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MEXICO RECOGNITION PROBABLE

Testimony Finished in Milt Good Case

COURT RECESSED TILL TEN O'CLOCK TODAY WHEN JUDGE MULLICAN WILL CHARGE THE JURY

Argument Will Likely Begin After Noon Today Time Of Argument Has Not Yet Been Agreed Upon

At the afternoon session there were not so many people present but the court got down to business in earnest, and by limiting the number of witnesses from the same place, the testimony rocked along pretty rapidly, and much to the surprise of even some of the attorneys the evidence closed at about 5:45, and the court announced a recess till 10:00 o'clock this morning, when the judge will read his charge to the jury, and will be followed by the argument. Just at this time it has not been agreed just what length of time will be devoted to the argument of the case on either side, but presumably about the same as was consumed in the Tom Ross case.

The court has made good progress in the case, and little time has been wasted, and especially was this true yesterday, when he shut out all the chance of long arguments by giving both sides to understand that there was to be no unnecessary debating of questions, and that the evidence must be to the point, and not waste a lot of time, for nothing.

Morning Session

The defendant was called by the State for a short cross examination yesterday morning.

He was asked if he saw Mrs. Roberson after the killing.

He stated that he saw some woman, but did not know who it was.

Q. You know now who it was?

A. I suppose it was her.

He stated that he saw a woman come down the stairs and go back up. He did not know whether she ever came down into the lobby or not.

He stated that who ever it was, held a cloth, or garment of some sort up in front of them and that he could not tell whether it was a man or a woman.

He testified as to the wounds on himself, caused by the shots that were fired at him after he had left the building. He showed the jury where the bullet made a hole in his coat, and testified as to where the wound was on his hip. He also stated that there was a hole in the sleeve of his coat.

He stated that he did not know how many shot were fired at them that night.

He also stated that the letters referred to in his testimony the day before, were discussed with him by Tom Ross, prior to the killing in the Gaines Hotel, Sunday, April the first.

Midland Hardware Clerk on Stand.

Mr. Beachamp, clerk in the Midland Hardware Company was called and testified to the sale of the shot gun to Mr. Roberson, and as to having had an order to cut off the barrel, and that he took it to the gunsmith to have it done. He stated that he delivered the gun to the apartments of Mr. Roberson after the work had been completed, and that he delivered the gun to Mr. Roberson at the time.

The Gunsmith on the Stand.

Mr. N. E. Lawrence, of Midland, testified that he was a gunsmith, and remembered the order to cut the barrel of a shot gun. He remembered that the order he got was to cut the barrel off a good deal shorter than the ordinary, and made inquiry about it, and the hardware people who placed the order with him investigated, and found that it was where the customer wanted it cut, and he cut it. He identified the end of a gun barrel that was offered in evidence by the defense as the piece that he sawed off.

Mr. Johnson of Midland testified to having gone to Seminole with the undertaker, Mr. Ellis, who was called.

WEATHER

N. Car., S. Car., Ala., Miss., Ga. Generally fair Friday. Light variable winds.
Fla. and extreme N. W. Fla. Fair Friday. Local thunder showers, general easterly winds.
La. Friday generally fair except probably showers in southeast portion, light easterly winds on the coast.
Ark. Friday partly cloudy.
Okla. Friday partly cloudy.
East Texas Friday partly cloudy, light to moderate easterly to southerly winds on the coast.
West Texas Friday partly cloudy.

BEPRIENDING A BUM GOT SANTA ANNA MAN IN BAD TROUBLE

SANTA ANNA, July 5.—Wronged by the man he befriended, C. A. Woods of Placentia, is willing to forgive his wife if she will return home with their two children, he declared in a petition filed in superior court.

Some time ago, Woods befriended a man who was hungry and without shelter by taking him into his home. Within a few weeks, Woods declares, the man disappeared with his wife. Woods asserts he does not want a divorce but he is afraid his wife will seek possession of the children. This possibility induced him to appeal to the court.

MOTHER OF McCORMICK DIED IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, July 5.—Mrs. Cyrus N. McCormick, mother of Harold F. McCormick, died at her home at Lake Forest today at the age of 88 years. She is well known throughout the country for the part taken by her in welfare work.

SENATOR SAYS FARMS NEED HELP

WOULD CALL SPECIAL SESSION FOR NECESSARY APPROPRIATIONS

LONDON, July 5.—A special session of Congress to provide relief is the only means of saving the American farmer from losses this year that may approach a panic, Senator Smith W. Brookhart, of Iowa said here in an interview.

Senator Brookhart will be calling the special session immediately upon his arrival. His plan in part is the passage of an emergency measure by Congress which would appropriate a sufficient sum to cover the cost of the production of the farms this year, and the establishment of rural credit banks throughout the agricultural districts as the foundation for the co-operative system.

STRONG SOX DISPLAYED IN BRECKENRIDGE STORE

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas, July 5.—The original pair "strong" sox were displayed in the window of C. H. Grollman's store here. To prove how strong the stockings were, a sixty-five pound rock dangled from the top of one of the garments. The display was made during a sale of women's hosiery.

FOUR SENTENCED FOR MAIL FRAUD

PORT WORTH, July 5.—B. M. Hatfield, Ben C. Hatcher, E. H. Smith and C. D. Spann, promoters of the Texas Mexico Drilling syndicate, were sentenced in the Federal court here today on charges of using the mails to defraud.

OKLAHOMA GOVERNOR DENOUNCES CAPITAL PUNISHMENT HERE

DURANT, Okla., July 5.—Governor Walton, of Oklahoma, in his first "grass roots" speech since his campaign last fall, characterized Dr. Straton D. Brooks as a "Bostonian Yankee Republican" and that he would pass from Missouri as the head of the University there with the passing of the Republican Administration.

GARAGE OWNER SHOT BY ITALIANS

CALLED FROM HOME AND ACCUSED OF STEALING LIQUOR FROM GARAGE

HOUSTON, July 5.—J. R. Salmon, a garage owner of League City, near here, was probably fatally wounded today when two Italians called him from his home, and asked him to fix their car.

Shots were heard following the incident and Salmon was found lying in the road. Posses are scouring the entire country for the two Italians, who fled following the shooting.

Two Italians Arrested. HOUSTON, July 5.—After a two-hour man hunt here today by posses of between fifty and a hundred men, two Italians were taken into custody at Alto Loma, in connection with the shooting of J. R. Salmon, proprietor of a League City garage.

Salmon was shot and probably fatally wounded by two men who asked him to repair their automobile which they said had stalled down the road a piece, according to a statement made by Salmon, who is in a local hospital in a critical condition.

FOUR DIE AS RESULT OF FIRE IN HOTEL

McKEESPORT, Penn., July 5.—Four unidentified persons were burned to death, and seven more were injured, three thought to be seriously, in a fire which destroyed the Schmidt Hotel here.

EIGHT KILLED AND THIRTY INJURED WHEN PASSENGER JUMPS TRACK

FAIRDALE, Ill., July 5.—Eight persons were killed and probably thirty injured near here today when a Chicago-St. Paul passenger train jumped the tracks. Physicians and ambulances were rushed to the scene of the accident.

MAN FOUND DEAD IN DESERT BELIEVED OVERCOME BY HEAT

EL PASO, July 5.—Charles G. Hawkinson, local Foundry official, who was found dead in his car on the desert near Blythe, Calif., is believed to have been overcome by the heat, according to a message to the police here today.

NEW ORLEANS OFFERS LARGE SUM FOR DEMPSEY FIGHT

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 5.—An offer of \$500,000 for a twenty-round bout between Dempsey and Gibbons to be held here on Thanksgiving Day, was made today by the Young Men's Gymnastic Club of this city. W. A. Coker, Chairman of the club, announced.

HARRIS COUNTY GRAND JURY RETURNS SEVEN INDICTMENTS

HOUSTON, July 5.—The Harris County grand jury today returned seven more indictments in connection with the Goose Creek floggings and mob rule in that country.

One of the indictments, which charges assault with a pistol, is believed to be the outgrowth of the flogging of Mrs. Audrey Harrison and H. A. Armand, at Goose Creek. This brings the total number of indictments returned by the Harris County grand jury in connection with the floggings throughout the county to forty two.

ETHEL BARRIMORE GRANTED DIVORCE DECREE, CRUELTY

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 5.—Ethel Barrimore, the noted Tragedienne, has been granted a divorce decree from Russell G. Colt on the grounds of failure to provide and cruelty. The marriage disappointments of the actress came soon after the marriage in 1909, the petition says.

EIGHT HOUR DAY PROBABLE IN STEEL WORK

HEADS ANNOUNCE CHANGE BE MADE WHEN CONDITIONS PERMIT

ABOARD TRANSPORT HENDERSON, July 5.—President Harding and his party sailed this afternoon from Tacoma for Alaska. Before leaving Tacoma, the President announced that he had received a letter from E. H. Gary and other directors of the American Iron and Steel Institute saying that as soon as conditions would permit, the twelve hour day in the steel industry would be abolished and the eight hour shift substituted. President Harding characterized this movement as a great forward social step.

SAN ANTONIO CARRIERS ABHOR VICIOUS DOGS

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 6.—(United Press)—Owners of vicious or too playful dogs will be required to call at the postoffice for their mail unless the canines are kept well tied, according to an announcement by the local postmaster.

SHERMAN NEGRO IS A BAD ONE WHEN STIMULATED WITH CHOC BEER

SHERMAN, Texas, July 6.—(United Press)—Ernest Cooper, negro, when full of choc beer is a "rootin', lootin' son of a gun" according to local police.

Ernest started something here when he started quaffing a few quarts of the potent beverage. Having "checked" himself up to the right notch, Ernest, police charge, chased a negro girl into, through and out of a negro church full of worshippers. He was finally nabbed by police and locked up. Officers then started searching for Ernest's source of supply. While looking around in a barn in which they thought the beer might be located, they stumbled on a crate of eight window sashes, said to have been stolen from a local lumber yard a year ago.

AGREE ON PRACTICALLY ALL IMPORTANT TERMS

ARTICLE 27 PROVIDING FOR SUBSOIL RIGHTS MAIN SOURCE ARGUMENT

WASHINGTON, July 5.—The American and Mexican Commissioners who have been in session for some time in an effort to agree on terms for the recognition of the Mexican Government by the United States Government, have practically reached an agreement in principle for a settlement of the trouble, however, there is yet some controversy over the elimination of American oil properties in Mexico from confiscation by the Government of Mexico.

The agreement will provide that the Mexican Congress pass a law declaring Article twenty-seven not to be retroactive. This article provides for the ownership by Mexico of all the sub-soil rights.

Recognition of the Mexican Government by the United States is believed to be assured if such action is agreed to by the Obregon Government.

RANGER COMMISSIONED TO FERRET OUT LANGE MURDER MYSTERY

AUSTIN, July 5.—With instructions to find the murderer of Otto Lange, acting Governor T. W. Davidson, today ordered Captain H. A. Alldredge, a Texas Ranger, to Somerville, giving him authority to use as many Rangers as he deemed it necessary to ferret out the crime.

Otto Lange, a farmer, was shot Monday night at his home after his refusal to accompany three masked men who had called at his house, and demanded that he go with them. No explanation has been given as to the shooting other than mistaken identity.

State Aid Offered

HOUSTON, July 5.—Every possible co-operation will be given the Burleson County authorities by the State Police in running down the slayer of Otto Lange, who was shot at his home here yesterday by three masked men upon his refusal to accompany them, acting Governor Davidson announced today.

Davidson characterized the crime as an "open defiance of the State of Texas" and wired the local authorities for complete details of the killing, and gave them the authority to use as many of the State's Rangers as they desired in the round-up of the murderers.

REEVES TESTIFIES IN HIS OWN DEFENSE

MT. PLEASANT, Texas, July 5.—Sheriff Reeves of Titus County today took the stand in his own behalf in the outer suit which seeks to remove him from the office of sheriff, following charges brought against him of misfeasance in the discharge of his official duties. He denied the charges made by State's witnesses that he had protected the liquor makers in the manufacture and distribution of the beverage.

SEVENTY-FIVE DIE IN CELEBRATIONS ON 4th

DALLAS, July 5.—The celebration of Independence Day cost the lives of seventy-five persons, and caused injuries, according to a national wide survey of the holiday casualties.

China Is Worrying Japanese; Boycott And Outbreaks of Pirates And Bandits Cause Serious Condition

TOKYO. (By mail to the United Press) Chinese bandits, plus the Chinese boycott of Japanese goods, are making big breaks in Japanese business.

Anti-Japanese feeling in China has grown much more bitter in recent months. The Japanese have increased the number of their gunboats patrolling the upper Yangtze. There have been half a dozen fights between Japanese and Chinese in towns along the river during the last few weeks. Tokyo authorities fear serious trouble may result.

Various Chinese "Patriotic Societies" and "Young Student" organizations launched a movement to boycott Japanese goods a few months ago, in retaliation for Japan's refusal to abrogate the treaties made under the "Twenty-one Demands" and to return to China the Kwantung and South Manchurian leased territories.

Results From Boycott. This Boycott, at first a fizzle, is now getting results. Current Commerce reports show a heavy slump in Japanese exports to China. Japanese merchants in China and the Chinese merchants who have Japanese-made goods on their shelves are shunned by the purchasing public. Some of them are going broke, and abandoning business—or dumping the Japanese goods and restocking with Chinese stuff.

On top of this bandits have so demoralized traffic, communications, business and life in general that Japanese business in the interior of China and up the Yangtze and other rivers has been generally hurt and in some instances entirely ruined.

Chinese mobs, composed of both bandits and of boycotters of Japanese goods, have all the Japanese out of several river towns along the upper Yangtze. During one of these attacks of Chinese upon Japanese at an upper-Yangtze port, a Japanese gunboat fired into the mob and killed several Chinese.

The Japanese government, while indignant and convinced that the situation is serious, has so far done nothing—except put more gunboats into the rivers that form the main arteries of transportation in interior China. There is no responsible Chinese Government, or authority in these, or for that matter, any other section of China. "Protests" to the Chinese "authorities" would accomplish nothing.

Meanwhile the land bandits, the river pirates and the sea-coast buccaniers of China are having everything their own way and Japan is merely sitting tight. But she is fighting. Tokyo wonders what her next move will be.

Our classified ads get results.

C. R. SCOTT OFF ON INSPECTION TOUR

G. R. Scott, weights and measures inspector, left Thursday on a trip to Crosbyton, Dickens, City, Spur and other places where he will spend the remainder of the week looking after his work.

He will return to his home here Saturday and will make preparations to leave Monday on an extended trip throughout his territory.

SOCIETY

Fishing Trip to Santa Fe Lake.

An automobile party composed of Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Hutchinson, Melvin Dow, Crawford Black, Glen Hunt, Otis Felty, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunt, E. L. Noey, Mrs. I. L. Hunt and daughter Fay, spent the Fourth of July on the Santa Fe Lake near Petersburg, and were lucky enough to make many catches, with the result that an ample supply of fish for a huge fry were accounted for.

Attended Family Reunion.

Prof. and Mrs. E. R. Haynes, returned to their home here Wednesday from Roswell, N. M., where they attended the twelfth annual family reunion of the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. M. Hedgecock, Mrs. Haynes' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hedgecock have been dead several years, but the annual family reunion has been continued by their children and grandchildren, there being nineteen present at the Roswell reunion, with only one absent, Mrs. J. B. Cole, of El Paso, who was detained on account of the illness of her husband, Rev. J. B. Cole.

We are glad to know that Mr. and Mrs. Haynes enjoyed the trip, as both have been energetic in the affairs of Lubbock county schools, and the rest was deserved.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Powell, delightfully entertained at the County Club Tuesday evening with a dance in compliment to their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Claud L. Harrison.

The attractiveness of the receiving rooms and the pleasant breeze of the evening added to the delight of the occasion. Brick ice cream and cake were the delicious refreshments served to the following: Messrs and Mesdames Claud N. Harrison, D. N. Arnett, Jr.; Byron Dickinson, Guy McAfee, J. E. Vickers, Frank Winn, George Benson, Dr. and Mrs. Castleberry; Messrs. O. E. Sears, Jo Dick Slaughter,

E. B. Spiller of Dallas, Hogan, Moses of Fort Worth, Clifford Jones of Spur and the host and hostess.

B. Y. P. U. Celebrates The Fourth. The members of the B. Y. P. U. met at the Baptist Church Tuesday evening, and after loading a truck and several cars with sandwiches, fruit, firecrackers, chewing gum, and yes, even the members themselves, the chauffeurs of the respective cars were commanded to stop at Mt. Blanco Canyon—they did, but it is not necessary to say that a few preliminary stops were made on the way.

We arrived at the Canyon, the chaperons, assisted by some of the loyal members, pitched camp and in a few minutes sleep was enjoyed by some.

The next day, the Fourth was celebrated in true fashion. Everyone was delighted with the new picnic grounds and boating, swimming and drinking "soda pop" was enjoyed by all. When their strength was exhausted late Wednesday afternoon they decided to return to Lubbock. All members are looking forward to the next Fourth.—Reporter.

Morning Bridge at Country Club. Mrs. W. B. Powell delightfully entertained at bridge Tuesday morning at the Country Club in compliment of her house guest, Mrs. Claud N. Harrison.

A number of rounds of bridge were played and enjoyed, after which a dainty salad course consisting of fruit salad, wafers, olives potato chips, followed by delicious brick ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mesdames, Claud Harrison, Joe Penny, Thad Jones, Shelby Robbins, O. L. Slaton, A. B. Conley, Jr., W. O. Stevens, Clark Smith, Mullican, Sam Cooper, Herd Jones, Lewis Quillen, Morton J. Smith, Leland, E. B. Duggan, Sam Cole, McCloy, Jackson, Friend, T. J. Hutchinson, McCarver, Roscoe Wilson, Joe Hilton, Miss Mary Meador and the hostess.

Personals. Mrs. Carl Cunningham returned Thursday from Clovis, N. M., where she has been spending a few days visiting her aunt, Mrs. Anna O'Connell.

Mrs. R. D. Moxley left Wednesday morning for Canyon to visit her husband for a few days. Mrs.

Moxley was accompanied by her children and Miss Sylvia Ainsworth. J. M. Roberts was here Thursday from his home six miles east of Littlefield.

Mrs. A. A. Collins and daughters Gladys and Ollie Bell and son Finis, of Dawson, arrived here Thursday and are visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Street of Littlefield, were in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mrs. D. C. Hawk of Clovis, N. M., was visiting in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Slaughter were in Lubbock Thursday from Dallas.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Jordan, of Littlefield, spent a few hours here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wood returned to their home at San Angelo Wednesday after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tim Stovall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Northington, Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins and children spent Wednesday at Post.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bryan, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Moore, attended the Fourth of July celebration at Floydada.

Nolan Hart and Misses Gladys Sides, Elizabeth Shovel and Gladys Pryor, spent a few hours at Post Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Gordon and children, accompanied by Mesdames McCurdy and J. M. Hurst, came over Thursday from Crosbyton to see Miss Nora McCurdy, who recently underwent an operation at a local sanitarium.

Mrs. M. W. Lindell and son William, arrived Wednesday from Dallas to be with the former's father, E. F. Chase, who will undergo an operation at a local sanitarium today.

Julia Mae Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. M. Carter of Crosbyton, is in a local sanitarium. Mrs. L. C. Conner of Durant, Okla., arrived here Wednesday.

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—A drama for the thinking millions.
A play with an out-of-the-ordinary story, a startling revelation of love's power.
—Distinctive in theme, different in portrayal.
—A drama with the immortal touch—a drama of faith, courage and love.
—You'll be glad you came to see it.
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"New Leather Pushers"
AND A FELIX CARTOON
Adults 25c Child 10c Loges 10c
FOLKS DON'T MISS
"MASTERS OF MEN"
NEXT MONDAY AND TUESDAY

What's Wrong With The Women?

A City Directory For Lubbock

Should there be one we could show you hundreds and hundreds of names of people who KNOW BY EXPERIENCE that Inmon Grocery Company, is a good, reliable place to buy first-class groceries, vegetables and fruits.

We could show you hundreds who know about our personal service—the care we take in our purchases which guarantees a better product and a consistent price.

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You will find our Phone Number Easy to Remember—8-6-0

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There isn't anything that adds more to the romance of a moonlit, summer night than the soul-arousing strains of a dreamy waltz or a peppy fox trot. We can't fittingly describe them—come in and hear the very latest.

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July Records Are Here In Abundance
Bowen's Drug Store
"Service Above Everything Else"

DO YOU LOVE
Good music, good singing and real preaching? If you do, join in with the Baptist next Sunday, July 8th, the beginning of a great Revival. Tabernacle to be erected at corner of 13th and Ave L, one block south of Lubbock Sanitarium.

Dr. P. F. Evans of Fort Worth will do the preaching, there is no better evangelist in Texas. The singing will be conducted by Joe Canzoneri, the sweet singer from Italy. He is regarded as one of the greatest singers now in the United States. This meeting is a Baptist meeting and our goal is to save souls, but we ask every real Christian to help make this one of the greatest meetings ever conducted on the Plains.

Every man, woman and child has a special invitation to attend these meetings. If you are a singer come, and join our great choir, and sing to the glory of God. For further information, call or see W. A. Bowen, pastor. 210-S

Our classified ads get results.

For Friday and Saturday These Specials Offered

From the many specially priced items on sale at this time we have chosen these numbers as especially deserving mention. In every case these goods are especially reasonable and the reductions are substantial.

RATINES AT VERY LIBERAL REDUCTIONS

FANCY RATINE in patterns that have this silk stripe and check as well as patterns with stripes in contrasting colors. A regular value at \$1.50 and \$2.00 offered now at yard 98c

RATINE VOILE in a most varied assortment of pretty patterns, a material that will work up well into so many different garments for summer wear, a regular 65c value, now offered at yard 27c

TISSUE GINGHAM AND VOILE REDUCED

TISSUE GINGHAM makes the most attractive light airy summer dresses. This quality is especially sheer and pretty for it is our regular 50c grade. Choice of some ten or twelve patterns, yd 29c

VOILE in a light well finished fabric, excellent for summer dresses, shown in a range of light airy patterns, a regular 20c value priced now per yard 14c

TWO MOST POPULAR ITEMS AT A REDUCTION

CHILDRENS SOCKS, a summer necessity in large quantities. Pretty fancy tops in both white and tan styles, all sizes included, a regular 35c quality, offered now at the low price of pair only 18c

HUCK TOWELS to supply the added towel demand of summer. A good weight towel, in liberal size, with red border, our regular 50c value, priced pair 37c

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Successors to BAKER-HEMPHILL CO.

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On the East Side of Square

New Perfection Oil Heaters

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England And France At The Parting Of The Way; Owner of London Out- look Says England's Duty Is Plain

By the United Press.
(By arrangement with "The Outlook," London)

LONDON, July 5.—If France did not exist, and the reparations dispute were one between Great Britain and Germany, it is clear that a settlement would be at hand.

The Bonar Law scheme called for a total payment by Germany to the Allies of fifty milliard gold marks.

Germany has definitely offered thirty milliards, payable in annuities, and has explained, as she never did before, how she intends to pay.

On the whole, the German scheme has been well received here. But Berlin clearly does not mean Germany's latest memorandum to be taken as her final word. She is keeping in reserve further concessions, to be brought forward as the price of getting the French out of the Ruhr.

With the German demand for a conference there can be no possible issue taken in this country. Such a conference, were the settlement of reparations left to Great Britain and Germany, could almost certainly in a very short time, arrive at a figure in the neighborhood of forty milliards of gold marks as the total German bill, and then agree without impossible difficulty upon the method and dates of payment.

With this settlement the stabilization of the mark and the recovery of Germany, would be no less than in the case of Austria. And with the withdrawal of foreign armies from German soil, and the return of Europe to peaceful habits, the clogged channels of international trade would be reopened and prosperity be again within our grasp.

France an Obstacle.
The one obstacle to a final liquidation of the war, and the real commencement of economic recovery in France. It is easy to summarize the proceedings of the French Government, since it became known that Berlin was about to seek a genuine accommodation with her creditors.

First, there was the Belgian reparations scheme. That provided for a total payment of forty milliards, and after round-table bargaining might have easily been accepted by the Germans. Therefore it would not suit the French, and so M. Poincare hurried to Brussels, compelled the Belgians to give unwilling assent to remaining in the Ruhr until every penny of an astronomical indemnity has been paid, and refused to discuss the Belgian plan. The German memorandum followed. The British Government took the stand that here at least is a basis of negotiation. The method to be followed was plain and fair to all. We asked only for discussion.

The Paris conference ended in disaster. M. Poincare refused to even examine Mr. Bonar Law's plan, a breach between the allies followed and France entered the Ruhr.

The French are in the Ruhr. M. Poincare has ever since maintained, to seize "productive guarantees" that will ensure payment by Germany. Now that Germany has at last proposed to pay, M. Poincare may claim, without audible contradiction from England if he chooses, that his Ruhr policy has produced a German capitulation.

Let us grant so much to save the face of France. The course now to be followed, in the British view, is clear. Our diplomats have suggested in Paris and Rome that the "interrupted" conference of last January between the Allies be resumed. There, let the German offer be thrashed out and a common inter-Allied policy agreed on.

The next step would be the long postponed Brussels Conference between the Allies and Germany, thus meeting the German request for discussion over the table. From his attitude, it is difficult to see how the British Government can recede with honor. But our tentative has been rejected with scorn.

The French Attitude.
How has France behaved to us, since the German memorandum was received? First, there were immediate suggestions from Paris that no

answer should be dispatched by any of the allies, as the German proposals were unworthy of consideration. We soon made clear that this would not do. Therefore, the Count de Saint Aulaire presented at the Foreign Office the conditions upon which France would graciously consent to consult with Britain about a subject that involves the prosperity, perhaps the very existence, of an industrial nation of Great Britain.

At the first consideration, we were told, we must argue our German friends into ceasing "passive resistance" in the Ruhr.

What constitutes "passive resistance" was clearly defined to make certain that the German capitulation would be as humiliating and complete as possible.

The Count in his interview with Lord Curzon took care to scotch that scheme. No concessions, undertakings, or agreements of any kind, he stated, will be entered into by France in consideration of German surrender. France in this way does her best, of set purpose, to prevent a reparations settlement.

If any doubt of this remains, consider the dumfounding reparations demands put forward by the French Ambassador. France, he declared, will accept no reduction of her full claims against Germany under the 1921 agreement, even if England and America forgive every penny of the French debt to those countries.

Reparations an Excuse.
Here we have the clock set back two years—a naked claim to the 6,600,000,000 pounds which every authority in the world knows Germany cannot pay. France proposes to stay in the Ruhr, and wants the reparations problem kept in being as an excuse. From that conclusion there is no escape.

What are we to do now? France by her attitude ranks this country with Germany. Considering the magnitude of our interests involved, we are being subjected to such humiliation as Great Britain has never for centuries endured at the hands of any foreign power. Mr. Baldwin (the Premier) has only three courses open to him.

He can surrender to France; he can, like his predecessor, do nothing and let things drift from bad to worse. We are confident that neither the path of surrender nor of negation will be chosen.

There remains only an active policy, fraught with difficulties, but worthy of the traditions of our people. When France sees we are in earnest the insane arrogance manifest in Paris may be abated.

If not, we must seek new friends, we must play our lone hand, in the knowledge that sympathies of almost all the world are with us. We shall be fighting for sanity against ignorance and prejudice, for reason against passion, for fair play against injustice, for a world of peace and order, against a new and imminent holocaust, in which what is left of civilization of Europe must be swallowed up.

They say one bad effect of the war is 2,000,000 crap shooters. The bad effect, however, is the unlucky ones.

LOCAL MAN ATTENDED PICNIC AT WICHITA FALLS, THE 4th

Geo. Morris, manager of the Texoma Oil Station at Lubbock, accompanied by his son, Max, went to Wichita Falls for the Fourth of July and attended the Texoma picnic, which was given by more than one thousand employees of the company through Texas.

The affair was planned with due consideration for all the employees and the children, fireworks, patriotic addresses, ball games and other amusements having been included in the program.

Mr. Morris is well pleased with the entertainment that was given and is a persistent booster for the Texoma company.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

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B. F. Carpenter and Henry Crosby spent Thursday in Lubbock.

R. E. Merritt was here Thursday from Dallas.

R. L. Slaughter, Jr., and Bob Slaughter of Dallas, spent Thursday in Lubbock.

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the week in Plainview visiting at the home of Mrs. Oscar Brown.

F. A. Harp of Fort Worth spent Thursday in Lubbock.

J. E. Lemon was in Lubbock Thursday from Los Angeles, Calif.

Les Kata, arrived here Wednesday from New York City to visit friends.

Milton Cunningham who has been visiting friends here for the past few days; returned to his home at Amarillo Thursday.

Charles Christian of Slaton, was here Thursday.

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Catterton, of Cisco, enroute to Oakland, Calif.; C. T. Hooper, of Anson, enroute to Plainview; Geo. Plimmons and wife, of Groom, Oklahoma, enroute to Amarillo; C. E. Hinchliffe, Mexia, enroute to Spar;

T. L. Hinchliffe, of Mexia; C. D. Woods and wife, of Ranger, enroute to Denver, Colorado.

Heim, superintendent. All other classes will meet at the Tabernacle on corner of 15th and E. All classes that meet at the church are requested to march in classes at close of lesson to the Tabernacle, 113-3t.

Unofficial report says several June brides are learning to cook.

NOTICE
The Baptist meeting will start at eleven o'clock a. m. July eighth. The following Sunday School classes are requested to meet at the church at 9:45 a. m. The Young Business Men's Class, Mrs. Moore teacher; the Baraca and Philatha Classes, Judge Ratliff, teacher, and all the primary department, Mrs.

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What's Wrong With The Women?

AT THE TOURISTS PARK

The following were registered at the Tourists Park in Lubbock July 4th. Due to the fact that all of the visitors do not register—the list is incomplete:

J. N. Timmons, of Amarillo; J. C. Hood, of Clovis; W. W. and J. B. Murray, of Abilene; H. M. Thomas, of Coleman, enroute to Yellowstone National Park; Ed Tentoff, of Merkel, enroute to Plainview; E. R.

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UNCLE SAM AS A STRIKE FIXER.

All commissioners of conciliation of the Department of Labor are working at full speed to settle finally all strikes, threatened strikes and lockouts in the United States, so the department will have no labor disputes on its hands during the early part of the present fiscal year. Secretary of Labor James J. Davis has instructed Hugh L. Kerwin, director of conciliation of the Department of Labor, to order all commissioners of conciliation to redouble their efforts to clean the labor slate. The commissioners of conciliation, located in various offices throughout the country are meeting with gratifying success. Kerwin told the United Press representative. "The employers and employees involved in pending labor disputes seem always willing to meet with the Labor Department representatives with a view to ironing out their difficulties." Kerwin pointed out that the conciliators of the Labor Department never enter a dispute until they are requested to by either the employer or employee or some person directly affected by the strike. "Oftentimes," said Kerwin, "our conciliators are able to resume negotiations which have been broken off."

Since January 1 the division of conciliation of the Labor Department has settled about 200 labor disputes, and at present is confronted with the settlement of about 50 cases, the largest of which is a dispute in the shoe manufacturing industry in New England. More than 5,000 men are involved in this dispute, and Kerwin said the conciliators are now negotiating with the strikers and the employers and expect to reach an agreement in a short time. Kerwin explained that in many cases, as in the pending Lehigh Valley shopcrafts dispute, Secretary Davis takes an important part in reaching a satisfactory agreement. He said that in some cases, before an impending strike, the employer and employees voluntarily enter into an agreement authorizing the Secretary of Labor to name a representative to make a thorough survey of the situation and recommend measures by which a satisfactory solution may be reached. "This was the case in a number of disputes in the granite industry in New England, where the Department was instrumental in bringing about a settlement after a long drawn out strike, lasting over a year," Kerwin said.

"In Los Angeles," said Kerwin, "the Labor Department maintains an office that has been very successful in settling disputes in that vicinity. In most cases the disputes are brought into the office and settled there in a few hours." More than 600 cases were settled by the department in May and a like number were settled in April. Kerwin said that many of these cases were settled in less than a week and some of them in two days.

A CONSTITUTION FOR THE FLAG.

The conference called by the Legion's National Americanism Commission in Washington last month to draft a clarified and simplified code of etiquette for the Flag of the United States performed a valuable service to the nation. In particular it settled two controversies of long standing concerning how to drape the colors, indoors or out, against a wall. By general agreement the colors, when hung horizontally, should have the starchy field at the onlooker's upper left. But there has heretofore existed no general agreement on where the stars should be when the colors were hung vertically. Flag-makers contended that the blue and white field should be at the onlooker's upper right. If it were not there, they argued, one would have to turn the flag over, inside out. "The flag has a front and a back," they said. "Don't display its back."

The flag conference has ruled that this fine distinction isn't worth bothering about wisely, because the rule adopted works in the interests of simplification. The conference advises that when the flag is displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union should be uppermost and at the flag's right; that is, to the observer's left.

Another ruling the committee made, also about a matter concerning which there has been sharp division of opinion, settles where the Stars and Stripes should be placed when displayed crossed with some other flag or standard. The national colors, declares the rule, should be on the observer's left, and the staff should be in front of the staff of the other flag. In the past professional flag drapers and hall decorators (and artists, when they were drawing crossed flags in pictures) as often as not have placed the colors on the observer's right, contending that old custom backed them in the practice.

The conference also affirmed the sensible convention that the flag should not be festooned, tucked up, or hung with a bow-tie effect. The flag is an artistic composition, with its proportions carefully specified, and no more lends itself to freak folds or outlandish draping than does a painting on canvas. Bunting may be so draped and folded.

To settle these points constitutes a real public

service. To set down in black and white a dozen other useful rules which the civilian can consult when he is in doubt concerning flag etiquette should also win the conference much genuine gratitude.—American Legion Weekly.

JAPAN'S CONTROVERSY OVER OIL FIND.

What will Washington have to say—if anything—if Japan acquires Northern Saghalien, Russian territory, and supposedly one of the richest undeveloped oilfields of the world? That's what some foreign observers here are asking, in connection with the Russo-Japanese dickering, whereby Japan may buy Northern Saghalien (which her soldiers now occupy) from Russia. The American Government, through Secretary Hughes at the Washington Conference, as well as other expressions, has indicated a policy that would not view complacently Japanese territorial aggrandizement in Asia. Saghalien might come under this category, some here think. If Japan gets Northern Saghalien and if Northern Saghalien actually contains the oil it is supposed to have, Japan's industrial and naval strength will be tremendously increased. She will then have that which she now lacks—her own fuel supply, almost at home. Saghalien may be a flivver, as far as oil is concerned. It is wildcat territory. But the Sinclair people's oil scouts—adventurous American oil-hounds who know the game inside out—sneaked into Northern Saghalien, despite military occupation by Japanese, and found what they say is one of the best oil belts going. Whereupon the Sinclair Company got a concession from the Soviet Government at Moscow. But with Japanese troops occupying Saghalien (which was seized to force indemnity after Russians massacred Japanese at Nicholaiivsk a couple of years ago) the concession cannot be used. And if the Soviet Government sells Saghalien to Japan, as is proposed in the preliminary negotiations which seek a Russo-Japanese agreement, the Sinclair concession will simply be abrogated in favor of Japan.

LEGION MEMBERS WILL SEE NAVY BATTLE FLEET.

Theo. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, has promised the presence in San Francisco Bay of the navy's battle fleet, during the 5th annual national convention of the American Legion, Oct. 15-19. Admiral R. A. Coontz, U. S. N., commander-in-chief of the United States Fleet, will be present on the armored cruiser U. S. S. "Seattle," during the week of the Legion convocation.

The great fleet to be assembled there in October will include the battleships, California, Maryland, New York, Texas, Arizona, Pennsylvania, New Mexico, Idaho and Tennessee, and probably the Oklahoma, Mississippi and Nevada; the armored cruiser Seattle, destroyer-tender Melville, hospital ship Relief, 37 destroyers, and numerous other smaller vessels.

Brilliant social programs, elaborate fleet reviews, night lighting effects of a spectacular order, and several additional features will be staged in conjunction with the presence of the fleet. Eleven hundred commissioned officers and twenty thousand enlisted men will constitute the personnel of the fleet.

GERMANY CUTTING OUT THE BOOZE.

Berlin is undergoing a process of voluntary prohibition. If the present decrease in alcoholic consumption continues proportionately, Berlin will consume practically nothing within a very few years. The consumption of hard liquors last year was only about half that of 1913—the last pre-war year. The per capita consumption now is about one-sixth as much as it was thirty years ago. Figures made public here show that last October 96,000 hektoliters of hard liquors were consumed in Berlin; in November, 79,000; in December, 42,000, and in January of 1923, only 38,000. The entire consumption for the three months February, March and April did not total as much as in January. These figures do not include light wines and beer, but investigators declare the consumption of these forms of alcoholic beverages has decreased in proportion. It has been figured that the present consumption of hard liquors has been reduced to about one-fifth of a liter monthly per person throughout Germany.

GOOD PUBLIC UTILITIES MAKE A GOOD TOWN.

Everybody in every good Texas town has an answer to the question: What makes a good town? Naturally, the answers are not all alike. Good citizens working together for their mutual interests and the common welfare are community builders. But there are basic factors for modern community life that must exist to make a good town. These factors are the Public Utility services. For instance, without adequate electric power and light, telephone, transportation and gas according to size and conditions, no town can be a good town. As a community's public utility service is good or bad so is that community a good place or a poor place to live in. In Lubbock the service is excellent, and it's a good place to live.

Little Avalanches

An Illinois Woman's Club authority holds that dishwashing beautifies the hands, but the girls may look at this as dangerous propaganda.

Not true that athletic success is all that interests people now, as many are working to get their names printed in the society notes.

About now the amateur gardeners of Lubbock might look to see if the electric light bulbs have come up.

The home is the aim of our social system, says President Harding. Along about green apple time, however, the kids think it safer to aim at the barn.

TESTIMONY FINISHED IN MILT GOOD CASE

(Continued from Page One)

been a resident of Gaines county for about eleven years, and that she knew Milt Good when she saw him, but was not well acquainted with him, though he had been at her house in company with Mr. Ross a few times. She insisted that she saw Tom Ross pass within a hundred yards of her home on Saturday before the killing Sunday, on a wagon, and was driving a team of mules and that Milt Good was with him at the time.

Seminole Young Lady Testifies. Miss Hazel Gassaway, an employee of the Seminole Post Office was on the stand again and repeated her testimony in the Ross case almost to a word, stating that she was of her way to church in company with a young man, and a Ford car passed them in which there were two men, and that the men both wore light colored hats and rather broad brimmed.

Witness 69 Years Old.

Mr. Ben Boren, of Del Rio, who is 69 years of age testified that he had known Roberson since 1885, and that he had worked for him, while a young man attending cattle on his ranch, and that when he sold out a neighbor, and remained there the Spanish American war broke out, when he volunteered, and joined the army, and served through the period of war, and that his reputation was good.

Former District Judge Testifies. Judge Connell, of Sonora, testified as to the character and reputation of H. L. Roberson, Mr. Connell is not practicing law in Sonora, and was formerly District Judge of that District. He said he knew Roberson in the '90's and was closely associated with him in his younger days, and that his reputation was good.

San Antonio Man Testified.

D. R. McCormick, of San Antonio, age sixty-nine years, and who has been a resident of Texas since 1878, and who has been in the cattle business in Texas and Old Mexico, testified that he knew H. L. Roberson, that he worked for him in Old Mexico for four years, and that he resigned in 1894, at which time he was nineteen or twenty years of age. He stated that Roberson's reputation was good.

Ex-Customs Officer Testified.

Bert J. McDowell, former U. S. Customs officer, but who is now post master at Del Rio, was associated with H. L. Roberson along the Rio Grande country, having gotten acquainted with him in 1913, when Roberson was a sergeant in the ranger service at Valentine, Texas. They were in the same company two years. He testified that he had testified for Roberson at El Paso in another case two times. He said Roberson's reputation was very good.

Association Treasurer Testified.

W. B. Conner, banker of Fort Worth and treasurer of the Texas Cattle Raisers Association, who lived at Midland for twelve years up until 1898, stated that he knew W. D. Allison, that he was in the Mercantile business at Midland and that Allison was in his employ for some time, that he knew Allison while he was sheriff of Gaines county, and that Allison's reputation was good.

He stated that he owns a ranch in Garza county and that while visiting on the ranch he had occasion to become associated with H. L. Roberson and knew his reputation to be good. When cross examined as to whether or not he was assisting in the prosecution he said that Dayton Moses was the attorney for the Cattle Raisers Association on a regular annual salary, and that he was not aware of any other attorneys getting anything for assisting in the prosecution. The question was raised by the defense attorneys who were attempting to show to what extent the association was interested in the prosecution of Ross.

Motley County Men On Stand.

J. M. Jackson, of Motley county, former manager of the Matador Ranch & Cattle Company, J. B. Echols, cattlemen of Motley County whose home is at Matador,

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Fellow Officer Of Roberson.

Ad Harwick, testified that he knew Roberson, that he was with him in the ranger service, and that Roberson's reputation was good.

He testified that he had appeared in court in Roberson's behalf three times at El Paso, one time at Austin, at Seminole, and one time at El Paso.

Clifford B. Jones, of Spur, who has been a resident of Dickens county since March 1911, ex-president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, manager of the Swenson Interest, and senior member of the Jones & Elliott Commission Company, was the principal witness for the state in the afternoon session. He stated that he knew Roberson well; that Roberson spent some time in his office writing letters and on many instances visited him, their association being friendly and pleasant.

E. L. Barber, of Spur, who for fourteen years has been a citizen of Dickens county, and who was sheriff and Tax Collector for four years, testified as to the character of Allison and Roberson.

S. E. Gibson, druggist of Spur, was a witness, and testified to the general reputation of Roberson, who he knew well. He owns a ranch in Dickens county and had occasion to be associated with Roberson.

The witness testified that he was a member of the Cattle Raisers Association.

Capt. John R. Hughes testified that he lived in El Paso county; that he had lived there about 30 years. He was in the ranger service from 1887 to 1915 was Capt. of the rangers about 22; most of the time on the Rio Grande. He stated that he had known Mr. Roberson since Oct. 1911 when he was a member of the Ranger force from 1911 to 1913

when he quit and went with the Cattle Raisers' Association until the fall of 1914 when he went to work as manager of the TO Ranch and that he was intimately acquainted with him and that his reputation as a man was good.

Captain Hughes stated that he had been in correspondence with Mr. Roberson ever since he had left the ranger force, and that Mr. Roberson visited him just a few weeks after the cattle raisers association met in El Paso last spring.

Julian Bassett Testifies.

Julian Bassett, of Terrell county was placed on the stand and stated that he was a ranchman in Terrell, and had been there about six years. He had lived in Crosby county, was in the ranch business there for a number of years prior to going to Terrell County. He said he knew Roberson, met him after he went to Terrell county. He stated that he employed Roberson on his ranch in Terrell. He stated that the duties of Mr. Roberson while in his employ was to look after the cattle, sheep horses, lands, etc. He was in his employ about a year and a half. He stated that Mr. Roberson's reputation was not that of a bad and dangerous character. That he had been a member of the executive board of the Cattle Association, and he had heard that Roberson had killed some men during his life.

Former Gaines County Sheriff Testifies.

Cleve Cobb, of Seminole, who is now a special officer for the Santa Fe, at Slaton stated that he had been on that job about six months that he was sheriff and tax collector of Gaines county about four years, and had resided in Gaines county about eighteen years. He had known Roberson about two years.

J. C. Keller, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Youkum county, was questioned along the same line, and testified that neither Allison nor Roberson were considered dangerous characters.

O. P. Jones, of Midland, W. W. Brunson, Midland, T. O. Miteciff, J. E. Parcell, O. B. Cardwell, Ira Weakley, O. J. Hamlinson, South-weakley, Joe Grissom, Rev. Henderlite, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Post, B. B. Curry of Seminole, C. H. Eubanks, A. L. Duff and L. C. Cobb, testified in answer to the general run of questions and all bore out the impression that Roberson was not a bad man at all.

J. P. White, of Roswell, N. M., owner of the LFD Ranch, testified as to the reputation of Allison, and said that he had a good reputation in Roswell, while he resided there. The defense on cross question undertook to ask if he knew of a certain transaction in which Allison was charged with trying to bribe a District Judge. The state objected to this being given to the jury, and the jury was retired while the

question was being propounded to the witness.

H. H. Williams, who had resided in Motley county for 31 years testified in behalf of the character of Mr. Allison.

D. E. Warwick, who had been county attorney for Motley county for six and a half years testified that the reputation of the deceased was good.

Former Mayor Of Roswell Testified.

Dr. G. T. Veal, of Dallas, who formerly resided in Roswell, N. M. testified that W. D. Allison was at one time City Marshal of Roswell, while he Dr. Veal was mayor of that city, and that his reputation was good. The witness testified that he was a son-in-law of Col. C. C. Slaughter.

Elmer Norton, Tells of Killing at Sierra Blanco.

Elmer Norton was placed on the stand by the state and he related the story of the occurrence of the killing of Baykin, at the Sierra Blanco relating pretty much the same story of this killing as he did in the Ross case. When he left the Witness stand the judge told him he was excused finally, and the witness said "Am I financially excused." The judge says "you are finally excused." This caused such a wave of laughter in the court room that the sheriff had to call for order in the court room.

The state rested at this point, and the defense called several rebuttal witnesses, among them was Tom Love, R. H. Burnett, B. N. Love and W. H. Birdwell.

Mr. Birdwell was an eye witness and his testimony caused the state to do some close questioning in regard to the position of the chair in which Roberson was sitting.

He contended that Roberson was sitting at the end of the table between the north wall and the table, and that the chair was right in the northwest corner of the building, where as all other testimony has established the location of the chair at the north east corner of the table against the north wall. The witness seemed firm in his belief that his statement were correct.

The Defense Closed.

As a rebuttal witness on the location of the chair in which Mr. Roberson was seated, the state called Mr. Averitt back and had her demonstrate by use of the chair that had been introduced in evidence just how Mr. Roberson was sitting at the time of the shooting, and after this testimony the state announced that this was all the testimony they cared to introduce, and the court recessed till 10:00 o'clock today, when the judge will read his charge to the jury, and agrees upon the time of argument.

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And find yourself at the bottom,
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Get up and sing this song:
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To get a tumble or fall;
There is nothing to do
I am telling you,
But to start for the top again.

And as you mount to the summit
once more,
A thousand steps you have saved,
Because experience gains the day
And the edges have all been
shaved.
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all,
To get that tumble or fall,
For it's certainly true,
It's easier for you,
For experience is always a gain.

Suppose you are sick, have lost
your health;
No friends are near to console;
You still are living, the doctor is
there;
Have time still to save your soul,
So it's not so bad after all, after
all,
The doctor had to call,
You have time to rest,
Get back to your best,
And forge a new link to your chain.

So what is the use to worry and
 fret?
It is not so bad after all;
Don't ruin your smile, let your face
get set,
Take life as a bugle call;
Sing: It's not so bad after all, after
all,
To get a tumble or fall;
There is nothing to do
As life, this is true,
But to climb the chain ladder
again.

For life is a chain, whatever you
say,
That bids us to better things;
And whatever may come to us,
every day
Still greater advantages bring,
So; it's not so bad after all, after
all,
It's how we view a fall,
A hundred years hence
We'll be over the fence,
All worries be over—that's plain.
—M. Greenwood Hardy,
4209 Swiss Avenue, Dallas,
May 30.

SPORT NEWS

CUBS JUMP ON MORGAN IN FOURTH FOR FIVE RUNS TAKING SECOND STRAIGHT VICTORY IN LAST HALF

Coming from behind here today, the Cubs jumped on Morgan in the fourth session for four safeties, which, coupled with two free passes, allowed by him with bases loaded, accounted for five runs, and a 6 to 3 victory, giving them the second straight over the locals since the opening of the second half.

The locals got to Kennedy in the three opening frames for one run in each session, but after that he tightened, and held them scoreless and gave up only three safeties. Morgan, with the exception of the fourth, was practically airtight, allowing only two bingles beyond this session.

Today's exhibition will be the last appearance of the Cubs for this series, Roswell opening here Saturday for four games, following which the Amarillo Gassers make their appearance for a four game series.

The box score:
Cubs: ABRHP O A E
Clary, ss 5 0 1 1 1 0
Mahin, 2b 4 0 0 1 4 2
Caffey, rf 4 1 1 1 1 1
Shaw, c 4 1 1 5 0 0
Tucker, cf 4 1 1 4 0 0
Wise, lf 3 2 2 1 0 0
File, 1b 3 1 1 3 0 1
Routh, 3b 3 0 1 0 5 1
Kennedy, p 4 0 0 1 3 0

Totals: 34 6 8 27 14 5
Lubbock: ABRHP O A E
Jackson, lf 5 0 0 2 0 0
Shepard, 2b 4 1 1 3 2 0
Sloan, rf 5 1 2 1 0 0
Brown, cf 4 0 2 1 1 0
Dean, ss 4 0 1 1 1 0
Battle, c 4 1 1 1 1 0
Young, 3b 3 0 0 1 5 0
Mueller, 1b 4 0 0 15 2 0
Morgan, p 4 0 0 2 1 0

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Cubs 010 500 000 6 8 4
Lubbock 111 000 000 3 7 1
Summary: Hits, off Morgan 5, Kennedy 7; two base hits, Sloan, Brown, File; struck-out, by Morgan 1; Kennedy 3; bases on balls, off Morgan 4; Kennedy 1; sacrifice hits, Youn; wild pitch, Kennedy; time of game, 1 hour and 40 minutes; umpire, Reeves.

GASSERS ISSUE SHUTOUT TO ROSWELL IN SECOND

AMARILLO, July 5.—Burleson pitching for the Gassers had plenty of stuff today and the Gassers won over Roswell by a score of 8 to 0, getting 10 hits from the combined offerings of Henry, Hunter and Lagunas. The locals scored three in the first on a walk, two singles, two sacrifice hits and one sacrifice fly. The fourth netted the home boys three runs again from four hits, two of which were doubles, a double, two errors and three walks scored two for the Amarillo team in the sixth.

The box score:
Roswell: ABRHP O A E
Weaver, cf 4 0 0 4 0 0
McBride, 3b 4 0 3 1 4 0
Lind, 1b 4 0 2 11 1 1
Bedford, lf 4 0 0 2 0 1
Fruth, 2b 3 0 0 1 1 0
West, rf 4 0 0 2 0 0
Lagunas, ss, p 4 0 1 1 3 0
Edwards, c 3 0 2 1 1 0
Henry, p 2 0 0 0 0 1
Hunter, p, lf 2 0 0 0 0 0

Totals: 36 0 8 24 10 3
Amarillo: ABRHP O A E
Moore, ss 3 1 1 2 0 0
Whitehead, 3b 3 1 2 3 1 0
Cannon, cf 1 1 0 4 0 0
Douglas, c 3 1 1 5 0 0
Anheier, lf 4 0 1 8 1 1
Province, lf 3 0 0 4 0 0
Pirrone, rf 3 1 1 0 0 0
O'Neill, 2b 4 1 1 1 1 3 1
Burleson, p 4 2 3 0 4 0

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Roswell 000 000 000 0
Amarillo 200 202 00x 8
Summary: Struck-out, Moore, Cannon, Anheier; sacrifice hits,

Whitehead, Cannon, Douglas; two base hits, O'Neill, Burleson, Pirrone, Douglas; double-plays, McBride to Lind to McBride, Whitehead to Anheier; struck-out, by Burleson 5, by Henry 1, by Lagunas 1; base on balls, off Burleson 2, off Henry 1, off Hunter 1, off Lagunas 3; hits, off Henry 5 in 3.1.3 innings, off Hunter 2 in 2.3 innings, off Lagunas 3 in 4 innings; time of game, 1 hour and 45 minutes; umpire, Chesler.

Q. How many members of Connie Mack's old champion Athletics are still in the big leagues. A. W. D. A. Seven. They are Melvin Strunk, Joe Bush, Pennock, Eddie Collins, Schang and Shawkey.

Q. What is the seating capacity of Redland Field, Cincinnati? O. P. R. A. 24,000.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (Fort Worth, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Beaumont, Shreveport) and statistics (W, L, Pct).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (Boston, Philadelphia, Cleveland, St. Louis, Chicago, Detroit, Washington, Boston) and statistics (W, L, Pct).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (Brooklyn, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Boston) and statistics (W, L, Pct).

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Table with columns for teams (Corsicana, Waco, Marlin) and statistics (W, L, Pct).

DO YOU KNOW?

Q. How many no-hit and one-hit games were played in the American and National Leagues last season, and who pitched in them? G. A. R. A. One no-hit game in the American, by Robertson of Chicago. One no-hit and two one-hit games in the National, Barnes of New York pitching the perfect game, and Bill Doak of St. Louis pitching both one-hit games. In both of these one-hit games, Doak failed to field his position properly and thus twice lost the chance to enter the Hall of Fame.

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ber squad and their visitors, the Clovis Cubs, who are here at present in a series which opens the second half of the season. The banquet was served in true Elk Cafe style, with fried chicken galore and all of its accessories, followed by an ice course as dessert, and the same was consumed in true baseball fashion by the more than fifty ball players and fans who gathered for the occasion.

Alex McDonald, well known local ball player and chicken artist, who for a time filled-in-as-official-arbitrator in the loop in the absence of the regular umpire, was in charge of the program, and acted as toastmaster. Nuf sed.

Following the consumption of the meal set before the crowd, various and sundry snappy talks were made, being called for at random by the toastmaster. Prominent among these speakers was Sled Allen, who is at the helm of the Hubber aggression, "Pop Boy" Smith, Skipper of the Clovis Cubs, Henry Ansley, Special Correspondent for the Amarillo Daily News, S. D. Hunter, President of the Panhandle-Pecos Valley League, Curtis A. Keen, Secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce, and O. F. Sensabaugh, general town gad-about among baseball fans.

STANDING OF TEAMS

Table with columns for teams (Panhandle-Pecos Valley League, Texas League, Texas Association) and statistics (W, L, Pct).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit, St. Louis, Washington, Boston) and statistics (W, L, Pct).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (New York, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Brooklyn, Chicago, St. Louis, Boston, Philadelphia) and statistics (W, L, Pct).

BANQUET TENDERED BALL PLAYERS

IN HONOR OF WIN OF FIRST HALF HUBBERS AND VISITORS EAT CHICKEN
Honoring the win by Lubbock of the first half of the season of the Panhandle-Pecos Valley League, the baseball fans of the city last night tendered an informal banquet to the Hub-

The spice of the program was the few words of snap given by young Skipper Allen, who reiterated the hustle of the boys on the diamond, and said that now the boys and won the first half, he was sure

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What's Wrong With The Women?

They would be in there fighting with the same spirit for a win of the second.

Many others took the floor and touched on the point of the war of the boys, all stressing the fact that clean baseball has been exhibited throughout the season, some of the older ones recounting the times when they were in the ring.

The meeting was closed by a short talk by Toastmaster McDonald, who expressed the appreciation of the Lubbock fans for what the Hubber boys had done, and drew a scene in his mind of another meeting of like nature in the near future when the pennant of the Panhandle-Pecos Valley would be strung across one end of the building, at which time further rejoicing would be proper on the part of local boys.

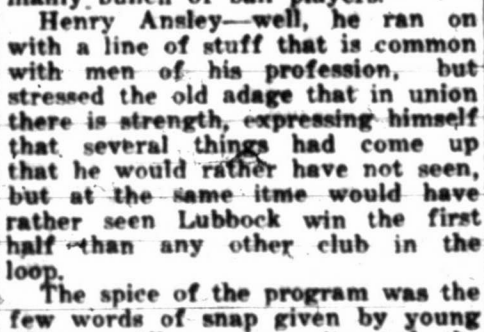
AT THE CHURCHES

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Men's three-piece all wool suits	\$22.50, now	\$17.45
Men's three-piece all wool suits	\$25.00, now	\$19.45
Men's three-piece all wool suits	\$30.00, now	\$22.45
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Why not buy your boy an all wool school suit at these slash prices?		
\$16.50 values now	-----	\$10.95
\$15.00 values now	-----	\$ 9.95
\$12.50 values now	-----	\$ 7.95
\$ 8.50 values now	-----	\$ 5.95

EXTRA! EXTRA!!

Two numbers in men's union suits, regular \$1.00 sellers, now	-----	50c
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EXTRA SPECIAL

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We have a big stock boys' shirts and blouses in high-grade materials at greatly reduced and at close out prices. Be sure to supply your school demands now. At close out price, men's Arrow collars, all new styles in stock 7 for \$1.00

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Regular \$7.00	-----	\$5.45
Regular \$6.50	-----	\$4.95
Regular \$5.00	-----	\$3.95
Regular \$4.00	-----	\$3.25
Men's regular \$1.00 blue shirts, now	-----	79c
Men's regular 75c blue shirts, now	-----	59c
Men's regular \$1.50 khaki shirts, now	-----	\$1.29

LOOK! LOOK!!

300 dozen men's overalls, regular \$1.50, now \$1.19
All men's dress straw hats 1-2 PRICE
10 dozen men's brown denim unionalls, each \$1.49
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Jersey tubing for vests in pink, white, maize and orchid; closing out at per yard \$1.00
Natural color genuine Japanese all silk pongee, yd. 89c
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Good grade canton crepe in pretty light colors, a real bargain at, per yard \$1.98
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Good heavy grade colored pongee, per yard \$1.29
Handkerchief linen in fine quality and in beautiful shades, pink, blue, maize, white and green; closing out price per yard 95c
Dress linens in pretty colors; closing out at per yard 95c

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\$2.25 Corsets, closing out price	-----	\$1.69
\$2.00 Corsets, closing out price	-----	\$1.39
\$1.50 Corsets, closing out price	-----	\$1.19

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MARKETS

COTTON

Table with columns for date (July 5, 1923), location (New Orleans, New York), and price ranges for various cotton grades.

GRAIN

Table with columns for date, location (Kansas City, Chicago), and price ranges for wheat, corn, and oats.

LIVE STOCK

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK. KANSAS CITY, July 5.—Hogs: Estimated receipts 10,000; holdover 1386; early trading active to shippers...

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK. FORT WORTH, July 5.—Hogs: Estimated receipts 800; market around 15 cents higher than Tuesday...

LOCAL MARKET

Table listing prices for various commodities including butter, eggs, poultry, and grain.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

J. F. BROTHERS, V. P. H. HERN-DON ET AL. In The District Court of Lubbock County, Texas.

WHEREAS, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1923, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 13th day of June, 1923, in favor of J. F. Brothers vs. P. H. Herndon and W. R. Mosley for the sum of Four Thousand Thirty-three and 10-100 (\$4033.10) Dollars, with 10 per cent per annum interest from June 13, 1923, together with costs of Court; and for foreclosure of the vendor's lien upon the hereinafter described property against P. H. Herndon, W. R. Mosley, O. R. Kirk, Herndon, W. R. Mosley, O. R. Kirk, Herndon, Arizona, and A. N. Kelley, Receiver of the Somerton State Bank of Somerton, Arizona No. 1703 on the Docket of said Court, I did on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1923, at 4:00 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tract of land situated in Lubbock County, Texas, to-wit:

Being a part of the James R. Roberson Survey by virtue of Certificate 23-113, Patent No. 49, Volume 23, situated in Lubbock County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a point 1320 vrs. South of the N. E. corner of said survey; Thence West 952.22 vrs. to stake for corner; Thence South 948.6 vrs. to a stake for corner; Thence East 952.22 vrs. to stake in East Line of said survey; Thence North 948.6 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 190 acres of land; and on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1923, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 4:00 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the Court House door of said County, at Lubbock, Texas, I will offer for sale, and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said P. H. Herndon, W. R. Mosley, O. R. Kirk, The Somerton State Bank of Somerton, Arizona, and A. N. Kelley, Receiver of the Somerton State Bank of Somerton, Arizona, in and to said property.

Dated at Lubbock, Texas, this 5th day of July, A. D. 1923. H. L. JOHNSTON, Sheriff of Lubbock County, Texas.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

L. G. WILSON, V. JOE PEELER, NO. 1688. In The District Court of Lubbock County, Texas.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE H. L. WELCH VS. W. M. ROBINSON ET AL. No. 1705. In the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas.

Whereas, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on the 5th day of July, 1923, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 13th day of June, 1923, in favor of said H. L. Welch against W. M. Robinson and W. R. Kelly for the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Forty-four and 22-100 (\$1144.22) Dollars, with interest from the 13th day of June, 1923, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and costs of court, and for foreclosure of vendor's lien on the hereinafter described property, No. 1705 on the Docket of said Court, I did on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1923, at 4:00 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described parcels of land situated in Lubbock County, Texas, to-wit:

Lots Nos. Thirty-seven (37) and Forty (40), Block No. Two (2) of the Dupre Addition to the town of Lubbock, and on the 7th day of August, 1923, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 4:00 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the Court House door of said County, at Lubbock, Texas, I will offer for sale, and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said W. M. Robinson and W. R. Kelly in and to said property.

Dated at Lubbock, Texas, this 5th day of July, A. D. 1923. H. L. JOHNSTON, Sheriff, Lubbock County, Texas.

Barbecue Enjoyed By Rotarians And Kiwanians Eve. Of 4th.

One of the most enjoyed joint meetings that has been conducted by the Lubbock Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs was held at the Cotton Wood Spring in the Geo. Bowles pasture, Wednesday evening, celebrating the 4th of July. Due to the fact that the program committee and the entertainment committee had worked hand in hand, the affair was complete from an entertainment stand point. Some three hundred were present, including the members of the two clubs, their families and friends. A barbecue had been prepared, when at seven o'clock when the participants in the affair arrived at the beautiful picnic grounds, and needless to say this feature of the program was paramount. As chairman of the program committee, Curtis A. Keen, of the Rotary Club, made everything take on an atmosphere of snappiness, that lent much to the fun-creating features. Members of the two clubs have

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spoken very complimentary of the picnic, and it will doubtless be remembered as one of the things that will make for better attendance records in both clubs, and all present are grateful to Mr. Boles for having given the use of the picnic grounds.

BAPTIST S. S. NOTICE A special request is made for all members of the Willing Workers, Mrs. Archie Hall's Sunday School Class, to be present at the Baptist Church at seven o'clock Friday evening. We have quite a few matters of important business to dispose of and also a few pleasant things we will tell you upon your arrival at the church. Please let every member be present if at all possible. Mrs. Archie Hall, teacher. Cold cream helps sunburns, but nothing helps sideburns. The quickest way to reduce is have you ever seen a fat postman?

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There were others, too, who got dollar bills today. We will tell you their names tomorrow. Other dollar bills will be given away all along and the only way you have a chance of getting one is to have a GOLDEN CREAM bread wrapper in your home. It will pay you in satisfaction and taste and in every way if you buy GOLDEN CREAM BREAD.

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Children Should Have Plenty of-- BUTTERFLAKE

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Good bread is nutritious, and one of the most important foods. With pure milk, good bread makes an ideal food for small children.

Butterflake bread is good bread. Behind every baking of Butterflake bread is 21 years of honest effort. Its demand far exceeds that of all other breads baked on the South Plains—a compliment to the tastes of thousands and a tribute which we strive earnestly to merit.

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Martin Baking Company, who make Butterflake bread, are going to give this fine little car to someone. You may be fortunate enough to get it if you tell mother to always ask for Butterflake bread and then save the wrappers and exchange them for tickets on the car.

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Summer Dates For Masonic Reunion And Educational Meetings.

At a conference held in Dallas in the early part of June, there were present some thirty cities and towns and it was decided to hold a series of Blue Masonic and Educational meetings during July and August under the direction of the Committee on Education and Service and the Grand Lodge of Texas.

In the afternoon of the date of the meetings these programs will be open to all Masons and their families and others who are interested in Free-masonry and its principles.

The speakers will be among the best in the State. Motion picture slides will be shown in Texas.

The night program will be for Masons only.

Names of Cities in Which Meetings Will be Held:

- Chillicothe, July 9; Childress, 2 days, July 10 and 11; Amarillo, July 12; Dalhart, July 13; Slaton, July 16; El Paso, 2 days, July 20 and 21; Midland, July 25; San Angelo, 2 days, July 28 and 27; Ballenger, July 28; Brownwood, July 30; Sweetwater, July 31; Abilene, Aug. 1; Cisco, Aug. 2; Ranger, Aug. 3; Gainesville, Aug. 6; Sherman, Aug. 7; Paris, Aug. 8; Mount Pleasant, Aug. 9; Longview, Aug. 10; Tyler, Aug. 14; Austin, Aug. 16; Beaumont, Aug. 18; Alvin, Aug. 20; Houston, Aug. 21; Beeville, Aug. 24; Corpus Christi, Aug. 25.

Members of the Masonic fraternity are not only invited, but urged to attend these meetings. The amount of good to be derived from a real old-time good-fellowship rally can not be determined. In addition there will be talks by the speakers on the motion pictures and slides—all of them bringing a Masonic message worthy of the attention and consideration of any member of the fraternity.

Select from the foregoing list the town most convenient to you and take a day off and spend it in the interest of goodfellowship and Freemasonry.

Kindly see that each lodge in your district receive invitations to be present at the town most convenient. We will arrange some way to take care of them even if we have to hold two meetings. Let's make this a real Masonic event in your section of the state.

Vorus fraternally,
WILBUR KEITH,
Executive Secretary.

THE THEATRES

WHAT YOU CAN SEE TODAY

"FLESH AND BLOOD"

A vital and vivid story of a crook's search for freedom, his torment of soul in his fight for happiness and his ultimate redemption after he had vowed vengeance upon his enemy—that is "Flesh and Blood," the Irving Cummings production which will be seen at the R. & R. Lindsey Theater today. In this dramatic picture a convict escapes from prison and finds refuge in Chinatown. He has been confined for fifteen years. His cup is overflowing with bitterness. He has one motive—to punish the influential financier who sent him to prison. He also wished to look upon the faces of his dear wife and daughter, the latter grown into womanhood since he entered the gates of the big, gray prison. It is a picture which absorbs the attention of the spectator.

Lon Chaney, who will be remembered for his remarkable characterization of the legless thug in "The Penalty" and who because of his exceptional gift for pantomime in

such compelling pictures as "The Night Rose," and "The Trap," has the leading role in "Flesh and Blood." The offering establishes Chaney as the foremost character on the screen. He is truly the man of a thousand faces.

"MASTERS OF MEN," DRAMA OF LIFE AT SEA—FINE CAST

The Cast:—Lieutenant Breen, Earle Williams; Mabel Arthur, Alice Calhoun; Dick Halpin, Cullen Landis; Bessie Fleming, Wanda Hawley; "Pie" Jones, Dick Sutherland; Sawyer, Chas. E. Mason; Mr. Thorpe, Bert Apling; Captain Bilker, Jack Curtis; "Nigger" Martin, Turner.

Vitagraph has done it again. "Masters of Men," which will be shown at the R. & R. Lindsey Theater next Monday and Tuesday is one of the finest sea pictures this city has seen. Not only is the atmosphere of the sea realistically caught and maintained, but the selection of the players from the four principal roles to the least important extra has been accomplished with fine discrimination. Add to this the fact that C. Graham Baker's picturization of this best of all sea novels by Morgan Robertson, admittedly the leader in literature of writers of life on board ship, retains the heart interest and the drama in the story, and the result is a thrilling, compelling picture. And add one more fact: it is clean and wholesome, a real story of a real American boy!

The drama begins in the boyhood of Dick Halpin in the village of Allville, where he is falsely accused of theft by the brother of the girl he loves. Rather than humiliate the girl he accepts the blame, runs away and joins the U. S. Navy. Life on board a Yankee man of war is splendidly portrayed and there Dick learns how to become a man. His immediate superior officer, Lieut. Breen and Dick are shanghaied and sold by crimps to the brutal master of the "Mary Earl," a sailing ship. There they are driven into the fore-castle and endure the cruelty of big-fisted mates and the filth of bad quarters and worse food. It may be remarked in passing, that the publication of this novel by Morgan Robertson did much to improve conditions of sailormen. The two youths managed to escape and rejoin their ships at the time Admiral Sampson's fleet is lying outside of Santiago Harbor waiting for the Spanish fleet to come out. Dick's heroism gives warning that Admiral Cervera had given orders to sail. The misunderstandings between the two youths and the two old-fashioned girls "they left behind" are straightened out and the story ends happily.

Many Tourists Are Making Use Of Camp Grounds In Lubbock

Lubbock people are proud of the many visitors who are taking advantage of the conveniences offered at the tourist's camp grounds, and are pleased to know that the visitors to the grounds are increasing in numbers.

On Tuesday night this week there were thirty-five cars, carrying an average of four persons, parked on

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the grounds and the occupants made use of the buildings by staying overnight.

On Wednesday night there were twenty-five cars parked near the tourists building and also carried an average of four persons, making a total of two hundred and twenty persons who spent the two nights at the tourists park.

The keeper reported that the above cars were not including the noon visitors for the two days, and that there were twenty-five cars there at the noon hour both days.

These figures go to show how much stress can be laid on building more adequate camp buildings, and the many people who pass this way will do a great deal of good advertising for Lubbock providing of course, that we give them something to be glad they were in Lubbock.

Curtis Keen, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, is keeping close tabs on the tourist situation here and is in a position to know what should be done by Lubbock people in keeping the tide of tourists headed this way. Let's all keep informed on this proposition and when the Chamber of Commerce starts out to do the big thing for the tourists there will be no opposition thrown against the movement.

Lubbock is growing, and there are people from all over the State who come here more as a matter of curiosity than anything else as they have heard so much about the "hub city." Let everyone work to the end that they will not be disappointed after seeing Lubbock and the South Plains.

BOY GAVE BLOOD THAT HIS FATHER MIGHT ENJOY GOOD HEALTH

C. D. Moore, whose home is between Big Spring and Lamesa, was brought to Lubbock several days ago for a blood transfusion at a local sanitarium.

Mr. Moore had suffered for some time with pernicious anaemia, a condition in which the red cells of the blood are destroyed. His life is prolonged and his health improved by what is known as blood transfusion. This is done by drawing blood from a healthy individual and injecting this into the veins of the patient. Mr. Moore's son gave a quart of his blood to his father Monday afternoon, and both were about Wednesday afternoon and left for a visit at Roswell.

This was the fourteenth transfusion Mr. Moore has had in different sanitariums over Texas and he was loud in his praise of our local sanitarium, saying that he had better treatment from doctors and nurses than he had ever enjoyed in any other institution. Lubbock institutions are making for a better known Lubbock thru the manner in which visitors to this city are received.

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One of the best equipped Abstract Plants in Texas, covering Lubbock, Hockley and Cochran Counties.
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- For every member of the family—
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SOUTH GOING NORTH IN SEARCH OF MORE HELP

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 5 (United Press)—Sugar cane growers in this state are becoming alarmed at the rapid migration of the negro worker to the northern states where the higher pay of factories and other industries are attracting him. To offset this increasing shortage of agricultural workers, agriculturists of the state are planning to start an advertising campaign to enlighten northern farmers as to the wonderful resources and possibilities of Louisiana.

The advertising campaign will tell of the richness of Louisiana's soil, its adaptability for all year around crops and the diversity of crops it will yield. The state's mineral resources will also be described, as well as fishing and hunting conditions.

A vast part of this state's rich lands have never been touched by farmers and await only the clearing of small undergrowth to produce the finest crops that land can grow. The seasons are especially well balanced, the winter seldom bringing weather cold enough to hurt young "truck" which can be grown the year around. The state also has proved a splendid location for practically every kind of fruit growing. Grapes are becoming a profitable crop.

Recently a colony of ten Canadian farmers and their families from around Winnipeg came to this state to engage in sugar cane growing.

CADET WORK IMPROVED IN FT. WORTH SCHOOLS

FORT WORTH, July 5.—High school cadets, in all probability will do more hepping than heretofore as a result of a recent meeting of the school board here. The board ruled that military training in the local high schools will not be "scrapped." And going further, the board decided to enlarge the war work, em-

ploying two additional instructors and encouraging enrollment in the course by allowing more credits toward graduation.

It was recently suggested that cadet work either be improved or abandoned. The American Legion posts here vigorously opposed discontinuance while the opposite stand was taken by the League of Women Voters.

WICHITA COUNTY FARMERS LOST \$4.65 ON EACH ACRE OF WHEAT

WICHITA FALLS, Texas July 6.—The Kansas farmer who told President Harding how much it cost him to raise an acre of wheat while the sun in the middle of a Kansas wheat field, has nothing on farmers of Wichita County. In fact not as much.

Conservative figures on most of the production wheat in this county and on the basis of average production this season, place the loss per acre at \$4.65.

The return on an acre of wheat in this county this year will be approximately \$2.50. Guy R. Jones, county agent, conservatively estimated the cost of raising an acre of wheat at \$13.15, leaving the farmer holding the sack, as it were, for \$4.65 on every acre of wheat he raised.

WAXAHACHIE TO BE MADE MOSQUITOLESS

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, July 6 (United Press)—Waxahachie isn't "sketchy" but its citizens are making good inroads on the long-stingered tribe, according to E. W. Steel, sanitary engineer of the State Board of Health. Steel was here several days looking into the mosquito situation. He praised the co-operation of residents in helping rid the city of the pests but warned that increasing

vigilance alone would repel the invaders.

Steel particularly urged that the drive be carried with greatest force against "wiggly-tails and adult mosquitos."

LAW TEACHERS OF TEXAS U. ENGAGED IN SCHOOLS

AUSTIN, July 3.—Prof. C. S. Potts and Judge J. C. Townner of the University of Texas Law School will teach in the University of Colorado during the second term of the summer session. Prof. C. G. Haines of the Law School is now teaching in the Northwestern University. Prof. C. T. McCormack is spending the summer in Berkeley Calif. Prof. A. L. Green is practicing law in the territory of the Lockhart-Luling oil field. Courses in law are being given at the University of Texas during the summer session by Professor I. P. Hildebrand, W. A. Rhea and Frank Bobbitt. Dr. G. C. Butte, dean-elect of the Law School, is in Austin, but will not begin his duties officially until September first.

KELLY FIELD AVIATORS HAVE ENVIABLE RECORD

SAN ANTONIO, July 5.—Officers stationed at Kelly Field No. 2, have set up an enviable record with more than 30,000 airplane flights completed since January 1, 1923, the actual time approximately, put in actual flying on these trips totals more than 8000 hours, which is said to be one-fourth of all the army air activities excluding the Kelly-MacReady flight and other long trips.

Nearly 800,000 miles have been covered during the past six months records show according to the speed of the machines used which ranges from 60 to 100 miles an hour.

Only four fatalities occurred in the past eight months at the field and these were caused thru loss of flying speed.

REMNANT SALE

For Friday and Saturday we are putting on sale remnants from our price goods. In thees remnants you will find short lengths of silks, tissues, crepes, gingham percale, etc. We are sure there is not a lady in Lubbock who could not profitably use many of these short lengths.

The prices will be so attractive that it will pay you to come to this remnant sale Friday and Saturday.

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Some people say they simply cannot save money. Other people—who often have smaller incomes—find a joy in regular weekly saving.

The fact is, anyone can save money who is really in earnest about it. Take the matter seriously. Who benefits from your thrift? Wholse, but yourself?

The man with a growing savings account acquires confidence in himself and a happy, fearless attitude towards the future.

One dollar or more opens an interest bearing account in this big, friendly bank.

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