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BAILEY COUNTY FAIR NEWS

Quite a number of people have expressed their desire to co-operate in putting on a County Fair. Farmers over the county have willingly offered to bring in the best they have for exhibition and with the excellent condition of the crops we should be able to show some of the best produce in the country this year.

There is nothing that will boost our county more than a fair and we are counting on the business men and the farmers getting together and putting over a great county fair. We have endeavored to get a representative meeting on two occasions but have so far failed and we are going to resort to the draft system to get lined up and we are asking you not to resist the draft.

We expect to have things well under way by the first of September and full announcement will be published regarding the rules and prizes.

The best exhibit material will be selected from this fair and carried to the Tri-State fair at Amarillo and to the State Fair at Dallas. If you will serve in any capacity without being drafted in promoting this fair please volunteer your services to Taylor White, Agricultural Instructor and he will assign you for the special work in hand.

We are counting on you to make this go and to give it your hearty co-operation. If you are proud of your county and want to give it a boost, then get behind this movement.

TAYLOR WHITE.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS.

The Baptist Missionary Society met last Tuesday with Mrs. Ross Glaze, north of Muleshoe. Mrs. Tom Billingsley led the devotional part of the services, after which Mrs. Levi Pressly took charge of the afternoon's program in Royal Service. The program was participated in and enjoyed by all present.

In our business meeting, we decided to quilt quilts for \$1.50 a spool and tack comforts for \$1.00 each. After several other matters of business, we were dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Taylor White—or at least Mrs. Ray Griffith thought we were dismissed, for in stepped Mrs. DeShazer carrying a box filled with small, medium and large sized packages and presented them as a surprise to our president, Mrs. Ray Griffith, in honor of her (?) birthday. And what did those mysterious packages contain? Handkerchiefs, dollies, a dress, an apron, table covers, sofa pillows, tops, and many other useful gifts. Was she surprised? Ask her!

We are having a contest, too, which is to close next Wednesday. The society is divided into two groups, a captain for each group. The points governing the contest are: present on time, Bible, on program, studied lesson. At the close of the contest, the losing side is to entertain the winners. If you want to know the ones on the losing side, just go to Missionary Society and take note of those who have long, tear-stained faces—they're losers.

Ice cream and cake were served at the close of the afternoon. Those present were Mmes. Taylor White, H. Motherall, Tom Billingsley, D. A. Dodson, Ray Griffith, Levi Pressly, J. J. DeShazo, L. S. Barron, Lawler, Ross, Glaze, and B. Griffith. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ray Griffith.

MRS. STEGALL SERIOUSLY ILL.

We have just learned of the serious illness of Mrs. Mary Stegall, mother of county commissioner-elect, Rex Stegall, at the Stegall ranch in the southwest part of the county. Mrs. Stegall was stricken with paralysis Wednesday. The Journal joins with the many friends of the family in wishing for her speedy recovery.

Big Dirigible Is to Visit Fort Worth

The Shenandoah, giant navy dirigible, will visit Fort Worth in October. It was definitely decided by the navy department last week.

The department also announces that the airship will make no western trip prior to October. This sets at rest reports that it will be sent to Omaha, Denver and Fort Worth this month.

Since the steamship Patoka has been fitted with a mooring mast, so that the Shenandoah can be anchored at sea, the airship is to be used in fleet operations. When these maneuvers are held on the Pacific the Patoka will be sent to the western waters via the Panama Canal and the Shenandoah will make the trans-continental tour.

At present only one stop is contemplated on this tour, and that is at Fort Worth. It is necessary to break the long flight across the continent, and the only mooring mast between the two oceans which can accommodate the Shenandoah is located at Fort Worth. While in Fort Worth the dirigible is to be refilled and its supply of helium replenished.



New Girl Swimming Champion Looms.

San Francisco—Eleanor Garratti, 15 year old Italian girl who glided to victory in the 50-yard Pacific Coast Girls' Championship race at Neptune Beach, Alameda. In the unexperienced, untutored girl swimmer California may have the next women's champion of the world.

COUNTY SCHOOL MEETING

At the called meeting of the County Board of School Trustees Saturday an appeal was heard. The appeal was taken from the action of the district trustees of the Hurley Common School District in refusing to consolidate the two buildings in the district and move them to Progress, a town that was platted off several years ago north of the railroad between Hurley and Lariat. So far there is nothing there but some stakes and corner stones that mark the corners. The district trustees claimed that they had already made their arrangements for the school for the next term and it would not be to the best interest for the school to undertake to move the buildings at this time.

The meeting at times was quite a spirited one as there was lots of feeling on both sides of the question. The petitioners claimed they had a majority of the voters and school patrons on the petition.

FLOATING BAR OUTSIDE LIMIT NOT MOLESTED

NEW YORK, August 16.—A 17,000-ton ship, reported operating as a cabaret, restaurant and dancing place, with liquor galore just outside the American territorial waters off Fire Island, may continue its business without fear of federal prohibition enforcement agents.

R. R. Merrick, director of prohibition enforcement here, conceded today that such a vessel outside of United States waters could not be molested nor could patrons who went to and from it in boats.

Persons claiming to have been on board the booze ship described it as being as luxurious as any of the big Broadway cabarets recently padlocked. It has a negro orchestra, it is said. Prices of food and drink were said to be staggering.

TWO-POUND BABY GIRL

PARIS, Texas, August 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dearman, living on the Shelton farm, near Howland are the parents of a remarkable baby girl. The child when seven days old only weighed two pounds, but is vigorous and healthy, being normal in every respect except in weight. Many visitors have been to the Dearman home to see the infant.

GIN MACHINERY HERE.

The machinery for the new cotton gin which is being built on the Hallsell Ranch, on the Muleshoe and Olton road, is being unloaded at Muleshoe this week and hauled out to the new site.

A candidate can erect safeguards against practically any contingency except getting endorsed by the wrong people.—Detroit News.

Wheat seems to be doing its best to keep up with the price of bread.—Dallas News.

However, the approaching election may cause Mr. Dawes to make some new plans.—Macon Telegraph.

FIVE YOUNG PEOPLE ARE DROWNED

FLOYDADA, Texas, Aug. 18.—Five young people of Floydada were drowned at Silver Lake, 35 miles south of Floydada, near Crosbyton, Sunday afternoon when a boat in which they were riding turned over. Three of the victims were members of the same family.

The dead are Miss Virgie Fawver, 20; Frank Fawver, 33; Milton Fawver, 17; Leona Luttrall, 18, and Ed-nest Clegg, 20.

Miss Esther Harry was in the boat but was rescued. The accident was witnessed by several people who were some 100 yards from the place where the boat turned over. The accident occurred near the large concrete dam where the water was 30 feet deep.

The boys who were drowned could not swim, but lost their lives in an effort to save the girls, who could not swim.

The bodies were recovered by grab-hooks after 12 dives had been made after them.

Growing Cantaloupes at Muleshoe, Texas.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 15.—Wm. S. F. Matthiesen, cantaloupe grower, of Muleshoe, Tex., out in the Panhandle and near the New Mexico border, was in Kansas City this week, following a two weeks' trip in some of the Northern states. Mr. Matthiesen is a former Colorado grower and says that the Muleshoe district is a coming cantaloupe section. He has 20 acres in cantaloupes this year. There are about 80 acres being grown at this point and there will be quite a number of carloads for shipment commencing within the next few days.

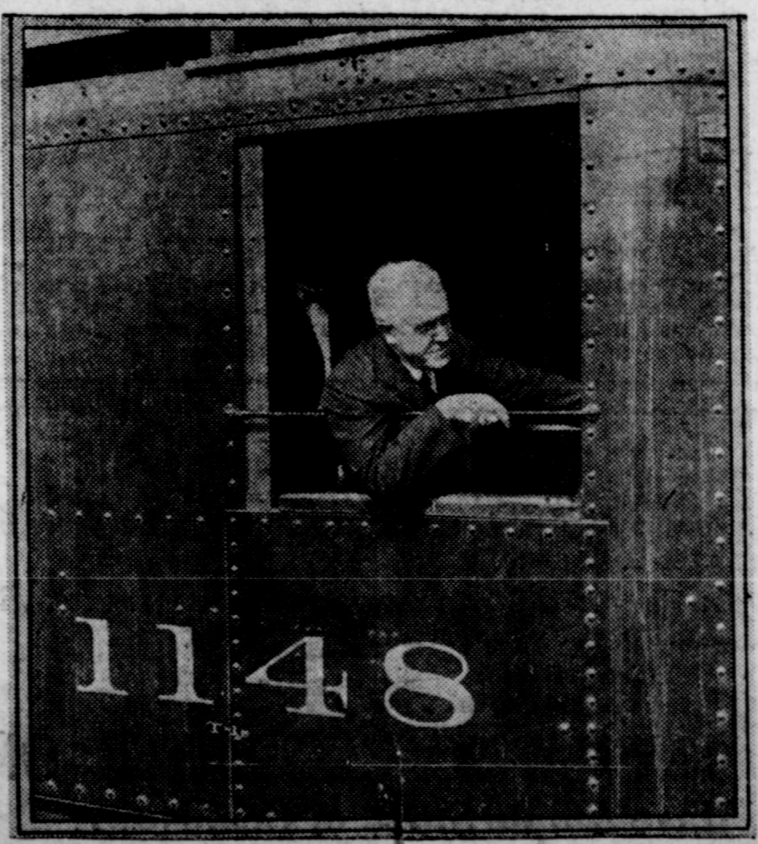
"If we get good results from our crop this year," he said to The Packer, "no doubt the industry will be developed to quite large proportions another year. We have been growing cantaloupes to some extent for three or four years and last year shipped a few cars, but not as many as are expected this season. We have shallow well irrigation and there can be hundreds of acres developed for cantaloupes. As a rule our melons ripen a little in advance of the Colorado crop, although they are a little later than usual this season. We are growing the 10-25 Pollock."

Head lettuce, cucumbers, string beans and other truck also are being grown in the Muleshoe district. Fall shipments of beans and cucumbers will be made. Head lettuce matures the latter part of May. This is a coming district in perishable crop production, according to Mr. Matthiesen, who says that a number of experienced Colorado growers have settled in the district.—Kansas City Packer.

AMERICAN GETS PRINCE'S MONEY

DEAUVILLE, France, August 20.—Fortune turned its back on the Prince of Wales, said to have lost more than 100,000 francs as a result of Sunday's play on the races and at the Baccarat tables. Jules Mastbaum, Philadelphia, is said to have profited at the expense of the prince.

In the afternoon the prince visited the races and blustered a bet on each race. None of his selections showed at the finish. The prince's visit to the gaming tables was the biggest event of the season. When word spread that he was trying his luck the hall filled immediately.



ENGINEER JOHN W. DAVIS IN THE CAB.

New York—John W. Davis, the Democratic nominee for the Presidency, hopped into the cab of a railroad locomotive and piloted the special train to Hyde Park, N. Y., where he was guest of honor at a clam bake arranged by Franklin D. Roosevelt, former Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

AMERICAN FLIERS SAFE IN GREENLAND

American fliers circling the globe, yesterday safely negotiated what was considered the most dangerous lap of their epoch making world tour by air, when they landed in Greenland, after traversing 825 miles of perilous ways.

Lieut. Locatelli, Italian flier, who hopped off at the same time the American fliers left Iceland, was not mentioned in the dispatches from Halifax announcing the safe arrival of Lieuts. Smith and Nelson.

AMHERST NOTES.

Mrs. Lewis Uleton has just returned from a visit with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Blessing, at Burk Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brewer, of Memphis, Texas, are having a pleasant visit with their daughter, Mrs. E. B. Luce, and family.

Miss Carrie Ivey returned last week from Canyon where she has been in school for the past term.

W. C. Casper and family, of Rochester, arrived the past week to make their home here.

Miss Flo Baults, who has been visiting in Altus, Oklahoma for the past month, has returned home. She reports a very nice trip.

Miss Jennie Chapman, who has been attending the East Texas State Normal at Commerce, returned Wednesday and will be home for a few days before beginning her school work at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark T. Walker entertained Thursday evening with a jolly moon-light picnic and watermelon feast. About 36 people were present and jolly games and conversation was enjoyed for about three hours.

B. C. Linn had the following guests at their home last week: W. O. Cooper, Haskell; Charley Baker, Loving, his brother, K. M. Lion, and family, of Owenville.

J. C. Johnson returned home at Devale, Okla., after visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Darden, and family.

T. H. Kelley, of O'Donnell, closed a deal for a meat market here and will open up in the Vickery Barker shop building as soon as he can move and get his equipment installed.

Mrs. Bert Smith, of Lorenzo, but formerly of this city, is rapidly recovering from an operation. She is in a Lubbock hospital.

T. H. Kelley and family, of O'Donnell, arrived Monday night to make their home here.

PERPETUAL PEACHES

NOCONA, August 20.—In the backyard of Mrs. J. R. M. Carpenter there a peach tree came up from the seed about six years ago and now bears fruit through the season, while other trees are resting. At this time it has peaches full grown and extra large and is blossoming for another crop.

VISITING IN SOUTH TEXAS.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor White left Wednesday morning for a trip to Austin and other points in South Texas. Mr. White will attend the Vocational and Agricultural conference at Austin, which will last all of next week. This conference is composed of vocational teachers from all over the state. Mr. White is to appear on the program in a number of instances during the conference, one of the subjects he is to discuss being "The Relationship Between the County Agent and the Agricultural Teacher."



CAVEWOMAN.

She's a real cave woman. Elizabeth Lee, 22-year-old daughter of Dr. Willis T. Lee, Washington geologist and explorer, is in charge of the National Geographic Expedition to the Carlsbad Cavern, in New Mexico. As secretary to her father, she has become familiar with the many miles of bewildering underground passage ways of the famous cavern.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Miss Opal Rutherford is visiting in Amarillo this week.

C. M. Long, of Baileyboro, was in town Wednesday on business.

A. L. Davis was a Muleshoe visitor Thursday.

County Judge R. J. Klump, K. K. Smith and Levi Pressly were Clovis visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Ryan are the proud parents of a baby girl who made her arrival several days ago.

D. A. Dodson and family have moved into their new home, "Donemovin," in the south part of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Smith and daughters are spending several days at Mineral Wells.

J. J. Lawler is building his new home in the west part of town and will move to town when it is completed.

The Methodist Missionary Society will serve ham sandwiches, coffee, pie, cake and ice cream at the usual prices on Saturday, August 23rd, at the Court House. PRESS REPORTER.

F. E. Abney and family, of Baileyboro, were in Muleshoe Thursday. Mr. Abney says that he will move to Muleshoe about the first week in September. Mr. Abney is moving to Muleshoe for the benefit of the school.

Louie Geisert, of Hurley, was in town Wednesday. He states that he has a fine crop and that the crops are all good in his neighborhood. Mr. Geisert is one of the pioneers of Bailey county, coming here some 17 years ago.

Leo Gilmore, C. E. Dodson, Rev. Sam Tipton and several others of the West Camp Community, were in Muleshoe Tuesday. The Rev. Tipton is holding a revival meeting at West Camp and from all reports it is a very successful meeting.

H. D. Payne, attorney from Fort Worth, and H. R. Bishop, of Lubbock, both former partners of the editor, were in Muleshoe for a short stay on Sunday morning. They were on their way home from Farwell where they had been for several days on legal business.

M. S. Lomerneck and family of Winnsboro, Texas, who have been visiting in the S. F. Morris home, have returned to their home. Mr. Lomerneck is a regular visitor in this part of the state, this being his fourth trip. He says he is well pleased with the country and will very likely move to Bailey county in the near future. We will be glad to have you with us, Mr. Lomerneck.

AMERICAN FLIERS AWAIT REPAIRS

REKJAVIK, Aug. 20.—Fato has again intervened in the final dash of the world fliers. They await the arrival of the U. S. S. Richmond with repairs for the damaged plane.

Monday when they attempted to take off with an over supply of petrol both planes were slightly damaged.

It will take one day to make repairs so they will probably not get away before Thursday. The next jump is to be to Fredricksdale, Greenland.

TODAY ELECTION DAY

Today marks the closing of the second primary for the nomination of the Democratic candidates for the state, district and county officers. Those who are interested and in the run-off in Bailey county have been very busy this week putting the finishing touches to their campaigns.

The second campaign has been rather a tame affair compared with the first race. The voters will go to the polls today and select their officers for the next two years, that is, they will select those who were not selected in the first primary and are in the second. These officers in most instances are elected for a term of two years. Every voter should carefully consider the merits and qualifications of all the candidates on the ticket today before he or she cast their ballot and vote for the candidate who will give our county or state the best administration for the next two years. Bailey county is in a prosperous condition this year with her prospects of a bumper crop and we need men for the various offices who are wide awake and county builders. Bailey county has lots of work to perform in the next few years if she keeps up with the other Plains counties and she is going to do that.

When the election is over and the votes are counted and the winners declared, let's all get behind them and pull our Bailey county.

PLAINVIEW IS INCENSED OVER ATTACK ON EDITOR

PLAINVIEW, August 21.—Plainview is greatly incensed today over the brutal attack upon Jess M. Adams, editor and owner of the Plainview News, late Wednesday afternoon as he was on his way to his office. He was attacked by two men, it is said, although charges have been filed against only one.

Mr. Adams was attacked in about one-half block of his office, was knocked down and trampled upon, suffering a broken jaw and severe bruises upon the face.

Dow Nix, farmer, living 11 miles east of Plainview, was placed under arrest here today, charged with aggravated assault. Bond was set for \$500 for him to appear the first Monday in September at the term of county court.

Complaint was filed against Nix by Frank D. Rav, county attorney, who late in the afternoon said that investigation would be continued of the attack upon Mr. Adams, who is one of the best known newspaper editors in Texas.

The attack upon Mr. Adams is said to have been the result of a story printed about three months ago in the Plainview News in regard to Dow Nix being fined on a charge of assaulting a negro. The records of the county attorney show that a complaint was filed against Dow Nix on May 18, and he was fined \$25 and costs a few days later.

THANKS FROM DAVIDSON.

Houston, Texas, Aug. 15, 1924. Mr. K. K. Smith, Muleshoe, Texas. My Dear Mr. Smith:

Returning home after the long campaign, I take the first opportunity to drop you a note of appreciation and thanks for your staunch and loyal support of my candidacy.

The campaign was a wonderful experience. In fact, I came out happier by far than when I entered the race, and believe much stronger politically. The thousands of fine friendships gained and cemented, and the broadened vision of my state and renewed faith in its democracy, derived from traveling over 15,000 miles and meeting more than 200,000 citizens, constitute a benefit that is in itself well worth the campaign. My chief regret is that my friends were disappointed.

May I say, however, that we are not defeated—the day of our success is just postponed two years.

Thanking you again for your splendid interest and assistance in the campaign, and with very best regards, I am, Sincerely yours,

LYNCH DAVIDSON.

ONE DEAD, THREE HURT AT DEMING

DEMING, N. M., August 20.—J. H. Parrish, El Paso carpenter, working as a member of a Santa Fe railway bridge building force, was killed at 12:15 this afternoon in the Santa Fe yards in Deming, when the work train crashed into a switch engine.

Three other men were hurt. They are Charles E. Boone, of Sierra Blanca, Texas; James Jackson, of Missouri; and Charles Williams, of Gramma, N. M.

Parrish was riding on top of a car full of telegraph poles and was crushed under their weight when the work train, fast rounding a turn, crashed into the switch engine.

Parrish's address is given as 2515 Silver street, El Paso, where he resided with a family.

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LEVI PRESSLY, EDITOR.

THE AMERICAN'S CREED.

"I believe in the United States of America and the principles of freedom, justice, equality and humanity upon which it was founded and for which American patriots have given their lives and fortunes.

"I believe it is my duty towards my country to love it; to support its constitution; to obey its laws, and to defend it against all enemies."

TODAY IS BIG DAY IN TEXAS.

Texas goes to the polls today in one of the most bitterly waged campaigns in years in connection with the runoff primary election.

Issues both current and of long standing confront the people. Texas is apparently at a cross-roads in its political history. Which way will the people turn?

The Journal trusts the course will be a wise one. Despite conflicting opinions and bitterly waged issues, the people can usually be trusted to act sanely and judiciously when time for sound thinking arrives. The will of the majority is the cardinal principle of Democracy. As the people will, it shall be. And out of their decision we hope Texas will forge ahead.

THE COUNTY FAIR.

In the olden days of "Merrie England" fairs were great events in the lives of rural people. First they were trade exchanges. Craftsmen from the towns and farmers or peasants from the country brought their products to some certain place and there bartered their surplus that they did not want for the other fellows' surplus that they did want.

But with the development of other marketing agencies, fairs took on their more modern aspect. Both craftsmen and farmers began to compete for the premiums on their products. And fairs became important factors making for the improvement and growth of the individual and community.

It is impossible to measure their value in the agricultural development of this country. The competition and rivalry in each community as to who could raise the best live stock, the finest grains, or the most "typy" potatoes has been all important in improving farm conditions throughout America.

The farmer, or farmer boy, who loses out one year, learns why. Then he works toward a newer and better standard for the following year. The value that comes as a result to him individually and to agriculture generally is everywhere recognized.

Therefore, we urge the farmers of Curry county to support the local county fair in every way possible. It will pay to take a day or two off to exchange ideas with your friends in other parts of the county and to compare your grain or livestock standards with the standards of others.

Then, too, the local management offers three days of entertainment and it really pays to have a good time once in a while. Remember the old adage about all work and no play.

It Must Pay.

The man who says that advertising in the Journal doesn't pay is setting his judgment up against the business brain of some of the most successful men in America.

If you will watch the columns of the Journal for a few months you will find advertisements of such nationally known institutions as the Ford Motor Company, the William Wrigley, Jr., Company, and many others.

These firms employ highly paid specialists who know that they will get a profit out of every dollar they invest in advertising space. They check returns carefully, they watch results over a period of months or years, and then they buy advertising space where they get the best results.

For they have no interest in helping the editor or in seeing Clovis have a bigger and larger paper. Before they place advertising in the Journal one question is raised: "Will it pay?" The answer must be "Yes," for they keep on advertising year after year.

So it seems that to be consistent the man who says: "It don't pay to advertise in the Journal" must add that these nationally famous business men got where they are by wasting money.

We are told that millions of people in this country have only the mentality of children, but after trying to answer our children's questions we are inclined to think that is enough.—Cleveland Times and Commercial.

Who ever supposed that the manufacturers of hairpins would be classed among the non-essential industries?—Cleveland Times and Commercial.

The ideal situation would be to lend the money to France and then let Wall Street get it out of Germany any way to suit.—Dallas News.

Help at Hand.

Gerald had just bought a car and he was taking the girl of his heart for a spin.

Proud of being able to turn a corner without seriously damaging the hedges, he was letting the car out a big. Up hill and down dale they tore at a gallant pace.

"Oh, Gerald, isn't it lovely?" said the girl as they topped a hill and behind the country spread out far below them.

But she got no answer, for they were already dashing downward like the stick of a rocket. Gerald, with a moist forehead and bulging eyes, shouted in her ear:

"The brakes have given way."

"Oh, Gerald, how awful!" shrieked the girl. "Can't you stop it? I'd give all the money in the world to get out!"

"Don't part with a penny!" gasped Gerald, who was of Scotch descent. "We'll both get out for nothing when the car hits that gate down there!"—Edinburgh Scotsman.

The Dodge City Globe says any one of the presidential candidates can carry every state in the union if he gets half as many votes as were promised to the local candidates for sheriff in the primary campaign.

The Literary Digest discusses "Courting Danger in the Automobile." Any kind of courting is that kind.—Cleveland Times and Commercial.

The busy little bee that works less than one-fourth of the time, got his reputation for industry from a lazy poet who never worked at all.

Glove makers report that American women's hands are growing larger. A painful outlook for the coming small boy.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Did you ever notice the promptness with which candidates on a national ticket begin to go to church?—Baltimore American.

The bootlegger demands cash. He knows how hard it would be to collect from the estate.—Montague in the New York Herald Tribune.

The Republican managers will slay the first newspaper reporter who gets an interview out of Fall showing why he is supporting Coolidge and Dawes.—Wichita Eagle.

There was a time when flappers got tanned without going to the seashore, but parents are more lenient now.—New York American.

The only universal language that seems to have much success it a wink.—Pittsburgh Post.

The children run about everything now except the lawn-mower.—Akron Beacon-Journal.

How quickly news travels! Our baker has learned that the wheat farmer is saved.—Chico, Cal., Record.

"Americans Drowning in Gold," says a Daily Express headline. What a beautiful death!—Punch.

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BRYAN ACCEPTS NOMINATION

Honesty, Efficiency and Economy Are Stressed by Vice-Presidential Candidate in Acceptance Speech.

LINCOLN, Neb., August 18.—Though at all times torn by prejudices and passions the Democratic national convention in New York named a real progressive as its candidate for President, Governor Charles W. Bryan declared here tonight in accepting the Democratic nomination for the vice presidency. "Honesty, efficiency and economy" were declared to be necessary for the successful conduct of the national government. A tribute was paid to women in politics by the speaker, who declared also that Arkansas, a Democratic State, was the first to ratify the child labor amendment, and that it could not have been submitted but for the votes of Democrats in Congress.

His speech of acceptance follows in part:

A Progressive Platform.
The representatives of the people, the good men and women who served at the recent national Democratic convention, did their work well. The platform which they adopted upholds the ideals of America, demands a return to the honesty in government of our fore-fathers and outlines the legislative and administrative policies necessary to restore equality in government. It is the most progressive platform, covering the tried and practical measures for the economic freedom and prosperity of the people that has ever been promulgated by a national political convention.

That convention is a striking illustration of the soundness of heart and saneness of mind of the American people.

Though at times torn by passions and prejudices it refused to be cajoled into cowardice or deadlocked into desperation, but tenaciously held to its purposes until out of the dying embers of controversy the spirit of unity rose and reason triumphed in the nomination of that able lawyer, that trained diplomat, that experienced statesman, that champion of the rights of humanity, that progressive Democrat, John W. Davis.

Honesty Is Essential.
Honesty, efficiency and economy in governmental affairs, municipal, state and national, are the need of the hour. There must be honesty in the heart, honesty in the mind, honesty in business and honesty in official life if the ideals of the republic are to be maintained. Efficiency and economy in business and government can only be achieved by integrity in thought and in action.

The great masses of the people today are calling for progressive leadership. The unrest throughout the country is caused by inertia on the part of public officials, mounting numbers of government employes, duplication and overlapping in the governmental agencies, useless boards and commissions, the resultant high cost of government and excessive taxation, and the failure of the government to func-

tion for the protection and welfare of the weaker members of society.

The buying of immunities, the issuing of permits, the hoisting of tariff schedules and the granting of government oil leases in return for campaign contributions must be uprooted and destroyed forever if this government is to endure. Men must be selected for public positions on account of their honesty and ability and not on account of their wealth, their social qualities or their political strategy.

Interest In Labor.

All legislation for the benefit of the wage earners rests on the first sentence of our platform plank. "Labor is not a commodity. It is human." Therefore it must be dealt with humanly. Lincoln echoed the sentiments of Jefferson when he declared that in case of conflict between the two the man must come before the dollar. That is a fundamental difference between the attitude of Republican leaders and the attitude of Democratic leaders on this subject. The "captains of industry" have their place and should be protected in their rights, but those whom they employ and whose labor they direct have rights as sacred and these rights are as essential as their employers to industrial welfare and our political progress. Equality of political rights implies and should be accompanied by equality of opportunity.

The Democratic party pledges all its energies to the outlawing of the whole war system. The statement could not be stronger and it expresses the sentiment of a large majority of the American people. The only hope of the world is found in the substitution of machinery for peace in the place of machinery for war.

It Pays to Advertise.

Dorothy had been praying each evening at bedtime for a baby sister. The other day her mother while reading the paper, exclaimed: "I see Mrs. Smith has a little daughter."

"How do you know that, Mamma?" Dorothy inquired.

"It says so in the paper, dear." "Read it to me."

Her mother read: "Born on July 2 to Mr. and Mrs. — Smith a daughter."

Dorothy thought for a moment and then said: "I know what I'm going to do. I'm going to stop praying and begin advertising."—Boston Transcript.

An American scientist is wondering why rejuvenation is not more widely practiced, as by its aid we should enjoy the services of our statesmen much longer. We know. That's why.—Punch.

Secretary of Labor Davis says that American workers have more gold in their teeth than laborers in most European countries have in their bank. It is up to Mister Trotsky to laugh that off.—Macon Telegraph.

Another thing is that the world should be assured that the French will not use the reparations to start some more preparations.—Columbia Record.



BACKWARD CHILDREN

POOR eyesight will make children backward in school. It affects their work, their health and their success.

Do not allow your child to suffer through neglected eyesight. At the slightest indication of trouble let us make the examination that will tell.

J. R. DENHOF
Optometrist
CLOVIS, NEW MEXICO

Hiram Bearden was in town on business Thursday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- County Judge. WM. G. KENNEDY.
- County Attorney. J. J. SCRIBNER.
- County Sheriff. LEVI PRESSLY.
- County Clerk. H. A. DOUGLASS.
- County Treasurer. ELMER HOSKINS.
- Tax Assessor. C. C. MARDIS.
- Hide and Animal Inspector. MRS. W. C. BUCY.
- Commissioner Precinct No. 1. CLARENCE MILLIGAN.
- Commissioner Precinct No. 2. R. C. ROY.
- Commissioner Precinct No. 3. J. B. RUTHERFORD.
- Commissioner Precinct No. 4. MISS IRENE ANDERSON.
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THE CHARLEY ROSS MYSTERY

BY S. R. VAN BUSKIRK

Synopsis of Preceding Chapter.

The author, having a desire to visit the old birthplace and home town, Odell, Ill., boards a train one day and is soon set down in the beautiful village. On a trip out to his grandfather's old homestead, while walking through the old orchard, he finds buried at the foot of an apple tree, an aged, rusty metal box, which on opening, was found to contain a complete and true solution to the Charley Ross mystery.

CHAPTER II.

Charley Ross, the famous lost boy, rose to National, yes, even International fame, over night when the world heard of his abduction from his Philadelphia home some fifty years ago. Yet, perchance some of you who will follow this story and solution have never even heard of the happening and so, before giving you grandfather's story, I will relate the events as they occurred in this remarkable mystery.

To show the widespread interest which the world at large took in the boy, I will relate an incident which took place in Philadelphia a few months ago. A minister was showing some of his friends from Norway around the historic places and lovely suburbs of the city. As they passed down Washington Lane in Germantown, he pointed out the house where Charley Ross had lived and where he had been stolen. They had viewed the Liberty Bell, had passed through Independence Hall, and yet seemed not so interested. They knew very little of Benjamin Franklin or William Penn yet when the name of Charley Ross was mentioned their faces lighted up with great interest. He was the only Philadelphian whose fame had reached them among the mountains and fjords of Norway.

A half century has passed since people in the whole civilized world aided in the frantic search made by the parents of Charley Ross, and, baffled by the seeming cloak of mystery which surrounded his whereabouts, at last gave up the task to sit in mourning with those who wept, until such a time as the good Lord would reveal the truth about the boy. The story has been told and retold by mothers in trying to teach their own children to be careful about taking up with stray strangers. No story has ever gripped the hearts of old people and children alike as has the great and tragic story of this boy. Except the abduction of Joseph, in the old Bible times, no story of child stealing has touched the hearts of as many people in every civilized land.

The Charley Ross house stands well up on the hill and on the right as one comes down Washington Lane in the direction of East River Drive. It is an old-fashioned house, built of stone, 2 stories high, surrounded on three sides by a veranda, and crowned by a cupola. In its day it must have been a handsome place and one can well understand how the prowling miscreants who selected the child of this house for their prey, must have thought that the owner was a man of great wealth. The house is now in a state of semi-decay and stands lonely, remote and melancholy as if the very walls, windows and doors were conscious of the great tragedy which was enacted in that home fifty years ago.

Philadelphia is rich in interesting homes and houses, places which recall deeds of valor and patriotism, or where famous men slept and died. But this high-standing house on Washington Lane has an interest all its own. It is Philadelphia's House of Sorrow.

There were seven children in the Ross family, four boys and three girls. The father was a business man, having an interest in the firm of Ross, Schott & Co., located at 304 Market street. On the first day of July, 1874, his wife went to Atlantic City for a short stay, leaving the children, except one, in the care of the father, but during business hours, of course, the servants had charge of them. Charley, a lad of four years, with light curly hair and beautiful blue eyes, had formed a great affection for his older brother, Walter, and the two were very often seen playing together along the street in front of the house. The abduction took place on July 1, which came on Wednesday, but on several days before this the wily robbers had made their plans and laid the trap which was to catch the child. On Saturday before a buggy, or rather a sort of covered coach or wagon, which we of today call a hack, was driven up the Lane by two men. They stopped and gave the two boys some candy. Sunday was missed because then the father would be at home and chances of suspicion would be greater. But on Monday and again on Tuesday, the men appeared, each time giving the boys more candy. Then on Wednesday after the boys had received the usual treat, they asked the men to take them for a ride in the buggy. As we study this crime we find that the perpetrators were men whose minds seemed to be the very acme of cunning. You notice that they did not come by and pick the boys up against their will, and by so doing run a risk of having them cry out, arousing the people around, but they insidiously came each day making friends with the boys until the children were willing to show their confidence by asking the men for a ride. This allowed them to get a good start before the children were missed. In fact it was not until the

father returned home that evening that the loss was discovered.

But let us return to the father and follow him, for beyond the short and simple story which Walter told when he was finally located, we know nothing more about Charley except the father's frantic search for him. That is, the world knew nothing more and has lived for fifty years at a loss to know what became of Charley, until the discovery of the old manuscript written by my grandfather, on the first anniversary of the kidnapping, gave the solution.

On Wednesday afternoon, July 1, 1874, Christian K. Ross was busy at work in his office on Market street. As the afternoon drew near a close he glanced at his watch. It was an hour yet until closing time but he remembered that he had promised the boys he would get them a cart load of sand from the seashore in which they could play and in which they could fire their fire crackers on the Fourth. Business was pressing and there was more that needed attention, but the father heart in him could not disappoint the children. He realized that there would be only one time when the boys could enjoy playing in the sand and that they soon would grow up and become business men as he was and be lost in the busy world of affairs, so why not lay aside the pressing work of the day and spend an hour with his boys in their fun. So, tossing the keys to a trusted clerk, he said, "Here Jones, you may close up the shop tonight, I am going home early."

With a joyous heart, anticipating the fun which they would have together, the father walked rapidly along the Lane toward his home. I don't know why it is so, but a child will always run to meet his papa when he sees him coming home from work, and happy is that father who has the confidence and love of his children that they will always be ready to run to meet him and walk back to the house beside him holding his hands. Such had been the custom of the Ross children and as their father approached the home on this afternoon he strained his eyes anxiously for the first sight of the boys running down the Lane.

But it was not to be. The boys were not in front of the house. Passing through to the back yard still he did not find them. He then asked the servants where the boys were and was told that they had taken their bath and had gone out to play with the McDowell children, who were next door neighbors. He felt no uneasiness at this time after hearing this and decided that it would be best to let them play until tea time, when he would call them in and after tea would read to them in the library.

When it came time to call the boys they were not found anywhere about, either in the front yard or at the neighbors. Becoming quite anxious now, Mr. Ross sent the servants to search for them and started off in another direction himself. Stopping at the houses as he passed and inquiring about the boys, he finally came to the house of Miss Mary Kidder who lived on the farther side of an unoccupied field. This lady said she thought she had seen Walter and Charley pass her house in a wagon with two men. This brought Mr. Ross' mind to the story Walter had told him about a man in a wagon giving him some candy on the Saturday before. He now became greatly alarmed and started to walk to the police station to inquire if anything had been seen of the two boys with the men and wagon, and to send a message to the central station in the city asking for help.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Wings Needed.

Many improvements are noted in sport model automobiles, but a fortune awaits the designer of one guaranteed to get over the railroad crossing after the gates are down.—Life.



Will Circle Globe to Get Signatures of Royalty.

Washington—Joseph Frank Mikule, of New York, who called at the White House at the start of his hike around the world carrying a large autograph album in which he will gather the signatures of kings, queens and royalty all over the world. President Coolidge was the first to sign the book. He will sail to England shortly, then continue on his way.

Signs of the Times.

Decimus King, whose \$200 prize word "Scofflaw," is expected to sting the law-scoffing drinker into repentance, said in Quincy the other day:

"Too many Americans, so far as prohibition is concerned, are like Mr. Lush."

"Jane," said Mrs. Lush to her servant, "Mr. Lush swears that he got home last night at an early hour. Can you tell me what time it was exactly?"

"Well, ma'am," said Jane, "all I can tell you is this: I didn't see him come in nor nothin'! but when I came down stairs this mornin' his overcoat was still swingin' backwards and forwards on the hook."—Pittsburgh Sun.

Foresighted.

"John, the doctor has ordered me to the seashore."

"Why, you're not run down or tired out, are you?"

"No, but I will be by the time I get my trunks packed."—Benton Transcript.

Constructive Deliberation.

"Rome wasn't built in a day."
"No," added Senator Sorghum, "nor in a year either. No doubt the builders even in those classical times found it desirable to lay off once in a while and wait for more appropriations."—Washington Star.

Convenient.

"Two Irishmen stood in front of a drug store in Dublin. In the window was a display of rubber gloves.
"Now, I wonder what is them things for?" asked one of the Irishmen.

"Oh," replied the other Irishman, "ye can put them things on an' wash yer hands without gettin' yer 'ands wet'."

France can not see why she should be blind to another's defaults.—Philadelphia Evening Public Ledger.

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Such a Surprise.

The act of notifying a Presidential candidate of his nomination is paralleled only by the "surprise" parties which wives arrange for their husbands.—Life.

How soon France gets out of Germany will have something to do with how much.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Merely as an economic suggestion: the next time Germany prepares to run amuck it might be cheaper to buy her off before she does any damage and not have to make her a loan afterwards.—Columbia Record.

Marry in haste and you will have no leisure for repentance.—Columbia Record.

Prof. S. R. Van Buskirk, superintendent of our schools, was a Clovis visitor Monday.

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THE TRI-STATE EXPOSITION

AMARILLO, Texas, Aug. 20.—The Tri-State Exposition is an institution that will be of permanent benefit to the entire Panhandle-Plains region, and should have the support of every county and every commercial organization, was the declaration of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce at its last meeting, when it was unanimously voted to send an agricultural exhibit and also to participate in the pageant.

That Canadian expressed the opinion of all this territory is shown by the rate at which agricultural exhibits are being entered. Sixteen counties already have sent in their contracts and unofficial advices indicate that the goal of 40 county exhibits may be reached.

Fair officials are hopeful of an exhibit from practically every county and point out that if this is secured the Tri-State fair probably will pass the Dallas Fair in number of counties represented. Such a showing, they say, will do more than anything else to convince the nation that this is an exceptionally fine agricultural region. Last year the Tri-State had 21 county exhibits, as against 33 for the Dallas Fair.

Counties already entered are Bailey, Roberts, Hemphill, Dallam, Swisher, Randall, Castro, Terry, Dawson, Lubbock, Motley, Garza, Briscoe, Armstrong, Hartley and Potter.

Seventeen hundred and fifty dollars will be distributed among the 20 counties making the highest scores. First prize is \$250, second \$175, and others range downward to \$50. There are also numerous prizes for individual exhibits.

SHOOT IT OUT

Strangers Meet, Draw And Die In Their Tracks.

OKLAHOMA CITY, August 19.—Developing a sudden dislike for each other when they met on the public highway, two strangers in true wild west form shot it out, according to a story told police by four eye-witnesses.

Isaac Redding, farmer, told Mr. Turman "he didn't like his looks," when the latter stopped near the farmer's house to drink some wine.

Redding told him to drive on under cover of a gun. Turman unlimbered his own gun and when the smoke had cleared away both were dead.

Perhaps So.

The Chief—H'm, late again, Smith!

Smith—I'm sorry, sir, but last night my wife presented me with a boy.

She'd have done better to have presented you with an alarm clock.

I rather fancy she has, sir—Passing Show, London.

WILL ASK THE DEATH PENALTY

If Kid McCoy, ex-pugilist, is sane and alienists who have examined him say he is, then the State of California will ask the death penalty for McCoy in connection with the slaying of Mrs. Mors, Los Angeles woman to whom it is said McCoy was engaged to be married.

Although McCoy was pronounced sane by alienists who examined him at the instance of the state and the prosecuting attorney, the ex-pugilist sat on his cell floor in the Los Angeles jail Tuesday and tore up paper dolls. McCoy had "a way with women." He has been married eight times. McCoy is said to have confessed to the slaying of Mrs. Mors to a Los Angeles actor, but the police have been unable to find this man.

BOY KILLS GIRL IN PISTOL DUEL.

HARLAN, Ky., Aug. 16.—Freeman Wilson, 17, has confessed that he killed 18-year-old Lucy Waggoner Saturday in a roadside pistol duel, in which Lucy shot him twice.

The young persons met upon a road near here and Wilson offered to carry the girl's suitcase, according to the story the boy told in the hospital. When they came to parting of their ways, Lucy refused to take the suitcase from Wilson and insisted that he accompany her. Wilson would not and Lucy pulled her gun and shot him twice, in the leg and foot.

The boy drew his own weapon and his first shot struck Lucy squarely between the eyes.

Delphine Forrester and Cecil Ward, witnesses of the shooting, said Freeman's story is substantially true.

BANDITS HOLDING AN AMERICAN

MEXICO CITY, August 20.—American Manager Crock, of the Lord Lumber Company, in the state of Durango, has been captured by Mexican bandits and is being held for ransom, according to advices reaching the American embassy here.

Announcement of his capture was sent by the American consul in Durango. The details of the capture and the amount of the ransom asked were lacking.

Spares Wanted.

Considerable excitement was caused among the guests at a wedding ceremony in a Havre church recently when the lady refused to marry the bridegroom. Such painful scenes might easily be avoided if the bridegroom arranged to keep one or two ladies in reserve.—London Opinion.

WANTED—Tenders for cutting 150 acres of Sudan. D. V. OSBORN, five miles northeast of Muleshoe. 25-2tc

Advocates Sheds Or Single Ricking

Former Editor Tells How Broom Corn Should Be Handled.

I am writing this and printing a lot of circulars to get in the hands of the brush growers without any hope of reward except in the added volume of money and of the prosperity it will give the county, by the growers marketing their brush in the earliest market and at pea-green prices.

Undoubtedly Baca county last year lost tens of thousands of dollars by reason of bleaching, rain-soaked or otherwise damaged brush, all of which could have been saved to the growers by either shedding or the process of single ricking.

As the plan of single ricking is one that I have tried, I will just give you briefly a little experiment the year before I left the farm that led up to the idea of single ricking.

I had a late patch that I gathered after the ricks were well settled. There were about two fair loads of it, and as an experiment I hauled it in green and built it up at one end of a rick, just one width of the brush, there being just enough to make it the height of that rick.

There wasn't enough of it to hurt anybody, and so I told that brush that if it wanted to rot to go ahead and rot, and paid no attention to it until we came to bale it, when rather to my surprise I found that brush as pretty a green as was ever seen in a shed. That gave me the idea of single ricking and the plan I evolved follows:

Set posts in the middle part of your intended rick, something like 4 feet apart. Believe to lay down rails to put the brush on would be all right.

Now put down one layer of brush hauled in green, the same as for shedding, about six inches thick, with the heads the same direction. Now another layer of the same thickness with the heads the other way, and so on with alternate layers.

Have posts four or five feet above the ground, and of course lay the brush between the posts. Have posts smooth and sharpened at the top. Build the rick about two feet above the posts so the posts will not drain water into the ricks.

It would be well to have the head ends of each layer extend over three or four inches.

Watch your ricks, especially if the weather is wet and if you find it is heating, pull out small handfuls at different places and lay the brush on top.

Shed if you can, but if you can't you will find single ricking very nearly as good in keeping the green color, and with your brush pea-green you will realize from a half more to maybe two or three times as much.

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First Thought.

Little Joan had just been told the story of Daniel in the lions' den. Then mother asked:

"And what do you think Daniel did the very first thing after he was saved from the lions?"

Without hesitation Joan replied: "Why, he must have telephoned home to his wife to tell her he was all right."—Everybody's Magazine.

Chance for Action.

Joan (romantically)—"I think the poets are right, George. It's only in the great open spaces that we find ourselves."

George—"Well, we're twenty miles from anywhere, the sun's going down and I've lost the map, so now's your chance!"—London Opinion.

JOE JEFFERSON'S WIDOW DEAD.

NEW YORK, August 14.—Mrs. Sarah Antonette Jefferson, 74, widow of Joseph Jefferson, actor, died here Friday night at the home of her sons.

AMHERST NOTES

Mrs. Hulbert Slate and Miss Eva Franks were Lubbock visitors Friday. The new Baptist church is being completed this week.

Mrs. A. W. Haney and children, of Granbury, who have been visiting Mrs. Haney's daughter, Mrs. Earl Webb, left Thursday, Mrs. Webb returning home with them for a several weeks stay.

Mr. C. C. Banks' parents, of Hollis, Oklahoma, are here visiting this week.

Mrs. O. T. Walker and daughter, Eva, returned to their home in Waco Friday after a few weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Mark T. Walker.

Mr. J. H. Miller was a Lubbock visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Linn and family and J. B. McCoy spent the week-end in Kress visiting relatives.

The Many friends of Mrs. Allan White will be glad to hear that she continues to improve at the family home where she has been confined to her room for the past several days.

Mrs. B. C. Linn and children left Thursday morning for a three weeks automobile trip to Temple, her former home, and also will visit relatives at Bell Falls and Oenaville.

Miss Iva Mae Gage left Saturday for Dallas where she will take a business course.

Miss Etta Preddy spent the week-end in Plainview with friends, and while there visited her brother-in-law who is in the hospital.

Mrs. W. J. Lee, of Rotan, was a guest last week of her son, A. R. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Booser left last week for Hughs Springs, Texas, for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Williams, of Muleshoe, are visiting Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Akers.

Rex Regan spent the week-end in Lubbock and attended the ball game between Amarillo and Lubbock.

J. B. Smith and O. L. Summer left for Plainview Friday to bring back the school trucks which are to be used for the school house east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Page and party attended the revival at Sudan last Sunday night.

The Methodist people will begin a revival at the community tabernacle Friday night, Rev. Edgar, the pastor, to do the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dyer, of Walters, Oklahoma, on their way to Colorado points for a visit, stopped off here for a few days with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hamilton, of Lockney, will spend the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen White.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. House, son of Mr. J. T. House, have just returned from a visit with relatives at Hobart, Oklahoma.

Mr. N. J. Allen is in Fort Worth this week on business.

Miss Evelyn Lewis, of Clarendon, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert Slate this week.

Miss Nina House, of Hobart, Oklahoma, has just returned to make her home here with her father, Mr. J. T. House.

Mr. M. A. Williams left for Lubbock on a business trip the latter part of this week.

Mrs. O. C. Evans, from Soper, Oklahoma, after a three weeks visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayo, has returned to her home.

THE ACE.

The price of corn has gone sky high, and now, as sure as you are born, the pig is doing his level best to climb to the price of corn.



President Elect Calles of Mexico Here for a Visit.

New York—Gen. P. Elias Calles, president-elect of Mexico, who is here for a short visit before sailing for Europe to make a study of economic and political conditions abroad.

We read that Mr. Shaver, who is to manage the Davis campaign, is a gentleman and a scholar and all like that, but what most of us want to know is, can he beat the Coolidge manager claiming everything in sight?—Macon Telegraph.

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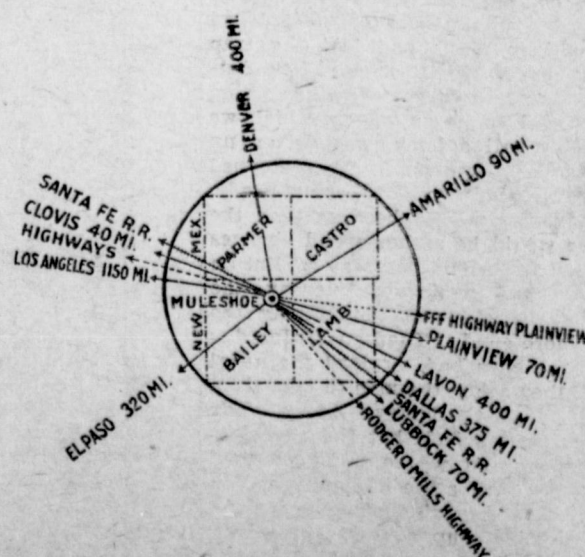
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HUNDREDS OF KLANSMEN IN ROBES AT KLEAGLE'S FUNERAL.

Atlantic City, N. J.—A view of the interment of the late Col. A. A. Andridge, former Kleagle of the New Jersey Klansmen who died recently. Hundreds of Klansmen in their white robes attended the ceremonies.