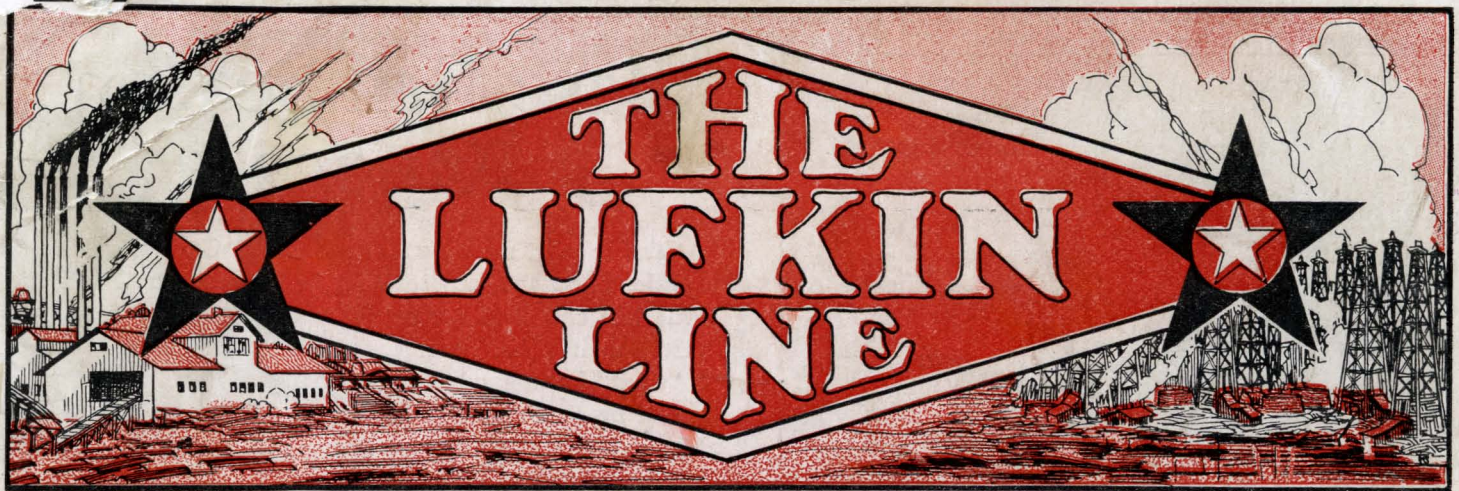




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JASPER PEAVY IS SIGNALLY HONORED

Lufkin Raised Citizen Elected President of the Southern Pine Association

Everyone near and far connected in any way with the Southern Pine Lumber Industry were, or will be, glad to learn of the election of Mr. A. J. Peavy (better known to his friends as "Jasper") to the Presidency of the Southern Pine Association at their recent annual meeting in New Orleans. In our opinion no better man anywhere could be found to guide the destiny of such an association.

But the Junior Editor of the "LINE", feeling as he does, his inability to express the known feelings of his "Chief," who happens to be away when this issue goes to press, is leaving the matter to a life long friend, and, after all, the testimony of a life long friend, even though short, bespeaks volumes, for we are all good men some of the time but it takes an exceptional to stand the test of time, especially one having the experiences in life as has Jasper Peavy, and still stand perfect in the eyes of this boyhood friend, from whom we will quote.



All of us have our handicaps—some by too much money—others by too little. Some by their education—environment—ancestors—health, and pretty near all of us by our dispositions. And it is only by the realization of these handicaps and the overcoming of them that makes one really great. Jasper Peavy has had his handicaps just like all the rest of us, but he has had the vision to realize what they were and has overcome them. But so much for that and now for the eulogy paid him by one of his life-long friends as clipped from the columns of the "Lufkin Daily News."

"The front page of The Shreveport Times, under date of yesterday, carried the picture of A. J. Peavy, with the announcement of his having been elected president of the Southern Pine Association during its session at New Orleans this week.

"This is a great honor, but it could not have been bestowed on one more worthy



HERE'S LOOKING AT YOU!

Buffalo on ranch at Banff, Canada—a fast dying race.

in every way than our own Jasper Peavy, an Angelina county product, who spent all of his young boyhood here, taught school, logged and saw milled, fighting his way, step by step, to the highest pinnacle of success, to the delight of his many friends everywhere.

"Big-brained, big-hearted Jasper Peavy has never let his wonderful success mar his intimate relations with the old home friends, poor and uncultured though some of them may be, and his frequent visits to Lufkin are spent in mixing and mingling with the associates of former days, enjoying the recounting of their pleasure and sympathizing with them in their sorrows and disappointment. Millionaire though he is, president of several of the biggest saw mill concerns of the South, director in many of the greatest industries of Shreveport, his present home, he remains the same old Jasper, unspoiled, unsullied, making a friend of every one with whom he is associated and hailed everywhere by rich and poor, old and young, the uncouth and the educated, as a friend worth while and the prince of all good fellows, with a pocket ever open to assist liberally in any worthy enterprise or charitable undertaking. May his shadow never grow less is the wish of his host of admiring friends here in Lufkin and old Angelina, the home of his early boyhood days, and the scene of his vicissitudes and struggles and triumphs in later years."

Base Ball Season Opens

Clint Rigsby, manager Kirby Lumber Company, Merryville, Louisiana, advises that he has organized a fast little ball club, and are open for engagements with any fast club in East Texas and Southwest Louisiana.

"Clint" has a great deal of confidence in his ball team, and if he runs that club like he runs Mr. Kirby's mill at Merryville, you birds had better look out.—He'll be a "Hot number."

J. B. Kilgore, club manager of the Temple Lumber Company, Pineland, Texas, advises us of the organization of a ball club. Their record last year was twenty games won out of twenty-five played, and they hope to do even better this year. He is also open for games.

Our best wishes for a successful season to both clubs.

A New Account Added to Our Line of Mill Supply Specialties

In January of this year we bought our first car of MON-O-LITH JOINTLESS FURNACE lining and ATMOSSET HIGH TEMPERATURE CEMENT, and were hoping that by fall we would have it all sold.

Such was the demand, however, for this well known product that before the middle of February we had sold all of the car—had to buy local shipments from two of the nearest warehouses, and have a large amount sold of the car now enroute to us.

From the looks of things now this will certainly be a first class addition to our Mill Supply Department.

Let us tell you more about MON-O-LITH and ATMOSSET.

The Efficiency in Government

Recently two steel bridges were built across the Potomac near Washington, both identically alike, one built by the Southern Railway and one by Uncle Sam. The railway company estimated the bridge to cost one million dollars, and one year to build. They completed the job in nine months at a cost of \$900,000.00, while the Government took twenty-three months at a cost of \$3,200,000.00. But what's tax payers' money?

HOCUS POCUS

Walking down the street the other evening I stopped to watch a liniment salesman stage his stunts on the back of a flivver. He drew in the crowd with his jokes and stories and legerdemain, and finally with the help of a few "stool pigeons" as we used to call them, those who bought simply to get the crowd buying, the faker sold a lot of his preparations.

Usually these fellows give us something extra for nothing which they are distributing for advertising purposes and at great expense—Hocus Pocus. There is very little given away for nothing in this world and neither the free article nor the snake oil liniment is worth the bother to carry away.

There is a lot of Hocus Pocus in the business world today—but value must be paid for—so be careful you are not paying for 90 per cent Hocus Pocus and getting 10 per cent value.

No Fun In Smoking

Two old Scotsmen sat by the roadside, talking and puffing away merrily at their pipes.

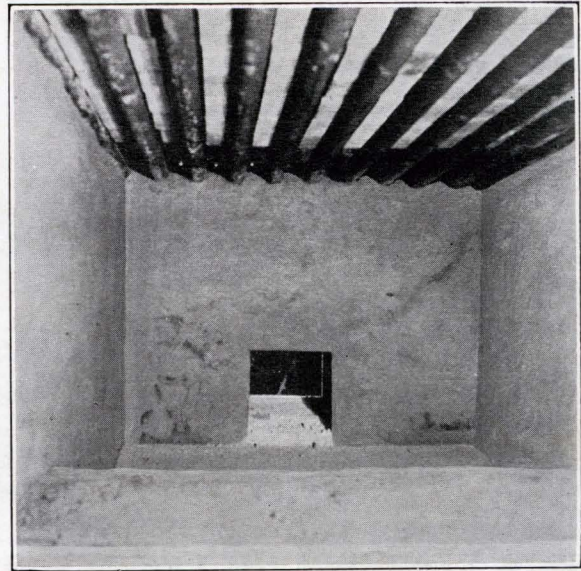
"There's no muckle pleasure in smokin', Sandy," said Donald.

"Hoo dae ye mak' that oot?" questioned Sandy.

"Weel," said Donald, "ye see, if ye're smokin' yer ain bacca ye're thinkin' o' the awfu' expense, an' if ye're smokin' some ither body's, yer pipe's ramm't sae tight it won't draw."—Tit-Bits.

Small Boy—"Father, how do they catch lunatics?"

Father—"With face powder, beautiful gowns, pretty smiles, and soft words, my son."



Mon-O-Lith JOINTLESS Furnace Lining

Packed in 500 pound Metal Containers,
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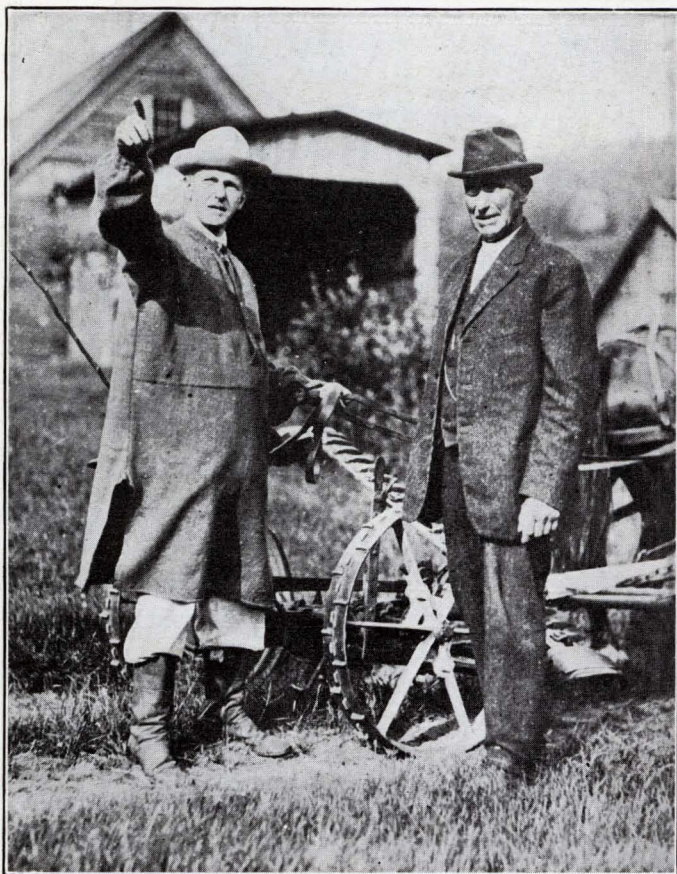
TO USERS OF MON-O-LITH
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WE GUARANTEE

That if installed according to our instructions and specifications that MON-O-LITH will make a one-piece gas-tight, and air-tight furnace lining that resists heat to 3100 degrees F., and give more satisfactory service than a fire brick lining.

Big Stock on Hand

*Write us for further
information*



President Coolidge and his father, Col. John Coolidge

This picture taken last year during the President's vacation on the farm of his father. They were very devoted to each other, and the loss of his father by his recent death will be a great one to Calvin Coolidge.



New Smooth End Trimmer Saw

Our connections, E. C. Atkins & Company of Indianapolis, Ind., manufacturers of saws and saw tools, are putting out a new type of saw for users of making machines. The new saw is known as the Smooth-End Trimmer or Cut-off, and is designed specifically for trimming off the end of lumber that goes through a marker.

The principle of this smooth-end cut-off saw is that it has one hollow ground side (without set) that runs next to the board which is cut off. The flat side (with set)

runs on the side next to the outside end which permits the lumber being trimmed with a smooth, clean end for marking.

The drawing shows the method of toothing, setting and grinding this saw. This method of manufacture prevents burning of the saw because it has plenty of clearance, and it does not make any difference if the end of the board or timber which is cut off is a rough cut, inasmuch as the short end goes to the scrap.

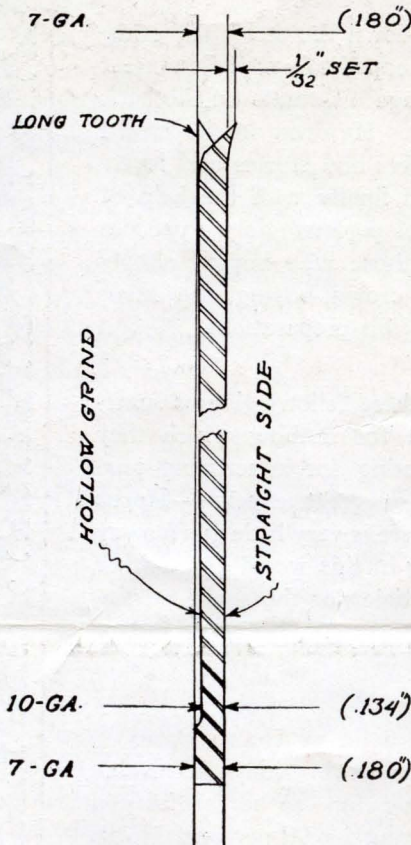


Diagram of smooth-end trimmer saw.

There has been an insistent demand on the part of large sawmills for a saw that would trim boards and timber smoothly, and this new type of trimmer saw, it is claimed, will enable the user to trim the ends of his boards smoothly enough for the marker, and accomplish that result without the difficulties that have surrounded the operation of a smooth-cutting cut-off saw up to this time. Additional information will be given to anyone interested.

A Guest Returns the Compliment

At an Indiana Hotel this sign is on all the stationery and in every room:

"This hotel is fully equipped with automatic sprinklers. Statistics show that loss of life has never occurred in a sprinklered building. In case of fire, you may get wet, but not burned."

A witty guest composed the following prayer to fit the circumstances:

"Now I lay me down to sleep,
Statistics guard my slumber deep;
If I should die, I'm not concerned,
I may get wet but I won't get burned!"

—Hotel Management.

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New Residence of D. D. McCall, Houston

If you want to know what some of these sawmill men do after they've made their "wad"—here's what—

Mr. McCall is an old sawmill man. Starting his career right here in Angelina County, a few miles from Lufkin. In those days he had to "work for a living"—now, all he has to do is look after the buying for the West Saw Mills, and about twenty-seven lumber yards scattered throughout Texas.

But we have his own statement for it that the tune of an old circular saw still sounds better to him than the best "High Brow" opera.

Two Carloads of New Machinery Added to Our Equipment

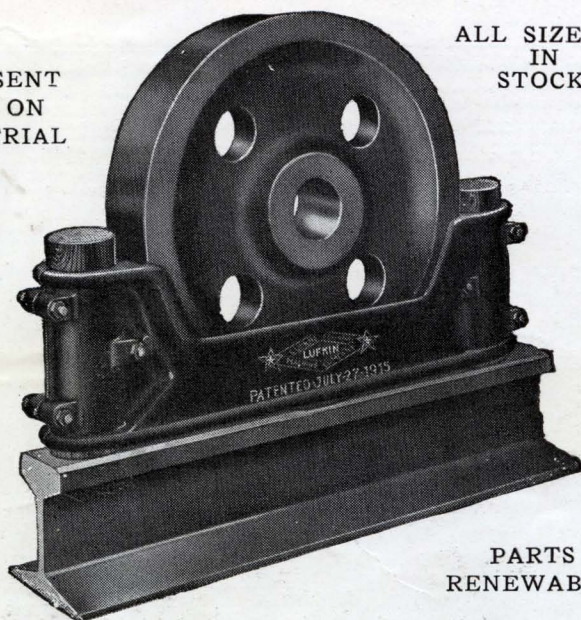


To insure faster and better work, thereby pleasing our fast growing clientele, we have just received—

- 2—6-foot Radial Drills; heavy duty type—strong enough to pull a 6-inch tap.
- 1—No. 4 Maximuller; a high production milling machine.
- 1—Barrett Horizontal Boring Machine.
- 1—Large Betts Horizontal Boring Machine.
- 1—Horizontal P. & H. Drill Press.

LYNCH TRACK CLEANERS

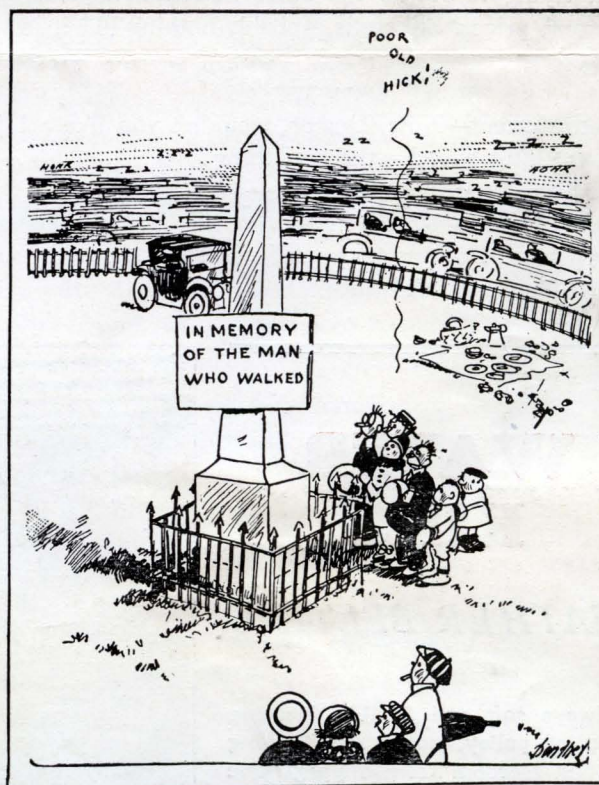
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ALL SIZES
IN
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PARTS
RENEWABLE

The Simplest and Best



—Donahey in the Cleveland Plain Dealer

THE LAST OF HIS KIND

The thoughtless or selfish manner and the cold, dark looks of many automobile drivers have done a great deal to make the man who walks feel that he has no rights or privileges any more.

—Courtesy The Superior Sheet Steel Company



Old Fashion Surrey and Team—Rose Tournament, Pasadena, Calif., New Year's Day

Above photo taken by Mr. Trout from the collapsed grandstand one minute before the crash which finally cost ten lives and two hundred injured. While Mr. Trout escaped injury, his wife was bruised badly and two cousins who were in the party, were more seriously injured and laid up for months.

The Rose Tournament is an annual affair at which great crowds assemble from all over California, each town trying to out-do the other in beautiful floats for high cash prizes. There is probably nothing like it in the world.

Convalescent—Now, Doctor, wouldn't you like a little of something Scotch—the real thing?

Doctor—Well, now—I never—

Convalescent—Of course you would. Mary bring out that pot of Dundee marmalade the MacDonalds sent over.—Pharmacal Advance.



Left to right, C. E. Edwards, manager our Houston Office; J. M. Seale, general purchasing agent, Kirby Lumber Company.

J. M. (Jim) Seale Visits Our Plant

In company with our Houston representative, Jim Seale, general purchasing Agent for the Kirby Lumber Company, with offices in Houston, visited our plant recently and was kind enough to pose for this picture.

Mr. Seale has been with the Kirby Lumber Company for years, at one time in charge of all Kirby Stores, with headquarters at Silsbee, later going to Houston to take charge of all purchases.

Jim Seale has a kindly disposition, and anyone having anything to sell is always assured a hearty welcome and a chance to "strut their stuff," and be treated so kindly they'll wonder how they failed to "sell" him, but many years of experience has taught "Jim" Seale the value of knowing how and when to say "no."

We were indeed glad to have Mr. Seale visit our plant, and would like to have more of our friends visit us—meet and talk with the men that actually serve them—we believe it would promote a more friendly feeling, which would be mutually beneficial.

The latch string is always out, and the welcome mat spread at the door to friends like Jim Seale.

WATER KING

LEATHER BELTING

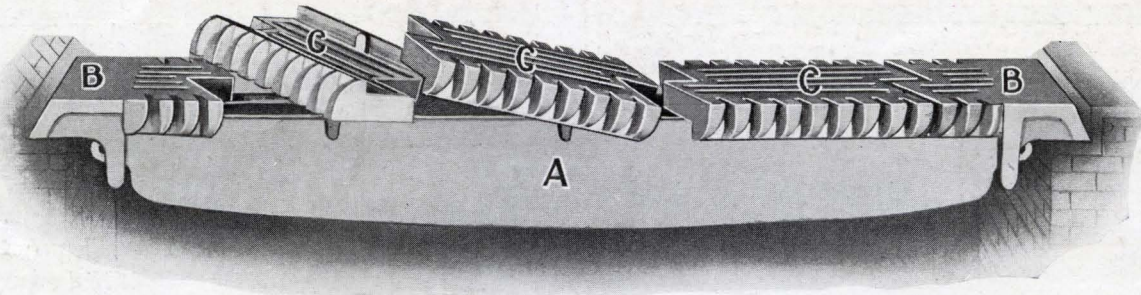
Always soft and flexible, insuring grasp of pulley, noted for its long life and freedom from slippage and stretch.

Produces more horsepower — ultimate cost less. Made in the South for forty years—where operating conditions have been studied.



Partial View of Stock Room, Southern Belting Company of New Orleans. Largest stock of leather in South.

Something New to Texas Users— **“Everlasting” Sectional Boiler Grate Bars**



Pats. Pend. Patented 1924-25

End Section with—

- 1—Beveled ends prevent the packing of ashes between end of grate and grate rest in firebox wall.
- 2—Bosses which suspend supporting bar in ash pit and away from severe heat.
- 3—Broken or “Z” joint between sections with $\frac{3}{8}$ ” opening, which prevents fusing and easily permits removal and renewal of sections.

Center Sections with—

- 4—“Z” joints interlocking with (3) on end sections. Prevent fuel dropping through, but have ample clearance to guard against fusing.
- 5—Lugs on underside, which fit in recesses (9) on support bars and keep center sections in place and evenly spaced.

Double Supporting Bars with—

- 6—Separating bars connecting side bars.
- 7—Beveled top edges, which allow air circulation and prevent accumulation of ashes.
- 8—Beveled ends acting as wedges to tighten joint and form stop for end sections.
- 9—Recesses to hold lugs (5) in center sections.

A Truly “Everlasting” Boiler Grate

- 1** Support bar (C) suspended in mid-air and not in contact with burning fuel or hot side or end walls. Made of special heat resisting iron.
- 2** End sections (A) at ends of support bars take up expansion and contraction—prevent warping and buckling. Should they burn off, end sections can be replaced at small expense.
- 3** Middle sections (B) weigh about 21 lbs., and are easily removed and replaced if burnt out. Can also be removed and replaced by spares and cleaned at leisure where slag conditions are bad.
- 4** All parts interchangeable. Bar assemblies are carried in stock in standard sizes, 8 inches wide and 2 to 6 feet long.

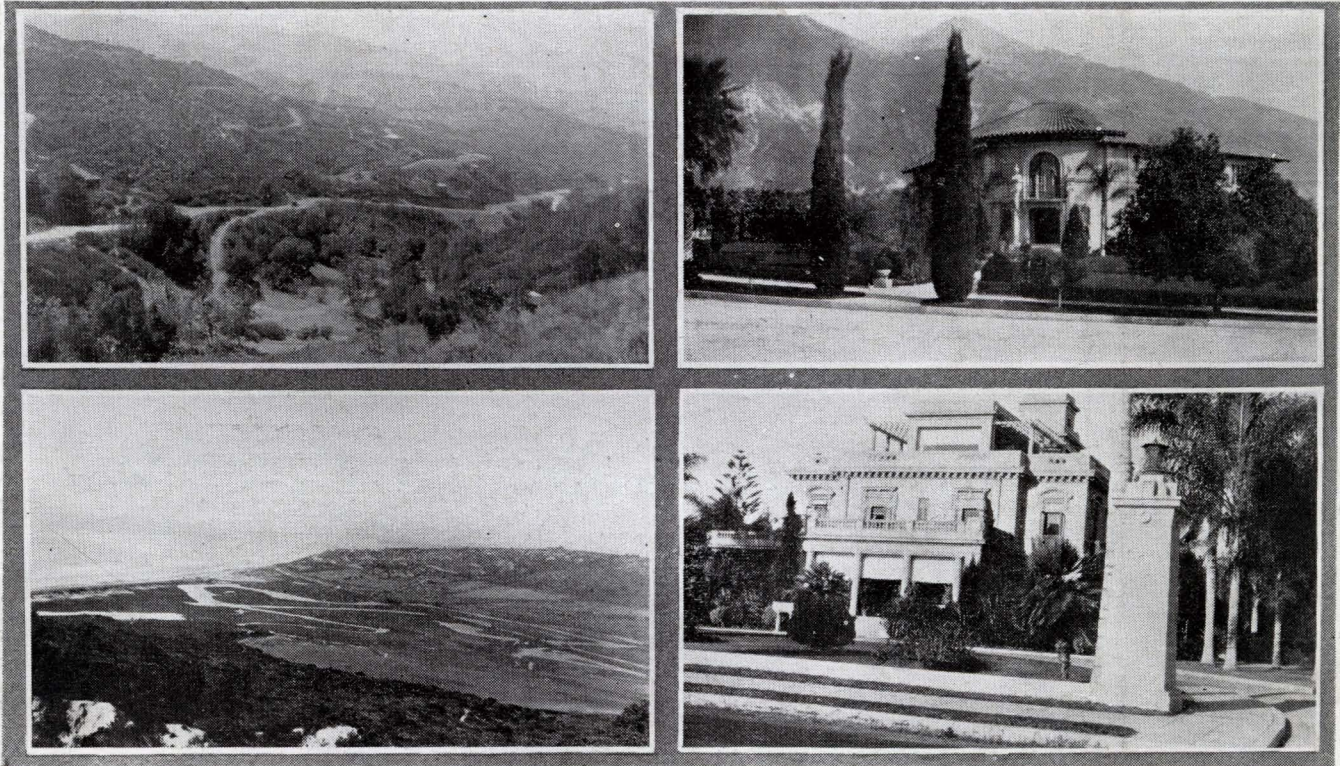
LET US TELL YOU MORE ABOUT THIS GRATE

Phone, Wire or Write for Our Representative to Call

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Lufkin, Texas

THE LUFKIN LINE



Views of Southern California

One of the finest drives in the world, Los Angeles to San Diego and Coronado. Scenes taken by Mr. Trout on a recent visit.

Upper left—Tuhunga Pass. Upper right—Altenada residence. Lower left—Pine Lodge Hill, near La Hoya, California. Lower right—Spreckles home, Coronada, California.

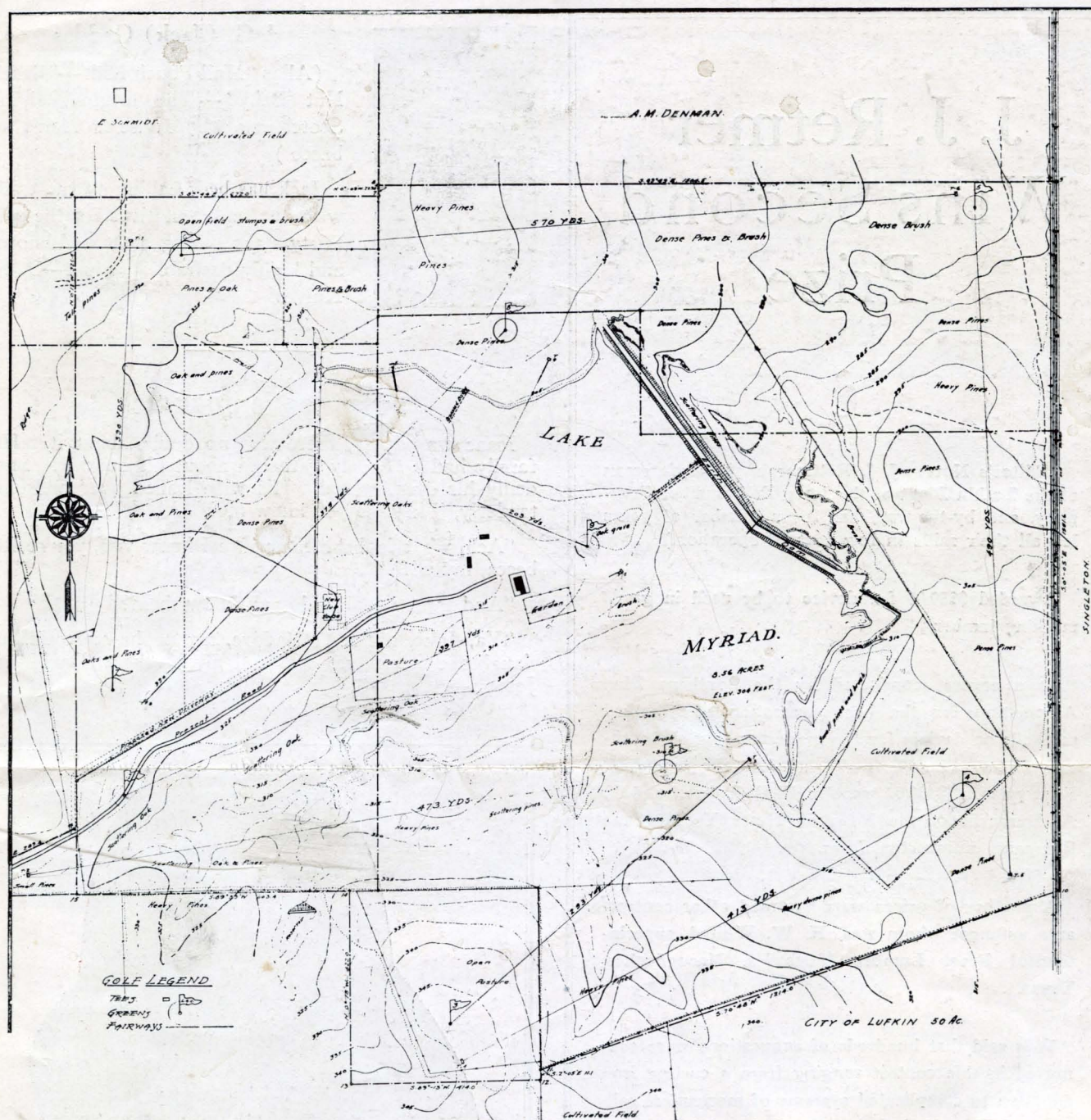
Lower views—The border town of Tia Juana, Mexico, 16 miles southeast of San Diego; famous for its gambling, saloons and dance halls.

Left—Hawaiian dancers. Upper middle—the border line with U. S. and Mexican custom inspectors who pay very little attention when you go in but X-ray you as you leave. Lower middle—"Red Sublett" riding "Topsy" (If you want a better view we have the original which is larger and shows more details which can be had upon request.) Right—the fat girl of Tia Juana; twenty years old and weighing 685 pounds. Surprisingly lively at the "Charleston" or the "Texas Tommy."



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Lufkin to Have Country Club

Organization of the Lake Myriad Country Club, was perfected at a meeting held recently at the offices of the Chamber of Commerce.

Our Lumberman friend G. A. Kelley, has for a long time wanted Lufkin to have a country club, and his dream was finally realized at this meeting. Lufkin owes much of its development and great civic enterprise to men like G. A. Kelley, Jasper Peavy, J. H. Kurth, and his sons, E. L. Kurth, R. W. Kurth, J. H. Kurth, Jr., John S. Bonner, Watson Walker, Harry Roehl, and other prominent lumbermen too numerous to mention to say

nothing of our own W. C. Trout. Some removed by residence but not by heart.

Lufkin has long needed a place of recreation of this kind. A country club with the game and social life which are a part of it, serving to make life in Lufkin even more enjoyable than it is already.

There's One Thing—Myrt—That's A Cinch—If Some Janes Wear Their Skirts Any Shorter They're Goin' To Have A Hullava Time Keepin' Their Belts From Gettin' Under 'Em—

J. J. Retmer Wins Second Prize



(Editor's Note:—J. J. Rettmer is planer foreman of the Lufkin Plant of the Long-Bell Lumber Company, and by-the-way, has for a number of years led all their mills in low cost of operation.)

Awarded \$250.00 for device to be used in grade marking lumber.

In a contest conducted by the Southern Pine Association for the best suggestion of practical methods on devices for the grade marking of Southern Yellow Pine, a total of \$1000.00 was offered. First prize of \$500.00 went to E. R. Tidwell and L. A. Duracher of the Edwards Hines Yellow Pine Company, Lumberton, Miss.

A number of prizes were awarded other contestants amongst whom was, H. W. Whited, superintendent Frost Lumber Industries, Nacogdoches, Texas.

It is said that hundreds of suggestions were submitted in this contest ranging from a curling iron adoption to complicated systems of mechanical rollers and chains. As a result of the contest, three effective means for grade marking have been found available to the lumber manufacturer, one requiring electricity for power, another using air, and the third hand-operated. The six best ideas and devices were awarded prizes.

The Retmer device is operated by hand. Pressure on the handle caused the die to shoot out with sufficient force to indent the lumber, an automatic inking device flips out of the way when it comes in contact with the lumber.

Mr. Rettmer's device was commended very highly as being simple, durable and easy to operate.



J. G. (Jack) Geddes

(Alias "Mail Pouch Kid"—"Beach Nut Baby"—The original flying Scotchman, who chews no man's tobacco.)

Jack has been calling on the trade with our representatives for the past thirty days selling that well-known and highly desirable product—O. K. Knives.

BUSINESS IS BUSINESS

Isaac was dying, there was no doubt about it. His family had anxiously gathered about his bedside. Suddenly his eyes opened. His wife leaned over and said tenderly, "Ikey, do you know me?"

"Ach, what foolishments; sure I know you, you're Rebecca, my wife."

"And these peoples, do you know them?"

"Ya, Jake, my son; Isadore, my nephew; Rosie, my daughter; Simon, my son and my brothers, David and Joseph—Ach, Gott, who's tending store?"



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Red Friction Surface Belt

For Transmission Work

Manufactured Exclusively by

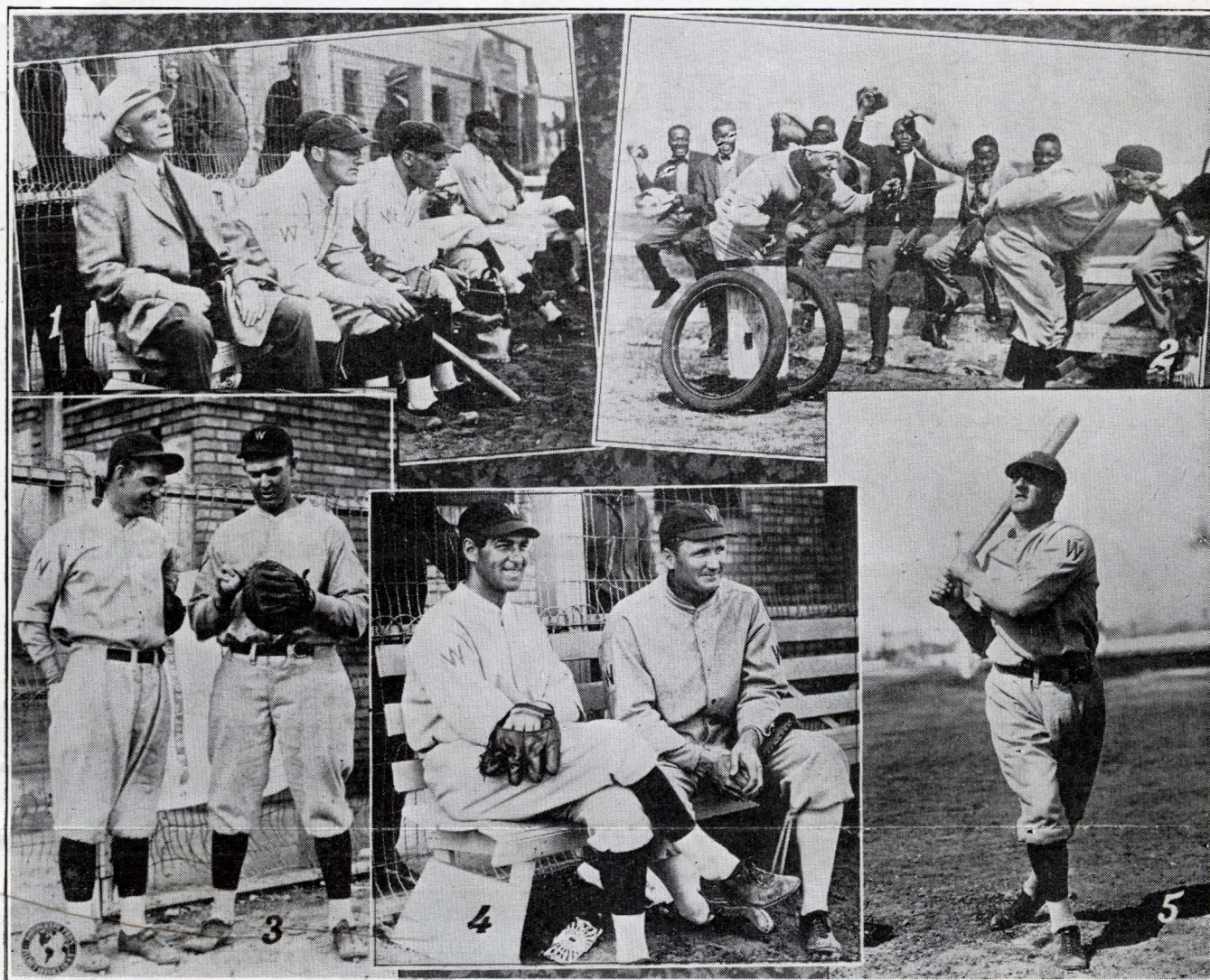
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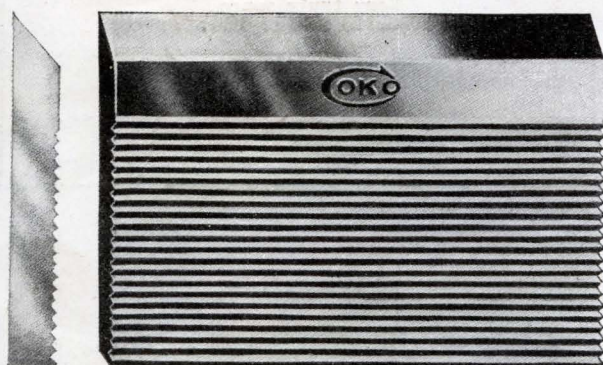
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Washington Players While Training at Tampa

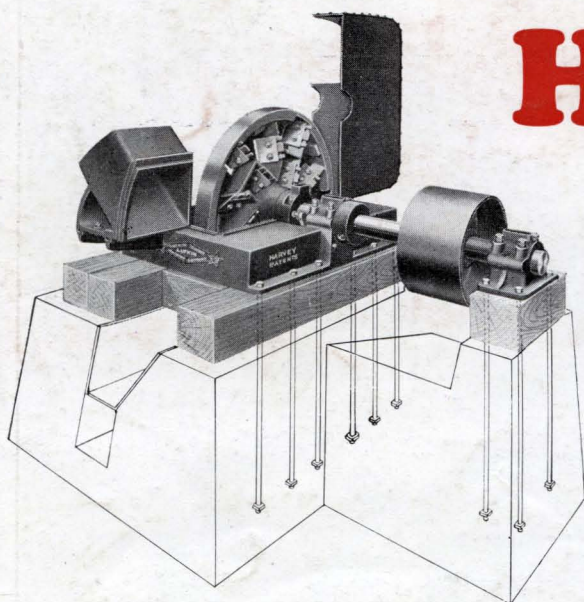
1. Clark Griffith, owner of Senators, watching his team work out at Tampa, Florida. 2. Al Schacht and Nick Altrock, famous baseball comedians, at their usual tricks. 3. Hank Severeid and Muddy Ruel. 4. Bucky Harris and Walter Johnson. 5. Goose Goshlin.



O. K. No. 4 High Speed Steel Corrugated Knives for Profiler and Side Heads Are the Best in use today

We grind to a uniform thickness. Made in any length, width and thickness as desired.

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Note Letter From a

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Harvey Hog**

The "Daddy of Them All"



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MANUFACTURERS OF

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MERCED FALLS, CAL.

March 11, 1926.

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Gentlemen:-

We have used our 91" Harvey Hog
for the past fourteen months cutting up most
of our slabs to feed our boilers - 2500 B.H.P.
We are satisfied with this machine, and find it the
only hog that will cut up the desired amount of
slabs to run our boilers.

Very truly yours,
YOSEMITE LUMBER COMPANY

By

W. R. Lowell

Manager.

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