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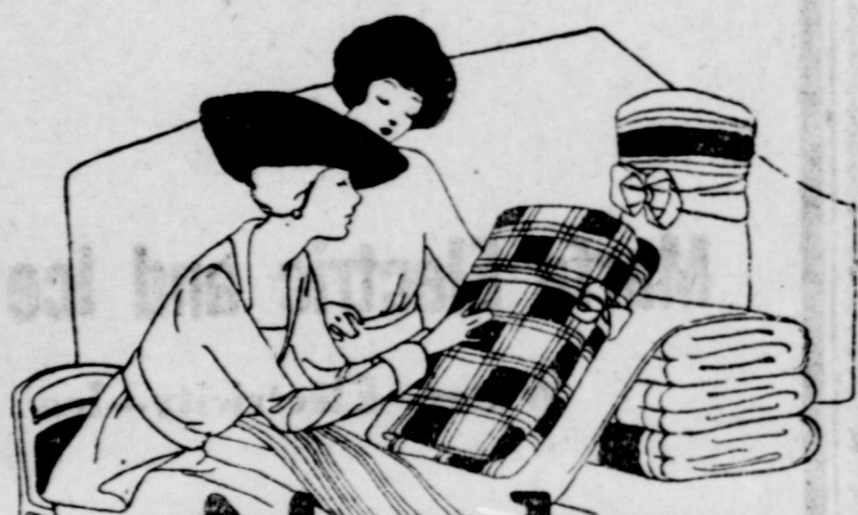
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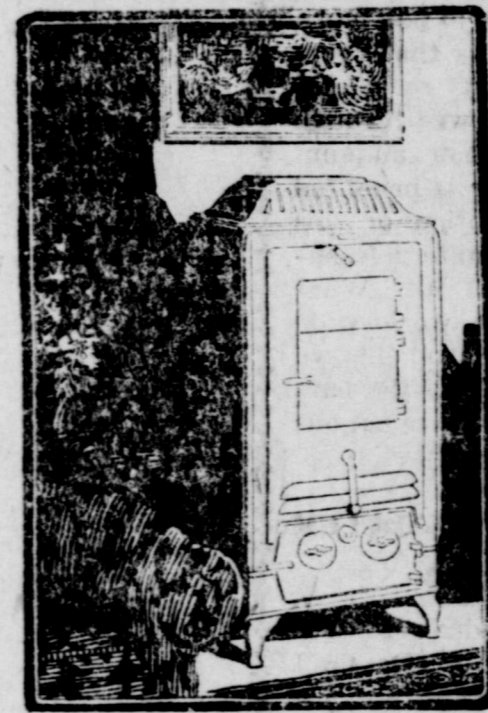
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INSIDE DOPE ON THE CONVENTION ENTERTAINMENT

F. G. Galpin in Texas Legionnaire, Legion Buddies of Texas:

What I am going to tell you is inside dope so don't repeat it to anybody else. I've been listening in on the plans of the El Paso Post concerning the entertainment they're going to furnish you when you come out here to the convention, and so that the shock won't be too sudden for you I feel as it's my duty to pass this information along to you.

When you leave your little old home town and start across "No Man's Land," which is what most folks call the prairie west of the Pecos, you shore are startin' out on somethin' you will never fergit. You're going to the only place on earth where the river is dry as parch on one side and wet as vin rouge on the other.

When you arrive you're going to get the glad hand from Doc Strong's reception committee at the depot, and then you'll be herded behind the best Legion in Texas up to Con-

vention Headquarters in a little shack called the Del Norte Hotel where yore full pedigree and finger prints will be took. At this time you'll also git branded with the official brand of the Convention so that you won't be in any danger of gettin' lost. You'll also git a pasteboard pass that'll let you spend some of your leave in a little town that I'll say more about later.

Of course we figger you'll be purty busy that first day, Monday, September 26th, at the Convention Hall, but at 4 p. m., regardless of whether you were a prizier, buck private, or second looney in the army, we're goin' to lode you all in some of Uncle Sam's the map. You'll see everything from 15-story buildings, fancy residences, parks and so on into sanitoriums and Uncle Sam's little pleasure resort at Fort Bliss. You're going to have to put on your skid chains and cushion for this trip because we're going to take you over the million dollar scenic drive that some fool engineer cut into the side of Mt. Franklia about half a mile above our town.

I guess this gas march will be sorta like a relief to you birds after hav-

ing traveled in luxury out here, the able to see a real fistic scrap once in a while in yore ovg town. You see Uncle Sam says he's boss around Ft. Bliss, and the Empire State of Texas has not a word to say about what goes on out there. Well, to make a short story long, you're going to see a string of good boxing bouts at the Fort Punch Bowl—not the no decision kind, but the regular K. O. sort—with music soft and low. There'll be probably a few lightning wrestling matches throwed in fer good measure.

If it is presumed that the second day will be mostly all bizness and politics, except at night, when the only Legion band of 48 pieces in our entire State will put on a concert for you in our front yard—Cleveland Square. At the same time the El Paso Buddies and Ladies' Auxiliary will entertain you at our new club house with a reception—not a fancy one, but with plenty of eats and smokes.

On Wednesday the third day, we figger you'll still have some bizness, such as electing State officers and pickin' a next year's convention place, so we're going to let you alone

until about five o'clock. You'll then fall in promptly when our First Sergeant blows his whistle in front of Convention Hall. You see, just so you won't forget how, we're going to let you march, the same as you used to in the army, from there through the business district, and then take you over to a swell chow house, where you'll get a regular feed. Any of you who had the bad luck to be elected to any office had better be ready to make a speech at this feed and tell what ovg intend to do. Anybody else that has anything on his chest had better get it off then, too, because we don't want any of you going away from here growling.

After this feed, say about 9 o'clock there will be a big dance and blow-out at Liberty Hall. You don't need to worry about being shy of wimmin because our Ladies Auxiliary will see that you've plenty to keep you steppin'.

Now, I can just hear some of you guys sayin' that this kinda stuff ain't what you came out here for. Well, I know—that, but I've said nothing about the best till last. On the other side of our little river is

located the queeny city of Juarez. Of course, I know you're feetotallers and will stay away from there, except maybe out of curiosity, you may go over. Some fellers tell me that they can get all the stuff over there that we used to talk about freely, but which you can't mention in this free old country of ours now above a whisper. There is plenty of hospitable places, such as: Central, Oasis Canadian Club, Jockey Club, Legal Tender, Keittucky Club, First Chance and Last Chance, and a lot of others. You won't get tired going from one to the other because they're not very far apart. We'll probably have all the lite-fingered gentry locked up over there while you're in town. We're also going to have a special bunch of M. P.'s to show you the way back to El Paso.

I haven't said anything about the ladies that come with you down here but you ought to know that our Ladies' Auxiliary will see that they are showed a good time while you're engaged on important business. I got a lot of other to say, but gues I'll wait until I see you here this month.

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THE FARMER BE DAMNED

When the item of the tariff bill as it relates to farm products is considered, it will be seen that the Fardney bill is calculated to help everybody except the farmer. We are thereby erecting a barbed wire fence to keep out foreign mice, and we are very likely to get our pants torn on it. Let us see if it is not true that it will help most everybody except the farmers and the consumers.

The farmer items were put in for the purpose of keeping him from making a protest against the high tariff on manufactured goods. A tariff on wool, for instance, means that the farmer will receive no more for his clip, but that every buyer of wool clothing will have to pay more. A tariff on shoes means that every buyer will have to pay more for shoes. This can be followed through the whole list. If any man can point out wherein the farmer is benefited from any tariff legislation of this congress it would be quite refreshing to have it pointed out. What the farmer wants is a world-wide market for his produce, and this we cannot have by putting up the bars against the products of other nations—Alpine Avalanche.

MAN MADE CRIMES PENDULUM SWINGING BACK

Former Vice President of the United States Thomas R. Marshall in a recent address declared:

"The average attitude of indifference to the enforcement of laws in the United States results from the creation of too many crimes by legislative enactment. No law carrying a penalty such as would make its infringement a crime, is passed in England unless the demand for such a law is almost universal. This makes its enforcement sure and certain."

It is different here in the United States where a few agitators and professional "reformers" get together and by thorough organization contrive to create a semblance of a demand, and then by constantly harassing legislators, secure the passage of a new law creating another "man made" crime and prescribing a penalty for its violation. Many laws are passed just to thus get rid of the agitators, just as many a man subscribes for a book in order to get rid of the book agent.

But more often legislators vote for a law because of their overestimation of the political influences back of it. Our national and state legislative halls are full of such cowardly nincompoops. It is understood, and this is given out by the legislators as "extenuating circumstances" for their spineless action in supporting such laws, that after the flurry is over people will cease to pay any attention to the laws' provisions. It is well known that no law can be effective unless there is genuine desire on the part of the people that it be strictly enforced.—Alpine Avalanche

THOMAS FOR SENATOR

From various portions of the state come evidences of the growing following of Cullen F. Thomas of Dallas for United States Senator, succeeding Hon. Charles A. Culberson. Mr. Thomas is being quoted by newspapers and endorsed by them in wide ly separated sections of the state.

For years Thomas has been before the people of Texas as an exponent and supporter of the great spirit of democracy. He is a man of the people, and as such, has not withheld

his hand from their tasks. The fights of the democrat party have been the fights of Cullen F. Thomas. He has stood, as he now stands, for the principles upon which the party was founded and on which it has stood through all its history.

It is not claimed for Cullen Thomas that he is a superman. He has startled no communities, or peoples into the belief that he is a meteor, or a miracle, either as a man or with reference to his ability for accomplishment of tasks. He is just an American citizen who loves his family, his friends, his fellowmen, his country, who is willing to lay aside his private enterprises and enter the public service for the good that it is possible to accomplish for the benefit of the whole people, by reason of the position to which he aspires in the United States Senate.

Cullen Thomas is not seeking this preferment at the hands of his fellow countrymen, as a representative of any particular subdivision of the state of Texas, but rather through the desire a united state, the whole of Texas, to present the claims of an individual. There is no appeal being made to one particular section of Texas, in the announcement, candidacy, or campaign of this man. He is first of all an American, a Texas of such breadth as to encompass the entire state in his outlook. His aspirations embody the entire field, and he would not condescend to pitting one section of the state against another, even if by so doing preferment at the hands of the people might be assured.

Standing four-square with a well defined knowledge of the needs of Texas in a national way, Cullen Thomas is offering himself for a place in the upper house of the United States Congress. He has already many friends, and is winning vast numbers of others in his race for the exalted place he aspires to fill, and in which he is convinced

that he can render an important service to the people of the state, and the nation. Pettiness is a thing unknown to this able man, and when he is named to take his place in the Senate, the entire people will have definite assurance that another untiring and efficient servant has been added to their list of representatives.—Amarillo Daily News.

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September 1, 1921.

Pennsylvania	\$2.25
Corning, Ohio	1.20
Cabell, W. Va.	1.11
Newcastle	1.98
North Lima	1.58
South Lima	1.58
Indiana	1.38
Princeton, Illinois	1.27
Illinois	1.27
Canada	1.98
Somerset, Ky.	1.25
Ragland, Ky.	.60
California Heavy	1.10
California Light	2.45
Wyoming	.85
Kansas and Oklahoma	1.00
Cushing	1.00
Hewitt	1.00
Healdton	.60
Homer	1.25
De Soto	1.15
Bull Bayou	.90
Crichton	.75
Caddo Light	1.25
Caddo Heavy	.60
Vinton	.80
Jennings	.80
Spindletop	.80
Sour Lake	.80
Batson	.80
Saratoga	.80
Humble	.80
Goose Creek	.80
Markham	.80
West Columbia	1.00
Corsicana Heavy	.50
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Electra-Petrolia	1.00
Ranger	1.00
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Twenty-Six Years Ago

From New Era of September 1895. Ben Bowers returned last Saturday from an extended visit to his old home in Oregon.

Bob Porter is here from San Carlos, and is on the sick list. He expects to return Monday morning.

Uncle Dan Murphy, the sheriff of Reeves county, was here one day this week with an attached witness.

The grand jury has returned fifteen indictments up to date, eight felony and seven misdemeanor cases.

Lucius Bunton was excused from the grand jury on account of the serious illness of one of his children.

Jim Cline and Jim Shannon managed to get a good deal of quiet fun out of the boys during the week, anyway.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Walker, Friday night, a fine eight pound boy baby. The mother and child are both doing well.

Dr. Allen of Fort Davis, spent a day very pleasantly here this week.

Judge O. M. Keeney passed thru this morning on his way home, after an extensive visit to California.

The Rio Grande Northern railroad is completed to within six miles of San Carlos.

Dr. Dodd, of Edinburg, Scotland, father of Mrs. James Normand, is here on a visit to his daughter.

Dink Darlington has returned from the hot springs at Santa Rosalia, Mexico, and hops about as lively as anybody.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Bogel has been very seriously ill for the past several days with diphtheria but is reported somewhat better today.

The examination of Tom and S. L. Holland which was to have taken place yesterday, was postponed until Monday by agreement. Messrs Kilpatrick and Clarke have been retained by the defendants.

President Johnson of the San Carlos Coal Company, is in Marfa today and will remain over until Monday morning, the guest of Mr. John Humphris and Mr. C. S. Murphy.

Harry Walker, a trainman on the Rio Grande Northern, who is accused of stealing a watch from Paul Presler, had his examining trial before Justice Moreland last Thursday and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

John, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillett, fell off the back gallery at their residence last Tuesday and broke his left arm just above the elbow. The arm was set by Dr. Wilkin and the little fellow is doing nicely.

Miles Williams was married in San Antonio on the 17th to Miss Edna M. Musgrave. This was rather a surprise to the many friends of both parties. Here's lookin' at you.

The family of Mr. W. W. Bogel has been undergoing a regular siege of sickness. Mrs. Bogel and two of the children are very ill, Mrs. Bogel having been taken down with diphtheria the first of the week. They are reported as improving, however.

Miss May Young of Fort Davis, is here having a pleasant time. She is stopping with her cousin, Miss Mamie Shields.

Dr. G. W. Beakley expects to move to Marfa soon and engage in stock

raising. He thinks that section the healthiest portion of God's universe, and believes this will be acknowledged some day by the people of Texas and of the whole country. He says there is only one Populist in Presidio county.—Floresville Chronicle.

MEXICAN INDEPENDENCE

The celebration of Mexico's Fourth of July, September 16th, was observed in Marfa this year with more enthusiasm than heretofore. The Mexican citizens got together some weeks ago and raised a fund and made arrangements to celebrate the day in becoming style. A canvass enclosure was made in the street in front of Mr. Johnston's buildings, in which the exercises and baile were held. The exercises consisted of singing of the national hymn by a number of young ladies, and patriotic speeches by Eusabio Aranda, Guadalupe Pienada and others. A large number of people were present from far and near to help celebrate. Many Americans were interested spectators.

Mrs. John Humphris left last Sunday night for San Antonio, accompanied by her daughter, Nellie, who is to attend school there the coming year. Mrs. Humphris is expected home tomorrow morning.

J. E. Van Riper and family came in from the coal mines, and are spending the week here. Mr. Van Riper has been very closely confined at his work for the past several months, and has been quite seriously ill for the past two or three weeks. He is here under medical treatment, and he and his family are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Murphy.

The following prominent attorneys have been here this week attending court: Judge T. A. Falvey, Hon. W. W. Turney, W. H. Burgess, Millard Patterson, Hon. John M. Dean, District Attorney McGowan, all of El Paso; Floyd Gowan of San Antonio, Thos. O. Murphy and A. M. Turney, of Alpine, besides the local bar, Judge H. H. Kilpatrick and P. H. Clarke.

DISTRICT COURT

The honorable district court will convene Monday next and hold two weeks. There is a big docket and it is expected a large amount of business will be transacted. A petit jury was only drawn for the first week, and a special venire will no doubt be drawn. The following is the list of grand and petit jurors by the jury commissioners at the last term:

Grand Jurors—L. D. Bunton, W. B. Mitchell, M. J. Bell, J. M. Bishop, W. H. Cleveland, E. A. Scott, L. Sender, W. E. Love, J. T. Cline, F. E. Gillett, W. W. Bogel, H. L. Kelley, Walter Ellison, J. R. Livesay, James Shannon and A. M. Porter.

Petit Jurors—J. D. Williams, R. chastain, George S. Dawson, Charles Lindenborn, H. Mayfield, B. Bowers, J. E. Van Riper, P. M. Smith, J. C. McCombs, H. S. Gleim, C. B. Spencer, Chas. Buehler, Chas. Raymond, J. H. Johnson, W. C. Tigner, D. L. Aiken, F. A. Mitchell, J. L. Knight, John Coleman, James Walker, Ribert Speaks, M. H. Warren, John Greenlee, John Muihern.

P. M. Smith has completed his new house in his pasture four miles west of town, and his family moved into the same the first of the week. Mr. Smith expects to have a nice little ranch at this place before long.

The fruit that was grown right here in Marfa this year would astonish anybody. The writer has lived in this town eight years and we had no idea whatever that fruit could be grown here to the extent it has this year.

Three new ten-wheel locomotives

have been received to be used in pulling the Sunset Limited between Sanderson and El Paso.

Miss Daugherty and Anderson arrived the first of the week. Miss Anderson expects to return to her home in Missouri in a few days.

Marfa Parent-Teachers Association

The Marfa Parent-Teachers Association held its first regular meeting September 17 in the High School auditorium, the president, Mrs. Church, presiding. The following committees were appointed:

Program—Mrs. Fennell, Miss Bell, Mr. Jackson.

Membership Committee—Mrs. Harrison, Miss Rawls, Mrs. Colquitt.

Entertainment Committee—Mrs. Word, Miss Terry, Mrs. Brite, Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Wilson.

Magazine Committee—Mesdames Colquitt and Briam.

An advisory board composed of Mr. T. M. Wilson, J. W. Howell, H. O. Metcalfe and Rev. C. S. Harrison was elected.

The association then adjourned to meet the third Friday in October at 4 p. m. in the school house auditorium.

All mothers who have children in school are especially urged to come to the next meeting and all others who have the interest of the school at heart are also urged to join. Remember the date, October 21.

VICTOR OCHOA INDICTED AGAIN

Victor L. Ochoa, former leader of revolutionary uprisings against the Mexican government and a tenant, at the request of El Paso federal courts of Fort Leavenworth for a number of years during the last three decades, was indicted by the federal grand jury yesterday on a charge of violation of the Harrison act.

"Vic" had taken a six year leave of absence from the federal court here until his arrest in connection with the indictment returned yesterday. He is known to every veteran federal court official in El Paso.

This time a little question about the sale of five ounces of "dope" to one George F. Minitch got "Vic" in trouble. Minitch said he bought the stuff from Ochoa.

Ochoa first appeared in the federal court in the '90s. This time he was charged with organizing a military expedition against a government with whom the United States was at peace. Washington was then an official speaking terms with Mexico City. The jury concluded that Ochoa has inspired one of the first revolutions against Diaz. They gave him three years for it.

Ochoa stayed away from El Paso until 1909, when he left for Fort Leavenworth this trip. He lived here at peace with the law from 1909 until 1911. Then he appeared in the legal limelight as the chief of a plot against the then Mexican government.

He drew 18 months for his reward. Carranza came into power before his term was ended. Carranza used his influence with Washington when he was recognized as president and got Wilson to pardon his revolutionary supporter of old.

Ochoa came back to El Paso for the second time from Leavenworth. Again he lived two years at liberty. Then he turned up in a little affair that attracted national publicity. He led a revolutionary plot against the Carranza government. E. L. Holmdahl, Fred Mendenhall and Jorge and Jose Drozco were arrested with him on this charge. A number of others indicted were never caught.

This was April 16, 1915. On October 16 of that year he got eighteen months in the penitentiary. Ochoa returned to El Paso for the third time and took a prison vacation of four years.

Now he's arrested for the fourth time.—El Paso Times.

THE WOMAN'S TOGGERY

WOMAN'S WEAR, MILLINERY, TOILET ARTICLES

MARFA, TEXAS

SPECIAL ATTENTION LADIES:

I have gone to market to buy goods, and as the cash counts now. I expect to bring back some real values in Hats, Ready-to-Wear Dress Goods, etc.

My stock will be all new and my prices will be made to make things move quick.

Every thing will come by express and will be open for your inspection about October 1st, at my residence.

Yours Truly,

Mrs. Leonard Lockley.

SCHOOLS URGED TO USE CARE IN FIRE PREVENTION

Austin, Texas.—Safeguards against fires should be taken by Texas school authorities, state fire marshal advised in a bulletin to school officials.

Mr. Tirley, in his bulletin, said: "Those who are charged with the responsibility of the care of school children should be sure that everything has been done to insure their safety. Be sure that every fire hazard has been removed, that the heating plant in each building is properly installed and in correct repair, that approved fire extinguishers have been installed, that the installation of the electrical wiring has been thoroughly inspected and that it is in good condition and that exits are fire escapes are improper condition.

"Ten per cent of all accidental deaths in this country result from fire. Each year a great many of our school houses in Texas burn. "If you are a member of a school board, a township trustee, county superintendent of schools or a teacher, you are charged with the responsibility of seeing that the children are properly protected. Parents should make it their business to see that their children are properly cared for.

"During an average of five hours each day during 200 days in each year, 25,000,000 children are in the schools of the United States. Attendance is compulsory; no fundamental educational problem is greater than the safety of these children. "Fire drills are extremely important and should be held at least twice a month, but perfection of drilling is of little value if fire exits are omitted or improperly designed, or if doors are locked or do not open outward.

"The janitor is an important factor in the prevention of fires and should be made thoroughly acquainted with the vital need for careful house-keeping.

"What the country needs is national team work in fighting the fire



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