in mild terms. Many passages of scripture were quoted by the evangelist showing that there is a hell. "If there is no hell, there is no heaven, there is no God, and the Bible is false," said Rev. Finney.

The preacher appealed to the unsaved and warned them of a certain hell for those who did not live the right kind of a life, and meet the conditions laid down in the Bible for their guidance.

Splendid music is a feature of all the services at this revival, and this week promises much for the success of the meeting.

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Take Some Dodson's Liver Tone Tonight and See How Much Better You Will Feel Tomorrow.

Thousands of former sufferers from constipation, biliousness, sick headache and stomach ills are now brighter, healthier through taking Dodson's Liver Tone, the medicine which was made to use instead of calomel. They have learned to smile again.

Dodson's fine remedy is so different from calomel. You feel good after taking Dodson's Liver Tone. There are no depressing after-effects, such as with calomel and other strong and violent purgatives. You do not change your habits or diet when taking Dodson's Liver Tone. There is no pain or gripe, no change in your regular habits. Liver Tone promptly clears the dulled brain and clogged system in an easy, natural way, assisting Nature in the struggle against constipation and biliousness. Dodson's also stimulates you and builds you up and strengthens you at the same time.

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WOOL IS BEING LOADED TODAY

The 200,000 pounds of wool, raised by Runnels county men and recently sold by the Runnels County Wool Growers' Association, is being loaded into large bales today and will be shipped out of the city to the markets tomorrow. The wool goes to firms in Boston, New York and San Antonio, the buyers having purchased the same at the sale in Ballinger last Wednesday.

The wool brought to the growers approximately \$36,000. The prices paid ranged from 17 cents to 19 1-4 cents per pound. This is the best prices paid for wool in this part of the state within the past several weeks.

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Hunt's Cure is the name of the remedy which is absolutely guaranteed to cure all forms of skin disease of the purchase price promptly refunded. Wonderful results are obtained by its use, curing cases that did not yield to other treatment. Ask your druggist. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.



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County Treasurer's Quarterly Statement

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels.

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared, M. Kleberg, Jr., County Judge, Edgar Jayroe, J. M. Adams and C. N. Craft, County Commissioners, all of Runnels County, Texas, who being duly sworn each on his oath, deposes and says that he has fully complied with the provisions of Article 867 R. S., as set forth in said article, taken in connection with chapter No. 164 Acts of the 29th Legislature, 1905 Known as the depository law, by having actually counted and inspected all the cash in the hands of W. L. Brown, county Treasurer of Runnels County, Texas, as set forth in said County Treasurer's Report for the Quarter ending April 30th, 1914, and find the same to be as follows:

First Class, jury fund, cash balance	914.29
Second Class, road and bridge fund, cash balance	8,488.31
Third Class, general county fund, cash balance	9,058.54
Fourth Class, special fund, cash balance	4,212.55
Fifth Class, advertising fund, cash balance	171.20
Sixth Class, C. H. Bonds, Skg. Fund No. 1	853.27
Seventh Class, B. B. Bonds, Skg. Fund No. 1	1,275.68
Eighth Class, B. B. Skg. Fund No. 2	1,179.05
To balance commission due	79.68
To outstanding checks	9.00
By balance April 30th, 1914 as certified by depository	\$26,241.57

\$26,241.57 M. KLEBERG, Jr., County Judge.

EDGAR JAYROE, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.

J. M. ADAMS, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

C. N. CRAFT, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of May, 1914. O. L. PARISII, County Clerk, of Runnels County, Texas. By W. C. McCarver, Deputy.

this city. Mrs. Iriek did the preaching Monday night and there were two conversions out of the attendance that was good for a Monday night's service. Mrs. Iriek is one lady preacher that delivers an earnest message in a forceful way, and holds the attention of those who are under the sound of her voice. Those who have heard both Mrs. Iriek and Rev. Iriek do not hesitate to say

that Mrs. Iriek can preach just as good as her husband, and her work meets with just as good success.

This meeting will close Sunday and the Evangelist and his wife will leave Monday for Birmingham, Alabama, where they will begin a meeting on Wednesday of next week.

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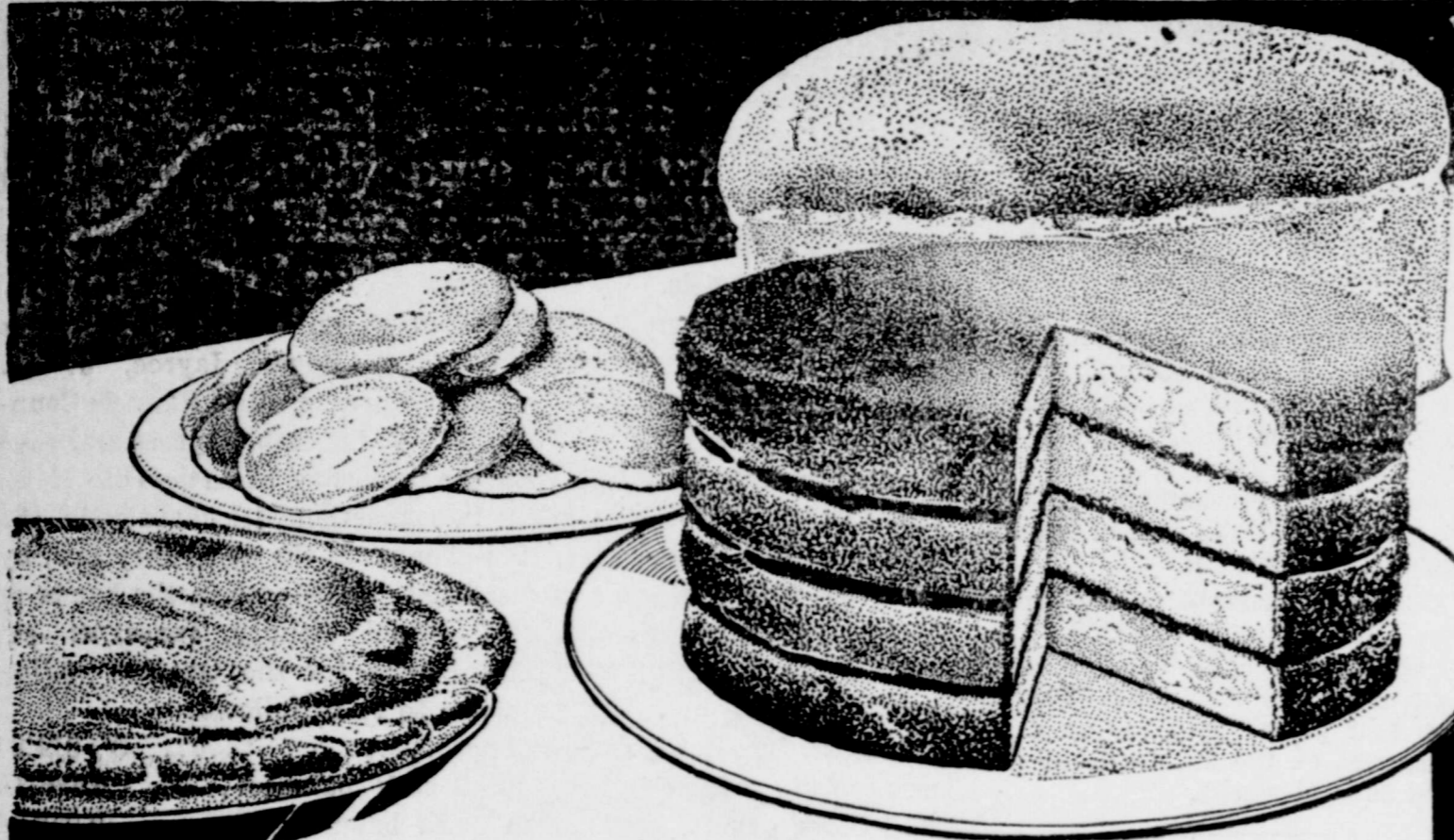
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LADY EVANGELIST; TWO CONVERSIONS

Rev. Allie Iriek and wife left today for Ballinger, Texas, where they will conduct a Holiness meeting. During their stay in Bonham Mr. and Mrs. Iriek have done the bulk of the preaching at the Holiness meeting, which has been in progress in South Bonham and which closed last night. There were some fifty conversions during this meeting, and a great spiritual awakening has been brought about by these two preachers and others working with them.—Bonham Favorite.

Rev. and Mrs. Iriek are also making good in the Holiness revival at the Nazarene church in



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The original and progressive idea of establishing a free circulating magazine library has been put in to working order by Postmaster Erwin, and a convenient rack arranged in the lobby of the post office. Those having magazines that they have read, are requested to bring them and leave them in this rack, and if you see any in the rack that you want to read you are at liberty to help yourself. Any one wanting a magazine to read are welcome to come and select them. They are contributed for this purpose. Don't burn up your magazines when you have read them, but place them in this free library where they will be of benefit to some one.

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"Between Savage and Tiger" the play that was billed to appear at the White City last Monday night and which was rained out, has been brought back to Ballinger and will be shown at the White City tonight. This is said to be one of the most interesting pictures ever shown in Ballinger. It cost perhaps more to produce it than any picture ever shown here. In addition to the special feature tonight, the Mutual Girl will also be shown. In order to cut out any delays, and as the picture for tonight is in six parts, two machines have been equipped and there will be no stops from the time the reel is started until the finish. The advertising slides will not be allowed to delay the picture. The bill for tonight is a good one and the management of the White City promises you your money's worth.

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SERIOUSLY ILL FROM SPIDER BITE

We are glad to report that Mrs. J. B. Wade's condition is considerably improved today, and that it is thought she is now out of danger.

Mrs. Wade was seriously ill for several hours Monday as a result of a spider bite. A spider bit her some time during the night Sunday. Little was thought of the bite until she became very ill Monday morning, and a physician summoned. The physician was to see her several times during the day, and it was thought she was getting along nicely until about three o'clock Monday afternoon, when little Mary Lou phoned to her papa's office and told him to come home quick. Judge Wade rushed home and found Mrs. Wade in the bath room almost in convulsions, having become suddenly worse. Every attention was given her by the physician and she is getting along nicely.

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Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. Try a twenty-five cent bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and see how quickly your rheumatic pains disappear. Sold by all dealers.

MOLLIE BAILEY APPEALS FOR HELP

Aunt Mollie Bailey, who for more than a quarter of century has been traveling over Texas with her show, the greater part of this time traveling through the country transporting her show from town to town by wagons, is in ill health and needs assistance. If her show comes to Ballinger again it may come under the name of Mollie Bailey, but Aunt Mollie will not be with the show, and will not derive any benefit from same. She was for many years successful with her show,

but it seems now that she failed to lay up anything for a rainy day. Old age has crept upon her and caught her without the comforts of life, and she has issued the following appeal through the press of Texas:

"Dear Friends: I am seriously ill with paralysis of nerves. Please ask the old soldiers and all friends to assist me if possible.

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Official notice has been given of the sale of the Concho, San Saba and Llano Valley railroad, operating train from Sterling City to Paint Rock, via Miles, to the Santa Fe, and after July 1st.

This absorption will benefit the shippers in that it will give them a one-line rate. Heretofore a two line rate on freight has been charged on account of the change at Miles. Ballinger jobbers and merchants will profit by this as they can ship to Paint Rock at a lower rate and at the same time buy from the farmers of the Concho country and have the grain and other crops shipped to Ballinger.

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GAME OF FORTY TWO LEADS TO SHOOTING

At Fort Chadbourne Tuesday, there was a regrettable difficulty between members of the family of Buck Taylor and that of Bob Turner. Details of the trouble are meager, but it appears that one of the Taylor boys and a Turner boy, with partners, were playing "42". Taylor talked across the table to his partners and objections were raised by Turner. Sharp words ensued, Taylor "cursed out" Turner, but we are not informed as to whether blows passed between them or not.

When young Turner went home he reported the occurrence and his father became much angered. He secured his pistol and with other members of the family went on the hunt for Taylor. He was soon found and when a row ensued Turner shot once at Taylor, missing him. The pistol snapped at the second effort to shoot, or more serious consequences might have resulted. Various implements of war are said to have been in evidence, and the wife of one of the men involved did some effective clawing and scratching on one of the opposing side.

Young Taylor came to Bronte Tuesday afternoon and pleaded guilty to his part of the trouble, and the charge of assault to murder and carrying a pistol, against Turner, will likely go over to the grand jury in September.—Bronte Enterprise.

Take Plenty of Time to Eat

There is a saying that "rapid eating is slow suicide." If you have formed the habit of eating too rapidly you are most likely suffering from indigestion or constipation, which will result eventually in serious illness unless corrected. Digestion begins in the mouth. Food should be thoroughly masticated and insalivated. Then when you have a fullness of the stomach or feel dull and stupid after eating, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many severe cases of stomach trouble and constipation have been cured by the use of these tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Sold by all dealers.

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