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VALLEY FORGE

In the picturesque valley of the Schuylkill river, twenty miles northwest of Philadelphia, there is a sacred spot at which every American should give himself the privilege of worshipping some time during his or her life time.

It is the then unattractive site lined with barren, frozen hillsides, where General George Washington and his little army of about 10,000 half-starved, poorly-clad patriots bivouaced, suffering unthinkable hardship, from December, 1777, to June 1778, following the tragic battle of the Brandywine and the occupancy of Philadelphia by the British.

This circumstance of history bequeathed to this hallowed place a glory and a fame which will attach to it throughout the ages to come as will the more recent struggle to the region of the Argonne in France.

A tract of about 500 acres has been purchased by the state of Pennsylvania and the government, with patient determination and admirable completeness, is restoring ancient landmarks and transforming this historic camp-site of the Continental army into an everlasting National Shrine.

The Daughter of the American Revolution have erected a noble shaft to the unknown who sleep here and the Valley Forge Museum of American History contains many relics of the day. One fills with emotion as he enters the little cottage where General Washington had his simple headquarters and feels the odor of sanctity as he steps into the Washington Memorial Chapel, some times called "The Westminster of America."

The country editor is a millionaire without money, a congressman without a job, a king without a throne. He backs every man who can do things for the town and community whether they back him or not. He constructs without a hammer or saw, builds a railroad without spikes or rails and farms without a plow. He runs a butcher shop in the journalistic world and deals out brains cheap for cash or credit. He loves those who advertise with him as he loves a brother. The editor is a teacher, a lawyer, a preacher and he sends out truth to save souls, and is himself condemned. He heals the wounded, cares for the dying and receives the perishing and starves himself when a ham sandwich would jerk him from the jaws of death.—Overton Post.

WORRY IS DANGEROUS

A visitor from another world might get the impression that worry is our dearest friend instead of our deadliest enemy. Did you ever hear of any good coming to a human being from worry? Yet worry is a visitor at every wedding and funeral and is a guest in every home. There may be some excuse for a man to worry over some inevitable happening yet even in this instance worry will not help the matter any. But the most foolish thing is for a man to rob himself of his peace of mind his strength and ability to work by dissipating his nervous energy over anticipated troubles which never come.

Worry is as much a habit as the drug habit and just as deadly. Don't indulge it. Most men who have failed in their business have been mental failures first. Don't cramp your ability by useless fretting. Do the best you can. More than that is not expected or demanded.

A SENSELESS PROCEEDING

The run on the bank at Denison recently was a senseless proceeding—absolutely without an excuse. The depositors are protected and cannot lose no matter what may happen to the bank.

The bank was in good condition, as has since been demonstrated; but there were those who became unreasonable; and it was an easy matter to start the run.

The town of Denison has been harmed, the stockholders of the bank have been harmed—and the men and women who made the run have not been benefitted in the least.

In the days of old a bank failure meant real loss to depositors. In these days of guaranty funds and of bonds the depositors are protected to the full amount of their deposits.

Runs simply mean inconvenience for the depositors and ruin for men who are endeavoring to serve the community. They are relics of an old age which has passed—if the bank be a National or a State bank and there are few private banks left.

The person who studies the oil fields situation about this city, can easily comprehend the fact that it will perhaps be many years before the drilling operators stop finding new fields, and it will be longer than most of us will live, before the drilling is discontinued. And a century from now some of the wells yet to be discovered will be pumping. Oil fields like the ones already discovered in this section of the state, not to mention the possibilities of new fields to be found last many decades. There is no section of the nation that has a more hopeful outlook than this part of the nation has.

Governors of sixteen states have approved the disarmament policy that has been called by President Harding. That shows the way the nation feels toward this most hopeful sign of war prevention. General Bliss of the U. S. Army recently made a wise statement in the following: "Disarmament is the only means of preserving the world from bankruptcy and civilization from ruin."

The ideal man, it seems, is always married to some other woman.

HOMES, AND MORE HOMES

When Napoleon was fighting the world, his main need was "money, more money, and then more money." In the war just terminated the cry was "ships, more ships, and still more ships." The peace time cry of the United States today is "Homes, more homes, and many more homes." They are just as important to the successful continuance of this nation as were ships for the successful continuance of the war by the allies or money for the success of Napoleon's plans.

In fact, they are even more important because they represent real constructive progress necessary for the upbuilding of the American home and family. A nation without homes "shall perish forever from the earth." There is little sense in having a large navy or army to protect homes when they no longer exist. In the past few years every energy of the world has been directed toward destruction; now it is high time these energies, this money, and this thought should be diverted back into the channels of construction.

"Home in one form or another is the greatest object in life."

AUTO FATALITIES INCREASE

Automobile fatalities continue to increase, not alone in this state, but all over the country. The statistical bulletin of one of the largest life insurance companies, just out, shows that deaths this year are in excess of those of a year ago. Tables have been compiled which show that the death list is lowest in March, with a sharply ascending curve through June and July, until it reaches a peak at the end of August, continuing almost stationary until the latter part of December, when it begins to fall again. Sundays and holidays take a greater toll than other days.

"There are few, if any, more acute problems before the public health and police authorities in American cities today than that of finding ways and means to save the large number of lives which are being lost to an increasing extent, year after year, through automobile fatalities," observes the statistician of the company, and what he says of the country as a whole applies particularly to this state, where the motor-driven vehicle is fast becoming a menace to public safety.

UNCLAIMED MONEY

Industrious and careful persons who find it not always easy to adjust their expenditures so that they may run somewhat below their incomes and thus afford a basis for adding to the sum laid away for a rainy day, and who anxiously scan their bank balance after making out checks for the month's expenses, probably wondered to themselves when they read that more than \$83,000,000 was lying in the United States treasury waiting for its owners to send and get it.

This money is not due as the result of successful suits against the government for work done or supplies furnished. It simply represents interest coupons on the new issues of government bonds put out since the beginning of the late war and is immediately available, all that is necessary to obtain it being to present the coupons for payment.

It is not necessary even for the owners of these millions to make personal application. All they have to do is to deposit the coupons in any bank and the matter will be attended to with no further trouble on their part.

The money referred to is chiefly the interest due on Liberty bonds which have not been converted into permanent securities. The coupon on the temporary bonds being all cashed, the bonds themselves should be presented for exchange for new bonds, to which all unpaid coupons are attached. This can be done through any bank, without expense to the owners, and it ought to be done promptly.

The millions of dollars the undeposited coupons represent should be converted into credit at the bank, through deposit, the same as cash or checks. The large sum would add to the circulating medium, and its place is in the banks where it will be available for business users, and help in restoring commerce and industry to a basis of normal activity.

TAKE A LESSON FROM THE HEN

The scarcer the worms,
The harder she scratches;
The harder she scratches
The more worms she finds—
Incidentally, scratchin' hard
Is good for the health,
And worms that have to be scratched
for
Are the most appreciated of all.
—Old Ed Eversharp.

Half the year gone! Do your Christmas shopping early.

Some of the modern cigars anticipated the no-tobacco movement.

BOOST

Boost your city, boost your friend; Boost the church you attend. Boost the street on which you're dwelling. Boost the goods that you are selling. Boost the people around about you— They can get along without you, But success will quicker find them If they know that you're behind them. Boost for every forward movement; Boost for every new improvement; Boost the man for whom you labor; Boost the stranger and the neighbor. Cease to be a chronic knocker; Cease to be a progress blocker; If you'd make your city better, Boost it to the final letter—Exchange.

Burglars in a Georgia town laboriously opened a safe and took \$75 in pennies but overlooked \$6,000 in bills on a counter. They no doubt think the cashier should be punished for his carelessness.



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FIRE DESTROYS TWO WELLS IN TAMPICO POOL

Mexico City, July 20.—A great fire in the Amatlan oil fields has destroyed property to the value of several million dollars and as far as is known is not yet under control.

Advices from Tampico, which are meagre, say that two wells are burning and that 162 has been devastated. This lot comprises approximately 35 hectares or about 85 acres.

One of the oil companies here has been informed that the fire was caused by lightning, which ignited two wells simultaneously. The consensus of opinion among oil men in Mexico City is that the fire was accidental, whether by lightning or not and that there was no deliberate attempt at sabotage as had been rumored earlier in the day.

Troops have been rushed to Amatlan and workmen from other districts are aiding in fighting the flames, their efforts being directed toward preventing the fire from spreading.

The fire started in the property of Woollett and Thompson and spread quickly. There were 23 wells being drilled in lot 162, it is said, but the number already operating is unknown.

RICHARDS-PARISH

J. L. Richards of Padgett and Mrs. Della Parish of Orth were married at the County Clerk's office in Graham, Saturday morning, July 23 by C. D. Brewton, Justice of the Peace for precinct number 1.

These are popular young people from their communities and are receiving the congratulations of their friends.

TRAGEDY AT RANGER

Mrs. S. W. Hamilton of England was down at Ranger to attend the funeral of the family of Oliver Lawrence, Mrs. Lawrence being a niece of Mrs. Hamilton. Mr. R. E. Bowlen has given us further details, than related in the Ranger paper, concerning the gas explosion that wiped out a family of four. They had pitched their tent on the gas main, and it had sprung a leak. In the night Mr. Lawrence realized that something was wrong. He got up and struck a match and when he did so, the whole inside of the tent flared up. He could have escaped without injury, but his thought was for his wife and children. He succeeded in getting them out, but not without all of them being badly burned, externally and internally. The baby girl died on Wednesday, the boy died Thursday, the father Friday and the mother Saturday, and none of them knew when the others passed away. The bodies were all held until the mother died and then one funeral service was conducted for them all. The father thought he was going to get well, but his burns were too severe for his system to recover from them. Mrs. Hamilton has the sympathy of friends here in the tragedy that in a few days took away this entire family.—Baylor County Banner

FREEMAN-GRIMES

A. M. Freeman and Miss Beulah Grimes were married in Fort Worth Sunday, July 25. They left immediately for Mexico, where, it is reported, they have taken up a claim. Both were popular teachers in the Graham public schools and have many friends in Graham who extend congratulations and best wishes for their future success and happiness.

CITIZENS OF CADDO RAID BEER SALOON

Officers From Breckenridge Arrive In Time to Prevent Trouble

Breckenridge, July 20.—Serious trouble was narrowly averted Tuesday night at Caddo, eleven miles east of here, when a "choc" beer saloon was opened on the main street of the town in a cafe and was raided by a party of citizens.

Both sides armed for trouble, but real war was prevented by the arrival of the sheriff and deputies from Breckenridge. The latter were armed with sawed-off shotguns, rifles, and pistols for riot work, which seemed impending.

The trouble is said to have started when a Baptist minister and a group of citizens began smashing the bottles of liquor and confiscating larger containers. At this juncture a man is said to have attempted to assault the minister with a knife. The knife was wrested from his hand.

Shortly before midnight both sides had organized, all carrying some manner of weapons, and there was considerable talk of war between the bootleggers and citizens. Both factions were patrolling the streets heavily armed when the sheriff and deputies arrived.

Four other raids are said to have been staged in the town after the sheriff and deputies left.

DEEPEST GOLD MINE FOUND IN AUSTRALIA

Australia is supposed to have the deepest gold mine in the world. This mine is at Bendigo, Victoria, and was named the New Chum Railway Mine. The miners who worked in it were obliged to travel down a shaft nearly three-quarters of a mile deep. The work of hauling men up and down a shaft of such depth and bringing the ore to the surface of the earth was not the hardest problem. It seems that the temperature of the earth is supposed to increase one degree every fifty or one hundred feet the farther down we go. In the New Chum Mine this increase of temperature was not found or they say it would have been impossible to work the mine. The heat in the mine was so terrific, however, that it proved a greater problem to overcome than and of the engineering feats. The temperature of one hundred and eighty degrees was so enervating down in the depths that it was necessary to continually spray the bodies of the miners while at work with cold water from aboveground. Away from the spray the men could not stand, and it was as much as they could do to work moderately under the spray. If they worked the least bit too hard they fainted.

DOG BITES CHILD'S TONGUE OFF

The little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan of Commerce was the victim of a very unusual and peculiar accident last Thursday morning.

The Jordan family while on the way home from Waco stopped for a short visit with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barker. After arriving the little boy entered the big bull dog of Mr. Barker's and started to play with it. The dog for some reason became angered at the child and attacked him, biting at his face. In some way the dog's teeth caught in the child's tongue and it was almost severed, only a small piece of skin holding it. A physician was quickly summoned and the tongue was sewed back.

The dog was immediately shot and its head sent by Mr. Barker to the Pasteur Institute at Austin for examination for rabies.—Mount Pleasant Review

THE AMERICAN CREED

I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people, whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign Nation of many sovereign States; a perfect Union, one and inseparable, established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend it against all enemies.

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Towns and cities along the F. F. Highway between Fort Worth, Texas, and Clovis, New Mexico, are renewing their interest in this highway. A convention will be held in Plainview, Monday, August 1.

Graham has had a special invitation from the Board of City Development of Plainview to send a delegation. The Leader would be glad for our Chamber of Commerce to be represented at this convention.

We hope soon to give, through the Leader, information on road building with the hope that our people will become more interested in better roads. All our neighbor counties are ahead of us on road building, and it behooves us to begin at once a good roads campaign.

DR. MANTON CARRICK REPLIES TO CHARGE OF DR. G. O. SHIREY

Replying to the alleged charges made by Dr. Guy O. Shirey in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Dr. Manton M. Carrick, State Health Officer, gave out an interview today in which he emphatically denied that he had formulated the entrance requirements for patients at the Kerrville Sanatorium.

Dr. Carrick declared that he became a physician largely through his desire to learn to combat and avoid tuberculosis, "the Great White Plague," because of the fact that his father and two brothers were all victims of this dread disease.

He further declared that his sole motive in accepting the duties of state health officer was to wage war on preventable diseases, in which work he has been engaged since leaving college.

A BOTHERSOME DISEASE Film: "Are you ever bothered with rheumatism?"

CARS AFFORD MUCH PLEASURE DURING SUMMER MONTHS

"The advantages that possession of a car gives to the man who owns it are never more apparent than when the heat blisters the streets and the only breeze in town is that from a fan," says H. F. Wurtz, of the Shamrock Motor Co.

Little interest was manifested in the five amendments voted on last Saturday. The fifth amendment carried. It was thought at first that the third had carried but it is in doubt and will take the final count to determine.

(1). Amendment to Sec. 58, Art. 17 (should be Art 16) abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners and providing for one man instead of three to manage the Prison system.

(2). Amendment to Sections 5, 21, 22 and 23 of Art. 4, increasing the salaries of Constitutional State officers.

THE MONUMENT TO PILGRIMS

Atop Town Hill in Provincetown, Massachusetts, looking out over the restless sea from the great arm which that state flings out into it, stands a great and impressive monument of extraordinary beauty and great dignity.

Built entirely of Maine granite, the construction supervised by the Engineering Department of the United States Army, this structure rests upon a sixty-foot square foundation, is 28 feet square at the base, approximately 252 feet high and the site is about 100 feet above the tides.

This staunch and magnificent commemorative structure, standing in silent triumph, is typical of the reliance and love of freedom which characterized this little band in their battle with the elements and fate and of their descendants in all parts of the world.

PRYOR REFUSES REQUEST OF COMMITTEE TO RESIGN

Austin, July 25.—Prison Commissioner W. G. Pryor has refused to resign at the request of the legislative investigating committee for the same reasons he gave the Governor.

Occasionally we are lulled into the belief that the statement "there is a sucker born every minute" is not axiomatic but just about that time the front page of any newspaper proves that it is.

OWNS ENTIRE VILLAGE Bought Turnerville and Hung Own Name on Place.

Owing to Impaired Health, C. M. Ams Now Seeks to Relieve Himself of Burden of Honor.

Colchester, Conn.—Owning an entire village and reigning supreme as the boss of the hamlet has lost its charms for C. M. Ams of Mount Vernon, N. Y., principally because of impaired health, and he is soon to relieve himself of the burden of that honor.

The attractive feature of the village is its wonderful water power. At the top of a hill overlooking it is a lake a mile and a quarter square, fed by hidden springs which never fail, and the water can be led down so as to produce between 800 and 1,000 horse power.

In 1909 the whole property, including four factories, the lake, the village store and hotel and over 2,000 acres of land, was sold to J. E. Estensen & Co. and David Brown, who operated walking cane and silk factories in New York and New Jersey.

When Mr. Ams took possession of the village he got legislative permission to change its name to "Amston." Taking up his residence in the old Turner homestead, he set to work to develop and beautify the site and its surroundings.

FRENCH, POLISH ARMIES LEAD British Statistics Compare Number of Men Under Arms in Various European Nations.

Washington, D. C.—France and Poland lead by large majorities the other continental nations of Europe in military effectiveness now under arms, according to British statistics received here in official circles.

Table showing British Statistics Compare Number of Men Under Arms in Various European Nations. Columns: Country, Number of Men.

Hunters Get Alligator. Anniston, Ala.—A party of four Anniston hunters, who had returned from a big hunt in Florida with several deer and a large number of wild ducks and other small game, had an exciting experience with a wildcat and an alligator.

Traffic Rules for Laggards. Weston, Va.—Traffic rules for loafers have been adopted by local authorities. Large white lines have been painted on certain streets and the lines thus merged mark a forbidden zone.

Pet Snakes Protect Home, Says Editor

Middletown, N. Y.—Have you a little snake in your home? They make fine watchdogs and pets for the children, according to Editor William Hones, who runs a country newspaper and is known as Theodore Roosevelt's double.

Trusting Pastor Gives Collection for Bad Check

Iverside, Cal.—The pastor of a local church was taking a special collection. Eighteen dollars in small change had been received but \$2 more was needed. After repeated pleadings by the minister a stranger arose and said: "If you will cash my check I'll make it \$20."

RAILWAYS COSTLY TO FRENCH When State System Takes in 100 Francs People Put Up 57 Francs.

Paris, France.—Charges that the French government usually suffers a loss in its business ventures were made in recent debates in parliament. It was asserted that the government's operation of the state railroad, post office, telephone and telegraph lines, the gasoline monopoly and its sale of American and French supplies left over from the war, were all unbusinesslike, and the cause of heavy balances on the wrong side of the ledger.

USE STORAGE FOR FURS West Virginia Professor Making Experiments, Asserts Heat Kills Moths Quickly. Morgantown, W. Va.—"Hot" storage as opposed to "cold" storage for many things affected by insects, but not by heat, may be realized soon if the experiments of Prof. L. M. Peairs of the department of entomology of the University of West Virginia prove entirely satisfactory.

"RED" IS ONLY A PAINTER Police Are "Scary" When They Find Him Counting the Windows in Jail. New York.—Patrolmen Ward and Rattigan in front of police headquarters guarding it from a possible attack by Reds, saw a man with a bundle under his arm stop in front of the building and scrutinize it from cellar to roof.

SEEKS BIBLE TIME CHARIOTS Doctor Fisher of the University of Pennsylvania Will Delve in Ruined Cities of Holy Land. Philadelphia.—Dr. Clarence S. Fisher, curator of the Babylonian section of the University of Pennsylvania museum, left here for Palestine to undertake what he described as one of the most important excavations ever made in the Holy Land.

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YOUNG COUNTY POLO CLUB ENTHUSIASTIC, WANT MORE GAMES

Now that the rush of the harvesting season is over the Young County Polo team is "rearing to go" again. In the early part of the season much interest was manifested by both the first and second teams as they were evenly matched.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff of any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY-COMMANDER to summon Loyd Woods, whose residence is unknown to plaintiff 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 held at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the 1st 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 27th day of July, A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6510, wherein Leslie Woods is Plaintiff, and Loyd Woods is Defendant and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were married on the 8th day of March, 1920, and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 23rd day of May, 1921, when defendant by reason of his inherent meanness, began a course of unkind, harsh and cruel treatment towards plaintiff, and failed to support her, and just prior to their separation defendant began a course of insidious accusations against plaintiff.

Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord.—Moses. These six things doth the Lord hate, yea, seven are an abomination unto him: a proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood and heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, a false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren.—Solomon.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Young.

To the Creditors of Edw. F. Dolan: You are hereby notified Edw. F. Dolan, of Young county, Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1921, executed a deed of assignment, conveying to the undersigned all of his property for the benefit of such of his creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of his estate and discharge him from their respective claims, and the undersigned accepted said trust, and has duly qualified as required by law.

WITNESS WILLIE RIGGS, Clerk of said Court, at office in (L. S.) Graham, Texas, this 27th day of July, A. D. 1921. 48-51c WILLIE RIGGS, Clerk District Court, Young County, Texas.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM Subject, Mountain Top Experiences. Leader, Cassie Johnson. Scripture references, Luke 9:37-40; Song 9:28-29. Prayer. Leader's Talk, Mountain and Plain. Song, I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go. Reading, Katherine Erwin. Visions of a Christian Life—Judge Brown. Song, Jesus Calls Me. Benediction.

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Refrigerators

After July 15th we will give a—

Discount of 20 PER CT.

On all Ice Boxes and Refrigerators at all of our stores.

Big Shipment of the Famous Winchester ammunition just received.

Young County Hdw. & Furn. Co THE WINCHESTER STORE

LIFE WISDOM

The wisdom of the wise and the experience of ages may be preserved by quotation.—Benjamin Disraeli. When wisdom entereth into thy heart and knowledge is pleasant to thy soul, discretion shall preserve thee, and understanding shall keep thee.—Solomon.

There is no other passion that so much transports men from their right judgment as anger.—Montaigne. How poor are they that have not patience!—Shakespeare. It is right for him who asks forgiveness for his offenses to grant it to others.—Horace. Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord.—Moses.

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Personal Mention

J. T. Duckworth of Loving was a business visitor in Graham Monday. Special price on Japanese Parasols at Ye Gifte Shoppe. Mrs. Floyd Woolfolk visited her parents at Jacksboro last week. See the new novelties at Ye Gifte Shoppe. Mrs. A. L. Stewart and children went to Breckenridge today. J. W. Russell returned last night from a visit to Collin county. Mrs. Kate Moore visited her sisters, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Sewell, at Jacksboro last week. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Birdsong visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Birdsong in Jacksboro Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Ragland of Wichita Falls came in yesterday for a brief visit with relatives. Brick is being unloaded for the new jail this week. The concrete work will soon be completed. Mrs. R. E. Lynch and son, Robert, are in Clinton, Oklahoma, visiting Mrs. Lynch's sister, who is ill. Price Beach, custodian of the court house and yard, is keeping everything in excellent condition. M. K. Graham II returned Saturday from Austin where he has been attending the University of Texas. J. T. Rickman and son, Byron, made an overland trip to Fort Worth last week. Mrs. Rickman went as far as Mineral Wells with them. Mrs. H. J. Kidder has returned to her home in Mexico City, after spending a few days here visiting her sister, Mrs. Erwin. Everyone who attended the railroad celebration were well pleased with the Eliasville brand of hospitality. Largest stock in Graham Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hosiery, Underwear at STREET & CO. A. D. Stewart, W. A. Stewart, R. L. Reed and Sam Phillips have returned from a trip through the Ozarks. They are not giving out much about the trip. Mrs. Lois L. Manry writes that she is enjoying the summer in the Adirondack mountains and will return here in time to resume her class work at the opening of school. Hume Graves, reporter for R. G. Dun and Company, is in the city this week getting a line on the business enterprises of the city. He is a genial good fellow and makes friends wherever he goes. J. E. Long's Ford was burned one night this week on the Newcastle road when he ran into a tree on the roadside. The accident was caused by the blinding light of an approaching car. VOILE-ORGANDIE DRESSES AT HALF PRICE Entire stock Fine Wash Dresses for Women and Misses now on sale at half price. STREET & CO. C. C. Johnson and family, Will Jarnagin and family, Will O'Connell and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton and Arthur Vick spent Friday on Rock Creek fishing. They caught about thirty pounds of fish and enjoyed the day. Lee Axley and family of Nacogdoches returned to their home Saturday from a visit to his brother, Henry Axley. Henry Axley and family and Mrs. Ityl Chadwick returned with them as far as Dallas. Mr. Axley found great sport in shooting jack rabbits. They are not found in his section of Texas. While driving in the car he killed 38 jacks out of 40 shots. NEW RAILWAYS NEEDED Railroad building in the past decade has not kept pace with the progress and growth of the country. Unless there is a revival of railroad construction work many rich and populous communities must be denied conveniences to which they are entitled. Scarcely anything else instills so much life into a community as the building of a railroad. The railroad is a forerunner of a greater civilization. In their wake comes a greater taxable wealth. It is time the nation and the individual states of the nation were making inquiry into the cause of the cessation of railroad building. When the cause has been discovered it will be removed. J. V. Owen of Vernon was a visitor last week with his brother, J. C. Owen. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas of Eagle Lake are visiting Bud Lowery and family. D. W. Beard of Tonk Valley was in the city Saturday and called at the Leader office. Mrs. Ruby Coney of Cleburne is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stoffers. J. Frank Lively and his sister, Miss Marcelle Lively, are visiting their brother, Morris Lively. Mrs. J. P. Hackley and children of Jacksboro are visiting relatives in Graham this week. Mrs. Kendrick and children of Dallas arrived last Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Boyd Street. Mrs. Chris Stoffers is able to be out again after having been a patient at the Kelly-Thomas sanitarium. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. King spent Friday and Saturday here visiting Mrs. King's brother, P. K. Deats. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas left Monday for Bridgeport after a pleasant visit with Mr. Lowery and family. Professor H. K. Taylor of T. W. C. Fort Worth, was in the city Sunday and delivered two good messages at the Methodist church. Miss Lena Stoffers of Graham and Miss Ruby Coney of Cleburne are spending the week with Mrs. Wayne Parmenter of Throckmorton. The body of Wilbur Weaver who died in France was buried this afternoon in Decatur. Several Graham people were present at the burial. TISSUE GINGHAMS AND VOILES Entire stock of these goods now on sale at bargain prices. STREET & CO. Mr. and Mrs. John E. Morrison and Mrs. I. T. Gilmer and children left Saturday for Mineral Wells where they will stay for a month. Beg to announce that I now have the management of the Market in the Graham Grocery Co. Will be glad to again meet all my friends and former customers.—W. M. MILLER. LOWEST PRICES ON COTTON GOODS Many special bargains now on sale at STREET & CO. Miss Lucille Gregory returned Monday to Sherman after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. R. L. Morrison. Beg to announce that I now have the management of the Market in the Graham Grocery Co. Will be glad to again meet all my friends and former customers.—W. M. MILLER. Mrs. W. C. Caudill of Durant, Oklahoma, arrived in Graham Friday to visit her son, Morris Lively. Mrs. Caudill is well pleased with the progressive spirit of our fair city. SILK DRESSES HALF PRICE Beautiful Silk Dresses in Canton Crepe, Taffeta and Crepe de Chine on sale at final clearance prices—half price. STREET & CO. Judge and Mrs. P. A. Martin and three children of Wichita Falls came in Sunday for a visit with relatives and friends. The Old Settlers' Reunion of Eliasville could not be "pulled off" without Judge Martin. He went down Monday afternoon to camp with the boys as he has been doing for many years. He had several invitations to be present Tuesday and the Judge said he accepted every invitation.

PELEGRA IS ON INCREASE NOW IN SOUTHERN STATES

Washington, July 25.—Pellegra is increasing in the Southern states with alarming speed, the United States Public Health Service has announced. Indications are that cases this calendar year will double those of last year. In one state cases for May last year totaled one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, as against six thousand six hundred and sixty-seven this year. A general warning was issued for the state health boards to do more preventative work. Lack of sufficient variety of food is blamed for the disease.

NEW LAWYER ARRIVES IN GRAHAM SUNDAY

A new lawyer arrived in Graham Sunday and seems to be well pleased with the city. He will probably delay hanging out his shingle for a while but plans to remain in Graham and wait for a more opportune time to begin practicing before the courts as there are enough good lawyers here at present. He is staying with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. King. He weighed nine pounds when he arrived and bears the name of B. W. King, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. King are proud of the young gentleman and plan to entertain him royally while he is waiting for an opportunity to enter the legal profession.

NORMAL STUDENTS ENJOY OUTING

The members of the Young and Jack County Club of the North Texas State Normal met in front of the library building last Saturday evening where a truck and cars waited to convey them to Club Lake. Upon reaching the lake the members feasted upon sandwiches, ice cream and watermelons. The remainder of the evening was spent in bathing, boat riding and gathering water lilies. By 10:15 o'clock the party was assembled, ready for the return trip. When they disbanded at the corner of the campus, each member declared this to be only the beginning of many such outings. REPORTER.

PROMINENT RANCHER IS SHOT WHILE IN CHURCH

Plainview, July 25.—Marvin A. Washington, 40 years old, was shot and instantly killed in a church at Flomot, twenty miles northeast of Plainview, Saturday night, according to information reaching Plainview today. According to the story Washington was in the choir and had risen to sing when another man who was in the choir turned and with a pistol in one hand and a letter in the other and exclaimed: "I must shoot you; here is my evidence." He then fired six shots, four taking effect. He turned to a few who had not escaped through the windows and doors and calmly said, as he exhibited the letter: "Gentlemen, I surrender; here is my evidence." Failing to find officers in Flomot he went to Floydada to surrender.

J. W. HENDERSON DIES AT HARDING SUNDAY

J. W. Henderson was found unconscious at his place of business at Harding Sunday. He remained in this condition several hours when death relieved him of his suffering. His body was prepared for burial and shipped to his home at Shawnee, Oklahoma. He is survived by one son near Dallas and one daughter and two sons at his home in Shawnee.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS Below is a list of Advertised letters lying unclaimed in the Graham post office for week ending July 23, 1921:

- Cooper, Miss Isabell. Crody, Mr. Henry. Covey, B. B. Davenport, C. M. Erwin, Jas. T. Guinn, Miss Myra. Hughes, Mrs. Frank. Kelly, W. C. McAdoo, W. E. Perrin, Thos. J. Pitts, J. O. Pittman, Mr. Frank. (2). Pittman, Mrs. Frank. (2). Teten, J. C. N. S. FARMER, P. M.

HOG KILLS MULE AND THEN ATTACKS MARE

Fairfield, July 21.—A large registered Poland China male hog attacked a mule on the farm of J. B. Bonner, near Fairfield, killing it almost instantly. The hog next attacked a fine mare ripping her underbody open and prompt attention on the part of a veterinary saved her.

FEDERAL OFFICERS CONTINUE RAIDS ON LIQUOR STANDS

Federal Officers Wallace and Cooper of Graham, assisted by Constable Burnett at South Bend continue to raid the booze stands at Graham and South Bend. Six men and women were taken to Wichita Falls recently, two of them from Graham and four from South Bend. It is reported that some booze was found near the Salt creek bridge in Graham that no one will claim. The officers are making it rather tiresome for those engaged in selling illicit liquor.

Miss Allie Thomas Honoree at Party

Miss Allie Thomas, who left this week for Dallas, was the honoree at a farewell party given by Miss Bessie Mayes at her home Friday, July 22. The following young people enjoyed Miss Mayes' hospitality. Misses Allie Thomas, Ray Thomas, Lillie Mae Calvin, Maggie Long, Ruby Lee Eden, Zula George, Ethel McClanahan, Evelyn McLendon, Bessie Mayes, Faye Steen and Robbie D. Jones of Paducah; Messrs. Van Bibber, Peavy, Fox, Dodd, Penix, Willingham, McCoy, Mayes, Hutchings and Dr. Warwick. All the young ladies remained during the night for a slumber party. The young men returned next morning and they went to the water works park for a sunrise breakfast. The occasion was enjoyed by the young people, the going away soon of Miss Thomas being the only regret.

KISINGER FARM MAKES FINE YIELD OF CORN

Mr. John Kisinger brought to the Leader office, Saturday morning a sample of his corn raised by his son, Carl Kisinger, on their farm near Graham. The samples have two heavy ears on each stalk. The ears are well filled and are almost perfect. Mr. Kisinger thinks the corn will make around 50 bushels to the acre. He has fifty acres in the field from which he took the stalks brought to town and expects to gather more than 2,000 bushels from same. Mr. Kisinger planted his corn so that each stalk occupies slightly less than one square yard. As a rule people plant their corn too thick for this section. This is not regarded as a good corn country as too often he weather is too dry in June but this year the season has been fine and a good crop is being raised.

J. J. GREENWADE DIES AT CLARENDON

J. J. Greenwade, brother of the late Dr. Greenwade and brother-in-law of our townsman, John Kisinger, died at his home in Clarendon, Monday as a result of a gunshot wound self inflicted. He had been in failing health several years which was the cause of ending his life in the way given above. He formerly lived in Young county and has friends and relatives here who regret to learn of his untimely death. John Kisinger left yesterday for Clarendon to be with his sister in this hour of bereavement.

GEO. W. GRIMES DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

George W. Grimes died at his home east of town, July 20 and was buried the following day in Oak Grove cemetery. Mr. Grimes was born in Alabama but has lived in Texas many years. He was sixty years old at the time of his death. He had been in bad health for two years and his death was not unexpected. His wife preceded him several years ago.

WEATHERFORD'S MELON SLICING SET FOR AUG. 1

The second annual Tom Watson watermelon slicing will be held at Weatherford Monday, Aug. 1. Invitations have been sent to all State officers and to Senators and Congressmen. The press generally and all chambers of commerce, farm organizations and agricultural colleges also have been invited. The event has been made an annual affair, and is sponsored by the Parker County Farm Bureau Melon Growers' Co-operative Association. The intimation is that no melon will be sliced that weighs less than fifty pounds. Those who expect to attend are requested to notify James W. Crosslin, secretary of the association, not later than July 28. Notices also may be sent to County Agent Robert C. Withers at Weatherford.

YOUR BUSINESS

The bank's business is other people's business. Of no institution is this more thoroughly true than of the bank. If handles other people's money and serves as their representative in a thousand ways. This is why safety, conservatism and honor are indispensable elements of a bank's success. Your business here is in trustworthy hands. GUARANTY STATE BANK GRAHAM, TEXAS Guaranty Fund Bank Building on Safety, Service and Courtesy Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent Travelers Checks for Sale

HELP'EM BUILD Local Firm Joins National Institution — Means More and Better Homes for Graham

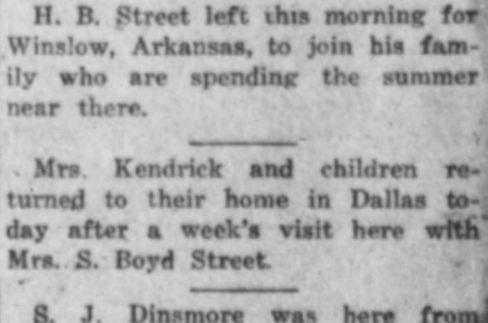
In practically every section of America there is a shortage of homes. It has been estimated that the United States and Canada need over two million new homes and in many sections great building activities are under way. But just building for housing purposes alone isn't all that is necessary. A home is something to be considered from several points of view. It's only once in a life time that the average person builds a home and the average housewife lives in her home 85 per cent of her entire life—so why not build beautifully and have all the comforts that a home should afford—when you do build. The Employes Lumber Company had this in mind when they joined the National Builders Bureau. Not only that, but they had in mind the City Beautiful. Civic pride means a city to be proud of—an ugly street and poorly designed and constructed homes do not add prestige to your community while on the other hand—beautiful homes, no matter how small, well paved and clean streets, trees, flowers and well kept lawns go to make a city beautiful—makes one proud of his home town, makes the other fellow want to live there too, adds to the health and pride of your citizens—makes a booster and a good citizen of an individual who otherwise might be a poor, discontented person and a poor asset to your community. The National Builders Bureau of Spokane, Washington, operates through building material dealers all over the Nation, their slogan is "Help 'em Build"—and help 'em to build beautifully. The Employes Lumber Company through this service can help you build, beautifully, economically, and to your entire satisfaction. They have become a part of this great institution for your benefit. The day is past for a material dealer to be just a boss of a wood pile or sand dump. People want service along with their purchases these days, and the owners of this company are now in a position to render a greater service to the prospective builder through the efforts of National Builders Bureau. They have become headquarters for building ideas. Co-operating with architects, contractors and to the public, assisting them to make Graham the City of Beautiful Homes. To see your home before you build it is a new feature in the building business, but you'll admit that it's a valuable asset. It's something to be greatly desired by those who are planning a home; it saves you time and money. Then again you get what you want and you won't feel disappointed the rest of your life, and you need not spend hundreds of dollars making changes in your home plans. Graham is now added to the list of over five thousand American cities who have this great movement under way and the beauty of this service is that it costs the builder nothing to avail himself of these building ideas and plans. Build now and build right. STOP! LISTEN! Come see this beautiful bungalow. Three rooms white enamel, doors in mahogany, artistically papered, cabinet kitchen, sleeping porch, linoleum, shades, lawn, trees, flowers, prettiest bungalow you ever saw, with artistic pergola fence. Will take Ford or Dodge car part payment. Price reduced.—G. FRANG WEEKS, owner, 320 Brazos St.

PICNIC HONORING MISS GREGORY OF SHERMAN, TEXAS

Members of the Medicine Park party from Graham enjoyed a picnic at the home of Miss Mary Hudson last Friday evening honoring Miss Lucille Gregory of Sherman. Electric lights illuminated the back lawn where a long table with benches had been arranged. The following menu was served: Fried chicken, French fried potatoes, stuffed eggs, sweet sandwiches, pickles, olives, tuna fish salad, fruit salad, ice tea and watermelon. The last course provoked a good old-fashioned watermelon fight. The singing of camp songs accompanied by two ukeleles and two combs whiled away the hours.

ELDER J. S. HALL CLOSING EXCELLENT MEETING SUNDAY

Elder J. S. Hall closed a successful meeting at the Church of Christ corner Grove and Second streets, Sunday night. A good interest was manifested throughout the meeting and many regretted to see the meeting close. Elder Hall is an excellent preacher. The congregation have made arrangements for him to hold their meeting again next year. He has been with the congregation for the past two summers and has a strong hold on the Graham people. There was one accession to the church, Mrs. Lacey being baptized Sunday afternoon. The membership of the Church of Christ is small but they did not send the preacher away hungry. They believe "the laborer is worthy of his hire." The congregation paid him \$110.00. Perhaps lightning never strikes twice in the same place because it isn't at all necessary for it to. H. B. Street left this morning for Winslow, Arkansas, to join his family who are spending the summer near there. Mrs. Kendrick and children returned to their home in Dallas today after a week's visit here with Mrs. S. Boyd Street. S. J. Dinmore was here from Olney yesterday. Takes No Chances. "Your husband seems always to remember your wedding anniversary." "Yes, but don't give him the credit. I take pains every year to see that he doesn't forget it."



THE NEW KIND She: I understand that Mrs. Ticks is suing her husband for divorce on the grounds of non-support. He: Why her husband is as good and faithful a husband as there is. She: Well you see Mrs. Ticks is running for the Legislature on the Republican ticket and her husband is a Democrat. Advice. Advice that may be preferred. Often fills a book. A million kinds are offered. But only one gets took.

This Week Closes Our Great JULY CLEARANCE SALE

To say our Sale has been a success would be putting it mild. It exceeded our fondest expectations. We wish to thank the good people of Graham and surrounding towns and communities for their liberal patronage and in helping us to make this Sale a success. It is our intention not to carry over any Summer Goods, as we must make room for our Fall stock. Our buyers are now in New York and soon the new Fall Goods will be coming in. We have just a few more specials that we must dispose of regardless of price. So we are offering the following regrouped for Final Disposal.

1 lot Ladies Oxfords and Pumps with and without straps, good run of sizes, values up to \$14.00, regrouped for Final Disposal at

\$2.95

1 lot Children's and Baby Slippers, broken sizes, values up to \$4.00, regrouped for Final Disposal at

\$1.00

1 lot Misses Pumps, brown, black kid and patent leather with extra straps, values up to \$10.00, regrouped for Final Disposal at

\$1.95

1 lot Children's Gingham Dresses, long sleeves, most of them the famous Mary Newton make, sizes 2 to 6 years, values up to \$4.00, regrouped for Final Disposal at your choice

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WE THANK YOU

We have plenty of new Fall Oxfords for Ladies

East Side Square **P. B. M. CO.** Graham, Texas

Near The Post Office

TERRELL SAYS CONSOLIDATE TWO STATE DEPARTMENTS

Governor Neff recommended the consolidation of the Warehouse Department with the Department of Agriculture in a very strong message to the regular session of the Legislature, but the bill failed of passage in the Senate.

He will recommend the passage of this measure again to the special session as a matter of efficiency and economy in the administration of the State government.

Both of these departments have a division of markets, and each has other divisions.

There is no sound reason for having these two departments administered by the agricultural laws of the State when one department can manage them just as efficiently and more economically.

The statements being sent out over the State, that the "Governor and the Commissioner of Agriculture are attempting to destroy the warehouse and marketing department" are false, and are made by men who are afraid they will lose their jobs when this consolidation bill is passed, and they are made for the sole purpose of deceiving the people.

Nobody is attempting to destroy any useful work the department is doing—but merely to transfer the management of it to another department, which of course will destroy some useless jobs but will retain all the useful work.

The head of the Warehouse Department has been changed four times in six years, and if these changes did not kill the department, why would one more change kill it?

The Department of Agriculture can certainly appoint as honest and capable men to do this work as those now filling these positions, or the same men could do just as efficient service under the Department of Agriculture as they are now doing, and the duplication and extra expense could be cut.

The Department of Agriculture has to keep men in different parts of the State to perform the duties im-

posed upon it by law, and these men can inspect gins and warehouses, test scales, and perform many of the duties that the Warehouse Department is now performing, and save this extra expense.

This duplication of men and traveling expenses ought to be stopped, and it will be stopped if this law is passed.

The Investigating Committee of the 35th Legislature recommended that this consolidation be made, and that it would save the State \$50,000 a year.

The State Democratic Platform of 1918-1920 demanded that the Legislature consolidate such boards, commissions and departments, as would eliminate duplication and secure efficiency and economy in the administration of the State government.

In the race for Commissioner of Agriculture there was but one issue between my opponent and myself, and it was this consolidation.

In my platform which was published extensively I used the following language:

"I favor the consolidation of the Warehouse Department with the Department of Agriculture as recommended by the State Investigating Committee, in the interest of economy and efficiency.

"They both deal with agricultural problems and properly belong under one head, so that a compensation plan for warehousing and marketing may be worked out without strife or friction. We have too many agencies attempting to administer agricultural laws and too many chair warmers and mouth farmers drawing an annual stipend from the State.

"We need the A. & M. College to teach agriculture, horticulture and kindred subjects and the Department of Agriculture to administer the laws relating to all branches of agriculture, but we do not need other paid agencies to divide the work and create strife. If the Legislature will consolidate the Warehouse Department with the Department of Agriculture, I will guarantee to administer both departments for \$50,000 a year less than they are now costing. I will also guarantee not to ask an increase in my salary because of extra work, or the high cost of living."

Knowing the positions of the two candidates the democratic voters nominated me by a majority of 65,871 votes, over a man who is

Chief of the Bureau of Markets in the Warehouse Department and who is still trying to prevent this consolidation, and the people gave me the largest vote in the general election of any other candidate.

Shall the voice of the people, the recommendations of the Governor, the Legislative Investigating Committee, and two State Democratic platforms be repudiated and the State subjected to further useless expense in order to permit pie eaters to hold jobs?

Respectfully,
GEO. B. TERRELL.

Sheriff's Notice of Election

The State of Texas, County of Young

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 13th day of August, 1921, at (a) the Jean picture show building in Common School District No. 54 of this county as established by order of the county board of trustees of date the 2nd day of June, 1916, which is of record in book designated Record of School Districts, on page 428, (b) to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property tax-paying voters of said district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said common school district in the amount of \$9000.00, the bonds to be of the denomination of \$100.00 each, numbered consecutively from 1 to 90, both inclusive, payable 40 years from their date, with option of redemption at any time after 20 years from their date, and bearing 5 per cent interest per annum, payable annually on April 10th of each year, to provide funds to be expended in payment of accounts legally contracted in (c) building and equipping a school building of brick, and to determine whether the commissioners court of this county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds or any of them are outstanding a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and county and who are resident property taxpayers in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their

ballots the words "For the Bonds," and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Bonds."

A. J. Castwell has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county

as is required by law for holding a general election.

Said election was ordered by the county judge of this county by order made on the 11th day of July, 1921, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated the 19th day of July, 1921.
47-49 JOHN W. SAYE,
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CISCO ROAD PLANS OIL FIELD EXTENSION

Line Will Go From Breckenridge Toward Graham By New Wells

Cisco, July 21.—The Cisco & North eastern will be extended from Breckenridge toward Graham by way of the field that has been opened up by the Prairie Oil and Gas Company wells and the Hart well in the eastern edge of Stephens and western edge of Palo Pinto counties, just as soon as possible, R. Q. Lee, the president said Tuesday.

Mr. Lee has just returned from an inspection trip through this territory and he regards it as one of the most promising fields that has been opened up in this section. The Hart well, which was brought in last Thursday, was connected to the Prairie Oil and Gas line Saturday and is putting fifty barrels an hour into the line and showing 4,500,000 feet of gas. This well is only forty-seven feet into the line. Other tests that have been made within one to five miles of the Hart well show the black lime in that territory to be from 85 to 225 feet thick.

PRESBYTERIANS DECLARE MODERN DANCE IMMORAL

Kerrville, July 20.—Condemning modern dances, indecent dress, suggestive motion pictures, joyriding and Sabbath desecration as "immoral and dangerous in effect on Christian character," the Young People's Conference, in closing session this morning at the Westminster Presbyterian encampment passed resolutions to avoid such named amusements and to "strive to glorify God in recreation and amusement as well as in service."

The action taken this morning came as a result of a meeting called yesterday afternoon by Dr. Gilbert Glass of Richmond, superintendent of Sunday Schools and young people's work of the Southern Presbyterian Church, to get the opinion of the young people on the subject of whole some amusements.

The young people's conference closed with the evening song and prayer service. The Sunday School conference will begin tomorrow and last until July 23.

Chautauquas are again abroad in the land, giving the rural population opportunity to wrestle with the problems of the world and compare the points of its automobiles.

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BEAUMONT OIL FIRE LOSS OVER MILLION

Damage Estimated \$1,250,000 In Blaze Caused By Lightning

Beaumont, July 24.—Fire in a tank farm seven miles south of the city began at 10:40 o'clock Friday night. The loss is still undetermined, but it is estimated the damage has reached approximately \$1,250,000.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company has lost 100,000 barrels of distillate valued at \$2.50 a barrel. The Sun Company has lost 500,000 barrels of Oklahoma light oil valued at about \$2 a barrel, including the piping cost from the field. The value of the tanks destroyed will approximate \$100,000.

The fire was started by a bolt of lightning which struck into the center of an earthen tank containing 300,000 barrels of oil. Chemical processes were brought into play to save the oil and would have succeeded had not the wood in the tank roof set the fire again each time it was extinguished.

400 Fight Flames
The Magnolia Company has used more than 400 men to keep the flames confined, but the burning tank boiled over and the flaming oil spread over many acres, consuming everything in its path.

No one was injured, but there are many with blistered hands and faces as a result. Many residences in that section were scorching hot, but none were directly in the path and were saved by the bucket brigade.

The foreman in charge of the Magnolia's fighting crew announces that it is believed the flames can now be controlled as the flames are centered into the distillate tanks, which will not overflow. Unless a wind comes up, it is believed none of the others will catch fire.

Ordinarily about half the oil from a burning tank can be saved by pumping from the bottom but all the tanks in the farm were brimful of oil, having been filled during the low prices and high production of Texas and Oklahoma fields, and there were no places to put the fluid.

NORTHWEST TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

The 1924 session of the Northwest Texas Press Association will be held in Electra Friday and Saturday, August 19-20. Most of the members are likely to reach the city about noon Friday and leave Saturday afternoon.

The city of Electra will do all in its power to show the editors a good time, and a profitable meeting will be had.

The Northwest Texas Press Association is over a quarter of a century old and has never missed a meeting. The Association includes as its territory that section of Texas from Fort Worth to the state line and north of the T. & P. The membership has been decreased slightly by the organization of the Panhandle Press Association, but there is still left enough territory to have a large attendance, and many new members will be solicited this year. The district meeting really afford a better place to discuss local problems than the state meetings, and they form a place where the good things in one man's business can be passed on to the next man.

The welcome address will be given by some man from Electra. The response will be by Mr. E. A. Carlock of the Paducah Post.

Mr. John Esten Cooke, past president of the Texas press Association, has accepted an invitation to be on hand and deliver an address.

Advantages of the Franklin over other Price Lists—Harry Koch of the Quannah Tribune—Chief.

Facing City Prices—Sam A. Roberts of the Haskell Free Press.

How to Deal with Advertising Agencies.—Sam Braswell of the Clarondon News.

Handling Subscriptions Books—W. A. Johnson of the Memphis Herald.

Making Legal Advertising Pay—D. L. Garner of the Chillicothe News.

Accuracy in Reporting News.—J. C. Thomas of the Childress Post.

Profit Sharing—Buford O. Brown.

Round Table Discussion—Cyrus W. Coleman of the Henrietta Independent.

A REAL AUTHORITY

Little Nelly told little Anita what she terms "only a fib."

Anita: "A fib is the same as a story, and a story is the same as a lie."

Nelly: "No; it is not."

Anita: "Yes, it is, because my father said so, and my father is a professor at the university."

Nelly: "I don't care if he is. My father is an editor, and he knows more about lying than your father."

—Blighly.

Bull fights in Mexico must be just a habit. They don't need them down there for excitement.

BRITISH KILL THIRTY THOUSAND HORSES TO SAVE TRANSPORTATION

London.—Horse lovers throughout the country have been shocked by Colonial Secretary Winston Churchill's announcement in the house of Commons that 30,000 army horses in Mesopotamia are to be killed because it is too expensive to bring them home.

It was explained that they are mainly heavy draft horses, for which there is no local use, and that they had to be fed on imported fodder. The nearest possible markets are India or Egypt, but the difficulties and cost of transportation there are said to be prohibitive.

Shipping men say it costs 10 to 50 pounds to bring a horse from the East to England, not counting horsemen's wages.

The war office view is that it is better for the horses to be killed humanely and scientifically than to be left in the hands of natives who would not care for them properly, and no one would suggest turning them adrift in the desert.

COUNTER TABLE, twenty feet long, for sale at Leader office.

SECRET ORDER MEN BARRED FROM JURIES

Judge James R. Hamilton of the Travis county Criminal District Court at Austin, who recently attracted state-wide attention in specially charging the Travis county grand jury to investigate the Ku Klux Klan, in Travis county and Austin, is in the center of the stage again with instructions to the jury commissioners that any person who belongs to any unlawful clandestine order of masked men created for the purpose of administering punishment to citizens of Texas for any crime shall not be selected by the commissioners as a member of the grand jury.

Instructions given by Judge Hamilton on this point read: "You are instructed that crime should be punished under the Constitution and penal laws of this state and any person who belongs to any clandestine order of masked men, created for the purpose of administering punishment to citizens of Texas for any crime, is not qualified to serve as a grand juror for the State of Texas in any county in Texas."

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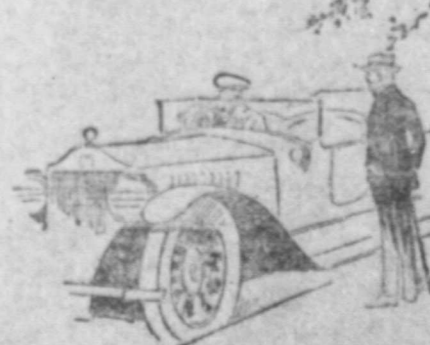
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