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NAVAL TRAGEDY CAUSES SORROW IN MANY HOMES

SEVEN DROWNED

MINNESOTA'S LAUNCH RUN DOWN
DURING IN HAMPTON ROADS.

JOYOUS, MIDSHIPMEN

Returned From Ball at Jamestown
Drowned Like Rats in a Trap.

Associated Press.

Wichita, Va., June 12.—It is reported that a disaster occurred in Hampton Roads Monday night, which resulted in the sinking of a launch of the United States battleship Minnesota and the drowning of eleven midshipmen, who were returning from the army and navy ball at Jamestown Exposition Monday night, and five seamen who were on the crew of the launch. The launch was run down by a tug and the launch was towed to the shore. The report, which it is stated was made officially on board the launch, did not give the name of the tug or the barge. It is reported, however, that the tug stopped immediately following the collision, but finding no trace of any wreckage had been struck or any wreckage on anything in the water, the tug continued on its course with the coal barge. The presumption is that the launch, a small craft, sank immediately following the collision, the launch occupants being caught in the overturned craft with no possibility of escape and were carried to the bottom, drowning like rats in a trap. It was raining and the choppy sea was sending spray to such an extent that it had become necessary for the launch to have the canvas tightly buttoned to the sides of the vessel.

Associated Press.

Wichita, Va., June 12.—A telegram expressing the shock and grief of President Roosevelt at the news of the launch from the battleship Minnesota, with six midshipmen, boat crew and four enlisted men was received by the President upon train from Baltimore to Rear Admiral Evans. The disaster is believed to have been caused by the collision of the launch with a big

Associated Press.

Wichita, Va., June 12.—Shortly after noon today articles washed ashore at Buckreef beach. They are believed to have come from the launch of the Minnesota, which was run down in Hampton Roads Monday night. The articles consisted of two pieces and other portions of the launch that used for the launch.

Associated Press.

Wichita, Va., June 12.—A dispatch from Rear Admiral Evans, requesting that the next of kin be informed that the launch and enlisted men previously reported missing were undoubtedly

drowned, was made public today at the navy department. The dispatch adds that the uniform caps of the two midshipmen, Stevenson and Ullrich, have been picked up.

COMPANY ALLEGES CONSPIRACY.

Uncle Sam Oil Company Seeks Removal From Bankruptcy.

By Associated Press.

Leavenworth, Kansas, June 11.—The proceedings brought by H. H. Tucker, Jr., to remove the Uncle Sam Oil Company from bankruptcy were resumed in the United States district court here today. It is the intention of the Uncle Sam Company if possible to show that a conspiracy exists to drive it out of business.

Eight Political Prisoners Executed.

By Associated Press.

Riga, Russia, June 12.—Eight political prisoners were executed here today for participation in the recent disorders in the central prison, which is subject to interpellation in the lower house of parliament.

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ENGINEERS KILLED

NEARLY A SCORE OF JAPANESE HAVE BROKEN BONES.

BIG HEAD-ON COLLISION

On the Southern Pacific Results From Carelessness of Flagman.

By Associated Press.

Santa Cruz, Cal., June 12.—A disastrous accident occurred yesterday seven miles from Santa Cruz on the Big Trees Line of the Southern Pacific. James Froster, engineer, and Charles Capelle, both employed by the Southern Pacific, met death in a head-on collision between the two engines. George Nicholson, a brakeman and fireman Melvin, and an unknown Japanese were seriously injured while about 14 Japanese have broken bones and cuts about the body and face. The accident is said to be due to the carelessness of Jess E. Mann, a flagman, who failed to give signals.

CHINESE BOXERS.

Reported to Have Sailed From America With Arms and Ammunition.

By Associated Press.

Victoria, B. C., Jun 12.—Mail advices from Tien-Tsin state that report has been secured by Yuan Shih Kai, to the effect that a large number of Chinese boxers have left America for China by a special steamer with arms and ammunition.

Swindler is Convicted.

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, Cal., June 12.—E. W. Emmons, a mining promoter, was convicted today of obtaining \$500 from Mrs. M. E. Hurst for stock in the Drummer Boy Mining Company, of no value. He will be sentenced Saturday. The penalty is imprisonment of from one to ten years.

HAVE A SHARP TILT ORCHARD AND RICHARDSON EN- GAGE IN WRANGLE. DURING TWELVE NIGHTS

Orchard Tells How He Waited at Bell's Residence to Murder Him.

By Associated Press.

Boise, Idaho, June 12.—The cross examination of Harry Orchard today is being carried into the attempt on the life of Governor Peabody at Canyon City and the events immediately surrounding, including the Goddard and Gabbert plots, and followed the usual methods designed to confuse or discredit the witness. Attorney Richardson again suggested that Orchard was being coached by Detective McHartland and counsel for the prosecution. This provoked the sharpest wrangle that the attorney and the witness have had in their long contest. Orchard spiritedly denied that he was being coached and asserted that he was telling the truth. Orchard said that he and Pettibone discussed the project of killing Judge Gabbert, but that he alone started out to murder Judge Goddard without any suggestion from Haywood, Moyer or Pettibone except a general one made months before. Still another crime came home to Orchard today. Under examination he confessed that he had swindled the farmers of Southern Colorado with a fake hail insurance game, while down there trying to kill Peabody.

Message From Missing Man.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., June 12.—A dispatch received at the Navy Department at 2:15 p. m. from Secretary Metcalf, dated at Fortress Monroe, made some inquiry about a departmental matter. Officials here are now satisfied that the secretary is all right.

Gore's Nomination, Certain.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 12.—Official returns up to 11 o'clock show that T. P. Gore, of Lawton, is 1,800 in lead for senator and has undoubtedly won over Hoffman. Gore is blind.

RUEF UPON STAND

TESTIFIES HE GAVE SCHMITZ \$4,000 BRIBE MONEY.

STATE HAS STRONG CASE

Against San Francisco Mayor—Ruef Gives Damaging Testimony.

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, Cal., June 12.—When the Schmitz trial was resumed today with Abraham Ruef upon the stand, the court overruled the objection of the defense to the question pending when court adjourned yesterday. This question was, "Did you in January, 1905, in a house at 2849 Fillmore street give the defendant, Eugene E. Schmitz, \$2,500 in currency?" Ruef answered in the affirmative.

Ruef said that when he gave the \$2,500 to Schmitz he told the Mayor it was his share of the \$5,000 that had been received from the French restaurants. Ruef testified that in January, 1906, he gave Schmitz \$1,500, telling him it was the second installment, amounting to \$3,000, paid by the French restaurants.

NEW LUMBER COMPANY.

Minnetonka Lumber Co. to Establish a Yard in Wichita Falls.

The Minnetonka Lumber Company of Oklahoma City have purchased lots 100x150 feet on the corner of Eleventh street and Ohio avenue. Work will begin immediately on the buildings and will be pushed with all possible haste. A complete stock of building material will be ordered and shipped so as to arrive as soon as the buildings are ready to receive it. J. R. Eldridge will be in charge and is now in the city seeing after the building arrangements. He says they expect to be ready for business in sixty days or less.

Stenographic Reports in the Future.

By Associated Press.

Denver, Colo., June 12.—At the morning session of the Western Federation of Miners' convention today, it was decided to have a stenographic report made of the future sessions of the convention. This was the only matter accomplished and was discussed thoroughly before adoption.

SUIT AGAINST COAL ROADS.

is Opened at Philadelphia—Roads are Charged With Monopoly.

By Associated Press.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 12.—The suit by the government against the anthracite coal railroads filed in the United States circuit court here was opened at 10:15 o'clock this morning.

The defendants, who are charged with carrying on a monopoly in the production and sale of hard coal, are the following companies: Reading, Philadelphia, Lehigh Valley, Lackawanna, Central of New Jersey, Erie, Susquehanna, Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron, Lehigh Valley Coal, Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal, Hillside Coal & Iron, New York, Susquehanna & Western Coal and Temple Iron Companies. After the filing of the bill of complaint by District Attorney Thompson, machinery was put in motion to have papers served upon the defendants. The suit is the result of an investigation started by the department of justice nearly a year ago.

You can get pure elder vinegar from King & White.

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THE JAPANESE SITUATION GROWING MORE SERIOUS

Results of Yesterday's Games.

Texas League—

Austin, 3; Dallas, 2.

San Antonio, 4; Waco, 2.

Galveston, 4; Fort Worth, 1.

North Texas League—

Corsicana, 2; Paris, 1.

Greenville, 1; Terrell, 0.

American League—

Boston, 2; Cleveland, 0.

Detroit, 10; New York, 2.

St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 0.

National League—

Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 5.

Pittsburg, 7; Brooklyn, 4.

Boston, 2-3; Cincinnati, 1-7.

New York, 8; St. Louis, 7.

Indignation Fanned to White Heat.

Tokio, Japan, June 12.—A correspondent at Washington reports an attack upon the Japanese horticulturists at Berkeley, California, resulting in the destruction of property. This fanned the flames of indignation here and served to confirm the popular belief that the violence is the result of a deep rooted feeling against the Japanese.

A Trivial Affair.

San Francisco, Cal., June 12.—Thomas G. Walker, representing the Japanese Association of the America, states that boys threw a few stones at the greenhouse, but that the damage was slight and no action would result from the affair. Local authorities will deal with the offenders.

ABANDON THE ATTEMPT.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 12.—The Japanese immigrants who threatened a week ago to bring mandamus proceedings against County Clerk to compel him to issue paper to Japanese applicants for citizenship in the United States, have abandoned their purpose and announce today that they accept without further contest the ruling of the department of immigration that subjects of the Emperor of Japan must not be granted the privilege of citizenship.

Finger Mashed By Binder.

T. P. Simmans, a well known farmer living five miles south of town, had the tip of the forefinger of his left hand mashed off yesterday in a binder while cutting oats.

Three colored women were arrested and jailed here last night on charges of vagrancy.

Professional Ads.

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OPENING SESSION

OF THE AMARILLO PRESBYTERY HELD LAST NIGHT.

BABER FOR MODERATOR

Presbytery is Now in the Midst of Its Labor.

The opening session of the Amarillo Presbytery was convened at the First Presbyterian church in this city at 8:45 o'clock last night.

The session was opened by Rev. W. L. Livingston, who had been designated by the General Assembly at Columbus, Ohio, for that purpose.

Rev. Livingston preached from the text, "And as Thy servant was busy here and there he was gone." From the lesson it was shown that men judge themselves and that they are seldom any better or worse than they think themselves to be.

Continuing, he showed that this is a day of specialists and that it is almost impossible for one man to do two things well. He said that persons entering the ministry should take time to prepare and specialize just as they would in any other calling.

The greatest mistake that the churches make, he said, is that they try to tear down others instead of building up themselves. Discussions should be avoided, as all churches are peculiar enough without making any effort to make them more so.

At the conclusion of the sermon A. B. Haynes was called to the secretary's chair. A communication was then read from the General Assembly. It defined the boundaries of the Amarillo Presbytery and contained the official call for a meeting at this time and place. It showed that the Amarillo, Gregory and North Texas Presbyteries had been united to form the present Amarillo Presbytery.

Following the roll, the election of the moderator was taken up, and Rev. W. C. Baber of Quanah was unanimously chosen.

Following the appointment of a committee to examine two applicants for the ministry the session was adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

Those appointed to examine the candidates were S. O. Woods, chairman, and W. L. Livingston and Wm. G. Corey.

THE MAPLE IS MISSING.

Secretary Metcalf Overdue from Jamestown Many Hours.

By Associated Press. Norfolk, Va., June 12.—No news was received up to 10 o'clock this morning from Secretary Metcalf and party, who were aboard the light house tender, Maple, which went to Jamestown yesterday and who were due to return last evening.

No Apprehension at Washington.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., June 12.—While no word reached the navy department today concerning Secretary Metcalf, who was with the presidential party at Jamestown Monday, no apprehension is felt for his safety. Metcalf planned to return to Hampton Roads last night and if any misfortune happened to the tender the officials believe it can be but slight and that the secretary will reach the roads with little delay.

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OLD SETTLER.

Did you ever notice that it is characteristic of the majority of people in this old world to try to shift responsibility?

The average man will make all kinds of flimsy excuses to perform his duty as a citizen notwithstanding he assumes the privilege and is always ready to criticize the other fellow. Especially is this true in politics and religion.

That reminds me, that during a heated political campaign in Southern Texas, two fiery young men were contesting for membership in the State legislature. Both were university graduates, and had a host of warm personal friends. Both being Democrats, the difference between them was more imaginary than real.

The contest was waged in joint debate all over the district.

On one occasion they met at a picnic and barbecue celebration on the fourth of July. The people came from miles around and by 10 a. m. two thousand were on the grounds. Among them was an old gray headed darkey, who had served his master long and faithful and, as a reward was given his fifty acres and a mule.

Honest and faithful, the old negro not only accumulated a competency, but enjoyed the respect and friendship of the people, and was accorded many privileges not common to his race.

Consequently being invited by his friends, to take a day off, he was on hand and took great interest in the joint debate.

This was the final grand rally of the campaign, and, both young men realizing its importance became unusually bitter in charge and counter-charge until a personal encounter was narrowly averted.

The old darkey had listened with keen interest, and at the close of the debate stood apart from the crowd meditating and scratching his woolly pate.

A neighbor of the old man passed by and said: "Uncle Sam, what do you think of the speech?" "Well, Massa Joe, dem two youngsters 'am sure mighty fine 'baters. Da slambasted each oder jes like playin' slap-jack wid switches. But, I ain't zackly tell which one is in de right, kase you see, one he say you did it, and, tother one he say no, you did it, and I can prove it. And, den da both say scanous things 'bout de oder one. Now, Massa Joe, dey 'minds me of my old gray mule, when I's plowing in de cotton patch. He's always looking behind to see whar I's gwyne to hit him, 'stead of looking to see whar he is gwyne to. Dem two youngsters 'am jes fooling around ter see whar dey is gwynto be hit when de 'lection comes off. Politics 'am sure a puzzler for dis darkey."

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NEW ORLEANS LINE

ROUTE OF EXTENSION OF K. C. SOUTHERN ANNOUNCED.

SHORT BRANCH RAILROAD

Between New Orleans and Kansas City Will Be Built.

Kansas City, Mo., June 12.—J. A. Edson, president of the Kansas City Southern railway last night announced the route of the proposed extension of the line to New Orleans. The New Orleans branch will start from Leesville, La., and run southeasterly through Oberlin and Eunice to Crowley on the Southern Pacific, which will be paralleled as far as New Iberia. From that point the route runs easterly and southeasterly between the Texas & Pacific and Southern Pacific lines passing through a rich sugar plantation country. The length of the branch from Leesville to New Orleans will be about 250 miles and the distance from Kansas City to New Orleans 918 miles. This is to be the short line between Kansas City and New Orleans.

Big Advance in Feed Prices.

Talking with one of the liverymen a day or two ago we learned that during the past year prices on feed have advanced from 75 to 90 per cent, and his advice is that there is no prospect of a reduction this year.

For example, last year oats could be had at 32 and 33 cents, while now they cost, in car lots, laid down in Abilene, besides the cost of unloading, 60

cents. Corn, then 50 cents, is now 75. Hay that last year sold at \$7 and \$8 a ton now goes at \$12.50. Bran has gone from \$1 per hundred to \$1.40. Chops have advanced from \$1 to \$1.45. As before stated, the crop reports from all over the United States are such that no let-up in prices can be prophesied for this year, and none until a better crop is made.

Now, what does this mean to the farmers? To us it indicates that the planting of feed crops is the part of wisdom and that it will mean better profits than even 12 cent cotton, if it should go to that figure. It is always safe to plant and take care of feed crops, and when prices are soaring as they are at this time, it is especially wise to look after the provender that almost every family in the land must have. The same informant tells us that he cannot engage feed for future delivery at the above figures anywhere and this shows that prices will probably go still higher.

Even flour has advanced about 30 cents in the past two or three months. It seems to us that there is an opportunity for the farmers to make some mighty good money, and to save a great deal by planting feed crops that will sell at good figures and will keep them from having to pay fancy prices for what they have to use in keeping their own work and milk stock.—Abilene Reporter.

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WILL DRILL FOR OIL

LOCAL CAPITALISTS WILL SIN A WELL AT ALLENDALE.

HOPE TO MAKE A STRIKE

Geological Formations Point to Existence of Oil in Paying Quantities.

Will Allendale prove another Petrolia? If it does it will fulfill the hopes and expectations of a number of Wichita Falls capitalists who are putting up some good money in the hope of developing a paying oil field in that vicinity.

Within the last few days a company has been organized in Wichita Falls to prospect for oil on L. B. Duckett's farm and the contract has been let for the sinking of the first well, upon which drilling is to begin within a few days.

Those comprising the new company are J. Markowitz, J. Nussbaum, J. A. Kemp, Frank Kell, Rod Oliver, A. H. Carrigan, J. C. Whaley, Bean & Stone and J. A. Lee.

The well will be sunk by J. A. Lee. The Duckett farm was selected by the company for the scene of its first operations, because the indications are better for oil than in any other section of Wichita county.

It is on this farm that gas flows from a surface well and this gas will be utilized by Mr. Lee to furnish the power for his drilling apparatus.

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Wichita Falls, Texas, June 12th, 1907.

GOES TO OYSTER BAY.

President Roosevelt Will Spend A Quiet Summer There.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., June 12.—President Roosevelt left Washington for his summer home at Oyster Bay, L. I., at 8:50 a. m. today by way of Pennsylvania railroad. He and his party occupied the private car Magnet, which was attached to the rear of the regular train. The party included Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Cowles, wife of Rear Admiral Cowles, Secretary and Mrs. Loeb and Mr. M. C. Latta, one of the assistants and secretaries. They will reach Oyster Bay at about 5 o'clock. The president hopes to pass a very quiet summer at Oyster Bay and according to present plans, with probably not more than one exception, he will remain there continuously until he leaves for Canton, Ohio, for the unveiling of the McKinley Memorial monument in September.

Mrs. Mater Entertains at "Forty-Two."

Mrs. Mater again delightfully entertained a party of young people at her home on North Lamar street last night with a "forty-two" party.

The guests included the Misses Meota Curry, Lucille Brooks, Willia Mae Kell, Elizabeth Young, Margaret Ly- apant, Laura McGlasson, Evelyn Coffelt, Nellia Dorsey and the Messrs. James Smith, Arthur Huff, William Huff, Joe Jones, Elmer Fligo, Ben White, Everett Stonecipher and Mr. Hrus.

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WIND MOVES HOUSES

HARD BLOW LAST NIGHT SHAKES STRONGEST BUILDINGS.

TWO HOUSES DAMAGED

Were Lifted From Foundations and Moved Several Feet.

The high wind which preceded the rain and hail storm last night did considerable damage to movable objects in and around Wichita Falls.

In the city the home of J. L. Givens, at the corner of Holliday and Fifteenth streets was lifted from its foundations and moved about five feet. Mrs. Givens and her three children were in the house at the time and were badly frightened. Considerable damage was done to the kitchen stove and furniture.

The house was a small structure containing only two rooms. Mr. Givens is employed at the Fort Worth & Denver round house.

Sparrows Killed By Hail.

Under the trees and at the sides of buildings scores of sparrows and other birds were found in many places this morning. The birds had been killed by the hailstones last night which were of more than ordinary size and were driven at an extraordinary velocity by the high wind. Peaches and other fruits were also knocked from the trees by the hail.

Hard Blow at Frieberg.

Farmers living in the Frieberg neighborhood report a heavy rain and high wind last night. A tenant house on the farm of John Moore was lifted from its foundations and blown some twelve or fifteen feet. It was occupied by a family named Rhotes, but none of them were hurt.

Storm Houses Popular.

Special to the Times.
Iowa Park, Tex., June 12.—Standing room in the storm cellars at this place was in demand last night. A very threatening cloud came from the north and frightened our people. The wind was not enough to do any serious damage and the rain amounted only to a very light shower.

Wind Mill Blown Down.

A water tank and wind mill belonging to the Texas Realty Company, and situated on the river north of town, was blown down in the storm last night. No other serious damage was done in that vicinity.

Attention Royal Arch Masons.

All R. A. Masons are hereby notified that the annual election of officers for the Order will be held Friday night the 14th. Your presence is earnestly requested.

J. D. AVIS,
High Priest.

The Wichita Grain and Coal Company are well fixed to supply your wants either in coal or feed. Phone 33, 241f J MILTON ERWIN, Mgr.

Preaching Tonight.

There will be preaching tonight at the Presbyterian church by one of the ministers now in attendance at the Presbytery. The public is cordially invited. Services begin at 8:30.

The Ladies of the Baptist Church solicit your attendance at their market Saturday at the Nickel Store. Dressed frying chickens, fresh butter, cakes and nice peaches specials.

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Stop in and sample those marshmallows that we are selling at 25 cents a pound. You will like them.

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THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Omaha Live Stock.

Omaha, Neb., June 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,500. Market steady to weak.
Western steers 3.50@5.30
Texas steers 3.25@4.50
Cows and helpers 2.50@4.25
Canners 2.00@3.00
Stockers and feeders 3.00@5.00
Calves 3.50@6.75
Bulls and stags 3.25@4.85
Sheep—Receipts, 60,000. Market slow to shade lower.

Yearlings 6.00@7.00
Wethers 6.00@6.50
Ewes 5.50@6.40
Lambs 7.00@8.25

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Ill., June 12.—Wheat—July 90%; September, 92% @ 93. Corn—July and eptember, 52% @ 53. Oats—July, 42; September, 32%. Pork—July, 15.70; September, 15.77%. Lard—July, 8.85; September, 8.72%. Ribs—July, 8.47 1/2 @ 8.50; September, 8.62 1/2

Stocks and Money.

New York, June 12.—Prime mercantile paper, 95 1/2 per cent. Money on call steady at .02 1/2 per cent.
Closing stocks—Atchison, 88 1/2; preferred, 52%; New York Central, 1.12%; Pennsylvania, 1.20; Southern Pacific, .76%; Union Pacific, 1.34; preferred, .85; copper, .84; steel, .33%; preferred, .98.

St. Louis Wool.

St. Louis, Mo., June 12.—Wool steady; unchanged.

Lead and Copper.

New York, June 12.—Lead dull at 5.75@5.85. Copper dull at 24.00@24.50. Silver, .66%.

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We also carry a nice line of buggy whips. We will appreciate your business.

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JUDGMENT.



Reserve thy censure for a day!
'Tis better to be last than first
To criticise the erring way!

For all are human, frail and weak;
And each may waver in the right—
'Tis noblest to compassion speak!

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True charity is Virtue's rose!
Wouldst wear its perfume in thy heart?
Suspend thy judgment 'til the close!

You heard it not—the Tempter's song—
Know not what need beset the man;
'Tis only God may judge the wrong!
Byron Williams.

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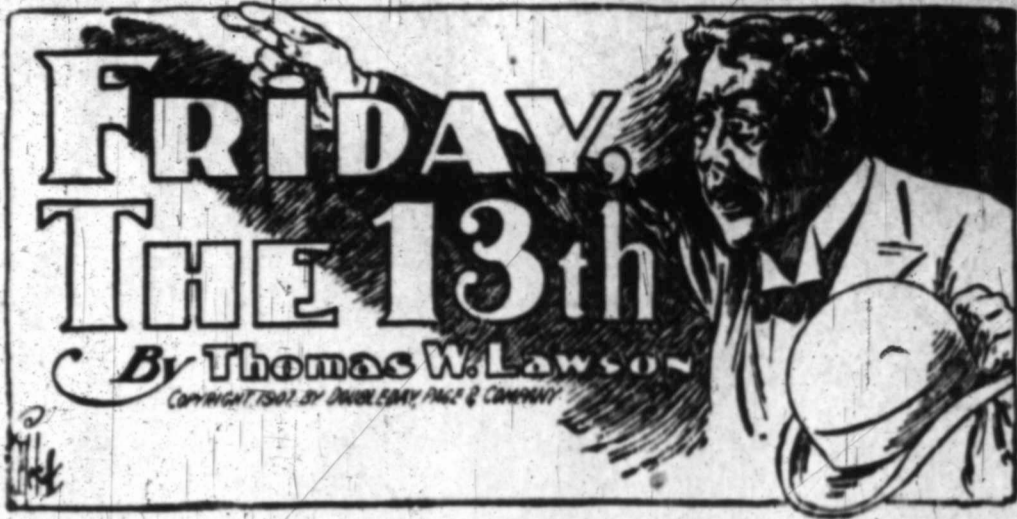
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will bury them from 200 to 150. What do you think?"

"I gant make out, aldo I haf vatched dem sharp all day. Dey certainly haf deh lambs lined up right now for any vey dey vont to twist id. I nefer see a petter market for a deluge. For Barry's movements all day I should say dey would keep hoistin' her until about noon to-morrow, unt dat deh might get her up to two-fifty or even to deh two-fifty. Put dere are von or two; topes on deh sheet vhat run deh uder vay. First der is dey fact you gant run out, dat dere is alroty on deh Sugar vagon deh piggeat load of chulcy suckers dat efer game in from deh suppurbs. Sharley pates says if any von hat tapped his Washington vire or any utter capital vire dis veek he would haf thought dere vas a senate, house, unt kabinet roll-gallon. Deh topes say 'Cam' vill nefer led dat punch off grafters alite out mit real moonney if he gan help id unt deh game iss endirely in his hands."

"I agree with you, Ike. If I had the steering of this killing, I don't think

I would take any chance of tempting them to dump and grab the profits by carrying it much over 200. But you can't tell what 'Cam' and those four

as he game out. He hasn't made a trade to-day unt yet he sticks like a stamp-tax. I ben keeping my eyes on him for I t'ought he hat someding up his sleeve dat might raise tust von he tropt id. I dink Parry has hat deh same itear. He never loses sight of him, yet Pop hasn't made a trade to-day, unt here id iss 20 minutes of der glose unt dere is Parry in deh center again whooping her up ofer two hundred unt four."

CHAPTER V.

Thursday, November 12, was a memorable day in Wall street. As the gong pealed its the-games-closed-till-another-day, the myriad of tortured souls that are supposed to haunt the treacherous bogs and quicksands of the great exchange, where lie their earthly hopes, must have prayed with renewed earnestness for its destruction before the morrow. Never had the stock exchange folded its tents with surer confidence of continuing its victorious march. Sugar advanced with record-breaking total sales to 207 1/2 and the final half-hour carried the whole list of stocks up with it. In



"To-Morrow's Friday der T'irteenth."

eyed dentists at 26 Broadway will do."

"Yes, put der iss anudder t'ing. Cho, dat makes me sit up unt plink about her goin' ofer two hundred. To-morrow's Friday der T'irteenth."

"Of course, Ike, that is something to be reckoned with, and every man on the floor and in the street as well has his eye on it. Friday, the 13th, would break the best bull market ever under way. You and I know that, Ike, and the dope shows it, too, but you have got to stack this up against it on this trip. No man on the floor knows what Friday, the 13th, means better than Barry Conant. He has worked it to the queen's taste many a time. Why, Barry would not eat today for fear the food would get stuck in his windpipe. He's never left the pole for a minute; but suppose, Ike, Barry had tipped off 'Cam' that all the boys will let go their fliers, and most of them will take one on the short side over to-night for a superstitious drop at the opening; and suppose 'Cam' has told him to take them all into camp and give her a rafter-scraper at the opening, where would old Friday, 13th, land on to-morrow's dope-sheets? Bring up the average, wouldn't it, for five years to come? I tell you, Ike, she's too deep for me this run, and I'm goin' to let her alone and pay for the turkey out of loan commissions or stick to plain work-day food."

"Zame here, Cho. Say, Cho, haf you noticed Pop Prownlee to-day? He has frozen to deh fringe off dat Sugar crowd ess t'ough some von hat nipped

ed ten points. Sugar closed at the very top amid great excitement, with Barry Conant taking all offered. During the last 30 minutes it had become evident to all that the board-room traders and plungers, together with many of the semi-professional gamblers, who operated through commission houses, were selling out their stock and going short over the opening of the Wall street hoodoo-day, Friday, the 13th of the month. But it was also evident, with the heavy selling at the close and stiffness of the price, which had never wavered as block after block was thrown on the market, that some powerful interest as well had taken cognizance of the fact that the morrow was hoodoo-day. At the close, most of the sellers, had they been granted another five minutes, would have repurchased, even at a loss, what they had sold, for it looked as though they had sold themselves into a trap. Their anxiety was intensified by the publication, a few minutes later, of this item:

"Barry Conant in coming from the Sugar crowd after the close remarked to a fellow broker: 'By three o'clock to-morrow, the 13th, will have a new meaning to Wall street.' This was interpreted as pointing to a terrible jump in Sugar to-morrow."

"The street" knew that the news bureau that sent out this item was friendly to Barry Conant and the "system," and that it would print nothing displeasing to them. Therefore, this must be a foreword of the coming harquet of the bulls and the slaughter

(To Be Continued.)

Your Attention!

We Have Just Received

A late purchase of Lawns, Batiste and Dimities, and White Gowns with small figures that are worth 12 1/2c to 15c per yard, but we are going to make a 10c price on them,

Also have a new line of Embroidery and Laces that came in the same lot and are being offered at a low price.

Bare Foot Sandals.

We received a delayed shipment of Bare Foot Sandals, all sizes, some of which were damaged in transit by having been wet. These we offer at about 50c on the dollar.

Millinery.

Some new offerings in early Summer Millinery. Everything new and clean.

YOURS TO PLEASE,

W. E. Skeen

WILL INVESTIGATE

NEWBY WILL GO TO WAXAHACHIE TO INSPECT COTTON MILL.

WILL ORGANIZE COMPANY

Wichita Falls Capital Will Be Invested In Enterprise if the Reports are Favorable.

On account of the oppressive heat and the threatened storm the mass meeting at the court house last night for the purpose of taking steps to locate a big cotton mill was not largely attended.

No effort was made to secure subscriptions for stock in a company to build a mill here, but a number expressed themselves as willing to make liberal investments in such an enterprise if it seemed feasible and there was a prospect of getting good returns on the investment.

Finally it was decided to send A. Newby to Waxahachie to inspect the mill at that place and to make a full investigation of the proposition. Mr. Newby was authorized not only to go to Waxahachie, but to other places where cotton mills are operated. Upon the nature of his report will depend whether further steps will be taken to organize a company here.

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Have you enquired at the "Old Reliable Stand" if they have in stock your needs in Office Supplies?

THEY HAVE IT!

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If you would be well dressed the Hat must be right. Genuine Panama's \$8.50, \$6 and \$5.00
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Wichita Falls, Texas

WERE EASY PICKIN'

BOWIE LAMBASTED AGAIN TO TUNE OF EIGHT TO ONE.

SENT HOME TO PRACTICE

Third Game of the Series Will Not Be Played.

The batteries for yesterday's game were Donald and Jennings for the visitors and Collier and Fred Smith for the home team.

The first ball Jennings threw was sent ripping back to third by Huff, but he fell short of first. Frank Smith split the air with the bat and retired to give Carrol Smith a chance and he landed a two-bagger, which was followed by another from Collier's bat. Jones received one of Jennings' complimentaries and was followed by A. Huff with a two-base slug to center. Jennings gave two complimentaries and was batted four times in the first inning. Wichita ran in three scores.

Out of five bats in the first inning Bowie made four hits. Pender drove a grounder through the pitcher and second base and on to center. Giles fowled and then flew to right, where Jim Smith muffed it. Donald and Jennings hit but failed to reach first.

An amusing incident in the second caused the catcher to apologize to the batter. He had caught a ball and was watching third and at the same time started the ball to the pitcher, but it landed on the batter's left jaw and dropped at his feet.

There was a delay in the third caused by both balls being over the fence and as soon as they were in Wichita made their only double. Jennings handed a liner to Frank Smith. Second was played and then easy connection was made at first. Bowie made their double in the eighth.

In a high throwing contest among the Bowletes in the ninth, Carrol stole second, third and home in rapid succession.

The score by innings:

	R	H	E
Bowie	0	1	0
Wichita	2	1	2

Two base hits—Carrol Smith, Collier, Jones, A. Huff and Pender.

Bases on balls—Off Smith, 2; off Jennings, 7.

Struck out—By Smith, 11; by Jennings, 8.

On account of the poor showing made by Bowie in the two games, they were sent home last night to give them a chance to practice and the third game of the series will not be played.

How to Have a Good Band.

Regarding the question of having a good band in Wichita Falls, I, as an experienced band man believe that the only way it can be secured is to have the business men take an interest in the matter, and whenever they have a position open in their business, to give the place, whenever practicable, to a good musician.

In this way a lot of good musicians can be collected in Wichita and a good band built up. The organizing of a good band takes time and patience, but if the business men will interest themselves in the matter we can have one of the best bands in the State here.

A band is one of the most enjoyable things a town can have, and is worth all the time and money it costs as an advertisement.

I hope the business men and musicians of the city will get together on this proposition and organize a first class band.

A. J. SEITZ.
If you want to be in the swim next winter when coal is scarce start in with the Wichita Grain and Coal Company who will be well prepared to protect your interests
J MILTON ERWIN, Mgr.

SELLS FT. WORTH BARBER SHOP.

L. H. Lawler Returns to Wichita and Will Devote Attention to Shop Here.

L. H. Lawler returned last Saturday from Fort Worth and informs the Times that he has disposed of his barber shop in that city to Messrs. Chas. Scott of Fort Worth and J. F. Boswell of Bonham for a consideration of \$6,000, which gives him a nice margin over the price he paid for the shop a few months ago.

This shop was one of the finest in Texas, having sixteen chairs and all the latest improved equipments known to the tonsorial world. It was paying handsomely on the investment, but Mr. Lawler concluded that it was taking him away from home too much and on that account made the sale.

He will now devote his entire time and attention to his shop in Wichita Falls. He says that while Fort Worth is a large and hustling place that Wichita Falls looks good to him and that he has an abiding faith in the town's growth and prosperity.

Notice.

All persons liable to city street tax who have not paid the same are hereby notified that this tax is now past due and must be paid at once.

GENE DOBSON, Collector.

Notice to the Public.

On display at the spacious store of the Wichita Falls Implement Company can be seen one of the famous Bush & Lane Pianos in colonial style. A special invitation is extended to the public to call and examine this wonderful instrument. No matter whether you are ready to buy or not, we will take pleasure in showing its points of advantage. We especially invite the criticism of the musicians of Wichita Falls and will take pleasure in explaining the merits of the Bush & Lane. All we ask of the piano buying public is a chance to compare the celebrated Bush & Lane piano with others claiming superiority. You can buy a piano at the right price on the right terms and get the right quality right here at home. Yours for courteous treatment.

WICHITA FALLS IMPLEMENT CO.
For first class piano tuning leave orders at Wichita Falls Implement Co. 31d-1mw

Notice.

I have removed my offices from the Kemp & Kell building on the corner of Ohio avenue and Eighth street to rooms 8 and 9, over McClurkan's dry goods store on the southeast corner of Ohio avenue and Seventh street. Phones—Office, 289; residence, 214. 15-12t
J. C. A. GUEST, M. D.

CHILD SWALLOWED SAFETY PIN.

Point Penetrated Throat and Pin Was Not Dislodged for Several Hours.

On Monday evening the seven-months old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, living about ten miles out in the country, swallowed a safety pin. The pin was open at the time it was swallowed and the sharp point penetrated the child's throat and could not be dislodged until the little victim was brought to this city, where Doctor Guest succeeded in extracting it.

The child suffered agonizing pain until the pin was dislodged, but no serious results have followed the accident.

Did you say you wanted to buy something? If so, let your wants be known through the Times "want ad" column.

OUR FAN CIRCUIT

Will start the 15th. Let us fit you to keep cool this Summer. Also let us figure on wiring your house. We guarantee our work!!!!!!
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CARPETS, MATTINGS, COFFINS.
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Fine Stationery
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This week our line is unexcelled
We are agents for the famous
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E. M. WINFREY & COMPANY,
Dealers in FIREARMS, SPORTING GOODS, BICYCLES AND SEWING MACHINE SUPPLIES—FINE POCKET CUTLERY.
General Repairing a Specialty
Agents RACYCLE, best Bicycle made Indiana Ave., Wichita Falls, Tex.

PERSONAL MENTION

R. P. Grogan of Byers was in the city today.

M. G. Talbot was here from Petrolia today.

Dr. J. P. Blount of Denton is in town today.

Miss Ethel Hoffman of Byers is visiting at Denison's this week.

William Joehrendt is confined to his room with a severe illness.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to J. H. Wiley and Cora M. Brown.

Al. Fletcher of Amarillo has taken a position at B. H. Williams' barber shop.

J. D. Avis and L. B. McMurtrey each shipped a car of beeves to the Fort Worth market yesterday evening.

Dave Avis and Mark Walker left today for Norfolk, Va., to attend the great exposition now in progress at Jamestown.

We have a number of young people in the State University who will graduate next year, but so far as we know Mr. McGrath is the first young man from Wichita Falls to graduate from the State University. His many friends will join us in congratulations.

Ex-City Marshal H. E. Stearns was seen coming in from the country this morning with a good-sized bob-cat tied behind his saddle. A wolf hunt had been planned this morning, but for some reason the party failed to materialize. Mr. Stearns went out alone and succeeded in killing the cat.

In today's Dallas News appears a long list of graduates of the State University at Austin. Among those receiving the degree of Civil Engineer is the name of Edward Michael McGrath of this city. Ed. is well known to many of the younger people in and near Wichita Falls, being the son of Mr. and Mrs. James McGrath, who reside two miles south of this city.

The commissioners court this morning canvassed the returns of the recent prohibition election held in the Gilbert precinct and found eleven votes for prohibition and none against it.

FOR SALE—Second-hand 5-gallon ice cream freezer for hand power. Those interested apply at Candy Kitchen. 24-4t

TOO MUCH RAINFALL

IS MAKING CONDITIONS BAD IN THEN COTTON BELT.

WEEDS AND THE WEEVIL

Are Doing Much Damage and Favorable Weather Must Come to Save the Crops.

Dallas, Tex., June 11, 1907.

Editor Wichita Times,
Wichita Falls, Texas.

Dear Sir:—

Incessant rains in the cotton belt have put the farmers in worse shape than in the Little Wichita country. It will require three or four weeks to get the crops in normal condition and this period must be free of excessive rains in order to obtain the results.

Some cotton is too grassy to be saved under the most favorable weather conditions. Some complaint is heard of the boll weevils eating the buds and leaves of the young plants, also a small black ant issuing the life out of the plant, similar to the green bug on wheat.

Cotton in many instances has been planted from two to four times and still the stand is very poor, and with the daily rains they are having here the outlook is far from promising.

Tell our Wichita boys to clean out their cotton patches, and to plant more feed, for the corn belt looks bad and we will be compelled to send north after feed and at an enormous price if this unfavorable weather continues.

Wichita and Archer counties look good to me when compared to land here worth from \$80 to \$150 per acre.

Will bring you a sample of boll weevils and other cotton pests.

J. L. McCONKEY.

If you want to be in the swim next winter when coal is scarce start in with the Wichita Grain and Coal Company who will be well prepared to protect your interests.

J. MILTON ERWIN, Mgr.

In making your next cake don't forget to try our Richelleu pastry flour. Once tried always used.

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NEW TELEPHONE LINE.

Bowman & Lake Creek Company is Connected With the Southwestern.

A gang of linemen are stringing wires today which will connect the Bowman & Lake Creek Telephone company with the Southwestern exchange in this city.

This connection will add over thirty-five telephones to the Southwestern's list and will give the patrons of the Bowman & Lake Creek line telephone connections with the entire Southwestern system.

The patronage is increasing at the local office of the Southwestern so rapidly that a larger exchange and increased facilities will soon be an imperative necessity.

Local officers arrested two negroes here last night that were wanted in Sherman. They had escaped from that place recently and the officers say they showed a disposition to escape last night and would have done so if they had given them half a chance. The sheriff of Grayson county is to be here today to get them.

As a result of an adverse report by the grand jury as to the condition of the county jail, the commissioners court this morning awarded a contract to the Wichita Plumbing Company for \$169 worth of improvements on the interior of the building.

A stage 20x30 feet and 3 1/2 feet from the floor is being built in the court house to accommodate the organ "Esther," to be given by the pupils of St. Mary's academy soon.

The city council has been called to meet in special session tonight.

WE SAID IT—WE WANT TO REPEAT IT!

As a Breakfast Food

Sanitas Toasted Corn Flakes

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