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HOMELAND MAY HAVE TELEPHONE

J. A. Guyer, owner and manager of the Friona telephone system has made arrangements whereby the system may be extended to the Homeland community.

Many of the people who live in the vicinity of Homeland are anxious to have telephone connections with Friona and long-distance service and have asked Mr. Guyer to extend the line into their community. He went out there Saturday night to talk the matter over with them but the weather was so disagreeable that only a few were out. Those present felt that the Capitol Reservation Lands should join them in this move as the service would be of material benefit to that organization. Mr. Guyer later interviewed Judge James D. Hamlin, the local representative and he expressed himself as well pleased with the move and said his company would install a phone at the new hotel east of Homeland and would do its part in building the line from the town limits of Friona.

Judge Hamlin further stated that if any of the residents of the community wanted to install a phone in their homes but were unable to bear the expense financially, they would furnish them the funds to do so with liberal time and low rate of interest. On this plan the patrons will then own their own rural system and simply pay Mr. Guyer for switch connection and service.

On such terms as this it seems that the building of the line is practically assured and the people of Homeland will have taken another very important step towards the building of a modern rural community. We congratulate them of their spirit of enterprise and progress.

RHEA HAPPENINGS.

We are having lovely weather now. All the farmers you meet are wearing a smile as if they mean we are going to save our crops.

Mrs. Tom Greene and Mrs. Wheeler from Clovis have been helping J. H. Friday.

Mr. Will Parker must have been grazing from what we hear, he has lost his teeth in the field.

Mr. Wilburn Holt and son Tonie from Clovis have been helping J. H. Grayson shock his feed last week.

Mr. Tom Greene has the cranes and ducks beaten, as he is in the field away before day and he says, by the way, he aims to get through some day.

Mrs. W. R. Grayson dyed one day last week. Two men came and she kept on dyeing. She dyed a dress.

W. R. Grayson and family visited C. W. Dixon's Sunday.

Mrs. Wheeler has been suffering much pain this week from the loss of some teeth.

We learn that J. H. Grayson is through cutting and will soon be all through shocking.

Mrs. J. H. Grayson, Mrs. Tom Greene, Mrs. Boweire and Mrs. Wheeler were guests of Mrs. W. H. Grayson Monday afternoon.

Mr. Bill Stanley happened to an excitable accident Monday night when his car caught fire.

—Rose Bud

MORE SQUASHES, A SWEET POTATO AND A RADISH

This week two more large squashes from Mr. Ford's farm adorn the desk in the "Star" office window. While these squashes are not so large as the one mentioned a few weeks ago, yet they are large specimens of their varieties, and the growing of them vouches for the wonderful fertility of our soil.

H. W. Wright brought to our desk a monster sweet potato, which is one of the largest we have ever seen and the beauty of its form makes it a model of its specie. Mr. Wright, who lives just a mile south of town says he has now successfully grown all the native vegetables in his garden, but Irish potatoes. A friend overhearing this remark, stated he had grown as fine Irish potatoes here as he had ever seen grown anywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Warren gave a birthday dinner Sunday for Mrs. W. H. Warren. Those being present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warren, Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson and daughter Jacquie.

J. W. SCHULTS, A PLAINS ENTHUSIAST

J. W. Schults, formerly of Iowa Park, Texas, but who now owns a half section of land about five miles southwest of Friona, was in town Saturday morning.

Mr. Schults is one of those very enthusiastic Panhandlers who has recently come to make his home on the plains near Friona. He is not only enthusiastic about the country itself but is more so about the amount of work he has accomplished since coming here, and the manifest results of that work.

He came here in July and bought his half section which is now his home and farm, but at that time was covered with the primeval sod, never having had a plow stuck in it. After buying he returned to his home and came back with his family about the first of August, and by August 31st, he had 200 acres of this sod broken out, and by September 15th he had 130 acres sowed in wheat and the wheat up. At present, a finer prospect for a good crop next year, would be indeed hard to find. Mr. Schults has reserved a strip of grass the full length of his half section, containing 70 acres for pasture. He has reserved this strip the long way of his land so that in case he should ever divide it into two farms, there will be 35 acres of grass on each tract.

He broke out a small plot in his back yard for a garden next year, setting his plow down about ten inches deep. Mrs. Schults said she would sow some lettuce and radishes there but he ridiculed the idea, saying she would waste her time and her seed. She however took the seed and scattered them and smoothed the ground the best she could with her rake. Mr. Schults testifies that within ten days, as a result of her work, they were feasting on lettuce and radishes as crisp and tender as he had ever eaten, and they are still feasting on them.

Mr. Schults is so well pleased with the Friona country that he is inducing his former neighbors to buy and to locate here. One of his neighbors has already bought over a section of land near him and he is expecting five more men here this week to see the country with a view to buying at least a section each. They are Dr. Frank Clark, and his two sons, Dr. Gordon Clark and Warren Clark, cashier of the First State Bank and Post-Master Davis, all of Iowa Park. The other man is Mr. McClure, a farmer and oil man.

Schults departed Monday for a visit at his former home and took with him the huge turnip and watermelon from the Star office, recently mentioned in the Star. He also took the "whale of a radish" mentioned in another column of this week's Star. He says he wants to show those people some of the large vegetables that may be grown here.

Mr. E. B. Whitefield of Abernathy was in Friona last week looking after business affairs. Mr. Whitefield will soon locate here as he has purchased the Struve section of land 10 miles south of town. This place was farmed by Tedford Bros.

Mrs. Staley and son Ralph of Yoder, Colorado are visiting friends here for a few days. The Staleys were formerly of Friona.

HEADS LABOR



William Green, who was chosen to succeed the late Samuel Gompers as president of the American Federation of Labor has again been elected to that office.

Your Town!

If you want to live in the kind of a town
Like the kind of a town you like—
You need not slip your clothes in a grip
And start on a long, long hike.
You'll only find what you've left behind—
For there's nothing that's really new;
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town—
It isn't your town—it's you!

Real towns are not made by men afraid
Lest somebody else gets ahead.
When everyone works and nobody shirks,
You can raise a town from the dead.
And if, while you're making your personal stake,
Your neighbor can make one, too,
Your town will be what you want to see—
It isn't your town—it's you!
(Author Ungnown)

Schools

Following is a list of the pupils of the Friona school, who attained the Honor Roll for the past week:

Ralph Evans, Senior; Esther Reeve, Junior; Alice Guyer, Junior; Tera Stanley, Sophomore; Mary Reeve, Sophomore; Joyce Teague, Sophomore; Hadley Reeve, Freshman and Mary Cathryn Crawford, Freshman.

An average of B (85) or above is required to be placed on the Honor Roll.

Owing to some misunderstandings regarding the shipment of the film, there was no picture show last Friday. The band and orchestra are practicing diligently in preparation for the radio program to be given in Amarillo, Saturday night, November 7. Tune in that night on station WDAG.

We have no notice of any picture show for Friday, Nov. 6, but we are assured of the arrival of "The Ten Commandments" in the near future.

Ten Commandments of Business

1. Don't be perfunctory. Every test is a task.
2. Remember that the most serviceable of all assets is Reputation.
3. Think! Practice your mental daily dozen.
4. Exercise your imagination.
5. Bide your time but be prepared.
6. Be hard headed, but not hard boiled.
7. Work hard but don't permit yourself to become a machine.
8. Take an interest in public affairs.
9. Meet your fellow men with confidence.
10. Avoid ostentation. Abhor purse pride and arrogance.

SWEET CLOVER

Nine years ago a dairyman in Clayton County, Iowa, found that he had more cows than his farm would produce feed for. He either had to sell some cows or produce more feed. He did a little of both. He began growing sweet clover for pasture and he joined a cow testing association.

Last fall the official report of the state dairy extension service showed that this herd had the highest average production of any herd in the state for the month of October. The average was 50.2 lbs. fat per cow.

This production was made on sweet clover pasture and 3/4 lbs. of grain daily per head. The butterfat at 45 cents a pound was worth \$22.59. After deducting \$5 for grain the value of the sweet clover pasture was \$17.59 per cow.—Hoard's Dairyman.

Mr. Murray of Homeland was in town Tuesday on business. Mr. Murray owns 160 acres of fine land three miles west of Homeland and is now having same improved. He is building a barn large enough for both his horses and milk cows, which also contains a large grain bin through the entire center of the barn. His house is a five room modern bungalow. Mr. Murray is formerly from Anson, Texas and informs us he is well acquainted with R. Byron Dougherty, former principal of our high school.

Mr. Sloan Osborn of Hope, Arkansas arrived in Friona Monday afternoon. He came here to buy cotton. Mr. Osborn was a cotton buyer in Friona last year.

WOMAN'S CLUB HELD MEETING WEDNESDAY

The Friona Woman's Club met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Hughes, with Mrs. Boulware and Mrs. Hughes as the hostesses.

The following interesting program on "Shakespeare" was rendered:

Response: Name of one of Shakespeare's plays.

Paper: The life of Shakespeare, by Mrs. J. J. Boulware.

Paper: Shakespeare's Theatre and review of his plays, by Mrs. M. S. Weir.

Reading: Mrs. Truitt.

There was a business meeting after the program, during which it was voted to give \$25.00 toward the Library Fund for the public school.

Following the meeting a delicious luncheon was served.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Livings.

PIE SUPPER, NOVEMBER 7

The teachers and pupils of the Messenger School will give a pie supper at the school house on Saturday night, November 7.

All the ladies are requested to bring a pie for sale and the proceeds of the sale will go for the benefit of the school. The Messenger school is about eleven miles northwest of Friona and Miss Mary Brookfield is the teacher. Attend this supper and have a good time and help a good cause.

THIS WEEK WE HAVE A LARGE RADISH

Last but not least in this week's exhibits was the "whale of a radish" sent in by Mrs. M. Lacy which grew in her garden. This radish had the appearance of the Strasburg variety and was, by far, the largest we have ever seen. It measured 27 1/2 inches in circumference, making it nearly nine inches in diameter. Mr. J. W. Schults has added to his collection of large vegetables before we had a chance to place it on exhibition. Mr. Schults paid a half dollar for the radish.

The Star delights to see your specimens and in placing them where they may be seen in the window. We hope our readers who have done well in any line of vegetable culture will not hesitate to bring their specimens in, as there is nothing that will advertise a country more than the sight of its products. We have a rich country here and we want the world to know it.

If any one has the idea that nothing will grow here but gain sorghums and millet, he wants to "get well of it" and if nothing else will cure him, we extend him a cordial invitation to come and see.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and children, of Homeland entertained the following guests at a Sunday dinner: Misses Thelma and Mable Scroggin, Brownie McCandless, Nellie Parr, Kathryn Beazley, Mr. Rosco Parr and Mrs. Cleo Hicks.

Mr. Jim Curry of Floydada, Texas is visiting his brother, Mr. A. S. Curry, of this place. Mr. Jim Curry is a student of the Wayland College of Plainview, Texas.

ASSISTANT



Hanford MacNider of Mason City, Ia., has been appointed assistant secretary of war. MacNider served in the World War, was decorated for bravery and has been active in many American Legion affairs.

STEPHEN JESKO DIED FRIDAY.

On Friday morning of last week, Stephen Jesko, another of Friona's pioneer citizens, living about fifteen miles south of town passed to the great Beyond.

Mr. Jesko came to Friona about seventeen years ago, from Michigan City, Indiana, with his family and located on the farm south of town where he has lived ever since. He was a hard working man and a successful farmer and has placed his large farm in a fine state of cultivation. His death came as the result of a painful affliction from which he had suffered for about seven years.

He leaves a wife, six sons and five daughters most of whom live on or near the home farm.

Funeral services were held from the Catholic church in Hereford on Saturday morning.

A GOOD RADIO PROGRAM ASSURED AT WDA

The program committee for radio program to be broadcasted by WDA at Amarillo on Nov. 7 working faithfully and a good program is assured.

Other than the speech by Prof. Buckner, the program will be mostly musical. Both the band and the orchestra will render several selections and a number of instrumental solos will be given.

Assisted and directed by Prof. Sherer and the Misses Brew of the school faculty, who are real musical artists, our young people are making rapid progress and the preparation of a worth while program will be attained.

ALLEN'S BASKETBALL AND SQUASH

There are but a few days left in this week as every one is busy with their crops.

Our Basketball team girls and second team trip to Grady, Friday, was some very interesting though both of our teams were defeated by a little score discouraged, but interesting next time. The girls were 4 to 0 in favor of the Grady boys.

Rev. Slade, the new Methodist pastor, filled his regular appointment Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Messrs. Luck and Thomas left Monday for Texas who will start picking cotton.

We are very glad to hear Sam Bailey being able to be about again after an operation appendicitis.

Hal Gilbreath with Fred Hundley

Those who were at the Foster home at the Young and family: Mr. Eugene Sagely, M. Bell, M. Moore, M. Sagely, Fay Renner.

Mr. Amos Meade's Sunday evening family Moore and family.

Mr. Frank Spalding spent Sunday evening at the Shaddox and family.

Mr. R. M. Gunn and family Joe Landers and family and Mrs. Jessie Stith took dinner with Mr. John Foster and family Sunday.

Miss Inez Sagely spent Sunday evening with Miss Josie Osborne.

—"Happy Jack"

CLARENDON NEWS' HUGH TURNIP

The following from the Clarendon News shows that the Star's monster turnip was small in comparison:

"The News was given the largest turnip we have ever seen on Monday evening of this week. The turnip was grown by John Henry Crawford on a block of land in the south part of the city and was given no more than ordinary attention throughout its growth. When brought to the News office the weight was six pounds and two ounces with a very little of the top attached. The circumference was 22 inches making the diameter seven inches. The News likes turnips but this one proved to be too much for even a week of steady eating."

Change in our Business

We will sell every item in our line at prices never before. But to be able to make this reduction we are commencing to sell everything sold. We absolutely will not charge for any consideration.

In our business we strived to give every one a square deal. But we know your wallet to get the money and pay cash.

Loss in the credit business and that the man who pays promptly must help pay fairness to every one we will sell for cash only, and sell for less. Watch for the opening of our Garage on November 1st announcing our new prices.

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LOCAL MENTION

Sheriff J. H. Martin of Farwell was seen in our town Wednesday.

Mr. K. Sherer spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Amarillo.

Mr. A. H. Tedford and family, accompanied by his father, were business visitors in Hereford Tuesday.

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...mentioned in last week's Star.
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...owing southeast of town on which
...they are making even better time
...than they made on the job west of
...town.

The Tye brothers of Floydada were in Friona Wednesday. These gentle-

men are well drillers and had been urged by parties from Floydada who have located near here, to come up and drill wells for them and were here looking over the proposition. While they were here R. H. Kinsey, our local driller, offered to sell them his business and outfit.

Mr. Gilbert of Amarillo, representing Nobles Bros. Grocery Co., was visiting with our grocery merchants Monday.

G. W. Turner departed Thursday for Kansas City with a car load of yearling calves. This was a fine bunch of yearlings and Mr. Turner has sent word back that one of the calves weighed 920 pounds. George knows how to fix the calves for the market.

J. E. Ellison of near Bovina was in Friona Saturday. Mr. Ellison is one of the Star's Bovina subscribers.

Mrs. C. H. Fallwell and sons, Buck and Ardean, spent Tuesday visiting friends and relatives at Bellevue, N. M.

Rev. Blair, the newly called pastor of the Baptist church, will preach in the Methodist building here Sunday morning and evening.

Abstract of Title

We are now equipped to furnish complete or supplemental abstracts of title to all Parmer County land and town lots, promptly. Complete tract index to all real property in the county.

PARMER COUNTY ABSTRACT CO.

E. F. Lokey, Manager.

Farwell,

Texas.

SEE J. J. HORTON FOR

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LAND
PRICES
TERMS

7,000 acres to be sold in any size farms. \$1.00 per
7,000 acres to be sold in any six farms. \$1.00 per
acre cash, the balance in seven equal notes. The first one
due 1929, Jan. 1st. One each year thereafter until all
are paid at 6 per cent interest.

COME READ THE CONTRACT.

Make Our Office Your Office When in Friona.

REAL ESTATE

SALES EXCHANGE

Friona, Texas

& Manager
Texas

Look! Listen!

Its Guaranteed
-Play Safe-

Deposit Your Money In The

Friona State Bank

Where your deposits are guaranteed by the State Guarantee Law.

"The Bank that takes care of its Customers"

YOUR PATRONAGE IS APPRECIATED

Marie Coneway Wins \$5.00 Prize

For the best limerick advertising the store. Her limerick follows:—

A smile and nod go a long, long way,
Then heed, my friend, for perhaps some day,
You, too, may be a hardware man,
An' need the boost of a helpful hand,
So all together, let's boost with vim,
Jerry Blackwell! — BUY FROM HIM!

Too many were afraid to try their abilities; so watch our ads each week, and be prepared to take advantage of every offer.

Remember your good times with a kodak. You get a magazine one year with every new Kodak. Bring us your films for developing.

Blackwell Hardware & Furniture

WELLS, STOVES, MAYTAGS, AND COLEMAN LAMPS AND LANTERNS.

MELLON PROPOSES NEW TAX RATES

PLAN WILL ELIMINATE ONE-FOURTH REDUCTION ON EARNED INCOMES

NO REPLY AT HEARING

Members of the House Committee on Ways and Means Refuse to Comment On the New Tax Revised Schedule.

Washington, D. C.—Slightly greater reductions on the normal income tax rates than he suggested before were proposed by Secretary Mellon, in a revised schedule submitted to the house ways and means committee.

The new proposal of the treasury affecting these rates, which are the only ones applying to small incomes, was figured on a basis calling for elimination of the provision in the law allowing a 25 percent reduction on earned incomes.

The schedule provides for rates of 1 percent on taxable incomes up to \$3,000, 2 percent on the next \$1,000, 3 percent on the next \$4,000, and 5 percent on taxable incomes in excess of \$8,000.

Normal rates are 2 percent on the first \$4,000 of taxable income, 3 percent on the next \$4,000, and 6 percent on the remainder.

A letter forwarding these changes to Chairman Green as a suggestion, but not as a definite plan, was received from Mellon on the basis of elimination of the earned income reduction which applies to incomes of \$1,000, and embraces all other source, up to \$10,000, which were framed the schedule, declared, however, that the estimates were conditional on such action.

McCoy estimated that the reduction in total revenue involved in these cuts in the normal rates would be \$40,000,000. Mellon's suggestion that the surtax maximum be reduced to 20 percent from the present level of 40 percent, was not altered.

BEER RUNNING IS CHARGED

Say Carriers are Link in Prohibition Scandal.

Involving several prominent beer distributors, the investigation of their officials, and prohibition agents will be served by the federal grand jury brought out of a six months' investigation, prohibition officials, agents declared that the evidence brought about the greatest drinking scandal since the eighteenth amendment became law. They said the evidence will show that eastern breweries, with the connivance of the railroads, have run as much as \$10,000,000 worth of beer into Chicago since the prohibition laws became effective.

Some railroad officials and employees aided a split of \$2 a barrel, police and dry agents got another percentage cut, and the breweries and financing syndicate divided the rest, officials declare.

FLIERS OFF TO PIGMYLAND

Plan to Soar Over the Impenetrable Jungles of Africa.

Moines, Iowa.—Although a light as falling, four fliers bound for New Guinea for an airplane expedition, hopped off. They expect to fly to a Francisco, from which they will sail for New Guinea, where they will penetrate to the interior to study pigmy tribes.

The expedition is being sponsored and financed by the Smithsonian institution and will be commanded by M. W. Dilling, whom the fliers will meet in Samoa. The fliers will soar over the most impenetrable jungle, heretofore unapproached by a plane within a radius of 1,000 miles, and on into the interior, where they will seek the lost race reported by Wollaston, an Englishman, who was the only man to return from the first white expedition into a savage land.

A woman whom the Americans seek was reported as four to five feet in height, slender and sharp-featured.

Chicago, Ill.—Deaf children, by placing their finger tips on the top of a grand piano, can conquer the handicap of mutism and pitch their voices to the tone of the musical instrument. This, as well as methods of oral and acoustic training taught at the Central Institute for the deaf at St. Louis, which enable pupils to converse so that affliction would be difficult to detect, was shown here at the home of Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick.

U. S. Surtax Reduction Pledged. Washington, D. C.—Promise of a "very substantial" reduction in the income surtax rates was given by Chairman Green of the house ways and means committee, in reply to such a request presented by the Iowa Tax club.

Rescue Routine for Tanker. Port Arthur, Tex.—For the second time in less than a week, the Texas company tanker Resper, of Port Arthur, has figured in rescue work at sea. Radio advices were received

GEN. G. HUTCHESON



Maj. Gen. Grote Hutcheson, United States army, retired, has been appointed director general of the National Cathedral foundation, Washington.

LONE WOMAN CROSSES AFRICA

EXPLORERS WIFE FIRST TO ACHIEVE FEAT

Mrs. Akeley Is Wounded By Charging Buffalo and Flees From Herd Of Elephants.

New York, N. Y.—For the first time in history, a white woman has crossed darkest Africa alone. She is Mrs. Dila J. Akeley, of the Brooklyn Museum of Arts and Sciences.

Armed only with ordinary traveling papers and carry credentials as a special correspondent, she started from Lamu, on the east coast of Africa, on October 16 of last year. She came out at the mouth of the Congo river, on the west coast, September 3, and arrived in New York recently.

Her first three months was a perilous journey through the jungles and deserts of East Africa. She reached Nairobi and sent out her last communication with civilization.

Entering the central African jungles at Kasinyi, on Lake Albert, with only twelve cartridges, she reappeared at Matadi on the Congo river five months and twenty-six days later, with three cartridges unspent, and five hitherto unknown specimens of jungle animals.

She was Mrs. Akeley, the dark continent. She is about 50 years old and her previous visits were made with her husband, Carl Akeley, the famous explorer, who persuaded Theodore Roosevelt to make his African hunting trip.

N. Y. CRIME IS AT HEIGHT

Truck Gang Robs Warehouse, Store; Gem Thieves Work Below Deadline

New York, N. Y.—Below the criminal "deadline" in lower Manhattan, two youthful bandits held up, bound and gagged four men and a woman and escaped with two wallets, containing diamonds, the total value of which was placed at nearly \$50,000.

Secret service men uncovered what they believe to be a powerful counterfeiting ring, with the arrest of Peter Bennett and Joseph La Pinto and the confiscation of a suitcase filled with bogus \$20 bills and two bags filled with bad nickels, dimes, quarters and half dollars.

Seven men with pistols overpowered the watchman at a chemical plant in Brooklyn and stole 47 barrels of grain alcohol, using a five-ton truck to take away their haul. In another part of Brooklyn thieves backed a truck to the entrance of a haberdashery, cut a hole through a hallway wall, and carried away \$2,500 worth of merchandise.

CAPTAIN SLAIN IN SLEEP

First Officer of Vessel Wounds Others; To Be Held for Murder.

Antwerp, Belgium.—Captain A. H. Clews, commander of the Canadian Pacific liner, Melita, was shot and killed in his cabin on the Melita here while he slept. Two other officers of the ship were wounded. Thomas Towers, first officer, was arrested, charged with the murder, and will be handed over to the British authorities at Southampton when the liner arrives there. He is said to have told the police he shot Captain Clews because the commander and other officers had tried to wreck his career.

The wounded officers were taken to an Antwerp hospital in a serious condition. They are David K. Gilmore, of Glasgow, assistant chief engineer, and John Holliday, of Bottle, England, second engineer.

Pastors 'Put Up' At White House

Washington, D. C.—The old practice of "putting up the pastor for the night" was entangled up at the White House recently, when seven Congregationalist ministers, two with wives, were house guests. When the Rev. Noble Pierce, pastor of the president's church, requested the membership to "take in" their quota of delegates to the Congregationalist convention, the President and Mrs. Coolidge declined to be left out, announcing they had room for nine persons.

PROSPERITY AND PEACE SEEN

SCHWAB SAYS AT EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE

Great Era Opening for United States of America in View of Steel, Radio and Electric Chiefs.

Chicago, Ill.—Peace and prosperity are peering over the horizon, with a promise to be boon companions of American business in the years immediately ahead, Charles M. Schwab, chairman of the board of the Bethlehem Steel company, told the second annual conference on education and industry, held in connection with the annual meeting of the Institute of American Meat Packers at the University of Chicago.

The outlook for steel never was better, and he called steel the nation's business barometer.

Radio has grown from a \$2,000,000 infant in 1920 to a lustrous five-year-old of \$350,000,000 last year and an estimated \$500,000,000 this year, said Maj. Gen. James G. Harbord, president of the Radio Corporation of America, adding his optimism to that of the great manufacturer.

Electricity's Future Glows

Electricity's future likewise is optimistic, bearing promise of electrified railroads and cheap power and light to the farmer to whom they are "more important than to any other class of our population," said E. W. Rice, honorary chairman of the board of the General Electric company.

It was consideration of the condition of the farmer which brought to the gathering a threat of a dire emergency in the future, because of impoverishment of "the common dirt from which vegetation springs."

SOONERS TO WIN

"Crimson Lads all Set to Carry Away the Field at Home-Coming Game.

Norman.—The final game between the Crimson and Blue will be held at the new stadium here November 7th. The Kansas lads have always furnished the Sooners a very spirited contest but Oklahoma, headed and abetted by Ben G. Owen, veteran coach, are confident of winning the contest. And early contests indicate they will completely wipe out the Blue. While the first unit of the stadium provided ample space for the crowd at the Drake meet, seats for the home-coming game November 7th are expected to be at a premium.

Manville Leaves Very Large Fortune

Estimated at \$10,000,000.

New York, N. Y.—Thomas F. Manville, "asbestos king" whose fortune has been estimated to exceed \$10,000,000, is dead. An attack of heart disease proved fatal in his apartment at the Hotel Plaza, where he had lived alone for the last three years. He was 63 years old.

For years he was president of Johns-Manville, Inc., and he changed his position about a year ago to chairman of the board of directors. He was a director of various other corporations.

UPRISING PERILS FRENCH

Wholesale Executions Stir Fury of Tribesmen in Damascus Area.

Paris, France.—Apprehension that the rebellion of the hillsmen in Syria eventually will spread to Arabs on the plains is fully justified by the official communique. It announces that the uprising of Arabs in Damascus, the Mussulman holy city, had been crushed, but that artillery and tanks had been employed against the rebels.

One thousand Arabs at night, began work in darkness, of setting fire to houses, attacking isolated French patrols in the meantime.

Indemnity and Apology Demanded.

Athens.—Greece has demanded an indemnity of 2,000,000 francs from Bulgaria for what Greece contends was an unprovoked attack on Greek soldiers on the frontier near Demirhisar. Other demands are set forth, such as an apology and punishment of the responsible Bulgarian.

Venice.—The latest advices received here from Sofia regarding the Greco-Bulgarian clash say that the Greeks are advancing rapidly and that the main body already has penetrated ten miles into Bulgarian territory. The advance was prepared for by heavy artillery fire and airplane bombing.

Clerk Rises to Congress.

Columbus, Ohio.—From counter to congress describes the career of a former Columbus boy, Arthur G. Robinson, now an Indianapolis attorney, appointed United States senator by Gov. Ed Jackson to serve in the place of the late Samuel R. Raiston.

U. S. Warships Ordered to Egypt.

Washington, D. C.—Vice Admiral Roger Welles reported to the navy department that the destroyers Lamson and the Coghlan of the European squadron had been ordered from Gibraltar to Alexandria, Egypt.

Ethania Seeks U. S. Treaty.

Reval, Estonia.—The Estonian government has authorized its minister at Washington to negotiate a treaty of amity and trade and a consular agreement with the United States.

ADOPTS NEW STYLE POINTS; GOLD IN SHEEN OF FABRICS

ALMOST every new tailored frock, presents itself as another good reason for clinging to simplicity of line. But, at the same time, it shows itself another good reason for adopting graceful style points in the autumn modes. The minds of stylists have ceased to dwell on the mannish note in utility clothes—it is there, but only as an accompaniment to dominating feminine tones. Therefore our street frocks have taken on plaits or flares, intricacies in cut, button and fabric details, varied now and becoming neck treatments and daintiness in accessories.

A fine exponent of this womanliness of the tailored frock is shown in the illustration. In a model that retains trim lines and the straight silhouette,

picture hats that made most every girl a beauty, and whereas, there is no "in" in the matter of Winter's coming—he has sent advance heralds; and whereas, the skies will soon be dark, the landscape and streetscape dun-colored; therefore he it resolved, that we extend the glad hand of welcome to the brave, beautiful and brilliant millinery which has come to our rescue.

Everywhere in millinery there is the sheen of rich fabrics, the glow of live colors and the glint of gold and silver. Not a somber note, even in black hats, which are made of high-surfaced satin and wear sparkling jeweled adornments—a no millinery, it seems, is without a sparkling touch. The range of colors is wide and beautiful, leading off with the golden pheasant tones fol-



It has a long tunic, open at the front with pleated panels at each side, a narrow girled of the material, and the popular "Y" shaped front opening of the bodice. The vestee and turn-down collar may be of crepe de chine or batiste, adorned with tucks and tiny buttons, with undersleeves to match. Milady may be a picture in many of her more frivolous clothes, but she will never command more valuable admiration than comes to her in her clean-cut tailored frocks. She looks so "fit" and capable in them and so much the gentlerwoman. There are many dependable wool fabrics for frocks of this character—twill flannel, charmee, rep, and broadcloth.

The two-piece mode is a rival of the tailored frock in the field of utility

loved by wine and other insoucious reds, green, from light to Russian, blue in vivid and in soft shades, rosewood of every hue, many warm browns, maroon and some gray, beige and tan.

Pheasant-colored velvet and gold are combined in the rich hat that leads off the group pictured here. It belongs to the family of winsome poke shapes. Gold roses set in a scroll-work of narrow gold braid furnish its adornment. It is narrow at the back. A somewhat smaller shape called the Hollywood poke is very handsome in dark-brown velvet with a wreath of silver grape leaves about the crown and an ostrich pompon at one side. The small hat at the left in black and gold has a frankish brim which widens and droops at the right and completes



Hats for Winter Wear.

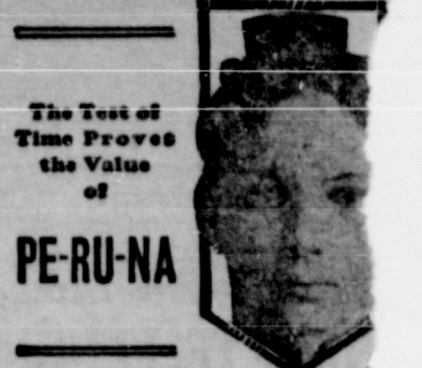
clothes and makes a welcome change—which is the spice of life in dress as in other things. Jumper dresses, in the softer unmissable cloths, as jersey, and balbriggan, are usually as plain as possible. But in smart belts and neck treatments, decorative jackets and frivolous handkerchiefs, made to be seen—not used, the eternal feminine manages to include a few vagaries. Whereas, summer is a few, talking with it all those gay little flowery street hats and diaphanous

a brilliant performance with a jeweled plin at the front. Next to it a turban of draped velvet, in the deep maroon shade called "Black Prince," needs nothing by way of ornament. Petals made of ostrich flues adorn the large velvet hat at the lower right and they are joined by tiny gold cord. A twisted collar and tie of moire ribbon completes the design, which is attractive in any color. The always handy small black satin hat finishes up the list, trimmed with wide folds of satin and a pearl and rhinestone pin.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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All Other Remedies Failed



Under the date of March 6, 1925, Mrs. Maggie Durbin, 139 Riverside Ave., Little Rock, Arkansas, writes to say about her experience. "I was troubled for five years with a chronic disease. I tried every thing I heard of, but nothing did me any good. Some doctors said my trouble was catarrh of the bowels, others consumption of the bowels. The medicine I took did no good. A friend advised me to try PE-RU-NA. I did. After taking two bottles I found it was helping me and continued. Am now sound and well."

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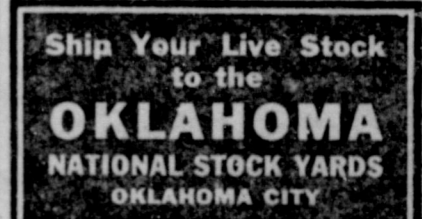
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1—Bryant Baker, New York sculptor, and his statue of the late Chief Justice Edward D. White which is to be placed in his birthplace, New Orleans. 2—Orville Wright, inventor of the airplane, who has become chairman of the advisory committee to the new school of aeronautics in New York university. 3—Communists of London parading in protest because reckless grants of poor relief were checked.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Federation of Labor Spurns Britain's Plea for Union With Russian Workers.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD
GREAT BRITAIN is alarmed by the spread of communism in that country, but Americans need not worry about it over here. If the words of President William Green of the American Federation of Labor and the cheers that greeted them in the federation's annual convention are a true indication.

Arthur A. Purcell, member of the British parliament, president of the International Federation of Trades Unions and a fraternal delegate in the meeting in Atlantic City, told the convention of his recent visit to Russia and his study of industrial conditions there, and then advised the workers of America to establish the closest relations with the Russian workers.

"We must not be afraid of new ideas," he said. "It has often struck me that, while the Americans have been the most advanced, the most receptive, in ideas concerning mechanical inventions and business organization, they have been slow in accepting new social and political ideas. Just as British workers have sent delegations to Russia, so I hope and trust the American Federation of Labor will do the same. Do not be afraid of being called names. Were Abraham Lincoln, Samuel Gompers or 'Gene Debs, those great sons of the American people, ever afraid of being called names or being reviled, maligned or persecuted?"

Whereupon President Green arose with fire in his eyes and said: "We in America know something of the teachings of communism and the control the communist party exercises over the so-called Russian Internationale. We know that influence emanating from Moscow is seeking, as it has always sought, not to co-operate with us but to capture and control us. They call the officers and representatives of the American labor movement fakers, crooks, and scabs. Frankly they say they do not believe in collective bargaining. They do not see in any strike an opportunity to increase wages, to shorten hours, to improve the condition of the employment for workers, but they see in every strike an opportunity for revolution."

"The Trade Union Educational League here in America, which is a creature of the communist party, frankly announces that its policy is to bore within the labor movement, to destroy it and substitute for our philosophy the philosophy of communism. We are not ready to accept that, and we wish that our friend who has so kindly offered such frank suggestions might take back to the Russian Red Internationale this message: That the American labor movement will not affiliate with an organization that preaches that doctrine."

Jumping to their feet, the delegates all shouted their approval of Green's declaration.

In the opening of the convention Mr. Green voiced the determination of organized labor to fight for passage of the child labor amendment to the Constitution. The executive council reported an increase of 13,000 in membership over last year.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE won new laurels for himself by his address before the convention of the American Legion in Omaha. "Tolerance" was his main theme, and he pleaded eloquently with his fellow Americans to drop every vestige of racial, religious and sectional intolerance. "It seems clear," said he, "that the results of the war will be lost and we shall only be entering a period of preparation for another conflict unless we can demobilize the racial antagonisms, fears, hatreds, and suspicions, and create an attitude of toleration in the public mind of the peoples of the earth. If our country is to have any position of leadership, I trust it may be in that direction, and I believe that the place where it should begin is at home. "If we are to maintain and perfect our own civilization if we are to be of

any benefit to the rest of mankind, we must turn aside from the thoughts of destruction and cultivate the thoughts of construction. We cannot place our main reliance upon material forces. We must reaffirm and reinforce our ancient faith in truth and justice, in charitableness and tolerance. We must make our supreme commitment to the everlasting spiritual forces of life. We must mobilize the conscience of mankind."

Mr. Coolidge paid warm tribute to the service rendered to the country and to humanity by the members of the Legion, and thus summarized remarkably well America's effort in the World war:

"In the victory which was finally gained by you and your foreign comrades, you represented on the battlefield the united efforts of our whole people. You were there as the result of a great resurgence of the old American spirit, which manifested itself in a thousand ways, by the pouring out of vast sums of money in credits and charities, by the organization and quickening of every hand in our extended industries, by the expansion of agriculture until it met the demands of furnishing continents, by the manufacture of an unending stream of munitions and supplies, by the creation of vast fleets of war and transport ships, and, finally, when the tide of battle was turning against our associates, by bringing into action a great armed force on sea and land of a character that the world had never seen before, which, when it finally took its place in the line, never ceased to advance, carrying the cause of liberty to a triumphant conclusion. You reaffirmed the position of this nation in the estimation of mankind. You saved civilization from a gigantic reverse. Nobody says now that Americans cannot fight."

Earlier in his address he said he was "a thorough believer in a policy of adequate military preparation, and after the cheers subsided he continued: "No doubt this country could, if it wished to spend more money, make a better military force, but that is only part of the problem that confronts the government. The real question is whether spending more money to make a better military force would really make a better country. I would be the last to disparage the military art. It is an honorable and patriotic calling of the highest rank. But I can see no merit in any unnecessary expenditure of money to hire men to build fleets and carry muskets when international relations and agreements permit the turning of such resources into the making of good roads, the building of better homes, the promotion of education and all the other arts of peace which minister to the advancement of human welfare."

The Presidential party, which included Mrs. Coolidge, returned at once to Washington, with a short stop in St. Louis.

The Legion gathering was considerably stirred up over Colonel Mitchell and his air service charges and theories. Finally a compromise resolution was adopted which, without naming Mitchell, recommended the reorganization of the national defense under one cabinet officer with subdivisions of equal importance for land, sea and air.

Philadelphia was awarded the convention of 1928 and it was decided to hold the meeting of 1927 in Paris, France.

WITH Judge E. Finky Johnson of Michigan, a member of the Philippines Supreme court, presiding, the International Judicial commission to investigate the Shanghai riots opened its inquiry. The body is composed of American, British and French Judges, and, according to the Chinese, is dominated by the British with the Americans as their dupes. Therefore the Chinese are violently opposing the investigation, asserting that there is no chance of a fair decision.

ALTHOUGH the allied and German statesmen in conference at Locarno, Switzerland, are working earnestly and apparently amably to draft a security treaty, they have not, at this writing, solved the main problem, the eastern frontiers of Germany. Briand insisted that France should have the right to guarantee the arbitration treaty between Germany and Poland and Germany and Czechoslovakia, and Chamberlain, for Great Britain

supported him, but the Germans, Stresemann and Luther, objected, preferring England as the sponsor for the treaties. They also declared firmly that they would not agree to any provision in any of the treaties which would prevent Germany's seeking revision of the eastern frontiers. The security pact for the Franco-German frontier could be fixed up speedily except for one point—the right of France to send troops through German territory to aid her allies of the little entente in case they are attacked.

ITALY'S Fascists are going ahead at a great pace. Last week they brought about an agreement of closest co-operation between the confederation of industry, representing the employers, and the federation of Fascist labor unions, and then the grand council of the Fascist framed constitutional changes giving the government absolute control of every phase of industrial, political and administrative activity. One provision creates a board of compulsory arbitration for industry and labor, and another makes strikes crimes punishable by death. The Fascist also are conducting a violent campaign against Freemasons and there have resulted serious disorders in various cities, especially Florence where several murders were committed.

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL, on the eve of court-martial for insubordination, was ordered by the adjutant general of the army to appear before the naval court investigating the airship Shenandoah. He showed up in full uniform and accompanied by his counsel, Congressman Frank Reid of Illinois. The colonel objected to taking the oath but asked leave to read a brief statement. Admiral Jones, president of the court, refused to allow this and Mitchell still declining to testify, the court took the matter under advisement.

The President's air board heard a large number of officers of the various services. The air officers were about equally divided for and against the proposition of a defense department with a separate air force. Rear Admiral Moffet, chief of the bureau of aeronautics, was an especially interesting witness, giving his opinion of the air service as of the greatest value and telling the board at length what he thought should be done to improve it. On Wednesday the board adjourned to attend the three days of air racing at Mitchel field.

DEFYING the known wishes of the President, the federal shipping board, after depriving the Fleet corporation of its powers, removed Leigh C. Palmer from the presidency of the corporation and ordered that Elmer E. Crowley be elected to succeed him. Palmer was offered a vice presidency in charge of European affairs but declined and severed all connection with the corporation. Other changes of personnel were ordered by the board and carried out. Rear Admiral Cone, retired, vice president and general manager of the Fleet corporation, then resigned, telling Chairman O'Connor that "without regard to other considerations, I cannot, as a retired naval officer, serve any organization that defies the wishes and policies of the President of the United States."

FRENCH and Spanish forces in eastern Morocco have effected a junction, the former advancing northward from Kifane and the latter moving south from Abucemas bay. Thus the Rifis are completely surrounded. But the rainy season on which Abd-el-Krim has been counting has come and the Europeans are finding their operations increasingly difficult. Jules Steeg, minister of justice, has been selected as resident general of French Morocco to succeed Marshal Lyautey, who resigned.

In Syria the rebellious Druses have been thoroughly routed by the French tanks and bombing planes.

JUST as the world's championship series between the Washington and Pittsburgh ball teams was opening, all lovers of the national game were saddened by the word that Christy Mathewson, one of the most famous and best loved of all pitchers, was dead at Saranac Lake, N. Y. "Big Six," as he was called, succumbed to tuberculosis which attacked him after he was gassed in the World war.

CONDENSED AUSTIN NEWS

Requisition from the Governor of Arizona for the extradition of John Hamilton, wanted in Mohave County, Arizona, on a complaint charging criminal assault, was honored by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson. Hamilton is in custody at Ballinger, Runnels County.

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson signed a deficiency warrant for \$58,180 for meeting the general expense of taking care of the unexpected large attendance of students at the first session of Texas Technological College at Lubbock, and that amount is now available for use by the board of regents of the new college.

Purposes of the Wholesale Credit Men's Association, granted a charter by the Secretary of State, are "establishing and maintaining uniformity in Texas commercial usages, securing close co-operation of wholesale credit men's associations throughout the State and assisting in removal of causes of financial failures."

Payment of oil royalties for production on University lands in Reagan County during September by the Texon Company has been delayed on account of the Reagan County purchasing company's calculations not having been received, according to a telegram received by the State Land Office from Group No. 1 Oil Corporation of the Texona. This telegram followed one saying that \$104,000 in royalties were being sent.

Cancellation by State Superintendent of Public Instruction S. M. N. Marrs of certificates of five school teachers in Hopkins County some time ago was not sustained by the State Board of Education at the regular monthly meeting of the board. The board held that the evidence for cancellation of the certificates was insufficient. The State Superintendent had alleged that the certificates had been obtained through fraud.

Dallas leads cities and towns of Texas in fire apparatus with forty pieces of auto apparatus to its credit, according to a list of cities and towns in the State having waterworks and fire departments, compiled by the engineering division of the State Fire Insurance Commission under the direction of Engineer G. C. Hill. Dallas leads in the number of fire trucks, 259, listed in the system.

Adj. Gen. Mark McGee had conference with him recently 13 ranger captains now in service discussed with them work accomplished by the State ranger force during the present administration and plans for future service. It was the first get-together meeting held by the ranger captains since Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson reorganized the force early in her administration. The force is now being operated with the smallest number of captains than in many years.

From Gaines Mill to Appomattox, through Gettysburg, upborne by fourteen who received mortal wounds, in its support, a flag that once was the bloodshed of Civil War, now rests amidst the workings of economic peace. Survivors of the famous "Bloody Fifth" Regiment of Hood's Brigade have contributed their battle-scarred flag to the Confederate Museum in the old Land Office at Austin, where it will be officially received next week by the Daughters of the Confederacy.

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson recently addressed a letter to William E. Register at Dallas, giving her approval and commendation to the annual sale of forget-me-nots Nov. 4 to 10 for the relief of needy and disabled war veterans and their dependents. Mr. Register is chairman of the Texas campaign to raise funds. After writing that the movement had her warmest support, Gov. Ferguson declared "it is indeed a worthy cause and should be sponsored by every patriotic citizen."

The American Road Company of Dallas refunded to the State Treasury \$15,730.67, representing accounts that had been paid twice to the company. The money in certified checks, was turned over to the State Comptroller for deposit with the Treasurer by Attorney General Dan Moody upon his return from Dallas. It was indicated at the Attorney General's office that collection of the money was the main object of Moody's recent visit to Dallas.

One canning company in Palacios has agreed to install a plant for utilization of shrimp refuse and others of the fishing industry along the Texas coast, from Corpus Christi to Galveston, have indicated their approval of methods for the saving of such waste, according to Dr. Robert S. Taylor, chemical technologist of the Bureau of Fisheries, United States Department of Commerce, in Austin, recently, following the completion of a three-week inspection of the fishing industry along the Texas coast.

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WHAT IS AGE?

Age is not a passing of years. Age is a condition of mind. We have all seen bustling youngsters of sixty or seventy, going snappily through the world, while doddering old men of forty-five or fifty plod wearily behind them.

Age is not a matter of physical well being, either. Many robust men who could earn a living by physical labor seem older than those who go brightly through the world hiding physical handicaps which would depress most of us.

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Somewhere in a man's life is a definite line, bisecting his pathway. Before he reaches that line, his gaze is fixed steadily ahead. He lives in plans for and thinks of the future. Just so long as he is a forward looking man he is young while the future dominates and motivates him, he has youth.

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er in western New York, to a young man who was trying to sell him securities. Gamblers and fakers have no respect for money, either their own chance gains or the hard savings of others. Dabblers, dreamers, incompetents, ne'er-do-wells, no matter how honest, have no respect for money. Only experienced men of proved ability and honesty have that respect for other people's money. It is that kind of respect that justifies other people in trusting their savings in investments.

HEREFORD'S PRIZES WON AT DALLAS AND WICHITA FALLS

J. B. Elliston, in charge of the Deaf Smith County exhibit at the Dallas Fair, writes that he is kept busy answering questions and that more interest in this county is shown this year than ever before. A partial list of individual prizes won at Dallas and Wichita Falls is shown below:

At Dallas, alfalfa seed, Jeff Gilbreath, first; oats, J. David Thompson, fifth; rye, Jno. L. Wilson, second; alfalfa, D. L. McDonald, fifth; sudan, J. B. Jones, third; kershaw, Mrs. Ed. Connell, first; pumpkin, Uncle John Thomas, second; speltz, Joe Green, second. There were 11 entries and 8 ribbons taken.

At Wichita Falls, (Canned Fruit), Mrs. A. D. Godwin won first on pickled peppers, pears, pickled onions, canned peppers, beet pickles, yellow tomato preserves and second on carrots, sun-kissed cherries and red tomato preserves. Mrs. Henry Hastings took first prize on canned tomatoes and canned corn. Mrs. A. H. Struett first on mixed pickles and pickled peaches, and third on beans. Mrs. T. G. Nance captured second on canned peaches, and Mrs. Arthur Manjoet first on canned carrots and peas.

Other ribbons taken were third on canned pears, second on canned straw berries, first on canned cherries, second on canned grapes. Out of twenty-eight entries the county won twelve blue ribbons, six red ribbons and two third prizes. Thirty-five ribbons all told were taken at Wichita Falls.

In the vegetable division results at Wichita Falls were as follows: Irish potatoes, Herman Gray, first; Bermuda onions, H. B. Webb, first; 12-pod okra, Mrs. A. D. Godwin, second; apples, L. P. Landrum, first; Mrs. J. D. Thompson, second, O. L. McKee, third; pears, L. P. Landrum, first.

Threshed grains: Wheat, O. L. Sharp, first; oats, J. David Thompson, third; alfalfa seed, Jeff Gilbreath, first; rye, Jno. L. Wilson, second; grammar grass (bale), J. B. Jones, first; alfalfa, D. L. McDonald, first; J. David Thompson, second; Sudan grass (bale), J. B. Jones, first; millet (bunde), Sherman Williams, first.

Long life is attainable through auto-suggestion—providing the suggester keeps clear of the auto.—Wall Street Journal.

LIFE SENTENCE.



Warren Vandervoort, 17, of Parkersburg, Ia., was given a life sentence in the state prison for killing his father and dangerously wounding his mother.

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America is fool's paradise, says a prominent European visitor. Maybe that is why so many of his fellow Europeans like to come over here.—Southern Lumberman.

Middle age is the time when the average man is going to begin saving next month.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Due to the uncertainty of their return alive, mountain climbers in the Alps are required to pay their hotel bills in advance. For the same reason bootleggers never extend credit.—The Thos. E. Pickering Service.

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CHAPTER XIV—Continued

"What I've always said!" cried delightedly. "I knew that long ere's one or two who do pass her foreman and that black in Texas, Sud Province. The city stuff."

"Kate Cathrew's partner! He owns half of Sky Line!"

"Exactly. When he gets hold of a man he wants to use, he seems to send him here. I have recognized three of these riders already, though none of them knew me."

"Excuse me, mister," said Selwood, "but how do you happen to know so much?"

"That question is your right, and I will answer it. Kate Cathrew was a New York woman—I knew her there some six years ago. She was clever then—and unscrupulous, always playing for her own advancement. It was she that line that she did the deed which I have hunted her down—"

"I found her at last. What deed was I am not ready to say, nor from it was done. It must suffice for the present to tell you that it ruined one life and bade fair to ruin another until I stepped in to take a hand. These two lives were very dear to me—and for their sake I have become a wanderer, a homeless tramp, searching the lone places of the West to find this woman and make her pay—to bring her to justice. I watched Lawrence Arnold for three years before I started and I knew he was in touch with her, that between them some way they were making me could never get track of him. He was too sharp to have visited every cattle ranch in the States, it seems to me. I found him in Texas, two in Monday and more in Idaho. I have ridden his little chap thousands of miles, and him with me by rail thousands more. I knew it was cattle stuff and Arnold's deals, but where he had been a mystery—"

"Months ago, I know and that were not. When Selwood rose in her face again, and she struck the ground with a vicious cut with her hand."

"If Bossick ever speaks to you again," said Kate, "you tell him to go to h—l, and that Kate Cathrew said so."

"I did," said Basford, grinning, "and Sud objected."

"Where's your allegiance to Sky Line?" she asked. "Provine instantly, must Basford show you loyalty?"

"I can show him discretion," said Provine, evenly, "an' hit don't take much brains to see that. Do you want these ranchers t' begin ridin' hard on us—nights, for instance, an' now?"

"Kate frowned and tapped her boot. 'The devil his due,' she said presently, 'you're right, Provine,' and turned away."

"The corrals were choked with cattle. Sky Line was ready for its drive. On the last night before the start there was a peculiar tenseness in everything about the busy place. Kate Cathrew was everywhere. She saw what horses were ready for use, spoke sharply with every rider to make sure he knew what he was to do, and told Rod Stone once more to get out of the kitchen."

"The boy laughed, but Minnie Pine glanced after her with smouldering eyes."

"She's a devil—the boss," she told Josefa, "I hate her."

After the early supper Caldwell, Provine, Basford and four others, saddled fresh horses and rode away. It was dark of the moon—as it was always when Sky Line gathered beef—a soft windy dark, ideal for the concealment of rides, the disguising of sounds."

They dropped down the mountain at an angle, heading northwest to circle the end of Mystery, and they followed no trail."

They were all armed and all wore dark clothing. Caldwell, leading, kept well up on the slope above the river and after two hours' hard going they were well around the northwest end of Mystery ridge which flared like a lady's old-fashioned skirt, and heading down into the glades that broke the jumbled ridges of the Upper country."

Here Bossick, a rich man, ran his cattle and had his holdings. His ranch lay well back from the river and up, but his stock ranged down. That was why it had been easy prey for the mysterious rustlers of Nameless river."

These men did not talk. They rode with a purpose and they were alert to every sound, their nerves were taut as fiddle strings. As they trotted up the glade the little wind that drew from the canyon at its head brought the scent of cattle, and presently they came upon a horse and rider standing like a statue in the shadows."

"but hit's free range land at that, ain't it?"

"In theory, yes," said Bossick, "but it's about time practice changed matters. About fed up on theory—and so are a few others in this man's country. I'd take it well if you and all your outfit stayed on the south side of Mystery where you belong. Your stock don't range this far in the Upper country."

"Is that so," drawled the other, "an' who says so?"

"I do," said Bossick quietly, "and I'm only giving you a warning. Provine, which you'd better heed. You can take the word to Kate Cathrew, too. Her high-handed methods don't see any too well with us—and we don't care who knows it."

"To h—l with you and your warnings!" flared Big Basford, his ugly temper rising. "Sky Line's too strong for any d—d bunch of backwoods buckaroos, an' don't you forget it! We're—"

"Shut up!" snapped Provine, and rode away. "Selwood's right," mused Bossick as he looked after them, "they're a precious lot of cut-throats."

At Sky Line ranch there was activity. Kate Cathrew was gathering beef. Riders were coming in daily with little bunches of cattle, all in good condition, which they herded into the corrals."

Day and night the air was resonant with the endless bawling. But then Kate was always early. And this year she had a particular reason for punctuality. One of those New York letters had said, "—would like to come a little sooner, if possible, so let's clean up promptly."

The word of those letters was law to her. If they had said "ship" in December, she would have tried to do so. Now she was out on Blue-fire from dawn to dark herself, and there was little or nothing escaped her eyes. She knew to a nicety how many yearlings were on the slopes of Mystery, the number of weaning calves, the steers that were ready for shipping and those that were not."

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Caldwell drew rein sharply. "Dickson?" he asked in a low voice. "O. K." came the answer as the other moved forward to join them.

"Seven—one head," he said quietly, "and all ready."

"Then let's get busy," said the foreman, "and get out of here."

With prearranged and concerted action the seven men divided and circled the herd which was bedded and quiet. On the further edge they were joined by another shadowy rider, and with silence and dispatch they got the cattle up and moving."

They made little noise, drifting down the level floor of the glade in a close-packed bunch. At its mouth they headed south along the shore of the river and followed along the stream for a matter of several miles. Where the western end of Mystery turned, Nameless curved and went down along the ridge's foot in a wide and placid flow. It was here that the drivers forced the cattle to the water and kept them in it, riding in a string along the edge. This was particular work and took finesse and dispatch."

This was the trick which had baffled cattlemen, and it was both easy and clever, comparatively. And so Bossick's seventy-one head of steers were disappearing and there was none to see."

That is, at this stage of the proceedings. There was one to see—one who had spent many weary weeks of night riding, of patient watching which had seemed likely to be unrewarded—"



He Had Heard a Cattle-Brute Bawl.

Sheriff Price Selwood sitting high on the slope above Kate Cathrew's trail, as he had so often, doggedly following his "bunch" and the prospector John Smith's discovery."

Since that ride up Blue Stone canyon he had taken turns with Smith in picketing Kate's outfit, but nothing untoward had taken place."

Now he sat in tedious silence, listening to the night sounds, unaware that any one was out from Sky Line, since Caldwell and his companions had dropped diagonally down the slope in their going, passing far above him."

For an hour he sat, slouching sideways in his saddle, his hat pulled over his eyes. The bay horse stood in hip-dropped rest, drowsing comfortably."

It was well after midnight, judging by the stars in the sky, when Selwood suddenly held the breath he was drawing into his lungs."

He had heard a cattle-brute bawl. For a moment he was still as death. Then he straightened up, every nerve taut."

He heard the sounds of cattle, the crack of whips, the unmistakable commotion of moving bodies. As it all came nearer below him he caught the swish and splash of water, and knew he was at last witnessing a raid of rustlers, one of the mysterious "disappearances" which had puzzled all the Deep Heart country for so long."

He wished fervently that Smith were with him—that Bossick and Jermyan and all the rest were there."

His heart was beating hard and to save his life he could not help the excitement which took hold upon him. And presently he heard, directly beneath him where Kate Cathrew's trail crossed Nameless, the tramp and crack of myriad hoofs taking to the rocky slope. The riders were turning the steers up toward Sky Line ranch!"

But what could they do with them there? Where could they hide them? Sheriff Selwood had food for thought but little time to use it. He had only time for decision, and for the action which was to follow swiftly on that decision."

And then on the heels of this question came like a flash of light on a dark curtain that old coincidence to time!

When that 90 head had vanished Kate Cathrew had been driving down—driving down from Sky Line—300 head of her own stock, all open and above board, properly branded clear and fair!"

Three hundred head of steers whose hoofs, going down, would trample out all trace of 90 going up!

The sheriff's eyes were gleaming in the dark, his lips were a tight line of determination."

He was beginning to get hold of the mystery with a vengeance. He thought of the windy passage that opened into Blue Stone canyon. If he could only find its head he would, as Smith had said, have solved the problem. And unless he missed his guess by a thousand miles, those steers streaming past him at the moment were headed for it now!"

Here was the chance to nail her crimes on Cattle Kate Cathrew, to make the "killing" of his years of failure in office—and Sheriff Price Selwood, brave man and honest officer of the law, took his life in his hand again, and fell in beside the herd."

Dark, quiet, shadowy—he was a rider among the riders, to all intents and purposes one of Kate Cathrew's men—and he was helping to drive Bossick's steers up to the foot of Rainbow cliff!"

From the few low-toned shouts and oaths he was able to identify the two men nearest him as Sud Province and Caldwell, the foreman."

He thanked his stars for his own dark horse, his inconspicuous clothing. The herd was headed straight for the face of the cliff, and he expected soon to see the riders swing them east toward the corrals of Sky Line, but they did not do so. When the foremost steers were close under the wall Caldwell rode near and called to him, thinking him one of his men:"

"Get around to the right," he said, "and keep close to Sud, Bill. I'll lead in myself. Take it slow. Don't want 'em to jam in the neck. When the first ones start behind the Flange let 'em dribble in on their own time. All ready?"

The last two words were a high call addressed to all the men. From all sides of the herd, come to a full stop now, came replies and Selwood saw Caldwell ride away around to the right."

Turning his horse the sheriff followed promptly. He was tense as a wire, alert, dreading discovery every moment, yet filled with excitement which sent the blood pounding in his ears."

As he neared the face of the precipice on the right, he saw Provine sitting on his horse, saw Caldwell circle in to the wall and cutting in before the massed cattle, go straight along its length. The faint starlight was just sufficient to show up bulk and movement, not detail. He heard the foreman begin to call "Coo—coo—coo—coo—coo"—and the next moment he could not believe his eyes, for horse and rider melted headfirst into the face of Rainbow cliff, as a knife slices into a surface and disappears! Caldwell voice came from the heart of the wall, far away and muffled, calling "Coo—coo—coo—coo—coo"—Provine edged in against the steers, shouting, he followed suit, as to movement, though he did not speak, and the dark blot of the mass began to flow into the solid rock of the spine that crowned Mystery ridge!"

Sheriff Selwood had solved the mystery of the disappearing steers—knew to a certainty who were the rustlers of Nameless river—and he could not get away with his knowledge quickly enough."

Therefore he reined his horse away to the left, dropped back along the herd, edged off a bit—a bit more—slid into a shadow—slipped behind the pine that made it—and putting the bay to a sharp walk, went down the mountain."

As the sounds behind him lessened he drew a good breath and struck a spur to his horse's flank. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Keep on Keeping On

When last I went West by way of the Broadway Limited, I was sitting on the observation platform, watching the scenery dash by, when the porter came out to straighten the chairs which had been left in some disorder by a group of young folks."

"We don't seem to be going so much faster than an ordinary local train, George," I commented. "How, then, can this be the fastest train on earth?"

"Well, suh," replied the African, with a grin, "de fac' is we alls doan go no faster'n lots of them pesky locals, but we gits dar in quick time because we flat keeps on keeping on."—W. L. Barnhart in Forbes Magazine.

Did Seem Hard Job

It was all on account of the labels. Doctor Glass had to send a box of pills to a patient, while there were half a dozen live chickens to be delivered to one of his friends. The abels got mixed and the messenger delivered the pills to the doctor's friend. So far not much harm had been done; but the patient was pained on receiving a hamper of live fowls and an egg-scope containing the following instructions: "Two of these to be swallowed every half hour in water."

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A Junior technical day school for training boys for the boot and shoe trade has been opened in connection with the Cordwainers' Technical college in London, England. The course will be divided between general education and trade subjects.



DR. W. B. CALDWELL AT THE AGE OF 83

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ROAD BUILDING

HIGHWAY BUILDERS FACE HARD PROBLEM

The number of automobiles and trucks in this country has multiplied more than 12 times since 1913. This gives an idea of the tremendous problem faced by our road builders, and it explains why our highway system has not been able to meet the traffic demands. The extent to which motor vehicles can be used depends entirely upon the available good highways. The motor vehicle and the adequate road forms a combination which works for the best interests of the entire community.

Within recent years there has developed a new vision of trade possibilities. We need national road systems—systems that will give us a dependable transportation to supplement our national highways. We need good road systems in order that the radius of motor traffic may be lengthened and its benefits extended to all communities and all classes of people.

The people of this country are demanding roads that will bear the traffic requirements of today, roads that will bear the shocks of great loads driven at high speeds, roads over which motor vehicles can operate with economy, and over which all kinds of highway traffic can operate regardless of weather or season, and above all, roads that will be permanent. There is no economy in temporary construction. With such construction, vast sums must be spent for repairs and maintenance, which in the end will be far in excess of the amount required for permanent construction in the beginning.

During the 15 years that have elapsed since the start was made for a highway system in the United States, practically every type of road has been built, and of the few that have been able to come through unscathed the hard surface seems to have proven itself superior in actual service.

A surface which will remain even and regular and unchanged by the hammering of vehicles is one of the advantages of the hard surface. Modern traffic moves rapidly and the wheels deliver an impact far greater than that of any horse-drawn traffic. If the material of which the surface is constructed has not the rigidity and strength to sustain the weight and impact of passing loads the surface will be deformed into waves, holes and ruts, and the quality of evenness will be lost. Obviously, if a paved road is to be made good it must have a sufficiently hard surface to distribute the weight of heavy wheel loads over a large area of the underlying soil.

Such pavement surface is impervious to climatic changes. Heat does not soften the binder, permitting it to flow; cold does not make it brittle, causing it to chip. Its gritty surface gives as good traction when wet as when dry, thus preventing dangerous skidding. Los Angeles, Seattle, and Portland, where they have more or less rain during the winter, use hard pavements on the hills.

Welcome Appreciated

In appreciation of the welcome accorded to the Pan-American highway commission when it visited this country last year, the delegates from the Latin-American republics have presented a bronze tablet to the highway education board at Washington. Commissioner of Education John J. Tigert accepted the tablet for the board. It was unveiled by Secretary of State Kellogg.

Road Signs Under Ban

Connecticut has taken steps to rid the highways of signs, posters, billboards and other methods of advertising which, when affixed to trees, poles, rocks or other structures adjoining the highways, interfere with the vision of motorists, especially on curves, thereby increasing the danger of accidents. The penalty for violation of the act is \$50 fine or imprisonment of not more than six months, or both.

Good Roads Facts

Completed federal aid roads now total 30,535 miles.

Railroad taxation going to highway purposes is 3.6 per cent of the total highway bill.

There is a real back-to-the-farm movement under way. Hard roads have helped, for they have brought the farms close to the towns and villages.

Gas tax funds in the state of Ohio will be spent in highway uses, according to the policy of Governor Donahey. The governor has insisted that the funds go to build as many miles of gravel roads as is possible.

Slag, one of the heretofore unused by-products of blast furnaces, is now used in making new roads and highways in England. Owners of great piles of slag that has been collecting for years are now taking a good profit on this erstwhile waste material.

ALL THAT HEART COULD DESIRE

By GREIG LAPHAM

(By Short Story Pub. Co.)

A S WILLIAM WARNER LEMINGTON cut with precision forty-five small, rectangular pieces of cardboard, he neatly laid a word on each. Then for a few minutes, while he meditated dreamily, he gently shook the bits of cardboard in his hat. At length, he slowly drew forth one of the pieces, and glanced at it. "Michigan!" he exclaimed, a bit sadly. "A trifle damp and chilly here, I fear, but then—so be it."

An hour later, the young man entered the office of the lawyer who looked after his property, and there was a hint of energy and determination in his bearing which warned the legal adviser that something unprecedented was in the air.

Lemington succinctly made known his wishes. "Sell immediately, even at a sacrifice, all my property, all of it, please. I shall want at least two hundred and fifty thousand cash at my command by June first. Invest the balance in such bonds as look good to you."

Blake stared blankly at his client for a moment. "Why, what—" he began.

"Not insanity," Lemington hastily interrupted, with a smile, "merely philanthropy. And say, my dear Blake, I certainly have at last hit upon a novel way of spending money."

In another hour, Lemington was back in his library. In his hand he held a pocket atlas of Michigan. With closed eyes he permitted the booklet to open where it would, and then let the point of his pencil touch the page. After drawing a long breath, he opened his eyes, and read, "Browtown—population 1,023." Next he consulted the map. "A nice location," he thought, and then he cried aloud, "O thrice fortunate Browtown!"

Browtown, Lemington discovered, was a pretty little village, located on a rather picturesque creek. It did not take long for him to become acquainted with the object of his generous impulse—nor was the town slow to take notice that there was a stranger in its midst. In the course of a year but few strange faces appeared in Browtown, and those were mostly infants. Occasionally, of course, there came a new minister or a school teacher, to take the place of one who had left for a larger field. Browtown was, in fact, a very agreeable place in which to begin life or to pass peacefully away—but it held out no glittering promises to ambition.

Lemington, as he strolled about that first day, soon found himself attended by an escort of small boys, who gazed in awe upon his splendid toggery; while admiring feminine eyes were fixed upon him from porches and doorways, or discreetly peeped at him through lace curtains, and fully noted the grace and distinction of his carriage.

Yes, indeed, long before Lemington had reached the old McKinney place, the village of Browtown was keenly alive to the fact that a stranger of no small importance was astray within its limits; and that, at the hotel, a zealous Jap servant was guarding well both his master's luggage and his secret—if he had one, and, of course, he had.

When Lemington came to the McKinney property, his eyes brightened. It was exactly to his liking. The great stone house, sadly out of repair, was set with careful accuracy in the middle of a village square. Surely if he were to rebuild the house, have some of the giant evergreens removed, give the grounds over to the magic of landscape gardeners, in short, spend a goodly amount of money, he would have a dwelling place quite in accord with his taste. He glanced across the street, and caught a glimpse of a most alluring bit of femininity. Yes, then, the neighborhood was all that heart could desire.

Lemington read the sign which hung dejectedly on a tree near the gate: "This place for sale by Wm. Simmonds."

"Take me to Simmonds," cried Lemington, pressing a dollar into the hand of a dumfounded lad.

"You really want to buy the place?" gasped Simmonds, when Lemington had made known his intentions.

"I do," affirmed the young man.

"Well, now, I vum!" cried Simmonds. "I never thought to live to see this day. Why, I've advertised that place in our paper for the past twelve years, and every time the ad's read differently. My land! 'twon't seem right at all with that place sold."

"How much did you say?" Lemington broke in.

"I haven't said how much yet, young man," came the response, petulantly. "But I will say it if you will give me time." Then Simmonds lowered his voice to a whisper: "They won't sell for a cent less than five thousand."

"I'll take it, and I want it quick," said Lemington.

The McKinney place had been sold. That was the first of a series of momentous happenings which crowded thick and fast upon the hitherto tranquil Browtown. Of the why and wherefore of the many blessings Browtown could gain no inkling. Mr. Lemington evidently had money galore. Mr. Lemington said he was not married. Nothing more did Browtown know about William Warner Lemington.

But his beneficent influence was widely felt. Both of Browtown's churches were recipients of Lemington's generosity. A library was built, a park laid out, the streets improved, the poverty stricken relieved. There was an exodus of the halt, the lame and the blind—some being sent to hospitals, some to a better climate, one to a school. Embryo geniuses were given the wherewithal to pursue their studies, and in the fall a dozen youths and maidens went joyfully off to college. Indeed, Browtown was drenched with a golden shower.

Yet requests from near-by towns for even a drop of Lemington's bounty fell on deaf ears; and certain nomadic ne'er-do-wells who, hearing a wondrous story, sought out Browtown as being a land of milk and honey, were doomed to bitter disappointment. Lemington for Browtown, such was the decree of fate.

It was June again, and for a whole year Browtown had been fed at the hand of a philanthropist. Now all Browtown gathered at his bidding, and surged through the reconstructed mansion that was once called the McKinney place. Here, in the center of the village, on this June evening, was fairyland. Hundreds of Japanese lanterns lighted the grounds, while the house itself was aglow with brilliant illumination. An orchestra of twenty pieces furnished music, and in a temporary pavilion youth and age mingled in the dance. Finally, a favored few congregated in the drawing room, and to them Lemington explained just this much:

"I came here, friends, because I was bored to death. I wanted to do something different, and I've done it. I've really had a lot of fun. I've spent a pile of money, and I've got my money's worth. I'd like to stay here right along, except when I want to stay away. This isn't home, but it may be. The question is, 'Shall I stay?' It's all up to just one person, and she's not very big, yet she's the whole of Browtown and all the world beside. Dorothy Deane, shall I stay?"

A shy, pretty girl gasped, blushed, and shrank behind a palm. Lemington walked right straight toward that palm.

"He's a crazy fool," growled the Jealous Man.

"Deliciously eccentric," declared the Club Woman.

"How romantic!" cried the Maiden Lady.

"Isn't he handsome, though?" interrogated Sweet Sixteen.

But Lemington heard just one word—Dorothy's softly spoken "Yes."

Best to Beware of Jap Jade Ornaments

When one of the most fashionable of California women wore her newest hat that bore proudly on one side, above her eye, a jade ornament, she noticed that her Japanese servant looked at it in covert disapproval.

She had come in late in the afternoon with two friends to whom the boy brought in tea and as she took her cup from the tray the oriental, usually imperturbable of manner and absolutely inscrutable of expression, stumbled, for he was gazing at the hat in a way that was so marked as to astonish his mistress. There was a look as near shocked surprise as it was possible for a well-trained Japanese to manifest.

After the departure of her guests the woman called "George" in to her. He came bowing in his most deprecatory fashion.

"What was the matter with you when you brought in the tea?" the woman questioned.

"Madame will pardon, but hat pin very bad?" George answered with more bows.

"Bad, what do you mean?" This, as the hat was removed and closely scrutinized.

"Very, very wicked words on that might-be jade, words tell shame thoughts," the Japanese explained. "Pins made for 'Merican trade say ugly things—how shall I make you know?—they words women not hear, not even know. Japanese see California ladies carrying words on hats, bracelets, neck, things not spoken by nice people."

Haggard's Autobiography

Rider Haggard wrote his autobiography before he passed on. In his will—he died worth about \$300,000—is this passage:

"As to the MS. of the work I have designated 'The Days of My Life,' an autobiography, I enjoy my wife not to destroy such MS. under any circumstances, and I express the hope and belief that she will reflect well, and take sound and expert advice, not only as to when it shall be published, but also as to what passages, if any, should be omitted."—W. Orton Tewson, in the New York Evening Post.

Stick to Home-Made Bread

Although bakers' products have increased enormously in the last ten years, due to the letting-up of home cooking and baking and the increasing custom of entire families eating out, there are still many home makers who bake their own bread apparently, as last year the United States Department of Agriculture sent out more than 2,000,000 copies of the bulletin, "Stick to Home-Made Bread."

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FRIONA OIL COMPANY

Mr. Chick Hughes and sister, Miss Arvis, arrived home Saturday. Chick has been at Burkburnett, Texas, and Miss Arvis has been visiting at Chillicothe, Texas.

Remember the Box Supper at the Methodist Church, Saturday night, November 14. Program commences at 8 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited.

LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. Presley of Farwell spent the week end with Miss Vivian Jones.

Edgar Chase of Bovina was a business visitor here Thursday.

Mr. C. H. Fallwell was in New Mexico this week on business.

Mrs. E. B. McLellan and daughters were shopping in Hereford Saturday.

Mr. Bill Kirk of Friona was a business visitor in Hereford Saturday.

Mr. Connel of Hereford, Texas was a business visitor in Friona Monday.

Mr. J. J. Horton is attending business in Oklahoma this week.

Mrs. Lacy and small son, Morris Wayne, were in Hereford Friday.

W. J. Parker and R. M. Gaines of Bovina were business visitors here Thursday.

Mrs. J. G. Weir accompanied by Mrs. Truett spent Tuesday in Amarillo.

Mr. Albert Fallwell (Fattie) of Bellview, New Mexico was in Friona Wednesday.

Mr. O. F. Lange and Miss Kathryn Conaway were visitors in Hereford Tuesday.

Mrs. Will Wilson who lives about twelve miles south of town was in Friona shopping Thursday.

W. W. Ryan was in Hereford Thursday looking after business matters.

Gus M. Bryan, one of the salesmen for the Capitol Reservation Lands, was a Friona visitor Wednesday.

J. J. Horton spent a part of the week in Merkle, Texas on a business mission.

Mr. J. C. Wilkison and family

were business visitors in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. Connel and Miss Sallie Bell Brown of Hereford, Texas called on friends in Friona Friday.

Mr. M. A. Crum of this place spent last week in Grannet, Oklahoma on business.

Mr. Scroggin and daughter, Miss Thelma are visiting at Altus, Okla. this week.

Mr. Claude Lillard who was operated on Tuesday is reported much better at this writing.

A recent report came in from the Bledsoe home of Abernathy that there was no noticeable improvement in Mr. Bledsoe's condition, in fact, no change to speak of in the past week or so. Mr. Bledsoe is the father of Robert and Jim Bledsoe of this place.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bledsoe and daughter, Miss Edeline, of Ft. Sumner New Mexico visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. C. H. Fallwell and two sons Ardean and Buck spent Friday and Saturday in the home of Mr. Mack Short of Hereford, Texas.

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