

## The Big Fair and Encampment is Going Ten Thousand People First Day Crowds From Adjoining Towns

**Largest Street Parade in History. Live Stock, Poultry and Farm Exhibits, Simply Magnificent and in Abundance.**

The fourteenth annual fair and encampment for San Saba county is in the making this week. The old town has been in the grip of the fair and holiday spirit the last week. The home people are alive to the occasion and the roads leading this way have been literally lined for several days with former residents coming to this homecoming. Many of their names were in last issue of the News; many more of them will be noted in this issue.

The live stock exhibits began arriving Sunday. The beautiful herd from the Low ranch in Brown county was the first to arrive. W. J. Moore is Johnnie on the spot and was at the depot to meet them and take them to the stalls at the fair grounds. Other herds have been arriving daily.

The races are simply great. More horses for the running and harness races than ever before. In fact Monday morning E. E. Fagg, manager of this department, put carpenters to work building more new stalls. Geo. Moore, who had the favorite, Our Leader, here last year shipped all the way from Reno, Nevada to get the San Saba races again. There are at least 75 head of race horses at the race track stables this week.

The farm exhibits are showing up fine. The proposition of Joe A. Willtams to take care of and protect all perishable stuff was taken advantage of and several exhibits were brought in last week and placed on cold storage at the San Saba Ice and Light plant. All this did not cost one cent extra.

The poultry department is crowded and many are saying that this is equal to the state poultry show. The culinary and art department are in the upper story of the main exhibit hall and are attracting great crowds.

The old town is in a swirl of bustle and enthusiasm and a fuller account of the vast throngs of people and of the items of interest will appear next week.

### BAND ARRIVES MONDAY

The famous Odd Fellow's band from the Home at Corsicana arrived on schedule time Monday.

Dennis Sullivan, the indefatigable rustler, had planned a huge fish dinner for them at the Fair Camp at noon. This was enjoyed by the boys. But, oh, you swimming hole. The river is near the camp and the boys made a rush for the swimming. The rivalry was hilarious to see who could get into the San Saba river first. Two of them went over the bank at the same time, thus dividing the honors. The boys are giving a class of music that would do credit to any bunch of musicians, and they are Johnnie on the spot all the time. A finer set of boys and young men has never visited the town. They are the guests of Alpha Lodge, every member of whom is proud of them.

### STREET PARADE GREATEST EVER

The street parade which officially opened the fair Tuesday morning was the longest and most representative in the history of the town. It reached from the high school building to the public square.

Sheriff Miller lead the long train of decorated vehicles, farm wagons, automobiles, comic rings, good roads exhibition and old cow boys lined up in the parade. Next to the sheriff was the famous I. O. O. F. band which is making music for the big event.

First prize for best decorated automobile was awarded to Miss Lillie Floss Turner. In the farm wagons W. F. Lackey came first and W. N. Rylander and Jesse Watkins with a float from Bonita Farm products 2nd. Best decorated float representing home industry: S. T. Taylor, first; J. A. B. Jones second.

A full and complete report of all the prizes and premiums will appear next week.

### FIRST DAY RACES

Free for all pace—purse \$250. Halley Grace, first; Col. Rogors, second; Aley Fern, third; time 2:19 1/4.

Special, 3-8 mile running, purse \$100.

Nila, first, Joe, second; time 36.

One-fourth mile running, purse \$35.

Sweet Alice, first; Grace Won-

der, second; Lady Wise, third; time 26.

One-half mile running—purse \$50.

Tempty Duncan, first; Davis, second; Rio Tan, third; time 49.

Five-eighths Mile—purse \$50. Our Leader, 1, The Visitor, Second; Carandelet, third; time 63.

J. E. Lindsey, of Llano, is the official starter for the meet and W. J. Moore, Buck Richards of Brady and Tom Huffstutler of Lometa were judges.

Clayton Walters arrived Monday night from Idaho to visit his parents, Maj. and Mrs. G. A. Walters, during fair week. He has been away now some three years and is located in a good business at Twin Falls, Idaho.

It will pay you to trade with Riley Bros.

W. A. Hudson is down from the ranch for fair week and to see his father and good friends.

Isham McMillin and wife of Stonewall county are among the happy band of fair visitors.

Mrs. V. U. Taylor of Lexington arrived Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Hibbler, near town.

The revival meeting announced for the Christian church, in another column, will be conducted under the Tabernacle.

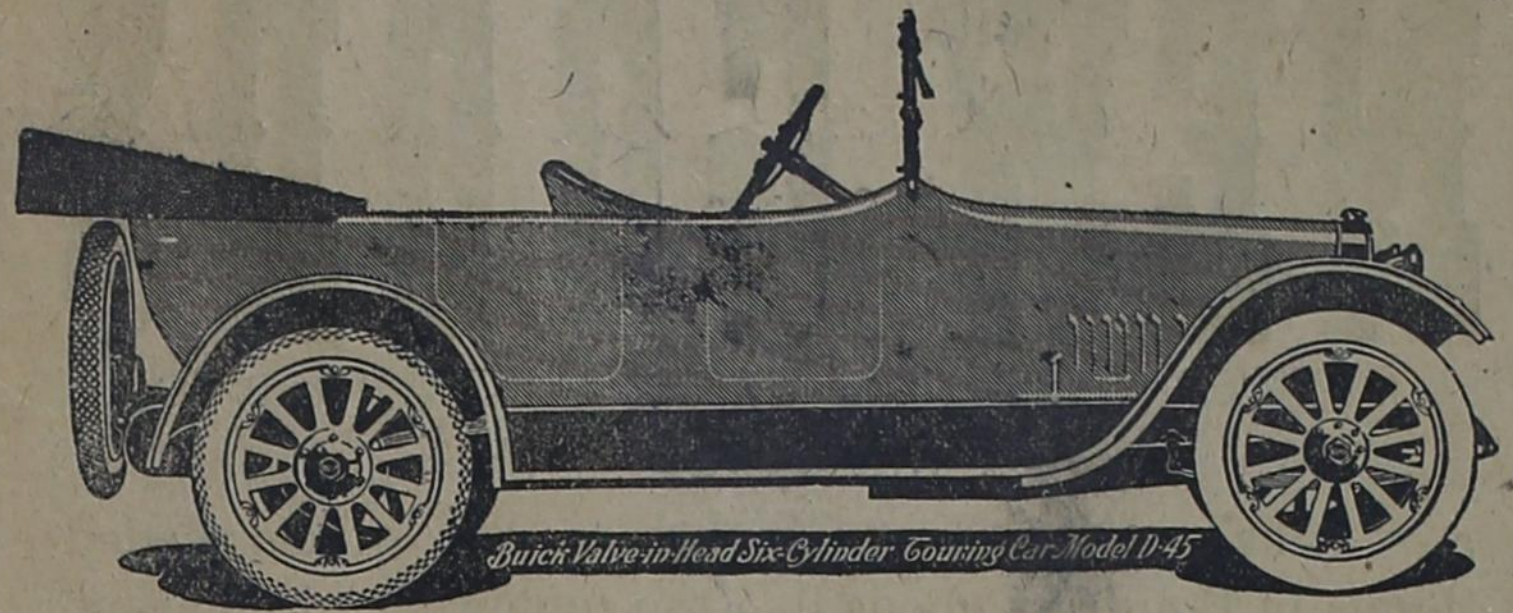
Mrs. S. F. Robinson and daughter, Mrs. Beulah Branch of Cherokee, returned Monday from a visit to daughter and sister at Ft. Smith, Ark.

J. W. Munsell, editor of the Eye-Witness, issued early and came to the fair and playing the races, the ball games and the great whiteway from early morn to late in the evening.

Miss Bessie Hubbert has sold a one half interest in her millinery business to Miss Bell McKinney and they will go to St. Louis after the fair and prepare to give their friends the very latest and prettiest things when the fall trade opens.

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LOST—black walrus hand grip with name of W. T. Dunlap and wife post card inside. Finder notify W. J. Hill, San Saba.



## Are You Going to Buy An Automobile?

It will be to your interest to see us before buying. We are here to stay. Have been in business with you for 21 years, and need no introduction as to our reliability.

We have the agency for two of the best automobiles sold today. Don't take our word for it, but talk to a Buick or Dodge Brothers car owner. The Buick or Dodge Brothers manufacturers are the strongest financial concerns in the U. S. today, and when better automobiles are built they will build them. When buying either of these cars you will be pleased.

### OUR MAKE-GOOD POLICY

We stand back of every Automobile we sell. It is no half-hearted guarantee which is usually perfunctory and means nothing.

### Our Make-Good Business Policy

Means that if the Automobile does not do good work, which we represent it to do, or anything goes wrong, which is rightfully the fault of the car, we will make it right without question or argument.

There will be no technical evasion, no discourtesy, nor effort to disregard responsibility.

See us before you buy, and be on the right side.

**G. A. ARHELGER, Manager.**

### R. S. CRAIN BUYS FARMERS' GIN

The deal was closed by R. W. Burleson, administrator of the R. G. Coryell estate, Tuesday by which he sold the Farmer's Gin in San Saba to R. S. Crain. Mr. Crain is an experienced gin man and owns the gins at Harkeyville and Algerita already. His friends will be pleased to learn that he is to still be identified with the business interests of the town. He informs the News that he will get busy at once and complete the few necessary details to have the Farmer's Gin ready for the first bale of cotton to come to town.

T. T. Woods was among the race horse horsemen to arrive Saturday. He has four horses at the race track stables. Former fair visitors know Loom Up and will be permitted to see him go around the track again this fair with a good string of harness horses. Woods told the News reporter Sunday that he had not missed a fair for the past eight years. He enjoys the fair treatment the race horse men get at San Saba and always comes back and tells his friends to come.

T. M. Allen and sister, Miss Jossie, and Miss Ida Maxwell of the Bend section took the train Monday to spend several days visiting in Brady.

### D. A. AUTRY BUYS ASHBY TAILOR SHOP

The News overlooked to mention last week the trade by which D. A. Autry became the owner of the Brock Ashby tailor shop. Brock has been sick quite a deal of late and Mr. Autry is determined to remain a citizen of beautiful San Saba. "Angus," as he is familiarly known, is a good Indian and hustler. He will surrender the office of county treasurer in November with a splendid record and at the same time he is providing a business.

It will pay you to trade with Riley Bros.

## A 9 Reel Vitagraph Feature

# "THE BATTLE CRY OF PEACE"

A Call to Arms Against War by J. Stuart Blackton at the MAJESTIC THEATRE

**Friday and Saturday Nights, August 18th & 19th**

Two and one-half hours of the Greatest Picture ever produced.

Music especially arranged for Play by Orchestra.

Adults 50c

Admission

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# Visit The Store With The NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Silks and Woolens, Gingham, and other needed things in the dress goods line too numerous to mention. We are anxious to show you these goods and want you to come and see them for yourself.

The woolen serges for the new season are of especially beautiful designs, weaves and colors. We can't explain it all in this ad, you must come and see them in order to appreciate these newest things.

Don't forget that our fall goods are arriving daily and that we expect to give you an array of everything in the dry goods line that will appeal to your desire for the best. This store must keep up the lead in the things that are newest and be ever prepared to satisfy your needs and desires for the most up-to-date in the dry goods line.

For the fair we have just what you want--and it's new. Just drop in and make a thorough inspection and then tell your neighbors and friends that Mosley has it

## A. R. MOSLEY

Has the New Things First.

### NOTICE

I am now handling the famous ULCO PRODUCTS of Oklahoma City and will guarantee a dollar value for each dollar spent. THE ULCO FORD LIGHT EQUALIZER stands unsurpassed and is guaranteed to give a bright white light at all speeds throughout the life of your car, be it one year or forty. In ten minutes I can solve your light problem for good, and will do it for the small sum of \$5.00

The ULCO SELF VULCANIZING TIRE PATCH will eliminate all worry over blow-outs and punctures, while ULCO GAS-CAR-ETS are guaranteed to give you 25 per cent more mileage from your gasoline.

Call at my store at Algerita and allow me to place a ULCO EQUALIZER on your car for a ten day's free trial. Or see Otto Harkay at the Owl Pool Hall in San Saba.

Call at my stand during the Fair and let me demonstrate ULCO PRODUCTS to you and then we will talk business. Yours for high-class products,  
D. J. Jones

I want to say to the ladies that I expect to run a nice, clean tailoring shop and will appreciate your patronage, and will guarantee good work. Call and see us.  
D. A. Autry  
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# Our Bread Is Always Fresh

Made in a sanitary shop. TRY a loaf today and you will WANT one tomorrow. Buy bread tickets and save money.

## The Model Bakery

Both Phones. Our Aim is to Please You.

Mrs. J. B. Thaxton and children of Cherokee took the train here Saturday enroute to visit the former's brothers and sisters in Schleicher county.

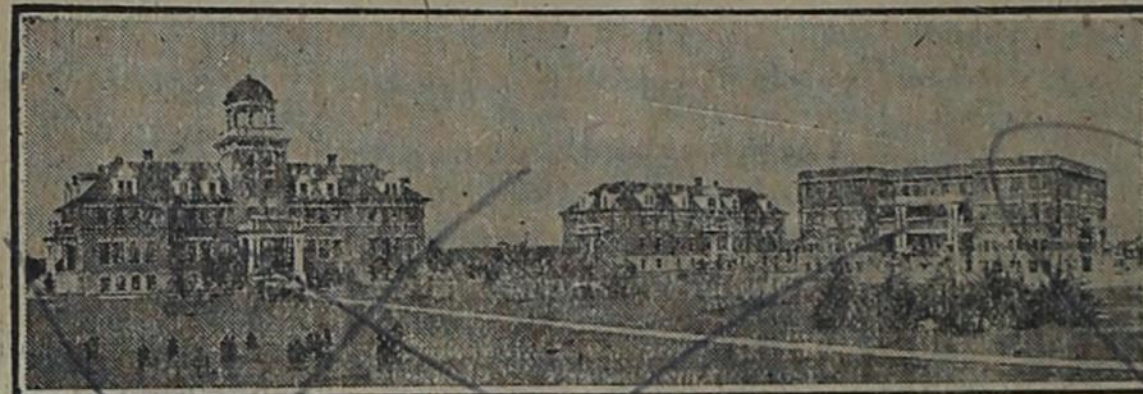
The familiar face of J. W. Blakeney is one of the pleasures of fair week. Mrs. Blakeney is with him and it is a great pleasure to their many friends to see and shake their friendly hands again. They are now making their home in San Antonio.

I have bought the Brock Ashby tailor shop and will appreciate your work. Prompt service. All work guaranteed.  
D. A. Autry

R. A. Doran and family of Tom Green county arrived Sunday to spend fair week seeing old time friends and to visit Mr. Doran's parents.

Pete Graves and family of Kimble county are fair visitors. Pete is comfortably located on a farm and ranch proposition and is doing well. He is busy shaking hands with life long friends.

C. M. Abbott and wife of Plainview are here for a few week's visit to the old home. Mr. Abbott is engaged in the blacksmith business and owns a good shop at Plainview.



### TEXAS PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE FOR YOUNG LADIES

This school in fourteen years has attained a phenomenal development and reputation. Its location is healthful and convenient, on the Dallas-Waco Interurban and M. K. & T. Ry. Large faculty of experienced teachers. Departments: Literary, Music, Art, Expression, Needlework, Domestic Science. Visiting director of music, Miss Edward Baxter Ferry, voice teacher personally endorsed by Emma Eames. Piano and violin teachers from best conservatories. Art teacher from the Corcoran, expression teacher from Kling's. One of the six best domestic science teachers in the United States. New and complete domestic science equipment. Modern language tables. Standard four-year A. B. course. Pure water from 800-foot well. Property worth \$225,000. One patron says: "A cultured, Christian home where order, system, comfort and refinement reign supreme." Its pupils are noted for their gentle, quiet, ladylike manners. If you want your daughter trained to be an ideal woman send her to T. P. C. Send for illustrated catalogue.  
R. C. SOMMERVILLE, A. M., President, Box 53, Milford, Texas.

#### The Case of L. L. Cantelou

The case of L. L. Cantelou, Clarendon, Texas, is similar to that of many others who have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says, "After trying a doctor for several months, and using different kinds of medicine for my wife who had been troubled with severe bowel complaints for several months, I bought a 25c bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using the second bottle she was entirely cured." For sale by all dealers.

The best of material with expert baking makes our goods give satisfaction. A trial will convince you. Model Bakery.

Children, I will buy peach seeds again. W. R. Harris.

Rudolph Krause, who recently came here from San Saba, was arrested last Sunday afternoon and lodged in the jail at Lampasas charged with assault with intent to murder. The charge grew out of the alleged attempt to poison his wife some few days ago.—Lometa Reporter.

We keep our goods fresh by baking every day at the Model Bakery.

Are you satisfied with your lights, Mr. Ford owner? It is easy to become so if you see me. D. J. Jones, "The Ulco Man"

**A Good Wholesome Complexion**  
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**Dentoris Cold Creme**

For protection from sun and wind it is a marvel. Healing and soothing without the greasy effect; finish with our dainty complexion powder.

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Soft as down, yet so adherent perspiration will run over, but not furrow. Meets all the requirements of the most exacting.  
Creme put up in 25c tubes, 25c and 50c jars. Send 5c in stamps or coin for trial 2 oz. tube of Lilliac Cold Creme and receive sample powder FREE. Powder in pink, white, red, and bouquets. Store where desired.  
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#### Revival Meeting

The summer revival at the Christian church on Wallace street will begin Thursday night August 10, and will be in charge of Elder Phillips of Fort Worth, who is an evangelist of considerable reputation. The public is invited to these services.

S. L. Kirk and family left Saturday in their family car for an overland trip to visit the family of P. S. Kirk at Tularosa, N. M.

Dr. O. M. Walters returned Friday from the state convention of veterinary surgeons at Abilene and reports one of the best meetings in the history of the convention.

**A TEXAS WONDER**

**THE Texas Wonder** cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2328 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

#### Notice of Dissolution of Partnership

The partnership heretofore existing between J. C. Evans and Wm. Kaiser has been dissolved. Wm. Kaiser alone is authorized to collect the debts owing to said firm. Wm. Kaiser will continue the business at the old stand. J. C. Evans & Co.

**Active at Seventy**  
Many people at seventy attribute their good health to **SCOTT'S EMULSION** because its concentrated nourishment creates permanent body-power, and because it is devoid of drugs or stimulants.  
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Save your peach seeds and sell to W. R. Harris.

**Stove Wood for Sale**  
We have several cords of good seasoned stove wood split up. Phone our office.  
G. A. Walters.

**Blacksmith Notice**  
We have bought the blacksmith shop just east of the San Saba Hotel and will thank you for a share of your business. Only first-class work done.  
Dane and Bud Brown.

W. F. Burger, local agent for the railway company, left last week for his annual vacation. He will spend the time in California and other western points of interest. Harry Hopkins of Richland Springs has relieved Mr. Burger and J. E. Collins, formerly cashier and Western Union operator has gone to Richland Springs.

I am in the market for your wheat and oats. See me before you sell.  
W. R. Harris

**For Sale**—One half block with good 4-room residence, good improvements, well and city water one block from school, convenient to church and business, to sell at a bargain if taken at once. Apply to owner. C. M. Abbot.

Miss Ivoh Polk arrived at home Sunday from a visit to friends and relatives at San Marcos and Houston. She was accompanied home by her sister Mrs. L. J. Bryan, of Houston.

## CALOMEL DYNAMITES YOUR LIVER! MAKES YOU SICK AND SALIVATES

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Starts Your Liver Better Than Calomel and You Don't Lose a Day's Work

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; make your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work. Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crumbles into sour bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver

Tone tonight. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working; headache and dizziness gone; stomach will be sweet and bowels regular. Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of Calomel is almost stopped entirely here.

## We Have Delivered Eight Cars

In the past four days. There are still several customers who are wanting cars. We have arranged for another carload which will reach us before the fair. Let us have your order now.

### A Delay May Mean Disappointment

We are doing our best to take care of all—but at this season when the demand is so great—we cannot always do as much as we would like to.

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### How to Cure a Sprain

A sprain may be cured in one-third the time required by the usual treatment by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle. For sale by all dealers.

### Wanted

About 640 acres, small farm, balance good grass land with reasonably fair improvements. Prices must be right.

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"One day last fall my wife and I started for a drive, leaving the house deserted. A short while after we'd passed Jones' place, Mrs. Jones saw smoke coming from our roof.

"She ran to the telephone—got Mrs. Reed who operates the switchboard located in her home. Mrs. Reed called all the nearby people on the line (two long rings—the emergency signal,) and they put the fire out with little damage."

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### FAIRVIEW

(BY WILL)

The meeting conducted by Elder Durst progressed nicely with good attendance. Quite a number from Neal and Big Valley attended. Elder McMillin of Lometa attended the meeting from Thursday to Sunday.

Mrs. Page of Goldthwaite, accompanied by her son, have been visiting at her uncle's, W. A. Robbins. Miss Sallie Belle Robins made a visit in Goldthwaite some time since.

Olger Gunter has been quite sick. The people of the Wells community have their new school house about done.

Calvin Gunter fell from a scaffold while doing some carpenter work and sprained his foot very bad, but able to get about now.

Homer Jennings of Burnet county is visiting his brother, Bryan Jennings and sister, Mrs. Raymond Jones.

Mrs. Maxwell of Lometa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hays.

W. E. Campbell returned yesterday morning from Oklahoma where he has been the past eighteen days looking after cattle. He had about 1400 head on grass, but was able to ship only a part of them to Kansas City market. He struck a very good market and sold at a satisfactory figure. He reports a fine rain in the vicinity of Muskogee, Okla., but stated other parts were quite dry.

Noel Nalls of Dixon is here to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nalls, and to attend the fair.

### Racine Tire Racine Tire

Is what we sell and we are selling lots of them. We carry the largest stock of auto tires in this section. If you are having tire trouble try a Racine tire and get right. G. A. Arheiger, Mgr.

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### Will My Child Take Dr. King's New Discovery

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### Card of Thanks

We take this method to sincerely thank our many friends and the good people of San Saba for their uniform courtesy and hearty expressions of sympathy in the sad death of our husband father and brother, W. R. Petty. These expressions of sympathy and kindness will be cherished in memory and we pray that such friends may bless your lives.

Mrs. W. R. Petty and Baby  
Bob Petty  
Frank Petty  
Matt Petty  
Harry Petty.

### Not So Strange After All

You may think it strange that so many people are cured of stomach trouble by Chamberlain's Tablets. You would not, however, if you should give them a trial. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Mrs. Rosie Rish, Wabash, Ind., writes, "Nothing did me the least good until I began using Chamberlain's Tablets. It is decidedly the best medicine for stomach trouble I have ever used." For sale by all dealers.

J. R. Cunningham of Downy, California, arrived Thursday to see his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Petty, and console her in the sad death of her husband. He arrived too late for the funeral.

"Uncle" Joe Gill is here from the Confederate Home at Austin to spend several weeks at the home of his niece, Mrs. J. L. F. Pentress. He comes every summer and always enjoys the stay at San Saba.

Don't sell your grain before you see me or we both lose.  
W. R. Harris

Let us know your wants in the Bakery line. We are here to please YOU. Model Bakery

Don't overlook a good place to buy groceries. Between the City Nat'l Bank and Murray's Drug Store.

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45 Poland China-Berkshire pigs, pretty as they can be.

W. R. Mooney,  
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A wagon and team  
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Lawyers and Real Estate Agents.

Have associated with them in business J. K. Rector, Jr. The firm henceforth will be composed of E. L. Rector, J. K. Rector, Sr., and J. K. Rector, Jr. The firm name will not be changed.

G. A. Walters J. H. Baker

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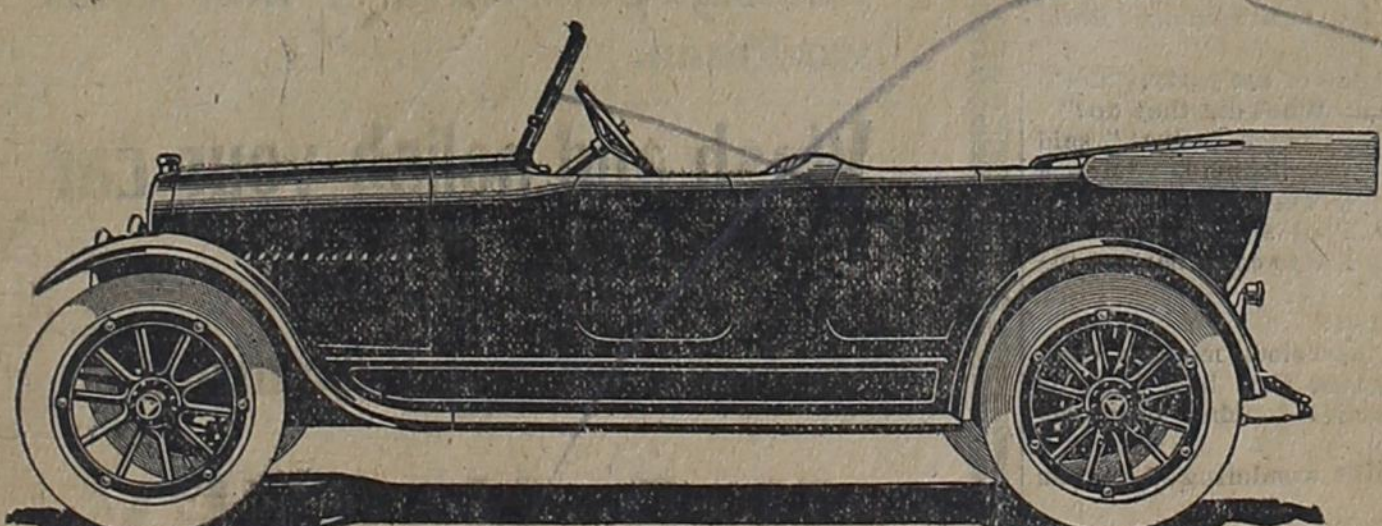
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You cannot appreciate the Super-Six until you drive it. The car is its own answer to any question or criticism. Come in and arrange for the Super-Six Triple Demonstration. Then find—if you can—any other car to match it. Super-Six records have never been challenged. Develops 76 horse power with the same size and number of cylinders that any other will develop 40.

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| One half-page, two or more issues.....                          | 6.00    |
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| All ads less than one-fourth page.....                          | 12 1/2c |
| All ads of less than 15 inch, one issue, the inch.....          | 15c     |
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| Black face readers, per line per issue                          | 10c     |
| No display ad set for less than                                 | 75c     |

### Sun-of-a-Gun

The Hamilton Herald last week contained one of the best editorial discussions we have ever read on the primary law in Texas. The editorial is epitomized in this sentence: "The present primary system is undemocratic, a delusion, a snare, and ought to be repealed." The primary law in Texas has blasted the hopes of every young poor man in the state for political advancement. If the primary law was in the interest of the people we would favor it; it is against the people and in the interest of the privileged classes and we are against it for that very good reason.

A large portion of the San Saba News of this week's issue was devoted to the Fair. When Billy Smith forgets to boost any thing for the good of the town and country at all times—he is asleep.—Cherokee Herald

We appreciate that compliment. The editor of the Herald is always thoughtful and considerate in editorial expressions. In this paragraph he has touched one of the tender spots in our make up. One of our highest aims and devoted efforts is to make the News true and loyal to the people it serves. Sometimes we get blue, the whole world seems to go dead wrong, then some good friend, like Joe Robertson, comes along with a cheering word and then things brighten up and life is sweeter. The newspaper man deserves no more than others under similar circumstances, but we all do our best work when those we serve show their appreciation of our labors.

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### PREPARE--MOVIES CRY

They saw the sixteen inch shells crash into the heart of Manhattan Island and—

They believe the capture of Greater New York would be only a matter of a few hours.

They saw the American fleet destroyed, by a fleet of twice its size and many times its power, and—

They are convinced our shores are unguarded.

They saw a foreign foe, efficient, deadly—march with brutal and amazing power through familiar streets, and— they know we are unprepared.

They saw Americans lined up against a wall like tenpins, and they saw a swivel gun make its sickening "strike" and—

They became champions of the cause for battleships—more battleships.

They saw the hand of the invading beast at the throats of the women, and—

They hearkened to the "Battle cry of peace."

That was the name of the production—"The Battle Cry of Peace"—and a shrill and terrible cry it was. It is still ringing in the ears of those who gripped the arms of their seats last night at the Olympic Theatre and watched with eyes that grew dry in their sockets the ferociously significant handwriting on the wall.

#### Some Questions

If Hartley has been County Judge for eight years and Dean has been Clerk (a much better office) for the same length of time, who is entitled to your support in this race, viewed from this standpoint?

If Hartley has been assisting the farmers especially, and every other legitimate business incidentally by co-operating with them in all their undertakings, for our mutual benefit, and owns stock in the warehouse and gins of both San Saba and Llano counties, and in the San Saba Mill and Elevator Company of San Saba and withal has paid his dues regularly and is today a member in good standing in the Farmer's Union, thereby showing his steadfastness in any cause he believes to be right should not all these things recommend him as worthy of consideration at this time?

If Hartley has during his term as County Judge given all his time and attention to the duties of the office to the exclusion of everything else in the way of sidelines by which he might have supplemented his salary and has always been at his post of duty, ready to cheerfully accommodate those who had official business with him, what more can you expect from any one?

If on account of adversity, Hartley has had unusual and unexpected expenses during the last two years which have at least been equal to the amount received from his office for that time, can we not afford to give him one more term so that he may be able to arrange for the change and voluntarily retire from the office?

If he were a younger man with a good paying business this plea would not be admissible.

What is the answer?  
Political Advertisement

### BIG STRIKE IMPENDS ON ALL RAILROADS

Four Brotherhoods Make Unprecedented Wage Demand.

ASK FOR \$100,000,000 A YEAR

All Plans For Settlement Have Been Rejected by Brotherhood Leaders, Who Are Now Engaged In Taking Strike Vote and Will Return For Another Conference Early In August.

The most important strike vote in the history of labor disputes is now being taken by the more than 300,000 engineers, conductors, firemen and brakemen employed on the railroads of the United States to enforce their demand for an increase in wages estimated by the railroad managers at \$100,000,000 a year.

In many ways the situation thus created is absolutely unprecedented. Never before has a demand for so large a raise in pay been presented to a single group of employers at one time.

If the employees vote to leave the service the leaders of the four train service brotherhoods will have the power to declare the biggest strike ever experienced.

Never before has a strike on all the railroads of the country even been seriously threatened. The "big four" brotherhoods of train employees have heretofore confined their concerted wage movements to one section of the country at a time, and while the engineers and firemen or the conductors and brakemen have frequently joined in such movements this is the first case in which all four organizations have combined to enforce an increase in wages.

While the demands apply only to freight and switching service, excepting the passenger service, all of the employees who are members of the organizations, as well as all nonunion train employees, are being called upon to vote for a strike.

The train employees are demanding an eight hour "basic" day—in other words, that they shall be paid the same wage for eight hours or 100 miles or less that they now receive for ten hours or 100 miles or less. This would make the hourly rate one-eighth of a day's pay or the equivalent of twelve and one-half miles instead of one-tenth of a day's pay or the equivalent of ten miles. They also demand "time and one-half for overtime," or a rate of pay 50 per cent higher than the regular rate, for all time over eight hours or over the time which would be required to complete a trip at a speed of twelve and one-half miles per hour.

The demands were formulated by a committee of the executive officers of the four brotherhoods in Chicago last December, and were first submitted to a referendum vote of the men. The demands were formally served on the railroads on March 30, with a request that the railroads appoint a conference committee representing all the roads to negotiate with a committee representing the organizations.

The railroads promptly replied with a notice that in connection with the proposals of the employees they desired to have considered certain provisions in the present schedules, which if continued in connection with the higher basis of pay, would lead to unfair results and in many cases would multiply the inequities of double compensation for the same time or service. Arrangements were made for a conference to be held at New York beginning on June 1 for the purpose of discussing the demands. The roads were represented by the national conference committee of the railroads and the employees by the executive officers and general chairmen of the four brotherhoods. The conference lasted two weeks. The brotherhood leaders refused to consider any modification of their demands and the railroads were unwilling to grant a further large increase in wages to the highest paid class of their employees without a mandate from some tribunal representing the public. On June 15 the conference committee gave the brotherhoods a formal reply declining to grant the demands, but proposing that the entire controversy be settled, preferably by submission of the entire question to the interstate commerce commission or else by arbitration under the Newlands law. Both plans for a settlement were rejected by the brotherhood leaders, who announced their intention of taking a strike vote and returning for another conference early in August.

Write to Your Congressman. Chicago.—In an editorial demanding that congress empower the Interstate commerce commission to intervene in the railway wage controversy the Chicago Tribune says:

If there ever was a time for citizens to write to their congressmen it is now. The nation will have to intervene in this railroad strike for self protection. The nation wants justice done to both sides. Justice will not come from permitting a fight between the railroad employees and employers.

All that can possibly come of it will be intense suffering throughout the country.

The public will not long maintain the role of innocent bystander.

The interstate commerce commission should be empowered to prevent this threatened railroad strike. Congress can so empower it.

This is a national emergency. Write to your congressman about it.



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#### WHEN GENIUS FELL DOWN.

It did the Job Thoroughly and Took a Double Header.

The crowd in the hotel cafe had been talking about extraordinary vocational inconsistencies, the conversation taking its start from an anecdote about a sailor who was always seasick in rough weather and moving happily along about a surgeon who would faint at the sight of his own blood, and things like that, says the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Times Star.

The sad faced Englishman at the far end of the group, who had merely listened, finally cut into the talk. "All interesting, quite," said he, "and reminds me of something that came under my own notice in London. Most extraordinary this was. We have a chap named Datis over there. In the music halls they call him 'the man with the marvelous memory;' does a lot of bally feats that make you fairly shiver, y'know. Been doing it for years; always makes people wonder a lot and applaud like th' devil. Well, this marvelous memory chap goes out one night with Houdini, your American fellow who breaks out of jails and all that, and after they'd had a fearful lot of beer this marvelous memory chap invites Houdini to come home with him for the night, and then, by Jove, he can't remember where he lives. Extraordinary, what? Makes a living remembering things, y'know, and can't remember where he's lodging. Corking, eh, what?"

"Sure!" said one of the party. "Corking is the word. What did they do?"

"Oh, there isn't much to that," said the sad faced Englishman. "Met a caddy that knew where the marvelous memory chap lived and he took 'em home, but they had to come back to the hotel after all."

"How was that?"

"Well, this marvelous memory chap was so spifficated that he'd lost his key, and Houdini couldn't open the door."

And we're still wondering if he was kidding us.

Favors.

He only confers favors generously who appears, when they are once conferred, to remember them no more.—Johnson.

#### Bad to Have a Cold Hang On

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### Motorists by Myriads Hark to National Touring Week Call

Chicago, Aug. 6.—National Touring Week is now in full swing.

With the late hours this afternoon thousands of motorists were abroad on the roads of the nation wheeling to the open and the beauty spots of their home state. From early dawn to evening vacationists were setting forth from home by automobile, bent on tours of that part of our country that lay nearest their hearts.

While no estimate of the number of vacationists, who today effort on motoring tours can be made at this early date; it is generally believed that the number for the country will go far above a hundred thousand. Reports from all sections of the country obtained from hotels and garages, declare that this Sunday outstrips in automobile travel anything the nation has ever seen in the way of touring.

Branch offices of the B. F. Goodrich Company, which fathered the National Touring Week idea and gave it to American motorists, are keeping a careful watch on the number of motorists to observe the official motoring vacation. While their reports are yet in the making, their early messages bear testimony to the nationwide response to the call of the road, and a week dedicated to touring the home state.

From all points comes the word of roads busy with streams of motor cars bearing parties on vacation tours. Bags and automobile trunks reveal the touring intent of the travelers.

The missionary work of National Touring Week has been widespread in its appeal and deep in its ramifications. Beginning with "See America First" and enlisting the Buy Your Car Now idea, it won the mighty forces of the Good Roads legion Gov. Hiram Johnson of California, a state that has set a pattern for other states with an eighteen million dollar Highway system, took the lead of officials who have recognized National Touring Week and its intimate association with good roads, and named Wednesday Good Roads Day for California.

## WHAT EDITORS SAY OF RAILWAY ISSUE

### Demand Peaceful Settlement of Wage Controversy.

### STRIKE MUST BE AVERTED.

Almost Unanimously Newspapers Indorse Proposals of Railway Managers That Wage Question Be Settled by Interstate Commerce Commission or by Arbitration Under the Newlands Law.

Chicago.—The proposed strike by all railway train service employees in order to secure a wage increase of \$100,000,000 a year is condemned by newspaper editors throughout the country. They declare such a strike would be a public calamity and that it must be averted.

Almost unanimously the editors indorse the proposals made by the committee of railway managers to the leaders of the brotherhoods—that the wage question be settled by the interstate commerce commission or by arbitration under the Newlands law.

The following extracts from newspaper editorials fairly reflect public sentiment on this most important issue:

The interstate commerce commission should be empowered to prevent this threatened railroad strike. Write to your congressman about it.—Chicago Tribune.

The great public has more at stake than either the railway stockholders or the railway employees.—Davenport (Ia.) Times.

The interstate commerce commission represents the great public. It was created for the purpose of holding even the scales.—Rocky Mountain News, Denver.

The trainmen should take prudent thought. Arbitration is their wise policy.—Detroit Free Press.

The public will support any finding the interstate commerce commission may make.—Dallas (Tex.) News.

Public opinion ought to have re-enforced the position of the railroads long before now.—Galveston News.

The regulation of wages presents no more difficulties than the regulation of rates.—Holyoke (Mass.) Transcript.

The interstate commerce commission would certainly be responsible if it permitted a strike to come.—Minneapolis Journal.

The train crew unions have no case which they are willing to try in a court of arbitration or in the great court of public opinion.—New York Commercial.

The controversy is not between the railways and their employees, but between the public and the railway employees.—New York Globe.

The men now seem to show rather a consciousness of the weakness of their position than reliance upon its merits.—New York Times.

The interstate commerce commission cannot avoid regulating wages so long as it regulates rates.—New York Tribune.

The railroad brotherhoods are mistaken. There is something to arbitration.—New York World.

The railway employees are plainly in the wrong and should sense their mistake before they make a worse blunder.—Oshkosh (Wis.) Northwestern.

Neither side could afford to take the position of demanding more than the interstate commerce commission would approve.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

The railroad employees are not suffering such intolerable wrongs that they cannot await the result of arbitration.—Portland Oregonian.

The greatness of the power for which the labor leaders are seeking is the very strongest argument why they should not have it.—Railway Age Gazette.

The public is as vitally interested in the situation as the railways or the employees.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Either the railroads are wrong or their employees are. Any just cause will stand investigation.—Jackson (Miss.) Clarion-Ledger.

This is the time when every American who loves his country should set aside his own schemes of aggrandizement.—Kansas City Journal.

The United States government cannot permit any strike that would tie up all the railroads of the country.—Leslie's Weekly.

It is just as true that organized labor may oppress the public intolerably as that organized capital may do it.—Lowell (Mass.) Citizen.

Those who would suffer most from a tying up of the nation's traffic would get no vote on the question of a strike.—Lincoln (Neb.) Star.

One thing is certain, the railroads, the railroad employees and the American people cannot afford such a strike.—Memphis Appeal.

We think the brotherhoods are making a mistake in refusing arbitration. Capital must get its living wage as well as labor.—Milwaukee Free Press.

Business can hobble along under high freight rates. Death would follow a general railroad strike.—Baton Rouge (La.) Times.

The American people do not believe there is any difference between the roads and the employees that cannot be adjusted peacefully.—Bloomington (Ill.) Pantagraph.

The railroads have accepted the perfectly reasonable and natural suggestion that the wage question be settled by arbitration.—Boston Journal.

Why should a vote be taken on a strike which the public will never tolerate?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

## DENVER BUSINESS MEN APPEAL TO CONGRESS.

### They Want Interstate Commerce Commission to Stop Railroad Strike.

Denver.—Alarmed by the prospective strike of railway train employees to secure higher wages, the members of the Denver Clearing House association unanimously passed the following resolution:

Whereas, At a recent meeting in New York between managers of the railroads and executives of the trainmen's brotherhoods, called for the discussion of wage schedules, at which conference interested parties were unable to agree; and

Whereas, Subsequently the brotherhood representatives refused to consider arbitration and are now taking a strike vote, which may end in a general strike, such as would paralyze the industry of the country.

Therefore, be it resolved, That by this resolution the Denver Clearing House association, regardless of the merits of the controversy as between the railroads and their employees, does hereby express its disapproval of a strike as a medium of adjustment, and we hereby call on our senators and congressmen to interest themselves in the passing by congress of such a measure as will have the effect of instructing and empowering the interstate commerce commission to take cognizance of these conditions and effect a fair and equitable adjustment as between the railroads and their employees, thereby preventing a nation wide railroad strike.

## R. R. STRIKE VOTE IS TO BE ENDED AUG. 5

### Men Required to Vote—Ballot Ignored Arbitration—Gives Leaders Full Authority.

The results of the strike vote being taken by the railroad engineers, firemen, conductors and brakemen to enforce their demands for a \$100,000,000 increase in wages will be determined early in August, according to a circular of instructions issued by the executive officers of the "big four" brotherhoods of train employees. The local chairmen of the organizations are to take the votes of the employees in their districts and forward them to the general chairman on each road not later than July 26. The general chairmen are to report at headquarters in New York not later than Aug. 1 and those for the western roads not later than Aug. 5. The ballots will then be counted and another meeting will be held with the national conference committee of the railroads.

The strike ballots are attached to a brief statement of the conference between the brotherhood committee and the committee representing the railroads which was held in New York in June, at which the railroads proposed either arbitration or reference of the entire wage controversy to the interstate commerce commission for settlement. Both proposals were rejected by the brotherhood leaders, and the wording of the strike ballot gives the employees no opportunity to vote on the question of arbitration. The form of the ballot is as follows:

I have personally read the foregoing statement and believe the request for an eight hour basic day, with time and one-half for all overtime worked in all except passenger service, a just demand and hereby authorize the chief executives and general chairmen of the B. L. E., B. L. F. and E., O. R. C. and B. R. T. to act as my agents or attorneys in dealing for a settlement of these questions, and if the said chief executives and general chairmen are unable to otherwise effect a settlement satisfactory to them I hereby cast my vote ..... A STRIKE.

(For or against)

According to the circular of instructions, "all members holding seniority rights or actually employed in the service affected by this movement will be required to vote." The man voting is to sign the ballot and hand it to the person authorized to take the vote, in a sealed envelope with his name written on the outside, "but under no circumstances will he be permitted to take it away with him," and "all members are cautioned against giving out information or discussing the questions involved."

Says Brotherhoods Err. Milwaukee, Wis.—The Free Press says editorially:

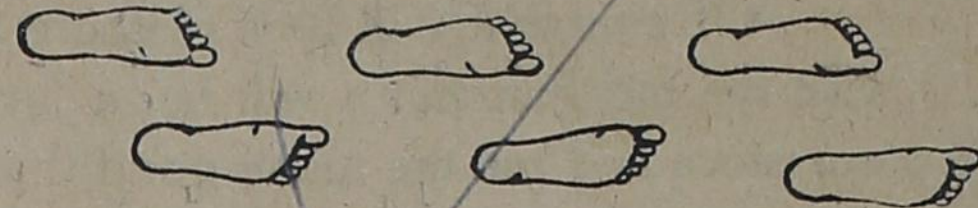
We think the brotherhoods are making a mistake in refusing arbitration. If they are fairly entitled to what they ask for, impartial arbitrators will award it to them, and the public, which finally foots all transportation bills, will draw its belt a bit tighter, pay the price either in higher rates or diminished service, or both, and there will be no interruption of the country's commerce.

But if American business shall be thrown out of gear by a general stoppage of railroad service because the brotherhoods have refused to arbitrate, public sympathy will undoubtedly be with the railroad owners and managers. And without the support of public opinion the brotherhoods could not win a strike. \* \* \* Capital must get its living wage as well as labor.

A general strike would effect every individual in the country. It must not occur.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

A strike such as is threatened would be a calamity to all the people of the United States.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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### Simple Scientific Explanation of How They Occur.

### ELECTRICITY IN THE CLOUDS.

The Processes by Which the Masses of Unequally Charged Vapor Are United, the Lightning Flashes Generated and the Downpour Started.

Lightning is the result of electric discharges from the clouds, says the Electrical Experimenter in printing what it calls "a thunderstorm primer." Every cloud, like every other object, contains electricity. This makes no disturbance so long as the quantity contained is normal. When the quantity becomes greater than normal the object is positively charged; when it becomes less than normal the object is negatively charged. The equilibrium of the electric force in the clouds is disturbed by evaporations from the surface of the earth, by changes of temperature in the atmospheric vapor, by chemical action on the earth's surface and by the friction of volumes of air of different densities against each other.

When clouds charged with the opposite electricities approach, the forces rush toward each other and combine to restore the state of equilibrium, for all bodies charged with opposite electricities attract each other. Between the clouds is air, an excellent nonconductor, through which the electricity has to force a passage. The violence with which it does this produces the lightning and the accompanying crash of thunder.

Clouds are good conductors, while the air about them is a nonconductor; therefore the electricity accumulates in the clouds. It is probably this electricity which prevents the particles of water from uniting together and falling down in the form of rain.

Imagine two clouds near to each other in the sky, one positively and the other negatively electrified, for there cannot in all nature be such a condition as that of one body positively excited without the coexistence of another body negatively excited. If the positively charged cloud were all alone in the sky the circumambient atmosphere would assume the negative position.

But as the other cloud is near by it becomes negative, and both are mutually attracted. They approach each other until the space of air between them can no longer resist their electrical tension, when the discharge takes place.

The equilibrium of the clouds being thus restored, there is nothing to keep the particles of water apart; they coalesce into drops and fall as rain.

When only the clouds are involved the equilibrium is quickly restored by a few flashes and the storm is over. When the air also is involved it continues to charge the clouds with electricity, and the discharges continue until the various strata of air are brought into their normal state.

Sometimes, when the clouds are charged with an opposite electricity to that of the earth, a discharge takes place from clouds to earth or from earth to clouds. It is only when there is a great disturbance of the electrical forces that the lightning flashes to the earth or vice versa.

The flash and the thunder peal are simultaneous, and we see the one before we hear the other because light waves move far more swiftly than sound waves. The peal of thunder is instantaneous, but comes to us as a roll through being echoed from clouds or mountains. The noise is caused by the vibrations of the air rushing to fill up the spaces where the electrical discharge has rarefied it and condensed its vapors.

Lightning is zigzag when it travels through a long distance, because it compresses the air, which interferes with its direct course. It is straight when it passes through only a short distance. It is forked when, being resisted by the air, it divides into two or three points. It is sheet when the flash is too distant to be visible, and its reflection alone is seen.

By remembering that sound travels a quarter of a mile in a second, while light travels so swiftly that we see it instantaneously, we can tell how far off a thunder clap is. If we hear a thunder clap four seconds after seeing the flash we know it is a mile away. For such calculations our own pulse is a sufficiently accurate measure of time for the pulse of an adult beats about once a second. A person under forty should count five beats to the mile; a person under twenty should count six beats to the mile.

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The many friends of John Smallwood, who lives in the Bend community, are glad to know that he is rapidly recovering from the injuries he recently received when his horse fell with him. In the fall he sustained a fractured hip, and was taken to Temple for treatment. —Lometa Reporter.

A. V. Riley returned Thursday from a tour of a great deal of the Panhandle section of the state selling San Saba cedar. Mrs. Riley accompanied him and they made the trip in their Ford, making something over 2000 miles while away.

Our 5 cent pies can't be beat. Try one at the Model Bakery.

John Reeves, the original pear man, was in town one day last week and was a social visitor at the News office. Mr. Reeves says he will make about 3000 bushels of pears this year. He has some trees now 25 years old and bearing fine. He has some other kinds of fruit but specializes in pears. In fact he is the pioneer pear grower of Texas and the great Southwest and is authority in this particular line. The News editor had the pleasure of visiting this famous orchard a few years ago and the sight was a revelation.

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### "The Battle Cry of Peace"

I visited the Olympic Theater to view "The Battle Cry of Peace" thinking that I was to see the ordinary photoplay which has engaged the attention of the theater-going public these years past. I was astounded when I saw the magnitude of the photo-spectacle by Commodore Blackton and amazed when I realized the extent to which the movie camera can be put for the education of our people. I do not think there is now in existence a stronger plea to the patriotic feelings of our men and women than "The Battle Cry of Peace". I do not believe a decade of development on the part of men engaged in this wonderful industry can develop a stronger or sterner argument in behalf of our country's welfare than that which has been given us by Commodore Blackton in his remarkable photo-spectacle.

"The Battle Cry of Peace" teaches us patriotism, urges us on to patriotic doings, calls on us to heed the warning that our country needs us, needs us badly, needs every able-bodied man and every red-blooded patriot, to be prepared to meet the threatening foe.

Commodore Blackton has written a lesson that no true American can fail to heed. He has written himself into the list of America's truly patriotic citizens. I would urge every man, woman and child who can do so to see "The Battle Cry of Peace." —William Hale Thompson, Mayor of Chicago.

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Bank your money and pay your bills with a CHECK. This will give you a "standing" with the merchants—and your checks are legal receipts. It also helps you to keep your accounts straight.

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### The First State Bank

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Don't let your cold hang on, rack your system and become chronic when Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will help you. It heals inflammation, soothes the cough and loosens the phlegm. You breathe easier at once. Dr. Bell's-Pine-Tar-Honey is a laxative Tar Syrup, the pine tar balsam heals the raw spots, loosens the mucous and prevents irritation of the bronchial tubes. Just get a bottle of Dr. Bell's-Pine-Tar-Honey to-day, its guaranteed to help you. At druggists.

### Lard Pure Lard

We can save you money in lard Put up in 5, 10 and 50 pound pails. Carroll & Dickerson

### Lodge Directory.

San Saba Lodge, No. 612.

A. F. & A. M.  
Regular Meeting,  
Saturday night on or  
before the Full Moon.  
W. H. Hinyard, W. M.  
W. A. Smith, Sec.

Alpha Lodge No. 204, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meets every Thursday evening at Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend.

R. G. Halden, N. G.,  
John Seiders, Secretary

## Eat at the Farmers' Restaurant

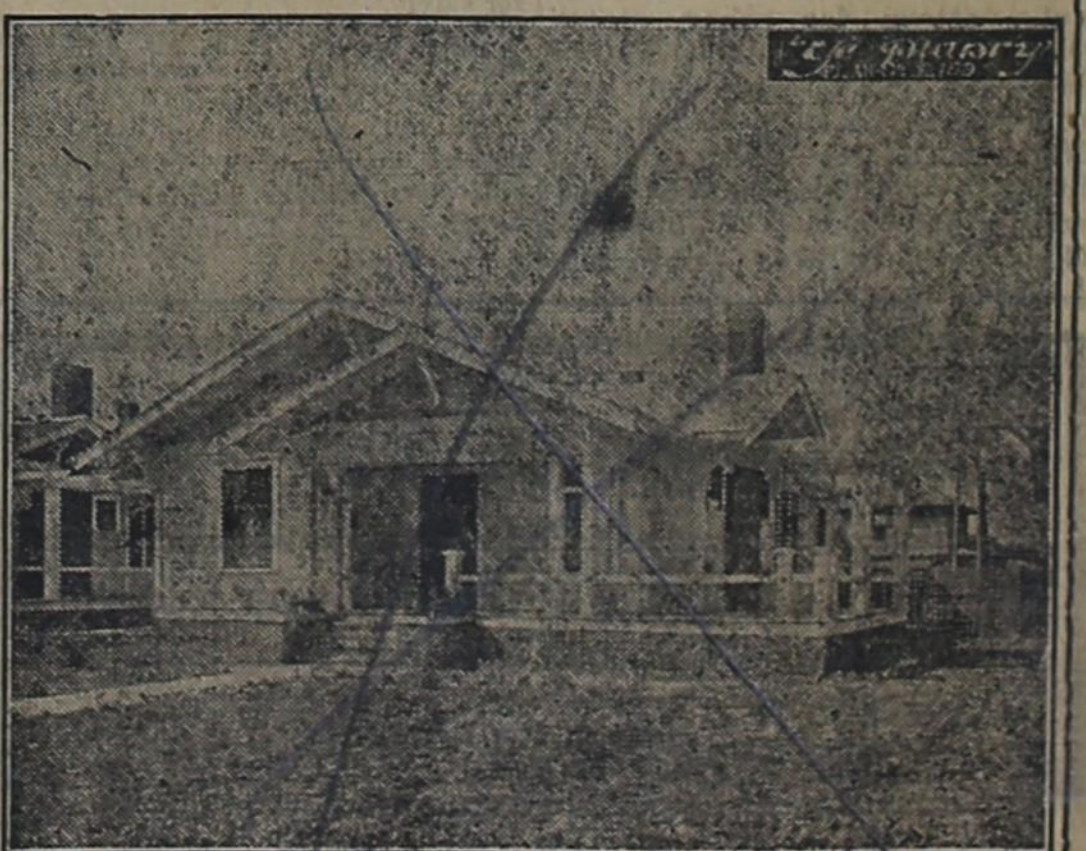
While at the Fair.  
Dining Room for Ladies and Gents.  
Lunch counter for those in a hurry.  
Cold Meats, Fish and Fried Chicken  
Ready to Serve. Candy, Cigars and  
Cold Drinks.  
Prompt and polite service with popular prices. Come and see for yourself.

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**A Laxative Blood Cleanser**  
Don't put off taking a treatment of Po-Do-Lax. Your system needs a cleanser and tonic—nothing like Po-Do-Lax to purify the blood, gently move the bowels and stimulate the liver to healthy action. The first dose releases the accumulated poisons. It is a laxative tonic for young, adult and aged. Its mild non-gripping action commends it to delicate women. Guaranteed—a trial will convince you. Get a bottle today.

**The Twenty Year Test**  
"Some twenty years ago I used Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Geo. W. Brock, publisher of the Enterprise, Aberdeen, Md. "I discovered that it was a quick and safe cure for diarrhoea. Since then no one can sell me anything said to be 'just as good.' During all these years I have used it and recommended it many times and it has never disappointed anyone." For Sale by all dealers.

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For Beautiful Homes  
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Quality

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Is doing business at the same old stand. You have given us a liberal patronage in the past, for which we thank you, and hope you will continue to do so. We are getting new hay, have first class alfalfa on hand. You will find our prices right and stock complete.

A. L. Hamrick, Manager.



### Elegant Auto Service.

can be had from us whenever desired and for long and short hauls. We get you over the road as speedily or as slowly as you elect and always with due regard to your safety and comfort.

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# Something To Think About

A big Stock of furniture bought while prices were down. The proposition is this: The latter part of last year and the first part of this year--before the big advance in all kinds of furniture--I bought more than

## \$6,000 Additional Stock

And have been saving it for the people of this trade territory after the advance came.

TO SELL RIGHT. This stock is now going to be sold like it was bought. Come and take a look and get prices. You will be surprised when you compare these prices with present day prices quoted elsewhere--you get the advantage of our buying.

# W. A. MARTIN

HAS THE STOCK.

### Richland Springs

BY C

Miss Murray Christian of Austin arrived Friday to spend a month with her mother, Mrs. D. J. Chapman.

Lloyd Hall of Brownwood is here with his parents after attending school there.

Miss Ruth Eason of Winters came Thursday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Davenport.

Mrs. Lester Carter and children returned to their home at McGregor Sunday.

Miss Mary Jane Allison, after a week's visit here with Mrs. F. L. Miller, returned to Georgetown Sunday.

Bud McKinzie and family of Abilene were the guests of W. B. Mooney Thursday night. They had been to Austin visiting.

Miss Hattie Brown has resumed her work at D. J. Chapman's drug store, after taking a vacation.

Miss Clyde Germany of Holt is the guest of Miss Stella Locker.

Mrs. Sud Locklear was called to Llano Monday to see her sister, who is very ill. Monday night they went to Temple, where she will be operated on. Mrs. Locklear will remain with her for several days.

Graham Johnson is confined to his room with fever.

Locklear Brothers shipped a

car of cattle to Fort Worth Tuesday.

Mrs. J. K. Alford, after several weeks illness, died early Monday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Hickman, at Locker. The funeral services were held here Tuesday morning at ten o'clock, conducted by Bros. Wm. Chapman and M. L. Anthony.

Deceased was 66 years of age, and was born in the state of Illinois. She was a member of the Church of Christ. She leaves an aged husband and many children who reside in this county. Condolence is extended to each in the loss of their mother and wife.

Y. F. Burnet, who has been here the past month from New Mexico seeing friends, left Thursday for Tahoka. From there he goes to his home. He was accompanied to the latter place by Will Crouch, who has property he goes to see after.

Miss Fannie Hyde of Austin arrived Friday and spent several days with her sister, Mrs. T. K. Adams, before going to her home at Holt.

Harry Hopkins, who has been Santa Fe agent here for several years, went to San Saba Thursday, where he will assume his duties as agent. His wife will remain here for a week or two.

B. C. Greenwood of Lampasas, who has been in Brady several weeks visiting, came here Sunday to visit his daughter, Mrs. O. J. Wise.

Miss Allie Sullivan and Alline

Hinyard, after a pleasant stay here and at Bowser, returned home Sunday.

J. B. Shoffear of Bangs came Saturday to visit his son, who lives in the Bethel community.

Mrs. Will Carroll of San Saba was the guest of Mrs. Sud Locklear Thursday afternoon.

Miss Valier Weldon of Holt and her friend, Miss Maude Barber, of San Marcos, came in Friday to visit Miss Armour Brown.

Mrs. R. T. Short and children came home Thursday from Lometa, where they had been to visit Mrs. J. O. King.

Miss Rhea Montgomery returned to her home in Brady Monday after a three week's visit here.

The Baptist meeting closed Sunday night with thirty three additions to the church. The baptismal services were conducted Monday morning by the pastor, Rev. T. J. Powell, at the creek, where about thirty men, women, boys and girls were baptised. Brothers Sherrad and Allen, who have been here over two weeks doing excellent work as evangelists, left Monday for Lampasas, where they will attend the Baptist Encampment.

Burns McAtee came home Sunday from a few day's visit at San Saba.

Joe Morris, who lives near Goldthwaite, came Friday to see his brother, Marion Morris, who is very ill.

Mrs. Jennie Lambert has moved back to her home near the school building, and Miss Ella Coff is with her and will teach music here this winter in the school.

Rev. J. B. Jones came in Monday from Brown county, where he has been conducting a meeting.

Hugh Hardin and family of Midland came from Rochelle in the car Saturday to the Bethel community to visit in the homes of W. P. Coughran and D. W. McNatt.

Misses Viola and Vallie Taylor of Locker came Thursday to spend a week with their aunt, Mrs. S. R. Skaggs.

Miss Xora Doran of Rochelle is here visiting her sisters, Mmes. Joe Lambert and Jim St. Clair. She received a card from her brother, Dub Doran, who is in New Mexico for his health. He and wife left there for the White mountains. He is improving and will remain there for an indefinite time.

Miss Alina Walker of Locker

is here visiting her cousin, Miss Stella Locker.

W. L. Rogers and wife went to Brady Tuesday to visit her brother, John Edwards, and family.

Tom Taylor and family arrived here Tuesday in their cars to visit relatives. They are living in Coke county.

Misses Monte and Cora Heatherly came home Saturday from San Marcos, where they have been attending the summer normal.

(From last week)

Wanted--To trade my place for 10 or 40 acres or more if not plowed. J. W. Bennett, San Saba, Texas.

Preparations for the fair at Mercery... (The text is partially obscured and difficult to read, but appears to be an advertisement or notice related to the fair.)

T. W. Boyett took the train here Monday to see his brother, S. E. Boyett, Esq., at McLean. He will be gone until September 1st.

Owen Davis is here for the fair and to see relatives and friends. He is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hill.

# ..Fair..

## Visitors ARE WELCOME

AT

### W. H. Kimbrough's Jewelry Store

See My Display Window

Mrs. B. C. Maxwell and daughter, Wootie, left last week, returning home at Coalgate' Okla. They had been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. T. Chamberlain. Mrs. Chamberlain accompanied them home.

Wanted  
Improved residence property in the city of San Saba. Must be a bargain.  
G. H. Hagan  
Real Estate Agent.

### "Cured"

Mrs. Jay McGee of Stephenville, Texas, writes: "For nine (9) years, I suffered with womanly trouble. I had terrible headaches, and pains in my back, etc. It seemed as if I would die, I suffered so. At last, I decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and it helped me right away. The full treatment not only helped me, but it cured me."

TAKE

## Cardui

The Woman's Tonic

Cardui helps women in time of greatest need, because it contains ingredients which act specifically, yet gently, on the weakened womanly organs. So, if you feel discouraged, blue, out-of-sorts, unable to do your household work, on account of your condition, stop worrying and give Cardui a trial. It has helped thousands of women--why not you? Try Cardui. E-71

## PREPAREDNESS

### The First State Bank

Every man should prepare his credit in the community, whether he is asking for credit or not. He owes it to himself to maintain a good credit standing.

A checking account is a great assistance. When opportunity presents you will then have not only your cash in bank, but a borrowing capacity.

J. L. Burleson, Pres. J. B. Miller, Cashier

Richland Springs, Texas

Miss Willie Berry of Lampasas is a fair week guest of Miss Blanche McConnell.

Van Ketchum of San Angelo is here for the fair and to shake hands with old time friends.

## What Shall I Get For Dinner?



How many times have you asked yourself that question? Day after day, week after week, it is a vexing problem.

If You

Were to stock your shelves with a good assortment of canned goods the problem would be solved, now and right.

Canned Meats-Canned Vegetables-Canned Fruits  
Golden Gate Teas and Spices

# J. J. URQUHART

Phone Orders Given Prompt Attention.

## VISIT THE FAIR

And get your groceries from us. We have everything for your comfort and convenience during the week camping at the fair.

Don't worry over a hot fire. We are prepared to furnish most everything for the table with the least possible amount of preparation.

Canvassed hams and breakfast bacon are handy. Some nice fresh eggs. All kind of fruits canned and ready for eating. Corn, vegetables, jams, jellies and sauces--they are ready.

Fresh vegetables, fruits and groceries will be delivered to the camp grounds daily during the fair.

San Saba invites you to the fair, we invite you to make this store your headquarters.

# J. W. McConnell & Son.

# A Final Clean-Up of Summer Apparel

We are selling everything in Summer Goods to make room for the Fall Goods. We are already showing many New Goods for Fall. If you are interested in the trend of Fashion for the coming season, visit our store. Don't fail to see them.

# The Famous Bargain Store

## Some Questions and Answers

**Question:**  
If Hartley has been Judge for eight years and Dean has been Clerk (a much better paying office) for the same length of time who is entitled to your support in this race, viewed from this standpoint?

**Answer:**  
Add six years more to Hartley's term of office, in which he served as County Commissioner, making fourteen continuous years of office holding and you have the answer.

**Question:**  
If Hartley has been assisting the farmers especially and every other legitimate business incidentally by co-operating with them in all their undertakings, for our mutual benefit, and owns stock in the warehouse and gins of both San Saba and Llano counties, and in the San Saba Mill and Elevator Co. of San Saba and withal has paid his dues regularly and is today a member in good standing in the Farmer's Union, thereby showing his steadfastness in any cause he be-

lieves to be right should not these things all recommend him as worthy of consideration at this time?

**Answer:**  
If the assisting of every legitimate public enterprise undertaken to be promoted for the welfare of the general public is a qualification for County Judge, then Dean is qualified. So are a large number of citizens of this county, but the ability to render efficient service in any public office is the only thing that should be considered by the voters.

**Question:**  
If Hartley has during his term as County Judge given all his time and attention to the duties of the office to the exclusion of everything else in the way of sidelines by which he might have supplemented his salary and has always been at his post of duty, ready to cheerfully accommodate those who had official business with him, what more can you expect from any else?

**Answer:**  
Hartley did no more than his duty in giving his undivided time to

the duties of the County Judge's office, he has done what he was elected to do. Dean pledges that if elected to the office that he WILL give his undivided time and attention to a proper care of the people's interests, and promises a strict business administration of the County's affairs, no side lines shall or will interfere.

**Question:**  
If an account of adversity, Hartley has had unusual and unexpected expenses during the last two years which have at least been equal to the amount received from his office for that time, can we not afford to give him one more term so that he may be able to arrange for the change and voluntarily retire from the office?

**Answer:**  
If misfortune and heavy expenses are qualifications and are to be considered in the selection of your County Judge and the office is to be placed on that basis, then eliminate both Dean and Hartley and give the office to some man who has sure enough had trouble and misfortunes.

The efforts to create sympathy and the suggestions as to "side lines" are only an attempt to get the minds of the voters away from the main issues, and that is the creation of a big public debt without the consent of the man who has to pay the bill. If that be right, vote for Hartley for he favored it, if it be wrong, vote for Dean, for he is against that method of getting money. As voters you will either endorse or repudiate the act on next Saturday. What will your decision be?

## Political Advertisement

**Montana Dan's Method.**  
Billy Gibson, who is conductor of a boxing club, tells of a bout between Montana Dan Sullivan, a middleweight, and a rough, rugged fellow who was noted for his punching powers, but who was rather slow about.  
Montana Dan apparently held his opponent in great respect. He would approach the rough lad cautiously, make a light lead at him and then skitter away to a far corner of the ring. This went on for a short time, with the crowd watching silently, until finally Dan reached out a quick left and jabbed the rough one lightly on the chin.  
"That's right, Dan," came a thin, piping and very weary voice from the cheapest seats. "That's right! Antagonize him, Dan; antagonize him!"—Saturday Evening Post.

**Looked Suspicious.**  
A southerner visited New York recently and was fortunate enough to secure an invitation to dine in one of the great and fashionable houses on upper Fifth avenue. It was to be a large dinner with many tables, each one of which was known by the color of its decorations. As the visitor entered the house the butler inquired his name and then handed him a card, saying, "You are to be at the white table, sir." "What, suh," demanded the southerner, "are there to be niggers?"—Exchange.

# Don't Carry Your Money

It's dangerous to carry very much money on your person at a great gathering like the Fair. Deposit it in this bank, where it will be absolutely safe, get a check book and draw against it as you need it.

This bank will be headquarters for LIVE STOCK men, and in fact all Fair Visitors during Fair week.

The officers of this bank extend a hearty welcome to all visitors to meet their friends at the San Saba Bank corner during the Fair.

# San Saba Nat'n Bank

V. Moore, President R. R. Low, Active Vice-Pres.  
G. M. Smith, Jr., Cashier.

## RAILWAY MEN NOT SEEKING REAL EIGHT HOUR DAY

Actual Object Is Enormous Wage Increase For No More Work, Companies Declare.

What is an eight hour day? The answer to this question is one of the vital points in the wage controversy between the railroads and their employees, conductors, firemen and brakemen which will come to a head early in August, when the employees complete the nation wide strike vote they are now taking to enforce their demands.

The railroad managers say that the train employees' organizations are misleading the public when they refer to their demands as providing for an eight hour "basic" day which the employees are contending for merely provides for an enormous increase in wages by increasing the rate of pay per hour without either limiting the working day to eight hours or even requiring a full eight hours work for a day's pay.

The spokesmen for the brotherhoods admit that they are not asking for a "real" or "absolute" eight hour day, but they insist that the granting of the demand for a day's wage for eight hours or less and for 50 per cent more than the regular hourly rate for all overtime will make it so expensive for the roads to work their train crews for more than eight hours that they will increase the speed of their trains and thus effect a reduction in the working hours of the train crews.

This assertion was explained recently by W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, who said:

"If all terminals were 100 miles apart we would be in a position to demand an absolute eight hour day. But we recognize that the divisions vary in length, many exceeding 100 miles. As a concession to the twelve and one-half mile basis in lieu of the absolute eight hour day. On long divisions it permits them (the managements) to ignore the eight hour day and escape the overtime by simply making an average speed of trains equal to or exceeding twelve and one-half miles an hour."

On the other hand, the railroad managers assert that they cannot increase the average speed of their trains without decreasing the load of each train and running more trains, which would require the employment of more train crews to handle the same amount of freight they now carry. This, they say, would increase operating expenses by even more than the increase in wages would amount to.

In order to provide for a real eight hour day the railroad managers declare many changes would have to be made not only in the wording of the demands as presented by the employees, but also in many of the most important of the other provisions of the present wage schedules which the brotherhoods insist shall be left unchanged.

Most of the present schedules applying to freight and switching service provide for a day's wage for each 100 miles or less their trains run or for each ten hours or less of work, thus guaranteeing a day's pay to any man who is called for any work during the day. They also provide for extra payment for hours in excess of ten or miles in excess of 100. In passenger service the basis for a day's pay is even less. In the case of engineers and firemen it is five hours in eastern territory and six hours and forty minutes in western territory. The demands provide for a day's pay for eight hours or less or 100 miles or less and do not apply to the passenger service, which is already on a basis more favorable to the employees than an eight hour day.

The demand for time and one-half for overtime would therefore penalize the railroads, they say, for time required to complete a train run in excess of eight hours or for any delay, while the employees would still continue to draw a full day's pay in many cases for considerably less than the standard day's work.

## TO SETTLE LABOR DISPUTES.

Federal Body Should Fix Railway Rates and Wages.

Baton Rouge, La.—Commenting on the prospective railroad strike for higher wages, the Times says:

Congress should pass an act at once giving the interstate commerce commission authority to settle the labor disputes, just as it has the right to fix rates.

It is more important that the interstate commerce commission have the right to fix wages and settle disputes than it is that it have the right to determine freight rates and prohibit rebates.

Business can hobble along under high freight rates. Death would follow a general railroad strike.

Both the railroads and the railroad men may be able to withstand a strike, but the public cannot. The public is not in a position to face a general strike of the railroads in the country.

The calamity is too awful to contemplate.

It would be more frightful than a dozen Mexican wars. It should not be in the power of a set of men to bring such a disaster to the public.

The commission has the right to say what the railroads shall charge for their service.

This commission should be given the right to say what they shall pay for the labor that it takes to perform this service.

And it should be given this authority at once.

# Fair Visitors ARE WELCOME



AT THE

# Corner Drug Store

"Quality Corner."

The Rexall Store

## A PUZZLE

If W. V. Dean owns an abstract plant as a sideline and J. T. Hartley owns a good farm, horses, cattle, mules, stock in San Saba and Llano county warehouses and stock in the San Saba Mill and Elevator Co. as a side, what is the difference?

If J. T. Hartley is able to own a good farm and horses and cattle and mules as he says he does and is able to own stock in San Saba and Llano county warehouses as he says he does and is able to own stock in the San Saba Mill and Elevator Co. as he says he does, do you really believe he feels the sting of poverty as keenly as he says he does?

**Ad.**  
**A Rough Criticism.**  
Lord Houghton's epigram on "Sordello," probably the most obscure of Browning's poems, though it has often gone the rounds, is worth recalling. Said Lord Houghton, then only Dicky Milnes, "There are but two lines in 'Sordello' I can understand—the first and last—'Who will may hear Sordello's story told' and 'Who would hath heard Sordello's story told,' and both are false."

**Finger Print Love.**  
"Why do you think you'll be happy if you marry that young man, daughter?" asked the father.  
"Because, father, we've had our finger prints examined and they almost match," was the sweet young thing's reply.—Yonkers Statesman.

**Helping Her Out.**  
The Smythes attempted the unwise experiment of trying to give a fashionable dinner party with an inexperienced maid, whose mistress had coached and coached her until, as poor Ellen said afterward, her mind was "all in a tangle." During the middle of the dinner Ellen appeared in the dining room with a look of perplexity on her face and said:  
"Say, ma'am, I can't remember whether you want them croquetty things next or that salad, and I'm shy one salad plate, and I don't think there's goin' to be enough salad to go round anyway, so hadn't we better cut that out altogether?"

## To Those Who Don't Know Will

Notwithstanding the fact that some have charged that Mr. W. E. Yarborough is incompetent to fill the office to which he is asking the people to elect him, we recommend him to those who do not know his qualifications, as being a man whom we believe is well qualified in every respect to discharge the duties of the office

- J. B. Miller Banker.
- A. J. Wise Merchant
- Oscar J. Wise Merchant
- J. R. McAtee "
- W. B. Mooney "
- W. G. Locker "
- J. D. Johnson "
- J. H. Kavanaugh "
- W. C. Locker "
- J. A. Carter "
- D. J. Chapman Druggist
- D. C. Williams "
- J. B. Coffey "
- D. R. York Garage
- F. L. Miller Tailor
- J. G. Gentry, Telephone Mgr
- N. C. Brown Stockman
- J. W. Brown "
- H. A. Graham "
- C. W. Spurlock "
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