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## SOUTH BEND ENTERTAINS VAST THROGHS OF VISITORS

Is Friday an unlucky day? The people of South Bend do not think so. The first train to enter the city was greeted by hundreds as the train on the Wichita Falls & Southern Railway slowly pulled into South Bend at 12:40 p. m. Friday, July 1, amid the cheers and shouts of the people who were anxious to see the first train steam into the wonderful oil city. Preparations had been under way for several weeks. The several committees had made every effort to entertain the large crowd. Many people saw South Bend for the first time and were surprised to see such a city where only a few months ago were a small group of houses.

People were present from various points in Texas and Oklahoma but most of the crowd came from Fort Worth, Wichita Falls, Archer City and the towns and communities of Young county.

Following the arrival of the train an automobile parade was held from the depot to Main street, where several brief addresses were made. A visit to the oil fields, ball game, boating, boxing match and band concert were additional features of the entertainment furnished by the various committees.

Friday was the big day but the celebration extended over two days and large crowds were present on Saturday to enjoy the hospitality of the South Bend people. Large numbers of Graham people were present both days and are loud in their praise of our neighbors who are rightly proud of their fair little city. Graham and South Bend are now connected by rail and the common interests of the cities can be more easily promoted.

## DOUGLAS HIGH MAN AT REGULAR SHOOT LAST THURSDAY

The Graham Gun Club held its regular shoot last Thursday at the grounds east of the city. Douglas was high, with Gallagher second, Dr. Morris and Joe Frantz a tie for third place.

This gives Douglas a leg on the Pace Golden cup and also on the rifle donated by the Young County Hardware Co.

Much interest has been shown by the local merchants who have been so generous in offering prizes. Ranger Gun Meet proved to us our club was possessed of members who were worthy of not being high score made by different persons has caused the locals to be more enthusiastic. If you good clean sport get in line and this club to become one of the best in Texas.

The score in detail as follows:

Shot at Broke	Score
Clas	50
Higher	50
its	50
is	50
ford	50
Sage	50
Hodges	50
Gallaher	50

## MOTHER FINDS RATTLESNAKE COILED UP IN CHILD'S TOYS

Waxahachie, July 1.—Mrs. Warren P. Herring of Waxahachie found a rattlesnake snugly coiled up among the play toys of her 2-year-old child. She procured a stick and proceeded to dispatch the reptile. The snake was full grown and was discovered in a box in which toys had been stored when not in use.

## FORD RIDES WATER PIPE ACROSS DITCH

A Ford car was overturned on South street near Shawnee park, Monday night when it missed the bridge and passed over the ditch of a water pipe. We have heard many stories about Fords but this is the first time we ever heard of one preferring to cross a ditch on a water pipe instead of a bridge. The Ford did not turn over until it had crossed the bridge. The casings were ruined but otherwise the Ford sustained very little damage.

## OIL ACTIVITIES IN YOUNG COUNTY REMAIN QUIET

In the South Bend field new wells continue to come in. The production is being curtailed some on account of the low price of oil. Some new wells are being drilled to lead leases but, in the main, there is a slowing up until the price of oil is more encouraging. The field with nearly 100 wells at the present time is destined to be one of the best in the country as soon as conditions generally improve.

New Tests in Bunger Field  
The situation in the Bunger district has not materially changed in the last week although development has taken on an added interest due to the additional wells starting in that section.

The Union's Askew well still has the two joints of ten-inch casing in the bottom of the hole but there is a good chance of getting it out when a special tool being made is completed. This test got the pay sand at 1,960 feet but no test has yet been possible.

The Barnes Production well at Bunger is still waiting for ten-inch casing to shut off water at 1,810 feet before drilling on down to the Askew sand.

Riggs & Tyrrell of Fort Worth have spudded in on the Owens lease of Cheney & DeFreest and have a good outfit to drill with. Heydrick & Spoons are rigging up on the Driver land and will start drilling about the middle of the month.

The Roddie well on the Holt survey will spud in this week as the rig and machinery are installed on the lease.

Jackson and Cathcart have a rig up a short distance east of the Lisle well and will start drilling in another week. This will give another test to the Lisle structure which has long been thought to contain oil from results obtained in the first well drilled which never tested the shallow sands encountered. The State well of the Union Oil Company is again drilling at 2,195 feet.

With seven tests going down in the Bunger section this part of the county will soon be proven or disproven.

Mr. DeFreest states he still has parties interested in a drilling contract located somewhere in the Bunger district but can't find sufficient acreage to contribute for a well.

There is a rumor about town that one of the big companies interested in this section is soon to start several wells to protect their leases but this cannot be confirmed.

Casey & Mercier Well Drilling  
The test being put down four miles north of town by Casey & Mercier on the Jeffery ranch have made good time and have reached a depth of over 1,300 feet. This well is located on a structure and will be

## SCHOOL BOARD GIVES S. O. S. CALL FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The past six years have been trying times on all institutions depending upon taxation for support. The Graham schools are no exception. The school board has labored earnestly to maintain a first-class school and has done so. Since 1915, \$22,500.00 have been paid out of the available funds for building and equipment, notwithstanding the fact that during these six years the number of pupils has more than doubled and the teachers' salaries have increased.

To do this, however, the board has had to borrow and still owes \$18,000.00. The board has been careful and economical but the 50 cent tax has not been sufficient to meet these necessary expenditures. The recent audit of school affairs published in The Graham Leader accounts for all funds received.

The bonds and increased tax rate recently voted will build and equip the new building and care for \$10,000.00 of the indebtedness, but the remaining \$8,000.00, which was advanced by the First National Bank to finish the past session, must be repaid promptly as promised.

This \$8,000.00 can only be raised by popular subscription. The Leader has opened a list at its office and will be glad to have all who are interested in our schools call and subscribe to the fund. It should be remembered that the schools have been up to the standard during the trying years. The board has gladly given its time for the interests of our schools and now asks the people, as they have always done, to cheerfully get behind this and protect the schools. We cannot afford to neglect the best interest of the town by not properly providing for our schools.

M. K. Graham has agreed to subscribe \$3,000.00, provided the \$8,000.00 is promptly taken care of. The list headed with \$6,000.00 by Mr. Graham, is now in The Leader office. Please all and add your name promptly.

## MRS. J. L. LANDRUM CONDUCTS THREE DAYS EXPOSITION

The Merchants' Exposition, which was held last week, was not a howling success from the standpoint of attendance.

The merchants represented had very attractive displays.

Probably the handsomest booth was that of F. Wesley Gray jeweler. It was a dining room completely furnished with buffet, table, chairs, etc., and a rich display of silver. It was not hard for one to visualize steaming viands, and it was hard to resist the temptation of sitting down and participating in the feast.

The next booth visited was that of the Texas Drug Co. With Vanity Mirrors and dressing tables covered with cosmetics of different kinds the ladies could keep their faces well powdered and the glow of youth upon their cheeks.

The John E. Morrison Co. had a complete kitchen where hot biscuits were baked and served. It was a display that any woman who spends time in the cookery would certainly appreciate.

Ye Gifte Shoppe had a very attractive booth of things Oriental, which lent an air of mystery, as all things from the Far East do. Hot coffee was served from the booth of Larry's Coffee House.

Coffman's Dairy served the products of their farm from their booth. Among the other attractions were: Russell-Ladies' and Gentlemen's furnishings.

The American Legion—Implements of War.

C. C. White—Thor Washing Machines.

Graham Ice Cream Company.

Graham Paint & Paper Co.—Wall paper and paint.

Graham Coca Cola Bottling Works.

McLaughlin's Grocery.

Mrs. J. L. Landrum who had charge of the Exposition, had everything beautifully arranged and artistically decorated. She is experienced in this line of work and left nothing undone that added to the comfort and convenience of the guests. There was no charge for anything served and everyone who attended was pleased with the Exposition. The attendance was not large on account of the celebration at South Bend on the same days.

an excellent test for this section of the country the future of which is so vital to Graham. Small showings of oil and gas have been encountered that are encouraging to the operators but nothing of commercial value has yet been obtained. Oil men have always thought a shallow sand would be picked up north of town that would prove of commercial worth so this test is being watched with great interest.

## RANGER GAS COMPANY TO PIPE GAS INTO GRAHAM

The city of Graham is no wassured gas by October 1st by the Ranger Gas Company. A 6-inch line is to be laid from South Bend to Graham and a plentiful supply for both domestic and commercial use is assured.

\$85,000.00 in bonds have been disposed of. The Tower Grave National Bank of St. Louis has taken \$20,000.00 of them and the balance of \$15,000.00 has been raised by private subscription here in Graham. These bonds are seven per cent, two-year maturity, and the amount raised here carries a first mortgage lien on the plant within the city limits. The entire plant will cost approximately \$150,000.00.

The securing of gas by Graham is of the greatest importance, it is even greater than the securing of the new railroad. The fact that we will soon have a cheap fuel supply will be an incentive for manufacturing concerns of all kinds to come to Graham especially so of the brick making industry. We have here an exceptionally good brick clay but the fact that fuel was so high made it practically impossible to establish a plant here, but now there is nothing to prevent such an industry from locating here.

Quite a few homes and business houses which have been built recently have made provisions for gas for heating purposes. There will be an adequate supply at all times for a city three times the size of Graham both for domestic and industrial uses. The following citizens have made it possible for us to receive these benefits:

The Graham Estate	\$5,000.00
M. K. Graham	2,500.00
1st Nat'l Bank	1,000.00
A. P. Barrett	2,000.00
Graham Mill & Elev. Co	1,000.00
S. B. Street	500.00
Mrs. M. Barnes	500.00
W. I. Tidwell & Sons	500.00
Norris-Johnson Co.	300.00
Jno. E. Morrison	250.00
H. L. Morrison	250.00
A. A. Morrison	250.00
L. L. Kinnebrew	200.00
Smith & Smiley	100.00
L. T. Gardner	100.00
J. T. Harness	100.00
A. D. Stewart	100.00
G. D. Hinson	100.00

## BIG FINANCIAL RETURNS FOR MAN WHO TIDES OVER

of men who possessed enough foresight and wisdom to anticipate the arrival of present economic conditions, and will make millions for themselves and associates as a result of their ability to look into the future.

Each dollar invested in these days of high buying power should, when conditions revert to normal in a few months, attain practically a ten-fold value. Thus, the lower the price of oil goes, the more money the oil man with cash should be able to make.

Fortunate, indeed, is the oil operator, with sufficient cash at his disposal to enable him to avail himself of the many money-making opportunities which exist today. He and his associates will be the millionaires of tomorrow.

It happens only once in every ten or twenty years that the oil industry faces such conditions as exist today. After every period of inflated values comes the era of reconstruction.

That many oil companies and independent oil operators are "hard pressed" in such times as these, no intelligent person will dispute. On the other hand, it must be remembered that the biggest oil fortunes in the history of the country were created out of just such conditions that we are facing at present.

Today the purchasing power of the dollar is much enhanced in value. The oil man with cash at his disposal can accomplish what might seem to be miracles. Valuable properties can be purchased at much less than their actual value says the Oil Ledger.

While it is proving to be somewhat difficult for many oil operators to weather the present financial storm, at the same time there is a host

## GIRL SLEPT ON PORCH

THIEF CUT HER HAIR  
Temple, June 28.—Hair Thieves have extended their activities into rural sections near here. Last night the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. White, who live about eight miles from town, was robbed of her treasured brown tresses as she lay sleeping on the porch at the family home. The girl was awakened by the intruder and her screams brought her parents to her bedside but no clue as to the identity of the culprit had been established.

## REAL SUMMER WEATHER IN YOUNG COUNTY

Real summer weather is here. For several days the thermometer has soared upward. Yesterday and today have been the most oppressive days of the season. The weather bureau says that the heat will probably continue for several days. In fact, the time of year suggests that it will continue several weeks. Most of us recall that we usually have warm weather in July and August.

The weather is very acceptable when the farming interests are considered. Thrashers are running overtime and before many days, if favorable weather continues, all the grain will be in the granaries. The hot weather is needed to check the ravages of the boll weevils on cotton. Complaints are coming in that the weevils are ruining the cotton and it is claimed that continued dry and warm weather will help to check them.

## S. T. NEEDHAM OF SALEM COMMUNITY HAS FINE TOMATOES

S. T. Needham of the Salem community called at the Leader office last Friday and left a sample of his tomatoes grown in his garden. He brought in four tomatoes, two of which weighed 11 ounces each, one 9 and the other 7 ounces. The four tomatoes weighed more than two pounds.

The Leader has always claimed that everything will grow in Young county. Farmers are bringing in various kinds of products daily. The late frost killed most of the fruit this year but vegetables are fine. A glance at the heaps of huge ears of corn in the grocery stores would indicate the prospects for corn are good.

The Leader thanks Mr. Needham for the fine tomatoes.

Because there is no other country in the world so able, if it were an absolute necessity, to maintain a great army and navy, America above all others should be the one to invite to disarmament.

## JAMES B. NORRIS NO LONGER WITH LEADER

The Leader receives inquiries daily about James B. Norris who was for a while a reporter for the Leader. On June 4 he severed his connection with the Graham Leader and since that date has not been connected in any way with this publication.

He undertook the publication of the North Texas Oil News of which he was the sole owner and proprietor, and on June 25 the first and only issue came from the press. He left the city Wednesday, June 23 and his whereabouts is unknown to the management of the Leader.

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## SUPPRESS ALL LAWLESSNESS

Crap shooters are being fined; homes and hotels raided to break up friendly poker games and scores of officers are busy running down minor infractions of the laws while organized mobs and bodies of masked men kidnap citizens, drive them to some secluded place, beat them up and order them to abandon business, home and other interests and leave town never to come back. This is being done apparently without fear of the law or molestation either during the time is committed or after. If any officer has made a serious effort to search out and arrest a member of these criminal gangs, it has not been given publicity. If any grand jury has made a real honest-to-goodness investigation of this crime with an effort to find the guilty parties and return indictments, the members have kept that fact to themselves. Lawlessness is running riot under the sanction of organized bodies of men who announce their purpose as that of good citizens interested only in the suppression of crime and the betterment of the morals of the people.

The Ku Klux Klan, including those bodies of men who claim to be of that order, is a libel on our State, county and city governments. The existence of this organization and of other bodies sailing under their colors is a reflection upon, not only our regularly constituted officers, but upon every good citizen. It is an admission that our laws are either inadequately enforced or insufficient to give needed protection to the people. When a body of men assume the right to regulate the morals of their community by force, or to take the law into their own hands in the attempt to suppress crime by the commission of another far more serious in its infringement on the rights of citizens guaranteed by the constitution and in its influence on good government, then it is time for all good citizens to rally to the support of our constituted authorities and assist them in every way possible to tear off these masks and bring the guilty before the bar of justice.

Not many years ago the favorite stunt of Texas delegations to National conventions was to disguise as Indians and cowboys and shoot up the town. It was fun of course, but that kind of fun cost the Southwest millions of dollars in business. It verified the impression already prevalent in the North and East that the Southwest, and Texas in particular, was in a primitive state; that it was "wild and woolly" and lawless and not yet advanced in civilization far enough to make a business venture profitable. The order of the Ku Klux Klan is doing far more injury to the business of the South than all of the fool stunts pulled on the unsuspecting Eastern public by over enthusiastic delegates. The outrages committed in the name of the Klan are telegraphed far and wide and are displayed prominently in every daily paper. The impression is given that we are a lawless set of gun toters and that the Southwest is yet more of a place for adventure than it is for business.

If the Ku Klux Klan, in whose name these crimes are committed, is guiltless, then publicity should be given to that fact. Members must admit, however, that the existence of their order, and the purposes for which it was organized as published in their proclamation, incites lawlessness on the part of others who find protection under their name. This in itself is sufficient to condemn the clan and cause its suppression.—Farm and Ranch.

## PULPIT RECRUITS

Churchmen see features in the reduced enrollment of some theological schools which satisfactorily account for the lessened number of pulpit recruits. There are various fields of social endeavor attracting earnest natures that believe they can serve humanity as effectively in those directions.

With the churches becoming more and more interested in welfare work, young men are giving thought to that sphere of religious usefulness, where in earlier years the pulpit was the center of church activity.

## SUMMERTIME

It was a sizzling old fall, with its presidential campaign; a dizzy old winter, with its threatened outbreaks in Europe, and a hectic old spring, with its industrial tieups and commercial depression, but this is the good old summertime. Life is short and time is fleeting, and why should we be always in a hurry and nursing a perpetual worry?

Last month we slipped into our B. V. D.'s and this month we ought to take a lesson from the weather and slip out of our long accustomed mental traces and go dashing headlong to the open pastures, where the July grass is lush and the birds are singing as joyously as before the kaiser descended upon Belgium, bringing in his wake such a scourge of plagues as would have made early Egypt appear a pleasant paradise by comparison.

We've grown accustomed to look upon life darkly. We have had wars and rumors of wars. We have known sufficiently of evil and doubt. Our minds are weary of the turmoil and the strife. We long for the quiet ways we knew before the war. And Dame Summer is knocking at the door and bidding us cast dull care aside for a time; is inviting us to forget our perplexities, toss aside the problems that we have not been able to solve and go a-summering.

And he is a wise man who will listen. There is something in the season that demands relaxation. It is not by accident that the railroads and the steamboat lines run excursions from June to September; it is not by chance that the seaside and mountain resorts are in full blast then, that the schools are closed and the playgrounds open. When the sun is high, the inclination to mental effort is low. Even the farmer who rejoices in the heat of the summer pauses for breath between the seasons of harvest and fall plowing, and all the rest of us should take the hint and do likewise.

It is summer again. Both the thermometer and the almanac prove it. Therefore, "a fig for a care, a fig for woe; let the world come, let the world go"—until fall breezes blow.

## MYSTERIES OF THE DEEP

"They" that go down to the sea in ships, they that do business in great waters," encounter perils as of old. The mystery of the Cyclops still remains, and now three other ships which sailed away have not reached port and four departments of the government are engaged in an effort to discover their fate. The mystery is deepened because it was in a calm sea off Cape Hatteras that the vessels disappeared.

A schooner ashore with all sails set but no crew, and a bottle which contained a scrawled note are the only evidences of tragedies, if such they were, that have come to light. Were they seized by some modern buccaneer adopting up-to-date methods in piracy? One guess at present appears to be as good as another. The ships are gone and that is all that is known.

Ever since men ventured on broad waters the sea has furnished mysteries. The fate of untold numbers of ships is unknown. They sailed away never to be seen again and the sea kept the secret. But in modern times with wireless connection with the shore and the other appliances of safety, together with the absence of pirates that once were the scourge of the sea-faring, the unexplained disappearances have been few. Even where disaster befell and none escaped to tell the story perhaps wreckage mutely related the tale. The situation is as perplexing as any mystery ever woven by a writer of romance.

## THE MIDDLE MAN

A farmer raised a peck of wheat beside the River Dee; a boarder ate a wheated loaf way down in Tennessee; the loaf the boarder fed upon cost half as much and more as did the farmer's peck of wheat a month or so before. "Now why is this," the boarder raved, "they hold me up for bread?" "And why is wheat so bloomin' cheap?" the plodding farmer said.

A guy beyond the Rocky Ridge raised thirty pounds of limes; another guy in Old New York was kicking on the times—for he had downed a glass of "ade," and—poor forlorn galoot—had paid one-half the market price of thirty pounds of fruit: "Now why is this, they soak me thus for this wee sip of 'ade'?" "And why," exclaimed the orchard man, "am I so poorly paid?"

Now hold your horses steady there, you jay beside the Dee; go easy there, you hungry guy in sunny Tennessee; restrain yourself, you orchard man, forbear th's angry talk; and you, beside the soda fount in little Old Noo Yawk: Remember this: Our food and drink, no matter where and when, must also be the food and drink for thirty middle men!

## TARIFF NOT THE REMEDY

President Harding is said to be out of sorts because his congress is doing nothing. Called to handle problems of taxation and tariff, congress has failed to meet the expectations of the White House. It might have been expected that the Republican party so long the champion of the high tariff would speedily whip such measure into shape. But since the days of McKinley, Aldrich and Fordney the attitude of the country on high tariff has shifted. The war has made a tremendous difference. Keen business men are skeptical of a trade barrier which would keep products out of the country and thus cut off the world market for exports.

War has left the former customers of America financially prostrate. They are without funds. If they are to buy American goods, the bills must be paid with foreign goods, not foreign gold. A tariff wall would block such trading and the Republican manufacturers looking to world markets are not so enthusiastic about high tariff as they once were. Consequently the Republicans are tippy tippy on this question. Lumber men oppose a tariff on their commodity because it would put them out of business. Manufacturers of food oils who get a lot of raw materials from other countries, claim they will be oppressed by high customs rates. Steel makers who want to sell abroad object to a tariff that would result in their foreign customers retaliating. Independent oil producers protest free oil because they say the scheme is in the interest of Standard Oil which imports from Mexican wells. Farmers kick at dropping rates on foodstuffs and letting hides in free as a sop to the packers. And so it is from end to end. Special interests are in conflict with each other and no agreement is in sight.

## FREIGHT RATES

Without undertaking to tell the managers of railroads what rates they can afford to charge, a passing consideration is in order regarding a familiar mistake which has crept into the assertions made in the hearing held by the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee. This is the allegation that a 40 per cent increase in rates adds only 31 cents to the freight charge on a lot of clothes shipped from New England to St. Louis.

This does not take numerous things in account. First of all it is to be remembered that most of the general freight increase applies to the cost of material entering into that suit. It goes into that product many times in the wool shipped from the west to the New England mill.

Furthermore, it affects the price of food shipped to the workers having any part in the production of the suit mentioned. By the same token it enters into the materials of the homes in which these workers pay rent; it appears in the machinery of the mill turning out the cloth; it shows in the coal going into the mill furnace; and in many other ways the freight comes into that suit besides the added charge of 31 cents for shipping it to Missouri that is so well known to most of us with bill-paying experience.

It is strange any one at this day would offer the mistaken calculation submitted to the rate-fixers.

## TRADE AT HOME

Not merely do the stores of a town like Graham assemble the products of the wide world at your very doors, but they save the public an enormous amount of time.

To get these goods from all over the earth, it would formerly have been necessary to visit the nearest large city. You would have to take a part or the whole of a day and visit some great emporium. There millions of money are invested, and the complex system is operated on the high scale of expense that burdens metropolitan trade. The cost of the thing to you is not merely what you pay for the article. It is your car fare, the dinner in the city, and most of all, your time.

The home store lays down the articles from Egypt or Australia or India on the counter at the price the same thing will cost you in the big city. And even if you paid a good deal more for it, you could afford to. For you have bought it without loss of your valuable time and without any incidental expense.

## A HORSE STORY

Two men thrown together at a horse show were discussing their adventures with the equine tribe.

"A horse ran away with me once, and I wasn't out for two months," remarked the man with the Trilby hat.

"That's nothing!" remarked the man with the bowler. "I ran away with a horse once, and I wasn't out for two years!"—Western Farm Life

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Dr. M. H. Chism is still active in his practice of dentistry. He sold his photograph gallery and is devoting his entire time now to dentistry.

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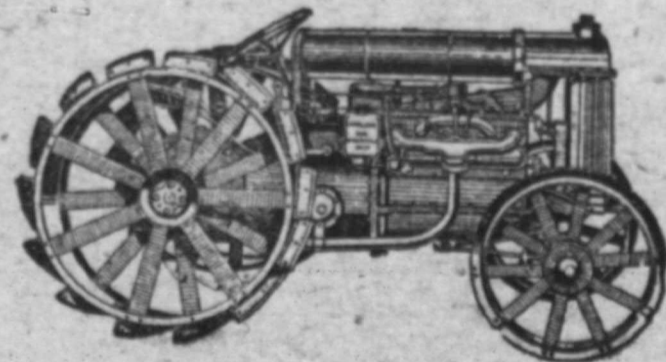
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—The Fordson saves from thirty to fifty per cent of the farmer's time.

## Fewer Horses on the Farm

—The Fordson does the work of from four to six horses.

## Less Farm Help

—One man with a Fordson can do more work easier and with less expense than two men with horses.

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—A farmer with a Fordson can raise more crops easier with less expense. He therefore makes more profit.

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## U. S. LEADING IN RACE FOR SOUTH AMERICA'S TRADE

London, June 29.—South America is today the brightest jewel in the diadem of trading nations and one of the keenest struggles in the history of commerce is now in progress for possession of a priceless treasure.

This is the opinion of Sir Kingsley Wood, M. P., parliamentary private secretary to the Minister of Health, and an authority on South American trade and affairs.

"The championship is being played mainly in the Argentine Republic," said Sir Kingsley. "The stakes are 100,000,000 pounds and for the moment the United States are winning."

"Great Britain, it is only fair to say, was once the undisputed champion nor need she be afraid of the reason why she was thrown off her form. It was the war that turned the Argentine competition upside down. It found us first and America second; it left us second; and America first. Not less significant, it sent Japan shooting ahead of Germany, France, Italy and Belgium.

"The arrival of Japan is a surprising event to many Englishmen. In 1915 she sold to Argentina just over 200,000 pounds worth of wares. For the first six months of 1919, that total had leaped up to 3,450,000 pounds and it continues to rise. Chiefly it is a trade in cotton yarn, cotton drill, silk handkerchiefs, glossy silk, calico, socks and an assortment of toys, buttons and lead pencils. Japan, moreover has opened a bank at Buenos Ayres, while several Japanese merchants are now in business there, and she has a line of steamers sailing regularly to the River Plate. Definitely, in short, Japan has arrived among the nations.

"As time goes on the race for first place in the Argentine market will probably be between the United States, Japan and Britain. As for Germany, her future in South America is as yet uncertain. Once upon a time she supplied Argentina with more than half of all the jewelry and metalware bought from the rest of the world.

"Today the agents of German manufacturers are back again, offering chemicals and dyes, machinery and hardware at 'cut' prices. But abnormal competition of that sort admittedly cannot endure, and in any case it has not materially affected the main struggle between the United States and Britain.

"Here there is no reason why Great Britain should not take the lead as emphatically as she has done on the golf links. The Argentine people like us, and they like our methods. Millions of pounds of British capital

have helped to develop their country.

"If the prize were the chief share in a yearly trade of one hundred million pounds, it would be well worth the striving for. It is much more than that. The Argentine is like Australia; she has just begun to grow, and nobody can mark the limits of her future. Could the wealth half a century hence of that practically virgin land be accurately foretold today, there are a few among us who would have the imagination to accept a picture of such prosperity. A population rather larger than Belgium's is living in a country bigger than the United Kingdom, Germany, France, Spain, Italy and Japan put together. Its possibilities are well nigh as vast as the need of the human race for meat and wheat to eat and wool to wear. It is a share in these future possibilities as much as to win a present advantage that the nations strive in amicable rivalry.

"There is room for all, but the question is—who will be first?"

"The latest style, no doubt; 'But every time she got inside, 'She was more than half way out,' in a prose foreword delivered from his pulpit Sunday night, Dr. Stratton declared he did not advocate a return to the old street sweeping styles.

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## FORMER BAYLOR U. PROFESSOR WRITES ON DRESS STYLE

Rev. John Roach Stratton, who was formerly a professor in Baylor University, Waco, Texas, but for some time pastor of the Calvary Baptist church in New York has been so impressed, or as others put it, disgusted with the scant summer styles as exhibited that he has written the following stanza:

"Mary had a little skirt,  
The latest style, no doubt;  
But every time she got inside,  
'She was more than half way out,'

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## TAFT IS MADE CHIEF JUSTICE; LIFE AMBITION

Montreal, June 30.—"It has been the ambition of my life to be chief justice," William Howard Taft declared tonight, "but now that it is gratified, I tremble to think whether I can worthily fill the position and be useful to the country."

## May Urge Doctors To Cut Charges

Fort Worth, July 2.—Discussion of professional charges on the part of physicians, surgeons, dentists, nurses and allied professions and callings from the standpoint of a possible reduction will feature a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors to be held Saturday morning at the Chamber of Commerce.

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## EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

G. O. P. campaign promises put the con in constituent.

Mr. Harding is too busy to take a vacation, but he still has time to be photographed occasionally.

Announcement is made that a new continent has been discovered in the Antarctic region. Wet or dry?

It is discernible that when it comes to a tariff on lumber, the Republican members of congress are not all aboard.

It is reported that the United States has a shortage of 25,000 doctors, and beer for medicine hasn't even been legalized yet.

One hundred and ten railroads were not included in the wage cut. However, they are fast signaling the railroad labor board that they were uncoupled.

If pirates are capturing vessels off Cape Hatteras there will be more or less curiosity as to where they are burying the treasure, a la Captain Kidd.

Leland Stanford University is to establish a course in proper eating. We wonder if it will do away with the affinity of gravy and clean tablecloths.

To prove that the bombing plane is mightier than the warship, the bombing plane will have to do better than fall into the sea and burn up on the way to the test.

When a woman storekeeper in Chicago showed fight, a bandit leaped through a window to the street. It is deduced by many that the bandit was a married man.

A Los Angeles man couldn't stop his new touring car and it knocked his new bungalow two feet off its foundation. It isn't the original cost. It's what it runs into.

Crushed beneath a debt of \$40,000,000,000, according to Senator Walsh of Montana, France is still maintaining an army of 800,000.

Necessity, if not wisdom, will probably force the nations to disarmament.

It was a former Lord Chancellor of England who said, "All great powers must begin disarmament or starvation."

## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

# First National Bank

GRAHAM, TEXAS  
At the Close of Business June 30, 1921

Loans and Discounts	\$ 651,399.36
Real Estate, Banking House and Fixtures	113,999.26
U. S. Bonds and War Savings Stamps	101,175.20
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	4,800.00
Stock in Federal International Corporation	2,160.00
Redemption Fund	1,350.00
Cash in Vault and with other Banks	898,912.52
	<b>\$1,183,396.34</b>

RESOURCES	
LIABILITIES	
Capital	100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	85,696.25
Reserve for Taxes	1,730.04
Circulation	25,000.00
Dividends Unpaid	3,185.50
Deposits Subject to Check	967,784.55
	<b>\$1,183,396.34</b>

The Above Statement is Correct.  
P. K. DEATS, Vice President and Cashier

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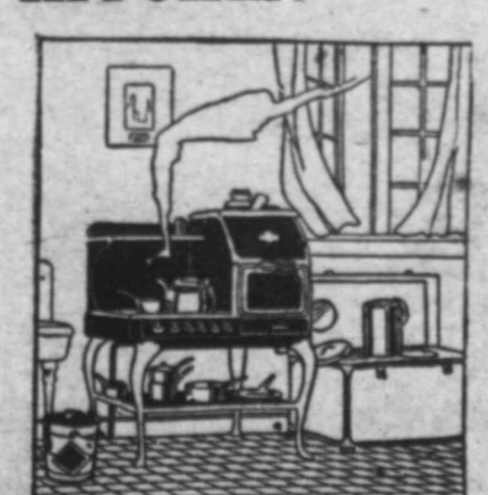
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## METHODIST REVIVAL AT JEAN

Our revival meeting at Jean will begin the third Sunday in July. Rev. C. A. Bickley, Presiding Elder, of Weatherford District, will do the preaching. Come.

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LL DOMESTIC, special bargain at 12 yards for \$1.80

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"Do you ever sit down to a dinner at your house with thirteen at the table?"

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UNBLEACHED DOMESTIC, good quality, special 10 yards for \$1.00

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## COULDN'T BE OTHERWISE

"Are you of the opinion, James," asked a slim-looking man of his companion, "that Dr. Smith's medicine does any good?"

"Not unless you follow the directions."

"What are the directions?"

"Keep the bottle tightly corked."

A Chicagoan claims the invention of musical instrument that will revolutionize opera. Which inspires the hope that at last there is to be an orchestral accompaniment that will not drown the voices of the singers.

Looking around at the rest of the world and seeing that a peaceful Mexico is far out of style probably is what prompted action of a group of Carranzistas who are reported to have renewed trouble just south of the border.

# MID-SEASON SPECIALS!

We are making some very special prices for the next few days on merchandise that you can not afford to pass by. It will be to your advantage to visit our store at the first opportunity and purchase your summer requirements at these Clearance Sale Prices.

Nice Dress Percale, good assortment of colors and patterns, only ..... 12½c  
 Special assortment Dress Gingham ..... 15c  
 36-inch Dress Percale, per yard ..... 16c  
 Ladies White Cotton Hose, good quality, per pair 19c  
 \$1.50 Silk Hose, assorted sizes and colors ..... 95c  
 Good Pure Thread Silk Hose, \$2.50 values ..... \$1.45  
 Special lot Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps, values up to \$12.50, only ..... \$1.95  
 Ladies Bathing Suits, up to \$7.50 ..... \$4.95  
 Ladies Bathing Suits, up to \$9.00 ..... \$5.95  
 14 bars Palm Olive Soap for ..... \$1.00  
 Sweetheart Talcum, per can only ..... 11c  
 Williams Talcum, per can only ..... 16c  
**SPECIAL PRICES IN LADIES READY-TO-WEAR**

Men's high grade Straw Hats, our entire stock ranging from \$5.00 to \$7.50, choice at ..... \$3.95  
 Palm Beach and Tropical Worsted and Mohair Suits at Big Reductions:  
 Lot No. 1—Prices ranging up to \$10.00 choice \$4.95  
 Lot No. 2—Prices ranging up to \$15.00, choice \$7.95  
 Lot No. 3—Prices ranging up to \$20.00, choice 13.95  
 Lot No. 4—Prices ranging up to \$27.50, choice 18.95  
 Palm Beach Pants, \$5.00 and \$6.00 values at ..... \$3.95  
 Mohair Pants, \$7.50 values at ..... \$4.95  
 Special lot Men's Dress Shirts, \$1.50 and \$3.00 values at ..... 95c  
 Blue Work Shirts, special at ..... 59c  
 Men's Shoes at surprisingly low figure:  
 Lot No. 1—Men's Tennis Slippers at ..... 50c  
 Lot No. 2—Men's White Oxfords at ..... 95c  
 Lot No. 3—Solid Leather Oxfords, all sizes, at \$3.95

## John E. Morrison Company

GRAHAM'S GREATEST STORE  
 Make Our Store Your Headquarters—We Are Glad to See You.

### BIRTHDAY OF PROHIBITION SEES NEW DRY CRUSADE

Washington, July 1.—On the occasion of the national prohibition today, Federal Prohibition Commissioner Roy Haynes was building up his enforcement army of dry detectives for a new onslaught on bootleggers and enemies of the Volstead law.

Haynes plans to make the third year of national prohibition a much more near bone dry period than the first two, he said. Beginning today, the prohibition unit will be able to draw on a new appropriation of more than \$2,000,000 to fill places of detectives and inspectors laid off because cash ran out forty days ago. More than 700 enforcement agents were laid off in May because the 1921 appropriation ran out.

With new funds available, however, Haynes is in a position to engage new and trained workers and throw into each big city a flying squadron of dry sleuths to terrify bootleggers and proprietors of alleged soft drink emporiums who secretly try to deal out better than one-half per cent beer.

The prohibition unit will begin the new year with a more really perfect system as a second-line of defense against bootlegging and illegal sale and underground distribution of contraband booze.

To make the year more really pleasing to prohibition enforcement officers, Congress soon will be asked by Attorney General Daugherty to set up a system of bonus courts which will transact only business relating to prohibition enforcement. With these courts in operation, retribution in the shape of heavy fines and jail terms will be dealt out with little delay to persons caught running the rum blockade of dry detectives. Delay in bringing violators to justice because the ordinary courts of New York and all big cities are clogged with prohibition cases, has been one of the factors making prohibition laws hard to enforce, according to government officials.

And to make Haynes' drive on law breakers more and more effective, several branches of the government are co-operating with him, as well as city, state and county officials in all sections.

Chief Ashworth of the U. S. Customs Service has laid down a barrage of customs detectives along the Canadian border to halt international booze smugglers. The Florida keys are being guarded against liquor smuggled from Cuba, not only by the customs service but also by the U. S. Coast guards. And in big cities like New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, St. Louis, Chicago, Denver and San Francisco, police and state officials now are putting their hands to the wheel to move their territory into an atmosphere of dry.

Considering the situation from these points of view, Commissioner Haynes is pleased with the possibility of making the country nearly 100 per cent dry during the next twelve months.

"At any rate," he said today, we'll make it blamed unpleasant to be a bootlegger."

Haynes and a few government officials believe that real 100 per cent pure prohibition can be clamped down on the entire country.

Prohibition, they point out, is too new to be completely effective at once. But progress toward complete dryness is being made daily, they say, backed by a rapidly developing public sentiment for absolute and impartial enforcement of the law.

War-time prohibition, when the country took its first step towards a dry basis, began two years ago today. On that day all sales of liquor for internal consumption was prohibited by law. This measure, however, was intended to be merely temporary and to continue in effect only for a short time after the close of hostilities. But before that period was reached, constitutional prohibition became effective and the prohibition enforcement unit was set up at Washington. Until a short time ago nearly 2,000 federal agents were scattered through the country watching for violations of the Volstead Law. Then came the big lay-off. Now, however, this is to be corrected.

During the first two years of prohibition, the country has consumed more than 40,000,000 gallons of liquor according to reports on withdrawals from bonded warehouses. Prohibition unit officials say that part of this reached bootleggers and was consumed internally, although the permits under which it was withdrawn were intended to prevent the use of liquor except for non-beverage purposes.

More than 100,000 persons have been arrested in the campaign to enforce the law, it is estimated here. The exact number of arrests is not known since tabulations in the possession of the Prohibition unit are not yet completed.

All firms transacting business under a fictitious name must file with the county clerk the true names of all members of the firm. These blanks must be filed with the clerk by July 11. County Clerk Kennedy has a supply of blanks and interested parties may secure same by calling at the county clerk's office in the court house.

Bolshevists are now suspected of being the pirates that caused the disappearance of 11 ships off the American coast. Will the red flag supplant the black banner of old?

Dr. Ruby G. O'Connell, chiropractor, and son Phillip Joseph arrived last Saturday from Waco, Texas to make their permanent home in Graham. They will reside on N. Tennessee street.

### COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS HANDS DOWN OPINION

The Court of Civil Appeals sitting at Fort Worth handed down an opinion just before adjournment of the last term of that court, in favor of the Graham Oil Syndicate and the Mid-Texas Petroleum Company and against O. B. Colquitt, M. K. Graham et al in the matter of the application for injunction filed by the Graham Oil Syndicate et al versus the appellees to restrain the River bed permit holders from using the surface of land adjoining the river for the purpose of drilling oil wells without the consent of the owner of the oil and gas lease or any person owning an interest in such oil and gas lease.

This case has been watched with considerable interest by owners of land and oil and gas leases bordering on the river.

Schenk and Triplett, local attorneys, represented the appellants, and Bailey, Nichols and Baily of Dallas, the appellees.

### Successful Badger Fight, July Fourth

Who promoted the badger fight? The Leader reporter has tried in vain to learn the name of the man who promoted the badger fight on the courthouse park, Monday afternoon, July 4. Whether we learn his name or not the fight was a success. One of our fellow townsmen was fortunate enough to get to pull the badger. From the best reports obtainable he was not one of the large number to view the badger after the dog had his round with him.

This is the first real badger fight pulled off in Graham since pre-war times. No doubt this form of amusement will be restored as many people have moved to this section from the north and east who have never had the privilege of witnessing these fights. We still have a few dogs who will fight the badgers. The dog secured for the fight on the Fourth had not forgotten he old days and he soon put the badger out of commission.

### JEAN NEWS.

The threshing season is in full blast and, if not stopped on account of rains, all the grain will be threshed in a week or ten days.

G. T. Roden made the largest yield of wheat in this vicinity this year. His crop made an average of eighteen bushels to the acre.

James G. Staples, cashier of the Jean State Bank, and his wife, spent the Fourth with relatives in Denton county.

Miss Verna Robinson of Breckenridge, spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends and relatives at this place. Miss Verna was reared in this community. She moved to

### DEATH CLAIMS ESPERANCE COOK MONDAY MORNING

Miss Esperance Cook, the eighteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook, died at a local sanitarium at 12:40 a. m. Monday following an operation for appendicitis last Friday.

She has been in delicate health nearly all her life and has suffered so much that it was decided to operate on her. Complications set in and she died two days after the operation.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church Tuesday morning and the body laid to rest in Oak Grove cemetery.

She is survived by her parents and many relatives and friends who regret that the young life was called so soon. The world is better by her having lived in it.

The Leader joins in sympathy with the grief stricken loved ones.

Garza county six or seven years ago with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson. She has been nursing in a hospital at Breckenridge for some time. She was accompanied here by Mr. Jameson and Miss Dotts.

Miss Edith Lorraine, of Ponder, is here visiting Mrs. James G. Staples this week.

Aubrey Gray, of Graham, spent Sunday with the homefolks here.

Gordon Elliott and family, of Fort Worth visited relatives here and at Indian Meand last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Elliott will remain for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jordan.

Mr. Sidney Baldwin and Miss Mattie Orr were quietly married by Rev. F. E. Suttle last Sunday evening. They gave their friends a surprise. Sidney is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Baldwin and Miss Mattie is the daughter of H. M. Orr. The bride and groom both have been reared at this place and have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Webb Wallac and family of Olney and William Cooper and family of Jermyn, visited their sister, Mrs. A. J. Cantwell, here last Sunday afternoon.

The Baptist Sunday School Institute at this place was well attended last Sunday. Miss Robbin, a B. Y. P. U. worker, gave some interesting talks.

### HAZEL EYES.

R. J. McCloud Begins 7 Room Residence

Mr. R. J. McCloud has started the construction of his new modern seven room residence at the corner of Fourth and Tennessee streets. This is to be a frame building with concrete and brick foundation and is to be an added improvement to that end of the city.

### NATHAN L. WILCOX MEETS INSTANT DEATH WEDNESDAY

Nathan L. Wilcox of Alpha, Illinois, a tool dresser at the Godley No. 13 on the Graham land about 12 miles southwest of Graham, met instant death Wednesday morning when the bull-rope caught under his chin and threw him about fifteen feet. His neck was broken and his skull was crushed when his head hit a heavy wrench.

He has been employed by P. R. Bonds about five months and was working on the Godley No. 13 at the time of his accidental death. It

is thought that tools were being lowered in the well when the large rope struck him under the chin with the result given above.

Mr. Wilcox was a single man about forty-five years old. His home was at Alpha, Illinois where he has several sisters. He came from Breckenridge to the Young county oil fields and is held in high esteem by his fellow-workers. His employer, Mr. Bonds, told the Leader reporter that he was very popular with all who knew him. Mr. Bonds knew him at Breckenridge before he came here.

The body was brought to the Morrison Company's undertaking parlors immediately after the accident and prepared for shipment to Alpha, Illinois. Ben M. Pike left this afternoon for that place with the body.

## NATIONAL THEATRE

THE COOLEST PLACE IN TOWN

MONDAY, JULY 11  
**LIONEL BARRYMORE**  
 IN  
**"The Great Adventure"**  
 It snaps and sparkles with delicious humor

TUESDAY, JULY 12  
**ETHEL CLAYTON**  
 IN  
**"The Ladder of Lies"**  
 Brightened with smiles, crowded with action and crowned with a joyous ending

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13  
**DOROTHY PHILLIPS**  
 STARRING IN ALLEN HOLUBAR'S DRAMA ETERNAL  
**"MAN-WOMAN-MARRIAGE"**  
 The greatest love story of the Ages. The wonder play of a thousand delights

THURSDAY, JULY 14  
**VIOLA DANA**  
 IN  
**"Puppets of Fate"**  
 To see this picture is to live through a great romance

FRIDAY, JULY 15  
**ETHEL CLAYTON**  
 IN  
**"Crooked Streets"**  
 Vivid with mystery—Flushed with love

SATURDAY, JULY 16  
**LIONEL BARRYMORE**  
 IN  
**"The Devil's Garden"**  
 A journey through the valley of temptation.

## Personal Mention

J. O. McCloud is in Dallas for a few days.

Felix Ury was a business visitor in South Bend last Friday.

N. J. Lewis left Sunday for a visit to Kosciansko, Miss.

A. J. Ernest and son, Ed, of Dallas are in the city this week.

Frank Lewis and wife spent the Fourth of July in Archer City.

Mrs. S. I. Payne of Second Street, was on a visit to Thomas, Oklahoma.

Roz Graves and family returned Tuesday from a visit to Wichita Falls.

Mrs. A. E. Oatman left last week for Henderson county to visit her sons.

**9/4 BLEACHED SHEETING**  
On sale at 47 1-2c at  
**STREET & CO.**

Mrs. J. O. McCloud and daughter of Bryson visited in Graham last Thursday.

Mrs. Fox Clarke has returned from Stamford and Haskell after a month's visit with relatives.

**SAVE MONEY ON DRY GOODS**  
By trading with  
**STREET & CO.**

J. L. Hathcock and family have gone to Oklahoma on a visit. They are making the trip in a Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller have returned to Wichita Falls after a brief visit to L. B. Scott and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Morrison and Miss Lucile Gregory spent Sunday and Monday in Mineral Wells.

**SEAMLESS SHEETS \$1.00**  
On sale for a few days at  
**STREET & CO.**

Mrs. R. S. Davidson of El Campo returned to her home Friday after a visit with her father A. E. Oatman.

A. E. Oatman was in the city last week. He reports wheat is yielding more than was expected.

**STAPLE CHECK GINGHAM**  
On sale at 10 yards for \$1.00.  
**STREET & CO.**

Sheriff Saye left last Saturday for Los Angeles, California, to bring back W. O. Nelson, who is wanted here on a charge of embezzlement.

**EXTRA SPECIAL BARGAIN**  
All our Lace Silk Hose, worth \$4.50 to \$6.00, at choice for \$3.59, war tax 16c.  
**STREET & CO.**

Miss Nora Oatman, who teaches in Wharton, left last Friday for El Campo, after a pleasant visit with relatives in Young county.

**SALE OF SILK LACE HOSE**  
Choice of entire stock \$4.50 to \$6.00 Hose for only \$3.59, war tax 16c; total \$3.75.  
**STREET & CO.**

Mrs. George Cook of Olney is the guest this week of her sister, Mrs. Pace Golden of Shawnee Park Addition.

Mrs. Lois Manry closed her summer school Friday of last week. She will teach the coming year on the school campus.

**DRESS PERCAL**  
Light and Dark colors, extra bargain 10 yards for \$1.00.  
**STREET & CO.**

John Spivey, who is teaching in the Masonic Home in Fort Worth visited his parents Sunday. He left Monday for A. & M. College to do some special work this summer.

Miss Ella Oatman is visiting her father near Loving. She taught in Houston the past season and has been re-elected for next session. She has also been offered a position in Baylor College at Belton.

Ed Cox and family returned Tuesday from a visit to Mr. Cox's mother at Megargel. He reports Megargel flourishing. The good wheat and the oil wells near the city have made a decided change in business conditions.

Negr. ball games are new in Graham. Many people saw their first game Monday, July 4 on the local diamond. The negroes from Henrietta defeated the Seymour negroes in a close game by a score of 2 to 0. The first baseman for Seymour was the star. He played to the grandstand and received much applause from fans, both white and black.

Mrs. Mary Hallam and children were in Fort Worth Monday.

Mrs. Q. Street returned last week from a visit at Memphis.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Pleasant Hill died yesterday.

Former Governor O. B. Colquitt is a visitor in Graham, having arrived a few days ago for the purpose of looking over his river bed interests.

Arthur Saye, the baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saye, is recovering from a light attack of diphtheria.

Mr. I. S. Padgett has returned a few days ago for the purpose of Jacksboro.

Mr. J. P. Harrison of the P. B. M. store left Thursday for Celeste, Texas, for a two weeks vacation.

E. H. Morrison is in Spring Creek this week looking after his farming interests. The wheat on his farm is threshing out twenty-two bushels to the acre.

Mr. Joe Darnell of the Graham Title Company has been a business visitor here for a few days from Denton. He returned to Denton last Sunday.

Two Ford cars were stolen from the Clark ranch near Olney last Thursday night. This makes four cars which have been stolen in Graham and vicinity during the past week.

Miss Emma Sue Spivey left Sunday for Fort Worth to join a party for a week at Lake Worth.

Mr. Ira M. Avent, manager of the Electric Service Station has been appointed receiver of the South Bend Light and Power Company at South Bend. The affairs of this Company are in capable hands and difficulties will probably soon be straightened out.

Watermelons, cantaloupes, tomatoes and other vegetables are being brought in daily from the gardens and farms adjacent to Graham. Vegetables are fine this season and the surplus should be canned for future use.

Mabry Short of Dallas was a pleasant visitor at Ingleside ranch last week. He is a friend and schoolmate of the Jeffery boys and they enjoyed the week together. Mr. Short formerly lived in Graham but has a responsible position in one of the Dallas banks.

C. C. Johnson and family, Will Jarnagin and family, C. L. Wasson and family, Will Cole and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, William Hamilton, Mrs. Gilmore, J. W. Allen and son, J. D. and Walter Stewart spent the Fourth of July on Rock Creek fishing. They caught about thirty-five pounds of fish. The largest fish caught weighed about fifteen pounds.

A committee met last Tuesday for the purpose of discussing ways and means of furnishing the new Methodist church. The construction of this church is well under way and when it is completed it will be probably the finest structure in the city and one that the congregation can well feel proud of.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Mayes, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McLendon and Mr. Tom Calvin spent the Fourth on Rock Creek with the following young people: Misses Bessie Mayes, Evelyn McLendon, Maggie Long, Lillie May Calvin, Avis Calvin, Ruby Edens, Allie Thomas, Ray Thomas, Zula George, Robbie D. Jones, Messrs. Penix, Peavy, Fox, McCoy and Dr. Warwick.

Many fishing, picnic and swimming parties spent the Fourth on the Brazos, Rock Creek, and at Graham Lake. We were not able to learn the names of many of them. The Leader will appreciate the favor if the people will send or telephone the names of their guests and picnic parties. It takes co-operation to make a good newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Morrison accompanied the following young people on a two weeks pleasure trip to Medicine Park, Oklahoma: Misses Eloise Morrison, Lois Morrison, Annie Lucile Morrison, Louise Graham, Beulah Allan, Mary Hudson, Marjorie Hudson and Sadie Scott; Messrs. Finley Scruggs, John Morrison, Joe Morrison and Mallow. This happy crowd left bright and early Tuesday morning in cars for this famous Oklahoma resort. Mr. and Mrs. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Morrison know how to entertain young people and it goes without saying that the entire party will report a glorious outing for their return.

In accordance with the retrenching policy of the different railroads, the Rock Island laid off two of its employes here this week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Poole, in the Indian Mound community, last Tuesday, July 6.

Clyde Guinn returned Monday from a visit to Amarillo.

Bailey Starnes of the Flint Creek community, is celebrating the birth of a boy who arrived on June 30.

A fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Crowley, in this city, on the 29th of June.

A boy has arrived at the home of Luther Rogers, in Upper Tonk Valley. He arrived on the 29th of June.

Nate Harlan is now the proud father of a boy who arrived at his house on the 28th of June.

Miss Ruby Davis, who was operated upon last Friday for appendicitis, is fast recovering.

Mrs. E. E. Head underwent an operation at a local sanitarium last Thursday and is doing nicely.

Mrs. J. N. Keen, who has been ill for some time is now much improved.

Miss Eva Guthrie of Waco is spending her vacation in Graham with Dr. O'Connell & O'Connell, chiropractors.

J. T. Rickman, N. S. Farmer and Howard Farmer are in Dallas. They made her trip Wednesday in N. S. Farmer's Ford.

Mr. T. J. Eddleman and family left this morning for a visit to Oklahoma.

Miss Stroud left Sunday for Marfa, Texas for an extended visit.

Mr. H. B. Street and family and Mrs. S. A. Street left today for Winslow, Arkansas to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Douglas spent Sunday and Monday in Wichita Falls.

Miss Myrtle Kemp left Saturday for a two weeks vacation to Mullin, Texas.

Misses Fannie Ragland and Sallie Timmons spent the week end at Wichita Falls.

## Posts Arrive For U. S. Letter Boxes

One dozen concrete posts have been received by Postmaster Farmer on which to place steel letter boxes. The boxes have not arrived as yet but are expected daily. These boxes will be placed at convenient places throughout the city and will add considerably to the convenience of the citizens.

This fills a long felt want as well as expedites the mail delivery to the trains.

## MISS HELEN HUCKLEBERRY DIES IN COLORADO

In a message to friends here, Miss Florence Huckleberry states that her sister, Miss Helen, is dead, and her mother is very low of ptoamine poison at their home in Los Animas, Colorado. Miss Florence is the daughter of Rev. J. F. Huckleberry, a former pastor of the Baptist church of this city and Miss Helen will be remembered by many of our people. She was a sweet, pretty young lady, studious and energetic, always ready and anxious to do a kind act, a true friend and her devotion to those she loved would make a bright chapter in any life. Life to the dear, devoted parents can never again be as it was.

## SNODDY-BATES

Milton Snoddy of Graham and Miss Clara Bates of Groesbeck were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. William F. Bates, June 30. Miss Bates has been a teacher in the public schools and taught the past session in the Graham public schools. She was very popular here and was unanimously selected but her future plans had been made and she did not accept the place. Mr. Snoddy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Snoddy, moved to Graham when a boy and has grown up here. He was a pupil in the Graham high school for a while then he went to Dallas where he was engaged in business. He volunteered his services to his country and served with distinction overseas in the World's war. After the Armistice he returned to Graham and with his father is engaged in business. He is recognized as one of the successful young business men of Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Snoddy are spending their honeymoon in Galveston and expect to return to Graham about the 10th of this month.

## TEXAS STATE FAIR MANAGEMENT PLANS BIG EXPOSITION

The management of the State Fair is sending out literature advertising the State Fair of Texas which will be held in Dallas October 8 to 23, 1921. Premium lists are now ready and are being mailed out to any one interested in making entries. A larger list of premiums is offered this year than ever before. It has always been the policy of the Fair to feature Texas progress although the benefits are not limited to Texas.

Last year Mexico made a creditable showing and it is announced that Mexico will again play a big part at the State Fair this year. Mexico is our neighbor and Texas is anxious to cultivate the most friendly relations between the two countries. As soon as the government of Mexico is better established a great commercial field can be opened with Mexico and it is to our interest to cultivate business as well as friendly relations.

The recent visit of a body of State Fair officials to Mexico, and the fact that the Southern Republic will send another big and representative exhibit to the State Fair of Texas and International Exposition October 8 to 23, makes the following bits of information about Mexico illuminative and interesting.

The monthly income of the Mexican government is now two and one-half million dollars per month greater than expenditures, a record at present unique among the major nations of the world.

The petroleum exports from Mexico for March, the latest available statistics, were over 19,000,000 barrels, breaking the Mexican records for all time.

The new appropriations for the construction and conservation of the national highways of Mexico for the present year have reached the sum of \$12,000,000.

The public debt of Mexico is the lowest of any country in the world of sufficient size to warrant modern credit operations. Mexico owes only about \$38 per capita, while the United States owes over \$225 per capita and Great Britain \$850 per capita.

Mexico has a corps of 2,000 volunteer teachers working to uproot illiteracy, who have instructed during the last two months 10,000 illiterates in reading and writing.

Mexico's trade with the United States tripled in the last ten years, in both exports and imports. The figures are:

	Bought from U. S.	Sold to U. S.
1910	\$63,838,940	\$61,092,500
1914	32,215,560	86,289,970
1917	111,124,260	130,370,570
1918	97,788,740	158,643,450
1919	131,455,100	148,926,375
1920	195,000,000	180,000,000

## HEALTHGRAMS

By Dr. W. M. Carrick, State Health Officer

The only good fly is a dead fly.

Good health means good business. Bad health is bad business.

We've whipped the Germans. Now let's whip the germs.

Beware of the dastardly "D's"—Dirt, Despair, Disease, Dampness, Death.

Wealth without health is mockery. Tuberculosis kills more persons every year than any other preventable disease.

If Saint Peter demanded a birth certificate, a whole lot of people in Texas would never gain admission to Heaven. Is your baby registered?

The worry habit is bad for both mental and physical health. Don't worry.

Muffle the cough; smother the sneeze and expectorate not in public places.

Many mothers would be shocked at the very suggestion of "farming out" the baby, actually farm their infants out at home by turning them over body and soul to hired help.

If you had rather live than die, roll up your sleeves and swat the fly.

The State Board of Health is not for the exploitation of men but for the safety of all mankind. Its sole object is to save human lives; perhaps yours, perhaps your neighbor's. Every individual has a value to the state; therefore it is the duty of the state to safeguard the life of every human being.

The best service the local newspaper can render to its community is to co-operate with very local agency for the suppression of preventable diseases. The general health of the public should be the first consideration of all men. Strong, healthy children will form a sturdy race of men and women upon which to found future generations.

## ELDER J. S. HALL BEGINS MEETING JULY SIXTEENTH

Elder J. S. Hall is conducting a protracted meeting at California school house now which will continue through next week. Elder Hall will then come to Graham to begin a two weeks meeting, beginning July 16, at the Church of Christ, corner of Grove and 2nd streets.

The congregation is expecting large crowds and is making preparations to make everyone comfortable. Elder Hall held a meeting here last year and will be remembered by those who heard him as a forceful speaker and a good teacher.

A cordial invitation is extended by the congregation to every one to attend the services.

## BILL TILDEN STILL CHAMPION OF THE WORLD

Wimbledon, July 2.—William T. Tilden of Philadelphia, world's singles tennis champion, after a hard battle today in the challenger's round of the British turf court tournament regained his title by defeating the youthful South African, E. I. C. Norton, by a score of 4-6, 2-6, 6-1, 6-0, 7-5.

It was a case of experience triumphing over youth. In the opening sets, Tilden obviously was upset by the great reception given Norton, who created a great record for fighting his way through the tournament and the cool manner in which he himself was received by the largest crowd that ever witnessed a tennis match in England. The sympathies of the spectators were all with the South African, not only at the start, but throughout the match.

Norton delighted his supporters by taking the first two sets, in which he played brilliantly. Tilden never extended himself and showed his irritation. The American, however, pulled himself together in the third and fourth sets and scored points all around the court.

## FLAMES SWEEP DALLAS HOTEL INJURING TEN

Dallas, July 6.—Ten persons were injured, several seriously, in a fire early today which destroyed the interior of the New Regal Hotel here. Most of the injuries were caused by guests jumping from the second of the hostelry.

The most seriously hurt are: Miss Alice Roberts, an invalid badly bruised and unconscious when taken to a hospital, where it was said her skull possibly was fractured. She was dropped from a second floor window by her sister, Miss Eleanor Roberts.

Miss Eleanor Roberts, badly bruised.

Ray Smith of Waco, badly bruised.

J. P. Desmond, severely burned.

J. H. Myeks, seriously burned; was hanging from window ledge when rescued by firemen.

C. K. Knoggs, burned on face and shoulders; hands and feet injured.

F. C. Chandler, proprietor of the hotel, and his wife, severe bruises and burns.

About the time the New Regal fire was discovered at 2 o'clock, another alarm was turned in from the Dublin Hotel. No one was injured in the latter blaze and little damage was done.

Both hotel buildings were owned by William Ray.

## GRAHAM HAS QUIET FOURTH

Graham spent an unusually quiet Fourth of July. In modern phraseology, it was safe and sane. Along some lines it was probably too quiet and not enough demonstration. Very few places of business and still fewer homes displayed the American flag. We are fast dropping back to our pre-war state of patriotism. Only recently all of us were very sensitive about our patriotism. We are all as patriotic as we were two years ago and we have as deep an interest in the cause for which our forefathers sacrificed their lives in 1776 and our sons and brothers in the recent world war but we have grown careless. For this very reason we should give more heed to the proper observance of our national holidays, especially those calculated to inspire and teach us patriotism.

It was through no spirit of indifference that there was no great public demonstration in Graham. Our neighbor city, South Bend, began a great celebration July 1st, and other neighboring cities staged big barbecues and picnics July 4. In view of this it was thought best to not attempt any great day on the Fourth here.

## PURCHASE PRICE BALL FRANCHISE STILL UNPAID

Several weeks ago the T-O league took the franchise away from Graham and sold it to Mineral Wells. Graham was to receive \$1000 for the franchise but has thus far received nothing. It looks unfair to be kicked out of the league and then not receive the money promised—Graham by the officials. Our secretary has written the president of the T-O League three times relative to the matter but has received no reply.

The Graham club entered the league in good faith and incurred considerable expense in securing a team, building a grandstand, etc.

The local officers of the ball club are anxious to close the matter. If the \$1000 due the club can be secured payments can then be made on some of the indebtedness. The ball park should be paid out so that Graham could be in a position to secure a good team next season. If necessary legal steps will be taken to collect the money due Graham in the transfer of the franchise from Graham to Mineral Wells.

## Important Deals In Texas Papers

The announcement of the sale of the Fort Worth Record, Record News of Wichita Falls, and the Ranger Daily Times by W. H. Bagley is read with much interest by newspaper men over the State. Mr. Bagley has been one of the leading newspaper men in Texas for many years. He regrets to give up the work but his failing health demands that he retire from newspaper work.

Below we give a brief statement of Mr. Bagley concerning each paper:

"I have disposed of my interest in The Fort Worth Record to Mr. James H. Allison, who came to Fort Worth from Nashville, Tenn., a few years ago, to become associated with me, in the position of vice president and general manager. Mr. Allison's brilliant career as a southern publisher has attracted attention. He was elevated to the position of president of the Southern Publishers' Association, which organization is composed of all the larger dailies of the South and Southwest. In Fort Worth he is a directing influence in many organizations and is president of the Fort Worth Rotary Club. He will have associated with him Mr. Leonard Withington, who has an enviable reputation as a newspaper maker.

"I have sold the Wichita Falls Record News to Messrs. Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald, who has been editor of The Fort Worth Record during the entire period of my ownership, whom I consider the ablest editor of the Southwest, and to whose ability and loyalty the greater credit is due for the remarkable success of these papers; Charles G. Manuel, at present vice president and general manager of The Record News, who for some years was with The Fort Worth Record; Norris Ewing, the present advertising manager, and Paul Backus, at present treasurer of The Record News Company, who will have financially interested with them other business men of Wichita Falls.

"I have sold the Ranger Daily Times to R. B. Waggoner, present vice president and general manager who went to Ranger to establish that paper; Walter Murray, present advertising manager of The Fort Worth Record, and Mrs. Bessie E. May, who has been with the Fort Worth Record the past few years."

## RAIN SUNDAY FINDS MANY AWAY FROM HOME

The heavy rain Sunday caught many Graham people away from home. Several were at Newcastle and other places north of town and the heavy roads in the Indian Mound community gave trouble in returning to Graham in cars. Many cars "stuck" and had difficulty in getting out. Several slipped in a ditch trying to go around a car parked in the middle of the road. A man was apparently sleeping in the car. Those who had difficulty in passing him hope that he will drive to the side of the road next time.

## NEGRO IS SHOT TO DEATH IN COURT

Wicksburg, Miss., July 5.—George Deal, negro, under indictment for killing his brother-in-law, a preacher, was shot to death in the court room here last night by Sheriff B. H. Shannon, when Deal tried to wrest a revolver from the hands of a deputy.

## IRELAND NEEDS MONEY, BUT FACES FUTURE UNAFRAID

London, July 4.—Ireland needs American relief funds and needs them badly, Barry Egan, Deputy Lord Mayor of Cork, declared today. He flatly denied assertions made in British governmental quarters that Ireland's prosperity has removed need of outside financial aid.

"Take the case of the burning of Cork," Egan said, "We had a property damage of 3,000,000 pounds in one night. Immediately thereafter from 800 to 1,000 persons needed assistance. That was some months ago, yet a number of these distress cases must still be cared for. This requires money, and we get nothing from the British for such work."

"As a matter of fact its absurd for officials of the British government to say Ireland does not need relief. The total property damage sustained throughout the country is approximately 10,000,000 pounds, so you can readily see that there is considerable by-product of distress from such wide-spread damage."

Egan is one of the seven surviving Republican members out of 35 of the City of Cork Corporation, who are not "on the run," imprisoned or dead.

Describing the urgent needs of funds for Irish relief work, Egan pointed out thousands in Ireland are out of work as a result of destruction of property and even a large part of the farming population is sorely pressed by reason of the military having wrecked so many creameries thereby seriously injuring the butter trade.

"Belfast needs about 5,000 pounds weekly; while 2,000 pounds a week is about the sum needed in Cork. Egan affirmed, Scores of smaller towns need financial assistance."

"The British are paying no damages for property destroyed as far as I know. My own family has suffered to the extent of \$21,000."

"Ireland faces what may be a dreadful future unafraid and defiant," continued Egan.

"What's going to happen?" Egan was asked.

He explained, quietly but with repressed emotion, "The newly elected Republican Parliamenters will continue to function as Dail Eireann, and not as a parliament of Home Rulers operating under the Government of Ireland Act."

"The Irish people are more resolute today than ever. The Sinn Fein army, numbering between 40,000 and 60,000 is better equipped today than six months ago. They are using arms captured from the British military forces."

"Yet, strangely enough, Ireland is by no means in a hot tempered mood. The feeling is a deadly cold resolve to resist."

"We believe there is a small chance of peace in Ireland while the present British government exists. With a new government in London, there would be a chance of compromise settlement."

"Frankly, we realize in Ireland that everything depends on resumption of friendly relations with England. We must have friendship if either England or Ireland is to prosper."

"I admit freely, England possesses the strength to completely crush the Sinn Fein movement, but I don't believe England will care to face the worldwide publicity of having to carry on an overwhelming campaign against us."

"Mr. De Valera, I understand, has

again affirmed Ireland will accept a form of government similar to that granted Cuba by the United States. That may be one way out of the situation."

So far, however, England's campaign against Sinn Fein is an utter failure. British casualties are far greater than Irish Secretary Greenwood admits.

### PICK 'EM FOR OTHERS; NOT FOR HIMSELF

Los Angeles, June 29.—Martha A. Padley doesn't understand the principles of advertising, nor how unpleasant misdirected publicity can be.

Benjamin W. Padley, Martha's husband, thinks so at least. Benjamin runs a matrimonial agency.

Martha is suing him for divorce. Not only that, but she is telling the world the things Benjamin doesn't know about matrimony.

It's all being threshed out in Judge J. Perry Wood's divorce court, a setting not new to either Benjamin or Martha. They were divorced once before. That was immediately after the police had locked up Benjamin's love brokerage office on complaint of neighboring tenants, and incarcerated its proprietor and several of his too-affectionate clients for a time.

The Padleys, however, remarried, and once more the marriages-to-order shingle was hung out on Benjamin's doorstep.

All would have been well, probably, if Mrs. Padley had not overheard her spouse make an untimely, not to say tactless, remark to the effect that while he could pick 'em for other people all right, he'd certainly made a poor choice in the matrimonial grab bag himself.

### FOOD PRICES BEGIN TO FALL IN GERMANY

Berlin, June 30.—A slight sinking of prices for the most important foods is noted in the German markets. Statistics show that with the exception of bread, the necessities have dropped about 15 per cent since the first of the year. Bread and coal, however, cost slightly more than January 2.

Butter was released in June from government control with the result that considerable can now be purchased in the stores openly and at lower prices than previously. The price dropped within a few days from 35 marks to 22 marks a pound. Restrictions on rationing of milk have also been decreased, though a certain governmental control is still maintained so that the poor may not be victims of profiteering and so that they may be assured a proper quantity of milk for their children.

### READ THAT AD About money saving prices on Cotton Goods.

STREET & CO.  
NO CHANCE

Returning home from the dentist's, where he had gone to have a loose tooth drawn, little Raymond reported as follows: "The doctor told me 'fore he began that if I cried or screamed it would cost me a dollar, but if I was a good boy it would be only 50 cents."

"Did you scream?" his mother asked.

"How could I?" answered Raymond. "You only gave me 50 cents."—Continued.

### THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY

In Edwin Denby the navy has as secretary a man who "was in the service." Denby was a gunner's mate during the Spanish-American war and served in the marine corps in the World War.

Denby's greatest achievement—so his intimates say—was his success in melting off about 70 pounds of surplus weight during his sojourn with the marines. When he enlisted his waist measurement run up into so many inches that he couldn't see the tips of his shoes. Today he can see them without the aid of a periscope.

For all his bigness, great fighting jaws and trap-like mouth, Denby is mild and the owner of a rather shy

smile. Like Secretary of War Weeks, Denby has first-hand experience in dealing with the legislative branch of the government, for he served as congressman from Michigan until some time before the world war.

Recognizing with other members of the cabinet that the country faces no easy task in the after-the-war readjustment, Denby spends long hours at his desk. He has already made several trips of inspection and this summer he intends to inspect the Pacific Coast naval institutions.

Newspaper men, with whom he has daily conferences, find in him a man who is quick to see "news." This is probably the result of contact with scores of news gatherers during his years in congress.

Denby early announced his belief

in a navy second to none, and his energies are devoted to seeing that the United States is fully equipped on the seas.

THINK OF IT  
Ten yards good Bleached Domestic  
for \$1.00 at  
STREET & CO.

## LADIES Read About This Sale of Fine Silk Lace Hose

For one week we offer you choice of our entire stock of "Phoenix" and "Everwear" Pure Silk Lace Hose in Black, White and Brown—newest lace insert, lace boot and all-over lace styles, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00 values—

At the Special Price of..... \$3.59  
War Tax..... .16  
Total Only..... \$3.75

# S. B. STREET & CO.

### TRADE WITH---

## McLAUGHLIN & SONS

### Cash and Carry Grocery

---PRICES RIGHT



As in the greatest cities so in his own home town—the U. S. Tire user gets fresh, live tires of current production.

**THE U. S. CHAIN TREAD**  
One of the few tires of which it may be said that they deliver economy year in and year out and tire after tire.

The U. S. Chain Tread gives sufficient traction on all ordinary road surfaces. It is probably the handsomest, and by all odds the most popular, of the whole U. S. Fabric Tire line.



## Economy rides on U.S. Tires—

If you could get together all the car owners you know, you'd probably find that their tire experiences had been much the same.

Most of them have taken their fling at "job lots," "discontinued lines" and "surplus stocks." Soon or late, nearly all settled back on quality first as the one sound assurance of tire value.

As soon as a man forgets the cut-price tag, and comes to the dealer who concentrates on a full, completely sized stock of U. S. Tires—he learns what it means to get fresh, live tires—not once in a while but every time.

Not merely in the big cities, but in his own home town.

Not merely for the heavy car, but for the medium and light-weight car—a full selection of size, tread and type.

Your U. S. Tire dealer can give you this service because of the service he gets from his neighboring U. S. Factory Branch. There are 92 of these Branches. Each gets its share of U. S. Tires, so that the dealer is always supplied with fresh, live stock.

U. S. Tires sell as fast as they are made. There is no over production. No surplus piled up waiting for a "market."

Wherever you buy a U. S. Tire—you buy a tire of current production, as full of life and value as the day it left the makers.

# United States Tires

## United States Rubber Company

BUICK SERVICE STATION, Graham, Texas.  
TEXAS MOTOR CO., Graham, Texas  
G. C. MASSEY, Graham, Texas.  
THE RANGER GASOLINE CO., Graham, Texas.

JOHNSON & CO., Newcastle, Texas  
MARCELL AUTO CO., Olney, Texas.  
FIELDS & WOODRUFF, South Bend, Texas  
TEXAS GARAGE, Cluskey City, Texas.  
LAKE CITY SUPPLY STATION, Ellaville, Texas

## Moved--

To Johnson & Johnson Building on West Side of Square----

New Store, New Stock--Full and Complete  
Watch our Show window for Bargains.  
Look for our label on your Prescriptions.

DRINK AT OUR FOUNTAIN.

Come to see us, make yourself at home and let us serve you.

### GRAHAM DRUG CO.

"The House That Courtesy Built"

### GRAHAM WELDING AND MACHINE CO.

Acetylene and Boiler Work a specialty. Get your Welding and Boiler Work done by people who have the reputation of turning out the best work in the field.

If it is not right we make it right.

Phone 59-M

# Jack Dempsey Wins Big Fight In Fourth Round

The fight is over. Dempsey knocked Carpentier out in the fourth round. Carpentier made a heroic effort but was too light for the heavyweight champion pugilist of the world who kept up a continual bombardment of blows which landed on every section of the Frenchman's body. In only one round—the second—did Carpentier seem to interest the hard-hitting Dempsey. He landed some heavy blows in this round which did not seem to hurt Dempsey but in delivering the blows the Frenchman broke his right thumb and sprained his wrist. After this Carpentier was most entirely on the defensive although he continued to use the injured right hand as if he had not sustained the injury.

After the fight began there was little question as to the ultimate outcome. With the beginning of the third round Carpentier had lost his speed; his confidence was shattered; blood was running from his nose and mouth; and a gash over his cheekbone made him look like a hunted animal. During the fourth round he was entirely at the mercy of Dempsey who soon made an end of the bloody encounter.

More newspaper space has been given to this exhibit of physical force than to any other event that has ever taken place except the world war. For months the paper have been full of it. No doubt many babies born during the past months have been named Dempsey or Carpentier or some other name that easily suggests the fighters. After months of writing and talking the time for the big event came and in sixteen minutes was over. Many

who are not enthusiastic over such affairs are asking the question, "Was the world benefitted by the encounter?"

The fight by rounds was as follows:

**Round One**  
They were sent away at 3:18. Carpentier landed a light left and clinched.  
Carpentier landed a right. They fought at close range in a clinch. Dempsey was short with a left to the head. Carpentier missed a right but connected with a left hook. Dempsey punished him, beating him unmercifully.  
Carpentier was groggy and bleeding at the nose.  
Dempsey missed a right swing but beat Carpentier as they clinched. Carpentier fell through the ropes trying to avoid a punch.  
He flew into Dempsey when he came back into the ring and landed several blows on the champion's body at the bell. Dempsey had the better of the first round.

**Round Two**  
Carpentier missed with a left and clinched. Carpentier backed away and Dempsey hooked him with a right to the jaw.  
Dempsey followed after him, beating him around the head with rights. Carpentier was short with the left hook. But he staggered the champion with six rights and lefts to the jaw. Dempsey staggered back a bit and split the Frenchman's left eye with a hook.  
The cut was under the eye. Carpentier missed a right swing. Dempsey missed a right swing.  
They exchanged body punches and clinched as the bell rang.

**Round Three**  
Carpentier ducked a left hook. Dempsey backed into the ropes and hit him with a short right. Carpentier landed two upper cuts on the body in a clinch. As they clinched Dempsey punished the invader in the jaw and Carpentier nearly fell down when he missed the swing. They missed lefts to the head and Dempsey punished Carpentier viciously in the infighting.  
Dempsey landed a left and right to the head without a return.  
They exchanged left hooks to the jaw.  
Carpentier's right swing was short and Dempsey clubbed him on the jaw with left hooks in the clinch.  
Dempsey battered Carpentier into a corner with rights and lefts at the bell. The bell saved Carpentier from a knockout.  
Dempsey's round.

**Round Four**  
Dempsey rushed Carpentier to the ropes and a left to the body made him wince. Carpentier landed a right to the head and tried to hang on. Dempsey missed. Carpentier floored. Up on count of nine. Carpentier floored again. Dempsey wins by a knockout.

## QUITE A FEW KINGS STILL HANGING AROUND EUROPE

London, July 5.—The sport of lopping crowns in Europe, that became so exhilarating in the war, seems not only to have subsided, but also to have been followed by its equal and opposite reaction.

Hungary, though kingless, is by legislation of his own parliament, still a kingdom. Austria has a small but important royalist party. And Germany manifests a strong leaning towards a king, and a Hohenzollern at that.

Constantine has come back, though the regal supports are wobbly. Old King Peter of Serbia, who pulled through the war more or less, has found his new kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes so pregnant with spontaneous combustion that he leaves his son, Alexander, to do most of the work. Ferdinand of Roumania still has his picture on the postage stamps, but is refraining from all other publicity. And Boris of Bulgaria, answering a public welcome on a church festival the other day in Sofia, was greeted by a bomb which killed and wounded several persons close by him.

The thrones more familiar to Americans are at present having little difficulty in weathering present fair weather. In England King George has lost by his quietness what little vestige of power his father by his strong personality was able to exercise. His popularity was undergoing a slump until the Prince of Wales came to bat. The Prince is undoubtedly the most popular person in the United Kingdom and if he comes to the throne, which some people though admiring him doubt, he will probably wield a positive influence.

The most stable throne of all, apparently, is that of Holland. Queen Wilhelmina enjoys and cherishes the genuine affection of her people. The Prince Consort, Henry of Mecklenburg, is not popular, but the Queen drives about The Hague in her car with no guard. The men in the street tip their hats and she bows pleasantly. There was an attempt not long ago to hold a demonstration against her, but she drove without any guard to the place where it was to be held and the Hollanders took the horses from her carriage and drew her through the streets in triumph.

King Albert of the Belgians also reigns with comparative quiet. King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, however, is in none too good a position though it has shown signs lately of strengthening. The king of Spain, also, manages to hang on.

The question of a king for Hungary is the puzzling one. Karl is the legally crowned monarch. After his recent fiasco his supporters in Hungary insisted that he would be back in six months and the announcement that he is about to go to Spain gives some credence to the opinion that he may try another coup, because in Switzerland he is very closely guarded. He has put himself in a rather ridiculous position, however, by having left Hungary twice now, each time after proclaiming that he would rather die than leave. Besides, the Little Entente, supported, though somewhat casually, by the Big One, is determined not to have a Hapsburg on the throne. He is, further, a Catholic, and, while the Catholics are strong in West Hungary, a large part of the country is Calvinistic.

Since Karl's last departure, several rivals have sprung up. Admiral Horthy, designated governor by the parliament until a king was selected, was, according to stories in Vienna, himself to have been set up by the Small Landowners party as king. That, however, fell through. Archduke Joseph and Archduke Albrecht both have strong followings.

In Austria in spite of the royalist party and the members of the nobility, who kept their titles only by courtesy and persistence, the chances of a kingdom are small. Many people, however, remember the good times before the war, and think that they would come back automatically with a restored monarchy. The thinkers of Austria, however, say frankly that the financial burden of keeping up a royalty would be intolerable.

There is, on the other hand, a party in France supporting the idea of a monarchy especially in Austria for the purpose of preventing a union with Germany. This policy, though beneath the surface, is the vital one. France's policy is unquestionably one of building as many small states as possible, for two reasons—that of holding the leadership of Europe and that of maintaining

her security. If she can strew kings about Europe, she can lessen the danger of amalgamation, thus walling Russia off from any expansion westward and Germany out of Mittel-Europa.

### MRS. LAURA SCARBOROUGH DIES AT LOCAL SANITARIUM

Mrs. Laura Scarborough died at a local sanitarium last week following an operation. Her home was in Southview. She is survived by six children four of whom were present at the funeral.

She had lived in Young county several years and has many friends who join in sympathy with her loved ones.

### TWO SETS TRIPLETS; 23 SETS TWINS IN TEXAS IN JUNE

Austin, July 2. Two sets of triplets and twenty-three sets of twins were born in Texas during June, according to a report of the bureau of vital statistics made public today.

The total number of births reported, according to Dr. M. M. Carrick, State Health Officer, was 5,459. Of this number 142 were still-born. Deaths reported for the month totaled 2,965. Tuberculosis caused most deaths, taking 266 lives. Seventeen people were killed in railroad accidents, while automobiles claimed eight.

### Real Joy Ride

"What sort of a time is your friend having on his motor tour?"  
"Great! I've had only two letters from him—one from a police station and the other from a hospital."  
The—(Sydney) Bulletin.

### GOING UP

"What's the matter little girl?" asked the stranger of a child he found weeping bitterly.  
"I can't find my mamma."  
"When you're out with your mother you should hang onto her skirts. Then you won't get lost."  
"I'm too little. I can't reach them."

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HERBY COMMANDED to summon B. F. Crenshaw, whose residence to plaintiff is unknown by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Young County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the First Monday in September A. D. 1921, the same being the 5th day of September A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 21st day of June A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6461, wherein May Crenshaw is Plaintiff, and B. F. Crenshaw is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on the 15th day of August, 1909, plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married and lived together as husband and wife until the 27th day of October, 1912, when the defendant without cause or provocation or the knowledge or consent of plaintiff abandoned her with the intent to permanently desert her, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. That during the coverture of plaintiff and defendant one child was born to-wit: a girl Beulah L. Crenshaw, nine years of age. That during said time from October 27th, 1912, plaintiff has heard nothing from defendant, and defendant has willfully neglected to provide for plaintiff and their minor child; that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, that plaintiff have the care, custody and education of said child of said marriage; that she have judgment dissolving said marital relations between the defendant and plaintiff and for costs of suit and such other relief as she may be justly entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Willie Riggs, Clerk of the District Court of Young County. Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in (L. S.) Graham, Texas, this 22d day of June A. D. 1921.

44-47c WILLIE RIGGS, Clerk District Court, Young County Texas.

# PROSPERITY

How many Young County people remember the opening of the Graham National Bank June 28, 1901?

## TWENTY YEARS AGO

This Bank has endeavored for these twenty years to serve the people in a satisfactory manner. The charter has been renewed as the following letter shows, and the bank has started upon the second twenty years and hopes to merit the continued confidence of the public.

THE GRAHAM NATIONAL BANK  
Graham, Texas

SIR: You are advised that in view of the condition of The Graham National Bank, Graham, Texas, as shown by the report of the last examination, a certificate authorizing an extension of charter for a period of twenty years will be issued and mailed to you on June 28, 1921.

Respectfully,  
COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

# THE Graham National Bank

"The Bank on the Corner"

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

- W. A. Corbett, President
- H. D. Hemphill Vice President
- G. D. Hinson, Vice Pres.
- R. B. Whittenburg, Vice Pres.
- H. L. Tidwell, Cashier.
- Mrs. H. D. Criswell, Asst. Cashier.
- A. A. Morrison.

## Announcement

I have opened a dental office in the Tidwell Building at the northwest corner of the square, and am equipped with the very latest electrical appliances.

DR. C. O. HESS  
TIDWELL BUILDING

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Team Contractor  
Tools for Heavy Hauling  
a Specialty  
Two Blocks South Ball Park

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9 to 11 a. m. 3 to 5 p. m.  
6 to 7 Evening

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"Years ago I got some rat poison, which nearly killed our fine wash dog. We put up with rats until a friend told me about Rat-Snap. It surely kills rats, though house pets won't touch it." Rats dry up and leave no smell. Prices, 35c, 65c, \$1.25.

Sold and guaranteed by  
The Davis Drug Company  
Norris-Johnson Hardware Co.

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EMERSON PHONOGRAPHS  
RECORDS, 75c EACH  
—AT—  
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## ITCH!

Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap), fail in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try the treatment at our risk.

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Graham, Texas

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Delivered to your home every day be it the

- Dallas News
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- Graham News Co
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--Should be properly cleaned and re-oiled at least every 18 months. Don't ruin your watch by allowing it to run in old oil and dirt.

Our repair work is all guaranteed and prices as low as possible consistent with good work.

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## EMPLOYES LUMBER CO.

"QUALITY AND SERVICE"  
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Yards: Graham, South Bend, Eliasville

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**FOUND**—Chain about 90 feet long. Owner may have same by calling at 705 Pecan. 45c

#### Wanted

**WANTED**—Rool top desk, cash register, small safe and two office chairs.—LeSAGE MOTOR CO. 45c

**WANTED**—Plain and Fancy Dressmaking.—MRS. AMMIE GATLIN, 813 South Elm Street. 44-46p

#### WANTED

Yard work done by contract or by hour; all work guaranteed; no job too small.—See HILLIARD M. TAYLOR, 705 Pecan Street 43-51.

#### For Rent

**FOR RENT**—Three-room house, furnished—405 West South St. 45p

**FOR RENT**—2 light housekeeping rooms. Inquire HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY. 89tfc

**FOR RENT**—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also one bed room, adjoining bathroom.—MRS. GATLIN, 813 South Elm St. 45p

**FOR RENT**—Two houses, 3 blocks of court house, lights and water reasonable.—N. J. LEWIS, 430 Grove St. 45c

**FOR RENT**—Four-room house, some farming land and pasture, one and one-fourth mile out from town; very thing for truck or teaming contractor. Address P. O. Box 395. 45p

Nice South Room Furnished for Gentlemen. All conveniences; two blocks from public square.—721 Cherry Street. tfc

**FOR RENT**—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Inquire at Leader office. 44d

**FOR RENT**—3 unfurnished rooms East Graham. Inquire HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY 89tfc

**FOR RENT**—Two rooms furnished for housekeeping.—SOUTHVIEW APARTMENTS, South Oak and Brazos. 45p

#### For Sale

**FOR SALE**—My four-room house, store, barn and other buildings; good water, light; corner Fourth and North Main Streets. Price \$1,200; will give terms. MRS. LOU WELLS, Weatherford, Texas, Box 3. 44-45

Two-ton truck, good running order to trade for car or city property.—SOUTHVIEW APARTMENTS South Oak and Brazos. 45p

#### BANK STOCK

We offer for sale a few shares First National Bank of Graham stock at a bargain.  
EDWIN McKELLAR,  
Austin, Texas. 43-46p

**FOR SALE**—Better Bran and other Cow Feed, "Red Top" economy Dairy fed at NUTT'S FEED STORE We deliver, Ind. Phone 9-R. 89tfc

**FOR SALE**—Furniture in modern bungalow. Four suites complete, draperies and shades included. Invoice more than \$750.00. Best cash offer buys it.—404 South St. 43tfc

**FOR SALE**—Pull blood Poland China pigs, six weeks old.—J. J. MARTIN, Ind. Phone 2291ss 44-45p

**FOR SALE**—One two-room house with storm house, double garage and cow lot, for \$1100.00. See P. ACOSTA, 803 Tennessee St. 45p

**FOR SALE**—Three-room house, furnished for housekeeping. Inquire at Model Market. 44-45c

### Miscellaneous

Land loans. We do the inspecting.—MARSHALL, KING & HINSON. 45-46c

**BUY AND SELL ASSOCIATION**, a State-wide organization. W. P. STINSON, Agent for Young county, office over Morrison's. 43-44c

**BELL MATTRESS & FURNITURE CO.** We exchange your new Furniture for your old. Phone I. d. 138J.

**WANTED**—Sewing of all kinds for ladies and children, prices reasonable.—MISS W. E. DAVIS, Chandler Heights, Loving road. 84-42-47p

**LOANS**—Good Farm and Ranch loans at 8 1-2 per cent interest. See Marshall, King & Hinson over Graham National Bank. tfc

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**FREE DEMONSTRATION**—This fine New Player Piano, with 12 rolls Music bench and scarf, will upon request, be sent to your home without obligation or expense to YOU. If after you have seen the player and wish to purchase, terms may be had to suit YOU. For particulars write W. L. WEAVER, Dallas, Texas. 44-46c

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**Notice of Dissolution of Partnership**

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between J. A. Hoover, J. B. Shira, W. J. Collier and V. Thompson, styled Texas Water Service Company, was dissolved on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1921. All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid and those due from the same discharged by J. B. Shira, Trustee, 705 W. T. Waggoner Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas.

J. A. HOOVER.  
J. B. SHIRA.  
W. J. COLLIER.  
V. THOMPSON.

#### Small Blaze On East Side Tuesday

A small fire threatened for a few minutes the fruit stand next to the old Graham land office building on the east side of the square Tuesday morning about 10:30. The loss was very small as the fire was extinguished before very much damage could be done. The proprietor claims that some one has twice tried to set this place afire, but this seems highly improbable as any one would have been detected at that time in the morning. It is more than likely that a short circuit in the electrical wiring was at fault.

#### I BELIEVE.

I believe in the stuff I am handing out, in the firm I am working for, and in my ability to get results.

I believe in working, not weeping, in boosting, not knocking; and in the pleasure of my job.

I believe that a man gets what he honestly goes after, that one deed done today is worth two deeds done tomorrow, and that no man is "down and out" until he has lost faith in himself.

I believe in today and the work I am doing; in tomorrow and the work I hope to do and the sure reward that the future holds.

I believe in courtesy, kindness; in generosity, in good cheer, in friendship and in honest competition.

I believe there is something doing somewhere, for every man ready to do it.

I believe I'm ready—right now—Elbert Hubbard.

Many parents lament their inability to give their children "big" opportunities. There is no occasion for such lamentation in regard to outdoor life—the "biggest opportunity" for the child is to acquire health.

### SEED PLANTED IN NEGRO'S TRACKS MADE FEET ACHE

Marlin, July 1.—Weird in detail and perhaps with no parallel in the history of Texas jurisprudence is the story told in his trial in Falls county District Court here this week by Curtis Shell, negro, 52 years old, against whom a jury returned a verdict of confinement for life in the State penitentiary on a charge of shooting to death his son at their home south of Marlin recently.

Harking back to the fallacy of the ancients that there is a certain relation between the moon and mental derangement and reminiscent of African jungle savages with their "voodoo" charms and "cunger" spirits, the defendant testified in all seriousness, when he took the stand in his own behalf, that he had been "conjured" by another negro, who planted seed in his tracks which caused pains to run up his legs when he walked over the same ground again. He explained in detail how a "cunger" is laid, sometimes at one's gate, again at a doorstep, or in some other place where the victim is liable to pass. The "cunger" is first felt in the ball of the foot, then in the legs, next in the body, and finally in the head, where an evil spirit possesses the mind, the defendant asserted.

That "a dark cloud of wrath hung over his household" was the declaration of Shell, who said he paid a negro woman of Waco, regarded by the superstitious darkies in this section as a "cunger doctor," the sum of \$50 to relieve him of the evil mind, and that she then demonstrated her powers by taking away one of his "brains," after which she proceeded to "anoint him with oil by rubbing his head and body" and advised him to read the Bible, which he did twice daily, two hours each morning and two more hours every afternoon, with a view of effecting a cure.

Shell further told the court that changes of the moon affected his mind in support of his claim of temporary insanity at the time of the shooting, which, coupled with an assertion that the killing was accidental, was his principal defense.

#### TWO CHILDREN DIE FROM EATING TOADSTOOLS

El Dorado, Ark., June 30.—Woodrow and Lawrence Galbreath, 7 and 9 years old, respectively, and Mrs. A. W. Burton are dead and the parents of the Galbreath children and the husband of Mrs. Burton are seriously ill in the El Dorado oil field as the result of eating toadstools which Galbreath gathered in nearby woods, thinking they were mushrooms, and had prepared for a meal to which were invited the Burton family Saturday evening. The Burtons formerly resided in Shreveport, while the Galbreaths came from Illinois.

#### WOMEN NOW SEEKING "TWENTIETH" AMENDMENT

Washington, June 30.—Announcement was made officially tonight at the first meeting of the reorganized Woman's National party that a resolution soon will be introduced in both houses of congress embodying a twentieth amendment to the Federal constitution.

The amendment will be designed to do away with "all legal discrimination against women," according to Miss Maud Younger, newly appointed legislative chairman of the party.

As tentatively drawn, the amendment reads:

"Equal right with men shall not be denied to women, or abridged on account of sex or marriage, by the United States or by any state or territory subject to the jurisdiction of the United States."

At the same time, Miss Younger said, plans will be laid to put before the forty-eight state legislatures an identical bill designed to prevent, through state enactment, the same discrimination.

#### MR. AND MRS. BUTLER TO REMAIN IN GRAHAM

It was reported recently that Mr. and Mrs. Butler had sold their business and would leave Graham. Their friends will be glad to learn that they have again resumed management of the St. Louis Cafe. The popularity of this cafe is evidence of the many friends made by these good people and it is a pleasure to know that they are to remain in Graham and maintain the same business with which they have been connected.

With fashions rapidly disappearing as decorative pieces there will be consolation in some quarters because the international polo cup is coming back to America.

# Look at These PRICES!!

For ten days, only, and for spot cash business, we offer the following staple cotton goods at the very low prices quoted below—cheaper than you can get them elsewhere, cheaper than they are really worth today, and much cheaper than they will be in sixty days. Cotton crop this year will be the smallest in twenty-five years due to the decreased acreage, insect damage and reduction in use of fertilizer in the Eastern States, so cotton and cotton goods are sure to advance.

The object of these special-no-profit-leaders is to advertise the store, give our customers unusual bargains and increase volume of sales. They will sell quickly so come early and get what you need. If your neighbors do not take this paper tell them about this ad.

## Bleached Domestic---

**GOOD YARD WIDE BLEACHED DOMESTIC**, bought especially for this sale, extra bargain at ..... 10 yards for **\$1.00**

**BLEACHED DOMESTIC, YARD WIDE**, soft finish good quality, special at ..... 8 yds. for **\$1.00**

**FINE QUALITY BLEACHED DOMESTIC**, 36 in. wide pure white, no starch, sale price ..... 7 yds. for **\$1.00**

**BEST GRADE BLEACHED DOMESTIC**, also long cloth and nainsook, on sale at ..... 6 yds. for **\$1.00**

## UNBLEACHED DOMESTIC---

**YARD WIDE LL DOMESTIC**, extra bargain at ..... 12 yds. for **\$1.00**

**HEAVY YARD WIDE LL DOMESTIC**, smooth finish special at ..... 10 yds. for **\$1.00**

**FINE SEA ISLAND DOMESTIC**, extra finish, suitable for bungalow aprons and fancy work, a big bargain, at ..... 9 yds. for **\$1.00**

**EXTRA QUALITY UNBLEACHED DOMESTIC**, yard wide, special at ..... 8 yds. for **\$1.00**

## Sheets, Sheetings and Cases---

**GOOD BLEACHED SHEETS**, 72x90 inches, seamless, no starch, extra special at ..... **\$1.00**

**BLEACHED SHEETS**, full 81x90 inches, seamless, no starch, extra special at ..... **\$1.25**

**BLEACHED SHEETING**, best quality, 81 inches wide, special at ..... **47 1-2c**

**BLEACHED SHEETING**, best quality, 90 inches wide, special at ..... **49c**

**UNBLEACHED SHEETING**, 81 inches wide **47 1-2c**

**UNBLEACHED SHEETING**, 90 inches wide, ..... **49c**

**BLEACHED PILLOW CASES**, 42x36 inches, special at ..... **10c**

**BLEACHED PILLOW CASES**, 42x36 inches, seamless no starch, extra special at ..... **29c**

<b>Percals</b> Light and Dark special <b>10 yds. for \$1.00</b>	<b>Apron Gingham</b> Staple Checks, 27 in. wide <b>10 yds. for \$1.00</b>	<b>Staple Gingham</b> Good Quality, Special <b>7 yds. for \$1.00</b>
<b>Fine Percals</b> 36 inches wide, Special <b>6 yds. for \$1.00</b>	<b>Huck Towels</b> Good Weight and Size <b>14c each</b>	<b>Bath Towels</b> SPECIAL <b>22c each</b>

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Entire stock of Ladies Dresses, Coats, Suits, Blouses, Skirts, Petticoats, Middies, Children's Dresses and Ladies and Misses Hats are now on sale at Final Clearance Prices.

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