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WAITING FOR SOMETHING TO HAPPEN



Scene Just Before the Nomination of Woodrow Wilson

LOCALS

News of the week told quick

The moving picture show is running Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Nice bright pictures. Electric lighted throughout. Everything nice, clean and comfortable. Entire change of program every show. Remember the afternoon show at 4 o'clock Every one is pleased with the pictures. In the Forbes building, next to the City Drug Store.

Wm. Carey was in town Saturday with a load of nice, ripe melons.

For Sale:—One good Cook stove cheap See J. Lee Jones.

For Sale:—Cash or good note, 10 good milk cows. I am overstocked. J. P. Walker, The dairyman

Dr. Allan Shackelford is here this week from New Orleans. He is visiting his brothers Joe and Pierce

Jessie Curtis, the small child of Mr. and Mrs. Paschal died Sunday The little boy was only two and a half years old.

Miss Tootsie is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. McKelvain and Dudley, out on the farm.

C. S. Johnson walked to Cisco Thursday. No auto for C. S. as long as he has good use of his foots

I mean to sell those cows. See me at once. J. P. Walker, the milk man.

Lost:—Wednesday evening a gold hand carved buckle pin. Please return to Miss Rushing.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lindquist and Corine left Wednesday for California to spend the summer

Pure Ice Cream and drinks that are cold. McCord Gro. Co.

Mrs. J. Lee Jones returned Thursday evening from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Marr at Stephenville Her mother returned with her, also her brother, W. L. Marr, and Mrs. W. L. Marr of Lamesa.

WATCH

Our window for the biggest bargains ever sold for 10c each. The Racket Store.

See the Picture Show every night.

We have a clipping from the Mt. Vernon, [Ill] Daily News, about the visit of Mr. Harlow to Cross Plains. We will use it next week.

The small child of John Duke, died Wednesday morning.

Yes I am the man that use the dope. You are the liar when you say I do. (Adv.)

It pays to pay Cash, McCords Gro. Co.

In this issue of the Review will be found the announcement of John Burkett, of Putnam, Texas, as a candidate for the office of District Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held July 27. Mr. Burkett has lived in Callahan County for the past five years and is well and favorably known throughout the country. He resided in Baird for some time, holding down a position with E. C. Fulton at the Barber Shop.

Mr. Burkett is qualified to fill the position to which he aspires and asks your earnest consideration when you cast your votes.

Some talk of a big picnic at Cottonwood on July 25th just two days before the primary. This is for the benefit of the candidates.

WOODROW WILSON IS DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE

Convention Hall, July 2.—Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey was today nominated for the presidency by the Democratic national convention. The nomination was made at 3:15 p. m. on the 46 ballot, after Underwood and Foss had been withdrawn. Clark had released his supporters and New York, as a climax had moved to suspend the balloting and make the nomination of Wilson by acclamation. There was objection to this plan. As the final roll call came on state after state fell into line for the New Jersey executive, piling up an overwhelming majority. The result was received with tumultuous demonstration by delegations and Wilson supporters. The New Jersey governor's total vote was 990

JOHNSON WHIPPED FLYNN IN SEVENTH ROUND

Telegraphic reports from Las Vegas, N. M. late Thursday evening state that Flynn, the "White Hope," was knocked out in the seventh round by Jack Johnson, the "nigger" champion. No particulars.

Mrs. Cora Work and Son and daughter Bill and Pencie, and Miss Pattie Dickey of Weatherford were guests at the home of Will McGowan during the week and attended the picnic. They returned to Baird Thursday.

Miss Gussie Odom spent a few days this week at the Terminal guest of Miss Georgie Davis.

Grape juice 5c McCords Gro. Co

THEY KEEP COMING

Another shipment of big bargains to sell at 10c at The Racket Store.

For Sale:—Cash or good note, 10 choice milk cows. I am overstocked. J. P. Walker, the milk man.

Pierce Shackelford of the Terminal spent Sunday at Rev. Odoms.

BECAUSE

We save you money is the best reason in the world why you should trade at The Racket Store

BOOSTERS FOR THE DEMOCRATIC CAUSE



Three prominent members of the Woman's National Democratic league now in Baltimore to confer with Norman Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee. They are, right: Mrs. Randolph Hopkins, secretary; center: Mrs. Charles Sithlum, vice-president; left: Mrs. William G. Sharp of Ohio.

TO THE FARMERS WHO HAVE GRAIN AND PEANUTS

I am prepared to thresh both grain and peanuts. I have gone to considerable expense to prepare to do your work, and will appreciate your patronage. I bought a peanut thresher and also a regular Case grain thresher. My outfit is brand new, and of course will give absolute satisfaction. My outfit is now in the Bayou country, but I will get it back here in plenty of time to take care of all the grain in this neighborhood. Assuring you that I will appreciate your business I am yours truly. J. P. Cross, The thresher man.

Tom Harris and Bob Enzor were in town Thursday.

Emory Robertson, of Cottonwood was in town Thursday.

Miss Pyle of Austin came in Thursday evening for a visit with her uncle Mr. Pyle south of town.

J. M. Childers was in town Monday with a load of fine Early Wheeler Peaches.

Fresh Groceries at McCords Grocery Co.

In this issue we place the name of A. R. Day before the voters of Callahan county as a candidate for the office of District Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, to be held on July 27th, 1912. He has served as District Clerk since last November, having been appointed at that time by the bar of Callahan county, to fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of J. R. Black and has made you a most faithful and obedient servant, having performed the duties of his office with diligence.

He comes asking you to continue him as your district clerk for the customary second term, believing that when you have duly considered you cannot fail to do so. His record stands before you. He is a book. Read it and make your quest

TO THE VOTERS OF BROWN AND CALLAHAN

As a report is being circulated that the Hon. H. P. Taylor is a rank Infidel, we the undersigned denounce this report a MALICIOUS CAMPAIGN LIE that is being circulated to defeat him for Representative.

Mr. Taylor is a high tone gentleman, is not an Infidel, but has done a great deal for the churches in this section, and contributes to the Methodist church quarterly.

Mr. Taylor is also a member in good standing in the I. O. O. F. and the A. F. & A. M. Lodges. Signed.

S. C. Steele, Baptist Minister, A. L. Sadler J. G. McBride A. M. Brown, M. D. Elmo Bettis J. H. Gray S. H. Laswell J. T. Triplett J. N. Sprunce J. S. Butts C. C. Robason B. H. Bettis Z. M. Bettis R. M. Medcalf H. M. McDaniel C. Jones T. D. Snipes

Found:—A nice white baby cloak corded material, between Henry Austins and Dave Jenk's on upper Dressy road. Owner can have it by calling at this office and paying for this ad.

Cross Plains and Baird played three games of dall here monday and Tuesday, in the game monday evening Baird won by a fraction. In the to games Tuesday, Picnic day Cross Plains won both times. 1 to 9 in favor of Cross Plains Tuesday morning 2 to 8 Tueaday evening in favor of Cross Plains. We warned Baird but could'nt do a thing that would keep them from playing.

We have placed a box on the telephone post in front of post-office and ask that everyone who knows any local news to jot it down and drop it in the box. We'll do the rest. Please help us gather locals.

Doras Odom was in town Thursday night to get medicine. He is Odom, who has been in the

H. W. KUTEMAN, Pres.
VIRGIL HART, Cashier C. C. NEEB, Asst. Cashier

J. E. SPENCER, V. Pres

The Bank of Cross Plains

(UN-INCORPORATED)

Responsibility \$1,000,000

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

We invite you to open an account with us. All accounts whether large or small will be given careful attention. We want your business.

NOTICE

Everything in our store is marked in plain figures and one price; you know the price, you can see the saving. Don't miss this **S A L E**

SEMI-ANNUAL STORE

A Good Reason

The reason this house has enjoyed the liberal patronage of so many of the best people in this town and community, is because of our fair and impartial treatment, showing no one favors above another, but at all times striving to work to the interest of every person that comes into our place of business. We attribute our marvelous success to this great business principle.

It is an unusual thing for a store to give their credit trade the advantage of so great discount on their purchases, but we believe that every customer who trades with us on time should have the advantage of this great opportunity, if his account is worthy, therefore we extend to all this marvelous money saving opportunity, and will only add the usual 10 percent for goods charged.

Don't forget that everything goes in this sale, and it is all new and up-to-date merchandise. All goods marked in plain figures. You can see the price. You can see the saving. The Store that treats all alike.

July 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15th.

SILKS

Fifty pieces of silk, regular 50c to \$1.75 the yard goods. Sale price per yard 35c to \$1.10.

If interested in Silks investigate this department.

A full line of ladies up-to-date Neck-Wear goes in this sale.

Towels Regular 10c now	08c
Towels Regular 20c now	15c
Towels Regular 25c now	19c
Towels Regular 35c now	27c
Towels Regular 50c now	38c
Towels Regular 75c now	55c
Towels Regular \$1.00 now	83c

HOSIERY

There is no better wearing hosiery for the price than Iron Clad—every pair guaranteed.

Children's 10c hose	7 1/2c
Ladies' 10c hose	7 1/2c
Children's 15c hose	11c
Ladies' 15c hose	11c
25c Iron Clad hosiery	20c
35c Iron Clad hosiery	23c

Men's hosiery at same prices. We have a good stock of hosiery which we can recommend to give satisfaction.

SKIRTS

We handle the best fitting skirts to be had. Take notice of these prices.

\$5.00 skirts	\$3.85
\$10.00 skirts	\$7.50
\$7.50 skirts	\$5.85
\$12.50 skirts	\$10.00

A few skirts, one of a kind, at one-half price.

Ladies' Waists

One lot nice waist, \$1.25 \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 values all go at \$1.00

Opens Saturday, July 6
Closes



Our Entire Stock of Dry Goods Men's Furnishing Goods, the thrown on the market at most advertisement carefully and our reputation for Honest Merchandament is behind every price. When We put on a sale it is deep. The price on absolutely ever deep.

Men's Clothing



We have always enjoyed the reputation of carrying one of the most complete and up-to-date stocks of Men's Clothing to be found anywhere, including Sonneborn Specials and other well known brands. We have bought to heavily and as we try to never carry goods from one season to another we had rather take our loss now than pay interest and have old stock. Notice the special prices quoted here and come in and let us fit you. We know that our clothing will please.

Regular \$10.00 Suits now	\$6.49
" 12.50 Suits now	\$8.48
" 15.00 Suits now	\$9.63
" 18.00 Suits now	\$12.99
" 20.00 Suits now	\$13.45
" 25.00 Suits now	\$16.30
" 1.50 Boys suits	\$1.10
" 2.00 Boys suits	\$1.35
" 2.50 Boys suits	\$1.69
" 3.50 Boys suits	\$2.78
" 5.00 Boys suits	\$3.45
" 6.00 Boys suits	\$4.45

\$1.50 Mens Pants	\$1.20
1.75 " "	\$1.45
2.00 " "	\$1.55
2.50 " "	\$1.89
3.50 " "	\$2.78

Everything in good clothing at corresponding prices. A few dollars will do wonders at this Cost Sale.

\$6.50 John B. Stetson Hat	\$5.45
5.00 " "	3.98
4.00 Stern & Bern Hats	2.98
3.50 Stern & Bern Hats	2.79
3.00 " & " "	2.43
2.50 " & " "	1.89
2.00 " & " "	1.42
1.75 " & " "	1.28
1.50 " & " "	1.15

MENS SHIRTS

Regular \$1.50 Shirts now	\$1.25
" 1.25 " now	1.05
" 1.00 " now	.83
" .75 " now	.55
" .65 " now	.48

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TRUNKS AND SUIT CASES

\$15.00 Trunks	\$11.85
12.50 Trunks	9.90
10.00 Trunks	7.85
6.50 Trunks	4.95
5.00 Trunks	4.10

Suit cases and bags at sale prices.

The Store will be closed all day Friday Marking Down PRICES

Don't Forget the Date, July 6 to 15.

Everything Will be Sold as Advertised

DAVIS-GARNE

Remember, with us Quality is the Thing

CROSS

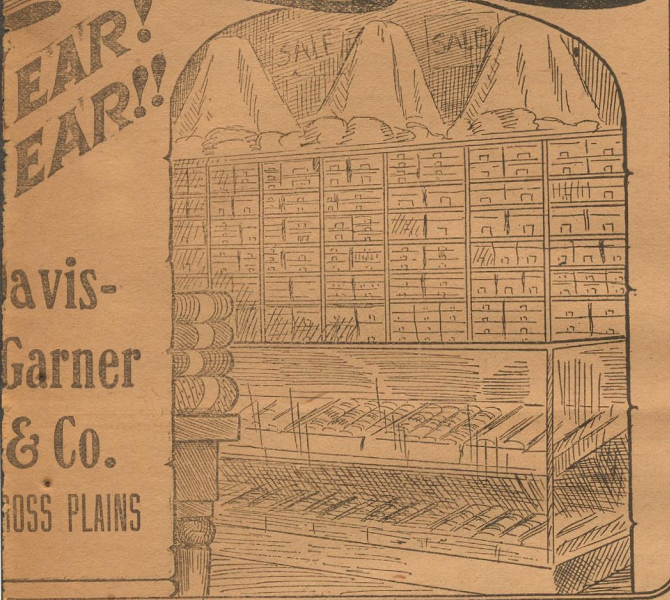
STOCK TAKING SALE

NOTICE

Everything in our store is marked in plain figures and one price; you know the price, you can see the saving. Don't miss this **S A L E**

July 6,
Monday, July 15th

SALE! SALE!



Davis-Garner & Co. CROSS PLAINS

Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Ladies' and Largest in the County, is now at attractive prices. Read this come to this Unusual Sale. Our Paradise, Square and Fair Treatment and every statement made. means Bargain Opportunities. Everything has been cut and cut

SALE PRICES, and All New

A Good Reason

Again our SEMI-ANNUAL STOCK-TAKING TIME rolls around and not withstanding the fact that our business exceeded our expectations we find that through our desire to supply our patrons with their every need, we bought entirely to many goods, therefore we are making prices in this sale that will interest all, and at the same time help us to carry out the established policy of this firm of making each season take care of its own purchases thereby preventing an accumulation of old and out of season merchandise. In order that we may accomplish the purpose we have in view, we are cutting the prices and cutting them deep, in fact we are going to make this a real bonifide money-saving event,

The reputation of this firm is behind every article offered in this sale so you cant make a mistake. Remember that everything offered will be strictly new and seasonable merchandise.

July 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15th.

DRESS GOODS

Our stock of Ginghams, Percales, and Wash Goods is al most complete and at present prices we advise our customers to supply their needs. We quote only a few prices. You will remember, however, that nothing will be reserved, but the price on everything will be greatly reduced.
36-in. dress gingham 12¹/₂c quality 9¹/₂c
A. F. C. Ginghams, best 9¹/₂c
Johnson Percales per yard 8c
10c sateens per yard...7¹/₂c
60c wool dress good 54 in. wide 46c
\$1.00 and \$1.25 grade broad-cloth 75c
All wool dress goods at correspondingly low prices.

NOTIONS

Pearl Buttons, per dozen...3¹/₂c
Best Brass Pins, paper...3¹/₂c
Best Needles, paper...2¹/₂c
Boss Ball thread, per box 20c
One lot 5c Laces...3¹/₂c
8¹/₂c laces per yard...6¹/₂c
10c laces per yard...7¹/₂c
One lot 5c embroidery, 3¹/₂c
8¹/₂c embroidery, per yard...5c
12¹/₂c embroidery per yard...9c
25c embroidery, per yard 18c
Arrow Brand Collars...11c
50c Corsets...39c
\$1.00 Corsets...85c
\$1.50 Corsets...\$1.25
5c Handkerchiefs...3¹/₂c
10c Handkerchiefs...7c
Everything on notions reduced
Embroideries at Sale Prices.

Ladies' Underwear

Regular \$2.00 Petticoats now.....\$1.49	Regular 50c Drawers now.....38c
Regular \$1.75 Petticoat now.....\$1.38	Regular 75c Drawers now.....55c
Regular \$1.50 Petticoat now.....\$1.21	Regular 10c Vest now.....7c
Regular \$1.75 Gowns now.....\$1.38	Regular 15c Vest now.....11c
Regular \$1.50 Gown now.....\$1.21	Regular 20c Vest now.....15c
Regular \$1.00 Gowns now.....83c	Regular 25c Vest now.....19c
Regular 75c Gowns now.....55c	Regular 35c Vest now.....27c
Regular 35c Drawers now.....27c	Regular 50c Vest now.....39c

STAPLES

Wearwell, vd.....8c
Virginia plaids.....4¹/₂c
Silver king plaid 8¹/₂c grade 6c
Best feather tick per yard 14¹/₂c
Mattress tick.....8c
Best oil cloth.....15c
50c table linen.....40c
60c table linen.....45c
75c table linen.....59c
\$1.00 table linen.....82c
\$1.50 table linen.....\$1.20
Large stock napkins included in this sale.
All underwear and men's shirts included in this sale.
Regular 20 Wash Linaire 16¹/₂c
Regular 20c solid colors 16¹/₂c
" 25c Egyptian Tissue 21c
" 5c Heather Lawn 4c
" 8c Irena Organdie...6c
" 10c Valmont Batiste 8c
" 12¹/₂c figured Lawn 10c
" 15c solid Batiste 12¹/₂c
" 18c solid and figured Organdie.....10c
" 20c Black Organdie 16¹/₂c
" 12¹/₂c Dimity Madras 10c
" 16¹/₂c " " 13¹/₂c
" 18c " " 15c
" 20c " " 16¹/₂c



SHOES

We sustain the reputation the country over of selling the most dependable shoes in all this section. We have the exclusive agency for such lines as Hanans, Roberts, Johnson & Rand, Pilgrams, etc. Boy's, Misses' and Children's Shoes and Low Cuts reduced on same basis as the prices quoted below.

\$3.50 Pilgrams.....	\$3.10
4.00 ".....	3.55
4.00 Patriot.....	3.55
4.50 ".....	3.55
5.00 R. J. & R.....	3.95
6.50 Hanan.....	4.85
7.00 ".....	5.65
4.00 Ladies Society Star.....	3.10
3.50 ".....	2.95
3.00 " Patent Leather Shoes and Slippers.....	2.35
1.75 " Kid Shoes and Slippers.....	1.35
2.50 Special lot Mens Shoes and Slippers.....	1.98

EXTRA SPECIAL Best Grade Calico, per yard..... **3¹/₂c**
In order that everyone may have a chance at this, the quantity to each customer will be limited

10 per cent Added on all Goods Charged **Don't Forget The Place**

DAVIS-GARNER & COMPANY

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

Watch Us Grow.

DON'T FORGET

We carry everything in groceries and will be glad to make you prices as we believe that we can save you money. We guarantee a Dollars worth for every Dollar spent.

The Store will be closed all day Friday Marking Down PRICES

An Individual Dinner Set FREE

To Everyone Who Trades at Our Store, We Are Going to Give a **Genuine Vienna Seven-Piece Imported Dinner Set**

You do not care how we spend our money to advertise, so we are going to spend something in this way and give you the benefit.

There is a reason why you should trade at our store

We have what you want

Quality is the best

Prices are Always Right



Then why not trade with us? We try to show our appreciation of your business by making it possible for you to collect coupons and secure enough of our beautiful imported china to set your table.

We give you the opportunity—will you take advantage of this exceptional offer?

We will be pleased to have you call, at which time we will explain full particulars.

FREE with \$35.00 in cash trade, or FREE with \$10.00 in trade and small cash payment of 98c to cover freight and import charges.

Carter & Kenady,
GENERAL MERCHANTS
Cross Plains, Texas.

Experience teaches that prosperity in mercantile pursuits depends upon advertising in the best papers during the right season. Merchants may get along without it, but they only eke out an existence. The prosperous merchant is the merchant that ably assists his business by liberal advertising application.

An Advertisement and An Editorial. In the current issue of Judicious Advertising is an advertisement which says:

"You can talk to all classes, all the people, all the time, only by using street car advertising."

And on another page is an editorial which says:

"The most interesting thing to an advertiser is to know who reads the publication—who will see the message he prepares with such care. Are the subscribers and readers persons who will not only be interested in the message, but will be able and willing to buy what he offers for sale? Because unless this be the case it is foolishness for an advertiser to spend time and money in sowing seed on unfruitful ground."

The editorial is right. The advertiser does not want to talk to "all" classes. He wants to talk to the buying classes; that's what he pays for.

Mexican Cattle Being Imported.

El Paso: Six hundred head of Terrezas cattle arrived at El Paso over the Mexican Central road recently. They were brought from Suz, to which place they were driven from the ranges. They are part of 50,000 head which the El Paso Live Stock and Commission Company is importing through this port. Eight hundred head of cattle from the Creel ranches were brought in this afternoon and are being held for the present at the Union Stock Yards, though they will be sent to the Panhandle. The cattle were imported as Presidio by the Cameron, Cattle Company on May 29 and later sold to Myers & Peters. The cattle were loaded at Marfa and from there shipped to El Paso.

Nearly Clear of Rebels.

Madera, Mexico: The withdrawal of the commands of "Hoche" Campos and Col. Felix Terrazas from Santa Ysabel leaves points between Chihuahua and Madera stripped of rebel troops, except for two small garrisons, one at Cusihiuiriachic and another at Santa Tomas. There are twenty in the first and twelve in the latter. No armed Federal or Maderistas are in evidence between this point and Chihuahua, although there are said to be Government troops operating between here and Juarez.

KEEP-U-NEAT TAILOR SHOP

For first class cleaning and pressing. Alterations made on short notices. Agent for the A. S. T. Co all the latest patterns in woollens. See our big line of samples and you will buy your next suit from us. Located in the rear end of McCord building.

R. I. Lee, [The experienced Tailor]

Ladies hats 1/2 off on Trades Day.
B. L. Boydston

THE CEMENT MAN

I am making Cement Watering Troughs for Horses and Hogs and stock of all kinds. Also Cement Caps for Wells, any size. Get you a trough that wont dry out. See them at Shackelford's Lumber Yard.

WARREN S. BUTLER

J. R. BLACK

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

CIVIL PRACTICE ONLY. ABSTRACTS AND LAND TITLES A SPECIALTY.

Office at Courthouse
BAIRD TEXAS

W. E. McKinney

The Shoe Repair Man.

ALL KINDS OF HARNESS WORK. Rear Racket Store.

Cross Plains Development Co.

Agents for Cross Plains Townsite Company.

Office at Carpenter's Barber Shop
All kinds of Real Estate and Insurance.

walking back to the field that he began scheming the play he made. I was on the bench and noticed that Cal went only about half as far to the center field as he usually played, and at the same time he motioned to his right and left fielders not to come in close, as I expected, but to swing in toward center and far out so as to cover him up in case the ball was hit over his head. It looked to be queer baseball, but as the batter was a dead center field hitter, I scented Cal's idea and began yelling to the batter to hit that ball on the ground. Instead he drove it on a low line straight over second base. It was darting toward the ground not more than 15 feet back of the bag, and the runners, of course, not knowing Cal had changed position, tore for home with me and the coaches yelling our heads off trying to stop them. I quit suddenly, for it seemed impossible for Cal to reach the ball. He was coming full tilt when he saw he could not reach it, and he simply threw himself forward, dived and scooped the ball before it hit the ground. There wasn't a bit of trouble for him to complete the double play. He hit on one shoulder, turned a somersault and rolled—rolled clear to the base, and, turning over, sat on the bag with the ball in his hands and the game was over—finished by the most wonderful piece of fielding and planning I ever witnessed.

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ing the saluting." He thereby saved his life. It is said President Tyler at this incident met the lady who afterward became his bride.

Economy.
Ker-Smith—Here's \$2.50; you'd better take a cab to the depot.
Mrs. Ker-Smith—You know, John, I never ride in anything but a taxi.

Ker-Smith—Oh, in that case, stay where you are. I'll have the depot moved up here; it will be less expensive.

Miss Ruby Gilbert has returned from Putnam.

THE LITTLE GIANT DOUBLE LEVER HAY PRESS

Built for service. Has the double lever attachment, giving it a compound power—3 times as much as the old style. With the Little Giant Double Lever, a 12 year old boy can do the work of a 180 pound man. These presses are manufactured in Cross Plains. When you buy one you get your money's worth in the press, and you encourage home industry.

GEO. MITCHELL
At Brazelton & Pryor Lumber Yard, For Particulars

The GREATEST PLAY I EVER SAW

AS TOLD TO Hugh S. Fullerton

By FRANK McNICHOLS.

Manager and Infielder of the Champion Semi-Pro West Ends of Chicago, and Member Illinois Legislature.



FRANK McNICHOLS.

Wilkins' Jest.
In the war department there is a portrait of more than usual interest. It is that of William Wilkins, secretary of war in the Tyler cabinet, who is pointed to as a man who saved his own life by a jest. He was one of the party of distinguished men who were entertained on the United States gunboat Princeton as the vessel made a trial trip down the Potomac. President Tyler was on board also. As the usual salute was fired as the gunboat passed Mount Vernon a gun exploded, killing two of the cabinet officers and Senator Gardiner of New York.

Wilkins was on the boat but he missed the explosion. He had jokingly remarked: "Although I am secretary of war I do not like the firing of guns and I am going to slip away dur-

Blood Was Wrong

All women, who suffer from the aches and pains, due to female ailments, are urged to try Cardui, the reliable, scientific, tonic remedy, for women. Cardui acts promptly, yet gently, and without bad effects, on the womanly system, relieving pain, building up strength, regulating the system, and toning up the nerves. During the past half century, thousands of ladies have written to tell of the quick curative results they obtained, from the use of this well-known medicine.

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Jane Calahan suffered from womanly trouble for nearly ten years. In a letter from Whiteville, N. C., she says: "I was not able to do my own housework. My stomach was weak, and my blood was wrong. I had back-ache, and was very weak. I tried several doctors, but they did me no good. I used Cardui for 3 or 4 months, and now I am in the best health I have ever been. I can never praise Cardui enough." It is the best tonic, for women.

Whether seriously sick, or simply weak, try Cardui.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 153

LONE STAR LINE

CONNECTING LINK BETWEEN WEST TEXAS AND NORTH, CENTRAL AND EAST TEXAS POINTS GULF COAST RESORTS AND ALL POINTS IN THE SOUTHEAST

EQUIPMENT AND SERVICE THE BEST

H. B. SPERRY, Gen'l Pass. Agent, Waco, Tex.

When they told me last winter that Jimmy Callahan was going to quit the semi-pro field in Chicago and return to the major leagues, I felt certain he would set the American league afire. I knew what he had been doing in the local field in Chicago, and that the talk about him not being able to come back was foolish, on the grounds that the only time he was away was on a visit to lively company. Cal in a way had been wasting his sweetness on desert air, for he was for three years pulling off plays in semi-professional games in and around Chicago that would have set big league crowds crazy.

I believe the greatest play I ever saw, either in the big or little leagues, was made by Callahan a couple of years ago on the West End grounds. He pitched part of the game and retired with his team a shade to the good, and went to center field. I believe his Logan Square team had us beaten two runs when he left the slab, because he felt his arm weakening a bit, and in the seventh inning we cut down the lead to one, hitting the pitcher who had relieved Callahan hard. It came to the ninth with the Logan Square team still lead-

T. E. Powell, President,
T. B. Vestal, V. President,
Taylor Bond, Asst. Cashier,

J. A. Barr, Vice President,
S. F. Bond, Cashier,
R. Gray Powell, Asst. Cash.

The Farmers National ---BANK---

We Appreciate Business and Give Same amt, careful attention. Capital & Surplus \$30,000

WHICH DO YOU PAY FOR?

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200 PERSONS KILLED IN CANADIAN STORM

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300 HOMES ARE DESTROYED

Path Mowed Two Blocks Wide Thru the Fashionable Residence District—Phone Office Wrecked.

Winnipeg: It is estimated that 200 people were killed and property loss of \$1,000,000 entailed by a tornado, which, after a day of thunder-storms and high wind, struck Regina, Saskatchewan at 8 a. m., Sunday.

The local telephone offices were wrecked and it is feared that fifteen girls employed there were killed. The telephone exchange building, the Standard block, the first Baptist Church and the Baird and Bottle building are among the structures destroyed. All wires except one telegraph wire are down. This one wire is crowded with private messages from people who wish to send word of their safety to friends and relatives.

The storm swept northward, mowing a path six blocks wide through the fashionable residence district. Along Victoria street from Sixteenth to Eleventh streets, 300 houses were destroyed and many people killed. Automobiles filled with people were hurled high in the air and dropped blocks away.

In the business district, warehouses, banking institutions and retail stores were sent into heaps of ruins, while the air was filled with wreckage. Passing the business district the Canadian Pacific Railway tracks were reached. Six big grain elevators were toppled over like ten pins, the timbers being piled in heaps.

Most of the first department stations escaped the storm and water pressure was not impaired so fires were confined to the ruins where they started. The storm continued northwest from Regina through Central Saskatchewan, doing great damage, but no loss of life is reported outside of Regina.

The tornado came from the south and fire stock the new Parliamentary Building just completed at a cost of \$2,000,000. The building is of steel and concrete and, while it still stands, is badly shaken.

CHURCH IS BLOWN DOWN.

People had Just Left Building When Storm Hit, Causing Much Damage.

Quinlan, Texas: A few minutes after several hundred people had emerged from the First Methodist Church at Mexico, a town five miles east of this place, the building was wrecked by the fury of a wind and rainstorm that swept the town Sunday about 5 o'clock. The church was blown off its blocks.

The net result of a veritable water-spout and lightning was a loss of \$5,000 to the church; the destruction of a two-story brick building, fired by lightning, entailing a loss of \$4,000, accounting for contents, and the damage resulting when Clarence Allen's home was blown down by the high wind. Fields and streets were flooded by water. It is considered remarkable the fact that no one was killed or injured.

REFUSE TO TREAT WITH REBELS.

Mexican President says Terms of Surrender Unconditional

City of Mexico.—President Madero has refused again to enter into negotiations with Orozco over terms of surrender. The rebel leader is understood to have asked by telegraph several days ago what consideration he and his men might expect at the hands of the authorities if they agreed to lay down their arms.

President Madero is said to have refused to consider terms, maintaining the stand which he took long ago that he would not treat with the revolutionaries and that his terms were an unconditional surrender. Such in substance is said to have been the reply sent to Orozco.

CANADIAN TOWN WIPED OUT.

Fire in Montreal Suburb Makes 200 People Homeless.

Montreal, Que.: The village of Platte Aux Trembles was almost wiped out by fire which broke out and destroyed fifty houses and stores and rendering 200 people homeless. The little town adjoins the outlying district of the city of Montreal. The village is a small one, having a population of only a few hundred.

CUBAN REBEL LEADER KILLED.

One Hundred Insurgents Also Killed in Battle With Government Troops.

Santiago: Gen. Evaristo Estenoz, the rebel leader, was killed at Vega Bellaco, six miles from Micaro, in the vicinity of Songo, by government troops under command of Lieut. De Lo Torre, after a battle in which one hundred insurgents were killed. The dead include probably also Gen. Pedro Iyonet, whose body, however, has not been found.

CITY DESTROYED; HUNDREDS DROWNED

GUANAJUATO, MEXICO, SWEEP AWAY BY FLOOD.

FOLLOWING A CLOUDBURST

Jardin del Cantador, Said to Be Most Beautiful in World, is Washed Away.

Los Angeles, Cal.: The city of Guanajuato, Mexico, was destroyed and several hundred lives lost as the result of a flood following a cloudburst a few days ago.

Dispatches received from the Mexican capital give details. The waters rose so quickly that hundreds of people living along the river were overwhelmed. Few houses in the lower part of the city were left intact, and the Jardin del Cantador, or Singing Garden, said to have been one of the most beautiful in the world, was entirely washed away, together with more than fifty private parks situated along the banks of the river at the foot of Mount San Nicholas.

When the cloudburst occurred the waters from the surrounding mountains dashed into the cup-shaped valley containing the city.

TWO KILLED; OIL CAN EXPLODES

Another Probably Fatally Burned Near San Saba.

San Saba, Texas: Two children of Harry Lusty, living eight miles west of this place, are dead another is probably fatally injured and their mother is suffering from painful burns as the result of an oil-can explosion. The residence was completely destroyed.

The boy of the family, aged 10, was engaged in starting a fire with the aid of an oil can, when the can exploded, igniting his clothes and causing injuries which resulted in his death several hours later.

His little sister, aged 5, received burns which, it is thought, will prove fatal. Mrs. Lusty was painfully but not seriously burned.

NEW RAILROAD IS CHARTERED.

San Benito and Rio Grande Valley Interurban Projected.

Austin, Texas: A new system of railroad for the Rio Grande Valley has been chartered, and from the angle of its different lines it is entitled to the name "The Spider Web Route." It is the San Benito and Rio Grande Valley Interurban Railway, with principal offices at San Benito, and capital stock of \$500,000. It is to be a steam road. The charter was filed by Andrews, Ball & Streetman of Houston, attorneys for the Frisco and Yoakum interests in Texas.

There are approximately 200 miles projected, all in Cameron and Hidalgo Counties.

Old Junk Brings \$500,000.

Portsmouth, N. H.: Nearly half a million dollars has been realized by the Government from the sale of old junk at the several naval stations on the Atlantic Coast since May 3. The Brooklyn Navy Yard turned in \$150,000, Norfolk \$100,000, Boston \$70,000 and Portsmouth \$60,000. It is estimated that over 45 per cent of this amount has been saved by a system introduced by a civilian expert on waste material, who said the Government had a gold mine in the dump and waste piles at navy yards and other places.

Santa Fe, N. M.: There will be no interference with the Johnson Flynn battle for the world's heavyweight championship at Las Vegas, July 4, by Gov. McDonald, provided the county and city authorities "enforce strictly the State laws," for suppression of public gambling. This is made plain in an official statement issued by Gov. McDonald. But should the civil authorities fail to enforce the laws, the Governor declares that "all the power that possibly can be brought into use will be directed to destroy the evil and vice attendant upon the gathering."

Wind Destroys Zeppelin Balloon.

Dusseldorf, Germany: The Zeppelin dirigible balloon, Schwaben I, stationed here, was totally destroyed Friday. The balloon was lying at anchor when a strong gust of wind caught it and broke it from its moorings. It collapsed in the middle. A number of mechanics seized the ropes but the balloon was wrenched out of their hands into the air, where a moment later it exploded, caught fire and was consumed. Several workmen and forty-four soldiers, who had been called to assist, were injured, some of them seriously. Owing to the high wind it could not be derricked into the balloon shed.

El Paso Breaks All Records.

El Paso, Texas: The total receipts for the El Paso Custom House now on deposit for the fiscal year ending June 29, surpass those of any previous year in the history of the local custom house by \$37,000. The total deposited receipts for the year amount to \$85,000. Of that sum \$550,000 was received from cattle importations alone. This, too, surpassed many of the receipts for previous years for importations of this kind, being \$200,000 more than received last year on cattle.

GENERAL AMNESTY WILL BE PROCLAIMED

MEXICAN GOVERNMENT WILL TREAT OFFENDERS KINDLY.

IS OROZCO TO SURRENDER?

Unconfirmed Rumor is That Rebel Chief is Ready to Capitulate to President Madero.

City of Mexico: Amnesty without reservation is to be extended to all political offenders, following the expected collapse of the revolution, according to information obtained from a highly authoritative source. Orozco, the arch offender, and his chiefs, Vasquez Gomez, Gen. Bernardo Reyes, and scores of others in custody and at large are to profit alike by the measure. The Administration officials propose thus to celebrate the downfall of their enemies and at the same time prove their magnanimity. With the supremacy of the constituted government amply proven, it is argued they can afford to forgive its opponents, and by doing so doubtless gain many supporters among the erstwhile revolutionists. A proclamation is to be issued immediately by the Federal forces who are in possession of the city of Chihuahua calling upon all citizens to surrender their arms and renew their allegiance to the Central Government under a sweeping promise of pardon.

A rumor, which could not be confirmed, was to the effect that Orozco had communicated with President Madero by telegraph, expressing a willingness to surrender and asking for terms for himself and his men. The subject is believed to have been taken up in a meeting of the Cabinet.

FEAR FELT FOR ARMY STEAMER.

Report That Transport Sheridan is Held in Ice and Drifting.

Washington: Considerable apprehension is felt here over the report that the army transport Sheridan with Major Gen. Arthur Murray and family aboard, beside the Thirtieth Infantry, is imprisoned in the ice in Alaskan waters and drifting into the Arctic.

The Sheridan left Seattle, Wash., June 8, for Alaska. She had on board twelve companies of the Thirtieth Infantry which the War Department ordered to relieve the Sixteenth Infantry has been for two years on duty in Alaska.

Major Gen. Murray was recently relieved of the office of Chief of Staff here and placed in command of the Western Division, with headquarters at San Francisco. With him aboard the Sheridan are Mrs. Murray and the Misses Murray. The trip for them was to be a pleasurable summer outing, which would at the time enable Major Gen. Murray to look over the Alaskan posts.

JAMES IS PERMANENT CHAIRMAN

Organization Committee Selects Kentuckian for the Place.

Baltimore, Md.: Senator-Elect Olie James of Kentucky, at a harmony meeting of the committee on permanent organization, was named for permanent chairman of the Democratic convention, but Urey Woodson, secretary of the National committee, and from time immemorial secretary of succeeding Democratic conventions, defeated for that office by E. E. Britton, a newspaper man of Raleigh, N. C. The choice of Mr. James was unanimous, but the roll was called on the secretaryship, Mr. Britton winning 24 to 18.

FORTY INJURED IN STRIKE.

Pitched Battle Between Seamen and Police on Wharf.

New Orleans, La.—About forty men were injured here Saturday afternoon in a clash between the Southern Pacific steamship firemen on the steamship Antille and the police. The firemen struck and raised a mutiny. The police tried to drive them back in wharf and a pitched battle on the wharf ensued. The Antille's crew struck on orders from New York. Their contract did not expire till Sunday midnight but they would have been at sea by then. Firemen of the United Fruit company steamship Parmisna also struck and the strike may spread to all Central American boats.

Belgium is Europe's most densely populated Nation, having at its last census 7,317,564 inhabitants to its 11,373 square miles of territory.

Democratic Platform Ready.

Baltimore: The Democratic platform was complete Friday and is ready for presentation to the convention. The document contains upward of 5,000 words, the leading planks, being devoted to the subject of tariff reform, the high cost of living and the anti-trust law. While the text of the platform will not be made public until submitted to the convention, the nature of the party declaration became known.

BURREL OATES CASE IS AGAIN AFFIRMED

FOR THIRD TIME HIGHER COURT APPROVES DEATH SENTENCE.

HAS BEEN LONG PENDING

Convicted Sixes Times, Negro Has Escaped Gallows and May Yet Win a Reversal.

Austin, Texas, June 27.—The Court of Criminal Appeal Wednesday affirmed the case of Burrell Oates, negro, convicted of murder in connection with the killing of Sol Aronoff, a merchant in Dallas, on the night of Nov. 29, 1904. The case came up on this appeal from Ellis County, where a jury had assessed the death penalty against Oates.

The case is one of the most notable in Texas criminal procedure because of the time required to secure what the higher court regarded as a "fair" trial. Holly Vann, a white man, convicted in connection with the same case, was hung in Dallas May 2, 1905. Oates has been tried seven times and six juries have assessed the death penalty against him. Four times the case was reversed and remanded.

Oates may yet get a longer lease of life if a motion for rehearing is filed. Twice before the court has affirmed the case and then reversed it on motion for rehearing. Court adjourned for the long summer recess, and it will be fall, therefore, before this case finally is disposed of by the Appellate Court.

The appeal which was affirmed has been before the court since last March, which in its decision, from which there is no dissent, says: "The court at last has given the defendant a fair and legal trial and we must, therefore, conclude by saying under the record there is no such error as would justify a reversal of judgment, and it must be affirmed." The opinion was written by Presiding Judge W. L. Davidson.

Judge Davidson's opinion is comparatively brief. The facts, he notes, are sufficiently stated in the record of the first appeal. On the contention that the negro was deprived of one or more peremptory challenges he writes that no objectionable juror was forced on the defendant, and unless a juror is legally objectionable, prior rulings of the court in respect to competency will not afford ground for reversal. On the argument that there was a difference in the testimony of Nathan Aronoff in the last, as compared with the first trial, compared with the number of shots he heard fired, he holds that the point was not material and the later failure to recall that there were only two shots fired would not be injurious.

Testimony was admissible, Judge Davidson writes, as to Oates' prior convictions involving killings, as the negro during the nineteen years from his first conviction and through the several trials of this case to his last conviction therein, has been in jail or in the penitentiary twelve or thirteen years, and evidence of the earlier convictions for other crimes, was therefore too remote to be received.

As to the exceptions taken to the trial charge on first degree murder, relating to defendant's alleged agreement with Holly Vann to rob Aronoff and the use of firearms in effecting the robbery, the killing that occurred during the attempted perpetration of the other crime, etc., the presiding Judge writes that the charge in this respect was not error.

Summing up that no reversible error is presented, Judge Davidson pays an unusually high tribute to the conduct of the defense by A. J. Baskett.

TROOPS ORDERED TO EL PASO.

Movement of Texas Soldiers in Anticipation of Attack on Juarez.

San Antonio: In anticipation of an attack on Juarez by the Federals in an effort to recapture that city, orders were received at Fort Sam Houston from the War Department for the First Squadron of the Third Cavalry to proceed to El Paso at once.

The four troops, A, B, C and D, under command of Major Sedgwick Rice, left Tuesday night over the Southern Pacific in special trains. The order did not come as a surprise at Fort Sam Houston. Col. E. D. Steever, who is in command of the department of Texas, has expressed the determination that no more bullets or shells must be fired from the Mexican side into Texas territory, and it is to enforce that rule in case of an attack that the soldiers were ordered out.

The situation at Juarez is said to be grave. Information received here is to the effect that an attack by the Federal forces is expected daily. The soldiers traveled with full field equipment.

New Trial for Katy Overruled.

District Judge Calhoun overruled the Katy's motion for new trial in the suit wherein the State recently was awarded judgment of \$14,000 against it on road as penalties for operation of the "Limited" in violation of the Railroad Commission's thirty-minute rule during the winter of 1910. The road's several defenses, questioning the jurisdiction of the commission over this train, etc., may eventually be put to the Supreme Court of the United States.

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There is some talk of an "Old Settler's Picnic for Cross Plains sometime in the future. By all means let's have it.

Grain is moving very slow most all the farmers are putting their grain in graineries holding for better prices. 4 cars of wheat and 6 of oats have been shipped from the Terminal. Wheat sells for 90 to 96, oats 38 and 40.

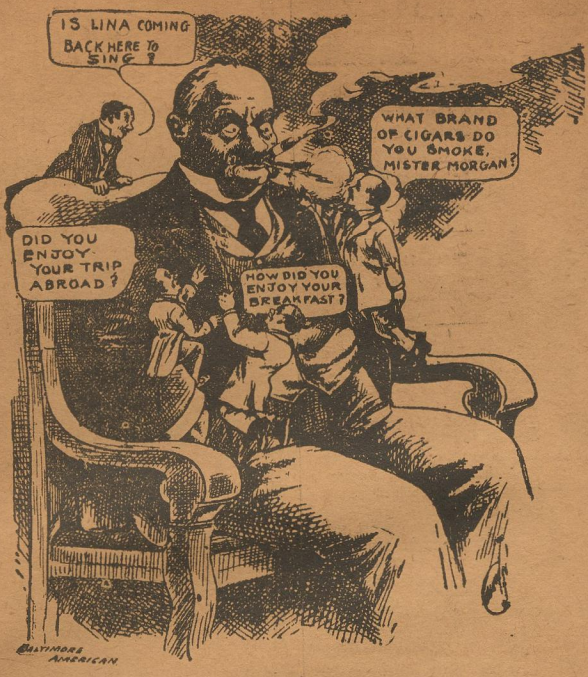
The old cry of the politicians, "Stand by the organization," has ceased to be a fetish among the people. We are on the threshold of an era of more honesty, decency and regard for the best interests of the whole body politic. Messrs. Guff and Gush, who have so long afflicted the ears of intelligent people with their rantings and deceitful, tricky terms and promises will ere long be relegated to the junk pile. We will have a little "scientific politics," along with our "scientific forming," and hoped for "scientific railroading."

A bill has been introduced in the Louisiana legislature to compel all shippers of fruit and truck from that state to mark the packages, "Grown in Louisiana." The idea is to advertise the exports of that state. Shakespeare says, "We are advertised by our loving friends," and unless some further provision is made to require proper sorting, packing and prompt transportation it is not sure that all the products will have "loving friends" in the consuming centers. We think all such requirements should be left to individuals and fruit and truck associations.

It is reported that the ballot to be used in the democratic primary, July 27, "will be 14 feet long." It will be quite a task for a voter to go carefully over such a long ballot seeking for the names of the best men to vote for and the chances are that those voters who are tied to a special interest will cast a larger percentage of votes than the independent citizens who seek only good government through the ballot box. But then there are so many more of the good kind, the independent and untied kind, that if they do half their duty at the polls results will be in the interest of better government.

"I am a white man and a Democrat, and have not affiliated with any other party within the last two years, or voted the ticket of any

WHEN MR. MORGAN TESTIFIES



BEFORE THE STANLEY STEEL INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE (That's About All They'll Get.)

other party within the last two years and I further agree to support the nominees of this primary," is the test prescribed for those who are willing to take it and vote in the democratic primary in Wichita county on July 27th. It is the right sort of tests, but it is not the kind that will be applied down in South Texas, where the negroes and Mexicans are numerous. No man who is an honest white man will vote in a Democratic primary unless he is a Democrat, and as this is, or at least ought to be a white man's country and no candidate who makes a bid for the negro or Mexican vote should be elected to office.—Wichita Daily Times

That's pretty strong, but it's the truth.

Wolters offered \$250 to be given to any charitable organization if Sheppard would meet him in debate on the tariff question. Sheppard met him and Col. Wolters got \$250 worth of experience. Sheppard claimed the \$250 and donated it to a widow with a large family in Wilson county, whose husband was killed in a saloon brawl.

In last week's Baird Star "Juan of Burnt Branch" says: "Jake Walters will prove that he is the peer of any man for, or in the senatorial race."

How does that compare with the following statement, made by the same "Juan" on the streets of Cross Plains:

"I really believe Mr. Randell is better qualified than any man in the race, but I will vote for Jake because I think he can beat Sheppard and I don't think Randell can."

Juan's idea seems to be "for anybody to beat Sheppard, the prohibition candidate for Senator"

We can see how any respectable anti (and there are many who we

are glad to call our friends) can support Jake Walters. They know he is backed by the Liquor interest in the state. They know he spent thousands of dollars to defeat statewide prohibition last year, and most of the money he spent was furnished by the breweries and saloon interests of the state and Milwaukee. They know if he is elected that he will not be a servant of the people. Then for "Jakies" sake tell us why they support such a man. Have the people of Texas fought over prohibition until they have lost sight of everything else, and will support any kind of man who will advocate their side of the question? They acknowledge that Randell is better qualified than any one in the race, but still they expect to vote for "Our Jake." WHY?

Where the days meet

The United States government has discovered that it owns the only spot in the world from which a resident, on Sunday, can see his neighbors doing their Saturday's work. The spot is Little Diomed Island, in Behring Strait. The international date line lies between it and the Russian island two and one half miles away Government officials in Alaska complain that a bridge of ice forms between the two islands and that natives, deprived of liquor, cross to Russian territory and indulge in habitual sprees. If forbidden to hunt on Sunday they cross the line to Saturday, and when the world has rolled around another notch they cross back again into Monday.

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Taxation on Beer Indicates That 63,000,000 Barrels Were Consumed During Period Just Ending.

Washington: The Federal Government closed the fiscal year June 29, with a surplus of \$32,000,000, according to estimates based upon incomplete returns of the various sources of revenue the country over. This amount far exceeded the most sanguine expectations of Secretary McVeigh, who months ago estimated that the surplus would be \$10,250,000.

The surplus at the close of the fiscal year 1911 was \$45,632,000. The failure of Congress to pass the general deficiency and other appropriation bills, which would have called for large disbursement during the closing days of the fiscal year, helped the Government to pile up its surplus.

Another big element in the figures was the corporation tax, which it is calculated brought in \$27,000,000, against \$33,000,000 last year. Customs receipts yielded about \$310,000,000 this year, against \$314,000,000 last year while internal revenue taxes amounted to \$292,000,000 against \$289,000,000.

The taxation on beer indicated that the American people consumed 63,000,000 barrels during the year. The Government realized \$149,000,000 on distilled spirits, \$63,000 on beer and \$70,000,000 on tobacco.

Saturday's Results at Baltimore.
 With Gov. Woodrow Wilson gaining on each ballot and Speaker Champ Clark constantly losing ground in the race for the Presidential nomination, the Democratic National convention at 11:05 Saturday night adjourned until Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Twenty-six ballots had been taken since the first call of the States and there was no hope of a final verdict Saturday night. It is against all political precedent for a National convention to sit on Sunday, but Sunday was a day of important conferees among party leaders and a day of hard work for campaign managers.

When the convention took a recess Mr. Clark was hurrying to Baltimore from Washington in response to a call from his managers. William J. Bryan at the afternoon session attacked Mr. Clark and said he would vote for no man willing to accept nomination at the hands of "Murphy of Tammany Hall." It was the plan of Mr. Clark to appear before the convention and answer this. In this way his managers hoped to bolster the falling vote.

The ballots ran from the sixteenth to the twenty-sixth. Wilson began at 356 and ended at 407 1/2, a net gain during the day of 51 votes. Speaker Clark began at 554 and fell to 463 1/2, a loss of 90 1/2 votes.

Youngstown, Ohio: With terrible breakishness, lightning singled out its victims when a bolt flashed through an open window and killed Henry Young, 30, and Harry Leedy, 28, as they were at work in a new house being built three miles east of the Youngstown and Sharon line. Contractor Henry Hock was standing squarely between the two workmen, but the bolt forked so as to leave him entirely unharmed.

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NO NOMINATION IN SIGHT

Speaker and Wilson Leading, Harmon Loses Slowly and Underwood Gains a Trifle.

Bulletin—Baltimore, 3:05 a. m. Saturday.—At the conclusion of the twelfth ballot, which did not result in nomination, the Democratic convention adjourned until 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The long predicted "break" in the New York delegation came in the tenth ballot, when Leader Murphy announced 81 of the 90 votes from that State for Clark. He got no further, when a great demonstration broke out among the Speaker's delegates and friends.

While it was in progress there were several fistuffs on the floor. Those who claimed to be in the confidence of the New York delegates predicted there would be a switch away from Clark on subsequent ballots.

The result of the roll calls up to the tenth were discouragingly similar, so far as actual developments were concerned. None of the leading candidates made any material gains or losses. There was no change or more than six votes in the totals up to that time. The steady gain of the Wilson vote had culminated with a count of 354 on the sixth ballot. On the seventh Wilson lost 1 1-2 votes.

Bryan, Kern, Ollie James and Mayor Gaynor of New York each received one or two votes in the course of the balloting. Harmon lost slowly, but steadily, from his 148 of the first ballot. Underwood gained a trifle.

Result of Twelfth Ballot.
 Total, 1,088; Clark 549, Wilson 354, Underwood 123, Harmon 29, Marshall 20, Kern 1, Bryan 2, not voting 1.

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